

SECTION X

POLICIES REGARDING PAYMENT
FOR
INCIDENTAL ITEMS INCLUDED IN LEVEE
CONTRACTS

10-01. Abandoned structures.

a. Any abandoned (or to be abandoned) buildings or other improvements such as irrigation or drainage pipes, pump sumps, standpipes, distribution boxes, piers, piles, headwalls or structures of a like nature which are within the limits of the levee or its foundation shall be removed by the Government contractor at Government expense.

b. Buildings, improvements or other property which fall within the limits of the levee work area, bank sloping area, borrow area and spoil area which local interests desire to save, shall be removed by the local sponsor at his expense.

10-02. Modifications or removals requested by local sponsor. Any buildings which are not abandoned such as residences, sheds, warehouses, barns, tankhouses, windmills, etc., which are within the limits of the work and which the local sponsor requests we remove and save as a part of our contract shall be removed at local sponsor expense.

10-03. Modification of irrigation and drainage structures.

a. Any modification or replacement of an existing irrigation structure is to be at local interest expense.

b. All new irrigation structures are to be at local interest expense.

c. All new drainage structures (including the enlargement or modification of existing drainage structure) necessary because the Federal flood control structure would intercept natural local drainage, will be built and paid for by the Federal Government. This does not include any drainage collection works, if necessary.

10-04. Modification of miscellaneous structures.

a. All removal and replacement of fences and gates and the construction of any new fences and gates except gates at accesses to levee crown shall be done at local interest expense, unless otherwise authorized in the project document.

b. The construction of all road ramps and turnarounds in excess of those needed for operation and maintenance of the flood control works can be included in the Government contract, but if they are included, they will be paid for by local interest. This includes the replacement of existing private ramps.

c. The construction of any retaining wall or similar type structure to protect improvements and to eliminate the necessity of their being removed or relocated shall be done at local interest expense.

d. The construction of any flashboard or gated structures at locations where railroads and highways cross the flood control structure at less than project grade shall be built at local interest expense.