Lessons Learned CONSTRUCTABILITY

March 10th 2020

Office of Performance Management

Final Inspection Comments Report

Contract No. 4201503701, ESTP-N059 (39)

Group ♥ Construction
March 21, 2019

Contractor: WID Inc.

Bear DE 19701

Contract Duration: Calendar Days

Award Amount: \$ 582,095.00

Attendees: DelDOT, Group 4 Construction

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General Comments:

There were no ADA facilities impacted and/or altered as part of this Contract, The overall quality of workmanship was very good. The Administering Section will generate a minor punchlist.

Respectfully submitted by:

Umar Simpson

Projects Compliance Technician

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Final Inspection Comments Report

Contract No. 1201701105, F.A.P No. ESTP 2017(18)

McCov Road Pedestrian Bridge

Group Construction

Contractor: Eastern Highway Specialist, In

Wilmington DF 19801

Award Amount: \$ 222,401.50

Attendees:

DelDOT, Group & Construction

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General Comments:

There were areas in need of acceptable vegetative stabilization. This work must be completed prior to acceptance

There were ADA facilities impacted and/or altered as part of this Contract, $\underline{\underline{\mathrm{The}}}$ overall quality of workmanship was very good.

Respectfully submitted by:

Omar Simpson

Projects Compliance Technician



TEMPORARY M.O.T.







Geotextile

712.07 Stone Riprap. Riprap shall be placed in accordance with this Section, to the dimensions and at the locations shown on the Plans or as established by the Engineer.

The area for placement of the stone riprap shall be excavated to the required placement depth. The area shall be in a relatively smooth condition, free from large stone, vegetation, debris, and areas of soft material. Preparation of the area may include, but is not limited to, excavating, removing unsuitable material, backfilling, placing embankment, and clearing and grubbing.

The geotextile shall be placed on the prepared area in a loose and unstretched condition to minimize tearing and shifting. The adjacent edges of the fabric shall be joined with a lock-type or chain-type stitch folded seam or overlapped a minimum of 12" (305 mm), if permitted. The overlap direction shall be upstream over downstream and upslope over downslope. The fabric shall be anchored in place

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712 RIPRAP

by securing pins or other acceptable methods. The fabric shall be covered as soon as possible so that it is not exposed for more than two weeks.



CURB

CHECK FLOW



E. Finishing.

- 1. Perform to a depth of 2 inches below the exposed surface elevations;
- 2. Use a wood or magnesium float to rub surface smooth;
- 3. Check the flow line of the gutter to ensure positive drainage
 - Match vertical alignment with adjacent surfaces such as curbs and drainage inlets.
 - b. Correct deviations in the flow line greater than 1/8 inch in 10 feet.
 - c. Correct irregularities in grade or alignment of the front and back edges of the curb greater than ¼ inch in 10 feet.
- 4. Round front and back edges in accordance with the Standard Construction Details;
- 5. Brush longitudinally along the surface





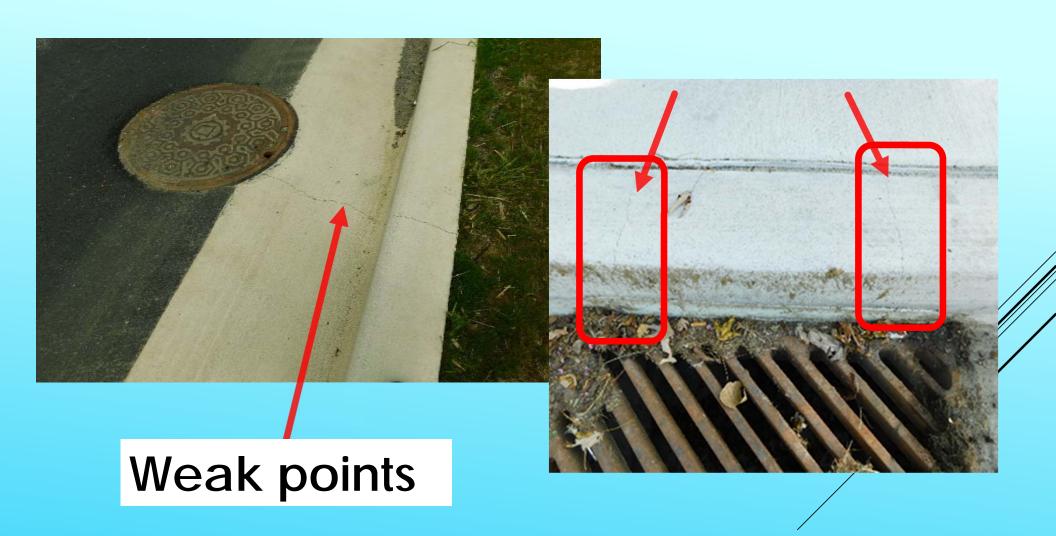
G. Joints.

- 1. Construct contraction joint by tool or saw cut at 10 foot intervals when concrete is sufficiently set;
 - a. When curb is constructed adjacent to concrete pavement, align joints with joints in the pavement.
 - When sidewalk is behind the curb, align all joints in the curb to coincide with joints in the sidewalk.
 - c. When curb is placed adjacent to Portland Cement Concrete pavement the curb or pavement, form or tool to allow sealing as shown in the Standard Construction Details C-1 and P-2.



- H. Removal of Forms and backfilling
 - 1. Remove forms and backfill when concrete has hardened sufficiently;
 - Renair all defects
 - Remove and replace entire 10 foot finished section of cracked or damaged curb at the direction of the Engineer, at no cost to the Department.

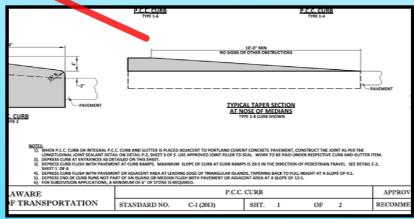
701.04 Method of Measurement. The Engineer will measure Portland Cement Concrete Curb and Integral Portland Cement Concrete Curb as the number of linear feet measured along the linear face of acceptably installed and completed



10' offset









702.04 Method of Measurement.

The quantity of Triangular Channelizing Island(s) will be measured as the number of square feet, from face of curb to face of curb, of Triangular Channelizing Island(s) installed and accepted.

Sidewalk Surface Detectable Warning System will be measured and paid for under Item No. 705007.

702.05 Basis of Payment.

The quantity of Triangular Channelizing Island(s) will be paid for at the Contract Unit Price per square foot. Price and payment constitutes full compensation for saw cutting bituminous pavement, saw cutting concrete full depth, removal and disposal of existing Materials, foundation preparation, furnishing and placing all Materials including GABC, concrete for curb and sidewalk, expansion joint Material, construction of curb ramps within the limits of the Island, bituminous and/or P.C.C. pavement patching, furnishing and installing delineator(s) and for all labor, tools and incidentals necessary to complete the Work.

No additional payment will be made under other Contract Items for Work necessary to construct the island except Item No. 705007 - Sidewalk Surface Detectable Warning System.

Note: The curb and sidewalk components are not to be placed monolithically unless otherwise directed by the Plans or the Engineer.

