

Standards Update (SNs, Std Plans Lists, SSPs)

October 19, 2026

Use with 2026 Standard Plans:

SSP No.	Effective Date	Description	Update
Special Notices			
SN-017	A10-19-26		SN-017. Revised instructions to use for a project with treated wood waste.
SN-305	C10-19-26		SN-305. This SN is canceled.
SN-410	A10-19-26		SN-410. Revised FY from 2026-2027 to 2027-2028.
Standard Plans			
StdPlan	A10-19-26	Standard Plans List	Revised the Standard Plans List and Canceled Standard Plans List to coincide with the 2026 Standard Plans.
Canceled_StdPlan	A10-19-26	Canceled Standard Plans List	Revised the Standard Plans List and Canceled Standard Plans List to coincide with the 2026 Standard Plans.
SSPs			
5-1.20E	A10-19-26		Section 5-1.20E. Revised instructions for multiple paragraphs to clarify required water-meter work and responsibilities, and updated the Water Meter Charges table and the list in 4th and 5th paragraphs, respectively.
5-1.20F	A10-19-26		Section 5-1.20F. Revised SSP instructions to include bid item 995200 IRRIGATION WATER SERVICE CHARGES and to include link to design guidance, revised paragraph instructions, and updated the table in the 3rd paragraph.
5-1.20G	A10-19-26		Section 5-1.20G. Revised SSP instructions to include link to the design guidance and revised instructions for paragraphs 3 through 7. Updated the table in the 4th paragraph.
5-1.24	A10-19-26	CONSTRUCTION SURVEYS	Section 5-1.24. Minor revisions to the instructions, including an additional update, to clarify that the SSP must be included when SSP 5-1.25 is used.
5-1.26	A10-19-26		Section 5-1.26. Minor revisions to the instructions, including an additional update, to clarify that the SSP must be included when SSP 5-1.25 is used.
6-1.03	C10-19-26		Section 6-1.03. This SSP is canceled. This SSP has been incorporated into the Standard Specifications.
6-1.08	C10-19-26		Section 6-1.08. This SSP is canceled. This SSP has been incorporated into the Standard Specifications.
7-1.02K(6)(j)(iii)	A10-19-26	Unregulated Earth Material Containing Lead	Section 7-1.02K(6)(j)(iii). Revised requirements to comply with the Department of Toxic Substances Control to use new analytical field screening methods.
8-1.03	A10-19-26		Section 8-1.03. Revised and incorporated portions of the SSP to the Standard Specifications.

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8-1.04C	A10-19-26		Section 8-1.04C. Revised paragraph instructions for listing Contractor supplied biologist under differing SSP use and species conditions, and for job start activities when a natural resource protection plan or biological resource information program are a listed bid item.
8-1.04G	A10-19-26		Section 8-1.04G. Revised FY from 2025-2026 to 2026-2027 and from 2026-2027 to 2027-2028.
12-4.02A(2)	A10-19-26		Section 12-4.02A(2). Revised Designated Holidays table changing Washington's Birthday to Presidents' Day and changed Columbus Day to Indigenous Peoples' Day in paragraph 2 instructions.
12-4.02A(3)(c)	A10-19-26		Section 12-4.02A(3)(c). Revised the instructions to add activity <i>Temporary signal system</i> to the list.
12-4.02A(3)(e)	A10-19-26		Section 12-4.02A(3)(e). New SSP for an emergency responder access plan.
13-1	A10-19-26		Section 13-1. Revised QSP's years of experience requirements and minor revisions to SSP instructions.
13-3	A10-19-26		Section 13-3. Revised SSP to change QSD's years of experience requirements and for sequencing and clarity.
14-2.03C	A10-19-26		Section 14-2.03C. Revised SSP to eliminate cultural sensitivity training requirement.
14-6.03D(3)	A10-19-26		Section 14-6.03D(3). Revised SSP to align with newly created Standard Specifications section 14-6.03D(3) and to provide instructions for Districts to modify the biological resource information program with PLACs or special species protection measures and protocols.
14-11.08	A10-19-26	REGULATED MATERIAL CONTAINING AERIALY DEPOSITED LEAD	Section 14-11.08. Revised requirements to comply with the Department of Toxic Substances Control to use new analytical field screening methods.
14-11.09	A10-19-26	MINIMALLY DISTURBANCE OF REGULATED MATERIAL CONTAINING AERIALY DEPOSITED LEAD	Section 14-11.09. Revised requirements to comply with the Department of Toxic Substances Control to use new analytical field screening methods.
19-15	A10-19-26		Section 19-15. Minor revision to remove webpage hyperlink in the SSP instructions.
19-16	A10-19-26	TRENCHLESS CONSTRUCTION	Section 19-16. New SSP to specify requirements for trenchless installation of culvert, pipeline, or conduit.
19-17	A10-19-26	GROUNDLESS MOVEMENT AND VIBRATION MONITORING	Section 19-17. New SSP to specify requirements for monitoring ground movement and vibration during geotechnical related construction.

