#### DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

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# LIST OF ACRONYMS

Acronym	Definition
APE	Area of Potential of Effect
CERCLA	Comprehensive, Environmental Response,
	Compensation, Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
District	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District
EO	Executive Order
FEIS	Final Environmental Impact Statement
FSEIS	Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement
FHACAR	Flood Hazard Area Control Act Rules
FUSRAP	Formally Utilized Sites Remedial Action Program
FWCAR	Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act Report
GBFDRP	Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project
HTRW	Hazardous, Toxic, and Radioactive Waste
NJDEP KCS	New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection
	Known Contaminated Sites
MBTA	Migratory Bird Treaty Act
N.J.A.C.	New Jersey Administrative Code
NJDEP	New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection
NJDEP BFBM	NJDEP, Bureau of Freshwater and Biological
	Monitoring
NJHPO	New Jersey Historic Preservation Office
NPL	National Priority List
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
PM	Particulate Matter
RCRA	Resources Conservation and Recovery Act
RCRIS	Resource Conservation and Recovery System
TRIS	Toxic Release Inventory System
USEPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
USFWS	United Fish and Wildlife Service
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds

# 1.0 Introduction

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District (District) and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) are proposing to construct approximately 923 feet of floodwalls and 334 feet of levees, known as Segments B2 and B3, along the Bound Brook in Middlesex Borough in Middlesex County, New Jersey. Segments B2 and B3 are part of the overall Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project (GBFDRP).

The purpose of this environmental assessment is to supplement the evaluation of potential environmental impacts that were previously addressed in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps), New York District, *Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for the Proposed Plan for the Green Brook Flood Control in the Green Brook Sub-Basin, Somerset, Middlesex and Union Counties, New Jersey*, filed August, 1980 and the *Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (FSEIS) for the Proposed Plan for the Green Brook Flood Control in the Green Brook Sub-Basin, Somerset, Middlesex and Union Counties, New Jersey*, filed in May 1997.

This Environmental Assessment is being prepared specifically to address the significance of potential impacts the construction of Segments B2 and B3 will have on Indiana bat (*Myotis* sodalis), a federal and state endangered species, northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) a federal threatened species, and on General Conformity of the Clean Air Act. At the time the 1980 FEIS and 1997 FSEIS were filed, the Indiana bat was not identified as occurring within the GBFDR project area. The northern long-eared bat was listed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) as threatened under the Endangered Species Act in April 2015. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency revised the General Conformity rules of the Clean Air Act in April 2010, requiring an updated General Conformity analysis for the project. The evaluation of impacts will determine if the proposed changed conditions warrants the preparation of a supplemental environmental impact statement to the *FSEIS* and *FEIS*.

# 2.0 Green Brook Flood Control Project Background

The overall Green Brook basin encompasses sixty-five square miles within the State of New Jersey in the counties of Somerset, Middlesex and Union, and incorporates the Green Brook subbasin of the Raritan River Basin, a short reach of the Raritan River along the border of the Borough of Bound Brook and the Middle Brook tributary to the Raritan River (Figure 1).

Flooding has been a longstanding problem in the Green Brook Sub-Basin. In September of 1999, Tropical Storm Floyd caused significant flood damages throughout the Sub-Basin, with the most extreme damages experienced in the Borough of Bound Brook. More recently, the April 2007 nor'easter caused significant flooding in Bound Brook and approximately \$200,000 in damages to the Segment T pump station.

The Green Brook Flood Control Project was authorized for construction in Section 401a of the Water Resources Development Act of 1986 and involves the construction of seven different elements. Each element consists typically of multiple construction segments or contract reaches.

Two of the elements in the Upper Basin have been deferred for reanalysis, but the other elements will be constructed as federal and state partnered funding becomes available.

The recommended plan for the GBFDRP will provide flood protection to the lower portion of the basin and the Stony Brook portion of the basin through various structural and non-structural flood control elements including approximately 14 miles of levees and floodwalls along Green Brook with supporting pump stations and closure structures, bridge replacements and removals, approximately 1 mile of channel modification in the Stony Brook portion of the project, and various levels of flood proofing including buy-outs. Plans for the upper portion of the basin have been deferred for reevaluation at a later time.

#### Element No. 1 - Bound Brook

Element No. 1 is comprised of Segments A, N, R, T, and U. Segment R was subdivided into several construction contracts: Segment R-1 which includes the Talmadge Avenue Bridge Replacement, and Segment R-2. Construction of Element No. 1 started in 2001, and has continued with implementation of levees, floodwalls and associated pump stations and drainage features at Segments T, U, R-2, floodproofing of 500 Union Avenue residences and buy-outs at Prospect Place in Middlesex Borough. An additional component involving the removal of an abandoned Conrail Bridge over the Raritan River was included in Element 1 to reduce the potential of flooding during the completion of Segment R2. Segment R2, was the last remaining segment to be constructed, with construction completed in May 2015.

# Element No. 2- Green Brook and Middlesex

Element No. 2 is comprised of Segments B, C, H and D (Figure 2) and is located in Green Brook Township and the Borough of Middlesex. Proposed flood damage reduction measures for Element No. 2 include approximately 6,750 feet of floodwall, 24,100 feet of levee, a total of six buy-outs of residential structures, flood proofing of 26 commercial structures and the raising of the Sebrings Mills Road, South Lincoln Avenue, and Union Avenue bridges.

Segment B is further broken down into Segments B-1, B-2, B-3 and B-4 (Figure 3). Construction of Segment B1 was initiated in 2010 and has been substantially completed. Construction of Segment B2 is anticipated to be initiated in July 2016, and construction of Segment B3 is anticipated to be initiated in February 2016. Because the construction of Segment B4 will induce flooding on the eastern downstream side of the Bound Brook , it is not scheduled to be constructed until 2021 in conjunction with portions of Segment C, which will provide protection to the induced flooding.

# Mitigation

The Finderne Farms Mitigation Site, located in Bridgewater Township, serves as off-site wetland and habitat mitigation acreage for the environmental impacts of the Bound Brook construction segments that could not be mitigated for on-site, including the construction of future structural project elements in Middlesex County.

The total property size is 179 acres, with the mitigation project focused on approximately 130 acres of the floodplain portion of the site. Habitats created, restored, enhanced or preserved as

part of the mitigation effort include 35 acres of forested wetland, six acres of scrub-shrub wetland, five acres of emergent wetland enhancement, preservation of six acres of palustrine emergent wetland, six acres of upland forest, 27 acres of riparian forest, and 800 linear feet of stream restoration. In addition, 12 acres of active and passive recreation including two soccer fields and trails that will become part of the Raritan River Greenway have been created. Construction of the mitigation site and recreational fields began in Fall 2005, and was completed in June 2006.

The wetland areas constructed on the Finderne Site have been undergoing monitoring to document compliance with Corps policy and NJDEP wetland mitigation regulations since 2006. Monitoring of the riparian area began in the Fall of 2010 and has continued to ensure compliance with the requirements set forth in the Flood Hazard Area Control Act Rules N.J.A.C. 7:13-10.2(t). Monitoring has indicated that adaptive management measures such as invasive plant species management and replanting with native species is required within the majority of the riparian mitigation areas. The District is currently developing an adaptive management plan that will focus on invasive species management and replanting and anticipates executing the adaptive management measures in late 2016/early 2017.

Additional Project Background Information can be viewed online at the District project website: <u>http://www.nan.usace.army.mil/business/prjlinks/flooding/greenbk/index.htm</u>.

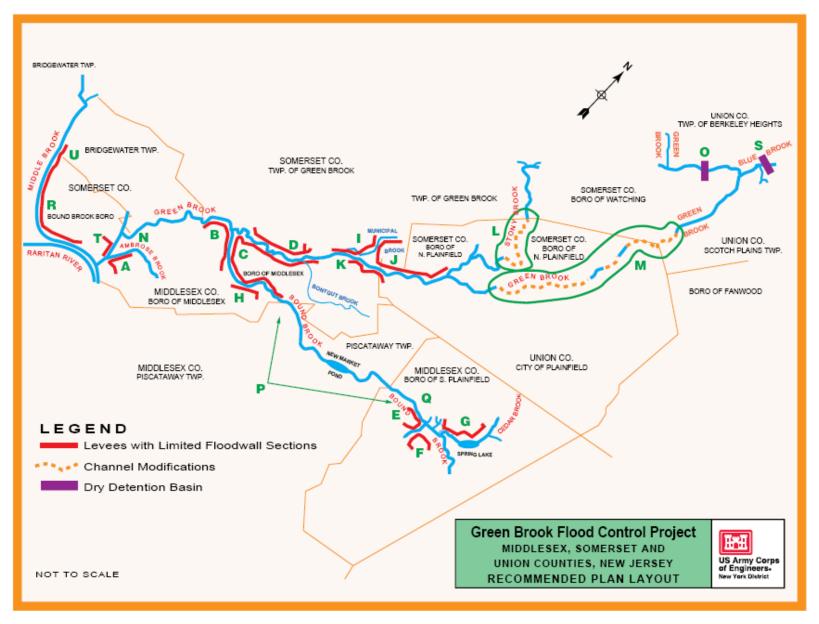
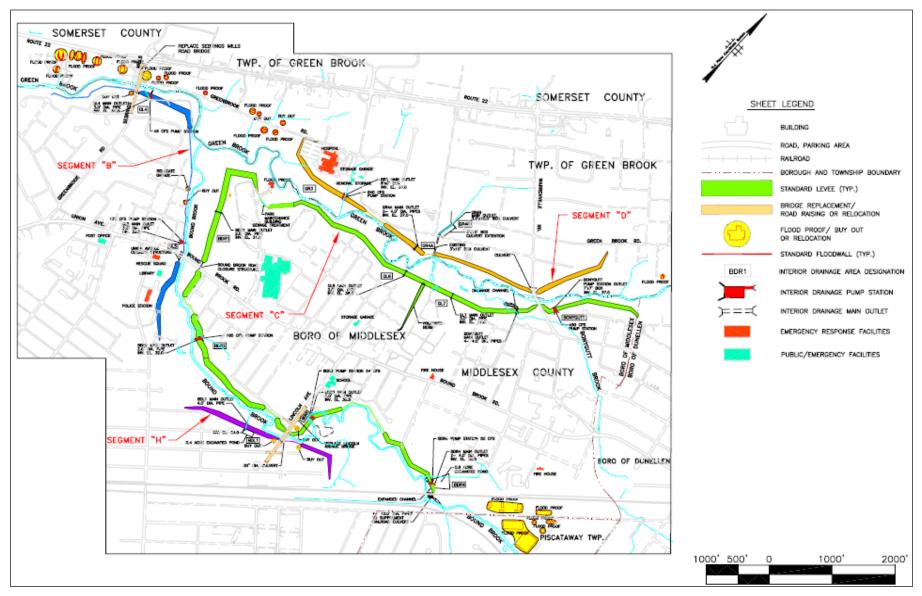


Figure 1: Proposed Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project

Segments B2 and B3, GBFDRP Middlesex Borough, New Jersey Draft Environmental Assessment



#### Figure 2: Element No. 2 of the Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project

Segments B2 and B3, GBFDRP Middlesex Borough, New Jersey

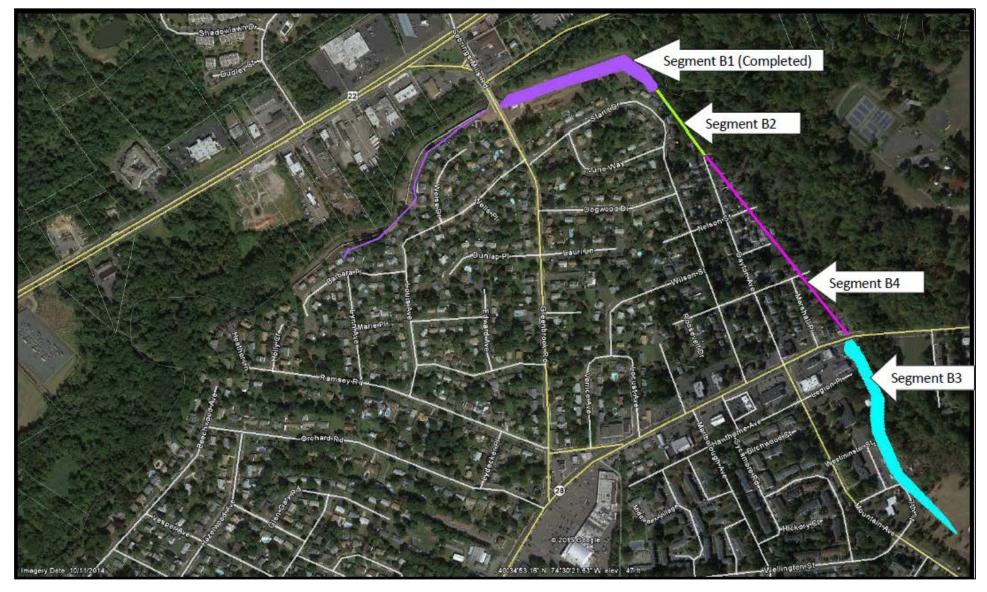


Figure 3: Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project, Segment B

Segments B2 and B3, GBFDRP Middlesex Borough, New Jersey

# 3.0 Proposed Action

Segment B2 consists of a levee approximately 110 feet long with an average height of 16 feet and 405 feet of floodwall ranging in height from 9-16 feet. The Segment B2 levee is effectively an extension of the Segment B1 levee, therefore, as part of the construction of Segment B2, the rip rap capping at the end of the existing Segment B-1 levee will be removed. In addition, the existing gabion structure used to temporarily tie off the Segment B-1 levee to high ground will be removed.

The Segment B2 floodwall will be constructed from the upstream end of the Segment B2 levee to its temporary terminus approximately 405 feet upstream. The floodwall will consist of reinforced concrete walls and concrete capped sheet pile driven walls where space is extremely constrained.

There is a 154 linear foot section of the west bank of the Bound Brook within the location of the Segment B2 floodwall that is severely eroded. A more stable stream bank will be created by filling in approximately 0.2 acres of the Bound Brook. The new stream bank will be stabilized with turf reinforcement matting and the toe of slope will be stabilized using a sheetpile cutoff. This is necessary to protect against scouring that could adversely affect the structural integrity of the floodwall.

Segment B2 increase the temporary level of protection from approximately a 10-year event with the completion of Segment B-1 to nearly a 40-year level of protection.

Segment B3 consists of approximately 518 ft of concrete floodwall ranging in 12-16 feet in height, and 234 ft of earthen levee with an average height of 10 feet. Internal drainage to convey stormwater runoff through the levee/floodwall and into Bound Brook drainage structures, internal drainage to convey runoff to a pump station to lift the water over the floodwall and into Bound Brook, and pump station housing, pumps will not be installed until after completion of Segment B4.

# 4.0 Alternative Analysis

A complete alternative analysis was performed in the 1989 FEIS and 1997 FSEIS. There were no other feasible alternatives to the proposed Segment B2 and B3 levee and floodwall systems. The existing residential area is fully developed and constrains the river bank corridor. As the existing residential development in this reach of the stream is in close proximity to the stream, alternatives available for the line of protection alignment are minimal without either further encroachment into the stream corridor or greatly impacting on the properties it is intended to protect.

# 5.0 Affected Environment

# 5.1. Soils

The dominant soil in the project area is Bowmansville silt loam. The Bowmansville series consists of very deep, poorly and somewhat poorly drained soils. The soils are found on floodplains with slopes of 0 to 3 percent and are formed in recent alluvial deposits derived from weathered red and brown shale and sandstone or dolerite or basalt (USDA,2008). Bowmansville

soils are frequently flooded and are included on the list of hydric soils for New Jersey developed by the Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA, NRCS 2010). Soils with this classification are those saturated through natural or artificial means sufficiently enough to support the growth and regeneration of hydrophytic vegetation (USDA, NRCS 2010).

#### 5.2. Water Resources

The project area is bounded by the Bound Brook to the north and east. Bound Brook originates in Metuchen and flows in a northwesterly direction before converging with the Green Brook around the Segment B2 project area. Bound Brook is classified as a FW-2 NT or freshwater river not supporting trout spawning or maintenance (N.J.A.C. 7:9B 2008).

Within the project area, Bound Brook has an average width of 40 feet and an average depth of one foot. The substrate is comprised of silt, sand, mud. The stream banks are vegetated with mature trees along the north and south bank, although severe erosion is occurring along 154 feet of the west bank within the area of the proposed Segment B2 floodwall.

Based on water quality and habitat assessment conducted by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Freshwater and Biological Monitoring (NJDEP BFBM), the water quality of Bound Brook is considered fair and habitat is considered suboptimal as it relates to supporting various life cycles of aquatic species.

#### 5.3. Vegetation

Vegetation within the project area of the proposed floodwall varies from maintained lawn and ornamental shrubs and trees to mature deciduous forest located behind the residences and along the Bound Brook.

The New Jersey Flood Hazard Area Control Act Rules, N.J.A.C. 13 (FHACAR) establishes and requires the preservation of riparian zones. The width of the established riparian zone is based on the environmental resources being protected and can range from 50, 150 or 300 feet as measured from the side of surface waters. The Green Brook is designated FW2-NT and does not support habitat for any threatened or endangered species; therefore, the riparian zone is 50 feet as described in N.J.A.C. 7:13-4.1(c) 3.

A wetland delineation was conducted within the project area in March and April 2010. Freshwater wetlands were identified and delineated within the project area using the method described in the Federal Manual for Identifying and Delineating Jurisdictional Wetlands (Federal Interagency Committee on Wetland Delineation, January 1989). Further discussion regarding wetlands is located in Section 5.3.1.

# 5.3.1. Wetlands

Federal (33 CFR 328.3(b); EO 11990) and State (N.J.A.C. 7:7A1.4) definitions of wetlands are similar, identifying wetlands as "those areas that are inundated or saturated by surface or groundwater at a frequency and duration sufficient to support, and that under normal circumstances do support, a prevalence of vegetation typically adapted for life in saturated soil conditions." As defined above, wetlands generally include swamps, marshes, bogs, and similar areas.

A wetland delineation conducted within the entire Segment B footprint in 2010 identified palustrine forested wetlands in the Segment B2 and B3 project areas. Dominant vegetative species identified include pin oak (*Quercus* palustris), box elder (*Acer* negundo), silver maple (*Acer* saccharinum), American elm (Ulmus Americana), green ash (*Fraxinus* pennsylvanica), and red maple (*Acer* rubrum), along with species multiflora rose, (*Rose* multiflora), and greenbrier (*Smilax* rotundifolia).

In addition, as per State regulations, a 50- foot transition area was delineated from the boundary of the four wetlands. By definition, a transition area is "an area of upland adjacent to a freshwater wetland which minimizes adverse impacts on the wetland or serves as an integral component of the wetlands ecosystem."

#### 5.4. Wildlife and Fisheries Resources

The NJDEP BFBM conducts fish sampling studies in New Jersey waters as part of their long term biomonitoring program to determine the level of water quality impairments to state waters. A fish survey station (FIBI091) has been established in Bound Brook near Union Ave, approximately 2 ¼ miles downstream from the project area. Based on surveys conducted by the NJDEP BFBM Green Brook supports fish species such as spottail shiner (*Notropis* hudsonius), American eel (*Anguilla* rostrata), tessellated darter (*Etheostoma* olmstedi), white sucker (*Catostomus* commersoni), longnose dace (*Rhinichthys* cataractae), redbreast sunfish (*Lepomis* auritus), fallfish (*Semotilus* corporalis), banded killifish (*Fundulus* diaphanus), swallowtail shiner (*Notropis* procne), green sunfish (*Lepomis* cyanellus), yellow bullhead (*Ameiurus natalis*), bluegill (*Lepomis macrochirus*), pumpkinseed (*Lepomis gibbosus*), largemouth bass (*Micropterus salmoides*), smallmouth bass (*Micropterus dolomieu*) (NJDEP 2009).

Mammals within the project area include squirrel (*Sciurus* carolinensis), eastern cottontail (*Sylvilagus* foridanus), white-tailed deer (*Odocoileus* virginianus) and other species. Bird species tolerant of urban-suburban areas, such as American robin (*Turdus* migratorius), European starling (*Sturnus* vulgaris), northern cardinal (*Baeolophus* bicolor), and gray catbird (*Dumetella* carolinensis), utilize the riparian habitat of the project area.

**5.4.1. Federal and State Endangered, Threatened and Special Concern Species** Indiana bat (Federal and State Endangered) and Northern long-eared bat (Federal Threatened)

Based on a review of the USFWS Information for Planning and Conservation (IPAC) Website, Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*) and northern long eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) may occur within the Segments B2 and B3 project area.

Both species spend the winter hibernating in caves and mines. The Hibernia Mine located in Hibernia, NJ, is a known Indiana and northern long-eared hibernaculum. Both species occupy summer maternity roosts under the loose bark of dead or dying trees within riparian, floodplain, and upland forests. Tree species commonly used as roost sites include American elm, slippery elm (*Ulmus* rubra), shagbark hickory, silver maple, and green ash.

Preferred foraging areas are streams, associated flood plain forests, and impounded bodies of water such as ponds and reservoirs. However, they have been observed in upland forests;

pastures and clearings with early successional vegetation; cropland borders; and wooded fencerows (USFWS 2007).

#### <u>Bald Eagle</u> (State Threatened)

The designation of the bald eagle foraging habitat is part of New Jersey's "Landscape Project" developed by the NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife's Endangered and Nongame Species Program which delineates and identifies critical habitat for the states threatened and endangered species. The bald eagle foraging habitat is defined as the "amount of habitat required to support a nesting pair of eagles throughout the year."

#### 5.5. Environmental Contamination

As required by ER 1165-2-132 (Hazardous, Toxic and Radioactive Waste Guidance for Civil Works, 26 June 1992), an assessment of hazardous, toxic, and radioactive waste (HTRW) was conducted in the project area. Hazardous, Toxic, and Radioactive Waste (HTRW) are defined as any "hazardous substance" regulated under Comprehensive, Environmental Response, Compensation, Liability Act (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq, including "hazardous wastes" under Section 3001 of the Resources Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), 42 U.S.C. 6921 et seq.

In conducting the environmental contamination assessment for Segments B-2 and B-3, the NJDEP Known Contaminated Sites List (KCS) and NJ-GeoWeb were used. Both data bases provide lists and locations of contaminated soil and ground water and status of remediation. Federal data bases used include the National Priority List (NPL), Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability System (CERCLIS), Toxic Release Inventory System (TRIS), Resource Conservation and Recovery System (RCRIS). Segment B-2 as proposed traverses a residential area that includes Starlit Drive and Dayton Avenue. The back yards of the homes along these roads extend to the stream. This area has historically been wooded or residential. Segment B-3 traverses a commercial/municipal area. Starting form Bound Brook Road (Rt. 28) going south through private lots to the town library and the Borough Hall complex. This segment currently ends at the fence line of Borough Hall complex and the former Middlesex Municipal Landfill. This landfill is a Formally Utilized Remedial Action Program (FUSRAP) site managed by the Army Corps of Engineers.

# 5.6. Cultural Resources

A cultural resources reconnaissance survey was conducted in 1989/90 for the overall Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project (GBFDRP) (Hunter Research 1990). In 1998 a Programmatic Agreement (PA) for the GBFDRP was signed by the Corps, New Jersey Historic Preservation Office (NJHPO) and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation. A number of structures and archeological sites within the larger project area of potential effect were identified in the PA as eligible for the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). Most of the lengths of Segments B-3 and B-4 were investigated at that time and no significant cultural resources were encountered. An architectural survey conducted of structures proposed for flood proofing or buy-out included two structures along Segments B-3 and B-4, a garage proposed to be relocated and a dwelling proposed to for buy-out. Both structures were determined not eligible for the NRHP (Panamerican Consultants, Inc. 1999). All previous survey results were coordinated with the NJHPO. There are, however, short segments where the alignment has shifted slightly that were not previously studied. Based on previous work along the alignments these are not considered archaeologically sensitive however the locations will be tested as property access is acquired.

#### 5.7. Air Quality

In accordance with the Clean Air Act of 1977, as amended, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) developed National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) to establish the maximum allowable atmospheric concentrations of pollutants that may occur while ensuring protection of public health and welfare with a reasonable margin of safety.

The USEPA measures community-wide air quality based on daily measured concentrations of six criteria air pollutants; carbon monoxide, sulfur dioxide, respirable particulate matter, lead, nitrogen dioxide, and ozone. Based on these measurements of air quality, the USEPA designates attainment areas and non-attainment areas nationwide. Non-attainment areas are designated in areas where air pollution levels persistently exceed the national ambient air quality standards.

Somerset and Middlesex Counties are located in the New York-New Jersey-Long Island Air Quality Control Region. Similar to most urban industrial areas, emissions from automobiles, manufacturing processes, utility plants, and refineries have impacted air quality in the Project area. Based on the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) six primary pollutants, Somerset County is designated as a non-attainment area for ozone and particulate matter (PM2.5) and an attainment area for sulfur dioxide, carbon dioxide, particulate matter (PM10), lead and nitrogen oxide.

# 5.8. Socioeconomics

Middlesex Borough has a population of 13,717 with 3,921.15 persons/square mile. The population is comprised of 87% White, 9% Hispanic, and 3.4% African American. The median age is 38 and the median per capita income is \$27,834 (U.S. Census Bureau 2000). Approximately 2.4% of families and 3.6% of individuals live below the poverty line. 39.4% of the residents are occupied in the management and professional sector. 73% of the residential structures are detached, single family homes; 37% of which were built from 1940 to 1959 (U.S. Census Bureau 2000).

# 6.0 Environmental Impacts

# 6.1. Soils

The in-situ soil does not meet the geotechnical specifications for levee construction, therefore soil that meets the specifications will be imported from off-site. Although the importation of soil will constitute a change in the existing soil type within the immediate vicinity of the levee, no changes to the soil beyond the levee footprint are proposed. Soil may also need to be imported to use as backfill when constructing the floodwall but as with the levee, the change in soil type will not extend beyond the immediate footprint of the floodwall. The floodwall will provide some long term protection against the soil erosion occurring along the western most portion of the project area.

#### 6.2. Water Resources

The full range of impacts to water resources were evaluated in 1980 FEIS and 1997 SEIS. Approximately 154 linear feet equaling to 0.055 acres of open water in the Bound Brook will be filled as a result of the installation of the sheetpile cutoff to create a more streamlined stream bank in the Segment B2 project area. This impact will be compensated through the use of open water credits available at the Finderne Farms Wetland Mitigation Site.

Approximately 0.298 acres of open water within the Bound Brook will be temporarily disturbed during the construction of Segment B3. Introduction of excess sediment into Bound Brook during construction and minimization of turbidity during in-channel work will be controlled to the extent practicable through use of best management practices identified in the soil and sedimentation erosion control plan. A preliminary erosion and sediment control plan is included in Appendix D. The District will be applying for Soil and Sedimentation Erosion Control and Request for Authorization permits from the Freehold Soil Conservation Districts prior to construction.

#### 6.3. Vegetation

Approximately two acres of vegetation will be removed in order to construct the levee and floodwall; with the majority of the impacts occurring in wetlands. The limits of construction have been minimized to greatest extent possible to reduce loss of vegetation. Upon completion of the levee and the house demolition, shrubs and trees will be planted and the area will be reseeded with native grasses and wildflowers. The floodwall area will be reseeded with native grasses and wildflowers.

Approximately 0.79 acres of riparian zone will be permanently impacted through the construction of the levee and floodwall. The FHACAR allow for a maximum 3,000 square feet of riparian zone disturbance for flood damage reduction projects before requiring an application for a Hardship Exception and compensating the impact through mitigation at a 2:1 ratio. Given that the impact acreage exceeds the maximum limit, the District and NJDEP have included a Hardship Exception as part of the Flood Hazard Area Individual Permit application and have demonstrated in the application that public safety cannot be adequately ensured without exceeding this limit. A 0.51 acre mitigation credit will be applied at the Finderne Mitigation site to compensate for the impacts to the riparian zone.

#### 6.3.1. Wetlands

A total of 0.85 acres of forested wetlands and 0.67 acres of wetland transition area will be permanently impacted as a result of the construction of the Segment B2 and B3 levees/floodwalls. Approximately 0.58 acres of forested wetlands will be temporarily impacted during the construction of the Segment B2 levee/floodwall.

Permanent forested wetland impacts will be mitigated through the use of forested wetland mitigation credits purchased by the District from the Cranbury Mitigation Bank in 27 August 2015. The Cranbury Mitigation bank, located in Cranbury, New Jersey is a State of New Jersey approved wetland mitigation bank and is located within the same Watershed Management Area as the project. The receipt of the mitigation credit purchase is located in Appendix c.

Temporary forested wetland impacts will be compensated through on-site planting. Species to be replanted include serviceberry (*Amelanchier Canadensis*), river birch (*Betula nigra*), hackberry (*Celtis occidentalis*), hackberry (*Cercis Canadensis*), cockspur (*Crategus crus-galli*), blackgum (*Nyssa sylvatica*), willow oak (*Quercus phellos*), swamp white oak (*Quercus bicolor*), and eastern white pine (*Pinus strobus*).

#### 6.4. Wildlife and Fisheries Resources

The full range of impacts to fish and wildlife resources were evaluated in the 1980 FEIS and the 1997 SEIS. In general, the removal of mature trees to construct the floodwall and levee will result in a permanent reduction of cover, nesting and food sources for wildlife. Construction activities will temporarily displace animals that utilize the forest such as birds, squirrels, raccoons, etc., but they are anticipated to return to the area post-construction. To comply with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (MBTA), trees and shrubs will be cleared outside of a 15 March through 31 July window to avoid adverse impacts to any potential nesting birds that are covered under this act.

Erosion and sediment control best management practices will be implemented to reduce the introduction of sediment into open water surfaces. In addition, in water construction will be restricted to occur outside May 1 through June 30 to protect any spawning fish species.

#### 6.4.1. Federal and State Endangered, Threatened and Special Concern Species Indiana and Northern long-eared bat

Based on a phone conversation with USFWS, Indiana bat is not expected to occur within the Segment B2 and B3 project area due to the level of habitat fragmentation and urbanization. However, there are documented northern long eared bat maternal colonies several miles from the project area and this species is known to form colonies in urban areas (personal communication, J. Markuson, R. Popowski, 24 November 2015). As a result, the District will adhere to a vegetation clearing restriction from 1 April through 30 September to protect this species. Alternatively, if clearing must occur within this timeframe, a presence/absence survey will be conducted prior to construction and results will be coordinated with the USFWS.

# Bald Eagle

Based on coordination with staff from NJDEP Division of Fish and Wildlife's Endangered and Nongame Species Program, due to the urbanized nature of the project area and the relatively small width of Green Brook, the project area was determined to not provide suitable bald eagle foraging habitat. Therefore, no adverse impacts to the bald eagle or its supportive habitat are anticipated from the implementation of the project. See Appendix C for additional documentation from NJDEP regarding this matter.

# 6.5. Environmental Contamination

Based on review of Federal and State operated data bases the area where Segment B-2 is proposed to be built shows no environmental contamination issues. This area has historically been wooded followed by development into residential housing. There is no history of any industrial activity in this area. That area of Segment B-3 was developed into commercial properties. Currently a restaurant, and American Legion Hall occupy the land. South of this is Borough owned land with the library and Borough Hall complex. Part of the complex includes the Borough re-cycling center. The most recent soil borings conducted on Borough property

showed low levels of radiologic soil several feet beneath the surface and minimally impacted soils with volatile organics, semi-volatile organics and metals. These compounds present are not surprising since the Borough complex has been in existence for over fifty years and contains the re-cycling center, parking areas for vehicles and storage. Adding to the levels found is the property buts up to the former Middlesex Municipal Landfill. This former landfill contains mixed wasted and radiologic material left over from the processing of radiologic sources during the Manhattan Project of World War II. Remediation of this site in being conducted by the Army Corps of Engineers under FUSRAP (Formally Utilized Site Remedial Action Program). A Remedial Investigation (RI) is currently being done on the site. The levels of compounds found in the Borough Hall complex should not be an issue during construction. Presently used excavation/construction protocols for working in this type environment should be sufficient in protecting worker health and safety, and the environment.

#### 6.6. Cultural Resources

No historic properties were identified through archaeological testing and architectural survey of the Segments B2 and B3. While not considered sensitive for archaeological resources based on previous work in the area, a short reach of Segment B3 will be tested for archeologically resources. It was not surveyed previously as the alignment shifted since the original study.

# 6.7. Air Quality and Noise

# 6.7.1. Air Quality

Construction emissions for the proposed project have been estimated to be below the Federal de minimis thresholds in accordance with the Clean Air Act. The emissions will be below the thresholds of 100 tons/year for NOx, 50 tons/year for VOC, and below 100 tons/year for PM 2.5. The emissions from the project are considered to have an insignificant impact on the regional air quality, and according to 40 CFR 93.153 (f) and (g), the proposed project is presumed to conform to the State Implementation Plan. A General Conformity, Record of Non-Applicability (RONA) and associated air emissions calculations are included in Appendix C of this document.

# 6.7.2. Noise

The proximity of the project area to residences will increase noise levels due to the operation of construction equipment. The impacts of noise will be mitigated to the extent possible through restriction of the work hours within normal operating hours and by coordinating with the local communities to comply with any locally enforced noise ordinances or work periods. Wildlife in the area may be temporarily displaced during active construction, but would be expected to return to the project area post-construction.

# 6.8. Socioeconomics

During construction of the floodwall, some of the residents within this project area will be unable to fully utilize their property. Additionally, they may be required to move or disassemble structures such as sheds and above ground swimming pools to accommodate construction. Further, setting the floodwall back from the Bound Brook will fragment some of the properties and will result in the loss of direct access to the portion of property between the brook and floodwall. This loss will be offset through the acquisition of permanent easements for the operation and maintenance of the floodwall and compensating the property owner at its fair market value for the effect on the property. Long term benefits achieved by the project include flood damage reduction benefits that include reduced damage to property, protection of business and residential structures, improved public health and safety, reduced traffic delays, and emergency access for the fire department, medical personnel and police protection. The proposed action is not expected to adversely impact the socioeconomic environment of the area.

#### 6.8.1. Environmental Justice

Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to address Environmental Justice in Minority and Low Income Populations mandates that each federal agency will identify and address potential disproportionately high and adverse human health or environmental effects of its activities on minority populations and low income populations.

No significant environmental impacts on the human population are anticipated as a result of the proposed action. The proposed project is not located in a low income area and is intended to protect the surrounding community from flood related damages. Therefore, a disproportionate negative impact on minority or low-income groups in the community is not anticipated and a full evaluation of Environmental Justice issues is not required for this EA.

#### 6.9. Recreation

The Middlesex Library, which is located within the Segment B3 project area, has a small children's playground containing play equipment (e.g. swings) and a 53 x 32 foot picnic pagoda in the rear of its property. Both will be relocated slightly closer to the library to accommodate the primary ponding area and drainage culvert associated with the Segment B3 levee and floodwall. Both the playground area and the pagoda will not be available for use during construction for safety reasons but will be open to the public once construction is completed. Therefore, significant impacts are not expected.

#### 6.10. Cumulative Impacts

Cumulative impacts refer to one or more individual impacts, which when considered together, are considerable or which compound or increase the other's impacts. The cumulative impact from several projects is the change in the environment that results from the incremental impact of the selected plan when added to other closely related past, present or reasonably foreseeable future projects.

Past and current actions that need to be considered against the proposed action include construction of Element No. 1 of the GBFDRP. The proposed construction may overlap with the on-going Segment R2 construction in Bound Brook. However, the overlap of the construction activities is not anticipated to result in any unanticipated adverse environmental (e.g. air quality, wetlands) or socioeconomic impacts.

The total wetland impacts resulting from the construction of Element No. 1 of the GBFDRP and Segments B2 and B3 includes 12.85 acres of forested wetland, 0.15 acres of open water and 0.26 acres of scrub shrub wetlands. These impacts have been mitigated through the use of credits generated by the Finderne Farms mitigation site and through the purchase of forested wetland mitigation credits from a NJDEP approved wetland mitigation bank.

Future actions to be considered include the construction of Segments B4 and B5, and the construction of segments C, H and D. Upon its completion, Segment B will provide a flood protection level for a 150 year event. Overall, the construction of future segments of the GBFDRP will provide comprehensive flood damage reduction within the Green Brook subbasin.

Adverse cumulative impacts to wetlands will be assessed as project design for each segment are developed and if necessary, additional mitigation sites will be identified and created to compensate for such impacts.

Emissions analyses will be conducted for each segment to ensure compliance with General Conformity and if needed, construction operations will be scheduled in a manner to stay below the yearly de minimis levels for the applicable NAAQS. Continued coordination will occur with the USFWS to identify the need for field surveys to ensure that Indiana bat and/or northern long-eared bat will not be adversely impacted. Coordination with the SHPO will be on-going to ensure significant cultural resources will not be adversely impacted or identify mitigation requirements for any cultural resource impacts.

# 7.0 **Public and Agency Coordination**

The Draft Environmental Assessment is being coordinated with the public and involved agencies through targeted mailings, placement of the report in public repositories such as the local library and by advertisement of the documents availability on the New York District's website.

Coordination with the public includes meetings with affected property owners to discuss the project features. The affected residents were also notified of the Flood Hazard and Freshwater Regulations Individual permit applications for Segment B3 and will be notified for the Segment B2 Flood Hazard and Freshwater Individual permit applications. Additionally, the proposed action has been coordinated with the State and local partners of the Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project, including NJDEP, Somerset and Middlesex Counties as well as with the Green Brook Flood Control Commission.

The proposed project has been coordinated with the NJDEP Land Use Regulation Program Office via a pre-application meeting held in March 2015 for Segment B2 and submission of the Flood Hazard Area and Freshwater Wetlands Individual Permit applications. Correspondence documenting coordination between the District and the State Historic Preservation Office Correspondence pertaining to cultural resources is located in Appendix C.

Based on 15 December 2015 call with Ron Popowski of the USFWS, it was agreed that formal Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act Report (FWCAR) will not be required given that no major changes to project have occurred since preparation of the original FWCAR developed in 1996. This Environmental Assessment will be used for them to update any recommendations from the previous FWCAR.

The circulation of this Environmental Assessment for public comment fulfills public coordination requirements in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1970. The District will prepare a final NEPA document to address all received comments.

# 8.0 Conclusion

In summary, the implementation of Segments B2 and B3 are not anticipated to have significant adverse impacts on the environment, cultural resources or socioeconomics and is therefore proposed to be documented with a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI). The proposed action is necessary to ultimately provide flood damage reduction for the Borough of Middlesex that will benefit the economics, health and safety of the residents. Temporary disturbance to floodplain and wetland habitat will be mitigated on-site through site landscaping and permanent floodplain and wetland impacts will be mitigated offsite at the Finderne Farms mitigation site. Therefore, a supplemental EIS is not required. Applicable laws and regulations related to federal actions are summarized in Table 1.

Federal							
Legislative Title U.S. Code/Other		Compliance					
Clean Air Act	42 U.S.C. §§ 7401- 7671g	An air quality analysis was completed for the project. Based upon the completed analysis, the emissions from the project are considered to have an insignificant impact on the regional air quality, and according to 40 CFR 93.153 (f) and (g) the proposed project is presumed to conform to the SIP. A Record of Non-Applicability is located in Appendix C.					
Clean Water Act	33 U.S.C. §§ 1251 et seq.	The Corps obtained a Freshwater Wetlands Individual Permit application to NJDEP to fulfill the requirements of Section 404 of this act for Segment B3 on 20 October 2015. A Freshwater Wetlands Individual Permit for Segment B2 will be submitted in April 2016. A 404(b) Review is also included in this report in Appendix A.					
Endangered Species Act of 1973	16 U.S.C. §§ 1531 et seq.	Information provided by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service indicates that the proposed project will not have adverse impacts to any endangered or threatened species.					
Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act	16 U.S.C. § 661 et seq.	A formal FWCAR is not required. However, the Corps is in continued coordination with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.					
National Environmental	42 U.S.C. §§ 4321-	The circulation of the Finding of No					

# Table 1: Summary of Primary Federal and State laws and Regulations Applicable to the Proposed Action

Segments B2 and B3, GBFDRP Middlesex Borough, New Jersey Draft Environmental Assessment

Policy Act of 1969	4347	Significant Impact fulfills requirements
Toney Act of 1909	+3+7	of this act.
National Historic	16 U.S.C. §§ 470 et	The Corps has continued to coordinate
Preservation Act of 1966	seq.	with the State Historic Preservation
Treservation Act of 1900	scy.	Office to fulfill requirements of this act.
		Correspondence indicating SHPO's non
		objection to the project is located in
		Appendix C.
Executive Order 11990,	May 24, 1977	Circulation of this report for public and
Protection of Wetlands	Way 24, 1977	agency review fulfills the requirements
Flotection of wetlands		of this order.
Executive Order 11988	May 24, 1977	
Floodplain Management	1viay 24, 1977	The proposed action is within the floodplain. However the project is
Floodplain Management		designed to reduce damages to existing
		infrastructure located landward of the
		proposed project. The circulation of the
		Draft EA for public review satisfies the
		public coordination requirement under
		this EO.
Executive Order 13045,	April 21, 1997	Implementation of this project will
Protection of Children	April 21, 1997	reduce environmental health risks.
from Environmental		Circulation of this report for public and
Health Risks and Safety		agency review fulfills the requirements
Risks		of this order.
State		
Legislative Title and code	/date	Compliance
NJDEP Rules and		A permit for Segment B3 has been
Regulations – Flood	58:16A)	received and is included in Appendix C.
Hazard Area	J0.10A)	The permit application for Segment B2
Hazalu Alta		was submitted to NJDEP LURP on 2
		May 2016.
NJDEP Rules and	N.J.A.C. 7:7A	The permit for Segment B3 has been
Regulations –	(N.J.S.A. 13:9B)	received and is included in Appendix C.
Freshwater Wetlands	(11.J.S.A. 13.7D)	The permit application for Segment B2
Permit		was submitted to NJDEP LURP on 2
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		May 2016.

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Section 404 (b)(1) Evaluation

Segments B2 and B3 Levee and Floodwall Construction, Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project Borough of Middlesex, Middlesex County, NJ Section 404 (b)(1) Evaluation

#### I. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

- a. Location: Borough of Middlesex, Middlesex County, New Jersey.
- b. General Description: Segment B2: Installation of 110 feet of levee and 405 feet of floodwall along the west bank of the Bound Brook. Segment B3: Installation of 234 feet of earthern levee, 518 feet of concrete floodwall, and housing for a future pump station.
- c. Authority and Purpose:

The study has been authorized under Section 401a of the Flood Control Act of 1986 as amended, to study and construct flood damage reduction measures for public works and non-profit public services. The purpose of the project is to provide flood damage reduction measures to the community of the Borough of Middlesex.

d. General Description of Fill Material

1.) Characteristics of Material: Material used to construct the levee will be clean fill that meets Corps specifications for levee construction. Other materials used in association of levee construction includes rip rap around discharge outlets to reduce discharge velocities and prevent scouring and soil erosion. The floodwall will be constructed of concrete.

2.) Quantity of Material: Levee: Approximately 16,000 cy soil and 150 cy of stone; Floodwall Approximately 8,000 cy of soil and 2,100 cy of concrete.

3.) Source of Material: The rock will be obtained from a local quarry. Soil fill will be clean material and will be acquired at an adequate site.

e. Description of the Proposed Discharge Sites

1.) Location: The discharge site is located on along the west bank of the Bound Brook in the Borough of Middlesex Brook, New Jersey.

2.) Size: Approximately 923 feet of floodwall and 334 feet of levee will be constructed.

3.) Type of Site: Segment B2 is located within a residential area; Land use within the Segment B3 project area is a mix of commercial and municipal buildings.

4.) Types of Habitat: The levees and floodwall is located in a combination of forested wetland, some of which has been disturbed through the conversion to lawns. The aquatic habitat consists nontidal freshwater classified as FW2-NT (general fresh surface water, non-trout) by NJDEP.

5.) Time and Duration of Disposal: Construction of the Segment B2 and Segment B3 levee and floodwall systems will take approximately 24 months.

f. Description of Disposal Method: Land based construction equipment will be used to excavate and construct the flood damage reduction measures.

#### II. FACTUAL DETERMINATION

- a. Physical Substrate Determinations
  - 1) Substrate Evaluation and Slope: The project area is generally flat with the dominant soil in the project area being the Bowmansville Series.
  - 2) Sediment Type: The sediment is primarily alluvial soils.
  - 3) Dredged/Fill Material Movement: The majority of fill activities will occur in freshwater wetlands. Placement and grading of fill, riprap and concrete will result in the temporary disturbance of 0.58 acres of forested wetlands and the permanent loss of 0.85 acres of forested wetlands. Temporary wetland impacts will be mitigated through on-site restoration following completion of construction activities. Approximately 0.055 acres of the Bound Brook will be filled as part restoring 155 linear feet of eroded bank within the footprint of the Segment B2 floodwall. Permanent wetland impacts will be mitigated by utilizing credits purchased from the Cranbury Wetland Mitigation Bank. Permanent open water impacts will be mitigated by utilizing credits generated from the Finderne Farms Wetland Mitigation Site located in Bridgewater Township that the District constructed specifically for the Green Brook Flood Control Project.
  - 4) Physical Effects on Stream Bottom: The project is not expected to change the existing substrate or characteristics of Green Brook given that the levee and floodwalls are setback from the stream bank.
  - 5) Other Effects: No unique or other effects are anticipated from this project.
  - 6) Actions Taken to Minimize Impacts: Best management practices, include but not limited to silt fencing and straw bales, will be utilized during const ruction. Additionally, work will be limited to that which can be completed and stabilized in one day.
- b. Water Circulation, Fluctuation and Salinity Determinations
  - 1) Water, Consider Effects on:
    - a. Salinity- No effect
    - b. Water Chemistry- No effect
    - c. Clarity- Water clarity may be slightly impacted during construction activities; No long-term effect is anticipated.
    - d. Color- No effect
    - e. Odor- No effect
    - f. Taste No effect
    - g. Dissolved Gas Levels- No effect
    - h. Nutrients- No effects
    - i. Eutrophication- No effect
    - j. Others as Appropriate- No other adverse impacts are anticipated from the project.

- 2) Current Patterns and Circulation:
  - a.Current Patterns and Flow- The project will not impact normal flows.
  - b. Velocity- The project will not impact velocities of the Bound Brook.
  - c.Stratification- No effect.
  - d. Hydrologic Regime- No effect.
- 3) Normal Water Level Fluctuations: The project will not cause any change in normal water levels.
- 4) Salinity Gradients: Not applicable.
- 5) Actions Taken to Minimize Impacts: Erosion and sediment control practices will be utilized during construction.
- c. Suspended Particulate/Turbidity Determinations.
  - 1) Expected Changes in Suspended Particulates and Turbidity Levels in Vicinity of Disposal Sites: Effects of the proposed project on turbidity and suspended sediment concentrations will be minimal.
  - 2) Effects on Chemical/Physical Properties of the Water Column:
    - a. Light Penetration- No effect.
    - b. Dissolved Oxygen- No effect.
    - c. Toxic Metals and Organics- No effect.

d. Pathogens- The project will not cause any change in pathogen levels as no sewage or animal waste use or treatment is involved.

e. Aesthetics- The aesthetics of the project area will be somewhat compromised as the majority of the project area behind the residences is forested. Restoration of grass and shrub and tree species will be implemented to restore the vegetation.

f. Others as Appropriate- Not applicable

- 3) Effects on Biota:
  - a. Primary Production, Photosynthesis- Not applicable

b. Suspension/ Filter Feeders- No impact is expected. Erosion and sediment control best management practices will be implemented during construction to reduce sedimentation to Green Brook.

c. Sight Feeders- No impact is expected.

- 4) Actions Taken to Minimize Impacts: Erosion and sediment controls will be implemented during construction.
- d. Contaminant Determinations: All fill material will be clean and will not pose a risk.
- e. Aquatic Ecosystem and Organism Determinations.
  - 1) Effects on Plankton: No effect.
  - 2) Effects on Benthos: No effect.

- 3) Effects on Nekton: No effect.
- 4) Effects on Aquatic Food Web: No effect. Setting the floodwall and levee back from the stream bank will preserve the vegetation immediately along the bank.
  - 5) Effects on Special Aquatic Sites:
  - a. Sanctuaries and Refuges- Non applicable

b. Wetlands- 0.85 acres of forested wetland will be permanently impacted by construction of the levee and floodwall with 0.58 acres of forested wetland being temporarily impacted during construction.

- c. Mudflats- Non applicable.
- d. Vegetated Shallows- Not applicable.
- e. Coral Reefs- Not applicable.
- f. Riffle and Pool Complexes- No effect.
- 6) Threatened and Endangered Species: Based on a 24 November 2015 personal communication with representatives of the USFWS, Indiana bat is not expected to occur within the project area due to the level of urbanization and habitat fragmentation. However, northern long-eared bat, which is more adaptable to developed areas, may occur within the project area. A tree clearing restriction from 1 April through 30 September will be implemented during construction to minimize impacts to the bat species.
  - 7) Other Wildlife: The project is not expected to have significant long-term impacts on the waterfowl, upland birds or mammals in the project area. A tree clearing restriction from 15 March until 30 July will be implemented during construction to avoid adverse impacts to migratory birds.
- 8) Actions to Minimize Impacts: Best management practices including but not limited to silt fence, cofferdams and turbidity curtains will be utilized during construction.
- f. Proposed Disposal Site Determinations
  - 1) Mixing Zone: Not applicable
  - 2) Determination of Compliance with Applicable Water Quality Standards: Fill will be clean construction material and will meet water quality standards.
  - 3) Potential Effects on Human Use Characteristic:

a. Municipal and Private Water Supply - The Bound Brook is not used as a water supply so no direct or indirect adverse impacts to the municipal water supply form project implementation are expected.

b. Recreational and Commercial Fisheries - The project is not expected to have any adverse impacts to recreational or commercial fisheries.

c. Water Related Recreation- The Green Brook is not used for recreational purposes within the project area; therefore no permanent or temporary adverse impacts are expected as a result of project implementation.

d. Aesthetics - Removal of mature trees to construct the levees and floodwalls will reduce the aesthetics of the project area. However, the need for flood protection to homes within

Middlesex Borough outweighs the loss. The floodwall will receive a decorative façade to minimize the impact. The levee is set back from residential homes will minimize the direct impacts the levee will have on views.

e. Parks, National and Historical Monuments, National Seashores, Wilderness Areas, Research Sites, and Similar Preserves - Not Applicable

f. Determination of Cumulative Effects on the Aquatic Ecosystem.

Segments B2 and B3 are a component of the larger Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project. Other components comprising of levees, buyouts and floodwalls have been implemented 3 miles west of the project area in the Borough of Bound Brook. In addition, the District completed the removal of the Jefferson Avenue bridge in Dunellen approximately 2.5 miles from the project area. The bridge was removed as part of the GBFDRP. The majority of the cumulative impacts have been through the temporary disturbance and permanent loss of freshwater wetlands. Compensation for the permanent impact of wetlands and open water is being performed through the use of credits from the Finderne Farms mitigation site that was specifically constructed for the GBFDRP, and through the purchase of wetland mitigation credits of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection approved Cranbury Mitigation Bank located in Cranbury, New Jersey.

g. Determination of Secondary Effects on the Aquatic Ecosystem.

No secondary effects on the aquatic ecosystem are expected from this project.

# III. FINDINGS OF COMPLIANCE OR NON-COMPLIANCE WITH THE RESTRICTIONS ON DISCHARGE.

- a. No significant adaptation of the Section 404(b)(1) guidelines was made relative to this evaluation.
- b. The objective of protecting Middlesex Borough from catastrophic flood damages necessitates the implementation of the floodwalls and levees.
- c. The proposed activity will not violate the Toxic Effluent Standards of Section 307 of the Clean Water Act.
- d. The proposed disposal operations will not harm any Federal or state endangered species or its critical habitat under the Endangered Species Act of 1973.
- e. The proposed discharge of fill material will not result in significant adverse effects on human health and welfare, including municipal and private water supplies, fish, wildlife, and special aquatic sites. The life stages of aquatic life and other wildlife will not be significantly affected. Significant adverse effects on aquatic ecosystem diversity, productivity and stability, and recreational, aesthetic and economic values are not expected to occur.
- f. Appropriate steps to minimize potential adverse impacts of the discharge of fill material include the implementation of an erosion and sediment control plan and judicious engineering practices.

# APPENDIX B RECORD OF NON-APPLICABILITY

#### GENERAL CONFORMITY - RECORD OF NON-APPLICABILITY

Project/Action Name: Segment B2 Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project
Project/Action Identification Number:N/A
Project/Action Point of Contact: Kimberly Rightler, (917) 790-8722
Begin Date: To Be Determined
End Date: To Be Determined

General Conformity under the Clean Air Act, Section 176 has been evaluated for the project described above according to the requirements of 40 CFR 93, Subpart B. The requirements of this rule are not applicable to this project/action because:

\_\_\_\_\_ The project/action is an exempt action under 40 CFR 93.153(c) or (d), (SPECIFY APPLICABLE EXEMPTION CATEGORY AND REGULATORY CITATION) OR

X Total direct and indirect emission from this project/action have been estimated at 3.90 tons CO, 0.18 tons VOC, 2.07 tons NOx and 0.33 tons PM, and are below the conformity threshold value established at 40 CFR 93.153(b) of *100 tons CO*, *100 tons NOx*, *100 tons PM and 50 tons VOC*.

#### AND

The project/action is not considered regionally significant under 40 CFR 93.153(i).

Supporting documentation and emissions estimates are

(X) ATTACHED

() APPEAR IN THE NEPA DOCUMENTATION (PROVIDE REFERENCE)

( ) OTHER \_\_\_\_\_.

SIGNED

(Peter Weppler, Chief, Environmental Branch, Planning Division)

#### Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project Equipment Specifications and Hours of Operation

Nonroad Vehicles - Equipment Description	Equip Hrs	Horsepower	Fuel Type	Sources and Assumptions
AIR COMPRESSOR, 250 CFM ( 7 CMM), 100 PSI (689 KPA) (ADD HOSE)	45.40	85	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
AIR HOSE, 1.5" (38 MM) DIA x 100' (31 M) LENGTH, HARDROCK (USE AS DRILLING ACCESSORY)	88.31	NA		No emissions
ASPHALT DISTRIBUTOR, 3,000 GAL (11,355 L) (ADD 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW TRUCK)	341.55	245	Diesel	Truck hp from specifications from equipmentwatch.com; fuel type assumed
ASPHALT FINISHER, 10' WIDE SCREED, WHEEL, W/19' 6" SCREED EXTENSION, 215 CF HOPPER	5.12	158	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
BUCKET, CONCRETE, GENERAL PURPOSE, 1.0 CY (0.8 M3)	2.50	NA	NA	No emissions
BUCKET, DRAGLINE, 0.8 CY (0.6 M3) MEDIUM WEIGHT (ADD TEETH WEAR COST)	21.25	NA	NA	No emissions
CHAINSAW, 16" - 24" (406-610 MM) BAR	77.45	5.7	Gasoline	Specifications from Husqvarna.com
CONCRETE FINISHER, ROTO TROWEL, 46" (1,168 MM) DIA, 4 BLADE	162.00	9		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CONCRETE MIXER, PLASTER/MORTAR, 12 CF (0.3 M3), W/TRAILER	81.00	13		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CONCRETE PUMP, 117 CY/HR, 75' BOOM, TRUCK MTD	371.21	210	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CONCRETE SAW, 13" (330 MM) DEPTH, SELF PROPELLED (ADD WATER AND COST FOR SAWBLADE WEAR)	19.46	66	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CONCRETE VIBRATOR, 2.5" (63.5 MM) DIA, W/7.5 HP (5.6 KW) GENERATOR	396.89	7.5		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
CRANE, HYDRAULIC, SELF-PROPELLED, ROUGH TERRAIN, 20 TON (18 MT), 70' (21.3 M) BOOM, 4X4	31.99	152		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CRANE, MECHANICAL, LATTICE BOOM, CRAWLER, DRAGLINE/CLAMSHELL, 0.75 CY (0.6 M3), 25 TON (23 MT), 100' (30.5 M) BOOM (ADD BUCKET)	20.89	150		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CRANE, MECHANICAL, LATTICE BOOM, TRUCK MOUNTED, 125 TON (113 MT), 240' (73.2 M) BOOM	16.87	197		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, SELF-PROPELLED, ROUGH TERRAIN, 30 TON, 95' BOOM, 4X4	10.10	152	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, SELF-PROPELLED, YARD, 10 TON, 30' BOOM, 4X4, NON-ROTATING OPERATOR'S CAB	8.66	62		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, TRUCK MTD, 70 TON, 115' BOOM, 8X4	6.91	400		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, TRUCK MTD, ALL TERRAIN, 25 TON, 94' BOOM, 6X4X2	30.41	250		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
GRADER, MOTOR, ARTICULATED, 135 HP (101 KW), 12' (3.6 M) BLADE WIDTH	266.60	135		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
GRADER, MOTOR, ARTICULATED, 6X4, 12' BLADE W/17 TEETH SCARIFIERS	2.44	135		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
HYDRAULIC EXCAVATOR, CRAWLER, 24,640 LBS, 0.60 CY BUCKET, 16.50' MAX DIGGING DEPTH	636.58	79		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
LOADER / BACKHOE, WHEEL, 0.80 CY FRONT END BUCKET, 24" DIP, 4.3 CF, 12' DIGGING DEPTH, 4X4	348.18	67		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
LOADER, FRONT END, CRAWLER, 1.30 CY BUCKET	1.66	90		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
LOADER, FRONT END, WHEEL, SKID-STEER, 14.3 CF, 60" BUCKET	43.00	46		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
LOADER, FRONT END, WHEEL, SKID-STEER, 9-11 CF (0.2-0.3 M3), 60" (1.5 M) BUCKET {BOBCAT}, 13 CWT (590 KG)	27.20	46		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
LOADER/BACKHOE, WHEEL, 0.80 CY (0.6 M3) FRONT END BUCKET, 9.8' (3.0 M) DEPTH OF HOE, 24" (0.61 M) DIPPER, 4X4	2.66	67		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
LOADER/BACKHOE, WHEEL, 1.25 CY (0.9 M3) FRONT END BUCKET, 12.0' (3.7 M) DEPTH OF HOE, 24" (0.61 M) DIPPER, (0.2 M3), 4X2 11.06	4.76	92		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
PAVING BREAKER, 66 LB (30 KG) (ADD 100 CFM (2.8 CMM) COMPRESSOR)	88.24	35		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
PUMP, WATER, CENTRIFUGAL, TRASH, HOSE, SUCTION/DISCH, 2" (50 MM) DIA X 50' (15 M) WITH COUPLING (PER SECTION)	34.40	10		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
PUMP, WATER, CENTRIFUGAL, TRASH, HOSE, SUCTION/DISCH, 2" (51 MM) DIA x 20' (6.1 M) LENGTH, W/COUPLING/SECTION	17.20	10		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
PUMP, WATER, DIAPHRAGM, SKID MTD, ENGINE DRIVE, 2" (51 MM) DIA, 2,000 GPH (7,571 LPH) @ 25' (7.6 M) HEAD (ADD HOSES)	17.20	4		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
RIPPER, 3-SHANKS & BEAM, HYDRAULIC (ADD TO 341-440 HP (254-328 KW) DOZER & COST FOR POINT WEAR)	0.49	440		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
RIPPER, SHANK, EACH (ADD TO 340-440 HP (254-328 KW) DOZER & COST FOR POINT WEAR)	0.49	440		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
ROLLER, STATIC, SELF-PROPELLED, PNEUMATIC, 14.25 TON, 68" WIDE, 9 TIRE, ASPHALT COMPACTOR	8.08	70	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
ROLLER, VIBRATORY, SELF-PROPELLED, DOUBLE DRUM, SMOOTH, 2.9 TON, 47.2" WIDE, 2X1, ASPHALT COMPACTOR	21.50	33		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
ROLLER, VIBRATORY, SELF-PROPELLED, DOUBLE DRUM, SMOOTH, 7.8 TON, 66.1" WIDE, 2X1, ASPHALT COMPACTOR	1.50	108		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
ROLLER, VIBRATORY, TOWED, SINGLE DRUM, SHEEPSFOOT, 25.5 TON, 72" WIDE (ADD 180 HP TOWING UNIT)	11.40	50		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
SCRAPER, TANDEM POWERED, STANDARD LOADING, 21 CY, 24 TON, 4X4, D-9 ASSISTED LOADING	1,452.30	330		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
SCRAPER, TANDEM POWERED, STANDARD LOADING, 21 CT, 24 TON, 4A4, D-9 ASSISTED LOADING	49.62	450		USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
SCRAPER, TANDEN POWERED, STANDARD LOADING, 54 CT, 57.5 TON, 444, D-10 ASSISTED LOADING SCRAPER, TOWED, 12-18 CY (9-14 M3), 18 TON (16.3 MT) (ADD 285 HP (213 KW) TRACTOR)	21.91	285		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 240 HP, LOW GROUND PRESSURE, W/7.70 CY STRAIGHT BLADE (ADD ATTACHMENTS)	472.20	285		Hp provided in description, fuel type assumed
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 240 HP, LOW GROOND PRESSORE, W/7.70 CT STRAIGHT BLADE (ADD ATTACHMENTS)	0.49	340		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 300-340 HP (224-234 KW), POWERSHIFT, W/ONTVERSAL BLADE TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 310 HP, POWERSHIFT, W/15.3 CY SEMI-U BLADE (ADD ATTACHMENTS)	238.40	340		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
		440		Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed Hp provided in description; fuel type assumed
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 341-440 HP (254-328 KW), POWERSHIFT, W/UNIVERSAL BLADE	25.90	440	Diesel	inp provided in description; ruer type assumed

Highway Vehicles - Equipment Description	Equip Hrs	Horsepower	Fuel Type	Sources and Assumptions
DUMP TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 10 - 13 CY (7.6 - 9.9 M3) DUMP BODY, 35,000 LBS (15,900 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 4X2	2.80	265	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
DUMP TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 16 - 20 CY (12.2 - 15.3 M3) DUMP BODY, 75,000 LBS (34,000 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 6X4	1,796.11	400	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK OPTION, DUMP BODY, REAR, 10.0 CY (7.7 M3) (ADD 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW TRUCK)	4.80	265	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK OPTION, DUMP BODY, REAR, 12 CY (9.2 M3) (ADD 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW TRUCK)	4.20	230	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK OPTION, FLATBED, 8' (2.4 M) x 20' (6.1 M) (ADD 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW TRUCK)	4.80	210	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK OPTION, FLATBED, 8' (2.4M) x 12' (3.7 M) (ADD 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW TRUCK)	6.03	210	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 20,000 LBS (9,000 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 4X2 WITH FLATBED	0.32	210	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	16.16	210	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	341.13	265	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	11.06	265	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW, 6X4, 3 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	4.20	230	Diesel	USACE Construction Equipment Ownership and Operating Expense Schedule EP 1110-1-8

# Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project Emission Factors and Operation Load

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	Vehicle		Miles @	Emission Factors					Emission Factors (g/mi)*		Emission Factors (g/mi)		Emission Factors (g/mi)*		Emission Factors (g/mi)*		Emission Factors (g/mi)*		Emission Factors (g/mi)		Emission Factors (g/mi)*				Emission Fact		Emission Factors (g/mi)		Emission Factors (g/mi)*												
Highway Vehicles - Equipment Description	Class	hp	15 mph**	VOC	NOx	PM-10	PM-2.5	со	S	SO2 Notes/Sources																															
DUMP TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 10 - 13 CY (7.6 - 9.9 M3) DUMP BODY, 35,000 LBS (15,900 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 4X2	HDDV8A	265	42	0.778	9.664	0.277	0.2247	4.19	.9 (	0.0145 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 33,001 - 60,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV8A); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
DUMP TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 16 - 20 CY (12.2 - 15.3 M3) DUMP BODY, 75,000 LBS (34,000 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 6X4	HDDV8B	400	26,942	0.824	9.67	0.2524	0.202	4.5	51 (	0.0151 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles >60,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV8B); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK OPTION, DUMP BODY, REAR, 10.0 CY (7.7 M3) (ADD 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW TRUCK)	HDDV8A	265	72	0.778	9.664	0.277	0.2247	4.19	.9 (	0.0145 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 33,001 - 60,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV8A); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK OPTION, DUMP BODY, REAR, 12 CY (9.2 M3) (ADD 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW TRUCK)	HDDV8A	230	63	0.778	9.664	0.277	0.2247	4.19	.9 (	0.0145 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 33,001 - 60,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV8A); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK OPTION, FLATBED, 8' (2.4 M) x 20' (6.1 M) (ADD 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW TRUCK)	HDDV6	210	72	0.518	5.011	0.1564	0.1297	1.92	92 (	0.0109 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 19,501 - 26,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV6); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK OPTION, FLATBED, 8' (2.4M) x 12' (3.7 M) (ADD 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW TRUCK)	HDDV6	210	90	0.518	5.011	0.1564	0.1297	1.92	92 (	0.0109 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 19,501 - 26,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV6); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 20,000 LBS (9,000 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 4X2 WITH FLATBED	HDDV6	210	5	0.518	5.011	0.1564	0.1297	1.92	92 (	0.0109 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 19,501 - 26,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV6); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	HDDV6	210	242	0.518	5.011	0.1564	0.1297	1.92	92 (	0.0109 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 19,501 - 26,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV6); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	HDDV8A	265	5,117	0.778	9.664	0.277	0.2247	4.19	.9 (	0.0145 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 33,001 - 60,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV8A); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	HDDV8A	265	166	0.778	9.664	0.277	0.2247	4.19	.9 (	0.0145 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 33,001 - 60,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV8A); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW, 6X4, 3 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	HDDV8A	230	63	0.778	9.664	0.277	0.2247	4.19	.9 (	0.0145 EPA Mobile6.2 run for Northeast US (Massachusetts); Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicles 33,001 - 60,000 lb GVW (Class HDDV8A); average speed 15 mph (assumed typical for construction sites)																															

\*Emission factors for nonroad construction equipment were extracted from U.S. EPA's Nonroad2008a emission model. Tier 3 emission factors for gasoline equipment were used because these standards are in effect as of 2010. Emission factors for highway vehicles were developed using Mobile 6.2 \*\* Highway vehicle emission factors are given per mile traveled rather than per hours of operation. In order to estimate the miles traveled by the highway vehicles, It is assumed that they operate at an average of 15 mph while on the construction site for the duration of the estimated equipment hours

# Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project Total Project Emissions

Equipment Description	THC (VOC) (lbs)	NOx (lbs)	PM-10 (lbs)	PM-2.5 (lbs)	CO (lbs)	SO (lb:
Nonroad Equipment		. ,			. ,	<u> </u>
AIR COMPRESSOR, 250 CFM ( 7 CMM), 100 PSI (689 KPA) (ADD HOSE)	0.66	10.97	1.10	1.06	8.67	(
AIR HOSE, 1.5" (38 MM) DIA x 100' (31 M) LENGTH, HARDROCK (USE AS DRILLING ACCESSORY)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
ASPHALT DISTRIBUTOR, 3,000 GAL (11,355 L) (ADD 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW TRUCK)	20.68	284.08	23.95	22.86	124.08	(
ASPHALT FINISHER, 10' WIDE SCREED, WHEEL, W/19' 6" SCREED EXTENSION, 215 CF HOPPER	0.20	2.75	0.34	0.33	1.40	(
BUCKET, CONCRETE, GENERAL PURPOSE, 1.0 CY (0.8 M3)	NA	NA	NA		NA	
BUCKET, DRAGLINE, 0.8 CY (0.6 M3) MEDIUM WEIGHT (ADD TEETH WEAR COST)	NA	NA	NA		NA	
CHAINSAW, 16" - 24" (406-610 MM) BAR	32.69	0.62			193.07	
CONCRETE FINISHER, ROTO TROWEL, 46" (1,168 MM) DIA, 4 BLADE	12.10	3.02	0.41		453.92	
CONCRETE MIXER, PLASTER/MORTAR, 12 CF (0.3 M3), W/TRAILER	9.63	2.40			361.28	
CONCRETE PUMP, 117 CY/HR, 75' BOOM, TRUCK MTD	19.27	264.64	22.31	21.29	115.59	
CONCRETE SAW, 13" (330 MM) DEPTH, SELF PROPELLED (ADD WATER AND COST FOR SAWBLADE WEAR) CONCRETE VIBRATOR, 2.5" (63.5 MM) DIA, W/7.5 HP (5.6 KW) GENERATOR	0.32	5.23	0.74		6.05	
CRANE, HYDRAULIC, SELF-PROPELLED, ROUGH TERRAIN, 20 TON (18 MT), 70' (21.3 M) BOOM, 4X4	1.55 0.83	12.13 11.52	1.41 1.01	1.38 0.97	11.60 4.01	
CRANE, MECHANICAL, LATTICE BOOM, CRAWLER, DRAGLINE/CLAMSHELL, 0.75 CY (0.6 M3), 25 TON (23 MT), 100' (30.5 M) BOOM (ADD BUCKET)	0.83	7.43	0.65		2.58	
CRANE, MECHANICAL, LATTICE BOOM, CRAWEER, DRAGENE/CLAMSHEL, 0.75 CT (0.5 M3), 25 TON (25 MT), 100 (30.5 M) BOOM (ADD BOCKET)	0.53	7.43		0.02	2.38	
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, SELF-PROPELLED, ROUGH TERRAIN, 30 TON, 95' BOOM, 4X4	0.26	3.64	0.47		1.27	
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, SELF-PROPELLED, YARD, 10 TON, 30' BOOM, 4X4, NON-ROTATING OPERATOR'S CAB	4.91	1.22	0.32		184.21	
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, TRUCK MTD, 70 TON, 115' BOOM, 8X4	0.45	6.55	0.39		2.20	
CRANES, HYDRAULIC, TRUCK MTD, ALL TERRAIN, 25 TON, 94' BOOM, 6X4X2	1.30	18.02	1.08		5.41	
GRADER, MOTOR, ARTICULATED, 135 HP (101 KW), 12' (3.6 M) BLADE WIDTH	8.89	122.18	14.98		62.26	
GRADER, MOTOR, ARTICULATED, 6X4, 12' BLADE W/17 TEETH SCARIFIERS	0.08	1.12	0.14	0.13	0.57	(
HYDRAULIC EXCAVATOR, CRAWLER, 24,640 LBS, 0.60 CY BUCKET, 16.50' MAX DIGGING DEPTH	12.43	204.74	28.78	28.13	236.79	(
LOADER / BACKHOE, WHEEL, 0.80 CY FRONT END BUCKET, 24" DIP, 4.3 CF, 12' DIGGING DEPTH, 4X4	4.54	39.31	7.67	7.45	65.66	(
LOADER, FRONT END, CRAWLER, 1.30 CY BUCKET	0.03	0.25	0.05	0.05	0.42	(
LOADER, FRONT END, WHEEL, SKID-STEER, 14.3 CF, 60" BUCKET	0.59	4.78	0.61	0.60	3.61	(
LOADER, FRONT END, WHEEL, SKID-STEER, 9-11 CF (0.2-0.3 M3), 60" (1.5 M) BUCKET {BOBCAT}, 13 CWT (590 KG)	0.37	3.02	0.39		2.28	
LOADER/BACKHOE, WHEEL, 0.80 CY (0.6 M3) FRONT END BUCKET, 9.8' (3.0 M) DEPTH OF HOE, 24" (0.61 M) DIPPER, 4X4	0.03	0.30			0.50	
LOADER/BACKHOE, WHEEL, 1.25 CY (0.9 M3) FRONT END BUCKET, 12.0' (3.7 M) DEPTH OF HOE, 24" (0.61 M) DIPPER, (0.2 M3), 4X2 11.06	0.09	0.74	0.14		1.23	
PAVING BREAKER, 66 LB (30 KG) (ADD 100 CFM (2.8 CMM) COMPRESSOR)	0.82	13.85	1.00		4.48	
PUMP, WATER, CENTRIFUGAL, TRASH, HOSE, SUCTION/DISCH, 2" (50 MM) DIA X 50' (15 M) WITH COUPLING (PER SECTION)	0.14	0.36			6.25	
PUMP, WATER, CENTRIFUGAL, TRASH, HOSE, SUCTION/DISCH, 2" (51 MM) DIA x 20' (6.1 M) LENGTH, W/COUPLING/SECTION	0.07	0.18			3.12	
PUMP, WATER, DIAPHRAGM, SKID MTD, ENGINE DRIVE, 2" (51 MM) DIA, 2,000 GPH (7,571 LPH) @ 25' (7.6 M) HEAD (ADD HOSES)	0.03	0.07	0.01	0.01	1.25	
RIPPER, 3-SHANKS & BEAM, HYDRAULIC (ADD TO 341-440 HP (254-328 KW) DOZER & COST FOR POINT WEAR) RIPPER, SHANK, EACH (ADD TO 340-440 HP (254-328 KW) DOZER & COST FOR POINT WEAR)	0.05 0.05	0.73	0.06		0.36 0.36	
ROLLER, STATIC, SELF-PROPELLED, PNEUMATIC, 14.25 TON, 68" WIDE, 9 TIRE, ASPHALT COMPACTOR	0.03	2.30			2.66	
ROLLER, VIBRATORY, SELF-PROPELLED, INCOMPANE, 14:23 TON, 08 WIDE, 9 TINE, ASPTALE COMPACTOR	0.14	4.13			2.00	
ROLLER, VIBRATORY, SELF-PROPELLED, DOUBLE DRUM, SMOOTH, 7.8 TON, 66.1" WIDE, 2X1, ASTHALT COMPACTOR	0.27	0.49			0.28	
ROLLER, VIBRATORY, TOWED, SINGLE DRUM, SHEEPSFOOT, 25.5 TON, 72" WIDE (ADD 180 HP TOWING UNIT)	0.14	2.32			2.68	
SCRAPER, TANDEM POWERED, STANDARD LOADING, 21 CY, 24 TON, 4X4, D-9 ASSISTED LOADING	105.97	1627.01	137.14		804.15	
SCRAPER, TANDEM POWERED, STANDARD LOADING, 34 CY, 37.5 TON, 4X4, D-10 ASSISTED LOADING	4.94	75.80			37.47	
SCRAPER, TOWED, 12-18 CY (9-14 M3), 18 TON (16.3 MT) (ADD 285 HP (213 KW) TRACTOR)	1.54	21.20			9.26	
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 240 HP, LOW GROUND PRESSURE, W/7.70 CY STRAIGHT BLADE (ADD ATTACHMENTS)	28.01	384.73	32.43	30.96	168.04	(
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 300-340 HP (224-254 KW), POWERSHIFT, W/UNIVERSAL BLADE	0.04	0.57	0.05	0.05	0.28	(
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 310 HP, POWERSHIFT, W/15.3 CY SEMI-U BLADE (ADD ATTACHMENTS)	16.34	250.89	21.15	20.19	124.00	(
TRACTOR, CRAWLER (DOZER), 341-440 HP (254-328 KW), POWERSHIFT, W/UNIVERSAL BLADE	2.52	38.69	3.26	3.11	19.12	(
Highway Vehicles						
DUMP TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 10 - 13 CY (7.6 - 9.9 M3) DUMP BODY, 35,000 LBS (15,900 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 4X2	0.07	0.89	0.03	0.02	0.39	0.
DUMP TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 16 - 20 CY (12.2 - 15.3 M3) DUMP BODY, 75,000 LBS (34,000 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 6X4	48.94	574.35	14.99	12.00	267.87	0.
TRUCK OPTION, DUMP BODY, REAR, 10.0 CY (7.7 M3) (ADD 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW TRUCK)	0.12	1.53	0.04	0.04	0.67	0.
TRUCK OPTION, DUMP BODY, REAR, 12 CY (9.2 M3) (ADD 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW TRUCK)	0.11	1.34	0.04		0.58	
TRUCK OPTION, FLATBED, 8' (2.4 M) x 20' (6.1 M) (ADD 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW TRUCK)	0.08	0.80			0.30	
TRUCK OPTION, FLATBED, 8' (2.4M) x 12' (3.7 M) (ADD 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW TRUCK)	0.10	1.00			0.38	
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 20,000 LBS (9,000 KG) GVW, 2 AXLE, 4X2 WITH FLATBED	0.01	0.05	0.00		0.02	
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 25,000 LB (11,340 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	0.28	2.68			1.03	
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	8.78	109.02	3.12		47.27	
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 35,000 LB (15,876 KG) GVW, 4X2, 2 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	0.28	3.53	0.10		1.53	
TRUCK, HIGHWAY, 45,000 LB (20,412 KG) GVW, 6X4, 3 AXLE (ADD ACCESSORIES)	0.11	1.34			0.58	
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# APPENDIX C PERTINENT CORRESPONDENCE

# **Bill of Sale**

This Bill of Sale between GreenVest/Cranbury Limited Liability Company and Cranbury/Indian Run Limited Liability Company (collectively "Seller"), and US Army Corps of Engineers, New York (Buyer) and is dated August 27, 2015.

WHEREAS, the Buyer, in accordance with NJDEP File No. <u>0000-10-0044.1</u> and the Permit(s) issued therein (the "Permit") by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection ("NJDEP"), is required to undertake certain mitigation activities related to the construction of Segment B of the Green Brook Flood Control Project located within the Raritan River Basin, and in satisfaction thereof is specifically authorized to purchase Two (2.0) mitigation credits from the Cranbury Mitigation Bank, and;

WHEREAS, the Buyer and seller did execute an Agreement of Sale to Purchase Wetland Mitigation Credits on or about August 26, 2015 whereby Buyer agreed to buy and Seller agreed to sell certain mitigation credits to satisfy a portion of the Permit referenced above, and;

THEREFORE, in consideration of the terms of sale in the Agreement to Purchase Mitigation Credits executed between Seller and Buyer dated the 26th day of August 2015 the Seller hereby:

- 1. Acknowledges receipt of the executed contract between Buyer and Seller for Buyer to purchase from Seller Two (2.0) wetland mitigation credits, and;
- 2. Sells and transfers to Buyer Two (2.0) wetland mitigation credits from the Cranbury Mitigation Bank.
- 3. Acknowledges that it shall file its credit ledger with NJDEP reflecting this sale in the ordinary course of business per NJDEP protocols.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Seller has executed this Agreement to become effective as of the day and year first written above.

# GreenVest/Cranbury LLC (Seller)

By: GreenVest LLC, its Managing Member

By: Douglas Lashley, Managing Member

# Cranbury/Indian Run LLC (Seller)

By: GreenVest LLC, its Co-Managing Member

By: Douglas Lashley, Managing Member

#### STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION OF LAND USE REGULATION



Mail Code 501-02A, P.O. Box 420, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0420 Telephone: (609) 777-0454 or Fax: (609) 777-3656 www.state.nj.us/dep/landuse

# PERMIT



In accordance with the laws and regulations of the State of grants this permit to perform the activities described belo	Approval Date OCT 2 0 2015			
limitations, terms and conditions listed below and on the a "approval, certification, registration, authorization, waiver, e violation of the implementing rules and may subject the per-	Expiration Date OCT 1 9 2020			
Permit Number(s):	Enabling Statute(s):			
1211-02-0004.3 FWW150001 1211-02-0004.3 FHA150001	Freshwater Wetlands Individual Permit Flood Hazard Area Permit	NJSA 13:9B FWPA NJSA 58:10A WPCA NJSA 58:16A FHACA		
Permittee:	Site Location:			
NJDEP, John Moyle, P.E. 501 East State Street Trenton, NJ 08625	Block: 214 & Lot: 19 Block: 215 & Lot: 1 Block: 216 & Lot: 1 Municipality: Middlesex County: Middlesex	Borough		

# **Description of Authorized Activities:**

The applicant, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP), is proposing structural flood protection (levee system and floodwall), along the Bound Brook in the Borough of Middlesex in Middlesex County along the west bank of Bound Brook from Union Avenue southeast approximately 1,500 feet until it ends near Mountain Avenue. The project is known as Segment B-3 of the Green Brook Flood Control Project.

The levee system will consist of 234 linear foot earthen levee, a 100 CFS pumping station and construction of one outfall structure, and 518 linear feet of cast in place concrete T-wall floodwall. The levee height in the project location is at elevation  $\pm$  52 feet, approximately 15 feet above grade, with 2.5:1 side slopes, a 110 foot wide footprint, and a 10 foot wide paved access way on top of the levee in order to provide maintenance and inspection access. The overall purpose of this project is to protect homes along the Bound Brook in Middlesex Borough.

The floodwall and levee system will result in disturbances of the following: 0.15 acres of permanent wetland disturbance, 0.24 of an acre of permanent intermediate resource value transition area disturbance, 0.09 of an acre of temporary State open water disturbance, 0.35 acres of temporary intermediate resource value transition area. In addition, the Segment B-3 of the levee system will result in the disturbance of 24,394 S.F. (0.56 acres) of permanent riparian zone disturbance. The permitee must mitigate for the permanent loss of 0.15 acres of palustrine forested wetlands and 0.49 acres of forested riparian zone.

Prepared by:	Received and/or Recorded by County Clerk:				
Tina Wolff THIS PERMIT IS NOT EFFECTIVE AND NO CONSTRUCTION APPROVED BY THIS PERMIT, OR OTHER REGULATED ACTIVITY, MAY BE UNDERTAKEN UNTILTHE APPLICANT HAS SATISFIED ALL PRE-CONSTRUCTION CONDITIONS AS SET FORTH HEREIN.	Received or Recorded by County Clerk				
This permit is not valid unless authorizing signature appears on th	e last page.				

## PRE-CONSTRUCTION CONDITIONS:

- 1. **Timing:** If this permit contains a condition that must be satisfied prior to the commencement of construction, the permittee must comply with such condition(s) within the time required by the permit or, if no time specific requirement is imposed, then within six months of the effective date of the permit, or provide evidence satisfactory to the Division that such condition(s) cannot be satisfied.
- 2. **Monitoring:** The permittee shall provide monitoring results and reports to the Department [insert intervals/requirements].
- 3. **Material Disposal:** All excavated material and dredge material shall be disposed of in a lawful manner. The material shall be placed outside of any flood hazard area, riparian zone, regulated water, freshwater/coastal wetlands and adjacent transition area, and in such a way as to not interfere with the positive drainage of the receiving area.

# STANDARD CONDITIONS:

# 1. **Responsibilities:**

- a. The permittee, its contractors and subcontractors shall comply with all conditions of this permit, authorizing and/or supporting documents and approved plans and drawings.
- b. A copy of this permit, other authorizing documents, records and information including all approved plans and drawings shall be maintained at the authorized site at all times and made available to Department representatives or their designated agents upon request.
- 2. **Permit modification:** Plans and specifications in the application and conditions imposed by this permit shall remain in full force and effect so long as the proposed development or any portion thereof is in existence, unless modified by the Department. No change in plans or specifications upon which this permit is issued shall be made except with the prior written permission of the Department. The filing of a request to modify an issued permit by the permittee, or a notification of planned changes or anticipated noncompliance does not stay any condition of this permit.
- 3. **Duty to minimize environmental impacts:** The permittee shall take all reasonable steps to prevent, minimize or correct any adverse impact on the environment resulting from activities conducted pursuant to the permit, or from noncompliance with the permit. The permittee shall immediately inform the Department of any unanticipated adverse effects on the environment not described in the application or in the conditions of this permit. The Department may, upon discovery of such unanticipated adverse effects, and upon the failure of the permittee to submit a report thereon, notify the permittee of its intent to suspend the permit
- 4. **Proper site maintenance:** While the regulated activities are being undertaken, neither the permittee, its contractors nor subcontractors shall cause or permit any unreasonable interference with the free flow of a regulated feature by placing or dumping any materials, equipment, debris or structures within or adjacent to the regulated area. Upon completion or abandonment of the work, the permittee, its contractors or subcontractors shall remove and dispose of in a lawful manner all excess materials, debris, equipment, silt fences and other temporary soil erosion and sediment control devices from all regulated areas. Only clean non-toxic fill shall be used where necessary.

5. Sediment control: Development which requires soil disturbance, creation of drainage structures, or changes in natural contours shall conduct operations in accordance with the latest revised version of "Standards for Soil Erosion Sediment Control in New Jersey," promulgated by the New Jersey State Soil Conservation Committee, pursuant to the Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Act of 1975, N.J.S.A. 4:24-42 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 2:90-1.3-1.14.

# 6. **Rights of the State:**

- a. This permit does not convey any property rights of any sort, or any exclusive privilege.
- b. Upon notification and presentation of credentials, the permittee shall allow Department representatives or their designated agents, to enter upon the project site and/or where records must be kept under the conditions of this permit, inspect at reasonable times any facilities, equipment, practices or operations regulated or required under the permit, and sample or monitor for the purposes of determining compliance. Failure to allow reasonable access shall be considered a violation of this permit and subject the permittee to enforcement action.
- c. The issuance of this permit shall in no way expose the State of New Jersey or the Department to liability for the sufficiency or correctness of the design of any construction, structure or structures. Neither the State nor the Department shall, in any way, be liable for the loss of life or property which may occur by virtue of the activity of development resulting from any permit.
- 7. **Duty to Reapply:** If the permittee wishes to continue an activity covered by the permit after the expiration date of the permit authorization, the permittee must apply for and obtain a new permit authorization.
- 8. **Transfer of Permit:** This permit may not be transferable to any person unless the transfer is approved by the Department. Please refer to the applicable rules for more information.
- 9. **Other Approvals:** The permittee must obtain any and all other Federal, State and/or Local approvals. Authorization to undertake a regulated activity under this permit does not indicate that the activity also meets the requirements of any other rule, plan or ordinance.

# 10. Noncompliance:

- a. Any noncompliance with this permit constitutes a violation, and is grounds for enforcement action, as well as modification, suspension and/or termination of the permit.
- b. The permittee shall immediately report to the Department by telephone at (877) 927-6337 any noncompliance that may endanger health or the environment. In addition, the permittee shall report all noncompliance to Bureau of Coastal and Land Use Compliance and Enforcement, 401 E. State Street, 4th Floor, P.O. Box 420, Mail Code: 401-04C, Trenton, NJ 08625, in writing within five business days of the time the permittee becomes aware of the noncompliance. The written notice shall include: a description of the noncompliance and its cause; the period of noncompliance, including exact dates and times, and, if the noncompliance has not been corrected, the anticipated length of time it

> is expected to continue; and steps taken or planned to reduce, eliminate and prevent recurrence of the noncompliance. Such notice shall not, however, serve as a defense to enforcement action if the project is found to be in violation of this chapter.

11. **Appeal of Permit**: In accordance with the applicable regulations, any person who is aggrieved by this decision or any of the conditions of this permit may request a hearing within 30 days after notice of the decision is published in the DEP Bulletin. This request must include a completed copy of the Administrative Hearing Request Checklist. The DEP Bulletin is available through the Department's website at <u>http://www.nj.gov/dep/bulletin</u> and the Checklist is available through the Division's website at <u>http://www.nj.gov/dep/landuse/download/lur\_024.pdf</u>. In addition to your hearing request, you may file a request with the Office of Dispute Resolution to engage in alternative dispute resolution. Please see the website <u>www.nj.gov/dep/odr</u> for more information about this process.

# SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

- 1. This permit authorizes the disturbance of 0.15 acres of permanent wetland disturbance, 0.24 of an acre of permanent intermediate resource value transition area disturbance, 0.09 of an acre of temporary State open water disturbance, 0.35 acres of temporary intermediate resource value transition area for the construction of Segment B-3 of a structural flood protection (levee system and flood wall), under a Freshwater Wetland Individual Permit. Any additional disturbance of <u>freshwater wetlands</u>, State open waters and/or transition areas besides that shown on the <u>approved plans</u> shall be considered a violation of the Freshwater Wetlands Protection Act rules unless the activity is exempt or a permit is obtained from the Department prior to the start of the proposed disturbance. In addition, this permit to conduct a regulated activity in a wetland or open water includes the Department's approval of a Water Quality Certificate for these activities
- 2. In order to protect the general game fish within the Bound Brook any proposed grading or construction activities within the banks of this or any other stream on site are prohibited between 5/1 through 6/30 of each year. Furthermore, any activity outside a watercourse, which would likely introduce sediment into the watercourse and/or increase its turbidity, is also prohibited during this period. The Department reserves the right to suspend all regulated activities onsite should it be determined that the applicant has not taken proper precautions to ensure continuous compliance with this condition.
- 3. Prior to the commencement of site clearing, grading or construction, the permittee shall have a silt fence erected at the limits of the clearing. These fences shall serve as both a siltation and debris barrier as well as a physical barrier protecting the wetland and transition area from encroachment by construction vehicles or activities. These fences shall be kept in place and maintained throughout the duration of construction, until such time that the site is stabilized. No other regulated activities, including grading or clearing may occur in wetland or transition areas on site without the prior approval of the Department.
- 4. Construction equipment shall not be stored, staged or driven within any channel, freshwater wetland or transition area, unless expressly approved by this permit and/or described on the approved plans.

- 5. The Division has determined that the riparian zone required adjacent to the Bound Brook is 50 feet. Specifically, this permit authorizes the disturbance of 24,394 S.F. (0.56 acres) of permanent riparian zone disturbance for the flood control project described above and as shown on the approved plans. No other vegetation within 50 feet of the top of bank of any stream onsite shall be disturbed for any reason. This condition applies to all channels onsite regardless of contributory drainage area. The applicant shall be responsible for preserving and minimizing vegetative disturbances along streams.
- 6. The riprap proposed within the channel shall be carefully imbedded into the channel substrate and contoured to mimic the original physical characteristics of the channel (such as its shape, slope, thalweg and meander) in order to provide low-flow aquatic passage throughout the entire disturbed area. Furthermore, any void spaces within the riprap shall be filled with native substrate from the channel.
- 7. Upon completion of the project, all temporarily disturbed areas within 50 feet of the top of any stream bank onsite shall be restored to original topography and replanted with indigenous, non-invasive vegetation in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:13-10.2(u).
- 8. The applicant must adhere to the agreed-upon Stipulations included in the Programmatic Agreement among the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, and the New Jersey Historic Preservation Officer Regarding the Green Brook Flood Control Project.

# FRESHWATER WETLAND MITIGATION PERMIT CONDITIONS:

- The permittee shall mitigate for the temporary disturbance of 0.09 acres of State open waters through an on-site restoration project as shown on the plans entitled "GREEN BROOK FLOOD DAMAGE REDUCTION PROJECT SUB-BASIN OF THE RARITAN RIVER SEGMENT B-3 CONTRACT BORO. OF MIDDLESEX AND GREEN BROOK TOWNSHIP, NJ PLAN SHEET STA. 53+77.66 TO STA. 58+00" sheet VH-101 of 2 sheets, dated July 17, 2015 and last revised September 10, 2015, and prepared by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers New York District and Jacobs Ammann & Whitley and "GREEN BROOK FLOOD DAMAGE REDUCTION PROJECT SUB-BASIN OF THE RARITAN RIVER SEGMENT B-3 CONTRACT BORO. OF MIDDLESEX AND GREEN BROOK TOWNSHIP, NJ PLAN SHEET STA. 58+00 TO STA. 62+40" sheet VH-102 of 2 sheets, dated July 17, 2015 and last revised September 10, 2015, and prepared by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers New York District and Jacobs Ammann & Whitley.
- 2. The permittee shall mitigate for the permanent disturbance of 0.15 acres of palustrine forested freshwater wetlands through use of the Finderne Mitigation Site located in Bridgewater (NJDEP File No. 1806-02-0013.1 FHA 050001), New Jersey that was constructed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District in advance of anticipated impacts from the Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project.
- 3. The permittee shall compensate for the permanent disturbance to 0.49 acres of forested riparian zone (that overlaps with wetland transition area) at a 2:1 ratio (0.98 acres to be debited at the Finderne Mitigation Site) through the through use of the Finderne

> Mitigation Site located in Bridgewater (NJDEP File No. 1806-02-0013.1 FHA 050001), New Jersey that was constructed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District in advance of anticipated impacts from the Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project.

- 4. For the temporary State open water impacts, the restoration shall be conducted immediately following completion of the activity that cause the disturbance, and shall be continued to completion within six months after the end of the activity that caused the disturbance.
- 5. If the permittee fails to perform the restoration of the State open water impacts within the applicable time period the acreage of mitigation required shall be increased by 20 percent each year after the date mitigation was to begin (N.J.A.C. 7:7A-15.3(b).
- 6. The permittee shall be responsible for ensuring that best management practices are used throughout construction to control the spread and colonization of highly invasive plants. Specifically, all equipment, especially tracks and tires, must be thoroughly cleaned every time equipment or vehicles move from an area containing invasive plants or from off-site to the restoration area. In addition, soil containing root fragments and above-ground vegetative material from invasive plants shall be carefully managed during earthmoving activities and disposed of at a suitable off site location rather than mulched and reused or stockpiled elsewhere on the site. For information on the specific species that are considered to be invasive, please refer to the Invasive Plant Atlas at <a href="http://www.invasiveplantatlas.org/index.html">http://www.invasiveplantatlas.org/index.html</a>.

#### **APPROVED PLANS:**

The drawings hereby approved are thirty-three (33) plan sheets prepared by U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS NEW YORK DISTRICT NEW YORK, NEW YORK and JACOBS AMMANN & WHITNEY, dated July 7, 2015, revised July 7, 2015, unless otherwise noted, entitled:

# "GREEN BROOK FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT PROJECT SUB-BASIN OF THE RARITAN RIVER SEGMENT B-3 CONTRACT BORO. OF MIDDLESEX AND GREEN BROOK TW, NJ"

"COVER SHEET", SHEET IDENTIFICATION G-101, undated and unrevised,

"GENERAL PLAN SHEET STA. 53+77.66 TO STA. 58+00", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-101,

"GENERAL PLAN SHEET STA. 58+00 TO STA. 63+20", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-102,

"DRAINAGE PROFILE SHEET STA. 53+77.66 TO STA. 58+00", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-201,

"DRAINAGE PROFILE SHEET STA. 58+00 TO STA. 61+33.26", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-202,

"STORM SEWER PROFILES SHEET 1", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-203,

"RELOCATED SANITARY SEWER PROFILE SHEET 1", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-204,

"SEGMENTAL BLOCK WALL PROFILE", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-205,

"LEVEE TYPICAL SECTIONS", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-301,

"CROSS SECTIONS STA. 54+00 TO STA. 55+50", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-302,

"CROSS SECTIONS STA. 56+00 TO STA. 57+50", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-303,

"CROSS SECTIONS STA. 58+00 TO STA. 59+50", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-304,

"CROSS SECTIONS STA. 60+00 TO STA. 61+33.26", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-305,

"PUMP STATION OUTFLOW DETAILS", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-501,

"PUMP STATION SITE DETAILS SHEET 1", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-502,

"PUMP STATION SITE DETAILS SHEET 2", SHEET IDENTIFICATION C-503,

"FLOODWALL PLAN AND PROFILE SHEET 1", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-103,

"FLOODWALL PLAN AND PROFILE SHEET 2", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-104,

"FLOODWALL PLAN AND PROFILE SHEET 3", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-105,

"FLOODWALL MONOLITH SECTIONS MONOLITHS M54 THRU M59", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-301,

"FLOODWALL MONOLITH SECTIONS MONOLITHS M60 THRU 65", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-302,

"FLOODWALLMONOLITH SECTIONS MONOLITHS M66 AND M67", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-303,

"CULVERT DETAILS SHEET 1", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-714,

"CULVERT DETAILS SHEET 2", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-715,

"CULVERT DETAILS SHEET 3", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-716,

"HEADWALL NO. 8-5 PLAN, SECTIONS AND DETAILS", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-717,

"HEADWALL NO. 9-2 PLAN, SECTIONS AND DETAILS", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-718,

"HEADWALL NO. 9-2 SECTIONS AND DETAILS", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-719,

"DRAINAGE CHAMBER NO. 8-4 PLAN SECTIONS AND DETAILS", SHEET IDENTIFICATION S-720, and

"GREEN BROOK FLOOD DAMAGE REDUCTION PROJECT SUB-BASIN OF THE RARITAN RIVER SEGMENT B-3 CONTRACT BORO. OF MIDDLESEX AND GREEN BROOK TWP, NJ"

"PLAN SHEET STA.53+77.66 TO 58+00", SHEET IDENTIFICATION VH-101, dated September 16, 2015 and last revised September 10, 2015,

"PLAN SHEET STA.58+00 TO 62+40", SHEET IDENTIFICATION VH-102, dated September 16, 2015 and last revised September 10, 2015,

"RIPARIAN IMPACT PLAN SHEET STA.53+77 TO 58+00", SHEET IDENTIFICATION VH-101, dated October 14, 2015 and last revised October 14, 2015,

"RIPARIAN IMPACT PLAN SHEET STA.58+00 to 62+40", SHEET IDENTIFICATION VH-102, dated October 14, 2015 and last revised October 14, 2015,

If you need clarification on any section of this permit or conditions, please contact the Division of Land Use Regulation's Technical Support Call Center at (609) 777-0454.

Approved By: 6 Ceill

Richard C. Reilly, Manager Bureau of Inland Regulation Division of Land Use Regulation

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY NEW YORK DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS JACOB K. JAVITS FEDERAL BUILDING NEW YORK, N.Y. 10278-0090

REPLY TO ATTENTION OF Environmental Analysis Branch

1 October, 2015

Mr. Eric Schrading Field Supervisor U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service New Jersey Field Office 927 N. Main St. Building D Pleasantville, NJ 08232

Dear Mr. Schrading:

The Army Corps of Engineers, New York District (District) is continuing construction of Segment B of the Green Brook Flood Control Project located along the Green and Bound Brooks in the Borough of Middlesex in Middlesex County, New Jersey (Enclosure 1). Specifically, the District will be constructing Segment B2, consisting of approximately 500 feet of floodwall, and Segment B3, consisting of approximately 500 feet of floodwall, 230 feet of levee, and pump station housing (Enclosure 2).

For your reference, construction of Segment B1 has been completed. Your office prepared a Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act Report in 2010 for this segment (Enclosure 3). The District is anticipating awarding the construction contract for Segment B3 in February 2016 (Segment B3) and for Segment B2 in July 2016.

Pursuant to the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act, as amended, we would like to initiate coordination with your office. Enclosed with this letter for your review is a draft Scope of Work to develop the Coordination Act Report (CAR)(Enclosure 4).

Regarding Section 7 Endangered Species Act compliance, the project area has potentially suitable summer roosting and foraging habitat for Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*) and northern long eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*). The District will implement a tree clearing restriction window of 1 April through 30 September during construction to avoid impacts to these species. The District will also implement a shrub and tree clearing restriction window of 15 March through 31 July during construction in order to comply with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.

Please review the SOW and provide a time and cost estimate for your services. The District will coordinate with your agency closely, to assist in your preparation of the report. Should any

questions arise, or additional information is needed, please contact Ms. Kimberly Rightler at (917) 790-8722.

Sincerely,

Peter Weppler V Chief, Environmental Analysis Branch

Enclosure

From:	Kathy Clark
To:	Rightler, Kimberly A NAN02
Subject:	[EXTERNAL] Re: Question Related to Bald Eagle and Great Blue Heron Foraging Habitat - Middlesex Borough, NJ (UNCLASSIFIED)
Date:	Wednesday, April 08, 2015 1:25:27 PM

Hi Kim,

Sorry for the delay. I don't see any significant conflicts with the project for bald eagles or great blue herons. I concur with your timing restriction on veg clearing. There is no such restriction for turtles in the aquatic portion of your project, but in the summer months they should be active and hopefully have time to move away from the soil work area.

Thanks, Kathy

Kathleen Clark Endangered and Nongame Species Program NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife 2201 Route 631, Woodbine, NJ 08270 Tel: 609-628-1605 Fax: 609-628-2734 www.NJFishandWildlife.com/ensphome.htm Kathy.Clark@dep.nj.gov

From: Rightler, Kimberly A NAN02 <Kimberly.A.Rightler@usace.army.mil> Sent: Wednesday, April 1, 2015 12:59 PM To: Kathy Clark Subject: Question Related to Bald Eagle and Great Blue Heron Foraging Habitat - Middlesex Borough, NJ (UNCLASSIFIED)

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Good Afternoon Ms. Clark,

I work with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and we are proposing to construct a levee and floodwall, referred to as Segment B2, along the Green and Bound Brooks in Middlesex Borough (refer to the first attachment). This segment is part of the larger Green Brook Food Control Project and will be connecting to the Segment B1 floodwall and levee system of which we have just completed construction (2nd attachment).

Based on Landscape Project mapping, the Project Area is noted as foraging habitat for bald eagle and great blue heron.

Back in 2010 when we were applying for the Wetlands IP and FHA permits for Segment B1, Mr. John Heilferty from Land Use coordinated with you regarding bald eagle foraging habitat (third attachment). At the time, you determined that the area was not significant foraging habitat.

At your earliest convenience, could please let me know if you feel this is still the case for bald eagle as well as the level of significance of foraging habitat for great blue heron?

If you are no longer the appropriate point of contact for this, if you provide me with the name of the appropriate

person I greatly would appreciate it.

Just for your reference, we will be implementing a no vegetation clearing window of 15 March through 30 July in order to comply with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

Kimberly Rightler Project Biologist 917-790-8722

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District Attn: CENAN-PL-E 26 Federal Plaza New York, NY 10278

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# PROGRAMMATIC AGREEMENT AMONG THE U. S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS, NEW YORK DISTRICT, THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HISTORIC PRESERVATION, AND THE NEW JERSEY STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER REGARDING THE GREEN BROOK FLOOD CONTROL PROJECT

WHEREAS, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District, (New York District) proposes to construct a flood control project in the Green Brook Sub-Basin (the Project), channel modifications, levees, flood walls, bridge replacements, and closure structures, as well as the flood proofing or purchase of properties in flood prone locations (a map depicting the Green Brook Sub-Basin and its constituent Lower, and Stony Brook basins and detailed description of project actions are provided in Appendix 1 of this Programmatic Agreement [PA]), located in Middlesex, Somerset, and Union Counties, New Jersey;

WHEREAS, proposed flood protection in the Upper Basin of the Green Brook Basin in Union and Somerset counties, consist of two dry detention structures and channel modification, and bridge replacement, has been deferred, pending a reanalysis by the Upper Basin Task Force which will evaluate additional alternatives to be described in supplemental engineering, environmental, and cultural resource documents to be circulated by the NY District for public comment;

WHEREAS, the New York District is authorized to undertake these studies by the Water Resources Development Act of 1986 (PL99-662);

WHEREAS, the New York District and State of New Jersey intend to execute a Project Cooperation Agreement to formalize the roles and responsibilities of the federal and state governments in he implementation of the Green Brook Flood Control Project;

WHEREAS the Project will be implemented in phases anticipated over the next 12 years as specified in Appendix 1 of this PA;

WHEREAS, the New York District will implement the provisions of this PA as funding for the project is appropriated in future years;

WHEREAS, the New York District has defined the "Area of Potential Effect" for this undertaking to included all areas impacted by activities required to construct the channel modifications, the levees, flood walls, the bridge replacements, and closure structures, as well as the flood proofing or purchase of properties in flood prone areas, including all construction staging and borrow areas, all access roads, all ponding areas, all flowage easement acquisitions, viewsheds, and all environmental mitigation measures (a detailed

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description is provided in Appendix 2 of this PA which also defines the proposed project relative to the National Economic Development [NED] Plan);

WHEREAS, the New York District has determined that properties listed and/or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places (National Register) may be adversely affected by implementation of the Project;

WHEREAS, the New York District is applying the National Register Criteria (Criteria) to properties identified within the "Area of Potential Effect" on a phased basis, and to date has completed substantial surveys within the lower, Stony Brook, and upper portions of the Green Brook basin (as specified in Appendix 2 of this PA) which shall be hereafter referred to as the "Investigated Portion of the Area of Potential Effect" with the recognition that additional identifications and evaluations are required for project actions which have not yet been finalized, as specified in Appendix 2 of this PA;

WHEREAS, the New York District, in consultation with the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO), has identified and developed treatment plans for two historic properties, the Bound Brook [Railroad] Station in Bound Brook and the Lincoln Boulevard/ East Main Street Bridge, in Bound Brook, which if implemented in accordance with SHPO correspondence, Appendix 3 of this PA, the SHPO agrees will not adversely affect these properties;

WHEREAS, the project actions described in the General Re-evaluation Report (Final May 1997) and Appendix 1 of this PA shall be detailed in the development of the Feature Design Memoranda and in subsequent Plans and Specifications construction documents (as described in the project schedule provided in Appendix 1 of this PA);

WHEREAS, the New York District has identified several interested parties to participate in the Section 106 consultation process and project planning, to include the Union County Department of Operational Services; South Plainfield Environmental Commission; and the North Plainfield Historical Society, and will consider subsequent requests as appropriate;

WHEREAS the New York District is coordinating, and shall continue to coordinate a public outreach program for this undertaking (detailed in Appendix 4 of this PA) which in the past has consisted of a number of public hearings and the circulation of cultural resource and environmental documents related to the Section 106 review process; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.13, the New York District, the SHPO, and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (Council) have determined that execution of this PA and the Project Cooperation Agreement will establish alternative procedures to streamline the coordination of the Project;

WHEREAS, the New York District shall continue to consult with the SHPO regarding plans and surveys to identify, evaluate and treat historic properties as the New York

District and its agents implement all phases of the Green Brook Flood Control Project;

WHEREAS, the New York District shall provide the SHPO all plans and reports, including but not limited to all comments, notifications, and scope of works by certified mail; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the New York District, the Council, and the SHPO agree that the Project shall be administered in accordance with the following stipulations to satisfy the New York District's Section 106 responsibility for all individual undertaking of the Project.

# Stipulations

The New York District shall ensure that the following measures are carried out:

# I. IDENTIFICATION AND EVALUATION

- A. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, has determined that the following historic properties located within the Investigated Portion of the Area of Potential Effect, are eligible for or listed on the National Register:
  - 1. the Lehigh Valley Railroad and Port Reading Railroad Bridges in Bound Brook,
  - 2. the Central Railroad of New Jersey Main Line Corridor Historic District,

3. the Deserted Village of Feltville Historic District, the Washington Park Historic District, Prehistoric Site 28-Mi-150, and

4. the Vail/Randoph Mill Complex Site 28-So-106.

B. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO to develop Plans to complete the identification of historic properties within the remaining portion of the Project's Area of Potential Effect. The SHPO will provide comments on the scope of work and final Plans within 30 days of receipt.

C. The New York District shall revise Plans to address comments and recommendations provided by the SHPO prior to proceeding with identification and evaluation activities.

D. The New York District shall ensure that qualified professionals meeting the National Park Service professional qualifications for the appropriate discipline [National Park Service Professional Qualification Standards, Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology and Historic Preservation (48 FR 44738-39)] are used to complete all identification and evaluation plans related to this undertaking, to include archaeological surveys and testing, historic structure inventories, and documentation.

E. The New York District and the SHPO shall consider the views of the public or interested parties in completing its identification and evaluation responsibilities.

F. The New York District shall maintain records of all decisions it makes related to the

### National Register eligibility of properties.

# G. Application of National Register Criteria

1. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall evaluate historic properties using the criteria:

a. If the New York District and the SHPO agree that the Criteria apply or do not apply, in evaluating the National Register eligibility of a property, the property shall be treated accordingly for purposes of this PA.

b. If the New York District and the SHPO disagree regarding National Register eligibility, or if the Council or the National Park Service so request, prior to the start of any Project-related work at the site or in the vicinity of the property, the New York District shall obtain a formal Determination of Eligibility (DOE) from the Keeper of the National Register (Keeper), National Park Service, whose determination shall be final.

2. Prior to the initiation of construction related activities, which are not exempt under the terms of this PA and which may affect historic properties in unsurveyed project areas, the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall identify and evaluate:

# a. Archaeological Sites

i. The New York District shall ensure that archaeological surveys within the uninvestigated portions of the Area of Potential Effect are conducted in a manner consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Identification (48 FR 44720-23) and the New Jersey Historic Preservation Office's (HPO) Guidelines for Phase 1 Archaeological Investigations: Identification of Archaeological Resources (January 17, 1996), and take into account the National Park Service publication The Archaeological Survey: Methods and Uses (1978) and the statewide historic contexts developed by the SHPO.

ii. The survey shall be conducted following consultation with the SHPO, and a report of the survey, consistent with the SHPO's <u>Guidelines for Preparing Cultural</u> <u>Resource Management Archaeological Reports Submitted to the HPO</u> (December 1994), shall be submitted to the SHPO for review and consultation.

#### b. Traditional Cultural Properties.

i. The New York District and the SHPO have agreed that no Traditional Cultural Properties are located within the Investigated Portion of the Area of Potential Effect. ii. The New York District shall ensure that future surveys within the

uninvestigated portions of the Area of Potential Effects includes procedures to identify Traditional Cultural Properties and to consult with Native Americans and other affected parties in accordance with the guidelines provided by National Park Service Bulletin 38, Guidelines for Evaluating and Documenting Traditional Cultural Properties.

iii. In the event that a Native American Tribe or affected group contacts the New York District regarding its recognition of a Traditional Cultural Property, located within the Area of Potential Effect, the New York District shall notify the SHPO and initiate discussions with all parties to evaluate whether the property is a Traditional Cultural Property that meets the Criteria.

# c. Buildings and Structures

i. The New York District shall ensure that surveys are conducted for buildings and structures in the Project's uninvestigated portion of the Area of Potential Effect in a manner consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Identification (48 FR 44720-23) and which takes into account the statewide historic contexts developed by the SHPO. The survey shall be conducted following consultation with the SHPO, and a report of the survey, consistent with the SHPO's Guidelines for Architectural Survey (1998), shall be submitted to the SHPO for review and consultation.

ii. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall identify and evaluate buildings and structures that are located adjacent to listed or eligible National Register Historic Districts to determine whether such properties should be considered as part of the Historic District or an expanded District.

#### d. Historic Districts or Multiple Areas (MRA) Resource

i. The New York District shall ensure that surveys to identify other historic districts or MRAs will be performed in the uninvestigated portion of the Area of Potential Effects.

ii. As surveys for all types of historic properties are completed, the New York District shall consult with the SHPO to determine whether the surveyed properties should be considered a District of Multiple Resource Area. The New York District and SHPO shall establish the historic context for any Historic District or Multiple Resource Area so as to facilitate its evaluation.

#### e. Historic Landscapes and View Sheds

i. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO to identify and evaluate historic landscapes and viewsheds located within the uninvestigated portion of the Project's Area of Potential Effect. The New York District shall consult National Park Service Bulletins 18, <u>How to Evaluate and Nominate Designed Historic Landscapes</u>, and 30 <u>Guidelines for Evaluating and Documenting Rural Historic Landscapes</u>, National Park Service Preservation Brief 36, <u>Protecting Cultural Landscapes</u>, and other publications and materials made available by the SHPO to assist in defining the criteria that should be applied to such properties.

ii. The objective in conducting the surveys is to identity National Register listed or potentially eligible Historic Landscapes and affected View Sheds within the project area that may be adversely affected by the Project implementation, and to determine whether they meet the National Register criteria set forth in 36 CFR Part 60.4.

3. The New York District shall ensure that the identification and evaluation of historic properties that may be affected by each phase of Project activities is completed prior to the initiation of any formal action by the Corps including rehabilitation, relocation,

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demolition, etc.

# II. INTERIM PROTECTION OF PROPERTIES

A. As the New York District facilitates the buyout of historic properties in the Area of Potential Effect, the New York District shall take appropriate measures to preserve and protect historic properties pending their ultimate disposition and treatment and to ensure that historic properties are not inadvertently demolished or damaged. Protection of all buildings shall be consistent with the guidelines set forth in Preservation Brief #31, Mothballing Historic Buildings (1993).

B. The New York District shall submit procedures for the protection of historic properties to the SHPO for review and comment. The New York District shall revise the procedures to address comments and recommendations provided by the SHPO and take into consideration comments provided by interested parties. The New York District shall implement the procedures once they are approved by the SHPO.

# III. TREATMENT OF HISTORIC PROPERTIES.

The New York District shall adhere to the following treatment strategies in order to avoid adverse effect to historic properties.

A. The New York District shall ensure that treatment plans are developed and implemented for all properties within the Investigated Portion of the Area of Potential Effect consistent with the terms of the PA, determined eligible for listing in the National Register (Appendix 3 of this PA).

B. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop appropriate treatment plans for historic properties identified within the unsurveyed portion of the Area of Potential Effect which may be affected by the Project. Unless the SHPO objects within 30 days of receipt of any plan, the New York District shall ensure that treatment plans are implemented by the New York District or its representative(s). The New York District shall revise Plans to address comments and recommendations provided by the SHPO.

C. The New York District shall ensure that qualified professionals meeting the National Park Service professional qualifications for the appropriate discipline [National Park Service Professional Qualification Standards, <u>Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology and Historic Preservation</u> (48 FR 44738-39)] are used to develop and implement all treatment plan.

D. Avoidance. The preferred treatment is avoidance of effects to historic properties.

The New York District shall, to the extent feasible, avoid historic properties either through project design changes, use of temporary fencing or barricades, realignments, landscaping, or other measures that will protect historic properties. The New York District, and the SHPO shall consult to develop plans for avoiding impacts to historic properties. The New York District shall incorporate feasible avoidance measures into project activities as part of the implementation of the Project. If, in consultation with the SHPO, avoidance is determined to be infeasible, the New York District shall develop and implement treatment/mitigation plans consistent with Stipulations III and IX of this PA.

<u>E.</u> Preservation In Place. When the New York District and SHPO agree that complete avoidance of historic properties is infeasible, the New York District shall explore preservation in place, if appropriate. Preservation in place may entail partial avoidance or protection of historic properties against project related activities in proximity to the property. The New York District shall preserve properties in place through project design, i.e incorporating color, texture, scale, materials which are compatible with the architectural or historic character of the historic property, use of fencing, berms or barricades, preservation of vegetation including mature trees, landscaping and planting which screen the property. If the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, determines that preservation in place is infeasible, the New York District shall develop and implement treatment/mitigation plans consistent with Stipulations III and IX of this PA.

F. When the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, determines that project activities will have an effect on buildings, districts, and structures, the District shall ensure that a treatment plan is developed for these properties.

#### 1. Buildings and Structures and Districts

a. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall determine the effect the Project will have on listed or eligible historic building, district, and structure and ensure that a treatment plan be developed for these properties.

b. The New York District and the SHPO have identified select Project related-activities as set forth in Appendix 6 of this PA which are exempt from further review under this PA, since these activities have limited potential to affect historic properties. No further review of these activities is required when the project activity is limited solely to those listed in Appendix 6.

c. When avoidance or preservation in place is infeasible, treatment plans for buildings, structures, and historic districts shall adhere to the following guidelines.

i. Rehabilitation/Alteration

The New York District shall ensure that plans and specifications for rehabilitation/alteration activities for historic buildings and structures shall adhere to the recommended approaches in The Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Treatment of Historic Properties (1995) [Standards].

ii. New Construction/Additions

The New York District shall ensure that the design of new construction and additions

to historic buildings required for flood protection are compatible with the architectural character, scale, setting, massing, size and color, of adjacent historic properties or the historic district in which the site is located. If the New York District and the SHPO concur that the addition may affect a building or structure that is part of a viewshed, then the New York District shall document the relationship between the historic property and its viewshed and, as appropriate consider, additional mitigation measures to preserve the viewshed.

# iii. Relocation

(a) When the New York District determines that historic properties within the Area of Potential Effect must be removed to provide flood protection, the New York District shall consult with the SHPO to determine the feasibility of marketing historic properties for relocation. As appropriate, the New York District shall develop and implement a marketing plan to advertise the availability of the affected buildings or structures in order to facilitate their relocation to alternative sites where the properties can be preserved. The New York District shall submit the marketing plans to the SHPO, for review and approval. The New York District shall distribute the marketing plan to interested parties, affected landowners, and appropriate local groups for their information. The New York District shall ensure that marketing plans include proposed preservation covenants or easements approved by the SHPO.

(1) An information package including but not limited to photographs of the historic property; a parcel map; information on the property's historic significance; information on the historic property's cost; information on tax benefits for rehabilitation of historic properties; notification that the purchase shall be required to move the historic property to a location acceptable to the New York District and subject to review and comment by the SHPO; notification that the moving of the historic property shall conform to the approaches recommended in <u>Moving Historic Buildings</u> (John Obed Curtis, 1979, American Association for State and Local History; notification that the move shall be conducted by a professional mover possessing the capability to appropriately relocate historic structures; and notification that the purchaser shall be required to rehabilitate and maintain the building in accordance with a preservation covenant specific to the historic property and the recommended approaches in the Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Rehabilitation and Illustrated Guidelines for Rehabilitating Historic Buildings (U.S. Department of the Interior, National Park Service, 1992),

(2) A distribution list of potential purchasers or transferees,

(3) An advertising plan and schedule, and

(4) A schedule for receiving and reviewing offers.

(b) Review of Offers. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO shall review each offer it receives in response to the marketing plan and select the one that meets the following criteria:

(1) the offer provides for relocation and rehabilitation of the building as stipulated in the marketing package, including information on the location and suitability of the new site;

(2) the offerer has the financial and technical ability to carry out the terms of the offer; and

(3) the offerer agrees to accept transfer of the historic property with

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the proposed preservation covenant or easement within a reasonable time frame.

(c) Modification of requirements. If the New York District receives no offers that meet the review criteria, the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, may modify the requirements and re-offer the building with a modified convenant, or may demolish the historic property in accordance with Stipulation IX of this PA. Should the SHPO disagree with the New York District's decision regarding the marketing of the historic property, the New York District shall consult with the Council and implement Stipulation XIV of this PA.

(d) Within 90 days of the move, the New York District shall request that the SHPO re-evaluate the NR eligibility of the historic property at its new site.

iv. Transfer of Historic Properties

Should the New York District or its designee determine that properties which were the subject of Project buyouts will not be included in the Project, the New York District shall submit the location of the property, a current photograph and proposed convenant language to the SHPO for review and comment prior to making the historic property available for transfer. The New York District shall not convey historic properties until the SHPO has approved the proposed covenant language.

#### 2. Archaeological Sites

# a. Archaeological Data Recovery

The District shall develop a data recovery plan for archaeological sites eligible solely under National Register Criterion D which the New York District and the SHPO agree cannot be avoided or appropriately preserved in place. The data recovery plan to retrieve significant archaeological information, will be developed and implemented by the New York District or its representative(s), following approval from the SHPO and prior to the implementation of project-related activities within or in the vicinity of the archaeological sites.

b. The New York District shall ensure that the data recovery plan for each eligible site addresses substantive research questions developed in consultation with the SHPO. The plan shall be consistent with the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeological Documentation (48 FR 44734-37) and take into account the Council's publication, Treatment of Archaeological Properties. Each plan shall specify, at a minimum, the following:

(i) the property, properties, or portions of properties where data recovery is to be carried out;

(ii) the research questions to be addressed through the data recovery, with an explanation of their relevance and importance;

(iii) the methods to be used, with an explanation of their relevance to and effectiveness in addressing the research questions;

(iv) a discussion of the potential research value of any human remains that may be encountered, as well as a process for consultation with the SHPO, the Council, any descendent communities, and any persons or groups that have expressed an interest, to develop a treatment plan for human remains; and

(v). a proposed schedule for the submission of progress reports and the draft data recovery report to the SHPO.

c. The New York District shall submit data recovery plans to the SHPO for review and approval. The New York District and SHPO shall consult to resolve any objections to the data recovery plan as proposed. The data recovery plan shall then be implemented by the New York District once approved by the SHPO. If no response is received from the SHPO after 30 days of receipt of adequate documentation, the New York District may assume the SHPO's concurrence and proceed with implementation of the plan submitted.

d. The New York District shall ensure that data recovery plan(s) will be carried out by or under the direct supervision of an archaeologist(s) who meets, at minimum, the <u>Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualifications Standards (48 FR 44738-9).</u>

e. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop adequate provisions for site security during data recovery to avoid vandalism.

f. If any human remains and/or grave-associated artifacts are encountered during data recovery, the New York District, the SHPO, and the Council shall consult to develop a treatment plan for human remains that is responsive to the Council's "Policy Statement on Human Remains" (September 27, 1988), the Native American Grave Protection and Repatriation Act (PL 101-601) and, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Policy Guidance Letter No. 57, (1998) Indian Sovereignty and Government-to-Government Relations With Indian Tribes (see Appendix 5 of this PA).

g. Curation and Dissemination of Information:

i. The New York District or its designee, in consultation with the SHPO shall ensure that all materials and records resulting from the survey, evaluation, and data recovery conducted for the Project will be curated in accordance with 36 CFR Part 79 "Curation of Federally-Owned and Administered Archaeological Collections" and ER 1130-2- 433 "Project Operations: Collections Management and Curation of Archaeological and Historical Data." All material and records recovered from non-Federally owned land shall be maintained in accordance with 36 CFR Part 79 until their analysis is complete and, if necessary, are returned to their owner(s).

ii. The New York District shall ensure that all final reports resulting from actions pursuant to this PA will be provided, to the SHPO, and upon request, to other interested parties. All such plans shall be responsive to contemporary standards. Final plans shall be submitted to SHPO for review and approval. The New York District shall implement approved final plans.

# 3. Traditional Cultural Properties

a. The New York District shall develop a plan to involve, or continue to involve, Native Americans and communities, persons or groups that could be affected by the District's proposed project activity at a specific historic site or property. The plan shall describe 1) a process for the analysis of options responsive to the continued use and access to traditional cultural properties; 2) development of measures for the safe ingress and egress use of the traditional cultural properties during construction; 3) analysis of treatment options, including the recommended treatment; and 4) the measures which will be implemented to ensure that project activities do not compromise the analysis of treatment options.

b. The New York District shall submit the final to the SHPO and to the affected group

and shall implement the plan in accordance to the procedures outlined in the plan, if formal objectives are not received within 30 days following its distribution.

c. If the New York District and SHPO or affected groups cannot resolve the objection, the New York District shall request the comments of the Council in accordance with Stipulation VI.

# IV. TREATMENT OF HISTORIC LANDSCAPES

A. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop a plan to identify and evaluate design alternatives which will avoid, minimize, or compensate for impacts when it is determined that a historic landscape will be affected by Project activities.

B. Treatment measures for historic landscapes shall consider, in order of priority, preservation, rehabilitation, restoration, reconstruction, and additions in accordance with The Secretary of the Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties with Guidelines for the Treatment of Cultural Landscapes (1996) and Protecting Cultural Landscapes, National Park Service Preservation Brief Number 36.

# V. EMERGENCY ACTIVITIES

A. The New York District shall consider an emergency to exist when a structure, building or site poses an immediate threat to life, safety, or property. Such situations should require an immediate response (30 days or less) based upon the findings of an engineer, architect, emergency response professional, or project manager, representing the New York District or a participating community. If an action is not required by the New York District within thirty days or less the project activity shall not be considered an emergency and should be reviewed under terms of PA.

B. The New York District shall immediately notify the SHPO of any such emergency via certified mail and the proposed response and request a written approval within five (5) business days unless the nature of the emergency does not allow for such a delay. The District shall submit relevant background information including current photographs, engineering or structural reports, local citations, etc. If an immediate response is required, the New York District shall undertake the action and subsequently provide SHPO with documentation.

If the SHPO fails to respond within five (5) business days, the New York District may assume concurrence with its proposed response and proceed.

#### VI. RESOLUTION OF ADVERSE EFFECTS

A. When the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, determines that Project related activities cannot adhere to treatment plans developed in accordance with

Stipulation III.E. or would otherwise have an adverse effect, the New York District shall:

1. Develop a Standard Mitigation Agreement (SMA) with the SHPO; or

2. Consult with the Council to develop a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.5 (e).

B. The New York District shall invite the Council to participate in consultation when:
1. The New York District and SHPO determine that an agreement or a SMA cannot be reached;

2. a National Historic Landmark is involved;

3. human remains have been identified; or

4. there is widespread public interest in a historic property or properties.

C. The New York District and the SHPO, and interested parties as appropriate, shall consult to develop alternatives to mitigate or minimize adverse effects. The analysis of alternatives shall consider program needs, cost, public benefit and values, and design feasibility.

D. Development of Standard Mitigation Agreements (SMA).

1. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO and interested parties, as appropriate, shall develop SMAs for historic properties which will be adversely affected by the Project. The New York District shall submit the SMA to the SHPO for review and approval by certified mail. The SHPO shall have 30 days from receipt of adequate information in which to review and comment on the SMA(s). If the SHPO fails to respond within 30 days, or if there is disagreement, the New York District shall notify the Council and consult to develop the propose SMA into an MOA and submit copies of background information and the proposed SMA to facilitate consultation to develop an MOA in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.

2. After signing by the New York District and SHPO, the New York District shall file all SMAs with the Council.

E. Standard Mitigation Agreements (SMA)

1. SMAs developed between the New York District and the SHPO, may include one or more of the following stipulations which address routine adverse effects that may occur to historic properties as a result of project implementation.

2. Recordation. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO or Historic American Building Survey/Historic American Engineering Record (HABS/HAER) to determine the appropriate level and type of recordation for affected resources. For historic properties with state and/or local significance, recordation shall be consistent with the requirements and standards of the Department of the Interior (October 1997). All documentation must be submitted to SHPO and HABS/HAER for acceptance, prior to the initiation of project activities, unless otherwise agreed to by the SHPO or NPS.

3. Salvage and Donation of Significant Architectural Elements. Prior to demolition, partial demolition, or substantial alteration of historic properties, the New York

District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop a salvage and donation plan to identify appropriate parties willing and capable of receiving and preserving the salvaged significant architectural elements. The New York District shall submit the plans to the SHPO for review and approval.

4. Alternative Treatments or Design Plan which meet the Standards. Prior to demolition partial demolition, or substantial alteration of historic properties, the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop a plan identifying protocols for developing treatment guidelines and evaluating design standards for new construction within historic districts in keeping with the Secretary's Standards. The New York District shall submit the plans to the SHPO for review and approval.
5. Rehabilitation and new construction which does not adhere to the Standards. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO to develop alternate treatment plans or designs for those elements or features, which cannot meet the Standards. The District shall submit final plans and specifications to the SHPO for review and approval.

6. Transfer or conveyance without convenants. In instances where the historic properties will not be conveyed or transferred with preservation convenants (vis a vis Section III.F.1.), the New York District shall record these properties to SHPO or HABS/HAER standards and provide prospective owners of the properties with information about Preservation Tax Incentives for Historic Buildings, sources of funding for historic properties, and information regarding rehabilitation of historic properties including the Secretary of the Interior's Standards. Prior to demolition, partial demolition, or substantial alteration of historic properties, the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop a plan to transfer and convey the historic property without convenants. The New York District shall submit the plans to the SHPO for review and approval.

7. Data recovery for archaeological sites eligible under Criterion D and others and data recovery and treatment of archaeological sites where data recovery will not result in a finding of no adverse effect. The New York District shall conduct data recovery on archaeological sites following agreement on the perspective data recovery and treatment plans between the New York District and the SHPO when the archaeological sites are eligible for National Register inclusion under additional Criteria than Criterion D (for the information which they contain) or when the full informational value of the site cannot be substantially preserved through the conduct of appropriate research to professional standards and guidelines. To the maximum extent feasible, data recovery and treatment plans shall be developed to take into account and mitigate for the fullest range of archaeological site values and significance. Prior to construction, the New York District shall develop a data recovery plan for archaeological sites eligible under Criterion D and others. The New York District shall submit the plans to the SHPO for review and approval. 8. Off-site mitigation for the loss of a historic property. The New York District, with the approval of the SHPO, may preserve similar property types or sites outside the Area of Potential Effect in lieu of preservation of properties that are within strategic locations within the Greenbrook Flood Control Project area. The New York District and the SHPO will consult to develop appropriate easements, convenants and other mechanisms for the protection of these properties. Prior to demolition, partial

demolition, or substantial alteration of historic properties, the New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop an off-site mitigation plan to compensate for the loss of historic properties. The New York District shall submit the plans via certified mail to the SHPO for review and approval.

# VII. INTERPRETIVE EXHIBIT

A. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO to develop a plan for the creation of an interpretive exhibit as part of mitigation for project related impacts. The Scope of Work prepared for the interpretative exhibit shall be submitted with the New York District's schedule for implementation to the SHPO for review and approval. The New York District and the SHPO shall consult to resolve any objections. The final plan shall be implemented by the New York District once approved by the SHPO. If no response is received from the SHPO within 30 days following receipt of adequate documentation the plan shall be implemented as submitted.

B. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO and the public to ensure that the location of the exhibit is publicly accessible and has appropriate management and maintenance.

C. The New York District shall include in the interpretive exhibit for the Project the findings of cultural resources investigations and all records resulting from HABS/HAER or, where the New York District and SHPO concur is appropriate, SHPO level documentation and historical research.

D. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO to develop a plan for the creation, reproduction, and distribution of a brochure describing the Project, findings generated by the investigation undertaken as part of this PA, and pertinent information on the location and access to the interpretive exhibit.

E. The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, shall develop and disseminate a press release to publicize the interpretive exhibit, brochure, and substantive contributions of the cultural resource program for the Project.

# VIII. DISCOVERY

A. If previously unidentified properties are discovered during Project implementation, the New York District shall cease all work in the vicinity of the discovered historic property until it can be evaluated pursuant to the guidelines in Stipulation I of this PA. If the property is determined to be eligible, the New York District shall consult with the SHPO to develop a treatment plan or SMA in accordance with Stipulations III and VI of this PA.

B. The New York District shall implement the treatment or SMA once approved by the SHPO.

# IX. COORDINATION OF REVIEWS FOR PROJECT ACTIVITIES

A. All plans, documents, reports, and materials shall be submitted by the New York District (or its representative) to the SHPO by certified mail, for a 30 day review period unless otherwise stipulated in this PA. If the SHPO fails to comment within the specified time, the New York District must request the Council's comments unless the PA provides for the New York District to assume the SHPO's concurrence when the 30-day review period has elapsed.

B. When interested parties are participating in the review of activities or actions outlined in this PA the New York District shall ensure that all interested parties are provided documentation at the time it is forwarded to the SHPO and afforded a 30 day review period. As appropriate, the New York District shall submit the comments of interested parties to the SHPO to facilitate further consultation.

C. If after consulting with the SHPO and interested parties for a period of 90 days on any action or activity provided for in this PA, the New York District or SHPO concludes there is no progress in developing treatment/mitigation plan or other documents required by this PA, the New York District or SHPO may notify the Council and request the Council's involvement to expedite completion of the consultation process.

D. The New York District shall ensure that all submissions to the SHPO, interested parties, and the Council include all relevant information to facilitate their review. The New York District shall provide all additional information requested by SHPO, interested parties, or Council within a timely manner unless the signatories to this PA agree otherwise.

E. The New York District shall ensure that all draft and final reports resulting from actions pursuant to the Stipulations of this PA will be provided to the SHPO, and upon request, to other interested parties and will identify the Principal Investigator responsible for the report. All reports will be responsive to contemporary standards, and as appropriate to the Department of the Interior's Format Standards for Final Reports of Data Recovery Programs (42 FR 5377-79) and HPO report standards. Precise locational data may be provided only in a separate appendix if it appears that its release could jeopardize archaeological sites consistent with National Register Bulletin Number 29, Guidelines for Restricting Information about Historic and Prehistoric Resources.

F. SHPO Review of Treatment/ Mitigation Pans.

1. The New York District shall ensure that all treatment/mitigation plans are submitted to the SHPO for review and comment. The New York District shall also obtain the comments of all interested parties, affected landowners, and appropriate local interest groups during the development of treatment/ mitigation plans and SMAs. All comments shall be made available to the SHPO with a recommendation from the

New York District regarding the need for further consultation among all parties.

2. If the New York District and SHPO do not concur on the adequacy, appropriateness, or extent of

treatment/mitigation plans, or SMAs, the New York District and the SHPO shall consult in an attempt to resolve the

disagreement. If the disagreement is limited to treatment the New York District shall consult with the SHPO in

accordance with Stipulation VI. If the disagreement is related to mitigation in a proposed SMA, in compliance

with the terms of an executed SMA or PA the New York District shall involve the Council in accordance with

Stipulation X of this PA.

G. If the District proposes revisions or addenda to SHPO approved treatment/ mitigation plans or other documents, the New York District and SHPO shall consult to determine whether additional conditions or mitigation measures are appropriate.

H. The New York District shall certify in writing that all requirements for identification and evaluation, and the implementation of treatment/mitigation plans have been satisfactorily completed prior to the initiation of construction activities for a specified portion of the Project. The New York District shall submit a copy of this certification to the SHPO by certified mail. The SHPO shall have 30 days to object to the certification based on the SHPO's finding of incomplete compliance or inadequate compliance with the terms of this PA. If the SHPO does not object, the District may proceed with construction for the specified segment of the Project.

# X. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

A. The SHPO shall have 30 days to object to determinations, evaluations, plans, and documents submitted by the New York District. The New York District and SHPO shall attempt to resolve any disagreement arising from implementation of this PA. If there is a determination that the disagreement cannot be resolved, the New York District shall request the Council's recommendations or request the comments of the Council in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.6(b).

B. Any Council recommendations or comments provided in response will be considered in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.6(c)(2), with reference only to the subject of the dispute. The New York District shall respond to Council recommendations or comments indicating how the New York District has taken the Council's recommendations or comments into account and complied with same prior to proceeding with Project activities that are subject to dispute. Responsibility to carry out all other actions under this PA that are not the subject of the dispute will remain unchanged.

# XI. PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

A. In consultation with the SHPO, the New York District shall develop a plan to inform

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the interested public of the existence of this Agreement, and the New York District plan for meeting the terms of this PA. Copies of this Agreement and relevant documentation prepared pursuant to the terms of this PA shall be made available for public inspection (information regarding the locations of archaeological sites will be withheld in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act and National Register Bulletin 29, if it appears that this information could jeopardize archaeological sites). Any comments received from the public under this Agreement shall be taken into account by the New York District.

B. Public Objections. The New York District shall review and resolve timely substantive public objections. Public objections shall be considered timely when they are provided within the review periods specified in Appendix 4 of this PA public participation plan specified. The New York District shall consult with the SHPO, and as appropriate with the Council, to resolve objections. Project actions which are not the subject of the objection may proceed while the consultation is conducted.

# XII. MONITORING

A. Upon execution of the Project Cooperation Agreement, the New York District shall prepare annual reports summarizing the status of compliance with the terms of this PA and a summary of the completed activities and the exempt activities for the past year and proposed activities for the next fiscal year to the SHPO, Council, and interested parties by the New York District. Reports shall be submitted by January 31 of every year. The Annual Reports shall be provided to Council, SHPO, and interested parties until the Project-related activities are complete.

B. The Council and the SHPO may request a site visit to follow up information in the annual Report or to monitor activities carried out pursuant to this PA. The Council and the SHPO shall provide the New York District with 30 days written notice when requesting a site visit unless otherwise agreed. The New York District may also schedule a site visit with the SHPO and the Council at its discretion.

# XIII. AMENDMENTS

Any signatory to this PA may request that it be amended, whereupon all the parties will consult in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.13 to consider such amendment.

#### XIV. TERMINATION

Any signatory to this PA may terminate it by providing thirty days notice to the other parties, provided that the parties will consult during the period prior to termination by certified mail to seek agreement on amendments or other actions that would avoid termination. In the event of termination, the New York District will comply with 36 CFR Parts 800.4 through 800.6 with regard to individual undertakings covered by this Agreement.

XV. SUNSET CLAUSE.

A. This PA will continue in full force and effect until the construction of the Project is complete and all terms of this PA are met, unless the Project is terminated or authorization is rescinded.

Execution and implementation of this PA evidences that the New York District has satisfied its Section 106 responsibilities for all individual undertakings of the Project, and that the New York District has afforded the Council and the SHPO an opportunity to comment on the undertaking and its effects on historic properties.

# ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HISTORIC PRESERVATION

By: Date: John M. Fowler, Executive Director

# NEW JERSEY STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE

State/Historic Preservation Officer Dorothy P. Guzzo, Deputy

# U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Date: June 1, 1988 By: Gary Thomas

District Engineer, New York District

Appendix 1 Map of the Green Brook Sub-Basin, and Lower, Middle and Upper Basins Detailed Description of Project Actions and Proposed Schedule for Implementation of the Green Brook Flood Control Project

Appendix 2 Area of Potential Effect, Percentage of Area of Potential Effect Identified to Date, and Investigated Portion of Area of Potential Effect

Appendix 3 SHPO Approval Letters for Plans for Historic Properties Identified in the Investigated Portion of the Area of Potential Effect

The Project will have no effect on the Central Railroad of New Jersey Middle Brook Bridge and the Central Railroad of New Jersey East Main Street Bridge, which are part of the Central Railroad of New Jersey Main Line Corridor Historic District, or on Central Railroad of New Jersey Main Line Corridor Historic District. The Deserted Village of Feltville Historic District may be affected and require development of a treatment/mitigation plan consistent with the terms of this PA.

The New York District, in consultation with the SHPO, has developed treatment plans for one building and one structure affected by the Project as defined in Appendix 1 of this PA, in the Investigated Portion of the Area of Potential Effect. The New York District shall implement the following treatment plans. Design modifications have been included in the Project to avoid impacts to the setting of the Bound Brook [Railroad] Station in Bound Brook. The Project will have an effect on the Lincoln Boulevard Bridge, in Bound Brook. The New York District shall ensure that prior to construction, archival documentation is prepared to record the Lincoln Boulevard Bridge is prepared in accordance with SHPO guidance. The lamp stanchions from the bridge will be removed and stored in a secure location. The New York District shall design the replacement bridge to be in keeping with the original balustrade features subject to SHPO review and shall re-install the original lamp stanchions to the extent feasible. Plans and specifications for the replacement structure shall be provided to the SHPO for review and comment prior to the initiation of any project actions in the vicinity of the bridge.

Appendix 4 Public Coordination for the Green Brook Flood Control Project

Appendix 5 Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act and Council's Policy Statement on Human Remains (September 27, 1988); Corps Guidance on Native Americans.

Appendix 6 Project-Related Activities Exempt from Further Coordination Under the PA. The New York District shall ensure that qualified professionals are used to ensure that project actions meet the requirements of exempt activities. All professionals shall meet the standards set forth in the qualified professionals Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Archaeology and Historic Preservation (48 FR 44738-39). Exempt activities are:

Repair in kind of Historic Buildings and Structure

Routine Maintenance of constructed project features such as levees, floodwalls, channels, pump stations, flood proofing

New construction with compatible materials

Flood-proofing of non-historic buildings

Modifications to non-historic bridges

# APPENDIX D PROJECT DESIGNS

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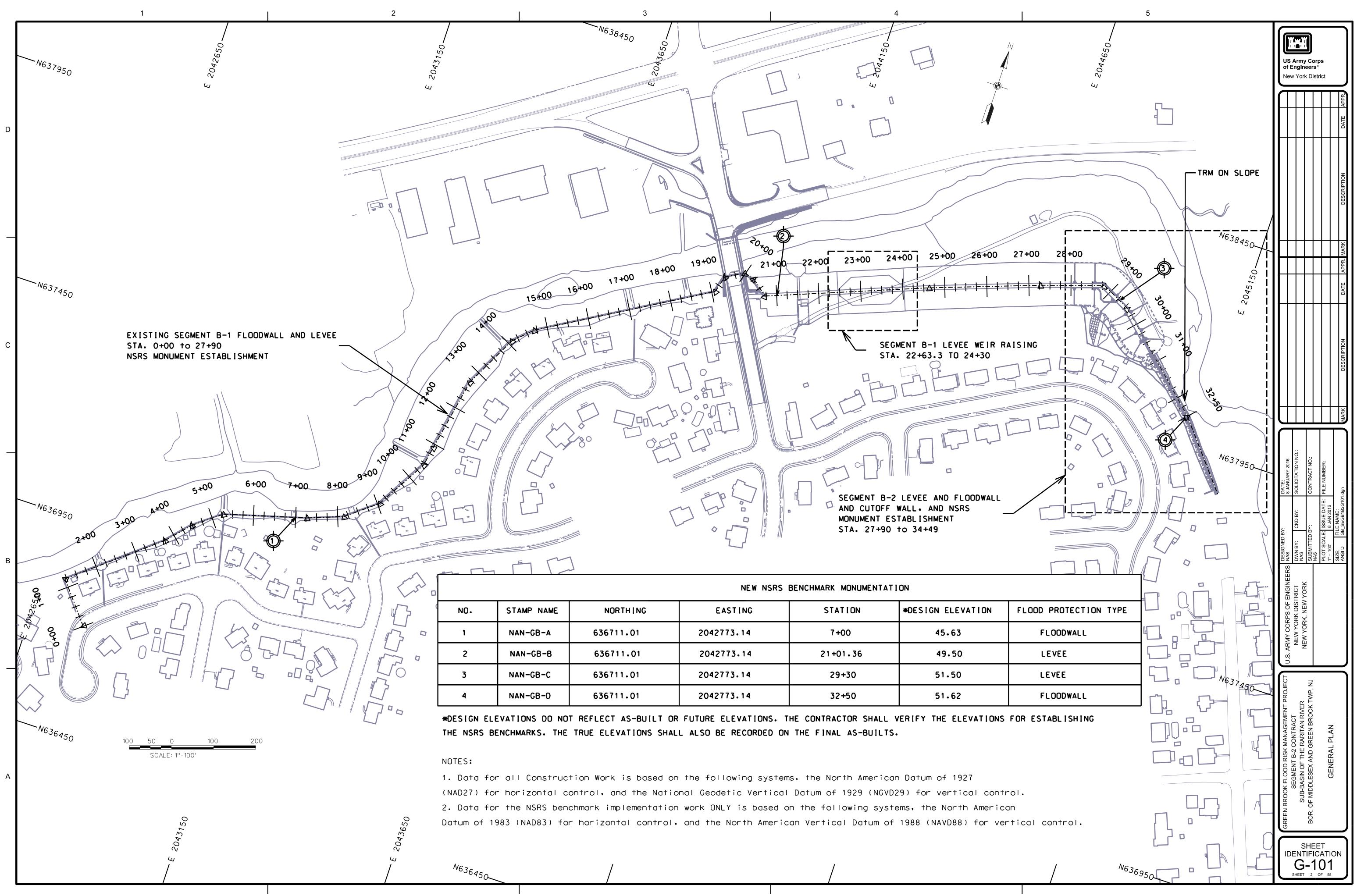
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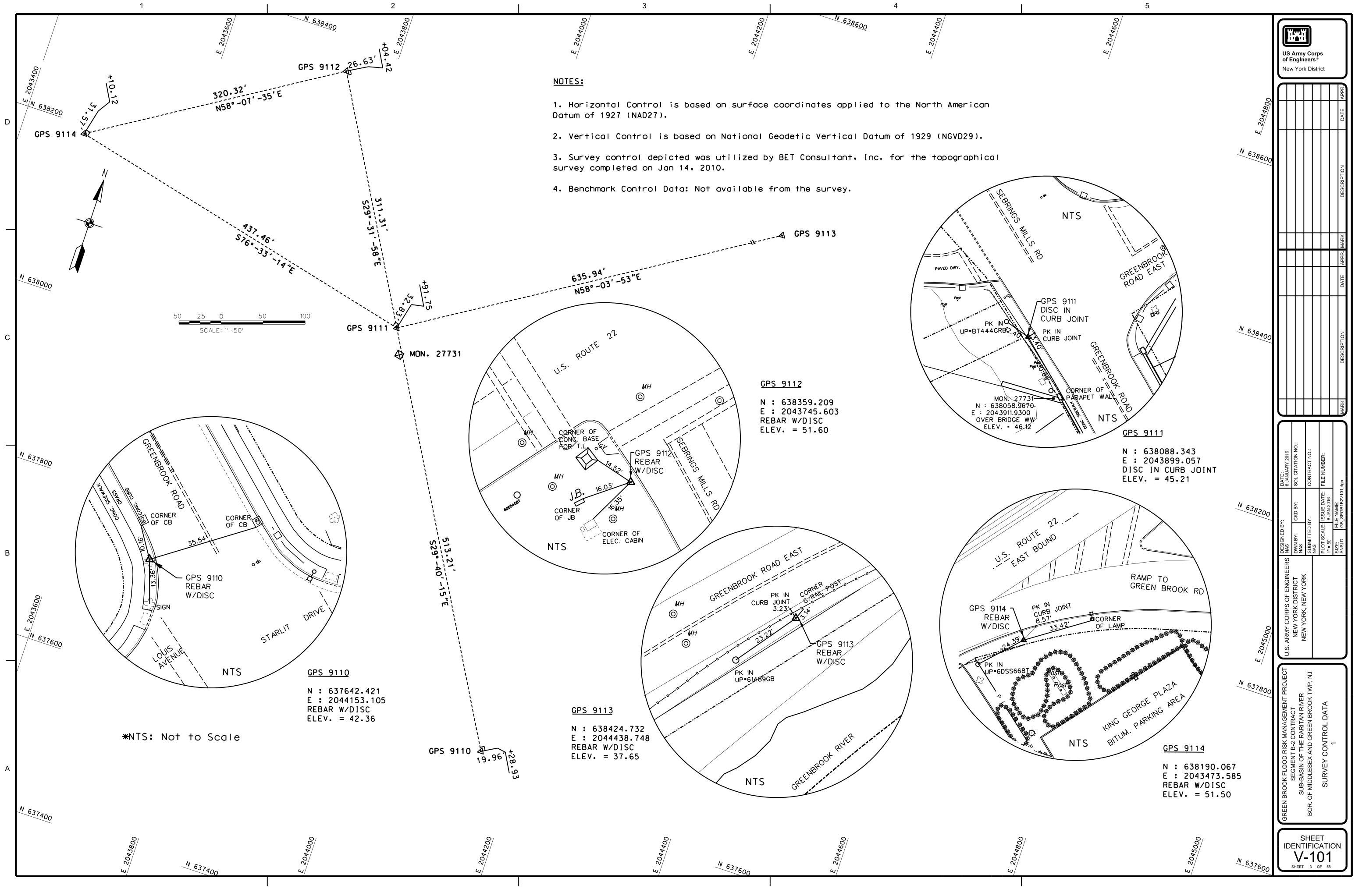
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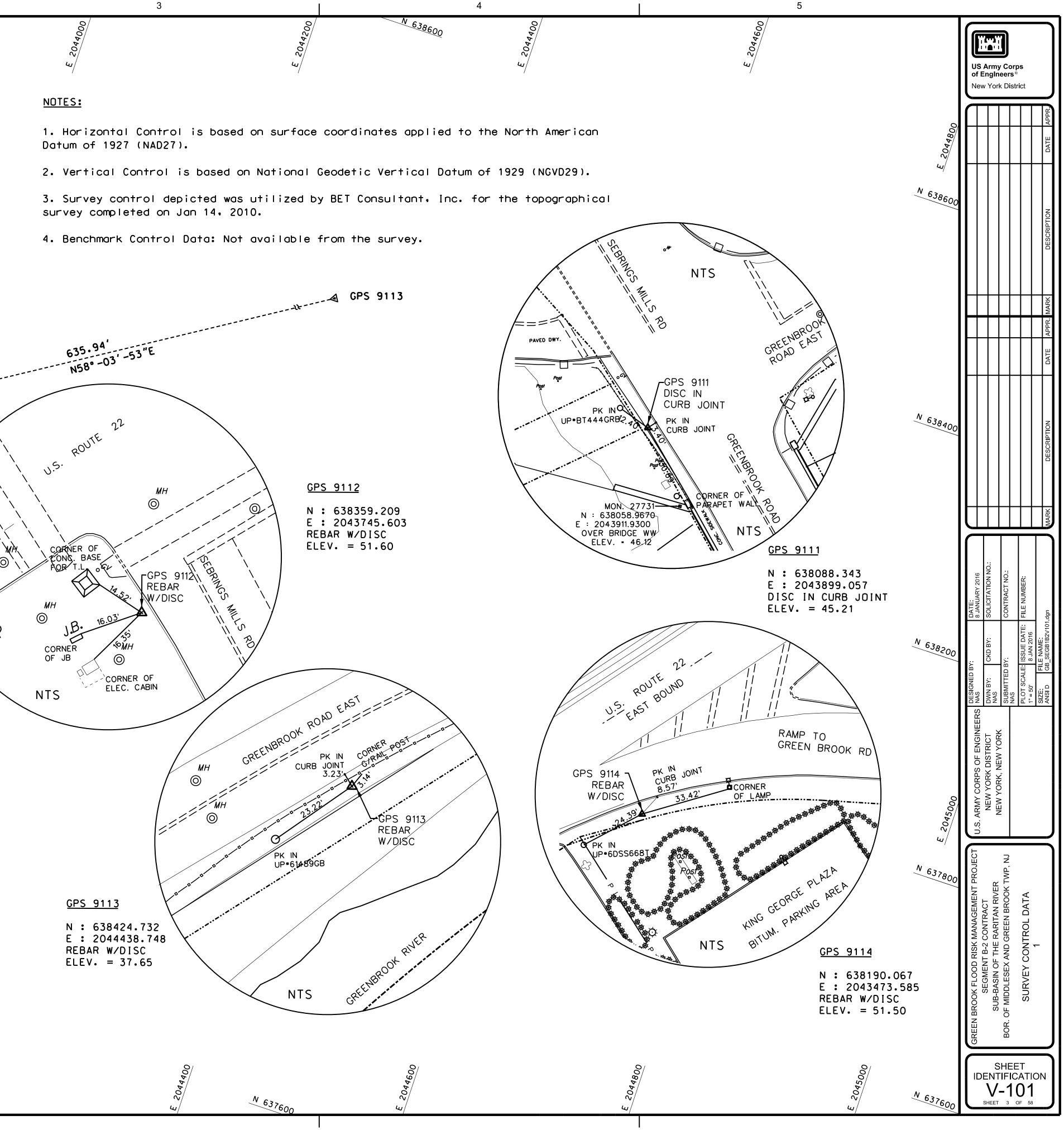
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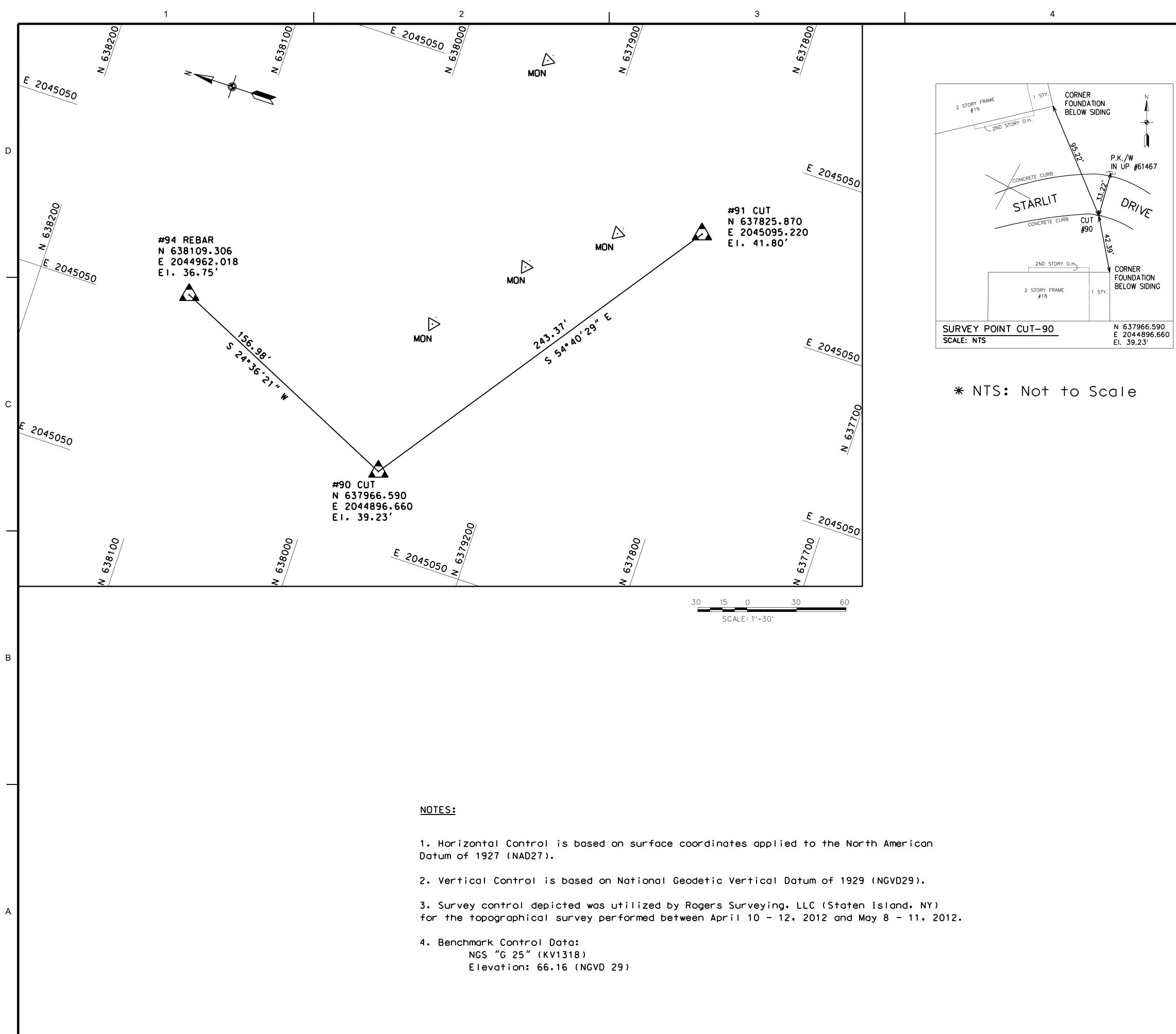
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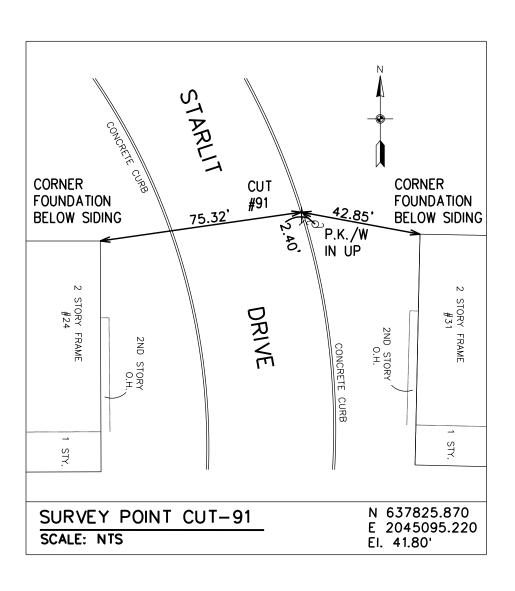


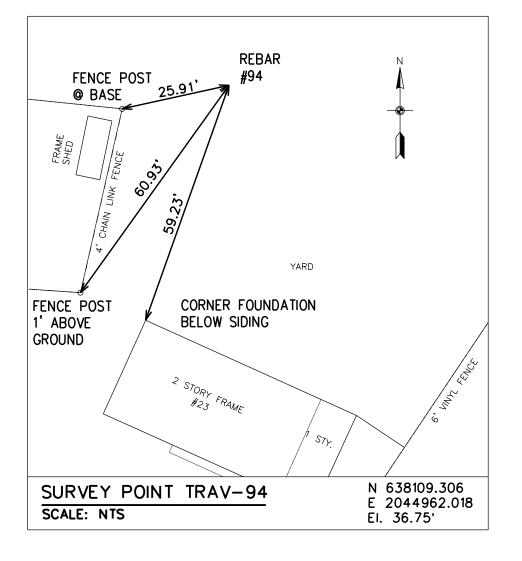
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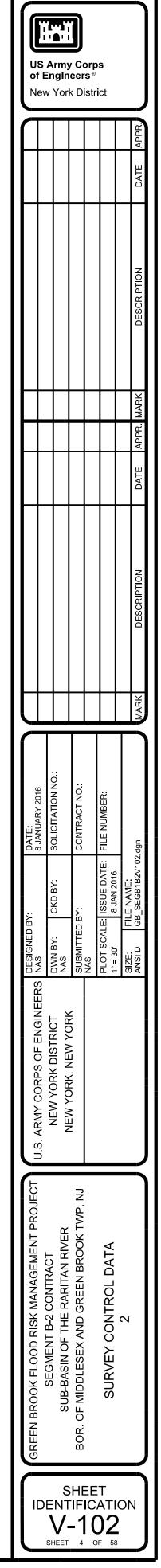


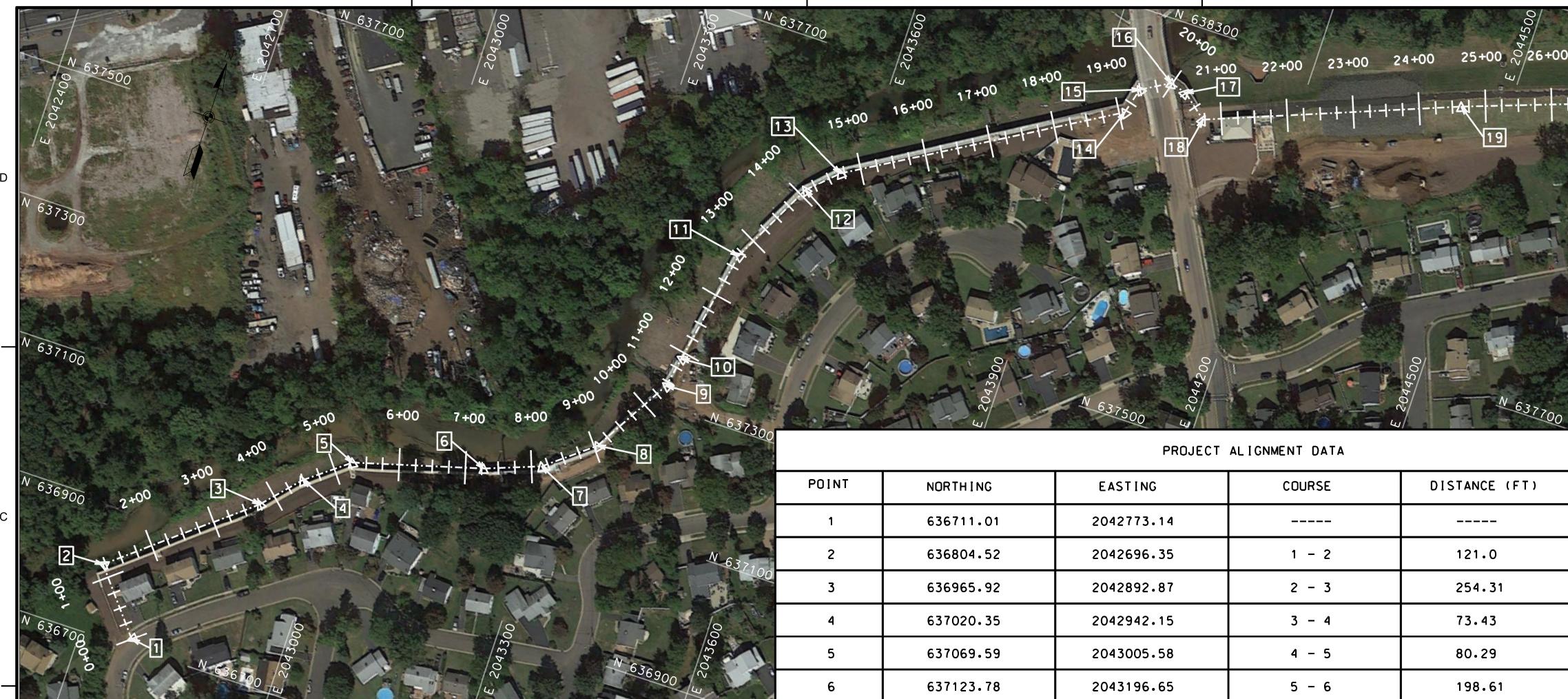












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1. The Horizontal Control is based on surface coordinates applied to the North American Datum of 1927 (NAD27).

2. The Vertical Control is based on the National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929 (NGVD29).

3. The Contractor shall furnish all labor, materials, equipment, supplies, transportation, supervision, methods and procedures necessary to complete the construction work in accordance with the terms of this Contract. Construction must be within the the contractor's working limits (refer to Sheet C-102). The major components of the Contract include:

(a) Establishment of new permanent benchmarks on the levee system for inclusion into the the NSRS (National Spatial Reference System) monument system between Sta. 0+00 to 34+49. THE DATA REFERENCE AND LOCATIONS FOR THE NSRS BENCHMARKS ARE PROVIDED ON SHEET G-101.

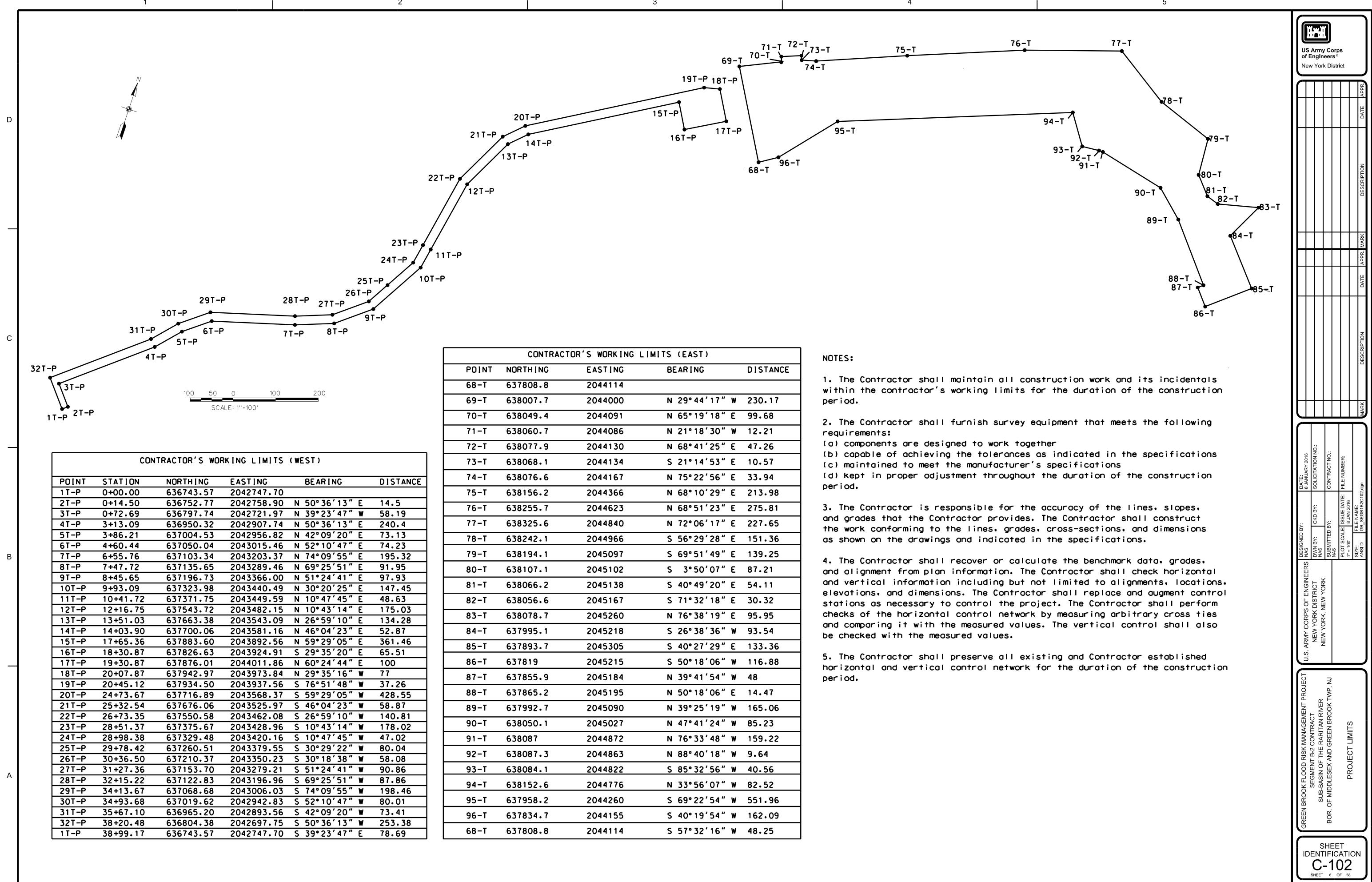
(b) Raising of the existing B-1 Levee Weir to the full design height between Sta. 22+63 to 24+30. Refer to Sheet C-102 for the weir profile. As-built information is unavailable, thus the weir profile is based on the Segment B-1 contract drawings. The Contractor shall survey and record the existing levee weir profile for approval by the COR prior to construction work.

(c) Realignment and extension of the existing Segment B-1 levee and construction of the Segment B-2 floodwall between Sta.27+90 to 34+49.

(d) Grade streambank with embankment fill and install TRM (turf reinforcement material) at the Green Brook channel bend and along the limits as shown in these contract drawings.

4. Pre-existing and final project conditions shall be surveyed and recorded according to Section 01 12 00.00 18, Section 01 78 00.00 18, and Section 00 80 00.

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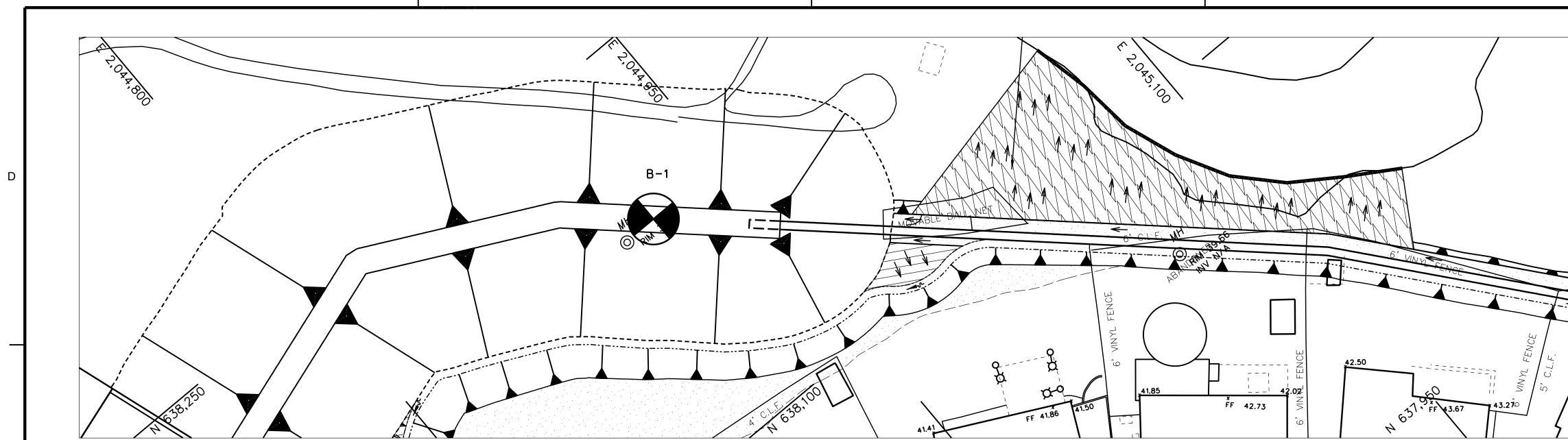
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ELEV.	DEPTH	BLOWS 6"	SAMPLE NUMBER	LEGEND	CLASSIFICATION OF MATERIALS	REMARKS
30	1 - 2 -	1 3 3 P U	S1		(SP-SM) Top 8"Brown m-f SAND, little silt with occasional organics (roots) (CL-ML) Bot. 10"Brown SILT and CLAY with occasional organics (roots)	Shelby tube sample taken between 2-4'. Sandy soils caused disturbance to the
	3 - 4 -	Š H WOH	S2		(SC) Brown clayey SAND (SP-SM) Brown c-f SAND, trace silt	sample.
25	5 - 6 - 7 -		S3		with occasional organic (tree root)	HTRW sample taken between 5.5'-6'. Conducted perm. test between 5'-7'
	8 - 9 -	5 7 9	S4		(SP) Reddish-Brown gravelly c-f SAND	below groundsurface. Top of gravel for permeability test
20	10- 11-	/ 6 9 16 16	S5		(SP-SM) Reddish-Brown c-f SAND, some silt	was 5.7' below ground surface.
	12- 13-	-				Casing to 10'
15	14- 15- 16- 17-	5	S6		(SP-SM) Reddish-Brown c-f SAND, some gravel	
10	18- 19- 20- 21-	4	S7		(SP-SM) Reddish-Brown c-f SAND, some gravel	
10	22- 23- 24-	10				
5	27-	44 50/1" - -	S8		Completely weathered Siltstone: Red-Brown, fine-grained, very weak	Rig chatter around 25'.
	29-	50/1"	S9		Completely weathered Siltstone: Red-Brown, fine-grained, very weak	
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# UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM (USCS)

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	MAJOR	DIVI	SION	TYPE	LETTER SYMBOL	SYMBOL	TYPICAL NAMES
	IED SOILS		۲. <u>۴</u>	CLEAN GRAVEL	GW	. 0	GRAVEL, Well Graded, GRAVEL-SAND mixtures, lit
			A Partico	(Little or No Fines)	GP		GRAVEL, Poorly Graded, GRAVEL-SAND mixtures, ]
				GRAVEL WITH FINES	GM		Silty GRAVEL, GRAVEL-SAND-SILT mixtures
GRAINED				(Appreciable Amount of Fines)	GC		Clayey GRAVEL, GRAVEL-SAND-CLAY mixtures
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COARSE	v then helf No. 200 see	SAND	No.	(Little or No Fines)	SP	••••	SAND, Poorly Graded, gravelly sands with little
	Nor Ken	SA		SAND WITH FINES	SM		SILTY SAND, SAND-SILT mixtures
			¥ 8 ¥ ‡	(Appreciable Amount of Fines)	SC		CLAYEY SAND, SAND-CLAY mixtures
6	۰ ۵		SILTS AN		ML		SILT (inorganic to slightly organic) & very fine Sand,
SOILS		ler iel 10 512			CL		LEAN CLAY; Sandy CLAY; Silty CLAY; of low to r
	GRAINED			Liquid Limit ( <b>50</b> )	OL		ORGANIC SILTS, and organic silty clays of low
RAIN				SILTS AND CLAYS	MH		SILT, fine sandy or silty soil with high plastic
FINE	5	• •			СН		FAT CLAY, inorganic CLAY of high plasticity
	ž	] _		Liquid Limit >50)	OH		ORGANIC CLAYS of medium to high plasticity, o
	HIGH	ILY	ORGANIC	SOILS	PT		PEAT, and other highly organic soil

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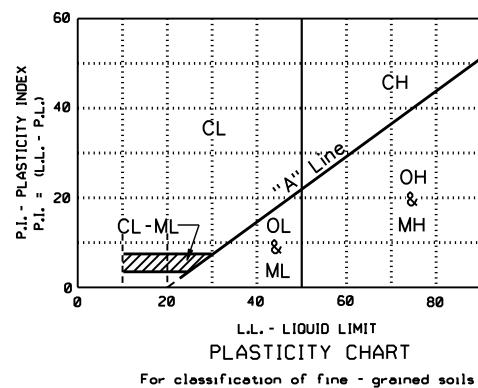
NOTE: Soils possessing characteristics of two groups are designated by combinations of group symbols.

