

Product Evaluation

RE: Review of TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip

PRODUCT

The TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip is manufactured by TrafFix Devices Inc. located in San Clemente, California and distributed by Shaw Traffic Located in Calgary, and Barricade and Signs located in Sturgeon County, Alberta. Product Web site: <https://www.traffixdevices.com/>

VENDOR CLAIMS AND INFORMATION

CLAIMS

The TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip are quickly and easily deployed or retrieved and are used to alert approaching traffic to upcoming change to the roadway. TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip assembles quickly with one person. The system is made of pliable rubber with jigsaw connection which provides easy connection of strips. This system can be assembled in-line or staggered for additional driver awareness.

DESCRIPTION

TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip is made of recycled rubber, each strip is 46.5" long X 12" wide X 1" height. Each TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip weighs no more than 24 pounds, a complete set of three strips not to exceed 72 pounds. TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip is available in black, orange, or white.

POTENTIAL USAGE

TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip applications: emergency traffic control; flagger operations; pilot car operations; road and highway maintenance projects; temporary checkpoints and temporary lane closures. TrafFix Devices Inc. warrants the design, material and workmanship of their product for a period of 12 months to be free of any manufacturer's defects.

STANDARDS

None provided.

ALBERTA TRANSPORTATION COMMENTS

EXPERIENCE

Alberta Transportation has no experience with the use of this product.

APPLICABLE STANDARDS

The Alberta Transportation Specification for Traffic Accommodation and Temporary Signing is as follows: Standard Specification for Highway Construction, Specification 7.1 Traffic Accommodation and Temporary Signing.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The TrafFix Alert Rumble Strip be listed as a Potential Product under Alberta Transportation Products List, Traffic Control Devices – Workzone Traffic Control – Proprietary, based on the information provided. Final acceptance as a proven product will be based on field performance.

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