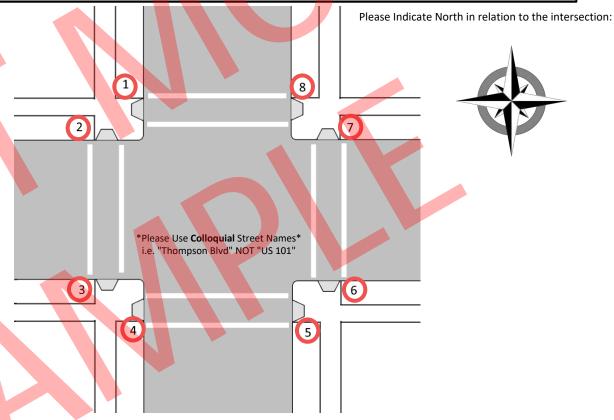


## Accessible Pedestrian Signals: Intersection Planning Sheet

Project City/County:		
Project State:	<del></del>	
Intersection:	@	
# of APS to be Installed:		
Purchase Order#:		

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Station Color:		Actuato	r Color:		
Station Size:		Sign L	egend:		
Sign Film Grade:		Braille o	n Sign:		
Programmed Messages: _		_ \			

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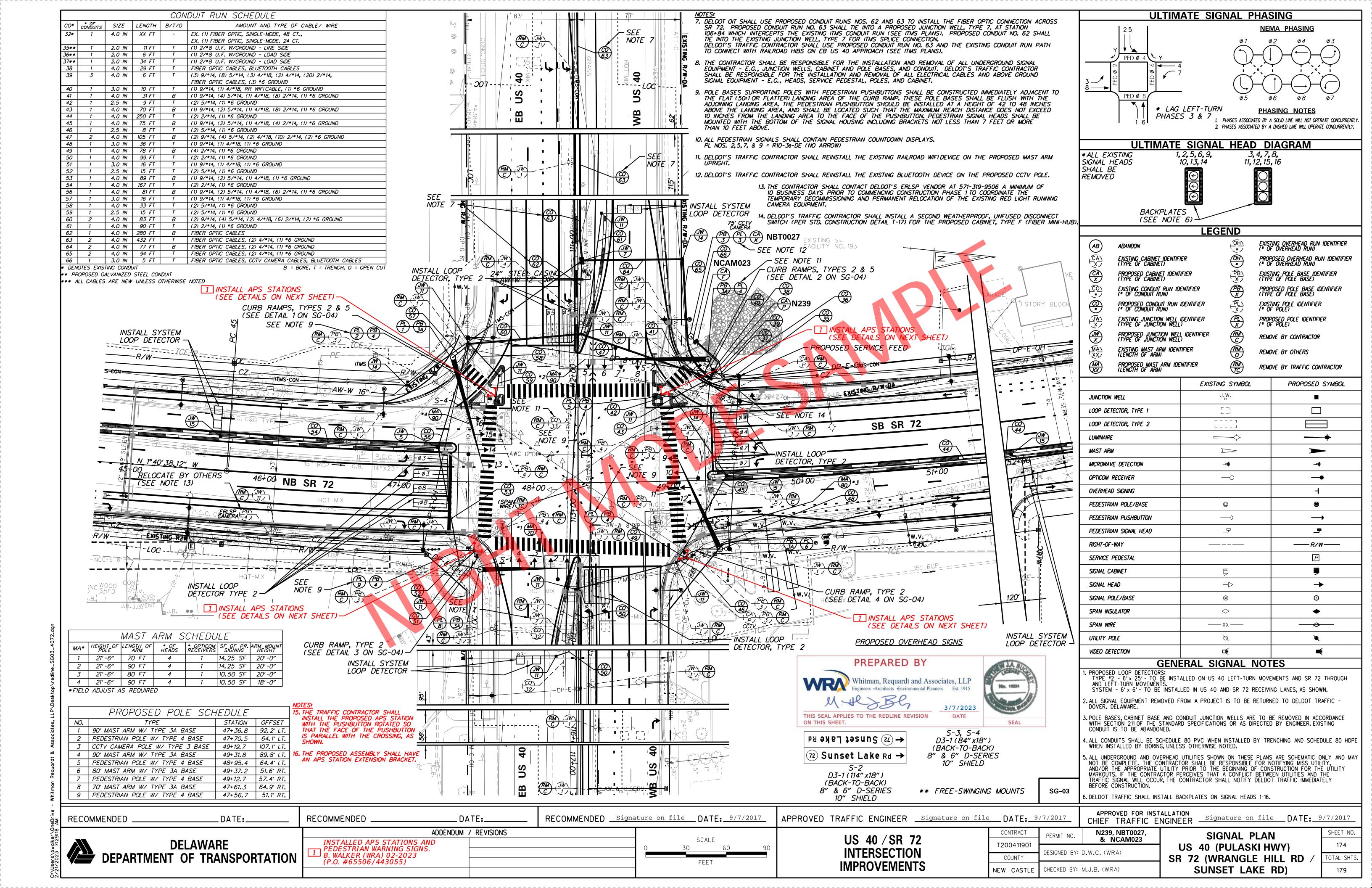


