

Stanley L. Ring Memorial Library: New acquisitions

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- Use the online catalog, www.ctr.eiastate.edu/library/search.cfm.
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Publications

P-1723 Informational Report on Lighting Design for Midblock Crosswalks

This report provides information on lighting parameters and design criteria that should be considered when installing fixed roadway lighting for midblock crosswalks.

P-1724 Minimum Retroreflectivity Levels for Blue and Brown Traffic Signs

This report describes the research activities and consequent findings related to the development of recommendations for minimum retroreflectivity levels for white-on-blue and white-on-brown traffic signs.

P-1725 Rumors, Myths, and the Straight Facts

This brief reference dispels misinformation regarding sign sheeting products and regulations.

P-1726 Barrier Guide for Low Volume and Low Speed Roads

This guide provides assistance in the warranting, selection, and design of roadside barriers on low volume and/or low speed Federal Lands Highway projects.

P-1727 Facilitating Your Own Meetings: Essential Skills for Managers and Supervisors

This publication presents basic skills for effective meeting facilitation. It provides pointers for doing it yourself, knowing when to call on another group member to facilitate, and when to bring in someone from the outside.

P-1728 Roadside Revegetation: An Integrated Approach to Establishing Native Plants

This report offers an integrated approach to facilitate the successful establishment of native plants along areas of disturbance associated with road modifications. It guides readers through a comprehensive process of initiating, planning, implementing, and monitoring a roadside revegetation project with native plants.

Videos and DVDs

DVD-173 Safe Operation of John Deere Skid Steers and Compact Track Loaders

This video shows the pre-starting and daily maintenance procedures for the 300 Series skid steers and compact track loaders.

It explains the controls and safety systems on these units, provides some tips, and demonstrates techniques for safe operation to help make work easier and more efficient.

V-758 Herbicide Selection and Safe Use

This video covers safe and effective weed control, with emphasis on in-field safety. It includes information on proper equipment and clothing, as well as the choosing, storage, disposal, and spills of herbicides. Also available on DVD-175.

V-759 How to Respond to an Emergency

This video covers the basic steps of emergency response and shutdown and evacuation procedures. Also available on DVD-176.

V-760 OSHA Recordkeeping

This video shows how to avoid over-recording accidents while still complying with OSHA regulations. It gives clear guidance for accident/illness paperwork. Also available on DVD-177. ■