

ORE - TRAFFIC: January 2026 Proposed SDMM Updates Summary

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|---------------|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| SDMM | D4-H2a | (carpool symbol) / PARK-RIDE / NEXT RIGHT | Change text size to 12 | | Eberhardt |
| SDMM | D4-H2b | (carpool symbol) / PARK-RIDE / EXIT XX | Change text size to 12 | | Eberhardt |
| SDMM | D10-4 | Enhance Reference Location Sign | Change background color to green | | Soisson |
| SDMM | D10-5 | Intermediate Enhance Reference Location Sign | Change background color to green | | Soisson |
| SDMM | D10-H5a | Ramp Identification/ Reference Sign | Change background color to green | | Soisson |
| SDMM | E9 Series | Narrow Logo Signs | Move the exit number text inline with the destination subject (gas/food, etc), along with dimension changes. Applies to E9-H1a, E9-H2a, E9-H2b, E9-H3a, and E9-H4a. | | Eberhardt |
| SDMM | I-H15 | Drinking Water Protection Area | Being retired. Change sign code to I2-H15 | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | I2-H15 | Drinking Water Protection Area | Previously was Signcode I-H15. Change background color to green | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | I20-H6a | POLLINATOR HABITAT CONSERVATION AREA - DO NOT MOW <i>Established and Maintained by</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delete "Established and Maintained by" and logo Replace logo with "DO NOT MOW" Resize sign | | Soisson |
| SDMM | M8-H4a | Ohio Byway - Amish Country Scenic Byway | Retiring existing sign. Being replaced by M10-H3aa | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | M8-H4e | Ohio Byway - Hocking Hills Scenic Byway | Retiring existing sign. Being replaced by M10-H3ae | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | M8-H4n | Ohio Byway - Welsh Scenic Byway | Retiring existing sign. Being replaced by M10-H3an | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | M8-H4q | Ohio Byway - Big Darby Plains Scenic Byway | Retiring existing sign. Being replaced by M10-H3aq | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | M8-H4s | Ohio Byway - Lincoln Highway Historic Byway | Retiring existing sign. Being replaced by M10-H3as | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | M8-H4t | Ohio Byway - Lake Erie Coastal Ohio Trail | Retiring existing sign. Being replaced by M10-H3at | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | M8-H4w | Ohio Byway - Johnny Appleseed Historic Byway | Retiring existing sign. Being replaced by M10-H3aw | Deletion | Soisson |
| SDMM | M10-H3aa | Amish Country (OHIO BYWAY) | New Sign. Replacing M8-H4a | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | M10-H3ae | Hocking Hills (OHIO BYWAY) | New Sign. Replacing M8-H4e | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | M10-H3an | Welsh (OHIO BYWAY) | New Sign. Replacing M8-H4n | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | M10-H3aq | Big Darby Plains (OHIO BYWAY) | New Sign. Replacing M8-H4q | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | M10-H3as | Lincoln Highway (OHIO BYWAY) | New Sign. Replacing M8-H4s | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | M10-H3at | Lake Erie Costal Ohio Trail (OHIO BYWAY) | New Sign. Replacing M8-H4t | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | M10-H3aw | Johnny Appleseed (OHIO BYWAY) | New Sign. Replacing M8-H4w | New | Soisson |
| SDMM | R13-H1 | COMMERCIAL VEHICLES ANY COMBINATION... | Change ENTER SCALES to MUST ENTER WEIGH STATION | | Eberhardt |
| SDMM | R13-H2 | HAZMAT PLACARDED VEHICLES ENTER... | Change ENTER SCALES to MUST ENTER WEIGH STATION | | Eberhardt |
| SDMM | R16-H1 | <i>STATE LAW / (Seat belt symbol) / STATE LAW</i> | Redesign to place "STATE LAW" at top of sign and as black on yellow | | Soisson |
| SDMM | R16-H3 | STATE LAW / MOVE OVER.... | Revised sign to provide State Law in black on yellow at top of sign | | Soisson |
| SDMM | W1-H16 | Construction Arrow Symbol Sign | Remove option for yellow background. Only option is orange | | Soisson |

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| SDMM | W2-8 | Intersection Warning - Side Roads | Adding Federal Sign that was previously missing into SDMM | | Soisson |
| SDMM | W24-H2a | NEW SIGNAL WILL BEGIN STOP-AND-GO / (date) xx-xx-xxxx | Revise to display Date as "XX-XX-XXXX" rather than "DAY MO DATE" | | Eberhardt / Beck |
| SDMM | W24-H2d | FLASHER BEACON WILL BE REMOVED xx-xx-xxxx (date) | Update sign legend to indicate "BEACON WILL BE REMOVED" rather than "FLASHER WILL BE REMOVED". Also show example sign as black on orange (keep option for black on yellow) | | Eberhardt / Beck |
| SDMM | W24-H2e | ALL-WAY STOP WILL BEGINS xx-xx-xxxx (date) | Modify legend to say, "ALL-WAY STOP BEGINS xx-xx-xxxx". Also show example sign as black on orange (keep option for black on yellow) | | Eberhardt / Beck |

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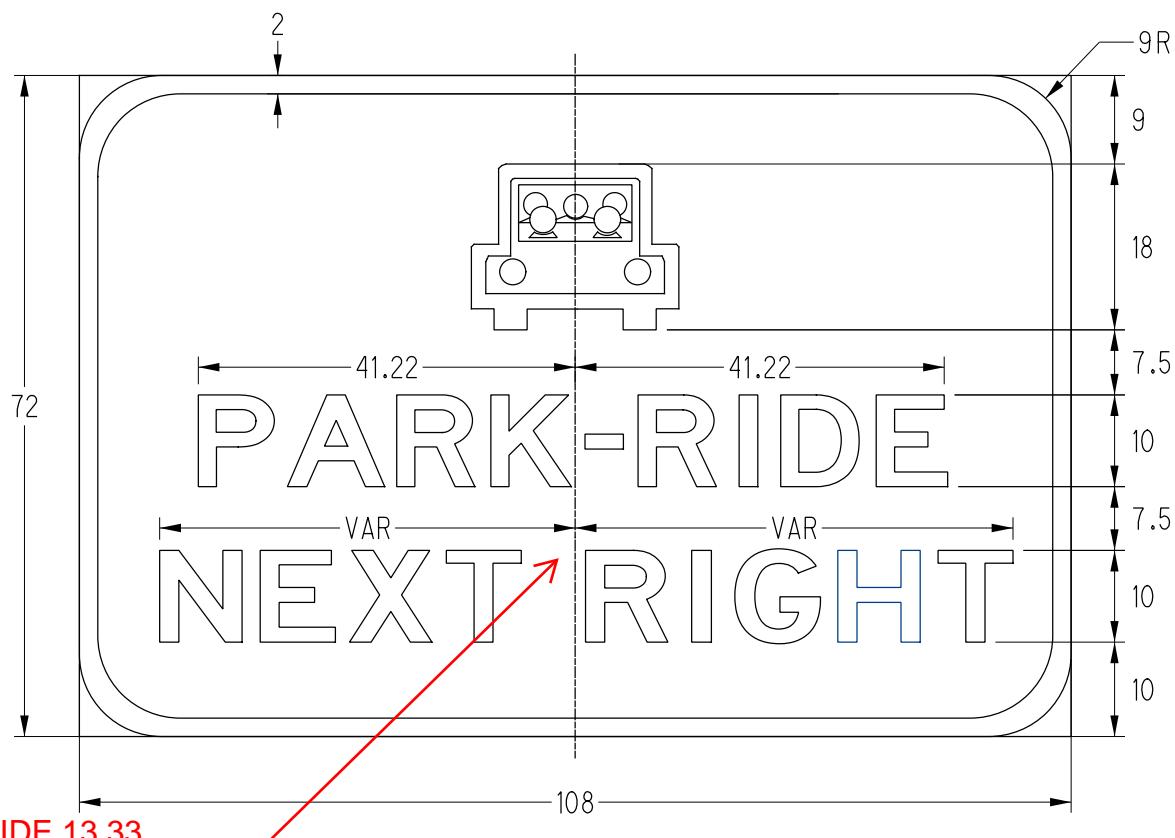
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: ~~07/15/16~~

COLORS: WHITE ON GREEN

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: D4-H2a



PARK-RIDE 13.33
NEXT RIGHT 10

USAGE NOTE: THIS SIGN IS USED ON THE FREEWAY
AND EXPRESSWAY MAINLINE



ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

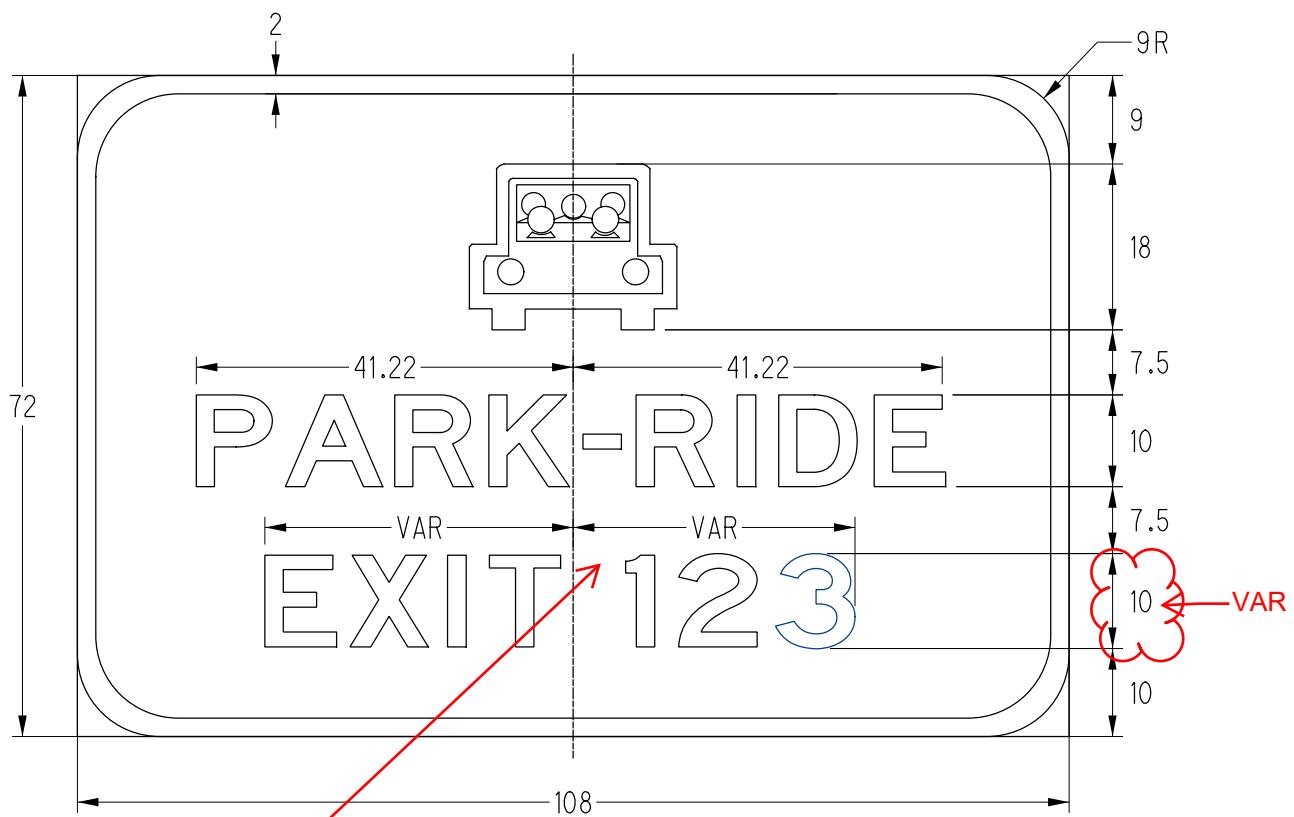
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PARK-RIDE 13.33

