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Memorandum
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*TO: District Directors
District Construction Engineers
District Materials and Tests Engineers
Area Engineers*

*FROM: Timothy D. Bertram, Chief
Contracts and Construction Division*

RE: Maintenance of Traffic Plans

Section 104.04, Maintenance of Traffic, outlines that maintenance of traffic shall be in accordance with the details as shown on the plans or as directed. It further allows that an alternate plan can be submitted by the contractor in writing for consideration. Any alternate plan for traffic control should be seriously considered. The districts are encouraged to be flexible when reviewing good alternate plans which are in the best interest of the state. It should be kept in mind that alternate plans which are beneficial to the travelling public are almost always in the best interest of the department.

If there is any questions concerning approval of alternate traffic control plans they should be directed to your construction field engineer.

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