

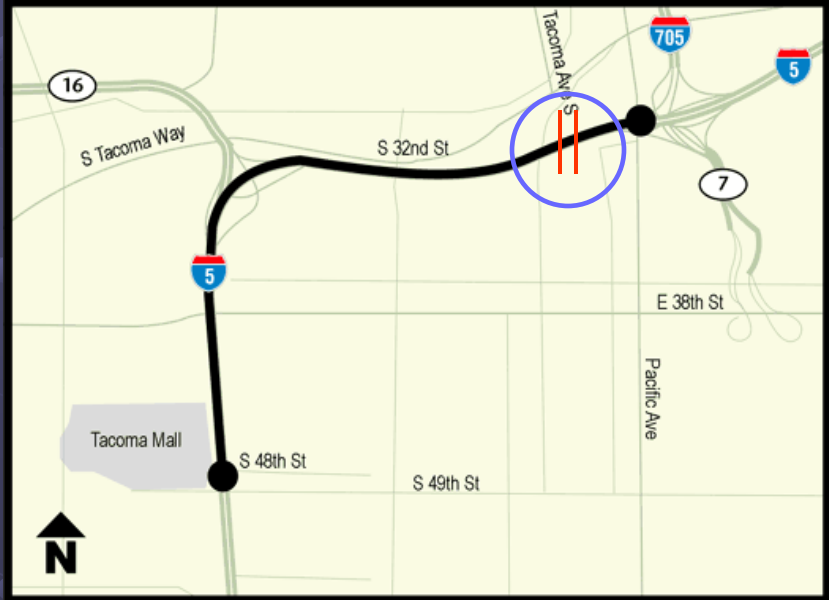
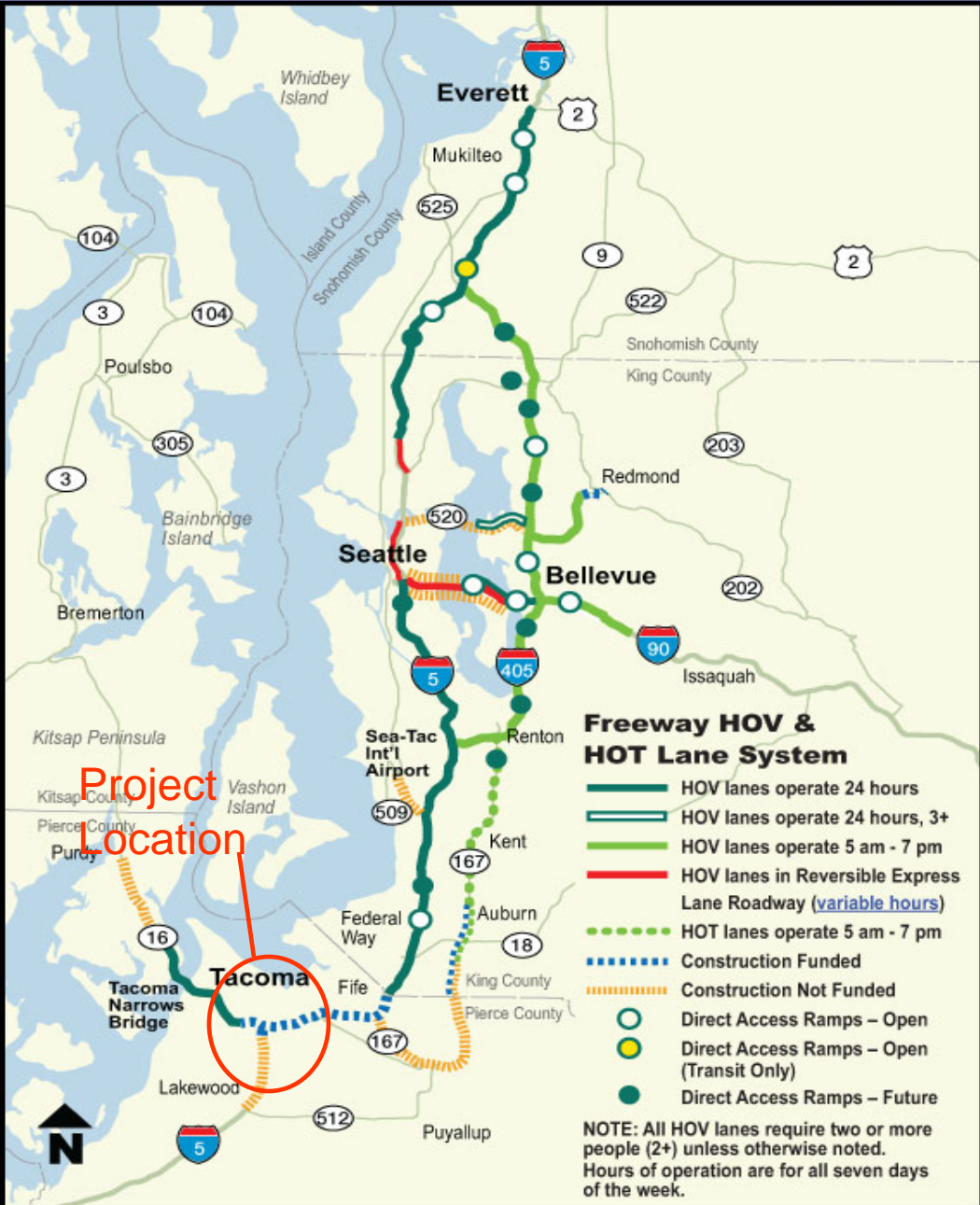
Design and Construction of Medium Span HPS Hybrid Box Girder Bridges over I-5 Mainline Traffic

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PROJECT LOCATION



BEFORE WIDENING CONDITION





BEFORE



AFTER

PROJECT CONSTRAINTS

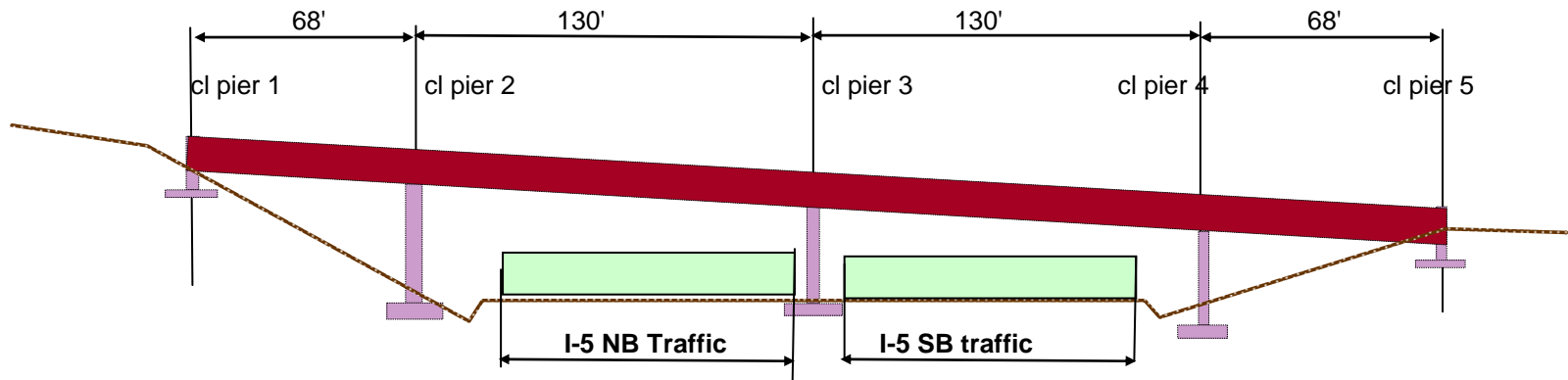
- ❖ REMOVAL OF 3 CONCRETE BOX STRUCTURES CROSSING OVER I-5 INTERSTATE
- ❖ NO I-5 CLOSURE, ONLY ALLOWING TO CLOSE THE I-5 TO 3 LANES EACH DIRECTION
- ❖ CONSTRUCTING TWO NEW BRIDGES IN 10 MONTHS
- ❖ MATCHING WITH EXISTING CITY STREETS
- ❖ UTILITIES CROSSING I-5 AND ALONG THE RIGHT OF WAY

