

**RHODE ISLAND GOVERNMENT REGISTER  
PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING**

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Title of Rule:** State Highway Right of Way Regulations

**Rule Identifier:** 290-RICR-20-00-4

**Rulemaking Action:** Proposed Amendment

**Important Dates:**

Date of Public Notice: 10/01/2018

End of Public Comment: 10/31/2018

**Authority for this Rulemaking:**

42-35-3a, 24-8

**Summary of Rulemaking Action:**

The purpose of these Rules and Regulations is to prescribe conditions under which the Department will allow alterations, by Physical Alteration Permit for curbs, sidewalks, highway/bridge access, stormwater disposal, construction within the State Highway Right of Way, traffic signals, and signage.

**Additional Information and Comments:**

All interested parties are invited to request additional information or submit written or oral comments concerning the proposed amendment until October 31, 2018 by contacting the appropriate party at the address listed below:

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In accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-2.8, an oral hearing will be granted if requested by twenty-five (25) persons, by an agency or by an association having at least twenty-five (25) members. A request for an oral hearing must be made within thirty (30) days of this notice.

**Regulatory Analysis Summary and Supporting Documentation:**

Any summary of societal benefits and costs to Rhode Island is de minimus.

For full regulatory analysis or supporting documentation see agency contact person above.