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## PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.01 <br> SUMMARY

A. Section Includes: Pre-finished decorative metal picket fence including personnel and vehicle gates.
B. Related Sections:

1. ——— -Grading
2. Cast-in-Place Concrete.
3. -_-_Gate Operators.

INCLUDE APPROPRIATE LANGUAGE BELOW IF PRODUCTS SPECIFIED IN THIS SECTION ARE TO BE BID AS ALTERNATES. OTHERWISE DELETE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPH.
C. Alternates:

1. Reference Section 0123 00-Alternates.

## REFERENCES

A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):

1. ASTM A653, Standard Specification for Steel Sheet, Zinc-Coated (Galvanized) or Zinc-Iron Alloy-Coated (Galvannealed) by the Hot-Dip Process.
2. ASTM A787, Standard Specification for Electric-Resistance-Welded Metallic-Coated Carbon Steel Mechanical Tubing.
3. ASTM B117, Standard Practice for Operating Salt Spray (Fog) Apparatus.
4. ASTM D523, Standard Test Method for Specular Gloss.
5. ASTM D822, Standard Practice for Filtered Open-Flame Carbon-Arc Exposures of Paint and Related Coatings.
6. ASTM D1654, Standard Test Method for Evaluation of Painted or Coated Specimens Subjected to Corrosive Environments.
7. ASTM D2244, Standard Practice for Calculation of Color Tolerances and Color Differences from Instrumentally Measured Color Coordinates.
8. ASTM D2794, Standard Test Method for Resistance of Organic Coatings to the Effects of Rapid Deformation (Impact).
9. ASTM D3359, Standard Test Methods for Measuring Adhesion by Tape Test.

### 1.03 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Fence panels shall be capable of supporting a 400 pound $(1780 \mathrm{~N})$ load applied vertically at the center of the top rail without permanent deformation.
1.04 SUBMITTALS
A. Reference Section 0133 00-Submittal Procedures; submit following items:

1. Product Data including manufacturer's standard color samples.
2. Shop Drawings:
a. Manufacturer's typical detail and installation drawings.
b. Dimensioned plan showing fence location relative to property lines, location of gates, gate swing, and details of post anchorage.
3. Quality Assurance/Control Submittals:
a. Qualifications: Proof of manufacturer and Installer qualifications.
b. Certificates: Proof of ISO certification.
B. Closeout Submittals: Reference Section 0178 00-Closeout Submittals; submit following items:
4. Maintenance Instructions.
5. Special Warranties.
1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE
A. Qualifications:
6. Manufacturer Qualifications:
a. Minimum five years experience in producing fences of the type specified.
b. Member American Fence Association, Inc.
7. Installer Qualifications: Minimum one year experience in installation of similar type fences.
B. Certifications:
8. Production facilities certified to ISO 9001.

### 1.06 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Reference Section 0166 00-Product Storage and Handling Requirements.
B. Follow manufacturer's instructions.

WARRANTY
A. Special Warranty: Prorated 11-year limited warranty against defects in material and workmanship and against cracking, chipping, peeling, corroding, and blistering.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 MANUFACTURER
A. XCEL Fence, Inc.
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## INSERT NAME, ADDRESS AND CONTACT INFORMATION OF LOCAL DISTRIBUTOR/DEALER BELOW.

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B. Model: Innovation ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Lite Series, Commercial Grade.
C. Substitutions: Reference Section 0125 13-Product Substitution Procedures.
2.02 MATERIALS
A. Galvanized Steel Sheet: ASTM A653, G60 coated.

1. Tensile Strength: $58,000 \mathrm{psi}(400 \mathrm{MPa})$ minimum.
2. Yield Strength: $50,000 \mathrm{psi}(344 \mathrm{MPa})$ minimum.

## INSERT CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE SECTION NUMBER BELOW.

B. Concrete: Reference Section $\qquad$ ; 3,000 psi (20.7 MPa) minimum.
A. Line, Corner, End, and Gate Posts: $2-1 / 2$ by $2-1 / 2$ inches ( 64 by 64 mm ), 14 gauge ( 2.0 mm ) ASTM A787 steel tubing. Include formed steel cap.
B. Rails: $1-1 / 2$ by $1-1 / 2$ inches ( 38 by 38 mm ), 16 gauge ( 1.6 mm ) ASTM A787 steel tubing with prepunched square picket and ring holes and factory installed grommets in the rail tops.
C. Pickets: $3 / 4$ by $3 / 4$ inches ( 19 by 19 mm ), 18 gauge ( 1.3 mm ) ASTM A787 steel tubing with factory installed, stainless steel, spring clips to secure pickets to rails.

## DELETE FOLLOWING SUBPARAGRAPH IF PICKETS ARE TO TERMINATE INSIDE TOP RAIL (SEE FOLLOWING ARTICLE -

 STYLE).1. Top of Picket Decoration: [Pressed steel point] [Sealed square top] [Cast aluminum Fleur-de-Lis finial] [Cast aluminum Quad Flair finial] [Cast aluminum Triton finial].
D. Decorative Inserts: [3-3/4 inch ( $\mathbf{9 5} \mathbf{~ m m}$ ) diameter by $\mathbf{1 / 4} \mathbf{i n c h}(\mathbf{~} \mathbf{~ m m})$ thick cast aluminum ring with short picket-like rise at top and bottom to secure ring into horizontal rails] [Picket mounted cast aluminum Butterfly].
E. Flanges: Manufacturer's standard fabricated galvanized steel flange for mounting posts on concrete surfaces.
2. Size and shape flange such that post fits over flange with compression fit.
3. Provide manufacturer recommended number, size, and type of anchor bolts.
F. Provide manufacturer's standard brackets, stainless steel fasteners including non-removable bolts and nuts for rail attachment to posts, spring clips, PVC grommets to seal picket in rail holes, and other accessories required to complete installation.

