

## Standards and Guidelines: High Performance Infrastructure Guidelines

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### Summary

Provides a roadmap for incorporating 'best management practices' (BMPs) into New York City's right-of-way infrastructure capital program. It addresses "right-of-way" components - this includes the roadway, sidewalks, sub-grade systems and landscaped areas. It consists of three parts: Part 1: General understanding of critical objectives; Part 2: Process overview - how infrastructure is planned, design and built in New York; Part 3: Technical component - best management practices to incorporate in design.

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Type					Themes			
Strategic	Management reporting	Design or data specific	Assess./indicator framework	Standards	General sustainability	Carbon / climate	Sector Specific	Other
<b>Country</b>	US - New York			<b>Development</b>	One of eight sustainable design reports and manuals listed on the Department of Design and Construction website.			
<b>Sector</b>	General infrastructure							
<b>Published</b>	2005							
<b>Access</b>	Free to download							
<b>Target group / users</b>	Written for the Department of Design and Construction, but also intended for use by people involved in design, construction, operational or maintenance of the city's infrastructure systems.			<b>Key sustainability themes</b>	Outlines best practices for: 1. Site assessment 2. Streetscape 3. Pavement 4. Utility 5. Stormwater management 6. Landscape 7. Construction practices			

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