

Activity 159 Other Traffic Services Maintenance

Description

Activity 159 involves performing miscellaneous traffic services, not included under another activity, including:

- Traffic control for special events including motorcades and processions.
- Inspecting signs at night.
- Installing, maintaining, and removing traffic related signing during high water, wind, or other storm events.
- Removal of striping or pavement markings.
- Removal of illegal signs or markers from ODOT right of way.

General Instructions

Refer to Activity L18 to maintain or repair permanent variable message signs.

Refer to Activity 305 if parties other than the ODOT Maintenance program will pay the cost of this work.

Perform all work according to current practices and procedures, including the requirements of the *Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices*. Remove illegal signs or markers immediately if they are safety hazards or in the course of other maintenance if they are not safety hazards.

Controlling Erosion, Sedimentation, and Pollutants or Contaminants

Plan and implement methods to control erosion, sedimentation, and pollutants or contaminants, including those discussed in the Control of Erosion, Sedimentation, and Pollutants or Contaminants section of this Guide and the ODOT *Routine Road Maintenance Water Quality and Habitat Guide Best Management Practices*.

As appropriate, implement and maintain devices and processes including those described in the *Field Manual for Erosion and Sediment Control*.

Temporary Protection and Direction of Traffic

Plan, implement, and maintain traffic control as addressed in the *Traffic Control on State Highways for Short Term Work Zones* handbook.

Equipment

Select equipment suitable for the work and situation.

Materials

Use materials needed for the work.

Work Method

1. Determine work to be performed, including appropriate limits.
2. Implement appropriate traffic control.

3. Perform needed work.
4. Remove traffic control.
5. Dispose of waste or excess material in an appropriate location.

Measurement of Accomplishment, Expenditure Account, and Charge Activity

Measurement is number of worker hours involved. Expenditure account type is Highway EA (use the sub-job appropriate for the crew performing the work). Designate a sub-job of 800, or as appropriate for the “specialty” crew, if the work involves bicycle path facilities.

- Charge all work to TEAMS Activity 159.