STRUCTURAL DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION CHALLENGES

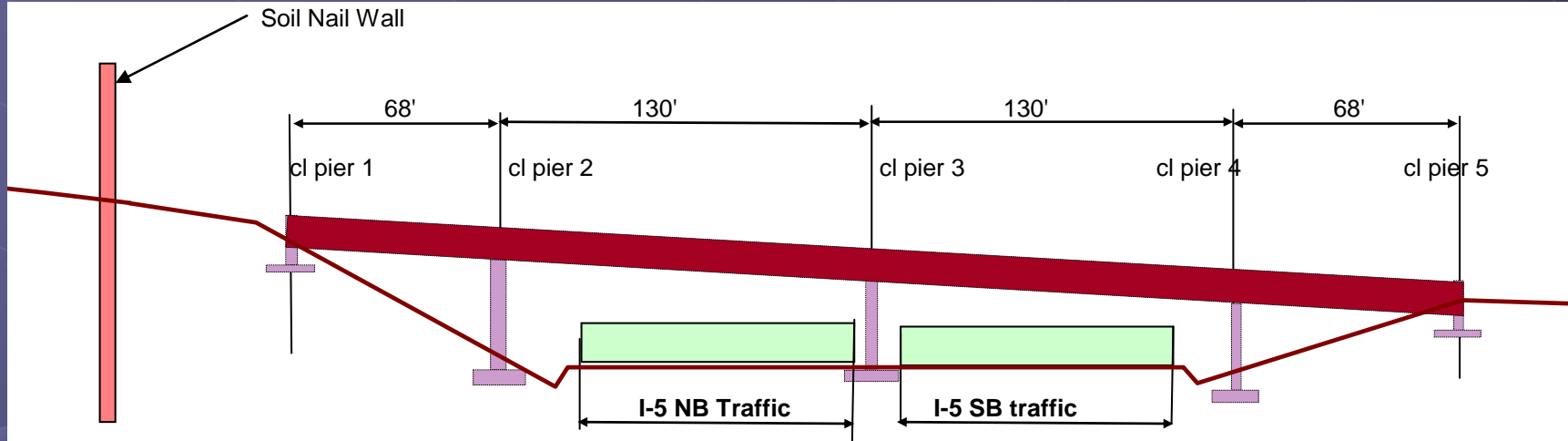
- ❖ TWO LONG SPANS - ONE CENTER PIER ONLY
- ❖ HIGH SKEW BRIDGES
- ❖ BOX SHAPE GIRDER WITH RAISED CONCRETE INTERMEDIATE CROSS-BEAM FOR AESTHETICS
- ❖ DESIGNING NEW BRIDGES WITH 7 TRAFFIC STAGES
- ❖ DESIGNING ABOUT 3/4 MILE LONG, 60' HIGH SOIL NAIL WALL FOR STAGING THE TRAFFIC



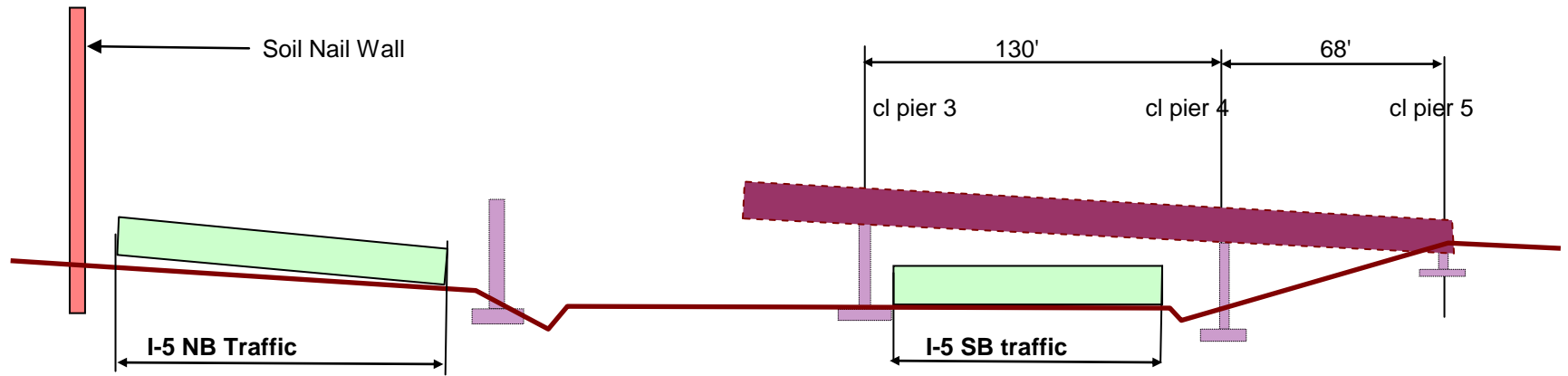
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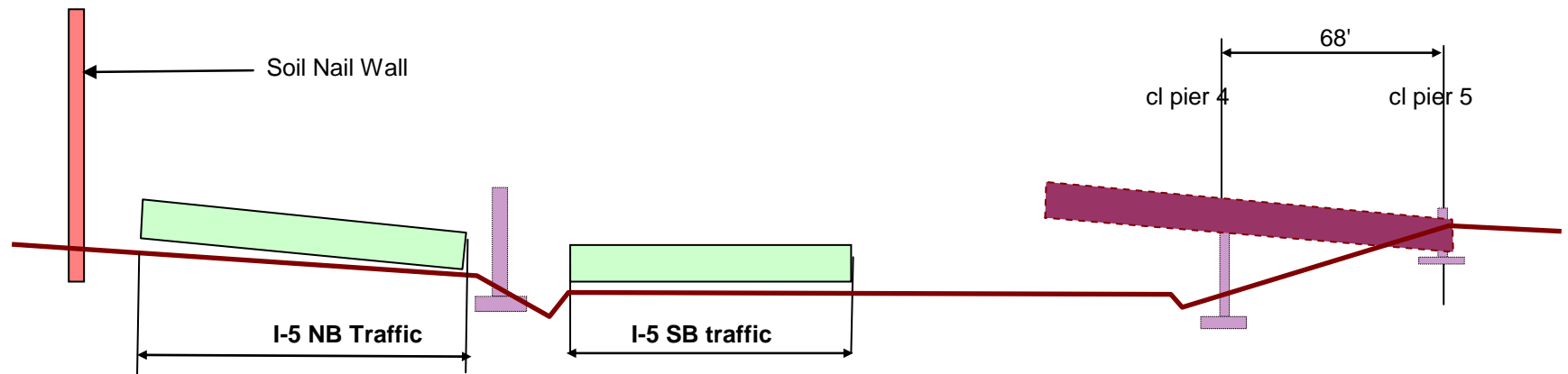
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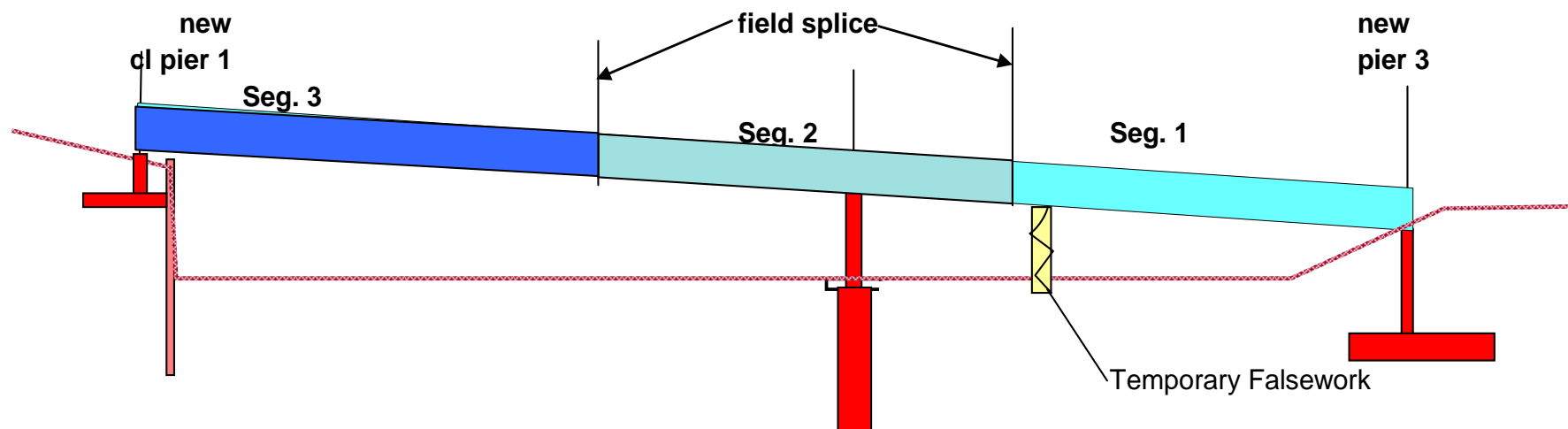


