PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IMPROVEMENT EVALUATION GUIDELINE FOR UNCONTROLLED CROSSINGS

Traffic Safety Engineering Division

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

NDOT Traffic Safety Engineering Division developed this guidance for evaluating potential pedestrian safety improvement locations. The task to determine which crossing locations will benefit from pedestrian safety improvements can be a complex process, this guidance recommends using a systemic approach based on pedestrian generators. It also emphasizes the importance for engineering judgement while allowing for design flexibility and therefore providing support for the decision-making process.

The evaluation guideline consists of three sections:

1. **Data Collection**
The section provides a check-off form for the individuals responsible for the field inventory. The items on the form will also be used in the following sections.

2. **Countermeasures Recommendations**
The section provides a decision matrix to assist in data analysis and determining possible countermeasures for the studied locations.

3. **Improvement Prioritization**
The section helps determine the prioritization of Pedestrian Safety Improvements projects.

The evaluation also contains an appendix with all the design details for the safety improvements methods mentioned in the document.
1. Data Collection

The following Pedestrian Safety Improvement Field Inventory Form can be used during the field reviews. Some key focus points to consider are:

- Pedestrian crash data
- Number of lanes
- Roadway width
- Median
- Stop sign/Signal/Uncontrolled
- Presence and type of lighting
- Current signage
- Traffic volumes
- Current crossing design
- Pedestrian generators
- Distance from nearest crosswalk
- Pedestrian ramp position/type
- Pedestrian land use generator categories
- Distance from intersection
- School zone influence
- Sight distance issues
- Nearest bus stop locations
- Roadway functional classification
- Sidewalk and pedestrian ramps availability
- Sidewalk and pedestrian ramps ADA compliance*
- Sidewalk connectivity to bus stops
- Presence of multi-used path or bike lane
- Speed limit
- Presence of on-street parking
- Land use

*Use the ADA GIS Feature Inventory to determine if sidewalks and ramps are ADA compliant: https://ndot.maps.arcgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?webmap=0202ae8a996a4715b9da2fe1b2e2548e
# PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IMPROVEMENT FIELD INVENTORY FORM

## FILL OUT THE SECTION BELOW BEFORE FIELD INVENTORY

| Location: __________________________________________________________________ |
| City: _______________________________  County: _______________________________ |

| Speed Limit: _______ | AADT major*: ________________ |
| □ Urban | □ Rural |

*Use the NDOT Traffic Records Information Application (TRINA) to determine AADT.

## FILL OUT THE SECTION BELOW DURING/AFTER FIELD INVENTORY

### Existing Traffic Control:

- □ 2-way stop
- □ 4-way stop
- □ Signalized intersection
- □ Non-signalized intersection
- □ Roundabout
- □ Other: __________

### Existing Crossing Condition:

- □ Midblock crossing
- □ Intersection crossing
- □ Curb extensions
- □ Pedestrian refuge

### Existing Crossing Signal & Lighting:

- □ Pedestrian signage
- □ Advance signage
- □ Crosswalk lighting
- □ RRFB (Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon)
- □ PHB (Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon)
- □ Pedestrian signal

### Existing Roadway Condition (Within 1/2 Miles of the Crossing):

- □ Bus only lane
- □ Bike lane
- □ Shared bus-bike lane
- □ School zone
- □ Bus stop
- □ On street parking
- □ Sight distance issue
- □ Street lighting
- □ Other: __________

*Use the ADA GIS Feature Inventory to determine if sidewalk and ramps are Non-ADA compliant. [https://ndot.maps.arcgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?webmap=0202ae8a996a4715b0da2fe1b2e25d8e](https://ndot.maps.arcgis.com/home/webmap/viewer.html?webmap=0202ae8a996a4715b0da2fe1b2e25d8e)

### Existing Roadway Condition:

- □ 2-lane undivided
- □ 2-lane with center left turn lane
- □ 2-lane with raised median
- □ 4-lane undivided
- □ 4-lane with center left turn lane
- □ 4-lane with raised median
- □ 6-lane with center left turn lane
- □ 6-lane with raised median

Roadway width: __________
2. Pedestrian Safety Countermeasures Recommendations

The following Uncontrolled Crosswalk Decision Matrix can be used to assist in data analysis and determining possible countermeasures. The matrix utilizes Vehicle ADT, Speed Limits (mph), and Number of Travel Lanes to help suggest possible countermeasures when implementing pedestrian safety.

