

Bracketed section numbers refer to the 2006 *Standard Specifications*.

Section 17 Watering

4-1701 General

The contractor is responsible for developing a water supply, including any permits, and applying water.

4-1702 Before Work Begins

Take these steps during preliminary inspection:

- Determine the quality of the water to be used in products with specific water quality requirements.
- Determine if the contractor intends to use chemical additives in water, and ensure that the additives are appropriate for their use.
- If the contract requires a mobile watering unit, ensure that one is available on the project at all times.
- Ensure that all necessary watering equipment is the type specified.
- Ensure that the contractor has acquired all applicable permits.

4-1703 During the Course of Work

Take these steps during the course of work:

- Determine whether the developed water supply is enough for the project not to have extensive work delays and is adequate for dust control.
- If the contractor uses a fire hydrant, ensure that arrangements have been made with the local water utility company.

4-1704 Measurement and Payment

Once the water supply is developed and the entire project's needs are met, authorize progress payment for 100 percent of the item, subject to limiting pay clauses. When determining percentages for partial payments, consider work possibly required in future stages. Payment for applying water is included in other items.

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