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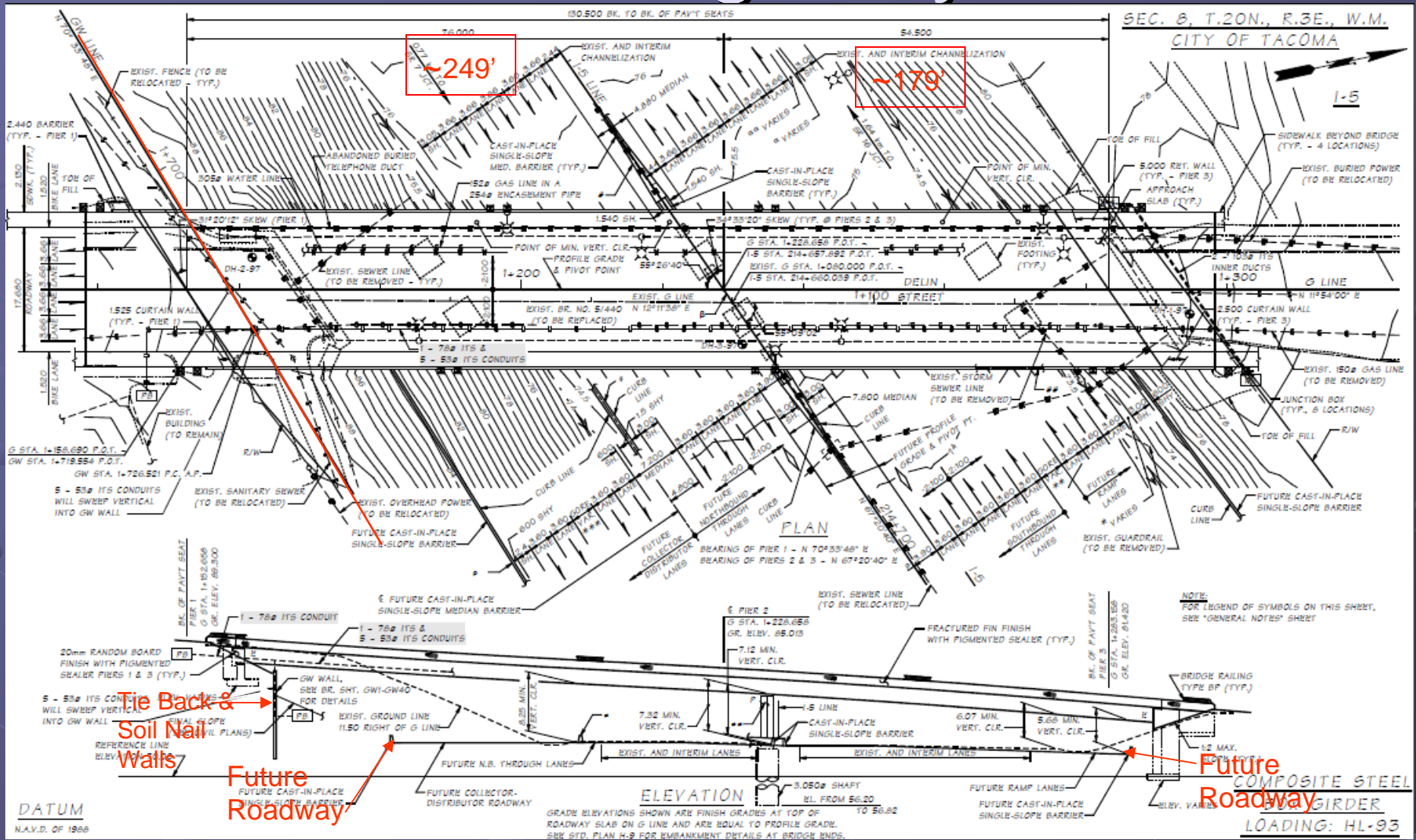
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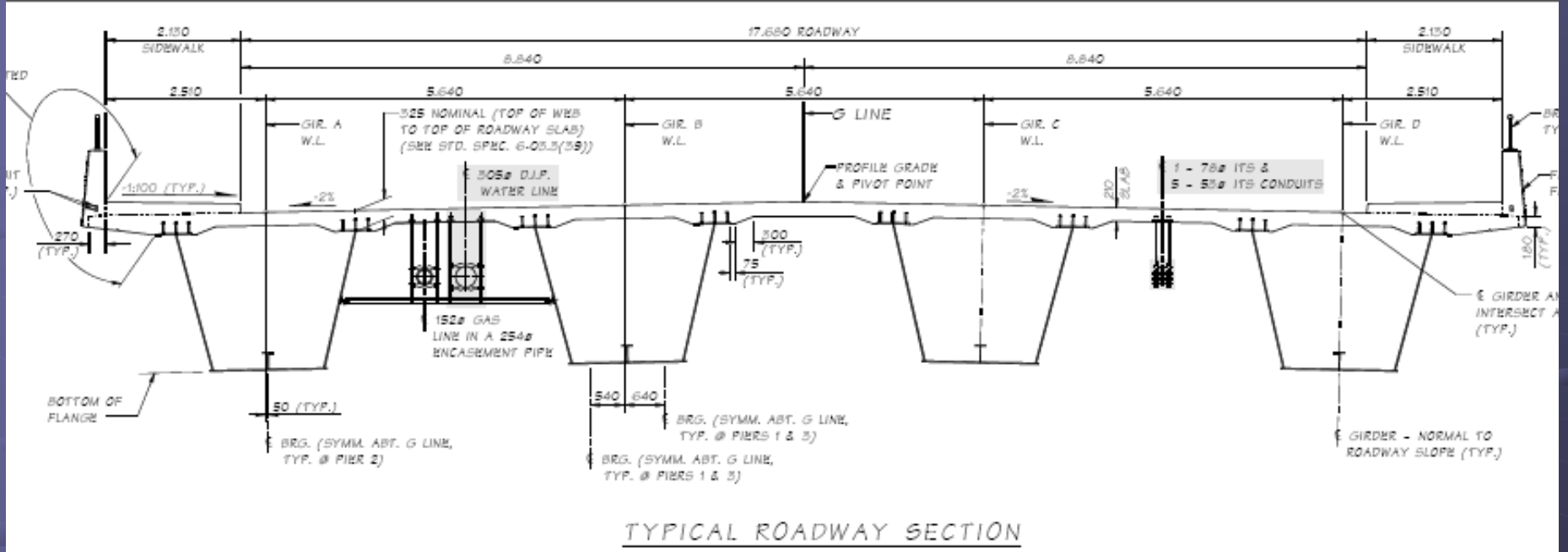




