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PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION:

A. This Section covers the requirements for compliance with health and safety precautions and controls for projects without hazardous waste operations.

1.02 RELATED SECTIONS:

A. Section 01 33 10 - Submittals

B. Section 31 00 00 - Earthwork

1.03 HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN:

A. Within Five (5) days after receipt of Notice to Proceed, the Contractor shall submit a site specific Health and Safety Plan addressing health and safety management methods specific to the project. The Plan shall, at a minimum, include:

1. The name of the individual at the jobsite responsible for implementation and compliance with this Plan.

   a. ***Submitted with the plan shall be a "Competent Person Evaluation" (see Section 00 84 00) if the project involves excavations covered by WAC 296-155.***

   b. If applicable, the Plan shall include the name and qualifications of any electrical safety observer to be provided by the Contractor.

2. Protection of the public.

3. A description of tasks to be undertaken, and equipment mobilized for this project.

4. A list of all known safety or health hazards, problems, and proposed control mechanisms.

5. Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) of and procedures for using, disposing of, or storing for all chemicals, products, or materials regulated by WAC 296-62 to be used by the Contractor.

6. A list of personal protective equipment, monitoring devices, and hazard-specific plans or permits as appropriate and required by State and Federal regulations.

7. A description of emergency response measures, equipment available for emergency response to address accidents and releases of materials, including, but not limited to, first aid, eye wash/showers, and fire extinguishing equipment, and location of this equipment at the jobsite.

8. Emergency phone numbers contacts, and location of the nearest medical facility.

9. A monitoring and inspection plan and record keeping measures to ensure that equipment and work practices comply with this Plan.

10. Personnel names, training and notification procedures as appropriate to ensure that all jobsite personnel are familiar with the Plan elements. Include copies of training certificates.

11. Procedures for safe storage and handling of flammable liquids, in accordance with WAC 296-24-330.

12. If applicable the Contractor shall include procedures for safe storage and handling of compressed gasses in accordance with WAC 296-24-295, Compressed Gas General Requirement.

13. Other issues which the Contractor determines are appropriate and necessary to protect worker safety and health.

1.04 ACCIDENT REPORTING:

A. Serious accidents such as those resulting in treatment of an injury at a medical facility, response to the site by emergency medical personnel or damage to property other than that of the Contractor shall be reported to the Engineer within twenty-four (24) hours of the occurrence.

B. A copy of each accident report, which the Contractor or subcontractors have submitted to their insurance carriers, shall be forwarded to the Engineer as soon as possible, but in no event later than seven (7) calendar days after the accident occurred.

1.05 HEALTH AND SAFETY REPRESENTATIVE:

A. The Contractor shall designate a Health and Safety Representative and shall ensure that each Subcontractor designates a Subcontractor's Health and Safety Representative. The Health and Safety Representative shall be capable of identifying all hazards and have the authority to stop work and take immediate action to correct the hazard.

B. The Contractor shall authorize each such Health and Safety Representative to resolve safety-related issues raised by the Owner or any of its employees, including the City Light Safety Observer.

C. The Contractor shall ensure that such Health and Safety Representative is present on the Project Site whenever the Owner Safety Observer is present on the Project Site.

D. Each Contractor's or Subcontractor's Health and Safety Representative shall identify himself or herself to the Engineer and the Owner Safety Observer at the briefing/tailgate conference.

E. The Health and Safety Representative shall verify that all work is performed in accordance with the Health and Safety Plan.

F. At the daily job briefing and/or tailgate conference, Contractor shall provide the Owner's representative in attendance at the meeting all relevant information on the Work to be performed, its location, and the equipment to be used.

G. The Contractor shall provide all safety equipment required for the Work.

H. At a minimum, Contractor and Subcontractor personnel directly involved in the Work shall have training in:

1. First aid, for each Contractor's and Subcontractor's Health and Safety Representative;

2. Confined space work, if the employees will be working in or around confined spaces;

3. Shoring and trenching, if work will be in excavations; and

4. The Contractor's procedures for confined space rescues.

I. Nothing in this Contract shall be construed as imposing any duty upon the Owner or any of its employees with regard to, or as constituting any express or implied assumption of control or responsibility over, Project Site safety, or over any other safety conditions relating to employees or agents of Contractor or any of its Subcontractors, or the public.

1.06 CITY LIGHT SAFETY OBSERVER:

A. Specified in Section 00 72 00 - General Conditions, subparagraph 1.03.B.2.

PART 2 – PRODUCTS

(Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION

(Not Used)

END OF SECTION