

Western Bridge Engineer Seminar

Accelerated Bridge Construction in Washington State

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PRESENTATION OUTLINE

- **Accelerated Bridge Construction**
- **Precast Concrete Bridges**
 - **Precast Superstructure**
 - **Precast Substructure**
- **Seismic Connection Design/Detail**
- **ABC – HFL Projects**

BRIDGE DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS

Effective 2008 - LRFD SEISMIC GUIDE

“Displacement-based Seismic Provisions”

**Life Safety Performance Criteria During an
EQ with 7% Probability of Exceedance in 75
years =1000 Years Return Period**

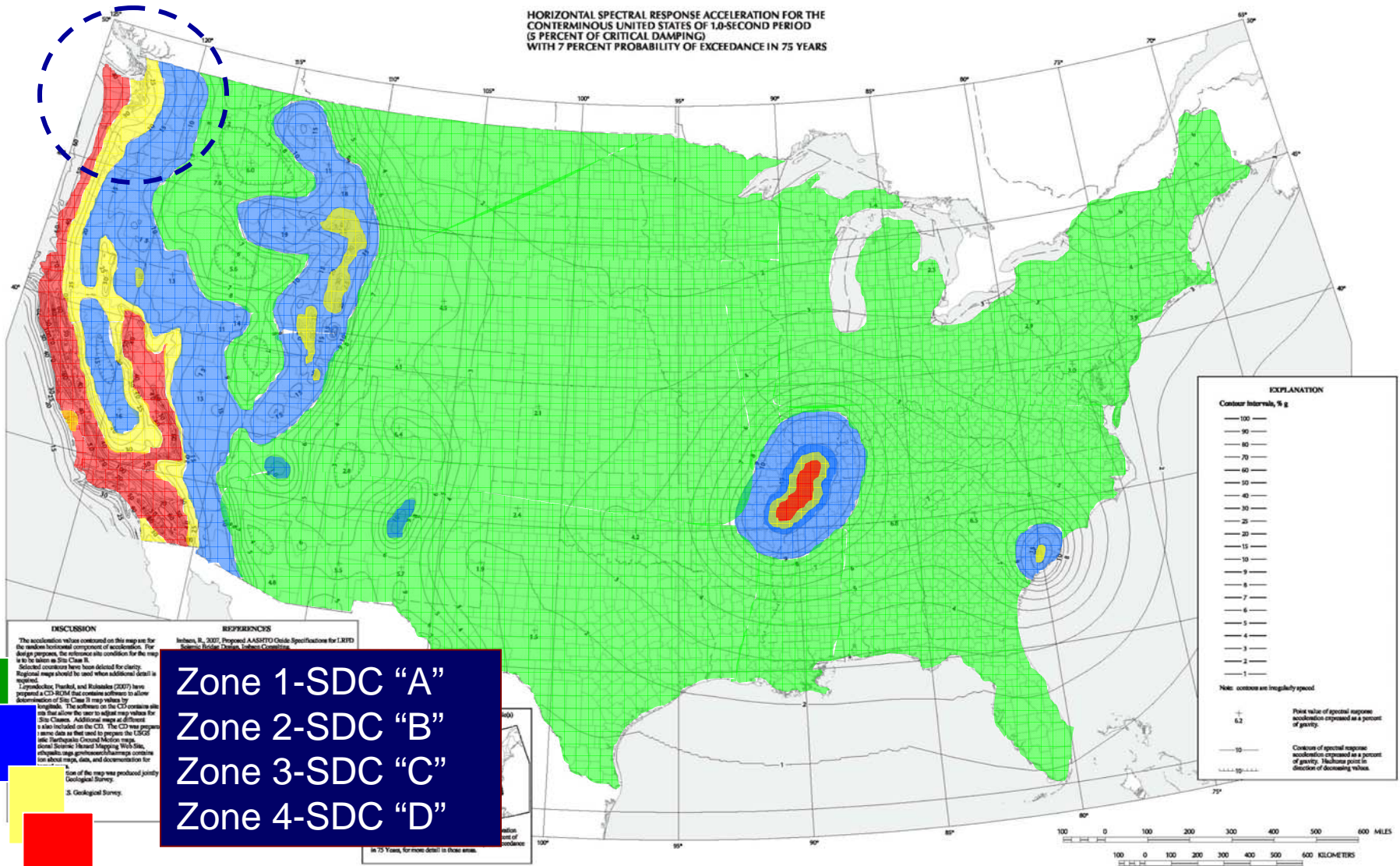
AND

WSDOT Design Policy

Limitations on: ERS, ERE, Design and Details

Seismic Design Category (zone) (1000 Year Return Period)

HORIZONTAL SPECTRAL RESPONSE ACCELERATION FOR THE
CONTIGUOUS UNITED STATES OF 1.0-SECOND PERIOD
(5 PERCENT OF CRITICAL DAMPING)
WITH 7 PERCENT PROBABILITY OF EXCEEDANCE IN 75 YEARS



- Zone 1-SDC "A"
- Zone 2-SDC "B"
- Zone 3-SDC "C"
- Zone 4-SDC "D"

DISCUSSION
The acceleration values contoured on this map are for the maximum horizontal component of acceleration. For design purposes, the response site conditions for the map are to be taken as Site Class B. Selected locations have been identified for clarity. Regional maps should be used when additional detail is required.

