

Design Standards Letter

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ALL DIVISION, DISTRICT AND URBAN ENGINEERS

We are furnishing you under separate cover with several 8 1/2" x 11" copies of the following new Standard Drawings.

Standard Drawing 87.11. construction Signs (For Reconstruction Work on Supplementary Highways). The Design Committee discussed and approved a suggestion by the Districts to provide standard construction signing for the reconstruction of marked supplementary roads in the permanent highway system. Standard 87.11 was developed for this purpose and is to be included in those contracts for the reconstruction of highways designed to supplementary standards. Standard drawing 87.10 will remain in effect for construction of highways designed to major system standards. Section 87.10 of the Standard Specifications is applicable to the construction signs shown on Standard Drawings 87.10 and 87.11. It will not be necessary to include a special provision for this item in contracts for projects on the supplementary system.

Standard Drawing 90.50. Erosion Control Netting. Erosion control netting is now in general use as a method of erosion control and is frequently being specified by the districts as an erosion control item. Standard drawing 90.50 will eliminate the necessity for the districts to include a special sheet in the plans for this item. The standard may be modified as required to meet existing conditions on particular projects.

Standard Drawing 91.00. Embankment Control Measuring Devices. Observation Wells, Settlement Gauges and Embankment Control Stakes are standard items that are now frequently specified in contracts by the Districts. Standard 91.00 will eliminate the necessity of including a special sheet in the plans for this item.

These new standards will be included on a revised check list for standard drawings in the near future. These standards are in effect for all future projects, where applicable, beginning with August 1963 Letting.

Additional copies of these standards will be furnished upon request.

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