

**MEMO**

**DATE:** April 21, 2020

**SUBJECT:** Flagging Training Extension

**TO:** District Executives

**FROM:** T Jay Cunningham, P.E., Acting Director  
Bureau of Maintenance and Operations

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In accordance with Governor Wolf's March 11, 2020 directive on Planning for Large Meetings, Conferences, Training, and Community Events and based on advice from the Department of Health regarding the mitigation of the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19), all in-person Flagger Training courses are canceled. The following will apply to flaggers in-need of re-training after March 16, 2020, as described in PennDOT Publication 408, Section 901.3(y):

- Flaggers can perform flagging operations until July 1, 2020 with their existing certification.
- Once restrictions are removed and training is restarted, flaggers will need to obtain training within 60-days.

Flaggers seeking first-time training or flaggers whose training expires prior to March 16, 2020 will need to continue to follow certification requirements outlined in PennDOT Publication 408, Section 901.3(y). Business partners who offer web-based-trainings and knowledge tests for flaggers may continue to provide to participants.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Brian Crossley, Manager, Temporary Traffic Control Unit, at 717.265.7562.

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