EXIT Size 10, 123 Size 15

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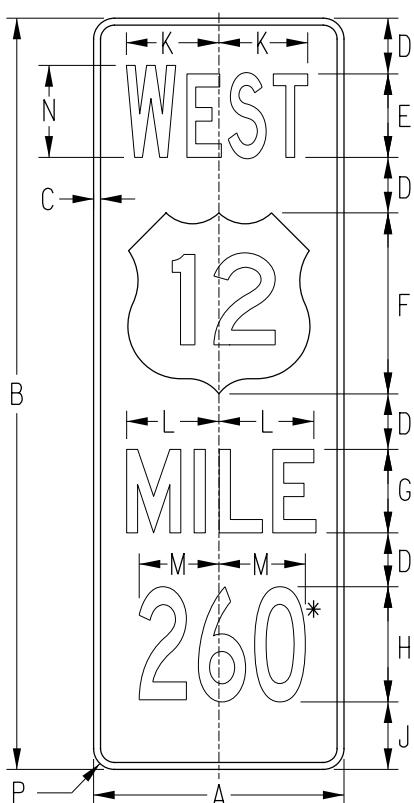
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DATE: 01/19/2024

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: D10-4



Change background to green



WHITE ON ~~BLUE~~
Green

*OPTICALLY LOCATE NUMERALS ABOUT VERTICAL CENTERLINE

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

| A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | J | K | L | M |
|----|----|-----|---|----|----|----|---|---|-------|-------|-----|
| 18 | 54 | 0.5 | 4 | 6B | 13 | 6C | 8 | 5 | 6.649 | 7.165 | VAR |

| N | P |
|-----|-----|
| 6.6 | 1.5 |

Engineering reason for change: The 11th Edition of the MUTCD removed the option for a blue background on the Enhanced Reference Location Sign. Changing the color to green brings this sign more in line with the other location signs

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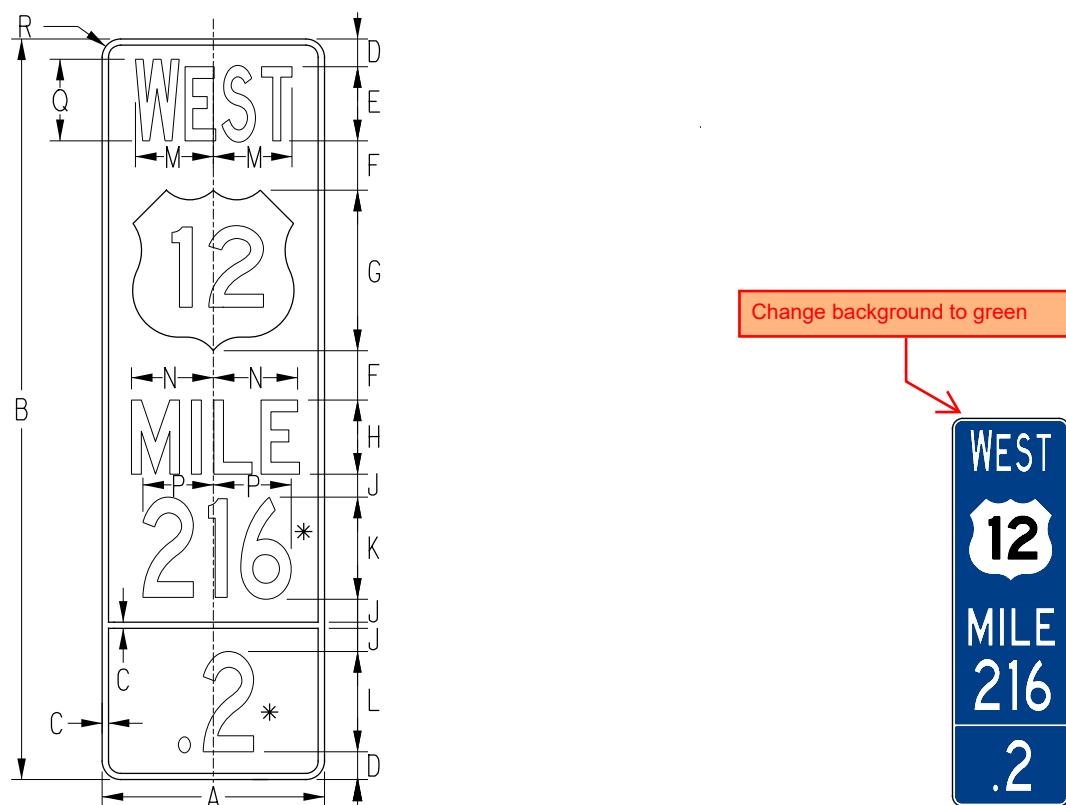
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CODE NO.: D10-5



*OPTICALLY LOCATE NUMERALS ABOUT VERTICAL CENTERLINE

WHITE ON BLUE
Green

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

| A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | J | K | L | M |
|----|----|-----|------|----|---|----|----|---|---|----|-------|
| 18 | 60 | 0.5 | 2.25 | 6B | 4 | 13 | 6C | 2 | 8 | 8C | 6.649 |

| N | P | Q | R |
|-------|-----|-----|-----|
| 7.165 | VAR | 6.6 | 1.5 |

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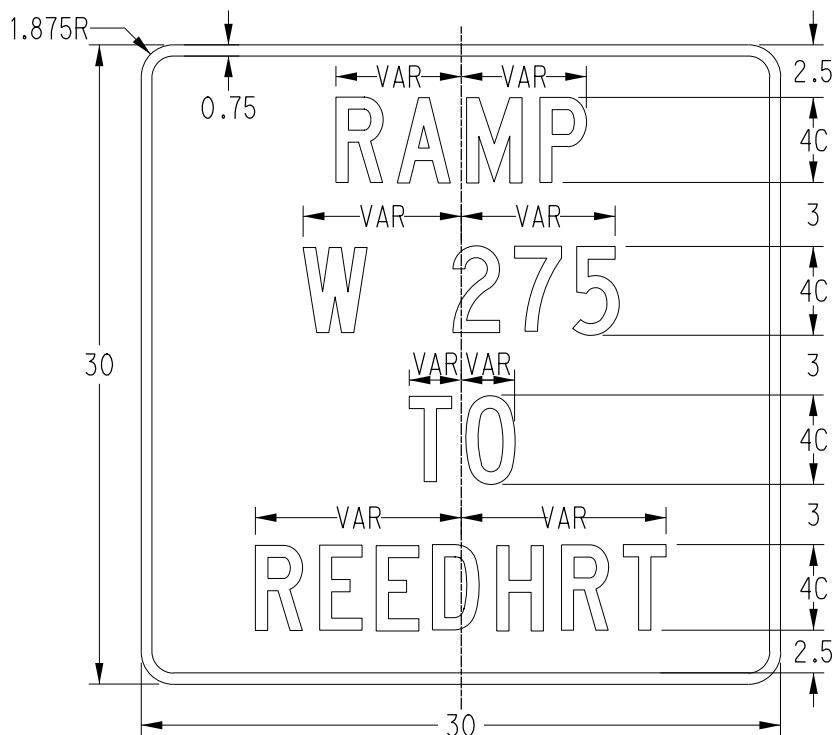
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DATE: 01/16/26

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SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: D10-H5a



Updated sheet showing
white on green



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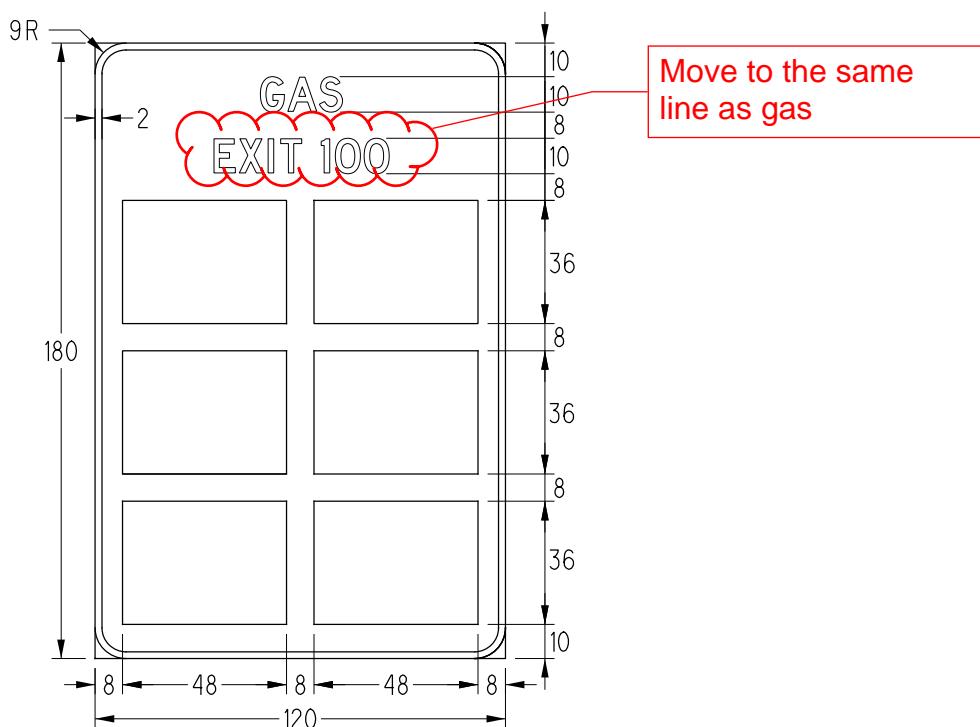
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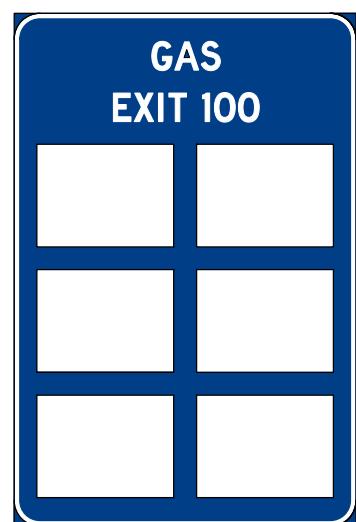


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FOR UN-NUMBERED EXITS, USE ACTION MESSAGE (E.G. NEXT RIGHT)

