

21101615 TOPSOIL FURNISH AND PLACE, 4" (LCDOT)

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Description: This work shall consist of furnishing, excavating, transporting and placing topsoil.

Materials: Topsoil (furnished from outside the right-of-way) shall meet the requirements of Article 1081.05(a) of the "Standard Specifications".

General: The work shall be performed according to Section 211 of the "Standard Specifications" and the following:

The work shall also comply with the "Illinois State Agency Historic Resources Preservation Act" (Public Act 86-707, effective January 1, 1990). Under this Act:

- 1. The Contractor shall complete a Cultural and Natural Resources Review of Borrow Areas form for Borrow/Waste/Use Areas (BDE form 2289 3/14/16 included herein), along with all required attachments, and submit them to the Engineer at the earliest possible date.*
- 2. The Engineer shall submit the Cultural and Natural Resources Review of Borrow Areas form to IDOT for review and approval. Any and all costs incurred, associated with said review and approval will be borne by the Contractor.*
- 3. The Contractor shall not begin work on any Borrow/Use areas until the Cultural and Natural Resources Review of Borrow Areas form has been approved.*

The Contractor shall collect one representative soil sample from the proposed growing surface which shall be analyzed by an agricultural laboratory approved by the Engineer. The Contractor shall submit the proposed laboratory name and address to the Engineer at the pre-construction conference. The soils analysis shall include (but is not limited to) the recommended application rates of nitrogen and potassium fertilizer nutrients.

Plan quantities reflect a 4" thick topsoil placement in all disturbed areas.

Method of Measurement: Topsoil Furnish and Place will be measured for payment in square yards according to Article 211.07 of the "Standard Specifications".

Basis of Payment: This work will be paid for at the contract unit price per square yard for TOPSOIL FURNISH AND PLACE, 4". *The cost of the soil analysis will not be paid for separately, but will be included in the cost of TOPSOIL FURNISH AND PLACE, 4". The unit price shall include all equipment, materials and labor required to furnish and place the topsoil. No additional compensation will be allowed for topsoil furnished from locations outside the ROW.*