The additional guidelines below will also need to be followed:

- When installing RRFBs, an overhead RRFB should be used if there are two or more lanes in each direction and a speed limit of 35 mph or higher.

- Enhanced crosswalk lighting should be added to all potential pedestrian safety improvement locations. While the design standard is focused for midblock locations, engineering judgment must be used when determining the best possible solution while designing intersection crosswalk lighting. NDOT has determined street light luminaire should be located so that it provides 20 vertical lux at the crosswalk. The specification states that LED luminaires should be utilizing 16,500 lumens or greater.

- Use Advanced RRFB’s under the following conditions:
  - Limited sight distance to the crosswalk.
  - Three or more lanes in each direction on an arterial roadway with a 45 mph or greater posted speed limit.
  - Two lanes in each direction with an observed speed limit of 35 mph or greater - consider an Advanced RRFB.
  - Where traffic signals are one half mile to one mile apart.

- Curb extensions can be considered if there is on-street parking and there is a need to improve pedestrian sight distances.
**UNCONTROLLED CROSSWALK DECISION MATRIX**

(Treatment to be applied only if evaluations of conditions and engineering judgement indicates that the treatment will provide a significant safety benefit)

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<th>Roadway Type (Number of Travel Lanes and Median Type)</th>
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C - Candidate sites for marked crosswalks*. An engineering study is required to determine whether a marked crosswalk will provide a significant safety benefit. A site review may be sufficient at some locations, while a more in-depth study of vehicle speeds, sight distance, vehicle mix, and other factors may be needed at other sites. See crossing treatment type number 1 and 2.

P - Possible increase in pedestrian crash risk if crosswalks alone are added without other pedestrian facility enhancements. If the evaluation determines that a crosswalk would provide a significant safety benefit, then crosswalk locations should be enhanced with other pedestrian crossing improvements such as those shown in Crossing Treatment Types Number 2 and 3.

Minimum crosswalk treatments at uncontrolled locations should follow the requirements of the most current version of Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD).

**Crossing Treatment Types:**

1 - High visibility crosswalk striping, pedestrian refuge island, advanced yield lines, enhanced crosswalk lighting.

2 - Pedestrian refuge island, overhead pedestrian crossing signs, pedestrian activated Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB) side and/or overhead mounted, pedestrian fencing, yield lines, parking removal between crosswalk and yield lines and enhanced crosswalk lighting. Consider using advanced pedestrian activated RRFBs.

3 - Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon (PHB), pedestrian activated Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB) side and/or overhead mounted with advanced pedestrian activated RRFBs, pedestrian fencing, pedestrian signal, two-stage crossing, stop or yield lines, parking removal between crosswalk and yield lines, and enhanced crosswalk lighting should be considered. Installation of traffic signals cannot be considered unless traffic conditions meet warrant criteria specified in the MUTCD.

*NRS-484A.065 “Crosswalk Defined”

Crosswalk means:

1. That part of a highway at an intersection within the connections of the lateral lines of the sidewalks on opposite sides of the highway measured from the curbs or, in the absence of curbs, from the edges of the traveled portions of highways; or

2. Any portion of a highway at an intersection or elsewhere distinctly indicated for pedestrian crossing by lines or other marking on the surface.
The following is a description of Pedestrian Safety Countermeasures that are found in the Uncontrolled Crosswalk Decision Matrix. The standard design details for the items below can be find in the appendix of this document.

High Visibility Crosswalk Striping
The standard treatment for marked crosswalks at locations consists of retro-reflective pavement markings that delineate the pedestrian walking area.

Pedestrian Refuge Island
This area between opposing lanes of traffic allows pedestrians to cross one direction of traffic at a time on wide streets. Median/Pedestrian Refuge Islands are one of the FHWA proven safety countermeasures.

Danish Offset
Danish Offset is the use of an offset at the middle of a multilane crossing to ensure pedestrians are facing the next half of traffic being crossed. In addition, it also provides a median refuge to pedestrians.

