SECTION 02622

PLASTIC PIPE

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION

A. Scope

- Furnish and install plastic piping complete with all fittings, jointing materials, tracer wire, anchors, blocking, marker tape, encasement and other necessary appurtenances
- Interior potable water; non-potable water; service water; chemical service and drain, waste and vent piping is specified in Section 15060 – Pipe and Pipe Fittings
- B. Additional Requirements Specified Elsewhere
 - 1. Section 01340: Shop Drawings, Product Data, and Samples
 - 2. Section 01600: Material and Equipment
- C. Related Requirements Specified Elsewhere
 - 1. Section 02200: Earthwork
 - 2. Section 02615: Ductile Iron Pipe
 - 3. Section 02617: Steel Pipe
 - 4. Section 02641: Valves and Accessories
 - 5. Section 02708: Pressure Pipelines and Appurtenances
 - 6. Section 02709: Gravity Pipelines and Appurtenances
 - 7. Section 03300: Cast-in-Place Concrete

1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Source Quality Control
 - 1. Identification marks: Clearly and permanently mark all fittings and pipe at intervals of not more than 5' with the following information
 - a. Nominal size and O.D. base
 - b. Material code designation
 - c. Applicable dimension ratio, pressure class or schedule number
 - d. Applicable standard designation number
 - e. Manufacturer's name or trademark

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings and product data in accordance with Section 01340
 - 1. Material specification data
 - 2. Pipe layout drawings

- 3. Installation instructions
- B. Certificates: Manufacturer's certification that materials meet specification requirements

1.4 PRODUCT DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Avoid damage to pipe and fittings from impact, bending, compression or abrasion during handling and storage
- B. Do not drop pipe or fittings
- C. Store pipe on flat surfaces which provide even support for the pipe barrel with ends overhanging
 - 1. Do not stack pipe higher than 5 feet
- D. Do not store pipe and fittings in direct sunlight for extended periods (greater than two to three weeks)
- E. Ship rubber gaskets in cartons and store in a clean area away from grease, oil, ozone producing electric motors, heat, and the direct rays of the sun
- F. Use only nylon protected slings to handle pipe
 - 1. Use of hooks or bare cables will not be permitted
- G. Assure materials are kept clean and dry

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 POLYVINYL CHLORIDE (PVC) PIPE

- A. Non-Pressure Sewer Pipe
 - 1. For all non-pressure pipe applications unless otherwise directed
 - a. Conformance
 - 1) 4" through 15": ASTM D3034, Type PSM, SDR 35
 - b. Joints: ASTM D3212, push-on
 - c. Gaskets: ASTM F477
 - d. Laying length
 - 1) 13' joints where installed flatter than 1.5% grade
 - 2) 13' or 20' joints, Contractor's option for grades steeper than 1.5%
 - e. Color: Green
 - 2. Effluent discharge pipe
 - a. Conformance: 15" 27"; ANSI/ASAE S376.1; SCS 430-DD; SDR 41
 - b. Joints: Push-on
 - c. Gaskets: ASTM F477
 - d. Pressure rating: 100 psi
 - e. Laying lengths: 22' joints
 - f. Color: Blue

- g. Warning tape
 - 1) Application: Installed on all pressure rated pipe used as sewer lines
 - 2) Wording: "Caution Buried Sewer Line Below"
 - 3) Color: Green
 - 4) Width: 3"
 - 5) Standard, non-detectable warning tape
- B. Pressure Pipe (12" and smaller, buried service)
 - 1. Conformance: AWWA C900
 - 2. O.D. basis: DR 25, DR 18 and DR 14 as detailed on the Drawings
 - 3. Joint type: Gasket bell end push on joint or mechanical joint or flanged connection as indicated on the Drawings
 - 4. Schedule: Size, class and service
 - a. Color
 - 1) Process pipe: Green
 - 2) Potable water: Blue
 - 3) Reuse water: Purple
 - b. Service as noted on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
 - c. Size and class as shown on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
- C. Pressure Pipe (12" and smaller, buried service)
 - 1. Conformance: ASTM D2241, iron pipe size (IPS)
 - 2. O.D. basis: SDR 26, Class 160 and SDR 21, Class 200 as detailed on the Drawings
 - 3. Joint type: Gasket bell end push on joint or mechanical joint or flanged connection as indicated on the Drawings
 - 4. Schedule: Size, class and service
 - a. Color
 - 1) Process pipe: Green
 - 2) Potable water: Blue
 - 3) Reuse water: Purple
 - b. Service as noted on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
 - c. Size and class as shown on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
- D. Pressure Pipe (14" and larger, buried service)
 - 1. Conformance: AWWA C905
 - 2. O.D. basis: DR 25 as detailed on the Drawings
 - 3. Joint type: Gasket bell end push on joint or mechanical joint or flanged connection as indicated on the Drawings
 - 4. Schedule: Size, class and service
 - a. Color
 - 1) Process pipe: Green
 - 2) Potable water: Blue
 - 3) Reuse water: Purple
 - b. Service as noted on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
 - c. Size and class as shown on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
- E. Pressure Pipe (12" and smaller, buried or exposed service)

