

55.6 MAINTENANCE OF LITTER BINS AND TOILETS

55.6.1 GENERAL

The Work consists of servicing litter bins and toilets adjacent to primary highways but not contained within rest areas.

55.6.2 MATERIALS

The Contractor shall supply all materials necessary to complete the Work, including:

- garbage bags,
- Mira-Sol (industrial strength) environmentally friendly chemical or equivalent,
- toilet tissue,
- cleaning supplies, and
- Vandal Vanish graffiti remover or equivalent.

55.6.3 EQUIPMENT

The Contractor shall supply all equipment necessary to complete the Work.

55.6.4 PROCEDURE

55.6.4.1 Toilets

The Contract shall perform the following toilet maintenance functions:

- Washing the inside of the toilet facility, including the walls, floors and seats.
- Removing graffiti from both the interior and exterior of the toilet.
- Replenishing toilet tissue.
- Adding approximately 1 litre of chemical each service.
- Sealing roof leaks, replacing door hinges, replacing toilet tissue holders, and other minor repairs.
- Hand-picking litter around toilets and pathways.
- Mowing pathways (at least 2 metres wide) and keeping pathways free of obstructions such as holes, trees, brush and snow, and
- Reporting septic tank levels to the Engineer when they approach full.

55.6.4.2 Litter Bins

The Contractor shall perform the following litter bin maintenance functions:

- Emptying all trash barrels, replacing plastic garbage bags in each trash barrel with a new bag, and disposing of collected litter

- Hand-picking any litter in the litter station and adjacent ditches from the point at which the pavement widens to the point at which it returns to the typical shoulder
- Performing minor repairs to litter bins, such as replacing hinges or fastening loose boards and
- Keeping the area in front of the bins free of obstructions such as holes, trees, brush and snow.

The Contractor shall report any vandalism to the Engineer immediately.

55.6.5 TIME TO COMPLETE

The Contractor shall complete the Work on a regular basis for the duration of the Contract. The frequency of the maintenance of litter bins and toilets for each area will be determined by the Engineer.

55.6.6 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

The cost of this Work will be included in the unit price bid per month for "Highway Maintenance Work" in Specification 53.39, Highway Maintenance Work, and will not be paid for separately.

55.6.7 WARRANTY

There is no warranty period for this Work.