USAGE NOTE: THIS SIGN IS USED ON FREEWAYS AND EXPRESSWAYS AT SINGLE EXIT INTERCHANGES

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES



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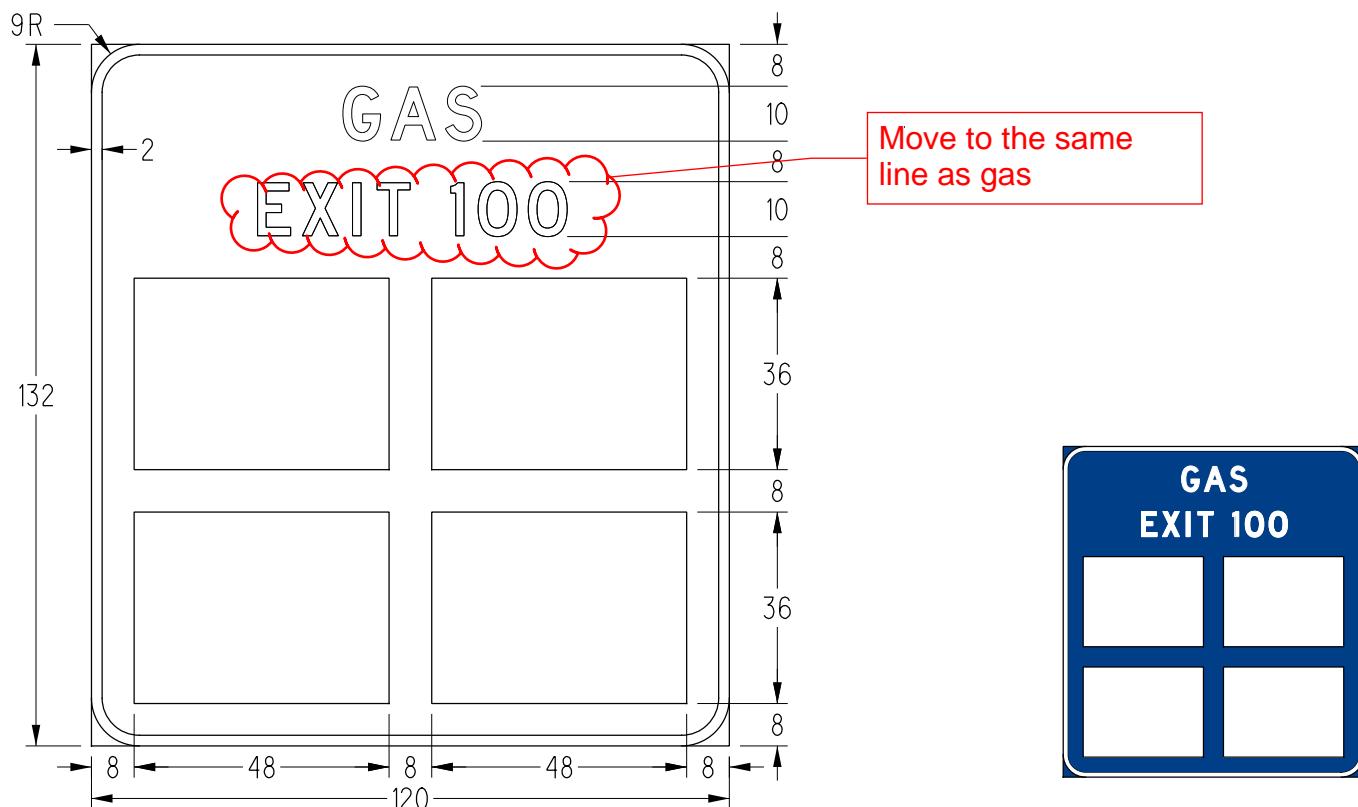
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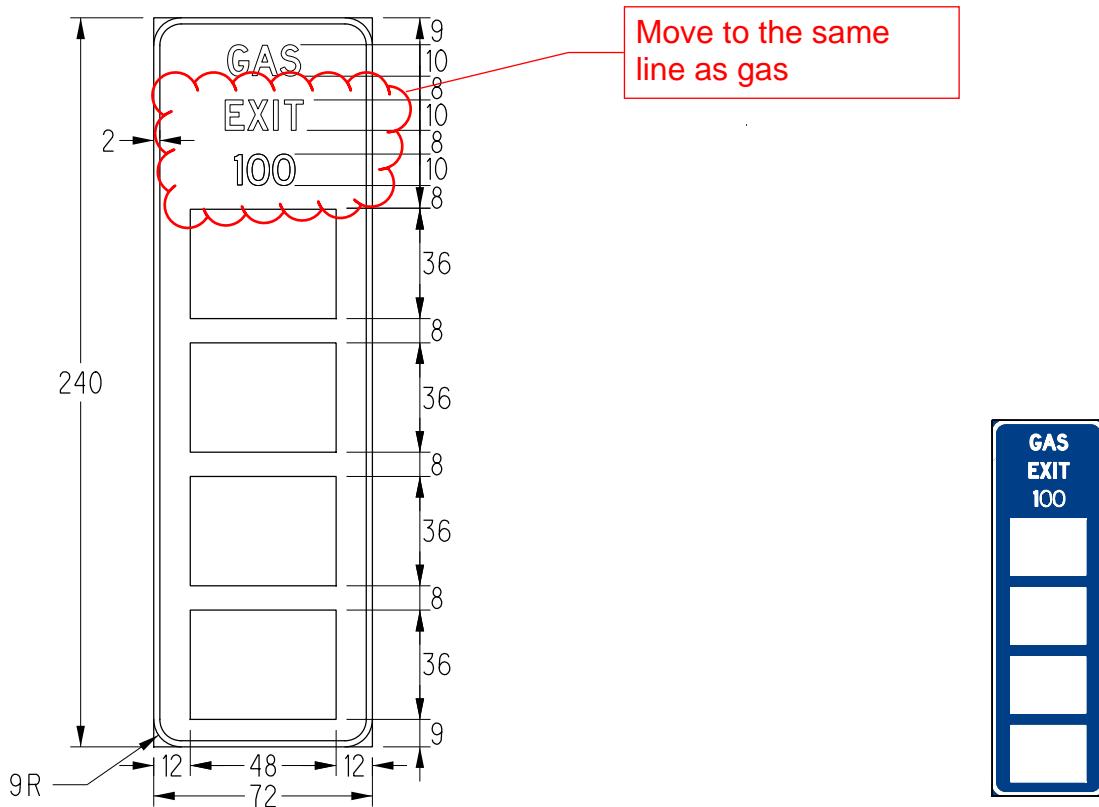
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SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: E9-H2b



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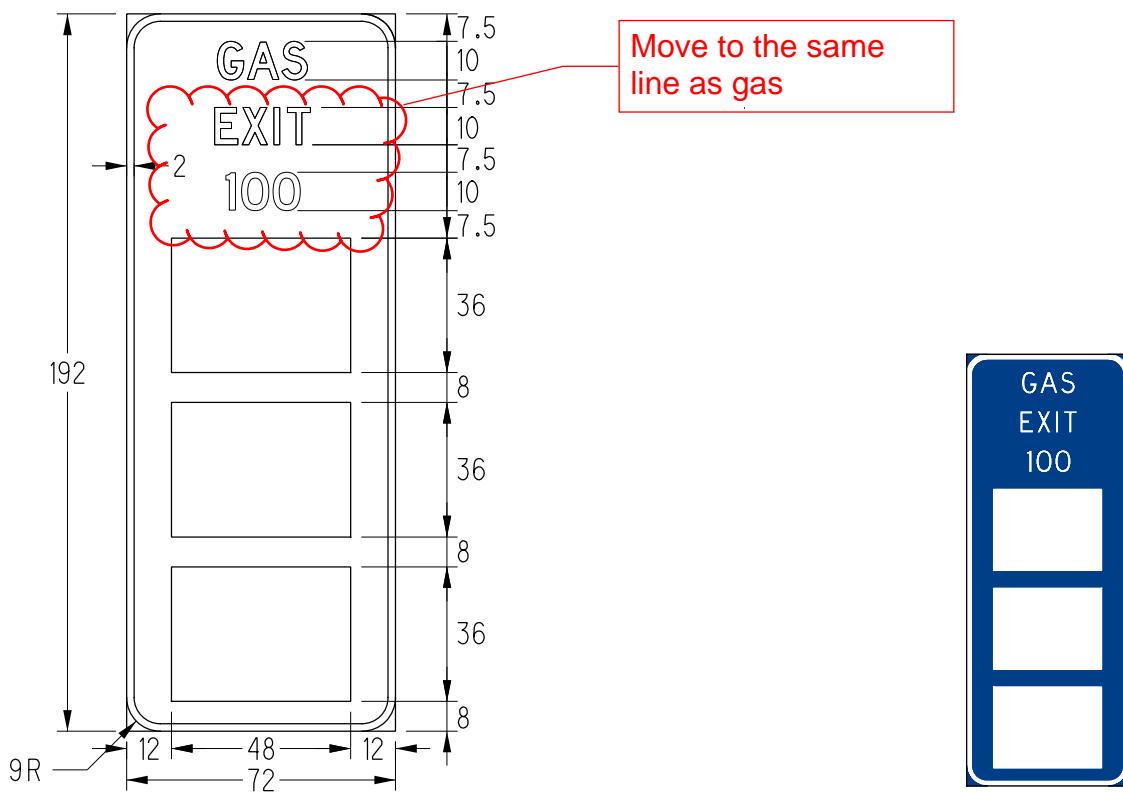
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SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: E9-H3a



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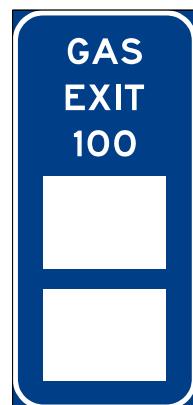
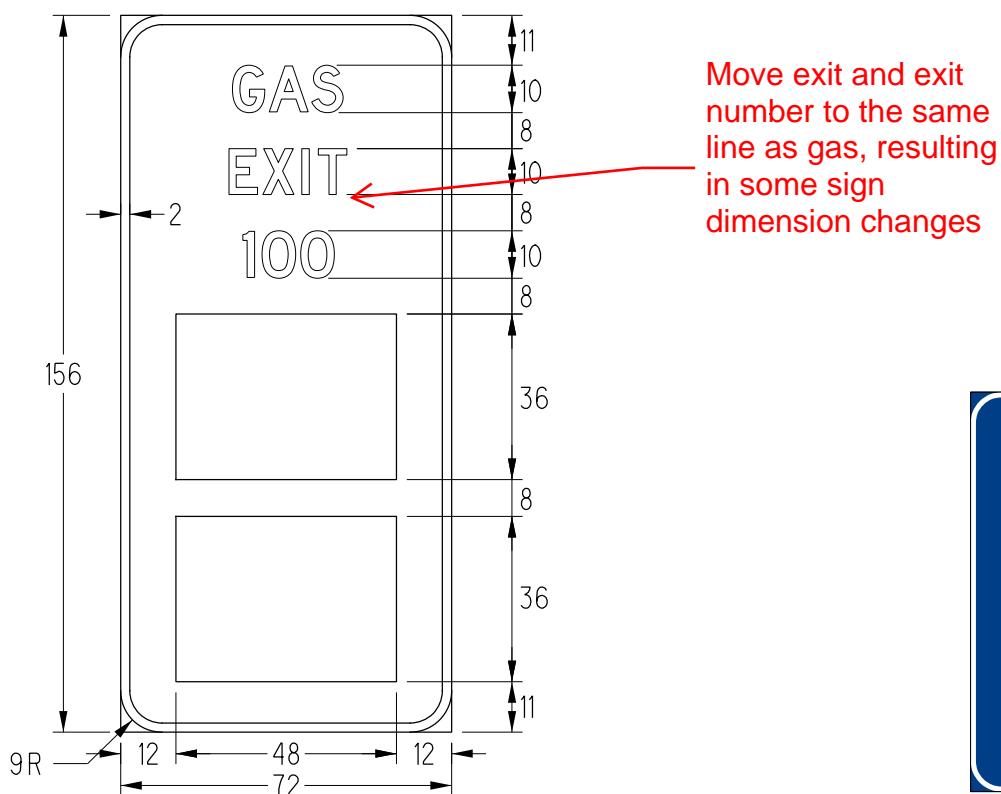
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CODE NO.: E9-H4a



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STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

