

Amend **Section 201 - Clearing and Grubbing** to read as follows:

**"SECTION 201 - CLEARING AND GRUBBING**

**201.01 Description.** This section describes clearing, protecting trees, vegetation, and objects designated to remain, removing and disposing of vegetation, debris, and unwanted material from right-of-way, easements, road approaches, project and borrow pit sites, and other areas designated in the contract documents or by the Engineer. Perform clearing in advance of cable lashing and ring net drapery installation.

Clearing is defined as removing and disposing of all unwanted surface material, such as trees, brush, grass, weeds, downed trees, and other material.

Grubbing is not required and will not be allowed for this project.

Debris is defined as unusable or unwanted material produced by clearing.

**201.02 Materials.** None

**201.03 Construction.**

**(A) Vector Control.** Prior to starting site clearing or structure removal, comply with rodent control requirements of Title 11, Chapter 26, Section 11-26-35, HAR. Contact the Kauai District Health Office, Vector Control unit at 808-241-3306.

**(B) Best Management Practices (BMP).** Ensure that all BMP measures are in place before clearing starts. If BMP measure is removed temporarily to accommodate construction operations, reinstall before end of workday.

**(C) Limits.** Clear entire length of project within limits specified in the contract documents. Clearing shall include all vegetation encountered within the limits of the ring net drapery system and up to two feet beyond the limits. Contractor shall coordinate limits of clearing in the field with the Engineer.

**(D) Clearing.** All vegetation and surface objects encountered within the limits of clearing including trees, logs, roots of downed trees, brush, grass, weeds, etc. shall be cleared and cut flush to the ground. Trees with a trunk diameter equal to or less than 18 inches shall be cut flush with the ground. Trees with a diameter larger than 18 inches shall remain.

Clearing shall also include removal of other unwanted material, such as lumber, trash, and loose debris.

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**(E) Removal and Disposal of Material.** All material and debris resulting from clearing operations shall become property of the Contractor and shall be removed and properly disposed of at an authorized disposal site. Obtain written authorization from property owners and governmental authorities for disposal locations outside highway right-of-way limits.

Leave roadway and adjacent areas with neat and finished appearance. Dispose of all debris within or adjacent to highway right-of-way. Burning of tree material and debris is prohibited.

**201.04 Measurement.** Clearing and grubbing will be paid on a lump sum basis. Measurement for payment will not apply.

**201.05 Payment.** The Engineer will pay for the accepted clearing and grubbing on a contract lump sum basis. Payment will be full compensation for the work prescribed in the section and the contract documents.

The Engineer will pay for each of the following pay items when included in the proposal schedule:

Pay Item	Pay Unit
Clearing and Grubbing	Lump Sum

**END OF SECTION 201"**