STRUCTURAL DESIGN

Delin Bridge Layout





TYPICAL SECTION

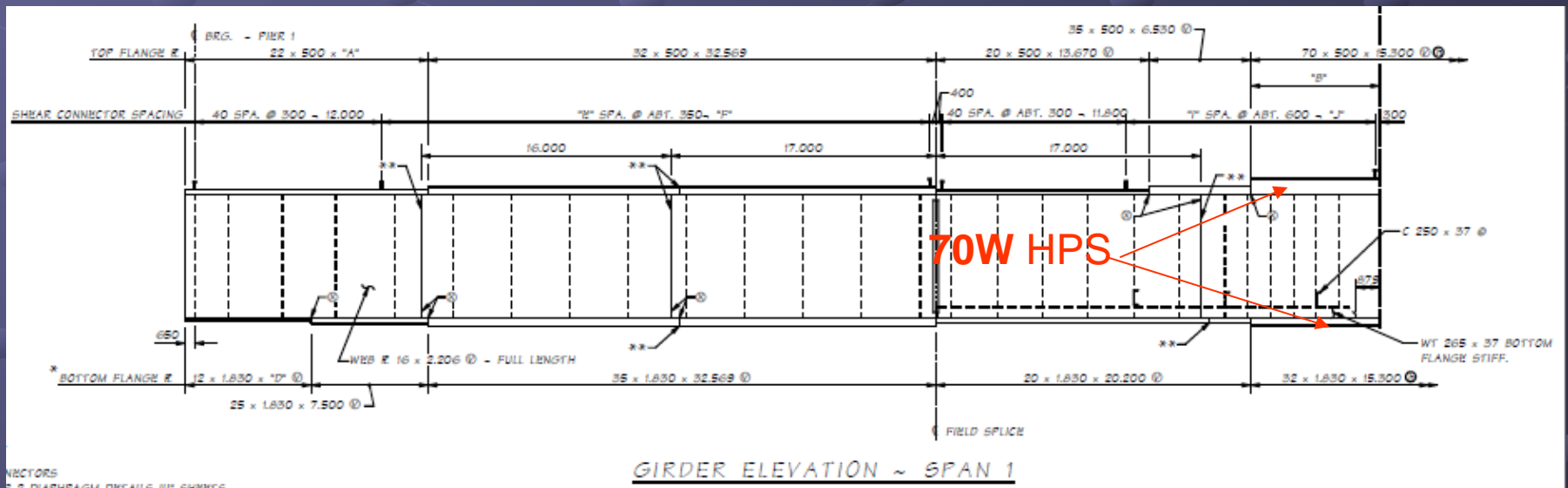
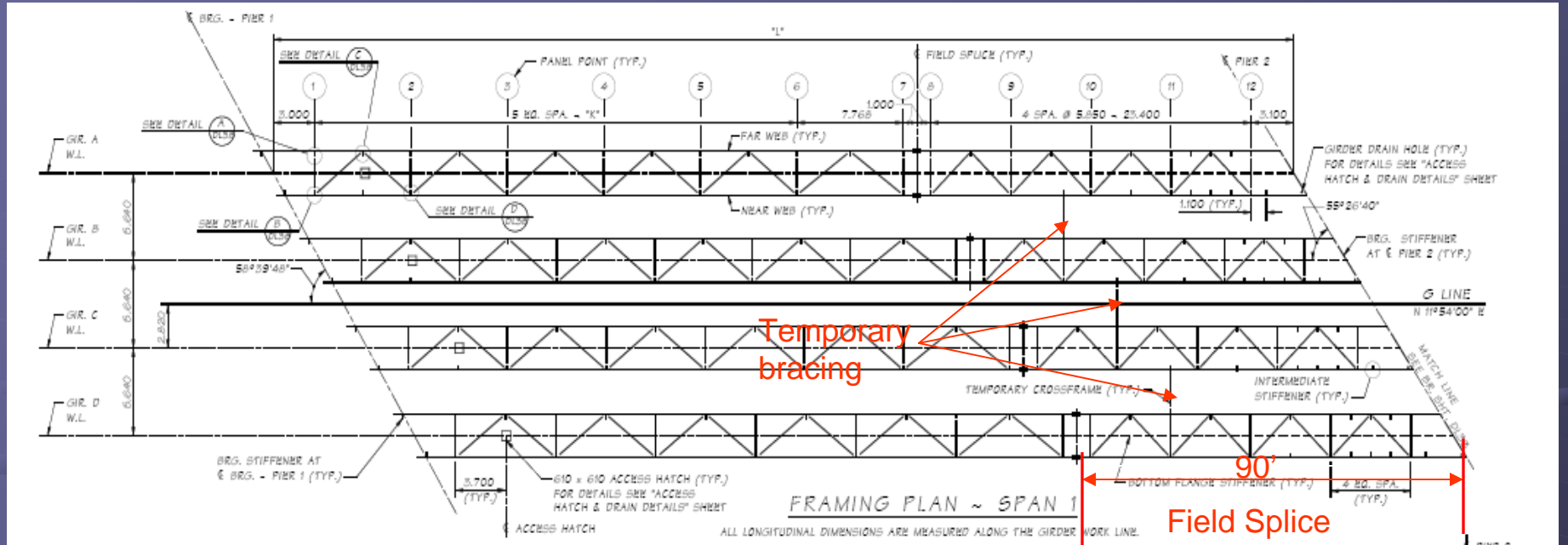
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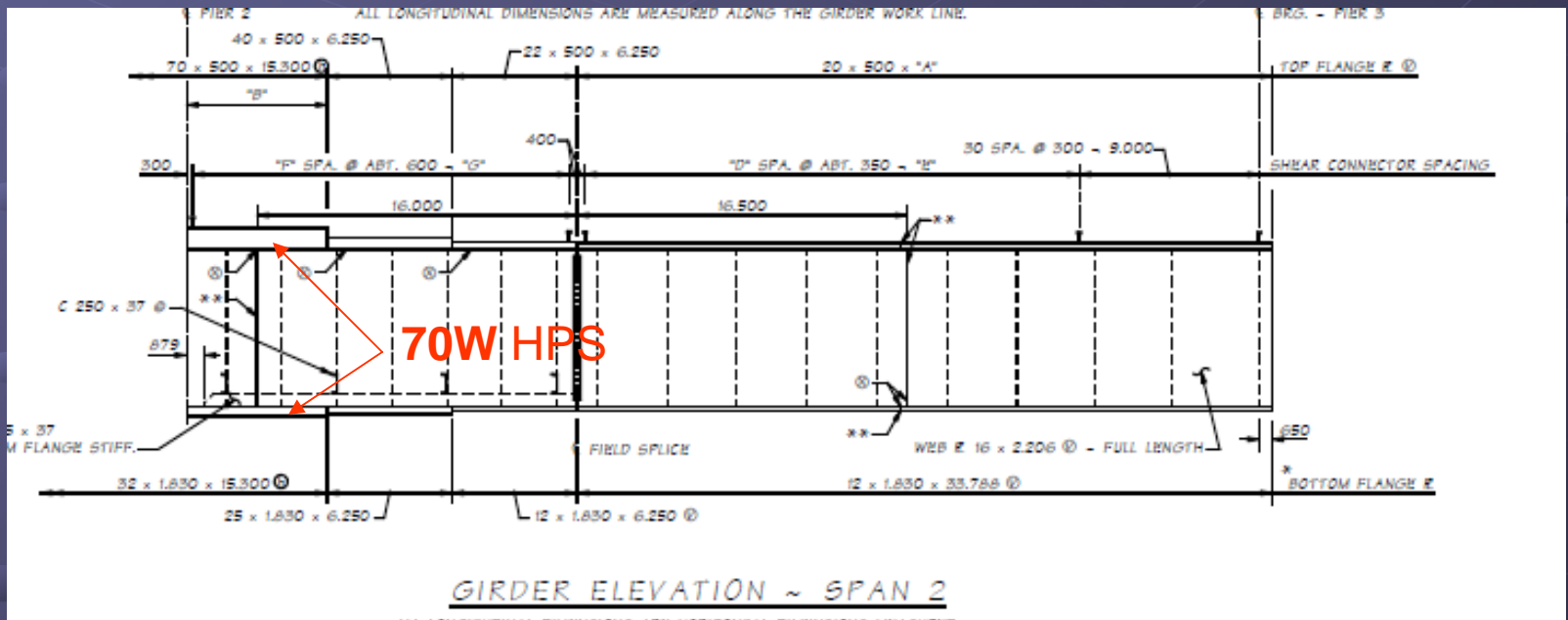
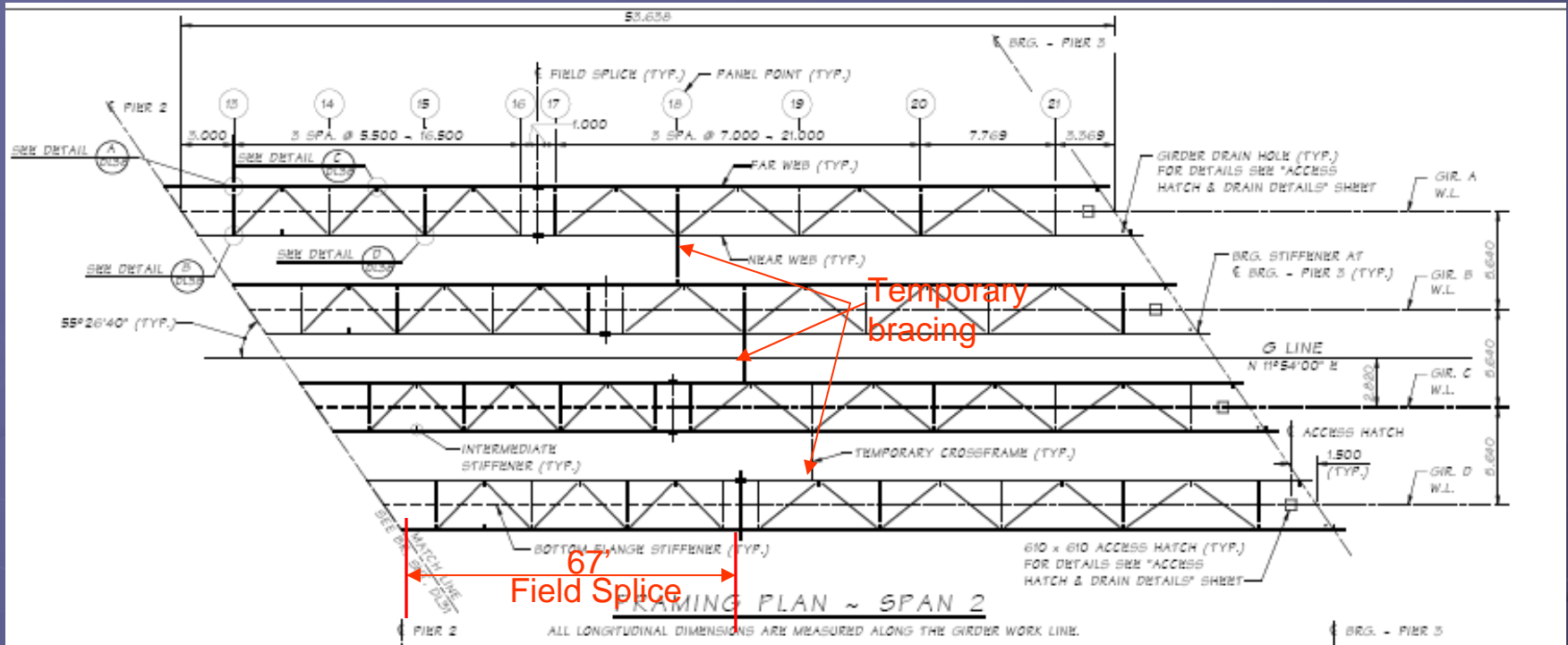
- USING HPS HYBRID SECTION TO FOR NEGATIVE MOMENT REGION WITH LONGITUDINAL BOTTOM STIFFENER



	FLANGE GRADE	
50W	50W	50W
HPS 70W	HPS 70W	HPS 70W
50W	HPS 70W	50W

FRAMING PLAN





GENERAL DESIGN INFORMATION

CODE

- AASHTO LRFD 2004

GEOMETRY

- SPAN TO DEPTH RATIO = 20 to 30
- 4:1 SIDE SLOPE

MATERIALS

- GIRDERS: AASHTO M 270M, Grade 485W (70W)
- AASHTO M 270M, Grade 345W (50W)

- CROSS- FRAME: AASHTO M 270M, Grade 250 (36)

