## **ORIGINATION FORM**

# **Proposed Revisions to the Specifications**

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

Date:	Office:				
Originator:	Specification Section:				
Telephone:	Article/Subarticle:				
email:	Α	Associated Section(s) Revisions:			
Will the proposed revision require changes to:					
Publication	Yes	No	Office S	Staff 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					
Will this revision necessitate any of the following	ng:				
Design Bulletin Construction Bulletin	E	stimates Bulle	etin	<b>Materials Bulletin</b>	
Are all references to external publications curre	ent?	Yes	No		
If not, what references need to be updated? (Pl	ease inclu	ıde changes iı	n the redline do	ocument.)	
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Summary of the changes:					
Are these changes applicable to all Department If not, what are the restrictions?	jobs?	Yes	No		



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### MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** August 3, 2021

**TO:** Specification Review Distribution List

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

SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: SSM1103000 Roadside Litter Removal.

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

This change was proposed by Deanna Hutchison from the State Materials Office to include Roadside Litter Removal in the new Section to SPM1070000 Litter Removal and Mowing.

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 <a href="http://fdotewp1.dot.state.fl.us/programmanagement/Development/MaintenanceReview.aspx">http://fdotewp1.dot.state.fl.us/programmanagement/Development/MaintenanceReview.aspx</a>. Comments received after <a href="August 17, 2021">August 17, 2021</a>, may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

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Attachment

## SECTION 110-30 is deleted:

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The following new Section is added at the end of Section 110:
<b>SECTION 110-30</b>
ROADSIDE LITTER REMOVAL
110-30.1 Description.
Provide pickup, removal, disposal of litter, and otherwise undesirable or objectionable
appearing debris within the maintained limits of the highway right of way.
Litter or debris may consist of varied sizes of bottles, cans, paper, tires, tire pieces,
lumber, vehicle parts, metal junk, brush, and other items to be removed under this work.
110-30.2 Frequency of Removal.
The Engineer will determine when to begin each pickup. Areas or portions of areas may
be increased or decreased, as determined by the Engineer. The total number and the timing of
pickup will depend upon the litter conditions that exist. Areas specified as litter removal areas
will be picked up approximately times. The actual number of litter pickups maybe
increased or decreased, as determined by the Engineer, due to the intensity of litter or special
events.
Complete each litter removal cycle within calendar days of beginning the cycle,
weather permitting, as determined by the Engineer.
110-30.3 Equipment.
Equipment that is utilized to transport litter will be constructed in a manner to preclude
further distribution or loss of litter along the roadway. Cover and secure all open top carriers
with tarpaulins.
Submit a written request for approval, to the Engineer, for the use of specialized
equipment designed for mechanized removal of litter and debris. Demonstrate satisfactory results
at no cost to the Department that the specialized equipment will produce quality litter removal, if
deemed necessary by the Engineer. The Engineer may require additional safety devices or
precautions unique to the equipment.
Equipment that damages curbs, pavement, or turf will not be allowed.
110-30.4 Limitation of Operation.
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Any equipment left on the right-of-way overnight will be parked outside the clear zone,
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except in median areas where no equipment will be permitted to be parked overnight. All service
and supply operations will be conducted between the travel way and the right of way line and be
outside the clear zone. No supply vehicles will enter the median for any purpose. No service
vehicle will enter the median except when necessary to repair or remove inoperable equipment.
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No work will be permitted during non-daylight hours.

Workmen will wear orange clothing of high visibility such as a vest, shirt, or jacket, when performing litter pickup operations.

### 110-30.5 Disposal of Litter and Debris.

Provide locations for disposal and remove all litter that has been placed in trash bags for pick up from the right-of-way at the end of each working day. Be responsible for disposal of litter and debris and any cost that may incur in accordance with applicable Federal, State and Local Rules and Regulations. Storage or stockpiling of litter or debris on the right-of-way will not be permitted.

Provide the landfill receipts with each invoice submittal.

### 110-30.6 Quality.

Completed areas will be reviewed for quality and acceptance by the Engineer. Areas determined to be unsatisfactory, by the Engineer, will be re-cleaned at no additional cost. Areas will be cleaned in a manner that they are left reasonably free of all litter and debris. The Engineer will not penalize for litter and debris that may have been deposited between the time the work was completed and the time when the Engineer approves the work. However, the Engineer's judgment when evaluating completed work will be final.

#### 110-30.7 Method of Measurement.

The quantities to be paid for under this Section will be the number of acres of roadside eleaned and accepted.

### 110-30.8 Basis of Payment.

Payment will be full compensation for furnishing all equipment, materials, labor, disposal, and incidentals necessary to complete designated areas of litter and debris removal, less any areas omitted.

Payment will be made under the items specified in the Bid Price Proposal.