



NOTES

REFLECTORIZATION
ALL SIGNS USED DURING THE HOURS OF DARKNESS SHALL BE REFLECTORIZED (TYPE II OR III). CONES USED FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL AT NIGHT SHALL COMPLY WITH STANDARD E-106.

COLORS
THE WARNING SIGNS SHOWN ON THIS SHEET SHALL HAVE BLACK TEXT, BORDER, AND SYMBOLS ON AN ORANGE BACKGROUND. THE TEXT AND BORDERS MAY BE SCREENED, LETTERING FILM, OR HAND PAINTED. THE ORANGE SHALL CONFORM WITH THE STANDARD COLORS ADOPTED BY THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION OFFICIALS AND APPROVED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION.

TEXT DESIGN
LETTERS, DIGITS, SPACING, AND TEXT DIMENSIONS SHALL CONFORM WITH THE "STANDARD ALPHABETS FOR HIGHWAY SIGNS" AS REFERENCED IN THE "MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES".

SPECIFICATIONS
WARNING SIGNS SHALL MEET THE STANDARD STATE SPECIFICATIONS FOR TRAFFIC SIGNS.

SIGN BASE MATERIAL
THE SIGN BASE MATERIAL USED FOR THE WARNING SIGNS ON THIS SHEET MAY BE OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING, WITH MINIMUM THICKNESS AS NOTED:

FLAT STEEL OR ALUMINUM	0.125 INCHES
HIGH DENSITY OVERLAYED PLYWOOD	1/2, 5/8, OR 3/4 INCHES
GALVANIZED SHEET STEEL	12 GAGE

- SIGNS WITH "ROAD WORK 1500 FT. AND "END ROAD WORK" TEXT SHALL BE USED WHEN THE WORK IS NOT COMPLETE AND A HAZARD REMAINS OVERNIGHT.
- THE FLAGPERSON SHALL USE THE SIGN PADDLE DETAILED ON STANDARD SHEET E-102.
- ALL SIGNS SHALL BE COVERED OR REMOVED AT THE END OF THE WORKING DAY UNLESS REQUIRED FOR THE PROTECTION AND SAFETY OF THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.
- INSTALLATION: SIGNS AND BARRICADES SHALL BE IN PLACE PRIOR TO THE START OF THE MAINTENANCE OPERATION TO WHICH THEY APPLY AND SHALL BE REMOVED PROMPTLY WHEN THE NEED NO LONGER EXISTS. EACH SIGN SHALL BE ERECTED IN A NEAT AND WORKMANLIKE MANNER ON YIELDING WOOD OR METAL POSTS SET SECURELY IN THE GROUND (IN ACCORDANCE WITH STD. E-121), OR ON PORTABLE SUPPORTS WHEN APPROPRIATE. THE INSTALLATION OF SIGNS AND BARRICADES SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER.
- ALTHOUGH LISTED AS A MAINTENANCE OPERATION STANDARD SIGN SHEET, THE APPROACH SIGNS SHOWN SHALL BE USED BY CONTRACTORS WHEN WORKING WITHIN OR OUTSIDE PROJECT LIMITS.
- ALL DISTANCES ARE DESIRABLE SPECIFICATIONS. FIELD CONDITIONS SHALL CONTROL THE ACTUAL PLACEMENT.
- SIGN DETAILS NOT SHOWN ON THIS SHEET CAN BE FOUND ON STANDARD SHEETS E-100, E-101, AND E-102.
- TAPER FORMULA
L = SXW FOR SPEEDS OF 45 OR MORE
L = WS² FOR SPEEDS OF 40 OR LESS
WHERE
L = MINIMUM LENGTH OF TAPER
S = NUMERICAL VALUE OF POSTED SPEED LIMIT PRIOR TO WORK OR 85 PERCENTILE SPEED.
W = WIDTH OF OFFSET.
- THE MAXIMUM SPACING BETWEEN CHANNELIZING DEVICES, IN A TAPER SHOULD BE APPROXIMATELY EQUAL IN FEET TO THE SPEED LIMIT IN M.P.H. ON TANGENT SECTIONS THE MAXIMUM SPACING SHOULD BE APPROXIMATELY EQUAL TO TWICE THE POSTED SPEED LIMIT.
- FLOOD LIGHTS SHOULD BE PROVIDED TO MARK THE FLAGPERSON STATIONS AT NIGHT AS NEEDED.
- AT SHORT WORK ZONES WHERE ADEQUATE SIGHT DISTANCE IS AVAILABLE FOR THE SAFE HANDLING OF TRAFFIC ONE FLAGGER MAY BE USED WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER.
- CHANNELIZING DEVICES SHALL BE EXTENDED TO A POINT WHERE THEY ARE VISIBLE TO APPROACHING TRAFFIC.
- THE NUMBER OF CHANNELIZING AND OTHER TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES SHOWN ON THIS SHEET ARE FOR ILLUSTRATIVE PURPOSES ONLY. THE ACTUAL NUMBER REQUIRED SHALL BE DETERMINED BASED ON INDIVIDUAL DETOUR CONDITIONS (TAPERS, SPEED LIMITS, LENGTH OF DETOUR CURVE, ETC.).

LEGEND:

FLAGPERSON	WORK AREA
CHANNELIZING DEVICES (CONES OR DRUMS)	SIGN & POSTS
FLASHING ARROW PANEL	TYPE III BARRICADES

OTHER STDS. REQUIRED: E-100 E-101 E-102 E-106

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