

**CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BURLINGTON**

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**CLEARING AND GRUBBING**

1. **Work Included**

The work shall include the removal and disposal of all existing objects within the road allowance, easements and Contract limits where indicated on the drawings and as directed by the Contract Administrator unless otherwise specified in the Form of Tender.

2. **Description**

Clear and grubbing shall include removal and disposal of all trees where indicated, tree stumps, shrubs, bushes, fences, guard rails, posts, culverts, railway ties, headwalls, retaining walls, concrete curb and sidewalks or asphalt on private property, and all debris from the working area, etc., unless otherwise noted in the Form of Tender.

3. **Existing Trees**

Only trees clearly marked by the Contract Administrator are to be removed. Tree removal and maintenance will be carried out in accordance with General Condition 108-9. The lifting or trimming and removal of limbs on existing trees shall be done prior to construction, were directed by the Contract Administrator.

4. **Existing Hedges**

When directed, hedges will be removed carefully enough to allow transplanting by others at no extra cost to the City.

5. **Existing Fences**

Any existing fences of which a portion is removed shall be terminated in a manner acceptable to the Contract Administrator at no additional cost to the City. Fences to be removed shall be given to the Homeowners where directed.

6. **Protection and Restoration**

- a) All existing trees, shrubs and other vegetation, etc. not designated for removal and that are within the working areas, shall be protected at all times during construction, and if damaged, shall be restored to their original condition, or completely replaced at no additional cost to the City.
- b) All property and surface areas, etc. adjacent to the proposed works, if damaged due to construction, shall be restored to the satisfaction of the Contract Administrator and in accordance with General Condition 107, at no extra cost to the City.

7. **Payment**

- a) Payment for all work indicated herein will be paid under the tendered item for clear and grub, unless indicated otherwise, and shall include the removal and disposal of all material, objects, etc. on private or public lands, that are required to complete the project.
- b) Removal and disposal of trees greater than 300mm in diameter shall be paid for under the tendered items indicated in the Contract.