CONSTRUCTION NOTES

1. All applicable construction work shall be done in accordance with the Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction, September 1986 and Standard Details for Public Works Construction, September 1984, as amended, of the Department of Public Works, City and County of Honolulu and the Counties of Kauai, Maui, and Hawaii.

2. The underground pipes, cables or ductlines known to exist by the engineer from his search of records are indicated on the plans. The Contractor shall verify the locations and depths of the facilities and exercise proper care in excavating in the area. Wherever connections of new utilities to existing utilities are shown on the plans, the Contractor shall expose the existing lines at the proposed connections to verify their locations and depths prior to excavation for the new lines.

3. No Contractor shall perform any construction operation so as to cause falling rocks, soil or debris in any form to fall, slide or flow into existing City drainage systems, or adjoining properties, streets or natural watercourses. Should such violations occur, the Contractor may be cited and the Contractor shall immediately make all remedial actions necessary.

4. The general contractor/developer/owner of the project shall be responsible for conformance with applicable provisions of the Hawaii Administrative Rules, Title 11, Chapter 54, "Water Quality Standards," and Title 11, Chapter 55, "Water Pollution Control", as well as Chapter 14 of the Revised Ordinances of Honolulu, as amended. Best Management Practices shall be employed at all times during construction.

The general contractor/developer/owner of the project shall obtain National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit coverage(s) for the following:

1. Storm water discharges associated with construction activities that disturb one (1) acre or more, and
2. Discharges of hydrotesting effluent, dewatering effluent, and well drilling effluent to state waters.

In accordance with State law, all discharges related to project construction or operations are required to comply with State Water Quality Standards (Hawaii Administrative Rules, Chapter 11-54). Best Management Practices shall be used to minimize or prevent the discharge of sediment, debris, and other pollutants to State waters. Permit coverage is available from the Department of Health, Clean Water Branch at http://health.hawaii.gov/cwb. The owner/developer/contractor is responsible for obtaining other Federal, State, or local authorizations as required by law.

5. For non-City projects, the Contractor shall notify the Civil Engineering Branch, D.P.P. at 768-8084 to arrange for inspectional services and submit two (2) sets of approved Construction Plans seven (7) days prior to commencement of construction work. For City projects, the Contractor shall coordinate inspectional services with the responsible City agency.

6. For non-City projects, the Contractor may submit a substitution request to precast any City owned
and/or maintained drainage structure (ex., catch basins, drain manholes, drain inlets, culverts, etc). However, prior to construction and installation of any precast structure, the Contractor shall a) submit six (6) sets of shop drawings to the Civil Engineering Branch, Department of Planning and Permitting and obtain written approval and b) notify the Civil Engineering Branch, Department of Planning and Permitting at 768-8084 to arrange for inspectional services. Non-compliance with any of these requirements shall mean immediate suspension of all precast construction work and rejection of all precast structures already constructed.

For City projects, the Contractor shall submit shop drawings to the responsible City agency for review and approval. Also, the Contractor shall coordinate inspectional services with the responsible City agency.

7. Confined Space

For entry by City personnel, including inspectors, into a permit required confined space as defined in 29 CFR Part 1910.146(b), the Contractor shall be responsible for providing:

I. All safety equipment required by the confined space regulations applicable to all parties other than the construction industry, to include, but not limited to, the following:

   a. Full body harnesses for up to two personnel.
   b. Lifeline and associated clips.
   c. Ingress/egress and fall protection equipment.
   d. Two-way radios (walkie-talkies) if out of line-of-sight.
   e. Emergency (escape) respirator (10 minute duration).
   f. Cellular telephone to call for emergency assistance.
   g. Continuous gas detector (calibrated) to measure oxygen, hydrogen sulfide, carbon monoxide and flammables (capable of monitoring at a distance at least 20-feet away).
   h. Personal multi-gas detector to be carried by inspector.

II. Continuous forced air ventilation adequate to provide safe entry conditions.

III. One attendant/rescue personnel topside (two, if conditions warrant it).

8. Pursuant to Chapter 6E, HRS, in the event any artifacts or human remains are uncovered during construction operations, the Contractor shall immediately suspend work and notify the Honolulu Police Department, the State Department of Land and Natural Resources-Historic Preservation Division (692-8015). In addition, for non-City projects, the Contractor shall inform the Civil Engineering Branch, Department of Planning and Permitting (768-8084); and for City projects, notify the responsible City agency.

9. For projects abutting State Highways’ rights-of way, the owner or his authorized representative shall notify the State Department of Transportation, Highways Division, Oahu District, Drainage Discharge Unit at 831-6793 for an assessment of State Highways permit requirements.

10. For Bench Mark, see sheet ____.