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Please include <u>NIGHT MODE</u> instructions on all future orders via *Signal Construction* and *Signal Maintenance*.



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**ULTIMATE SIGNAL PHASING NEMA PHASING** \* LAG LEFT-TURN
PHASING NOTES

PHASES 3 & 7

1. PHASES ASSOCIATED BY A SOLID LINE WILL NOT OPERATE CONCURRENTLY. **ULTIMATE SIGNAL HEAD DIAGRAM** \* ALL EXISTING SIGNAL HEADS 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 14 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16 SHALL BE REMOVED BACKPLATES (SEE NOTE 6) LEGEND EXISTING OVERHEAD RUN IDENTIFIER (\* OF OVERHEAD RUN) *ABANDON* PROPOSED OVERHEAD RUN IDENTIFIER (\* OF OVERHEAD RUN) EXISTING CABINET IDENTIFIER (TYPE OF CABINET) EXISTING POLE BASE IDENTIFIER (TYPE OF POLE BASE) PROPOSED CABINET IDENTIFIER (TYPE OF CABINET) EXISTING CONDUIT RUN IDENTIFIER (\* OF CONDUIT RUN) PROPOSED POLE BASE IDENTIFIER (TYPE OF POLE BASE) PROPOSED CONDUIT RUN IDENTIFIER (\* OF CONDUIT RUN) EXISTING JUNCTION WELL IDENTIFIER (TYPE OF JUNCTION WELL) PROPOSED POLE IDENTIFIER (\* OF POLE) PROPOSED JUNCTION WELL IDENTIFIER (TYPE OF JUNCTION WELL) REMOVE BY CONTRACTOR REMOVE BY OTHERS REMOVE BY TRAFFIC CONTRACTOR EXISTING SYMBOL PROPOSED SYMBOL J.W. JUNCTION WELL LOOP DETECTOR, TYPE 1 LOOP DETECTOR, TYPE 2 LUMINAIRE  $\longrightarrow$  $\sum$ MAST ARM MICROWAVE DETECTION OPTICOM RECEIVER  $-\!\!\!-\!\!\!\!-$ **—** OVERHEAD SIGNING PEDESTRIAN POLE/BASE

PEDESTRIAN PUSHBUTTON  $\longrightarrow$ **—** PEDESTRIAN SIGNAL HEAD RIGHT-OF-WAY -----R/W-----\_\_\_\_ P SERVICE PEDESTAL SIGNAL CABINET  $\rightarrow$ SIGNAL HEAD 0 SIGNAL POLE/BASE SPAN INSULATOR  $\Diamond$ 

**GENERAL SIGNAL NOTES** 

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1. PROPOSED LOOP DETECTORS:

TYPE \*2 - 6' x 25' - TO BE INSTALLED ON US 40 LEFT-TURN MOVEMENTS AND SR 72 THROUGH AND LEFT-TURN MOVEMENTS.