## SOILS LEGEND

ТҮРЕ	LETTER SYMBOL	SYMBOL	TYPICAL NAMES
Agglomerate or Flow Breccia	AGGL		Cobbles (3" - 8") and Boulders (greater
Compaction Shale	COMSHA		SHALE Bedrock

# DESCRIPTIVE SYMBOLS

		CONSISTENCY FOR COHESIVE SO
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	VERY SOFT	< 250
	SOF T	250 - 500
	MEDIUM	500 - 1000
	STIFF	1000 - 2000
	VERY STIFF	2000 - 4000
	HARD	> 4000



COLOR	
COLOR	SYMBOL
TAN	т
YELLOW	Y
RED	R
BLACK	ВК
GRAY	Gr
LIGHT GRAY	lGr
DARK GRAY	dGr
BROWN	Br
LIGHT BROWN	1Br
DARK BROWN	dBr
BROWNISH - GRAY	brGr
GRAYISH - BROWN	grBr
GREENISH - GRAY	gnGr
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GREEN	Gn
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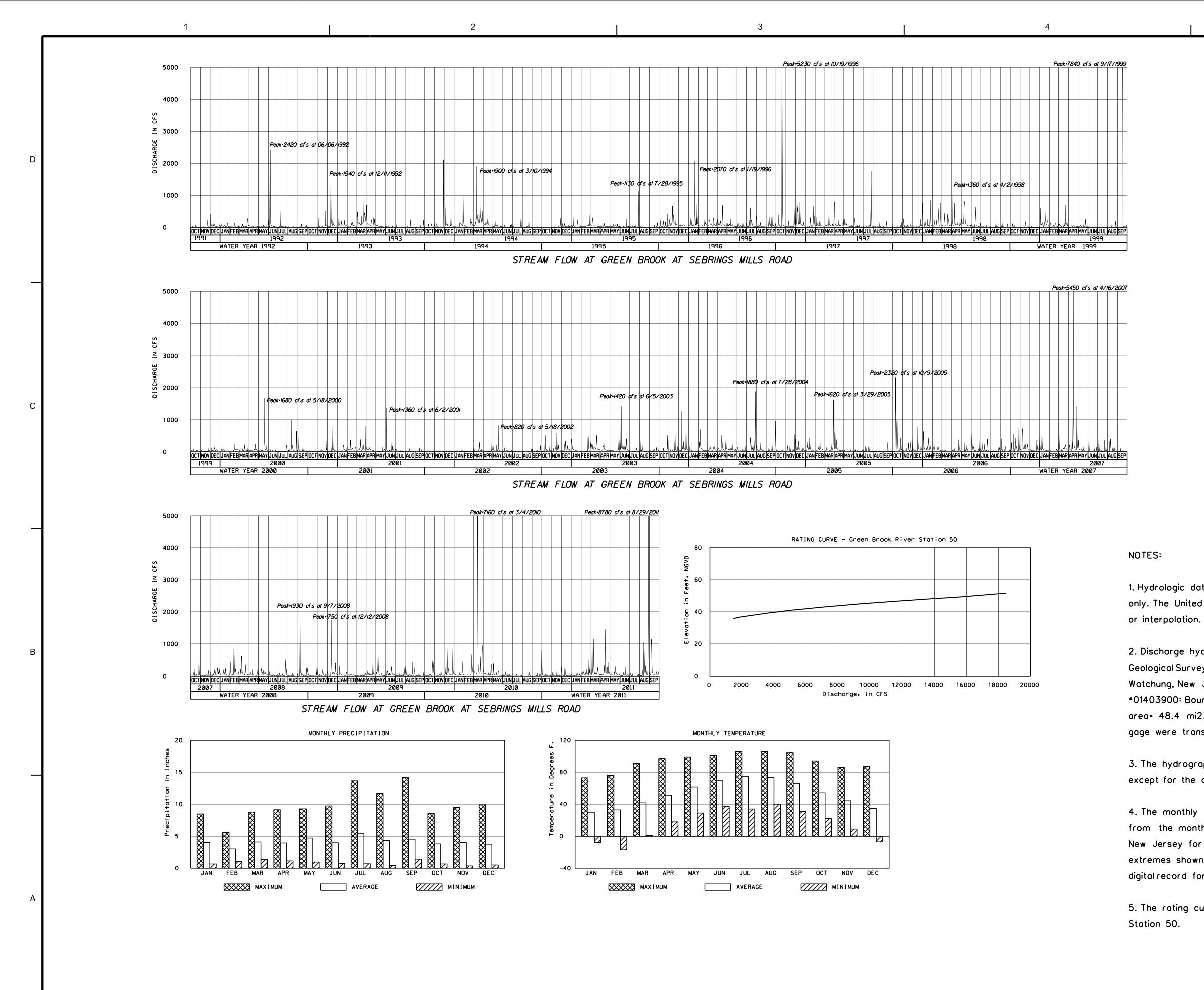
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MODIFICATION	SYMBOL
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Medium	м
Coarse	С
Concretions	cc
Rootlets	rt
Lignite fragments	lg
Shale fragments	sh
Sandstone fragments	sds
Shell fragments	slf
Organic matter	0
Clay strata or lenses	CS
Silt strata or lenses	SIS
Sand strata or lenses	SS
Sandy	s
Gravelly	G
Boulders	В
Slickensides	SL
Wood	Wd
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Saturated	Sat
Lumps of Clay	Clp

GENERAL NOTES:	US Army Corps of Engineers®
1. While the borings are representative of subsurface conditions at their respective locations	New York District
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of the region are anticipated. If encountered, such variations will not be considered as differing materially. However, bidders are encouraged to perform their own site investigation and	APPF
are expected to make their own assessment of the site before commencing with construction work.	L L L L L L L L L L L L L L L L L L L
2. Ground water elevations shown on the borings logs represent ground water surfaces encountered	
in such borings on the dates shown. Absence of water surface data on certain borings indicates that	
no ground water data are available from the boring but does not necessarily mean that ground water will not be encountered at the locations or within the vertical reaches of such borings.	
3. Consistency of cohesive soils shown on the boring logs is based on driller's log and visual	
examination and is approximate, except within those vertical reaches of the borings where shear	CRIPT
strengths from unconfined compression tests are shown.	DES
4. Driving resistances, shown in blows per foot, are determined with a standard split spoon sampler $\underline{3}$	
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CLASSIFICATION AND TERMS:	
BEDROCK: Natural solid mineral matter (rock) occurring in great thickness and extent in	DIION
its natural location. Normally underlays soil. SOIL: Sediment or other uncosolidated particles produced by the physical and chemical	ESCRI
weathering of rocks.	
BOULDERLarger than 8" COBBLE or SMALL STONE8" - 3"	
GRAVEL (Coarse)	¥
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WOH = Weight of Hammer	ARMY CORPS OF ENGIN NEW YORK DISTRICT NEW YORK, NEW YORK
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NS = Insufficient Sample	U.S. AF
% G = Percent Gravel-sized particles	
% S = Percent Sand-sized particles % F = Percent fines (silt and clay)	DECT NJ
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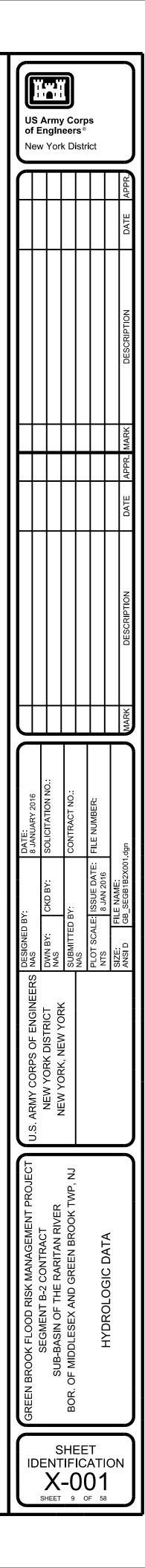
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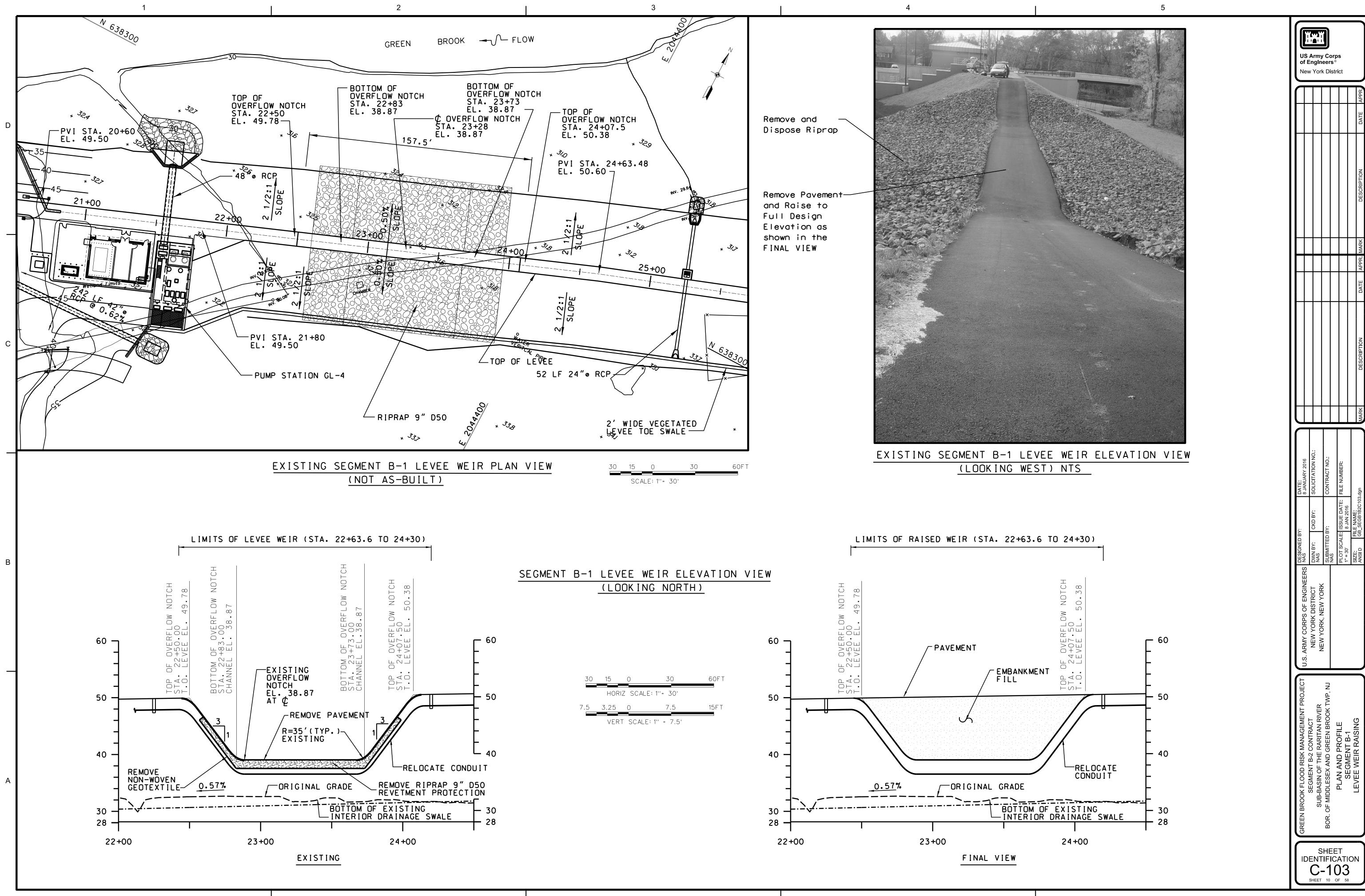
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Geological Survey stream gages •01403540: Stony Brook at
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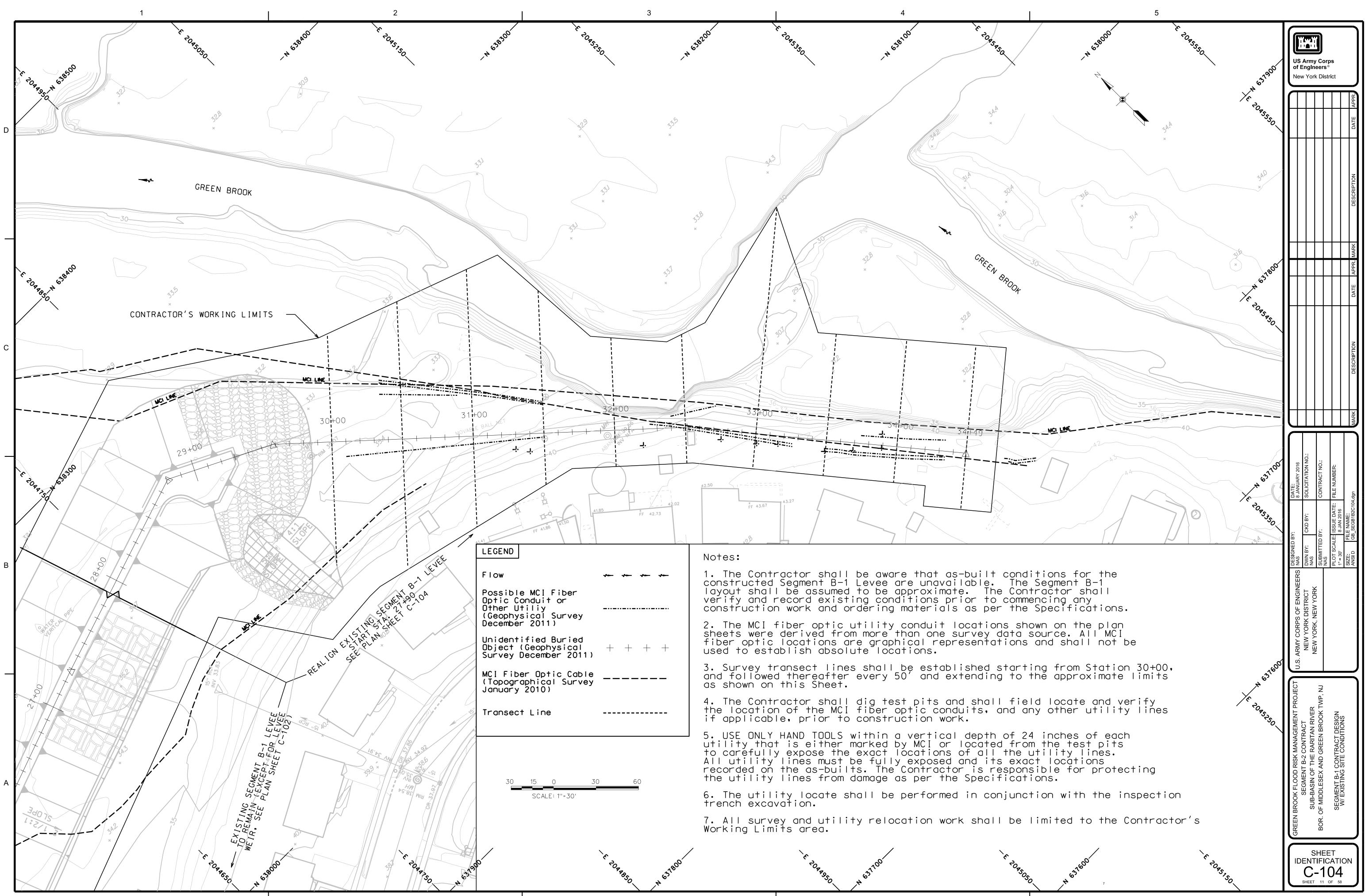
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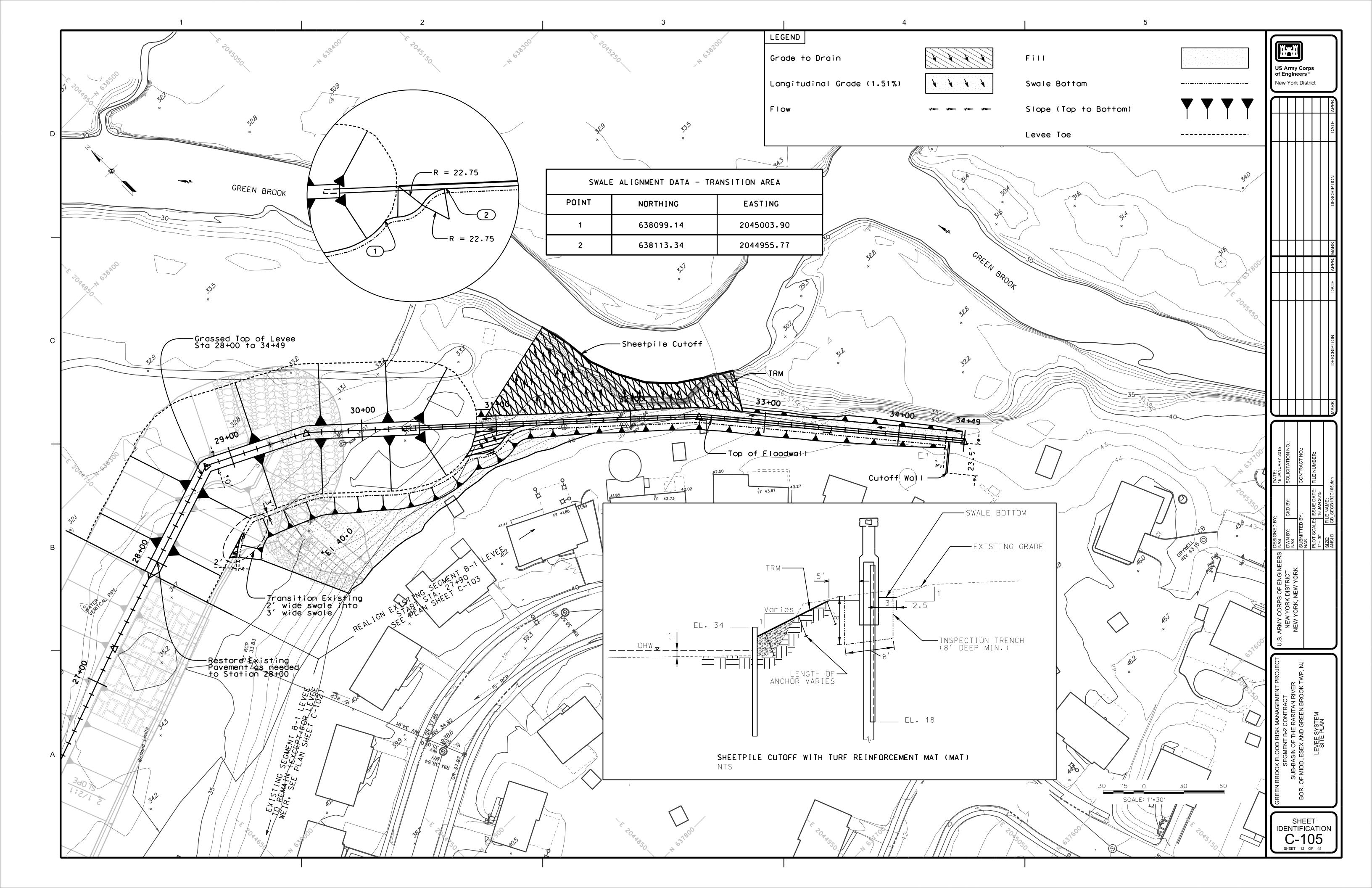
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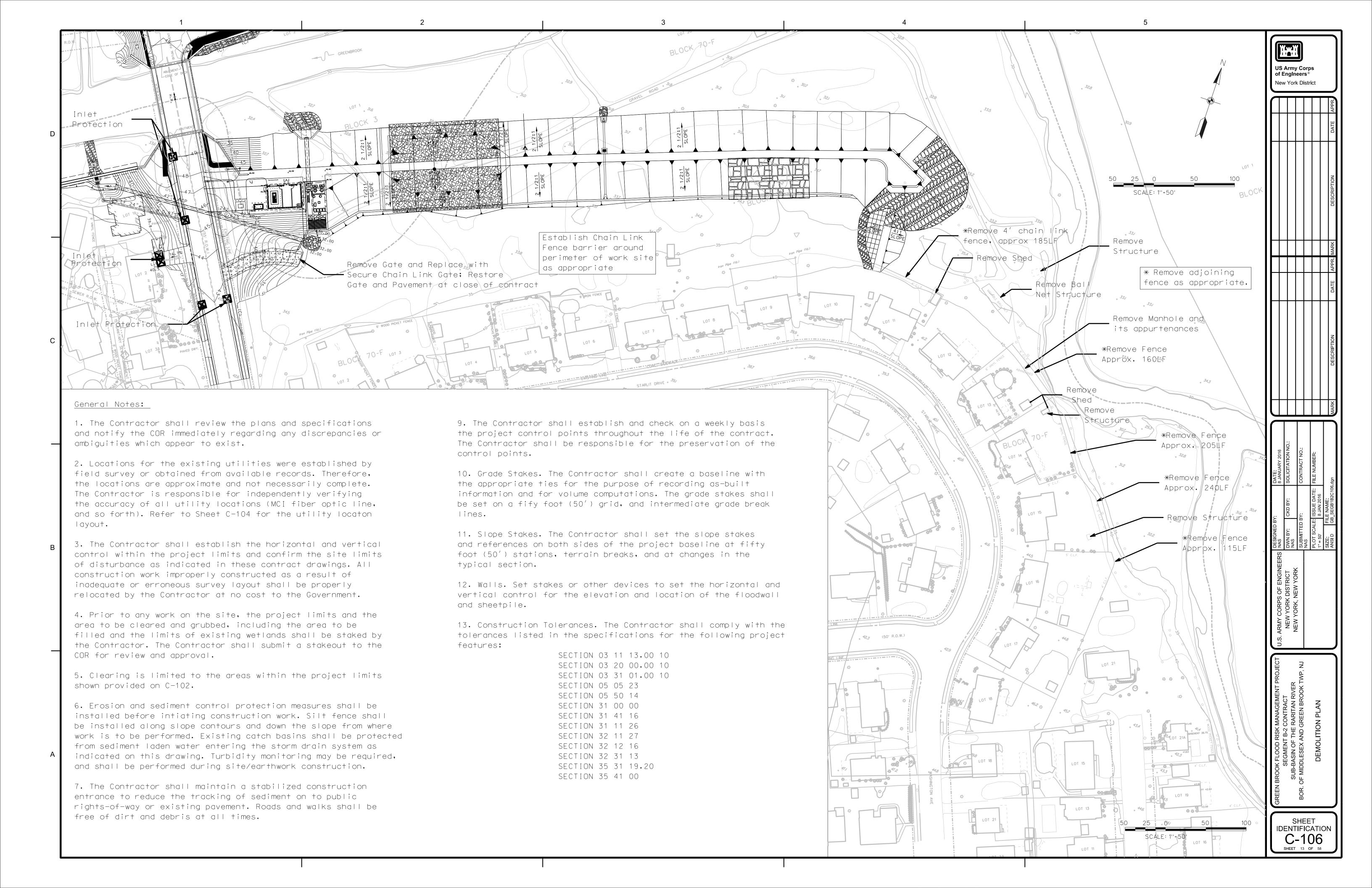


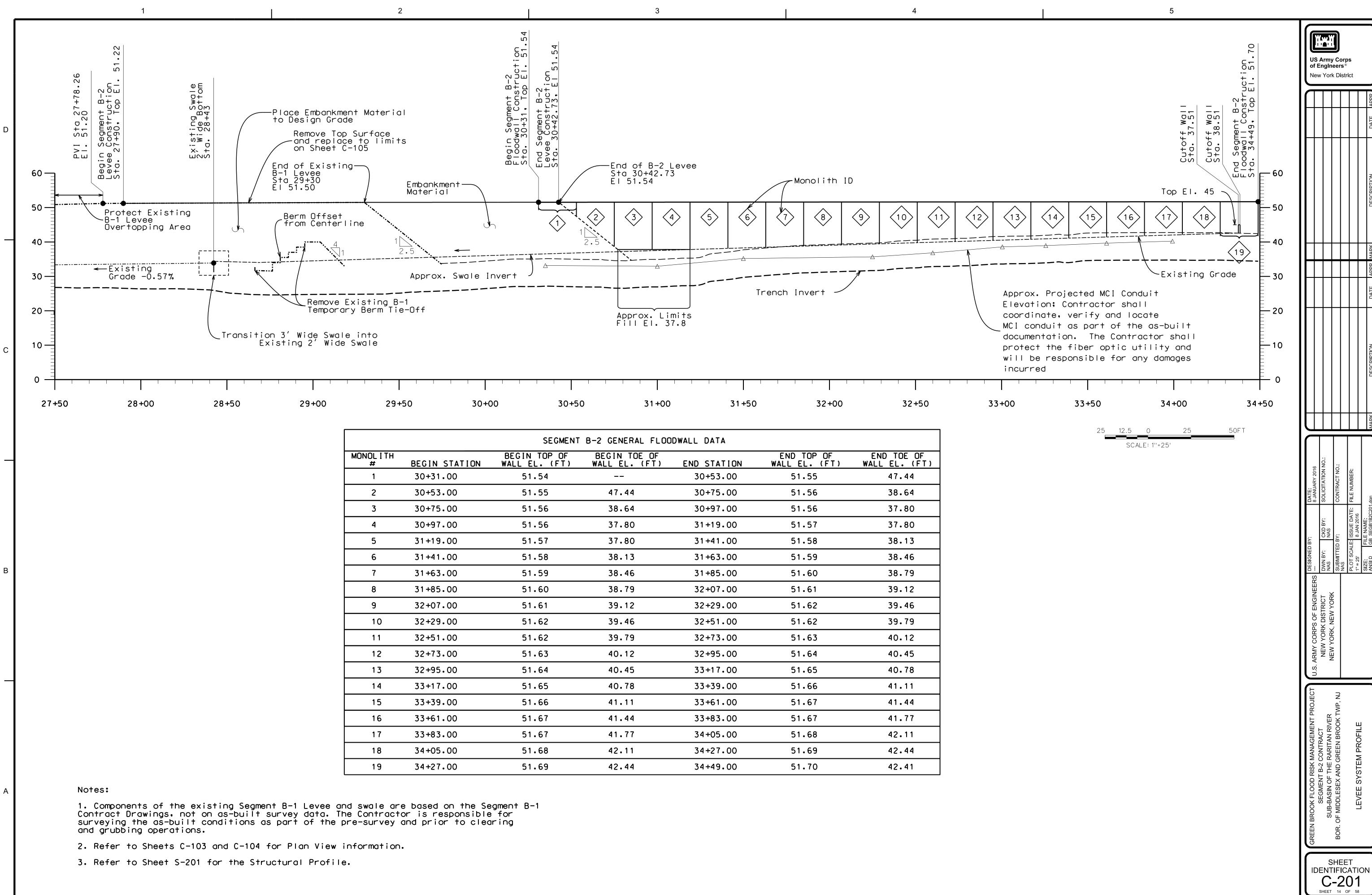


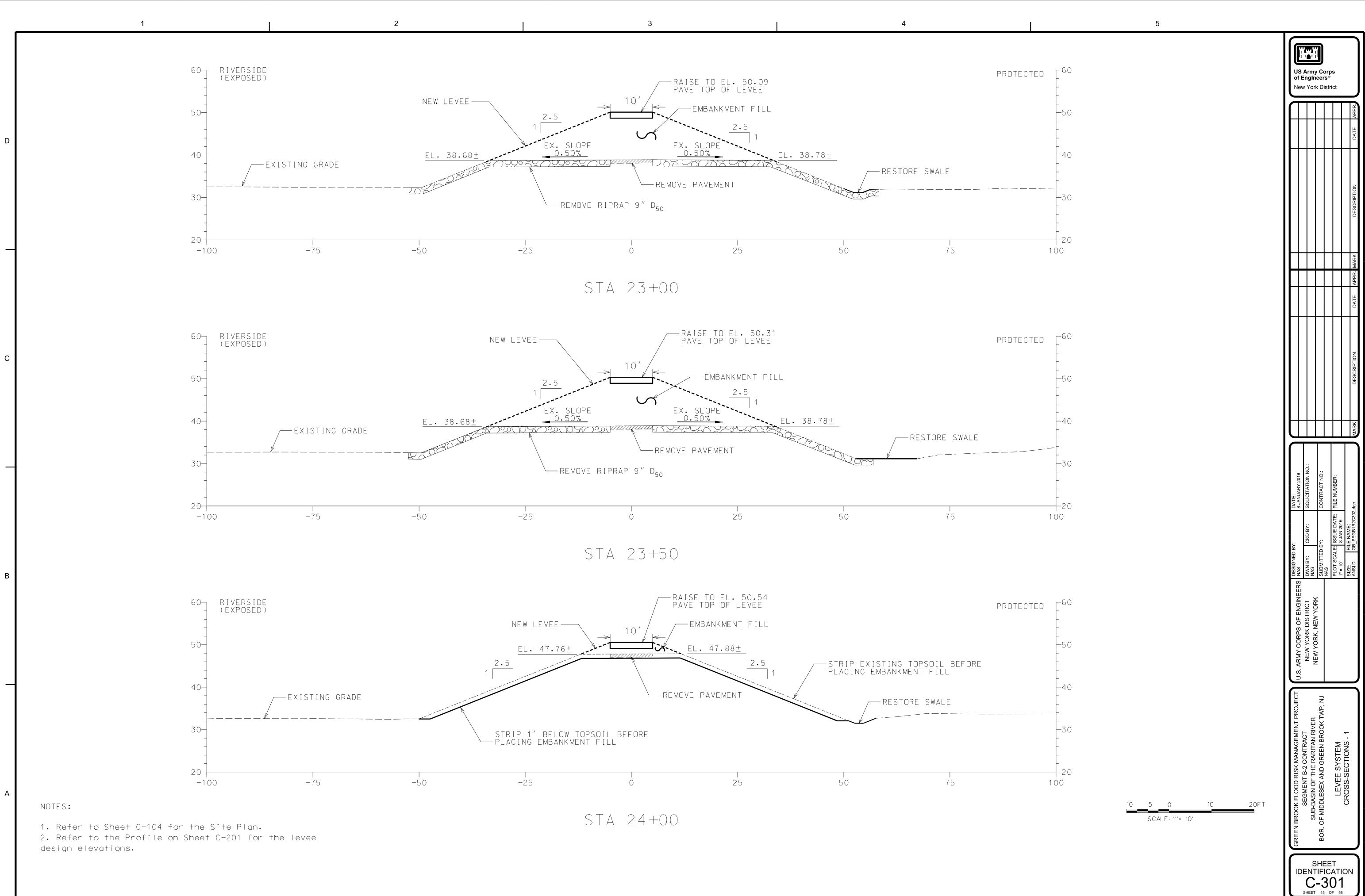


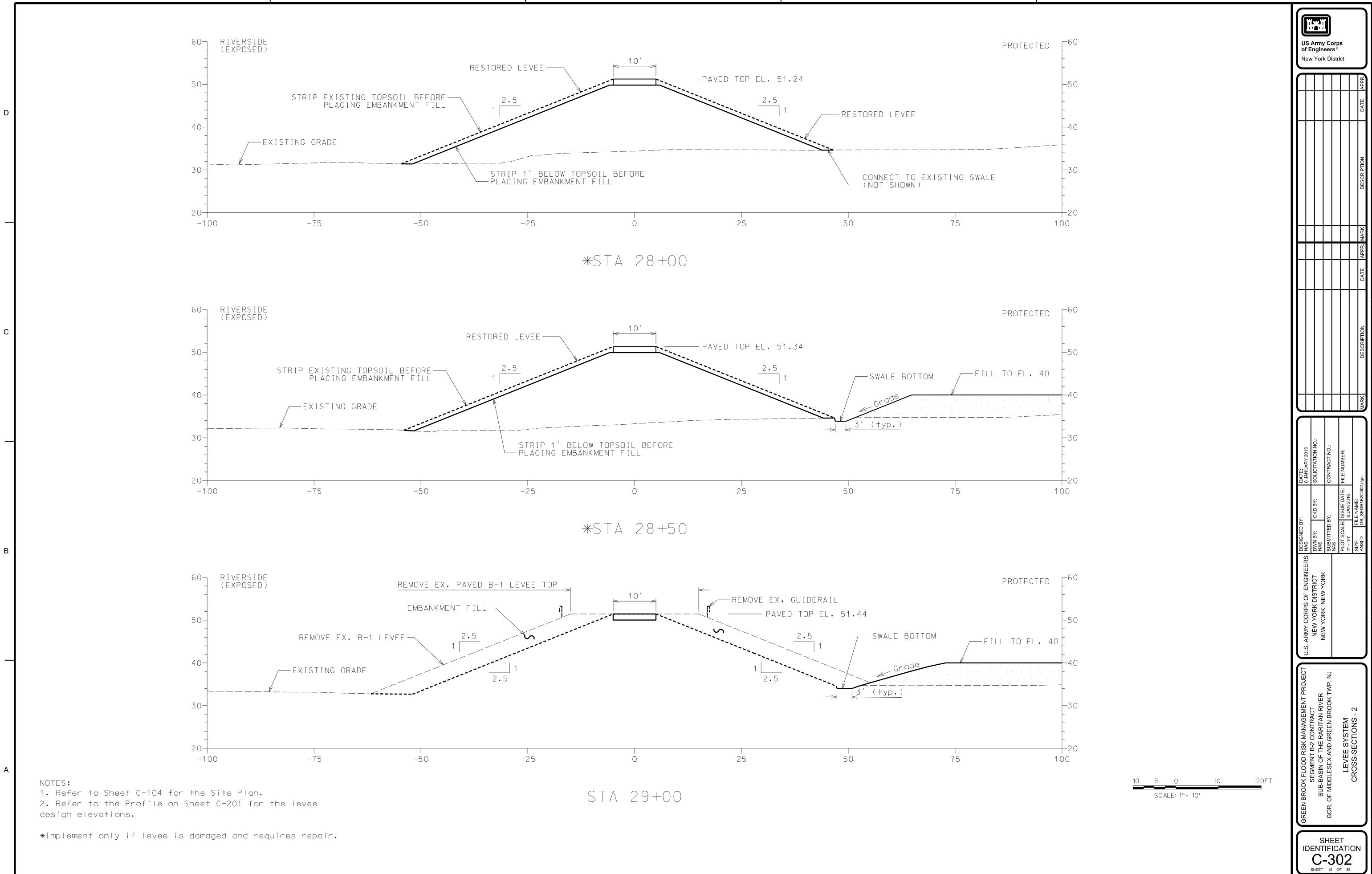
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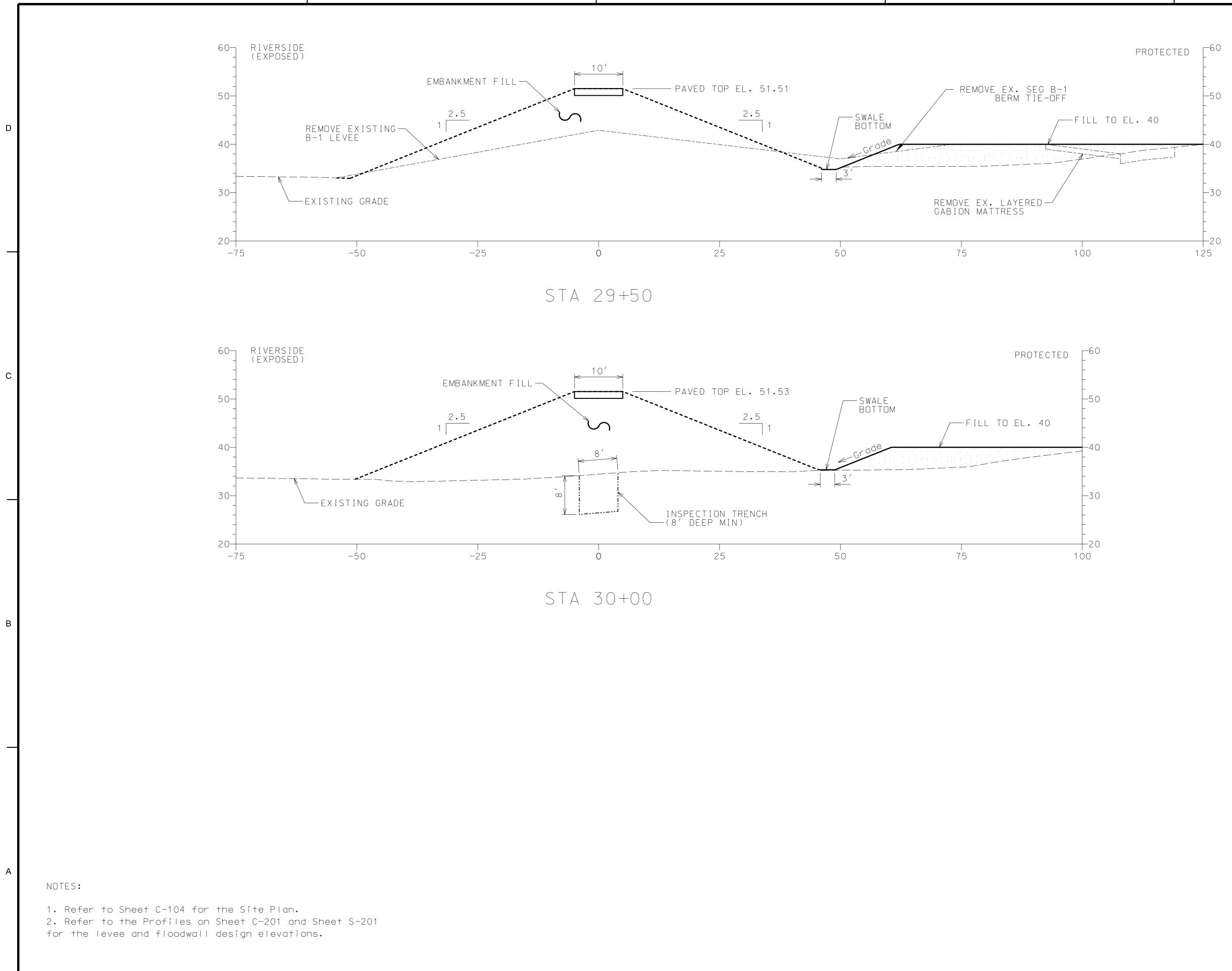




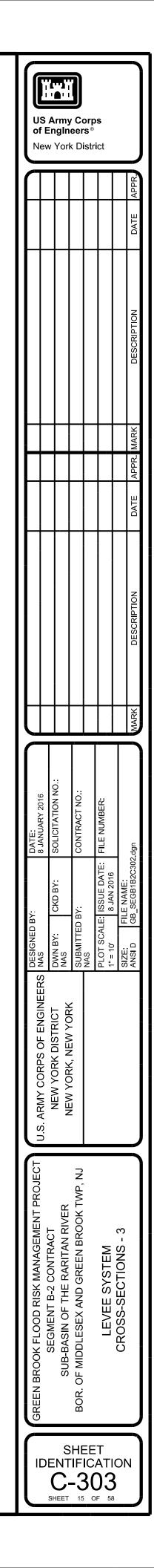








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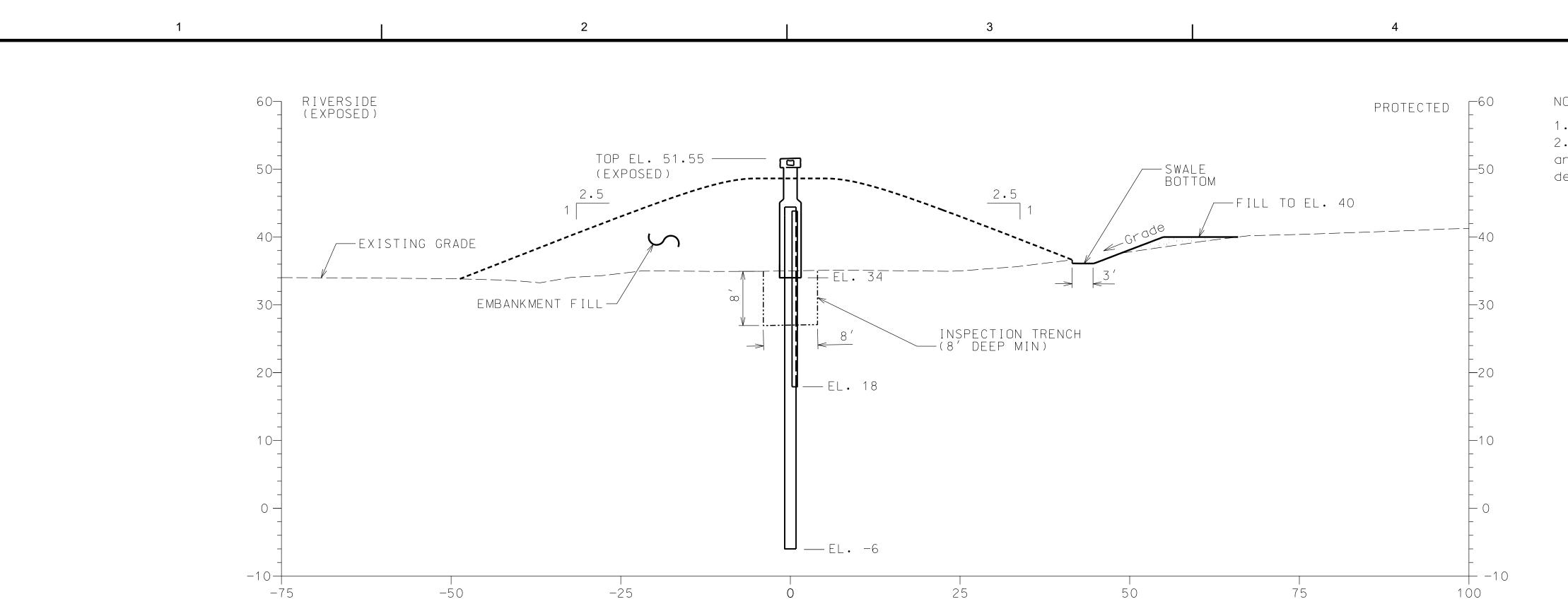


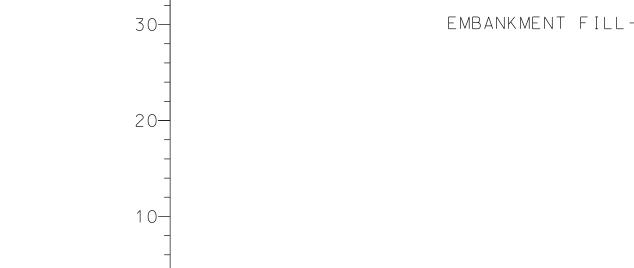
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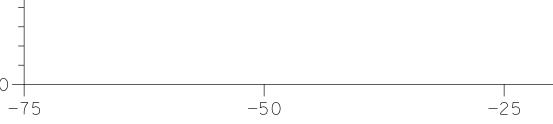
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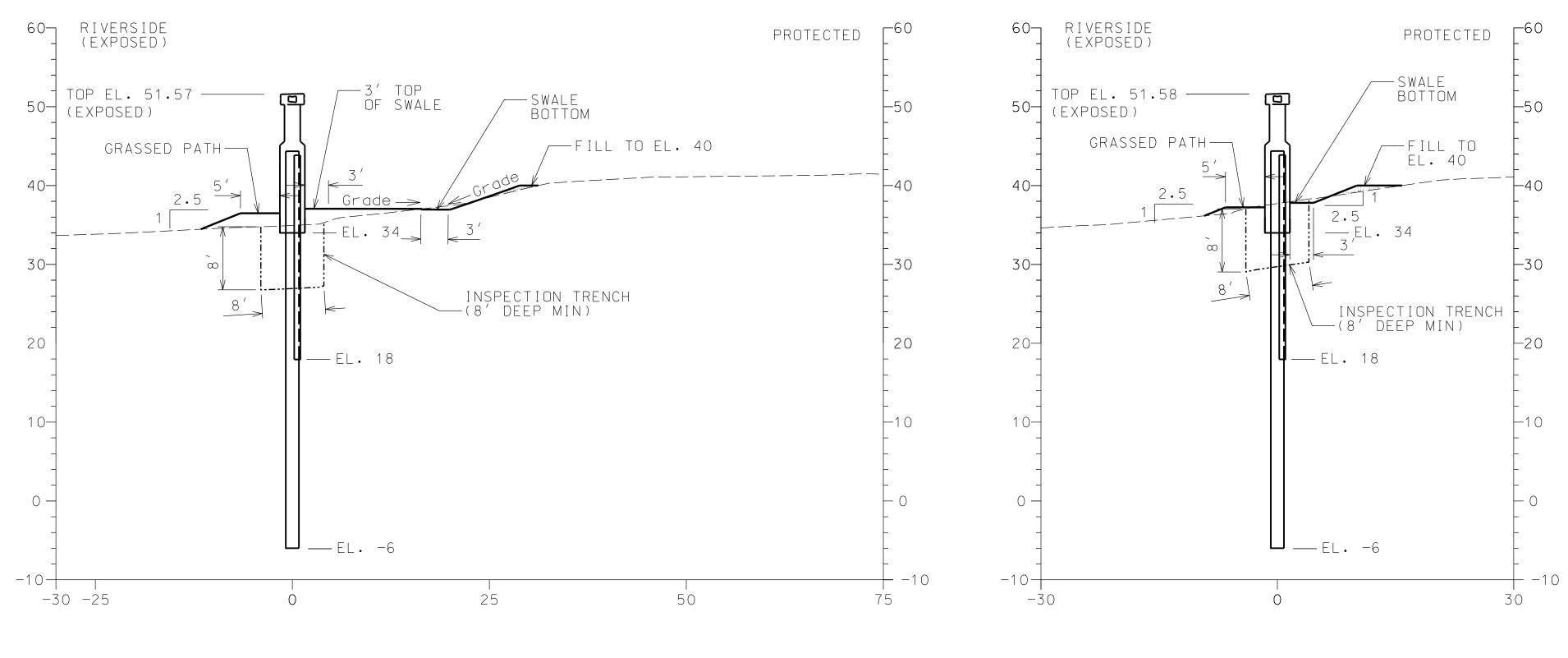
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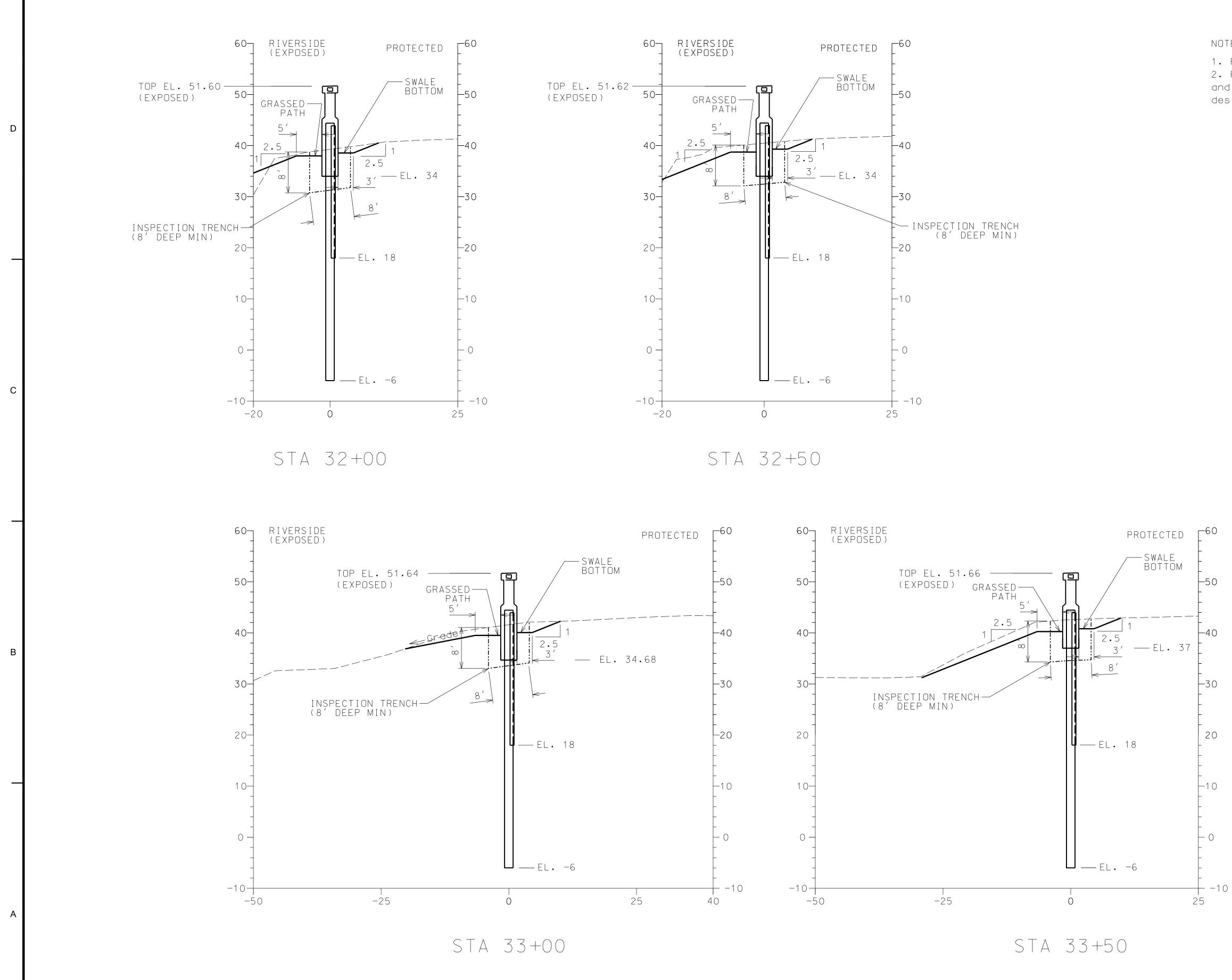
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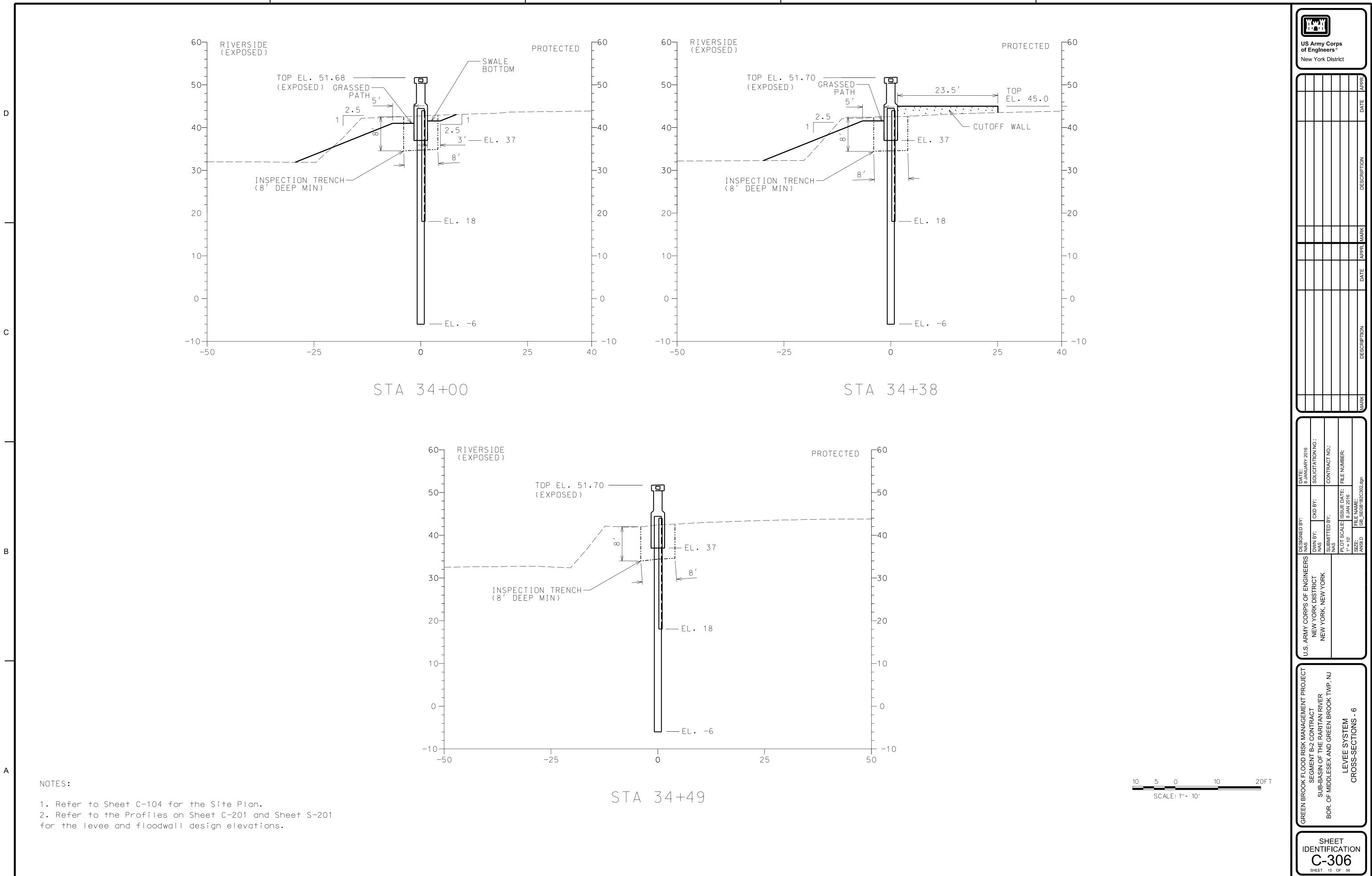
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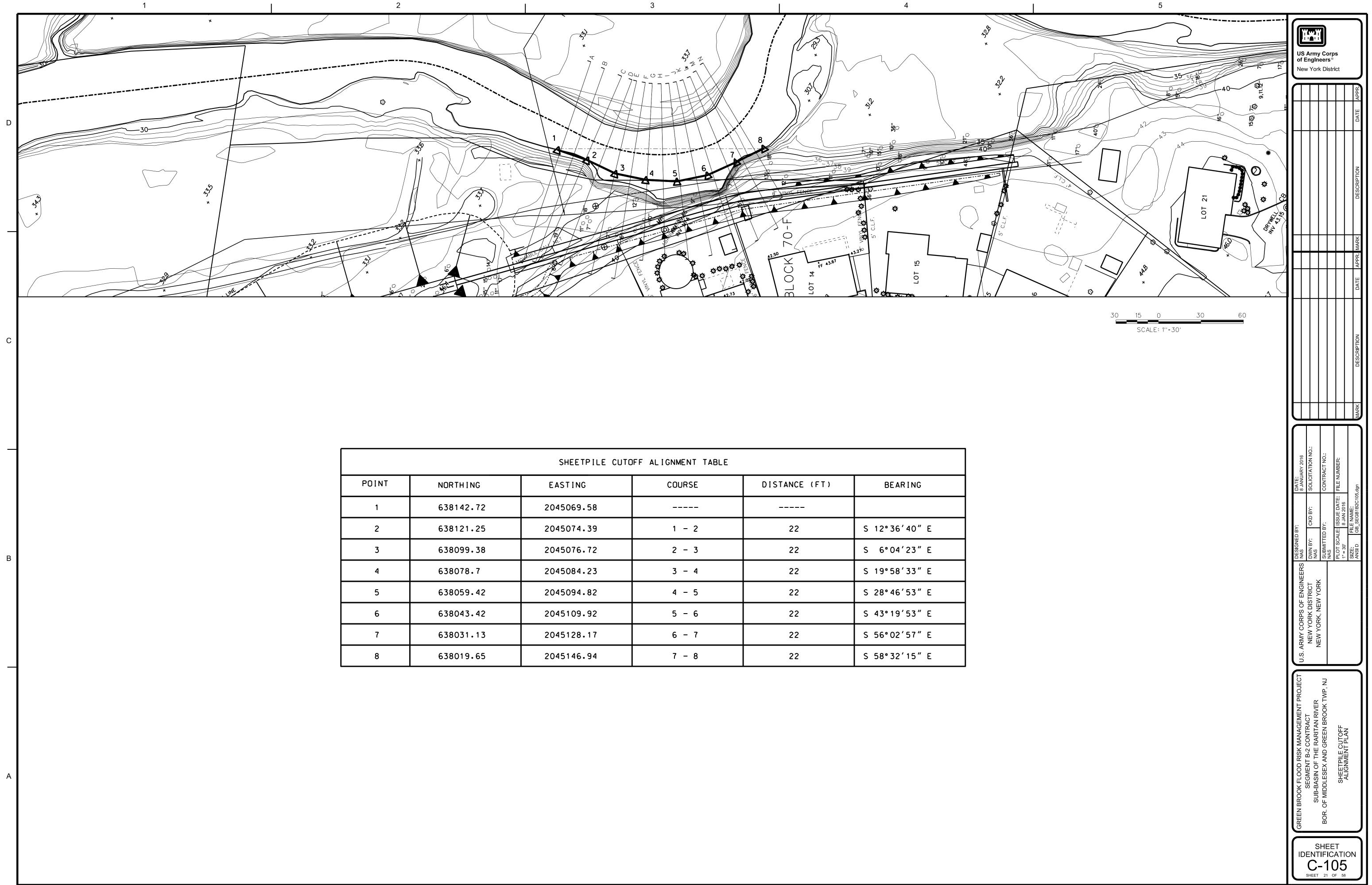
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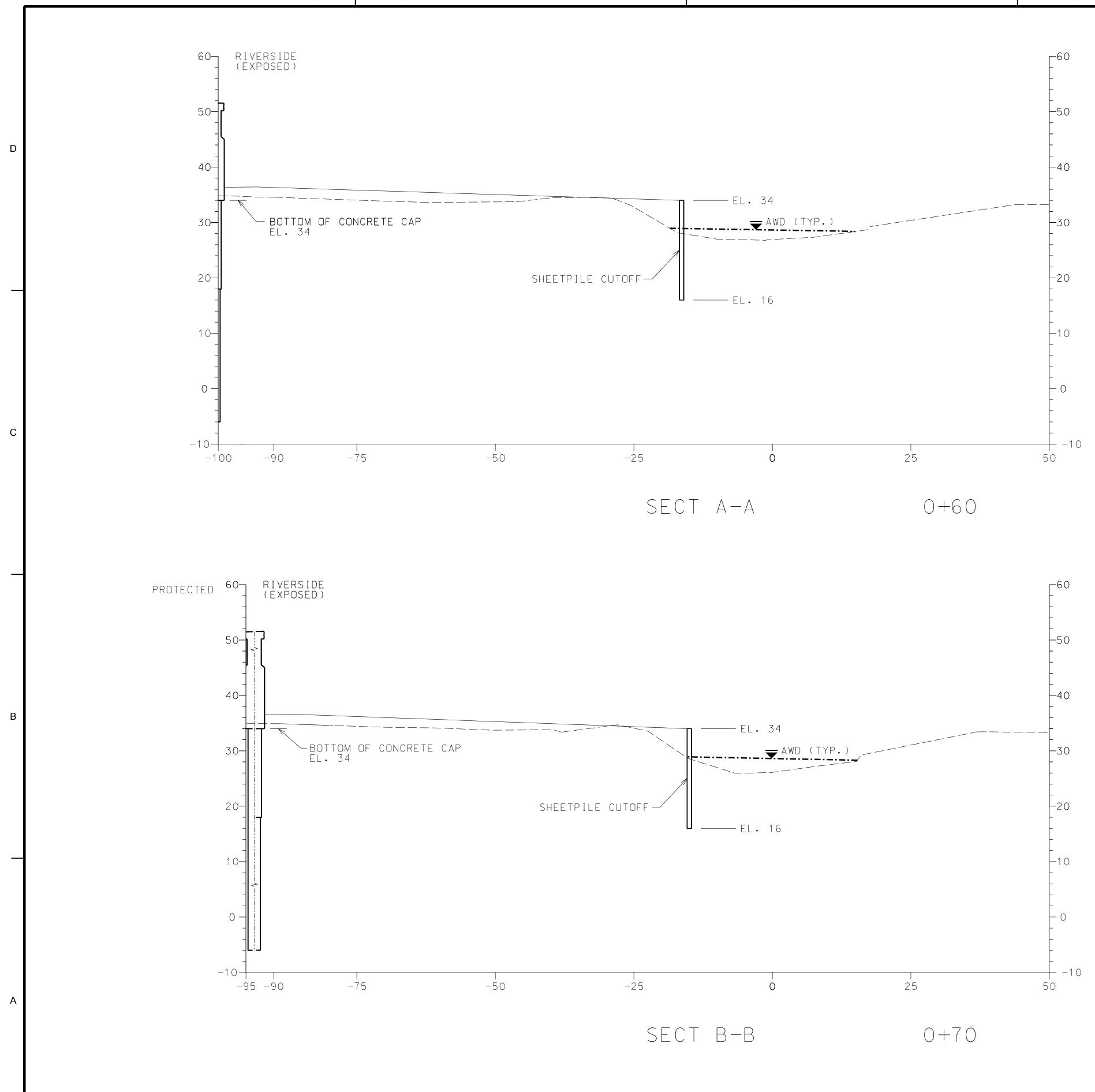
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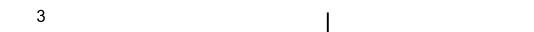
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	2045084.23	3 - 4	22	S 19°58′33″E					
	2045094.82	4 - 5	22	S 28°46′53″E					
	2045109.92	5 - 6	22	S 43°19′53″E					
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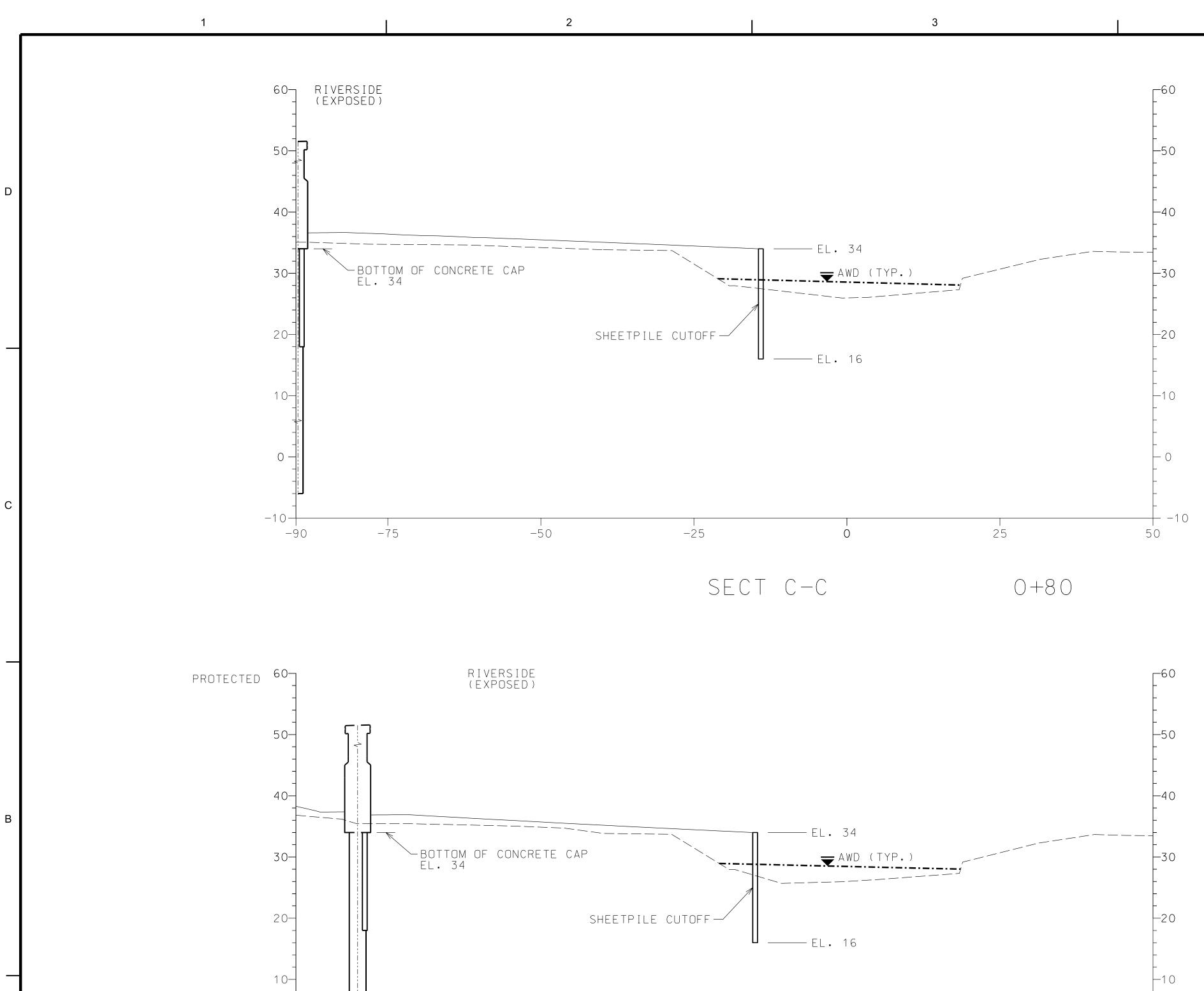


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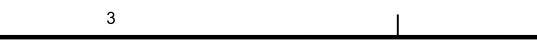
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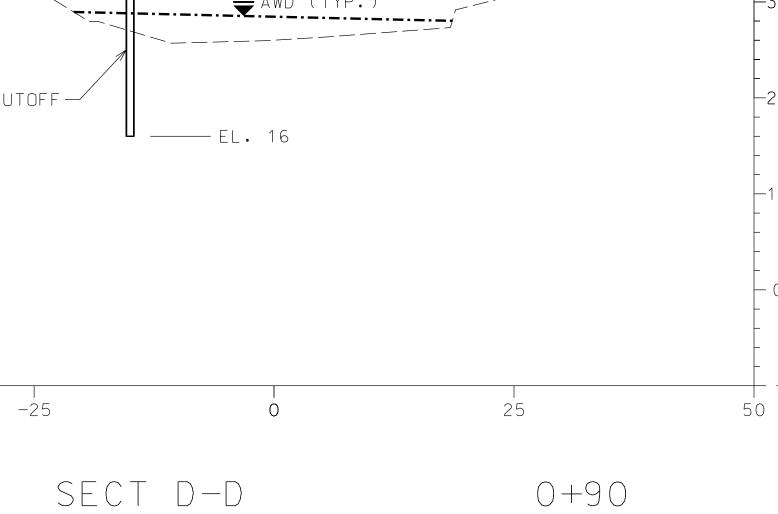
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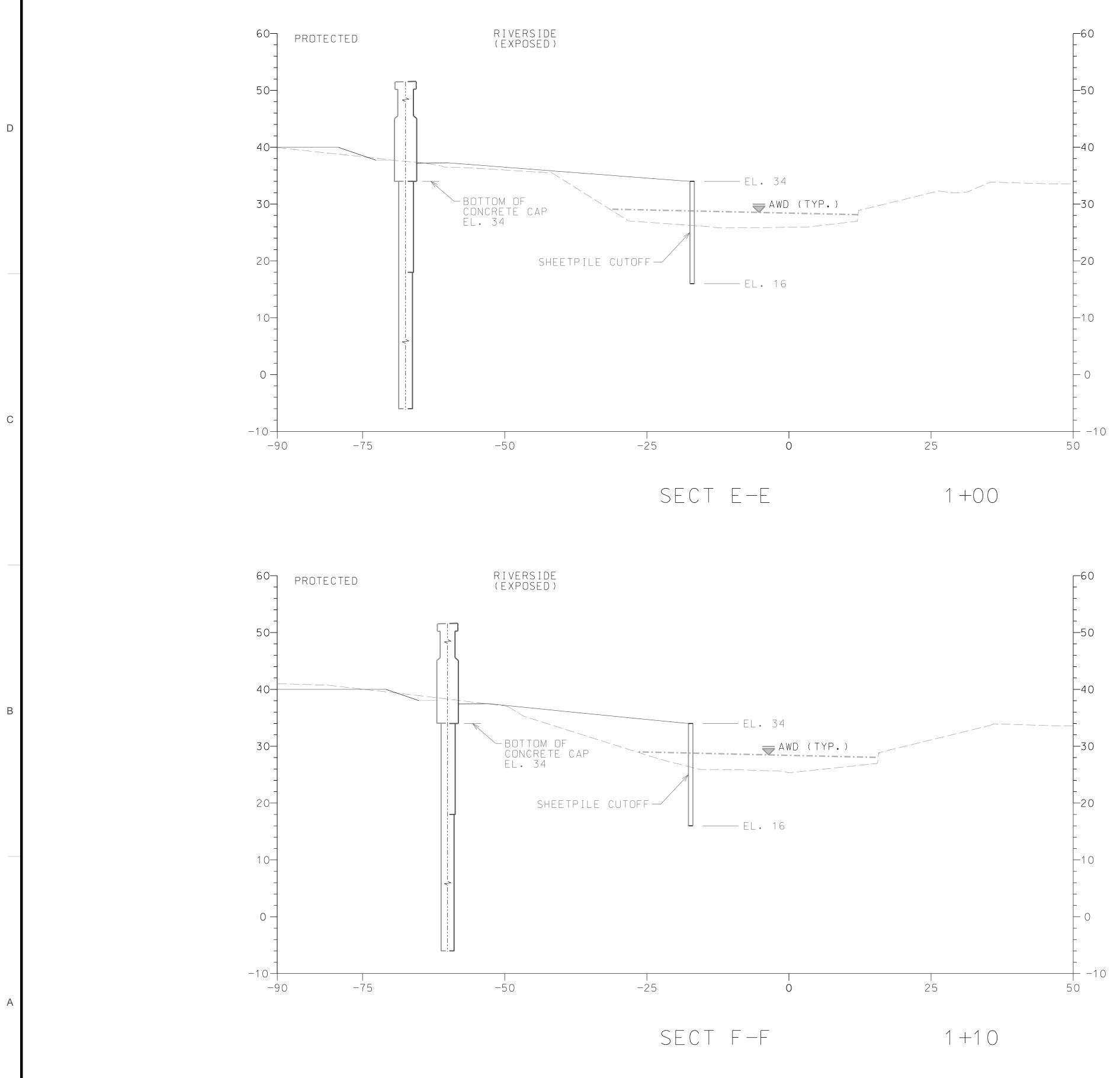
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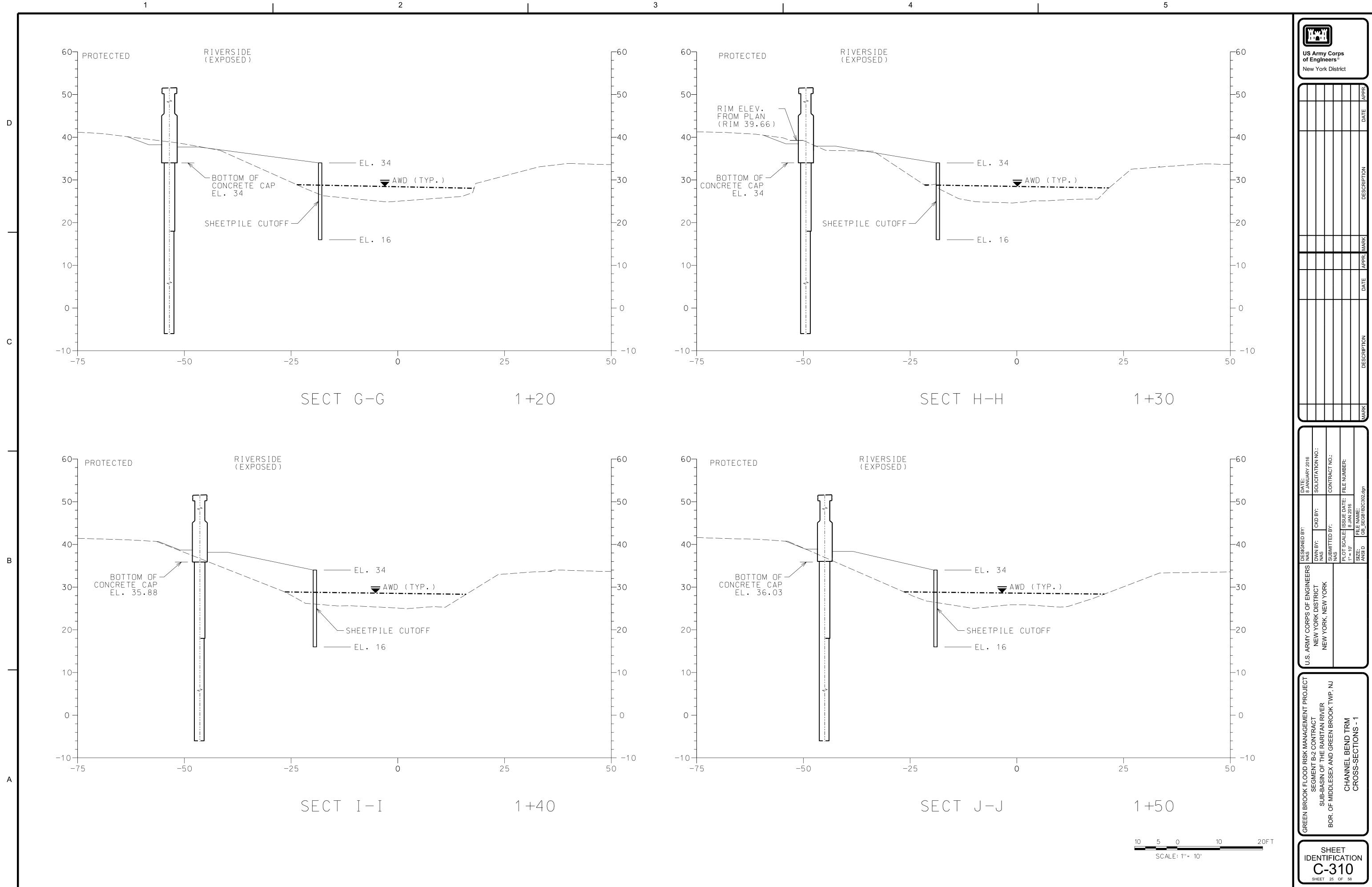


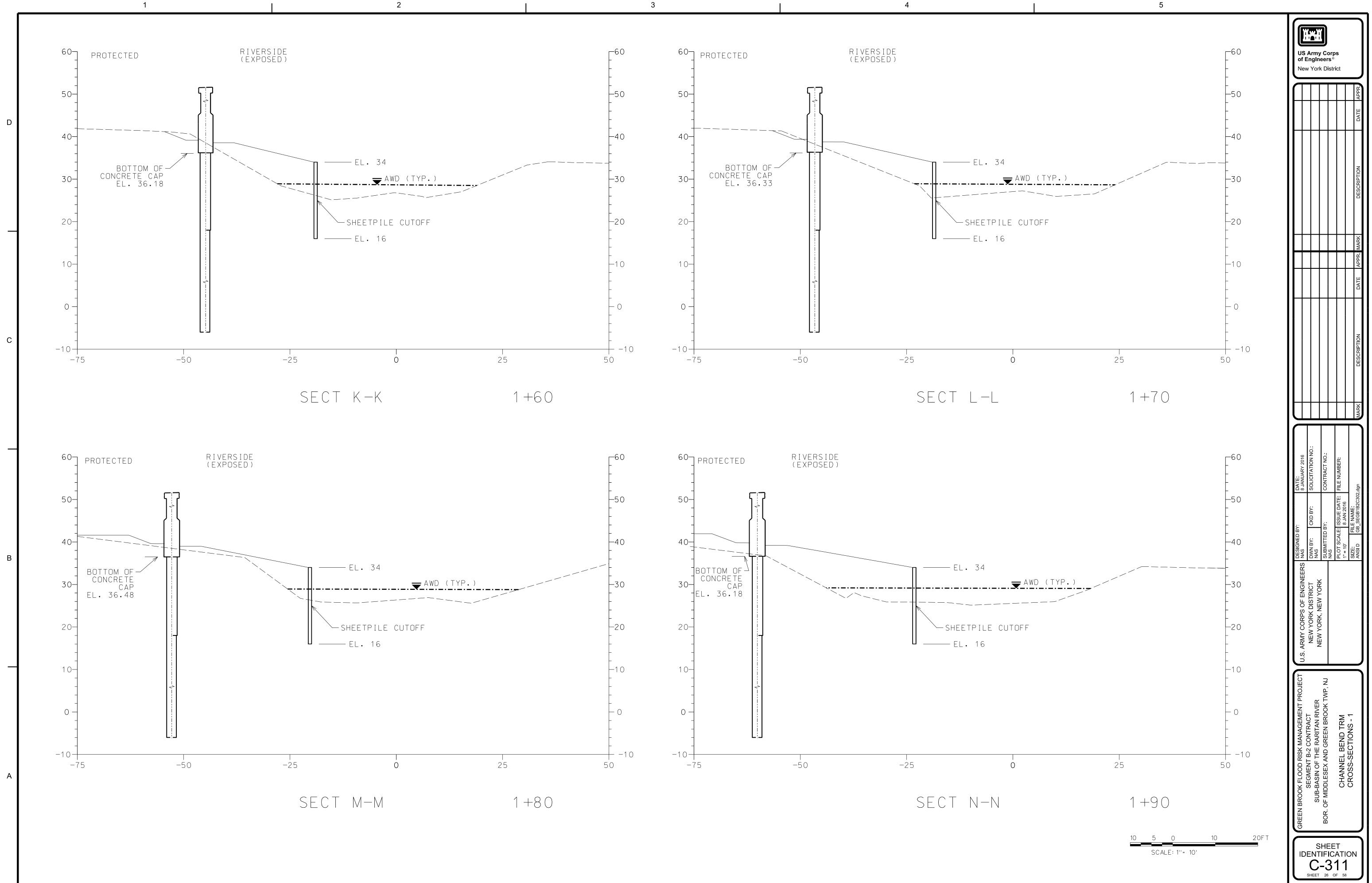
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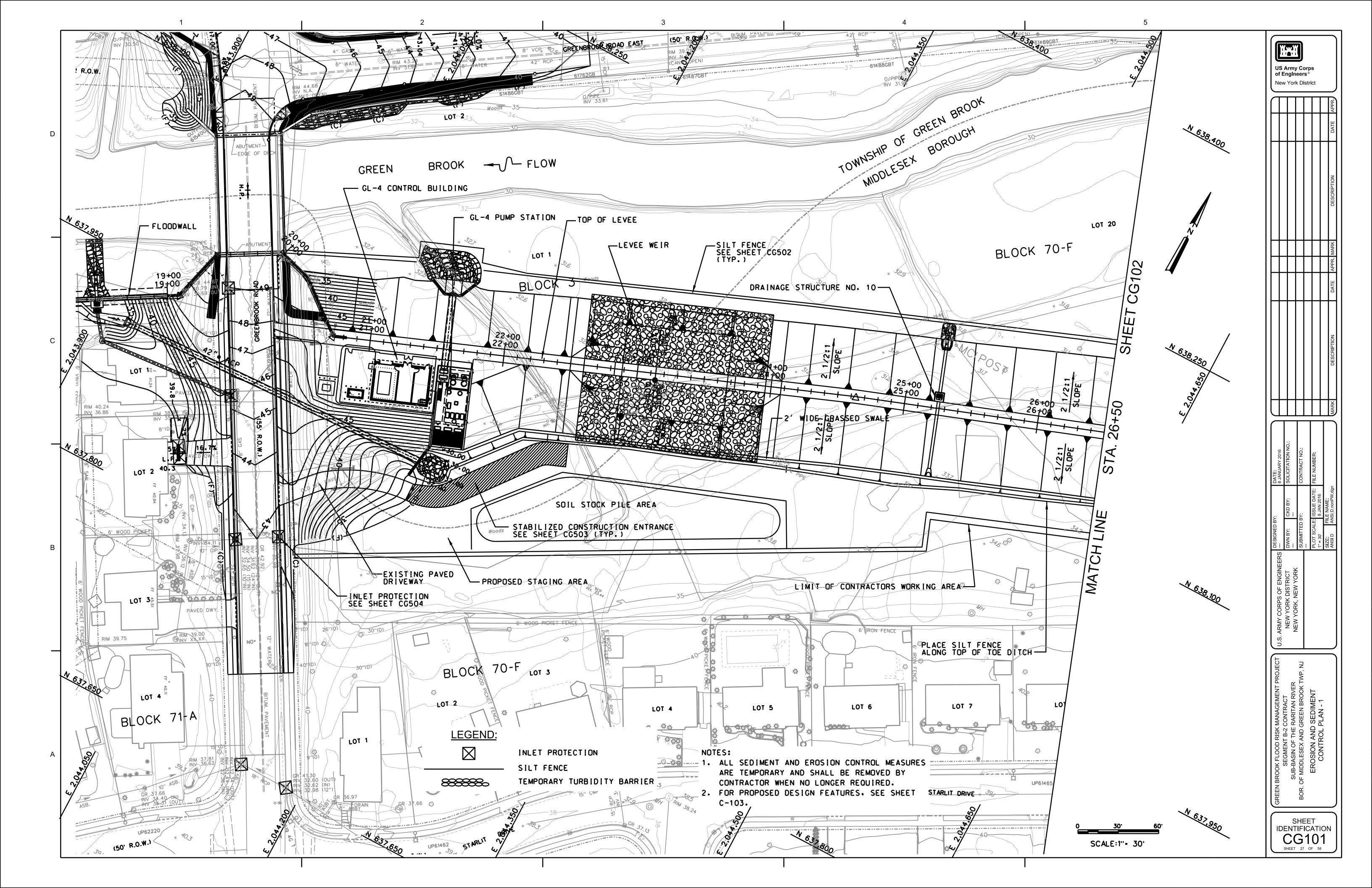
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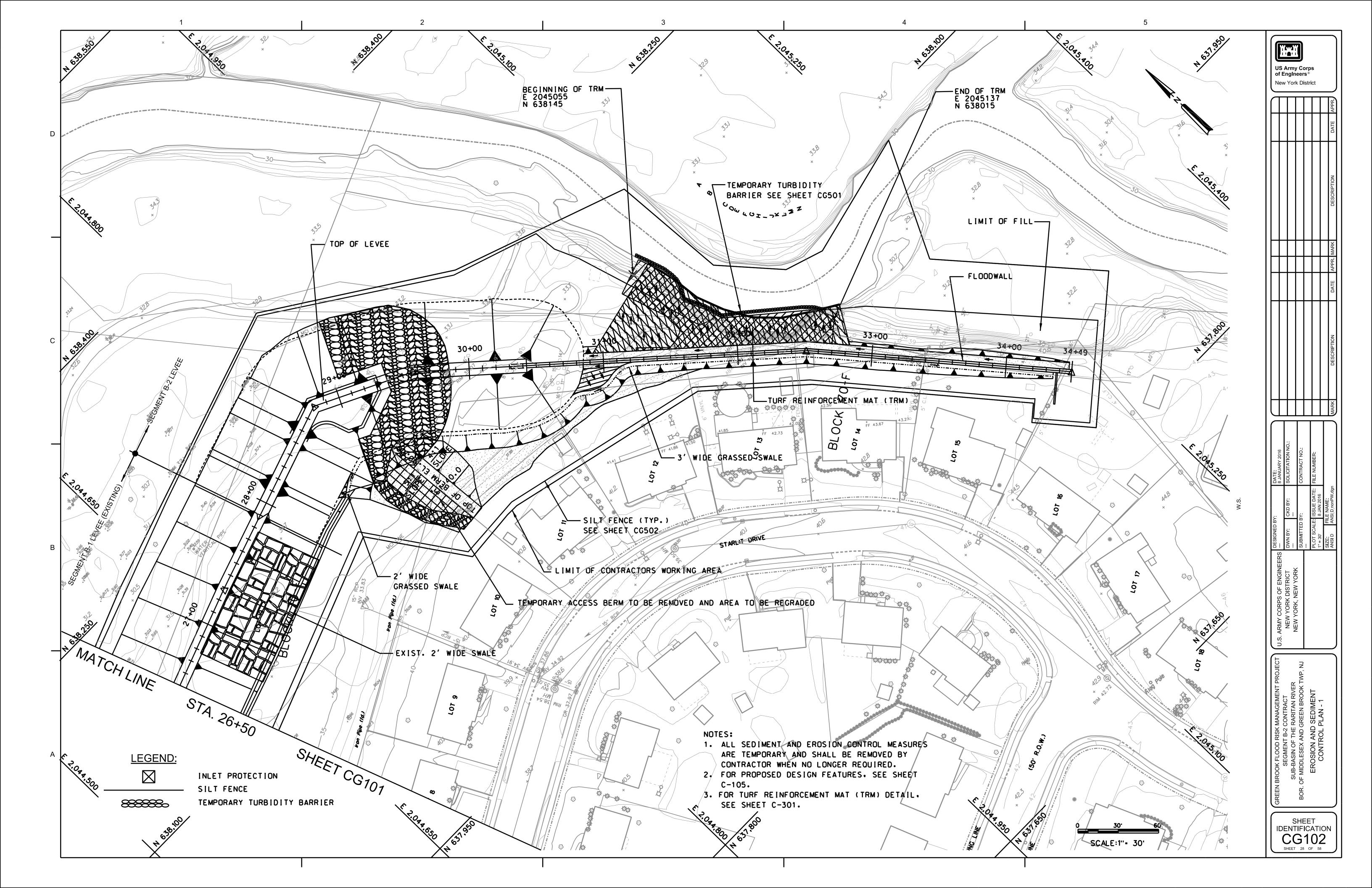
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FREEHOLD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT	SOMERSET – UNION SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT
1. THE FREEHOLD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT SHALL BE NOTIFIED FORTY-EIGHT (48)HOURS IN ADVANCE OF ANY SOIL DISTURBING ACTIVITY.	1. ALL SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES SHALL BE INSTALLED PRIOR TO ANY M Soil Disturbances, or in their proper sequence and maintained until permanent prote
2. ALL SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES ARE TO BE INSTALLED PRIOR TO SOIL Disturbance, or in their proper sequence, and maintained until permanent protection is established.	IS ESTABLISHED. 2. ANY DISTURBED AREAS THAT WILL BE LEFT EXPOSED MORE THAN 30 DAYS AND NOT SUBJECT CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC, WILL IMMEDIATELY RECEIVE A TEMPORARY SEEDING. IF THE SEASON
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SEDIMENT CONTROL STANDARDS. 4. N.J.S.A 4:24-39 ET. SEQ. REQUIRES THAT NO CERTIFICATES OF OCCUPANCY BE ISSUED BEFORE THE DISTRICT DETERMINES THAT A PROJECT OR PORTION THEREOF IS IN FULL	3. PERMANENT VEGETATION SHALL BE SEEDED OR SODDED ON ALL EXPOSED AREAS WITHIN TEN (1 DAYS AFTER FINAL GRADING.MULCH WILL BE USED FOR PROTECTION UNTIL SEEDING IS ESTABL
COMPLIANCE WITH THE CERTIFIED PLAN AND STANDARDS FOR SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL IN NEW JERSEY AND A REPORT OF COMPLIANCE HAS BEEN ISSUED. UPON WRITTEN REQUEST FROM THE APPLICANT, THE DISTRICT MAY ISSUE A REPORT OF COMPLIANCE WITH	4. ALL WORK SHALL BE DONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NJ STATE STANDARDS FOR SOIL EROSIO SEDIMENT CONTROL IN NEW JERSEY.
CONDITIONS ON A LOT-BY-LOT OR SECTION-BY-SECTION BASIS, PROVIDED THAT THE PROJECT OR Portion thereof is in satisfactory compliance with the sequence of development and temporary measures for soil erosion and sediment control have been implemented, including provisions for stabilization and site work.	5. A SUB-BASE COURSE WILL BE APPLIED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING ROUGH GRADING AND INSTALL OF IMPROVEMENTS IN ORDER TO STABILIZE STREETS, ROADS, DRIVEWAYS AND PARKING AREAS. AREAS WHERE NO UTILITIES ARE PRESENT, THE SUB-BASE SHALL BE INSTALLED WITHIN 15 DA PRELIMINARY GRADING.
5. ANY DISTURBED AREAS THAT WILL BE LEFT EXPOSED MORE THAN SIXTY (60) DAYS, AND NOT SUBJECT TO CONSTRUCTION TRAFFIC, WILL IMMEDIATELY RECEIVE A TEMPORARY SEEDING. IFTHE SEASON PREVENTS THE ESTABLISHMENT OF TEMPORARY COVER, THE DISTURBED AREAS WILL BE MULCHED WITH STRAW, OR EQUIVALENT MATERIAL, AT A RATE OF 2 TO 2 YI TONS PER ACRE, ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD FOR STABILIZATION WITH MULCH ONLY.	6. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING INITIAL DISTURBANCE OR ROUGH GRADING ALL CRITICAL AREAS SUBJ TO EROSION (I.E.: STEEP SLOPES, ROADWAY EMBANKMENTS) WILL RECEIVE A TEMPORARY SEEDING COMBINATION WITH STRAW MULCH OR A SUITABLE EQUIVALENT, AT A RATE OF TWO (2) TONS PE ACRE, ACCORDING TO THE NJ STATE STANDARDS.
6. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING INITIAL DISTURBANCE OR ROUGH GRADING,ALL CRITICAL AREAS SUBJECT TO EROSION (I.E.SOIL STOCKPILES,STEEP SLOPES AND ROADWAY EMBANKMENTS)WILL RECEIVE TEMPORARY SEEDING IN COMBINATION WITH STRAW MULCH OR A SUITABLE EQUIVALENT, AND A MULCH ANCHOR,IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE STANDARDS.	7. ANY STEEP SLOPES RECEIVING PIPELINE INSTALLATION WILL BE BACKFILLED AND STABILIZED DAILY, AS THE INSTALLATION PROCEEDS (I.E.: SLOPES GREATER THAT 3:1)
7. A SUB-BASE COURSE WILL BE APPLIED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING ROUGH GRADING AND INSTALLATION OF IMPROVEMENTS TO STABILIZE STREETS, ROADS, DRIVEWAYS, AND PARKING AREAS. IN AREAS WHERE NO UTILITIES ARE PRESENT, THE SUB-BASE SHALL BE INSTALLED	8. TRAFFIC CONTROL STANDARDS REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF A 50'X30'X6"PAD OF 11/2" OR 2 Stone, at all construction driveways, immediately after initial site disturbance.
WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) DAYS OF THE PRELIMINARY GRADING.	9. THE SOMERSET-UNION SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT SHALL BE NOTIFIED IN WRITING 48 HOUR ADVANCE OF ANY LAND DISTURBING ACTIVITY.
8. THE STANDARD FOR STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ACCESS REQUIRES THE INSTALLATION OF A PAD OF CLEAN CRUSHED STONE AT POINTS WHERE TRAFFIC WILL BE ACCESSING THE CONSTRUCTION SITE.AFTER INTERIOR ROADWAYS ARE PAVED,INDIVIDUAL LOTS REQUIRE A STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ACCESS CONSISTING OF ONE INCH TO TWO INCH (1"-2")STONE FOR A MINIMUM LENGTH OF TEN FEET (10')EQUAL TO THE LOT ENTRANCE WIDTH.ALL OTHER ACCESS POINTS SHALL BE BLOCKED OFF.	10. AT THE TIME WHEN THE SITE PREPARATION FOR PERMANENT VEGETATIVE STABILIZATION IS G TO BE ACCOMPLISHED, ANY SOIL THAT WILL NOT PROVIDE A SUITABLE ENVIRONMENT TO SUPPO ADEQUATE VEGETATIVE GROUND COVER, SHALL BE REMOVED OR TREATED IN SUCH A WAY THAT PERMANENTLY ADJUST THE SOIL CONDITIONS AND RENDER IT SUITABLE FOR VEGETATIVE GROU COVER. IF THE REMOVAL OR TREATMENT OF THE SOIL WILL NOT PROVIDE SUITABLE CONDITION
9. ALL SOIL WASHED, DROPPED, SPILLED, OR TRACKED OUTSIDE THE LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE OR ONTO PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAYS WILL BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY.	NON-VEGETATIVE MEANS OF PERMANENT GROUND STABILIZATION WILL HAVE TO BE EMPLOYED. 11. IN THAT NJSA 4:24-39 ET SEQ., REQUIRES THAT NO CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY BE ISSUED
10. PERMANENT VEGETATION IS TO BE SEEDED OR SODDED ON ALL EXPOSED AREAS WITHIN TEN (10) days after final grading. 11. at the time that site preparation for permanent vegetative stabilization is	BEFORE THE PROVISIONS OF THE CERTIFIED PLAN FOR SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL BEEN COMPLIED WITH FOR PERMANENT MEASURES, ALL SITE WORK FOR SITE PLANS AND ALL V AROUND INDIVIDUAL LOTS IN SUBDIVISIONS, WILL HAVE TO BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO THE DIST
11. AT THE TIME THAT SITE PREPARATION FOR PERMANENT VEGETATIVE STABILIZATION IS GOING TO BE ACCOMPLISHED, ANY SOIL THAT WILL NOT PROVIDE A SUITABLE ENVIRONMENT TO SUPPORT ADEQUATE VEGETATIVE GROUND COVER SHALL BE REMOVED OR TREATED IN SUCH A WAY THAT IT WILL PERMANENTLY ADJUST THE SOIL CONDITIONS AND RENDER IT SUITABLE FOR VEGETATIVE GROUND COVER.IFTHE REMOVAL OR TREATMENT OF THE SOIL WILL NOT PROVIDE	ISSUING A REPORT OF COMPLIANCE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY BY MUNICIPALITY.
VEGETATIVE GROUND COVER.IFTHE REMOVAL OR TREATMENT OF THE SOIL WILL NOT PROVIDE Suitable conditions, non-vegetative means of permanent ground stabilization will Have to be employed.	12. CONDUIT OUTLET PROTECTION MUST BE INSTALLED AT ALL REQUIRED OUTFALLS PRIOR TO THE DRAINAGE SYSTEM BECOMING OPERATIONAL.
12. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARD FOR MANAGEMENT OF HIGH ACID PRODUCING SOILS, ANY SOIL HAVING A PH OF 4 OR LESS OR CONTAINING IRON SULFIDES SHALL BE COVERD ULTIMATELY PLACED OR BURIED WITH LIMESTONE APPLIED AT THE RATE OF 10 TONS/ACRE,(OR 450 LBS/1,000 SQ FT OF SURFACE AREA)AND COVERED WITH A MINIMUM OF 12"OF SETTLED SOIL WITH A PH OF 5 OR MORE,OR 24"WHERE TREES OR SHRUBS ARE TO BE PLANTED.	13. ANY CHANGES TO THE CERTIFIED SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN WILL REQUIRE SUBMISSION OF REVISED SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLANS TO THE DISTRICT FOR RE-CERTIFICATION.THE REVISED PLANS MUST MEET ALL CURRENT NJ STATE SOIL EROSION & SEDIMENT CONTROL STANDARDS.
13. CONDUIT OUTLET PROTECTION MUST BE INSTALLED AT ALL REQUIRED OUTFALLS PRIOR TO THE DRAINAGE SYSTEM BECOMING OPERATIONAL.	14. THE SOMERSET-UNION SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT SHALL BE NOTIFIED OF ANY CHANGES IN OWNERSHIP.
14. UNFILTERED DEWATERING IS NOT PERMITTED.NECESSARY PRECAUTIONS MUST BE TAKEN DURING ALL DEWATERING OPERATIONS TO MINIMIZE SEDIMENT TRANSFER.ANY DEWATERING METHODS USED MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARD FOR DEWATERING.	15. MULCHING TO THE NJ STANDARDS IS REQUIRED FOR OBTAINING A CONDITIONAL REPORT OF COMPLIANCE.CONDITIONALS ARE ONLY ISSUED WHEN THE SEASON PROHIBITS SEEDING.
15. SHOULD THE CONTROL OF DUST AT THE SITE BE NECESSARY, THE SITE WILL BE SPRINKLED UNTIL THE SURFACE IS WET, TEMPORARY VEGETATIVE COVER SHALL BE ESTABLISHED OR MULCH SHALL BE APPLIED AS REQUIRED BY THE STANDARD FOR DUST CONTROL.	16. CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR KEEPING ALL ADJACENT ROADS CLEAN DURING LIFE OF CONSTRUCTION PROJECT.
16. STOCKPILE AND STAGING LOCATIONS ESTABLISHED IN THE FIELD SHALL BE PLACED WITHIN THE LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE ACCORDING TO THE CERTIFIED PLAN. STAGING AND STOCKPILES NOT LOCATED WITHIN THE LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE WILL REQUIRE CERTIFICATION OF A REVISED SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN. CERTIFICATION OF A NEW SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT	17. THE DEVELOPER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR REMEDIATING ANY EROSION OR SEDIMENT PROBLE THAT ARISE AS A RESULT OF ONGOING CONSTRUCTION AT THE REQUEST OF THE SOMERSET-UN CONSERVATION DISTRICT.
EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN. CERTIFICATION OF A NEW SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN MAY BE REQUIRED FOR THESE ACTIVITIES IF AN AREA GREATER THAN 5,000 SQUARE FEET IS DISTURBED.	18. HYDRO SEEDING IS A TWO- STEP PROCESS. THE FIRST STEP INCLUDES SEED, FERTILIZER, LIME, ETC., ALONG WITH MINIMAL AMOUNTS OF MULCH TO PROMOTE CONSISTENCY, GOOD SEED T
17. ALL SOIL STOCKPILES ARE TO BE TEMPORARILY STABILIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL NOTE #6.	CONTACT, AND GIVE A VISUAL INDICATION OF COVERAGE. UPON COMPLETION OF SEEDING OPERA HYDRO-MULCH SHOULD BE APPLIED AT A RATE OF 1500 LBS.PER ACRE IN SECOND STEP. THE HYDRO-MULCH, AS OPPOSED TO STRAW, IS LIMITED TO OPTIMUM SEEDING DATES AS LISTED IN
18. THE PROPERTY OWNER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY EROSION OR SEDIMENTATION THAT May occur below stormwater outfalls or offsite as a result of construction of the project.	STANDARDS.
	ADDITIONAL NOTES
	1. IT SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE 3. THE CONTRA CONFIRMATION OF LIME, FERTILIZER, SEED APPLICATION AND RATES REPRESENTAT OF APPLICATION AT THE REQUEST OF THE CONTRACTING OFFICER DISTRICT.

