Section 4L.1

REMOVAL OF INTERSECTION CONTROL BEACONS

4L.1.1 MUTCD SECTION REFERENCE

See Section 4L Flashing Beacons and See EDSM VI.3.1.2

4L.1.2 FLASHING BEACON JUSTIFICATION

This justification is the same as when a location for a new flashing beacon is being considered and/or if there was a project to correct a geometric issue at the intersection.

4L.1.3 TRAFFIC STUDY

Defined in EDSM VI.3.1.2. As part of the study, the sight distance from all approaches shall be checked.

4L.1.4 DOCUMENTATION

The District Traffic Operations Engineer shall maintain documentation of the beacon removal process.

4L.1.5 FLASHING BEACON REMOVAL

If the existing flashing beacon does not meet current Department Policy for Flashing Beacon Justification the District Traffic Operations Engineer shall make the following determination depending on the type of beacon:

Intersection Control Beacon: place oversize stop signs and any warning signs deemed necessary.

Once the flashing beacons have been authorized for removal then the signal heads and overhead signs shall be removed with the poles and cabinet.

4L.1.6 APPROVAL

The District Traffic Operations Engineer is authorized to remove unwarranted flashing beacons.

Traffic Engineering Management Section shall receive a copy of the final authorization for removal.