SYSTEM - 6' x 6' - TO BE INSTALLED IN US 40 AND SR 72 RECEIVING LANES, AS SHOWN.

2. ALL SIGNAL EQUIPMENT REMOVED FROM A PROJECT IS TO BE RETURNED TO DELDOT TRAFFIC - DOVER, DELAWARE.

3. POLE BASES, CABINET BASE AND CONDUIT JUNCTION WELLS ARE TO BE REMOVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 211 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS OR AS DIRECTED BY ENGINEER, EXISTING

WITH SECTION ZITUR THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS OR AS DIRECTED BY ENGINEER. EXISTING CONDUIT IS TO BE ABANDONED.

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4. ALL CONDUITS SHALL BE SCHEDULE 80 PVC WHEN INSTALLED BY TRENCHING AND SCHEDULE 80 HDPE WHEN INSTALLED BY BORING, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

5. ALL UNDERGROUND AND OVERHEAD UTILITIES SHOWN ON THESE PLANS ARE SCHEMATIC ONLY AND MAY NOT BE COMPLETE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTIFYING MISS UTILITY, AND/OR THE APPROPRIATE UTILITY PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF CONSTRUCTION FOR THE UTILITY MARKOUTS. IF THE CONTRACTOR PERCEIVES THAT A CONFLICT BETWEEN UTILITIES AND THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL WILL OCCUR, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY DELDOT TRAFFIC IMMEDIATELY BEFORE CONSTRUCTION.

6. DELDOT TRAFFIC SHALL INSTALL BACKPLATES ON SIGNAL HEADS 1-16.

SPAN WIRE

UTILITY POLE

VIDEO DETECTION

APPROVED FOR INSTALLATION CHIEF TRAFFIC ENGINEER Signature on file DATE: 9/7/2017 ADDENDUM / REVISIONS CONTRACT N239, NBT0027, PERMIT NO. SIGNAL PLAN US 40 / SR 72 & NCAM023 **DELAWARE** INSTALLED APS STATIONS AND 175 T200411901 US 40 (PULASKI HWY) 1 PEDESTRIAN WARNING SIGNS. B. WALKER (WRA) 02-2023 (P.O. #65506/443055) **INTERSECTION** DESIGNED BY: D.W.C. (WRA) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SR 72 (WRANGLE HILL RD / OTAL SHTS. COUNTY **IMPROVEMENTS** SUNSET LAKE RD) CHECKED BY: M.J.B. (WRA) NEW CASTLE 179



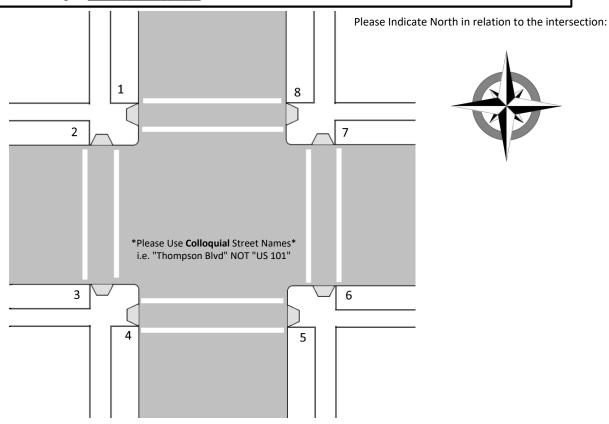
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**Customer Notes:** 



## Accessible Pedestrian Signals: Intersection Planning Sheet

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Project	t City/County:			Guardian Wave	Guardian	Guardian Mini	Beacon	BBU	WiAAPS
Project	t State:		_				- 1		
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## PedSafety Accessible Pedestrian Signals: Intersection Planning Sheet