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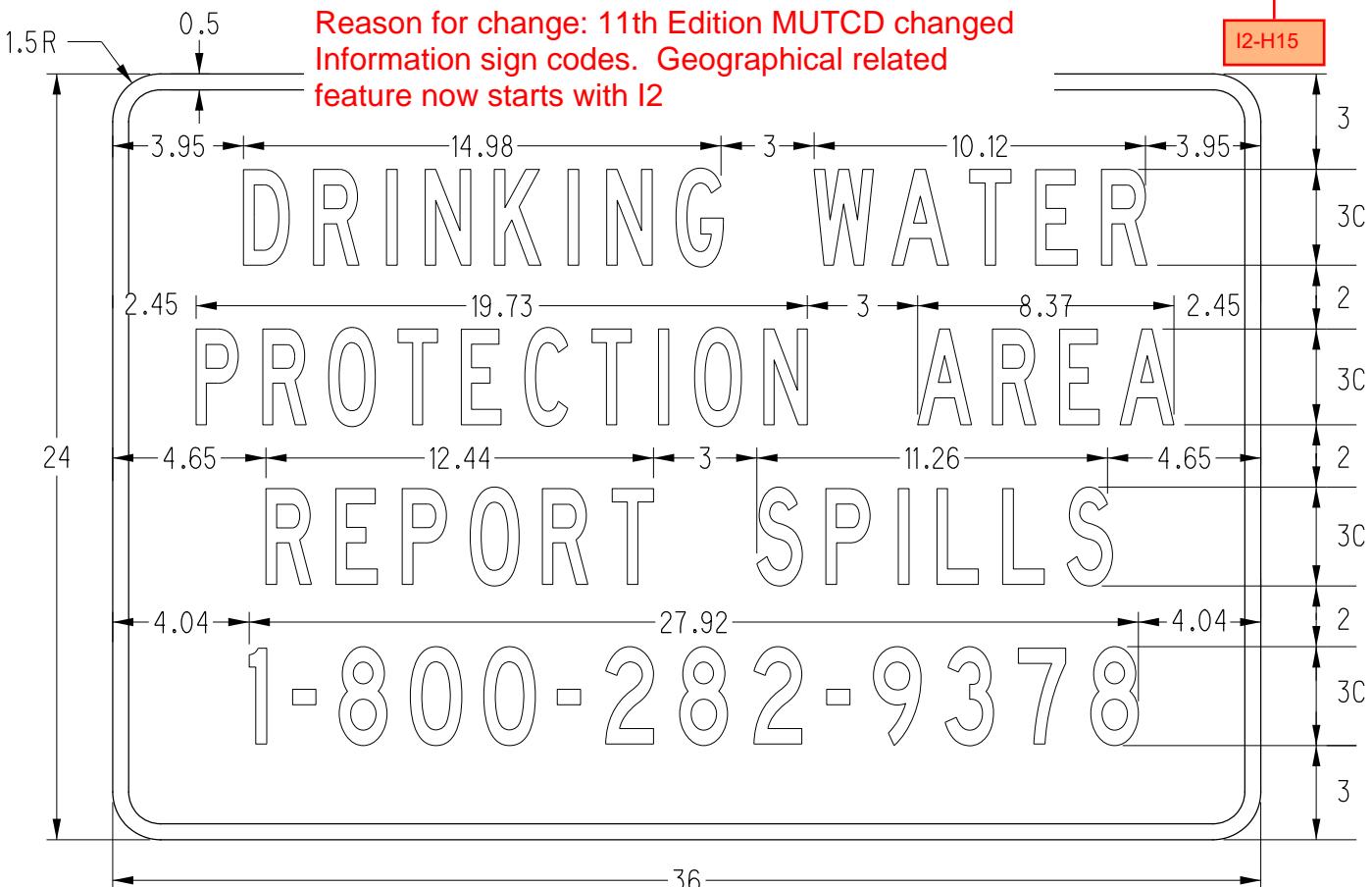
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SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: I-H15

I2-H15



USAGE NOTE: THE PHONE NUMBER SHOWN IS FOR THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY. A DIFFERENT PHONE NUMBER CAN BE USED IF DESIRED.

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Change background to green

Reason for change: General information signs related to geographical features have a green background

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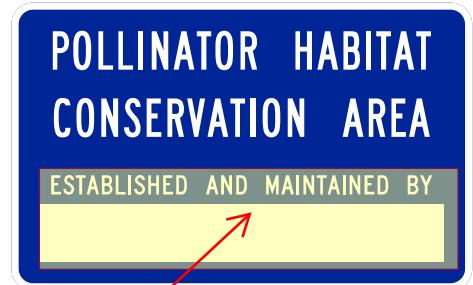
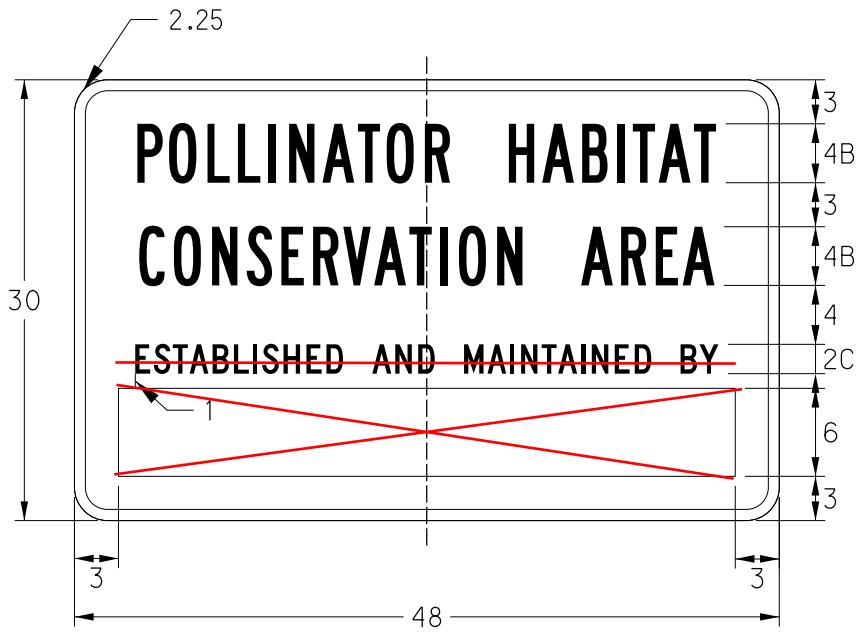
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SERIES: GUIDE

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delete per Joel Hunt
email on 5/14/25

OPTICALLY CENTER TEXT ABOUT CENTERLINE

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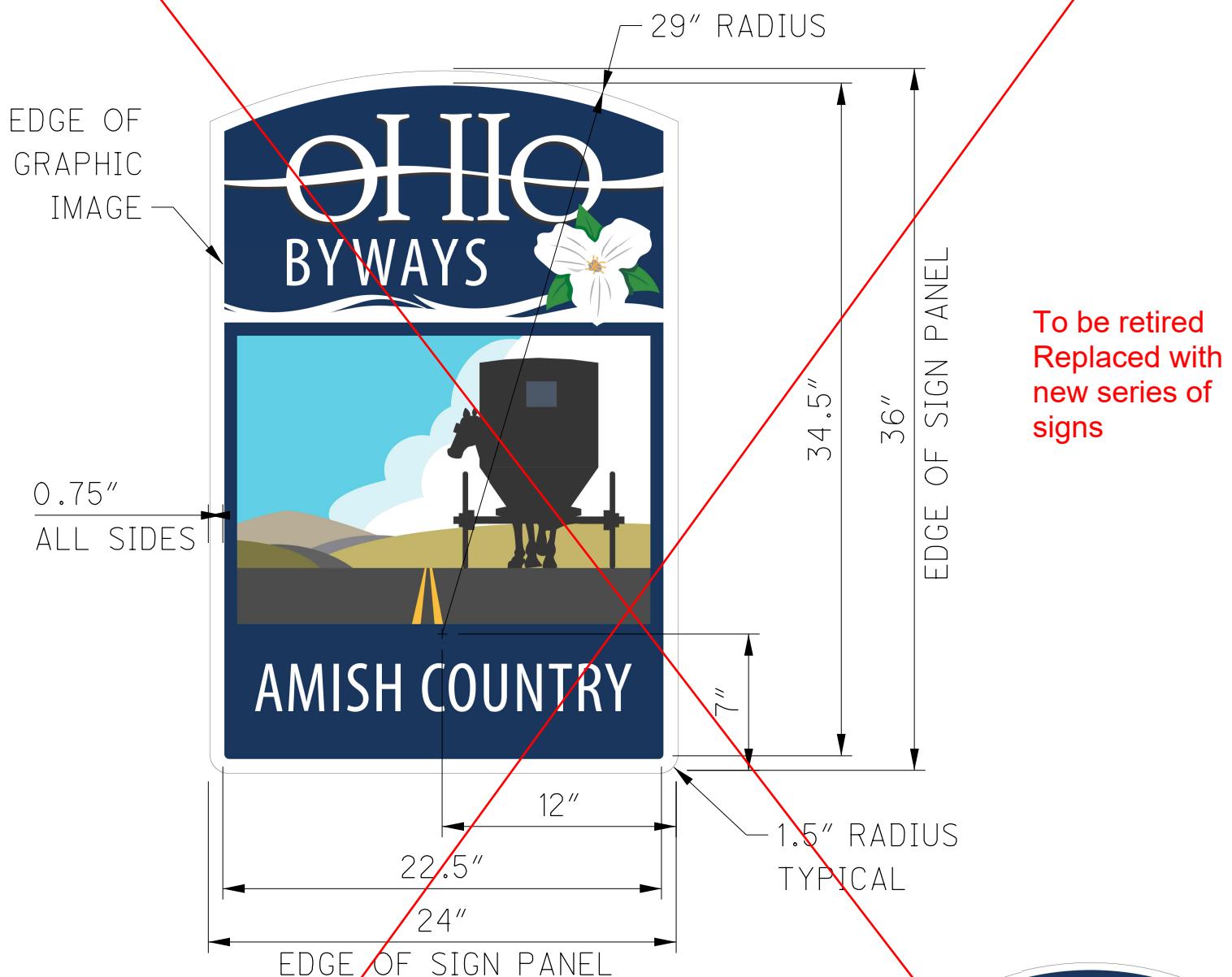
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DATE: 07/15/2022