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 DESCRIPTION
 UNIT

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 TRIANGULAR CHANNELIZING ISLANDS
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revised 12/28/2018: The quantity of Triangular Channelizing Island(s) will be paid for at the Contract Unit Price per square foot. Price and payment constitutes full compensation for saw cutting bituminous pavement, saw cutting concrete full depth, removal and disposal of existing Materials, foundation preparation, furnishing and placing all Materials including GABC, concrete for curb and sidewalk, expansion joint Material, construction of Pedestrian Connections within the limits of the island, bituminous and/or P.C.C. pavement patching, furnishing and installing delineator(s) and for all labor, tools and incidentals necessary to complete the Work.

Delinators



- 1). WHEN P.C.C. CURB OR INTEGRAL P.C.C. CURB AND GUTTER IS PLACED ADJACENT TO PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE PAVEMENT, CONSTRUCT THE JOINT AS PER THE LONGITUDINAL JOINT SEALANT DETAIL ON DETAIL P-2, SHEET 3. USE APPROVED JOINT FILLER TO SEAL. WORK TO BE PAID UNDER RESPECTIVE CURB AND GUTTER ITEM.

 2). THE DEPRESSED CURB DIMENSIONS (INCLUDING 1" LIP) ON THIS SHEET ARE FOR USE AT ENTRANCES ONLY. FOR CURB DEPRESSIONS AT CURB RAMPS, SEE NOTE 3.

 3). AT CURB RAMPS, DEPRESS CURB FLUSH WITH THE PAVEMENT (WITH NO LIP). SLOPE THE TOP OF THE CURB 8.3% OR FLATTER IN THE DIRECTION OF PEDESTRIAN TRAVEL.

 4). DEPRESS CURB FLUSH WITH PAVEMENT OR ADJACENT AREA AT ALL CORNERS OF TRIANGULAR ISLANDS, TAPERING BACK TO FULL HEIGHT AT A RATE OF 4:1.

- 5). TAPER END OF CURB RUNS NOT PART OF AN ISLAND OR MEDIAN FLUSH WITH PAVEMENT OR ADJACENT AREA AT A RATE OF 12:1.
- 6). FOR SUBDIVISION APPLICATIONS, A MINIMUM OF 6" OF GABC IS REQUIRED.

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Pedestrians

CHECK FLOW



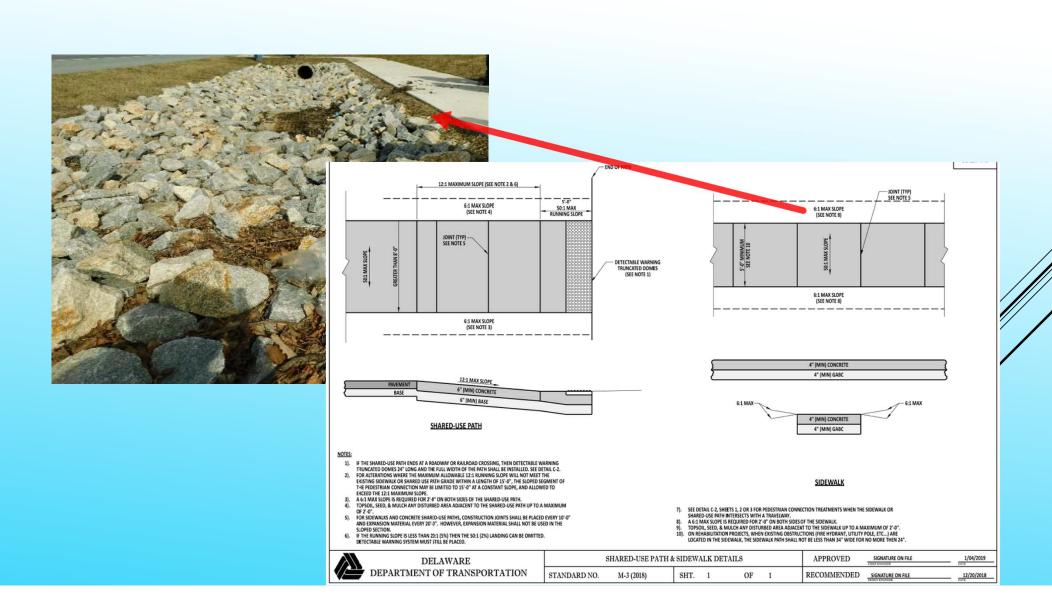
3.8.5.2 Drainage Design

Drainage conditions shall be considered when designing blended transitions or curb ramps to avoid or correct existing ponding conditions. When a blended transitions or curb ramp is adjacent to a drainage inlet where ponding occurs, and the ponding cannot be corrected by modifying the throat of the drainage inlet, the designer should pursue relocation of the PAR and/or drainage facilities.

Snapshot taken from Section 3.8.5.2 of the 2018 Pedestrian Accessibility Standards



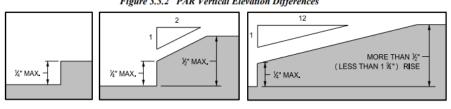






1/4 inch. Vertical surface discontinuities between 1/4 inch and 1/2 inch shall be beveled with a slope not steeper than 2H:1V (50.0%) as illustrated in Figure 3.3.2. Where a vertical difference of ½ inch or less is impracticable, the surface discontinuity shall be sloped no steeper than 12H:1V (8.3%). The transition between the depressed curb at a blended transition or ramp segment and gutter must meet the requirements of Section 3.8.7.8. Beveling shall be applied across the entire limits of the vertical surface discontinuity.

Figure 3.3.2 PAR Vertical Elevation Differences



Vertical Gaps



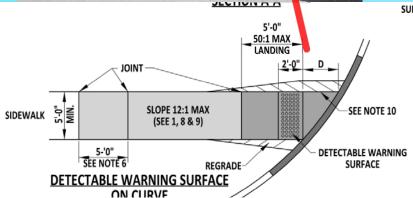
expansion





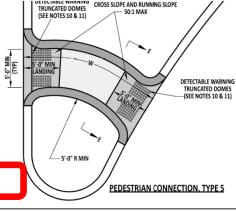
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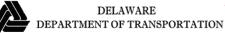