Intersection with Medians- 16 max APS

Project City/County:	Guardian Wave	Guardian	Guardian Mini	Beacon	BBU	WiAAPS
Project State: Intersection: @	Station Color:			r Color:		
# of APS to be Installed:  Purchase Order#:	Station Size: Sign Film Grade: Programmed Messages		Sign Le Braille o			
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**Customer Notes:** 

Station #	Arrow Direction	Ped	Walk Cyc	cle Msg:
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Please Indicate North in Relation to the Intersection:



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# DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION INTERIM GUIDELINES FOR THE INSTALLATION OF ACCESSIBLE PEDESTRIAN SIGNALS DECEMBER 11, 2007

#### I. INTRODUCTION

#### A. Background

The Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21) directs that pedestrian safety considerations, including the installation of accessible traffic signals, where appropriate, be included in new transportation plans and projects [Sec. 1202(g)(2)]. The bill was signed into law by the President on June 9, 1998.

The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requires access to the public right-of-way for people with disabilities. Access to traffic and signal information is an important feature of accessible sidewalks and street crossings for pedestrians who have vision impairments. While most intersections pose little difficulty for independent travelers who are blind or have low vision, there are some situations in which the information provided by an accessible pedestrian signal is necessary for independent and safe crossing.

An Accessible Pedestrian Signal (APS) is a device that is used in conjunction with pedestrian signals that communicates pedestrian signal information in nonvisual formats such as audible tones, verbal messages, and/or vibrating surfaces. APS let pedestrians who are blind or visually impaired know when the WALK interval begins and terminates. Pedestrians who know when the crossing interval begins will be able to start a crossing before turning cars enter the intersection and can complete a crossing with less delay. Audible signals can also provide directional guidance, which is particularly useful at non-perpendicular intersections and at wide multi-lane crossings.

#### B. Purpose and Scope

These interim guidelines provide the Delaware Department of Transportation (DelDOT) with a process to evaluate and prioritize APS installations when they are requested. These interim guidelines describe a process in which an intersection must first meet basic conditions in order to be considered for APS. If APS should be considered, an intersection must be evaluated to determine the need relative to other locations where APS has been requested. The scores received in the evaluation determine this relative need and can be used to develop a prioritized list of intersections to be funded. The goal is that all requests for APS installation receive a fair and equal assessment and that funds are expended in the most effective manner.

It should be noted that these guidelines apply only at locations where APS is requested. This approach is being taken due to potential changes resulting from comments on the Revised Draft Guidelines for Accessible Public Rights-of-Way (PROWAG). Additional guidelines concerning the installation of APS at new intersections or intersections that are undergoing improvements will be developed following finalization of PROWAG by the federal government.



#### II. GUIDELINES

The following is the procedure for determining whether APS installations should be considered at intersections. Three basic conditions should be met (as determined by DelDOT Traffic) for APS to be considered:

- 1) APS must be requested
- 2) Intersections must be signalized
- 3) Retrofitting the signal to include APS must be feasible<sup>1</sup>

For APS to be considered "requested," the "Request for the Installation of Accessible Pedestrian Signals Form" (see Appendix A) must be completed and submitted to DelDOT. This form is available on DelDOT's website and in hard copy from DelDOT's Public Relations office. A blind or visually impaired person also has the option of calling DelDOT Public Relations office at 1-800-652-5600 to give the information verbally so that it can be transcribed onto the form for DelDOT's records. The requestor should be a blind or visually impaired individual or a person or agency filing on his or her behalf.

If these three conditions are met, there are three cases that may be encountered, as discussed below. These cases apply to the specific crossing that is being requested. If it is determined that APS should be installed at the specific crossing that is being requested, APS should be installed at all signalized pedestrian crossings at the intersection to the maximum extent feasible.<sup>1</sup>

Case 1 – The crossing for which APS is being requested is equipped with pedestrian signals and there are no current improvements proposed to the pedestrian signal, perform an evaluation using the "Accessible Pedestrian Signal Evaluation Form" (see Appendix B). The evaluation form will determine the priority of the APS installation relative to other intersections for which APS has been requested. The scores received in the evaluation will be used to develop a prioritized list of intersections to be funded.

