

ORE - TRAFFIC: January 2026 Proposed SDMM Updates Summary

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Revision Type	Reference	Section Description (Red indicates Change of name from existing)	Description of Revision	New or Deletion	Primary POC
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 Established and Maintained by	<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	STATE LAW / (Seat belt symbol) STATE LAW	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

ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

CODE NO.: D4-H2a



PARK-RIDE
NEXT RIGHT

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

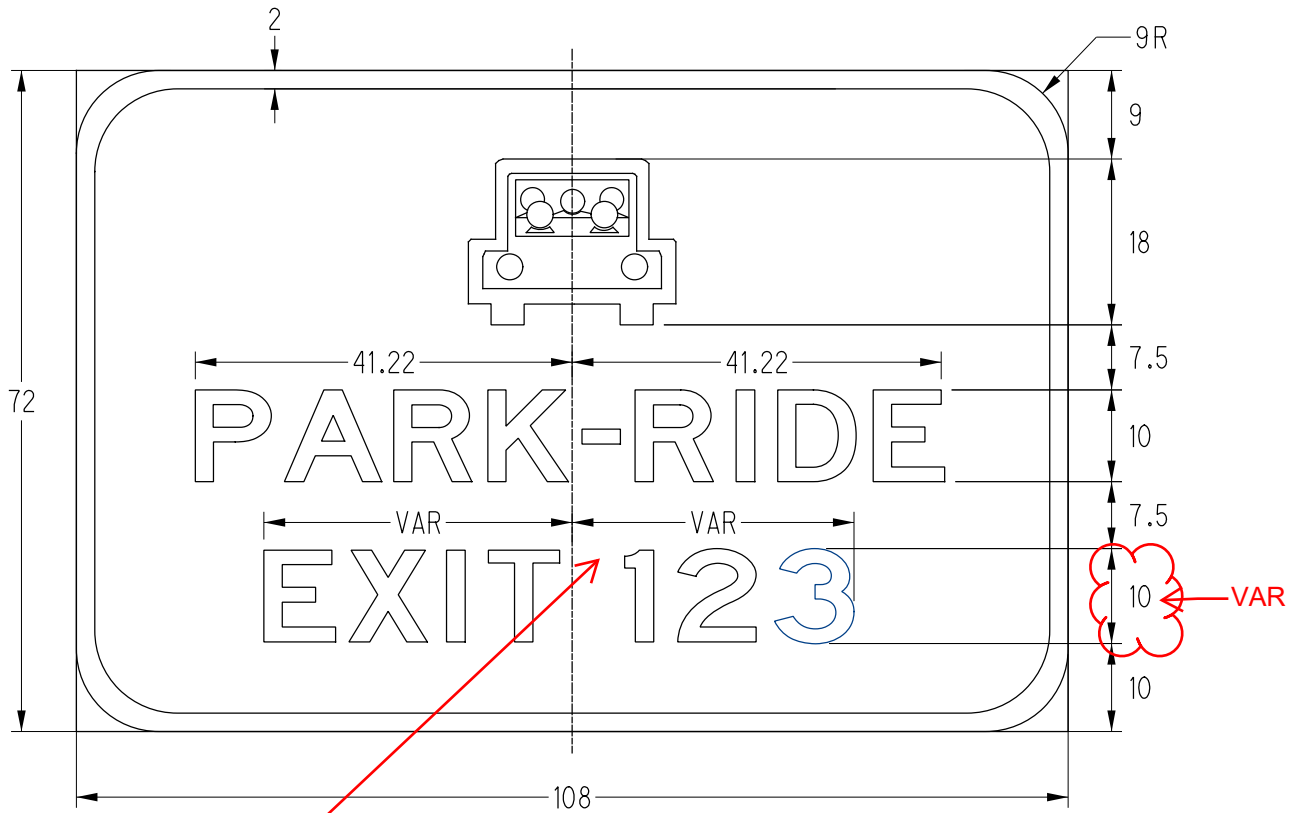
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: ~~07/15/16~~

COLORS: WHITE ON GREEN

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: D4-H2b



PARK-RIDE 13.33
EXIT Size 10, 123 Size 15

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



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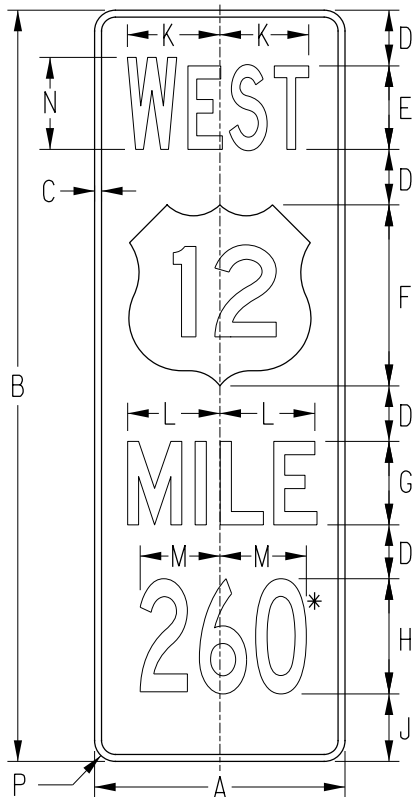
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 01/19/2024

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: D10-4



*OPTICALLY LOCATE NUMERALS ABOUT VERTICAL CENTERLINE

Change background to green



WHITE ON ~~BLUE~~
Green

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

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

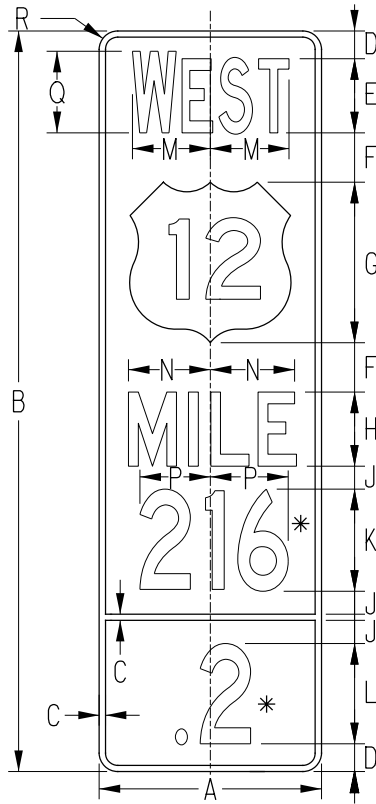
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DATE: 01/19/2024

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: D10-5



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	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

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

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

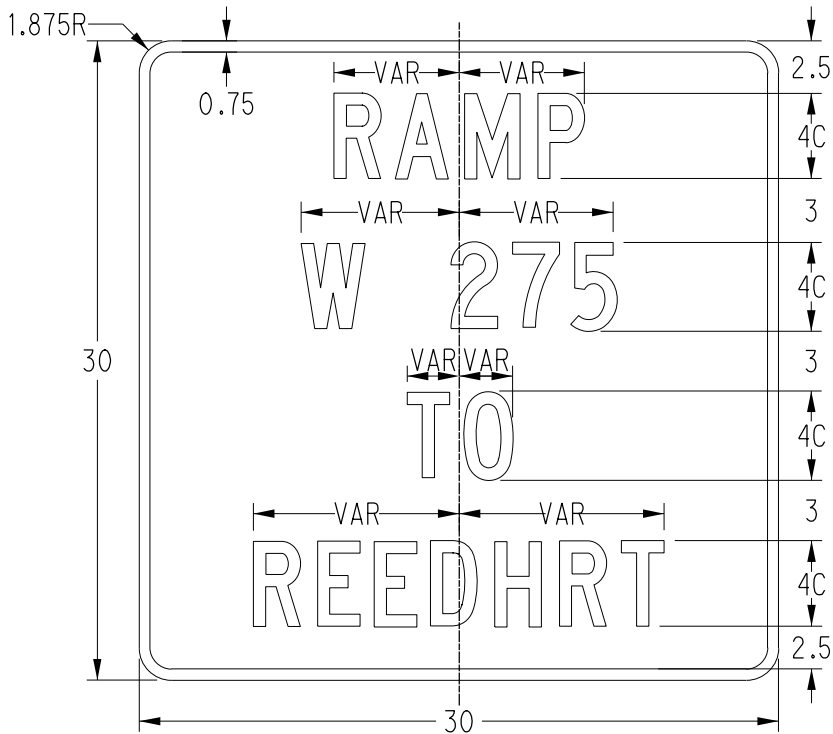
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 01/16/26

COLORS: WHITE ON GREEN

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: D10-H5a



Updated sheet showing
white on green



ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

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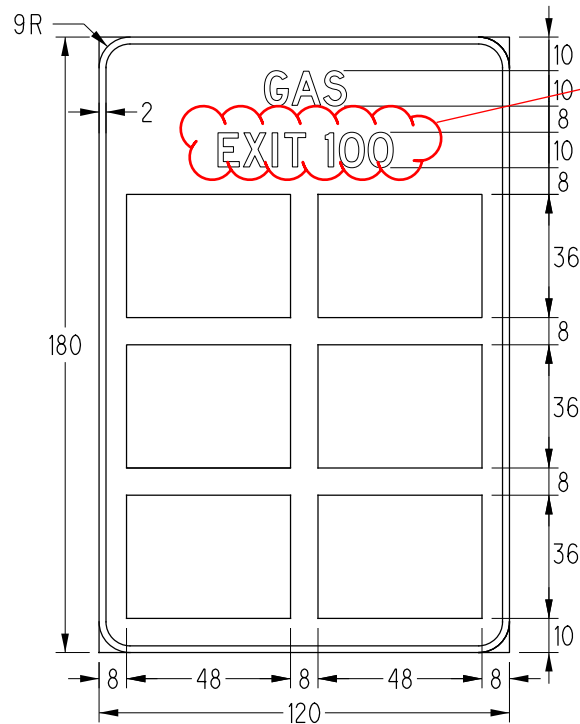
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 07/18/14

