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## **PART 1 GENERAL**

### 1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Safety requirements
- B. Site specific safety procedures

### 1.02 SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

- A. As defined in Exhibit < > – Contractor Minimum Safety Requirements (CMSR).

### 1.03 SITE SPECIFIC SAFETY PROCEDURES

- A. Provide fire protection in all construction areas to the satisfaction of the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ).
- B. During the construction phase, the Authority Having Jurisdiction may conduct oversight inspections to observe and provide recommendations regarding applicable safety standards.
- C. CONTRACTOR shall ensure compliance with the following minimum requirements at all times:
  - 1. Do not block exit corridors. Install signage clearly identifying exit routes.
  - 2. Provide physical barriers with appropriate warning signage to protect public areas from construction work.
  - 3. Conduct daily inspections to eliminate fire hazards and any other safety hazards.
  - 4. Periodic safety inspections may be performed on job sites by the AHJ. The AHJ will present UTILITIES with a written summary of the findings who will then take these issues to the CONTRACTOR's superintendent, foreman, or other designated representative, and return the summary form with documentation of the resolution of safety items to AHJ. Abate deficient items in a timely manner. Include documentation and resolution of safety items presented in weekly Progress Meetings. Inspections by AHJ are spot-checks only. They are not all encompassing. These inspections and recommendations do not relieve the CONTRACTOR from obligations related to safe work practices as required under federal law.
  - 5. AHJ has the right to access the site at all times. Should a potential threat to personnel or property be observed, AHJ may require the hazard related operation immediately altered, or stopped, until adequate safeguards are addressed.
  - 6. If required, provide AHJ, through UTILITIES, with a copy of CONTRACTOR's weekly safety meeting minutes and safety inspection reports.
  - 7. Provide signs used for proper identification of construction areas.
  - 8. Provide adequate number of appropriately rated fire extinguishers to be available on-site for emergency use in the construction area.
  - 9. Ensure standpipes, pull stations, electrical panels, water control valves, and fire hydrants are accessible at all times.

10. Post emergency notification phone numbers provided by CONTRACTOR and UTILITIES in all construction areas.
11. Notify UTILITIES of any recordable or lost time injuries occurring on UTILITIES' property within one <1> <\_\_> day and of any fatalities immediately.
12. Submit copies of all injury reports to AHJ, through UTILITIES.
13. Equip construction personnel with personal protective equipment (PPE) where required. Coordinate with UTILITIES to identify where use of PPE will be required.

1.04 LOCKOUT/TAGOUT SAFETY PROCEDURES

- A. Utilize Utilities' program and procedures for the control of hazardous energy lockout/tagout including, but not limited to, locks, tags, and lockout devices. Provide UTILITIES documentation that workers have received safety training in the control of hazardous energy through lockout/tagout. CONTRACTOR lockout/tagout programs and procedures shall meet UTILITIES requirements and procedures.

1.05 HOT WORK OPERATIONS

- A. In addition to the requirements in the CMSR, the CONTRACTOR shall provide and enforce a program to control fires during hot work operations. Provide appropriately rated fire extinguishers, fire retardant protective covers (when needed), and any other hot work related equipment.

**PART 2 PRODUCTS**

NOT USED

**PART 3 EXECUTION**

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