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Daniel Holt, PE, PTOE
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400 West Washington Street, Suite 4200
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Re: State Specifications Office
Section: 932
Proposed Specification: **9320401 Nonmetallic Accessory Materials for Concrete
Pavement and Concrete Structures**

Dear Mr. Holt:

We are submitting, for your approval, two copies of the above referenced Supplemental Specification.

The changes are proposed by Karen Byram to align with Materials bulletin No. 24-02 Revised Procurement and Contractor's Quality Control Plan Requirements of specific structural materials for projects let after July 1, 2024.

Please review and transmit your comments, if any, within two weeks (10 business days). Comments should be sent via email daniel.strickland@dot.state.fl.us.

If you have any questions relating to this specification change, please call me at (850) 414-4130.

Sincerely,

Signature on File

Daniel Strickland, P.E.
State Specifications Engineer

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Attachment

cc: Florida Transportation Builders' Assoc.
State Construction Engineer

NONMETALLIC ACCESSORY MATERIALS FOR CONCRETE PAVEMENT AND CONCRETE STRUCTURES

(REV 6-18-26)

SUBARTICLE 932-4.1 is expanded by the following:

932-4.1 General: Provide bearing pads from producers who have a “Compliant” audit status with the AASHTO Product Evaluation & Audit Solutions for “Elastomeric Bridge Bearing Pads”. Furnish elastomeric structural bearing pads as shown in the Contract Documents. Elastomeric bearing pads as defined herein shall include plain pads (elastomer only) and laminated bearing pads (elastomer with steel laminate inserts). Perform marking, sampling, testing and certification per this Section.

932-4.1.1 Approved Product List (APL): The laminated bearing pad used shall be one of the products listed on the Department’s APL. Manufacturers seeking evaluation of their products shall submit an APL application in accordance with Section 6 and include a product photo, product label, product datasheets, and performance test reports from an independent laboratory showing the product meets the requirements of this section.

SUBARTICLE 932-5.1 is expanded by the following:

932-5.1 General: Provide bearing pads from producers who have a “Compliant” audit status with the AASHTO Product Evaluation & Audit Solutions for “Elastomeric Bridge Bearing Pads”. Structural bearing pads certified to meet 932-4 may be substituted for ancillary pads. Provide materials for ancillary plain pads in accordance with this section and Table 932-8. Perform testing and certification per this Section.

932-5.1.1 Approved Product List (APL): The ancillary bearing pad used shall be one of the products listed on the Department’s APL. Manufacturers seeking evaluation of their products shall submit an APL application in accordance with Section 6 and include a product photo, product label, product datasheets, and performance test reports from an independent laboratory showing the product meets the requirements of this section.