

## GENERAL NOTES - FENCING

### FARM FENCE

#### BARBED WIRE

BARBED WIRE IS TO CONFORM TO ONE OF THE TYPES ALLOWED BY THE SPECIFICATIONS. UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED ON PLANS FOUR STRANDS WILL BE PROVIDED. SPACING OF STRANDS SHOWN IS SUGGESTED ONLY. ANY OTHER SPACING APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER MAY BE USED.

#### WOOD POSTS

WOOD POSTS TO BE SQUARE CUT OR ROUND TO THE DIMENSIONS SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS. POSTS TOPS MAY BE FLAT OR CUT AT A 30° ANGLE. FOR WOVEN WIRE FABRIC, STAPLES ARE TO BE USED AT TOP AND BOTTOM STRANDS AND AT A MINIMUM OF THREE INTERMEDIATE STRANDS PER POST. ONE STAPLE PER STRAND IS TO BE USED FOR BARBED WIRE FENCE. WHERE GATE, CORNER, OR BRACE POSTS FALL IN ROCK OR MARSHY AREAS THEY SHALL BE SET IN CLASS A3 OR C1 CONCRETE.

#### METAL POSTS

METAL POSTS ARE TO BE ONE OF THE TYPES SHOWN ON THE STANDARD DRAWINGS AND CONFORMING TO THE SPECIFICATIONS. AT EACH CORNER AND STRETCHER POST WIRE FABRIC IS TO BE CUT AND ALL HORIZONTAL STRANDS SECURELY WRAPPED AROUND POST. BRACES ON CORNER, STRETCHER AND END POSTS ARE TO BE SECURED 1'-6" FROM TOP OF POST WITH 1/2" BOLTS. IN LIEU OF SETTING POSTS IN CONCRETE, MANUFACTURER'S ANCHORING DEVICES MEETING THE SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS MAY BE USED WHEN APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER.

#### BRACES

MAXIMUM SPACING BETWEEN BRACES TO BE 500'. CORNER BRACES TO BE PROVIDED WHERE CORNER ANGLE IS 15° OR OVER. LINE BRACES TO BE PROVIDED WHERE VERTICAL ALIGNMENT CHANGES 15° OR MORE AND WHERE SPACING REACHES 500'.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

FENCE IS TO BE LOCATED AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THE SIDE OF THE POST TO WHICH FABRIC IS TO BE ATTACHED WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER. FENCE TO BE GROUNDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH DETAIL SHOWN ON STANDARD FE-6 WHERE REQUIRED. UNLESS SPECIFIED ON PLANS, THE CONTRACTOR WILL HAVE THE OPTION OF FURNISHING EITHER METAL OR WOOD POSTS. POSTS TYPES ARE NOT TO BE INTERMIXED ON ANY ONE INSTALLATION.

### CHAIN LINK FENCE

#### WIRE FABRIC

WIRE FABRIC SHALL HAVE A 2" MESH.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

IN LIEU OF SETTING POSTS IN CONCRETE, MANUFACTURER'S ANCHORING DEVICES MEETING THE SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS MAY BE USED WHEN APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. FOR GATES EXCEEDING 6'-0" IN WIDTH ROLLED FORMED STEEL POST WILL NOT BE ALLOWED. CHAIN LINK FENCE TO BE GROUNDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH DETAILS SHOWN ON STANDARD FE-6, WHERE REQUIRED.

SPECIFICATION REFERENCE	<h2 style="margin: 0;">STANDARD FENCE</h2> <h3 style="margin: 0;">GENERAL NOTES</h3> <p style="margin: 0;">VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION</p>	ROAD AND BRIDGE STANDARDS				
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