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20-2.01C(2)	A10-19-26		Section 20-2.01C(2). Revised paragraphs 2-4 instructions for clarity and to eliminate a potential conflict when reusing removed turf or a seeded trench area when turf is removed.
20-5.05A	A10-19-26		Section 20-5.05A. New SSP for Site Furnishings.
20-5.05B	A10-19-26		Section 20-5.05B. New SSP for Bicycle Racks.
20-10.03	A10-19-26		Section 20-10.03. Revised content to clarify project specific work requirements and transferred deficiency list submittal requirements to Standard Specifications.
21-3	A10-19-26		Section 21-3. Minor revision to remove instructions webpage hyperlink.
39-2.02	A10-19-26		Section 39-2.02. Revised requirements for binder for Type A HMA and other minor revisions.
49-2.01A(1)	A10-19-26		Section 49-2.01A(1). Revised instructions to consult the designer instead of the corrosion branch, to determine the corrosion rate.
49-3.02C(7)	A10-19-26		Section 49-3.02C(7). Revised to remove the specifications for slurry cement backfill.
51-2.02D(2)(b)	A10-19-26		Section 51-2.02D(2)(b). Revised the referenced paragraph number in the revision clause.
51-3.02B(1)	C10-19-26		Section 51-3.02B(1). This SSP is canceled. This SSP has been incorporated into the Standard Specifications.
51-4.02D(3)	A10-19-26		Section 51-4.02D(3). Revised to change "coefficient of friction" to "skid resistance."
52-4	A10-19-26		Section 52-4. Revised paragraph 11 website reference.
55-1.02D(2)	C10-19-26		Section 55-1.02D(2). This SSP is canceled. It has been incorporated into the Standard Specifications.
56-2.03B(2)	A10-19-26		Section 56-2.03B(2). Moved paragraphs 1–3, 5 into the Standard Specifications. Provided option to adjust foundation removal depths other than 3 feet below the adjacent finished grade.
59-3.03	A10-19-26		Section 59-3.03. Revised to specify the 1st and 2nd finish coat color numbers.
60-2.01A	C10-19-26		Section 60-2.01A. This SSP is canceled. Information regarding removal of bridge-related items to be shown on plans.
83-2.01B	A10-19-26		Section 83-2.01B. Revised to replace Federal color standard FED with AMS and included requirements for matching concrete colors to referee samples.
83-2.01C	A10-19-26		Section 83-2.01C. Revised section heading to "Vegetation Control Mat — Rubber or

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			Fiber” and updated bid item description in the instructions.
84-4	C10-19-26		Section 84-4. This SSP is canceled. Product is no longer approved for use.
90-1.02H	A10-19-26		Section 90-1.02H. Revised “fly ash” to “coal ash” as a component of cementitious material.
90-6	A10-19-26		Section 90-6. Updated the second paragraph instructions to clarify air-dry unit weight requirements.