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- MEASURES TO BE DETERMINED BY THE CONTRACTING OFFICER REPRESENTATIVE.

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ALL INFORM THE CONTRACTING OFFICER OR TO NOTIFYING THE SOIL CONSERVATION

4. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT APPLICATION FEES AND FINAL SEQUENCING PLAN AS APPROVED BY THE CONTRACTING OFFICER TO THE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICTS TO OBTAIN THE REQUIRED CERTIFICATION.

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	BARRIERS – SOLID BOARD FENCES, BALES OF HAY, AND SIMILAR MATER SOIL BLOWING.					D	GUIDELINEES FOR LIN
	<u>CALCIUM CHLORIDE –</u> SHALL BE IN ENOUGH TO FEED THROUGH COM SURFACE MOIST BUT NOT CAUSE PO	MONLY USED	SPREADERS	AT A RATE	THAT WILL KEI	EP	LIMESTONE SOIL TEXTURE
	SLOPES, THEN USE OTHER PRACTIC ACCUMULATION AROUND PLANTS.						CLAY, CLAY LOAM, AN
	<u>STONE –</u> COVER SURFACE WITH CR	NUSHED STON	IE OR COAR	SE GRAVEL.			SANDY LOAM, LOAM, LOAMY SAND, DAND
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## REQUIREMENT FOR VEGETATIVE COVER FOR SOIL STABILIZATION

TEMPORARY VEGETATIVE COVER ON SOILS EXPOSED FOR PERIODS OF HICH ARE NOT BEING GRADED. NOT UNDER ACTIVE CONSTRUCTION OR NOT ERMANENT SEEDING WITHIN 30 DAYS.

ABILIZE THE SOIL AND REDUCE DAMAGE FROM WIND AND WATER MANENT STABILIZATION IS ACCOMPLISHED.

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THAT HAVE THE POTENTIAL FOR CAUSING OFF-SITE IAGE.

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- AND FEASIBLE TO PERMIT THE USE OF CONVENTIONAL EQUIPMENT FOR ION, SEEDING, MULCH APPLICATIONS, AND MULCH ANCHORING. OSION CONTROL PRACTICES OR FACILITIES SUCH AS DIVERSIONS. STRUCTURES, CHANNEL STABILIZATION MEASURES, SEDIMENT NAYS.
- TO SEEDING, SURFACES SHOULD BE SCARIFIED 6" TO 12" WHERE THERE MPACTION AND THERE IS NO DANGER TO UNDERGROUND UTILITIES.

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ESTONE AND FERTILIZER ACCORDING TO SOIL TEST RECOMMENDATIONS SUCH AS RS COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SOIL SAMPLE MAILERS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE OPERATIVE EXTENSION OFFICES. FERTILIZER SHALL BE APPLIED AT THE RATE OF CRE OR 11 POUNDS PER 1000 SQUARE FEET OF 10-20-10 OR EQUIVALENT WITH IBLE NITROGEN UNLESS A SOIL TEST INDICATES OTHERWISE. APPLY LIMESTONE AT IS/ACRE UNLESS SOIL TESTING INDICATES OTHERWISE. CALCIUM CARBONATE IS THE ANDARD FOR THE ABILITY OF LIMING MATERIALS TO NEUTRALIZE SOIL ACIDITY AND ND MAGNESIUM TO GRASSES AND LEGUMES. SEE THE TABLE BELOW FOR GENERAL MESTONE APPLICATIONS.

ONE APPLICATION RATE BY SOIL TEXTURE							
	TONS/ACRE	LBS/1000 SQ. FT.					
/, AND HIGH ORGANIC SOIL AM, SILT LOAM ND	3 2 1	135 90 45					

RTILIZER INTO THE SOIL AS NEARLY AS PRACTICAL TO A DEPTH OF 4 , SPRINGTOOTH HARROW, OR OTHER SUITABLE EQUIPMENT. THE FINAL CING OPERATION SHOULD BE ON THE GENERAL CONTOUR. CONTINUE ASONABLY UNIFORM SEEDBED IS PREPARED.

UST BEFORE SEEDING. IF TRAFFIC HAS LEFT THE SOIL COMPACTED, REFILLED AS ABOVE.

FIDES OR HAVING A PH OF 4.0 OR LESS REFER TO THE STANDARDS FOR SOIL MENT CONTROL IN NEW JERSEY STANDARD MANAGEMENT OF HIGH ACID SOILS.

### THE TABLE BELOW.

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Y VEGETATIVE STABILIZATION GRASSES, SEEDING RATES, DATES AND DEPTH							
		RATE (LBS.) <sup>1</sup>	OPTIMUM	OPTIMUM SEEDING			
	PER ACRE	PER 1000 SQ FT	SEEDING DATE <sup>2</sup>	DEPTH (IN.) <sup>3</sup>			
S							
	40	1.0	3⁄1–5⁄15 8⁄15–10⁄1	0.5			
	86	2.0	3⁄1–5⁄15 8⁄15–10⁄1	1.0			
	96	2.2	8⁄15–10⁄1	1.0			
	112	2.6	8⁄1–11⁄15	1.0	В.		
ES							
	20	0.5	5⁄15– 8⁄15	1.0			
ngarian)	30	0.7	5⁄15– 8⁄15	1.0			
	5	0.2	5⁄15– 8⁄15	0.25			

SEASON GRASS, SELECTION 5-7 SHALL BE ADJUSTED TO REFLECT THE AMOUNT OF PURE LIME BY GERMINATION TEST RESULT. NO ADJUSTMENT IS REQUIRED FOR COOL SEASON GRASSES. HOUT SUMMER IF SOIL MOISTURE IS ADEQUATE OR SEEDED AREA CAN BE IRRIGATED. NDY SOILS.

IG: APPLY SEED UNIFORMLY BY HAND, CYCLONE (CENTRIFUGAL) SEEDER, DROP ACKER SEEDER. FOR SEEDING METHODS EXCEPT DRILLED, SEED SHALL BE THE SOIL TO A DEPTH OF 1/4 TO 1/2 INCH, BY RACKING OR DRAGGING. DEPTH OF BE 1/4 INCH DEEPER IN COARSE TEXTURED SOIL.

- TRAVERSE OR TOO OBSTRUCTED WITH ROCKS, STUMPS, ETC.
- BE MAXIMIZED.

### IV. MULCHING

MULCHING IS REQUIRED ON ALL SEEDING. MULCH WILL INSURE AGAINST EROSION BEFORE GRASS IS ESTABLISHED AND WILL PROMOTE FASTER AND EARLIER ESTABLISHMENT. THE EXISTENCE OF VEGETATION

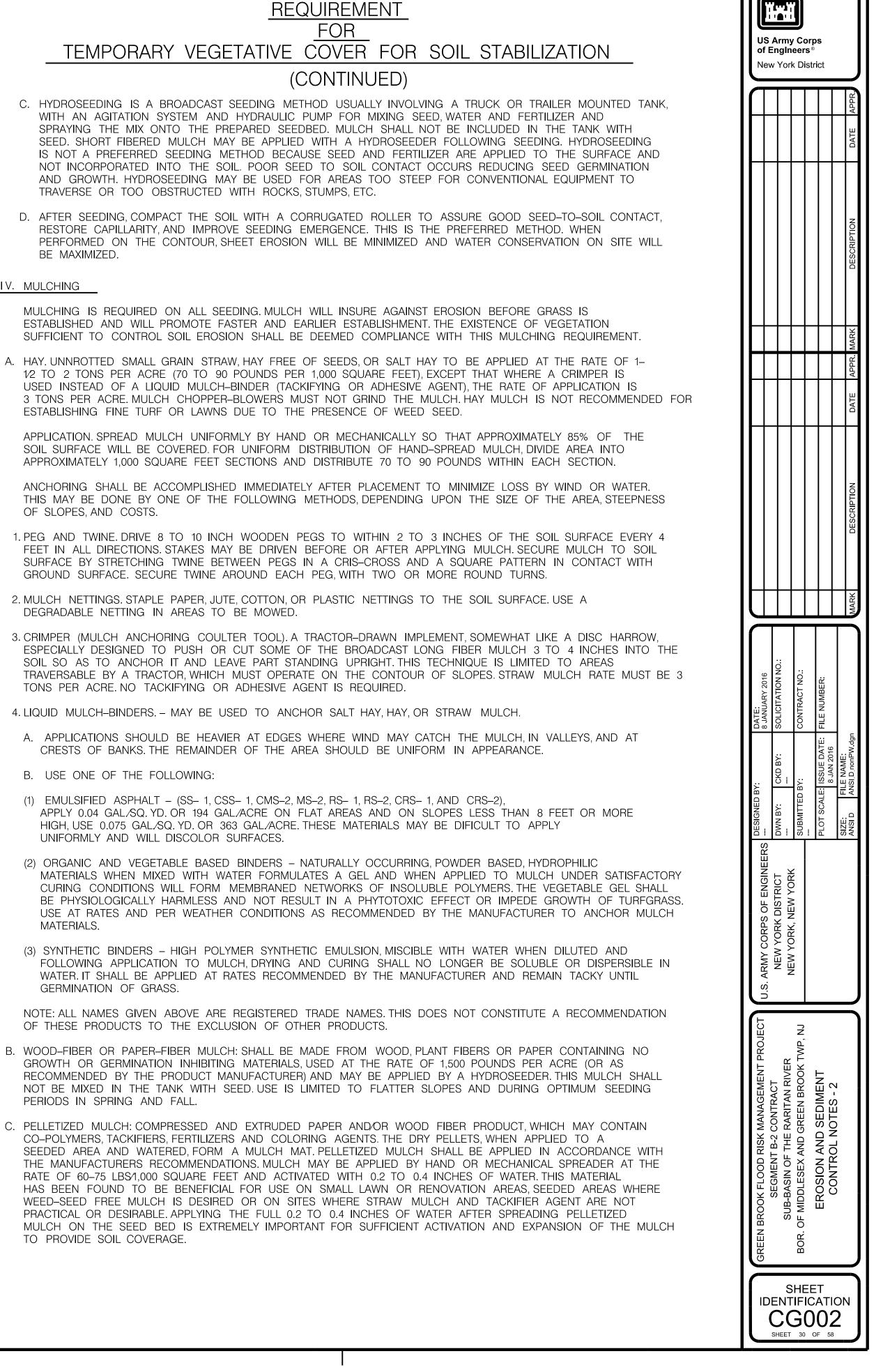
ESTABLISHING FINE TURF OR LAWNS DUE TO THE PRESENCE OF WEED SEED.

OF SLOPES, AND COSTS.

- GROUND SURFACE. SECURE TWINE AROUND EACH PEG, WITH TWO OR MORE ROUND TURNS.
- 2. MULCH NETTINGS. STAPLE PAPER, JUTE, COTTON, OR PLASTIC NETTINGS TO THE SOIL SURFACE. USE A DEGRADABLE NETTING IN AREAS TO BE MOWED.
- TONS PER ACRE. NO TACKIFYING OR ADHESIVE AGENT IS REQUIRED.
- 4. LIQUID MULCH-BINDERS. MAY BE USED TO ANCHOR SALT HAY, HAY, OR STRAW MULCH.
- CRESTS OF BANKS. THE REMAINDER OF THE AREA SHOULD BE UNIFORM IN APPEARANCE.
- B. USE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- (1) EMULSIFIED ASPHALT (SS- 1, CSS- 1, CMS-2, MS-2, RS- 1, RS-2, CRS- 1, AND CRS-2). HIGH, USE 0.075 GAL/SQ. YD. OR 363 GAL/ACRE. THESE MATERIALS MAY BE DIFICULT TO APPLY UNIFORMLY AND WILL DISCOLOR SURFACES.
- (2) ORGANIC AND VEGETABLE BASED BINDERS NATURALLY OCCURRING, POWDER BASED, HYDROPHILIC MATERIALS.
- GERMINATION OF GRASS.

OF THESE PRODUCTS TO THE EXCLUSION OF OTHER PRODUCTS.

- PERIODS IN SPRING AND FALL.
- CO-POLYMERS, TACKIFIERS, FERTILIZERS AND COLORING AGENTS. THE DRY PELLETS, WHEN APPLIED TO A TO PROVIDE SOIL COVERAGE.



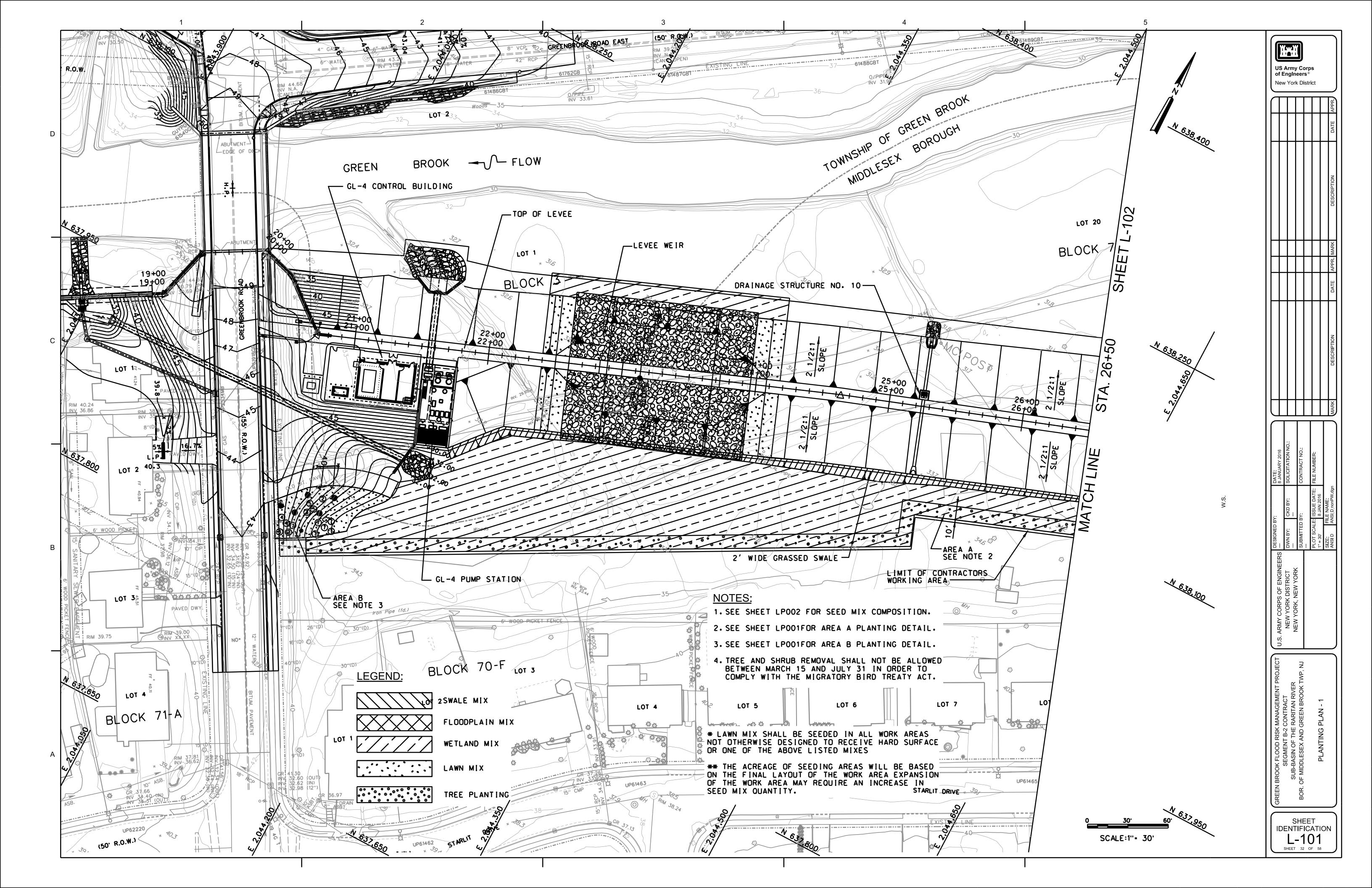
		REQUIREMENT FOR STABILIZATION WITH MULCH ONLY
		DEFINITION
		STABILIZING EXPOSED SOILS WITH NON-VEGETATIVE MATERIALS.
D		TO PROTECT EXPOSED SOIL SURFACES FROM EROSION DAMAGE AND TO REDUCE OFFSITE
		ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE. <u>WHERE APPLICABLE</u>
		THIS PRACTICE IS APPLICABLE TO AREAS SUBJECT TO EROSION, WHERE THE SEASON AND OTHER CONDITIONS MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR GROWING AN EROSION-RESISTANT COVER OR WHERE STABILIZATION IS NEEDED FOR A SHORT PERIOD UNTIL MORE SUITABLE PROTECTION CAN BE APPLIED.
		METHODS AND MATERIALS
		<u>SITE PREPARATION</u> GRADE, AS NEEDED AND FEASIBLE, TO PERMIT THE USE OF CONVENTIONAL EQUIPMENT FOR
		APPLYING AND ANCHORING MULCH.
	В.	EMPLOY NEEDED EROSION CONTROL PRACTICES SUCH AS DIVERSIONS, GRADE STABILIZATION STRUCTURES, CHANNEL STABILIZATION MEASURES, SEDIMENT BASINS AND WATERWAYS.
		PROTECTIVE MATERIALS
С		90 TO 115 POUNDS PER 1,000 SQUARE FEET AND ANCHORED WITH A MULCH ANCHORING TOOL, LIQUID MULCH BINDERS, OR NETTING TIEDOWN. OTHER SUITABLE MATERIALS MAY BE USED IF APPROVED BY THE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT.
	В.	ASPHALT EMULSION IS RECOMMENDED AT THE RATE OF 600 TO 1200 GALLONS PER ACRE. THIS IS SUITABLE FOR A LIMITED PERIOD OF TIME WHERE TRAVEL BY PEOPLE, ANIMALS OR MACHINES IS NOT A PROBLEM.
	C.	SYNTHETIC OR ORGANIC SOIL STABILIZERS MAY BE USED — UNDER SUITABLE CONDITIONS AND IN QUANTITIES RECOMMENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER.
	D.	WOOD-FIBER OR PAPER-FIBER MULCH AT THE RATE OF 1,500 POUNDS PER ACRE (OR ACCORDING TO THE MANUFACTURER'S REQUIREMENTS) MAY BE APPLIED BY A HYDROSEEDER.
	E.	MULCH NETTINGS, SUCH AS PAPER JUTE, EXCELSIOR, COTTON, OR PLASTIC MAY BE USED.
	F.	WOODCHIPS APPLIED UNIFORMLY TO A MINIMUM DEPTH OF 2 INCHES MAY BE USED. WOODCHIPS WILL NOT BE USED ON AREAS WHERE FLOWING WATER COULD WASH THEM INTO AN INLET AND PLUG IT.
	G.	GRAVEL, CRUSHED STONE, OR SLAG AT THE RATE OF 9 CUBIC YARDS PER 1,000 SQ. FT. APPLIED UNIFORMLY TO A MINIMUM DEPTH OF 3 INCHES MAY BE USED. SIZE 2 OR 3 STONE (ASTM C-33) IS RECOMMENDED.
	111.	MULCH ANCHORING – SHOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLACEMENT OF HAY OR STRAW MULCH TO MINIMIZE LOSS BY WIND OR WATER. THIS MAY BE DONE BY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING METHODS, DEPENDING UPON THE SIZE OF THE AREA AND STEEPNESS OF SLOPES.
В	A.	PEG AND TWINE – DRIVE 8 TO 10 INCH WOODEN PEGS TO WITHIN 2 TO 3 INCHES OF THE SOIL SURFACE EVERY 4 FEET IN ALL DIRECTIONS. STAKES MAY BE DRIVEN BEFORE OR AFTER APPLYING MULCH. SECURE MULCH TO SOIL SURFACE BY STRETCHING TWINE BETWEEN PEGS IN A CRISS-CROSS AND SQUARE PATTERN AND IN CONTACT WITH THE GROUND. SECURE TWINE AROUND EACH PEG WITH TWO OR MORE ROUND TURNS.
	B.	<u>MULCH NETTINGS –</u> STAPLE PAPER, COTTON, OR PLASTIC NETTINGS OVER MULCH. USE A DEGRADABLE NETTING IN AREAS TO BE MOWED.
	C.	MULCH ANCHORING TOOL – USE TRACTOR-DRAWN EQUIPMENT ESPECIALLY DESIGNED TO PUNCH AND ANCHOR MULCH INTO THE SOIL SURFACE. THIS PRACTICE AFFORDS MAXIMUM EROSION CONTROL, BUT ITS USE IS LIMITED TO THOSE SLOPES UPON WHICH THE TRACTOR CAN OPERATE SAFELY. SOIL PENETRATION SHOULD BE ABOUT 3 TO 4 INCHES. ON SLOPING LAND, THE OPERATION SHOULD BE DONE ON THE CONTOUR.
	D.	LIQUID MULCH-BINDERS
	1.	APPLICATION SHOULD BE HEAVIER AT EDGES WHERE WIND CATCHES THE MULCH, IN VALLEYS, AND AT CRESTS OF BANKS. REMAINDER OF AREA SHOULD BE UNIFORM IN APPEARANCE.
	2.	USE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:
	A	. EMULSIFIED ASPHALT – (SS-1, CSS-1, CMS-2, MS-2, RS-1, RS-2, CRS-1, AND CRS-2). APPLY 0.04 GAL/SQ. YD OR 194 GAL/ACRE ON FLAT SLOPES AND SLOPES LESS THAN 8 FEET HIGH. ON SLOPES 8 FEET OR MORE HIGH, USE 0.075 GAL/SQ. YD. OR 363 GAL/ACRE. THESE MATERIALS MAY BE DIFFICULT TO APPLY UNIFORMILY AND WILL DISCOLOR SURFACES.
A	B	ORGANIC AND VEGETABLE BASED BINDERS – NATURALLY OCCURRING POWDER BASED, HYDROPHILIC MATERIALS THAT MIXED WITH WATER FORMULATES A GEL AND WHEN APPLIED TO MULCH UNDER SATISFACTORY CURING CONDITIONS WILL FORM MEMBRANE NETWORKS OF INSOLUBLE POLYMERS. THE VEGETABLE GEL SHALL BE PHYSIOLOGICALLY HARMLESS AND NOT RESULT IN A PHYTOTOXIC EFFECT OR IMPEDE GROWTH OF TURFGRASS. VEGETABLE BASED GELS SHALL BE APPLIED AT RATES AND WEATHER CONDITIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER.
	С	. SYNTHETIC BINDERS – HIGH POLYMER SYNTHETIC EMULSION, MISCIBLE WITH WATER WHEN DILUTED AND FOLLOWING APPLICATION TO MULCH, DRYING AND CURING SHALL NO LONGER BE SOLUBLE OR DISPERSIBLE IN WATER. IT SHALL BE APPLIED AT RATES AND WEATHER CONDITIONS RECOMMENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER AND REMAIN TACKY UNTIL GERMINATION OF GRASS.

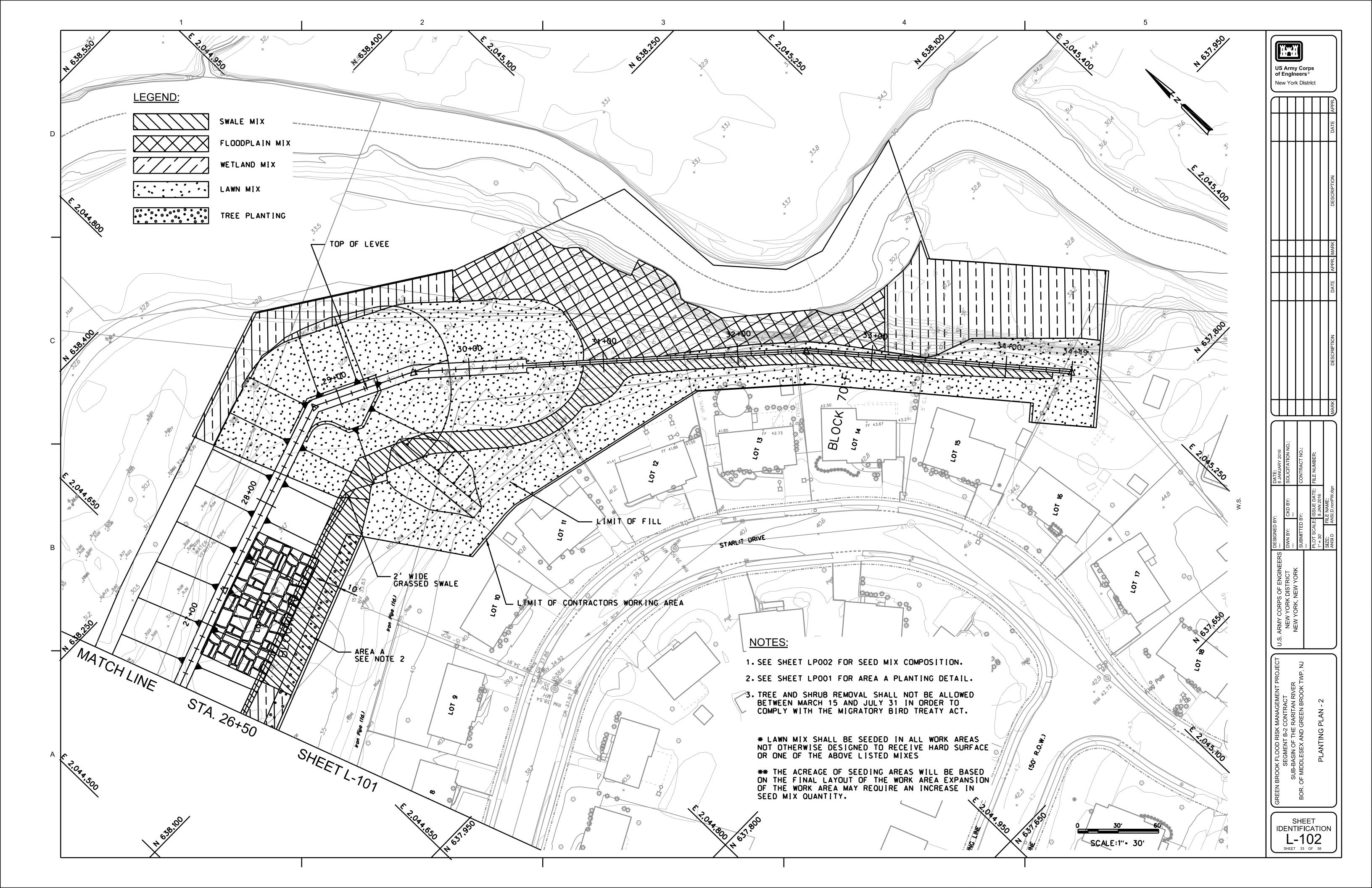
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### PLANTING NOTES:

- 1. PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE FURNISHED AND INSTALLED AS INDICATED; INCLUDING ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, PLANTS, EQUIPMENT, INCIDENTALS AND CLEAN UP.
- 2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PLANTING AT CORRECT GRADES AND ALIGNMENT.
- 3. PLANTS SHALL BE TYPICAL OF THEIR SPECIES AND VARIETY; HAVE NORMAL GROWTH HABITS; WELL DEVELOPED BRANCHES, VIGOROUS ROOT SYSTEMS AND BE FREE FROM PEST, DISEASE, DEFECTS AND INJURIES.

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- 4. CONTRACTOR SHALL REPORT ANY SOIL OR DRAINAGE CONDITIONS CONSIDERED DETRIMENTAL TO THE GROWTH OF PLANT MATERIAL.
- 5. INSOFAR THAT IT IS PRACTICAL, PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE PLANTED ON THE DAY OF DELIVERY.
- 6. QUALITY AND SIZE OF PLANTS, SPREAD OF ROOTS, AND SIZE OF BALLS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANSI Z60.1-2004 OR CURRENT EDITION, "AMERICAN STANDARD FOR NURSERY STOCK" AS PUBLISHED BY THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF NURSERYMEN, INC.
- 7. PLANTS SHALL NOT BE BOUND WITH WIRE OR ROPE AT ANY TIME SO AS TO DAMAGE THE BARK OR BREAK BRANCHES. PLANTS SHALL BE HANDLED BY THE BOTTOM OF THE BALL ONLY.
- 8. PLANTING OPERATIONS SHALL BE PREFORMED DURING PERIODS OF THE PLANTING SEASON WHEN WEATHER AND SOIL CONDITIONS ARE SUITABLE AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACCEPTED LOCAL PRACTICE. ALL PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE SPRAYED WITH "WILT-PRUF" OR EQUAL AS PER MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTION.
- 9. SET ALL PLANTS PLUMB AND STRAIGHT. SET AT SUCH A LEVEL THAT, AFTER SETTLEMENT, A NORMAL OR NATURAL RELATIONSHIP TO THE CROWN OF THE PLANT WITH THE GROUND SURFACE WILL BE ESTABLISHED. LOCATE PLANT IN THE CENTER OF PIT.
- 10. ALL INJURED ROOTS SHALL BE PRUNED TO MAKE CLEAN ENDS BEFORE PLANTING.
- 11. EACH TREE AND SHRUB SHALL BE PRUNED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDARD HORTICULTURAL PRACTICE TO PRESERVE NATURAL CHARACTER OF PLANT. PRUNING SHALL BE DONE WITH CLEAN, SHARP TOOLS.
- 12. TREES SHALL BE SUPPORTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLANTING. ALL TREES SHALL BE STAKED AS INDICATED. THE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL REMOVE STAKING. & GUY ATTACHMENTS & LOOPS AT THE END OF ONE (1) YEAR GUARANTEE PERIOD.
- 13. TO PROTECT FROM BROWSING BY DEER, DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHRUBS (2'-4' HIGHT) AS LISTED ON AND AREA B PLANTING SCHEDULE FOR AREA A SHALL BE FITTED WITH RIGID SEEDLING PROTECTOR TUBES. PROTECTOR TUBES SHALL BE 4" X 36" AND HELD IN PLACE BY BAMBOO STAKES (1/2"X4').
- 14. NEW PLANTING AREAS AND SEEDED AREAS SHALL BE ADEQUATELY IRRIGATED OR WATERED TO ESTABLISH THE PROPOSED PLANTS.
- 15. ALL DISTURBED AREAS TO BE TREATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH PERMANENT STABILIZATION METHODS INDICATED ON THE APPROVED EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL PLANS.

	TREE PLANTING SCHEDULE AREA A							
Quantity   Scientific Name		Common Name	Container	Min. Height	Spacing (feet)			
12	Acer rubrum	Red Maple	#2	2'- 4'	5' OC			
11	Acer rubrum	Red Maple	B&B	8'- 10'	10' OC			
11 Acer negundo		Box Elder	#2	2'- 4'	5' OC			
11 Acer negundo		Box Elder	B&B	8'- 10'	10' OC			
6	Acer saccharinum	Silver Maple	#2	2'- 4'	5' OC			
6	Acer saccharinum	Silver Maple	B&B	10'- 12'	10' OC			
4	Carya ovata	Shagbark Hickory	#2	2'- 4'	5' OC			
4	Carya ovata	Shagbark Hickory	B&B	8'-10'	10' OC			
6	Quercus palustris	Pin Oak	#2	5'	5' OC			
6	Quercus palustris	Pin Oak	B&B	8'–10'	10' OC			
0.18 acres =	77 trees B&B = Balled	and Burlaped			OC=On Center			

- PLANTING SPECIFICATIONS:
- 1. SCOPE OF WORK
  - A. THE CONTRACTOR AT LEAST ONE WEEK IN ADVANCE MUST NOTIFY THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS AND/OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVES AS TO THE TIME AND DATE OF PLANT STOCK DELIVERY.
  - AND ANY OTHER APPURTENANCES NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETION OF THIS PROJECT. C. ANY CONFLICT SHALL BE RESOLVED SOLELY BY THE CONTRACTING OFFICER REPRESENTATIVE.
- 2. MATERIALS
  - GENERAL- ALL MATERIAL SHALL BE BEST OF ITS KIND AVAILABLE. THE CORPS OF ENGINEERS Α. AND/OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVES MAY MANDATE PLANT MATERIAL OR PLANTING INSPECTIONS TO ENSURE PLANT QUALITY.
  - AND INSECTS.
  - TOPSOIL MINERAL TOPSOIL WITH ORGANIC MATERIAL CONTENT AS SPECIFIED, FREE OF DEBRIS, ROCKS LARGER THAN TWO INCHES (2"), WOOD, ROOTS, VEGETABLE MATTER AND CLAY CLODS OR OTHER FOREIGN MATTER.
- 3. WEEDING
- A. BEFORE AND DURING PRELIMINARY GRADING AND FINISH GRADING, ALL WEEDS AND ANVASIVE SHALL BE DUG OUT BY THE ROOTS AND DISPOSED OF.
- TOPSOILING 4.
- CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE FIVE INCHES (5") MINIMUM THICK TOPSOIL LAYER IN ALL PLANTING Α. AREAS. TOPSOIL SHOULD BE SPREAD OVER A PREPARED SURFACE IN A UNIFORM LAYER TOPSOIL PRESENT AT THE SITE, IF ANY, MAY BE USED IF APPROVED BY THE CONTRACTING OFFICER.
- PLANTING 5.
- POSITION TREES AND SHRUBS AT THEIR INTENDED LOCATION AS PER THE PLANS AND SECURE THE APPROVAL OF THE CONTRACTING OFFICER PRIOR TO EXCAVATING PITS, MAKING NECESSARY ADJUSTMENTS AS DIRECTED.
- 1 PART PEAT MOSS

  - 1 PART FEAT MUSS 1 PART HUMUS BY VOLUME 3 PARTS TOPSOIL BY VOLUME "AGRIFORM" FERTILIZER TABLETS AS FOLLOWS: TABLETS PER #2 CONTAINER PLANT
    - 3 TABLETS PER #5 CONTAINER PLANT LARGER PLANTS TWO (2) TABLETS PER 1/2" DIAM.
- OF TRUNK CALIPER
- MATCHES FINAL GRADE.
- IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLANTING, STAKE ALL TREES TO PREVENT DAMAGE FROM WIND (LODGE POLE STAKES AS REQUIRED). FASTEN TREES TO UPPER END STAKE IN AT LEAST THREE (3) PLACES USING PADDED GUY ATTACHMENTS.
- PLACE 3- INCH LAYER OF MULCH AROUND PLANT, EXTENDING APPROXIMATELY 3 TIMES THE DIAMETER OF THE ROOT BALL. CREATE A "DISH" WITH THE MULCH AROUND THE PLANTING PIT TO CONTAIN WATER.
- 6. FINISH GRADING
  - A. ALL PLANTING AREAS SHALL BE GRADED TO A SMOOTH, EVEN AND UNIFORM PLANE WITH NO ABRUPT CHANGE OF SURFACE, UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY CONTRACTING OFFICER REPRESENTIVE.
  - B. ALL PLANTING AREAS SHALL BE GRADED AND MAINTAINED TO ALLOW FREE FLOW OF SURFACE WATER.
- 7. GUARANTEE
  - A. CONTRACTOR SHALL GUARANTEE ALL PLANTS FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR. CONTAINER STOCK SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM 85% SURVIVAL RATE.
  - ALL REPLACEMENTS SHALL HAVE A GUARANTEE EQUAL TO THAT STATED ABOVE.
- 8. CLEANUP AND MAINTENANCE
  - REMOVE ALL MATERIAL, EQUIPMENT AND DEBRIS RESULTING FROM WORK. MAINTAIN TREES AND SHRUBS BY PRUNING, CULTIVATING AND WEEDING AS REQUIRED FOR HEALTHY GROWTH. TIGHTEN AND REPAIR STAKE AND GUY SUPPORTS AND RESET TREES AND SHRUBS TO PROPER
  - REQUIRED TO KEEP TREES AND SHRUBS FREE OF INSECTS AND DISEASE. MAINTAIN PLANTINGS BY WATERING, FERTILIZING, WEEDING, TRIMMING AND REPLANTING AS REQUIRED TO MEET GUARANTEE. "PIRONE'S TREE MAINTENANCE" (RECENT EDITION) SHALL BE USED FOR PLANTING AND MAINTENANCE с. PRACTICES NOT SPECIFICALLY OUTLINED ABOVE.

	TREE SHRUB PLANTING SCHEDULE AREA B									
Quantity	Scientific Name	Common Name	Container	Min. Height	Spacing (feet)	Legend				
1	Amelanchier canadensis	Service Berry	B&B	4'-5'	5' OC					
2 arpinus caroliniana		Ironwood	B&B	4'-5'	5' OC	2				
2	Cercis canadensis	Redbud	B&B clumped	5'-6'	5' OC	3				
2	Cornus racemosa	Gray Dogwood	#2	2 '-3'	5' OC					
2	Cratageous crus-galli	Cockspur	B&B	4'-5'	5' OC	5				
6	Pinus strobus	Eastern White Pine	B&B	8'-10'	10' OC					
5	Viburnum dentatum	Arrowwood	B&B	3'-4'	5' OC					
0.05 acres =	= 20 trees/shrubs (B&B) Balled	and Burlaped	0C=0	n Center						

B. THIS WORK SHALL CONSIST OF PERFORMING, CLEARING AND SOIL PREPARATION, FINISH GRADING, PLANTING AND DRAINAGE, INCLUDING ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT

PLANTS - ALL PLANTS SHALL BE HEALTHY NURSERY GROWN, WELL ROOTED, FREE FROM DISEASE

A. PLANTING PITS SHALL BE DUG WITH LEVEL BOTTOMS WHEN PLANTING ON SLOPES; PLANTS SHALL
 BE POSITIONED SUCH THAT TRUNK IS VERTICAL. BACK FILL AND MULCH AROUND PLANTS SHALL BE LEVEL. SLOPE TO SURROUNDING GRADE BEYOND PLANTING PIT.
 B. PLANTING PIT WIDTH SHALL BE AT LEAST TWICE THE DIAMETER OF THE ROOT BALL OR CONTAINER. EACH PLANT PIT SHALL BE BACKFILLED WITH THE FOLLOWING PREPARED SOIL MIX:

C. ROOT BALL SHALL BE PLACED TO REST ON EXISTING SOIL. FILL PREPARED SOIL AROUND BALL OF PLANT 1/2 WAY, AND INSERT FERTILIZER TABLETS. COMPLETE BACKFILL AND WATER THOROUGHLY. IF SOIL SETTLES FOLLOWING WATERING, ADD ADDITIONAL SOIL IF NECESSARY TO MEET FINAL GRADE. D. ALL PLANTS SHALL BE SET SO THAT, WHEN SETTLED, TOP OF SOIL AROUND BALL/ CONTAINER

B. REPLACEMENTS SHALL BE MADE AT THE BEGINNING OF THE FIRST SUCCEEDING PLANTING SEASON.

A. UPON COMPLETION OF ALL PLANTING WORK AND BEFORE FINAL ACCEPTANCE, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL GRADES OR VERTICAL POSITION AS REQUIRED. RESTORE OR REPLACE DAMAGED WRAPPINGS, SPRAY AS

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### WETLAND MIX

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PERCENT BY WEIGHT	SCIENTIFIC NAME	COMMON NAME	PURITY SEED	MAXIMUM GERMINATION	WEED
22	CAREX VULPINOIDES	FOX SEDGE	95%	80%	0.25%
12	ANDROPOGON SCOPARIUS	LITTLE BLUESTEM	98%	80%	0.25%
12	AGROSTIS STOLONIFERA	CREEPING BENTGRASS	98%	80%	0.25%
6.5	VERBENA HASTATA	BLUE VERVAIN	95%	80%	0.25%
6	JUNCUS EFFUSUS	SOFT RUSH	95%	80%	0.25%
6	SCIRPUS ALTROVIRENS	GREEN BULRUSH	98%	80%	0.25%
6	EUTHAMIA GRAMINIFOLIA	GRASS-LEAVED GOLDENROD	95%	80%	0.25%
5	GLYCERIA GRANDIS	AMERICAN MANNAGRASS	98%	80%	0.25%
3.5	CAREX LURIDA	LURID SEDGE	95%	80%	0.25%
3.5	SCIRPUS POLYPHYLLUS	MANY-LEAVED BULRUSH	95%	80%	0.25%
2.5	CAREX COMOSA	COSMOS SEDGE	95%	80%	0.25%
2.5	CAREX LUPULINA	HOP SEDGE	95%	80%	0.25%
2.5	SCIRPUS CYPERINUS	WOOLGRASS	95%	80%	0.25%
2.0	VERATRUM VIRIDE	FALSE HELLEBORE	87%	80%	0.25%
1	BROMUS LATIGLUMIS	WILD BROME GRASS	84%	80%	0.25%
1	CAREX SCOPARIA	BLUNT BROOM SEDGE	95%	80%	0.25%
1	GEUM LACINIATUM	ROUGH AVENS	84%	80%	0.25%
1	HELENIUM AUTUMNALE	COMMON SNEEZEWEED	84%	80%	0.25%
1	ZIZIA AUREA	GOLDEN ALEXANDERS	87%	80%	0.25%
0.5	CINNA ARUNDINACEA	WOOD REEDGRASS	84%	80%	0.25%
0.5	LUDWIGIA ALTERNIFLORA	SEEDBOX	84%	80%	0.25%
0.5	MIMULUS RINGENS	SQUARE STEMMED MONKEY FLOWER	84%	80%	0.25%
0.5	PENTHORUM SEDOIDES	DITCH STONECROP	84%	80%	0.25%
0.5	PYCNANTHEMUM TENUIFOLIUM	NARROWLEAF MOUNTAIN MINT	84%	80%	0.25%
0.25	JUNCUS ACUMINATUS	SHARP FRUITED RUSH	84%	80%	0.25%
0.25	SANGUISORBA CANADENSIS	CANADIAN BURNET	84%	80%	0.25%

### **FLOODPLAIN MIX**

PERCENT BY WEIGHT	SCIENTIFIC NAME	COMMON NAME	PURITY SEED	MAXIMUM GERMINATION	WEED
16	ANDROPOGON SCOPARIUS	LITTLE BLUESTEM	98%	80%	0.25%
16	ARGOSTIS SCABRA	ROUGH BENTGRASS	98%	80%	0.25%
16	ARGOSTIS STOLONIFERA	CREEPING BENTGRASS	98%	80%	0.25%
6	LEERSIA ORYZOIDES	RICE CUTGRASS	98%	80%	0.25%
6	CAREX CRINITA	FRINGED SEDGE	95%	80%	0.25%
6	CAREX LUPULINA	HOP SEDGE	95%	80%	0.25%
6	SCIRPUS CYPERINUS	WOOLGRASS	85%	80%	0.25%
6	SCIRPUS EXPANSUS	WOOD BULRUSH	95%	80%	0.25%
4	EUPATORIUM FISTULOSUM	JOE PYE WEED	87%	80%	0.25%
4	RUDBEKIA HIRTA	BLACK-EYED SUSAN	84%	80%	0.25%
4	ASCLEPIAS SYRIACA	COMMON MILKWEED	85%	80%	0.25%
4	VERONIA NOVEBORACENSIS	NEW YORK IRONWEED	84%	80%	0.25%
3	ASTER NOVAE-ANGLIAE	NEW ENGLAND ASTER	84%	80%	0.25%
3	BIDENS ARISTOSA	SHOWY TICKSEED SUNFLOWER	87%	80%	0.25%

LAWN MIX

PERCENT BY WEIGHT	COMMON NAME	VARIETIES -ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:	PURITY SEED	MAXIMUM GERMINATION	WEED
60	TALL FESCUE	APACHE, FIDELITY, BLACKWATCH, FALCON, ESCALADE, MUSTANG 3, REBEL EXEDA	98%	85%	0.25%
20	BLUEGRASS	AVALANCHE, BRISTOL, TOTAL ECLIPSE, P-105, TOUCHDOWN	98%	80%	0.25%
20	PERRENIAL RYEGRASS	ALL STAR2, PALMERIII, PENNANTII PIZZAZZ, PREMIERII, YORKTOWN II	98%	85%	0.25%

2.1.2 SEEDING RATES

GRASS SEEDING RATES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

263 LBS/ACRE OR 6 LBS/1000 SF LAWN MIX SWALE MIX 20 LBS/ACRE

FLOODPLAIN MIX 15 LBS/ACRE WETLAND MIX

15 LBS/ACRE

SWALE MIX

PERCENT	SCIENTIFIC	COMMON	PURITY	MAXIMUM	WE
BY WEIGHT	NAME	NAME	SEED	GERMINATION	
22	POA PALUSTRIS	FOWL BLUEGRASS	98%	80%	0.2
22	ANDROPOGON SCOPARIUS	LITTLE BLUESTEM	98%	80%	0.2
12	ARGOSTIS SCABRA	ROUGH BENTGRASS	98%	80%	0.2
12	ARGOSTIS STOLONIFERA	CREEPING BENTGRASS	98%	80%	0.2
12	CAREX VULPINOIDEA	FOX SEDGE	95%	80%	0.2
5	ASTER PUNICEUS	PURPLE STEMMED ASTER	84%	80%	0.2
5	VERBENA HASTATA	BLUE VERVAIN	85%	80%	0.2
5	CAREX LUPULINA	HOP SEDGE	95%	80%	0.2
2	BIDENS ARISTOSA	SHOWY TICKSEED SUNFLOWER	87%	80%	0.2
2	ASTER UMBELLATUS	FLAT-TOP ASTER	84%	80%	0.2
1	SOLIDAGO PATULA	ROUGH-LEAF GOLDENROD	84%	80%	0.25

### SEEDING SPECIFICATIONS/NOTES

SCOPE OF WORK THIS WORK SHALL CONSIST OF SOIL PREPARATION, FINISH GRADING (RAKING), SEEDING, AND MULCHING, AND ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT, AND ANY OTHER INCIDENTALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING SEED, STRAW MULCHING AND MULCH BINDER IN A WAY THAT OBTAINS OPTIMAL GERMINATION AND LONG TERM SUCCESS ACCORDING TO THE CONTRACT PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. MATERIALS GENERAL - ALL MATERIAL SHALL BE THE BEST OF ITS KIND AVAILABLE. THE ENGINEER AND/OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVE MAY MANDATE SEED MATERIAL OR SEEDING INSPECTIONS TO INSURE QUALITY. 3. GENERAL WORK PROCEDURES

LANDSCAPE WORK SHALL BE ACCORDING TO THE WORKMANLIKE STANDARDS ESTABLISHED FOR LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION AND PLANTING.

WEEDING BEFORE AND DURING PRELIMINARY GRADING AND FINISH GRADING, ALL WEEDS AND INVASIVES SHALL BE DUG OUT BY THE ROOTS AND DISPOSED.

### FINISH GRADING

5. ALL SEEDING AREAS SHALL BE SMOOTH, EVEN AND UNIFORM WITH NO ABRUPT CHANGE OF SURFACE, UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER OR FINAL PLANS. PRIOR TO SEEDING, FINAL GRADE SHALL BE RAKED OR FURROWED TO LOOSEN THE SOIL AND CREATE A TEXTURED SURFACE FOR SEEDING.

### SEED 6.

SEED SHALL BE CLEAN AND FRESH AND DELIVERED TO THE SITE IN THE ORIGINAL, UNOPENED BAGS SHOWING THE NET WEIGHT, COMPOSITION OF MIX, SUPPLIERS NAME AND GUARNAILE OF ANALYSIS. SEED SHALL BE DELIVERED AND STORED IN ORIGINAL UNOPENED PACKAGES, KEPT DRY, AND NOT OPENED UNTIL NEEDED FOR USE. DAMAGES OR FAULTY PACKAGES SHALL NOT BE USED AND WILL BE REJECTED. SEED SHALL HAVE BEEN HARVESTED FROM THE PREVIOUS GROWING SEASON. THE SED MIXTURES SHALL MEET THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

### SEEDING 7.

8.

ALL SEEDING SHALL BE CONDUCTED DURING THE DORMANT SEASON. SEEDING SHALL BE DONE IN THE DRY; FLOODED AREAS SHALL NOT BE SEEDED. SEEDING SHALL BE DONE BY BROADCAST METHODS OR HYDROSEEDING IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEED SUPPLIERS RECOMMENDATIONS. ALL SEEDED AREAS SHALL BE COVERED WITH A LIGHT LAYER OF STRAW MULCH OR HYDROMULCH. BROADCAST SEEDED AREAS SHALL BE ADEQUATELY WATERED TO ESTABLISH THE VEGETATIVE COVER.

### STRAW MULCH

THE MATERIAL FOR MULCH SHALL BE STRAW OR OTHER ACCEPTABLE NATIVE GRASSES, WELL CURED TO LESS THAN 20% MOISTURE, BY WEIGHT. HAY IS NOT ACCEPTABLE, DUE TO ITS HIGH WEED CONTENT. STRAW SHALL BE STALKS OF OAT OR WHEAT, FREE FROM NOXOIUS WEDS AND OTHER MATERIAL. ALL SEEDED AREAS MUST BE ADEQUATELY COVERED ACCORDING TO THE SPECIFICATIONS CONTAINED HEREIN WITHIN (2) DAYS OF SEEDING. SEEDING IS NOT PERMITTED WHEN STRAW MULCH CANNOT BE APPLIED WITHIN (2) DAYS. HOWEVER, IN THE EVENT OF ANTICIPATED RAINFALL (WITHIN 24 HOURS), SEEDING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED WHEN STRAW MULCH CANNOT BE IMMEDIATELY APPLIED AFTER SEEDING.

9. SEEDING PERIODS

CONTROL

SPRING SEASON - APRIL 1 TO JUNE 1 - SEEDING ALLOWED

LATE SUMMER SEASON - AUGUST 22 TO SEPTEMBER 10-SEEDING ALLOWED

GROWING SEASON - JUNE 2 TO AUGUST 21 - NO PERMANENT SEEDING ALLOWED. SEED WITH EROSION CONTROL MIX. REFER TO NOTES ON SHEET CG002 EROSION AND SEDIMENT

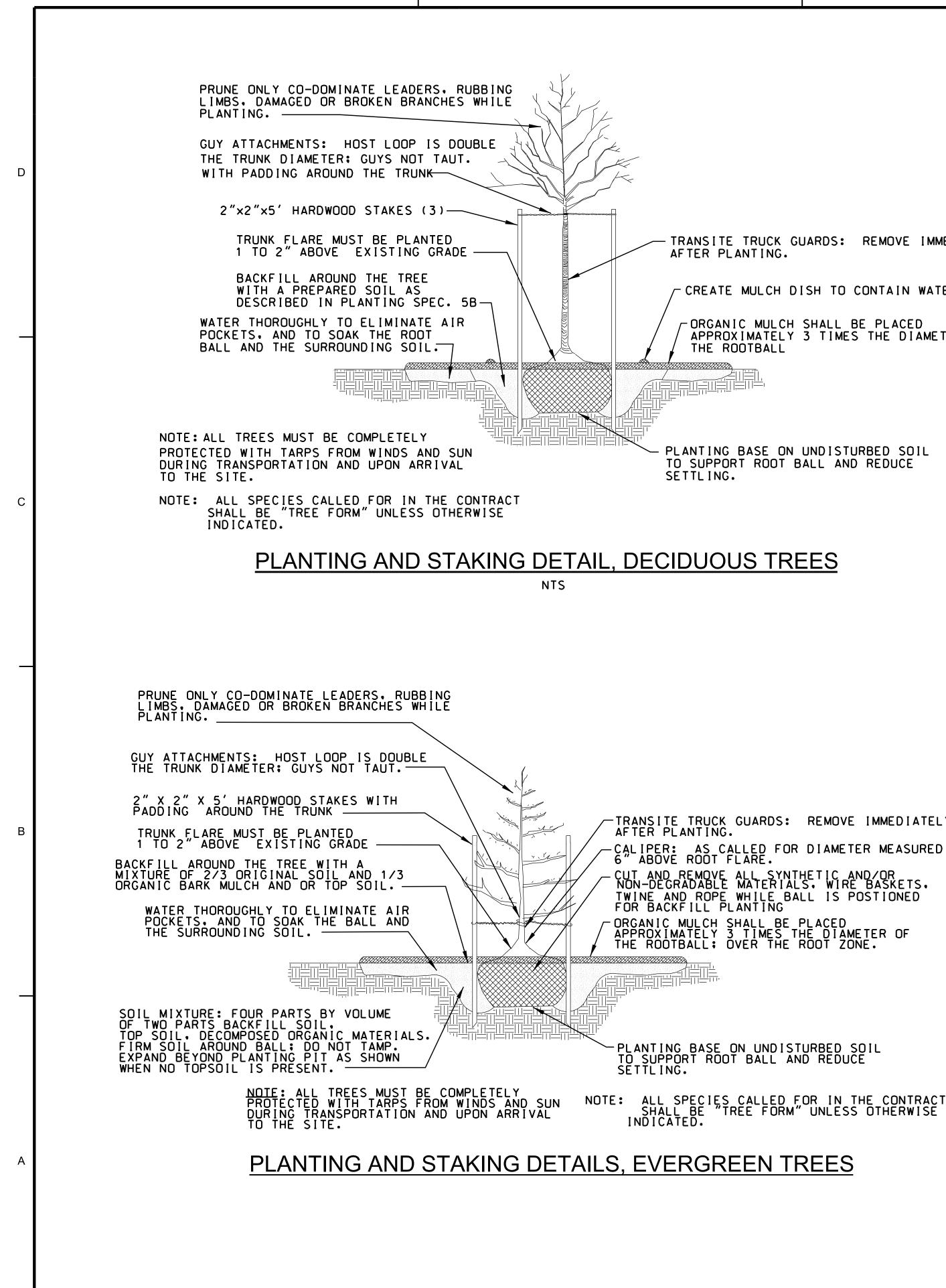
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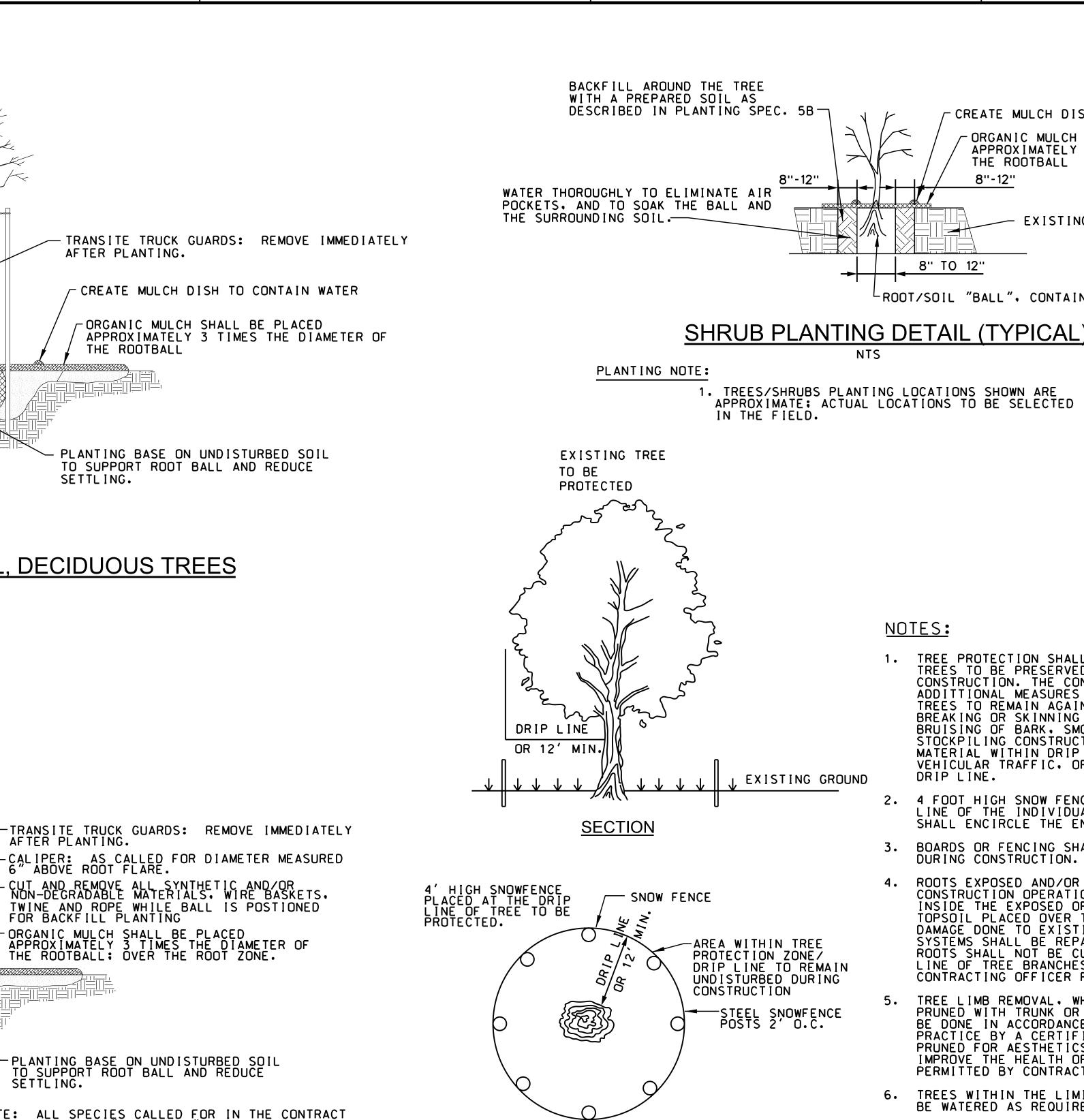
WINTER (DORMANT PERIOD) NOVEMBER 16 TO MARCH 31-NO PERMANENT SEEDING ALLOWED. SEED WITH EROSION CONTROL MIX. REFER TO NOTES ON SHEET CG002 EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL

NOTE: SEEDING TIMES ARE DETERMINED BY CONSISTENT AVERAGE SOIL TEMPERATURES REQUIRED FOR GERMINATION: 55°F FOR COOL-SEASON GRASS GERMINATION AND 65°F FOR WARM-SEASON GRASS GERMINATION.

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-CREATE MULCH DISH TO CONTAIN WATE ORGANIC MULCH SHOULD BE PLACED APPROXIMATELY 2 TIMES THE DIAME THE ROOTBALL 8"-12"

EXISTING SOIL

-ROOT/SOIL "BALL", CONTAINER REMOVED

TREE PROTECTION SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR TREES TO BE PRESERVED DURING AND AFTER CONSTRUCTION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TAK ADDITTIONAL MEASURES NECESSARY TO PRO TREES TO REMAIN AGAINST UNNECESSARY CL BREAKING OR SKINNING OF ROOTS, SKINNIN BRUISING OF BARK, SMOTHERING OF TREES STOCKPILING CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS OR MATERIAL WITHIN DRIP LINE, EXCESS FOO VEHICULAR TRAFFIC, OR PARKING OF VEHI

2. 4 FOOT HIGH SNOW FENCE SHALL BE PLACED LINE OF THE INDIVIDUAL TREE TO BE PRES SHALL ENCIRCLE THE ENTIRE TREE.

3. BOARDS OR FENCING SHALL NOT BE NAILED DURING CONSTRUCTION.

ROOTS EXPOSED AND/OR DAMAGED DURING GI CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS SHALL BE CUT ( INSIDE THE EXPOSED OR DAMAGED AREA, AN TOPSOIL PLACED OVER THE ROOTS IMMEDIAT DAMAGE DONE TO EXISTING TREE CROWNS OR SYSTEMS SHALL BE REPAIRED IMMEDIATELY. ROOTS SHALL NOT BE CUT IN AN AREA INSI LINE OF TREE BRANCHES. EXCEPT AS PERMI CONTRACTING OFFICER REPRESENTATIVE.

TREE LIMB REMOVAL, WHERE NECESSARY, W PRUNED WITH TRUNK OR MAIN LIMB, ALL PR BE DONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOOD HORTI PRACTICE BY A CERTIFIED TREE EXPERT. PRUNED FOR AESTHETICS, SAFETY REASONS IMPROVE THE HEALTH OF AN EXISTING TREE PERMITTED BY CONTRACTING OFFICER REPR

TREES WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CONTRA BE WATERED AS REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN TH 7. UTILITIES WILL BE TUNNELED UNDER TREES CUTTING OF IMPORTANT FEEDER ROOTS.

### GENERAL NOTES:

1. FLOATING TURBIDITY BARRIERS (ALSO KNOWN AS SILT CURTAINS) CREATE A BARRIER TO PREVENT TURBID WATER FROM ENTERING CLEAR WATER. THEY SHALL BE USED TO ISOLATE ACTIVE CONSTRUCTION AREAS WITHIN OR ADJACENT TO A BODY OF WATER TO MINIMIZE THE MIGRATION OF SILT LADEN WATER CAUSED BY THE DISCHARGE OF STORM SEWERS, DEWATERING BASINS, CONSTRUCTION, DREDGING OR FILLING OPERATIONS, OR OTHER ACTIVITIES THAT COULD CAUSE TURBIDITY.

2. TURBIDITY BARRIERS SHALL NOT BE INSTALLED PERPENDICULAR ACROSS THE MAIN FLOW OF THE CHANNEL.

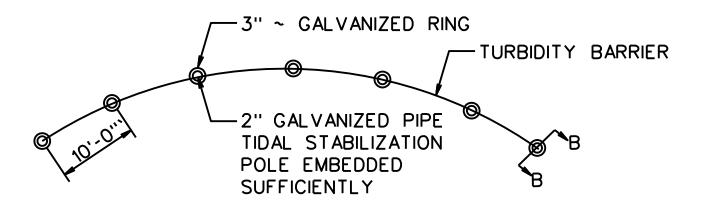
3. CONCENTRATED FLOWS SHALL NOT DISCHARGE BEYOND THE FLOATING TURBIDITY BARRIER. THE BARRIER IS NOT TO BE INSTALLED ACROSS A FLOWING BODY OF WATER.

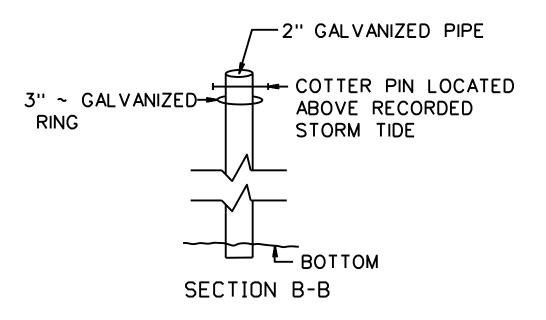
4. THE FLOATING TURBIDITY BARRIER SHALL BE ANCHORED TO PREVENT DRIFT BANKWARD OR DOWNSTREAM. EXACT PLACEMENT OF TURBIDITY BARRIER SHALL BE SO AS TO EFFECTIVELY CONTROL SILT DISPERSION UNDER THE CONDITIONS PRESENT ON A PARTICULAR PROJECT.

5. THE TURBIDITY CURTAIN AND ADJACENT WORK AREAS SHALL NOT BE DISTURBED 12 HOURS PRIOR TO REMOVAL FROM THE CHANNEL. MAINTENANCE SHALL BE PERFOMED AS REQUIRED. DURING REMOVAL, EXTREME CARE SHALL BE UTILIZED TO ENSURE SEDIMENT DEPOSITS ARE NOT DISTURBED.

6. THE DETAILS SHOWN ON THIS SHEET ARE SUGGESTED METHODS ONLY. ALTERNATE SOLUTION AND USAGE OF MATERIALS MAY BE USED AS APPROVED. DESIGN OF THE BARRIER AND ANCHORAGE SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

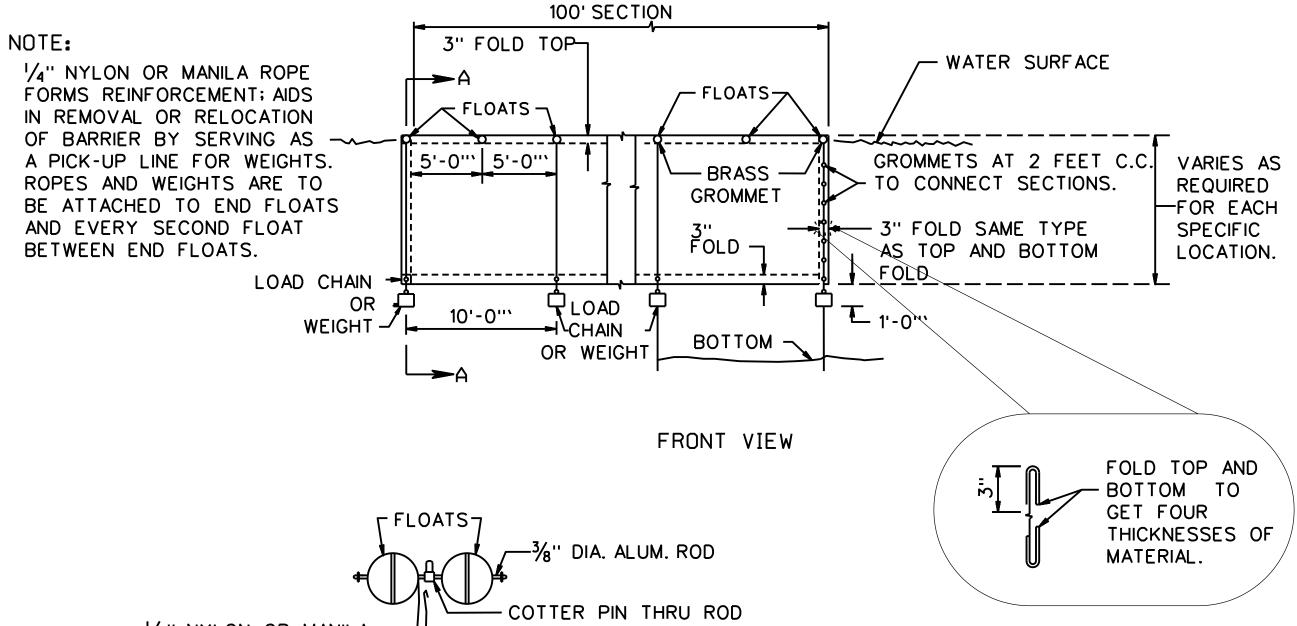
7. WHEN ESTIMATING THE LENGTH OF THE TURBIDITY BARRIER, ALLOW FOR A 10 - 20% VARIANCE IN STRAIGHT LINE MEASUREMENT.



