

# ORINATION FORM

## Proposed Revisions to the Specifications

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

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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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**MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC.**  
**(REV 3-2-20)**

SUBARTICLE 102-3.3 is deleted and the following substituted:

**102-3.3 Lane Closures:** Approval of all lane closures, mobile operations, and traffic pacing operations is required. Submit requests to the Engineer      calendar days in advance of planned lane closures, mobile operations, and traffic pacing operations. For unforeseen events that require cancelling or rescheduling lane closures, mobile operations, and pacing operations, revise the lane closure request as soon as possible.

SUBARTICLE 102-5.4 is deleted and the following substituted:

**102-5.4 Crossings and Intersections:** Provide and maintain adequate accommodations for intersecting and crossing traffic. Do not block or unduly restrict any median opening, road or street crossing the project unless approved by the Engineer. Maintain all existing actuated or traffic responsive mode signal operations for main and side street movements for the duration of the work. Restore any loss of detection within 12 hours. Use only detection technology listed on the Department's Approved Products List (APL) and approved by the Engineer to restore detection capabilities. Before beginning any construction, submit to the Engineer the names and phone numbers of persons that can be contacted when signal operation malfunctions.

ARTICLE 102-7 is expanded by the following:

Provide off-duty law enforcement officer when required or as directed by the Engineer.

SUBARTICLE 102-9.1 is deleted and the following substituted:

**102-9 Temporary Traffic Control Devices.**

**102-9.1 General:** Use only devices that are listed on the APL and use in conformance with the APL drawings. Immediately remove or cover, using any method of covering approved by the Engineer, any existing or temporary devices (e.g. signs) that do not apply to current conditions. When in use, place a channelizing device at each corner of arrow boards, portable changeable message signs, radar speed display trailers, and any other trailer-mounted device. When not in use, move arrow boards, portable changeable message signs, radar speed display trailers, and any other trailer-mounted device outside of the clear zone or place them at the appropriate setback distance behind an existing barrier or temporary barrier that is present for shielding other items.

The use of NCHRP Report 350 Recommended Procedures for the Safety Performance Evaluation of Highway Features devices purchased prior to January 1, 2020 is permitted on projects let prior to January 1, 2030. All devices manufactured or purchased on or after January 1, 2020 must be MASH compliant in accordance with Section 990.

The APL number is to be permanently marked on the device at a readily visible location. Sheeting used on devices and pavement markings are exempt from this requirement.

Notify the Engineer in writing of any scheduled operation that will affect traffic patterns or safety sufficiently in advance of commencing such operation to allow adequate time to review the plan for the proposed installation of temporary traffic control devices.

Assign an employee the responsibility of maintaining the position and condition of all temporary traffic control devices throughout the duration of the Contract. Keep the Engineer advised of the identification and means of contacting this employee on a 24 hour basis.

Maintain temporary traffic control devices in the correct position, properly oriented, clearly visible, and clean. All applicable temporary traffic control devices must meet the classification category of Acceptable as defined in the American Traffic Safety Services Association (ATSSA) Quality Guidelines for Temporary Traffic Control Devices and Features. Temporary concrete barriers must meet the classification category of Acceptable defined in the Department's Temporary Concrete Barrier Evaluation Guide, which may be viewed at the following URL:

[https://fdotwww.blob.core.windows.net/sitefinity/docs/default-source/programmanagement/implemented/urlinspecs/files/docs/default-source/content-docs/programmanagement/implemented/urlinspecs/files/temporaryconcretebarrierguide.pdf.pdf?sfvrsn=343b4c97\\_10](https://fdotwww.blob.core.windows.net/sitefinity/docs/default-source/programmanagement/implemented/urlinspecs/files/docs/default-source/content-docs/programmanagement/implemented/urlinspecs/files/temporaryconcretebarrierguide.pdf.pdf?sfvrsn=343b4c97_10).

Pedestrian longitudinal channelizing devices (LCDs) must meet the classification category of Acceptable as defined in the Pedestrian LCD Evaluation Guide, which may be viewed at the following URL:

[https://fdotwww.blob.core.windows.net/sitefinity/docs/default-source/programmanagement/implemented/urlinspecs/files/lcdevaluationguide.pdf?sfvrsn=166e0f16\\_2](https://fdotwww.blob.core.windows.net/sitefinity/docs/default-source/programmanagement/implemented/urlinspecs/files/lcdevaluationguide.pdf?sfvrsn=166e0f16_2).

Immediately repair, replace or clean damaged, defaced or dirty devices. Traffic control devices must not be cleaned while installed/used. Use of warning lights on any temporary traffic control device is prohibited, with the exception of the trailer mounted portable regulatory signs.

SUBARTICLE 102-9.1.1 is deleted:

SUBARTICLE 102-11.1 is deleted and the following substituted:

**102-11.1 General:** All devices installed/used on the project on any calendar day or portion thereof, within the Contract Time, including time extensions which may be granted, will be paid for each day or each location.

ARTICLE 102-12 is deleted.

ARTICLE 102-13.23 is deleted and the following substituted:

**102-13.23 Maintenance of Traffic:** Price and payment will be full compensation for all work and costs specified under Section 102.

When the proposal does not include a separate item for Maintenance of Traffic, all work and incidental costs specified as being covered under this Section will be included for payment under the scheduled items of the overall Contract and no separate payment will be made.

**102-13.24 Payment Items:** Payment will be made under the items shown in the Bid Price Proposal.