



**SPECIAL PROVISIONS
FOR
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

**Woodbury County
NHSN-012-1(080)--2R-97**

**Effective Date
October 20, 2026**

THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, SERIES 2023, ARE AMENDED BY THE FOLLOWING MODIFICATIONS AND ADDITIONS. THESE ARE SPECIAL PROVISIONS AND THEY SHALL PREVAIL OVER THOSE PUBLISHED IN THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

230440.01 DESCRIPTION.

The work under this contract is located in an environmentally sensitive area along the Gordon Drive Viaduct, Rustin Street to Virginia Street in Sioux City. This work has the potential to impact a culturally sensitive area, thus requiring archaeological monitoring to prevent inadvertent disturbance from the project activities.

230440.02 NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE.

- A.** National Historic Preservation Act compliance has been obtained for the project by the Iowa DOT in cooperation with the FHWA, the Iowa State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO), various Sovereign Tribes/Nations and additional consulting parties that authorizes all construction-related activities with potential to effect various historic properties.
- B.** It will be the Contractor's responsibility to ensure that areas identified as "Monitoring Area" in project plans will be monitored by an SOI qualified archaeologist as needed. Enforcement actions may include an order to immediately cease all construction activity and/or fines. Contact Janee Becker (515-233-7820) with the Location and Environment Bureau of the Iowa DOT with questions.

230440.03 CONSTRUCTION.

- A.** An SOI qualified archaeologist will attend a pre-construction meeting to discuss the project requirements with the Engineer and the Contractor. Pre-construction meeting information shall be provided to Janee Becker a minimum of 1 week in advance of the meeting.
- B.** If, during the course of construction, any new important archaeological, historical, or architectural materials be encountered during construction, project activities shall cease and the Engineer shall be notified immediately, per Article 2103.03, J of the Standard Specifications.

230440.04 BASIS OF PAYMENT.

- A.** No separate payment will be made for costs incurred due to compliance with this Special Provision.
- B.** No additional time will be provided to the contract unless approved in writing by the Engineer.