- FOR ALTERATIONS WHERE THE MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE 12:1 RUNNING SLOPE WILL NOT MEET THE EXISTING SIDEWALK GRADE WITHIN A LENGTH OF 15'-0", THE SLOPED SEGMENT OF THE PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION MAY BE LIMITED TO 15'-0" AT A CONSTANT SLOPE, AND ALLOWED TO EXCEED THE 12:1 MAXIMUM SLOPE.
- PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION AND SIDEWALK CROSS SLOPE SHALL BE 50:1 (2%) MAXIMUM. FOR REHABILITATION WORK. THE PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION CROSS SLOPE MAY MATCH THE SLOPE OF THE ADJACENT ROADWAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
- LATEST VERSION OF THE PAS MANUAL.
 THE MAXIMUM ALGEBRAIC DIFFERENCE IN GRADE BETWEEN THE PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION OR MODIFIED CURB AT THE FLOW LINE AND THE PAVEMENT SHALL BE 13.3%, HOWEVER 11% IS PREFERRED.
- LANDING AREA SHALL BE CLEARLY DELINEATED WITH JOINTS. REFER TO THE DELAWARE MANUAL FOR LINIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES FOR DETAILS REGARDING THE LOCATION OF PEDESTRIAN PUSH BUTTONS.
- CONSTRUCTION JOINTS ARE REQUIRED ON PEDESTRIAN CONNECTIONS AT THE INTERVAL SPECIFIED IN NOTE 6 ON DETAIL M-3, SHEET 1 OF 1. HOWEVER, EXPANSION MATERIAL SHALL NOT BE USED IN THE PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION SECTION.
- IF THE RUNNING SLOPE IS LESS THAN 20:1 (5%) THEN THE 50:1 (2%) LANDING CAN BE OMITTED. DETECTABLE WARNING SYSTEM MUST STILL BE PLACED.
- IN ISLANDS AND MEDIANS, A CONTINUOUS PATH WITH A MAXIMUM RUNNING SLOPE OF 20:1 (5%) MUST BE PROVIDED BETWEEN PEDESTRIAN CONNECTIONS. AN INTERMEDIATE LANDING CONSISTING OF A 5'-0" BY 5'-0" WITH A MAXIMUM RUNNING SLOPE AND CROSS SLOPE OF 50:1 (2%) IS REQUIRED ONLY IN LOCATIONS WHERE THE PEDESTRIAN CONNECTIONS INTERSECT BEFORE REACHING FULL HEIGHT.
- A CUT-THROUGH LEVEL WITH THE STREET IS THE PREFERRED TREATMENT FOR ISLANDS. RAMPS OR BLENDED TRANSISTIONS
- WHERE THERE IS NO DEPRESSED CURB AT A CUT-THROUGH OR PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION, THE DETECTABLE WARNING SHALL BE INSTALLED 3" FROM THE PAVEMENT EDGE. WHERE THERE IS DEPRESSED CURB, THE DETECTABLE WARNING

SYSTEM SHALL BE INSTALLED DIRECTLY BEHIND THE FULL WIDTH OF THE DEPRESSED CURB.



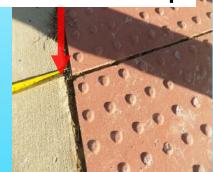
OR GREATER.



PEDESTRIAN CONNECTION, TYPE 5 & SECTIONS STANDARD NO. SHT. 3 C-2 (2018) OF

Maintenance issue without the curb

Horizontal Gap







evidence of ponding?

Sidewalk elevation?



Ped height. 2020 detail





PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS



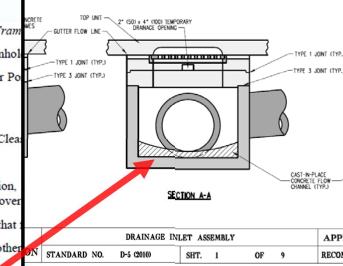
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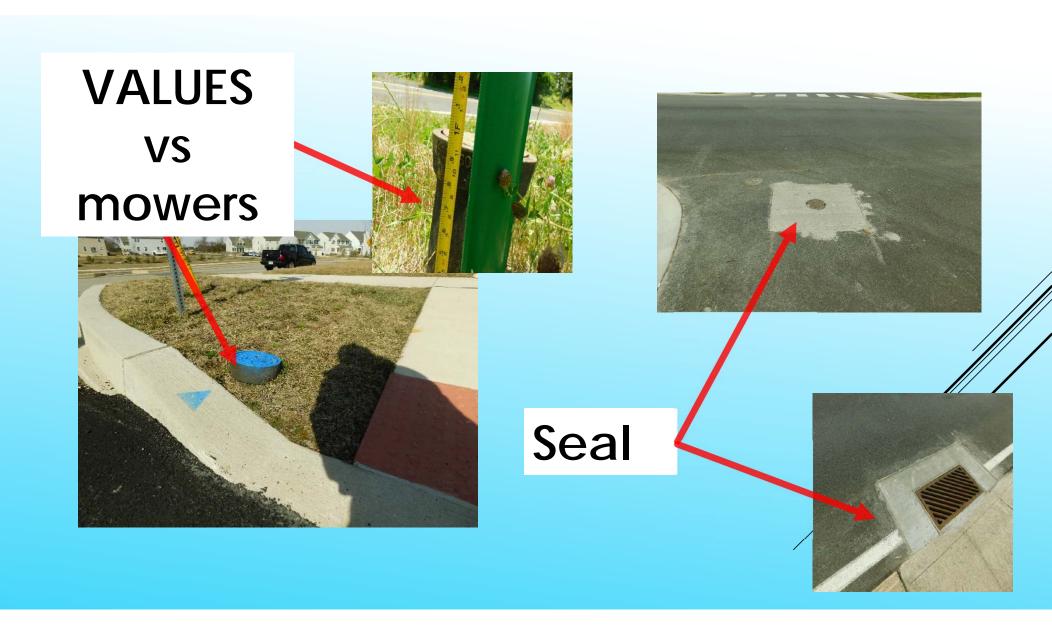


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- 3. Excavate and remove existing castings.
 - a. Take care to not damage castings. Clear
 - b. Replace castings where specified.
- If existing Structure is in good condition, frame and grate or manhole frame and cover
 - a. Set forms for adjusting frame such that :
 - b. Placing frame on bricks, blocks or other
- 5. If existing Structure is in poor condition, as
 - a. Keep silt and debris away from Structure until Work is complete.
 - b. Set frame as directed in Section 602.03.D.4.a.
- Install steps on the back wall of drainage inlets or manholes as needed in accordance with Section 602.03.B.4.
- 7. Pour flow channel if specified in the Contract Documents and as directed by the Engineer.
- Form drainage inlet or manhole top unit as shown in the Contract Documents or approved Working Drawings.
- 9. Place concrete in accordance with Section 610.03.E.
 - Cure Concrete in accordance with Section 610.03.I.
 - Remove forms in accordance to Section 610.03.K.
- Backfill the area around drainage inlets and manholes in accordance with Section 602.03.B.7.
- 11. Dispose of materials in accordance with Section 602.03.C.3.