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: E9-H1a



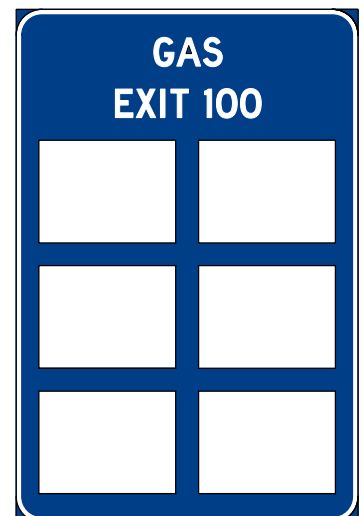
Move to the same line as gas

SERVICE CATEGORIES: GAS, FOOD, LODGING, CAMPING, AND ATTRACTION

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

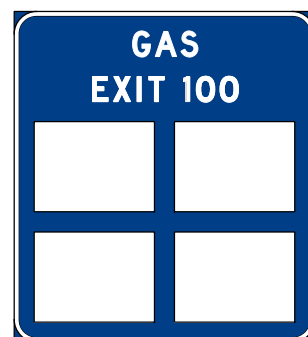
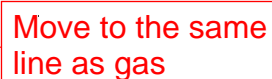
USAGE NOTE: THIS SIGN IS USED ON FREEWAYS AND EXPRESSWAYS AT SINGLE EXIT INTERCHANGES

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES



ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

CODE NO.: E9-H2a



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

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

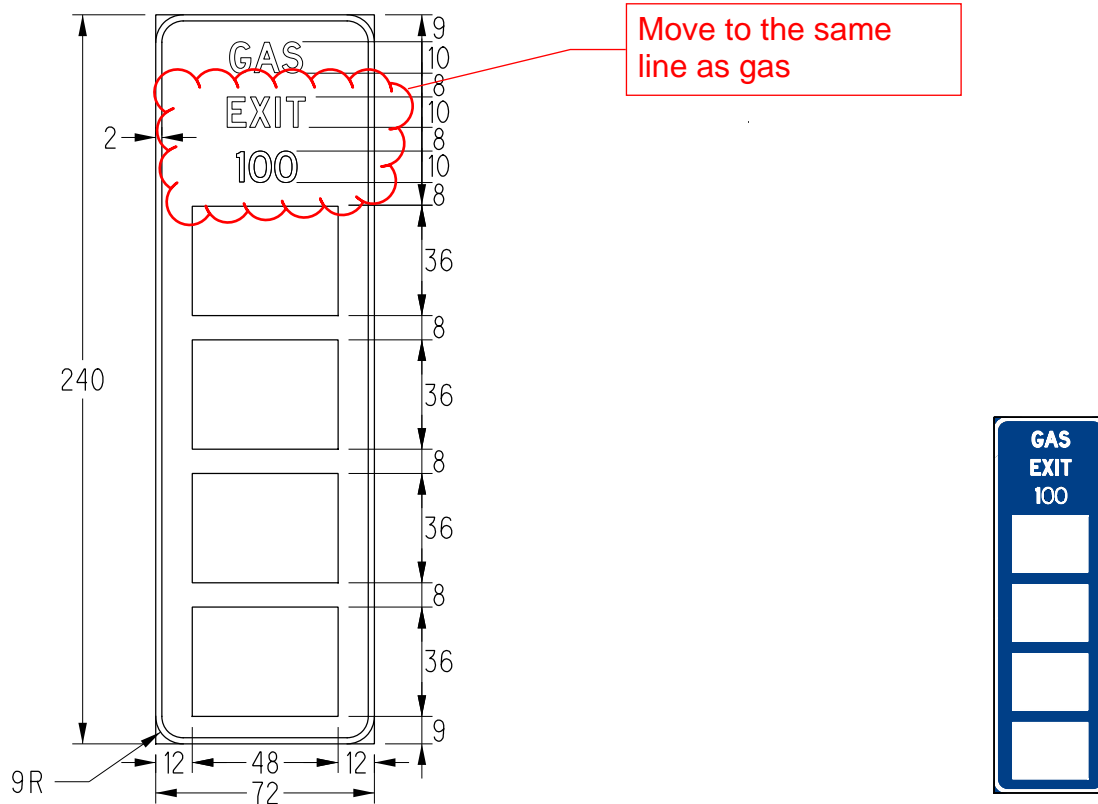
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DATE: 07/18/14

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: E9-H2b



SERVICE CATEGORIES: GAS, FOOD, LODGING, CAMPING, AND ATTRACTION

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

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

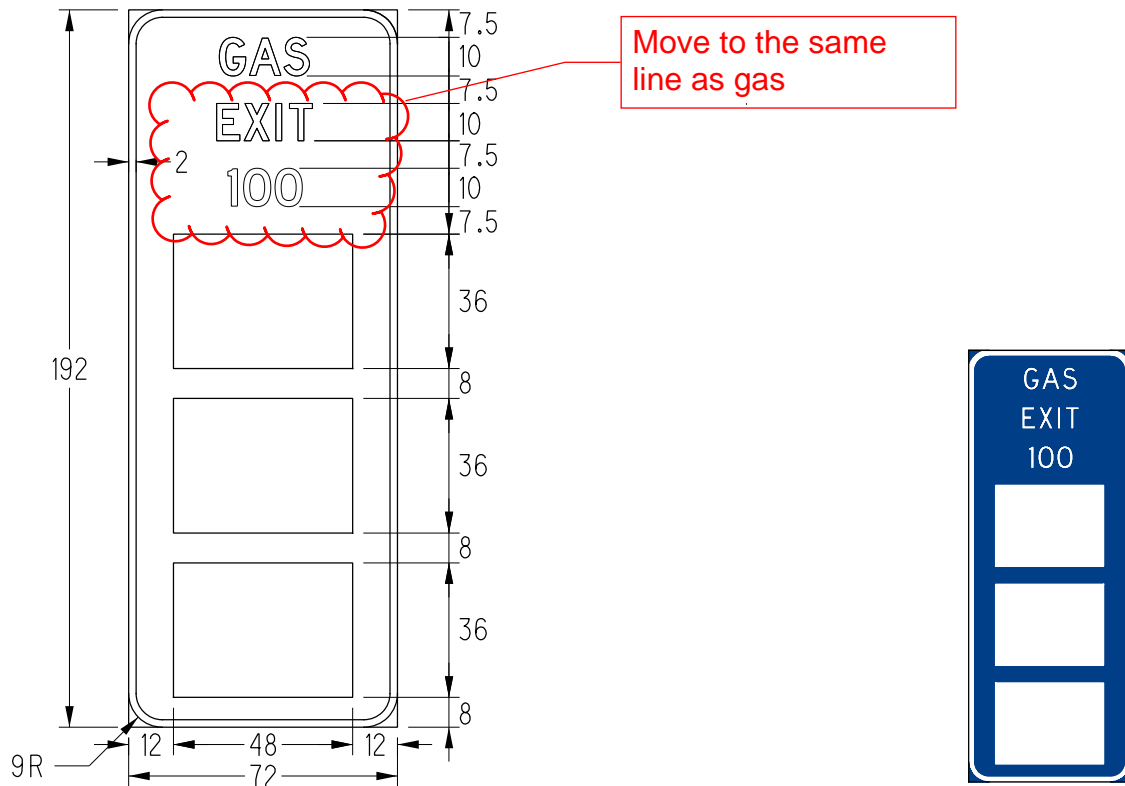
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DATE: 07/18/14

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: E9-H3a



SERVICE CATEGORIES: GAS, FOOD, LODGING, CAMPING, AND ATTRACTION

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

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

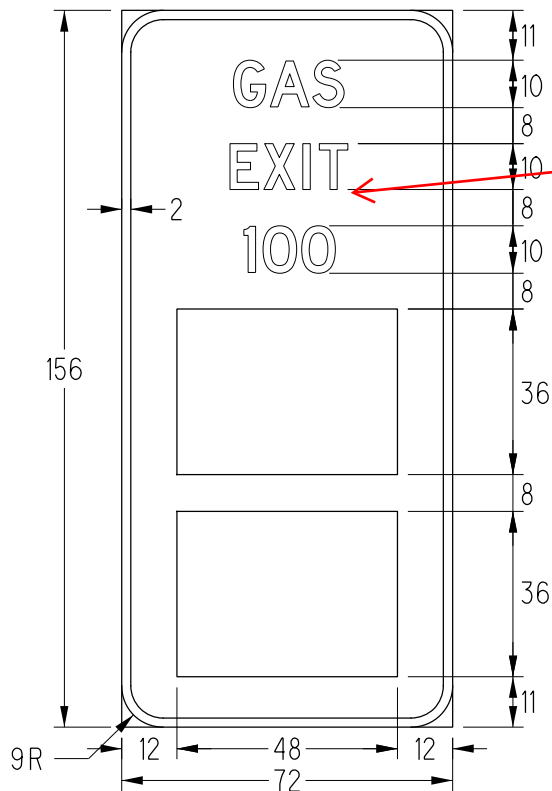
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DATE: 07/18/14

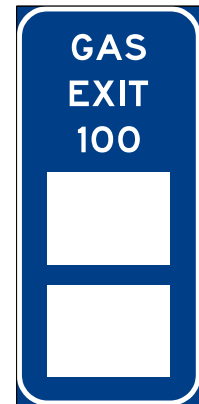
COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: E9-H4d



Move exit and exit number to the same line as gas, resulting in some sign dimension changes



