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This Memo Has Expired

**DCE MEMORANDUM 02-12**  
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**TO: DISTRICT CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERS**

**FROM:** David A. Sadler, P.E., Director, Office of Construction

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**SUBJECT: WASTE ASPHALT QUANTITY DETERMINATION**

The Department has been approached by the asphalt paving industry and asked to avoid the delays and expenses resulting from requiring a truck with “waste” asphalt return to the plant and be weighed again in order to determine the “waste” asphalt quantity. In the interest of avoiding such delays and expenses, the quantity of “waste” asphalt shall be determined by visually estimating the quantity of “waste” asphalt remaining in the truck to the nearest  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a truckload.

If you have any questions, please call David Sadler at 850-414-5203 or Rich Hewitt at 386-943-5305.

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