

## **SPECIFICATIONS**

Modified thrie-beam guardrail blockouts shall be manufactured using AASHTO M 270 / M 270M (ASTM A 709 / A 709M) Grade 36 [250] steel unless corrosion-resistant steel is required, in which case the blockout shall be manufactured from AASHTO M 270 / M 270M (ASTM A 709 / A 709M) Grade 50W [345W] steel. The dimensions of the structural shapes, M14x18 [M360x25.6] and W6x9 [W150x13.5], are defined in AASHTO M 160 / M 160M (ASTM A 6 / A 6M).

After the section is cut and all holes are drilled or punched, the component should be zinc-coated according to AASHTO M 111 (ASTM A 123) unless corrosion-resistant steel is used, in which case it should not be zinc-coated, painted or otherwise treated.

Dimensional tolerances not shown or implied are intended to be those consistent with the proper functioning of the part, including its appearance and accepted manufacturing practices.

## **INTENDED USE**

This blockout is used in the SGR09b and SGM09b strong-post modified thrie-beam guardrail and median barrier. Each blockout is attached to PWE04 posts with at least two 1.5-inch [40 mm] long zinc-coated FBX16a bolts and nuts. The thrie-beam is attached to the blockout using an FBB02 guardrail bolt and nut.

## **MODIFIED THRIE BEAM BLOCKOUT**

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