SERVICE CATEGORIES: GAS, FOOD, LODGING, CAMPING, AND ATTRACTIONS

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

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

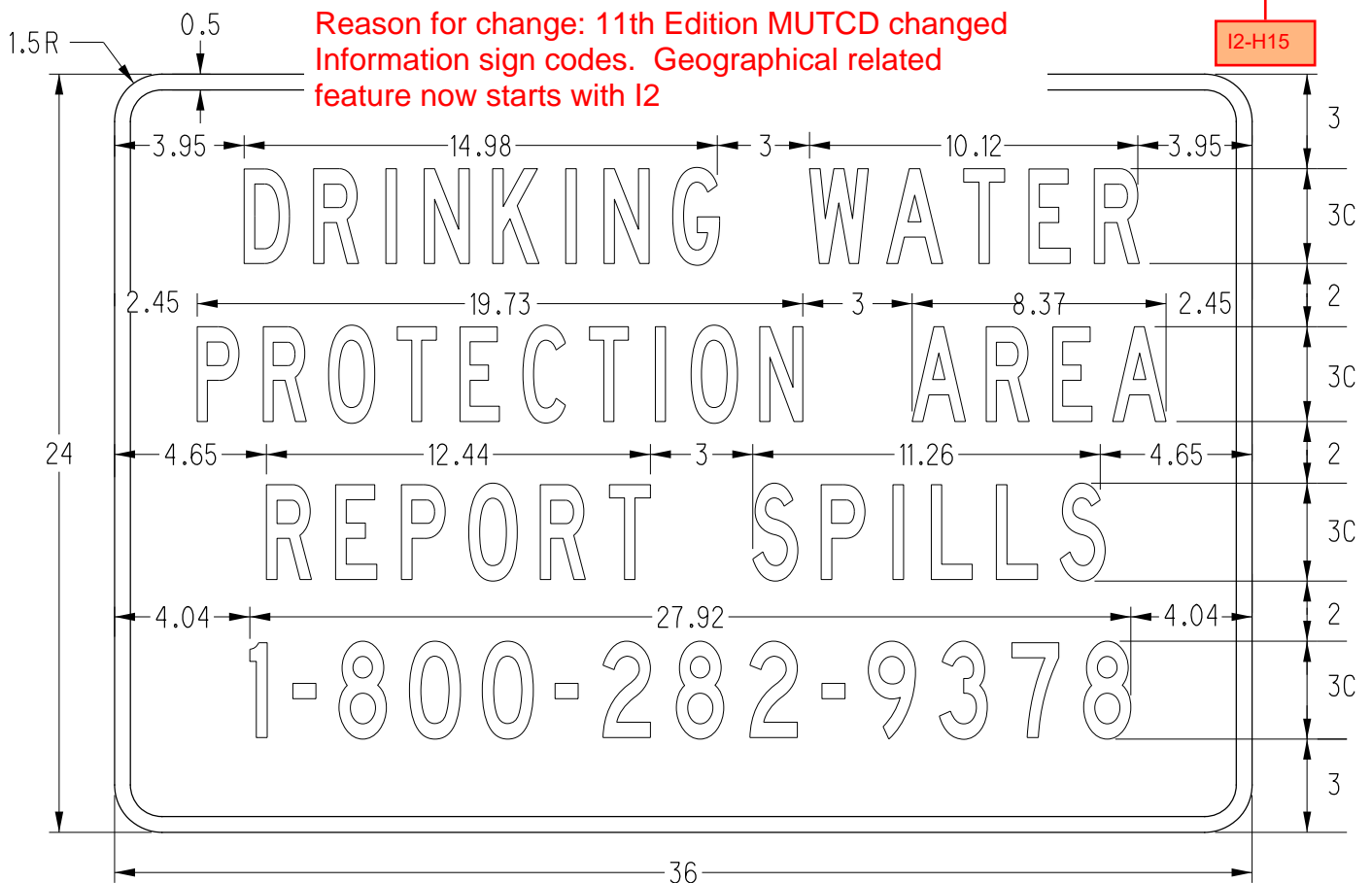
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DATE: 07/18/14

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: I-H15



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

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES



Change background to green

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

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

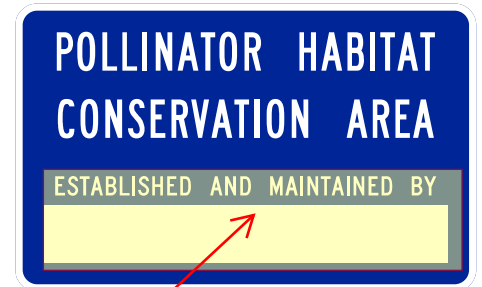
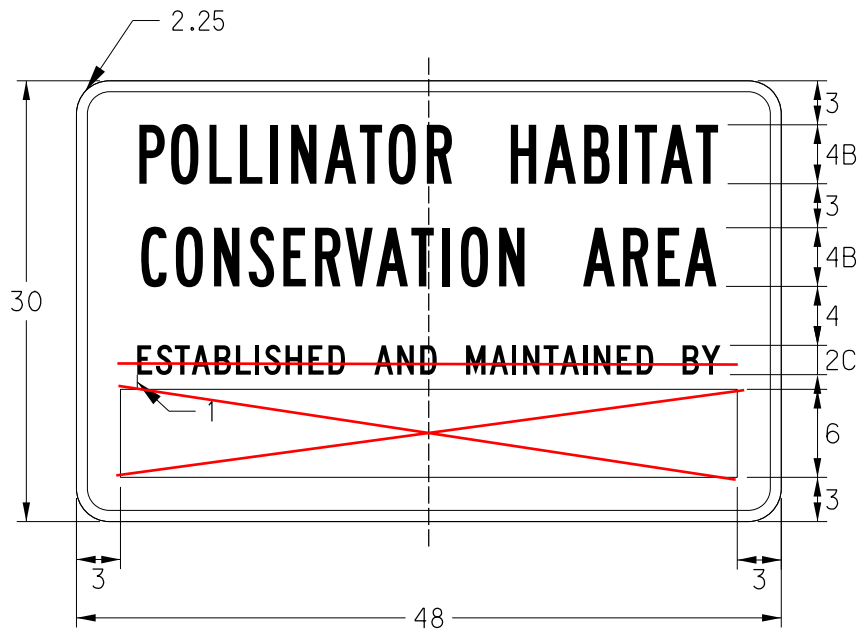
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DATE: 07/19/24

COLORS: WHITE ON BLUE

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: I20-H6a



delete per Joel Hunt
email on 5/14/25

OPTICALLY CENTER TEXT ABOUT CENTERLINE

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STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

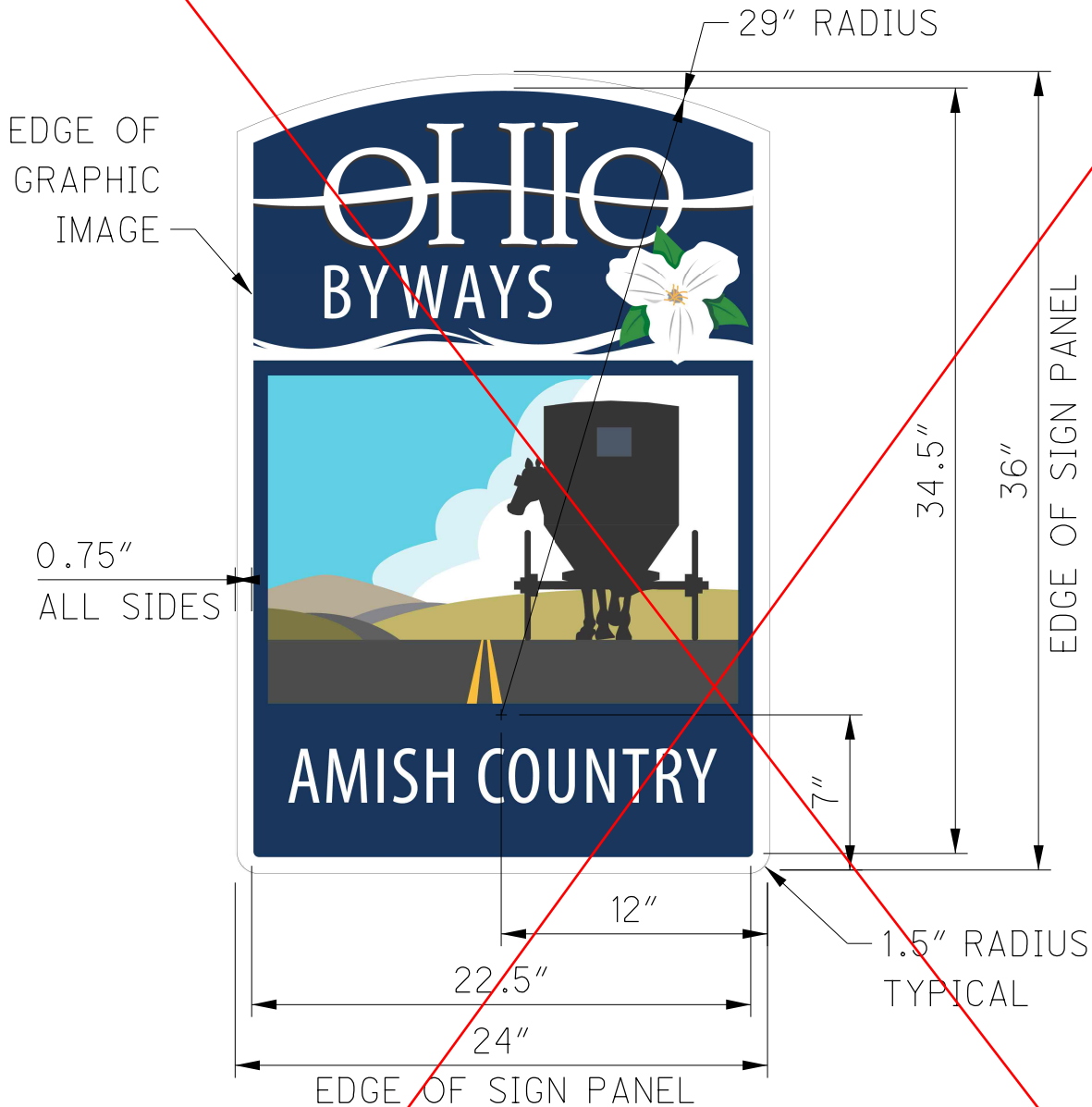
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