**Case 2 –** If there are plans for the installation of new pedestrian signals or plans for improvements to existing pedestrian signals on the crossing for which APS is being requested, revise the plans to include APS to the maximum extent feasible<sup>1</sup>. In this case, the intersection need not be evaluated.

Case 3 – If there is no pedestrian signal and no plans for them, conduct a traffic engineering study to determine if pedestrian signals are warranted. If warranted, include the appropriate

<sup>1</sup> From the Draft Public Rights-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines, "the phrase 'to the maximum extent feasible' applies to the occasional case where the nature of an existing facility makes it virtually impossible to comply fully with applicable accessibility standards through a planned alteration. In these circumstances, the alteration shall provide the maximum physical accessibility feasible. Any altered features of the facility that can be made accessible shall be made accessible."

"Existing conditions (e.g., underlying terrain, right-of-way availability, underground structures, adjacent developed facilities, drainage, the presence of a notable natural or historic feature) may limit choices in an alterations project. In determining the maximum feasible accessibility that can be achieved for pedestrians with disabilities within a given alterations project, covered entities may consider constructability limits commensurate with those of the project as a whole."



APS when the pedestrian signals are installed to the maximum extent feasible<sup>1</sup>. In this case, the intersection need not be evaluated using the "Accessible Pedestrian Signal Evaluation Form" (see Appendix B). If a pedestrian signal is not warranted, do not install APS.

#### III. INTERSECTION EVALUATION

#### A. Overview of Procedure

If the three basic requirements are met and there are no current improvements proposed by DelDOT to the existing pedestrian signal (Case 1), an evaluation shall be performed during a site visit to derive a score for each crossing where APS is being requested. The evaluation team should include the requesting blind or visually impaired person or their representative, DelDOT's ADA Coordinator, and a representative from DelDOT Traffic. If necessary at complex intersections, a certified orientation and mobility specialist may be included on the evaluation team.

The evaluation should be performed during the time of day when the requesting blind or visually impaired person typically crosses the intersection and/or when crossing the intersection would be most difficult. During the intersection visit, the evaluation team should thoroughly discuss all possible solutions to address the crossing needs of the requesting blind or visually impaired person. These discussions should include, but not be limited to, minor intersection improvements, installation of new crosswalks, installation of pedestrian signals with APS on crossings for which APS are not being requested, consideration of the needs of other potential blind or visually impaired individuals, and consideration of the intersection's characteristics after improvements are made. In addition, if APS are to be installed at nearby signalized intersections, it is important that signals from one intersection cannot be heard at other intersections.

At any point deemed appropriate by DelDOT or the requestor, an intersection may be reevaluated to account for changes that would influence the evaluation score and hence the ranking on the prioritized list. Similarly, if more than a year elapses between the intersection's evaluation and the design or installation of the APS system, DelDOT Traffic should ensure that there is a continued need for the APS. For example, the requesting blind or visually impaired person may have relocated since submitting the request.

#### **B.** Evaluation Factors and Rating Methodology

The following factors and rating methodology and the "Accessible Pedestrian Signal Evaluation Form" (see Appendix B) should be used to evaluate intersections for which APS installation has been requested (Case 1 only). The evaluation should be performed for the specific crossing(s) where APS is being requested. Some factors are more important than others, and the evaluation process allows the evaluation team to distinguish and account for this distinction through the use of the point system. The highest total points per requested crossing (north, south, east or west) will be used as the overall intersection score.

The evaluation will determine the specific needs of the requesting blind or visually impaired person and allow DelDOT to prioritize installations because funding is limited.