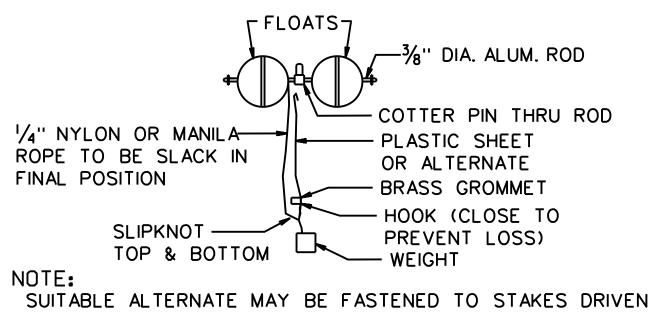




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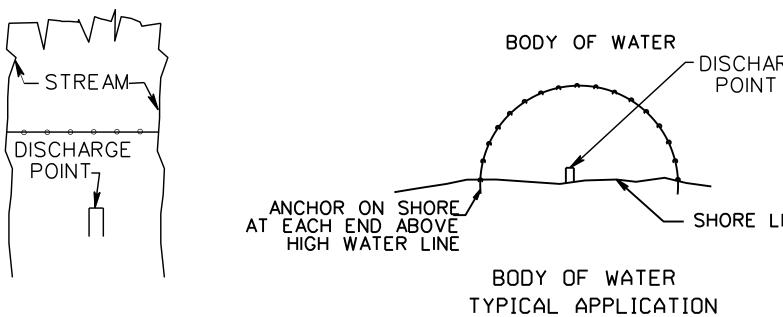






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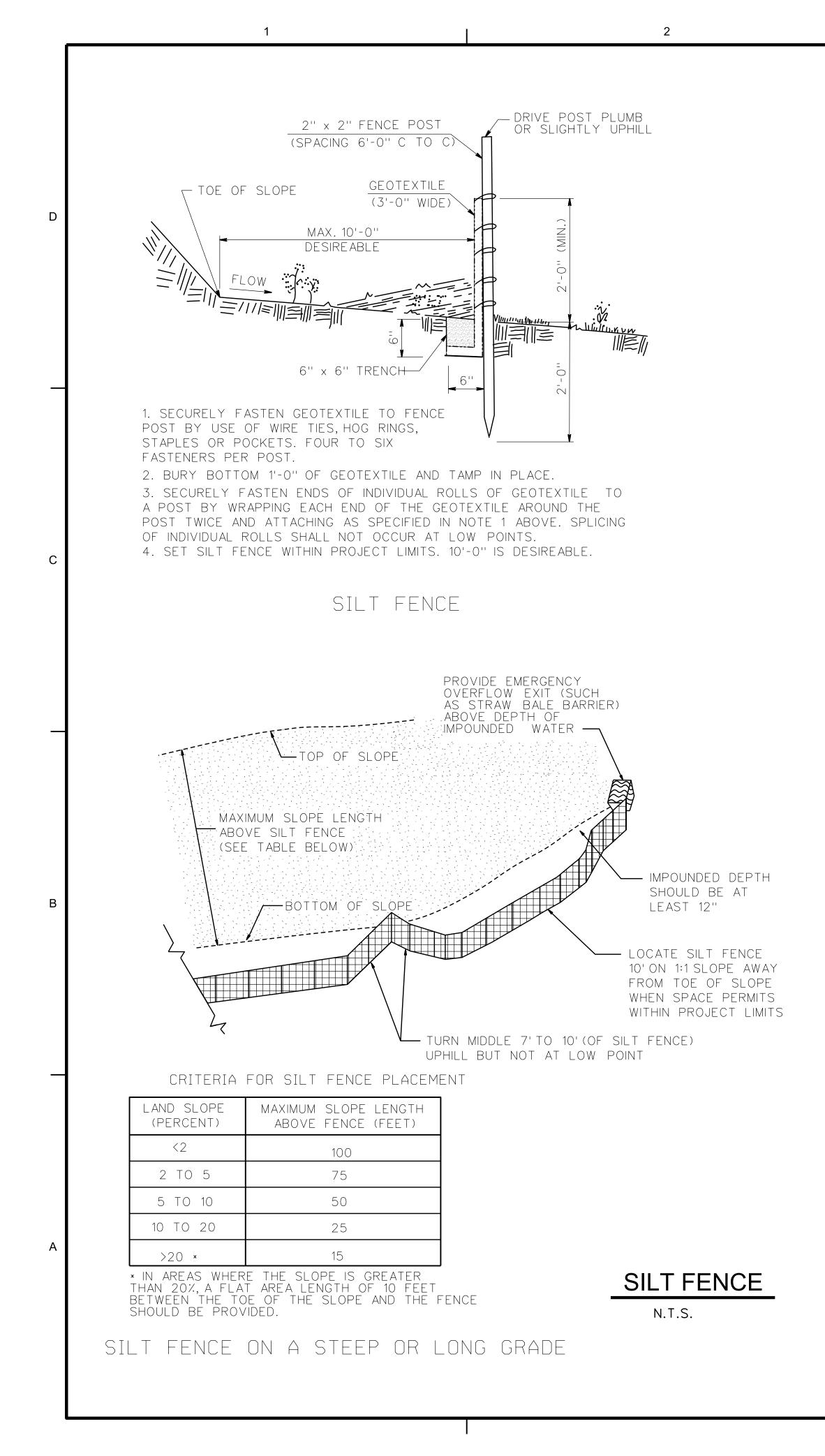
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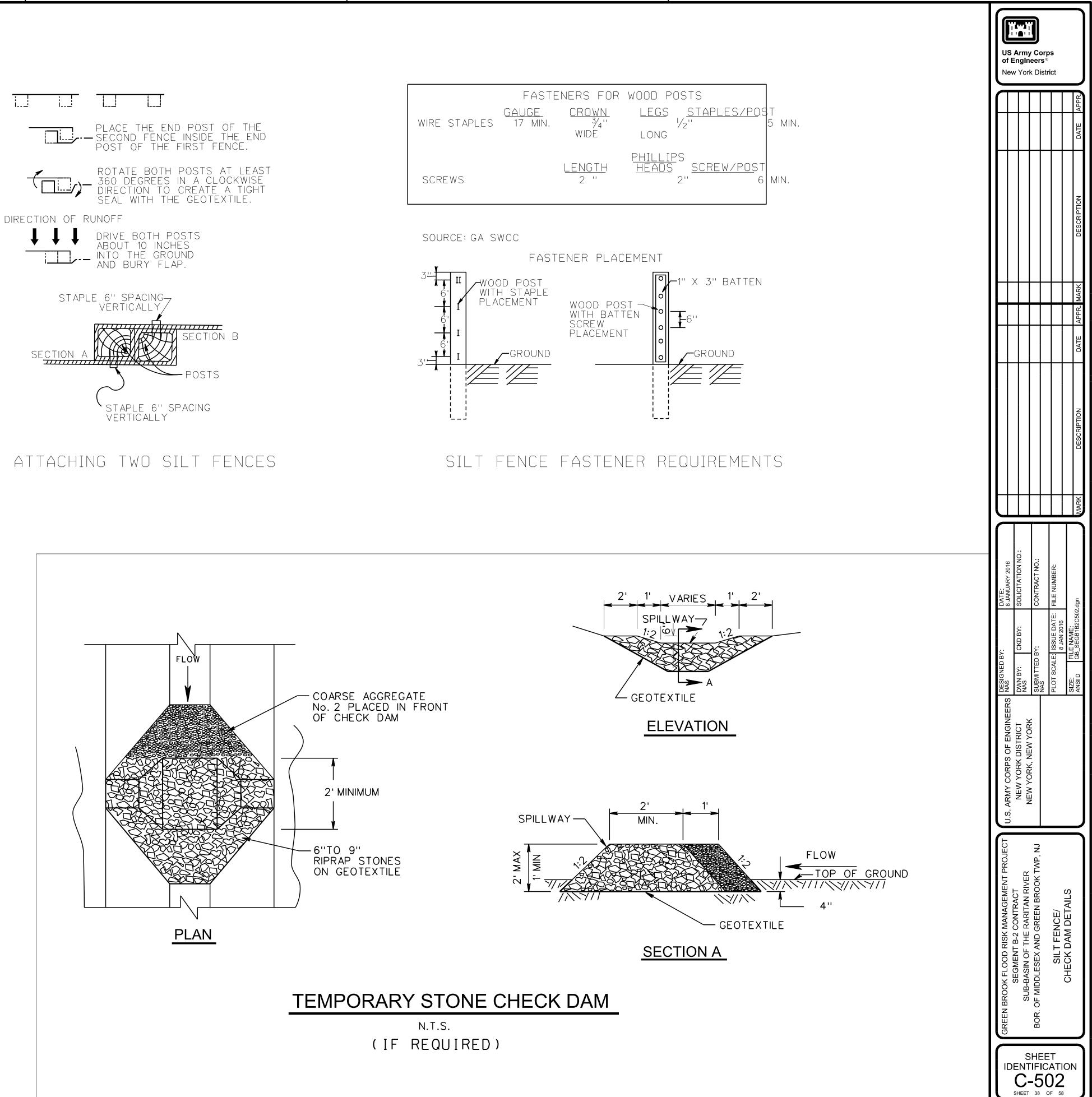
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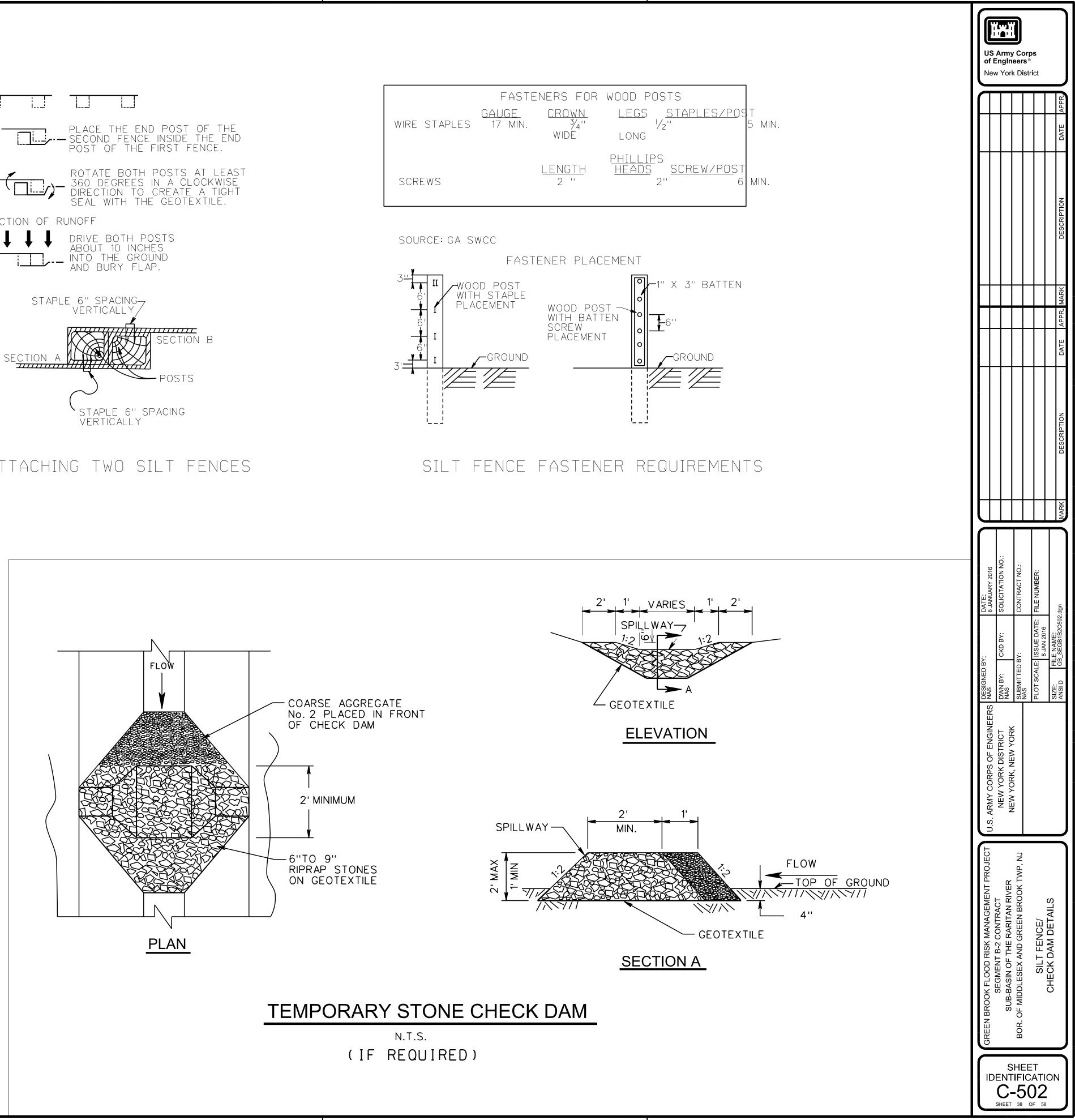
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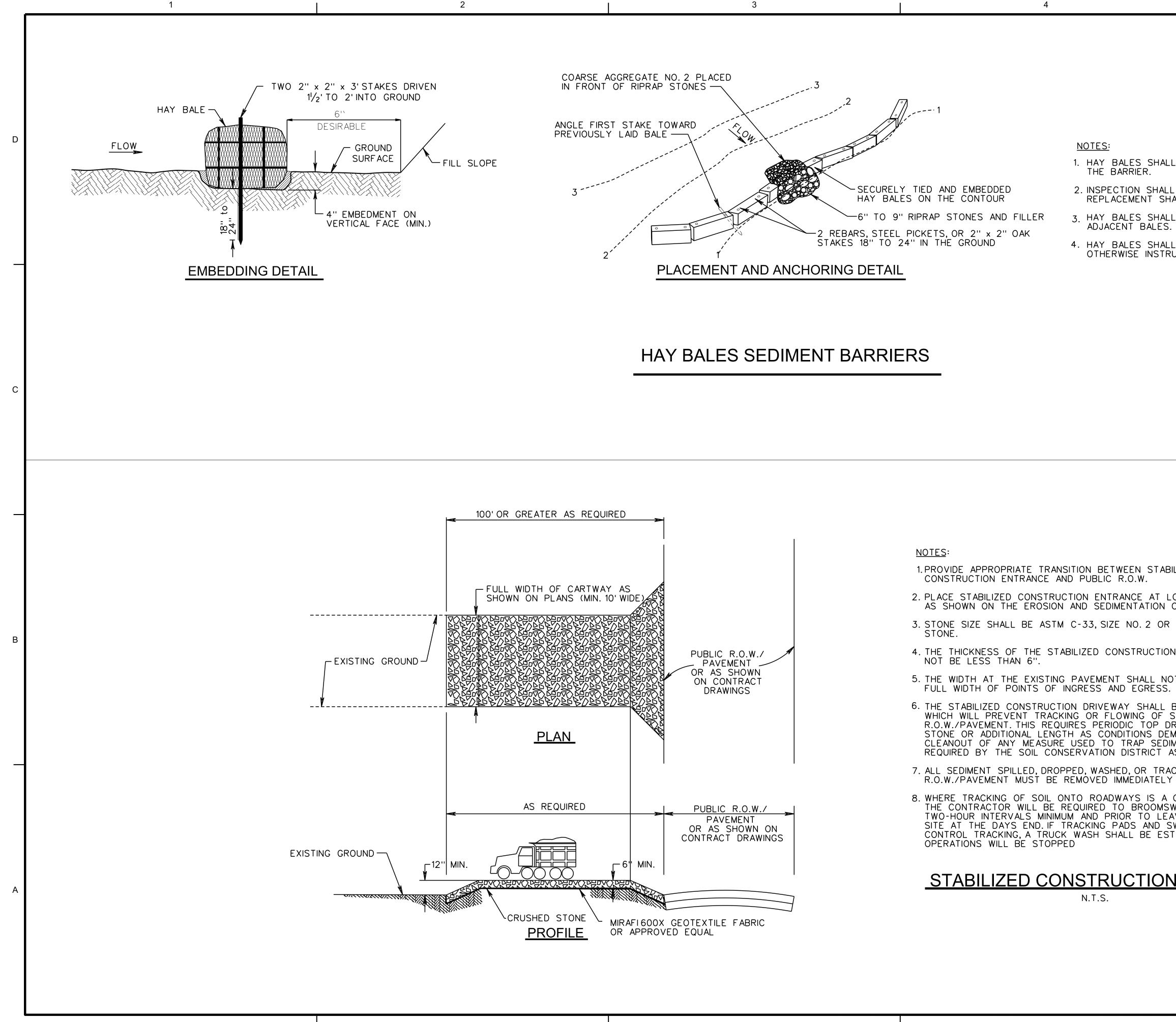
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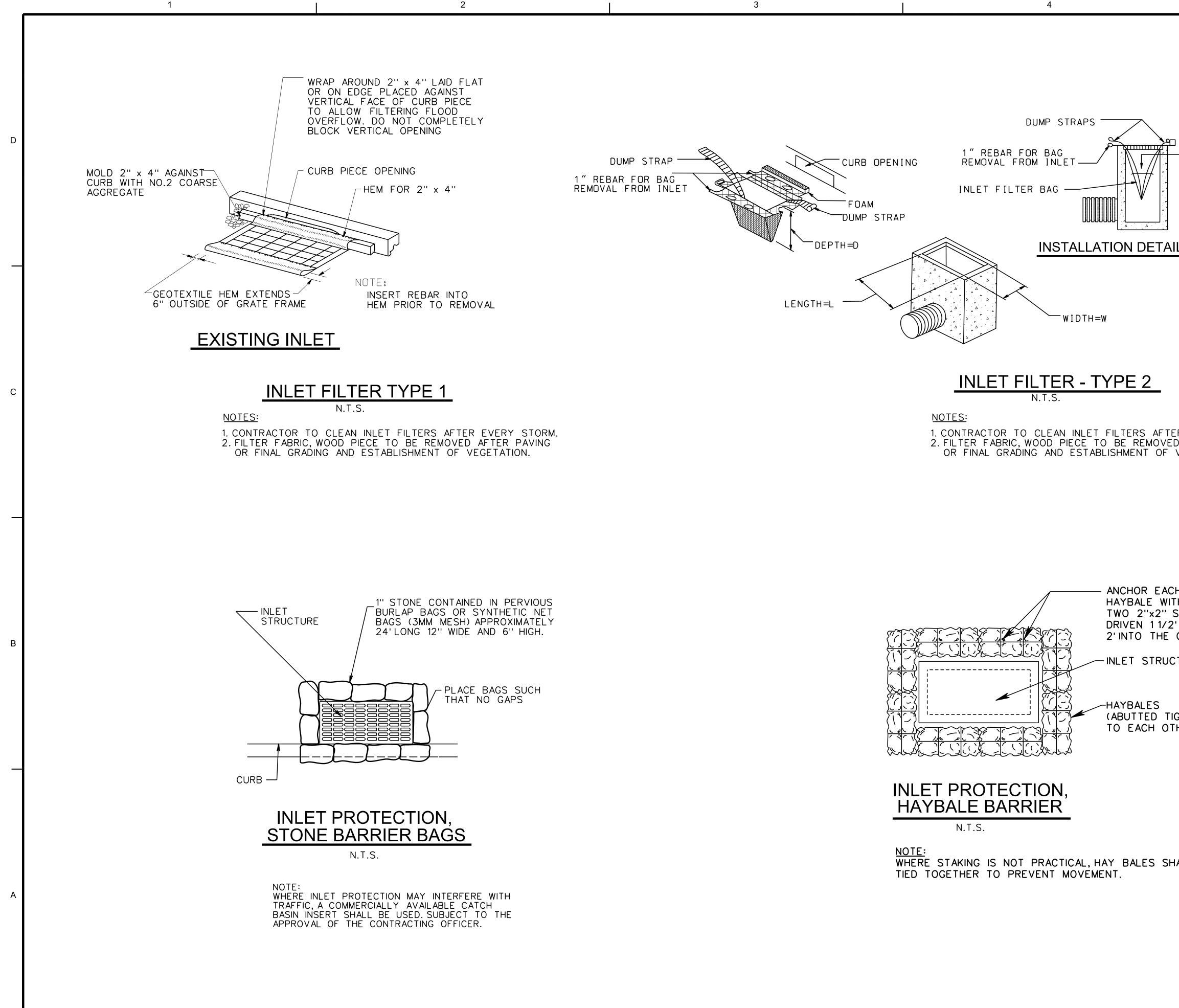


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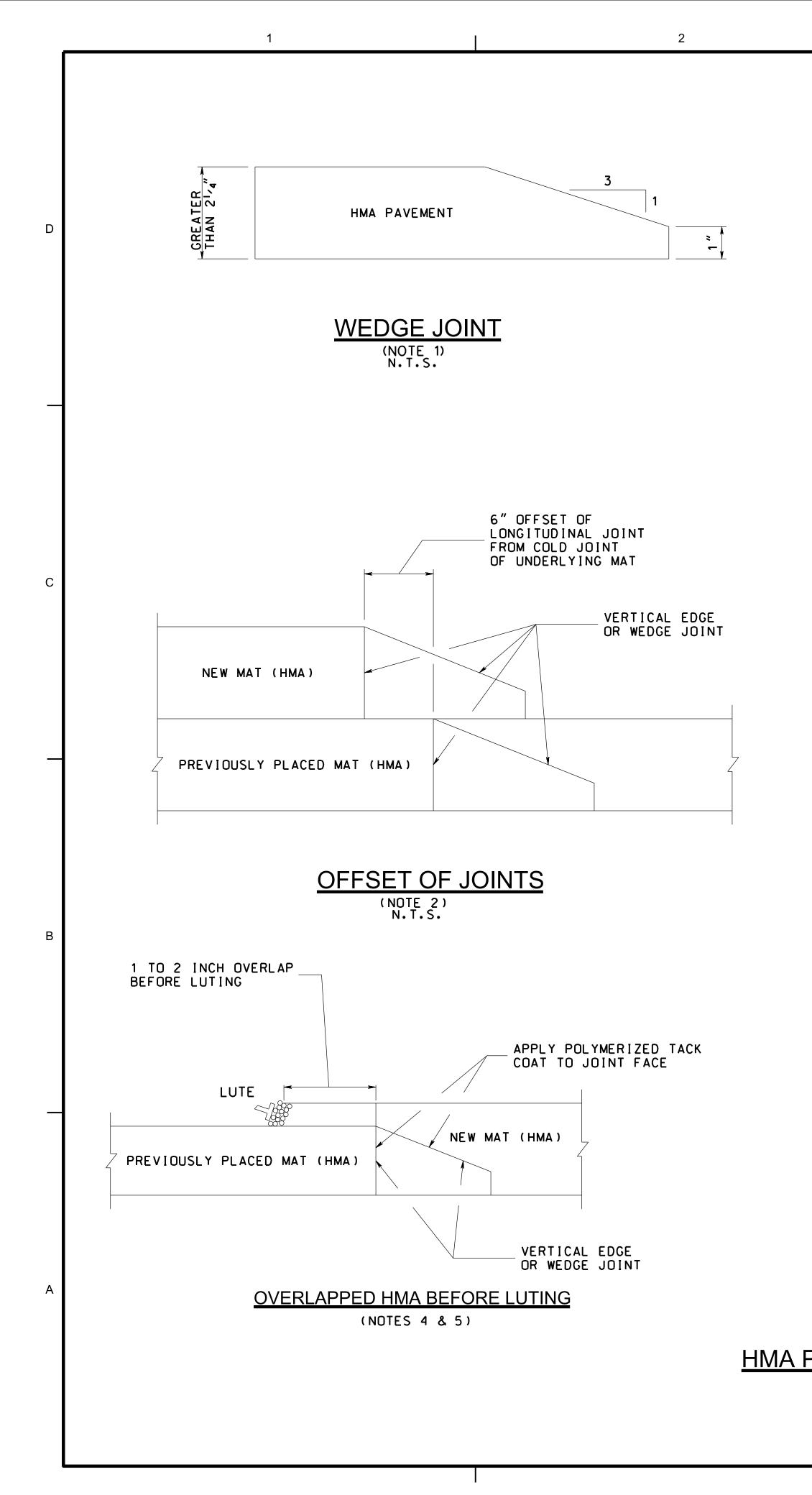
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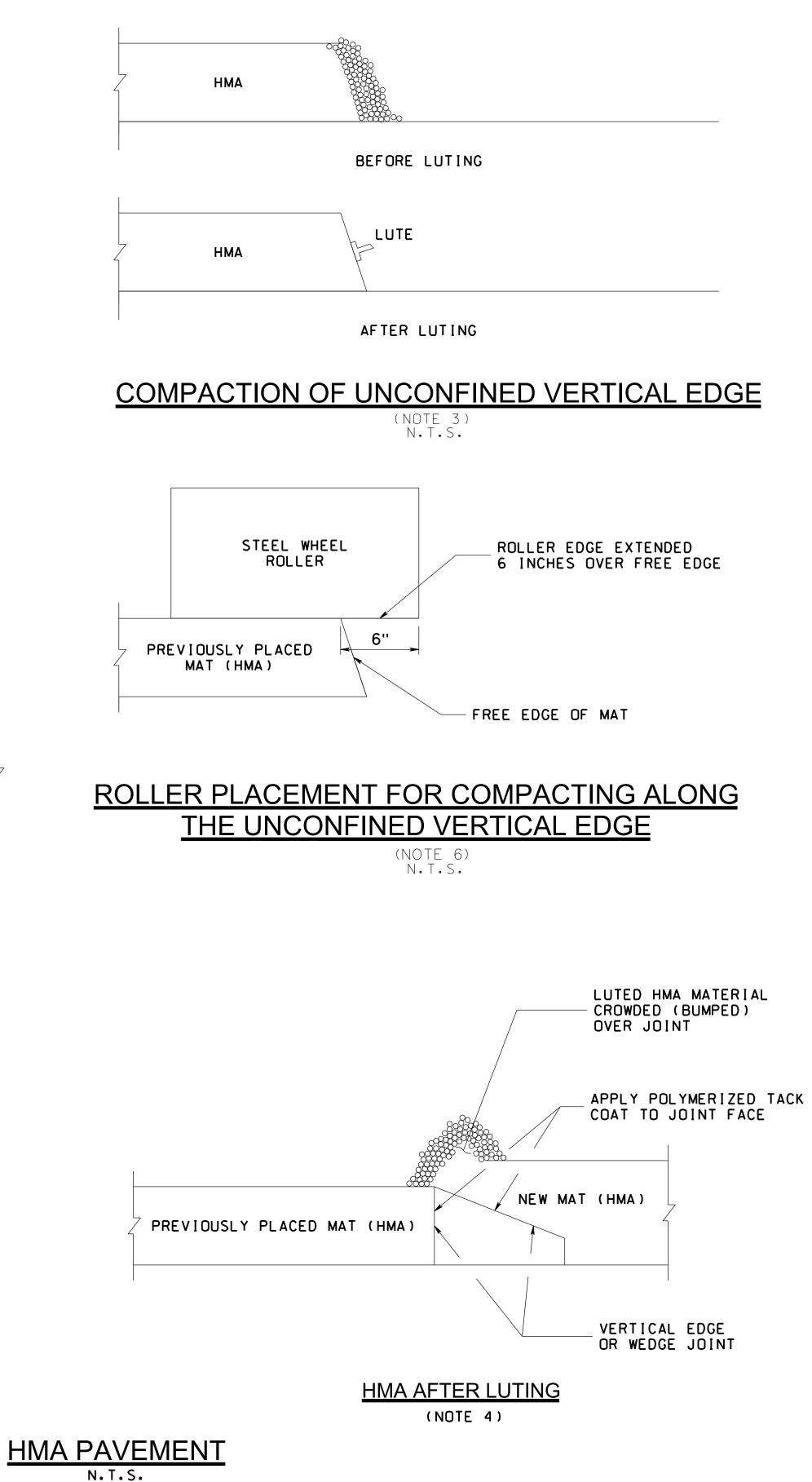
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## NOTES:

- YELLOW TRAFFIC STRIPE.
- THE ROLLERS TO COMPACT.
- SURFACE OF THE PREVIOUSLY PLACED LANE.

1. WHEN HMA LIFT THICKNESS IS GREATER THEN 2<sup>1</sup>/4 INCHES AND WHEN TRAFFIC IS TO BE MAINTAINED, CONSTRUCT A WEDGE JOINT.

2. ENSURE THAT THE JOINT IN THE HMA SURFACE COURSE IS OFFSET FROM THE LANE LINES BY 6 INCHES. IN THE CENTERLINE OF A ROADWAY, ENSURE THAT THE JOINT FALLS BETWEEN THE DOUBLE

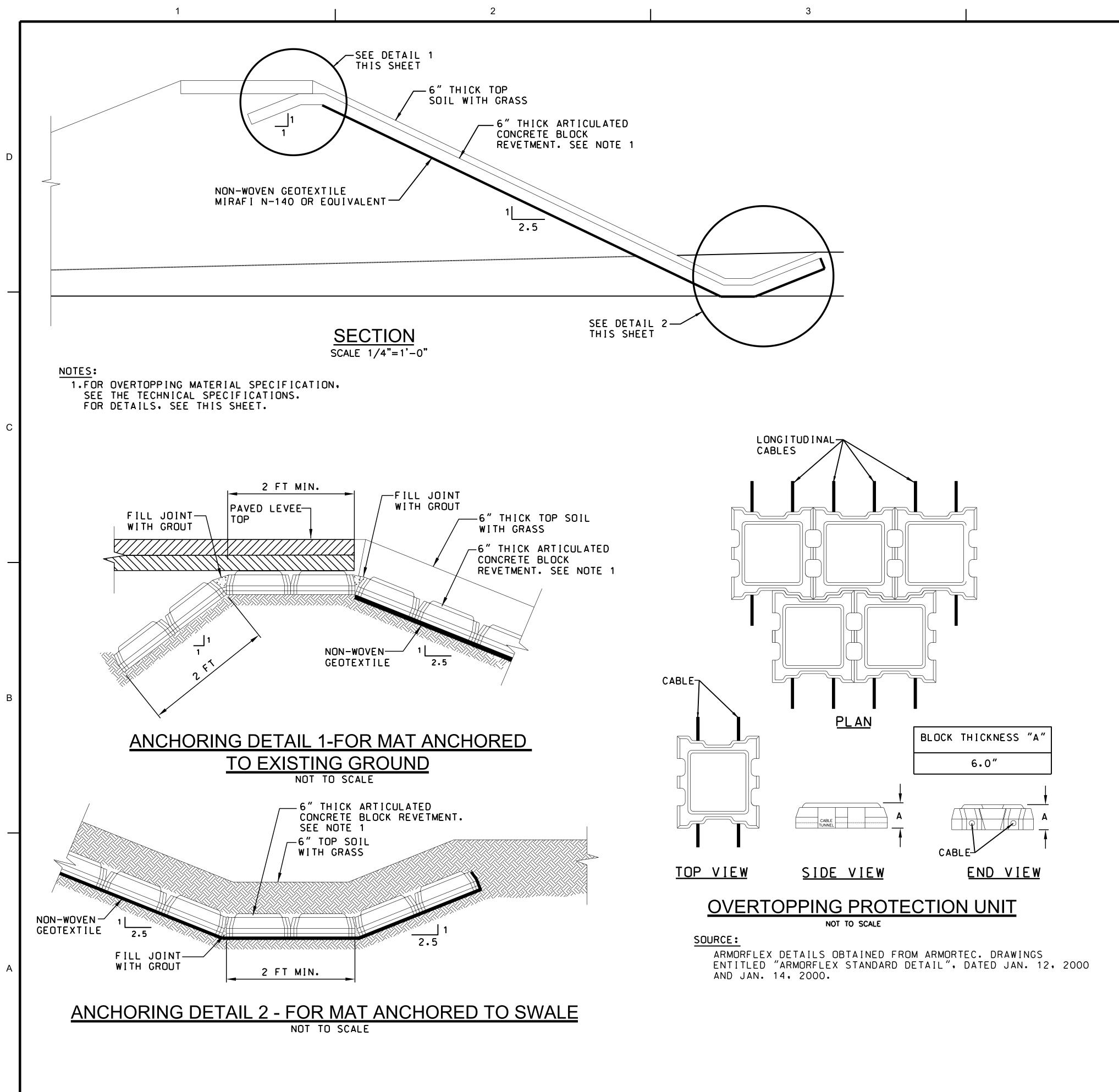
3. ENSURE THE LUTE OPERATOR MANUALLY BUMPS THE EDGE TO OBTAIN A TRUE VERTICAL AND DENSE UNCONFINED EDGE.

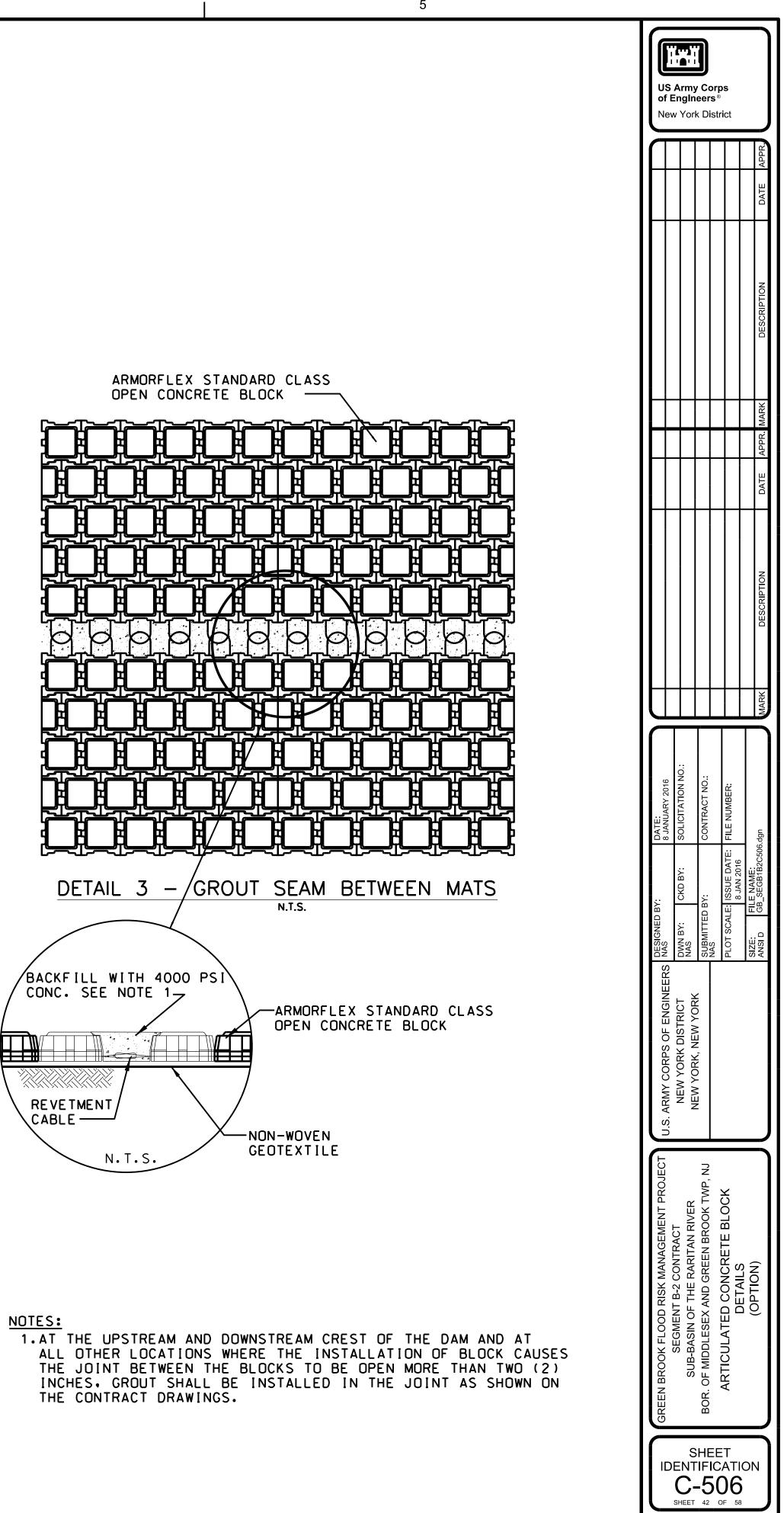
4. ENSURE THAT THE OVERLAPPED HMA MATERIAL AT THE JOINT IS TIGHTLY CROWDED (BUMPED) OVER THE JOINT ONTO THE NEWLY PLACED LANE LEAVING A SMALL MOUND OF MIX HUMPED UP FOR

5. FOR THE WEDGE JOINT, ENSURE THAT COARSE AGGREGATE PARTICLES ARE KEPT AWAY FROM THE POINT WHERE THE WEDGE MEETS THE

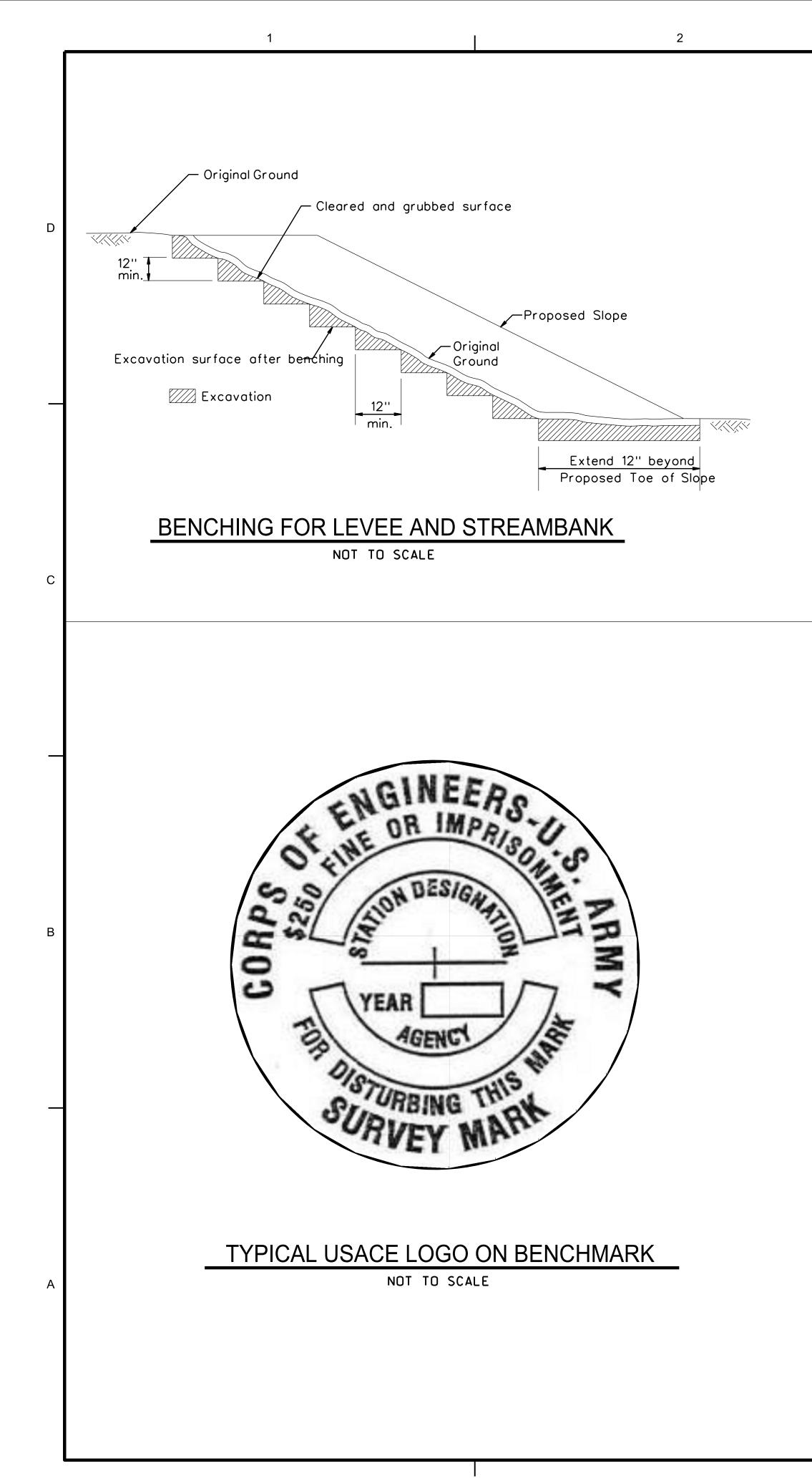
6. TO PREVENT LATERAL DISPLACEMENT OF THE UNCONFINED EDGE. ENSURE THAT THE EDGE OF THE ROLLER WHEEL EXTENDS OVER THE FREE EDGE OF THE HMA MAT BY AT LEAST 6 INCHES.

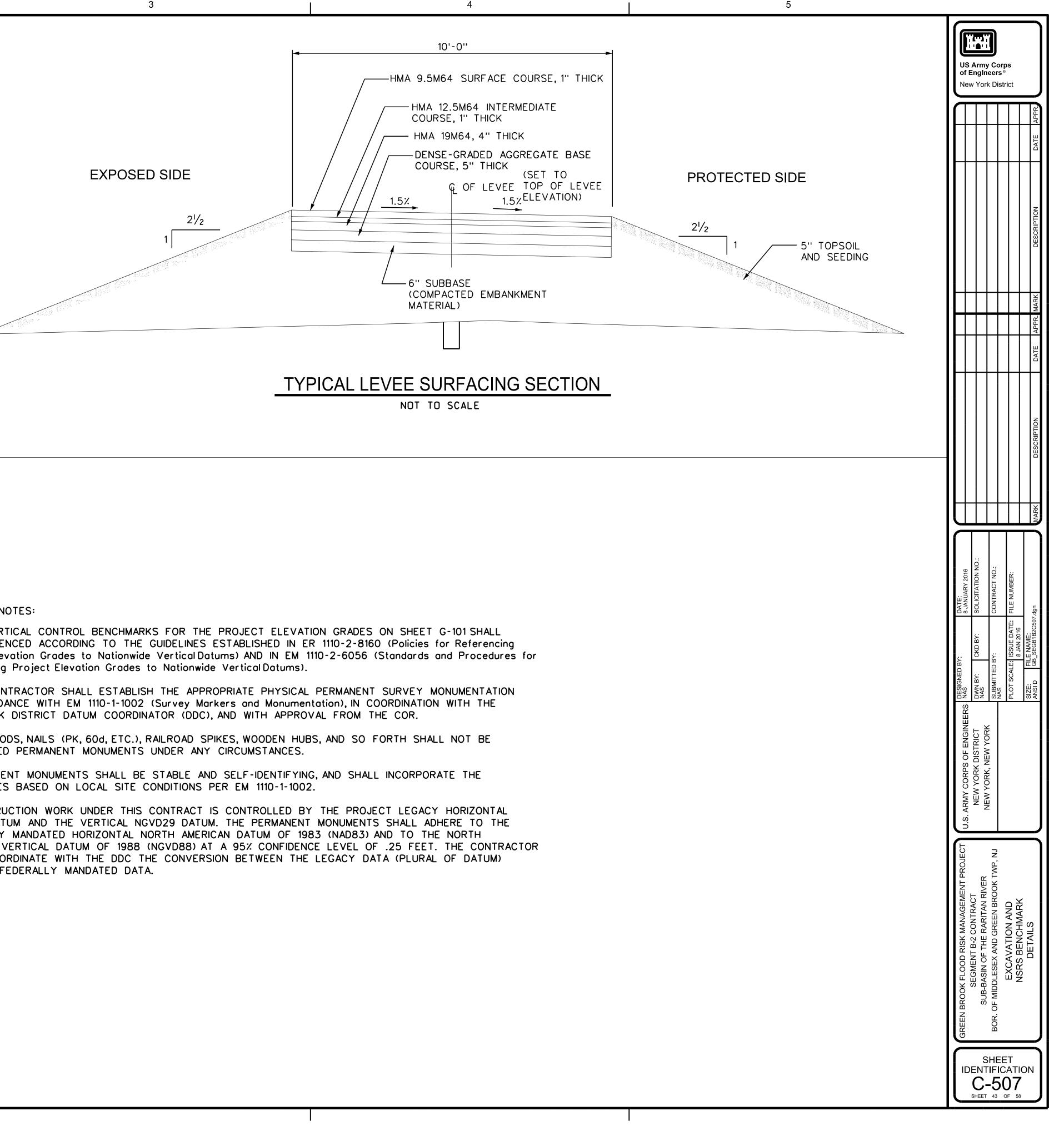
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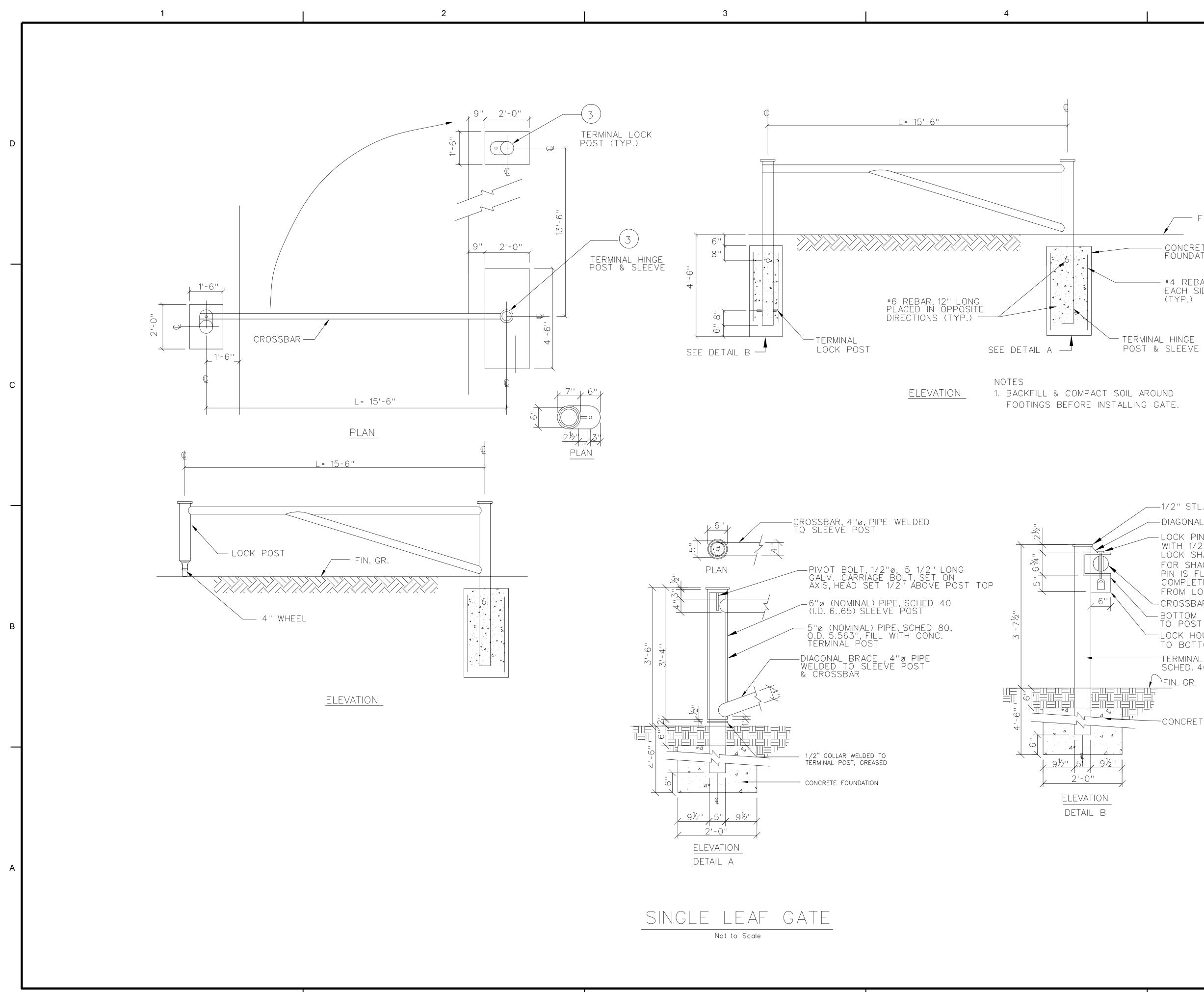
1. THE VERTICAL CONTROL BENCHMARKS FOR THE PROJECT ELEVATION GRADES ON SHEET G-101 SHALL BE REFERENCED ACCORDING TO THE GUIDELINES ESTABLISHED IN ER 1110-2-8160 (Policies for Referencing Project Elevation Grades to Nationwide Vertical Datums) AND IN EM 1110-2-6056 (Standards and Procedures for Referencing Project Elevation Grades to Nationwide Vertical Datums).

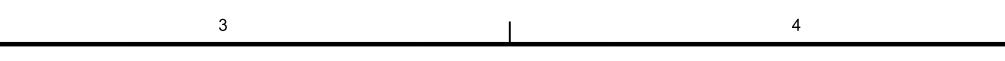
2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ESTABLISH THE APPROPRIATE PHYSICAL PERMANENT SURVEY MONUMENTATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH EM 1110-1-1002 (Survey Markers and Monumentation), IN COORDINATION WITH THE NEW YORK DISTRICT DATUM COORDINATOR (DDC), AND WITH APPROVAL FROM THE COR.

3. BARE RODS, NAILS (PK, 60d, ETC.), RAILROAD SPIKES, WOODEN HUBS, AND SO FORTH SHALL NOT BE CONSIDERED PERMANENT MONUMENTS UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.

4. PERMANENT MONUMENTS SHALL BE STABLE AND SELF-IDENTIFYING, AND SHALL INCORPORATE THE PROPERTIES BASED ON LOCAL SITE CONDITIONS PER EM 1110-1-1002.

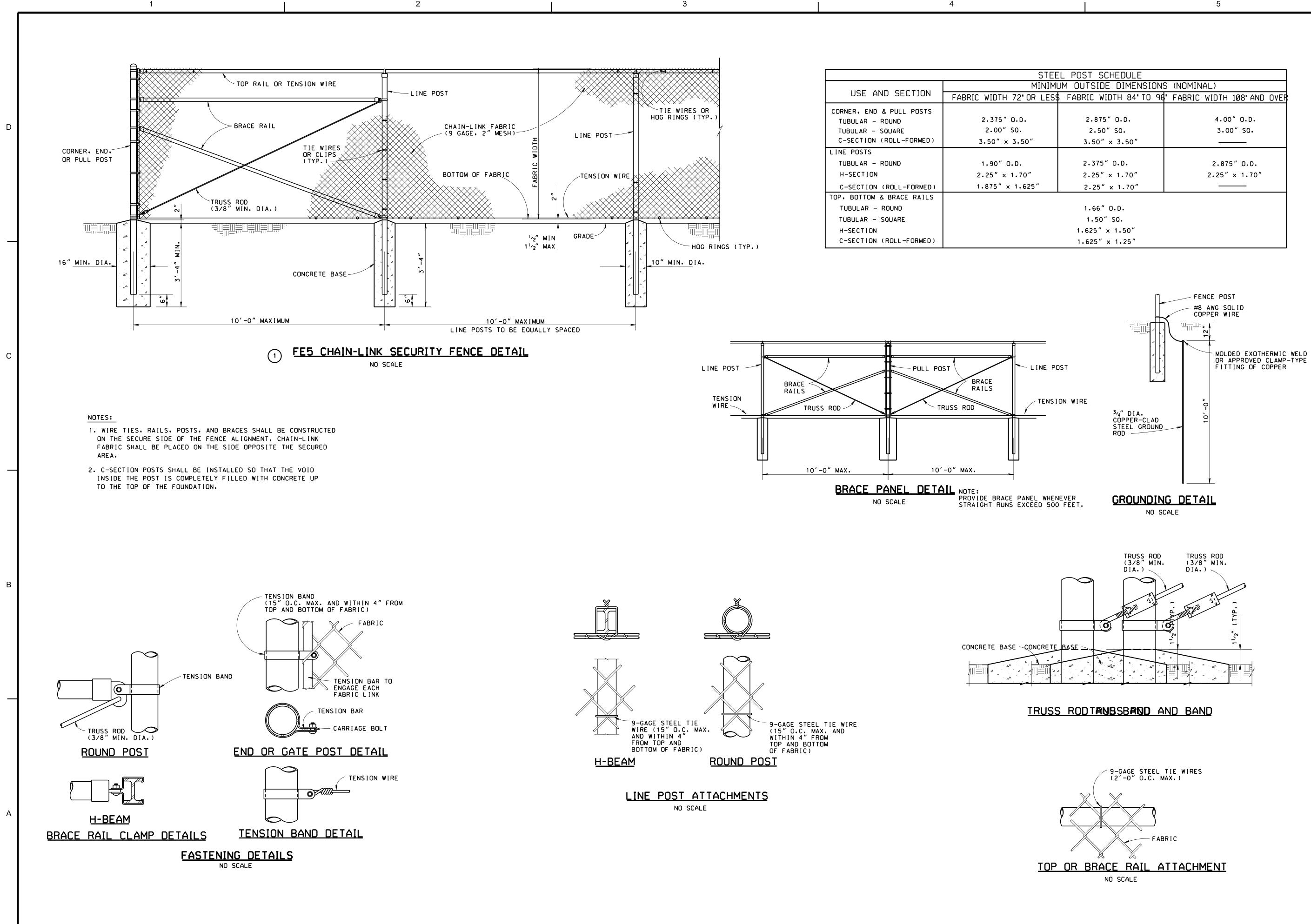
5. CONSTRUCTION WORK UNDER THIS CONTRACT IS CONTROLLED BY THE PROJECT LEGACY HORIZONTAL NAD27 DATUM AND THE VERTICAL NGVD29 DATUM. THE PERMANENT MONUMENTS SHALL ADHERE TO THE FEDERALLY MANDATED HORIZONTAL NORTH AMERICAN DATUM OF 1983 (NAD83) AND TO THE NORTH AMERICAL VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988 (NGVD88) AT A 95% CONFIDENCE LEVEL OF .25 FEET. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE WITH THE DDC THE CONVERSION BETWEEN THE LEGACY DATA (PLURAL OF DATUM) AND THE FEDERALLY MANDATED DATA.





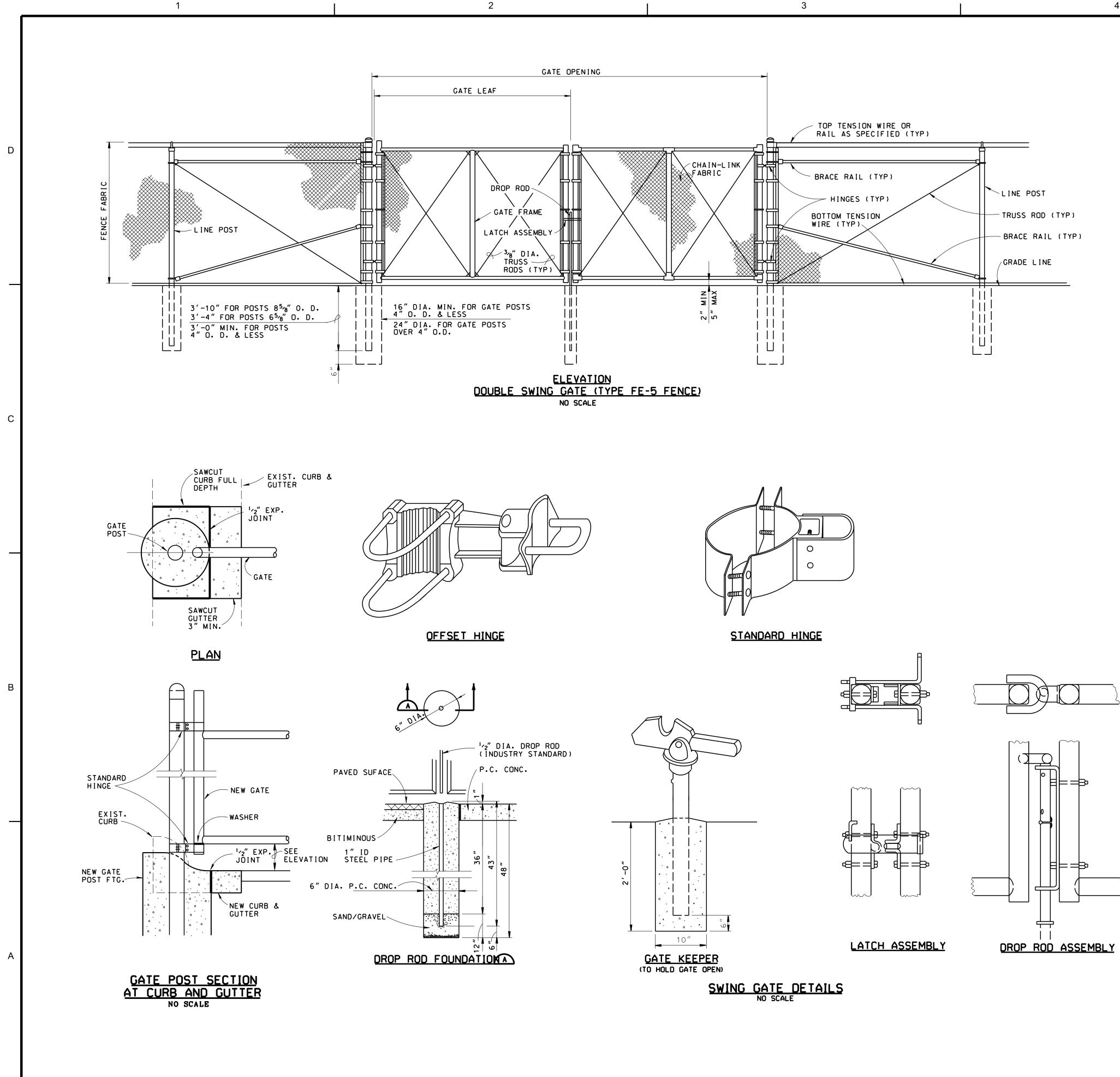
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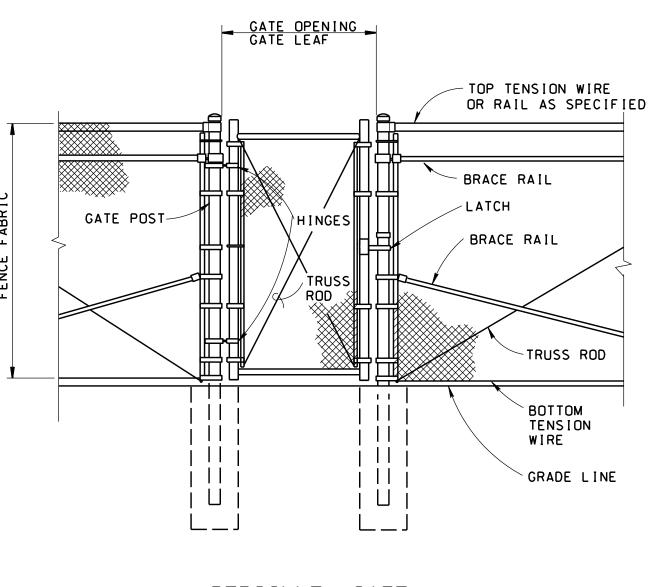
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NOTES: 1. DETAILS SHOWN ARE TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS AND ARE NOT INTENDED TO LIMIT OTHER TYPE OF FENCE SECTIONS AND METHODS OF INSTALLATION THAT COMPLY WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS.

2. SWING GATES SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED WITH DROP RODS, PADLOCKS, LATCH ASSEMBLY AND GATE KEEPERS EXCEPT AS NOTED.

3. ALL GATE FRAMES SHALL MEET THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF ASTM F900 1.90" NOMINAL (ROUND) OR 2.00' NOMINAL (SQUARE). GATE FRAMES SHALL BE OF WELDED CONSTRUCTION OR SHALL BE ASSEMBLED USING HEAVY FITTINGS. AT CONTRACTOR'S OPTION A WELDED HORIZONTAL BRACE MAY BE USED IN LIEU OF TRUSS RODS TO BRACE ALL-WELDED GATE FRAMES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROPER RIGID CONSTRUCTION OF ALL GATES SUPPLIED.

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## CENEDAL NOTES

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<u>GE</u>	NERAL NUTES:
1.	DESIGN CRITERIA AND REFERENCES: EM1110-2-1913, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF LEVEES EM1110-2-2504, DESIGN OF SHEET PILE WALLS EM1110-2-2502, ENGINEERING AND DESIGN - RETAINING AND FLOOD WALLS EM1110-2-2906, DESIGN OF PILE FOUNDATIONS EM1110-2-2104, STRENGTH DESIGN FOR REINFORCED CONCRETE HYDRAULIC STRUCT EC1110-2-6066, DESIGN OF I-WALLS ER1110-2-1806, EARTHQUAKE DESIGN AND EVALUATION OF CIVIL WORKS PROJECTS NAVFAC DM-7.2 FOUNDATIONS AND EARTH STRUCTURES ASCE 7-10 MINIMUM DESIGN LOADS FOR BUILDINGS AND OTHER STRUCTURES ACI 318-11 BUILDING CODE REQUIREMENTS FOR STRUCTURAL CONCRETE. REFER TO PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS FOR OTHER PERTINENT CODES AND CRITERIA ETL 1110-2-577 USE OF SPIRAL WELDED PIPE PILES
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2.	<ul> <li>GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:</li> <li>(A) ALL DIMENSIONS AND DETAILS SHALL BE VERIFIED AND COORDINATED BY THE CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.</li> <li>(B) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN ALL NECESSARY SAFEGUARDS TO PROTECT PUBLIC SAFETY AND ADJOINING PROPERTIES.</li> <li>(C) NO SEPARATE PAYMENT WILL BE MADE FOR PROVIDING AND MAINTAINING ALL EQUIPMENT AND METHODS TO KEEP EXCAVATIONS FREE OF WATER AND TO P FROM DAMAGE BY WATER DURING ALL PHASES OF CONSTRUCTION. ALL COSTS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR THE VARIOUS ITEMS IN THE PROPOSA</li> <li>(D) NO SEPARATE PAYMENT WILL BE MADE FOR FURNISHING, PLACING, AND MAINTAIN SHEETING, BRACING, SHORING, AND OTHER SUPPORTS REQUIRED BY THE WORK. THEREOF TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR THE VARIOUS ITEMS IN THE</li> <li>(E) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FURNISH, PLACE, AND MAINTAIN ALL SHEETING, BRACIN SHORING, AND OTHER SUPPORTS REQUIRED BY THE WORK.</li> <li>(F) DETAILS AS SHOWN IN ANY SECTION SHALL APPLY TO ALL SIMILAR SECTIONS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.</li> <li>(G) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLIANCE WITH ALL FEDERAL STATE, COUNTY, AND MUNICIPAL LAWS, ORDINANCES, AND REGULATIONS.</li> <li>(H) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL UTILIZE APPLICABLE DIVISIONS OF THE UFGS SPECIFIFOR ALL STRUCTURAL WORK INCLUDING:</li> </ul>
	DIVISION 03 CONCRETE 05 METALS 06 WOOD, PLASTICS, AND COMPOSITES 09 FINISHES 31 EARTHWORK
3.	UTILITIES:
	(A) THE LOCATIONS OF ALL UTILITIES INDICATED ON THE PLANS ARE APPROXIMATI GUARANTEED TO BE ACCURATE OR ALL INCLUSIVE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL O RESPECTIVE UTILITY COMPANIES FOR FIELD MARK-OUTS. THE CONTRACTOR SH LOCATIONS OF ALL UTILITIES BOTH HORIZONTALLY AND VERTICALLY PRIOR TO ANY WORK TO DETERMINE IF ANY CONFLICTS WILL OCCUR. SEPARATE PAYMEN MADE FOR THIS TASK. COSTS THEREOF SHALL BE INCLUDED IN PRICES BID FO ITEMS IN THE PROPOSAL.
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## FLOODWALL GENERAL NOTES:

- 1. WALL LINE REFERS TO CENTERLINE OF WALL STEM.
- 2. ARCHITECTURAL TREATMENT IS REQUIRED FOR C.I.P. CONCRETE WALL PANE NOTED. SEE DWG NO. S-503 & S-504 FOR FLUTE PATTERN. ALL VISIBLE STAINED UTILIZING A PENETRATING CONCRETE STAIN IN ACCORDANCE WITH AND COATING". THE WALLS SHALL BE STAINED FROM 1FT. MIN. BELOW THE AREAS NOT TO RECEIVE THE STAIN SHALL BE MASKED TO AVOID OVERSI
- 3. EXPOSED WALL SURFACES ARE TO BE PROTECTED WITH A COATING OF FROM 1 FT. MINIMUM BELOW THE GROUND SURFACE.

## 4. CONCRETE NOTES:

- (A) CONCRETE SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH (f'c) OF 28 DAYS, 56 DAYS IF POZZOLAN OR SLAG IS USED, UNLESS OTHERWISE
- (B) REINFORCING STEEL SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM YIELD STRENGTH (Fy) OF 6
- (C) CONSTRUCTION JOINTS SHALL BE PROVIDED WHERE SHOWN ON THE DRA SHOWN, CONSTRUCTION JOINTS SHALL BE PLACED AT LOCATIONS LEAST THE INTEGRITY OF THE CONCRETE STRUCTURE. THESE ADDITIONAL CONS LOCATIONS SHALL BE APPROVED BY THE CONTRACTING OFFICER.
- (D) UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, PROVIDE CHAMFER AT ALL EXPOSED JOINTS, EXTERNAL CORNERS, AND VERTICAL EXPANSION JOINTS.
- (E) ALL PRIMARY REINFORCEMENT SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM COVER OF 4" UN NOTED. (3" AT LOW TEMPORARY CUT OFF WALL)
- (F) ALL BENDS OF REINFORCEMENT AND ALL BAR SPACERS AND SUPPORTS ACCORDANCE WITH SP-66, AMERICAN CONCRETE INSTITUTE DETAILING MA
- (G) REINFORCING BAR DESIGNATION NUMBERS CONFORM TO THE NUMBERING CONCRETE REINFORCING STEEL INSTITUTE.
- (H) REINFORCING BARS SHALL BE CONTINUOUS AT ALL CORNERS UNLESS O
- (I) REINFORCEMENT, WHERE NECESSARY TO AVOID OPENINGS, PIPES, EMBEDD OBSTRUCTIONS, SHALL BE BENT OR SHIFTED AS DIRECTED BY THE CON
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4. <u>STEEL NOTES</u> : (A) TO PREVENT CORROSION BY MOISTURE BETWEEN STEEL SURFACES IN CONCONTACTS SHALL BE SEALED WATERTIGHT BY RUNNING A CONTINUOUS FILL ALL EDGES OF THE CONTACT, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
(B) ALL WELDING SHALL BE ELECTRIC WELDING. WORKMANSHIP AND TECHNIQUE SHALL CONFORM TO THE AMERICAN WELDING SOCIETY STRUCTURAL WELDI
(C) WELDING SYMBOLS SHOWN ARE THOSE ADOPTED BY THE AMERICAN WELDI INDICATE ONLY SIZE AND TYPE OF WELDS REQUIRED.DETAILED INFORMATIO ON THE SHOP DRAWINGS AND SUBMITTED BY THE CONTRACTOR FOR APPE
(D) DIMENSIONS SHOWN OR CALLED FOR ARE THE FINAL DIMENSIONS; ALLOWAN MADE FOR MACHINING.
(E) ALL WELDING TO MILD STEEL SHALL COMPLY WITH AWS D1.1 CYCLIC CRITE NOTED OTHERWISE.
5. <u>SHEET PILING NOTES:</u>
(A) EXCEPT AS NOTED, ALL SHEET PILES SHALL BE PZ-22, ASTM A572 AND C
6. <u>PIPE SOLDIER PILE NOTES</u> :
(A) ALL SOLDIER PILES SHALL BE 20'' ERW STRAIGHT SEAM PIPE ASTM A252 THICKNESS .625''.
(B) CONCRETE FILL FOR PIPE SOLDIER PILES SHALL BE F'C = 6,000 PSI.
(C) ALL SOLDIER PILES SHALL BE DRILLED MINIMUM 10' INTO BEDROCK AS NOT
7. COMPOSITE WALL NOTES:
(A) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REVIEW THE GEOTECHNICAL DATA TAKEN FROM GEOTECHNICAL AND HTRW INVESTIGATION FINAL REPORT DATED DECEMBER THE CONTRACTOR IS CAUTIONED THAT SOIL AND ROCK ELEVATIONS MAY INDICATED ON THE BORING LOGS AS WELL AS THE COMPACTNESS OR STIL STRENGTH OF THE ROCK. IT WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTR ANY OBSTRUCTIONS AND LOCATE TOP OF BEDROCK ACCORDING TO NOTES FOR SOLDIER PILE INSTALLATION.
(B) IT WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR TO SELECT SUITAB AND PILE DRIVING HAMMERS CONSIDERING THE SITE CONDITIONS AND LAYO SOLDIER PILES AND SHEET PILES. IF APPLICABLE, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL LENGTH OF THE SHEET PILES CONSIDERING THE DRIVABILITY OF SHEET PI SOLDIER PILES OR SHALL CONSIDER SUITABLE ACCESSORIES.
(C) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PERFORM PRE-TRENCHING FOR SHEET PILES AS TO REDUCE THE VIBRATIONS BELOW THE ACCEPTABLE LIMITS OR AS DIRE CONTRACTING OFFICER.
(D) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH THE VIBRATION MONITORING REQUI THE CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS.
(E) THE DRILL RIG FOR SOLDIER PILE INSTALLATION SHALL BE CAPABLE OF DI MATERIALS AND ROCK.
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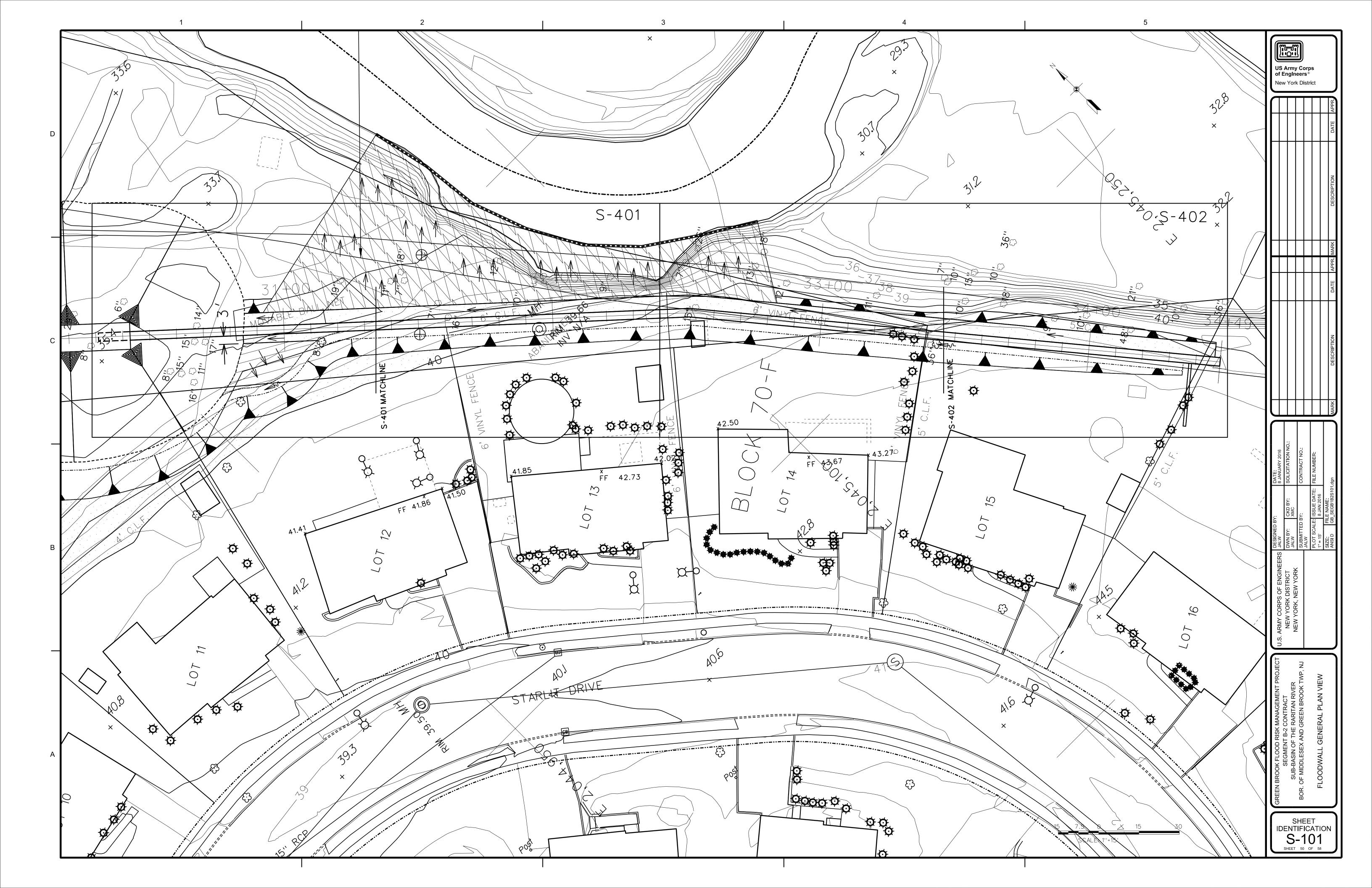
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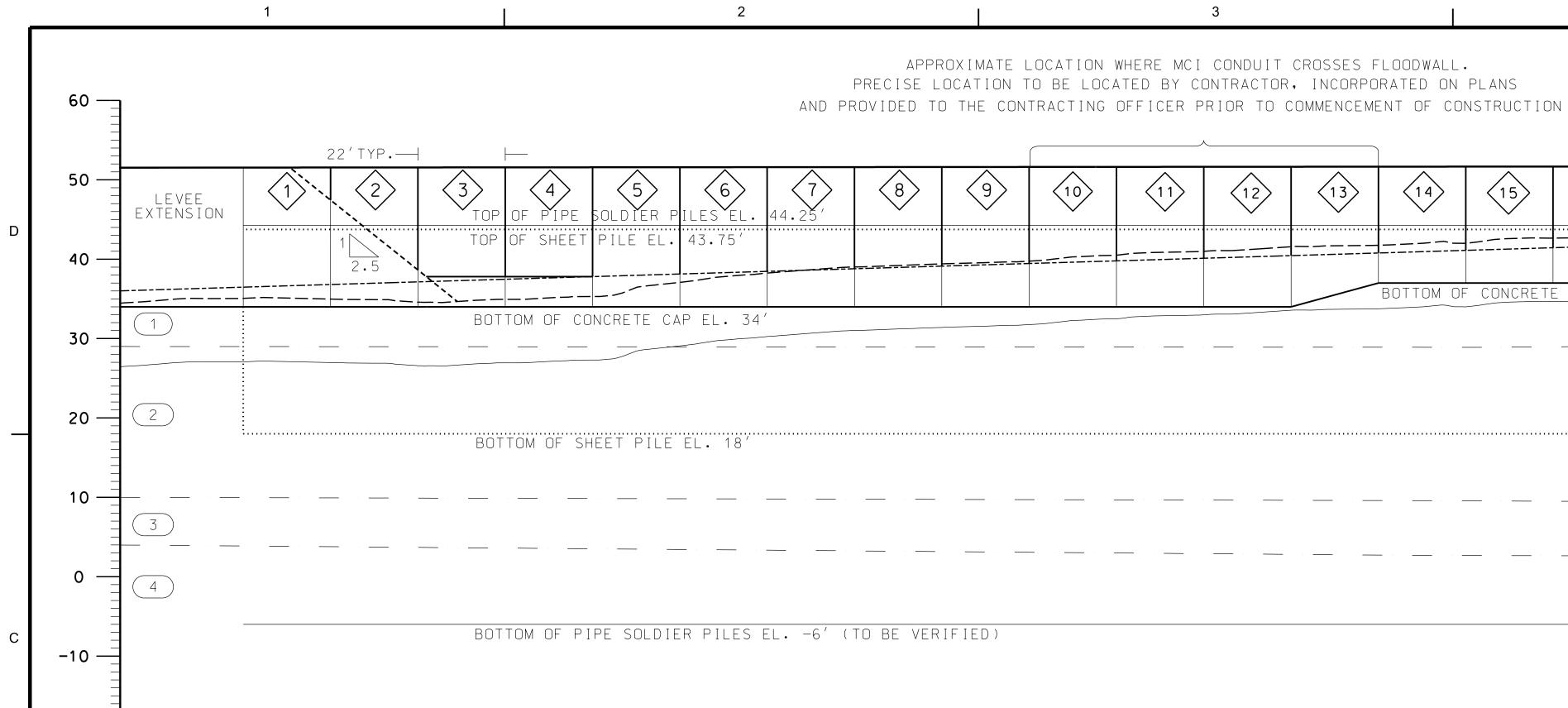
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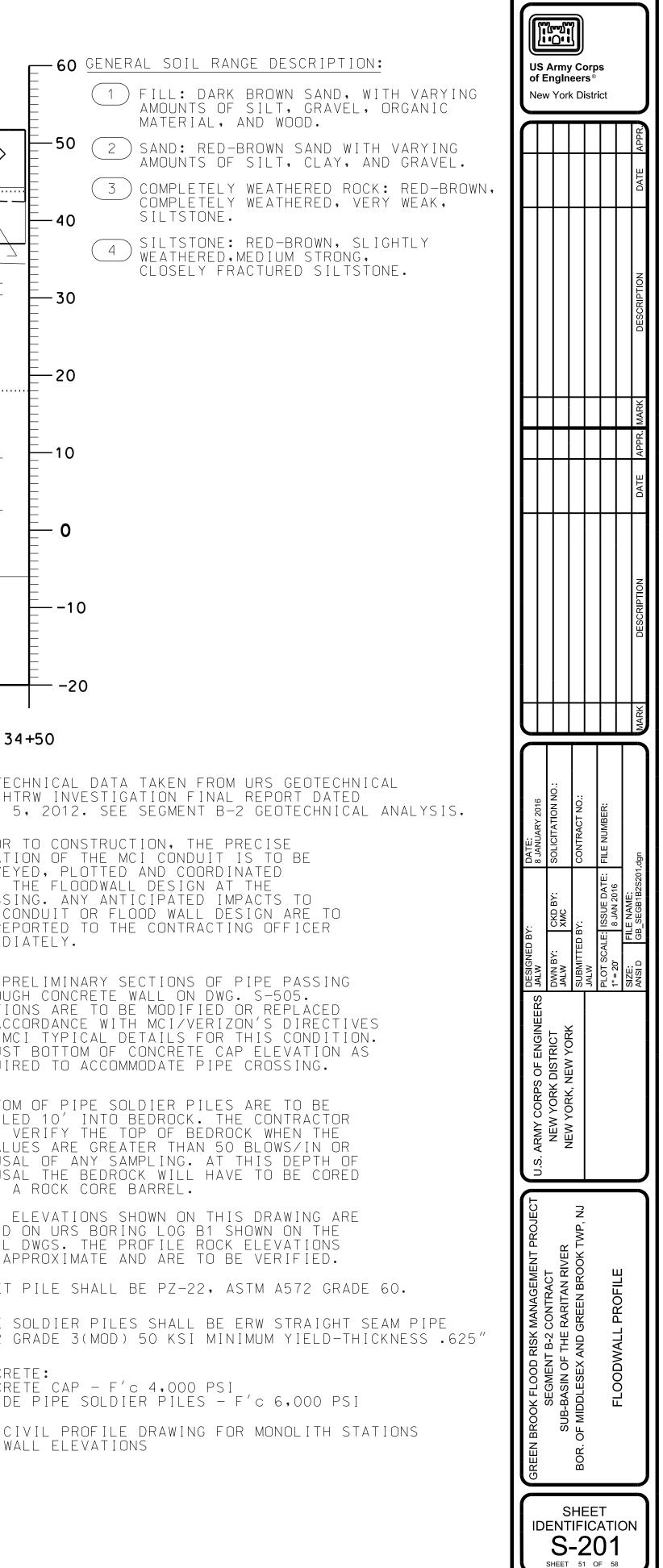
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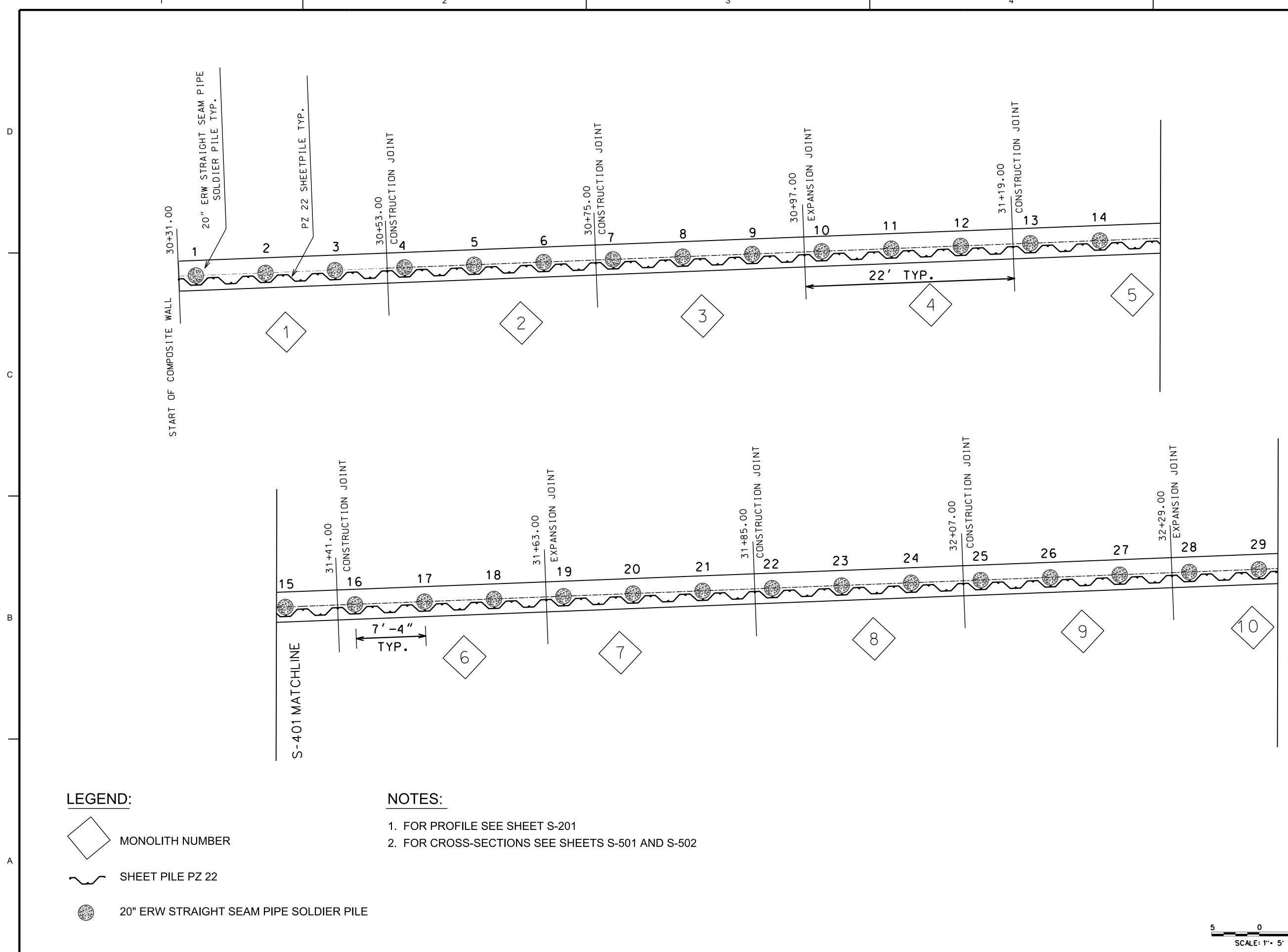
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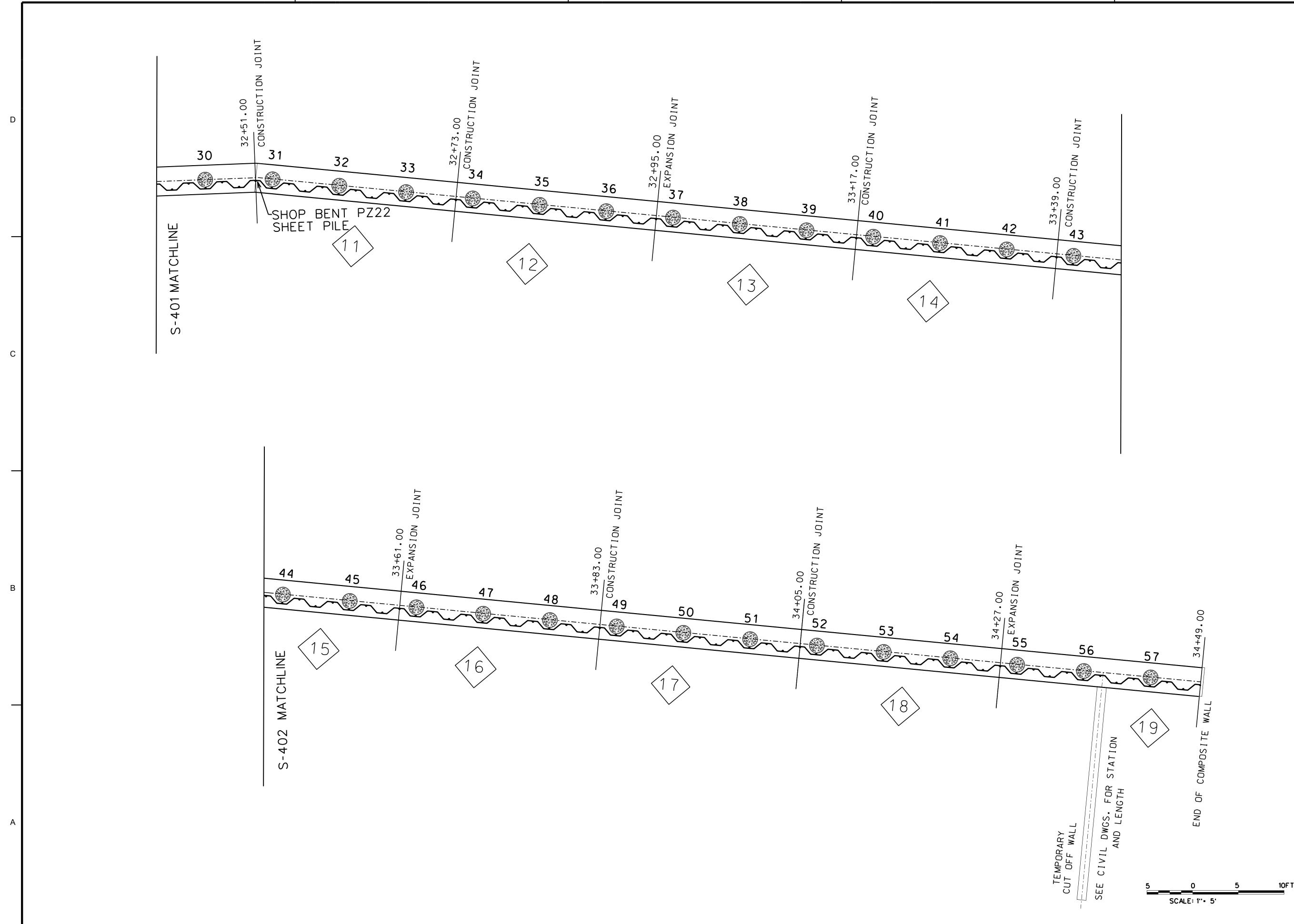
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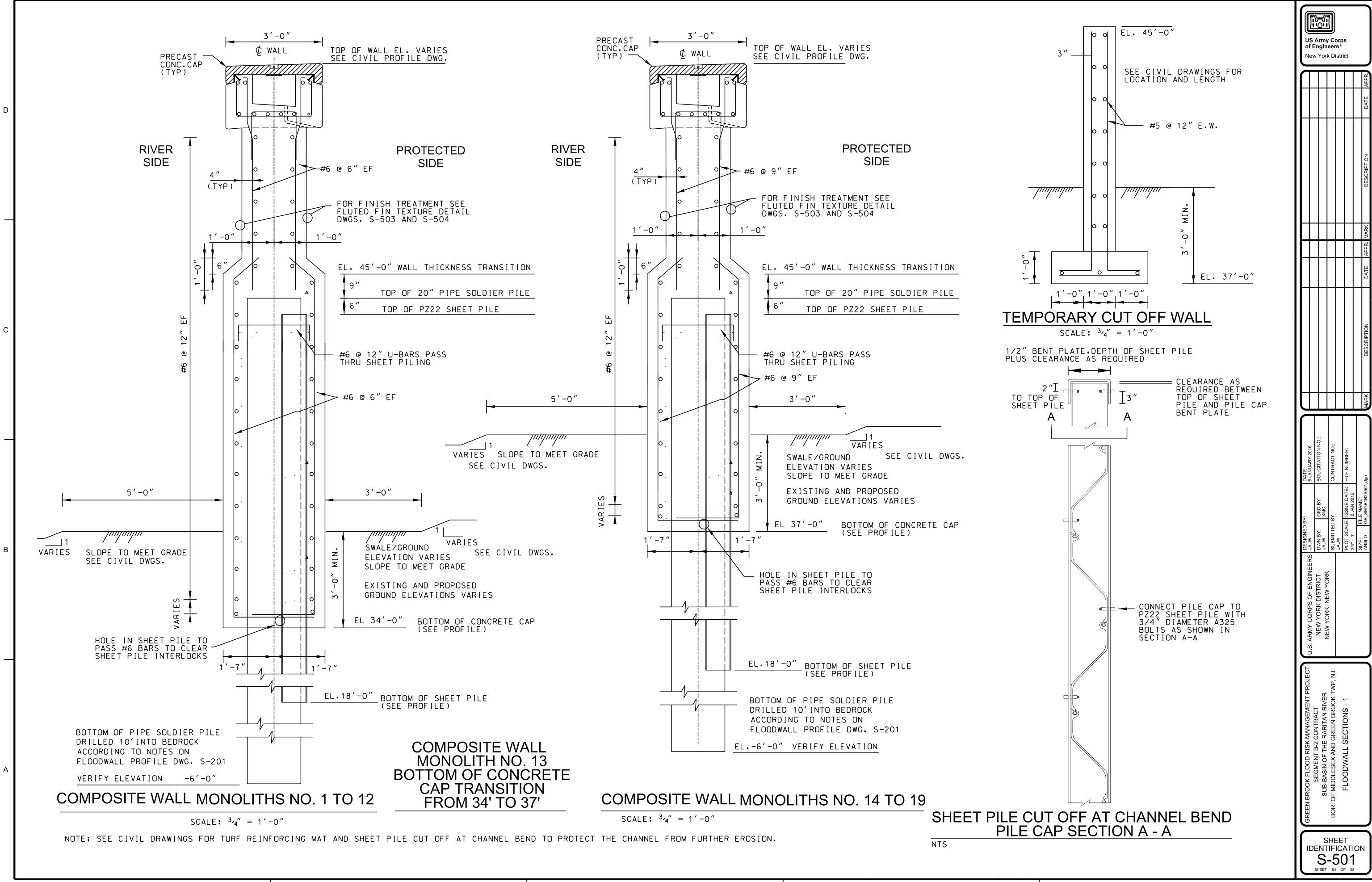


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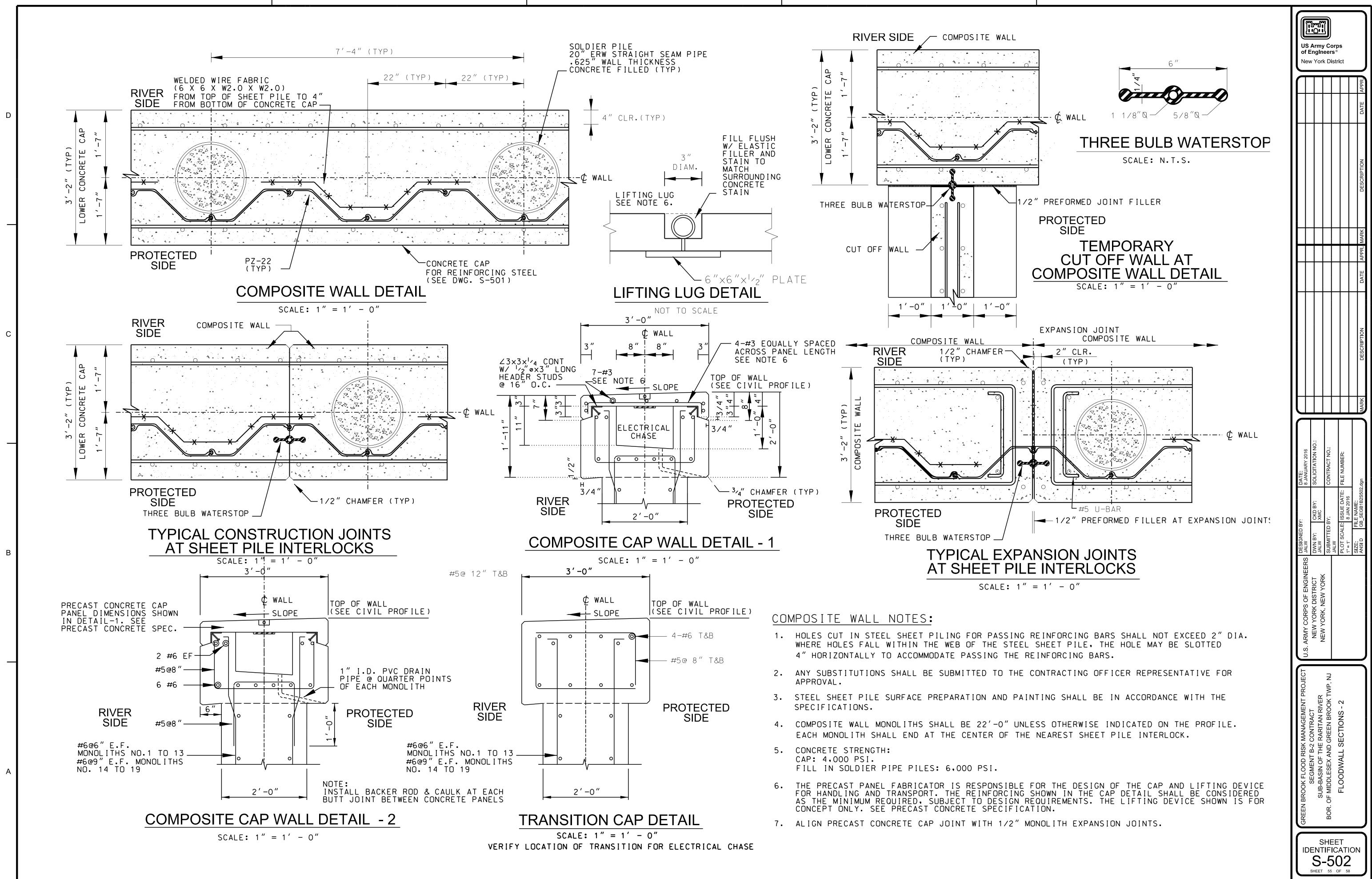


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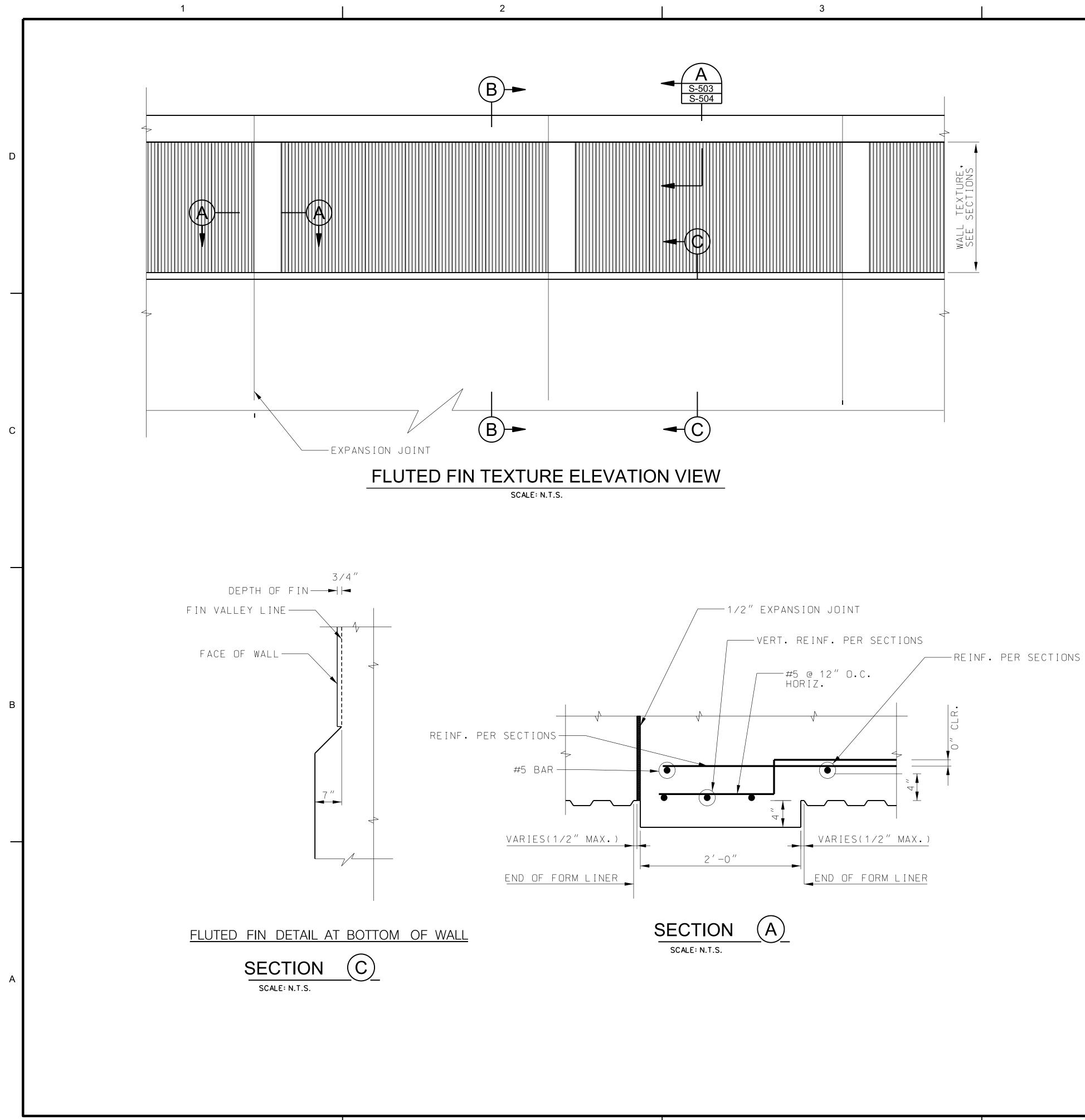




