
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: MARCH 20, 2025
**RESPONSE
REQUESTED** N/A
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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, dated March 25, 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 April 1, 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.
propformfed2.docx	PROPOSAL FORM PACKET – FEDERAL. Revised the Buy America section of the specification to align with Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) requirements, ensuring that all iron and steel products, as defined under § 635.410(c)(1)(iii), fully comply with the FHWA’s Buy America provisions outlined in § 635.410(b).

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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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