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SUBJECT: **2023 Roadway Design Office Manuals**

This bulletin announces the release of the **2023 FDOT Design Manual (FDM)**, **2023 Drainage Manual**, and the **2023 Flexible Pavement Design Manual**. These manuals are available on the State Roadway Design Office website at the following links:

<http://fdot.gov/roadway/fdm>

<http://fdot.gov/roadway/Drainage/ManualsandHandbooks.shtm>

<http://fdot.gov/roadway/PM/publications.shtm>

IMPLEMENTATION

The manuals listed above are effective on all projects beginning design on or after January 1, 2023 and on projects currently in the design phase where implementation will not adversely impact production schedules.

Revisions implemented via Roadway Design Bulletins issued between December 2021 and November 2022 are incorporated into these manuals. These changes are effective as described in each Bulletin.

COMMENTARY

Roadway Design Bulletins are available on the Office of Design website at the following link:

<http://www.fdot.gov/roadway/Bulletin/default.shtm>

The Summary of Revisions to the **FDM** can be found at the link below. Webinars providing an overview of the major revisions to the **FDM** are under development and will be available by December 31, 2022.

<https://www.fdot.gov/roadway/fdm>

There were no major revisions to the **Drainage Manual** or the **Flexible Pavement Design Manual**. There were no revisions to the **2022 Rigid Pavement Design Manual**; therefore, this version of the publication will remain effective.

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