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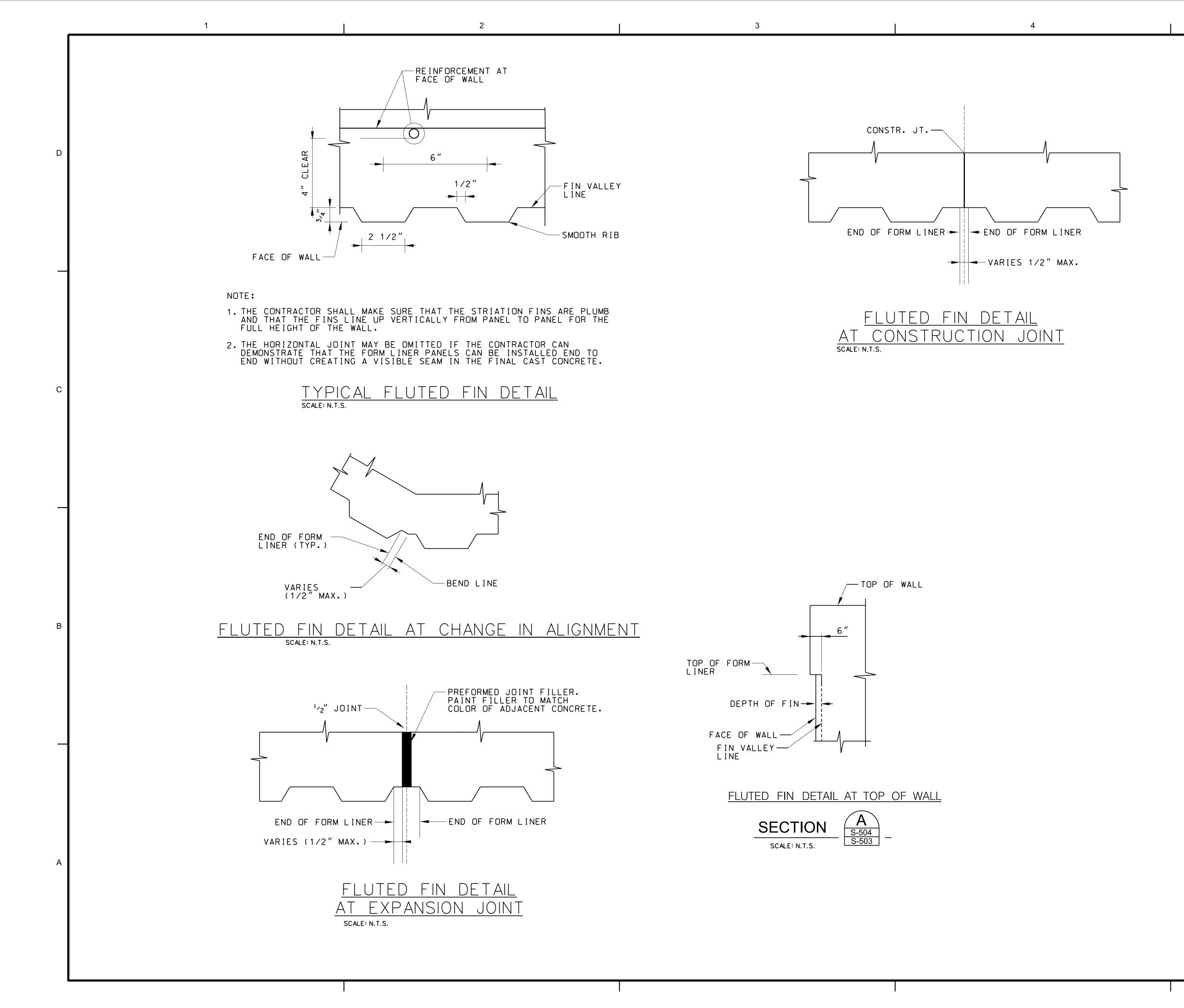
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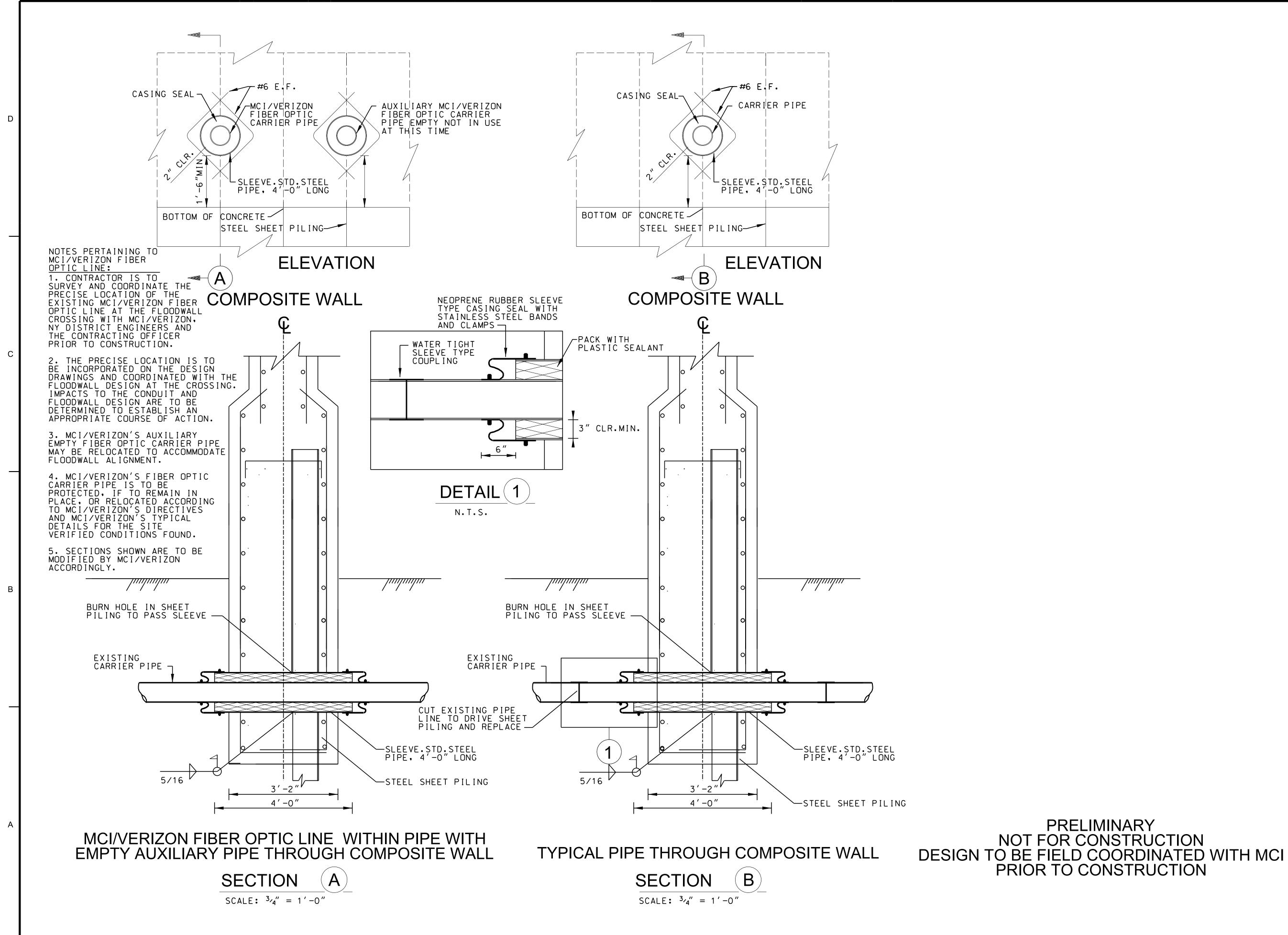
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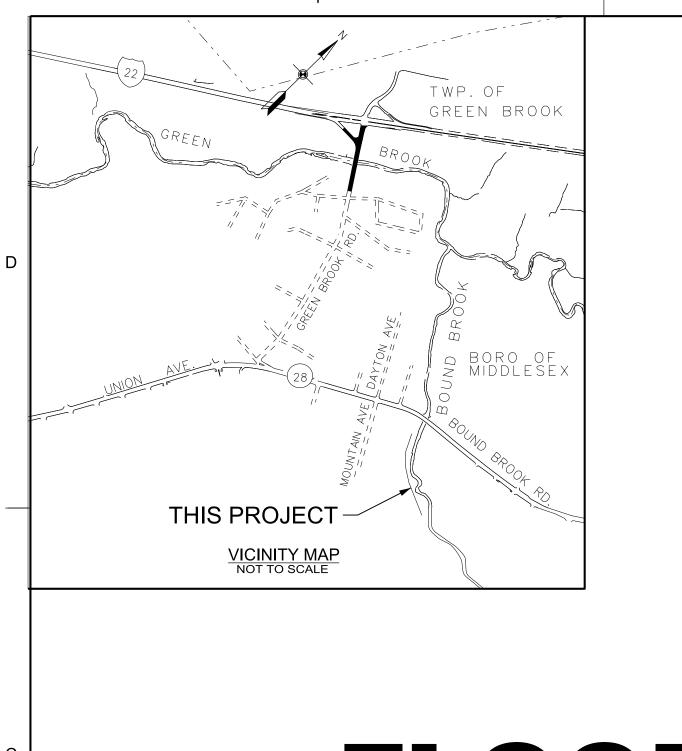


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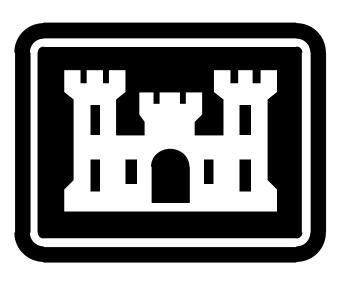
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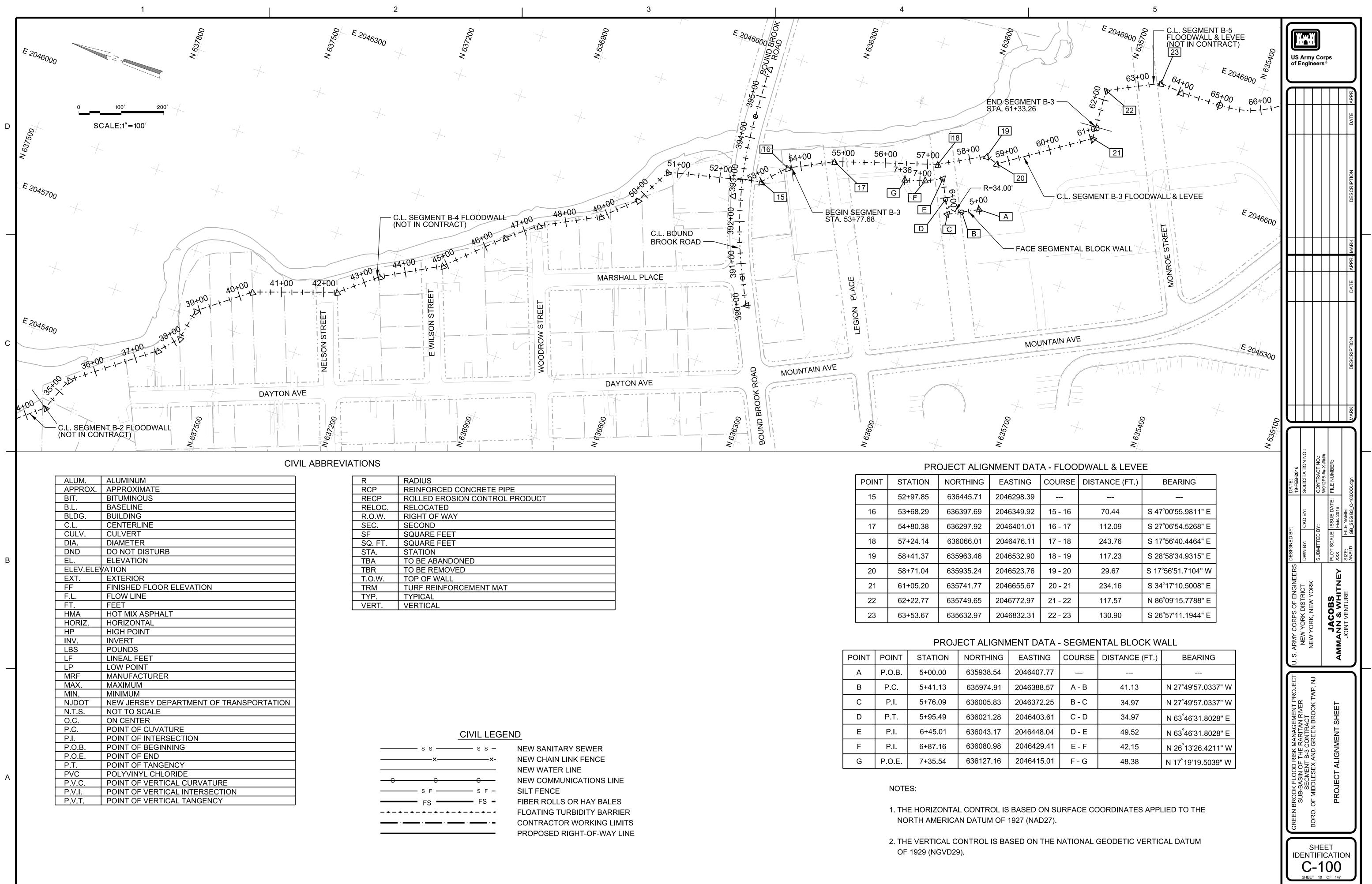


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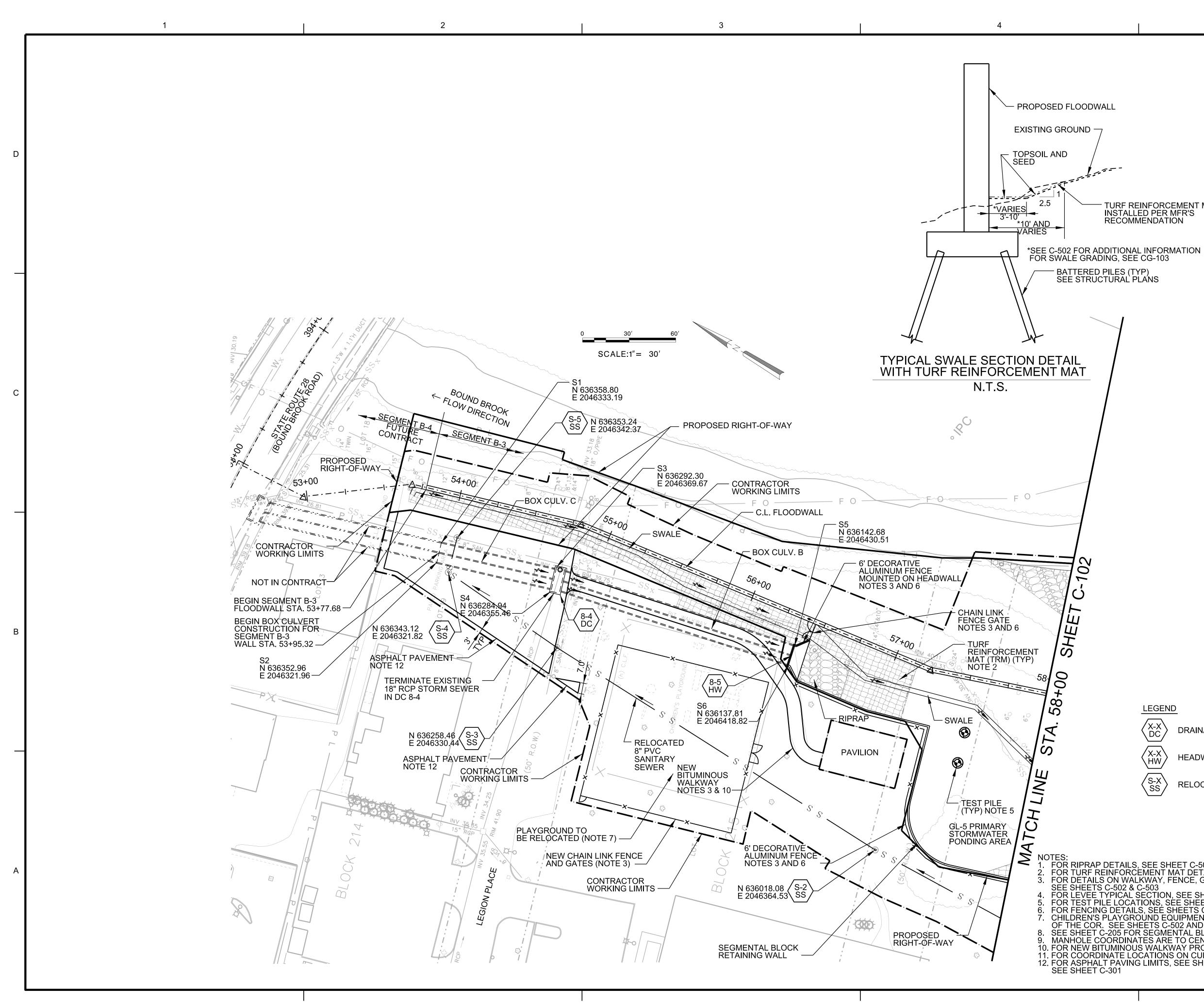


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17	54+80.38	636297.92	2046
18	57+24.14	636066.01	2046
19	58+41.37	635963.46	2046
20	58+71.04	635935.24	2046
21	61+05.20	635741.77	20466
22	62+22.77	635749.65	20467
23	63+53.67	635632.97	2046

POINT	POINT	STATION	NORTHING	EASTING	COURSE	DISTANCE (FT.)	BEARING
A	P.O.B.	5+00.00	635938.54	2046407.77			
В	P.C.	5+41.13	635974.91	2046388.57	A - B	41.13	N 27°49'57.0337" W
С	P.I.	5+76.09	636005.83	2046372.25	B - C	34.97	N 27°49'57.0337" W
D	P.T.	5+95.49	636021.28	2046403.61	C - D	34.97	N 63 <sup>°</sup> 46'31.8028" E
E	P.I.	6+45.01	636043.17	2046448.04	D - E	49.52	N 63 <sup>°</sup> 46'31.8028" E
F	P.I.	6+87.16	636080.98	2046429.41	E - F	42.15	N 26 <sup>°</sup> 13'26.4211" W
G	P.O.E.	7+35.54	636127.16	2046415.01	F - G	48.38	N 17 <sup>°</sup> 19'19.5039" W

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- TURF REINFORCEMENT MAT (TRM) INSTALLED PER MFR'S RECOMMENDATION

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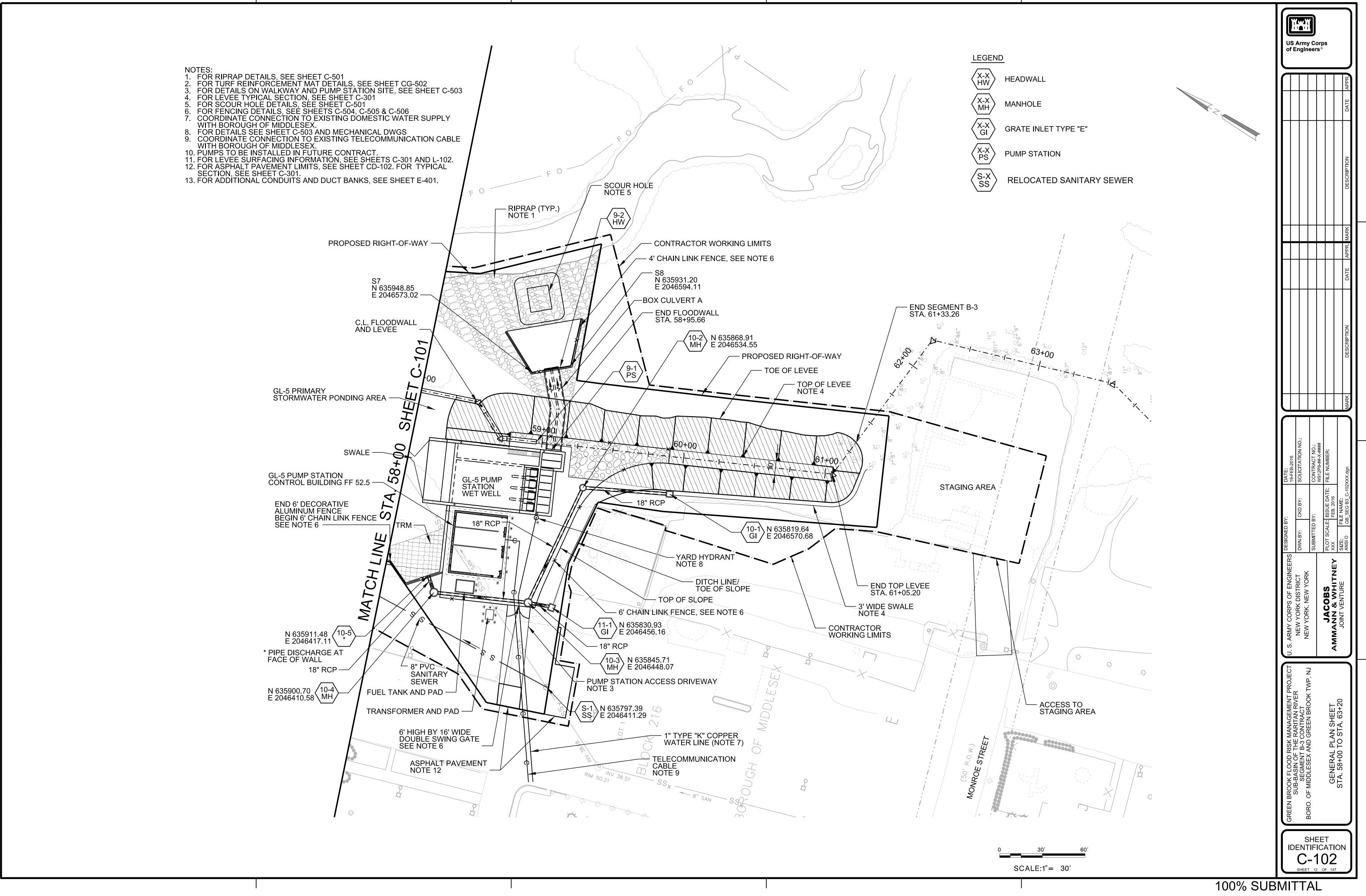
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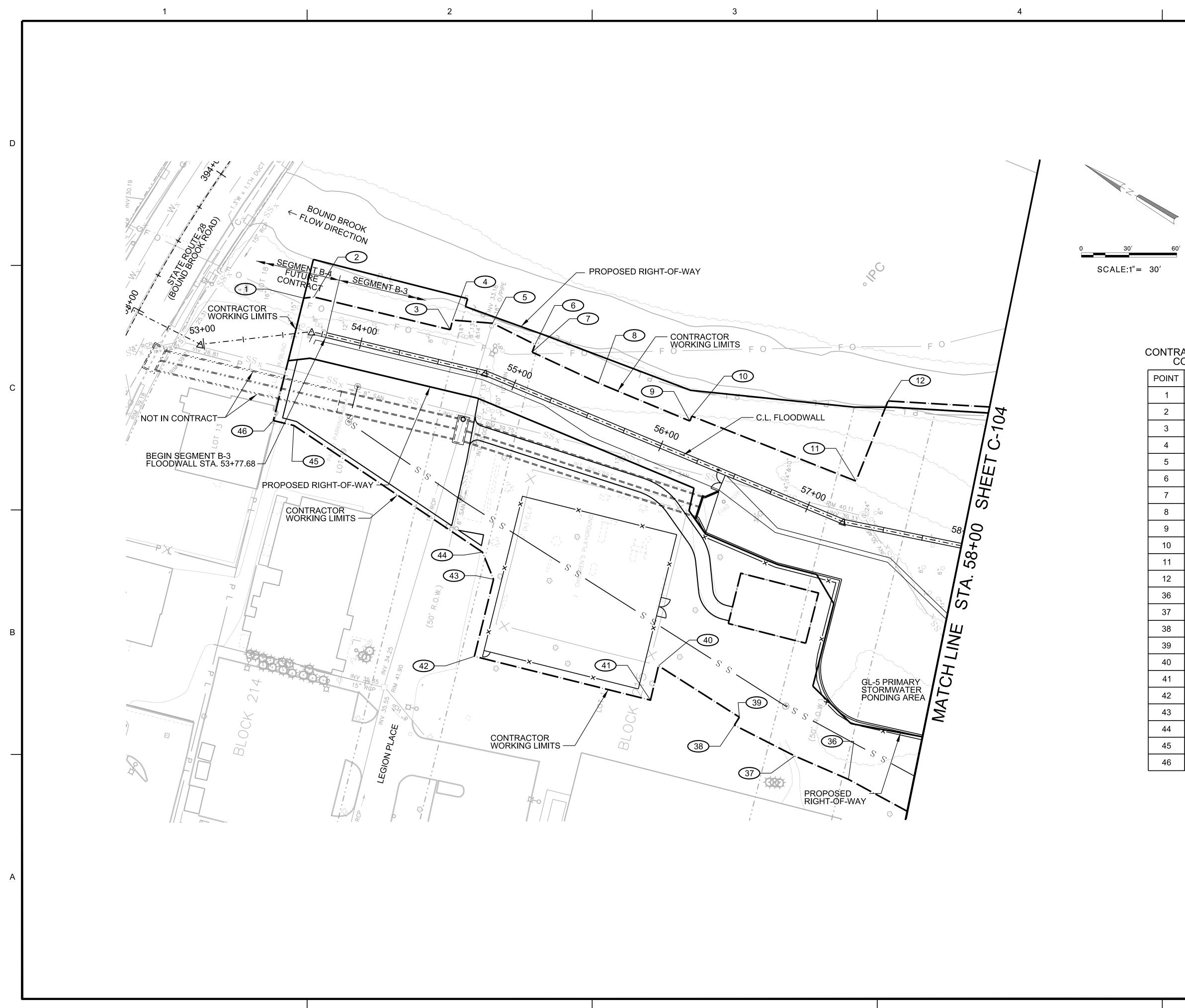
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1. FOR RIPRAP DETAILS, SEE SHEET C-501
2. FOR TURF REINFORCEMENT MAT DETAILS, SEE SHEET CG-502
3. FOR DETAILS ON WALKWAY, FENCE, GATES AND PUMP STATION SITE, SEE SHEETS C-502 & C-503
4. FOR LEVEE TYPICAL SECTION, SEE SHEET C-301
5. FOR TEST PILE LOCATIONS, SEE SHEET C-503
6. FOR FENCING DETAILS, SEE SHEETS C-504, C-505 & C-506
7. CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT SHALL BE RELOCATED AT THE DIRECTION OF THE COR. SEE SHEETS C-502 AND CD-101 AND SPECIFICATIONS.
8. SEE SHEET C-205 FOR SEGMENTAL BLOCK WALL PROFILE
9. MANHOLE COORDINATES ARE TO CENTER OF STRUCTURE UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
10. FOR NEW BITUMINOUS WALKWAY PROFILE, SEE SHEET C-202
11. FOR COORDINATE LOCATIONS ON CULVERT HEADWALLS, SEE STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS.
12. FOR ASPHALT PAVING LIMITS, SEE SHEET CD-101. FOR PAVEMENT SECTION, SEE SHEET C-301 N N N C-101

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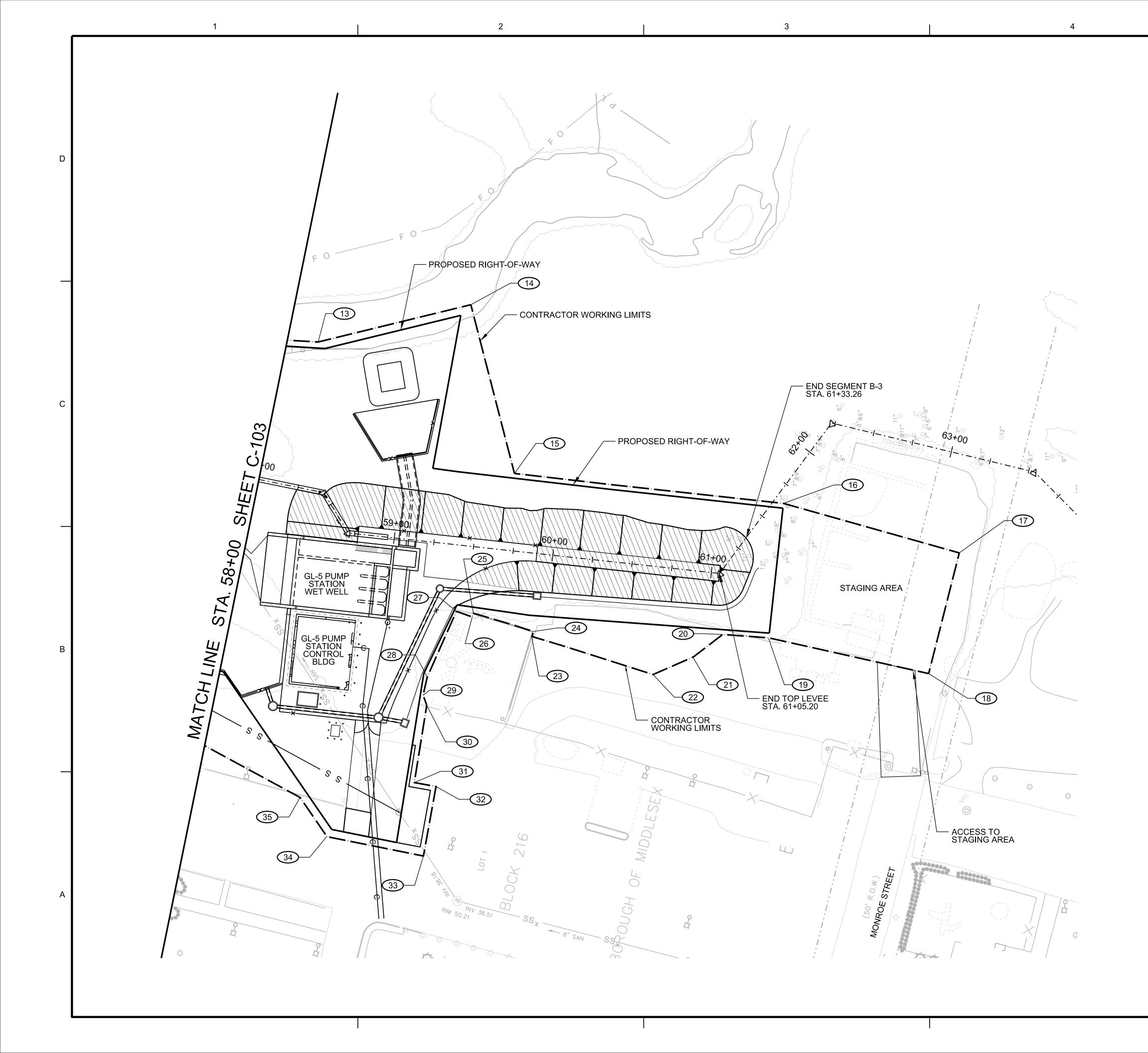




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COORDINATE TABLE						
POINT	NORTHING	EASTING				
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3	636332.25	2046407.43				
4	636335.03	2046412.99				
5	636314.66	2046427.80				
6	636285.63	2046435.02				
7	636283.95	2046430.17				
8	636239.57	2406442.50				
9	636180.35	2046461.66				
10	636181.42	2046464.79				
11	636076.40	2046500.79				
12	636093.82	2046552.18				
36	635958.19	2046355.10				
37	635993.44	2046344.35				
38	636034.86	2046334.43				
39	636035.73	2046340.30				
40	636095.38	2046331.85				
41	636085.20	2046312.12				
42	636187.28	2046261.14				
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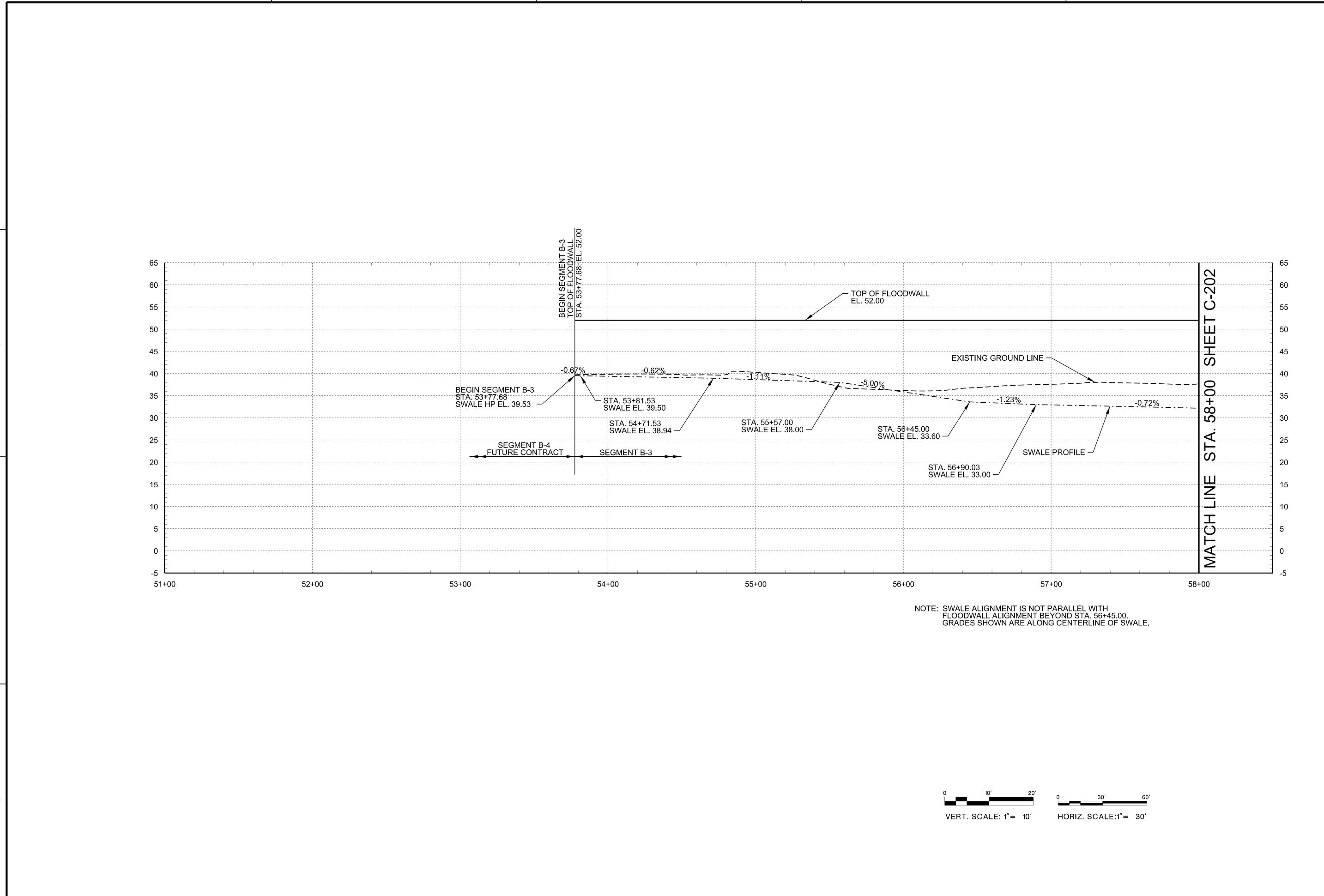
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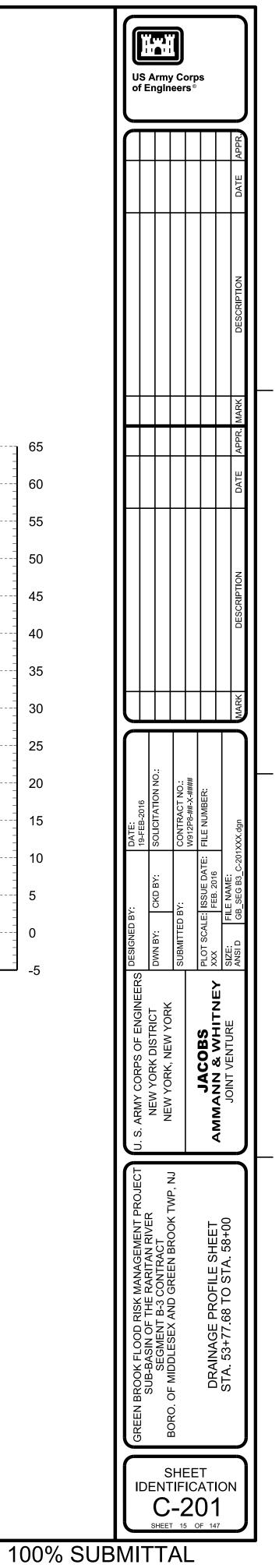
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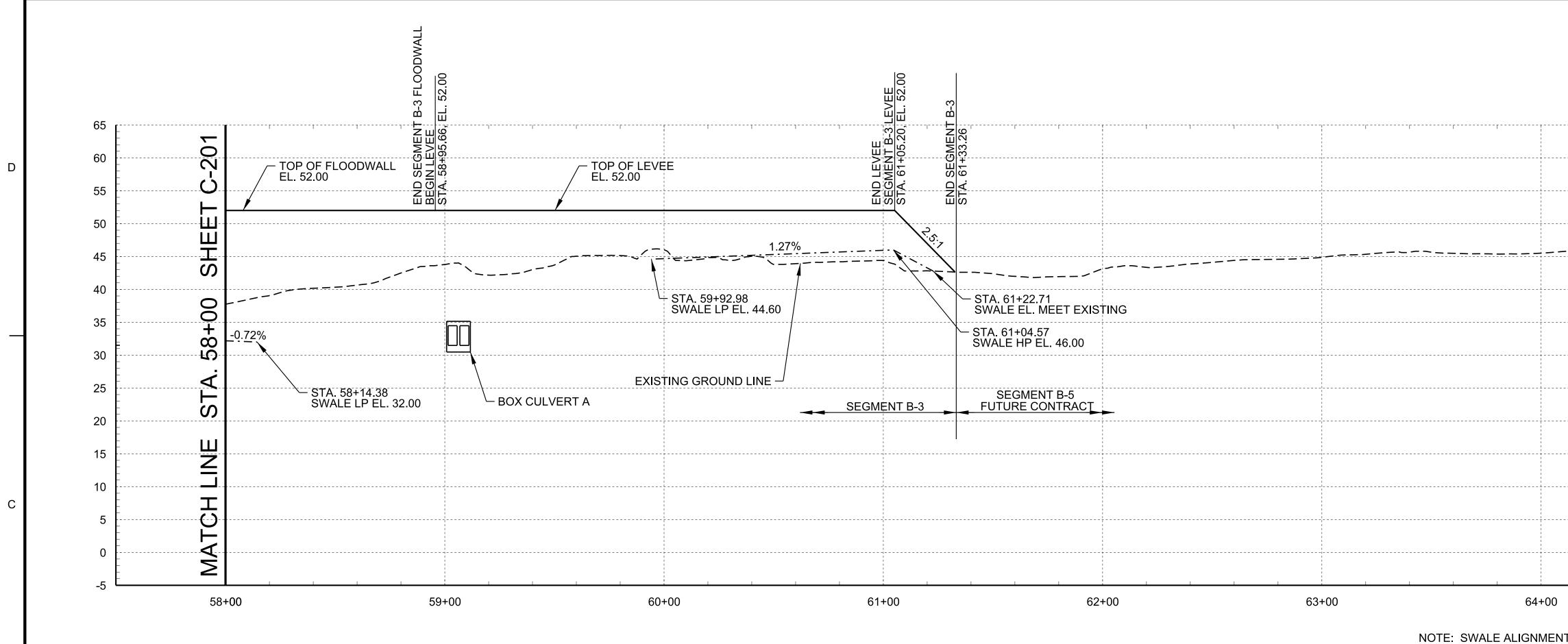
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16	635739.86	2046715.07
17	635635.86	2046763.08
18	635601.32	2046693.10
19	635692.00	2046645.06
20	635715.45	2046627.86
21	635720.25	2046605.23
22	635732.31	2046580.41
23	635805.53	2046549.22
24	635806.83	2046552.20
25	635842.94	2046536.45
26	635841.94	2046534.19
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28	635838.93	2046487.20
29	635833.56	2046476.92
30	635827.67	2046473.55
31	635802.15	2046431.66
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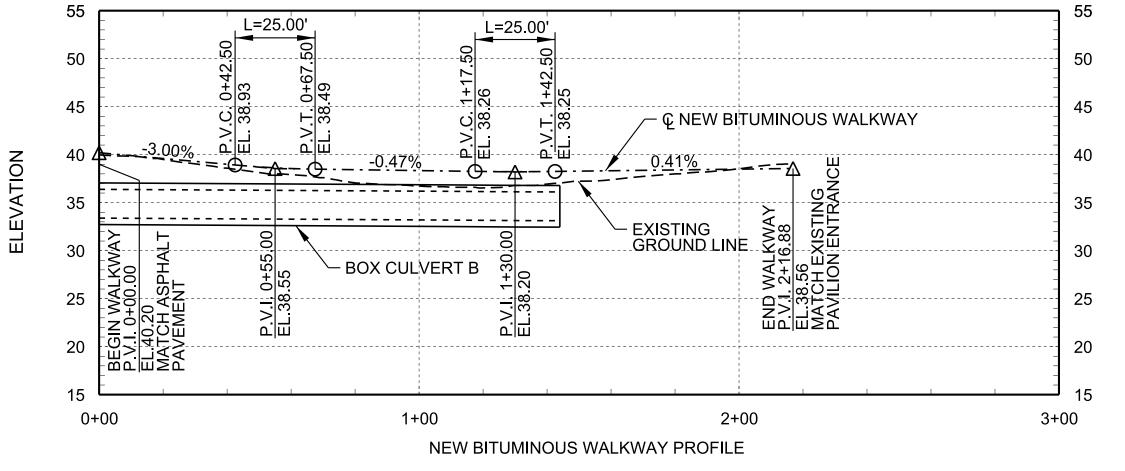


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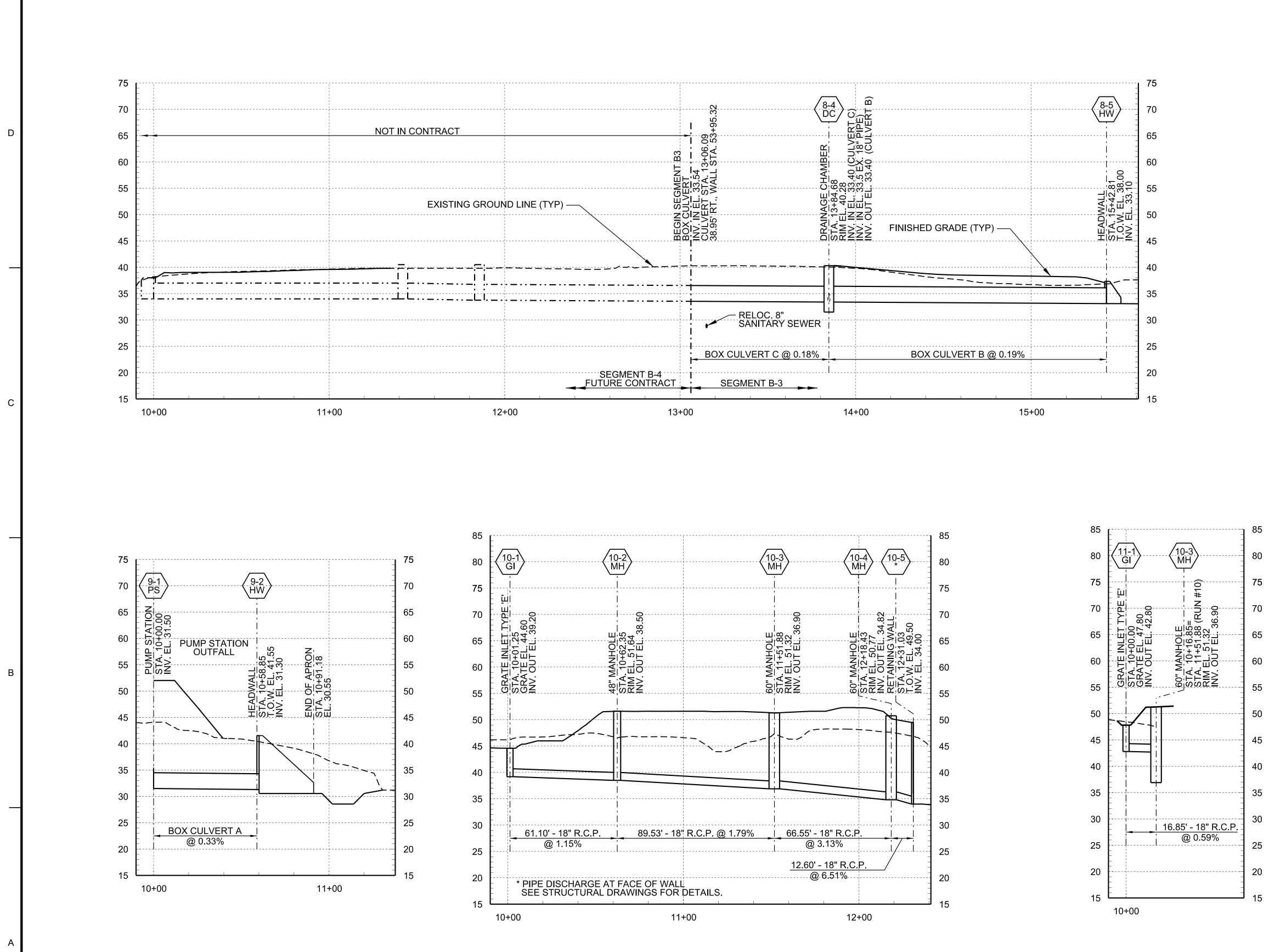
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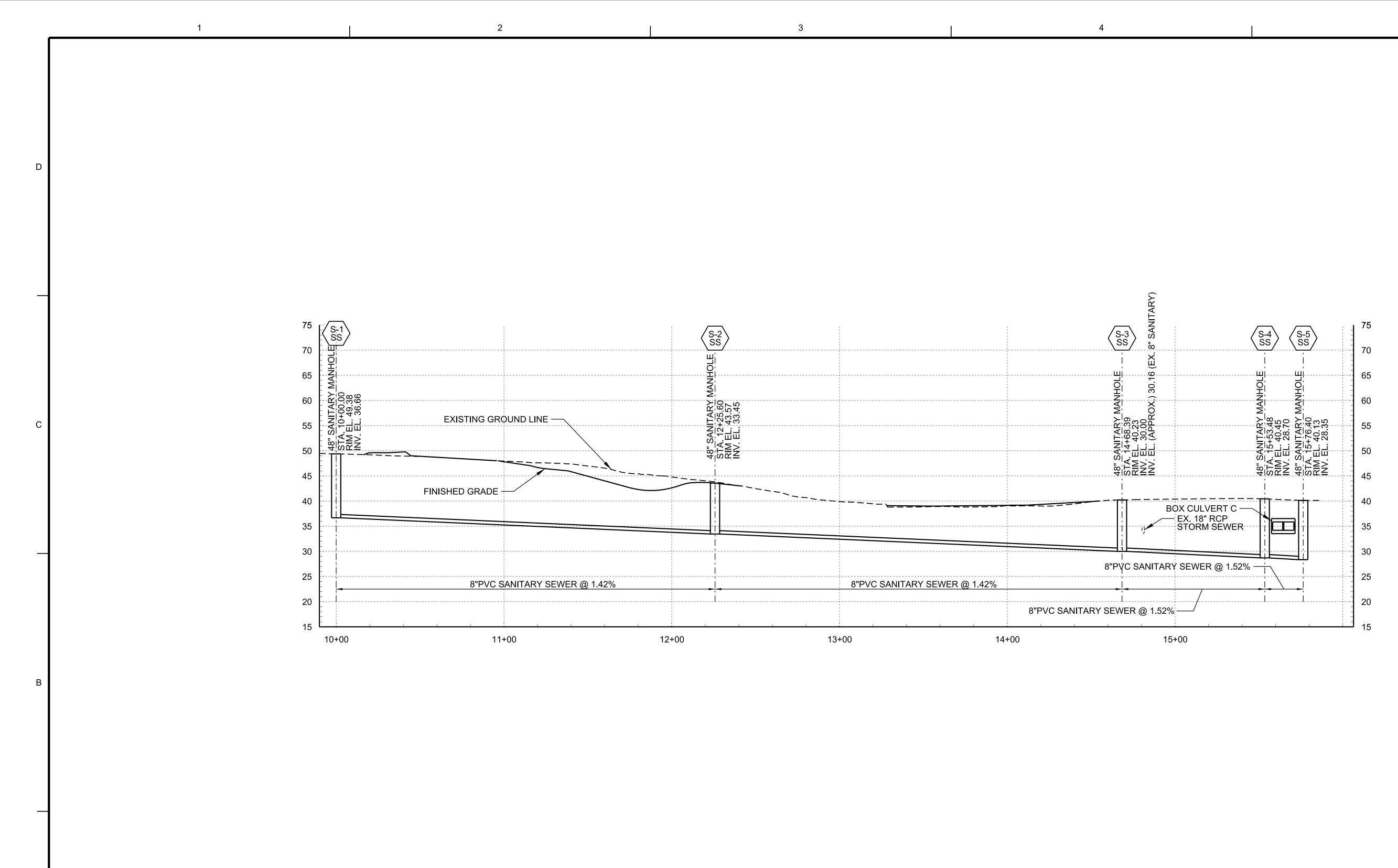




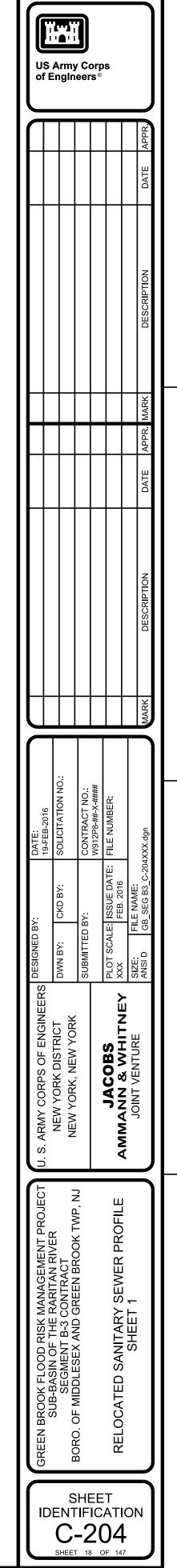
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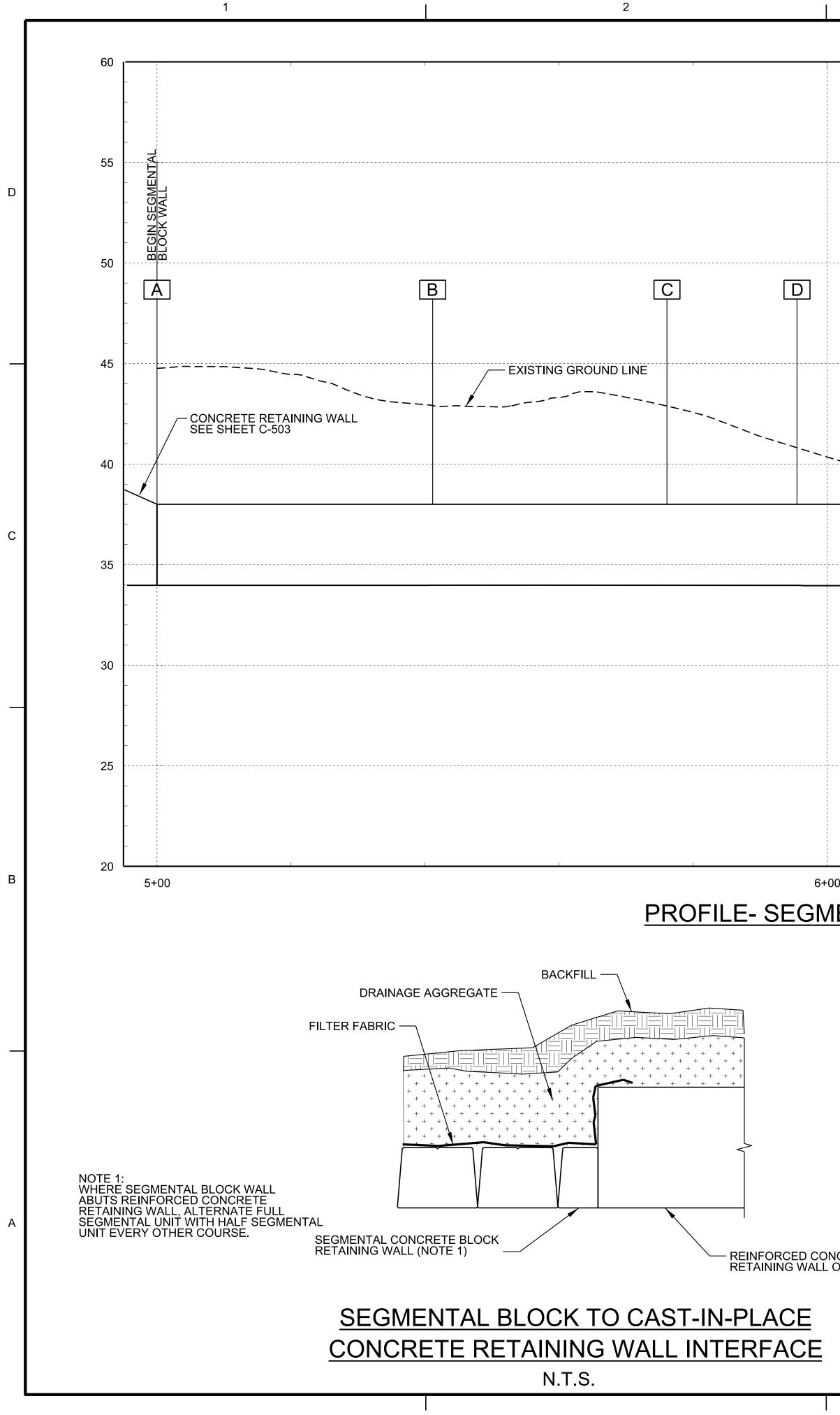




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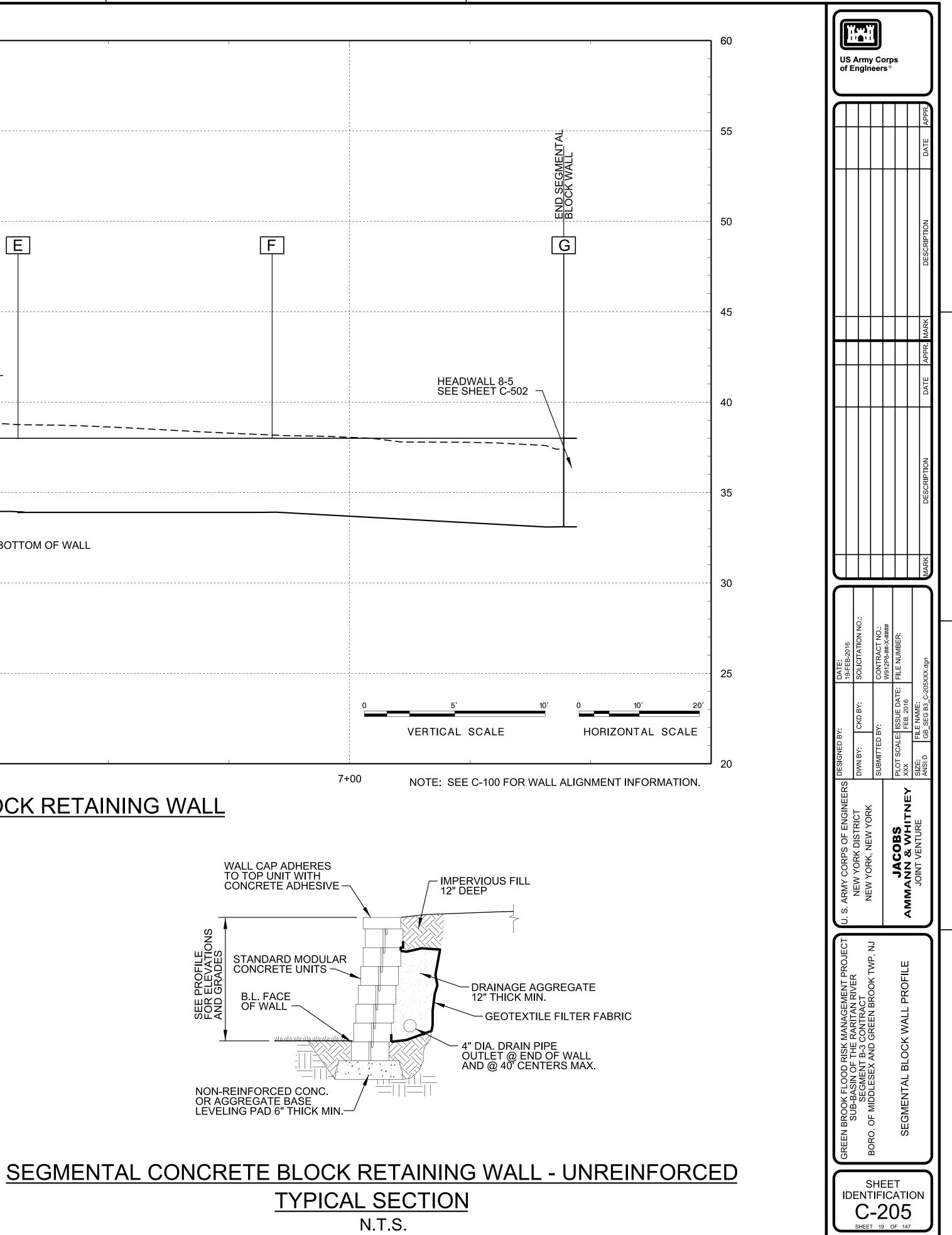
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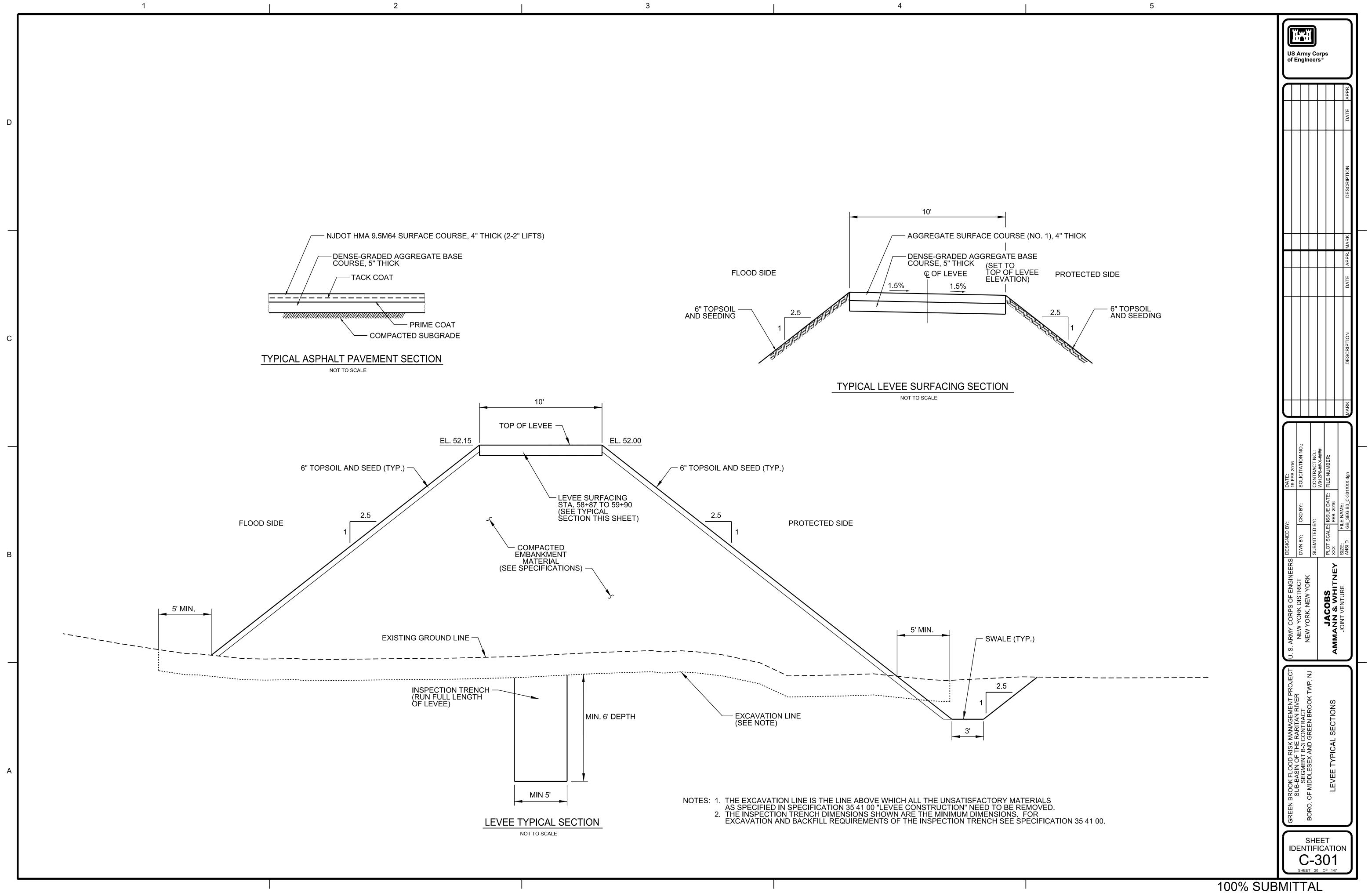
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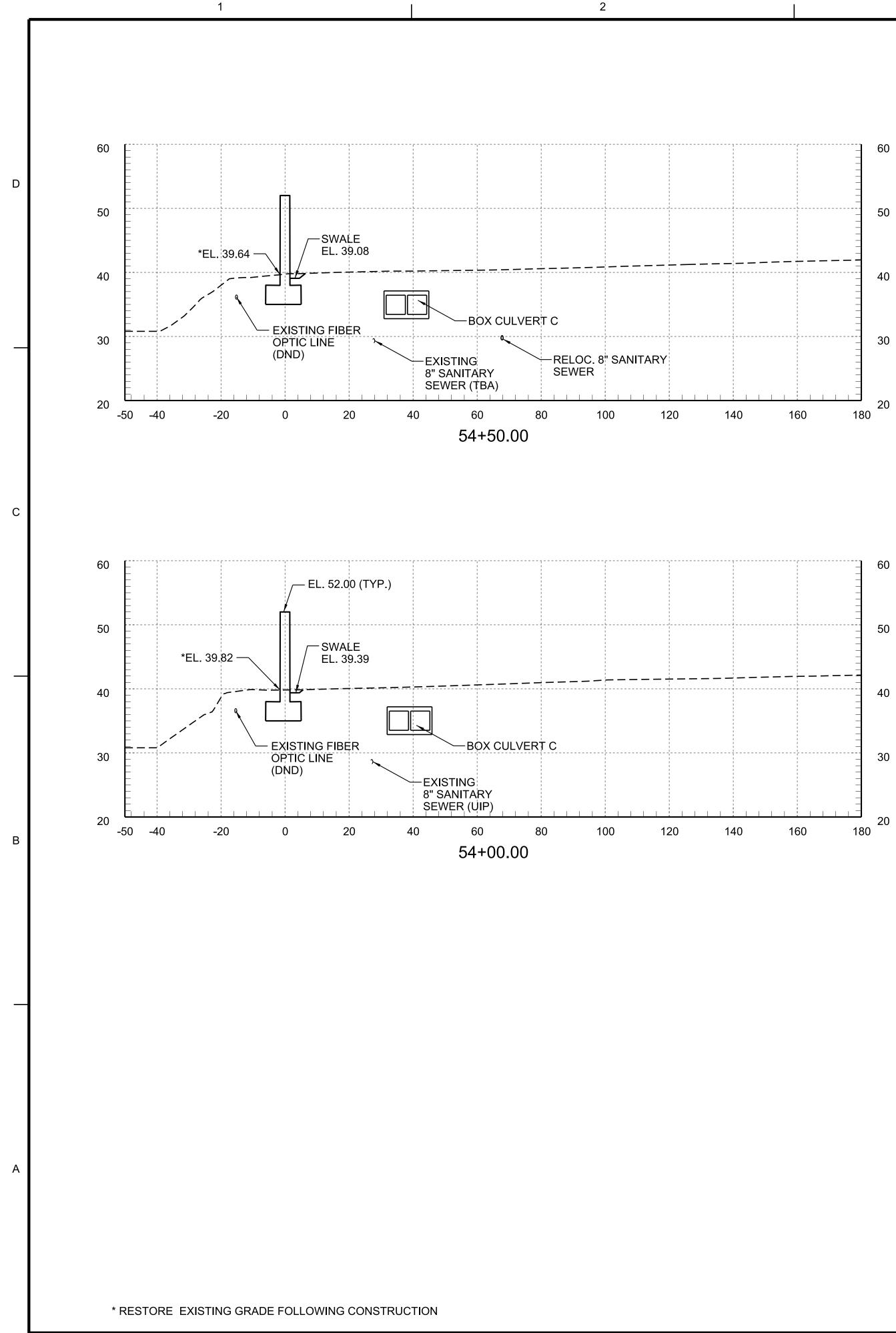
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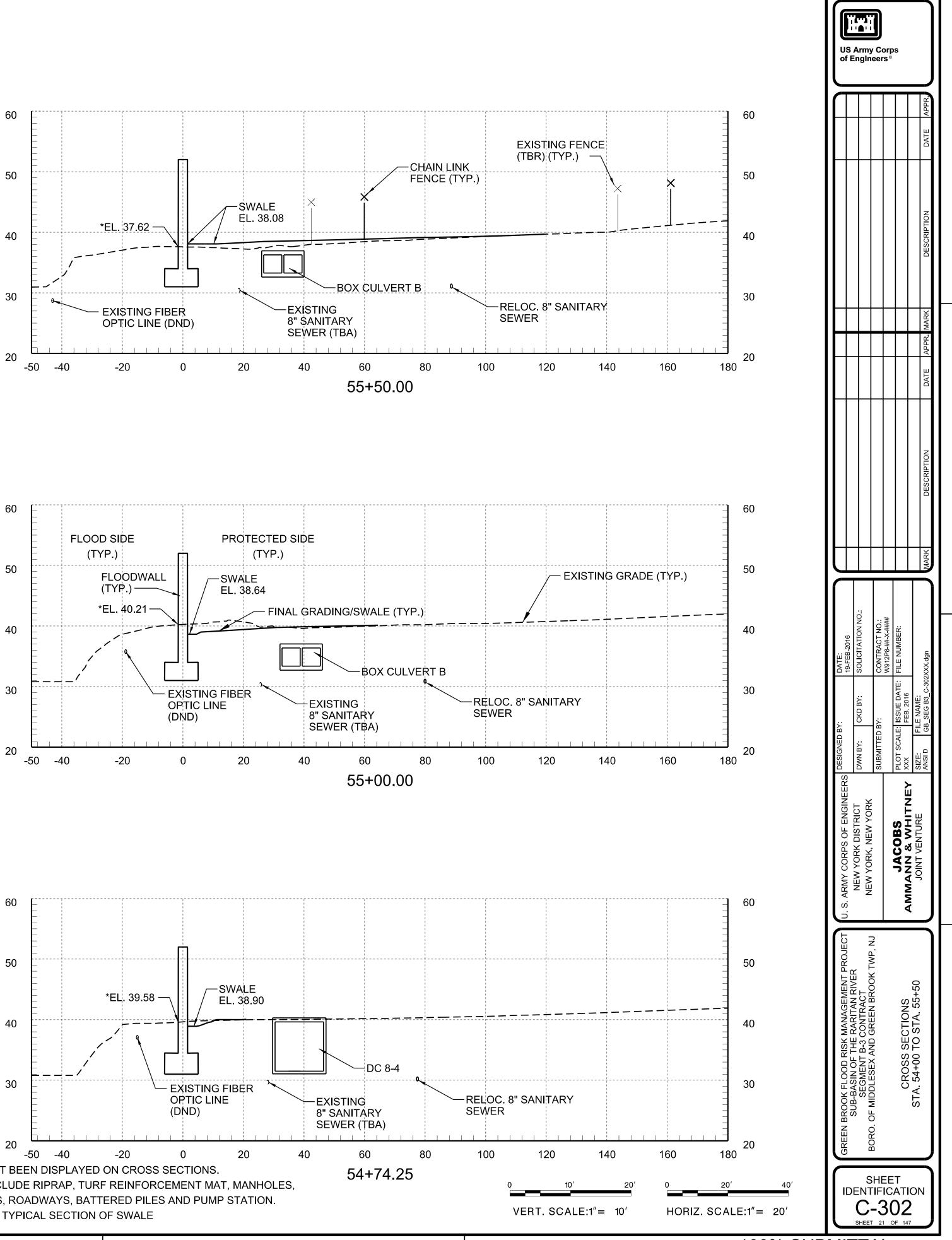
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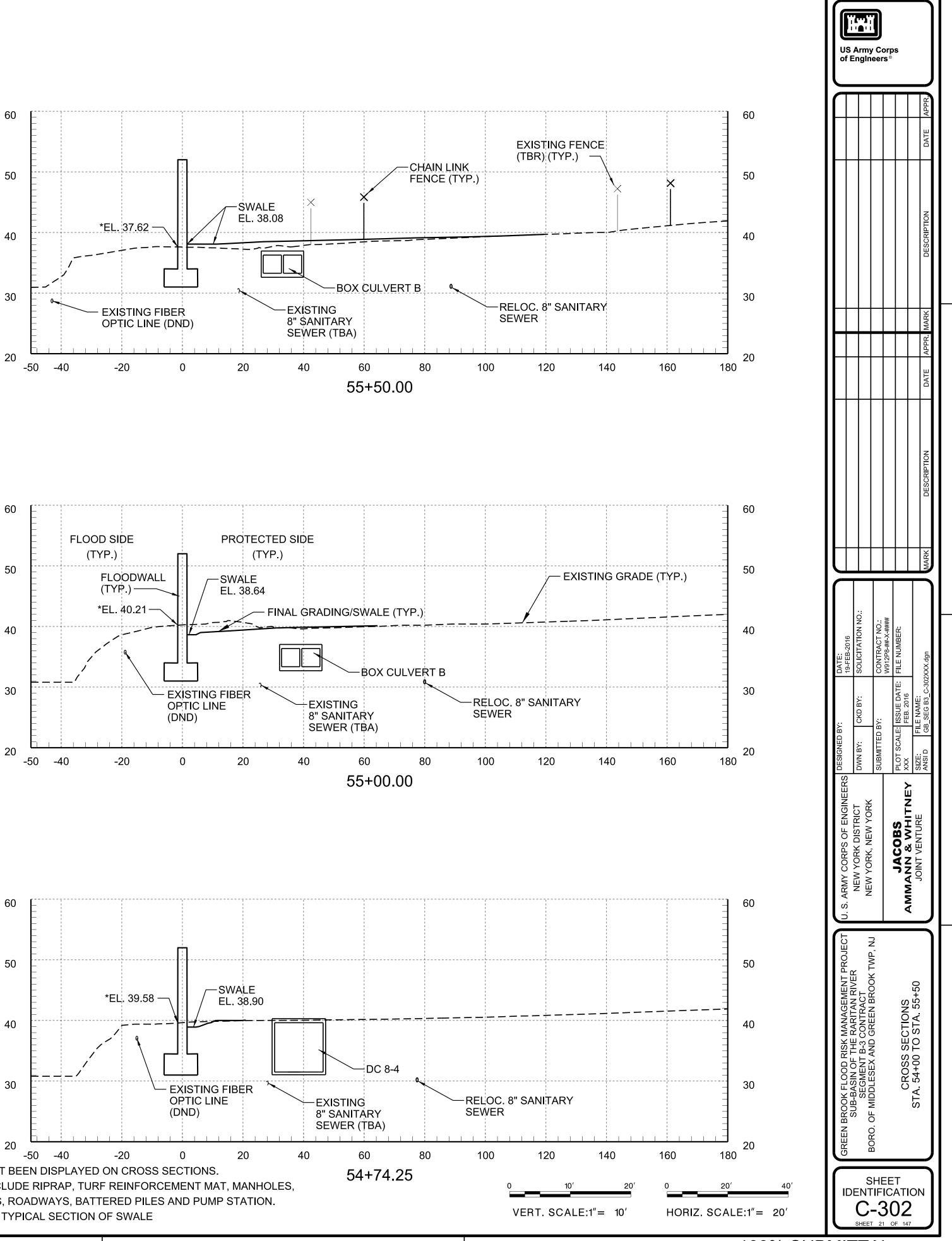


