

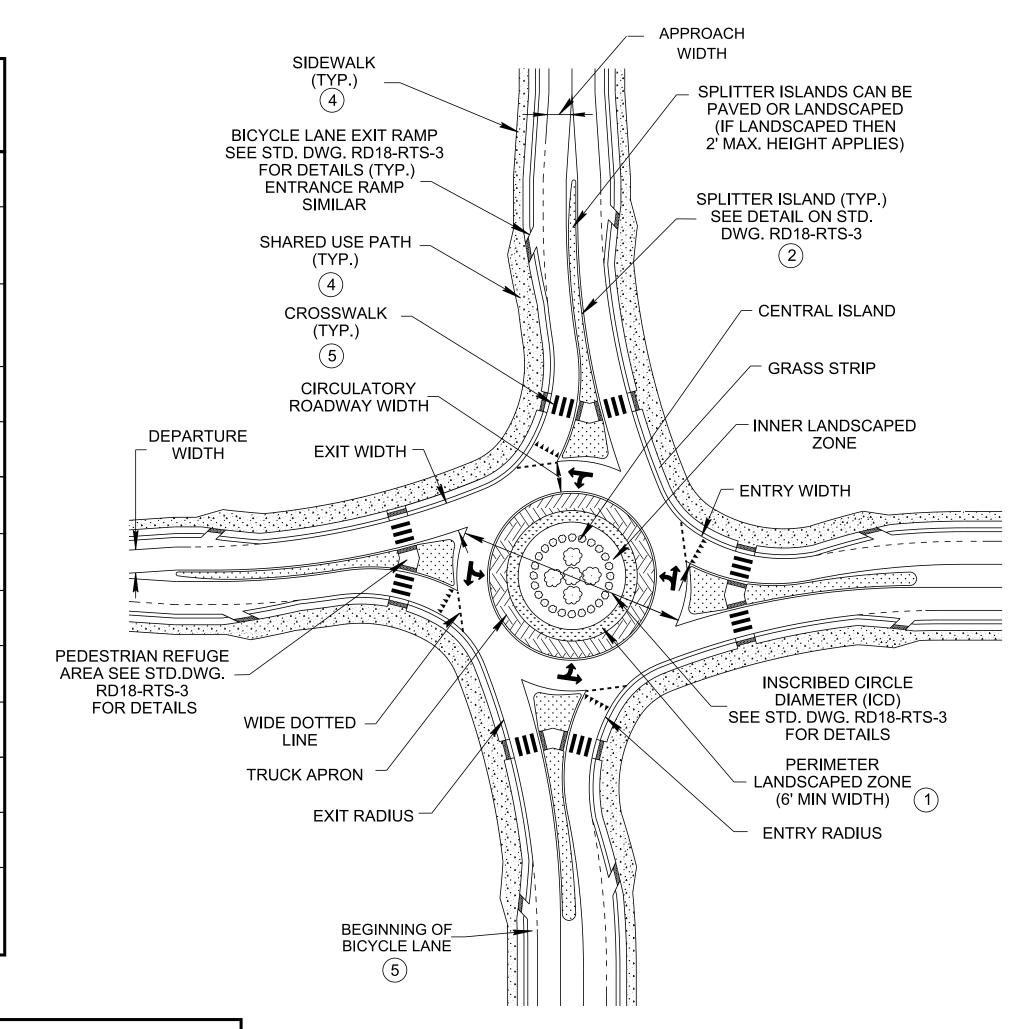
TYPICAL SECTION OF SINGLE- LANE ROUNDABOUT

