

Chapter 32

Sound Barriers

The following are changes, additions or deletions to the January 2012, Topic #625-000-007, Plans Preparation Manual (PPM), for use on Turnpike projects only:

32.3 Noise Abatement Criteria

Add the following

Maintenance access and clear zone must be considered when selecting barrier termini details.

Florida's Turnpike Enterprise would like to see the inclusion of specific maintenance access points along sound barrier walls that are constructed along the Turnpike. The ideal spacing would be one-half mile between openings or the ends of the wall. Consultants shall coordinate the possible maintenance openings with the FTE Project Manager and the FTE Maintenance Department. FTE has developed several options for maintenance openings that could be utilized along either existing or proposed sound walls. The potential access openings are shown on the attached drawing. Please note: the Consultant will be responsible for the final Control Drawings and the Detail Drawings. All details for the openings will become the responsibility of the Consultant.