Following is a summary of the factors used in the evaluation process:

- 1. Configuration of Intersection: The number of approaches to an intersection and the geometric design (offset, skewed, etc.) can affect the ability of the blind or visually impaired pedestrian to cross the roadway safely. The blind or visually impaired pedestrian listens for the traffic going straight through the intersection that is close and parallel with the crosswalk being traversed to guide his or her passage across the roadway. Accordingly, when an intersection's configuration is skewed, offset, or does not have straight through movements (as is the case in a three-legged intersection), a crossing can become more difficult for the blind or visually impaired pedestrian.
- 2. Width of Crossing: Wider streets are more difficult for the blind/visually impaired pedestrian to safely cross. Points are assigned on the basis of the width of the crossing. Crossing width is measured from the curb at the embarkation point to the curb at the destination point including perpendicular ramp areas. Islands and medians should be included in the total crossing distance even if they are equipped with separate pedestrian pushbuttons. Efforts should be made to permit blind/visually impaired pedestrians to cross in one continuous movement. Divided streets with or without a pedestrian pushbutton in the median should be handled as a single crossing, with the width measured across the entire street.
- **3. Pedestrian Crashes:** Past pedestrian crash experience at the intersection can be used as an indicator of potential safety. Accordingly, the higher the occurrence of crashes, the higher number of points given.
- **4. Posted Speed Limit or 85<sup>th</sup> Percentile Speed on Street to Be Crossed:** The speed of approaching traffic reflects the capability of approaching drivers to stop for pedestrians clearing the intersection as the traffic signals and pedestrian signals change. Points are assigned on the basis of the posted speed limit or 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speed on the street to be crossed. To determine 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speeds, free flow speeds should be measured on the roadway approach to the pedestrian crossing. More points are assigned for higher speeds.
- **5. Traffic Volumes/Queues:** The volume of traffic and queues on the street parallel to the crossing may help or hinder the capability of a blind/visually impaired pedestrian to cross the street. Optimal crossing conditions occur at locations with a moderate but steady flow of traffic through the intersection with a minimum of turning movements. Traffic volumes and queues that are light or erratic make it difficult for the pedestrian to pick up audible clues as to whether the light is red or green. Accordingly, more points are assigned for shorter queues on the roadway parallel to the crossing. Traffic volumes and queues should be collected during the time of day when the requesting blind or visually impaired person typically crosses the intersection and/or when crossing the intersection would be most difficult. Off-peak periods on weekdays from 9 AM to 3 PM and on weekends from 7 AM to 6 PM should be considered when assessing queues and traffic volumes. In resort areas or other special areas, off-peak season traffic volumes should be considered.
- **6. Right-Turn Operations:** Heavy right-turn volumes from the street parallel to the pedestrian crossing may hinder the capability of a blind/visually impaired pedestrian to cross the street. Accordingly, points are assigned for higher right-turn volumes.
- 7. Free Right-Turn Operations: Free flow right-turn lanes (i.e. right-turns that are channelized and do not operate under signal control) hinder the capability of a blind or visually impaired



pedestrian to cross the street. Special care must be taken when installing APS to mitigate the problems associated with this condition. Accordingly, points are assigned if this condition impacts the crossing.

- **8. Special Signal Conditions:** Certain signals operations including the presence of a lead pedestrian phase, an exclusive pedestrian phase, a mid-block exclusive pedestrian signal, or split phasing may hinder the capability of a blind or visually impaired pedestrian to cross the street. Accordingly, points are assigned if any of these conditions impact the crossing.
- **9. Proximity of Intersection to Key Facilities:** APS should be considered at intersections that are close to facilities that attract or generate significant amounts of pedestrian traffic. APS would improve the safety and mobility of the blind or visually impaired pedestrian and make these facilities more accessible. Examples are medical, educational, social, recreational, commercial, shopping, public, governmental facilities, and transit stops. Pedestrian demand is based in part on how close the intersection is to these facilities; i.e., the closer a facility, the more the demand. Likewise, points are assigned based on the closeness of these facilities to the intersection; i.e., the closer a facility, the more the points. In the case of multiple facilities, points should be assigned using the closest facility to the proposed APS site.
- **10.** Other Special Traffic and Mobility Conditions: This factor is intended to provide the evaluation team an opportunity to add 15 points based on special conditions not adequately covered by previous factors or based on special needs of the requesting party (e.g. disabled pedestrian generators in close proximity to the crossing).