REFERENCES
Inghen, R., 2007, Proposed AASHTO Guide Specifications for LRFD Seismic Bridge Design, Subject Committee

1. Spindler, Frank, and Rutenberg (2007) have prepared a CD-ROM that contains software to allow determination of Site Class B map values by geographic longitude. The software on the CD-ROM can also allow the user to adjust map values for Site Classes. Additional maps at different scales are included on the CD. The CD was prepared using data as that used to prepare the USGS site, Earthquake Ground Motion map, Global Seismic Hazard Mapping Web Site, earthquake map ground motion damage contours for about maps, data, and documentation for the map was produced jointly by the Geological Survey.

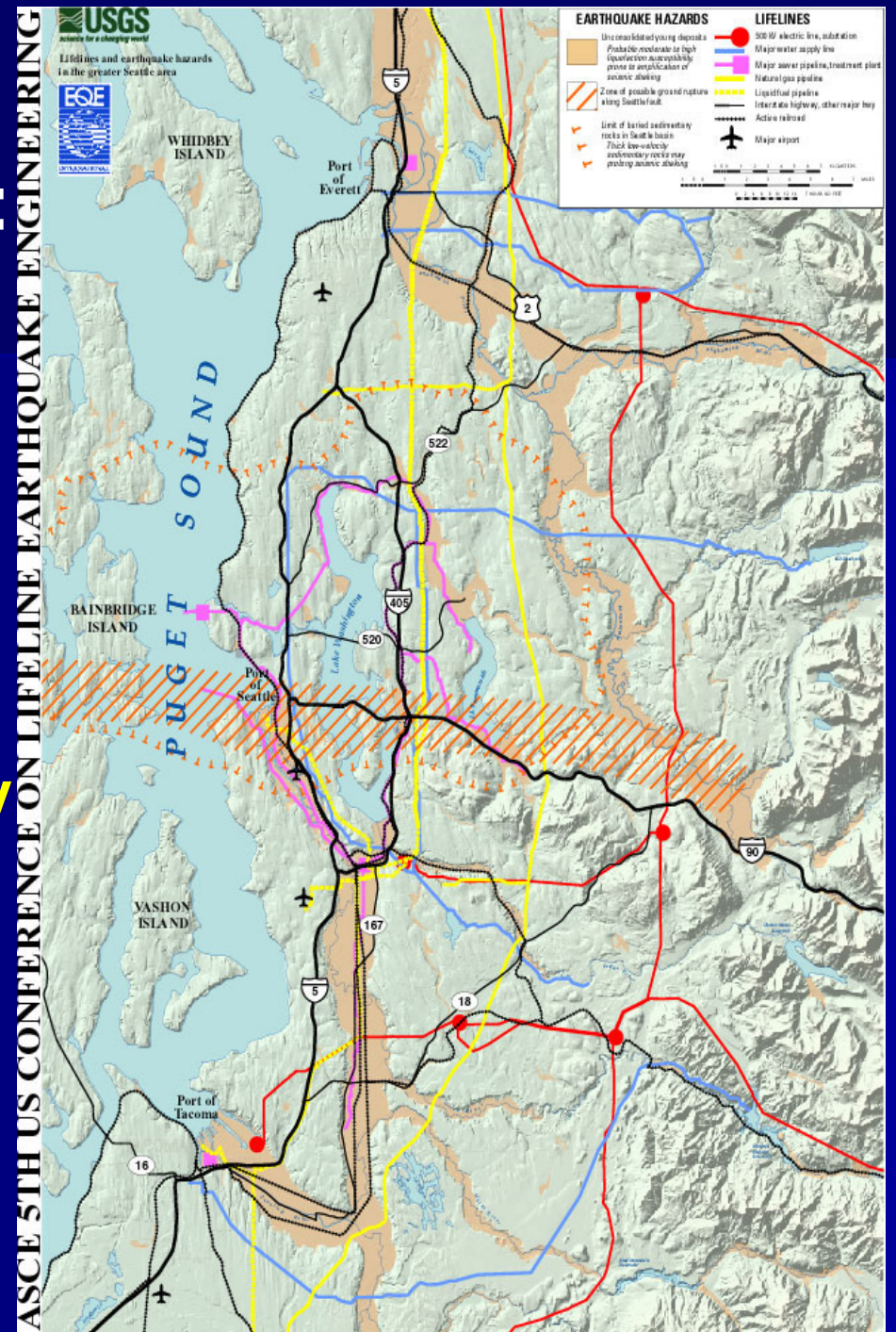
In 75 Years, for more detail in these areas.

