

Standards and Specifications Unit

**Memorandum**

**DATE**: January 12, 2017

**TO**: All Holders of Standard Special Provisions

**FROM**: Larry Brinck, Standards and Specifications Engineer

**SUBJECT**: Revision of Sections 630 and 713, Retroreflective Sheeting

Effective this date, our unit is issuing a new standard special provision, Revision of Sections 630 and 713, Retroreflective Sheeting. This new standard special provision is 2 pages long and replaces a standard special provision having the title Revision of Section 630, Retroreflective Sign Sheeting, dated May 8, 2014.

Use this new standard special provision on all projects, beginning with projects advertised on or after February 9, 2017. You are free to use this standard special provision in projects advertised before this date.

This new standard special provision changes the sheeting requirements for drums and tubular markers from Type IV orange high-intensity sheeting to fluorescent sheeting. Additional requirements for the fluorescent sheeting have been added to Section 713.

Please note for projects advertised prior to September 1, 2017, both Type IV or Fluorescent sheeting will be permitted. For projects advertised on or after September 1, 2017, only Fluorescent sheeting will be permitted.

Those of you who keep a book of Standard Special Provisions should replace the now obsolete standard special provision and add this new standard special provision to your file. For your convenience, you can find this and others special provisions issued this date in one place at our Construction Specifications web page:

 <https://www.codot.gov/business/designsupport/construction-specifications/2011-Specs>

Please scroll down and visit the hyperlink, “Recently Issued Special Provisions”.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact this office.