#### IV. FUNDING PROCESS

At intersections where APS is installed under Cases 2 and 3, funding for APS will be included in the cost of the pedestrian signal project or capital project.

Intersections where APS is requested and approved and there are no current improvements proposed (Case 1) are generally funded on a "first come, first served" basis as funds are available. If funds are not available, the approved intersections are put on hold or carried over to the next funding cycle (typically a fiscal year). The new funds are distributed first to the carried over intersections based on the priority established by the Overall Intersection Score. If funds still remain after being distributed to the prioritized list, further requests for APS retrofit installations are once again funded, designed, and scheduled for implementation on a first come, first served basis until the funds are depleted. This basic process is repeated year after year.

It should also be noted that some traffic signals cannot be retrofitted with APS without major intersection modifications. If APS cannot be implemented by DelDOT Traffic's on-call contractors due to right-of-way impacts, utility relocations, drainage improvements, or extensive geometric modifications required to install APS, the project may be forwarded to the Project Development Pipeline.



### Appendix A

#### REQUEST FOR THE INSTALLATION OF ACCESSIBLE PEDESTRIAN SIGNALS FORM

Requesti	ng Party's Nai	ne:			
(Blind or	visually impai	red pedestrian)			
Address:					City:
State:	Zip C	ode:			
Telephon	ie (Home):		т	elephone (Wor	rk):
cross the	NORTH	SOUTH	EAST	WEST	Accessible Pedestrian Signals (APS) to (check all that apply) side of(Route Number/Street Name)(Route Number/Street Name) in
. 10400 4		ficulty you have	in ordeding.		
	lease call De orm and/or m		760-2048 wit	h questions, o	or to seek assistance in filling
			ATTN: Tom P.O. Dover	Box 778 , DE 19903	dinator t@delaware.gov
For C	Office Use Or	<u>nly</u>			
Date Rec	eived:		Received by	<b>/</b> :	



### Appendix B

#### ACCESSIBLE PEDESTRIAN SIGNAL EVALUATION FORM

Location:								
Date:		Day:		-	Time of D	Day:		
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Evaluation Team Men	nbers:							
Specific Needs of Red	questing Party	<i>'</i> :						
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3 or 4-leg skewed inte	ersection		6					
4-leg offset intersection			8					
Other complex or mul		ections	10		1	T =		1
2. Width of Crossing	9				North	South	East	West
Width (feet)	<u>Points</u>	Comr	ments:		<u>.</u>	I.		I.
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53 to 68	6							
69 to 78	8							
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3	6							
4	8							
5 or more	10							



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Speed (mph)	Points	Comments:				
0 to 25	1					
26 to 30	2					
31 to 35	3					
36 to 40	4					
41 or more	5					
5. Traffic Volumes/	Queues		North	South	East	West
Queues on Parallel S	Street	Points Comments:				
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		ion and/or when crossing the interse				
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1 vehicle queue per		6				
	•	8				
Average < 1 vehicle						
0 vehicles per any 5	minute period	10				
6. Right Turn Oper	ations		North	South	East	West
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41 to 60	4					
61 to 80	6					
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81 to 100						
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9. Proximity of Intersection to Key Facilities	North	South	East	West		
Proximity to Facility         Points         Comments:           1201 ft to 2400 ft         2           801 ft to 1200 ft         4           401 ft to 800 ft         6           Less than 400 ft         8           At the Facility         10						
10. Other Special Traffic and Mobility Conditions	North	South	East	West		
If special traffic and mobility conditions do exist, assign up to 15 points.						
Comments:						
TOTAL POINTS	North	South	East	West		
OVERALL INTERSECTION SCORE (Highest Total Points By Approach)						
Additional Comments by Evaluation Team:						