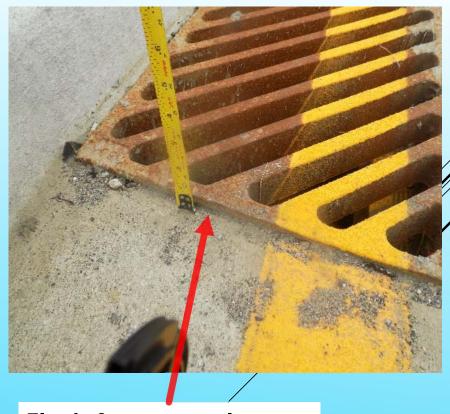
Drainage Inlets

Top unit

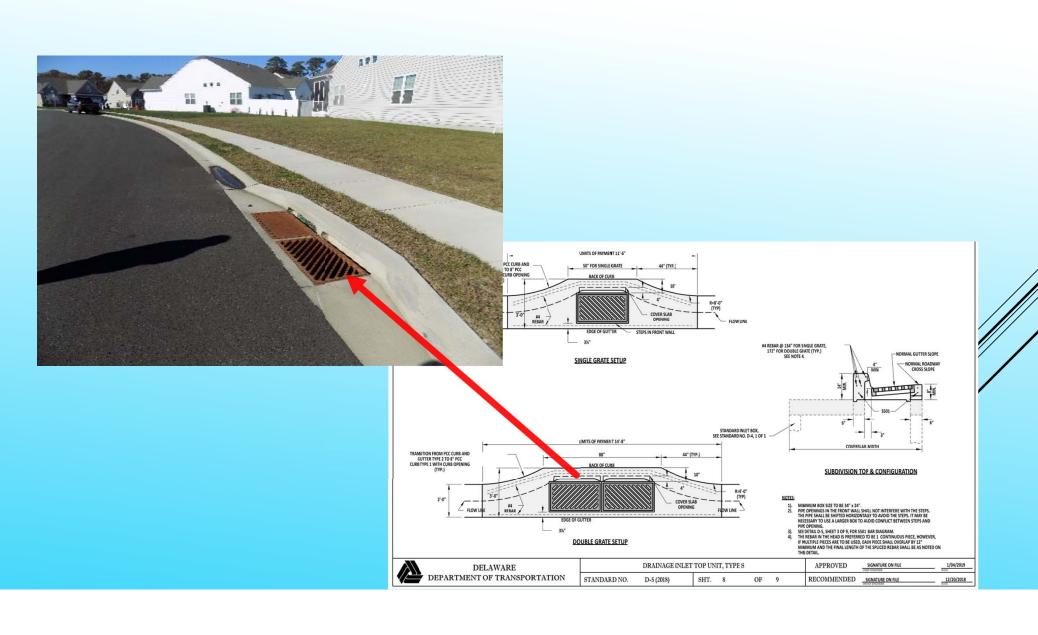




- Fill flush.
- Need positive drainage.
- Removal formwork.

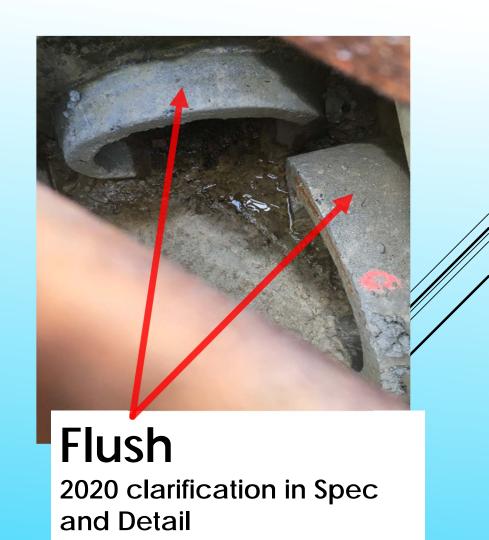


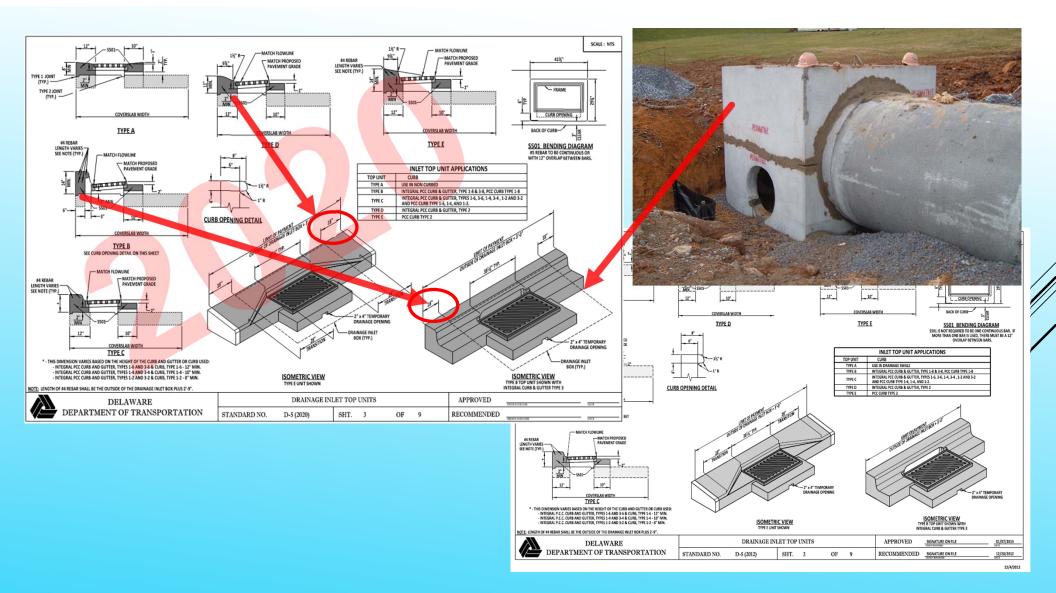
Flush for snow plows





Frame adjustments







BRIDGE LOCATIONS





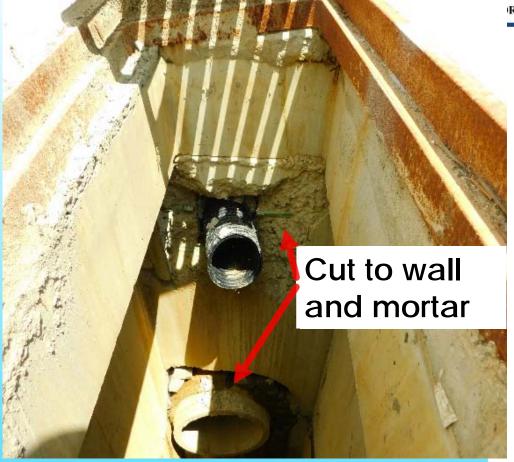
Settlement

STRUCTURES



Settlement or joints?





RAINAGE STRUCTURES SECTION 602

B. Furnish and Construct Drainage Inlets, Manholes and Junction Boxes:

Excavate to the required depth in accordance with Section 207.03. Compact the foundation upon
which the concrete floor of the Structure is to be placed to a firm, even surface to the acceptance of the
Engineer.

- 2. Place the Structure as shown in the Contract Documents. Use cast-in-place construction for drainage Structures that tie in to existing pipes and Structures unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents or if the Engineer approves the use of precast Structures. Use precast Structures for all new construction unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents or directed by the Engineer.
 - Construct cast-in-place reinforced concrete Structures in accordance with Section 610.
 - b. Construct precast reinforced concrete Structures in accordance with Section 612.
 - c. Provide precast reinforced concrete round manhole riser sections and appurtenances in accordance
- Set the frames of castings in concrete.
- 4. Install steps on the backwall for all drainage inlets and manholes, and junction boxes that utilize a removable top slab, as specified in the Contract Documents or are 4 feet or more in depth, measured from the top of grate or cover to the invert of the lowest pipe. Provide a minimum embedment of 3 inches in the wall and ensure that the steps protrude out 6 inches from the wall. Begin steps within 24 inches of the top of grate/lid and end steps no more than 12 inches above the lowest invert except where a pipe is in the backwall. Space steps vertically at 12 inch intervals.
- 5. Ensure inlet and outlet pipes are the same size and type as the connecting pipes shown in the Contract Documents and that pipes extend through the walls and are flush with the inside of the wall. When the end of a reinforced concrete pipe is cut off, ensure that the end is cut clean and smoothly finished with mortar so that no bar reinforcement remains exposed. Fill any space between the pipe and the walls of the drainage inlet with non-shrink grout conforming to the requirements of Section 1047, with a minimum strength of 5000 pounds per square inch. Ensure that the greatest dimension of the opening in the drainage inlet for the pipe is no greater than the outside pipe diameter plus 4 inches.
- Pour flow channel.
- Backfill the area around drainage inlets and manholes with Borrow Type C Material to the required elevation in accordance with Section 207. Approval is required prior to the placement of any backfill.

