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SUBJECT: Release of Draft 2018 FDOT Design Manual (FDM) and Draft Complete Streets Handbook

This Design Memorandum is announcing the release of the Draft 2018 FDOT Design Manual (FDM) for industry review, which is available on the FDM website at the following link:

<http://www.fdot.gov/roadway/FDM/2018FDM.shtm>

The accompanying Draft Complete Streets Handbook can be viewed at the following web address:

<http://www.flcompletestreets.com>

Chapters presented on the FDM web page are draft, and are subject to change. Proposed criteria contained within these chapters will not become effective until the FDM is implemented on January 1, 2018. A crosswalk explaining where topics from the current PPM have been placed in Draft 2018 FDM is provided on the website.

The 2017 PPM will continue to be in effect for projects that begin design prior to January 1, 2018.

Comments on the Draft 2018 FDM can be submitted through the FDM website listed above through July 31, 2017.

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