



PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
TRAFFIC ENGINEERING DIVISION

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MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC SCHOOL/PEDESTRIAN

The MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC plan, provided by the Contractor, SHALL include provisions for pedestrian and/or school student traffic as well as vehicular traffic. The following are minimum requirements.

The safe walk route for all school students within the vicinity of the construction zone SHALL be maintained during the times students are arriving at or leaving school. If the current walking surface can not be maintained, then a temporary road-rock 4' walk way SHALL be created. **The safe walk route SHALL be separated from the construction activity by the 4' high orange construction fence for the entire length of the project or the length of the walk route, whichever is less.**

All construction equipment around any designated crosswalk SHALL cease to operate during the times students are arriving at or leaving school. All construction equipment adjacent to a designated walk route SHALL cease operating unless satisfactorily barricaded from the walk route.

In the case that a designated crossing or any portion of the designated walk route can not be maintained, then the Contractor SHALL notify the Special Projects Coordinator at Broward County Traffic Engineering Division, (954) 847-2671, a minimum of ten (10) working days prior to closing that route in order that an alternate crossing/route can be established.

It SHALL be the responsibility of the Contractor to install any necessary pavement, road rock, pavement marking and signage and/or any pedestrian signalization and/or signal modification to accommodate an existing or alternate walk route.

It SHALL be the Contractor's responsibility to provide State Certified School Crossing Guards or Off Duty Police Officers to cross students at any locations other than those previously designated. The Contractor may use Flagmen, **ONLY** if they are State Certified as a School Crossing Guard.

Thirty (30) days prior to the beginning of construction the Contractor SHALL notify the Special Projects Coordinator at Broward County Traffic Engineering Division, (954) 847-2671, to arrange a pre-construction - school safety meeting.

It SHALL be the Contractor's responsibility to notify the Broward County School Board Pupil Transportation Department, (754) 321-4440, to arrange a pre-construction - school bus route meeting. This meeting is to determine all bus routes and to make any necessary arrangements for rerouting. This meeting shall include the Special Projects Coordinator from Broward County Traffic Engineering Division, (954) 847-2671.

The Contractor SHALL be responsible for providing a safe and adequate walking surface for all school children/pedestrians. The safe walk route SHALL be part of the MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC plan.

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