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

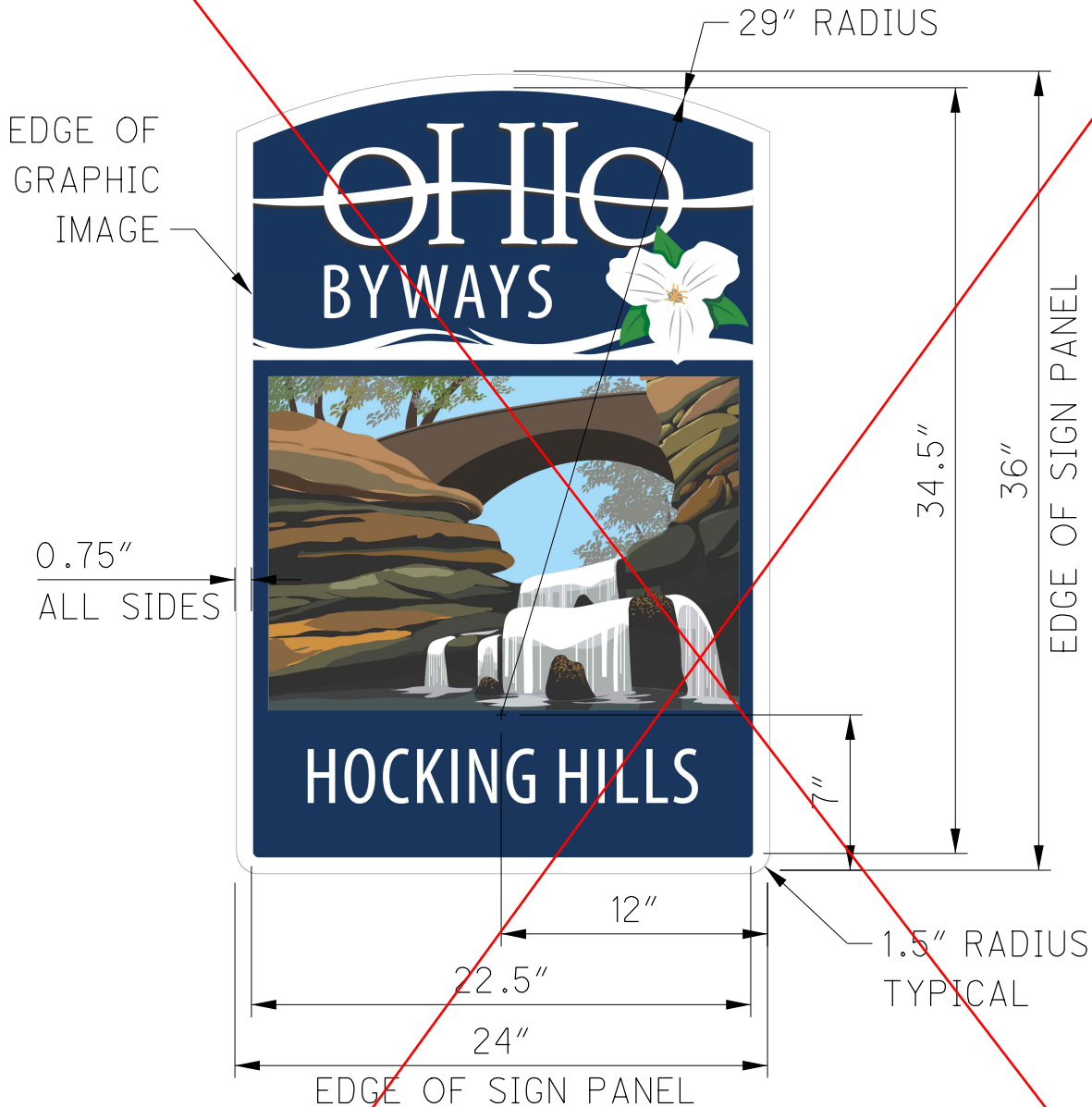
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 04/21/2023

COLORS: *SEE BELOW

SERIES: GUIDE

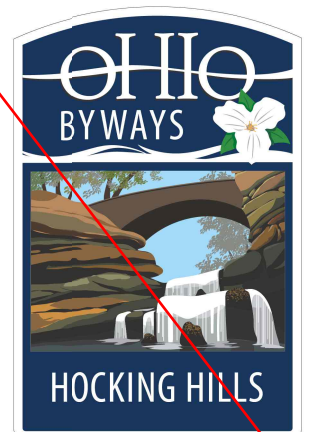
CODE NO.: M8-H4e



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signs

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STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

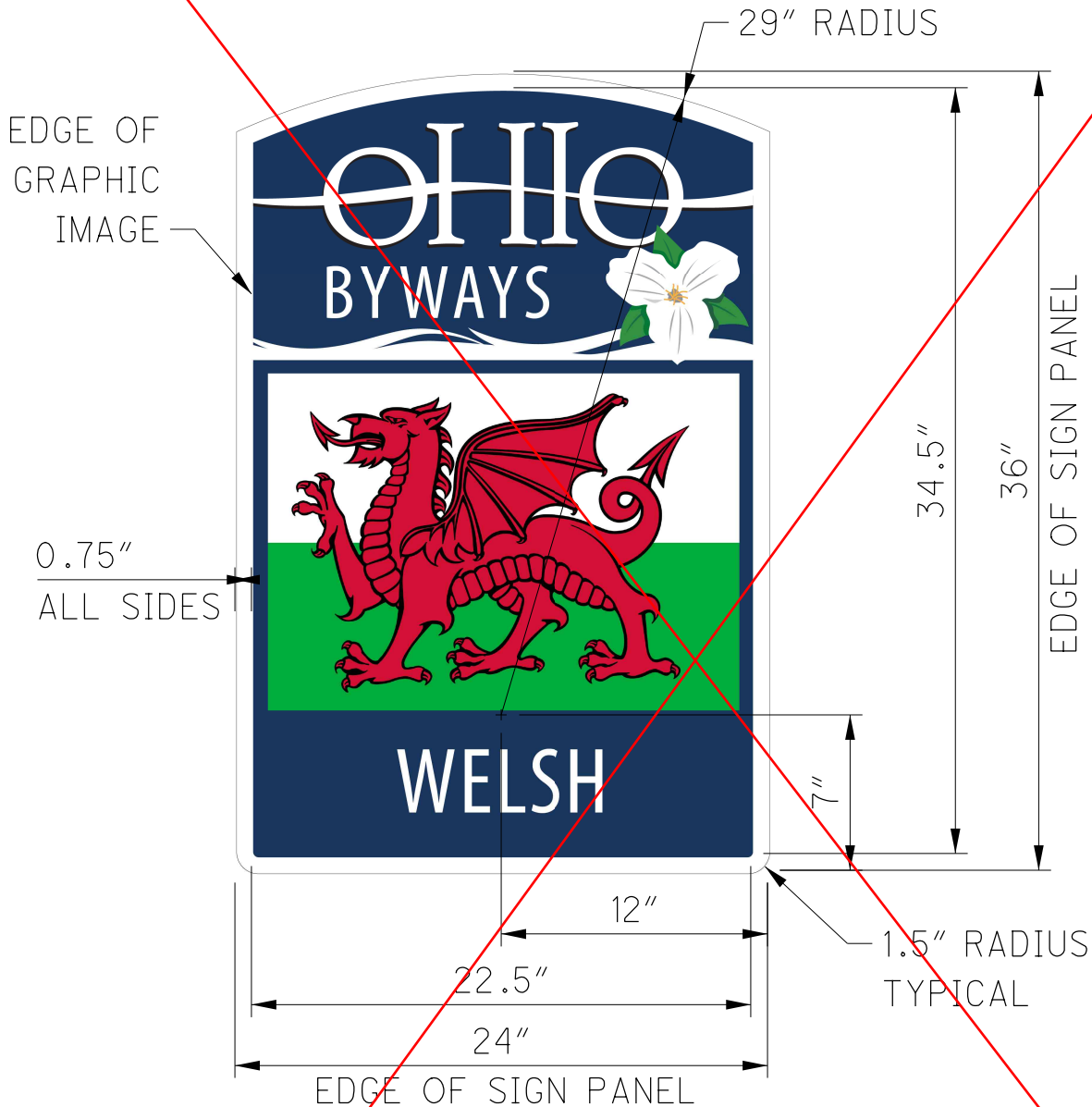
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 01/19/2024

COLORS: *SEE BELOW

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: M8-H4n



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signs

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STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

