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In order to be more efficient, the Technical Resource Centre (TRC) website is streamlining a lot of the specifications, guidelines and standards, therefore some content may be moved and/or deleted from the TRC site pages. Any questions, or copies of previous Newsletters, please contact Cam Munro at cam.munro@gov.ab.ca.

Links to Documents that have been updated since March 10, 2017:

- **Consultant Forms:**
 - [01 26 63-01 Change Order Worksheet](#)
 - [01 26 63-03 Change Order \(Approved\)](#)
- **Property Management Services Specifications**
 - [00 40 41PMS](#)
- **Small Projects Specification**
 - [00 41 14SP](#)
 - [00 41 49SP](#)
- **Short Form Minor Works Contract**
 - [00 41 00 SFMWC](#)
- **Technical and Research Documents**
 - [Solar Energy for Public Buildings in Alberta](#)
 - [District Energy and Co-generation for Public Buildings in Alberta](#)

Technical Design Requirements for Alberta Infrastructure Facilities: *(will leave this section on the Newsletter for a few more issues)*

Over the past 2 years, Technical Services Branch has been incorporating the “coloured” design books into a single document called the “Technical Design Requirements for Alberta Infrastructure Facilities, November 2016, Third Edition” (acronym: TDR)

- The purpose of the Technical Design Requirements for Alberta Infrastructure Facilities document is to provide architects, engineers, contractors, client groups, facility administrators and operators involved in designing and building facilities with a comprehensive set of requirements. These requirements are a minimum for planning new facilities and renovating and operating existing facilities.

The “coloured” books that the current TDR replaces are:

- **Yellow Book:** “Standards and Guidelines for School Facilities”, August 2007
- **Red Book:** “Technical Design Requirements for Alberta Infrastructure Facilities”, April 2009
- **Blue Book:** “Technical Design Requirements for Health Care Facilities”, July 2009

From around the web:

Municipal Affairs, March issued Standata:

- [Standata 14-BCI-002 “Visual Signals](#)

ARCA Technical Bulletin:

ARCA no longer accepts white reflective granulated cap sheets as accepted product under the warranty program.

- [TB-2017-02](#)

TRC Quick Links:

- [TRC main page](#)
- [Technical Specifications](#)
- [Guidelines and Standards](#)
- [Technical Design Requirements, Nov 2016](#)

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