



Highway Maintenance Manual

Chapter 02 Administration

Section 05 Authority

Subject 15 Facilities Development Manual

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1.0 General Policy

The State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Facilities Development Manual published by the State Design Engineer for Highways is an official document of the department for project improvements and engineering plans, estimates and specification (PS&E) development.

The Maintenance Manual documents concerning facility design plus PS&E development are advisory and do not supersede the Facility Development Manual.

2.0 Maintenance Policy

The department recognizes the mission of maintenance is to maintain as constructed. Thus, exceptions to the current edition of the Facility Development Manual may be appropriate providing the work to be done is not an improvement. Exceptions, documented in writing, may be authorized by the State Maintenance Engineer for Highways in cooperation with interested or impacted regional staff depending on the sensitivity or nature of the repair.