

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** ALL USERS OF THE CATEGORY CODE SYSTEM BOOK

**FROM:** Jason A. Ridgway, Director  
Office of Highway Development



**DATE:** May 20, 2015

**RE:** UPDATES TO THE CATEGORY CODE SYSTEM

The following revisions have been made to the 2008 Category Code book and have been posted on the SHA website.

**CATEGORY 5: PAVING**

The following items have been suppressed:

- 504516 GAP-GRADED ASPHALT MIX 9.5MM FOR SURFACE,  
PG 64E-22, LEVEL 4
- 504544 GAP-GRADED ASPHALT MIX 12.5MM FOR SURFACE,  
PG 64E-22, LEVEL 4

The following pay items have been added:

- 504517 GAP-GRADED ASPHALT MIX 9.5MM FOR SURFACE,  
PG 64E-22, LEVEL 5                      TON                      506
- 504545 GAP-GRADED ASPHALT MIX 12.5MM FOR SURFACE,  
PG 64E-22, LEVEL 5                      TON                      506

The new Category Code pay items are dated May 20, 2015. All projects that are to be advertised before June 9, 2015 will not be effected. All projects advertised on or after June 9, 2015 must include the new pay item(s) and any related specifications if applicable to the contract.

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