

17_18 Plotting New Photogrammetry Files

Question:

In the past we were told to use pln1, pln2, etc. as the logical name for topo files to get them to print lighter or shaded. Since the topo files are now coming to us with ps1, ps2, etc. in the file name instead of pln, some people in my group have used the logical name ps1, ps2, etc., which caused the topo to print the same darkness as the proposed files. It will take a really long time to fix this in the plan sheet files as well as the IPS files. Is it possible to add ps as an option to the design script along with pln so that they don't have to change this manually?

Answer:

We have confirmed with Photogrammetry the new "PS#" file type designation. These are Photogrammetry's Base **P**lan **S**heet Mapping or just simply identified by Photogrammetry as Plan File.

The Roadway design script has been modified to plot out any referenced file with a logical name of "PLN*" or "PS*" (but not "*PSH*") to a weight of zero (light).