

## SECTION 265617 - FLUORESCENT EXTERIOR LIGHTING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

##### A. Section Includes:

1. Exterior fluorescent luminaires, lamps, and ballasts.
2. Luminaire-mounted photoelectric relays.

##### B. Reference and Industry Standards

###### Enterprise Green Communities Criteria

1. Mandatory Requirements: See the current edition of the NYC overlay of the EGC reference standard for full specifications.
  - a. NYC New Construction projects must achieve at least 60 optional points, and Substantial and Moderate Rehab projects must also achieve at least 55 optional points.
  - b. Criterion 5.8 Lighting (Mandatory for all lighting within New Construction and Substantial Rehab projects. Mandatory for new lighting in Moderate Rehab projects.)  
Follow the guidance for high-efficacy permanently installed lighting and other characteristics for recessed light fixtures, lighting controls, lighting power density, and exterior lighting.
  - c. Criterion 5.1b Building Performance Standard: Efficient Lighting.

##### C. Comply with the current edition of the New York City Energy Conservation Code.

##### D. Related Requirements:

1. Section 260923 "Lighting Control Devices" for automatic control of lighting, including time switches, photoelectric relays, occupancy sensors, and multipole lighting relays and contactors.

#### 1.2 DEFINITIONS

##### A. CCT: Correlated color temperature.

##### B. CRI: Color rendering index.

##### C. Fixture: See "Luminaire."

##### D. Luminaire: Complete lighting unit, including lamp, reflector, and housing.

##### E. IP: International Protection or Ingress Protection Rating.

- F. Lumen: Measured output of lamp and luminaire, or both.

### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each luminaire and support component, arranged in order of lighting unit designation. Include data on features, accessories, and finishes.

### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Comply with IEEE C2, "National Electrical Safety Code."
- C. Comply with NFPA 70.

### 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and maintenance data.
  - 1. Provide a list of all lamp types used on Project. Use ANSI and manufacturers' codes.
  - 2. Provide a list of all photoelectric relay types used on Project; use manufacturers' codes.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LUMINAIRES

- A. Provide ENERGY STAR–qualified hard-wired lighting fixtures with daylight sensors in exterior areas.
- B. Luminaires shall comply with UL 1598 and be listed and labeled for installation in wet locations by an NRTL acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 1. LER Tests HID Fixtures: Where LER is specified, test according to NEMA LE 5B.
- C. Lateral Light Distribution Patterns: Comply with IESNA RP-8 for parameters of lateral light distribution patterns indicated for luminaires.
- D. Metal Parts: Free of burrs and sharp corners and edges.
- E. Sheet Metal Components: Corrosion-resistant aluminum unless otherwise indicated. Form and support to prevent warping and sagging.
- F. Housings: Rigidly formed, weather- and light-tight enclosures that will not warp, sag, or deform in use. Provide filter/breather for enclosed luminaires.
- G. Doors, Frames, and Other Internal Access: Smooth operating, free of light leakage under operating conditions, and designed to permit relamping without use of tools. Designed to prevent doors, frames, lenses, diffusers, and other components from falling accidentally during

relamping and when secured in operating position. Doors shall be removable for cleaning or replacing lenses. Designed to disconnect ballast when door opens.

- H. Exposed Hardware Material: Stainless steel.
- I. Plastic Parts: High resistance to yellowing and other changes due to aging, exposure to heat, and UV radiation.
- J. Light Shields: Metal baffles, factory installed and field adjustable, arranged to block light distribution to indicated portion of normally illuminated area or field.
- K. Lens and Refractor Gaskets: Use heat- and aging-resistant resilient gaskets to seal and cushion lenses and refractors in luminaire doors.
- L. Reflecting surfaces shall have minimum reflectance as follows unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. White Surfaces: 85 percent.
  - 2. Specular Surfaces: 83 percent.
  - 3. Diffusing Specular Surfaces: 75 percent.