Honeycombing



2020 SPECIFICATION



2020 2" BELOW FINISH GRADE

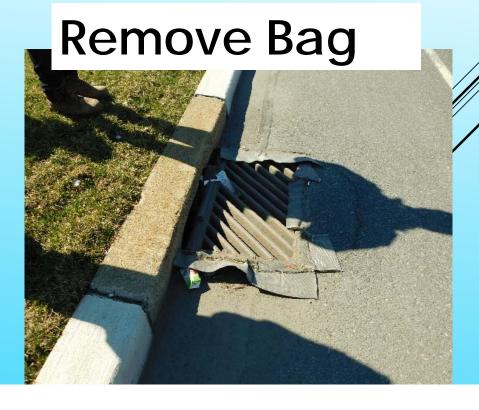
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Standing Water





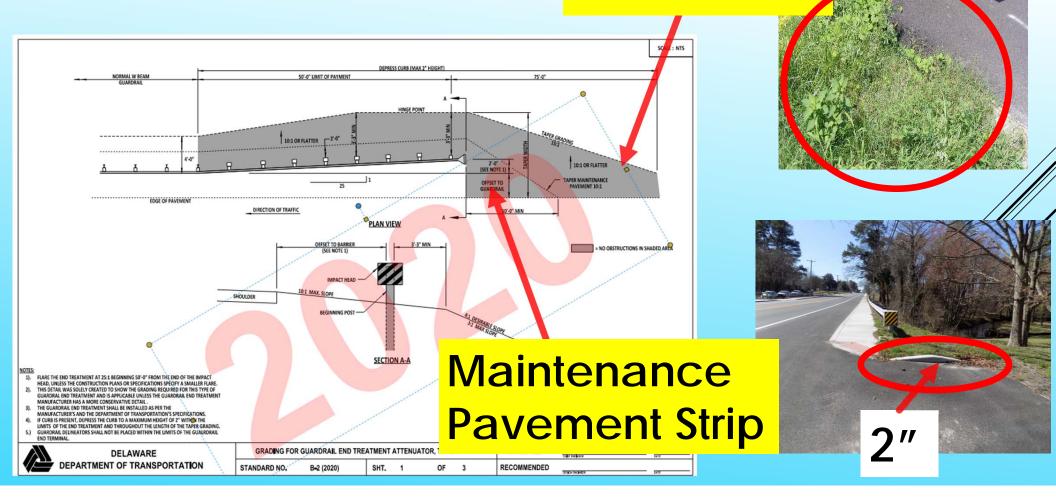


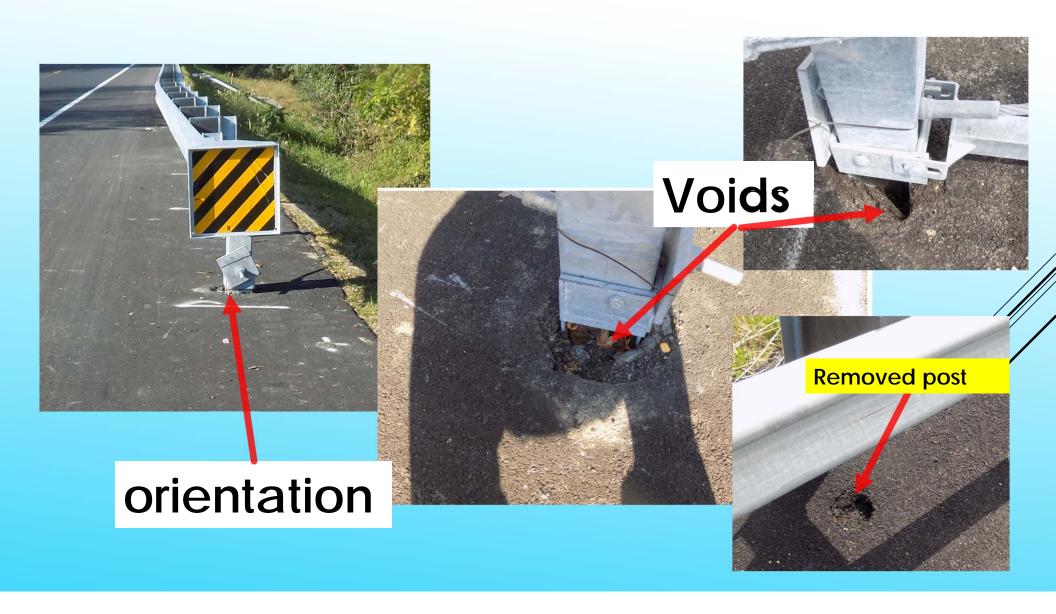


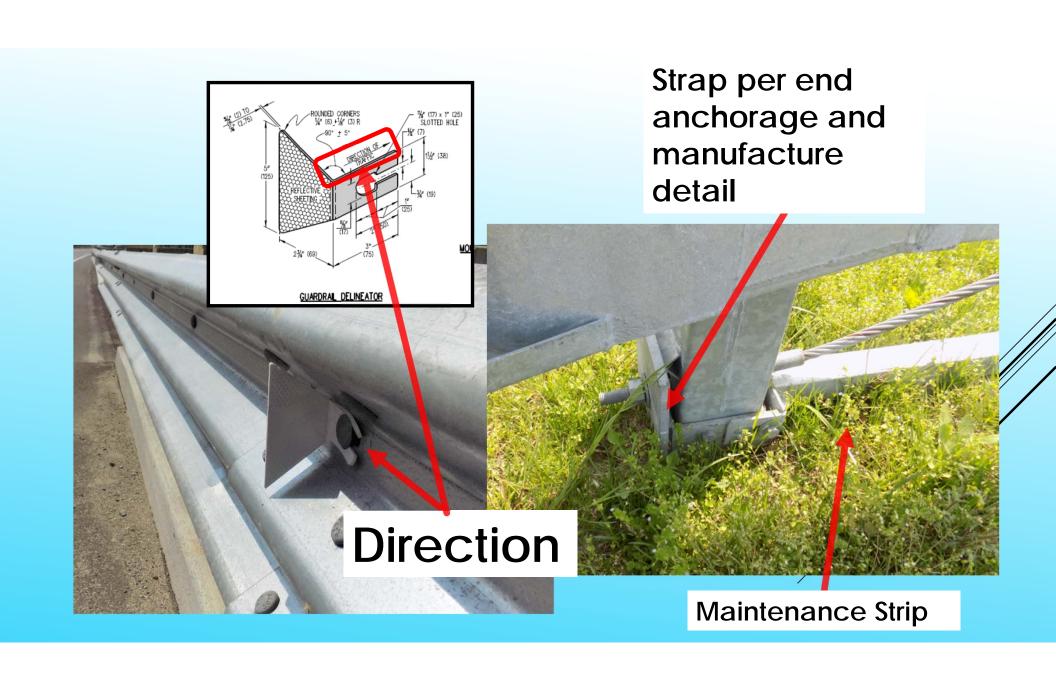
REPAIRS & REPLACEMENT

Guardrail

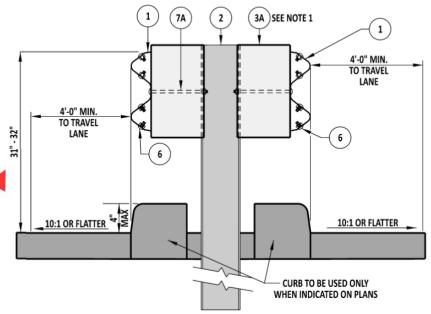
GRADING











GUARDRAIL SECTION
MEDIAN APPLICATION



2020 curved guardrail

2020 Leave out post





Post placement



Thru bolts and plate

PIPES



PIPE CULVERTS SECTION 6

d. Slabbing (large slabs of concrete peeling away from the sides with a straightening of the reinforcement)