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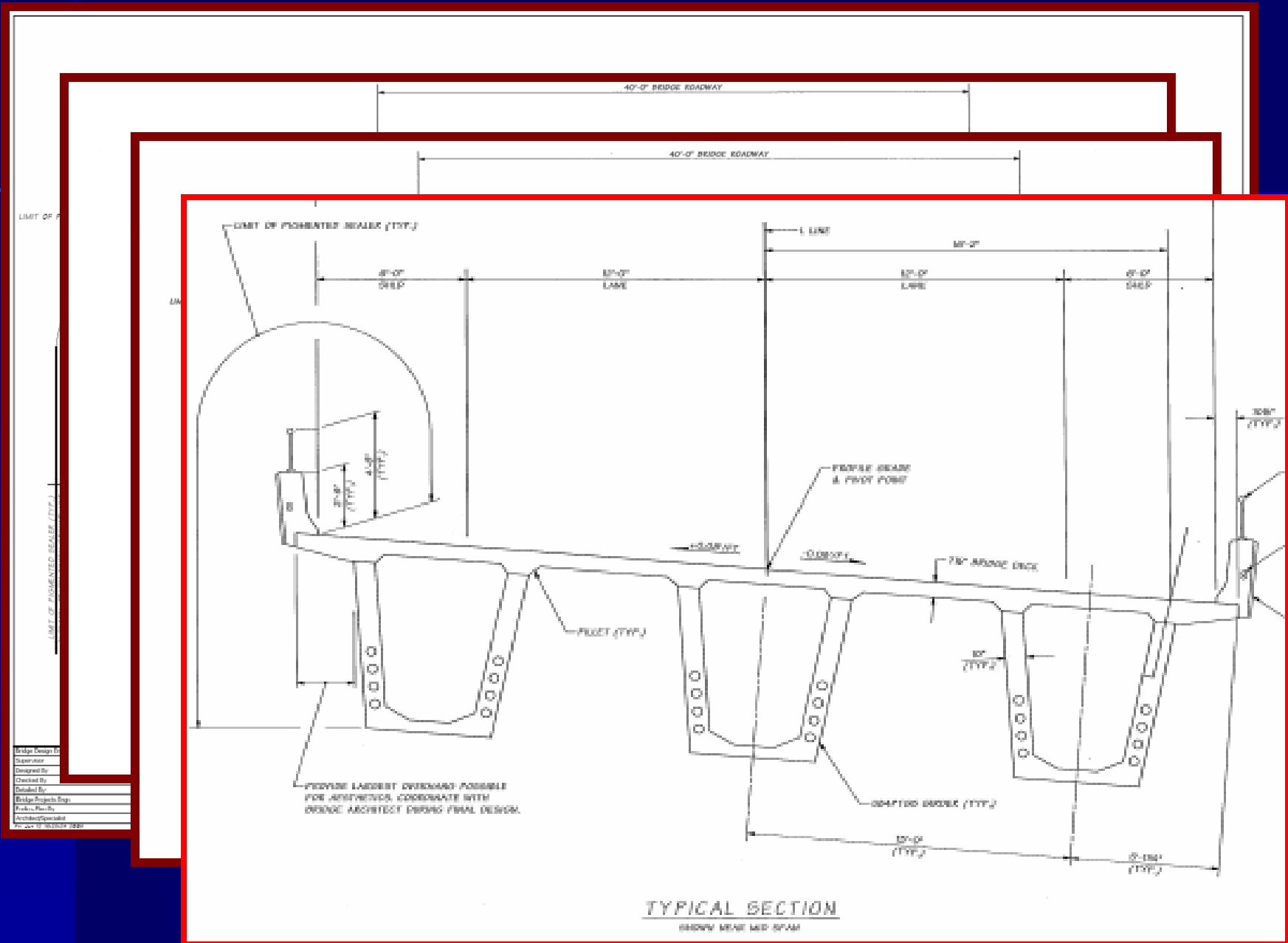
- Liquefaction

New Bridges

Bridge Widenings (WSDOT Executive Policy for Bridge Widenings in Liquefiable Sites)



