1. Removing Fire Hydrants, Item SPV.0060.##

A Description

This special provision describes removing and salvaging existing fire hydrants at the locations the plans show. These hydrants will be used again as temporary hydrants for flushing purposes. Follow requirements in the Standard Specifications for Sewer and Water Construction in Wisconsin.

B Materials

Provide two 6-inch mechanical joint plugs conforming to the requirements of ductile iron water main fittings per the Standard Specifications for Sewer and Water Construction in Wisconsin (latest edition).

Conform bedding and backfill materials to requirements for water main pipe in the Standard Specifications for Sewer and Water Construction in Wisconsin (latest edition).

C Construction

Provide three full working days notice and coordinate with Water Utility personnel for the temporary shutdown of the existing water main. The Water Utility will operate all existing valves and notify all affected businesses and residences of the time and approximate duration of the shutdown. Excavate the existing fire hydrant, remove the hydrant, 6” valve and all connecting 6-inch pipe from the existing tee. Plug the existing tee with a mechanical joint plug.

Stockpile and protect these salvaged hydrants for reinstallation as temporary hydrants at the locations the plans show.

D Measurement

The department will measure Removing Fire Hydrants by the individual fire hydrant acceptably removed and existing hydrant tee plugged.

E Payment

The department will pay for measured quantities at the contract unit price under the following bid item:

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SPV.0060.## Removing Fire Hydrants EACH

Payment is full compensation for the removal of the existing fire hydrant; plugging of the existing hydrant tee; for excavating, sheeting and shoring; furnishing and placing bedding; and for all backfilling and compaction of the excavation.

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