

Resolution Number TC-2095
Adopt Policy Directive 1500.0, "Guide Signing Policy"

Approved by the Transportation Commission on: June 21, 2012

WHEREAS, § 43-1-106 (8)(a) C.R.S. (2011) gives authority to the Transportation Commission of Colorado ("Commission") to formulate the general policy with respect to the management, construction, and maintenance of public highways and other transportation systems in the state; and

WHEREAS, current Policy Directive 1500.0 was adopted by the Transportation Commission on April 16, 2003; and

WHEREAS, the review date for Policy Directive 1500.0 was April 2008; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to § 42-4-104 C.R.S., CDOT is charged with adopting a manual and specifications for a uniform system of traffic control devices for use upon highways within Colorado; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to § 42-4-104 C.R.S., CDOT's Guide Signing manual must conform to the system set forth in the most recent edition of the "Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways" ("MUTCD") and other related standards issued or endorsed by the federal highway administrator; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic and Safety Engineering Branch of the Department has completed a revision of the Guide Signing Policies Manual ("Manual") and ensured that it conforms to the MUTCD, which contains the standards and guidelines for the design and installation of highway signing; and

WHEREAS, the Commission supports CDOT's goal of guide signing by striking the appropriate balance between the needs of local governments, individual businesses, motorists and passengers, minimizing sign "pollution" and complying with federal and state law governing outdoor advertising and the design and application of highway guide signing; and
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Commission herein ADOPTS Policy Directive 1500.0 "Guide Signing Policy."


Herman Stockinger, Secretary
Transportation Commission of Colorado