

MEMORANDUM

To:

All affected City Staff and Design Consultants

From:

Jeff Edmonds, P.E., Director of Capital Programs

Date:

March 25, 2015

Subject:

Updates to City Standard Construction Specifications

Updates to City Standard Construction Specifications and Details were posted to the Capital Programs website in January 2015 to address some known errors, conflicts and omissions in the Standards that had not been updated in several years. Recent additional updates that primarily include administrative edits and clarifications have been incorporated into "City Standard Construction Specifications (3-25-2015)" and are now posted on the Capital Programs website under the Process Tab>Standard Specifications for immediate use on City projects.

The January 2015 posted updates were summarized in "City Standard Construction Specifications and Details 1/2015 Updates General Summary". A copy of the 1/2015 Updates General Summary is now included with the posted Specifications.

All active design projects that have not reached the 90-100% design stage should use the latest version of the Specifications. Due to the nature of the edits, substitution of applicable 3-25-2015 versions in place of the January 2015 versions should not affect other portions of the Drawings or Details. A "Standard Construction Specifications Revisions Summary (3-25-2015)" is also included with the posted Specifications to assist you in identifying the updated items. All Indexes and Specifications are now bookmarked for convenience.

We invite and appreciate your input and suggestions to continually improve the Standard Specifications and Details. Going forward we intend to review and update the Standards on a scheduled rotation basis. Please address questions, comments and suggestions to Linda Gurley, P.E. at <u>LindaG@cctexas.com</u> or 361-826-3529.

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Attachments:

• City Standard Construction Specifications (3-25-2015) (with the 1/2015 Updates Summary and the current Standard Construction Specifications Revisions Summary)