Enhanced Crosswalk Lighting
FHWA developed an information report on crosswalk lighting (FHWA-HRT-08-053: Informational Report on Lighting Design for Midblock Crosswalks) which provides information on lighting parameters and design criteria. NDOT utilizes an enhanced street light concept for uncontrolled crosswalk locations, which requires the lighting to have a 25-ft. maximum offset from the crosswalk and 16500 lumen fixtures.
Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB)
Small rectangular flashing lights are positioned with pedestrian crossing signs and are activated by pedestrians manually with a push button. Once activated, an irregular flashing pattern will flash for a predetermined amount of time to allow the pedestrian time to cross the roadway after vehicles have stopped.

Overhead Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB)
Utilized on roadways with more than one lane of travel and higher speeds to increase driver visibility.

Curb Extensions
Curb extensions are used to extend the sidewalk into the street to reduce the crossing distance for pedestrians. They also allow the pedestrian to be seen by approaching vehicles when other vehicles are parked and visually blocking the pedestrian from the roadway.

Pedestrian Fencing
Pedestrian fencing may be used within the median to restrict pedestrians from crossing the roadway, reducing conflict between motorized vehicles and pedestrians.
Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon (PHB)
A pedestrian activated warning device located on a mast arm over a midblock crossing location. In general, they should be used if gaps in traffic are not adequate to permit pedestrians to cross. Chapter 4F of the MUTCD contains information on when a PHB may be installed. The Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon is one of the FHWA proven safety countermeasures.
3. Pedestrian Safety Improvement Prioritization

Following the data collection and analysis phase, the studied locations need to be evaluated to determine the prioritization of Pedestrian Safety Improvements compared to other locations. NDOT Traffic Safety Engineering developed a Pedestrian Safety Weighted Values Form to assign a weighted value to studied locations. The Pedestrian Safety Weighted Values are based on demographic, posted speed limits, roadway widths, and pedestrian generators.

The pedestrian generators are categorized as High/Medium/Low based on the number of pedestrians they generate. In each case, the distance from the generator to the studied location will also need to be taken into consideration. NDOT Traffic Safety Engineering observed that the locations where most pedestrian crashes occur may not show high pedestrian counts, but at the locations where drivers are not expecting pedestrians. Therefore, such locations are being weighted at a higher value. If there are multiple generators within 1/8 mile, assign the value based on the distance most remote from the generator.

When the form is complete, sum up all the numbers to get the Pedestrian Safety Weighted Value for the studied location. This number will be used to compare to other studied areas to determine whether the studied location needs to be prioritized for pedestrian safety improvements.
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REFERENCES


NOTES:
1. RRFB must include pedestrian indication side flasher that faces crosswalk.
2. Install push button on side of pole facing pedestrian ramp.

1. See Sheet T-30.5.2 for Foundation
2. See Sheet T-33.4.1 and T-33.4.2 for Steel Post, 30-Foot

Solar Photovoltaic Array
(Orientation Facing South,
Angle to the Same Degree
as the Latitude at Which it is
Being Installed = 10 Degrees)
(36" x 48" Shown)

Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon
Controller (Type 1)

3/4" x 0.30 Min Stainless Steel Band

W11-2 (36" x 36" Shown)
Traffic Signal Signs

Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon
(Pole Mounted)

W11-2 (36" x 36" Shown)
for DualMount Only

Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon
for DualMount Only

Pedestrian Indication Side Flasher

W16-7PL (24" x 12" Shown)
for DualMount Only

R10-25 Series Sign (9" x 12" Shown)
Pedestrian Push Button with Sign
See Note 2

See Sheet T-31.6.5 for Midblock Crosswalk Lighting Detail.
Align Post Such That it is Tangent to the Back of the Sidewalk
and Tangent to the Detectable Warning Tape.

STATE OF NEVADA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

TYPE 1S (RRFB)
RECTANGULAR RAPID
FLASHING BEACON

T-31.6.2 (R23)
SIGNED ORIGINAL FILE
ADOPTED 10/18
CHIEF TRAFFIC OPS ENGR.
NOTES:
1. Locate RRFB vertically on mast arm no lower than 18 feet 6 inches from the roadway surface. Distance is measured from the bottom edge of the RRFB to the actual travel lane surface. Locate RRFB and sign horizontally on mast arm centered over the travel lanes.
2. RRFB must include a pedestrian indication side flasher that faces crosswalk.
3. See sheet T-31.5.2 for connection and base plate details.
4. See sheet T-30.5.2 for foundation details.
5. Install push button on side of pole facing pedestrian ramp.