DESIGN STANDARDS FOR SINGLE-LANE ROUNDABOUTS (B) NOTES **DESIGN STANDARDS ENTERING DESIGN SPEEDS** MAX. ENTERING DESIGN **BASED ON A THEORETICAL** 20 TO 25 MPH **SPEEDS FASTEST PATH** TYPICAL DAILY SERVICE **VOLUME ON FOUR-LEG** UP TO 25,000 ROUNDABOUT (VEH/DAY) INSCRIBED CIRCLE MEASURED FROM CURB 90' - 180' DIAMETER (ICD) (6) FACE TO CURB FACE CIRCULATORY 16' LANE 16' - 20' **ROADWAY WIDTH PREFERRED** EXCLUDE 14' - 18' **ENTRY WIDTH GUTTER PAN** 50' - 100' **ENTRY RADIUS** ____ SAME AS SAME AS EXIT WIDTH **ENTRY WIDTH ENTRY WIDTH EXIT RADIUS** > 200' ____ MIN. CENTRAL ISLAND DIAMETER MAX, CIRCULATORY 2% **ROADWAY CROSS SLOPE** MAX. CIRCULATORY ROADWAY IN THE DIRECTION 4% LONGITUDINAL GRADE OF TRAVEL

* AN OPERATIONAL ANALYSIS NEEDS TO VERIFY THE UPPER LIMIT FOR SPECIFIC

APPLICATIONS OR FOR ROUNDABOUTS WITH MORE THAN TWO LANES

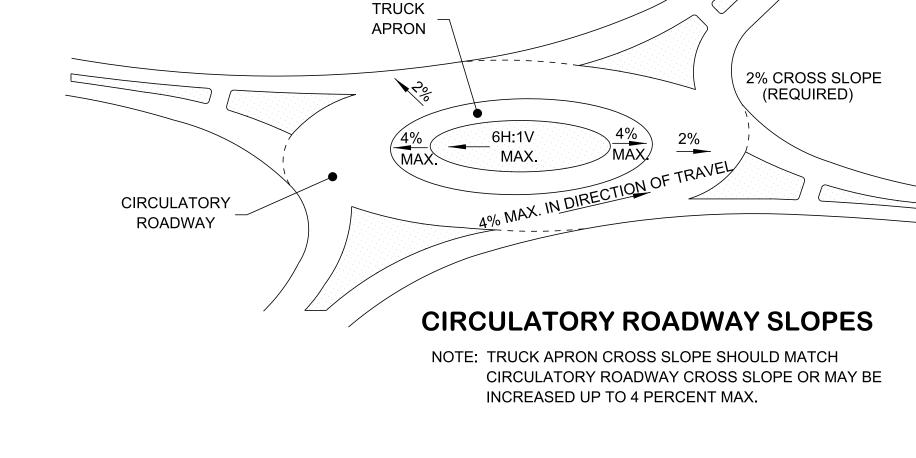
OR FOUR LEGS.



TYPICAL PLAN VIEW OF

SINGLE LANE ROUNDABOUT

SEE GENERAL NOTE (J)



GENERAL NOTES

- FOR SPECIFIC CONDITIONS NOT COVERED ON THIS SHEET, REFERENCE SHOULD BE MADE TO "A POLICY ON GEOMETRIC DESIGN OF HIGHWAYS AND STREETS", AASHTO, 2018.
- REFERENCE SHOULD BE MADE TO "ROUNDABOUTS: AN INFORMATIONAL GUIDE", SECOND EDITION, FHWA, 2010. REFERENCE SHOULD ALSO BE MADE TO THE "ROADSIDE DESIGN GUIDE", AASHTO, 2011.
- THIS STANDARD DRAWING IS INTENDED TO BE USED AS GUIDANCE FOR THE DESIGN OF SINGLE LANE URBAN AND RURAL ROUNDABOUTS. FOR MULTI-LANE DESIGNS. SEE STANDARD DRAWING RD18-RTS-2.
- TRUCK TURNING TEMPLATES SHOULD BE PERFORMED ON ALL TURNING MOVEMENTS WITHIN THE ROUNDABOUT TO SIZE THE TRUCK APRON(S). SEE TDOT ROADWAY DESIGN GUIDELINES.
- STANDARD AASHTO GUIDELINES FOR ISLAND DESIGN SHOULD BE FOLLOWED FOR SPLITTER ISLAND DESIGNS, INCLUDING LARGER NOSE RADII AT APPROACH CORNERS AND OFFSETTING CURB LINES AT THE APPROACH ENDS OF THE SPLITTER ISLAND.
- DESIRABLE RIGHT-OF-WAY IS SLOPE LINES PLUS CONSTRUCTION EASEMENT OF 5' MINIMUM FOR URBAN AREAS AND 10' MINIMUM FOR RURAL AREAS.
- ROUNDABOUT APPROACHES WITH SPEEDS OF 45 MPH OR GREATER ARE CONSIDERED HIGH SPEED APPROACHES. REFER TO "ROUNDABOUTS: AN INFORMATIONAL GUIDE", SECOND EDITION. FHWA, 2010 FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON DESIGN OF ROUNDABOUTS WITH HIGH SPEED APPROACHES.
- TRAFFIC CIRCLES AND ROTARIES ARE NOT CONSIDERED ROUNDABOUTS AND SHOULD NOT BE DESIGNED TO THE STANDARDS. SEE TDOT ROADWAY DESIGN GUIDELINES FOR MINI-ROUNDABOUTS.
- ROADWAY SHOULDERS AND BICYCLE LANES SHALL END PRIOR TO THE CIRCULATORY ROADWAY UNLESS ADT IS LOW.
- SEE STANDARD DRAWINGS:

