

## ITEM 09615.0292 M - APPLYING HERBICIDES

### DESCRIPTION

The contractor shall furnish and apply a non-selective weed control herbicide at designated locations specified in the contract documents or as directed by the Engineer.

### MATERIALS

Herbicides shall conform to Section 713-13 Herbicides of the Standard Specifications. Herbicides shall be as specified or as approved for non-selective weed control by the Regional Landscape Architect..

### CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

A. **Rates:** Herbicide shall be uniformly applied at a rate consistent with the product label and as approved by the Regional Landscape Architect.

B. **Time of Application:** Herbicides selected or specified shall be applied at the appropriate time of the year as recommended by the manufacturer. Herbicides shall not be applied during rain or when rain is forecast within restricted times stated on the herbicide label; on frozen ground; or when wind speeds exceed 10 to 15 kilometers per hour or (when there is more than gentle movement of leaves and small twigs on trees) or other during other periods restricted on the herbicide label or the contract documents.

C. **Equipment:** All application equipment shall be properly maintained in good working condition and be free of defective equipment that could cause accidental spillage or mis-application of the herbicides on non-target areas. All equipment shall be calibrated before each application to provide a consistent rate of delivery of the formulations and rates specified on the plans or the herbicide label.

D. **Application.** Herbicides shall be applied by a Certified Applicator in accordance with the product label and any other Federal or State rules and regulations.

### METHOD OF MEASUREMENT

The quantity of herbicide to be paid for shall be the number of square meters of surface area to which herbicides has been applied in accordance with the plans and specifications.

### BASIS OF PAYMENT

The unit price bid per square meter shall include the cost of all labor, equipment, materials and incidentals necessary to complete the work as specified.