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SECTION A-A
NOTES:

1. Locate RRFB vertically on mast arm no lower than 18 feet 6 inches from the roadway surface. Distance is measured from the bottom edge of the RRFB to the actual travel lane surface. Locate RRFB and sign horizontally on mast arm centered over the travel lane.

2. RRFB must include a pedestrian indication side flashe that faces crosswalk.

3. See sheet T-315.2 for connection and base plate details.

4. See sheet T-305.2 for foundation details.

5. Install push button on side of pole facing pedestrian ramp.

See Sheet T-316.5 for MobiBlock Crosswalk Lighting Detail. Align Pole such that it is Tangent to the Back of the Sidewalk and Tangent to the Detectable Warning Tape.
NOTES:
1. See sheet T-32.1.1 for Type 7 pole details.
2. See sheet T-38.1.3 for crosswalk pavement markings.
NOTES:
1. Extend detectable warning the full width of the curb ramp (exclusive of flared sides).
2. Grates for storm drains shall not be placed in the crosswalk or in front of the curb ramp.
3. Transitions from ramps to gutters or roadway surface shall be flush and free of abrupt changes.
4. Plantmix bituminous open-graded surface shall be flush with the edge of the gutter pan.
5. Rough broom texture on curb ramps and wings. Texture shall provide a visual contrast to the sidewalk.
6. For crosswalk markings see sheet T-38.13.
7. All ramps shall be 3% or flatter, 15 foot maximum length. Engineer should be notified for assessment if the curb ramp exceeds 15 foot in length due to the longitudinal roadway grade.
8. All slope rates are relative to level.
9. Concrete shall be class A or AA.
10. Raise gutter railing 2 inch maximum, when required to prevent ponding at the ramp and maintain positive drainage.
11. If there are RWP restrictions the sidewalk width can be reduced to no less than 4 foot with approval of the Assistant Chief Road Design Engineer. If the sidewalk width is less than 5 foot then 5 foot by 5 foot passing zones are required at 200 foot intervals.
12. No direct payment for neat new saw cut. An additional 1 foot of pavement shall be required. No adjustment to the plan quantities for removal and patching.
13. Shared use path ramps, excluding the flared sides, shall be as wide as the shared use path.

**TABLE 1 - TRANSITIONS**

LENGTHS FOR 8.3% SIDE SLOPES

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**TABLE 2 - TRANSITIONS**

LENGTHS FOR 10% SIDE SLOPES

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Detectable Warning

Tables apply to curb with 6" curb face. If curb has greater than a 6" curb face a special detail is required.
NOTES:
1. If buffer zone is wider than 6 feet, the side flares may be omitted and a return curb option may be used.
2. For additional notes see sheet R-5.2.1
CURB RAMP WITHIN RADIUS

CURB RAMP OUTSIDE RADIUS

CONSTRANGED TURNING SPACE

DETECTABLE WARNING PLACEMENT
NOTES:
1. See sheet R-5.2.1 for notes.
CURB RAMP WITHIN RADIUS

CURB RAMP OUTSIDE RADIUS

NOTES:
1. For additional notes see sheet R-5.2.1
2. 5 foot sidewalk width shall not include 6 inch back curb.