BEARINGS

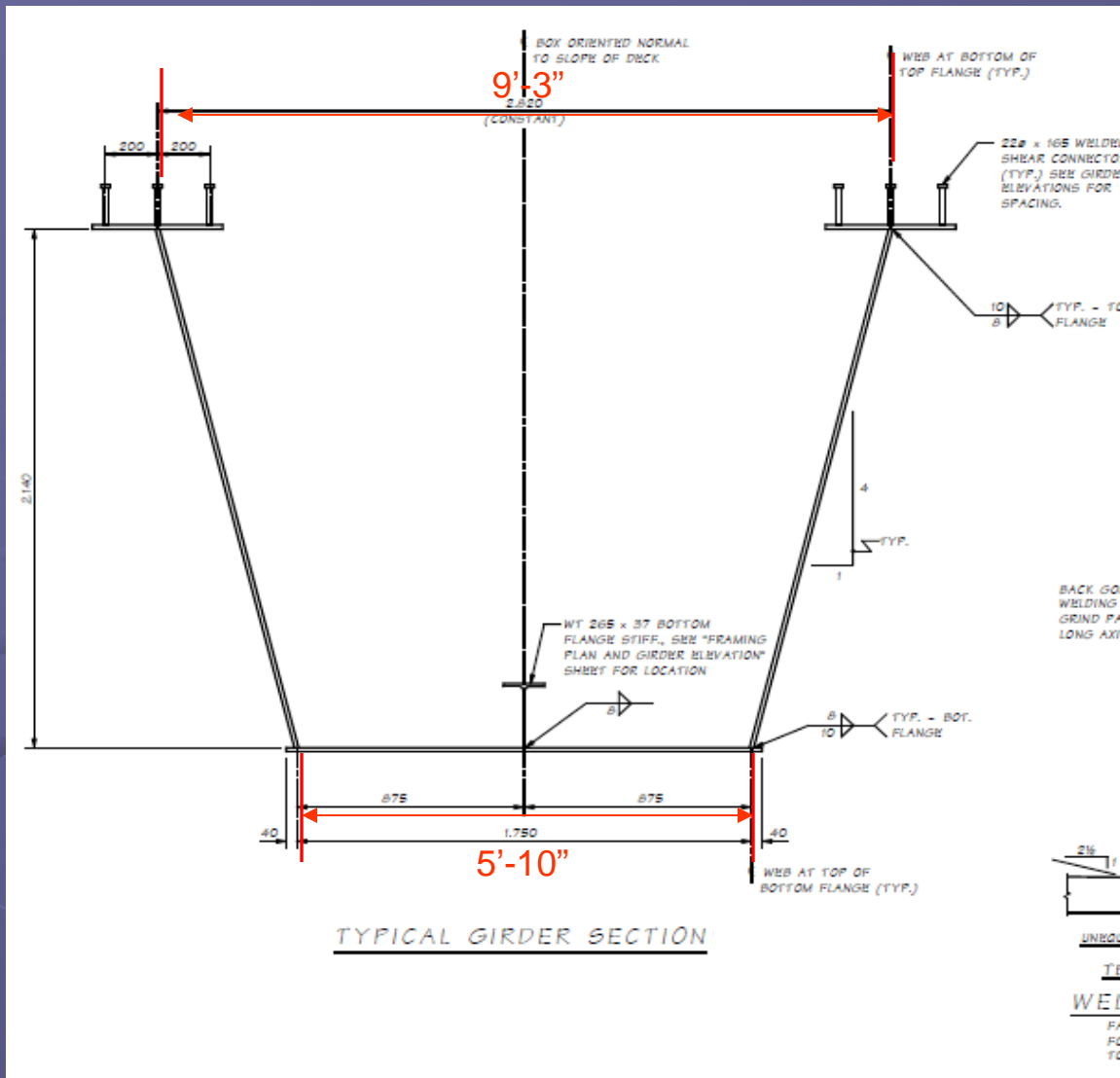
- SPHERICAL BEARINGS AT INT. PIER
- FABRIC PADS AT END PIERS

BRACINGS

- TOP LATERAL BRACING FOR SHIPPING AND ERECTING
- TEMPORARY BRACING BETWEEN BOXES DURING CONSTRUCTION

FOUNDATION

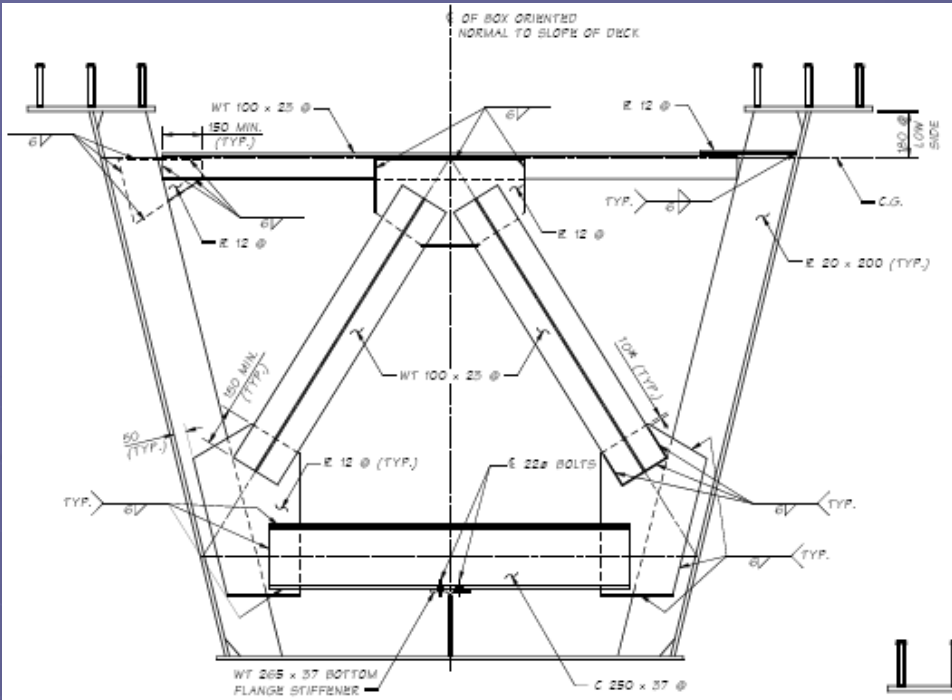
- SHAFT FOUNDATION AT INTERMEDIATE PIERS



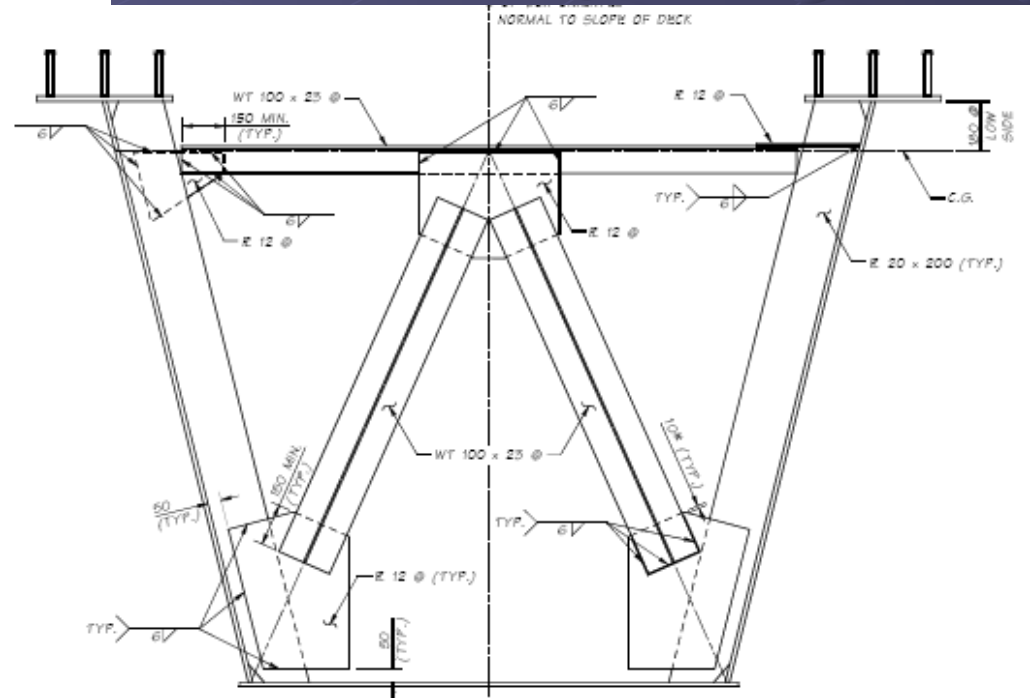
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GIRDER SECTION

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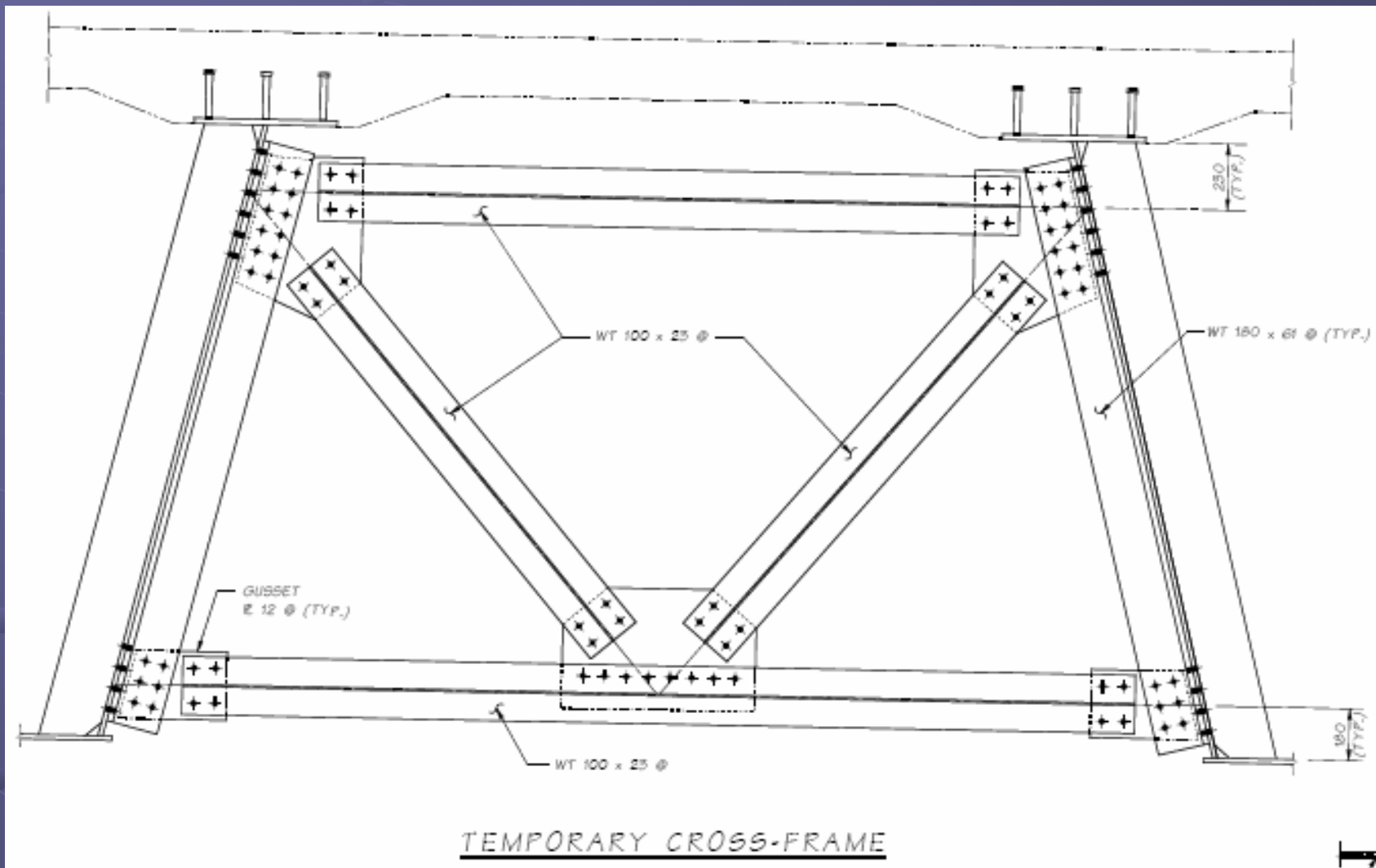


