

EXISTING OVERHEAD SYSTEM REMOVAL

I. Quantity

The base bid shall include the removal of the existing street lighting system as hereinafter specified.

II. Material

All material to be removed belongs to the City of Columbus, Division of Power & Water (P). DOPW(P)

III. Removal

The existing system shall be removed and disassembled as shown on the drawings and indicated in the field by the engineer. The removal shall consist of any or all of the following items:

1. Wire and cable.
2. Insulators.
3. Cross arms and hardware (All hardware shall be stripped from crossarms).
4. Street light fixtures and lamps.
5. Mastarms.
6. Coils, transformers and associated apparatus.
7. Poles.
8. Miscellaneous hardware.

When poles are pulled from the ground, removal methods shall be used which ensure that other existing installations such as adjacent pavements etc., which are to remain in place will not be damaged.

The hole shall be backfilled and completed in accordance with Item 203.

If the pole is removed from a concrete sidewalk the section of the sidewalk shall be replaced in accordance with Item 208.

If the pole is removed from a brick sidewalk or other paved area, the surface shall be restored with similar materials, as shown on the plans and as directed by the engineer.

The contractor will be required to make connections to assure the continued operation of the adjacent system not to be removed, as directed by the engineer.

The Contractor shall be responsible for any damage to salvaged materials due to improper methods used or carelessness and shall replace such materials at no additional cost to the City.

All material removed shall be promptly delivered to the Division of Power & Water (P). DOPW(P) Distribution Warehouse, 3500 Indianola Avenue, unless the contractor is otherwise notified by the engineer. All material must be checked in by storeroom personal before it is unloaded. Please contact DOPW(P) 645-7627 48 hrs prior to delivery arrange for materials to be returned to the Distribution Warehouse.

IV. Quotation

The existing system removal, as hereinbefore specified, shall be quoted on as a lump sum unit price in the appropriate section of this document.