

STREET FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATIONS

THE CITY ENGINEER WILL PROVIDE THE CLASSIFICATION OF ALL STREETS PRIOR TO DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION. THE CLASSIFICATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

A. THOROUGHFARE-MAIN

THE THOROUGHFARE-MAIN SYSTEM SHOULD SERVE THE MAJOR AREAS, THE HIGHEST TRAFFIC VOLUME CORRIDORS, AND THE LONGEST TRIPS. THE SYSTEM SHOULD CARRY A HIGH PROPORTION OF THE TOTAL URBAN AREA TRAVEL ON A MINIMUM OF MILEAGE. TYPICALLY HAVING TRAFFIC VOLUMES GREATER THAN 10,000 ADT.

B. THOROUGHFARE-SECONDARY

THE THOROUGHFARE-SECONDARY SYSTEM CONTAINS FACILITIES THAT PLACE MORE EMPHASIS ON LAND ACCESS THAN THE THOROUGHFARE-MAIN SYSTEM AND OFFERS A LOWER LEVEL OF TRAFFIC MOBILITY. SUCH FACILITIES PROVIDE INTRA-COMMUNITY CONTINUITY, BUT IDEALLY SHOULD NOT PENETRATE IDENTIFIABLE NEIGHBORHOODS. TYPICALLY HAVING TRAFFIC VOLUMES BETWEEN 5,000 AND 10,000 ADT.

C. INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL

A STREET DESIGNED TO CONDUCT TRAFFIC FOR INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL USES, UNLESS LARGE VOLUMES OF TRAFFIC ARE ANTICIPATED.

D. COLLECTOR STREET/RESIDENTIAL

THE COLLECTOR STREET SYSTEM PENETRATES NEIGHBORHOODS DISTRIBUTING TRIPS FROM THE THOROUGHFARE THROUGH THE AREA TO THE ULTIMATE DESTINATION WHICH MAY BE ON A LOCAL OR COLLECTOR STREET. CONVERSELY, THE COLLECTOR STREET ALSO COLLECTS TRAFFIC FROM LOCAL STREETS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD AND CHANNELS IT INTO THE ARTERIAL SYSTEM OR ANOTHER COLLECTOR STREET. COLLECTOR STREETS TYPICALLY HAVE VOLUMES BETWEEN 2,000 AND 5,000 ADT.

E. LOCAL STREET

THE LOCAL STREET SYSTEM COMPROMISES ALL FACILITIES NOT ON ONE OF THE HIGHER SYSTEMS. IT SERVES PRIMARILY TO PROVIDE DIRECT ACCESS TO ABUTTING LAND AND ACCESS TO THE HIGHER ORDER SYSTEMS. SERVICE TO THROUGH TRAFFIC MOVEMENT USUALLY IS DELIBERATELY DISCOURAGED. LOCAL STREETS TYPICALLY HAVE VOLUMES LESS THAN 2,000 ADT.

DESIRED MINIMUM STANDARDS		
STREET FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION	RIGHT-OF-WAY WIDTH	BACK-TO-BACK CURB
	(L.F.)	(L.F.)
THOROUGHFARE-MAIN	100*	64*
THOROUGHFARE-SECONDARY	80*	52*
INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL	60	41
COLLECTOR STREET/RESIDENTIAL	60	36
LOCAL STREET	50	30

* SEE DESIGN CRITERIA



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STREET CLASSIFICATIONS AND RECOMMENDED STANDARD STREET DIMENSIONS

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