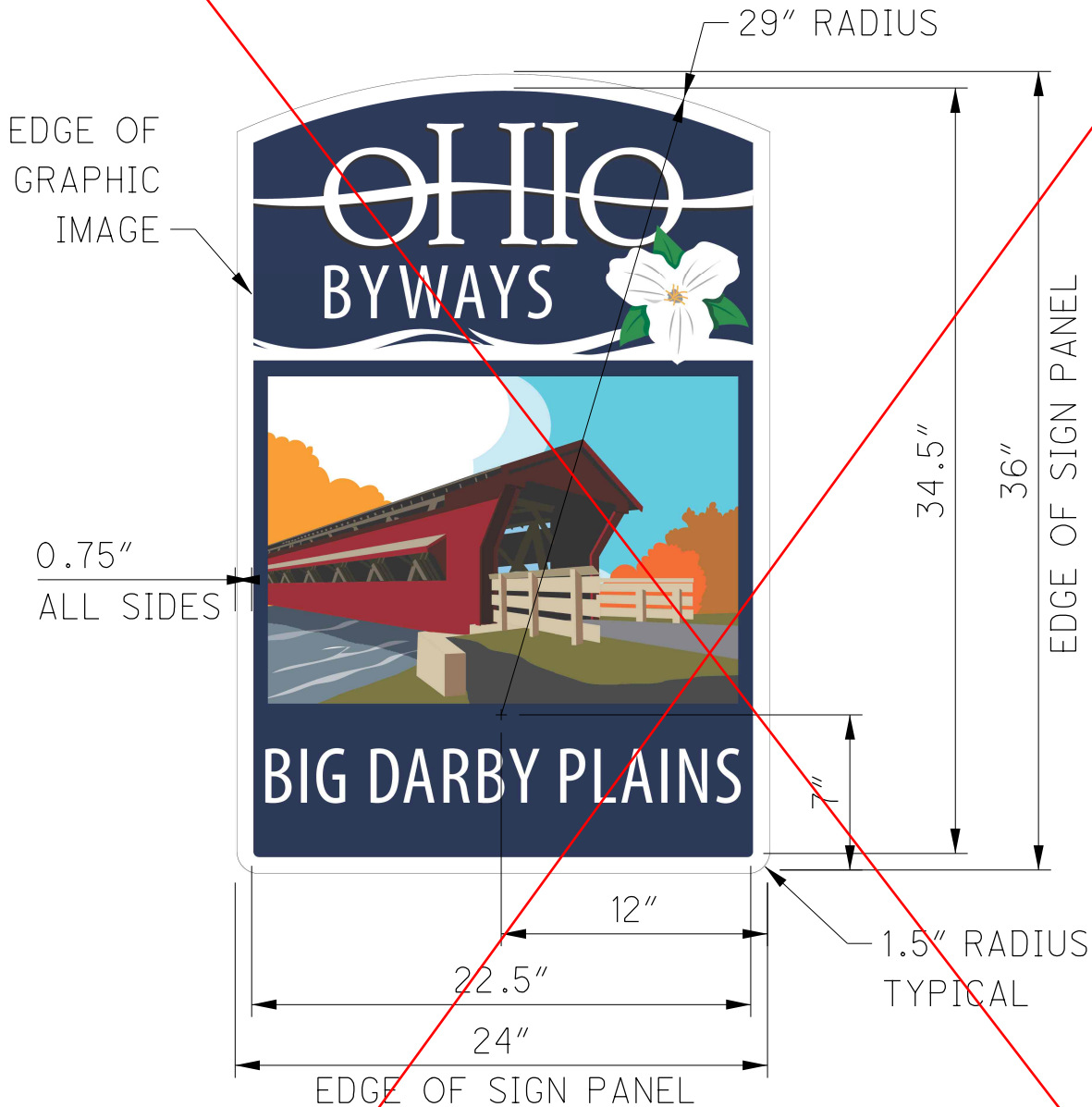
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 01/20/2023

COLORS: *SEE BELOW

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: M8-H4q



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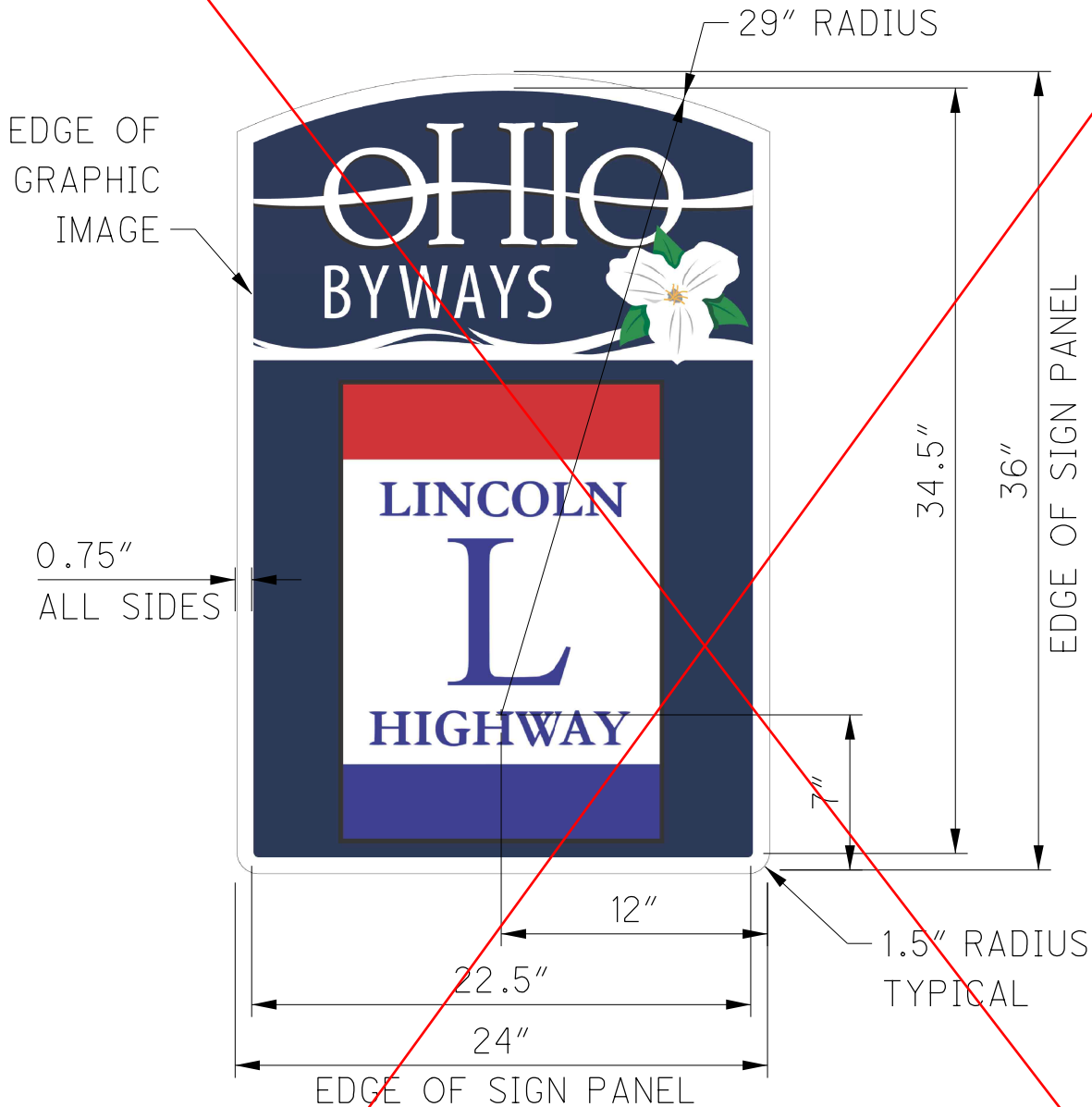
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 01/20/2023

COLORS: *SEE BELOW

SERIES: GUIDE

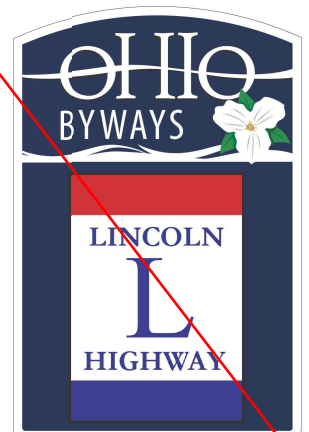
CODE NO : M8-H4s



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signs

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STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

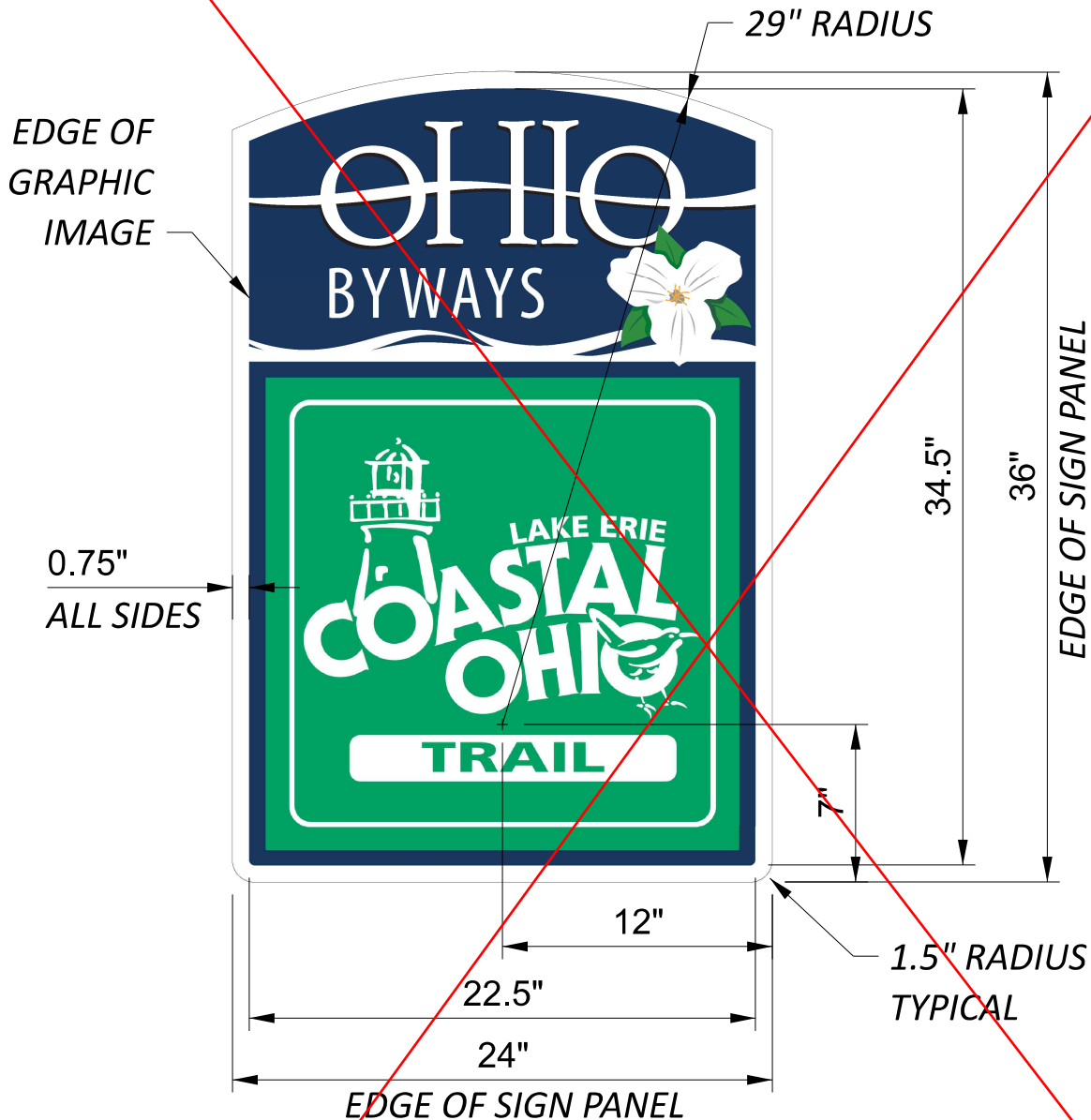
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 01/17/2025

