



Memorandum

Date: September 23, 2026

To: All holders of Standard Special Provisions

From: Bill Cornelius, Standards and Specifications Unit Manager *Bill Cornelius*

Subject: New standard special provision: Revision of Section 630 Zone Construction Traffic Control

As of September 23, 2026, this unit has issued the new standard special provision, Revision of Section 630 Zone Construction Traffic Control, with 25 pages, dated September 23, 2026.

Summary of Changes:

- Grammar and readability revisions
- Renumbering and reorganization of sections per the table below:

2025 Spec Book Entry	Sept 23, 2026 Spec Entry
630.01 Description	630.01 Description Added Definitions
630.02 Signs and Barricades	630.02 General Moved up from 630.09 to 630.02 Used "Crashworthy" instead of repeating crashworthy requirements throughout specifications.
630.03 Electronic Advance Warning Signs	630.03 Signs and Barricades Updated Table 630-1 Notes
630.04 Temporary Traffic Signals	630.04 Arrow Boards Renamed 630.03
630.05 Traffic Cones	630.05 Temporary Traffic Signals Added more detailed material requirements
630.06 Channelizing Device (Fixed)	630.06 Temporary Channelizing Devices Used "crashworthy" to avoid repetition. Added channelizing devices to this section.
630.07 Temporary Channelizing Devices	630.07 Temporary Barriers
630.08 Temporary Barrier	630.08 Temporary Flashing Beacons Moved this information from 630.09 General to create a new subsection

630.09 General	630.09 General Moved information from 630.13
630.10 Transportation Management Plan	630.10 Transportation Management Plan Revised entire section, for better conformity to federal work zone requirements in the field
630.11 Traffic Control Management	630.11 Traffic Control Management Revised TCS duties
630.12 Temporary Masking Signs	630.12 Temporary Sign Coverings Renamed 630.12 Temporary Masking Signs
630.13 General	630.13 Flagging and Pilot Car Operation Added Uniformed Law Enforcement language
630.14 Flagging and Pilot Car Operation	630.14 Emergency Pull-off Area Temporary
630.15 Emergency Pull-Off Areas	630.15 Temporary Portable Rumble Strips
630.16 Temporary Portable Rumble Strips	630.16 Rolling Roadblock
630.17 Method of Measurement	630.17 Method of Measurement Updated language to measure traffic control devices by maximum number of devices used based on approved MHTs. Revised method of measurement for TCM and TCS days.
630.18 Basis of Payment	630.18 Basis of Payment Added Uniformed Law Enforcement basis of payment

Please use this on all projects with temporary traffic control.

This standard special provision will become mandatory in projects advertised on or after October 21, 2026. You may use this standard special provision in projects advertised before this date.

If you keep a Record of Standard Special Provisions, please include this new provision. The SSP is located under the Standard Special Provisions section, and the updated SSP Index is in the Recently Issued Special Provisions section of our 2025 [Construction Specifications Webpage](#).

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

