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MEMORANDUM

To: All Users of the Delaware Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices

From: Mark Luszcz, P.E., PTOE, Chief Traffic Engineer *ML*

Date: August 4, 2015

SUBJECT: Interim Guidance; Part 2, Signs

This Interim Guidance to the Delaware Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) is related to the use of the Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Station symbol general service sign.

Should you have questions concerning the information contained in this interim guidance, please contact my office (302) 659-4060.

Added Language

Section 2I.02 General Service Signs for Conventional Roads

Add the following language after paragraph 22 of Section 2I.02:

Option:

23 (DE Revision) In accordance with the Interim Approval received from the FHWA, the alternative Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging symbol sign (Figure 1) may be used in lieu of the approved EV Charging symbol sign (D9-11b).

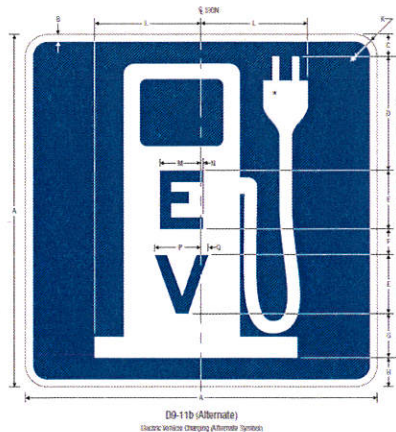


Figure 1: Alternate Electronic Vehicle Charging Station Symbol Sign

Guidance:

24 (DE Revision) If used, no more than two EV charging station signs per facility (one sign in each direction on the primary road accessed by the facility) should be installed.

Standard:

25 (DE Revision) The cost to install EV charging station signs shall be the responsibility of the entity requesting the signs.

26 (DE Revision) EV charging station signs shall not be located where they will interfere with more critical regulatory, warning, or guide signs.

Support:

27 If proper sign spacing or other factors cannot allow the proper placement of an EV charging station sign, then it may not be allowed at DelDOT's discretion.



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In Reply Refer to:
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Dear Mr. Weiser:

Thank you for your June 9 letter requesting statewide approval to use alternative Electric Vehicle Charging General Services symbol signs for all jurisdictions in Delaware. Your request is made under the provisions of Section 1A.10 of the 2009 edition of the *Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways* and our Interim Approval Memorandum IA-13 dated April 1, 2011.

We are pleased to inform you that your request is approved. Please develop and periodically update a list of all locations where alternative Electric Vehicle Charging General Services symbol signs are installed in Delaware. Your specific approval has been assigned the following number and title: "IA-13.12 – Alternative Electric Vehicle Charging General Services Symbol Sign – Delaware." Please reference this number and title in any future correspondence.

Thank you for your interest in improving highway safety. If we can be of further assistance on this matter, please contact Mr. Kevin Sylvester at Kevin.Sylvester@dot.gov.

Sincerely yours,

Mark R. Kehrl
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Operations