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| Include the following with projects when bearing devices are required. |

## Section 564. — BEARING DEVICES

**Construction Requirements**

**564.04 Elastomeric Bearings.** Delete the first paragraph and substitute the following:

Fabricate, comply with testing and acceptance criteria, and mark elastomeric bearings according to AASHTO M 251. Test and accept bearings specified by hardness and designed according to Method A of AASHTO*, Load and Resistance Factor Design (LRFD) Bridge Design Specifications* according to Section 8.8.4 of AASHTO M 251.

Use material that meets the flash tolerance, finish, and appearance requirements of the *Rubber Handbook* as published by the Rubber Manufacturer’s Association Incorporated, RMA F3 and T.063 for molded bearings and RMA F2 for extruded bearings.