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TO: Colorado Counties and Municipalities
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SUBJECT: Publication – Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, 2021

The Department has published the 2021 edition of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction. This edition supersedes the 2019 edition. Additional information on the 2021 Standard Specifications, including a list of significant changes, can be found by accessing the Construction Specifications page on the Department’s website: <https://www.codot.gov/business/designsupport/cdot-construction-specifications/2021-construction-specifications>.

The Department of Transportation will begin use of the 2021 edition on all projects advertised for bids after **October 1, 2021**. The PDF is available now online.

You may wish to use these specifications for your road and street construction program. Please be aware that if you reference these specifications for your contract work, you will be responsible for furnishing your prospective bidders copies of the specifications along with any addenda that may affect the contract.