

# **TURNPIKE PLANS PREPARATION AND PRACTICES HANDBOOK (TPPPH)**

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## Chapter 26

### Landscape Plans

The following are changes, additions or deletions to the January 2013, Topic #625-000-008, Plans Preparation Manual (PPM), for use on Turnpike projects only.

#### 26.4 General Notes

*Add the following paragraphs*

General notes should identify FDOT standard specification sections, included materials sections that are appropriate for the landscape project.

Where the FDOT specification do not exist or where they are not adequate for the landscape design, existing site conditions or proposed plant materials, provide technical specification sections as required to include, but not limited to, soil mixtures, fertilizer requirement for different plant materials, mulches, plant material, vegetation, irrigation systems, site amenities, hardscaping, and any fences or lighting not included in the roadway project.

#### 26.5.2 Requirements for Plan Sheets

*Add the following item*

##### 20. Mowing Limits

*Add the following paragraph~~s~~*

Although the clear zone, horizontal clearance and/or guardrail setback distance is plotted on the plans, these distances may not be enough to satisfy horizontal sight distance requirements along every horizontal curve, particularly along ramps and loop ramps at interchanges. There may be cases where the horizontal sight offset (HSO) requirement is outside either the clear zone or the guardrail setback line. In these instances the greater controlling criteria (e.g. the HSO) should be shown on the plans and be free from obstructions.

Setbacks from roadway and other related features to proposed landscape materials shall be as indicated on the "FTE Minimum & Preferred Landscape Setbacks for Installation and Maintenance Operations". Should there be conflicts between any FDOT standards or Indexes, the FDOT criteria shall control.

#### 26.6 Details Sheet

*Add the following*

Landscape Architect shall provide any necessary details that are not specifically included in the Standard Index 544.