

SECTION 1

DEFINITIONS AND TERMS

1.1 GENERAL

Whenever used in these General Conditions or in the other Contract Documents, the following terms have the meanings indicated which are applicable to both the singular and plural thereof:

1.2 ABBREVIATIONS

Wherever the following abbreviations or symbols are used, they are to be construed the same as the respective expressions represented:

AAS	American Arbitration Association
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ABC	Aggregate Base Course
AC	Asphalt Concrete
ACI	American Concrete Institute
ACNM	Associated Contractors of New Mexico
ACP	Asbestos Cement Pipe
ACPA	American Concrete Pipe Association
AD	Assessment District
AGC	Associated General Contractors of America, Inc .
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act
AIEE	American Institute of Electrical Engineers
AISC	American Institute of Steel Construction
AMAFCA	Albuquerque Metropolitan Arroyo Flood Control Authority
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
APWA	American Public Works Association
AREA	American Railway Engineers Association
ASCE	American Society of Civil Engineers
ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
ATSSA	American Traffic Safety Services Association
AWG	American Wire Gauge (Nonferrous Wire)
AWPA	American Wood Preservers Association
AWPI	American Wood Preservers Institute
AWS	American Welding Society
AWWA	American Water Works Association
BC	Beginning of Curve or Back of Curb
BCR	Beginning of Curve Return or Back of Curb Radius
BM	Bench Mark
BTB	Bituminous Treated Base
C.C. or C/C	Center to Center
CF	Curb Face
CI	Cast Iron
CIP	Cast-Iron Pipe
CIPP	Cast-in-Place Pipe
C.L. or CL	Center Line
CMP	Corrugated Metal Pipe
CMPA	Corrugated Metal Pipe Arch
CO	Clean Out
CY	Cubic Yard(s)
DG	Decomposed Granite
DIA	Diameter

DIP.....	Ductile Iron Pipe
DMH.....	Drop Manhole
D/W.....	Driveway
EA.....	Each
EC.....	End of Curve
EL. or Elev.....	Elevation
EMD.....	Electronic Marker Disk
Ex. or Exist.....	Existing
F & C.....	Frame and Cover
f'c.....	Design Compressive Strength of Portland Cement Concrete
fer.....	Minimum Critical Compressive Strength (.85f'c)
FH.....	Fire Hydrant
FJ.....	Flanged Joint
FL.....	Floor Elevation
FS.....	Federal Specifications of Finished Surface
FHWA.....	Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation
GL.....	Ground Line
Gr.....	Grade
H.....	Height or High
HC.....	House Connection Sewer
hor.....	Horizontal
id.....	Inside Diameter
Inv.....	Invert
IP.....	Iron Pipe
ITE.....	Institute of Traffic Engineers
LB.....	Pound(s)
LF.....	Linear Feet (Foot)
Lin.....	Linear
LL.....	Liquid Limit
Long.....	Longitudinal
LS.....	Lump Sum
m.....	meter or middle
max.....	Maximum
MH.....	Manhole
MJ.....	Mechanical Joint
Min.....	Minutes or Minimum
Mon.....	Monument
MRGCD.....	Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District
MTD.....	Multiple Tile Duct
MUTCD.....	Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices
NEC.....	National Electric Code
NEMA.....	National Electrical Manufacturers Association
NFPA.....	National Fire Protection Association
NGS.....	National Geodetic Survey
NMSA.....	New Mexico Statutes Annotated--1978 Compilation as Amended
OC.....	On Center
od.....	Outside Diameter
OSHA.....	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PC.....	Point of Curvature
PCC.....	Point of Compound Curve or Portland Cement Concrete
PG.....	Performance Grade PI..... Point of Intersection or Plasticity Index
PL.....	Property Line or Plastic Limit
PP.....	Power Pole
ppm.....	Parts per Million
PRC.....	Point of Reverse Curve
Prop.....	Proposed or Property

PROWAG.....	Public Right of Way Accessibility Guidelines
PRV	Pressure Reducing Valve
psf.....	Pounds per Square Foot
psi	Pounds per Square Inch
PT	Point of Tangency
Pvmt.....	Pavement
PVC.....	Polyvinyl Chloride
PVCO	Molecular Oriented Polyvinyl Chloride
PVCP	Polyvinyl Chloride Pipe
Q	Rate of Flow
QAC.....	Quiet Asphalt Concrete
r	Radius
RC.....	Reinforced Concrete
RCP.....	Reinforced Concrete Pipe
Rdwy	Roadway
Ret. Wall.....	Retaining Wall
RGRCP	Rubber Gasket-Reinforced Concrete Pipe
R/W or ROW.....	Right-of-Way
s	Slope
SAE ..	Society of Automotive Engineers
SCCP	Steel Cylinder Concrete Pipe
SD	Storm Drain
Sect	Section
sf ..	Square Feet (Foot)
Spec.....	Specifications
Sp. MH.....	Special Manhole
SAS.....	Sanitary Sewer
SP	Superpave Aggregate Gradation
St.....	Street
Sta	Station
Std	Standard
SY	Square Yard(s)
T	Tangent Distance
TCS	Traffic Control Supervisor
TCT	Traffic Control Technician
TH.....	Test Hole
TMH	Trap Manhole
UL	Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc .
USA.....	United States of America Standards Institute, Inc .
V	Velocity
VC.....	Vertical Curve
VCP.....	Vitrified Clay Pipe
VCPI	Vertical Curve Point of Intersection
Vert	Vertical
VF ..	Vertical Feet (Foot)
VSF.....	Vertical Square Feet (Foot)
WI.....	Wrought Iron