- 1. Conformance
 - a. ASTM D1785
 - b. Schedule 80
 - c. PVC 1120
 - d. NSF approved and labeled (When application requires)
- 2. Joint type
 - a. Buried: Solvent welded or threaded
 - Exposed: Solvent welded, threaded or flanged as indicated on the Drawings
- 3. Schedule: Size and service
 - a. Color
 - 1) Wastewater and process piping applications: Green or White
 - 2) Potable water: Blue
 - 3) Reuse water: Purple
 - b. Service as noted on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
 - c. Size as shown on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
 - d. Chemical service piping
 - e. Potable water service piping
 - f. Non-potable water service piping
- F. Pressure Pipe (12" and smaller, buried or exposed service)
 - 1. Conformance
 - a. ASTM D1785
 - b. Schedule 40
 - c. PVC 1120
 - d. NSF approved and labeled (when application requires)
 - Joint type
 - a. Buried: Solvent welded or threaded
 - b. Exposed: Solvent welded, threaded or flanged as indicated on the Drawings
 - 3. Schedule: Size and service
 - a. Color
 - 1) Wastewater and process piping applications: Green or White
 - 2) Potable water: Blue
 - 3) Reuse water: Purple
 - b. Service as noted on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
 - c. Size as shown on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
- G. Pressure Pipe (12" and smaller, buried or exposed service)
 - 1. Conformance
 - a. ASTM D1785
 - b. Schedule 80
 - c. PVC 1120
 - d. NSF approved and labeled (When application requires)
 - Joint type
 - a. Buried: Solvent welded or threaded
 - b. Exposed: Solvent welded, threaded or flanged as indicated on the Drawings
 - 3. Schedule: Size and service
 - a. Color
 - 1) Wastewater and process piping applications: Green or White

- 2) Potable water: Blue
- 3) Reuse water: Purple
- b. Service as noted on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
- c. Size as shown on the Drawings and/or in pipe schedules
- d. Chemical service piping
- e. Potable water service piping
- f. Non-potable water service piping

2.2 FITTINGS

A. Non-Pressure Pipe Fittings

- Conformance
 - a. 15" and smaller: ASTM D3034, Type PSM, SDR 35
 - b. 18" through 27": ASTM F679, Type I, SDR 35
- 2. Joints: ASTM D3212, push-on
 - Refer to Section 02615 Ductile Iron Pipe where ductile iron fittings are called for on the Drawings
 - 1) Provide with appropriate transition gaskets
- 3. Gaskets: ASTM F477

B. Non-Pressure Flexible Couplings

- 1. Conformance
 - a. Coupling: ASTM C-594
 - b. Band: No. 305 stainless steel
- 2. Design basis: Fernco, Indiana Seal or equivalent

C. Pressure Pipe Fittings

- 1. For use on C900, C905 and ASTM D2241 PVC piping
 - a. Refer to Section 02615 Ductile Iron Pipe
 - b. Provide joint restraints and/or thrust blocks as noted on the Drawings
 - c. Provide with appropriate transition gaskets, where required (ASTM D2241 pipe)
- 2. For use on Schedule 40 PVC piping
 - a. Socket-type PVC plastic pipe fittings
 - b. Conformance: ASTM D-2466
 - c. NSF approved and labeled (when application requires)
 - d. Solvent cement: ASTM D-2564
- For use on Schedule 80 PVC piping
 - a. Socket-type PVC plastic fittings
 - 1) Conformance: ASTM D-2467
 - 2) NSF approved and labeled (when application requires)
 - 3) Solvent cement: ASTM D-2564
 - b. Threaded-type PVC plastic fittings
 - 1) Conformance: ASTM D-2464
 - 2) NSF approved and labeled (when application requires)
 - c. Flanged-type PVC plastic fittings
 - 1) Flanges: Diameter and drilling per ANSI B16.5, 150 lb. or ANSI B16.1, 125 lb. as appropriate

- 2) Flange bolts and nuts: ASTM A307, Grade B, galvanized, install such that bolts project 1/8" to 3/8" beyond the outer face of the nut
- 3) Flange gaskets: Full face, 1/8" thick, neoprene or plasticized PVC
- 4) NSF approved and labeled (when application requires)
- d. Expansion joints: Belmont "Style 3915", Resistoflex "Style R6905" molded expansion joint or equivalent