COLORS: *SEE BELOW

SERIES: GUIDE

CODE NO.: M8-H4†



To be retired
Replaced with
new series of
signs



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STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

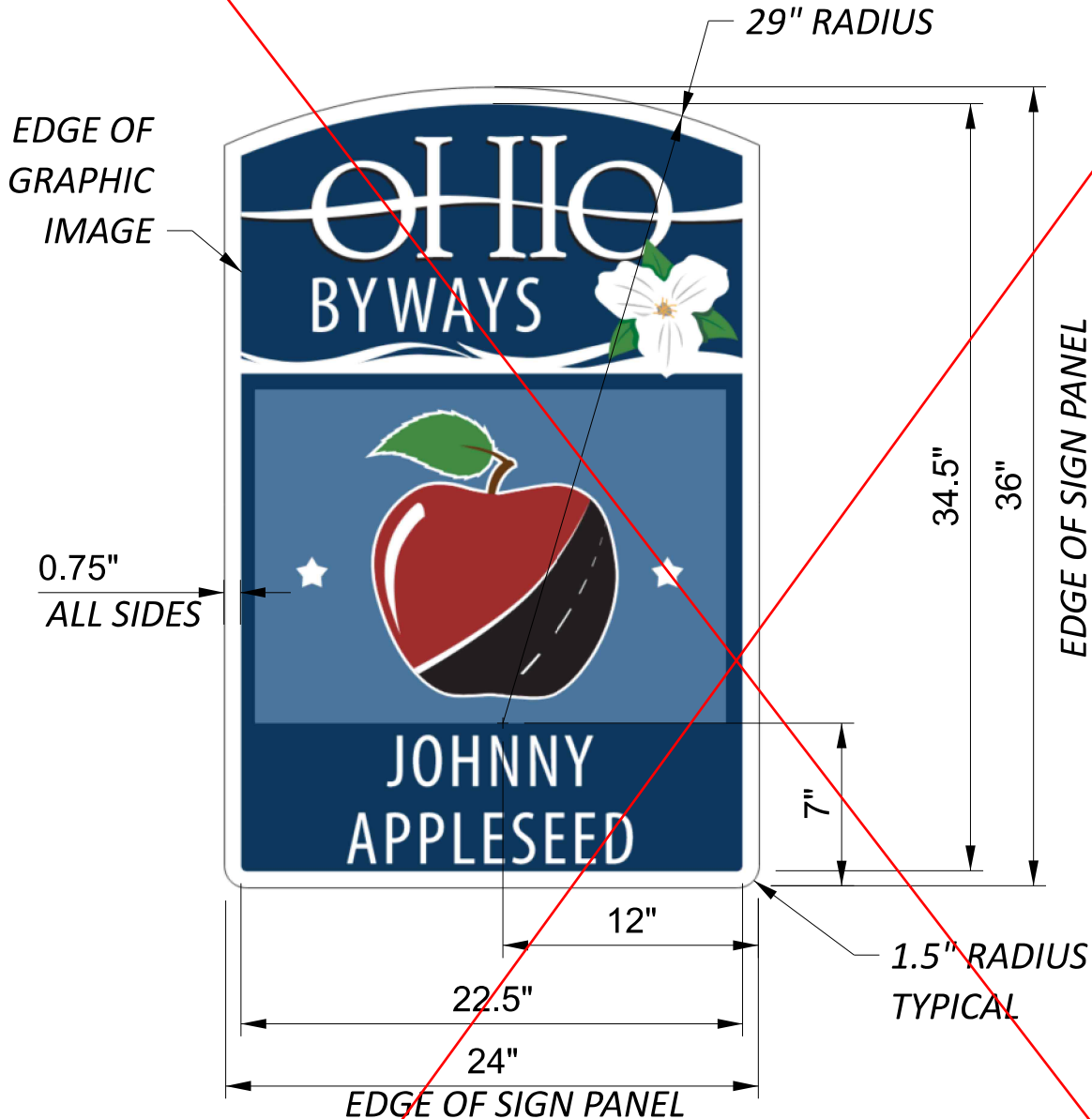
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DATE: 01/17/2025

COLORS: *SEE BELOW

SERIES: GUIDE

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signs



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Added July 2025



Added July 2025

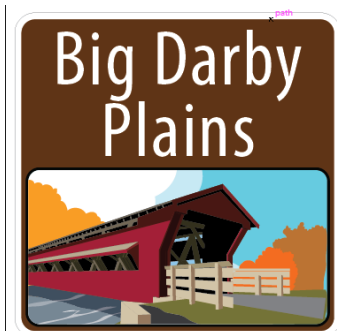
M10-H3aa



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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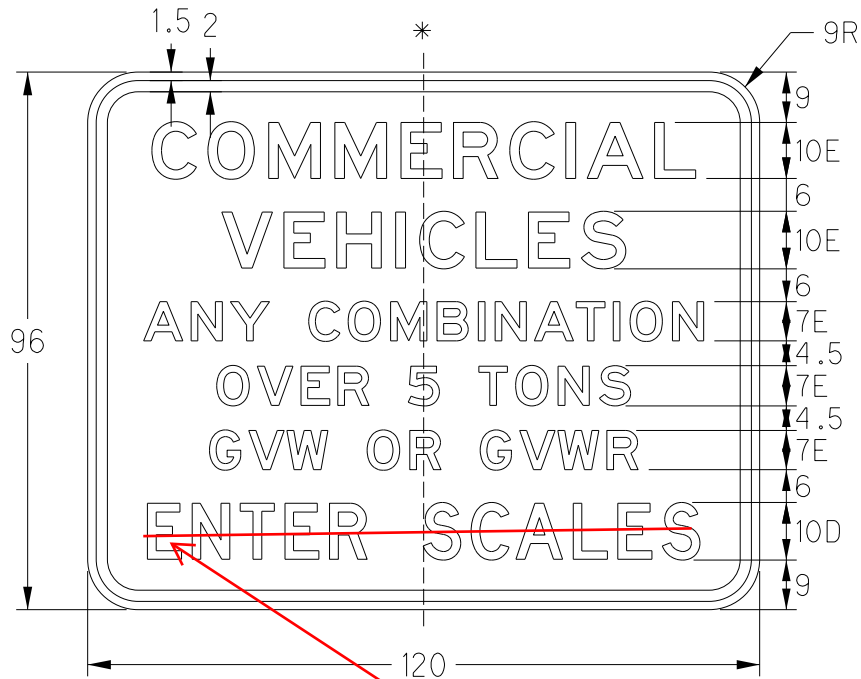
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: 07/18/2025

COLORS: BLACK ON WHITE

SERIES: REGULATORY

CODE NO.: R13-H1



"MUST ENTER
WEIGH STATION"

*OPTICALLY CENTER LEGEND ABOUT CENTERLINE

Engineering Reason
for Change: Aligning
with the MUTCD

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

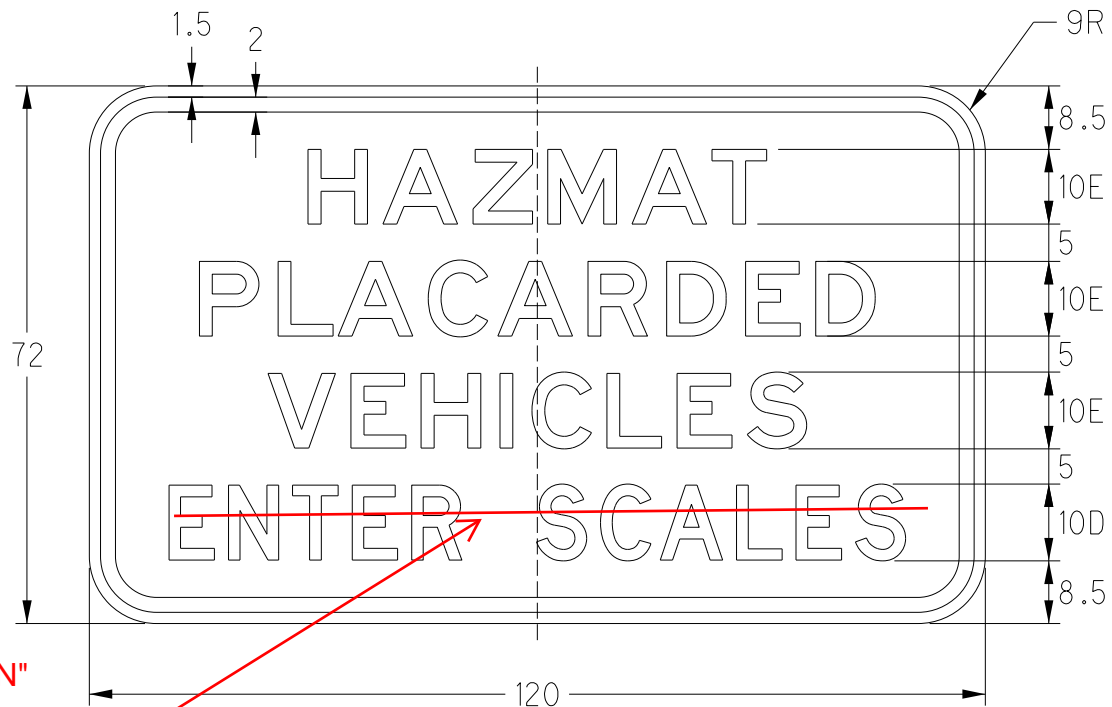
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: ~~07/16/2025~~

