SECTION 02840

BARBED WIRE FENCING AND GATES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION

A. Scope

- 1. Furnish and install new barbed wire fencing, gates, and appurtenances at locations indicated on the Drawings
- B. Additional Requirements Specified Elsewhere
 - 1. Section 01010: Summary of Work
 - 2. Section 01340: Shop Drawings, Product Data, and Samples
 - 3. Section 01500: Construction Facilities and Temporary Controls
 - 4. Section 01600: Materials and Equipment
- C. Related Requirements Specified Elsewhere
 - 1. Section 02200: Earthwork
 - 2. Section 03300: Cast-In-Place Concrete

1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Reference Standards

- 1. ASTM A120: Pipe, Steel, Blade and Hot-Dipped Zinc Coated (Galvanized) Welded and Seamless for Ordinary Uses
- 2. ASTM A121: Zinc Coated (Galvanized) Steel Barbed Wire
- 3. ASTM A500: Cold-Formed Welded and Seamless Carbon Steel Structural Tubing in Rounds and Shapes
- 4. ASTM A501: Hot-Formed Welded and Seamless Carbon Steel Structural Tubing
- 5. ASTM A585: Aluminum-Coated Steel Barbed Wire
- 6. Colorado Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, latest edition
- 7. Colorado Department of Transportation M Standards, Standard Plan M-607-1

1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. Shop Drawings and Product Data: Submit complete detail drawings and product data for fence, gates, and accessories in accordance with Section 01340

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

A. Steel Fencing

- 1. Posts
 - a. Gate posts
 - 1) Leaf 13 feet or less: Conform to Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) M Standard M-607-1, Sheet 1 of 3; 2½" x 2½" x ½" structural steel angle
 - b. Line posts: Steel, 6'-6" long, studded tee post with stabilizing below-grade flange
 - c. Corner posts: Conform to Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) M Standard Plan M-607-1, Sheet 1 of 3; 2½"x2½"x½" structural steel angle
- 2. Fabric or barbed wire ties: Galvanized steel, 11 gauge for tying to line posts
- 3. Barbed wire: Galvanized, ASTM A121, Class II, or aluminum coated, ASTM A585, Class II, two 12½ gauge steel wires with 4-point barbs
- 4. Gate frames: Steel tubing, 1% O.D., 2.09 lb/ft; or 2" sq., 2.10 lb/ft
- 5. All materials galvanically compatible
- 6. Concrete as specified in Section 03300 for all corner posts

B. Wood Post Fencing - Alternative

- 1. Gate posts: 5" diameter, 7 foot length
- 2. Conform to Standard Specifications, Paragraph 710.07, for surface preparation and preservative treatment
 - a. Corner posts: 5" diameter, 7 foot length
 - b. Line posts: Refer to CDOT M Standard Plan M-607-1
 - c. Corner and line post bracing: Refer to CDOT M Standard Plan M-607-1

2.2 FABRICATION AND MANUFACTURE

A. Steel Fencing: Hot dip galvanized or aluminum coat all steel or malleable iron parts and accessories after fabrication

B. Gates

- 1. Swing type, hinge to swing 180° from close to open
- 2. Complete with frames, latches, stops, keepers, hinges, fabric, braces
- 3. Provide intermediate members and diagonal truss rods as required for rigid construction free of sag and twist
- 4. Joints between frame members
 - a. Welded or heavy fittings
 - b. Rigid and watertight
- 5. Fabric
 - a. Same as fence
 - b. Attach to frame ends with stretcher bars, bolt hooks or other mechanical means

6. Hinges

- a. Heavy patterns with large bearing surfaces
- b. Twisting or turning of hinges under the gate action is unacceptable

Latches

- Single leaf gates less than 10' wide: Forked latches or as specified for other gates
- b. All others
 - 1) Plunger bar type
 - 2) Full gate height
 - 3) Arranged to engage gate stop
 - 4) Stops: Roadway plates with anchors arranged to engage plunger
- c. Latched padlockable with lock accessible from both sides of gate
- d. Keepers: Mechanical devices for securing and supporting free end of gates in the open position

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

A. Final Grading: Grade ground surface irregularities to uniform slopes

3.2 ERECTION

A. General

1. Install to alignment and finish grade indicated on drawings

B. Posts

- 1. Line posts
 - a. Set plumb
 - b. Spacing: Equally spaced, maximum 16'-0" on center
 - c. Layout to configuration shown on Drawings
 - d. Locate and mark position of posts in straight line between corner posts, end posts or brace posts
 - e. Embedded 2'-4" into ground and tamped, aligned and plumbed
- 2. Corner, end, gate and brace posts
 - a. Set plumb
 - b. Set in concrete full depth in ground, if steel posts are used
 - 1) Provide 38" deep concrete foundations
 - c. Hand tamp soil embedded wood posts with appropriate tamping tools
 - 1) Wood posts do not require concrete embedment
 - d. Concrete foundations
 - 1) Terminal and gate posts diameter: Post O.D. plus 9"
 - 2) Diameter of all others: 10"
 - 3) Extend concrete above grade surface and crown 1"
 - 4) Cure foundations 72 hours minimum before doing further work on post

C. Bracing

- 1. Brace each terminal, gate, and pull post
- 2. Brace corner posts in both directions
- 3. Brace line posts so straight run between braced posts is not more than 500'

D. Barbed Wire

- 1. Fasten barbed wire to line/corner/end posts by external wire ties
- 2. Stretch wire at each gate, terminal, and pull post
- 3. Adjust fence grade to fit ground contours
- 4. Stretch wires taut
- 5. Equalize tension on either side of posts

E. Gates

- 1. Install plumb and level in ¼" in 10 feet
- 2. Adjust hardware to provide smooth operation and rigid security when closed and padlocked
- 3. Score or peen hardware attachments to make gates difficult to remove

3.3 SCHEDULE

A. Fence and Gates

- 1. Galvanized steel
- 2. 3'-8" high
- 3. 5 strands of barbed wire
- 4. All steel corner, end, pull, and gate posts set in concrete
- 5. All wood corner, end, pull, brace and gate posts shall be set in tamped earth in augered holes

END OF SECTION