COLORS: *SEE BELOW

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: M8-H4a



To be retired
Replaced with
new series of
signs

THIS SIGN WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE ODOT SIGN SHOP

* GRAPHICS FILE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST



STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

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DATE: 04/21/2023

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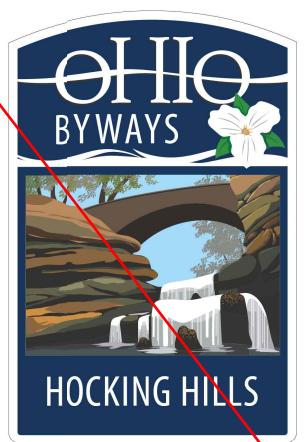
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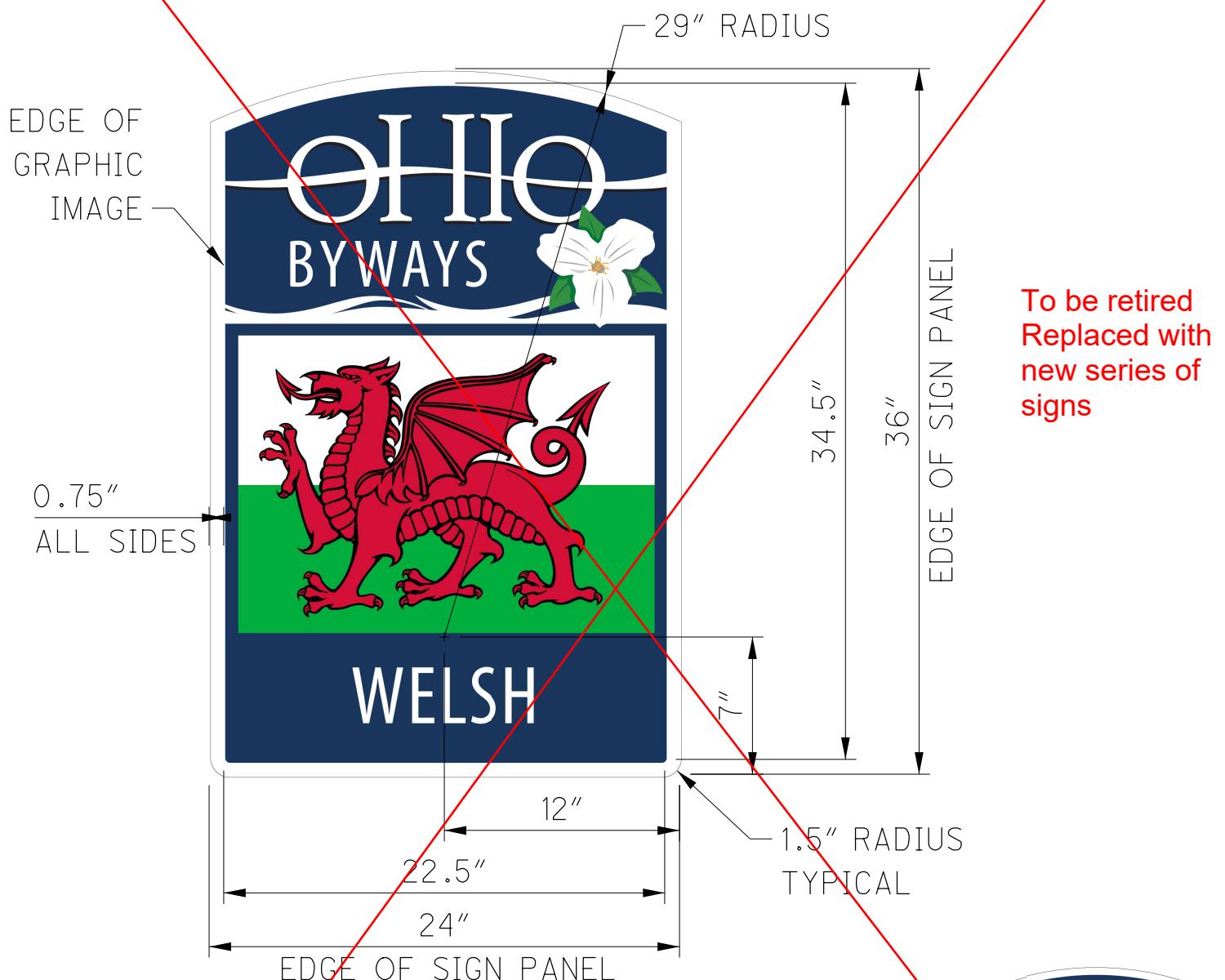
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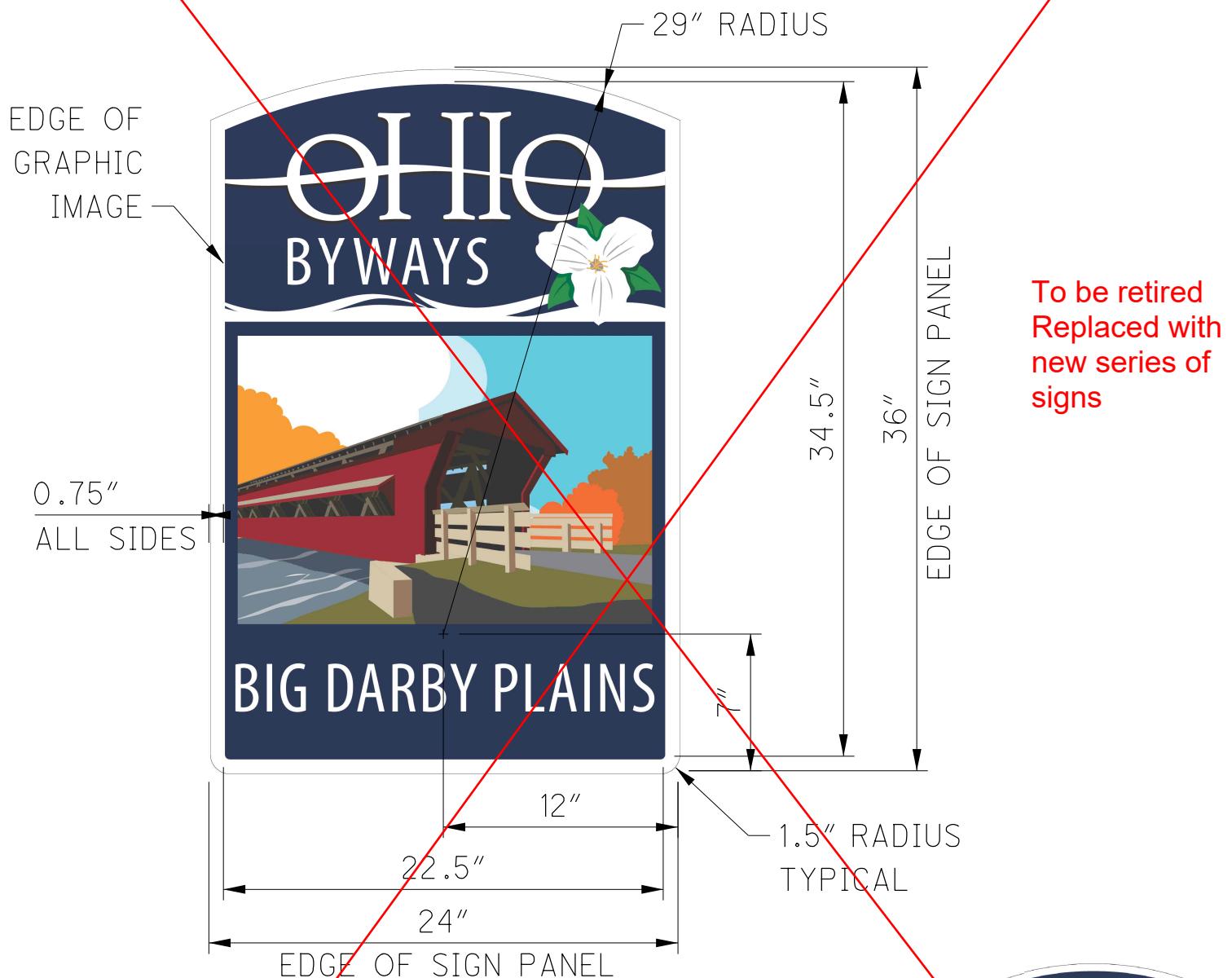
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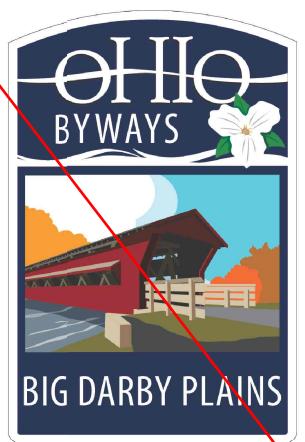
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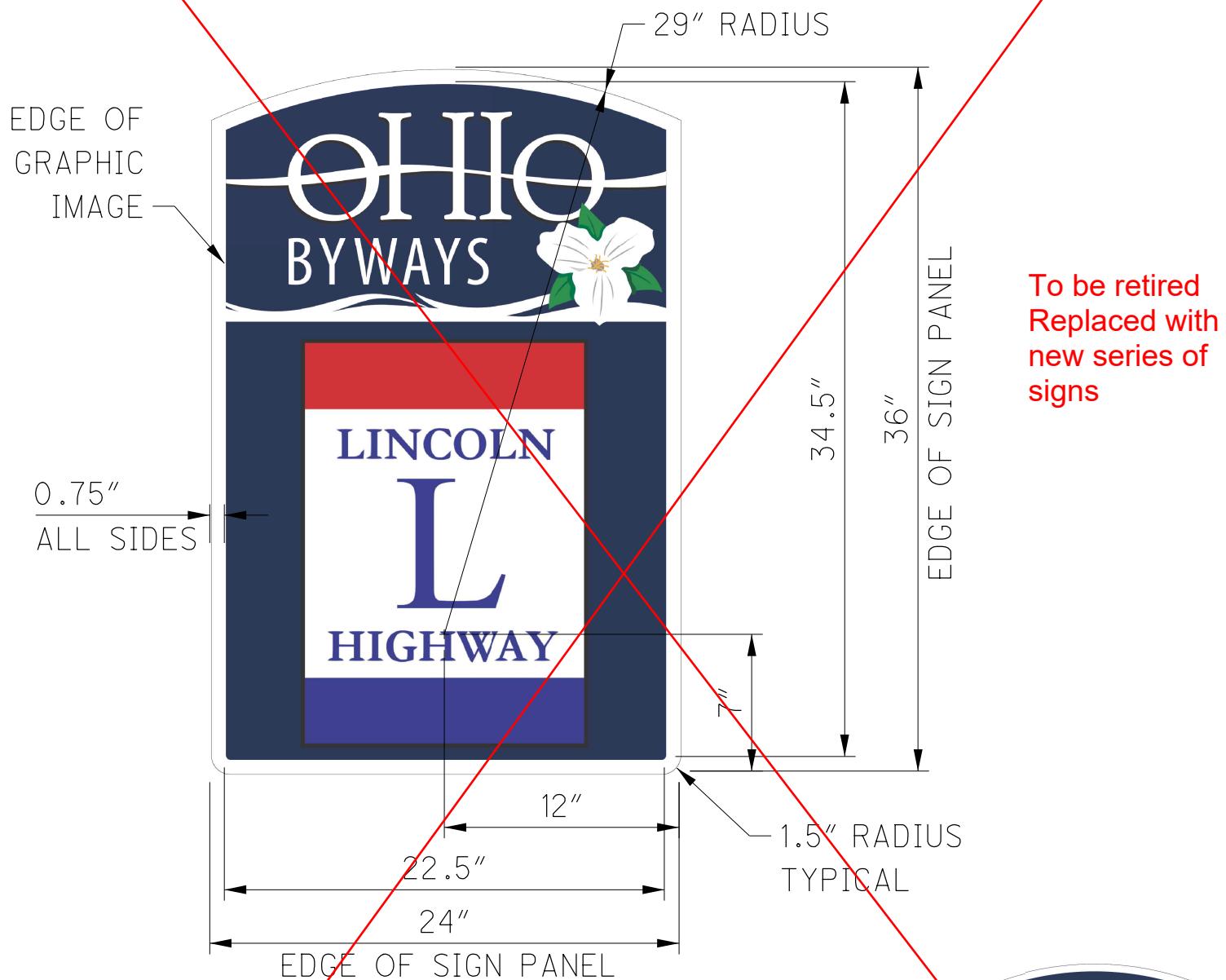
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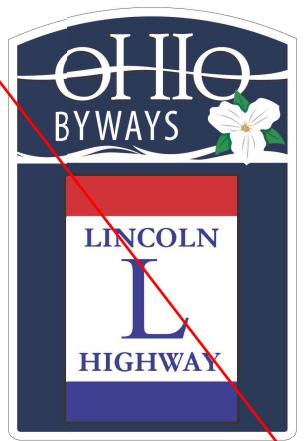
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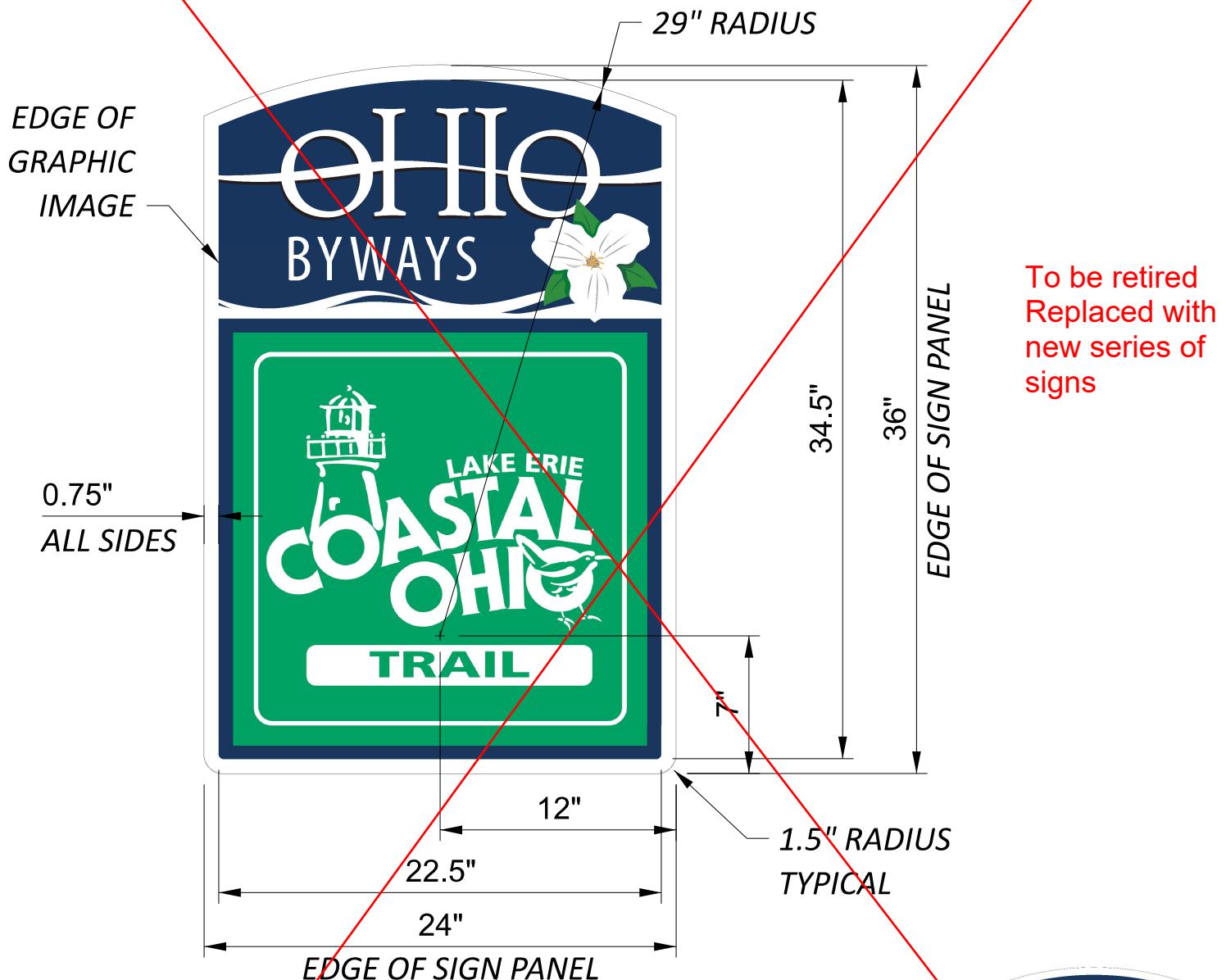
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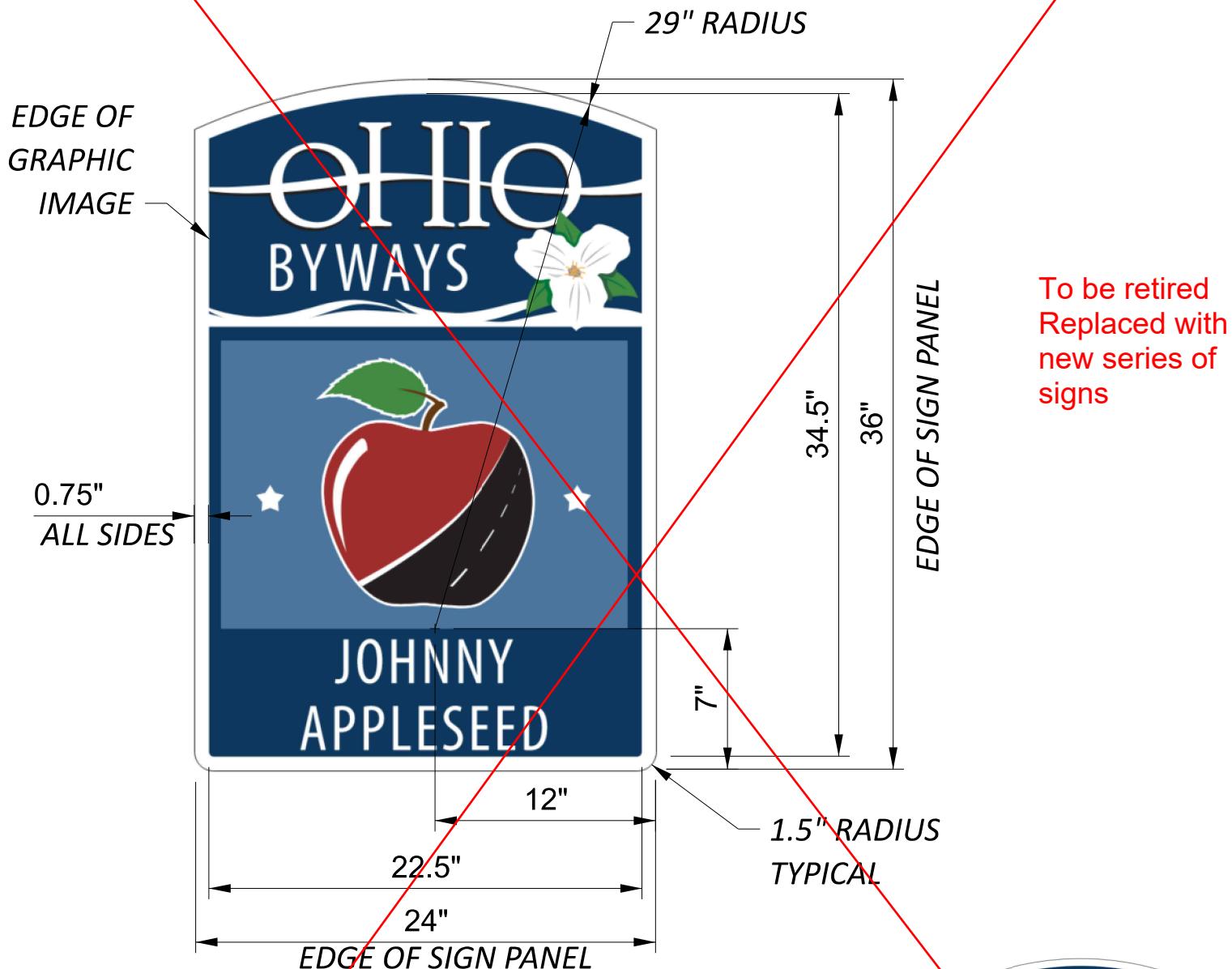
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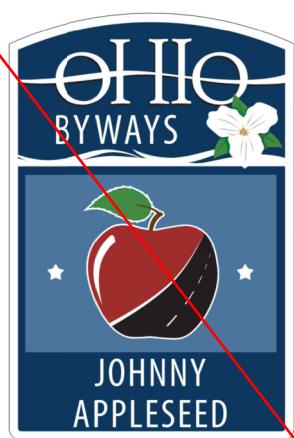
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Added July 2025



