

Standards and Specifications Unit

**Memorandum**

**DATE**: November 2, 2017

**TO**: All Holders of Standard Special Provisions

**FROM**: Larry Brinck, Standards and Specifications Engineer

**SUBJECT**: Revision of Sections 107 and 208, Water Quality Control
Under One Acre of Disturbance

Effective this date, our unit is issuing a revised version of the standard special provision, Revision of Section 107 and 208, Water Quality Control Under One Acre of Disturbance. This revised standard special provision is 4 pages long and replaces a standard special provision having the same title dated July 3, 2017.

Use this revised standard special provision in projects determined by the Region Environmental Staff as having low potential water quality risk and also anticipating less than one acre of disturbance (not requiring a Colorado Discharge Permit System (CDPS) Stormwater Construction Permit (SCP)), beginning with projects advertised on or after November 30, 2017. You are free to use this standard special provision in projects advertised before this date.

The revisions contained in this version define the water quality control and erosion control requirements for projects involving less than one acre of disturbance such that they appropriately modify the text of the 2017 Standard Specifications. It makes clear that a separate Environmental Pre-construction Conference is not required. It also does not require the updating of the SWMP and SWMP notebook as construction progresses. References to Form 105 and all other correspondence required for projects having one acre or more of disturbed area have been removed, as they are not required in these smaller projects.

Those of you who keep a book of Standard Special Provisions should replace the now obsolete standard special provision with this revised version. For your convenience, you can find this and others special provisions issued this date in one place at our Construction Specifications web page:

<https://www.codot.gov/business/designsupport/cdot-construction-specifications/2017-construction-standard-specs>

Please scroll down and visit the hyperlink, “Recently Issued Special Provisions”.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact this office.