

Design Standards Letter

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Revisions to Engineering Policy Guide

Questions concerning the revisions to the Engineering Policy Guide should be directed to Randall Hoskins, Central Office, Engineering Policy Services at 573-751-4659 or myself at 573-751-7412.

The Engineering Policy Guide can be viewed on the MoDOT website at http://epg.modot.org/index.php/Main_Page.

REVISIONS:

EPG 401.2.7: This article has been updated to clarify the location of the joint core location. The core shall be centered at an offset of 6 inches from the longitudinal joint on the center line side and shall be centered at an offset of 12 inches from the longitudinal joint on the shoulder side.

EPG 450: This article is being updated to reflect a change in policy to increase the minimum lift thicknesses for Superpave and Bituminous Pavement mixes. This will reflect NCHRP's recommendations for using four times the nominal maximum aggregate size, as a basis for the pavement lift thickness. I think you can add a snapshot of the new lift thicknesses.

SKK/RSB