COLORS: BLACK ON WHITE

SERIES: REGULATORY

CODE NO.: R13-H2

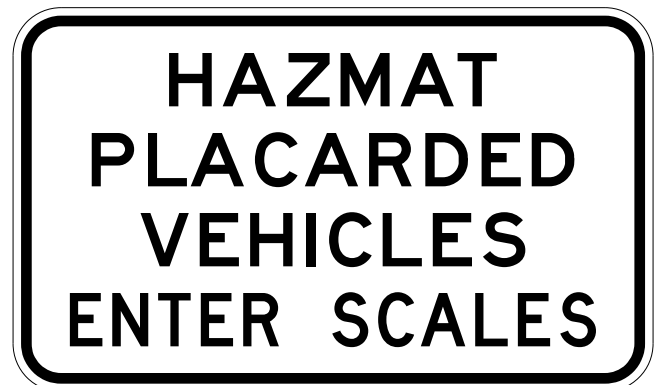


"MUST ENTER
WEIGH STATION"

Engineering Reason
for Change: Aligning
with the MUTCD

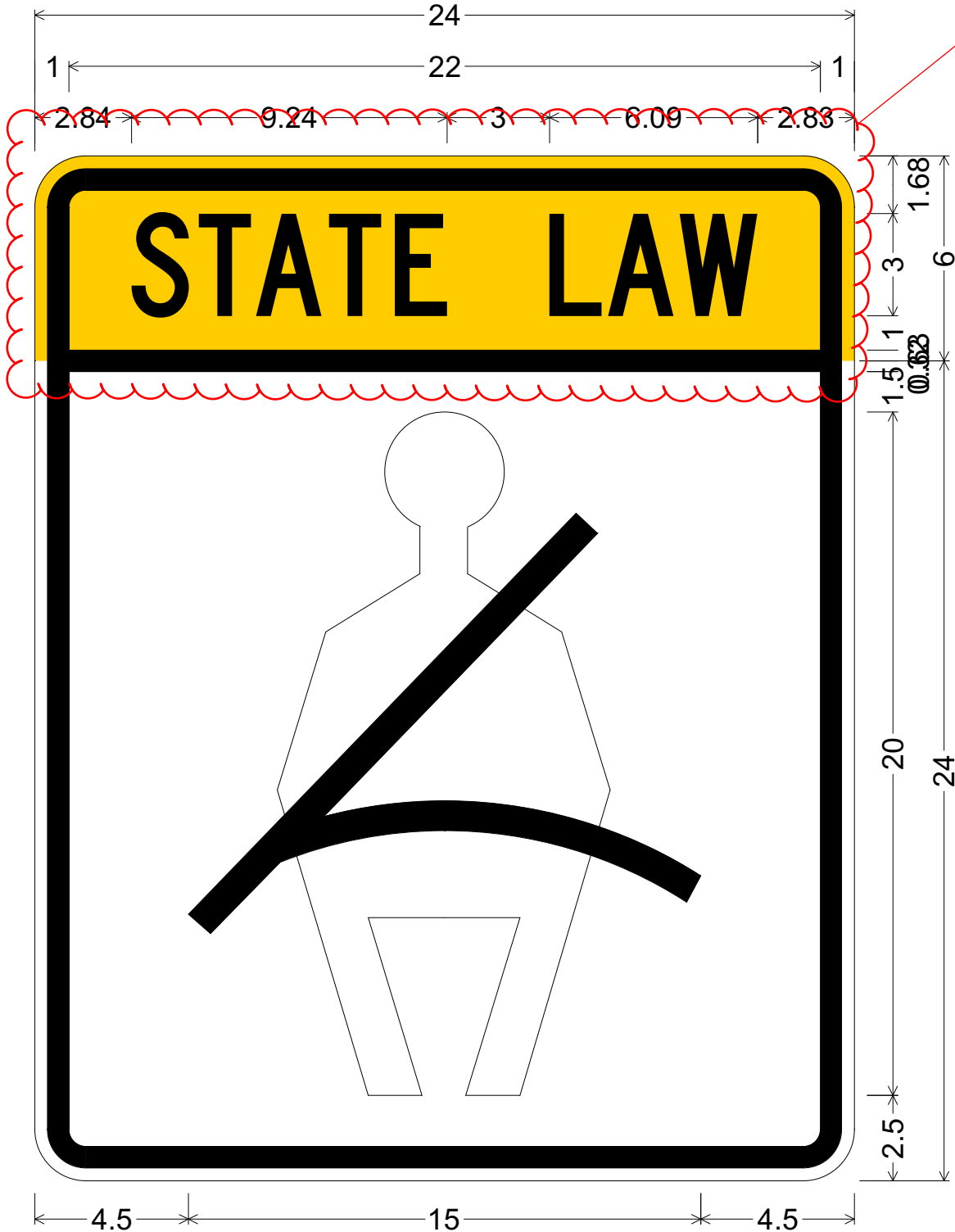
*OPTICALLY CENTER LEGEND ABOUT CENTERLINE

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES



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

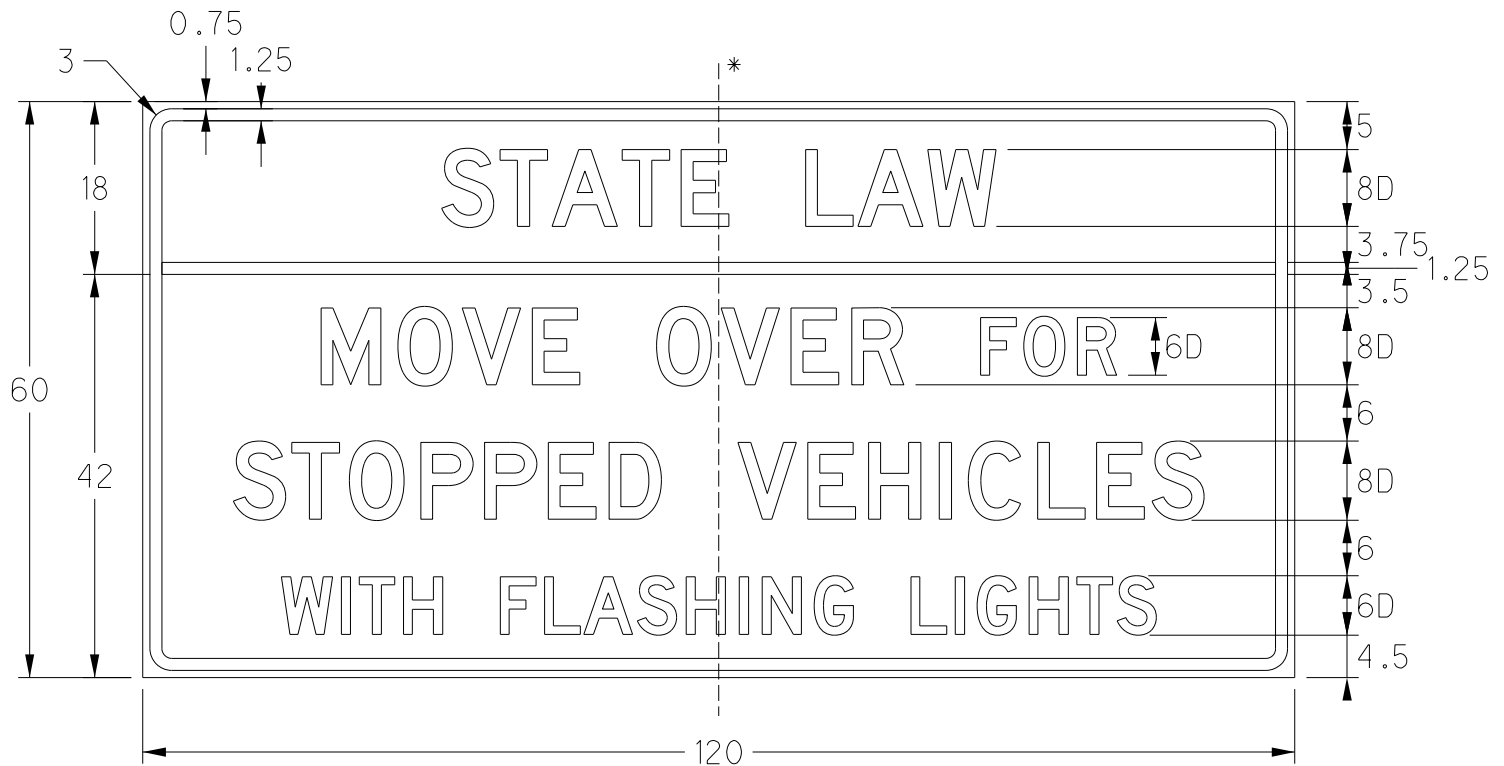
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DATE: 01/16/2026

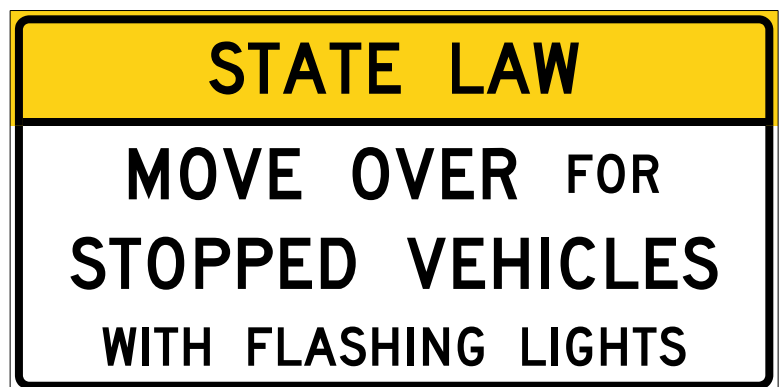
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SERIES: REGULATORY