M10-H3aa



M10-H3ae



M10-H3aq



M10-H3aw



M10-H3at



M10-H3an



M10-H3as



Sign Dimensions
and Details to be
similar to Heritage
Corridors of Bath
Sign approved with
July 2025 updates

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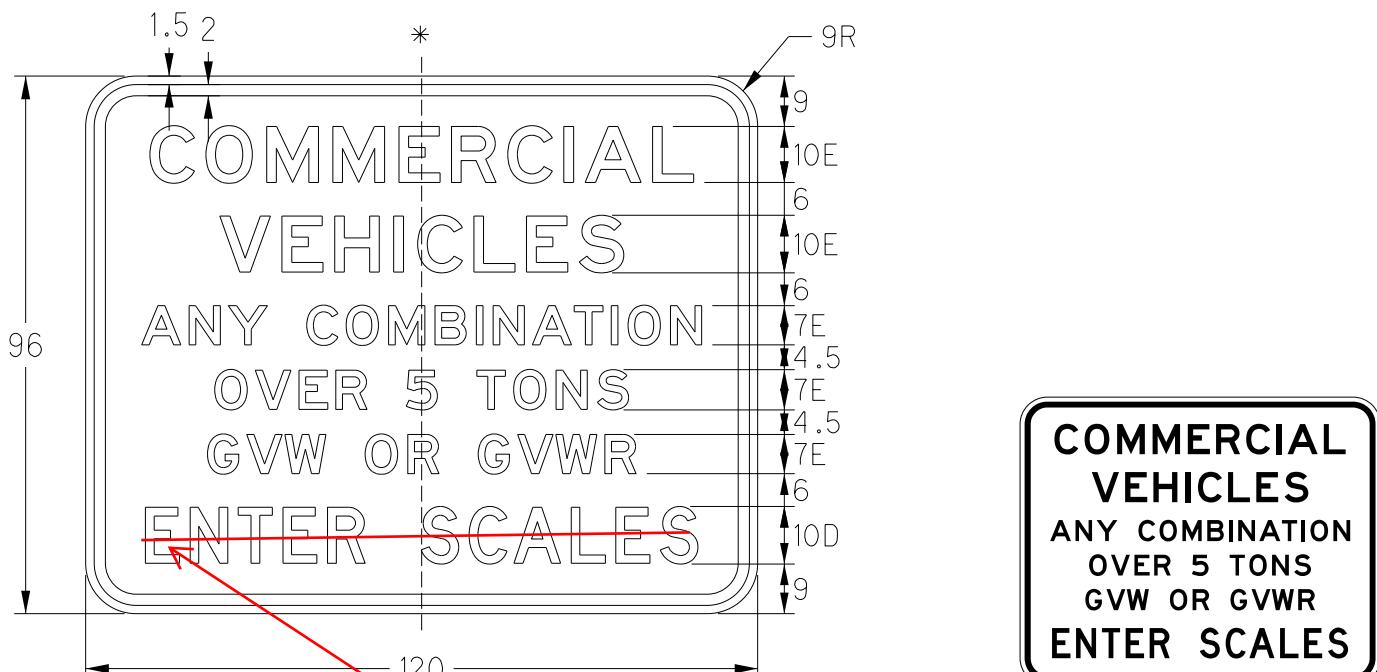
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DATE: 07/18/2025

COLORS: BLACK ON WHITE

SERIES: REGULATORY

CODE NO.: R13-H1



"MUST ENTER
WEIGH STATION"