## 2.2 FLUORESCENT LAMPS

- A. Low-Temperature Lamp Capability: Rated for reliable starting and operation with ballast provided at temperatures 0 deg F and higher.
- B. T8 rapid-start lamps, rated 32-W maximum, nominal length of 48 inches, 2800 initial lumens (minimum), CRI of 75 (minimum), color temperature of 3500 K, and average rated life of 20,000 hours unless otherwise indicated.
- C. T8 rapid-start lamps, rated 17-W maximum, nominal length of 24 inches, 1300 initial lumens (minimum), CRI of 75 (minimum), color temperature of 3500 K, and average rated life of 20,000 hours unless otherwise indicated.
- D. T5 rapid-start lamps, rated 28-W maximum, nominal length of 45.2 inches, 2900 initial lumens (minimum), CRI of 85 (minimum), color temperature of 3000 K, and average rated life of 20,000 hours unless otherwise indicated.
- E. T5HO rapid-start, high-output lamps, rated 54-W maximum, nominal length of 45.2 inches, 5000 initial lumens (minimum), CRI of 85 (minimum), color temperature of 4100 K, and average rated life of 20,000 hours unless otherwise indicated.
- F. Compact Fluorescent Lamps: Four-pin, CRI of 80 (minimum), color temperature of 3500 K, average rated life of 10,000 hours at three hours of operation per start unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. 13 W: T4, double or triple tube, rated 900 initial lumens (minimum).
  - 2. 18 W: T4, double or triple tube, rated 1200 initial lumens (minimum).
  - 3. 26 W: T4, double or triple tube, rated 1800 initial lumens (minimum).
  - 4. 32 W: T4, triple tube, rated 2400 initial lumens (minimum).
  - 5. 42 W: T4, triple tube, rated 3200 initial lumens (minimum).

6. 57 W: T4, triple tube, rated 4300 initial lumens (minimum).
7. 70 W: T4, triple tube, rated 5200 initial lumens (minimum).

## 2.3 BALLASTS FOR FLUORESCENT LAMPS

### A. General Requirements for Electronic Ballasts:

1. Comply with UL 935 and with ANSI C82.11.
2. Designed for type and quantity of lamps served.
3. Sound Rating: Class A.
4. Electromagnetic Ballasts: Comply with ANSI C82.11, energy-saving, high power factor, Class P, automatic-reset thermal protection.
5. Case Temperature for Compact Lamp Ballasts: 65 deg C, maximum.
6. THD (Total Harmonic Distortion) Rating: Less than 10 percent.
7. Surge Protection: IEEE C62.41.1 and IEEE C62.41.2, Category A or better.
8. Power Factor: 0.95 or higher.

### B. Electronic Programmed-Start Ballasts: Comply with ANSI C82.11 and the following:

1. Lamp end-of-life detection and shutdown circuit for T5 diameter lamps.
2. Automatic lamp starting after lamp replacement.

### C. Single Ballasts for Multiple Luminaires: Factory wired with ballast arrangements and bundled extension wiring to suit final installation conditions without modification or rewiring in the field.

### D. Ballasts for Low-Temperature Environments:

1. Temperatures **0 Deg F** and Higher: Electronic type rated for **0 deg F** starting and operating temperature with indicated lamp types.
2. Temperatures **Minus 20 Deg F** and Higher: Electromagnetic type designed for use with indicated lamp types.
3. Control: Coordinate wiring from ballast to control device to ensure that ballast, controller, and connecting wiring are compatible.

## 2.4 MATERIALS

### A. Metal Parts: Free of burrs and sharp corners and edges.

### B. Sheet Metal Components: [**Corrosion-resistant aluminum**] [**Stainless steel**] [**Epoxy-coated steel**] **<Insert material>**. Form and support to prevent warping and sagging.

### C. Doors, Frames, and Other Internal Access: Smooth operating, free of light leakage under operating conditions, and designed to permit relamping without use of tools. Designed to prevent doors, frames, lenses, diffusers, and other components from falling accidentally during relamping and when secured in operating position. Doors shall be removable for cleaning or replacing lenses. Ballast shall automatically disconnect when door opens.

D. Diffusers and Globes:

1. Acrylic Diffusers: 100 percent virgin acrylic plastic, with high resistance to yellowing and other changes due to aging, exposure to heat, and UV radiation.
2. Glass: Annealed crystal glass unless otherwise indicated.
3. Lens Thickness: At least 0.125-inch (3.175-mm) minimum unless otherwise indicated.

E. Lens and Refractors Gaskets: Use heat- and aging-resistant resilient gaskets to seal and cushion lenses and refractors in luminaire doors.

F. Reflecting surfaces shall have minimum reflectance as follows unless otherwise indicated:

1. White Surfaces: 85 percent.
2. Specular Surfaces: 83 percent.
3. Diffusing Specular Surfaces: 75 percent.

G. Housings:

1. Rigidly formed, weather- and light-tight enclosure that will not warp, sag, or deform in use.
2. Provide filter/breather for enclosed luminaires.

## 2.5 FINISHES

A. Luminaire Finish: Manufacturer's standard paint applied to factory-assembled and -tested luminaire before shipping. Where indicated, match finish process and color of pole or support materials.

B. Factory-Applied Finish for Aluminum Luminaires: Comply with NAAMM's "Metal Finishes Manual for Architectural and Metal Products" for recommendations for applying and designating finishes.

