

SECTION 12.06
REMOVAL OF EXISTING SIGNING
REMOVAL OF EXISTING OVERHEAD SIGNING

12.06.01--Description: This work shall consist of removing designated side mounted signs, supports and foundations; plywood and/or sheet aluminum regulatory, warning and guide signs and metal sign posts; delineators and delineator posts; overhead signs, supports and foundations; and structure mounted sign and supports where indicated on the plans or as directed by the Engineer.

12.06.02--Vacant

12.06.03--Construction Methods: Signs constructed of plywood and the hardware used for attachment to the supports shall be removed and disposed of by the Contractor.

Signs constructed of aluminum and the hardware used for attachment to the supports shall be removed and disposed of by the Contractor, unless otherwise specified in the Special Provisions.

Delineators and delineator posts shall be removed and disposed of by the Contractor.

Sign supports and sign illumination appurtenances shall be removed and disposed of by the Contractor unless otherwise specified in the Special Provisions.

When signs and supports are to be delivered to a location specified in the Special Provision, the contractor shall transport and carefully unload the signs and supports where directed by the storekeeper.

Overhead sign support foundations shall be removed to a depth of 150 mm below finished grade. Anchor bolts shall be cut approximately flush with the top of the remaining portion of foundation. The concrete and portions of the anchor bolts removed from the foundation shall be disposed of by the Contractor.

For side mounted sign foundations, the stub post or anchor bolts and concrete foundations shall be removed to a depth of 150 mm below finished grade. The portion of stub posts or anchor bolts and the concrete removed shall be disposed of by the Contractor. Where sign support foundations exist without stub posts or anchor bolts, the Contractor will have the option of removing the concrete foundation in its entirety or remove the concrete and post to a depth of 150 mm below finished grade. Whichever option the Contractor chooses, he shall remove the excavated material from the site.

After removal of all concrete, stub post portions and anchor bolt portions, top soil shall be placed to 25 mm above finished grade, then fertilized and seeded. Fertilizing and seeding shall be in accordance with pertinent provisions of Section 9.45. Where necessary, backfill shall be placed to 150 mm below grade before topsoil is placed.

Supports located in bituminous concrete or Portland cement concrete areas shall be removed flush with the surrounding area and disposed of by the Contractor. Posts attached to bridge parapets or railings shall be unbolted and the anchor bolts removed flush with the bridge parapet and all material shall be disposed of by the Contractor.

12.06.04--Method of Measurement: Payment under Removal of Existing Signaling and Removal of Existing Overhead Signaling shall be at the contract lump sum price, which will include all signs, sign supports and foundations, if applicable, and delineators designated for removal in the contract.

12.06.05--Basis of Payment: This work will be paid for at the Contract lump sum price for "Removal of Existing Signing" and "Removal of Existing Overhead Signing" complete including the disposal of material unless otherwise specified, and all equipment, material, tools and labor incidental thereto. The price shall also include the transporting and careful unloading of salvaged material at the location designated in the Special Provisions and all equipment, material, tools and labor incidental thereto.

Pay Item	Pay Unit
Removal of Existing Signing	L.S.
Removal of Existing Overhead Signing	L.S.