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TO: Highway Attenuator and Guardrail Installers

SUBJECT: 2015 Attenuator and Guardrail Certification Training

As all of you are aware, in April of 1992, INDOT started requiring that all proprietary guardrail end treatments and (crash cushion) attenuators (CAT-350**, QuadGuard II**, SCI-GM**, FLEAT-MT**, ABSORB 350**, React 350 II**, TAU-II**, SKT-350**, ET-PLUS**, TRACC**, GREAT*, and ADIEM*) be installed by a **manufacturer's certified installer**. This requirement is part of the existing current specifications for these specific units and the Department will strive to continue with this safe installation practice

NOTE: * **Only** State maintenance personnel will be trained on these units.
** State maintenance personnel or contractors will be trained on these units.

On June 30th of 2015 most existing installer's certifications will expire. The manufacturers of the various units will again be conducting a certification training school for contractor's personnel and selected State personnel. Please be aware that the certification training school is only scheduled to be a two-day (2) short session this year. As in the past, INDOT will allow previously certified installers to "TEST OUT" of the specific units that they were certified on before, if they so desire. These tests will be given at 8:00 am on the morning of the first day of training (Wednesday, April 29th, 2015). No one will be allowed to test out of any unit if they are not on the INDOT website list of certification, which indicates that they were qualified to install that unit in the past certification period.

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Product:

QuadGuard II
React 350 II
GREAT

SKT-350
FLEAT-MT

ET-PLUS
CAT-350
TRACC

1170 State Street
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TAU-II
ABSORB 350

The individuals who successfully complete the certification program will be listed on INDOT's website and the certification will be valid for an additional two year period (though 6/30/2017). The major guardrail installing companies should receive a letter from each of the manufacturers listed above regarding the dates and times of training for the different units. The established days for training are April 29th, and 30th of 2015. The location for the training will be at the (INDOT) **Traffic Management Center (TMC)** which is located at **8620 E. 21st Street in Indianapolis, IN 46219** (Map attached). The main entrance is located in front of a small pond.

At this time, the proposed schedule of training will be as follow:

Wednesday, April 29th	8:00 am -	12:00 pm	"TEST OUT" Period
	12:00 pm -	1:00 pm	Lunch on your own
			Afternoon training and testing
	1:00 pm -	2:00 pm	SCI-GM
	2:00 pm -	4:00 pm	FLEAT-MT, SKT-350
Thursday, April 30th	7:30 am -	9:30 am	ABSORB 350, TAU-II
	9:30 am -	12:00 pm	QuadGuard II, React 350 II, GREAT
	12:00 pm -	1:00 pm	Lunch on your own
	1:00 am -	4:00 pm	TRACC, CAT-350, ET-PLUS, ADIEM

As in the past, there will be no registration fee required for this certification program. The INDOT will oversee this training which is only provided every two (2) years. Based on past experience, this training provides the best way to insure that the guardrail end treatments and attenuator devices are being installed correctly. All guardrail companies and other interested individuals must register online (<http://www.in.gov/indot/2739.htm>) by April 1st, 2015 in order to attend this mandatory training and certification program.

Any questions regarding the 2015 Attenuator and Guardrail Certification Training should be directed to the Division of Construction Management, primary contact Derrick Hauser dhauser@indot.in.gov (317) 232-6727

Sincerely,


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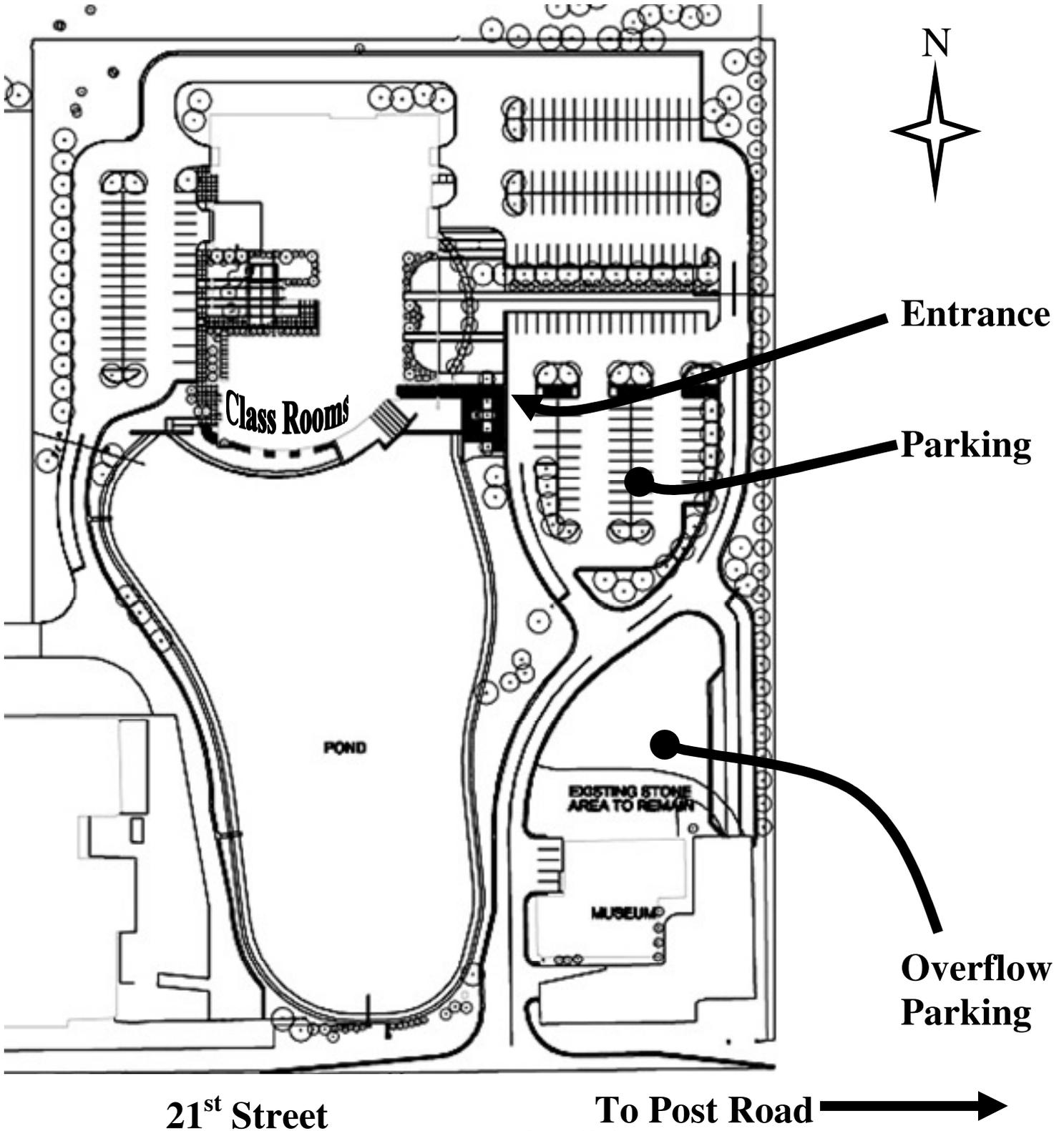


