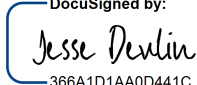




Highway Safety & Design Engineering Instructions (HSDEI)

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Subject: **Complete Streets Guidance**

Administrative Information:

Effective Date: HSDEI 24 - 001 shall be effective from the date of approval.

Superseded HSDEI: HSDEI 12-001

Exceptions: Not applicable.

Disposition of HSDEI Content: The content of HSDEI 24 - 001 will be incorporated into future revisions to applicable design guidance documentation.

Purpose:

“An act relating to a transportation policy that considers all users” (Act 34 of 2011) became effective July 1, 2011 and requires that the needs of all transportation users, regardless of their age, ability, or preferred mode of transportation be considered, regardless of the project’s funding source in state and municipal transportation projects and project phases including but not limited to: planning, design, construction, and maintenance. The goal of HSDEI 24 – 001 is to provide updated guidance to VTrans personnel to ensure that Complete Streets practices and principles are considered on all applicable projects.

Technical Information:

See “Transmitted Materials”

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Implementation:

The content of HSDEI 24 – 001 is to be implemented beginning immediately for all state and municipal transportation projects.

Transmitted Materials:

- “Complete Streets Guidance”
<https://vtrans.vermont.gov/sites/aot/files/highway/documents/publications/2023%20CS%20Guide%20V.7%20-%20FINAL.pdf>