CROSSWALKS

CROSSWALK MARKINGS ARE IMPORTANT TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES AT CONTROLLED INTERSECTIONS. THESE DEVICES IDENTIFY THE APPROPRIATE LOCATION FOR PEDESTRIANS TO CROSS THE INTERSECTION AS WELL AS INFORMING DRIVERS WHERE PEDESTRIANS MAYBE PRESENT. NOT ALL LOCATIONS NEED THE CROSSWALKS MARKED; HOWEVER, TYPICALLY COLLECTOR AND ARTERIAL STREETS DO. AS STATED IN THE TMUTCD, AN ENGINEERING STUDY SHOULD BE PERFORMED BEFORE CROSSWALKS ARE INSTALLED AT LOCATIONS OTHER THAN CONTROLLED INTERSECTIONS.

THE CITY OF BRYAN'S PREFERENCE FOR MARKING CROSSWALKS IS THE LONGITUDINAL (OR "LADDER" STYLE). THE CITY OF COLLEGE STATION'S PREFERENCE IS THE TYPICAL "TRANSVERSE" STYLE; HOWEVER, IN THE NORTHGATE AREA, ADJACENT TO SCHOOL OR SCHOOL ZONES, AND OTHER HIGH PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS, THE LONGITUDINAL (OR "LADDER" STYLE) IS PREFERRED. DEVIATION FROM THESE PREFERENCES WILL BE ALLOWED ONLY WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE CITY ENGINEER.

THE LONGITUDINAL STYLE MARKING SHALL BE 24" WIDE AND 8 FEET IN LENGTH, SPACED 48-INCHES APART. THE TRANSVERSE MARKINGS SHALL CONSIST OF TWO 12-INCH WIDE LINES SEPARATED BY 6 FEET OF UNMARKED PAVEMENT. ALL CROSSWALK PAVEMENT MARKINGS SHALL ALWAYS MEET TXDOT'S SPECIFICATION FOR TYPE I MARKINGS UNLESS OTHERWISE APPROVED BY THE CITY ENGINEER.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT CROSSWALK MARKINGS CAN BE FOUND IN THE TMUTCD.

CROSSWALKS WITH BRICK PAVERS, STAMPED ASPHALT, STAMPED CONCRETE, ETC., SHALL ALSO REQUIRE RETRO-REFLECTIVE, THERMOPLASTIC TRANSVERSE STRIPING.



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