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TO: Colorado Counties and Municipalities

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The Department has published the 2023 edition of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction. This edition supersedes the 2022 edition. Additional information on the 2023 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/2023-construction-specifications

The Department of Transportation will begin use of the 2023 edition on all projects advertised for bids after **October 1**, **2023**. 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.