



# GDOT Publications

## Policies & Procedures

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**Policy:** 6120-4- Precast Concrete Barrier

**Section:** Bridges - Maintenance

**Office/Department:** Office of Bridge Design

**Reports To:** Division of Engineering

**Contact:** 404-631-1000

Effective July 1, 2004, precast concrete barrier will no longer be supplied by the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) Maintenance for Construction projects.

### **Preconstruction:**

Preconstruction is responsible for requesting barrier wall as needed on their projects.

### **Construction:**

For existing construction projects where precast barrier has been supplied by GDOT Maintenance, the Construction Division is responsible for insuring that the Contractor properly handle, utilize, and store the barrier at the designated location. The project engineer is also responsible for maintaining a current project count and insuring that the Contractor properly repair damaged barrier units. This means that construction inspectors may be required to monitor both the loading and unloading at both the project and storage sites. The project engineer is also responsible for seeing that Barrier Transfer (Disbursements/Receipt) Forms are properly and completely filled out. Contact the Office of Maintenance for instructions on completing this form.

Please note that the contract amount should be transcribed from the plans, and any variations from this contract amount should be explained. Barrier wall may be transferred from project to project utilizing this form. However, quantities which will not be returned eventually to the original designated site must be pre-approved by the inventory administrator. Also, any barrier transferred from a project in one District to a project in another must be pre-approved as well. Please note that cost savings to the contractor should be deducted from the contracted pay item cost.

To further enhance the reliability of the onsite inventory as well as increase awareness of the importance of this pay item, Quarterly Reports will be required from each area engineer detailing the current status of the on-site inventory for every project in their area. This report must include project number, quantity on-site, pickup location, ultimate storage location, and any increase or decrease in quantity from the previous quarterly report. The Quarterly calendar begins July 1 of any given year. Contact the Office of Maintenance for a sample report.

Further information on payment, etc. can be found in the Department's current standards specifications.

### **References:**

None.

### **History:**

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