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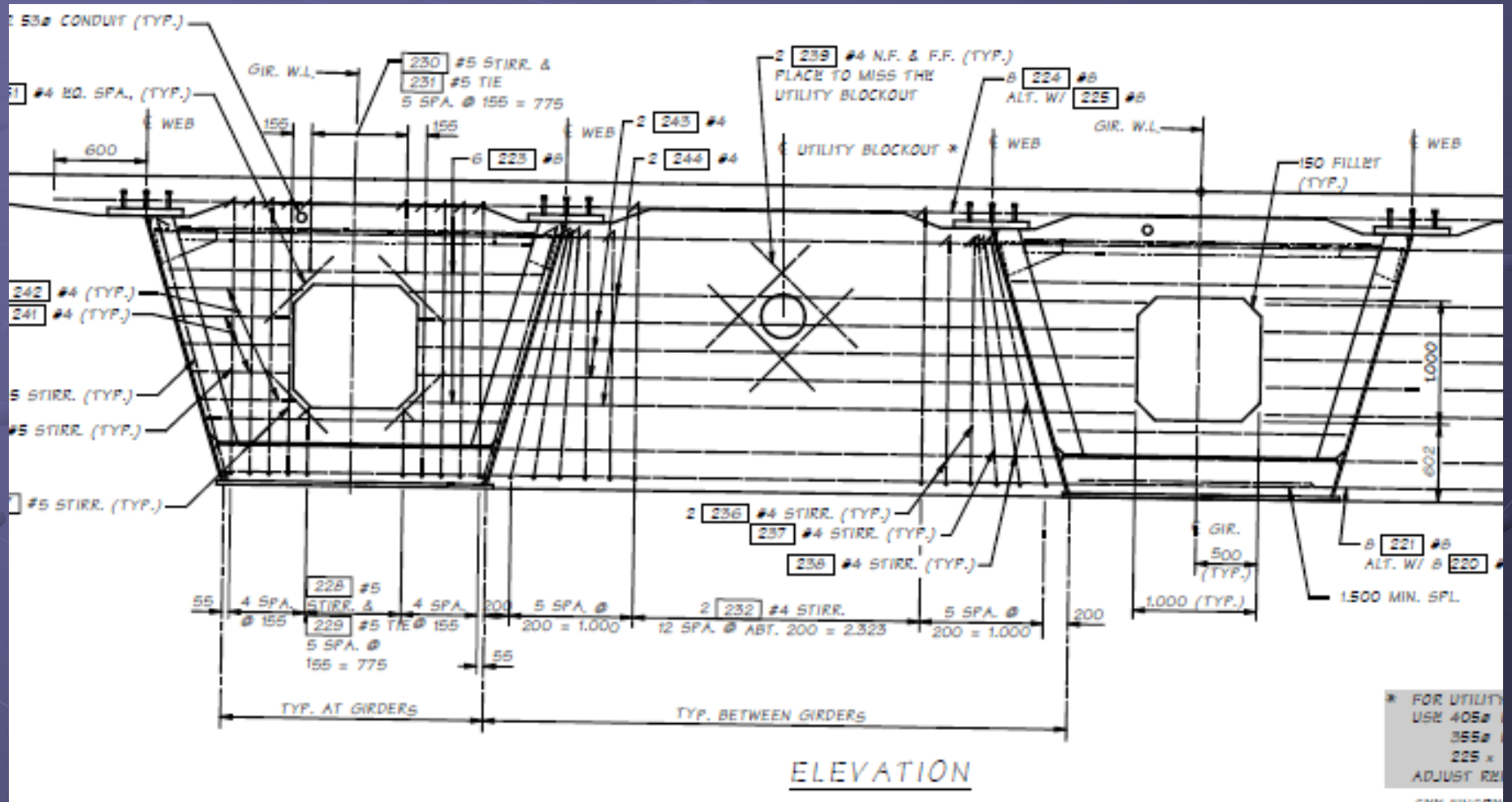