Engineering Reason
for Change: Aligning
with the MUTCD

*OPTICALLY CENTER LEGEND ABOUT CENTERLINE

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

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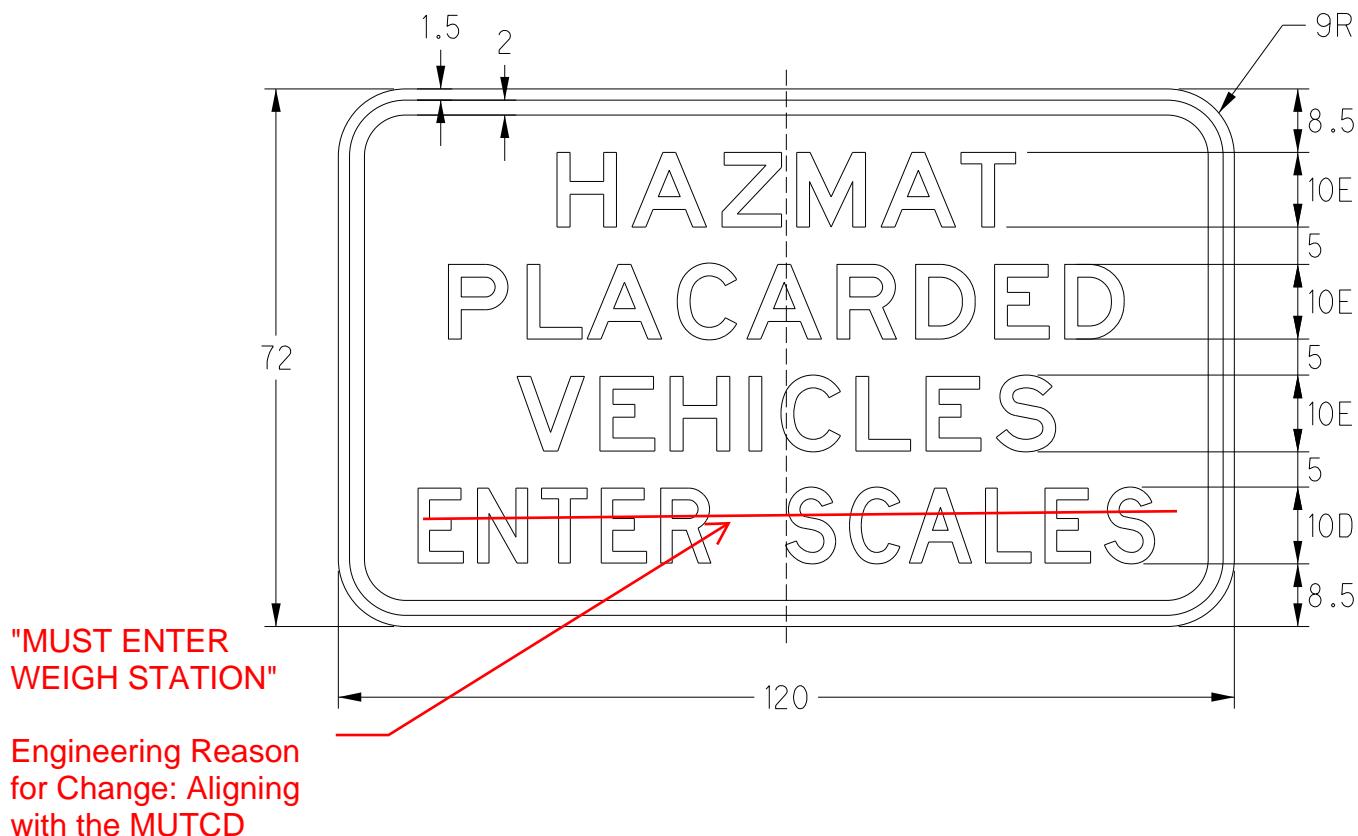
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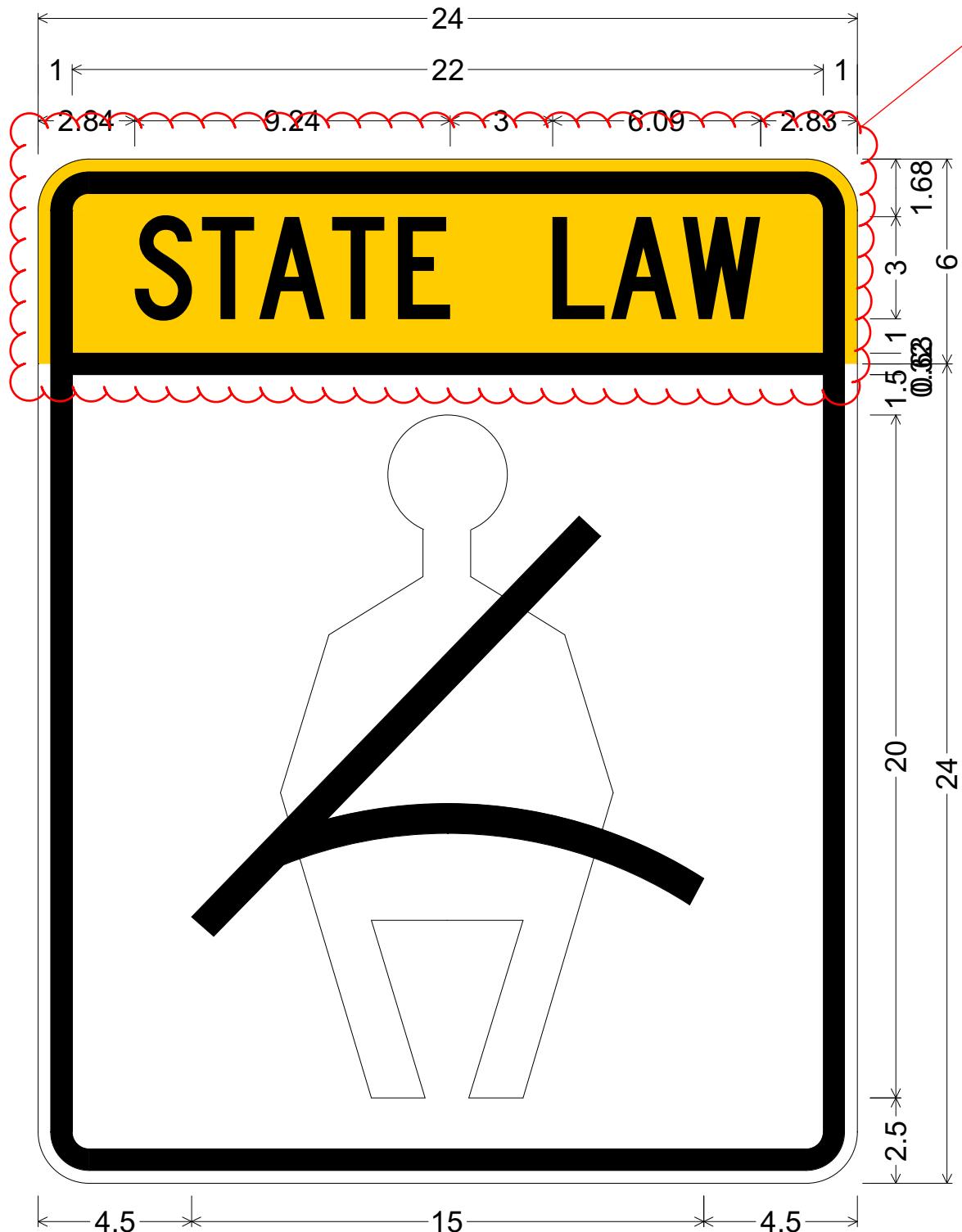
SERIES: REGULATORY

CODE NO.: R13-H2



R16-H1

Add Yellow "STATE LAW" to top, remove from the bottom



1.50" Radius, 0.63" Border, 0.38" Indent, Black on Yellow;
"STATE LAW", C 2K;

1.50" Radius, 0.63" Border, 0.38" Indent, Black on White;

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

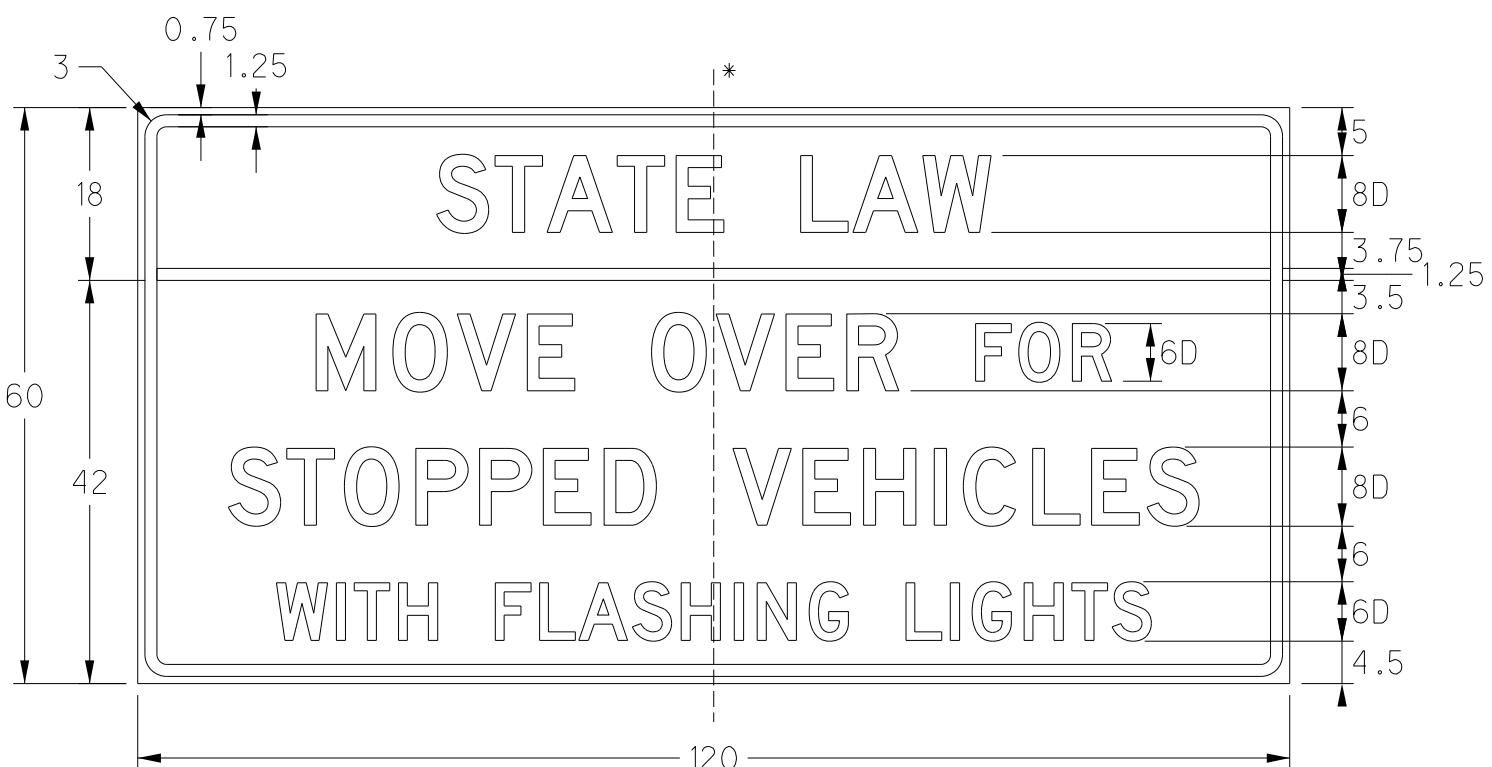
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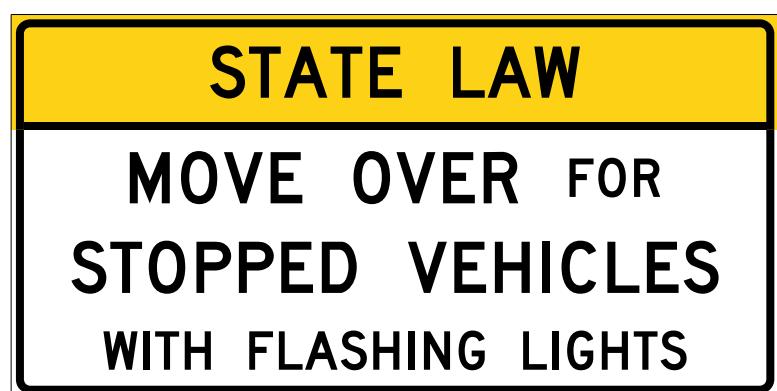
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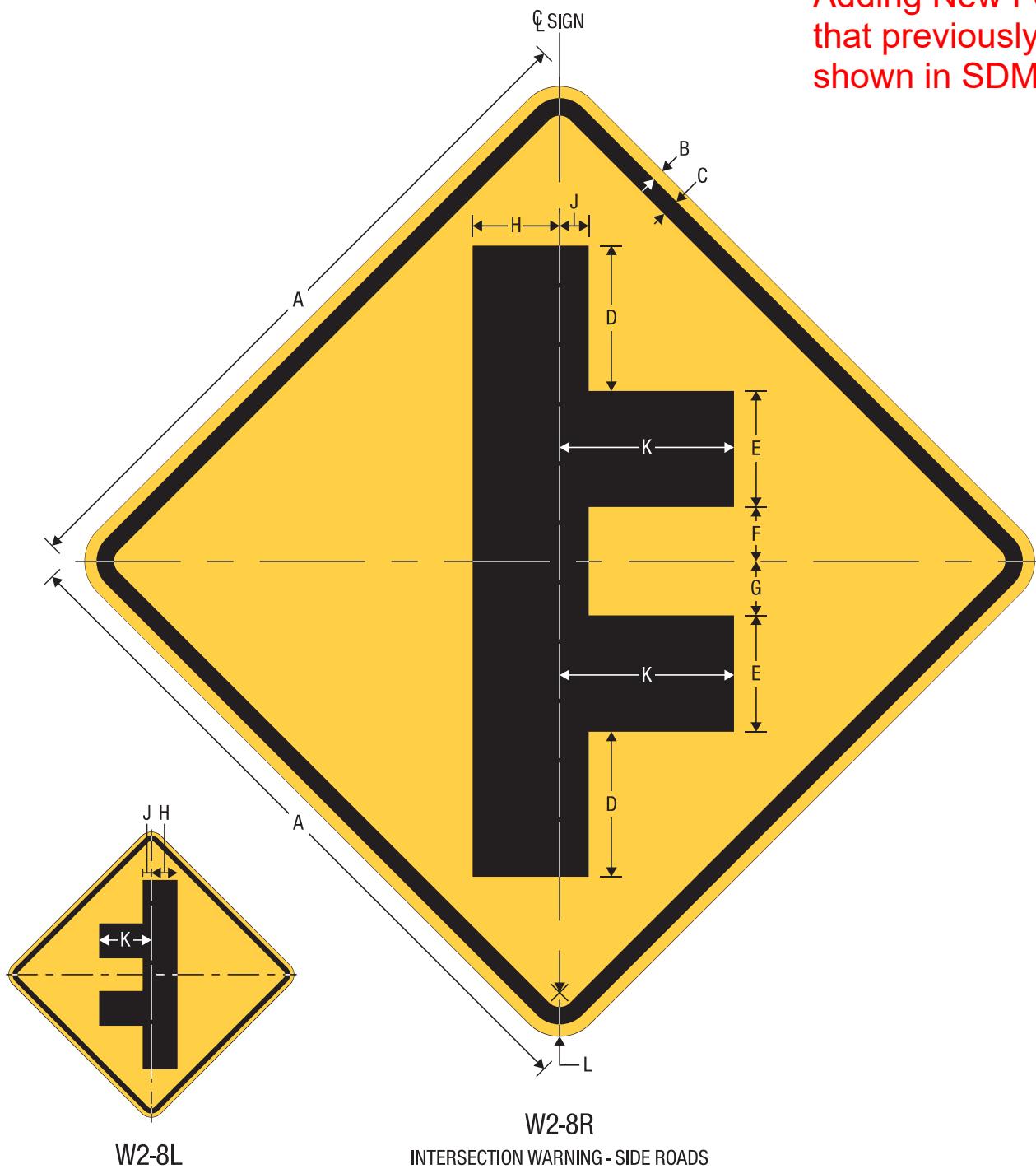
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*OPTICALLY CENTER LEGEND ABOUT VERTICAL CENTERLINE