1. Finish designations prefixed by AA comply with the system established by the Aluminum Association for designating aluminum finishes.
2. Class I, Color-Anodic Finish: AA-M32C22A42/A44 (Mechanical Finish: Medium satin; Chemical Finish: Etched, medium matte; Anodic Coating: Architectural Class I, integrally colored or electrolytically deposited color coating 0.018 mm or thicker), complying with AAMA 611.

- a. Color: Medium bronze.

C. Factory-Applied Finish for Steel Luminaires: Comply with NAAMM's "Metal Finishes Manual for Architectural and Metal Products" for recommendations for applying and designating finishes.

1. Surface Preparation: Clean surfaces to comply with SSPC-SP 1 to remove dirt, oil, grease, and other contaminants that could impair paint bond. Grind welds and polish surfaces to a smooth, even finish. Remove mill scale and rust, if present, from uncoated steel, complying with SSPC-SP 5/NACE No. 1 or SSPC-SP 8.

2. Exterior Surfaces: Manufacturer's standard finish consisting of one or more coats of primer and two finish coats of high-gloss, high-build polyurethane enamel.

- a. Color: As selected from manufacturer's standard catalog of colors.

- D. Factory-Applied Labels: Comply with UL 1598. Include recommended lamps and ballasts. Labels shall be located where they will be readily visible to service personnel, but not seen from normal viewing angles when lamps are in place.

1. Label shall include the following lamp and ballast characteristics:

- a. "USES ONLY" and include specific lamp type.
    - b. Lamp tube configuration (twin, quad, triple), base type, and nominal wattage for compact fluorescent luminaires.
    - c. Start type (preheat, rapid start, instant start) compact fluorescent luminaires.
    - d. CCT and CRI for all luminaires.

## 2.6 LUMINAIRE-MOUNTED PHOTOELECTRIC RELAYS

- A. Comply with UL 773 or UL 773A.

- B. Contact Relays: Factory mounted, single throw, designed to fail in the on position, and factory set to turn light unit on at 1.5 to 3 fc (16 to 32 lx) and off at 4.5 to 10 fc (48 to 108 lx) with 15-second minimum time delay.

1. Relay with locking-type receptacle shall comply with ANSI C136.10.
  2. Adjustable window slide for adjusting on-off set points.

## 2.7 LUMINAIRE SUPPORT COMPONENTS

- A. Comply with requirements in Section 260529 "Hangers and Supports for Electrical Systems" for channel and angle iron supports and nonmetallic channel and angle supports.
- B. Single-Stem Hangers: 1/2-inch (13-mm) steel tubing with swivel ball fittings and ceiling canopy. Finish shall match luminaire.
- C. Wires: ASTM A641/A641M, Class 3, soft temper, zinc-coated steel..
- D. Rod Hangers: 3/16-inch (5-mm) minimum diameter, cadmium-plated, threaded steel rod.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Install lamps in each luminaire.

- C. Fasten luminaire to indicated structural support.
- D. Coordinate layout and installation of luminaires with other construction.
- E. Adjust luminaires that require field adjustment or aiming. Include adjustment of photoelectric device to prevent false operation of relay by artificial light sources, favoring a north orientation.
- F. Comply with requirements in Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables" and Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" for wiring connections and wiring methods.

### 3.2 BOLLARD LUMINAIRE INSTALLATION

- A. Align units for optimum directional alignment of light distribution.
  - 1. Install on concrete base with top **4 inches (100 mm)** above finished grade or surface at luminaire location. Cast conduit into base, and shape base to match shape of bollard base. Finish by troweling and rubbing smooth. Concrete materials, installation, and finishing are specified in Section 033000 "Cast-in-Place Concrete."

### 3.3 CORROSION PREVENTION

- A. Aluminum: Do not use in contact with earth or concrete. When in direct contact with a dissimilar metal, protect aluminum by insulating fittings or treatment.
- B. Steel Conduits: Comply with Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems." In concrete foundations, wrap conduit with **0.010-inch- (0.254-mm-)** thick, pipe-wrapping plastic tape applied with a 50 percent overlap.

### 3.4 GROUNDING

- A. Ground support structures according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
  - 1. Install grounding conductor pigtail in the base for connecting luminaire to grounding system.

### 3.5 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Inspect each installed luminaire for damage. Replace damaged luminaires and components.
- B. Perform the following tests and inspections:
  - 1. Operational Test: After installing luminaires, switches, and accessories, and after electrical circuitry has been energized, test units to confirm proper operation.
  - 2. Verify operation of photoelectric controls.
- C. Luminaire will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.

- D. Prepare a written report of tests, inspections, observations, and verifications indicating and interpreting results. If adjustments are made to lighting system, retest to demonstrate compliance with standards.

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