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## ***Baseline Document Change Announcement***

**ANNOUNCEMENT: BDC22S-12**

**DATE: October 05, 2022**

**SUBJECT: Allowable Sign Sheeting Types**  
- **Revision to the 2019 Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, Subpart 911.01.01**

Subpart 911.01.01 of the 2019 Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction has been revised in order to include additional ASTM D 4956 sign sheeting types for the use of Regulatory and Warning Signs, Guide Signs Mounted on Steel “U” Posts, and Guide Signs Mounted on Overhead Sign Structures, Breakaway Sign Supports, or Non-Breakaway Sign Supports.

**The following revisions have been incorporated into the 2019 Standard Specifications via 2019 Standard Inputs, SI2019**

### **911.01.01 Materials**

#### **B. Retroreflective Sheeting.**

TABLE 911.01.01-2 IS CHANGED TO:

**Table 911.01.01-2 Allowable Sign Sheeting Types**

<b>Sign Type</b>	<b>Test Method</b>	<b>Type</b>
Regulatory and Warning Signs	ASTM D 4956	Type III, Type VIII, Type IX or Type XI <sup>1</sup>
Guide Signs Mounted on Steel “U” Posts	ASTM D 4956	Type III, Type VIII, Type IX or Type XI
Guide Signs Mounted on Overhead Sign Structures, Breakaway Sign Supports, or Non-breakaway Sign Supports	ASTM D 4956	Type VIII, Type IX or Type XI <sup>2</sup>

1. Ground-mounted signs with white background shall be ASTM Type IX.
2. Do not use ASTM Type XI sheeting with any existing sign lighting improvement or signs that are lit.

**Implementation Code R (ROUTINE)**

Changes must be implemented in all applicable Department projects scheduled for Final Design Submission at least one month after the date of the BDC announcement. This will allow designers to make necessary plan, specifications, and estimate/proposal changes without requiring the need for an addenda or postponement of advertisement or receipt of bids.

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