

Design Standards Letter

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Body

ALL DIVISION AND DISTRICT ENGINEERS AND CHIEF COUNSEL:

This is to advise that all future overhead sign trusses should be designed for 10-foot sign height with an area equal to 10 feet times the pavement width, (direction of travel) in feet, with a minimum area of 300 square feet.

Note on truss data sheet for what design truss was computed so that it can be properly checked.

The reason for this change is that in the future, the legends will be increased, thereby warranting larger sign areas or additional signs added to the trusses.

All plans which have not been submitted to this office should be revised in the district.

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