
NEW AND REVISED SPECIFICATIONS

TO: ALL USERS OF JULY 2024 STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS
FROM: *for* OHD DIRECTOR ERIC MARABELLO, P.E. *By: Wood.*
SUBJECT: DISTRIBUTION OF NEW AND REVISED SPECIFICATIONS
DATE: FEBRUARY 13, 2025
**RESPONSE
REQUESTED** N/A
BY:

PURPOSE

To issue revised specifications documents and new Special Provisions Inserts (SPIs) to the July 2024 State Highway Administration (SHA) Standard Specifications for Construction and Materials. These updates are listed below.

SUMMARY

The latest versions of our revised specifications documents and new SPIs, dated February 11, 2025, are located on the SHA Internet website at <https://www.roads.maryland.gov/mdotsha/pages/sscm.aspx?PageId=853&lid=SSP>, on the SHA Project Development Hub, and on the Invitation for Bids System managed by SHA. All projects advertising on or after February 25, 2025, must include these revised specifications, if applicable. Advertised projects that require an addendum for some other reason should include these revised specifications, if applicable.

The following specifications were added, deleted, or revised:

<u>File</u>	<u>Description</u>
003-toc.docx	TABLE OF CONTENTS. Updated.
400-460.docx	EXPANSION JOINTS IN STRUCTURES. Revised specification to include information for performing repairs of joints with pourable and preformed silicone.

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Description (continued)

500-510.docx

SEALING CRACKS AND JOINTS IN ASPHALT PAVEMENTS. Revised specification to include new guidelines for crack routing and crack sealing installation. Updated measurement and payment to differentiate between crack sealing with and without routing.

900-911.docx

JOINTS. Revised specification to include changes involved in the test parameter revisions for mastic. Added information to perform repairs of joints with pourable and preformed silicone.

The following Contract Provisions are required for all projects using Federal funds advertised or opening bids on or after February 13, 2025. Advertised contracts must issue an addendum to incorporate these updated specifications, replacing the previous Proposal Form Packet (PFP) with the new version.

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propformfed2.docx

Proposal Form Packet – Federal. Revised the specification to incorporate the updated requirements under Final Rule 49 CFR § 26.11, mandating all bidders on federally funded contracts to submit a signed copy of their bidders list information.

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If there are any questions regarding these updates, please contact Benjamin Gilardi, P.E., SHA Office of Highway Development (OHD) Division Chief, at 410-545-8810, or via email at bgilardi@mdot.maryland.gov. He will be happy to assist you.

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