

## **53.3 GRANULAR BASE COURSE**

### **53.3.1 GENERAL**

The Work consists of placing crushed granular base course material on a prepared area or in an excavation.

### **53.3.2 MATERIALS**

The Contractor shall pick up crushed granular base course material from a source designated by the Engineer or supply crushed granular base course material in accordance with Specification 55.3, Aggregate Production and Stockpiling and Specification 55.4, Supply of Aggregate, for the designation and class of material specified.

### **53.3.3 PROCEDURE**

Granular base course material shall be placed on the prepared area or in an excavation so as to produce a well compacted and uniform surface to an elevation approximately 150 mm below the existing pavement surface or on a gravel roadway, to the final roadway surface elevation.

### **53.3.4 TIME TO COMPLETE AND SCHEDULING OF WORK**

The Contractor shall complete the Work within 60 calendar days of the issuance of the Work Order and immediately after excavating an area or placing and compacting other fill materials. The Contractor shall diligently complete all aspects of the Work.

### **53.3.5 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT**

#### **53.3.5.1 General**

Measurement will be in cubic metres based on truck box measurement.

Payment for hauling will be made in accordance with Specification 55.2, Hauling.

#### **53.3.5.2 Contractor Supply of Granular Base Course**

Payment will be made at the unit price bid per cubic metre for "Granular Base Course - Supply and Place". This payment will be full compensation for supplying, placing and compacting the granular base course, and all labour, equipment, tools and incidentals necessary to complete the Work.

Payment for the supply of aggregate will be made in accordance with Specification 55.4, Supply of Aggregate.

#### **53.3.5.3 Department Supply of Granular Base Course**

Payment will be made at the unit price bid per cubic metre for "Granular Base Course - Pick up and Place". This payment will be full compensation for picking up, placing and compacting the granular base course material and all labour, equipment, tools and incidental necessary to complete the Work.

**53.3.6            WARRANTY**

When granular base course is used as part of another maintenance activity such as asphalt pavement deep patching, the warranty period for the granular base course will be the same as the warranty period specified for the applicable activity. Otherwise, there is no warranty required for this Work.