Standard Electric and Communications Bid Item Descriptions

BOLLARDS This item is for payment for furnishing and installing protective guard posts at above ground utility installations. A bollard may consist of, but not limited to, a steel post set in concrete or any other substantial post material. This item shall include all labor, equipment, and materials needed for complete installation of the bollard as specified by the utility owner specifications and plans. If the Company does not have specifications, KYTC's Specifications shall be referenced. This item paid EACH (EA) when complete.

NOTE: A bid code for this item has been established in standard roadway bid items and shall be used for payment of this item. The bid code is 21341ND.

EC DIRECTIONAL BORE Payment under this item is made whenever the plans or specifications specifically show directional boring is to be utilized in order to minimize the impact of open cut for the installation of conduit under streets, creeks, etc. Payment under this item shall include the specified encasement pipe, conduit(s), void filler material (including grout, aggregate, bentonite, or other material as specified), casing spacers (as specified), labor, and equipment. No separate payment will be made for encasement pipe and/or conduits used within the limits of the directional bore. Payment under this item shall not be size specific and no separate bid items will be established for size or number of conduit variations to be installed. The encasement pipe, conduit sizes, and conduit numbers to be included under this item shall be as shown on the plans and/or in the specifications. Any and all directional bores in each contract shall be paid under one directional bore bid item included in the contract regardless of bore size, encasement size, conduit size, or number of conduits. Some bores may not require the use of an encasement; but, may only require pulling the conduit directly into the bore. Please refer to the Utility Company's Specifications. If the Company does not have specifications, KYTC's Specifications shall be referenced. This item shall be paid LINEAR FEET (LF).

EC DUCT These items shall include all labor, equipment, and material to excavate, install, and backfill the specified bank of duct at locations shown in the plans in accordance with the specifications and standard drawings complete and ready for use. These bid items shall include all necessary appurtenances, connections, fittings, plugs, tees, bends, collars, racks or spacers, pull string, granular or concrete encasement, compacted earth or flowable fill backfill, and etc. Flowable fill, where specified on the plans and specifications, shall be considered incidental to the duct items. No separate payment will be made for flowable fill, unless directed to be used contrary to plans and specifications. All excavation shall be unclassified. No additional payment will be made for rock excavation. Duct shall be measured as the horizontal distance from outside face of structure to outside face of structure; or, to the point of duct termination at dead ends or poles. No additional payment will be made for vertical conduit. No separate bid items will be provided due to varying duct sizes. Any and all duct sizes and configurations shall be paid under these items. The only variations in bid items shall be in the number of duct in a bank and if the duct is or is not to be concrete encased. Please refer to the Utility Company's Specifications. If the Company does not have specifications, KYTC's Specifications shall be referenced. This item shall be paid LINEAR FEET (LF).

EC ELECTRIC MANHOLE, ELECTRIC PIT, ELECTRIC PULL BOX, COMMUNICATIONS MANHOLE, COMMUNICATIONS PULL BOX These items shall include all labor, equipment, excavation, materials, and backfill to install the specified manhole, pit, or pull box at the locations as shown on the plans in accordance with the specifications and standard drawings complete and ready for use. No separate bid items will be provided for varying sizes of structures. All structures shall be paid under the appropriate bid item regardless of size. Where structures are specified to be backfilled with flowable fill, the cost of the flowable fill shall be considered incidental to the bid item. Please refer to the Utility Company's Specifications. If the Company does not have specifications, KYTC's Specifications shall be referenced. This item shall be paid EACH (EA) when complete.

EC LINE MARKER This item is for payment for furnishing and installing an electric or communications utility line marker as specified by the utility owner specifications and plans. A line marker may consist of a post or monument of whatever materials specified and shall include markings and/or signage on same as specified by plans or specifications. This item shall include all labor, equipment, and materials needed for complete installation of the marker. This item shall be paid EACH (EA) when complete.

EC POLE REMOVE AND STOCKPILE This item shall include all labor and equipment required in the removal of a wood, steel, or other type utility pole regardless of material or size. No separate pole removal bid items will be provided for pole material type or size variations. This item also includes removal of any associated attachments to the pole including, but not limited to, cross-arms, hangers, brackets, insulators, downguys, etc. All removed materials shall be stockpiled on site at a location or locations previously agreed to between the utility owner and contractor for pickup and disposal by the utility owner. Stockpile locations shall be accessible to the utility owner's road vehicles. Any pole removed that still has cross-arms, protruding insulators and/or protruding brackets attached shall have such items removed by the contractor so poles can be stacked neatly for pickup. Removed cross-arms, insulators and brackets shall be stacked separately for pickup. This item shall be paid EACH (EA) when the poles and attachments are stockpiled and ready for pickup.