- e. Cracks greater than 0.1 inch in width
- f. Crack widths greater than 0.01 inch in width and showing efflorescence or differential movement
- g. Differential joint movement
- h. Improper gasket placement
- i. Joint leakage

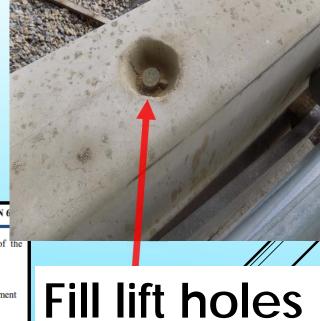
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k. Joint separations greater than manufacturer's recommendation or as follows (whichever is less):

i. 12-36 inch diameter Round 0.75 inch

ii. 42 inch and larger diameter Round 1.25 inch

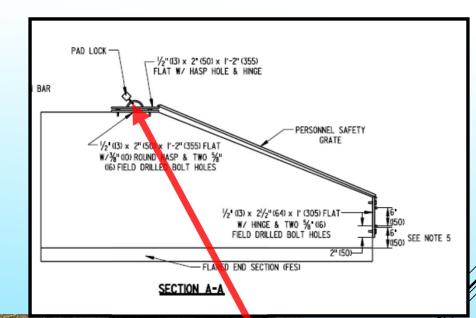
iii. All Elliptical 1.50 inch



JOINTS



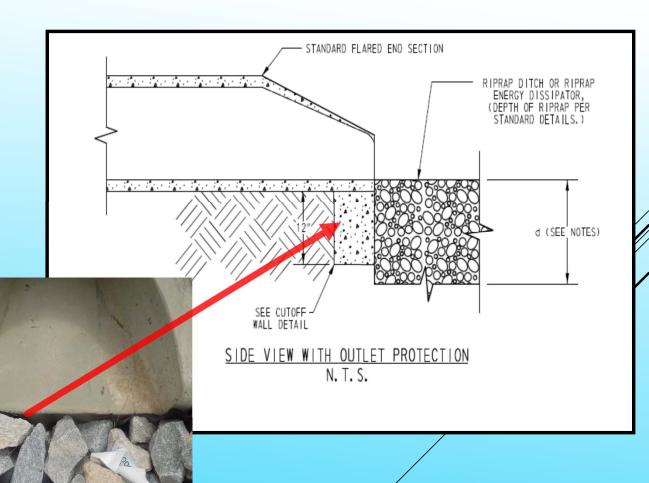
Exposed Rebar





Flare support: Adding to 2020 details

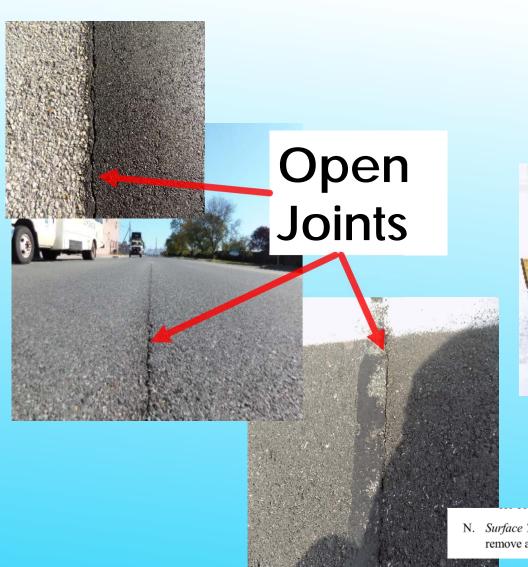




PAVEMENT



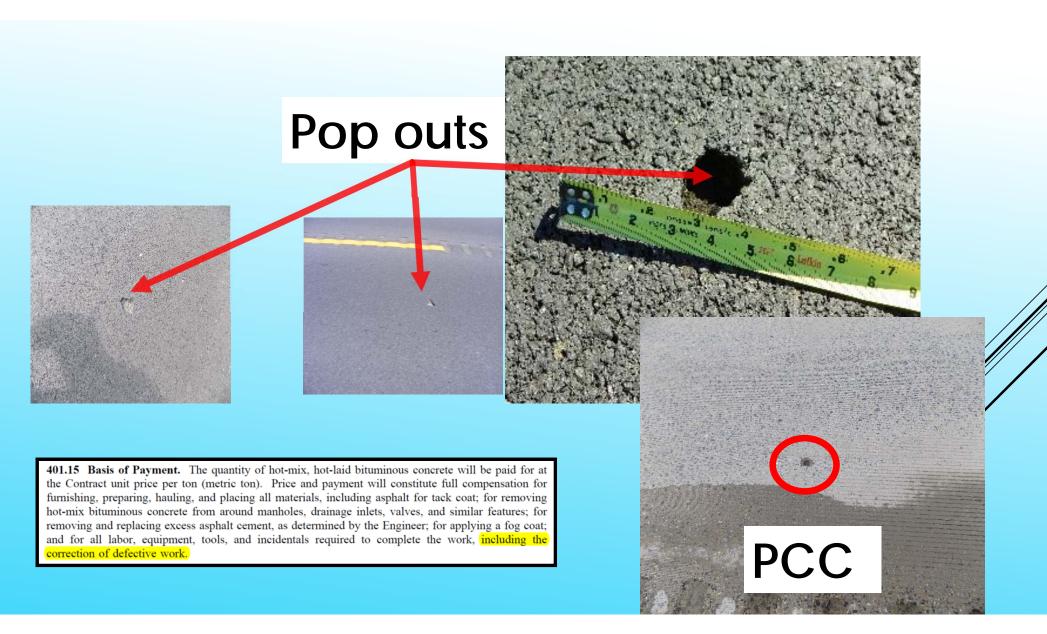
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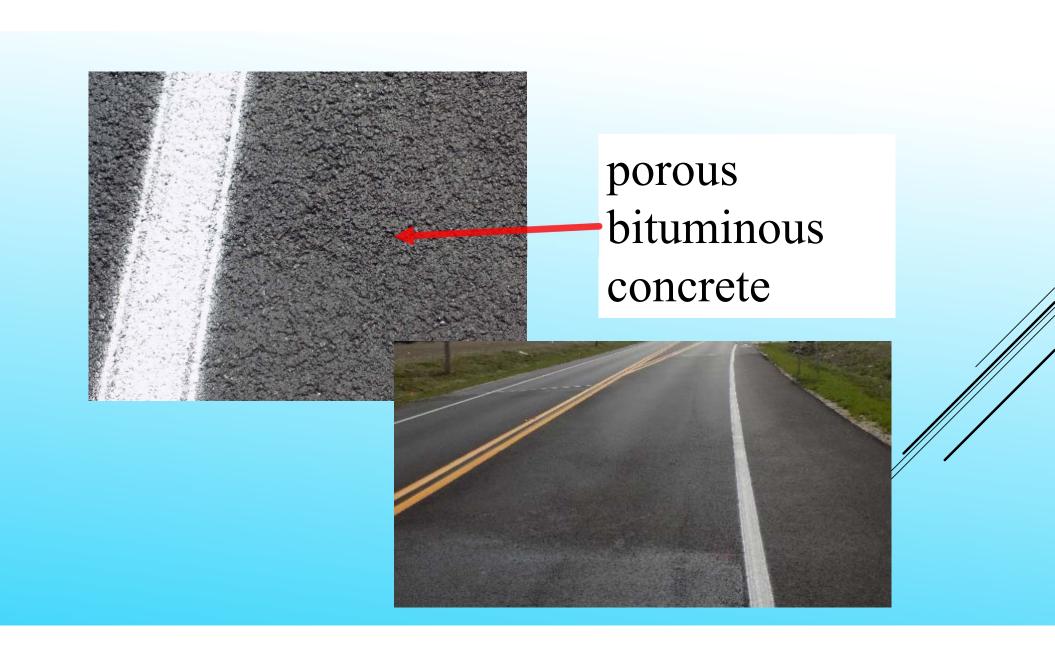


