

2860000 TURNOUT CONSTRUCTION
COMMENTS FROM INTERNAL/INDUSTRY REVIEW

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Comments: (10-5-18)

286-1: Verify 'asphalt concrete' reference in 2nd paragraph is correct. If it is, change 'or' after 'Portland Cement Concrete' to a comma since this is an itemized list of 3 components ('Portland Cement Concrete, Asphalt Concrete, or Structural Courses').

Response: The sentence is correct; however, it may be confusing. Revised to just say the “pavement” over the base material is not included in this Section.

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1. It would be a helpful transition to leave the word “turnout” in the title of this specification. It has always been turnout construction and to drop the most familiar term would likely cause confusion to some folks. Perhaps call it “Turnout Base construction” and define a turnout as a driveway in the opening statement.

286-1 – Suggested rewrite : The Department does not include placing asphalt concrete surface or structural courses over turnout driveway base in this Section. The asphalt surface layer is outlined in section 334. Concrete driveway construction is outlined in section 522.

Response: The term “Turnout” is being phased out throughout the Departments Standards, Specifications, and Design Documents.

2. 286-2 Materials: There is no Index 330-001. Should this be 285-3?

Response: Index reference in correct. It was released with the FY 2019-20 Standard Plans.

3. 286-5 Method of Measurement. Suggested additional information Unless Asphalt base is specifically required in the plans, no bituminous adjustment will be applied to the bid price for this item, therefore no certification of quantities as outlined in 9-2.1.2 will be required for this material.

Response: No Change. The requirements of 9-2.1.2 are only required under 286-5.2.

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What is the difference between "asphalt concrete surface" and "structural courses"? Should it be "asphalt concrete friction course or superpave asphalt concrete" or just leave previous language "asphalt concrete surface courses" as referenced in many other specifications? Also, should the requirements (Section 330) for asphalt be referenced after the concrete requirements?

Response: Revised to clarify (see response to Brian Blair above).
