

WVDOH Specifications Committee
Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, April 5, 2023

Meeting held in person at Technical Support Division – 9:00 a.m.
with virtual option via Google Meet platform and teleconference availability

Voting Members in Attendance:
Shawn Smith, Contract Administration Division
Paul Farley, MCS&T Division
Ted Whitmore, Traffic Engineering Division
Bob Douglas, Engineering Division
Tim Moran, Operations Division
(see attendee list for a list of all attendees)

1. Discussed Approved Permanent Specification changes from last Committee meeting. (02-01-2023).
2. Discussed Approved Project Specific Special Provisions (SP) from last Committee meeting (02-01-2023).
3. Discussed Items removed from Committee Agenda
4. Begin Discussion of Old Business Items
5. Four Specification changes involving adding fibers in Portland Cement Concrete
 - i. Section 501-Portland Cement Concrete Pavements, subsections 501.2, 501.3, 501.8, 501.9, 501.12.5, & 501.12.7
 - ii. Section 601-Structural Concrete, subsections 601.2, 601.3, 601.7, 601.10.2, 601.10.6, & 601.11.5
 - iii. Section 679-Overlaying Portland Cement Concrete Bridge Decks, subsections 679.2.1.6, 679.2.2, 679.2.3.3, 679.2.3.4, 679.2.3.6, & 679.3.7.4.1
 - iv. Subsection 715.3-Fibers for Portland Cement Concrete
 - No comments.
 - Approved: Yes – 5, No - 0
6. Section 109-Subsection 109.20-Weight Tickets
 - Comment from John Crane, WVPA on removal of axels making it impossible to check for over loaded trucks.
(Discussion ensued)
 - Approved: Yes – 5, No – 0

7. Two Specification Changes updating terminology from ‘roadway prism’ to ‘construction limits.’
 - i. Section 201- Clearing and Grubbing, subsection 201.7-Disposal
 - ii. Section 202-Building Demolition, Well and Septic Tank Abandonment, subsection 202.4-Buildings
 - No comments.
 - Approved: Yes – 5, No - 0
8. Section 410-Subsection 410.13.6-Bond Strength
 - No comments.
 - Approved: Yes – 5, No - 0
9. Section 615-Subsection, 615.3.3-Welded Stud Shear Connectors
 - No comments.
 - Approved: Yes – 5, No - 0
10. Section 712-Guardrail and Fence, Subsections 712.4-Galvanized Steel Deep Beam Guardrail, Fasteners and Anchor Bolts and 712.5-Zinc-Aluminum-Magnesium Alloy Coating Guardrail, Fasteners and Anchor Bolts.
 - No comments.
 - Approved: Yes – 5, No – 0
11. New Business
12. SP 601-Structural Concrete
 - Special Provision introduced and discussed.
 - Hope to approve at the next meeting.
13. SP 601-Super Air Meter Testing
 - Special Provision introduced and discussed.
14. Section 107-Legal Relations and Responsibility to the Public, Subsection 107.8.7-Flagging Services
 - Specification introduced and discussed.
 - Comment from John Crane, CAWV, on flagging expenses.
15. Section 107-Legal Relations and Responsibility to the Public, Subsection 107.21.3-Basis of Payment
 - Specification introduced and discussed.
 - Hope to approve at the next meeting.

16. Two provisions on Material Transfer Vehicle.
 - i. Specification Change to Section 401-Asphalt Base, Wearing, and Patching and Leveling Courses, Subsection 401.9.9-Material Transfer Vehicle
 - ii. SP401-Material Transfer Vehicle
 - Specification introduced and discussed.
 - Comment from John Crane, CAWV, on where SP would be used.
17. Section 420-Micro Surfacing, Subsection 420.3.1-Mix Design
 - Specification introduced and discussed.
 - Hope to approve at the next meeting.
18. SP 603-Post Tensioning
 - Special Provision introduced and discussed.
 - Hope to approve at the next meeting.
19. Section-623 Pneumatically Applied Mortar or Concrete (Shotcrete), Subsection 623.3.2-Quality Personnel
 - Specification introduced and discussed.
 - Hope to approve at the next meeting.
20. Section 636-Maintaining Traffic, Subsection 636.11-Flagger
 - Specification introduced and discussed.
 - Comment from John Crane, CAWV, on use of flagger on crossover, turn lanes, and ramps.
21. SP 642-High Strength Silt Fence
 - Special Provision introduced and discussed.
22. SP 697-Bridge Safety Inspections
 - Special Provision introduced and discussed.
23. Section 707-Concrete Admixtures, Subsection 707.12-Concrete Sealer
 - Specification introduced and discussed.
 - Hope to approve at the next meeting.

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Attendee List**

Virtual Meeting Attendees

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| 1. Vincent Allison | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 2. Christopher Amos | WVDOH – Legal Division |
| 3. Daniel Brayack | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 4. Jeremy Burchett | Thrasher |
| 5. Darby Clayton | WVDOH – Deputy Asst State Highway Engineer Operations |
| 6. Laura Conley-Rinehart | WVDOH – Technical Support Division |
| 7. Sasha Danberry | WVDOH – Contract Administration Division |
| 8. Daniel Estep | GPI |
| 9. Adam Gillispie | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 10. Joe Grani | CTL Engineers |
| 11. George Hanna | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 12. Dale Hill | Builders Supply Association of WV |
| 13. Zachary Holley | Modjeski and Masters |
| 14. Kimberly Hoover | WVDOH – Operations Division |
| 15. Shawn Jack | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 16. Andy Kincell | Accent Engineering |
| 17. John Lynch | Lynch Construction |
| 18. Mike Mance | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 19. Clay McCabe | Argos |
| 20. Chadley Miller | J.F. Allen Company |
| 21. Ahmed Mongi | HDR |
| 22. Timothy Moran | WVDOH – Operations Division |
| 23. Gary Mullins | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 24. Joseph Neeley | WVDOH – District One |
| 25. Chris Preston | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 26. Charles Ramsey | WVDOH – District One |
| 27. Thomas Rogers | Shelly and Sands |
| 28. Ron Stanevich | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 29. Suman Thapa | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 30. Andrew Thaxton | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 31. Eliot Watson | WVDOH – District One |

In Person Meeting Attendees

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| 1. Janie Adkins | WVDOH – Technical Support Division |
| 2. Steve Boggs | WVDOH – Technical Support Division |
| 3. Tracy Brown | WVDOH – Executive Division |
| 4. John Crane | APAWV |
| 5. Bob Douglas | WVDOH – Engineering Division |
| 6. Paul Farley | WVDOH – MCS&T Division |
| 7. Jason Jackson | Kokosing |
| 8. Alex Kaywha | WVDOH – Operations Division |
| 9. Travis Long | WVDOH – Technical Support Division |
| 10. Eric Lough | WVDOH – Operations Division |
| 11. Keith Potter | Silt Saver |
| 12. Shawn Smith | WVDOH – Contract Administration |
| 13. Ted Whitmore | WVDOH – Traffic Engineering |

TOTAL ATTENDEES: 44