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TRAFFIC OPERATIONS ENGINEERS**

SPECIAL PROVISION AND/OR SPECIFICATION CHANGE MEMORANDUM 23-22

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Date: September 19, 2022

To: District Engineers

From: Ryan C. Barborak, P.E.
Director, Materials and Tests Division

Subject: Standard Specification Item 10 (14), "Maintenance and Traffic Materials Contracts," and Special Provision 010-001 (14), "Maintenance and Traffic Materials Contracts"

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The above-referenced Standard Specification and Special Provision have been approved for statewide use and are required for maintenance and traffic materials (MMC/TMC) contracts projects beginning with the November 2022 letting. Item 10 may not be used for lettings prior to November 2022.

Item 10 provides for new general provisions for MMC/TMC contracts. Items 1-9 will not apply to these contracts. Relevant provisions from Items 1-9 have been incorporated into sections within Item 10.

Since standard specifications are already in the specifications book, they are incorporated by reference in a proposal and are not brought into a proposal directly. However, since Item 10 is not in the 2014 specifications book, a "dummy" Special Provision 010-001 will be added to each MMC/TMC contract in order to pull in the language of Item 10 directly into the proposal. Special Provision 010-001 has identical language as Item 10.

Maintenance Division has provided a webinar training on September 13, 2022, to cover all aspects of the implementation of Item 10. A recording of the webinar and associated slides may be viewed on [Sharepoint](#).

Please disseminate this information to your Transportation Planning & Development, Design, Construction, Laboratory, Maintenance, and Traffic Operations Engineers.

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