RD18-RTS-2 FOR DESIGN STANDARDS FOR MULTILANE ROUNDABOUTS RD18-RTS-3 FOR STANDARDS CONSTRUCTION DETAILS FOR ROUNDABOUTS RD18-RSD-1 FOR SIGHT DISTANCE FOR SINGLE -LANE AND MULTILANE ROUNDABOUTS T-M-17 FOR PAVEMENT MARKING DETAILS FOR ROUNDABOUTS T-S-25 FOR SIGNING DETAILS FOR ROUNDABOUTS

DESIGN NOTES

- PROVIDE 6' MINIMUM UNOBSTRUCTED HORIZONTAL CLEARANCE FROM THE VERTICAL CURB TO THE CENTRAL ISLAND LANDSCAPING TO ALLOW FOR CIRCULATORY ROADWAY SIGHT DISTANCE, ACTUAL DISTANCE MAY BE GREATER AND SHOULD BE DETERMINED AFTER SIGHT DISTANCE CHECKS ARE COMPLETE, BUT SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN 6'. SEE STD. DEG. RD18-RTS-3 FOR DETAILS.
- SPLITTER ISLAND SHOULD BE A RAISED MEDIAN WITH CONCRETE HARDSCAPING (PREFERRED). SPLITTER ISLAND SHOULD EXTEND A MINIMUM OF 50' FROM THE YIELD LINE. SEE STANDARD DRAWING RD18-RTS-3 FO ADDITIONAL DETAILS.
- SEE STANDARD DRAWING RP-SC-1 FOR SLOPING CURB BETWEEN CIRCULATORY ROADWAY AND TRUCK APRON. AND STANDARD DRAWING RP-VC-10 FOR DETACHED CONCRETE CURB BETWEEN TRUCK APRON AND CENTRAL ISLAND.
- SIDEWALK SHOULD BE WIDENED TO A SHARED USE PATH (SUP) TO ACCOMMODATE BOTH BICYCLES AND PEDESTRIANS AT THE ROUNDABOUT. SEE STANDARD DRAWING MM-SW AND MM-TS SERIES FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS.
- SEE STANDARD DRAWINGS MM-PM SERIES FOR SIGNING AND PAVEMENT MARKINGS FOR SHARED USE PATHS AND BICYCLE LANES. CROSSWALK MARKINGS AND CURB RAMPS MAY BE OMITTED AT RURAL LOCATIONS WHERE SIDEWALK IS NOT PRESENT.
- ASSUMES APPROXIMATELY 90-DEGREE ANGLES BETWEEN ENTRIES AND NO MORE THAN FOUR ENTRIES PER THE ROUNDABOUT.

STANDARD DRAWING **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DESIGN STANDARDS FOR** SINGLE LANE **URBAN AND RURAL**

RD18-RTS-1

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NOT TO SCALE