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TO: MAG Public Works Directors

CC: Specifications and Details Committee

FROM: Gordon Tyus, MAG Specs and Details Staff Support

SUBJECT: TRANSMITTAL OF RECOMMENDED 2012 EDITION OF REVISIONS TO
MAG SPECIFICATIONS AND DETAILS FOR PUBLIC WORKS
CONSTRUCTION

Attached is the summary package of the 2012 revisions to the MAG Specifications and Details for Public Works Construction. Due to the large number of revisions, the manual will be released as a new edition, rather than an update of a previous edition. This packet is the culmination of a year's work by the MAG Specifications and Details Committee and was recommended for review by all MAG agencies. Member agencies are requested to review this package and forward any comments to me by **November 21, 2011**.

This packet is being provided for review by MAG member agency Public Works Directors for a period of 30 days. Members of the MAG Management Committee and Regional Council will also review the summary information at their November 9 and December 7 meetings, respectively. During this time, if any objections are received following these reviews, each objection will be considered by the Chair of the Specifications and Details Committee as a possible case for consideration during next year's process.

These materials are also available on the MAG website at the following link:
<http://www.azmag.gov/Events/Event.asp?CMSID=3905>

Thirty-seven cases were considered in 2011, including three cases carried over from 2010. Of these, twenty-seven were approved, two withdrawn, and eight cases were deferred to continue work in 2012. It is anticipated that the new 2012 edition will be available for purchase in early January, 2012. This packet includes a summary of cases, voting and attendance records, and information about the new 2012 Edition of the MAG Specifications and Details for Public Works Construction. A draft version of the revised 2012 specifications and the 2012 detail drawings is available at the link above.

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