1/4" tolerance



N. Surface Tolerances. Maximum deviation both longitudinal and transverse is 1/4 inch in 10 feet. Correct or remove areas exceeding these tolerances at no expense to the Department.





Paving beyond the width limits



Discuss Paving limits

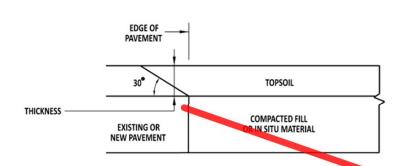




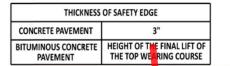
Drop offs at the edge of pavement



Pavement Safety Edge



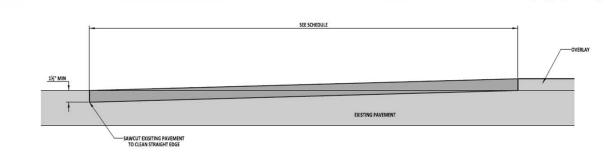
2018





JOINTS





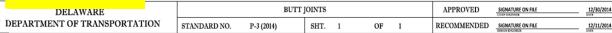
NOTES:

1). ADJUST THE PROFILE OF THE OVERLAY PAVING TO ASSURE A SMOOTH TRANSITION THROUGH THE BUTT JOINT.

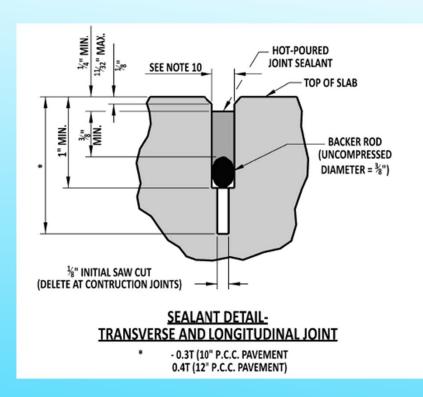
2). CRACK SEAL THE JOINT BETWEEN THE BUTT JOINT AND THE EXISTING PAVEMENT.

CONDITION	SLOPE FEET:INCHES
GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 55 MPH	40:1
LESS THAN 55MPH	30:1
STOP CONTROLLED INTERSECTION	15:1

