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TO: Division of Structural Design Staff
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FROM: Michael Carpenter
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SUBJECT: *Chain Link Fence Guidance*

Kentucky Transportation Cabinet, Division of Structural Design prefers that, when fencing is required for a design, galvanized fencing be utilized as the primary option due to cost coupled with its durability and reliability. If galvanized fencing is not selected, vinyl-coated fencing may be considered as a secondary option. Although it is higher in initial cost there is some longevity benefit to this option when properly installed. However, please note that green vinyl coating may cause project delays due to limited availability, so black vinyl coating should be allowed as an alternative whenever possible.