202 - REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURES

202.1 DESCRIPTION

This work shall conform to Section 202 of the Standard Specifications except as otherwise modified herein and shall include the removal of subsurface structures such as all existing drainage structures, head walls, pipe, inlets, manholes, retaining walls, conduits, foundations, cables, and other obstructions which are encountered during construction. This item shall include any items which may not be specifically listed in the Plans but are in conflict with the new construction and which would normally be encountered upon a careful examination of the site of the work. This includes repair, plugging, or removal of existing pipe after removal of structures.

The work shall also include removal and wasting of surface structures such as concrete curb, pavement of all types, sidewalk, signs and markers, fencing, and abandoned utilities as directed by the Engineer. Excluded are utilities currently in service and structures for which other provisions are made for removal.

202.2 CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

Erosion control measures shall be in place prior to the commencing of any work on the site in accordance with the "Temporary Erosion and Pollution Control" section. If the erosion control measures are not effective or are not approved by the City Engineer, all removal of existing structures shall be halted until such time as the erosion control measures are approved.

Fences that have portions of the fence removed and not replaced shall be left in a useable condition. The remaining fencing shall be terminated at an existing post, or a new corner post shall be set as shown on the plans or at the direction of the City Engineer.

Existing pavement shall be removed to provide match points as directed by the City Engineer.

Unless otherwise provided, all pipe designated for removal shall be removed and every precaution taken to avoid breaking or damaging those pipes which are to remain. The Contractor shall be held responsible for the repair of any damaged pipe and any such pipe will be replaced at the Contractor's expense. All damaged drainage pipe shall be replaced with the same type, grade and class as exists prior to the damage.

202.3 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

Removal of existing structures shall be considered subsidiary to other bid items unless specified in the proposal as a bid item.

When specified in the proposal as a bid item, the Engineer will measure the removal of existing structures by the lump sum.

Payment for "Removal of Existing Structures" at the contract lump sum price is full compensation for the specified work.