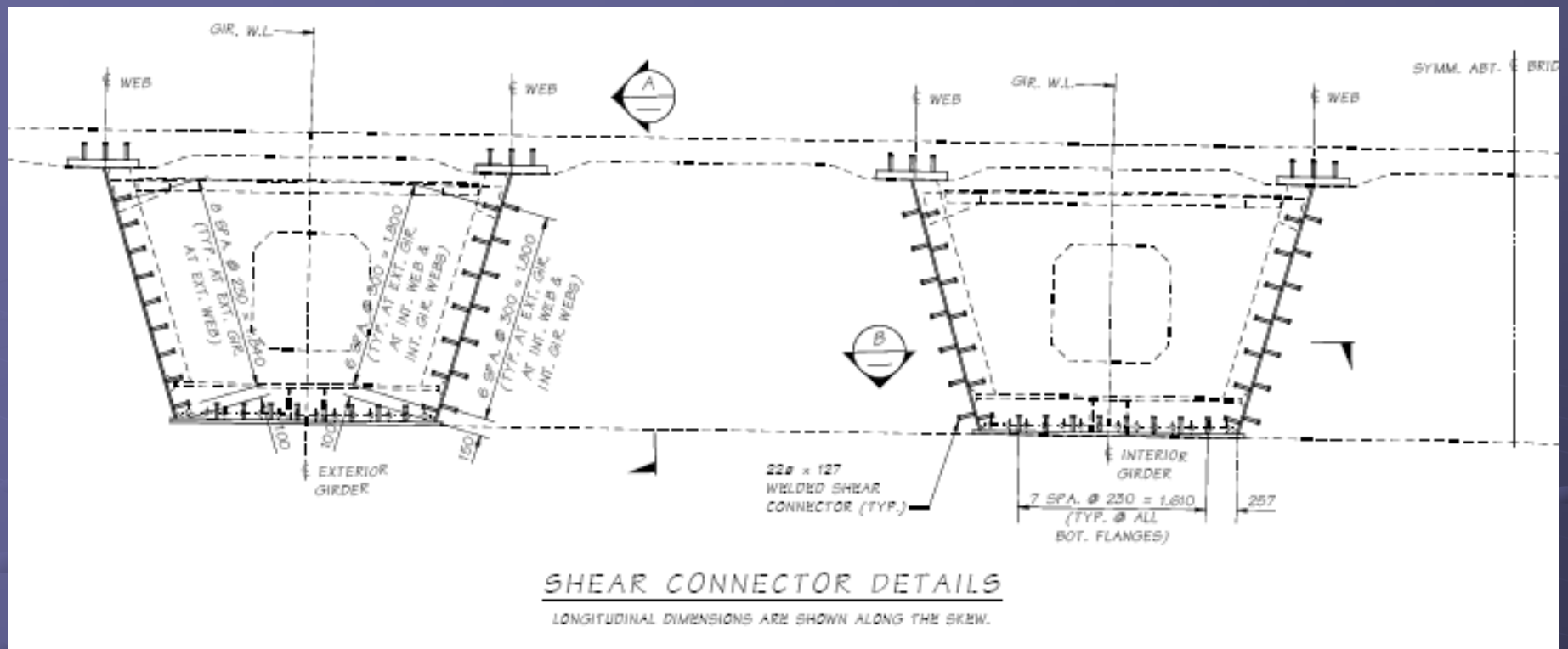
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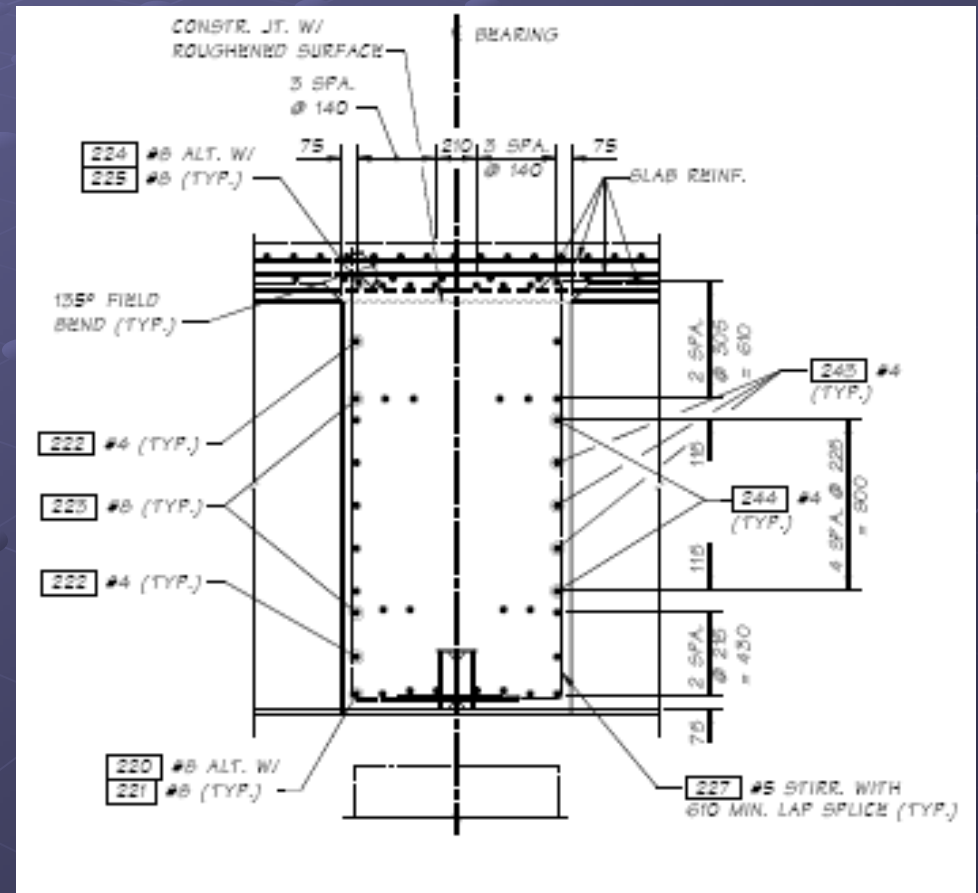
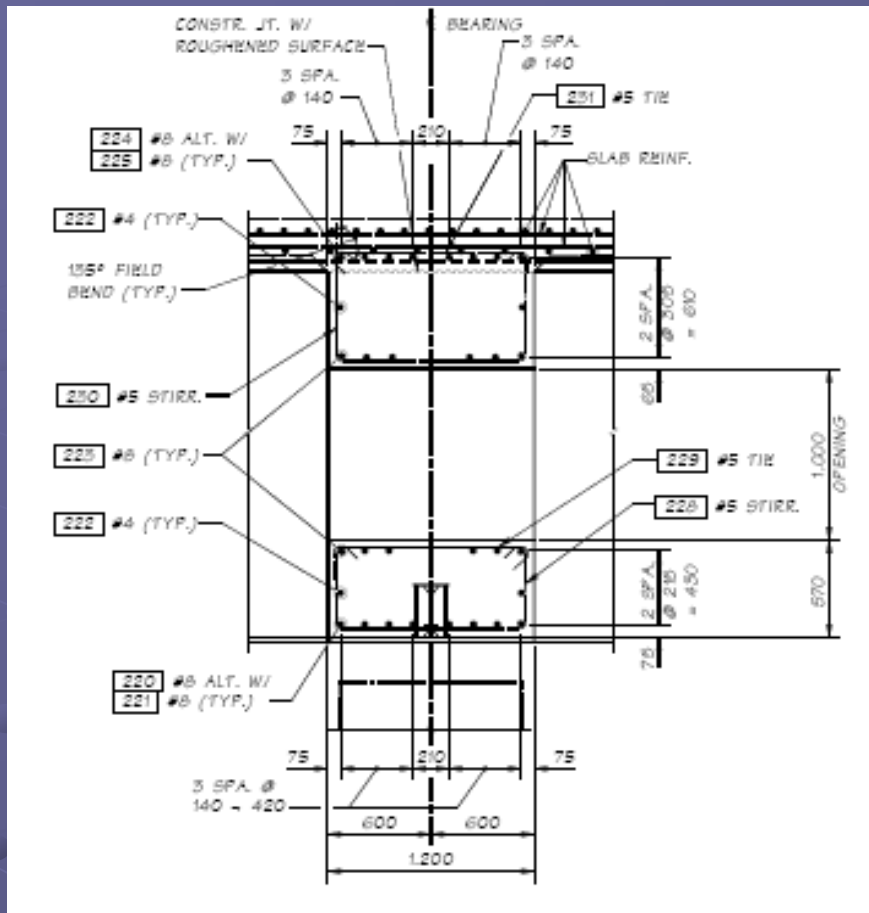
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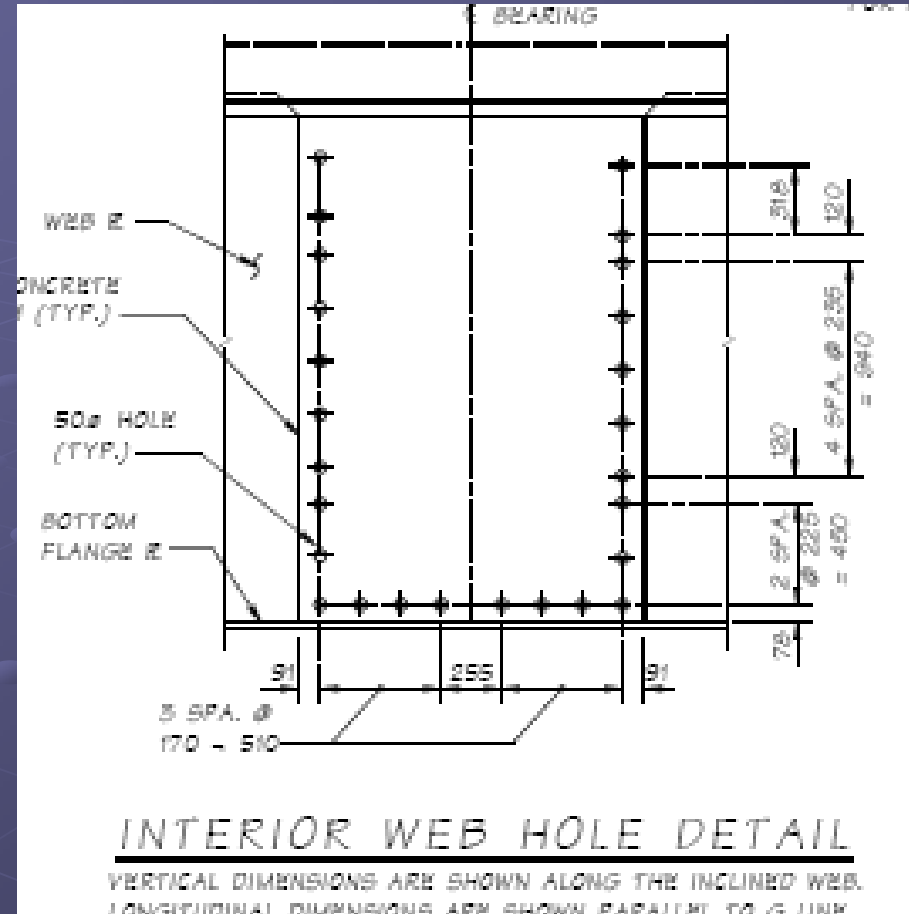
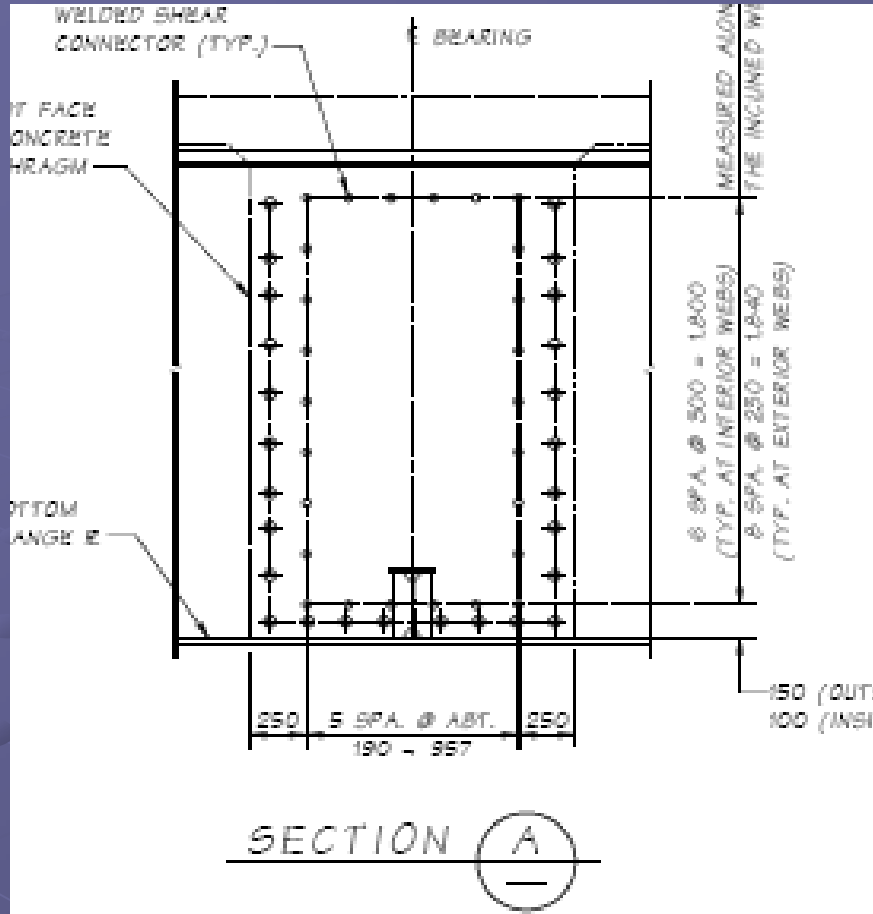