Seal

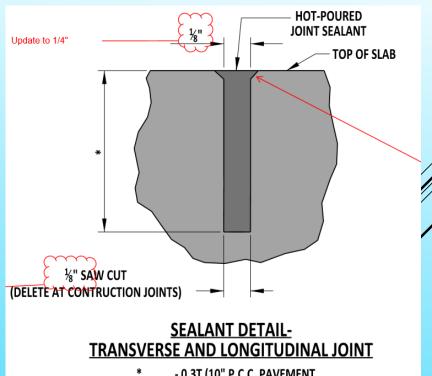


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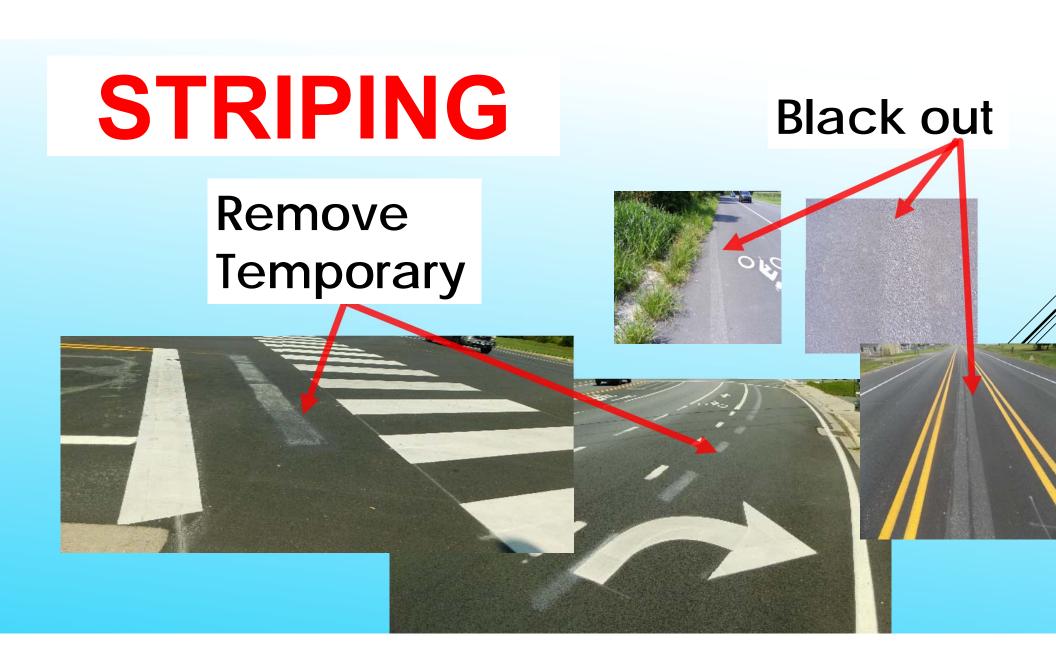
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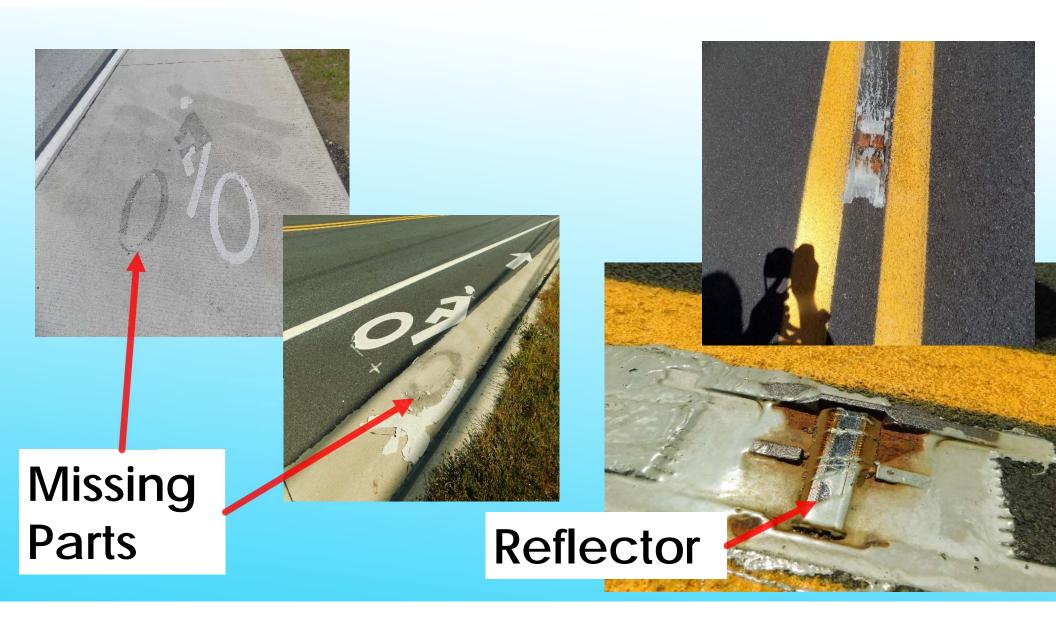
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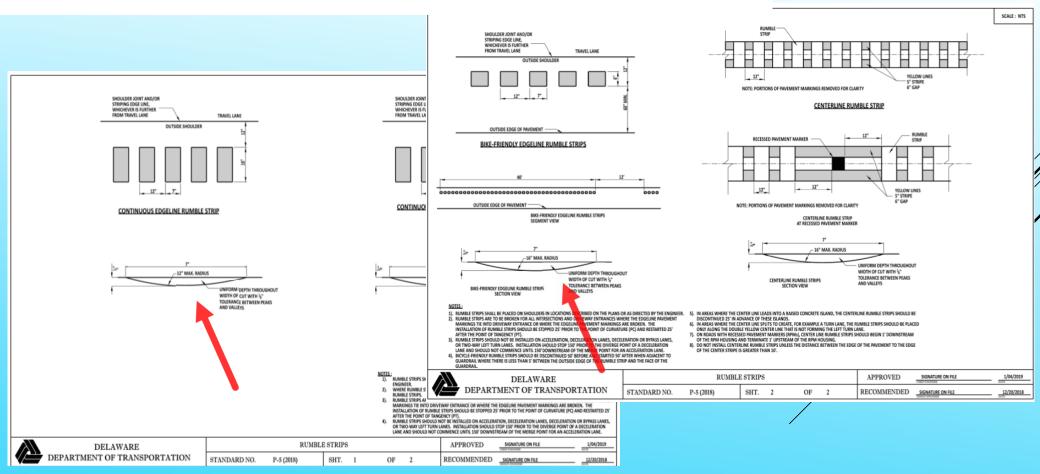
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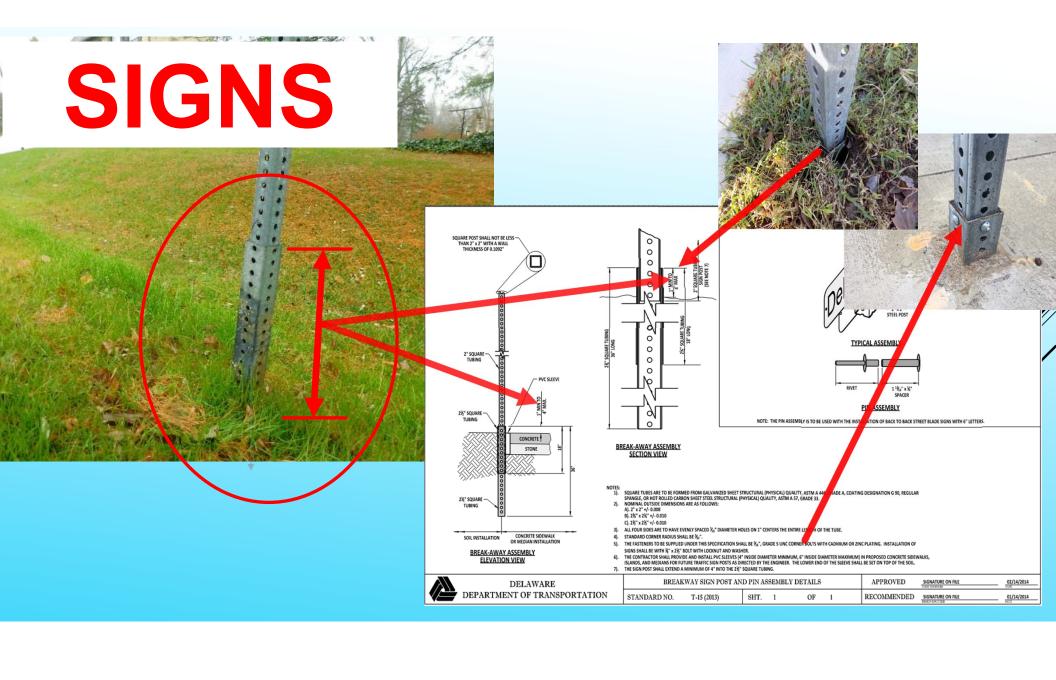






RUMBLE STRIPS







I saw the sign?



- 06 Signs should be located so that they:
 - A. Are outside the clear zone unless placed on a breakaway or yielding support (see Section 2A.19),
 - B. Optimize nighttime visibility,
 - C. Minimize the effects of mud splatter and debris,
 - D. Do not obscure each other,
 - E. Do not obscure the sight distance to approaching vehicles on the major street for drivers who are stopped on minor-street approaches, and
 - F. Are not hidden from view.

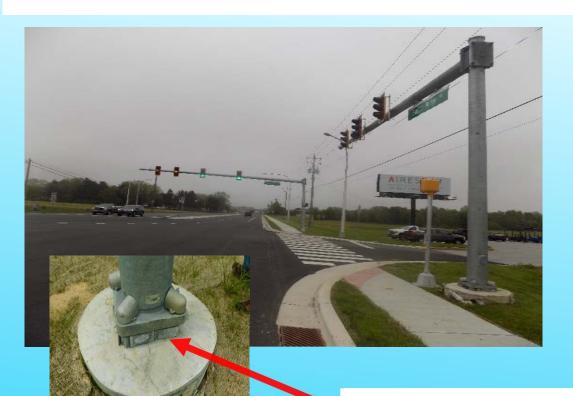
Are all the signs installed and per schedule?





Correct signs with size, placement, color...

SIGNAL POLES



Filling below the base. 2020: Place shroud or skirt



Grading.

LIGHT POLES



Grading

LOOKING AHEAD

- Technology
- Spec and Detail improvements
- Communication

THANK YOU

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