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All flagger program submittals, requests, questions, comments, inquiries, and suggestions must be submitted to the CDOT Flagger Program through the following email address or phone numbers:

- Email: dot_cdot_flagger@state.co.us
- Phone Numbers: 303-757-9664, 1-888-639-3271

Please see our website at <u>https://www.codot.gov/safety/traffic-safety/traffic-operations-technology/flagger-program</u> for more information about the CDOT Flagger Program.

CDOT FLAGGER PROGRAM UPDATES

The CDOT Flagger Program has revised many documents for January 2025. The following table lists all of the CDOT Flagger Program documents, forms, and training materials, and shows the current version for each. Please ensure you are using the most recent versions for training and submissions.

Details of changes made to the January 2025 versions are included in the following pages.

CDOT FLAGGER TRAINING MATERIALS, PROGRAM DOCUMENTS AND FORMS	CURRENT VERSION(S)
CDOT Flagger Training Entity Certification Application	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Training Entity Terms and Conditions	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Instruction Agreement	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Training Entity Change Form	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Course Evaluation Form	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Class Agenda and Syllabus	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Class Roster 2025	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Written Exams (1, 2, 3) and Demonstration Exams	January 2023
(including instructor answer keys)	
CDOT Flagger Written and Demonstration Exam Answer Sheets (for students)	January 2025
CDOT Flagger Training Manual	January 2024
CDOT Flagger Reference Guide (tri-fold)	January 2024
CDOT Flagger Training Video	July 2023
CDOT Flagger Training Course Slideshow for Entities	File dated 7/11/2024
(w-links to separate flagger video sections)	
CDOT Flagger Training Course Slideshow for Entities	File dated 12/29/2023
(w-link to 35 flagger video)	
CDOT Flagger Certification Cards	2/2020 or 9/2023

The MUTCD 11th Edition was released in December 2023. CDOT is working on the MUTCD review and the CDOT Supplement to the MUTCD. As soon as CDOT adopts the MUTCD for Colorado, we will be updating the CDOT Flagger Manual, exams, etc. Stay tuned!

CDOT FLAGGER PROGRAM CORRECTIONS, CHANGES AND ADDITIONS EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2025

CDOT FLAGGER TRAINING ENTITY CERTIFICATION APPLICATION		
CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Changes	Pages 1, 2, and 3	Minor word capitalization corrections.

CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Changes	Throughout document	Minor word capitalization corrections.
Changes	Throughout document	Minor wording corrections and clarifications.
Changes	Throughout document	Replaced "practical" with "demonstration" regarding the demonstration exam.
Addition	Page 1	PART 3 is now Flagger Instructor suspension and reinstatement process.
Changes	Page 1	PART 4 was previously PART 3.
Addition	PART 1B	Clarified the Entity recertification year.
		CDOT can waive the one class per year requirement on a case- by-case basis.
Addition	PART 1D	Added "all flagger instructors training flaggers in/for Colorado must be approved and authorized by the CDOT Flagger Program.
Addition	PART 1D	Added payment contract information.
Addition	PART 1D	Added English communication skills bullet.
Addition	PART 1F	Added "and Course Evaluation Form" to this section.
Addition	PART 1G	Added "Invalid Flagger Certification" section.
Addition	PART 1G	Added "Flagger Certification Suspensions" section.
Addition	PART 1G	Added "Flagger Certification Revocations" section.
Changes	PART 1H	In preparation for our upcoming online flagger records submission process, we are removing "Excel" and "spreadsheet"
		from this section for when this change happens. Until the new online system is in place, the roster will still need to be submitted to the CDOT Flagger Program in Excel format.
Changes	PART 1H	Order of the flagger student PDF files has been updated.
Changes	PART 2C	Moved flagger instructor training status from this section and put in new PART 3.
Addition	PART 3	PART 3 "Suspension of Flagger Instructor Certification or Authorization to Teach in Colorado" has been moved from PART 2C and expended upon.
Changes	PART 4	PART 3 became PART 4.

CDOT FLAGGER INSTRUCTOR AGREEMENT		
CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Changes	Page 1	Minor word capitalization corrections.
Additions	Second bullet	Added "scheduled"
Additions	Third bullet	Added "unless a waiver is granted by CDOT"
Additions	Fourth bullet	Added "See the CDOT Flagger Class Agenda and Syllabus for
		what must be covered during a flagger class."
Additions	Fifth bullet	Replaced "practical" with "demonstration"



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CDOT FLAGGER TRAINING ENTITY CHANGE FORM		
CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Changes	Page 1	Minor word capitalization corrections.

CDOT FLAGGER COURSE EVALUATION		
CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Removed	Page 1	Removed "Flagger Instructor". This evaluation form is now only for flagger training.

CDOT FLAGGER TRAINING ENTITY FLAGGER CLASS AGENDA AND SYLLABUS		
CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Changed	Page 1	Minor word capitalization corrections.
Removed	Page 1	Removed "practical" from the demonstration exam wording.
Added	Page 1	Added "CDOT Flagger" to written and demonstration exams
Added	Page 1	Added "CDOT" to Course Evaluation form
Changed	Page 2	Changed wording from "Written and hands-on practical exams" to "Written and demonstration exams"
Changed	Page 2	Changed the wording under the "FLAGGER TRAINING MANUAL REVIEW" section.
Changed	Page 2	Changed "Hand-on Practical exam" to "demonstration exam.
Removed	Page 2	Removed "Instructor" from the course evaluation form.
Added	Page 2	Added "Instructor will scan the completed flagger exams, certifications, and course evaluation forms and submit them to CDOT within seven business days per the terms and conditions of this program.

CDOT FLAGGER CLASS ROSTER		
CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Removed	Page 1	Removed the student address 2 column.
Changed	Page 1	Changed 2024 to 2025.

CDOT FLAGGER WRITTEN AND DEMONSTRATION EXAM ANSWER SHEETS		
CHANGES	SECTION	REVISION
Added	Written Exam Answer Sheet	Added grading cheat sheet in upper right-hand corner.