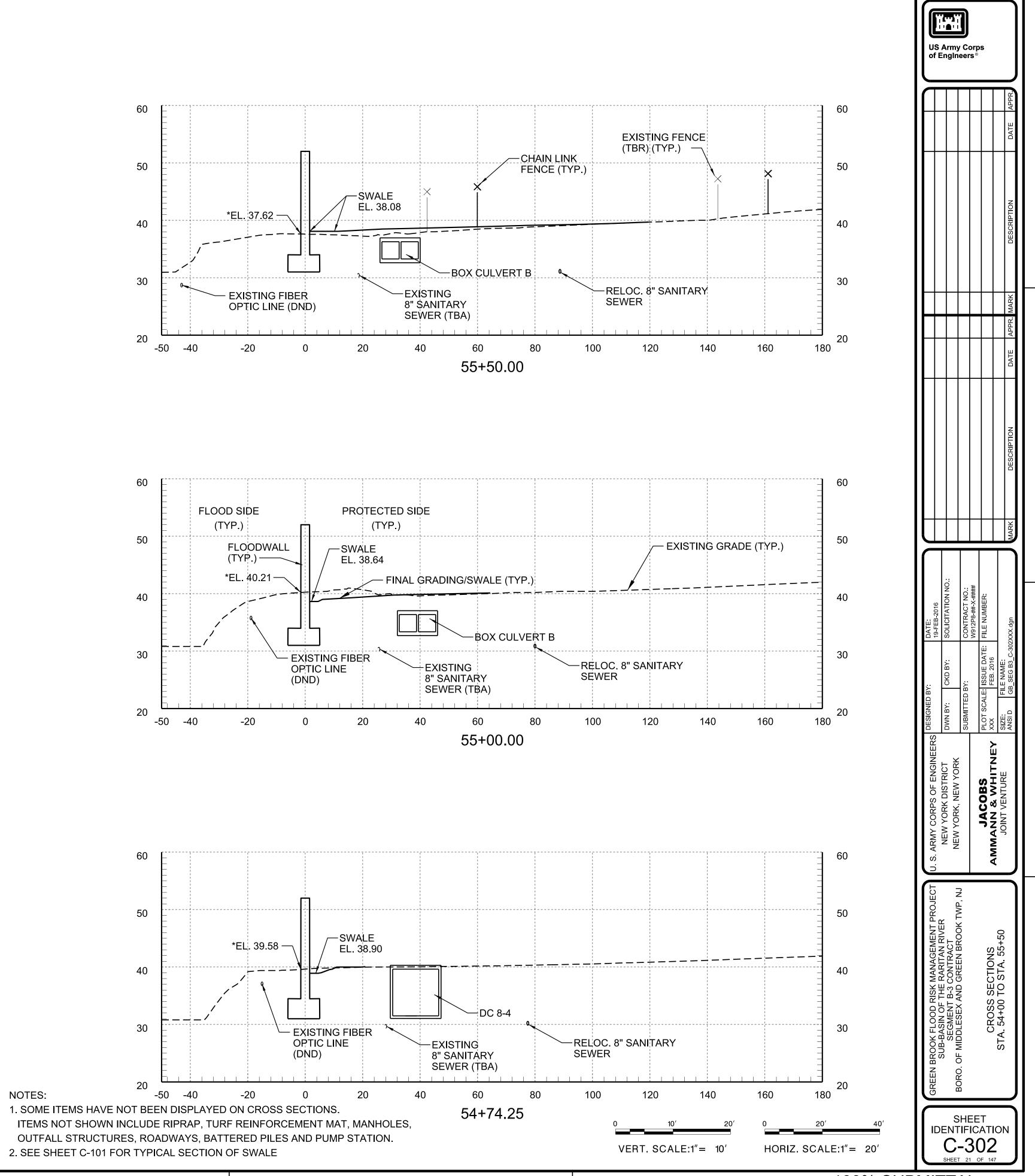


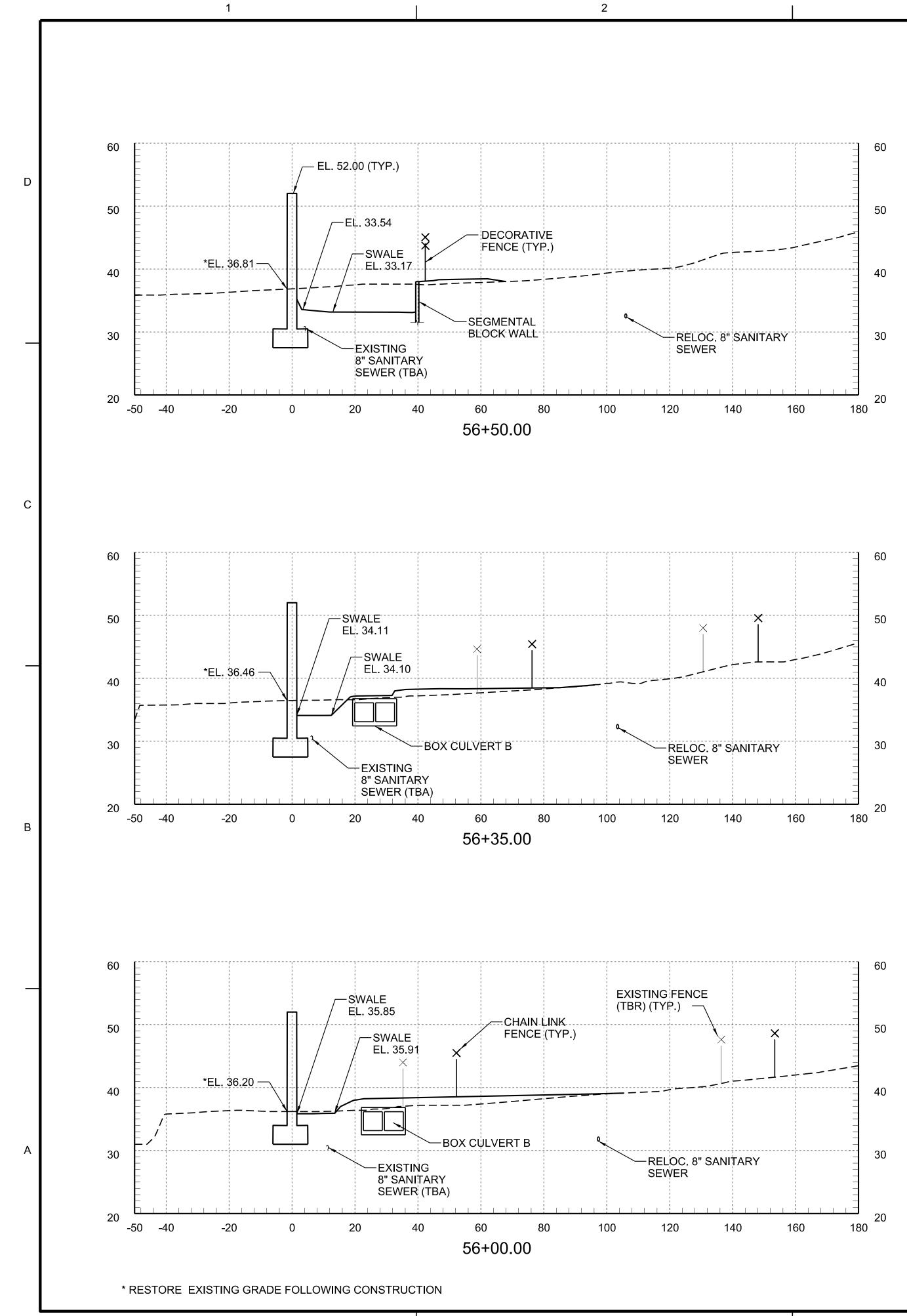




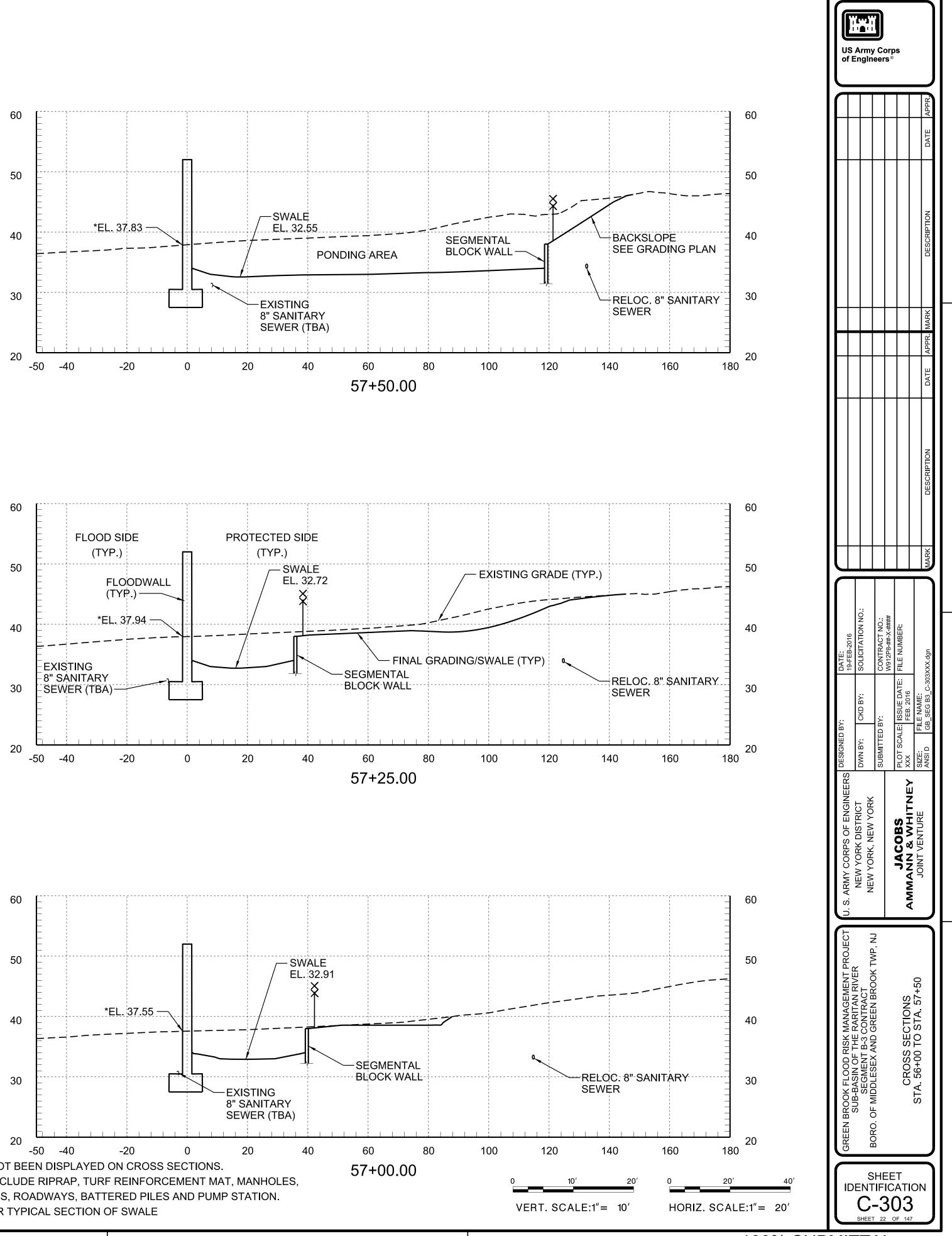


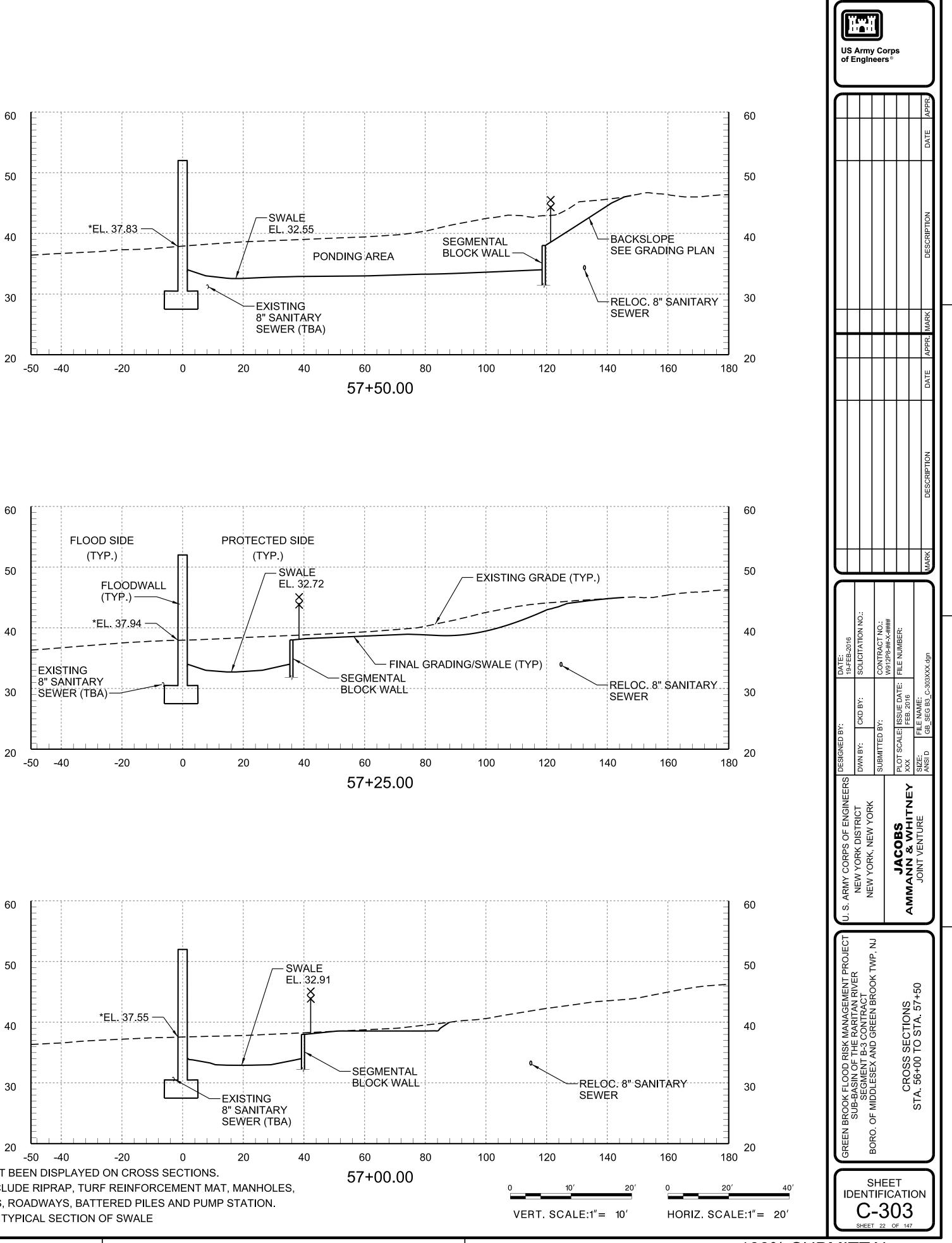


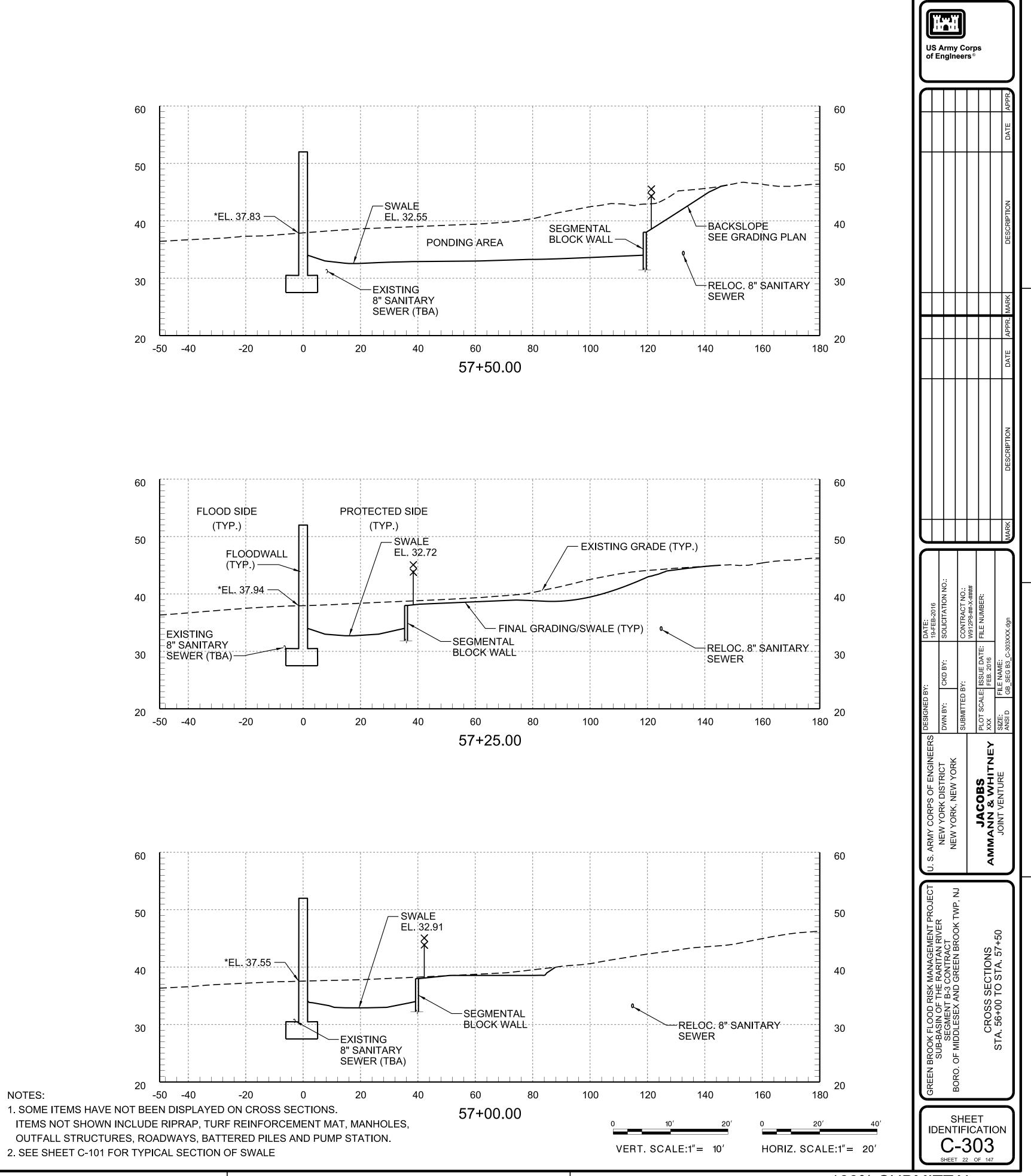


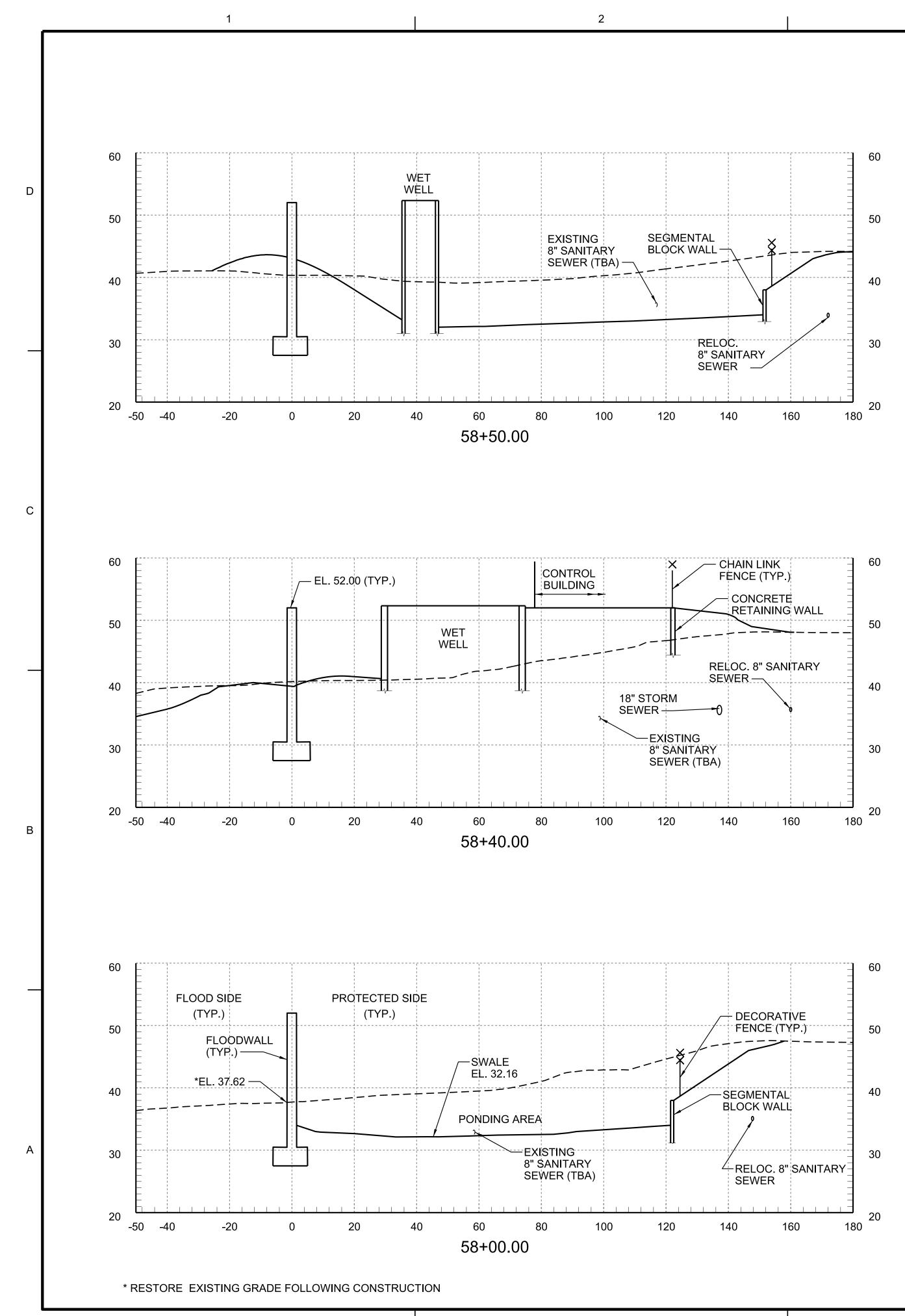




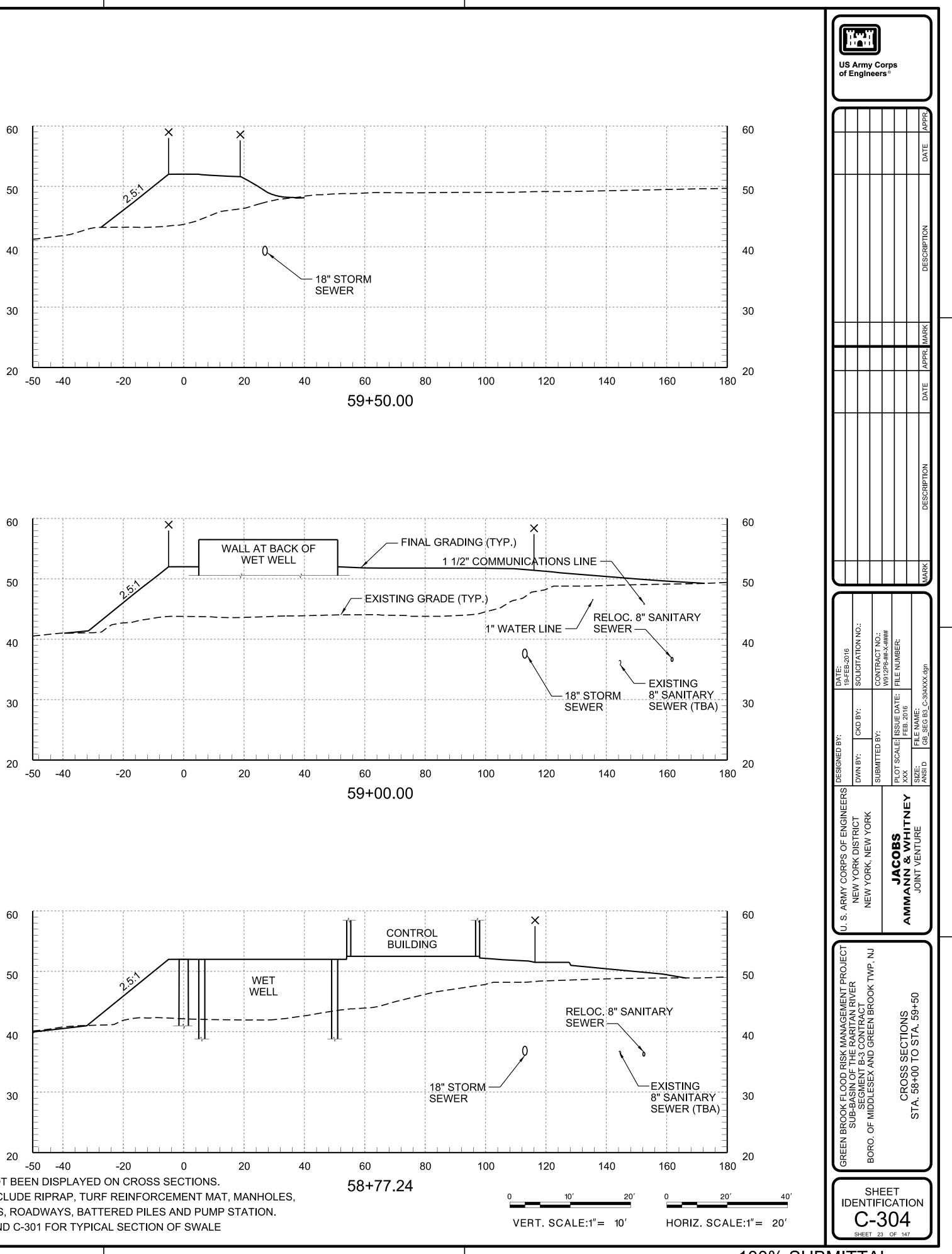


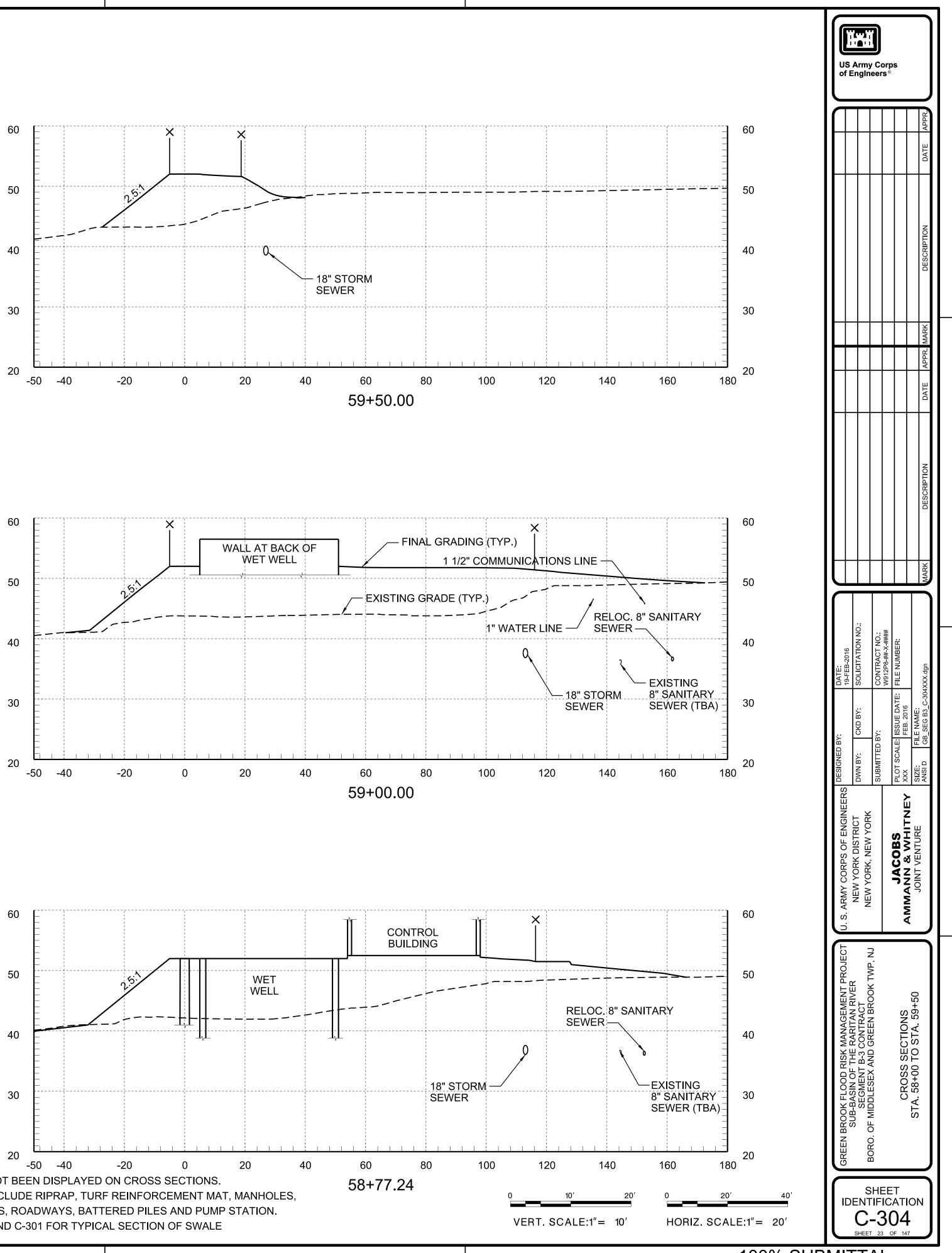


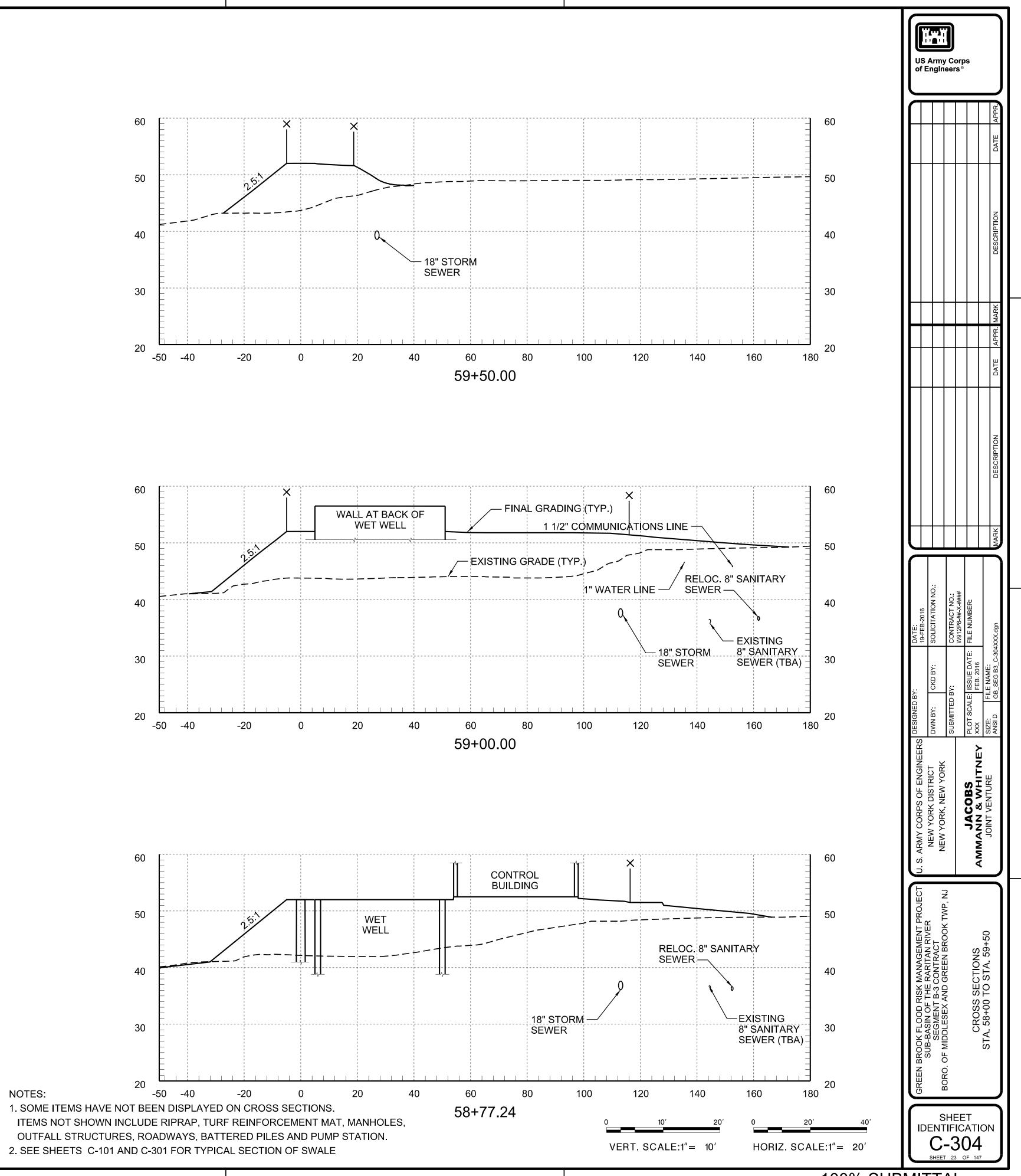


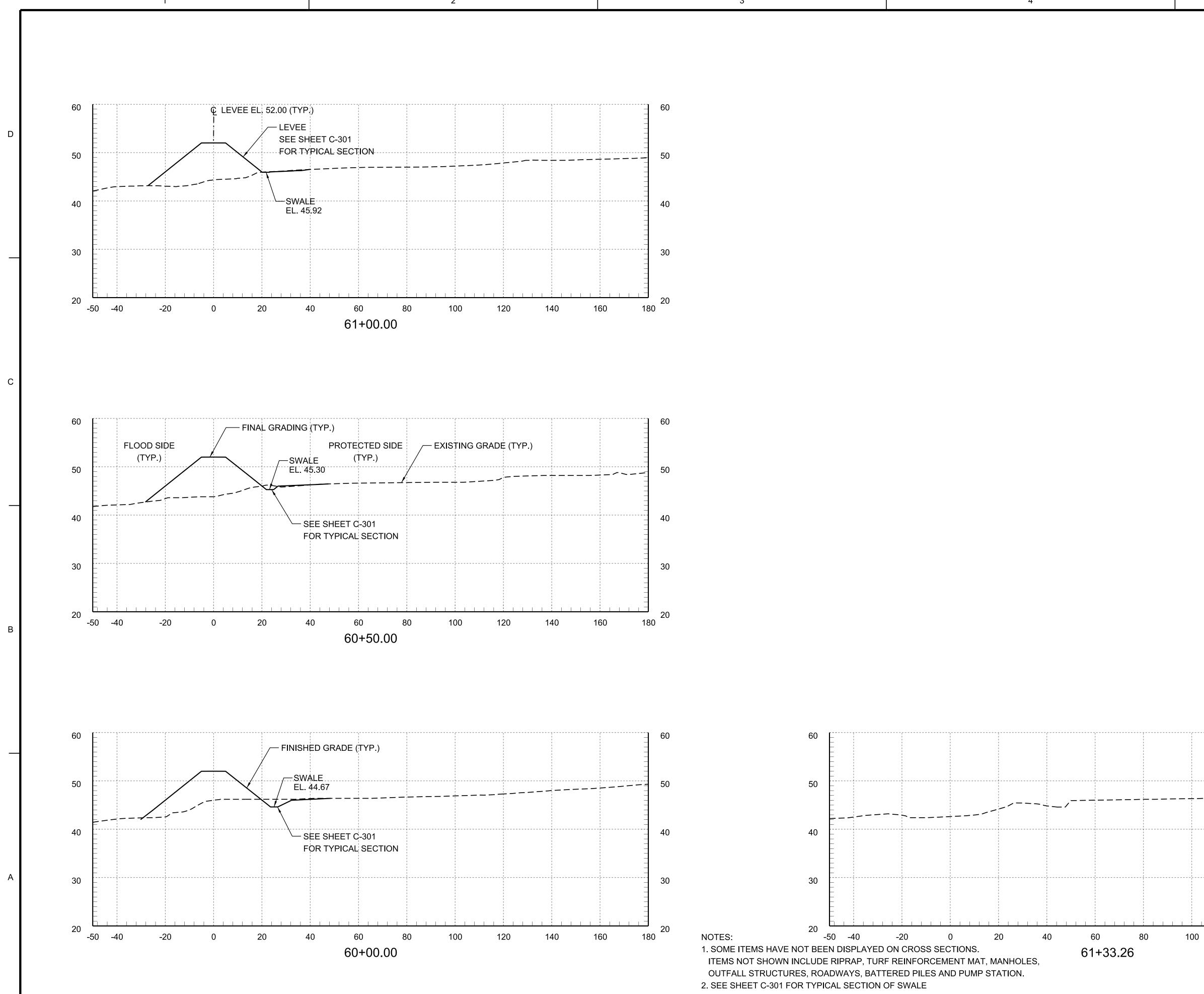


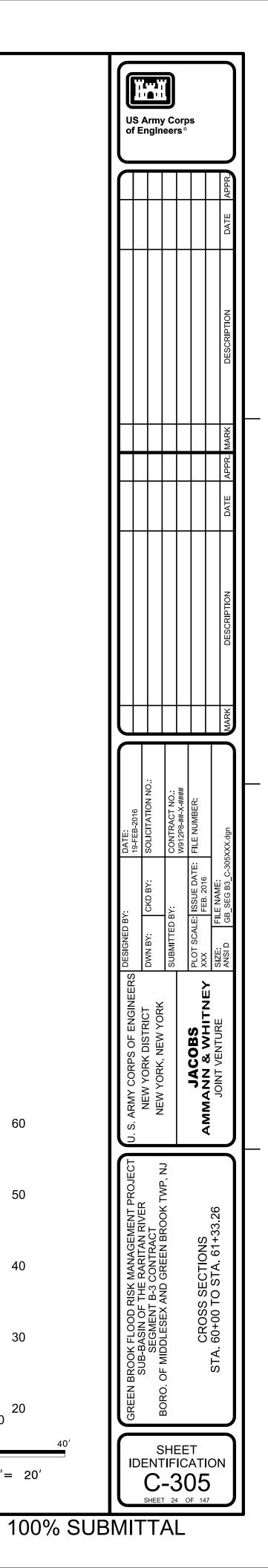






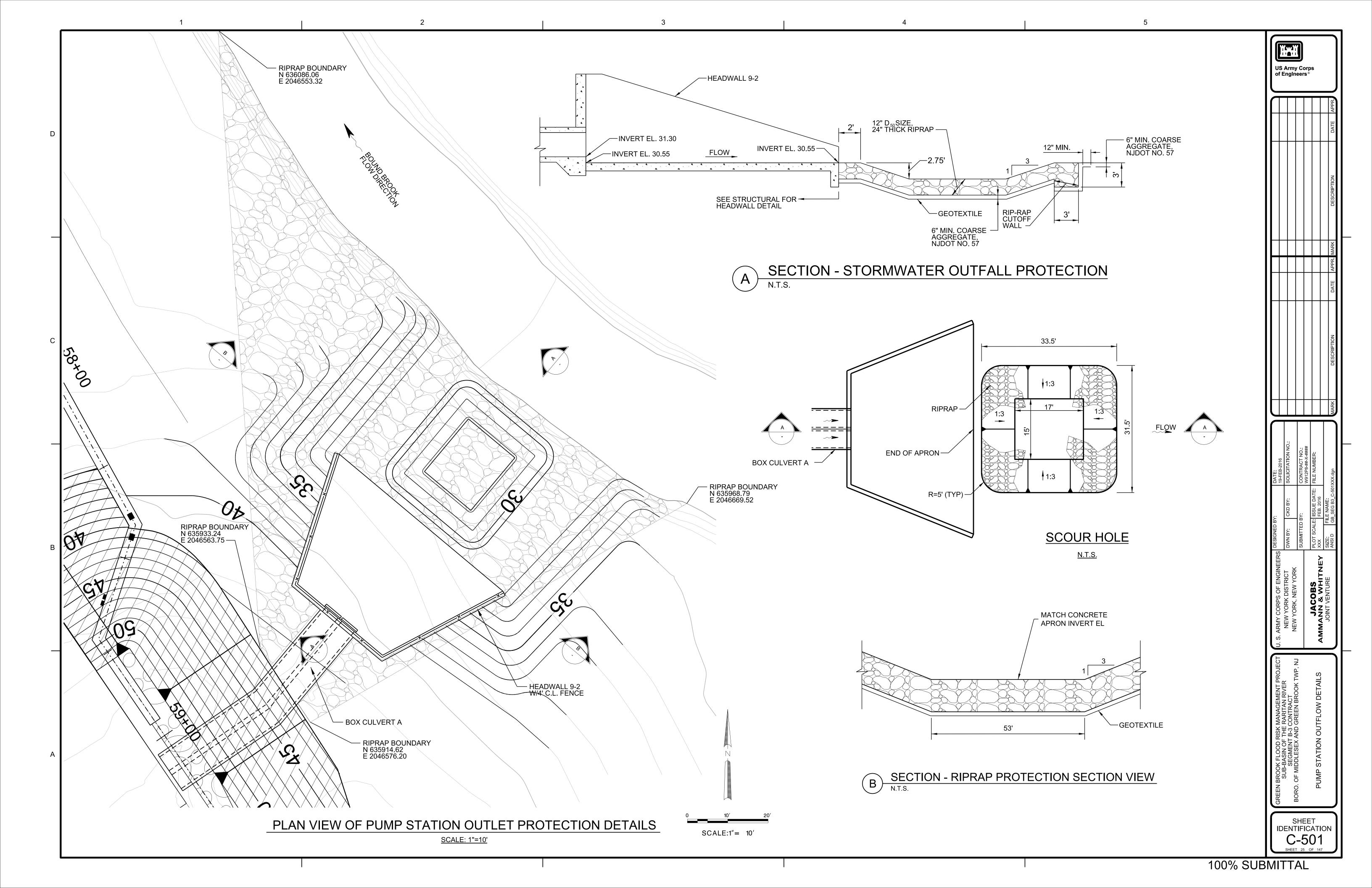


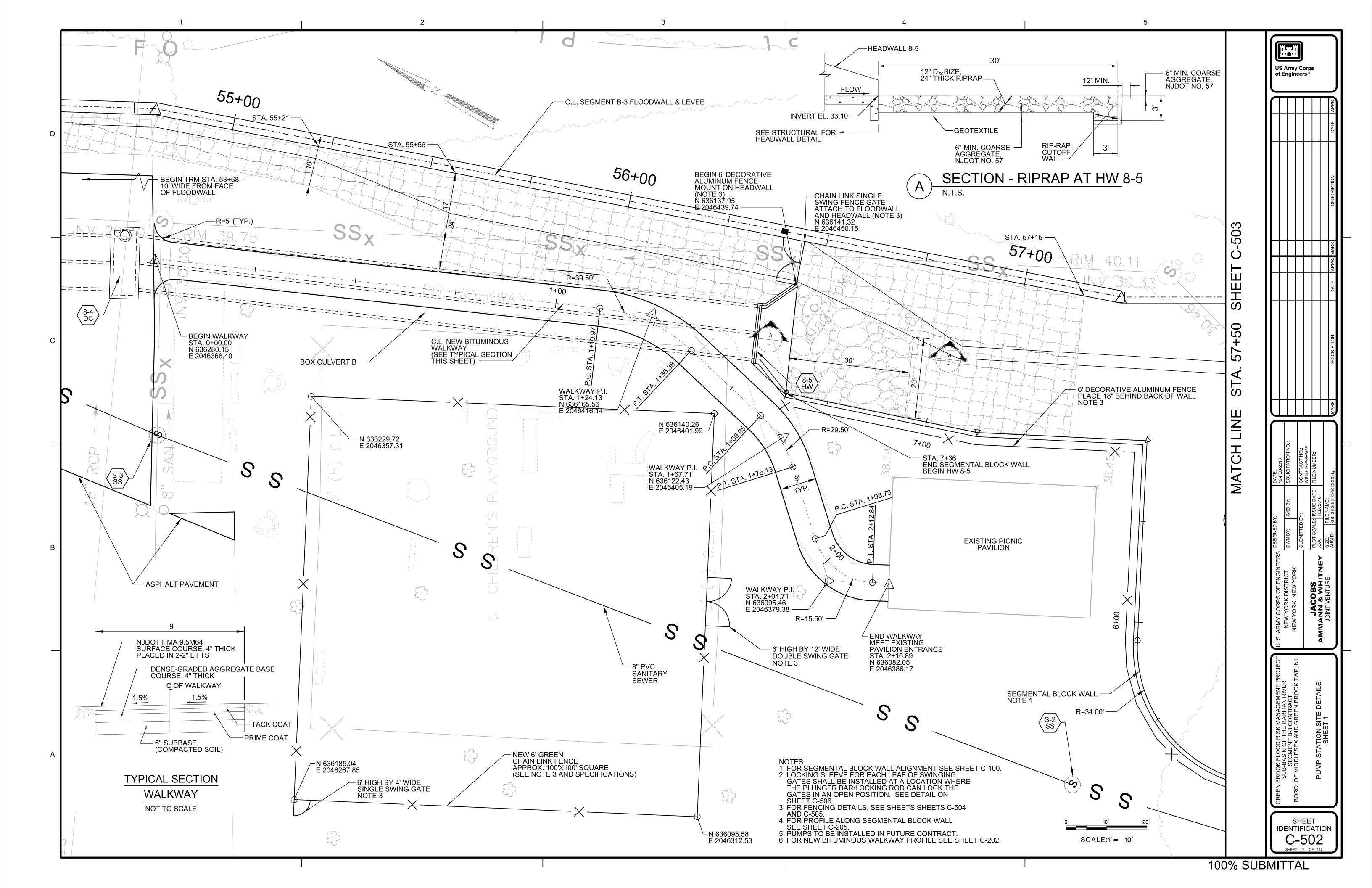


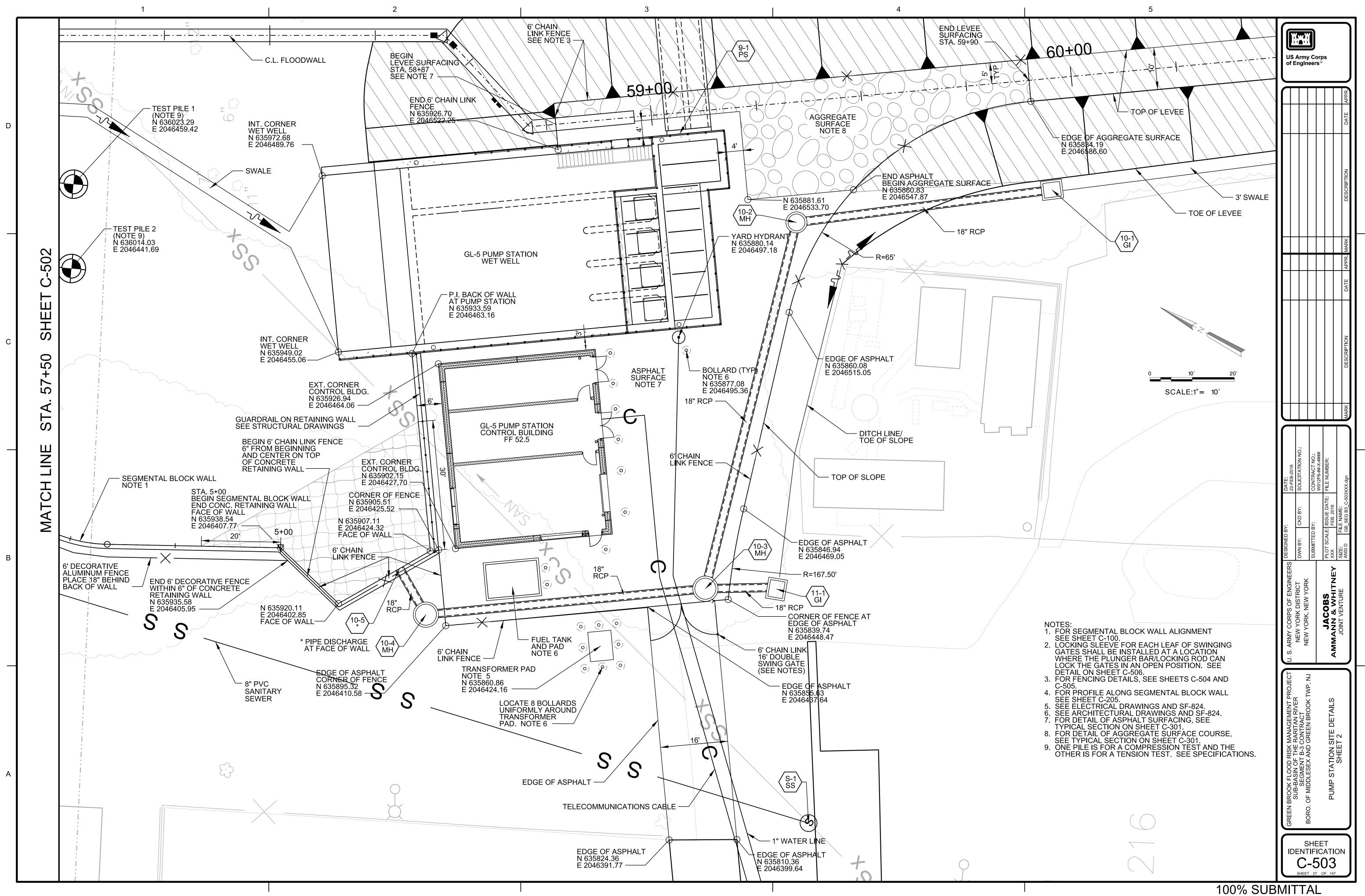


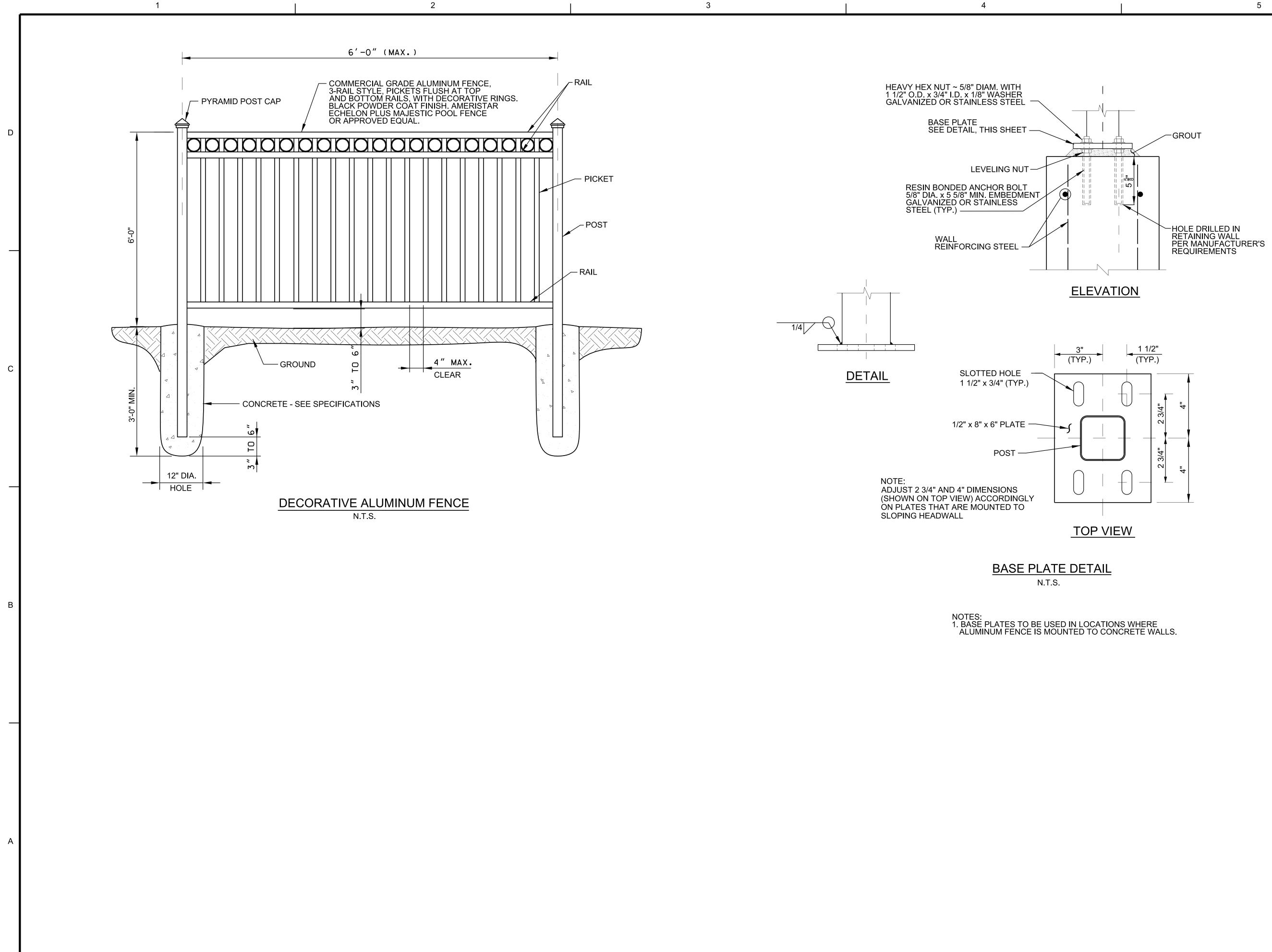
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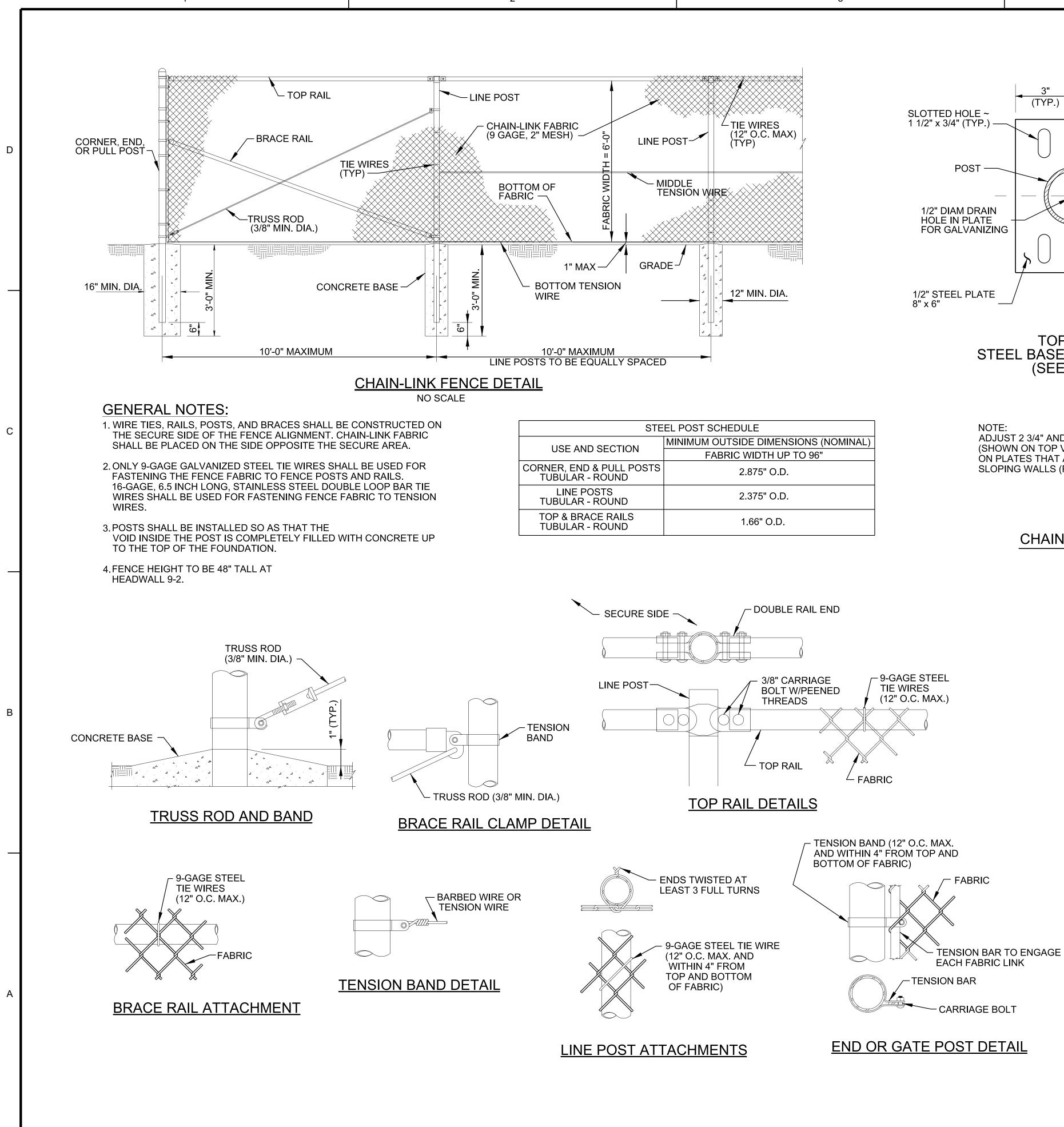






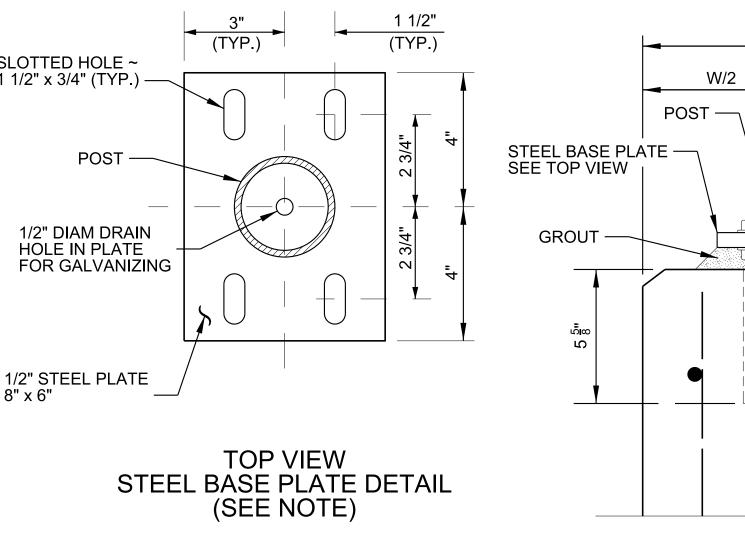


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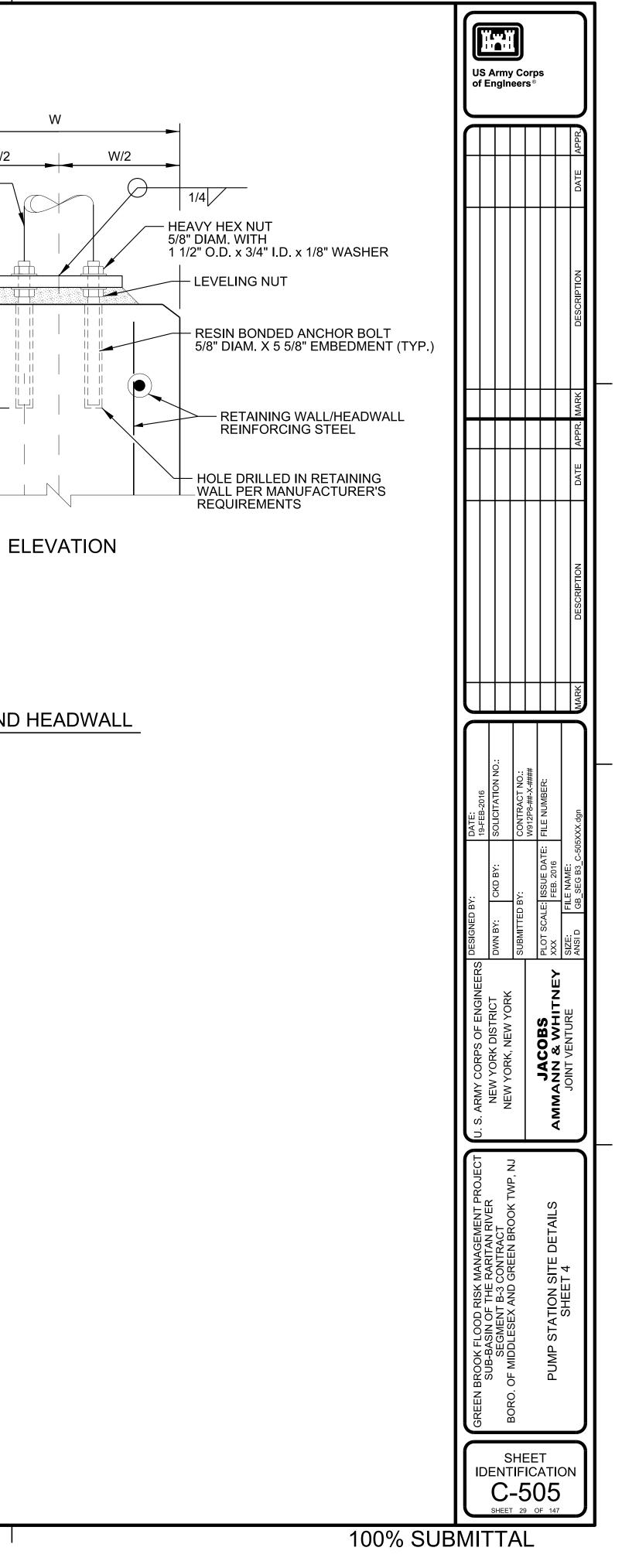


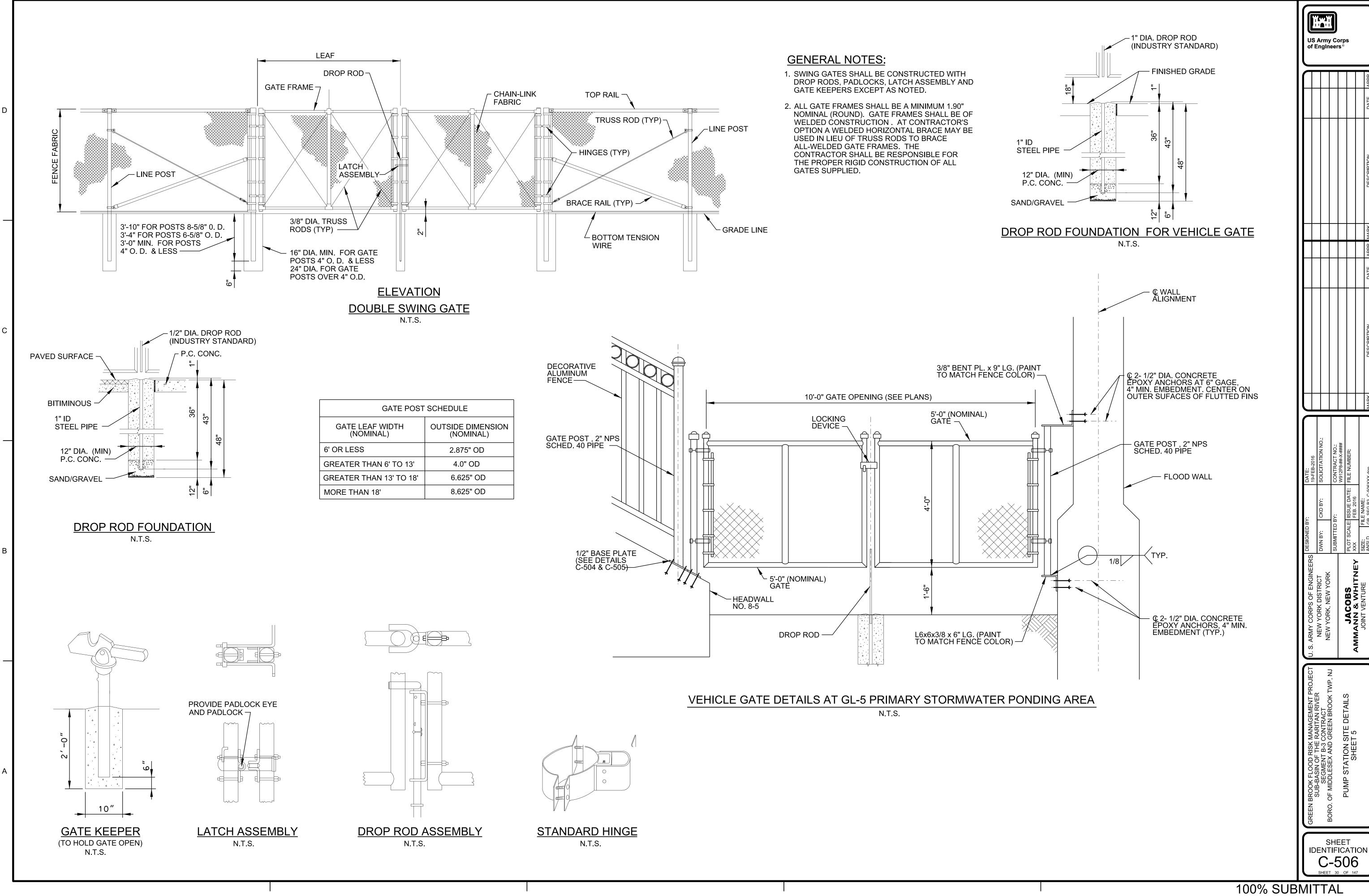
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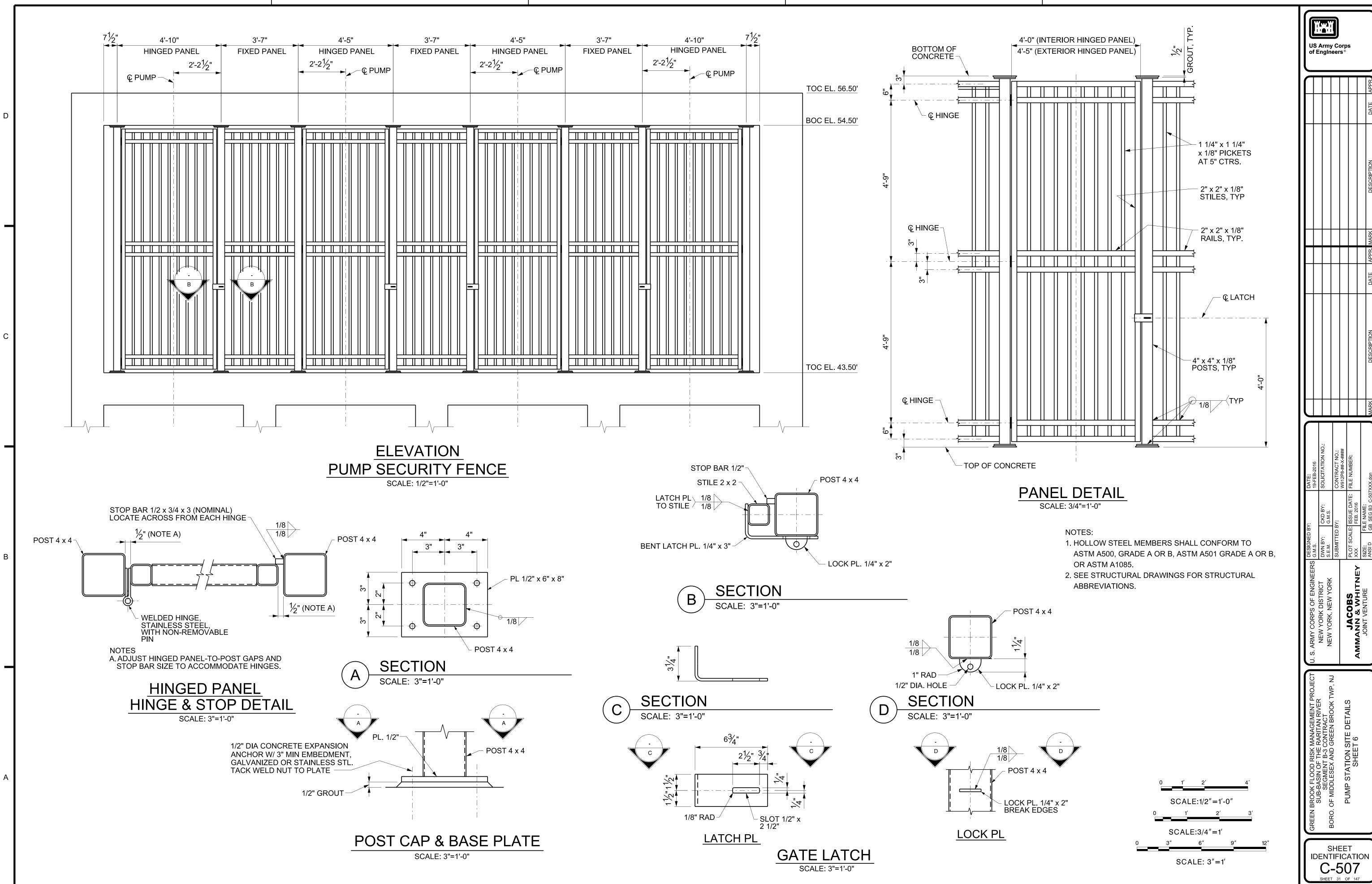
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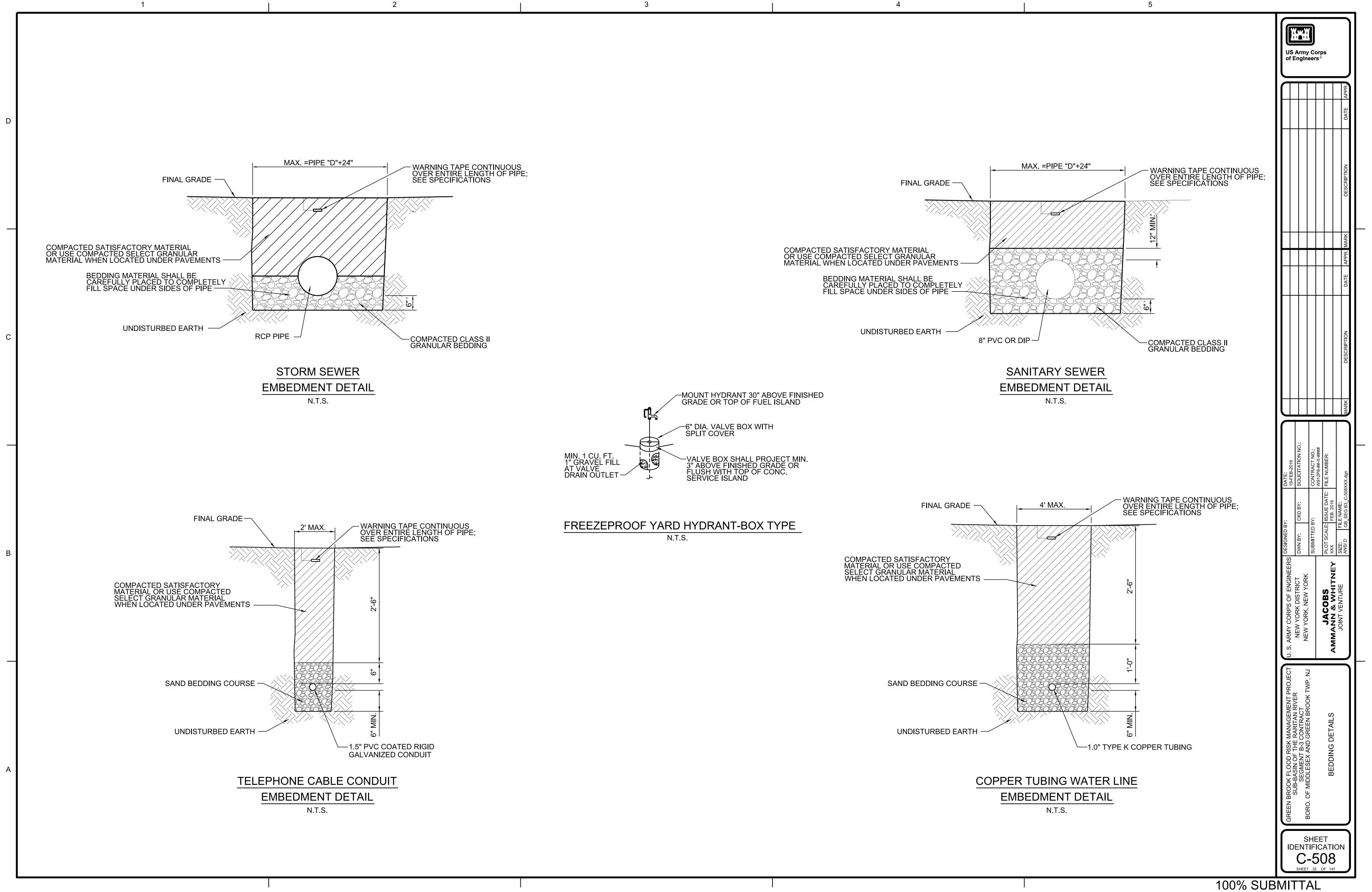
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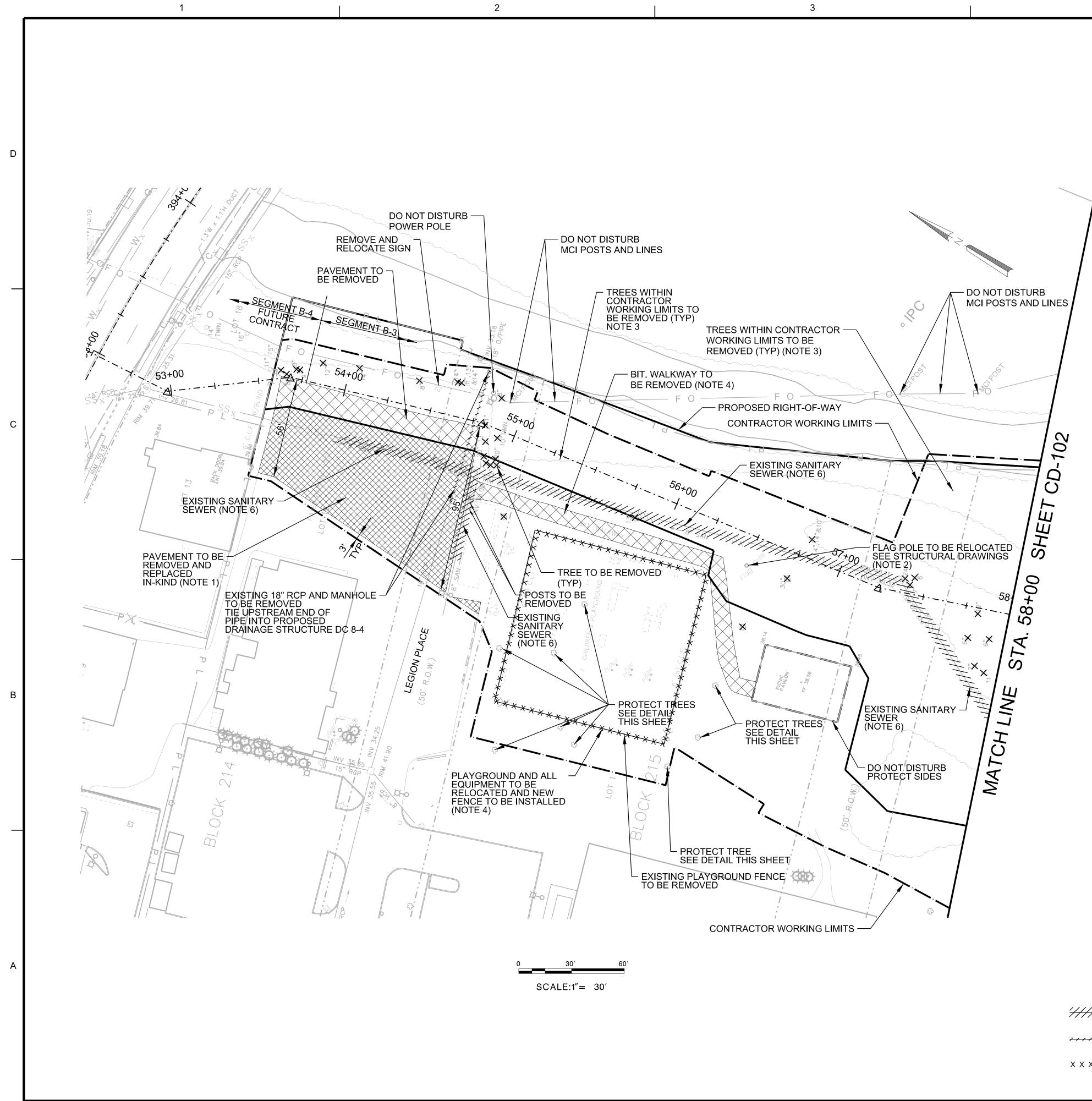
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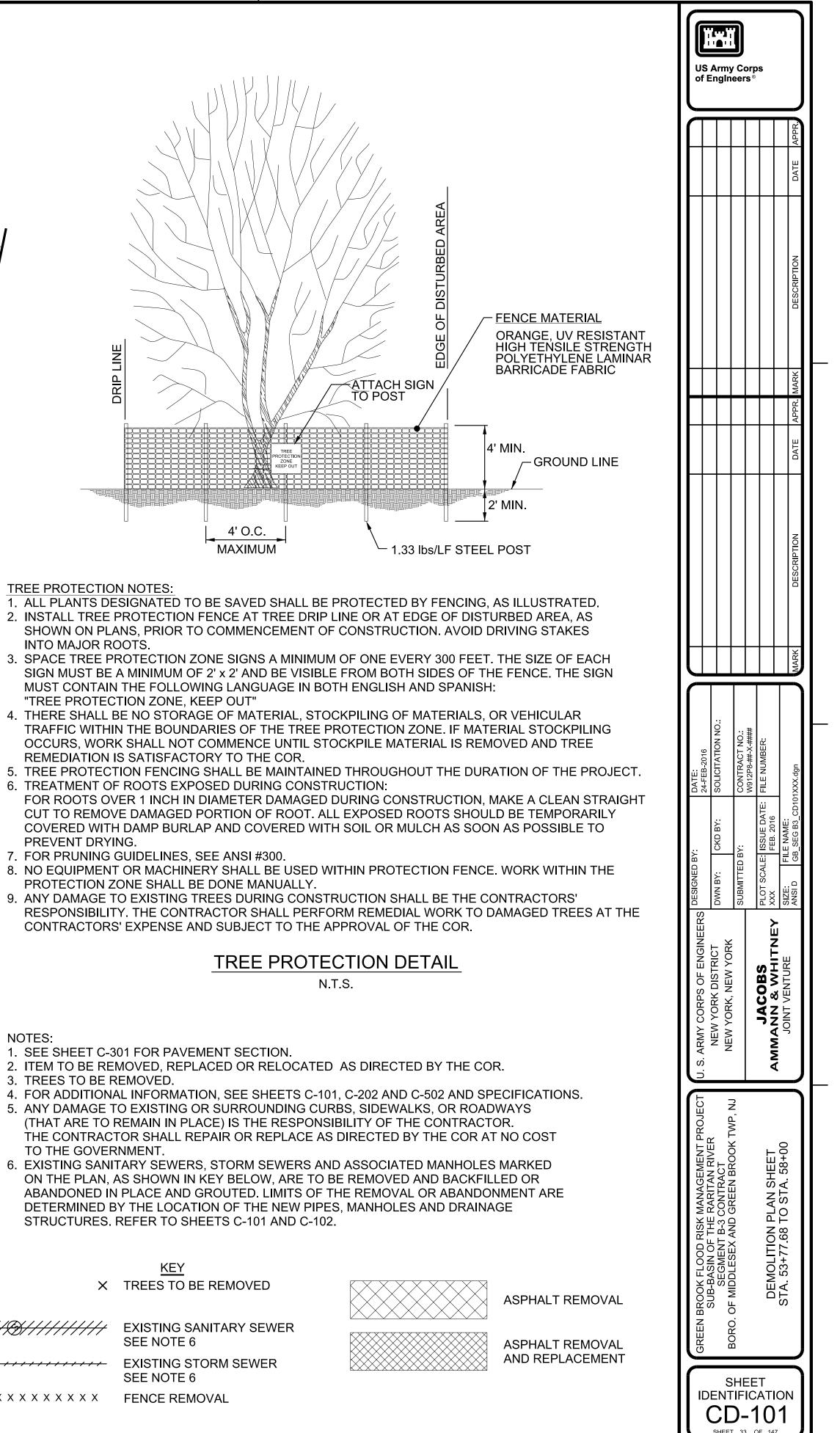
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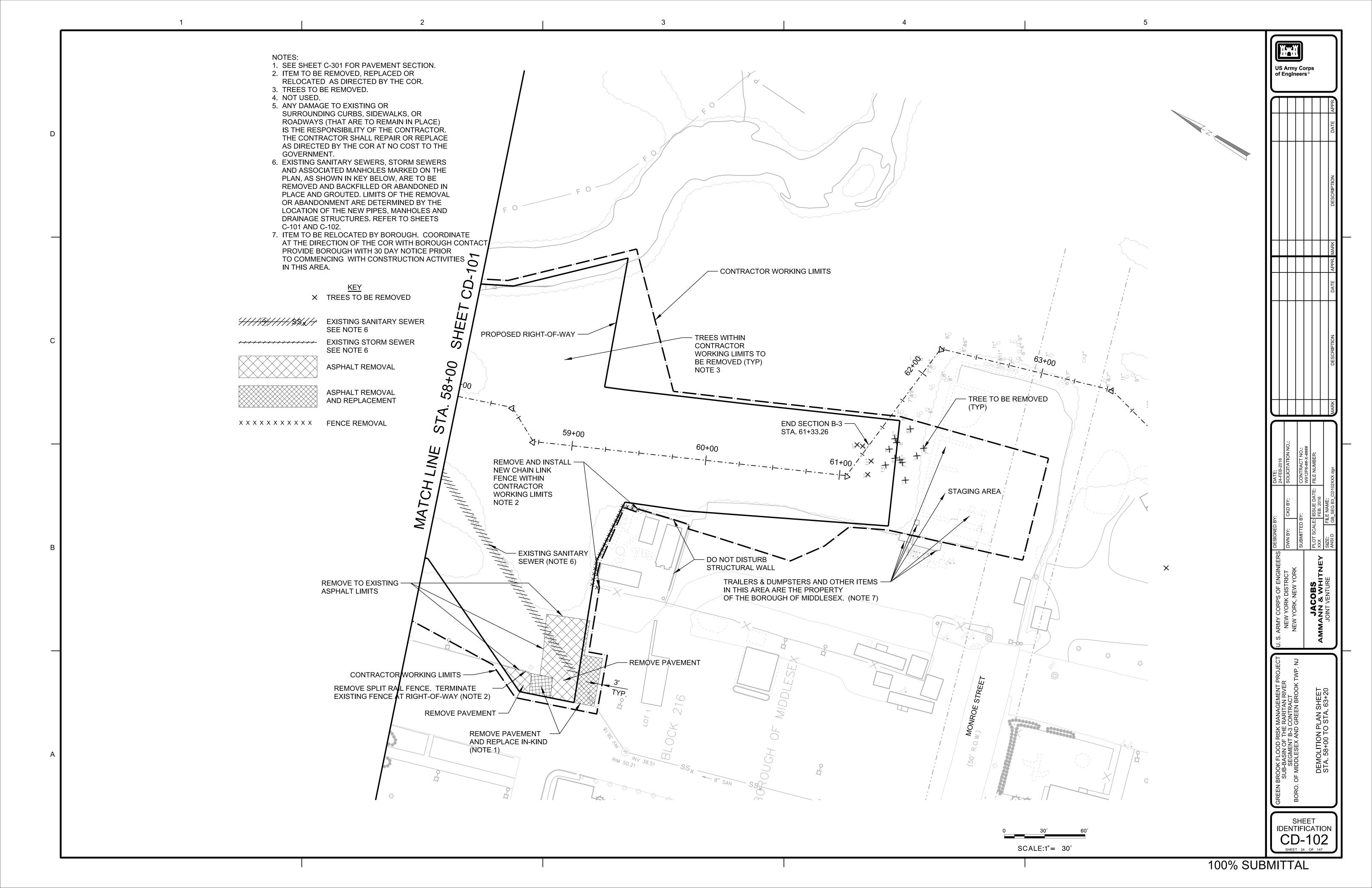
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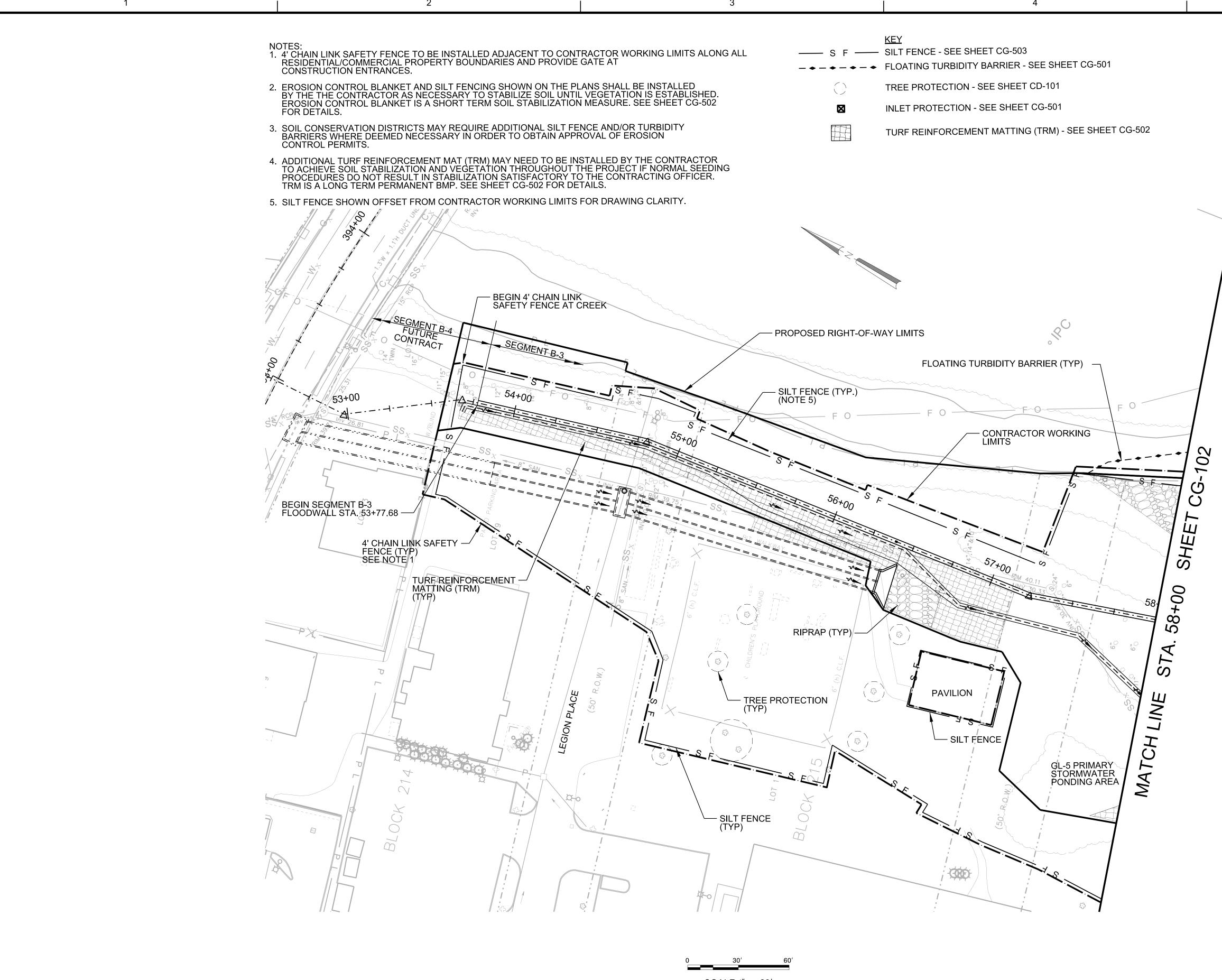
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- "TREE PROTECTION ZONE, KEEP OUT"
- PREVENT DRYING.
- 7. FOR PRUNING GUIDELINES, SEE ANSI #300.

NOTES:

- 1. SEE SHEET C-301 FOR PAVEMENT SECTION.
- 3. TREES TO BE REMOVED.
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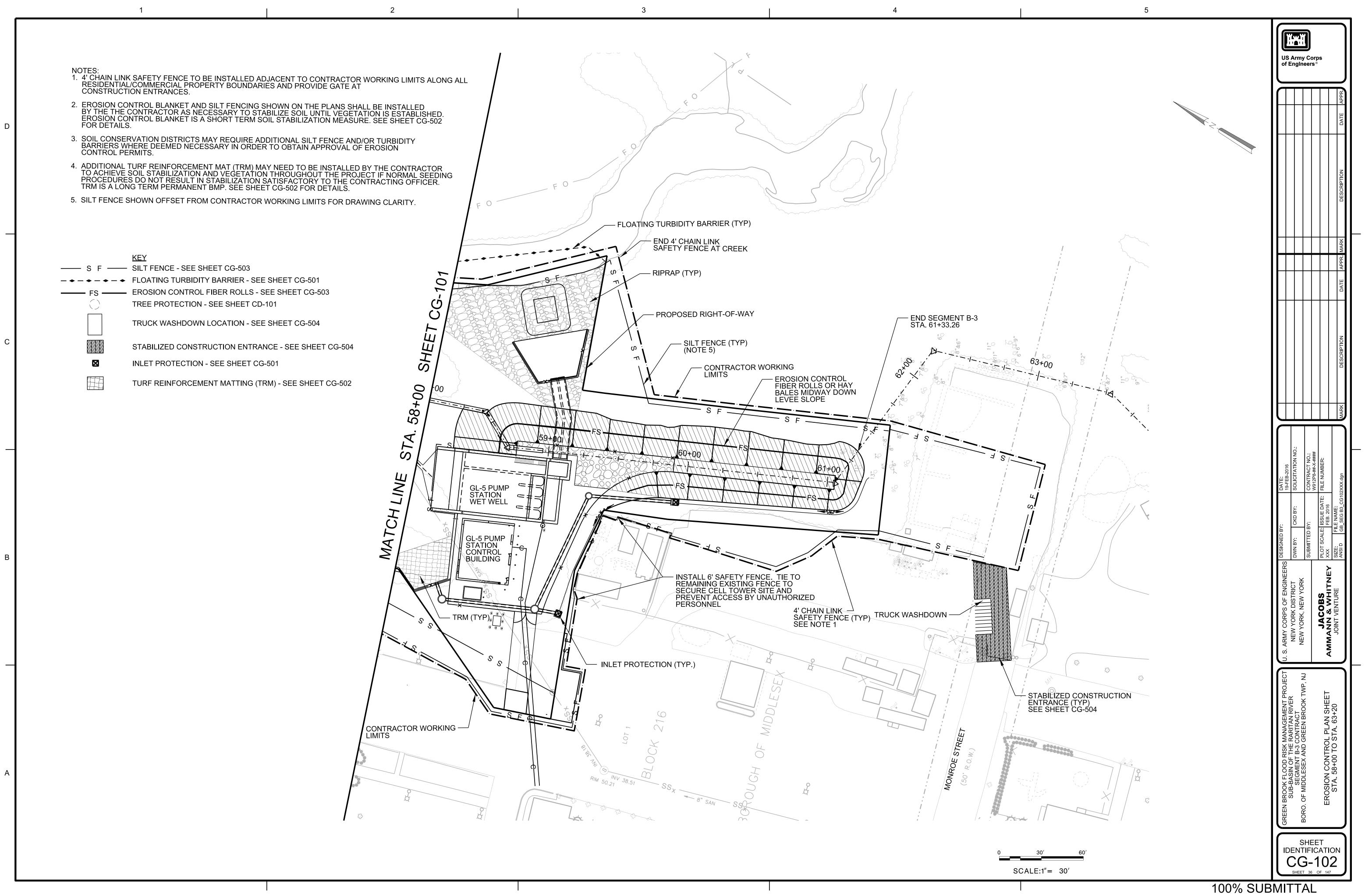


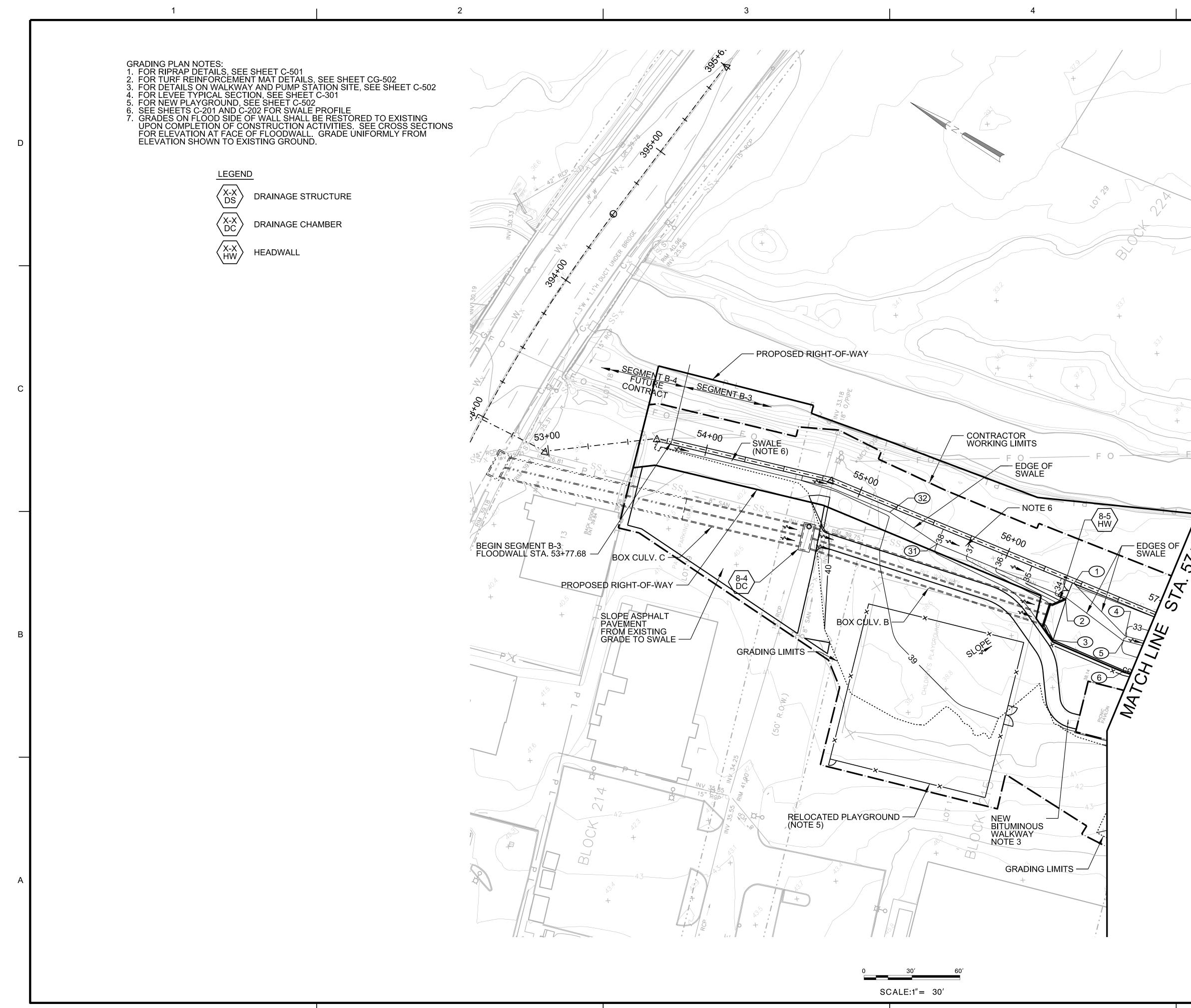


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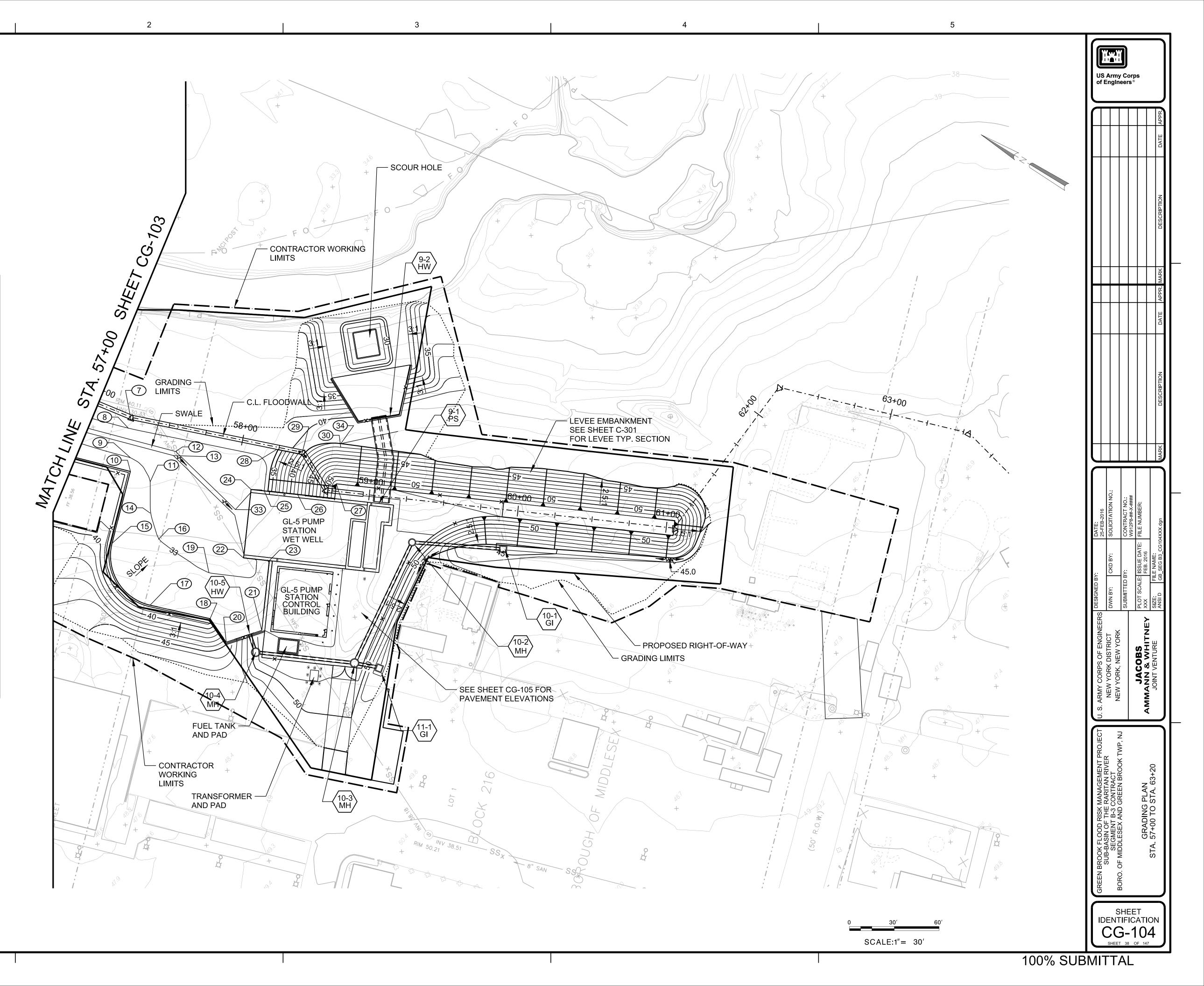
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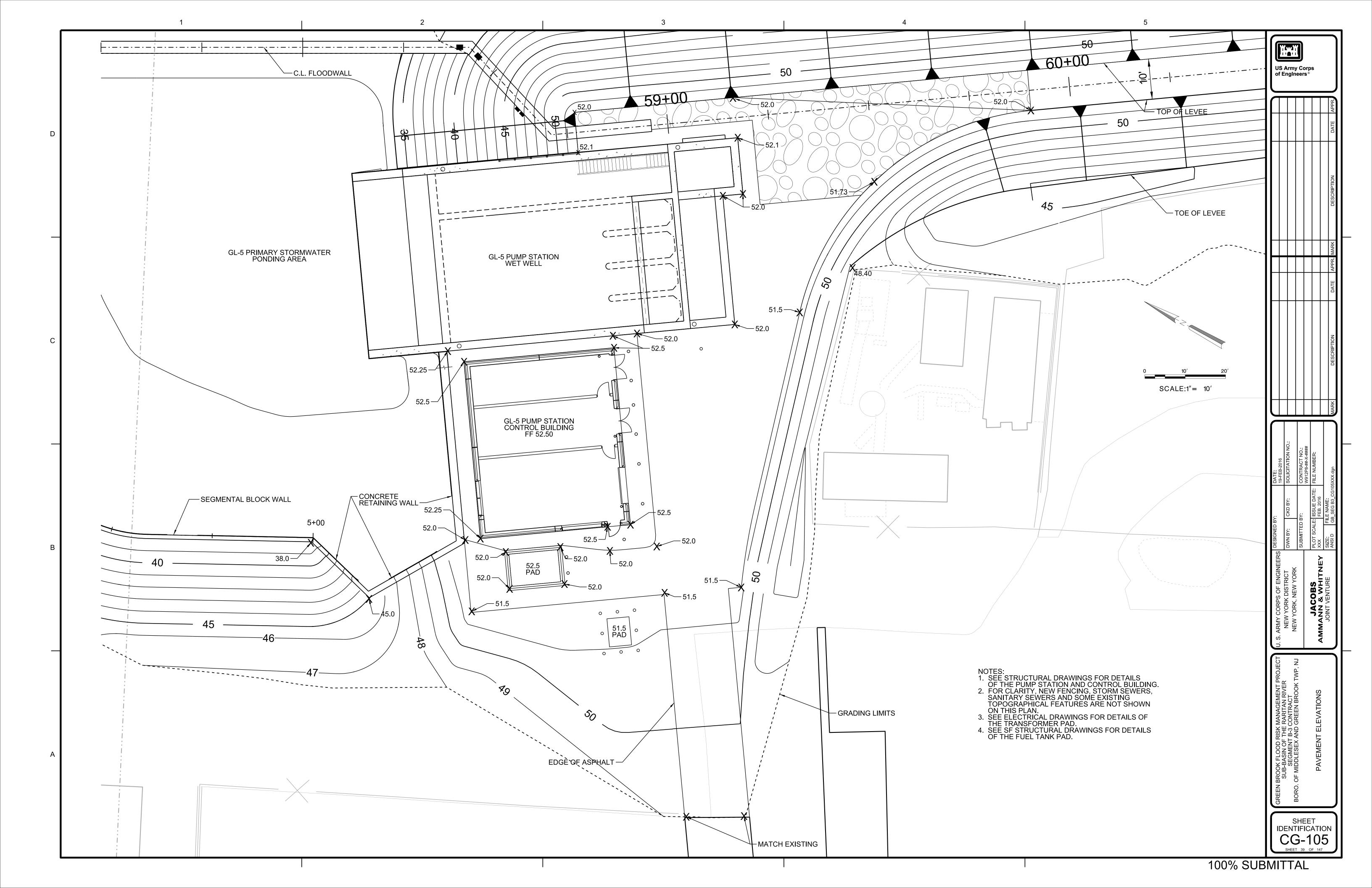
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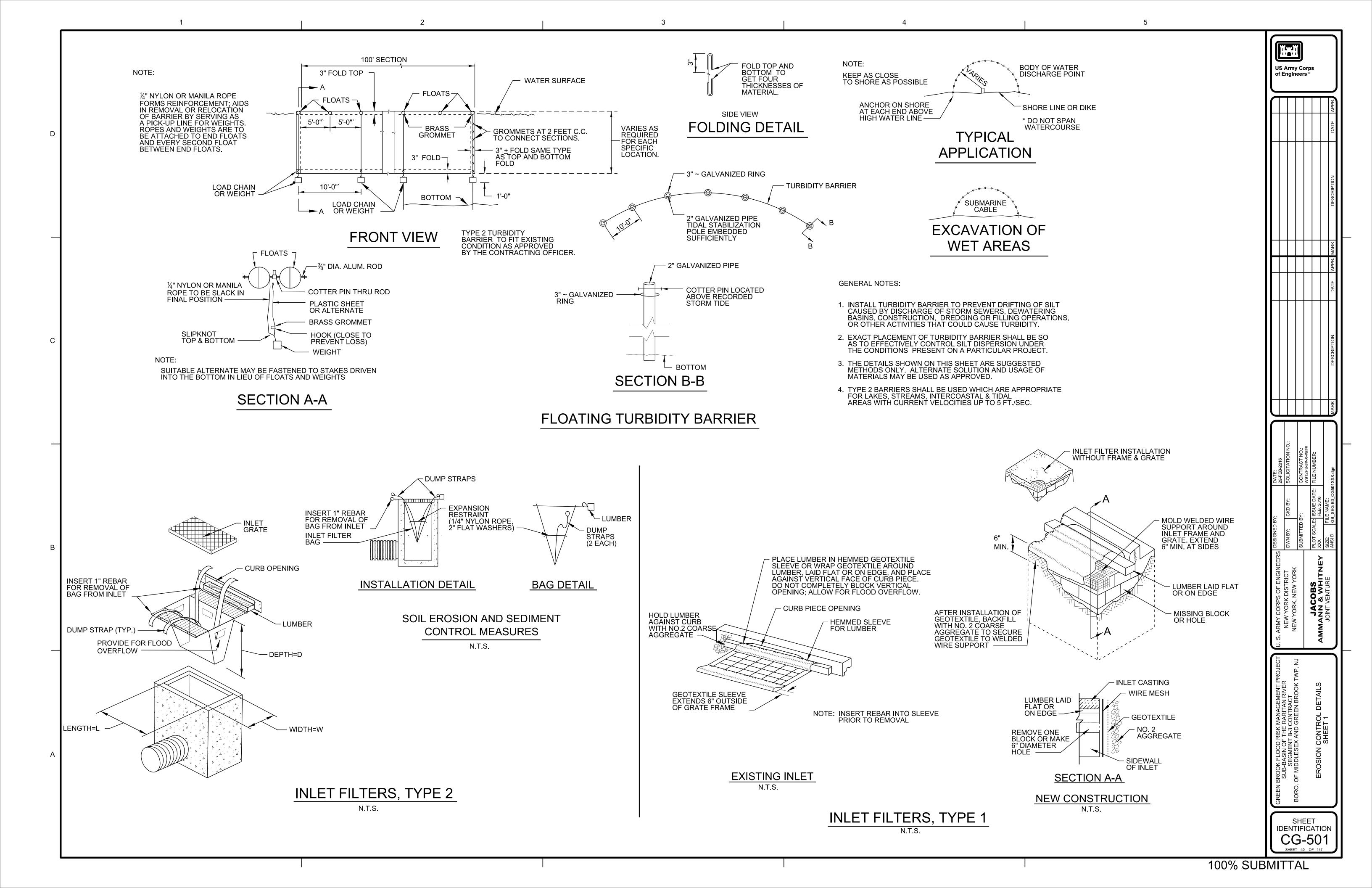
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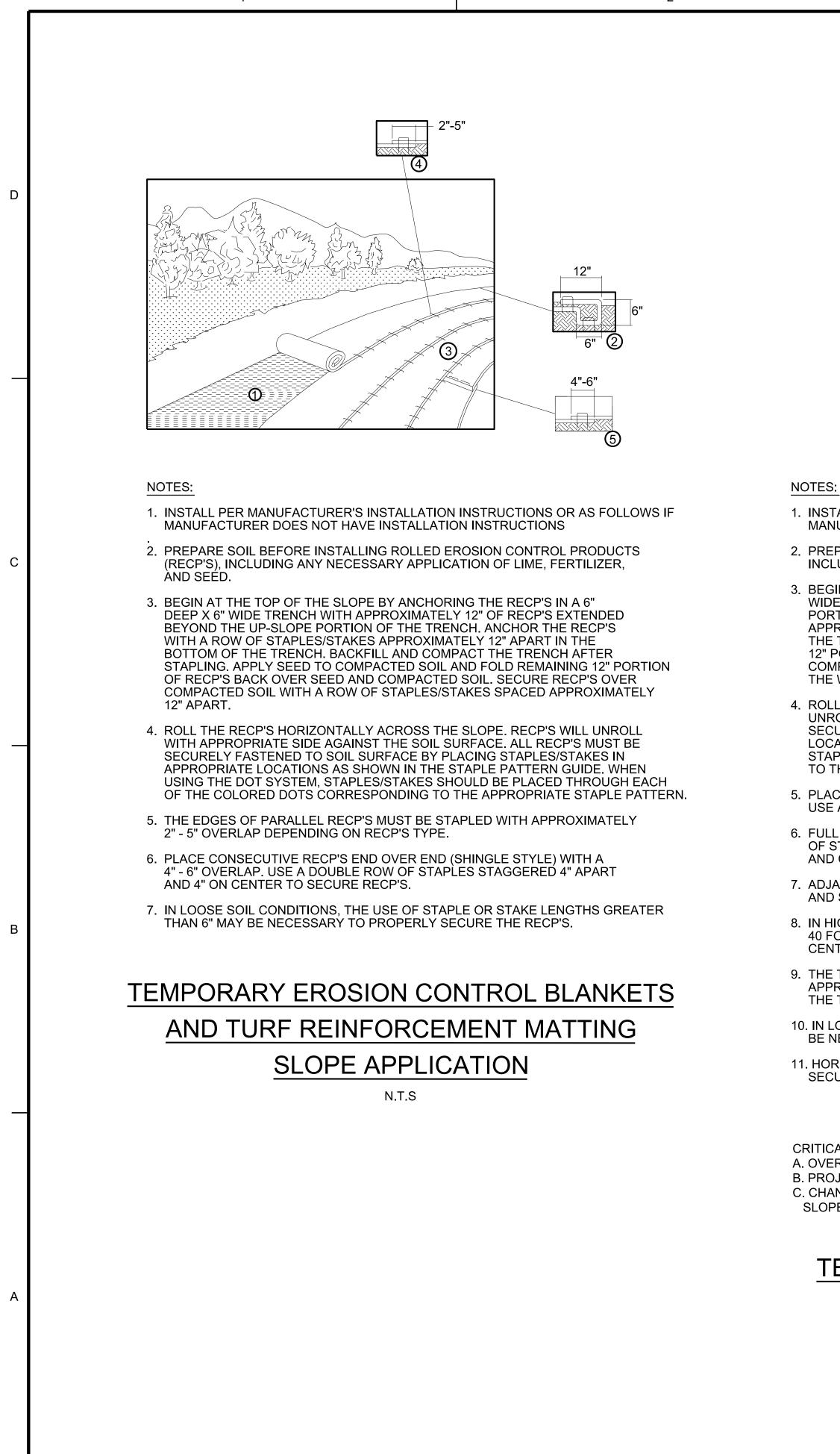
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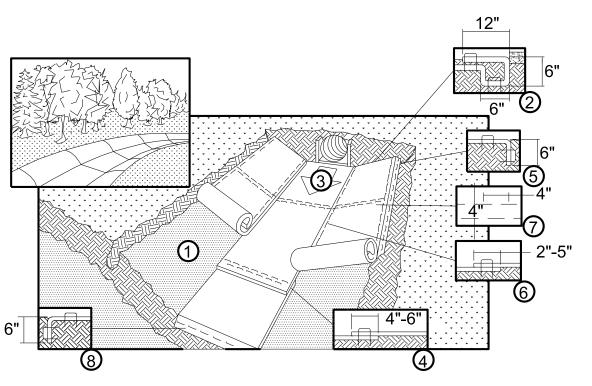
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1. INSTALL PER MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS OR AS FOLLOWS IF MANUFACTURER DOES NOT HAVE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

2. PREPARE SOIL BEFORE INSTALLING ROLLED EROSION CONTROL PRODUCTS (RECP'S) INCLUDING ANY NECESSARY APPLICATION OF LIME, FERTILIZER, AND SEED.