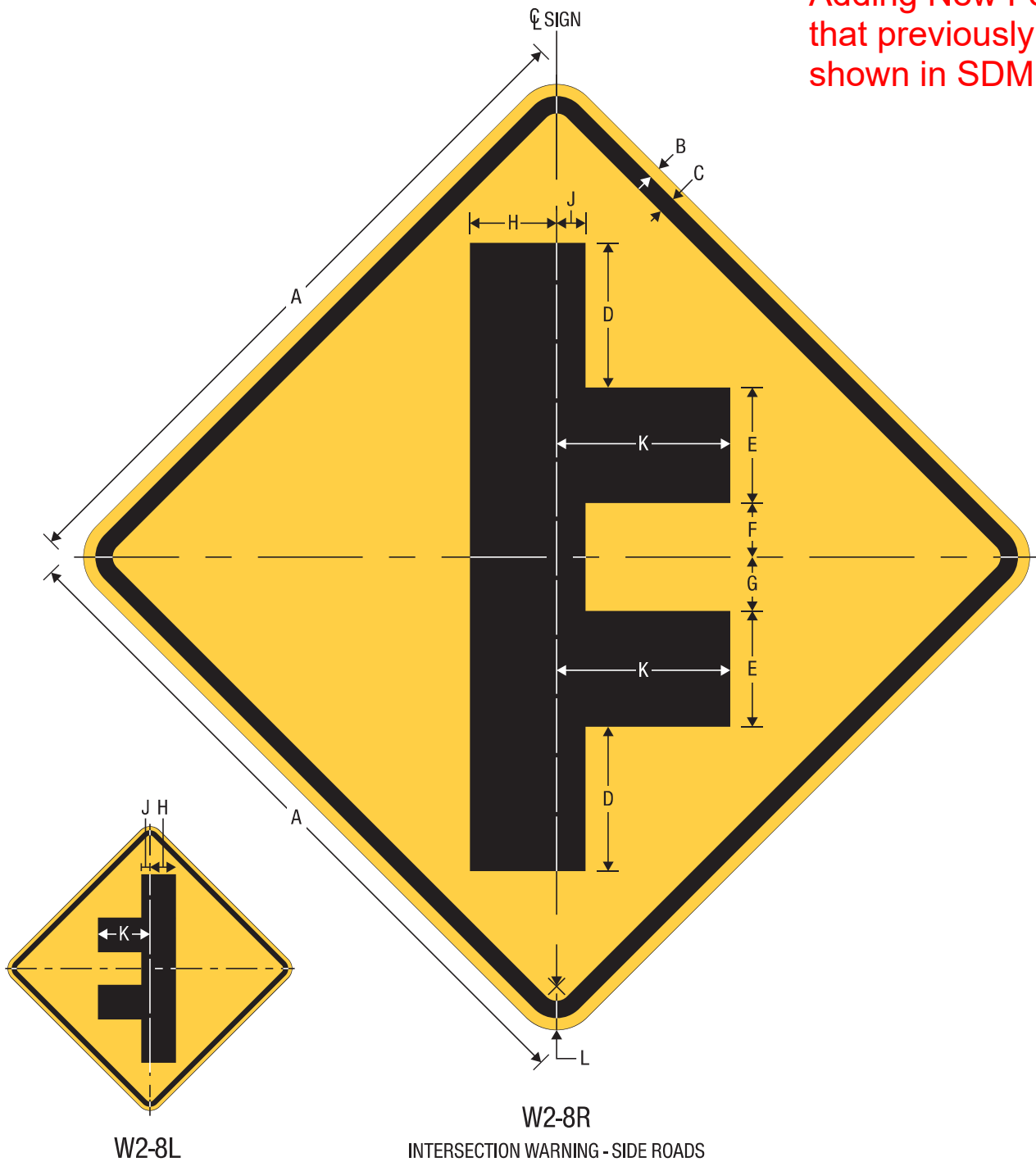
CODE NO.: R16-H3



*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

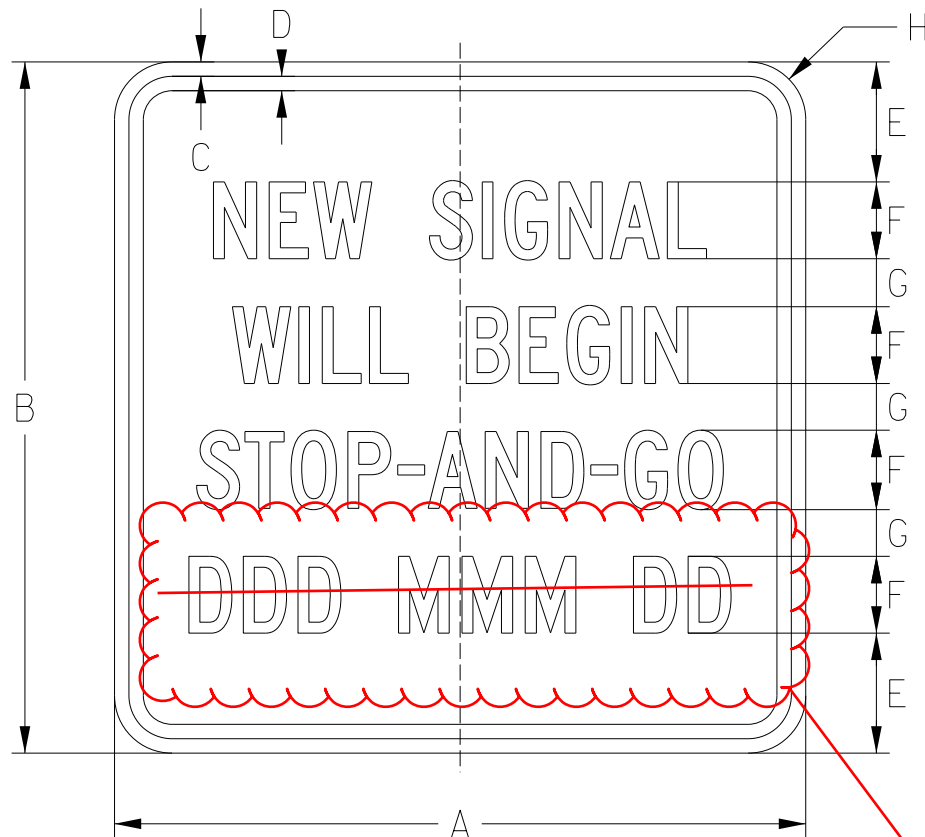
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: ~~01/19/2024~~

COLORS: BLACK ON ORANGE

SERIES: WARNING

CODE NO.: W24-H2a



Revise to
"XX-XX-XXXX"

*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

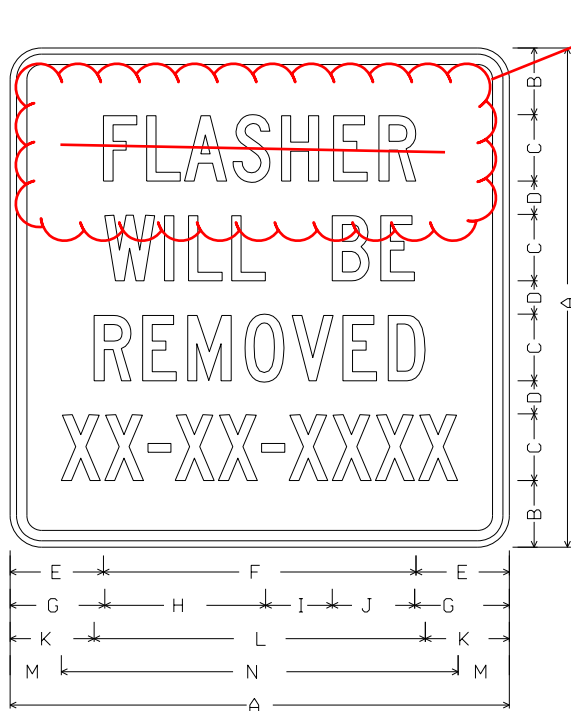
ODOT - OFFICE OF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS

DATE: ~~07/17/20~~

COLORS: SEE BELOW

SERIES: WARNING

CODE NO.: W24-H2d



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

Show as Black on Orange

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"

48" SIGN: RADIUS - 3.0; BORDER - 1.25" INDENT - 0.75"

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
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Adjust E and F if necessary with new legend

STANDARD SIGN DESIGN

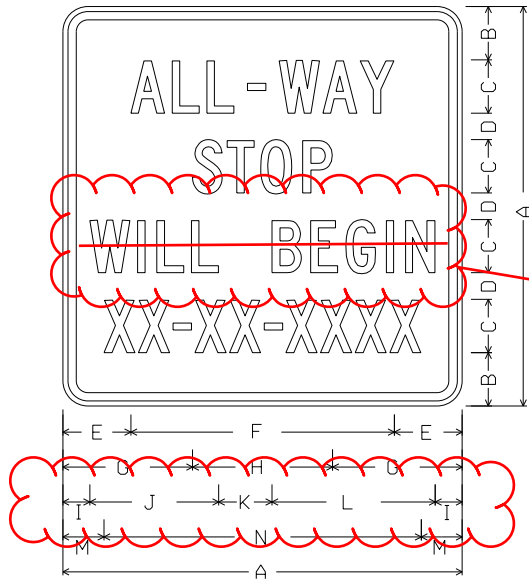
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DATE: 07/17/20

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;

Show as Black on Orange

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-YYYYY
(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"

48" SIGN: RADIUS - 3.0; BORDER - 1.25"; INDENT - 0.75"

ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN IN INCHES

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
30	4	4	2	5.1	19.8	9.74	10.52	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