

## **PREFACE**

The Plan Preparation Guide is intended for the use of Road Design and other SCDOT Personnel as a technical guide for the design of highways and preparation of plans. It is to be used as a supplement to the SCDOT Highway Design Manual, various AASHTO Manuals, and the accepted standard practices of the South Carolina Department of Transportation.

This Guide was prepared by the Department's Road Design Personnel from previous design material and accepted engineering practices with the approval of the Road Design Engineer. This Guide is written to provide assistance to the designer by supplementing existing design policies, manuals, and directives recognized by the Department. The Plan Preparation Guide is an effort in providing uniformity, clarity, and accuracy to the plans developed by and for the Department. Revisions and updates to the Guide can be viewed in the Plan Preparation Guide hotlink in the Design Documents Section on Road Design's Home Page. A full, updated version of the Plan Preparation Guide will also be available in this section. It is the responsibility of the user to acquire the new version of the guide.

# Road Design Plan Preparation Guide

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