## STYLE

A. Height - ground to top of picket: [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] foot ([1200] [1500] [1850] [2100] [2450] mm).

## FOR 7 FEET AND 8 FEET, SELECT ONLY WITH "4-Rail with top and bottom rings..." or "4-Rail with top and bottom butterflies..."

B. [2-Rail] [3-Rail] [3-Rail with top rings between each picket] [4-Rail with top and bottom rings between each picket] [3-Rail with top Butterflies on each picket] [4-Rail with top and bottom Butterflies on each picket].
C. Picket Termination:

1. Top: [Projected pickets] [Flat rail—pickets terminate inside top rail].
2. Bottom: [Projected pickets] [Flat rail—pickets terminate inside bottom rail].

## IF "AS SHOWN ON DRAWINGS" IS SELECTED BELOW, MAXIMUM SPACING PERMITTED IS 8 FEET ON CENTER.

D. Post Spacing: [ 8 feet $(2440 \mathrm{~mm})$ on center] [ 6 feet $(1830 \mathrm{~mm})$ on center] [As shown on Drawings].

## SELECT "25 PERCENT" BELOW FOR PANELS WITHOUT DECORATIVE INSERTS; "12.5 PERCENT" FOR PANELS WITH

 DECORATIVE INSERTS.A. Fence Panels: Fabricate components in a manner that allows panel sections to be installed on a [25 percent] [ 12.5 percent] change in grade over the length of the panel.
B. Personnel Gates: Fabricate using same components and style as fence panels.

1. Use rail sections for vertical frame members and secure to horizontal rails with rigid corner brackets and stainless steel non-removable bolts and nuts.
2. Hardware:
a. Hinges: Aluminum, self-closing type, powder coated to match fence color; 2 per leaf.
b. Latch: Universal gate latch, zinc plated and powder coated to match fence color.
c. Cane Bolt: 18 by $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ inch ( $\mathbf{4 5 5}$ by $\mathbf{1 3 ~ m m}$ ), zinc plated and powder coated to match fence color.
C. Swing Vehicle Gates: Fabricate using same components and style as fence panels.
3. Use rail sections for vertical frame members and secure to horizontal rails with rigid corner brackets and stainless steel non-removable bolts and nuts.
4. Hardware:
a. Hinges: 6 inch $(150 \mathrm{~mm})$ long round barrel body, zinc plated and powder coated to match fence color, 2 per leaf.
b. Latch: Universal gate latch, zinc plated and powder coated to match fence color.
c. Cane Bolt: $\mathbf{3 6}$ by $\mathbf{5 / 8}$ inch ( $\mathbf{9 1 0}$ by $\mathbf{1 6} \mathbf{~ m m}$ ), zinc plated and powder coated to match fence color.
A. Finish metal components individually prior to assembly.
B. Preparation: 6 stage pretreatment including an alkaline wash, and zinc phosphate surface treatment.
C. Shop Finishing: Electrostatic applied polyester color coat, minimum 2 mils $(0.0508 \mathrm{~mm})$ thick.
D. Finished Coating Performance Requirements:
5. Adhesion: ASTM D3359, Method B.
6. Corrosion Resistance: ASTM B117 and D1654.
7. Impact Resistance: ASTM D2794.
8. Weathering Resistance: ASTM D822, D2244, and D523, 60 Degree Method.
E. Color: [Black] [White] [Green] [Brown] [Blue] [Bronze] [Standard color as selected by Architect] [Custom color as selected by Architect].

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.01 EXAMINATION

A. Examine earthwork and paved surface conditions where fencing is to be installed.

1. Verify that soil is either firm undisturbed or properly compacted at post locations.
2. Verify that sloped grades do not exceed manufacturer's biasable panel limitations.
3. Verify property line locations, legal boundaries, and relative post placement.
B. Coordinate with responsible entity to correct unsatisfactory conditions.
C. Commencement of work by installer is acceptance of conditions.

## PREPARATION

A. Stake fence layout including posts, gates, and terminal posts to be inside property lines. Note locations of underground utilities, irrigation systems, benchmarks, property monuments and other underground structures.

## INSTALLATION

A. Install posts, rails, and pickets in accordance with manufacturer's installation drawings.
B. Post Hole Excavation: Excavate holes to diameter and depth shown on shop drawings. Dispose of excavated soil off site unless otherwise approved by Architect.
C. Post Setting:

1. Set posts in holes and verify that posts are plumb, aligned, and at correct height and spacing. Brace to maintain position until concrete is sufficiently cured.
2. Protect post exposed above finished concrete line from concrete spatter.
3. Place concrete in holes and tamp or vibrate to consolidate. Top of concrete at post shall be 2 inches ( 50 mm ) above finished grade. Smooth top of footing and slope to grade.
D. Post Setting with Flanges: Secure flange to surface in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and mount post over flange assuring a tight compression fit.
E. Fence Installation:
4. Rails: Secure to posts using manufacturer's standard brackets and fasteners.
5. Pickets: Insert pickets into rails and verify that spring clips engage rails.
6. Install decorative Inserts.
F. Gate Installation: Assemble and install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
7. Lubricate to assure smooth operation.
G. Finish Installation Procedures:
8. Remove concrete spatter protection from posts.
9. Install post caps.
10. Install finials.
11. Touch-up damaged color coatings using galvanizing compound spray paint on bare metal surfaces followed by manufacture supplied color touch-up kit.

ADJUSTING
A. Gates: Adjust to operate smoothly and quietly. Verify that latches engage securely.

CLEANING
A. Reference Section 017400 -Cleaning and Waste Management.

## END OF SECTION ${ }^{1}$

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