

ORINATION FORM

Proposed Revisions to the Specifications

(Please provide all information - incomplete forms will be returned)

Date:

Office:

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Article/Subarticle:

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****Will the proposed revision require changes to:**

Publication	Yes	No	Office Staff Contacted and date contacted
Standard Plans Index			
Traffic Engineering Manual			
FDOT Design Manual			
Construction Project Administration Manual			
Basis of Estimate/Pay Items			
Structures Design Guidelines			
Approved Product List			
Materials Manual			

**This section must be completed prior to processing proposed revisions.

Will this revision necessitate any of the following:

Design Bulletin

Construction Bulletin

Estimates Bulletin

Materials Bulletin

Are all references to external publications current?

Yes

No

If not, what references need to be updated? (Please include changes in the redline document.)

Why does the existing language need to be changed?

Summary of the changes:

Are these changes applicable to all Department jobs?

Yes

No

If not, what are the restrictions?

Contact the State Specifications Office for assistance in completing this form.

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 19, 2019

TO: Specification Review Distribution List

FROM: Daniel Strickland, P.E., State Specifications Engineer

SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: **9620800 Structural Steel and Miscellaneous Metal Items (Other than Aluminum).**

In accordance with Specification Development Procedures, we are sending you a copy of a proposed specification change.

This change was proposed by Chase Knight from the State Materials Office to relocate language from the Standard Plans to the Specification.

Please share this proposal with others within your responsibility. Review comments are due within four weeks and should be sent to Mail Station 75 or online at

<http://fdotewp1.dot.state.fl.us/programmanagement/development/industryreview.aspx> .

Comments received after **January 16, 2020**, may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

DS/rf

Attachment

**STRUCTURAL STEEL AND MISCELLANEOUS
METAL ITEMS (OTHER THAN ALUMINUM)
(REV 12-9-19)**

ARTICLE 962-8 is expanded by the following new Subarticle:

962-8 Miscellaneous Metal Items.

Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents, provide the following specific materials.

962-8.1 Pipe Railings: Provide steel pipe conforming to the requirements of ASTM A53 for Standard Weight Pipe.

962-8.2 Steel Sheet Piling: Provide steel sheet piles conforming to the requirements of ASTM A328, ASTM A572 or ASTM A690.

962-8.3 Steel Sign Supports and Accessories: Provide steel members for sign supports that meet the material requirements specified in the Contract Documents.

962-8.4 Structural Tubing:

962-8.4.1 Materials: Provide steel structural tubing as one of the following:
Cold-formed, welded or seamless conforming to the requirements of ASTM A500, Grade B or C, coated in accordance with the Contract Documents;

Hot-formed, welded or seamless tubing conforming to the requirements of ASTM A501, coated in accordance with the Contract Documents;

ASTM A847 when weathering characteristics are required; or

As indicated elsewhere in the Contract Documents.

962-8.4.2 Testing: Structural steel tubing subjected to tensile stresses used in main load carrying members or components (as defined in Section 460) shall meet the impact test requirements of ASTM A709 for non-fracture and fracture critical tension components for Zone 1. Minimum Average energy shall be 15 ft-lbf at 70°F (non-fracture critical); or 25 ft-lbf at 70°F (fracture critical).

962-8.5 Steel for Concrete Reinforcement: Requirements for concrete reinforcement are contained in Section 931.

962-8.6 Steel Guardrail: Requirements for steel guardrail are contained in Section 967.

962-8.7 Field Splice Filler Materials: Provide field splice filler materials in accordance with the Contract Documents. If unspecified and less than 3/16 inches thick provide ASTM A606 or ASTM A1011.

962-8.8 Steel Pipe Piling: Provide seamless, or longitudinal or helical welded pipe conforming to the requirements of API 5L Grade L320, X46 or higher, or ASTM A252 Grade 3. Provide longitudinal or helical welded pipe with only complete joint penetration (CJP) welds conforming to the requirements of API 5L or AWS D1.1.

962-8.9 Steel Grates: Provide Grade 50 steel per ASTM A242/A242 M, A572/A572 M or A588/A588 M for grates. Galvanize grates in accordance with 962-9 when "Alt. G" grates are specified in the Plans.