2.3 COPPER TRACER WIRE

- A. Solid No. 6 AWG (bare)
- B. Connectors: No. 6 copper connector, compression type, Burndy No. YDS 6W or equivalent
- C. Install on all buried plastic piping

2.4 BEDDING

- A. Class "B" bedding for all plastic pipelines
- B. Refer to Section 02200 Earthwork for additional requirements

2.5 LUBRICANT

A. Per manufacturer's recommendation

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSPECTION

- A. Examine areas for
 - Defects such as weak structural components that adversely affect execution and quality of work
 - 2. Deviations beyond allowable tolerances for piping clearances
- B. Start installation only when conditions are satisfactory
- C. Pipe and Fittings
 - 1. Carefully examine pipe and fittings for cracks, dents, abrasions or other flaws prior to installation
 - Mark rejected piping with a yellow crayon and remove from project within 24 hours

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Shape trench foundation or bedding as required
 - 1. Dig bell or coupling holes
 - 2. Do not support pipe on blocks or mounds of earth

3. Refer to Section 02200 - Earthwork for additional requirements

B. Cutting the Pipe

- 1. Cut the pipe square with saws or pipe cutters designed specifically for the material
 - a. Protect from serrated holding devices and abrasion
- 2. Bevel the end in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations
- 3. Locate a depth mark with a pencil or crayon to assure the spigot end is inserted to the recommended depth
- 4. Remove burrs and wipe off all dust and dirt from the jointing surfaces

C. Jointing the Pipe

- 1. Perform in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations
- 2. Gasketed joints
 - a. Bevel each spigot end to facilitate assembly
 - Remove all dirt and foreign material from the spigot, bell end, gasket and gasket groove
 - c. Apply lubricant furnished by the pipe manufacturer to the spigot end of the pipe
 - d. Insert the spigot to the reference mark
 - e. Take care during jointing to avoid disturbing previously installed joints
- Threaded
 - a. ANSI B2.1, NPT fully and cleanly cut with sharp dies
 - b. No more than 3 threads exposed after installation
 - c. Ream pipe ends after threading to remove burrs
 - d. Apply thread tape to joints in all plastic piping
- 4. Solvent welded
 - a. Cut PVC pipe ends square and smooth and wipe clean
 - Apply solvent cement to outside of the pipe and the inside of the fittings socket with a small brush, apply cement primer per cement manufacturer's instructions
 - c. Immediately push the coated surfaces snugly together and rotate approximately ½ turn to insure uniform cement distribution
 - d. Remove excess cement by wiping
- 5. Compression
 - a. Cut pipe ends square, remove burrs
 - b. Clean contact surfaces with steel wool
- Flanged
 - a. Tighten bolts sufficiently to slightly compress gasket and effect a seal, but not so tight as to distort flange
 - b. Tighten bolts spaced 180 degrees apart alternately at uniform rate to assure uniform gasket compression
- 7. Protect from lateral displacement by placing required embedment
- 8. Do not lay pipe
 - a. In water
 - b. Under unsuitable weather conditions
 - c. Under unsuitable trench conditions
- 9. Lay pipe with the bell ends facing the direction of laying except where Engineer authorizes reverse laying

- 10. Provide expansion joints at not greater than 60' intervals in exposed or submerged piping
 - a. Securely anchor piping at midpoint between expansion joints

D. Tracer Wire

- 1. Install on all underground plastic pipe
- 2. Secure wire to plastic pipe with 1" wide plastic tape at 4' intervals
- 3. Splice wire with compression type fittings to assure electrical continuity
- 4. Secure wire to all fittings at each side of joint
- 5. Terminate wire such that access can be gained for location
- 6. Extend wire to the ground surface at all valve boxes, yard hydrants, clean outs, structures and as otherwise directed by the Engineer

E. Trench Backfill

- 1. Refer to Section 02200 Earthwork for additional requirements
- 2. Carefully place embedment and select backfill in specified maximum layers
- 3. Carefully and completely compact trench backfill
- 4. Compact under existing pipelines to prevent any movement of existing facilities

F. Warning Tape

- 1. Install 12" above all pressure rated pipe being used as sewer line
- 2. Place on top of Class B pipe embedment material

3.3 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Refer to Section 01400 Quality Control for responsibilities
- B. Pressure and Leakage Tests
 - 1. Leakage
 - a. All joints shall be watertight and free of leaks
 - b. Repair each leak discovered by Owner during warranty period
 - 2. Pipeline testing
 - a. Gravity pipelines: Air test in accordance with Section 02709 Gravity Pipelines and Appurtenances
 - Pressure pipelines: Hydrostatic test in accordance with Section 02708 -Pressure Pipelines and Appurtenances

END OF SECTION