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Arapahoe County seeks public comments on proposed changes to Infrastructure Design and Construction Standards

Arapahoe County is accepting comments through Feb. 25 on proposed changes to the Infrastructure and Construction Standards that affects the urban and rural portions of unincorporated Arapahoe County.

The County is revising its Infrastructure Design and Construction Standards Manual, which was adopted by the Board of County Commissioners in 1986, to bring the document up to current engineering standards and practices.

Revisions are based on several standard engineering documents, including the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials publication *A Policy on Geometric Design of Highways and Streets*, 2001 edition; the Arapahoe County Transportation Plan, the State of Colorado Highway Access Code and the Metropolitan Government Pavement Engineering Council publication, *Pavement Design Standards and Construction Specifications*.

A copy of the proposed manual is available for review on the County's web site at www.co.arapahoe.co.us, under *What's New*, or by calling 720-874-6500. Public comment will be accepted by the Engineering Division through 4:30 p.m., Feb. 25. Comments and questions should be submitted to Scott Wiggs, PE at 720-874-6516 or by e-mail at swiggs@co.arapahoe.co.us.

Comments will be forwarded to the Planning Commission, which will consider the proposed changes on March 15, followed by the Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing on April 19.
