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ENGINEERING INSTRUCTION



Title: 619 STANDARD SHEET REVISION - WORK ZONE TRAFFIC CONTROL

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION:

- This Engineering Instruction (EI) is effective with projects submitted for lettings on or after May 1, 2022.
- This EI does not supersede any previous issuances.
- The revisions issued with this EI will be incorporated into the Standard Sheets that will be effective on May 1, 2022.

PURPOSE: To announce the availability of the revised 619 *Work Zone Traffic Control* Standard Sheets.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION: This revision to 619 Standard Sheets for Work Zone Traffic Control includes the following:

- All previous WZTC Manual "Typical Applications" have been converted to 619 Standard Sheets
- All 11 x 17 sheets are presented with the color plan view (Not To Scale) on the left side of the page, and all required tables, notes and legends on the right side.
- Standard Sheets utilize a consistent naming convention sequence of (a) Roadway Type, (b) Closure Type, and (c) Work Duration.
- All existing standard sheets were incorporated with the existing work zone traffic control typicals to eliminate duplication and inconsistent guidance.
- All standard sheets updated to new Standard Sheet format.
- The 83 updated standard sheets are numbered in the following categories:
- General Information (6 sheets, in the 619-001 to 619-020 range)
- Special Applications (14 sheets, in the 619-021 to 619-109 range)
- Mobile Operations (5 sheets, in the 619-110 to 619-200 range)
- Short Duration Operations (10 sheets, in the 619-201 to 619-300 range)
- Short Term Operations (24 sheets, in the 619-301 to 619-400 range)
- Intermediate Operations (14 sheets, in the 619-401 to 619-500 range)
- Long Term Operations (10 sheets, in the 619-501 to 619-600 range)

TRANSMITTED MATERIALS: The revisions to the 619 Work Zone Traffic Control Standard Sheets are available on the Department's website at https://www.dot.ny.gov/main/business-center/engineering/cadd-info/drawings/standard-sheets-us/619.

BACKGROUND: This revision was initiated to ensure that all NYSDOT work zone traffic control guidance is consistent and uniformly applied, whether the road work is being conducted by a Contractor under a capital construction project, by a utility company or Contractor working under a highway work permit, or by our own highway maintenance workers. All temporary traffic control should be following the same guidance, for the safety of the traveling public.

CONTACT: Questions related to 619 Standard Sheets should be directed to Geoff Wood, P.E., Highway Safety and Traffic Operations Bureau, Office of Traffic Safety and Mobility via email at <u>Geoffrey.Wood@dot.ny.gov</u>, or by phone at (518)457-8900.