

ITEM 10559.9260 M - ELIMINATING GRAFFITI ON OVERHEAD STRUCTURES

DESCRIPTION

Under this item the Contractor shall respond to Overhead Structure Work Orders given under this contract. The work shall consist of eliminating graffiti on overhead structure surfaces of concrete, painted steel, brick, stone, weathering steel, mill aluminum, reflective signs or other surfaces on State highways. The overhead structures are limited to types of highway appurtenances that would require a cherry picker or other mechanical aerial lift, A.O.B.E. All other structures will be covered under the appropriate items in the contract documents.

The Contractor shall remove graffiti on any type of overhead structure surface within limits in the contract documents which are visible on parkways, expressways, service roads, or various State highways.

MATERIALS Not specified.

CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

For Overhead Structure Work Orders, the Contractor shall respond to the satisfaction of the Engineer within 14 calendar days written of notification. Such response shall include mobilization and deployment of all resources necessary to complete the work as directed by the Engineer.

The labor, materials, equipment, and methods used will be the most appropriate to cover or eliminate the graffiti on overhead structures. Some of these methods may include, but is not limited to, painting, sanding, power washing, applying paint remover, or baking soda blasting.

The Contractor shall submit a written proposal with the appropriate elimination method, operation and MPT scheme to the EIC for approval prior to the start of work.

Graffiti existing at the time of award of contract shall be eliminated by the Contractor within a period of 60 calendar days after date of award. Graffiti which appears on overhead structures subsequent to award of contract, shall be eliminated within 14 calendar days after the Contractor receives written notice from the Engineer approving elimination method and MPT scheme.

METHOD OF MEASUREMENT

This work will be measured by the number of Overhead Structure work orders to which the Contractor has responded to and completed the work as specified. Graffiti that is not eliminated in accordance with this specification within the limits specified above will not be included for payment.

BASIS OF PAYMENT

The unit price bid for this item shall include the cost of any or all Contractor's overhead associated with response to a specific Overhead Structure Work Order. This shall also include

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all costs required to bring equipment, including MPT, materials and labor to a work site and to remove them at the end of the work period.

There will be no payment for eliminating graffiti on overhead structures that is not done within the time limitations stated in the contract documents.