MICHIGAN

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

SPECIAL PROVISION

FOR

**REMOVAL OF MISCELLANEOUS APPURTENANCES**

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**a. Description.** This work consists of the removal of miscellaneous appurtenances either within 35 feet of the edge of the travel lane or the slope stake line, whichever is greater and within the public right-of-way. Perform the removal work as shown on the plans in accordance with section 204 of the Standard Specifications for Construction, this special provision and as directed by the Engineer. Restore any earth disturbance resulting from the removal activities.

Items for removal will be designated by the Engineer and include, but are not limited to, the following:

● Brick, masonry or concrete foundations;

● Outbuildings (less than 120 square feet);

● Fences and gates (wood, vinyl, stone, metal, brick or other material);

● Private signs and private signs attached to road signs and supports;

● Posts (wood, metal, plastic or other material) less than 4 feet tall;

● Poles (wood, metal, plastic or other material) 4 feet or taller;

● Landscape cobbles and boulders;

● Planters;

● Fire pits;

● Wood piles;

● Landscape retaining walls (wood, brick, stone or other material) as directed by the Engineer;

● Garbage bins, garbage structures and garbage cages;

● Tires; and

● Other miscellaneous decorative items.

Do not remove posts supporting green reflective address signs used by emergency services unless directly affecting the work to be completed. If reflective address signs are removed to facilitate work, temporarily install adjacent to work area in a conspicuous location and reinstall immediately after earthwork activities are complete.

Ensure that electrical items have been safely disconnected prior to removal.

**b. Materials.** Furnish granular material Class III as backfill in accordance with section 902 of the Standard Specifications for Construction. Ensure materials for restoration are in accordance with the Special Provision for Slope Restoration, Freeway included in the contract.

**c. Construction.** The removed materials are the property of the Contractor. Remove materials from the project limits and dispose of in accordance with subsection 204.03.B of the Standard Specifications for Construction. At the locations where an item was removed, backfill to match existing grade in accordance with subsection 204.03.C of the Standard Specifications for Construction. Restore disturbed areas in accordance with the Special Provision for Slope Restoration, Freeway included in the contract.

**d. Measurement and Payment.** The completed work, as described, will be measured as a lump sum and paid for at the contract price using the following pay item:

**Pay Item Pay Unit**

Rem of Misc Appurtenances Lump Sum

Payment for Slope Restoration will be made separately.