48101200  AGGREGATE SHOULDERS, TYPE B (LCDOT)

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Description: This work shall consist of furnishing, placing, shaping, and compacting aggregate on a prepared subgrade adjacent to the edges of the completed pavement structure or stabilized shoulder.

Materials: The aggregate shall meet the requirements of Article 1004.04 of the “Standard Specifications” except that:

The aggregate material shall be limited to crushed gravel or crushed stone.

The plasticity index requirements will be waived.

General: The work shall be performed according to Section 481 of the “Standard Specifications”.

Method of Measurement: Aggregate Shoulders, Type B will be measured for payment in tons according to Article 311.08(b) of the “Standard Specifications” except that payment will not be made for aggregate outside the plan width. The following excess moisture content correction will apply to Aggregate Shoulders, Type B:

When the unit of measurement for the aggregate is tons, the aggregate may be weighed in trucks or freight cars. The Contractor shall furnish or arrange for the use of scales of a type approved by the Engineer. If, at the time the Type B aggregate is weighed, it contains more than six percent of absorbed and free moisture by weight, a deduction for the amount of moisture in excess of this amount will be made in determining the pay quantity. Any aggregate that has been stockpiled will be weighed at the time it is incorporated into the work.

Basis of Payment: This work will be paid for at the contract unit price per ton for AGGREGATE SHOULDERS, TYPE B. The unit price shall include all equipment, materials and labor required to furnish, weigh and place the aggregate shoulder.