3. BEGIN AT THE TOP OF THE CHANNEL BY ANCHORING THE RECP'S IN A 6" DEEP X 6" WIDE TRENCH WITH APPROXIMATELY 12" OF RECP'S EXTENDED BEYOND THE UP-SLOPE PORTION OF THE TRENCH. ANCHOR THE RECP'S WITH A ROW OF STAPLES/STAKES APPROXIMATELY 12" APART IN THE BOTTOM OF THE TRENCH. BACKFILL AND COMPACT THE TRENCH AFTER STAPLING. APPLY SEED TO COMPACTED SOIL AND FOLD REMAINING 12" PORTION OF RECP'S BACK OVER SEED AND COMPACTED SOIL. SECURE RECP'S OVER COMPACTED SOIL WITH A ROW OF STAPLES/STAKES SPACED APPROXIMATELY 12" APART THE WIDTH OF THE RECP'S.

4. ROLL THE RECP'S IN DIRECTION OF WATER FLOW IN BOTTOM OF CHANNEL. RECP'S WILL UNROLL WITH APPROPRIATE SIDE AGAINST THE SOIL SURFACE. ALL RECP'S MUST BE SECURELY FASTENED TO SOIL SURFACE BY PLACING STAPLES/STAKES IN APPROPRIATE LOCATIONS AS SHOWN IN THE STAPLE PATTERN GUIDE. WHEN USING THE DOT SYSTEM, STAPLES/STAKES SHOULD BE PLACED THROUGH EACH OF THE COLORED DOTS CORRESPONDING TO THE APPROPRIATE STAPLE PATTERN.

5. PLACE CONSECUTIVE RECP'S END OVER END (SHINGLE STYLE) WITH A 4" - 6" OVERLAP. USE A DOUBLE ROW OF STAPLES STAGGERED 4" APART AND 4" ON CENTER TO SECURE RECP'S.

6. FULL LENGTH EDGE OF RECP'S AT THE TOP OF SIDE SLOPE MUST BE ANCHORED WITH A ROW OF STAPLES/STAKES APPROXIMATELY 12" APART IN A 6" DEEP X 6" WIDE TRENCH. BACKFILL AND COMPACT THE TRENCH AFTER STAPLING

7. ADJACENT RECP'S MUST BE OVERLAPPED APPROXIMATELY 2" -5" (DEPENDING ON RECP'S TYPE) AND STAPLED.

8. IN HIGH FLOW CHANNEL APPLICATION, A STAPLE CHECK SLOT IS RECOMMENDED AT 30 TO 40 FOOT INTERVALS. USE A DOUBLE ROW OF STAPLES STAGGERED 4" APART AND 4" ON CENTER OVER ENTIRE WIDTH OF THE CHANNEL.

9. THE TERMINAL END OF THE RECP'S MUST BE ANCHORED WITH A ROW STAPLES/STAKES APPROXIMATELY 12" APART IN A 6" DEEP X 6" WIDTH TRENCH. BACKFILL AND COMPACT THE TRENCH AFTER STAPLING.

10. IN LOOSE SOIL CONDITIONS, THE USE OF STAPLE OR STAKE LENGTHS GREATER THAN 6" MAY BE NECESSARY TO PROPERLY ANCHOR THE RECP'S.

11. HORIZONTAL STAPLE SPACING SHOULD BE ALTERED IF NECESSARY TO ALLOW STAPLES TO SECURE THE CRITICAL POINTS ALONG THE CHANNEL SURFACE

CRITICAL POINTS A. OVERLAPS AND SEAMS **B. PROJECTED WATER LINE** C. CHANNEL BOTTOM / SIDE SLOPE VERTICES

**TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL BLANKETS** AND TURF REINFORCEMENT MATTING CHANNEL APPLICATION N.T.S

## GENERAL NOTES:

PROVIDE A MACHINE-PRODUCED, 3-DIMENSIONAL MATRIX OF UV STABILIZED, PRE- OR POST- CONSUMER, NON-DEGRADABLE SYNTHETIC FIBERS, FILAMENTS, NETTINGS, AND/OR WIRE MESH DESIGNED FOR PERMANENT AND CRITICAL HYDRAULIC APPLICATIONS WHERE DESIGN DISCHARGE VELOCITIES AND SHEAR STRESS EXCEED THE LIMITS OF MATURE, NATURAL VEGETATION. ENSURE THAT THE TRM PROVIDES SUFFICIENT THICKNESS, STRENGTH AND VOID SPACE TO ALLOW SOIL FILLING OR RETENTION AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF VEGETATION WITHIN THE MATRIX. MANUFACTURER SHALL PROVIDE CERTIFICATION THAT THE TRM IS A PERMANENT BMP. ENSURE THAT THE TRM CONFORMS TO THE PROPERTY VALUES SPECIFIED IN THE TABLE BELOW.

### **REQUIREMENTS FOR TRM**

PROPERTY
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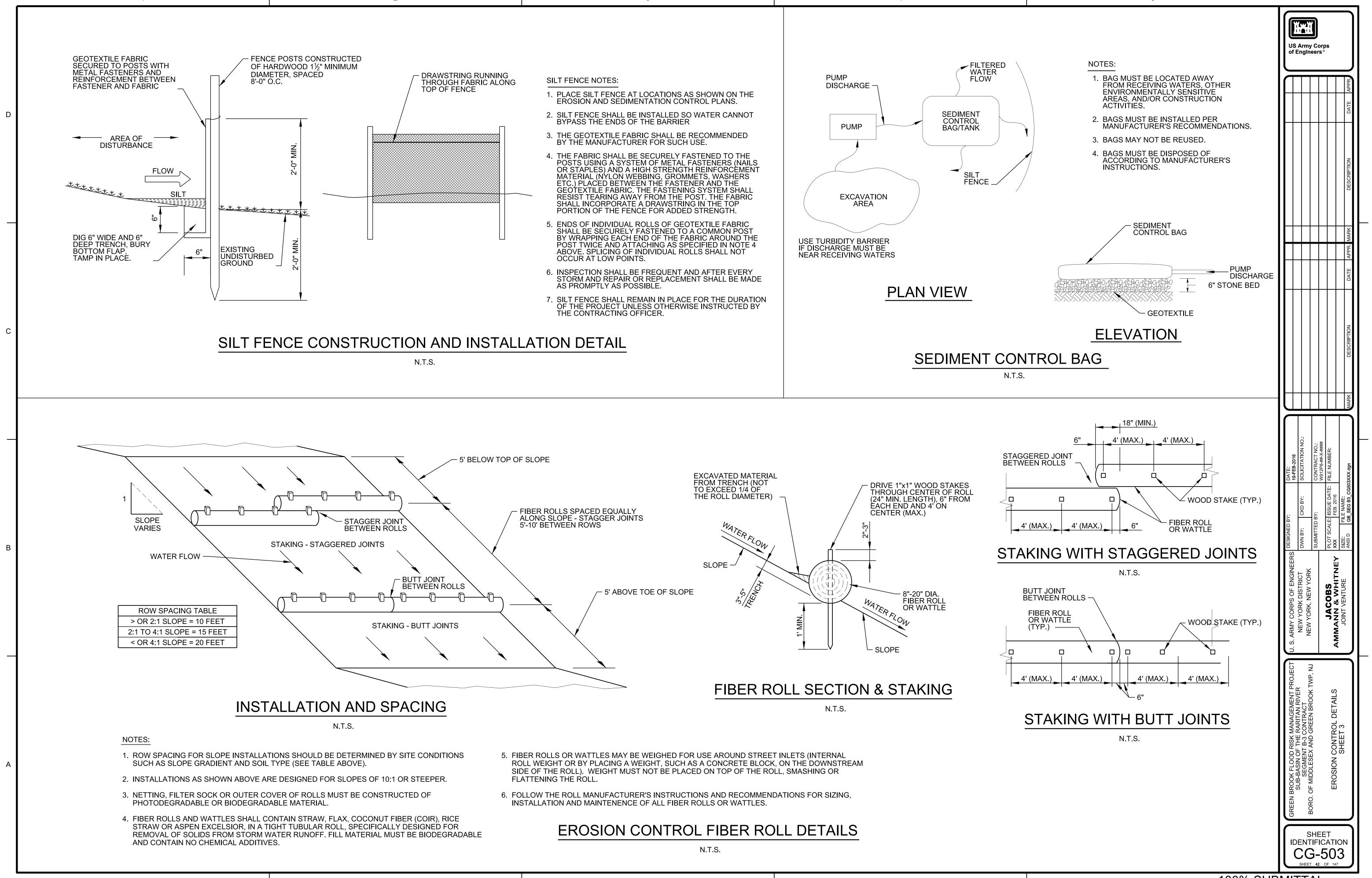
DESIGN PERMISSIBLE VELOCITY SHALL BE 5'/SECOND OR GREATER.

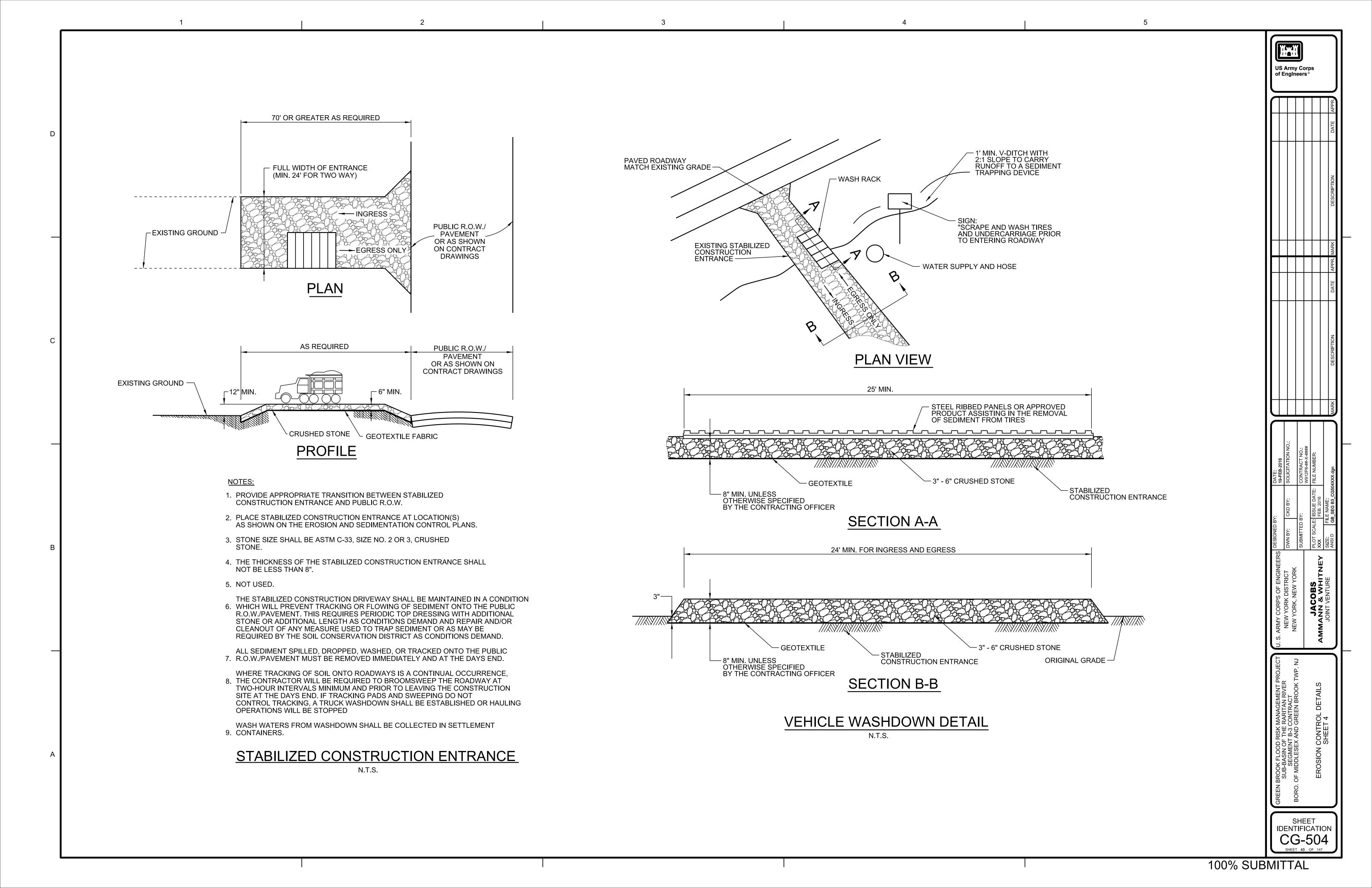
THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUBMITTING MANUFACTURER SPECIFICATIONS AND DETAILS FOR APPROVAL.

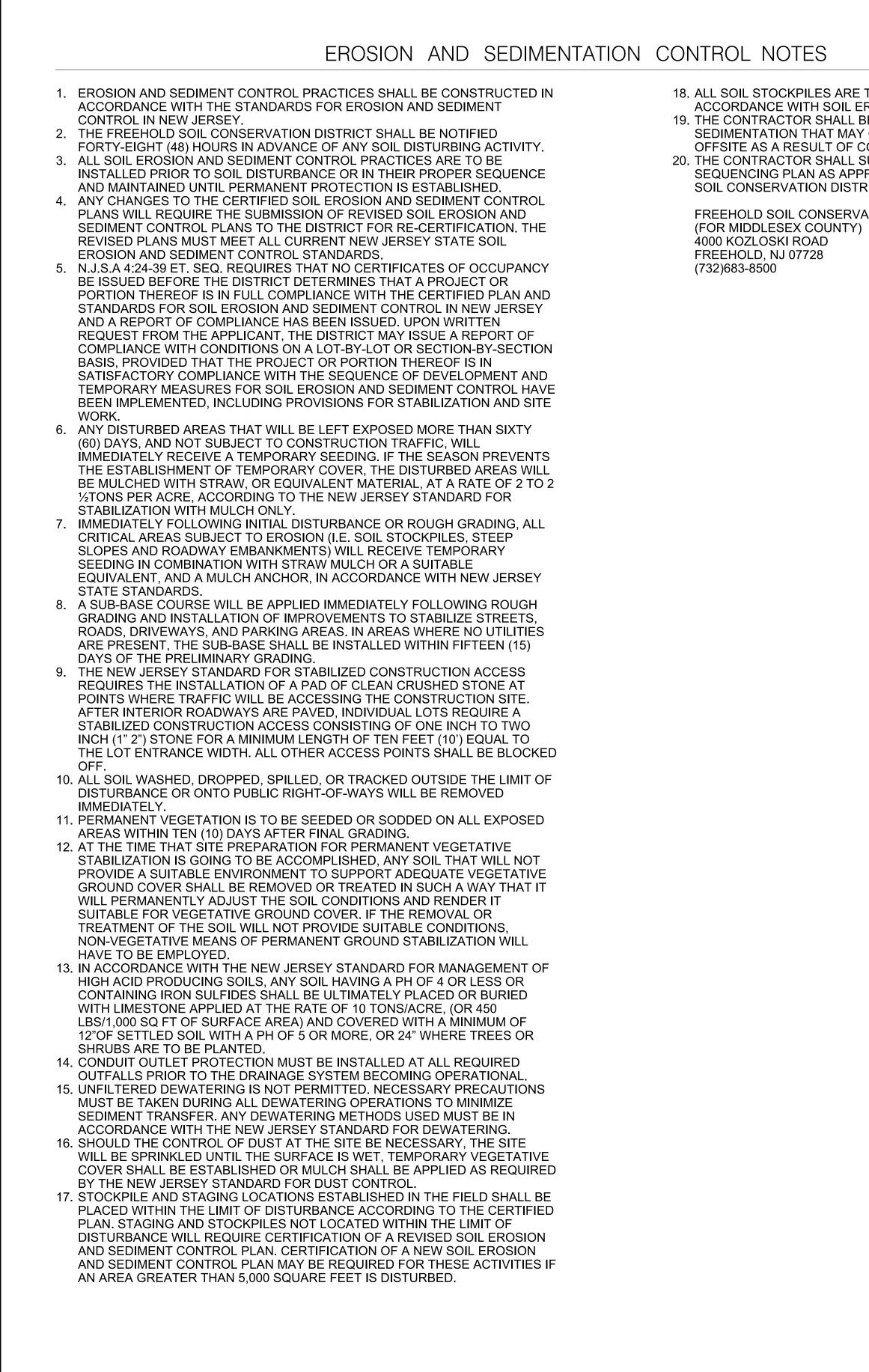
TURF REINFORCEMENT MATTING (TRM) REQUIREMENTS:

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18. ALL SOIL STOCKPILES ARE TO BE TEMPORARILY STABILIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL NOTE #7. 19. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY EROSION OR SEDIMENTATION THAT MAY OCCUR BELOW STORMWATER OUTFALLS OR OFFSITE AS A RESULT OF CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROJECT. 20. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FEE AND FINAL SEQUENCING PLAN AS APPROVED BY THE CONTRACTING OFFICER TO THE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT TO OBTAIN THE REQUIRED CERTIFICATION.

FREEHOLD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

## REQUIREMENT FOR DUST CONTROL

### DEFINITION

THE CONTROL OF DUST ON CONSTRUCTION SITES AND ROADS.

## PURPOSE

TO PREVENT BLOWING AND MOVEMENT OF DUST FROM EXPOSED SOIL SURFACES. REDUCE ON- AND OFF-SITE DAMAGE AND HEALTH HAZARDS, AND IMPROVE TRAFFIC SAFETY.

### WHERE APPLICABLE

THIS PRACTICE IS APPLICABLE TO AREAS SUBJECT TO DUST BLOWING AND MOVEMENT WHERE ON- AND OFF-SITE DAMAGE IS LIKELY WITHOUT TREATMENT. CONSULT WITH LOCAL MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES ON ANY RESTRICTIONS.

PLANNING CRITERIA

THE FOLLOWING METHODS SHOULD BE CONSIDERED FOR CONTROLLING DUST:

SPRAY-ON ADHESIVES - ON MINERAL SOILS (NOT EFFECTIVE ON MUCK SOILS). KEEP TRAFFIC OFF THESE AREAS.

## ANIONIC ASPHALT EMULSION LATEX EMULSION RESIN IN WATER POLYACRYLMIDE (PAM) - SPRAY-ON

POLYACRYLMIDE (PAM) - DRY-SPREAD ACIDULATED SOY BEAN SOAP STICK

TILLAGE - TO ROUGHEN SURFACE AND BRING CLODS TO THE SURFACE. THIS IS A TEMPORARY EMERGENCY MEASURE WHICH SHOULD BE USED BEFORE SOIL BLOWING STARTS. BEGIN PLOWING ON WINDWARD SIDE OF SITE. CHISEL-TYPE PLOWS SPACED ABOUT 12 INCHES APART, AND SPRING-TOOTHED HARROWS ARE EXAMPLES OF EQUIPMENT WHICH MAY PRODUCE THE DESIRED EFFECT.

SPRINKLING - SITE IS SPRINKLED UNTIL THE SURFACE IS WET

BARRIERS - SOLID BOARD FENCES, SNOW FENCES, BURLAP FENCES, CRATE WALLS, BALES OF HAY, AND SIMILAR MATERIAL CAN BE USED TO CONTROL AIR CURRENTS AND SOIL BLOWING.

CALCIUM CHLORIDE - SHALL BE IN THE FORM OF LOOSE, DRY GRANULES OR FLAKES FINE ENOUGH TO FEED THROUGH COMMONLY USED SPREADERS AT A RATE THAT WILL KEEP SURFACE MOIST BUT NOT CAUSE POLLUTION OR PLANT DAMAGE. IF USED ON STEEPER SLOPES, THEN USE OTHER PRACTICES TO PREVENT WASHING INTO STREAMS OR ACCUMULATION AROUND PLANTS.

STONE - COVER SURFACE WITH CRUSHED STONE OR COARSE GRAVEL

## REQUIREMENT FOR PERMANENT VEGETATION 1. SEEDBED PREPARATION

A. APPLY GROUND LIMESTONE AND FERTILIZER ACCORDING TO SOIL TEST RECOMMENDATIONS SUCH AS OFFERED BY RUTGERS CO-OPERATIVE EXTENSION. SOIL SAMPLE MAILERS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE LOCAL RUTGERS COOPERATIVE EXTENSION OFFICES. FERTILIZER SHALL BE APPLIED AT THE RATE OF 500 POUNDS PER ACRE OR 11 POUNDS PER 1,000 SQUARE FEET OF 10-20-10 OR EQUIVALENT WITH 50% WATER INSOLUBLE NITROGEN UNLESS A SOIL TEST INDICATES OTHERWISE. APPLY LIMESTONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TABLE BELOW AND THE RESULTS OF SOIL TESTING. CALCIUM CARBONATE IS THE EQUIVALENT AND STANDARD FOR MEASURING THE ABILITY OF LIMING MATERIALS TO NEUTRALIZE SOIL ACIDITY AND SUPPLY CALCIUM AND MAGNESIUM TO GRASSES AND LEGUMES. THE TABLE BELOW IS A GENERAL GUIDELINE FOR LIMESTONE APPLICATION.

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SOIL TEXTURE

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B. WORK LIME AND FERTILIZER INTO THE SOIL AS NEARLY AS PRACTICAL TO A DEPTH OF 4 INCHES WITH A DISC, SPRINGTOOTH HARROW, OR OTHER SUITABLE EQUIPMENT. THE FINAL HARROWING OR DISCING OPERATION SHOULD BE ON THE GENERAL CONTOUR. CONTINUE TILLAGE UNTIL A REASONABLE UNIFORM SEEDBED IS PREPARED.

C. IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO SEEDING. THE SURFACE SHALL BE SCARIFIED 6" TO 12" WHERE THERE HAS BEEN SOIL COMPACTION. THIS PRACTICE IS PERMISSIBLE ONLY WHERE THERE IS NO DANGER TO UNDERGROUND UTILITIES (CABLES, IRRIGATION, SYSTEMS, ETC.).

2. SEED MIXTURES AND SEEDING RATES FOR PERMANENT VEGETATION ARE DESCRIBED IN SPECIFICATION 32 92 19 SEEDING

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D	APPLY ACCORDING TO MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS.							
	NONE	COARSE SPRAY	1,200					

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COOL SEASON GRASSES       1. PERENNIAL RYEGRASS       40       1.0       3/1–5/15       8/15–10/1         2. SPRING OATES       86       2.0       3/1–5/15       8/15–10/1         3. WINTER BARLEY       96       2.2       8/15–10/1         4.WINTER CEREAL RYE       112       2.6       8/1–11/15	0.5 1.0 1.0 1.0
WARM SEASON GRASSES       5. PEARL MILLET       20       0.5       5/15– 8/15         6. MILLET (German or Hungarian)       30       0.7       5/15– 8/15         7. WEEPING LOVEGRASS       5       0.2       5/15– 8/15	1.0 1.0 0.25
<ol> <li>SEEDING RATE FOR WARM SEASON GRASS, SELECTION 5-7 SHALL BE ADJU SEED (PLS) AS DETERMINED BY GERMINATION TEST RESULT. NO ADJUSTMEN</li> <li>MAY BE PLANTED THROUGHOUT SUMMER IF SOIL MOISTURE IS ADEQUATE O</li> <li>TWICE THE DEPTH FOR SANDY SOILS.</li> </ol>	IS REQUIRED FOR COOL SEASON
<ul> <li>B. CONVENTIONAL SEEDING: APPLY SEED UNIFORMLY BY HAND, ON SEEDER DRILL CULTIPACKER SEEDER. FOR SEEDING METHOD INCORPORATED INTO THE SOIL TO A DEPTH OF 1/4 TO 1/2 IN SEED PLACEMENT MAY BE 1/4 INCH DEEPER IN COARSE TEXT</li> </ul>	S EXCEPT DRILLED, SEED SHALL BE ICH, BY RACKING OR DRAGGING. DE

## REQUIREMENT

FOR

## TEMPORARY VEGETATIVE COVER FOR SOIL STABILIZATION (CONTINUED)

- C. HYDROSEEDING IS A BROADCAST SEEDING METHOD USUALLY INVOLVING A TRUCK OR TRAILER MOUNTED TAN WITH AN AGITATION SYSTEM AND HYDRAULIC PUMP FOR MIXING SEED, WATER AND FERTILIZER AND SPRAYING THE MIX ONTO THE PREPARED SEEDBED. MULCH SHALL NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE TANK WITH SEED. SHORT FIBERED MULCH MAY BE APPLIED WITH A HYDROSEEDER FOLLOWING SEEDING. HYDROSEEDING IS NOT A PREFERRED SEEDING METHOD BECAUSE SEED AND FERTILIZER ARE APPLIED TO THE SURFACE AND NOT INCORPORATED INTO THE SOIL. POOR SEED TO SOIL CONTACT OCCURS REDUCING SEED GERMINATION AND GROWTH. HYDROSEEDING MAY BE USED FOR AREAS TOO STEEP FOR CONVENTIONAL EQUIPMENT TO TRAVERSE OR TOO OBSTRUCTED WITH ROCKS, STUMPS, ETC.
- D. AFTER SEEDING, COMPACT THE SOIL WITH A CORRUGATED ROLLER TO ASSURE GOOD SEED-TO-SOIL CONTACT, RESTORE CAPILLARITY, AND IMPROVE SEEDING EMERGENCE. THIS IS THE PREFERRED METHOD. WHEN PERFORMED ON THE CONTOUR, SHEET EROSION WILL BE MINIMIZED AND WATER CONSERVATION ON SITE WILL BE MAXIMIZED.
- IV. MULCHING

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MULCHING IS REQUIRED ON ALL SEEDING. MULCH WILL INSURE AGAINST EROSION BEFORE GRASS IS ESTABLISHED AND WILL PROMOTE FASTER AND EARLIER ESTABLISHMENT. THE EXISTENCE OF VEGETATION SUFFICIENT TO CONTROL SOIL EROSION SHALL BE DEEMED COMPLIANT WITH THIS MULCHING REQUIREMENT.

A. HAY. UNNROTTED SMALL GRAIN STRAW, HAY FREE OF SEEDS, OR SALT HAY TO BE APPLIED AT THE RATE OF 1-1/2 TO 2 TONS PER ACRE (70 TO 90 POUNDS PER 1,000 SQUARE FEET), EXCEPT WHERE A CRIMPER IS USED INSTEAD OF A LIQUID MULCH-BINDER (TACKIFYING OR ADHESIVE AGENT), THE RATE OF APPLICATION IS 3 TONS PER ACRE. MULCH CHOPPER-BLOWERS MUST NOT GRIND THE MULCH. HAY MULCH IS NOT RECOMMENDED FOR ESTABLISHING FINE TURF OR LAWNS DUE TO THE PRESENCE OF WEED SEED.

APPLICATION. SPREAD MULCH UNIFORMLY BY HAND OR MECHANICALLY SO THAT APPROXIMATELY 95% OF THE SOIL SURFACE WILL BE COVERED. FOR UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION OF HAND-SPREAD MULCH, DIVIDE AREA INTO APPROXIMATELY 1,000 SQUARE FEET SECTIONS AND DISTRIBUTE 70 TO 90 POUNDS WITHIN EACH SECTION.

ANCHORING SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLACEMENT TO MINIMIZE LOSS BY WIND OR WATER. THIS MAY BE DONE BY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING METHODS, DEPENDING UPON THE SIZE OF THE AREA, STEEPNESS OF SLOPES, AND COSTS.

- 1. PEG AND TWINE. DRIVE 8 TO 10 INCH WOODEN PEGS TO WITHIN 2 TO 3 INCHES OF THE SOIL SURFACE EVERY 4 FEET IN ALL DIRECTIONS. STAKES MAY BE DRIVEN BEFORE OR AFTER APPLYING MULCH. SECURE MULCH TO SOIL SURFACE BY STRETCHING TWINE BETWEEN PEGS IN A CRIS-CROSS AND A SQUARE PATTERN IN CONTACT WITH GROUND SURFACE. SECURE TWINE AROUND EACH PEG, WITH TWO OR MORE ROUND TURNS.
- 2. MULCH NETTINGS. STAPLE PAPER, JUTE, COTTON, OR PLASTIC NETTINGS TO THE SOIL SURFACE. USE A DEGRADABLE NETTING IN AREAS TO BE MOWED.
- 3. CRIMPER (MULCH ANCHORING COULTER TOOL). A TRACTOR-DRAWN IMPLEMENT, SOMEWHAT LIKE A DISC HARROW, ESPECIALLY DESIGNED TO PUSH OR CUT SOME OF THE BROADCAST LONG FIBER MULCH 3 TO 4 INCHES INTO THE SOIL SO AS TO ANCHOR IT AND LEAVE PART STANDING UPRIGHT. THIS TECHNIQUE IS LIMITED TO AREAS TRAVERSABLE BY A TRACTOR, WHICH MUST OPERATE ON THE CONTOUR OF SLOPES. STRAW MULCH RATE MUST BE 3 TONS PER ACRE. NO TACKIFYING OR ADHESIVE AGENT IS REQUIRED.
- 4. LIQUID MULCH-BINDERS. MAY BE USED TO ANCHOR SALT HAY, HAY, OR STRAW MULCH.
- A. APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE HEAVIER AT EDGES WHERE WIND MAY CATCH THE MULCH, IN VALLEYS, AND AT CRESTS OF BANKS. THE REMAINDER OF THE AREA SHOULD BE UNIFORM IN APPEARANCE.
- B. USE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- (1) ORGANIC AND VEGETABLE BASED BINDERS NATURALLY OCCURRING, POWDER BASED, HYDROPHILIC MATERIALS WHEN MIXED WITH WATER FORMULATE A GEL, AND WHEN APPLIED TO MULCH UNDER SATISFACTORY CURING CONDITION WILL FORM MEMBRANED NETWORKS OF INSOLUBLE POLYMERS. THE VEGETABLE GEL SHALL BE PHYSIOLOGICALLY HARMLESS AND NOT RESULT IN A PHYTOTOXIC EFFECT OR IMPEDE GROWTH OF TURFGRASS. USE AT RATES AND PER WEATHER CONDITIONS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER TO ANCHOR MULCH MATERIALS.
- (2) SYNTHETIC BINDERS HIGH POLYMER SYNTHETIC EMULSION, MISCIBLE WITH WATER WHEN DILUTED AND FOLLOWING APPLICATION TO MULCH, DRYING AND CURING SHALL NO LONGER BE SOLUBLE OR DISPERSIBLE IN WATER. IT SHALL BE APPLIED AT RATES RECOMMENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER AND REMAIN TACKY UNTIL GERMINATION OF GRASS.

NOTE: ALL NAMES GIVEN ABOVE ARE REGISTERED TRADE NAMES. THIS DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A RECOMMENDATION OF THESE PRODUCTS TO THE EXCLUSION OF OTHER PRODUCTS.

- B. WOOD-FIBER OR PAPER-FIBER MULCH: SHALL BE MADE FROM WOOD, PLANT FIBERS OR PAPER CONTAINING NO GROWTH OR GERMINATION INHIBITING MATERIALS, USED AT THE RATE OF 1,500 POUNDS PER ACRE (OR AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PRODUCT MANUFACTURER) AND MAY BE APPLIED BY A HYDROSEEDER. THIS MULCH SHALL NOT BE MIXED IN THE TANK WITH SEED. USE IS LIMITED TO FLATTER SLOPES AND DURING OPTIMUM SEEDING PERIODS IN SPRING AND FALL.
- C. PELLETIZED MULCH: COMPRESSED AND EXTRUDED PAPER AND/OR WOOD FIBER PRODUCT, WHICH MAY CONTAIN CO-POLYMERS, TACKIFIERS, FERTILIZERS AND COLORING AGENTS. THE DRY PELLETS, WHEN APPLIED TO A SEEDED AREA AND WATERED, FORM A MULCH MAT. PELLETIZED MULCH SHALL BE APPLIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURERS RECOMMENDATIONS. MULCH MAY BE APPLIED BY HAND OR MECHANICAL SPREADER AT THE RATE OF 60-75 LBS/1,000 SQUARE FEET AND ACTIVATED WITH 0.2 TO 0.4 INCHES OF WATER. THIS MATERIAL HAS BEEN FOUND TO BE BENEFICIAL FOR USE ON SMALL LAWN OR RENOVATION AREAS, SEEDED AREAS WHERE WEED-SEED FREE MULCH IS DESIRED OR ON SITES WHERE STRAW MULCH AND TACKIFIER AGENT ARE NOT PRACTICAL OR DESIRABLE. APPLYING THE FULL 0.2 TO 0.4 INCHES OF WATER AFTER SPREADING PELLETIZED MULCH ON THE SEED BED IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT FOR SUFFICIENT ACTIVATION AND EXPANSION OF THE MULCH TO PROVIDE SOIL COVERAGE.

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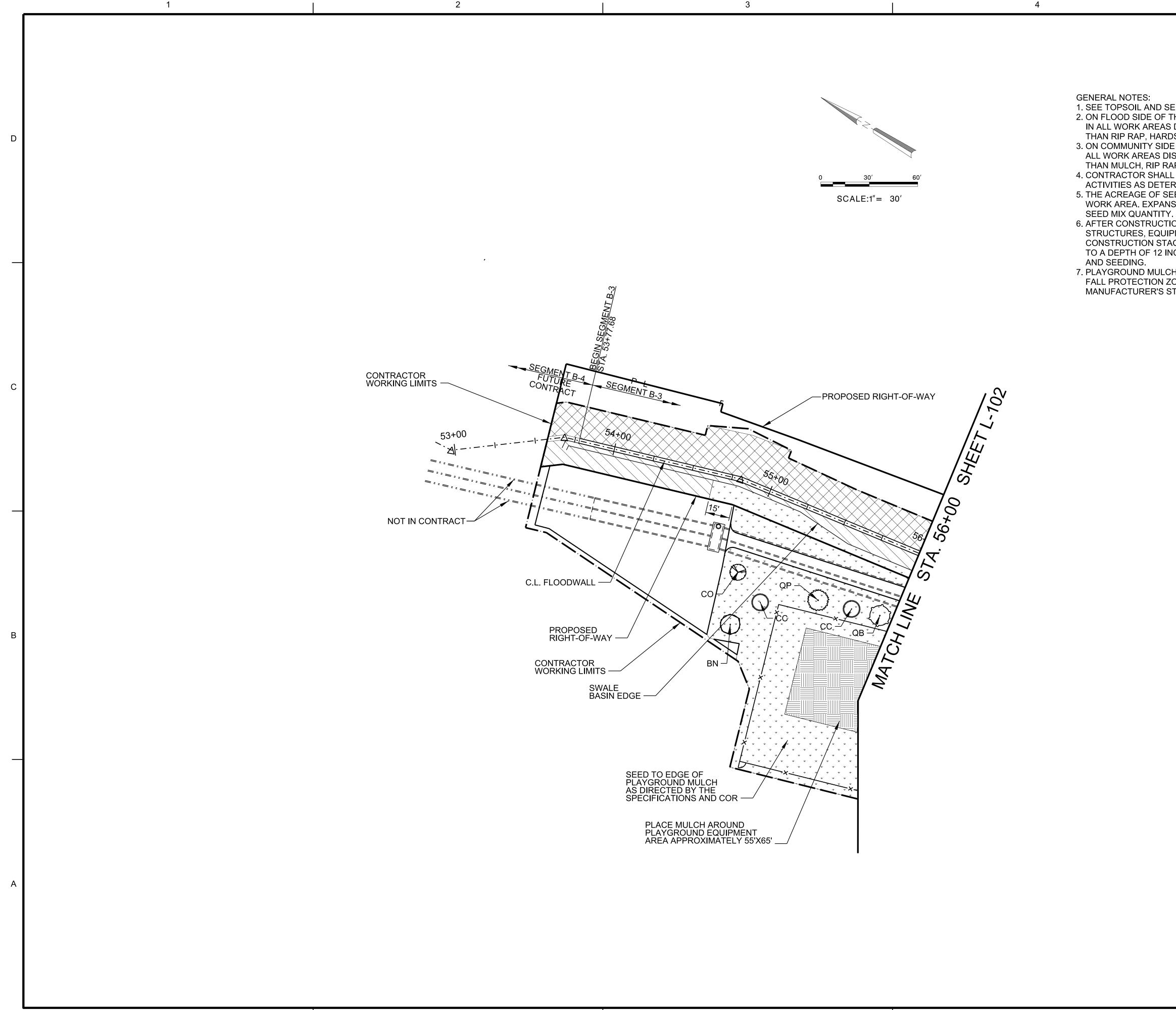
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3. ON COMMUNITY SIDE OF FLOOD WALL, LAWN MIX SHALL BE SEEDED IN ALL WORK AREAS DISTURBED DURING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES OTHER THAN MULCH, RIP RAP, HARDSCAPE, OR STRUCTURE.

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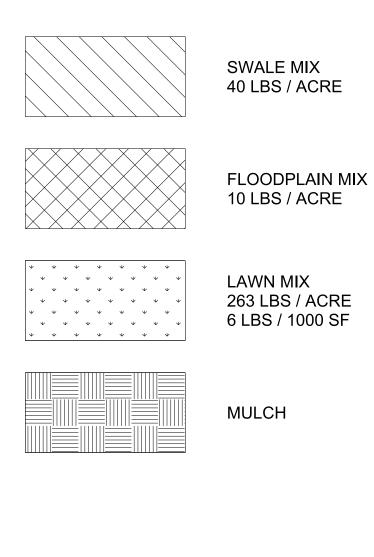
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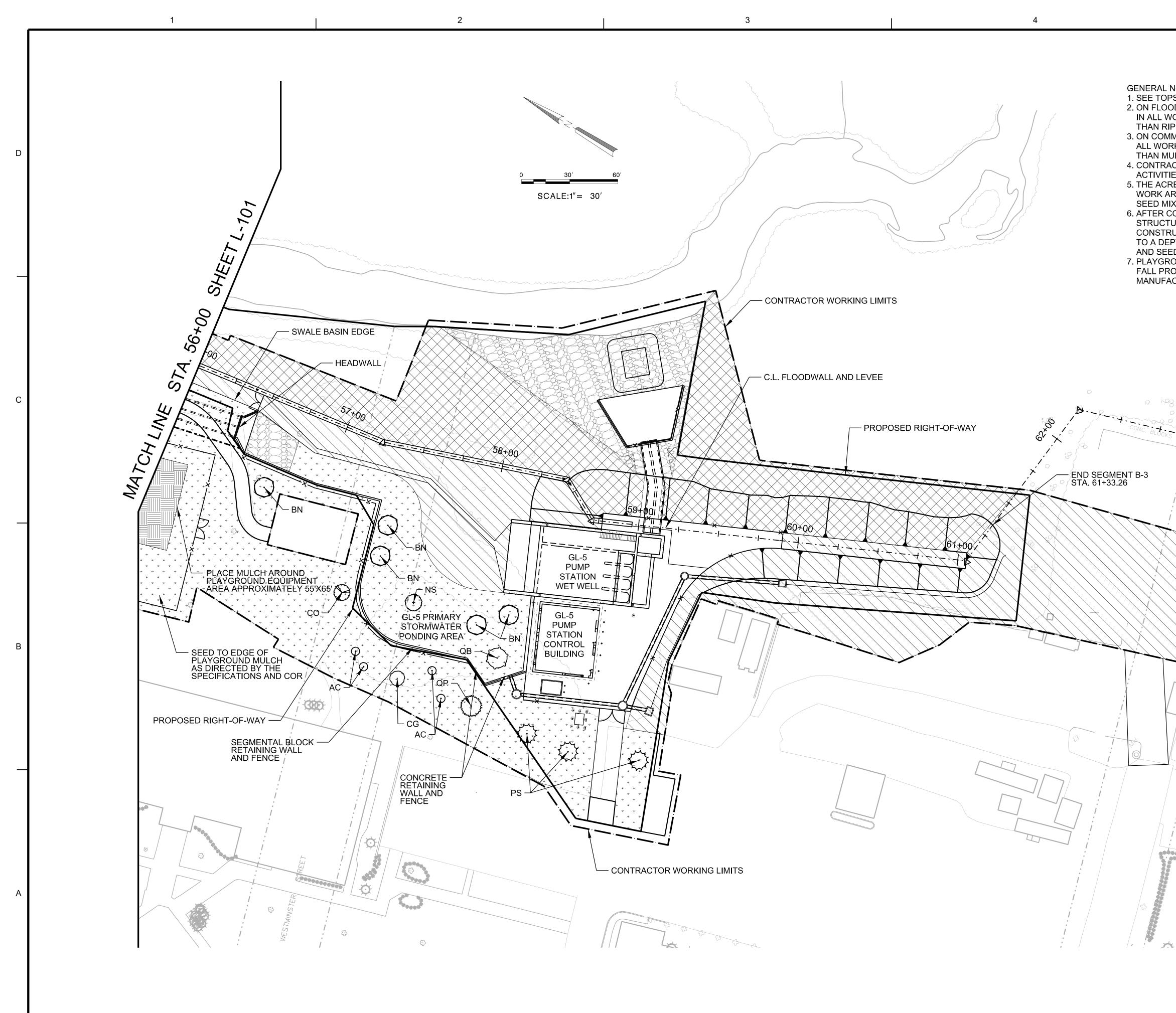
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	Scientific Name	Common Name	Indicator Status	Purity Seed	Minimum Germination	Weed	% of Mix by Weight
	Argostis scabra	Rough Bentgrass	FAC	98%	80%	0.25%	12.5
	Calamagrostis canadensis	Blue-joint Grass	OBL	98%	80%	0.25%	1.0
	Elymus villosus	Silky Wild Rye	FACU	98%	80%	0.25%	8.0
ses	Elymus virginicus	Wild Rye, Virginia	FACW-	98%	80%	0.25%	15.0
Grasses	Glyceria grandis	Manna Grass, Reed	OBL	98%	80%	0.25%	3.0
	Glyceria striata	Manna Grass, Fowl	OBL	98%	80%	0.25%	2.0
	Leersia Oryzoides	Rice Cutgrass	OBL	98%	80%	0.25%	4.0
	Poa palustris	Bluegrass, Fowl	FACW	98%	80%	0.25%	30.0
	Carex crinita	Fringed Sedge	OBL	95%	80%	0.25%	3.0
oids	Carex lupulina	Hop Sedge	OBL	95%	80%	0.25%	2.5
Graminoids	Carex vulpinoidea	Fox Sedge	OBL	95%	80%	0.25%	5.0
Gran	Scirpus cyperinus	Woolgrass	OBL	85%	80%	0.25%	0.1
	Scirpus expansus	Wood Bulrush	OBL	95%	80%	0.25%	4.0
	Asclepias incarnata	Marsh Milkweed	OBL	85%	80%	0.25%	2.0
	Aster novae-angliae	New England Aster	FACW	84%	80%	0.25%	0.2
sq	Bidens aristosa	Showy Tickseed Sunflower	FACW	87%	80%	0.25%	2.0
Forbs	Eupatorium fistulosum	Joe Pye Weed	FACW	87%	80%	0.25%	2.5
	Rudbeckia hirta	Black-eyed Susan	FACW	84%	80%	0.25%	0.2
	Veronia noveboracensis	New York Ironweed	FACW	84%	80%	0.25%	3.0

## SWALE MIX

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Purity Seed	Minimum Germination	Weed	% of Mix by Weight
	Andropogon gerardii	Big Bluestem	98%	80%	0.25%	4.0
s	Argostis scabra	Rough Bentgrass	98%	80%	0.25%	10.0
Graminoids	Carex lupulina	Hop Sedge	95%	80%	0.25%	2.5
amir	Carex vulpinoidea	Fox Sedge	95%	80%	0.25%	3.5
& G	Elymus villosus	Silky Wild Rye	98%	80%	0.25%	27.0
-	Panicum virgatum	Switchgrass	98%	80%	0.25%	1.0
Grasses	Poa palustris	Bluegrass, Fowl	98%	80%	0.25%	6.0
U U	Schizachyrium scoparium	Little Bluestem	98%	80%	0.25%	27.0
	Sorghastrum nutans	Indian Grass	98%	80%	0.25%	4.0
	Asclepias incarnata	Marsh Milkweed	85%	80%	0.25%	0.2
	Asclepias tuberosa	Butterfly Milkweed	85%	80%	0.25%	0.3
	Aster novae-angliae	New England Aster	84%	80%	0.25%	0.3
	Bidens aristosa	Showy Tickseed Sunflower	87%	80%	0.25%	1.0
Forbs	Eupatorium fistulosum	Joe Pye Weed	87%	80%	0.25%	2.0
Fol	Oligoneuron rigidum	Stiff Goldenrod	84%	80%	0.25%	0.5
	Rudbeckia hirta	Black-eyed Susan	84%	80%	0.25%	0.2
	Solidago patula	Rough-leaf Goldenrod	84%	80%	0.25%	1.0
	Symphyotrichum puniceum	Purple Stemmed Aster	84%	80%	0.25%	4.5
	Verbena hastata	Blue Verbain	85%	80%	0.25%	5.0

## LAWN MIX

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Purity Seed	Minimum Germination	Weed	% of Mix by Weight
ß	Festuca sp.	Tall Fescue - Apache, Fidelity, Blackwatch, Falcon, Escalade, Mustang 3, Rebel Exeda	98%	85%	0.25%	60.0
Grasses	Poa sp.	Bluegrass - Avalanche, Bristol, Total Eclipse, P-105, Touchdown	98%	80%	0.25%	20.0
	Elymus sp.	Perrenial Ryegrass - All Star2, Palmer II, Pennant III, Pizzazz, Premier II, Yorktown II	95%	85%	0.25%	20.0

## **SEEDING SPECIFICATIONS AND NOTES**

1. SCOPE OF WORK

THIS WORK SHALL CONSIST OF SOIL PREPARATION, FINISH GRADING, SEEDING, MULCHING, AND ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT, AND ANY OTHER INCIDENTALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING SEED, STRAW MULCHING AND MULCH BINDER IN A WAY THAT OBTAINS OPTIMAL GERMINATION AND LONG TERM SUCCESS ACCORDING TO THE CONTRACT PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

2. MATERIALS

ALL SEED MATERIALS SHALL BE THE BEST OF ITS KIND AVAILABLE. THE COR MAY MANDATE SEED MATERIAL OR SEED INSPECTIONS TO INSURE QUALITY.

GENERAL WORK PROCEDURES 3.

> LANDSCAPE WORK SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH WORKMANLIKE STANDARDS ESTABLISHED FOR LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION AND PLANTING. THE CONSTRUCTION SITE SHALL BE KEPT IN A NEAT AND ORDERLY FASHION.

4. WEEDING

BEFORE AND DURING PRELIMINARY GRADING AND FINISH GRADING, ALL WEEDS AND INVASIVES SHALL BE DUG OUT BY THE ROOT AND DISPOSED AS DIRECTED BY COR.

**FINISH GRADING** 5.

> AFTER FLOOD WALL, PUMP STATION STRUCTURES, PAVEMENTS, FOOTINGS, WALLS, AND GENERAL CONSTRUCTION IS COMPLETE AND PRIOR TO ANY FINISH GRADING ACTIVITIES, REMOVE STONES LARGER THAN 3 INCHES IN ANY DIMENSION AND STICKS, ROOTS, RUBBISH, CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS, FORMS, SLAG, AND ANY OTHER DELETERIOUS MATERIAL AND LEGALLY DISPOSE OF THEM OFF SITE AS DIRECTED BY THE COR. ALL SOIL AMENDING AND TOPSOIL PLACEMENT SHALL BE CONDUCTED PRIOR TO FINISH GRADING. ALL SEEDING AREAS SHALL BE SMOOTH, EVEN AND UNIFORM WITH NO ABRUPT CHANGE OF SURFACE, UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE COR OR FINAL PLANS. PRIOR TO SEEDING, FINAL GRADE SHALL BE RAKED OR FURROWED TO LOOSEN THE SOIL AND CREATE A TEXTURED SURFACE FOR SEEDING.

6. SEED

SEED SHALL BE PURE LIVE SEED, CLEAN TO BARE SEED, FRESH AND DELIVERED TO THE SITE IN ORIGINAL, UNOPENED BAGS SHOWING THE NET WEIGHT, COMPOSITION OF MIX, SUPPLIER'S NAME AND GUARANTEE OF ANALYSIS. IN STATE SUPPLIERS ARE PREFERRED. SEED SHALL BE DELIVERED AND STORED IN ORIGINAL, UNOOPENED PACKAGES, KEPT DRY, AND NOT OPENED UNTIL NEEDED FOR USE. DAMAGES OR FAULTY PACKAGES SHALL NOT BE USED AND WILL BE REJECTED. SEED SHALL HAVE BEEN HARVESTED FROM THE PREVIOUS GROWING SEASON.

7. SEEDING

ALL SEEDING SHALL BE CONDUCTED DURING THE DORMANT SEASON. SEEDING SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN DRY AREAS. FLOODED AREAS SHALL NOT BE SEEDED. SEEDING SHALL BE DONE BY BROADCAST METHODS OR HYDROSEEDING IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEED SUPPLIERS' RECOMMENDATIONS. ALL SEEDED AREAS SHALL BE COVERED WITH A LIGHT LAYER OF STRAW MULCH OR HYDROMULCH. SEEDED AREAS SHALL BE ADEQUATELY WATERED TO ESTABLISH VEGETATIVE COVER.

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SEEDING RATES SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:

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SWALE MIX	40 LBS/ACRE
LAWN MIX	6 LBS/1000 SI

9. SEEDING PERIODS

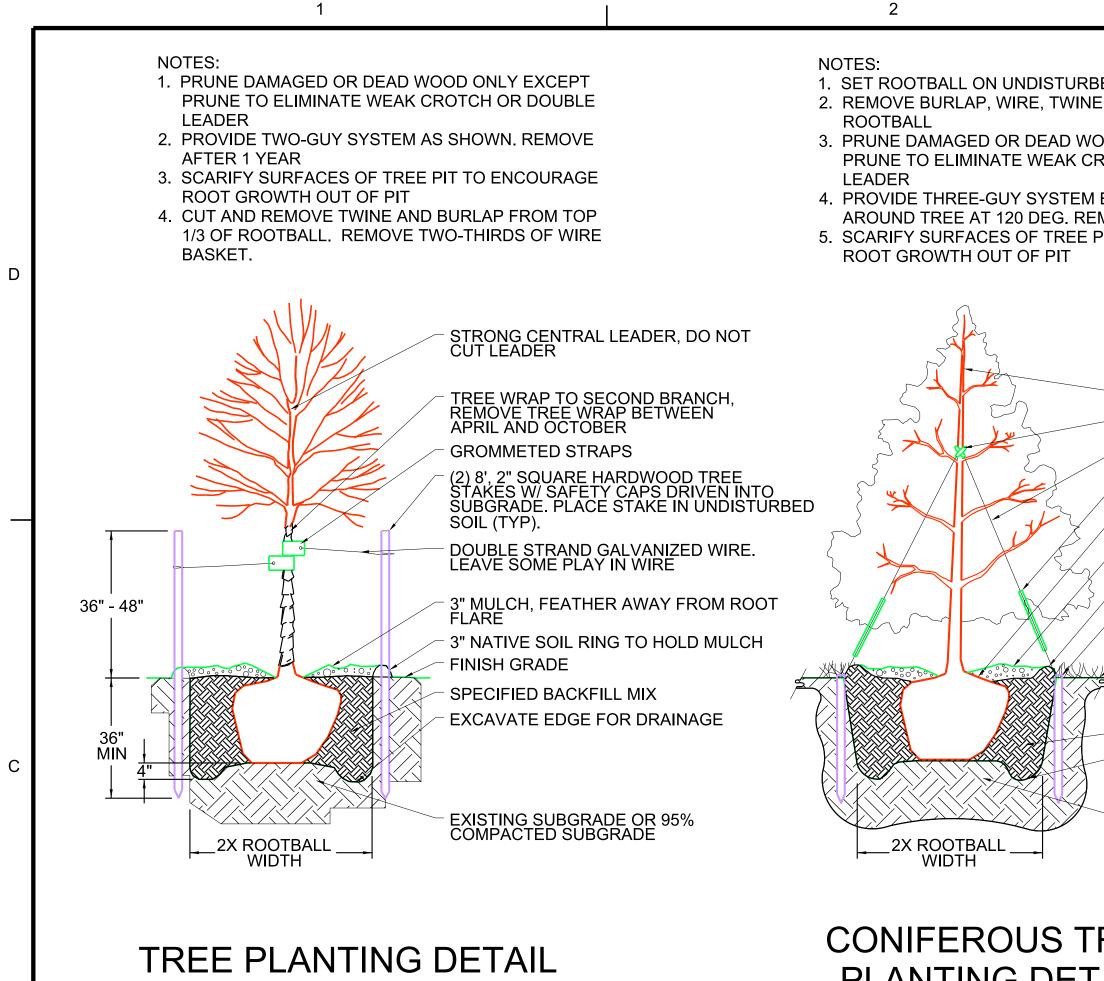
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10. STRAW MULCH

THE MATERIAL FOR MULCH SHALL BE STRAW DERIVED FROM THRESHED, UNROTTED STALKS OF OAT, WHEAT, RYE, BARLEY, OR OTHER ACCEPTABLE NATIVE GRASSES WELL CURED TO LESS THAN 20% MOISTURE BY WEIGHT. STRAW SHALL BE FREE FROM SEED, NOXIOUS WEEDS, AND OTHER FOREIGN MATERIALS. ALL SEEDED AREAS SHALL BE COVERED AT A RATE OF TWO TONS PER ACRE ACCORDING TO SPECIFICATIONS WITHIN 48 HOURS OF SEEDING. HOWEVER, IN THE EVENT OF ANTICIPATED RAINFALL WITHIN 24 HOURS, SEEDING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED WHEN STRAW MULCH CANNOT BE IMMEDIATELY APPLIED AFTER SEEDING. MULCH SHOULD BE CRIMPED IN.

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QB     6     Quercus bicolor     Swamp White Oak	FACW 2-1/2 inch B&B 12'	See Plan Plant in spring only	8. ALL INJURED ROOTS SHALL BE PRUNED TO MAKE CLEAN ENDS BEFORE PLANTING.	C. THE CO
QP     10     Quercus phellos     Willow Oak	FACW 2-1/2 inch B&B 12'	See Plan Strong Central Leader	9. EACH TREE AND SHRUB SHALL BE PRUNED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDARD HORTICULTURAL PRACTICE TO PRESERVE NATURAL CHARACTER OF PLANT.	STAKES POST IN
NOTE: TREE LOCATIONS OF QUANTITIES NOT INDICATED ON PLANS SHALL BE COORDINATED WITH THE COR.			<ul> <li>PRUNING SHALL BE DONE WITH CLEAN, SHARP TOOLS.</li> <li>10. TREES SHALL BE SUPPORTED IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLANTING. ALL TREES SHALL BE STAKED AS INDICATED. THE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL REMOVE STAKING AND GUY ASSEMBLIES AT THE END OF TWO (2) YEAR GUARANTEE PERIOD.</li> </ul>	D. THE CO SUPPOI MATER FOR PL/ ANCHO
			11. NEW PLANTING AREAS AND SEEDED AREAS SHALL BE ADEQUATELY WATERED TO	
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## **PLANTING SPECIFICATIONS**

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S WORK SHALL CONSIST OF PERFORMING CLEARING AND SOIL PREPARATION, ISH GRADING, AND PLANTING INCLUDING ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, TOOLS, JIPMENT AND INCIDENTALS NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETION OF THIS JECT

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DT BALL SHALL BE PLACED AT REST ON EXISTING SOIL. BACKFILL IN LIFTS OF TO EIGHT INCHES (6-8") AND THOROUGHLY SETTLED WITH WATER.

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ELOP THREE INCH (3") TALL NATIVE SOIL RING WITH PLANT CENTERED IN 4.5 DT DIAMETER. PLACE MULCH AT DEPTH OF THREE INCHES (3") AND WATER DROUGHLY.

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### RANTEE

ITRACTOR SHALL GUARANTEE ALL PLANTS FOR A PERIOD OF TWO (2) YEARS.

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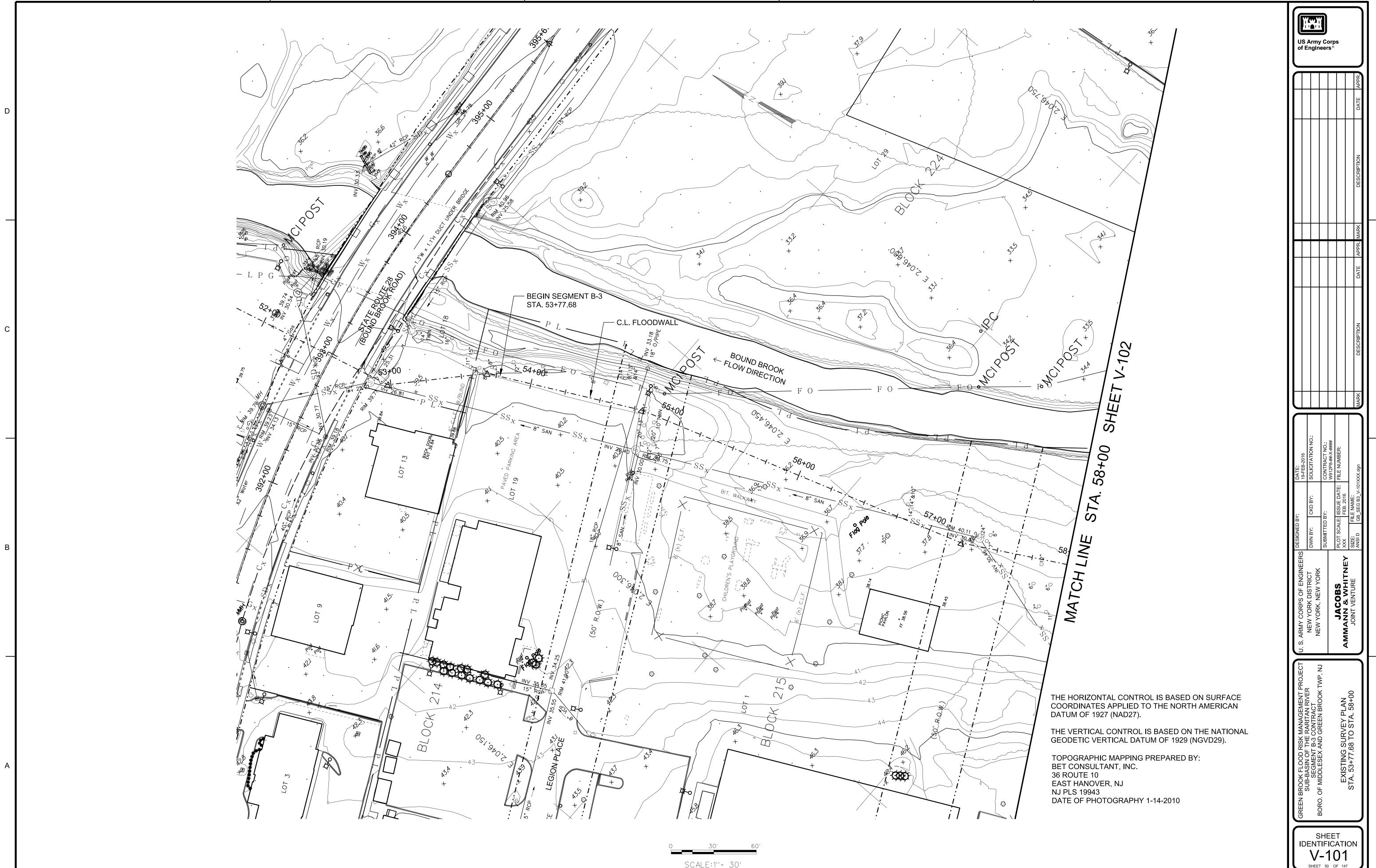
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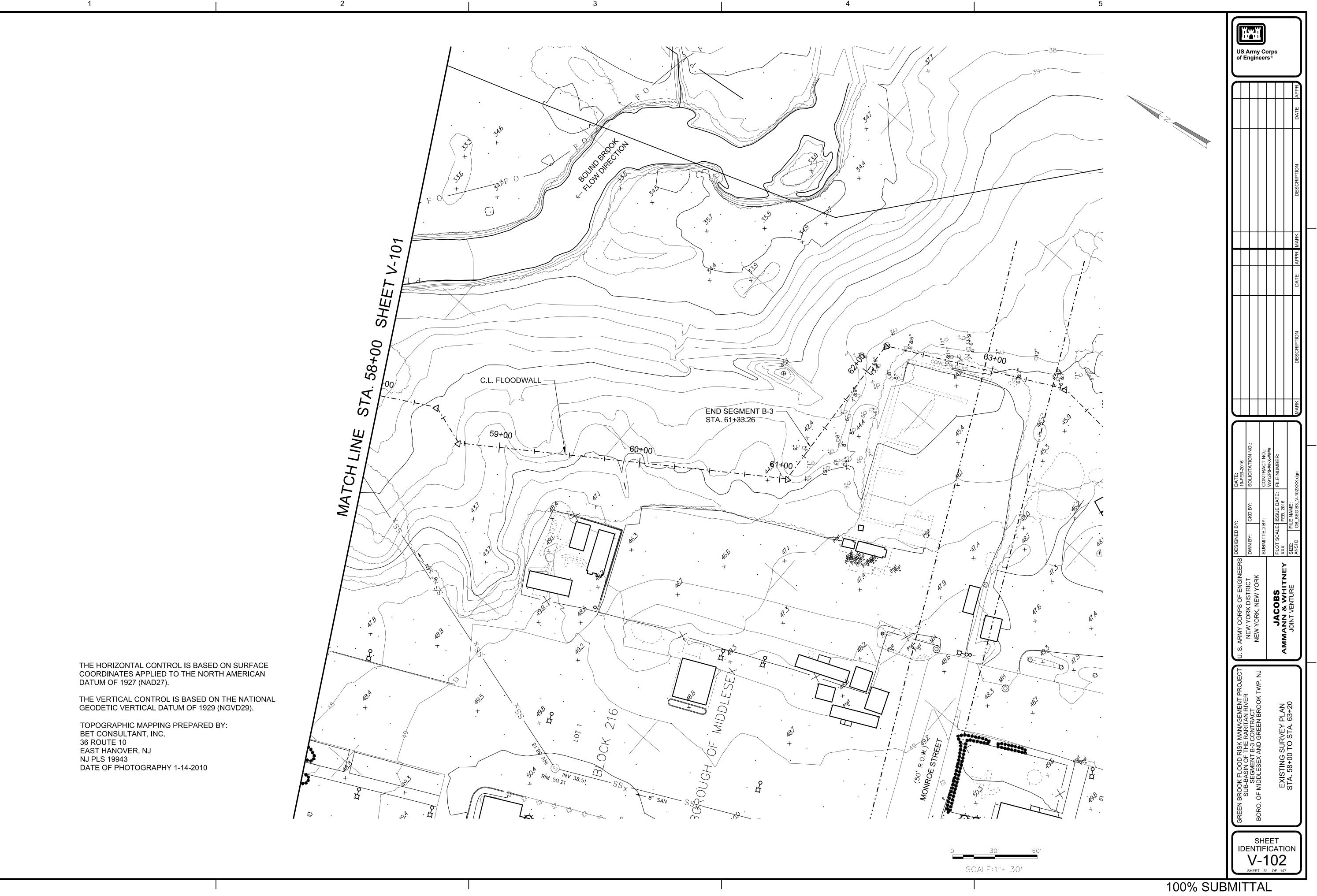
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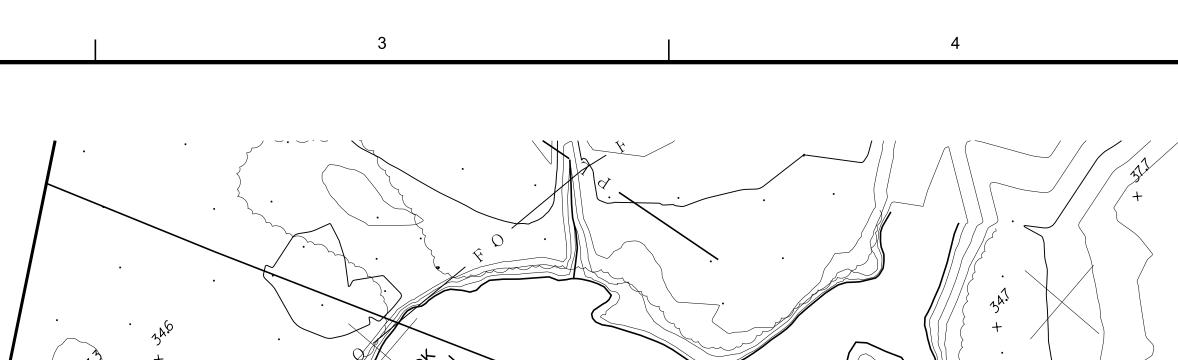
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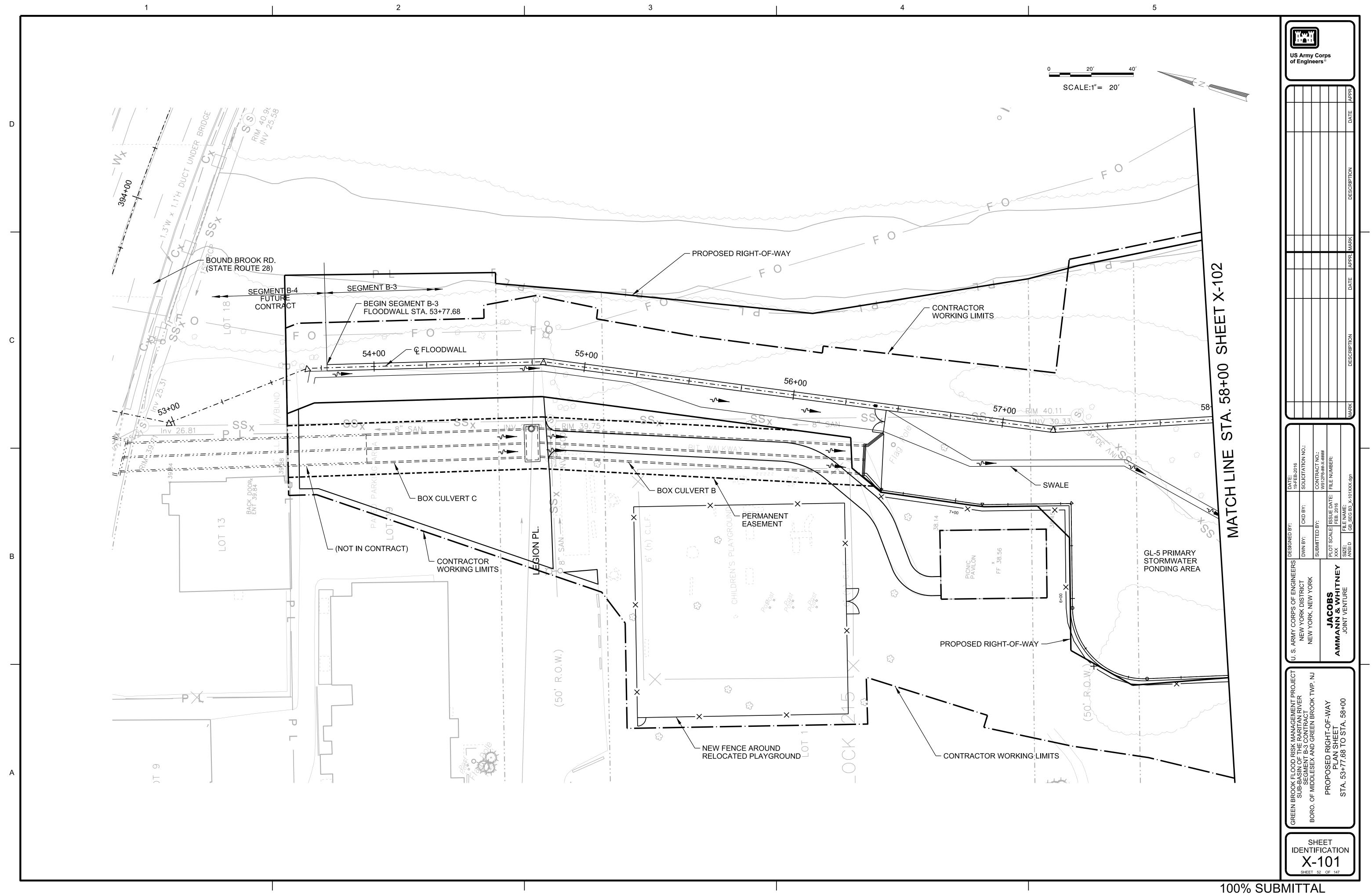
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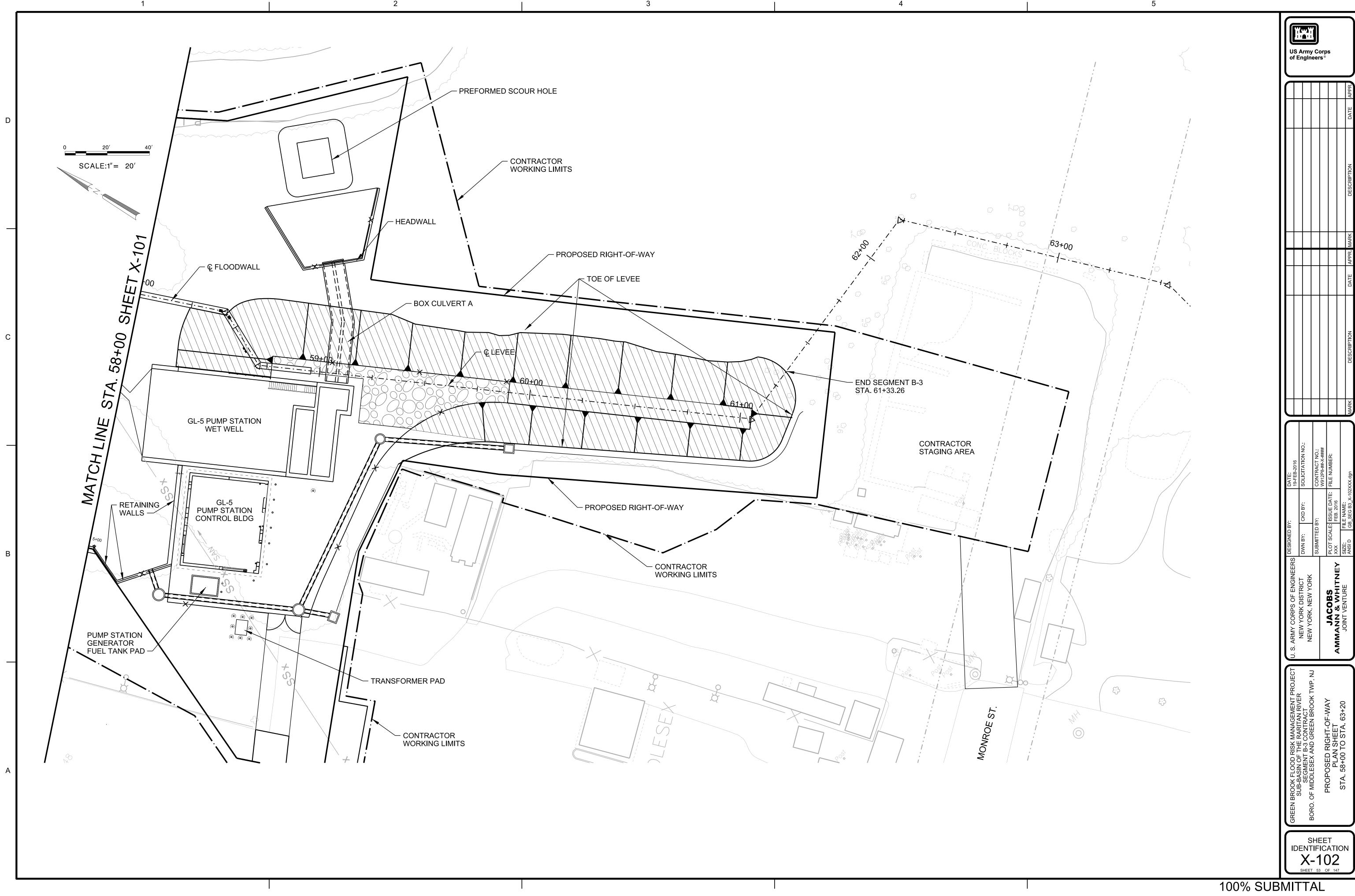


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## APPENDIX E

## DRAFT FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

### **Draft Finding of No Significant Impact**

Environmental Assessment for Segments B2 and B3 Levee and Floodwall Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project Middlesex Borough, Middlesex County, NJ

### I. DESCRIPTION OF ACTION

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New York District (District) and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) are proposing to construct approximately 923 feet of floodwall and 334 feet of levee and raise the Sebring's Mills Bridge along the Green Brook. The project is being referred to as Segments B2 and Segments B3 which are part of the overall Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project (GBFDRP). The floodproofing component is located in the Green Brook Township, Somerset County. The levee, floodwall and structure buyout is located in Middlesex Borough in Middlesex County. The bridge straddles the two municipalities.

The Environmental Assessment for which this Finding of No Significant Impact was prepared specifically addresses the significance of potential impacts the construction of Segments B2 and B3 will have on Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*), a federal and state endangered species, northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) a federal threatened species, and on General Conformity of the Clean Air Act. At the time the 1980 FEIS and 1997 FSEIS were filed, the Indiana bat was not identified as occurring within the GBFDR project area. The northern long-eared bat was listed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) as threatened under the Endangered Species Act in April 2015. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency revised the General Conformity analysis for the project.

### II. ALTERNATIVES

A complete evaluation of alternatives and potential environmental impacts were previously addressed in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps), New York District, *Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) for the Proposed Plan for the Green Brook Flood Control in the Green Brook Sub-Basin, Somerset, Middlesex and Union Counties, New Jersey,* filed August, 1980 and the *Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (FSEIS) for the Proposed Plan for the Green Brook Flood Control in the Green Brook Flood Control in the Green Brook Sub-Basin, Somerset, Middlesex and Union Counties, New Jersey, filed Nagust, 1980, New Jersey, filed in May 1997.* 

### III. ANTICIPATED ENVIRONMENTAL CONSEQUENCES

A full assessment of impacts associated with the Proposed Action was evaluated in the attached *Environmental Assessment for Segments B2 and B3 Levee and Floodwall, Green Brook Flood Damage Reduction Project, Middlesex Borough, Middlesex County, NJ.* A summary of anticipated environmental consequences is as follows:

- The project will not negatively impact public health or safety. Rather, the project serves to improve public health and safety through the acquisition and removal of flood prone homes.
- The project will not negatively impact the quality of the human environment.

- The project is not expected to have significant long-term impact on endangered, threatened or special concern State and Federal species. To comply with Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, a tree clearing restriction window of 15 April through 30 September will be established during construction as a precautionary measure to protect the northern long-eared bat, a federally threatened species. Based on coordination with USFWS, Indiana bat is not expected to inhabit the project area.
- A restriction on the clearing of woody vegetation from 15 March through 31 July will be implemented during construction to comply with the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.
- A restriction from conducting in-channel work will be implemented from May 1 through June 30 to protect any spawning fish species.
- Standard erosion control techniques employed during construction will minimize excess sedimentation to the Bound Brook.
- No known archaeological or historical resources will be affected by this project. The District has coordinated a Programmatic Agreement with the New Jersey Historic Preservation Office, the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation.
- The anticipated emission levels for NOx emissions from construction equipment are below the de minimis levels established for General Conformity and have been documented with a Record of Non-Applicability.
- No adverse cumulative impacts are associated with project implementation. When assessed in conjunction with other past, present or future flood risk management initiatives within the Green Brook Sub-Basin, the proposed action has positive cumulative impacts to provide a regional long term risk reduction to loss of life and property/infrastructure damages resulting from flood events.

### IV. COORDINATION

The New York District has coordinated this project with Federal and State resource agencies and the interested public and issued a Notice of Availability of the draft Environmental Assessment (EA) in order to:

- a.Inform agencies and stakeholders of the proposed work and the environmental evaluation contained in the draft EA, and
- b. Provide an opportunity for comments on that evaluation and findings.

### V. CONCLUSION

Based on my review and evaluation of the environmental effects as presented in the Environmental Assessment, I have determined that the Passaic River Floodway Buyout Project is not a major federal action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment. Therefore, I have determined that this project is exempt from the requirement to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement.

David A. Caldwell Colonel, U.S. Army District Commander

Date