Adding New Fed sign
that previously was not
shown in SDMM



| A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | J | K | L |
|----|-------|-------|------|---|-------|-------|------|------|-----|-------|
| 24 | 0.375 | 0.625 | 5 | 4 | 1.875 | 1.875 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 1.5 |
| 30 | 0.5 | 0.75 | 6.25 | 5 | 2.344 | 2.343 | 3.75 | 1.25 | 7.5 | 1.875 |
| 36 | 0.625 | 0.875 | 7.5 | 6 | 2.813 | 2.812 | 4.5 | 1.5 | 9 | 2.25 |
| 48 | 0.75 | 1.25 | 10 | 8 | 3.75 | 3.75 | 6 | 2 | 12 | 3 |

COLORS: LEGEND, BORDER — BLACK
BACKGROUND — YELLOW (RETROREFLECTIVE)

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

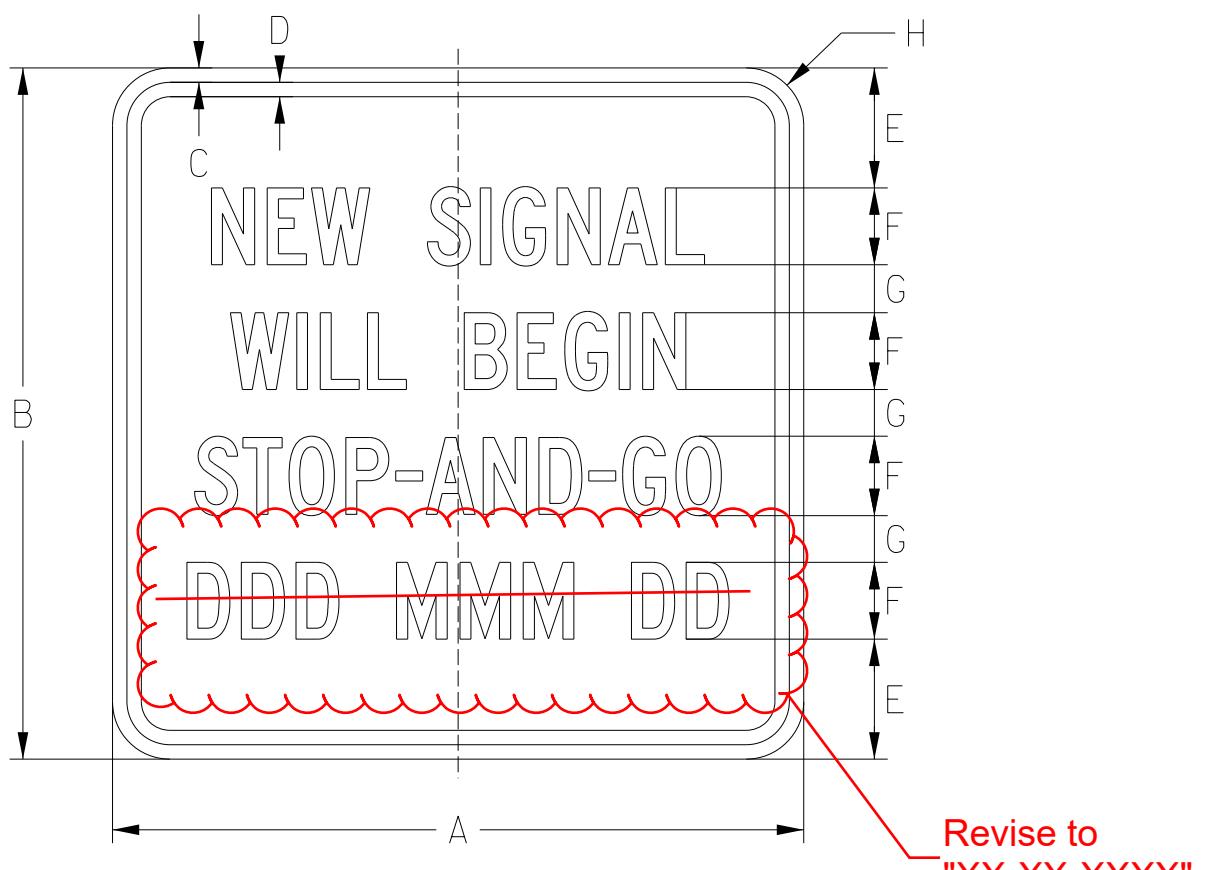
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 01/19/2024

COLORS: BLACK ON ORANGE

SERIES: WARNING

CODE NO.: W24-H2a



*REDUCE SPACING 25%

OPTICALLY CENTER TEXT ABOUT CENTER LINE

BOTTOM LINE OF LEGEND SHALL READ: ~~DAY MONTH DATE~~

~~(MON-TUE-WED-THU-FRI-SAT-SUN)~~

~~(JAN FEB MAR APR MAY JUN JUL AUG SEP OCT NOV DEC)~~

XX-XX-XXXX = MM-DD-YYYY

(e.g., 07-04-2025)

Show updated Sign



| ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-------|-------|-------|---|------|------|
| A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H |
| 18 | 18 | 0.375 | 0.375 | 3.125 | 2 | 1.25 | 1.5 |
| 48 | 36 | 0.625 | 0.875 | 3.5 | 5 | 3 | 2.25 |

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

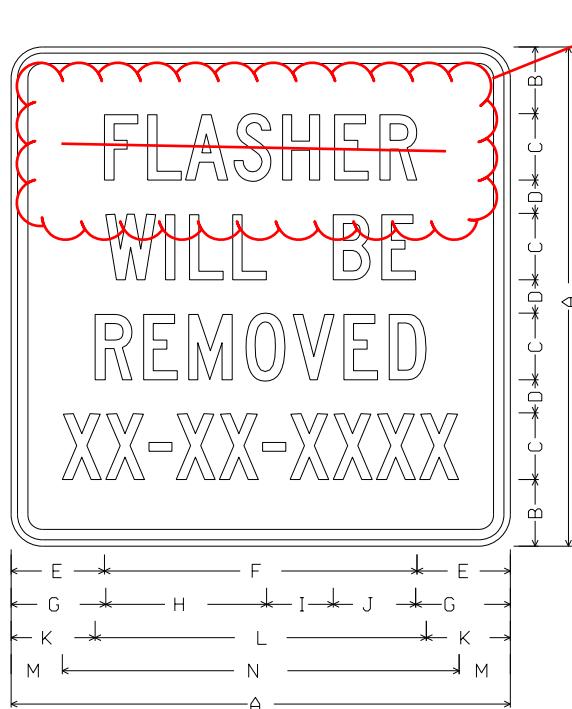
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COLORS: SEE BELOW

SERIES: WARNING

CODE NO.: W24-H2d



"FLASHER", C 2K; "WILL BE", C 2K;
"REMOVED", C 2K; "XX-XX-XXXX", C 2K;

Keep Black on Yellow as
option but show example
sign as Black on Orange

COLORS -
WARNING USE: BLACK ON YELLOW
WORK ZONE USE: BLACK ON ORANGE

XX-XX-XXXX = MM-DD-YYYY
(e.g., 07-04-2020)



30" SIGN: RADIUS - 1.875; BORDER - 0.75" INDENT - 0.5"

36" SIGN: RADIUS - 2.25; BORDER - 0.875" INDENT - 0.625"

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| ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----|---|-----|------|------|------|------|---|------|------|-------|--|
| A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | I | J | K | L | |
| 30 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 5.6 | 18.8 | 5.68 | 9.68 | 4 | 4.96 | 5.04 | 19.92 | |
| 36 | 3.5 | 5 | 3 | 6.25 | 23.5 | 6.35 | 12.1 | 5 | 6.2 | 5.55 | 24.9 | |
| 48 | 6.6 | 6 | 3.6 | 9.9 | 28.2 | 10 | 14.5 | 6 | 7.5 | 6.1 | 29.8 | |

| M | N |
|------|-------|
| 3.08 | 23.84 |
| 3.1 | 29.8 |
| 6.1 | 35.8 |

Adjust E and F if necessary
with new legend

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

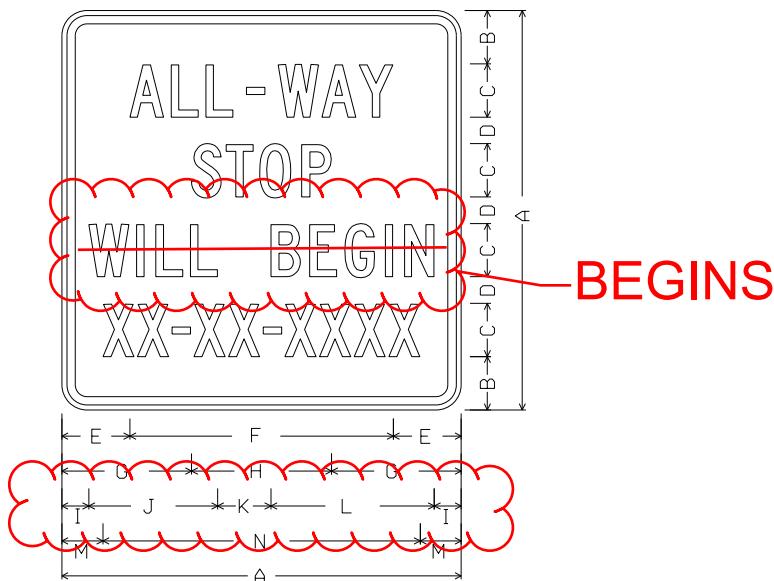
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DATE: 07/17/20

COLORS: SEE BELOW

SERIES: WARNING

CODE NO.: W24-H2e



[ALL] C 2K; [-] C 2K; [WAY] C 2K;
 [STOP] C 2K; [WILL BEGIN] C 2K;
 [XX-XX-XXXX] C 2K;

COLORS-
 WARNING USE: BLACK ON YELLOW
 WORK ZONE USE: BLACK ON ORANGE

XX-XX-XXXX = MM-DD-YYYYY
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|----|-----|---|-----|------|------|------|-------|------|------|---|-------|
| 30 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 5.1 | 19.8 | 9.74 | 10.58 | 2.02 | 9.68 | 4 | 12.28 |
| 36 | 3.5 | 5 | 3 | 6.6 | 22.8 | 11.4 | 13.2 | 2.7 | 11.4 | 5 | 14.2 |
| 48 | 6.6 | 6 | 3.6 | 10.3 | 27.4 | 16.1 | 15.8 | 4.5 | 14.5 | 6 | 18.5 |

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These can renamed K & L

Update to reflect revised legend