



# INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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## Memorandum

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### CONSTRUCTION MEMORANDUM

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TO: District Deputy Commissioners  
District Construction Engineers  
District Testing Engineers  
District Area Engineers  
Project Engineers/Supervisors

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SUBJECT: Payment for Stockpiled Materials (Specification Section 111)

The Department has recently received requests from contractors for payment of stockpiled materials on certain projects for materials that have not been paid for in the past or allowed by our current Specification Section 111. These requests cover a wide range of products. INDOT understands that with today's shortages on certain raw materials or with new items such as sound barrier walls, which currently are not listed as a material that can be stockpiled and paid for under Specification 111, we need to be more receptive to these requests.

Keeping the above thoughts in mind, we will be revising Specification Section 111. Until that happens, we will consider payment for stockpiled materials for items not currently addressed in our specifications. The requests will be reviewed and approved on a case by case basis. In order for a product/material to be approved it must still meet the requirements stated in Specification 111.09 and be delivered and stored in an approved facility or location in the vicinity of the project. Please consult with your Construction Management field engineer for assistance in addressing these requests.

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