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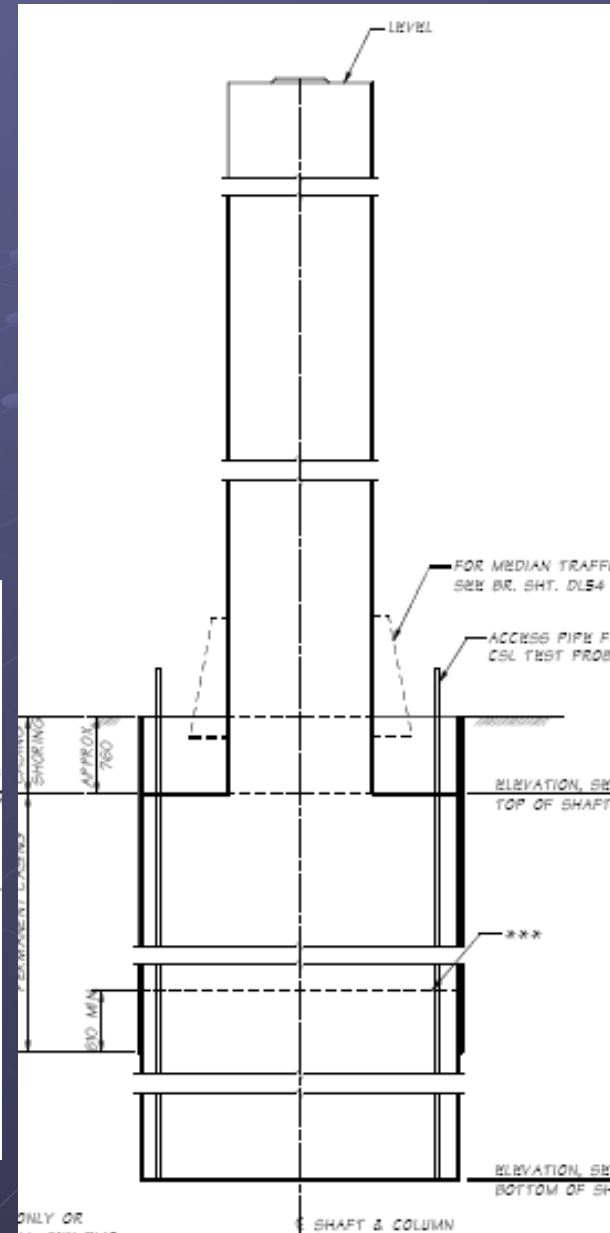
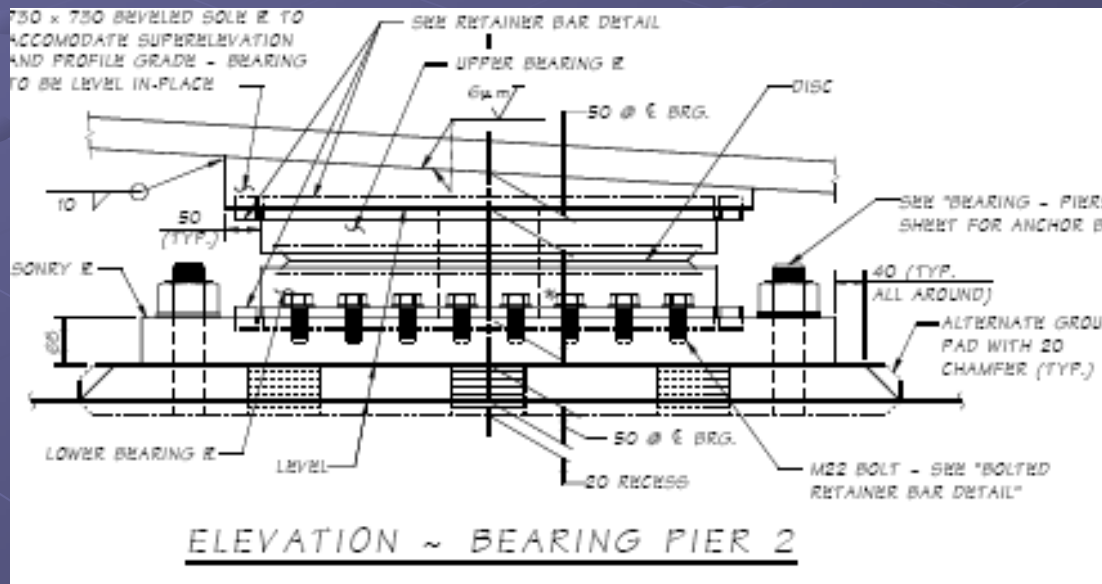
CROSS-BEAM SECTIONS





GIRDER HOLE AND STUD DETAILS

BEARING AND COLUMN





WALL CONSTRUCTION



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STAGING THE TRAFFIC TO ONE SIDE









BRIDGE REMOVAL











BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION









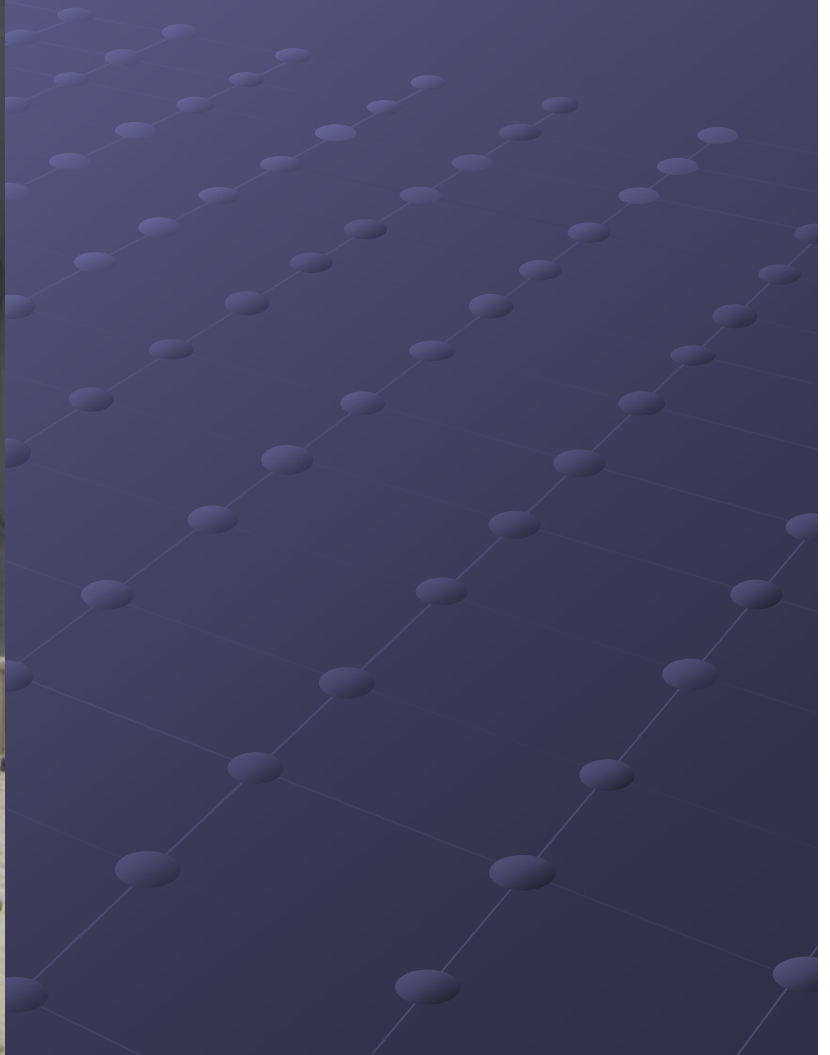


















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FASCIA WALL CONSTRUCTION







COST OF STRUCTURES AND WALL

❖ STEEL BOX STRUCTURE: \$285/sf

❖ YAKIMA – 4.65 mil.

❖ DELIN – 4.80 mil.

❖ SOIL NAIL WALL: \$62/sf

LESSONS LEARNED

CIVIL

- ❖ HAVE THE TRAFFIC ENGINEERS WORK OUT THE STAGING IN THE PRELIMINARY DESIGN
- ❖ HAVE AGREEMENT WITH MUNICIPALS ON IMPORTANT ISSUES
- ❖ SURVEY ALL EXISTING UTILITIES

LESSON LEARNED

STRUCTURAL

- ❖ WORK OUT THE STAGING AND REMOVAL PLANS AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE AND BE FLEXIBLE WITH THE DESIGN
- ❖ KEEP SIMPLE FOR VERTICAL CURVE AND SUPERELEVATION
- ❖ PROVIDE STIFFENER FOR THE BOTTOM PLATE AT END PIERS
- ❖ USE SQUARE CONCRETE END DIAPHRAGMS
- ❖ PROVIDE ACCESS IN DECK FOR FORMWORK REMOVAL

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