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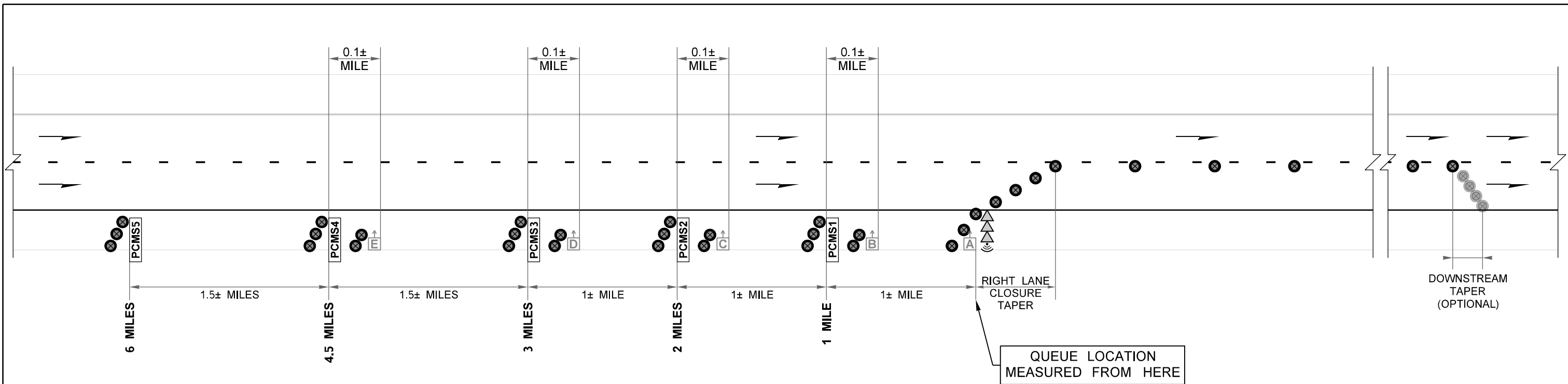
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2.91 TO 4.4	FF	SL	SL	SL	SL	■	LANE CLOSURE 6 MILES TRAFFIC BACKUPS PRESENT	■	LANE CLOSURE 4.5 MILES TRAFFIC BACKUPS PRESENT	■	LANE CLOSURE 3 MILES TRAFFIC BACKUPS PRESENT	■	LANE CLOSURE 2 MILES TRAFFIC BACKUPS PRESENT	■	LANE CLOSURE 2 MILES TRAFFIC BACKUPS PRESENT
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**6-MILE QUEUE WARNING SYSTEM
FREEWAY (2 LANES): SINGLE RIGHT LANE CLOSURE
NOT TO SCALE**

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WORK ZONE MICROSTATION CELLS: Updated work zone cells incorporated (January 2024).

WSDOT CAE automatically updates cell libraries on WSDOT and on-site consultant staff computers (no action needed); however, external users or off-site consultants must manually install them. For additional information email HQCAEHelpDesk@wsdot.wa.gov.

Division 4 in WSDOT Plans Preparation Manual, Section 400.06(29), provides updated work zone cell library policy and information for PS&Es. See <https://wsdot.wa.gov/engineering-standards/all-manuals-and-standards/manuals/plans-preparation-manual>

TYPICAL TCP USAGE EXPLANATION:

Plot 1: Supplements Typical Traffic Control Plans TC107, TC223, TC243 when 6-mile Queue Warning System utilized on 2-Lane Freeways.

DESIGNER NOTES:

- A. **Region Transportation Operations will determine if and what queue mitigation system is needed** using work zone traffic analysis (Traffic Manual 5-9). For additional information, see Traffic Manual 5-17 or *Work Zone Traffic Control Fundamentals* presentation.
- B. These typical traffic control plans may be modified for site-specific situations and/or WSDOT Region Transportation Operations standard practices. **Typical Traffic Control Plans are not "Standard Plans"**.
- C. When used, include the following **Queue Warning System General Special Provisions** listed below:
 - 1-10.3(3).OPT4.FR1 Specifications
 - 1-10.4(2).OPT7.GR1 Measurement (Traffic Control as Bid Items)
 - 1-10.5(2).OPT4.GR1 Payment
- D. If traffic queues regularly exceed 6 miles, this plan can be modified into a 8-mile or 9-mile queue warning system without needing additional PCMSs or traffic sensors. Contact State Work Zone Engineers for guidance at HQWorkZone@wsdot.wa.gov.
- E. Except for projects requiring them in the Provisions, Pan-Tilt-Cameras (PTZ Cameras) are optional and may be mounted on various PCMSs as desired. PTZ Cameras are used remotely by Agency to monitor incidents and queues.

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FREEWAY (2 LANES): SINGLE RIGHT LANE CLOSURE**

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DESIGNER GUIDANCE

Plot 2

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