

GUIDELINES FOR MINIMUM INTERIM PAVEMENT MARKINGS  
IN CONSTRUCTION ZONES ON FEDERAL-AID PROJECTS

- A. CENTERLINE AND GORE AREA MARKINGS SHALL BE APPLIED AT THE END OF EACH WORKING DAY. THE FOLLOWING LAYOUT REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE MET:

NO PASSING BARRIER

SOLID STRIPES.

DASHED LINE

10-FOOT SOLID LINE WITH 30-FOOT GAP.

SOLID LINE - (GORE AREAS TO INCLUDE CHANNELIZING LINE AND DASHED LINE)

PER STANDARD SHEET E-50.

EDGE LINES

WHERE SPECIFIED EDGE LINES ARE NOT REQUIRED UNTIL COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT. ON INTERSTATE PROJECTS, TEMPORARY EDGE LINES SHOULD BE APPLIED WHERE TRAFFIC VOLUMES AND SPEEDS ARE HIGH AND DELAY OF SEVERAL DAYS IS ANTICIPATED.

- B. TEMPORARY MARKINGS MAY CONSIST OF PAINT, TAPE OR RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS (RPM'S). THE TAPE SHALL BE A RETRO-REFLECTIVE FILM ON A CONFORMABLE METALIC BACKING THAT CAN BE PAVED OVER. TAPE MAY BE USED ON THE FINAL SURFACE COURSE IF IT WILL NOT INTERFERE WITH THE FINAL MARKING APPLICATION. THE RPM'S SHALL HAVE A SELF-ADHESIVE BACKING EASILY REMOVED BEFORE PAVING AND SHALL CONFORM TO THE FOLLOWING LAYOUT PATTERN: TEMPORARY TAPE MARKINGS WILL BE OFFSET AND REMOVED WHEN PROJECT IS FINISHED AND FINAL CENTERLINE PAINTED.

NO PASSING BARRIER

NO RPM'S ALLOWED.

DASHED LINE

FOUR RETRO-REFLECTIVE RPM'S ON 3 1/2 FOOT CENTERS WITH A 30 FOOT GAP.

SOLID LINE - EDGE LINES

INTERSTATE MEDIAN SIDE-RETRO-REFLECTIVE RPM'S ON 4 TO 5 FOOT CENTER. DRIVERS RIGHT SIDE-RPM'S NOT ALLOWED.

- C. WHEN PAINT IS USED FOR TEMPORARY MARKING, AN ALTERNATE MATERIAL SUCH AS TAPE OR RPM'S SHALL BE ON HAND IN THE EVENT RAIN PREVENTS THE PAINT APPLICATION FROM BEING COMPLETED. ALL PAINT SHALL BE REFLECTORIZED.
- D. PAYMENT FOR PAINT AND TAPE SHALL BE COMPUTED ON A LINEAR FOOT BASIS AS IF PAINT WAS USED. PAYMENT FOR THE RPM'S SHALL BE COMPUTED AS IF AN EQUIVALENT PAINT LINE WAS USED. (FOR EXAMPLE, DASHED LINE PAID AS 10 FEET OF PAINT, SOLID LINE PAID AS THE TOTAL DISTANCE COVERED WITH THE MARKERS).
- E. PRIOR TO ACCEPTANCE, THE FINAL PAVEMENT MARKINGS SHALL BE COMPLETED FOR THE ENTIRE PROJECT BY THE CONTRACTOR AS DETAILED ON THE PLANS OR AS DIRECTED BY THE RESIDENT ENGINEER

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