

MEMORANDUM

To: Denver Water Engineering Standards Users

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Date: July 29, 2021

RE: Engineering Standards, 16th Edition
Capital Projects Construction Standards, 4th Edition

Denver Water's publication of the *Engineering Standards, 16th Edition (ES)* and the *Capital Projects Construction Standards, 4th Edition (CPCS)* is effective July 29, 2021, for use on all projects designed and constructed within Denver Water's Combined Service Area. The concurrent publication is a result of Denver Water's efforts over the last 18 months to revise and modernize the *ES*.

The *ES 16th Edition* continues to cover the procedural material in the chapters but now references *CPCS* Technical Specifications in place of the previous Material Specifications, and *CPCS* Standard Details in place of the previous Standard Drawings. To assist users of the *ES* with this transition, Appendix A was created that lists the *CPCS* specification and *CPCS* detail numbers for the previous *ES 15th Edition* Material Specifications and Standard Drawings.

All projects going forward in the Denver Water service area will reference the *CPCS* specifications and details for material requirements and installation.

The pdf of the *ES* and *CPCS* can be found online:
<https://www.denverwater.org/contractors/construction-information/design-standards>

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