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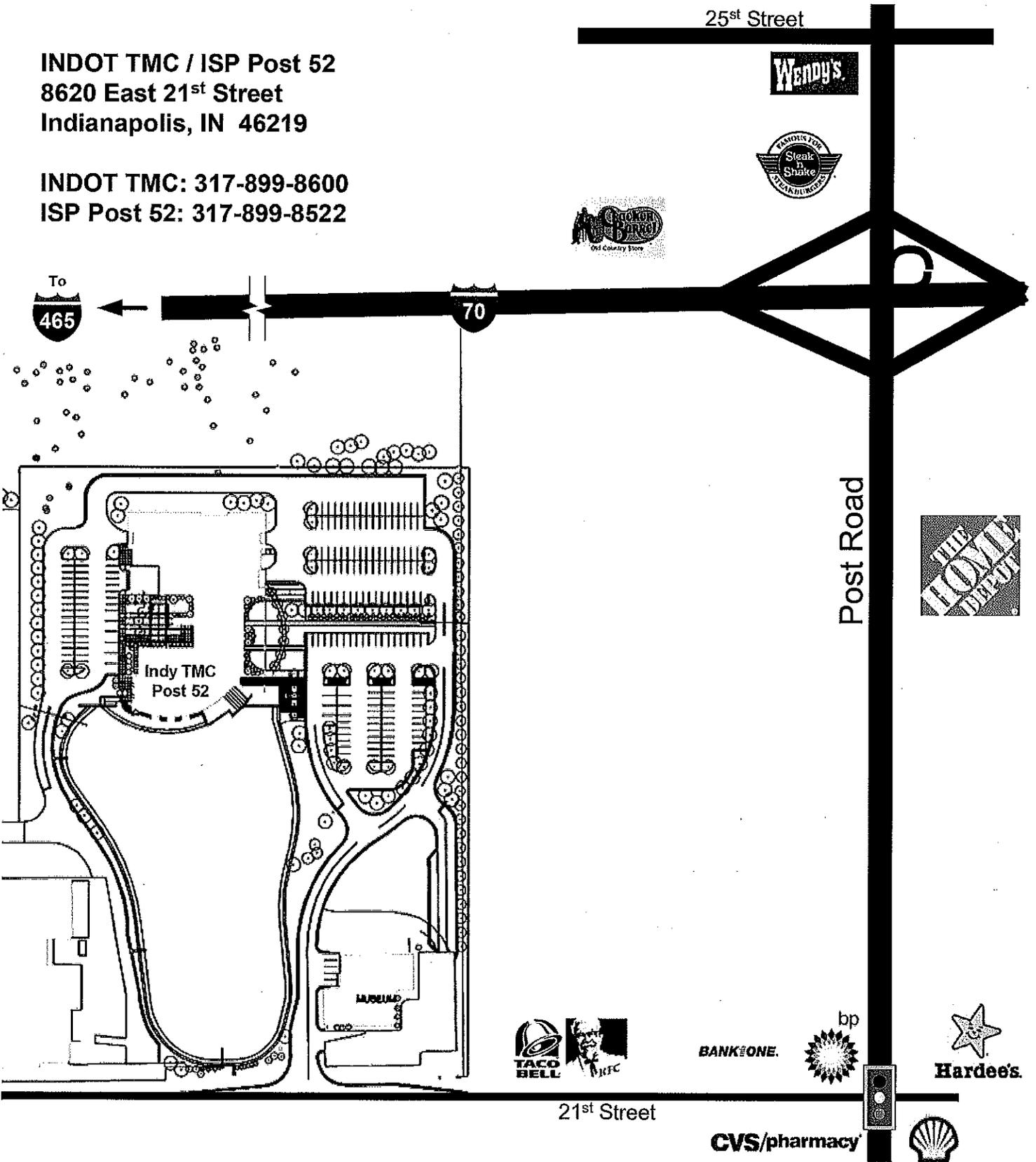
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Indiana State Police Post 52

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8620 East 21st Street
Indianapolis, IN 46219

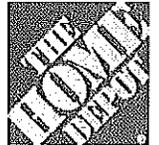
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21st Street

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