MODIFIED CURB RAMP WITHIN RADIUS
**MEDIAN CROSSING PLAN VIEW (CUT-THROUGH)**

**SECTION A-A**
- 6" Min
- 2" Aggregate Base
- Detectable Warning

**SECTION B-B**
- 5' Min
- 4" Aggregate Base
- Detectable Warning

**SECTION C-C**
- 4" Min
- Aggregate Base
- Detectable Warning

**SECTION D-D**
- Aggregate Base
- Detectable Warning
- 4" Aggregate Base

**NOTES:**
1. All curb ramps shall be 8.3% or flatter. All slope rates are relative to level.
2. Grates, manholes, valve covers or similar appurtenances shall not be located in area at the base of the curb ramp or landing area.
3. Transitions from ramps to gutters or roadway surface shall be flush and free of abrupt changes.
4. Planimix bluminous open-graded surface shall be flush with the edge of the gutter pan in the area of the curb ramp.
5. Rough broom texture on curb ramps and wings. Texture shall provide a visual contrast to the median island.
6. Concrete shall be class A or AA.
7. Avoid drainage pockets in crosswalk areas.
8. See plans for location of curb ramps.
9. 15 foot maximum to accommodate 8.3% or flatter concrete ramp.
10. When the island width is less than 6 feet, no detectable warnings are required.

**TYPICAL ISLAND PAVING DETAILS**

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**MEDIAN ISLANDS CURB RAMPS AND ISLAND PAVING**

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CHANNELIZATION ISLAND (PERPENDICULAR RAMP)

CHANNELIZATION ISLAND (CUT-THROUGH)

NOTES:
1. See sheet R-5.2.3 for notes.

SECTION A-A

SECTION B-B
NOTES

1. 4 inch slaping concrete combined curb and gutter should be used between circular roadway and truck apron unless otherwise noted. Curb and gutter should be used between the truck apron and central island.

2. The cross slope of the landing area shall not exceed 2% in the sidewalk area.

3. Splitter island size and shape will be determined by the roadway deflection.

4. Splitter island should be a raised median with concrete landscaping (preferred). Splitter island should extend a minimum of 50 feet from the yield line.

5. Detectable warning surface shall be installed at both sides of the splitter island pedestrian refuge area.

6. When circular roadway is concrete, the transverse contraction joints should line up with contraction joints in the truck apron. The joints in the truck apron should not be dowelled. The combined curb and gutter should be tied to the roadway concrete.
Pedestrian Push Buttons Shall Be Installed on the Crosswalk Side of the Signal Pole, with the Proper Directional Arrow Positioned Correctly.

**NOTES:**

1. Arrow to be left or right or both as required.
2. Per plans or maintaining agency, 30" x 7" or 9" x 12" sign, black symbols on white background.

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**PUSH BUTTON POSITIONING DETAIL**

Contractor to verify pole size with Resident Engineer for correct pedestrian push button installation.

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**SECTION A-A WITH PIPE**

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**DETAIL E**

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**DETAIL B**

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PEDESTRIAN PUSH BUTTON DETAILS

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8/8/04

CHIEF TRAFFIC OPERATIONS ENGR.
NOTES:

1. ½ inch radius on all corners, smooth and nearly round exposed edges to a ¼ inch radius.

2. All material shall conform to the standard specifications for road and bridge construction, unless otherwise specified.

3. 1½ inch NPS steel pipe use schedule 40 and 2 inch NPS steel pipe use schedule 80. 2 inch NPS pipe is only used with the adjustable extender.

4. Drill and tap holes 20TPH into signal pole.

5. Attach push button to mounting plate per manufacturers recommendations.

6. Drill ½ inch holes in mounting plates at lower extension pipe for conductors. Smooth edges to prevent damage to insulation.

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ADJUSTABLE EXTENDER
(IMPORTANT)

* No direct payment. To be included on Pedestrian Push Button when required to meet ADA requirements.
NOTES:

1. 1/2 inch radius on all corners. Smooth and neatly round exposed edges to a 1/2" radius.

2. All materials shall conform to the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction. Unless otherwise specified.

3. 1 1/2 inch NPS steel pipe use schedule 40 and 2 inch NPS steel pipe use schedule B30.2 inch NPS pipe is only used with the adjustable extender.

4. Drill and tap holes 20TPI into signal pole.

5. Attach push button to mounting plate per manufacturer’s recommendations.

6. Drill 5/8 inch holes in mounting plates at lower extension pipe for conductors. Smooth edges to prevent damage to insulation.

* No Direct Payment. To be included on Pedestrian Push Button when required to meet ADA Requirements.
1. All steel railing assembly shall be installed after surfacing.
2. All exposed surfaces of steel railing shall be treated in accordance with applicable standards before installation.
3. Apply decrret varnish on all bolts and connections in field.