

SECTION 01411**TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN FOR MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC****01411.01 GENERAL****A. Description**

1. Each Contract for construction within or crossing a public right-of-way shall contain a Traffic Control Plan (TCP), which will assure the safety of motorists, pedestrians, and construction workers during the construction of the Project. The TCP covers such items as signing; pavement markings; methods and devices for delineation and channelization; the placement and design of barriers, barricades and impact attenuators; and other items as required.
2. On Developer projects, the TCP shall be developed by the Developer, subject to the County's approval. On County projects, a Contract TCP will normally be developed by the County. However, if a TCP is not included in the Contract Documents, it shall be the Contractor's responsibility to prepare a TCP, at his expense, for review and approval by the County prior to initiating work in a County right-of-way.
3. The Contractor is required to either implement the Contract TCP, or he may develop and submit, at his expense, his own TCP which may be used in place of the Contract TCP, if approved in writing by the Engineer. The rejection of a Contractor developed TCP will not relieve the Contractor of his obligation to implement the Contract TCP and will not entitle the Contractor to any additional compensation.
4. Each Contract for construction within or crossing a public right-of-way shall contain a Traffic Control Plan (TCP) to include applicable County or State MDOT SHA traffic control typicals and/or details.
5. TCPs may be implemented within a single project or jointly between two or more projects. In situations where TCPs are jointly implemented, ensure that correct and nonconflicting guidance is presented to the traveling public.

B. Related Work Included Elsewhere

Traffic manager; Section 01412.

C. Quality Assurance

The TCP is subject to amendment during the life of the Contract due to changing field conditions. Implementation of either the Contract TCP or the Contractor's TCP does not relieve the Contractor of any of the provisions set forth in the Contract Documents.

D. Submittals

Should the Contractor opt to develop his own TCP, the Contractor's TCP shall be submitted in writing to the Engineer 20 days prior to starting any work. The Contractor shall have written approval from the Engineer of his TCP prior to its implementation.

01411.02 MATERIALS

Not applicable.

01411.03 CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS.

Not applicable.

01411.04 METHOD OF MEASUREMENT.

Not applicable.

01411.05 BASIS OF PAYMENT.**A. General**

The development of a TCP will not be a pay item. The use of materials, labor, equipment, and other incidentals necessary to implement the TCP will be paid for under the appropriate items included in the Proposal. The unspecified items essential for implementation of the plan will be paid for under the lump sum item for maintenance of traffic, as specified in Section 01410.05.

B. Changes to County's TCP

If a Contractor's TCP is accepted by the Engineer and contains increased quantities of those bid items contained in the Proposal, the Contractor will be paid at the price bid for the increased quantities of those items in accordance with the appropriate Specifications. If a Contractor's TCP is accepted by the Engineer and contains items not found in the Proposal bid items, payment will be made in accordance with these Specification or as contained elsewhere. If changes are required in the approved TCP by the Engineer, the Contractor will be paid as above.

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