

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

PROPRIETARY ITEM – CERTIFICATIONS OR FINDING IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST (FIPI)

PROPRIETARY ITEM OR PROCESS:

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| Name of proprietary item or process: | Manufacturer name, address & phone No.: |
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JUSTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that it is in the public interest to specify the above named proprietary item or process for the following reasons: (Check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> It is essential for synchronization.(Certification only) | <input type="checkbox"/> No equally suitable alternative exists (Certification only) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> It will be used for research or experimental purposes on short sections of road. | <input type="checkbox"/> It is in the public interest not to allow any other products even though other equally acceptable materials or products are available. |

JUSTIFICATION (required). Justification consists of information that documents the reasons marked above for use of the proprietary item or process. For research or experimentation include a work plan that describes how the research or experimental feature will be used and evaluated. Attach additional pages and documentation as necessary.

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| NEED FOR PROPRIETARY ITEM (Check only one): | Project Specific <input type="checkbox"/> Approved by the Resident Engineer | Region-Wide <input type="checkbox"/> Approved by the Program Engineer and FHWA | Statewide <input type="checkbox"/> Approved by the Branch Manager and FHWA |
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APPROVED BY:

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| Name | Title (CDOT Resident Engineer, Program Engineer, or Branch Manager) | Signature | Date |
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COPIES OF FORM TO (as appropriate):

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| CDOT Project Engineer | CDOT Resident Engineer: |
| CDOT Program Engineer: | CDOT Research Engineer: |
| CDOT Standards and Specifications Engineer (all, FIPI with draft of any required specification change): | CDOT Branch Manager |