Precast Superstructure - ABC



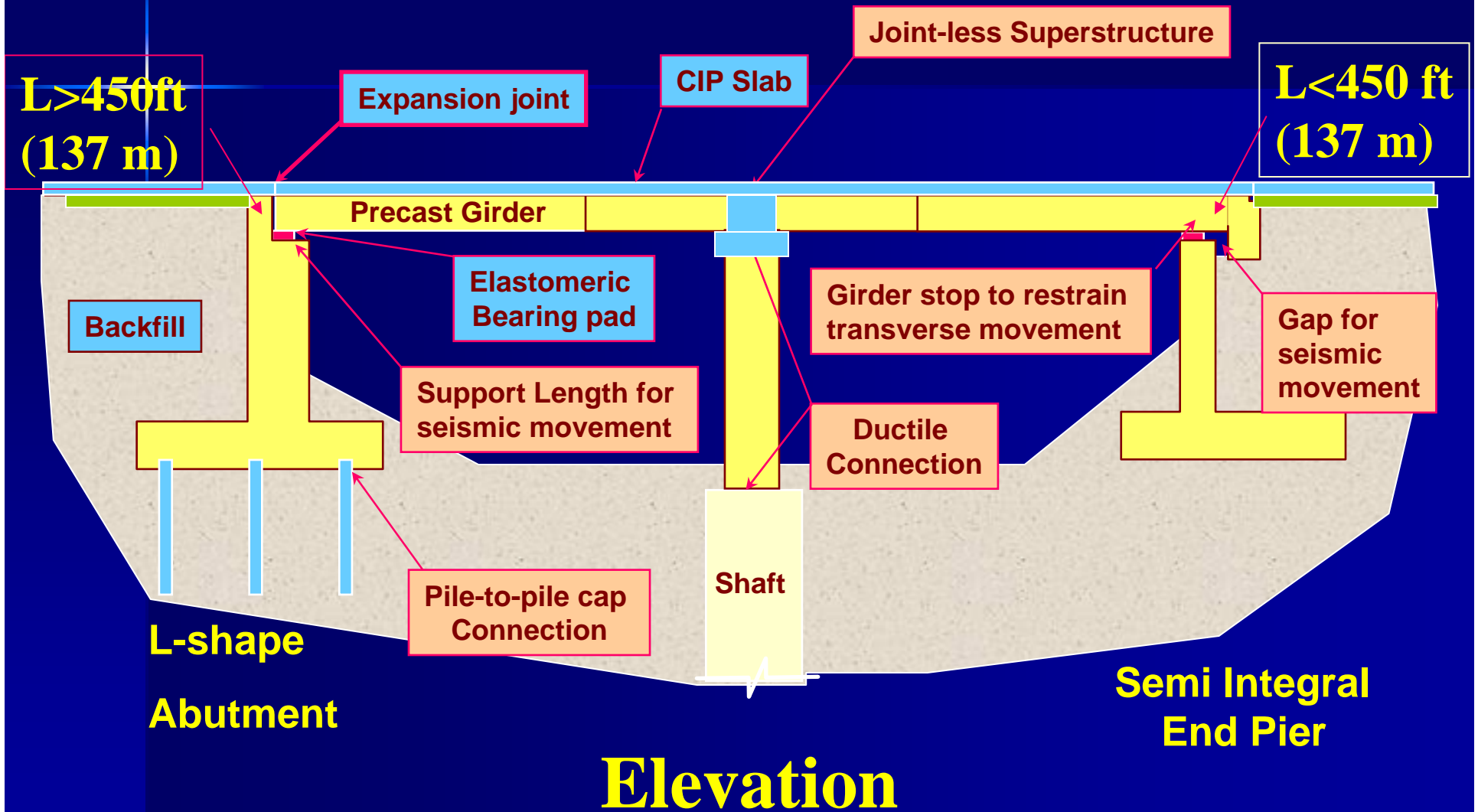
Accelerated Bridge Construction Project

5 Span PS Girder Superstructure Replacement – Hood Canal Bidge



WSDOT ABC Website: <http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/eesc/bridge/ABC/>

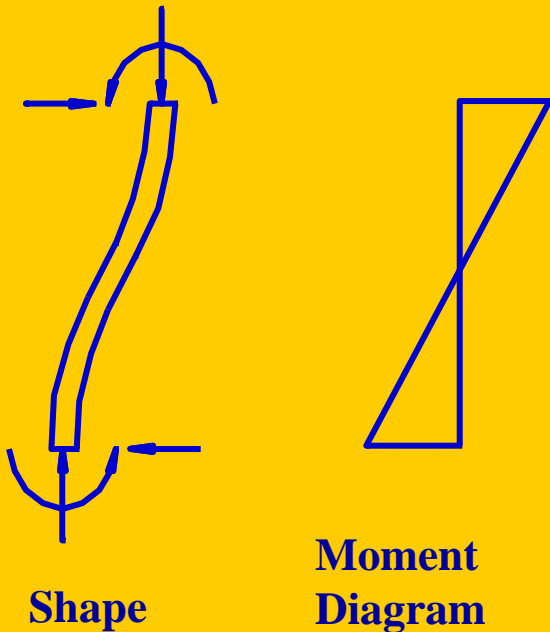
Seismic Design of Concrete Bridges



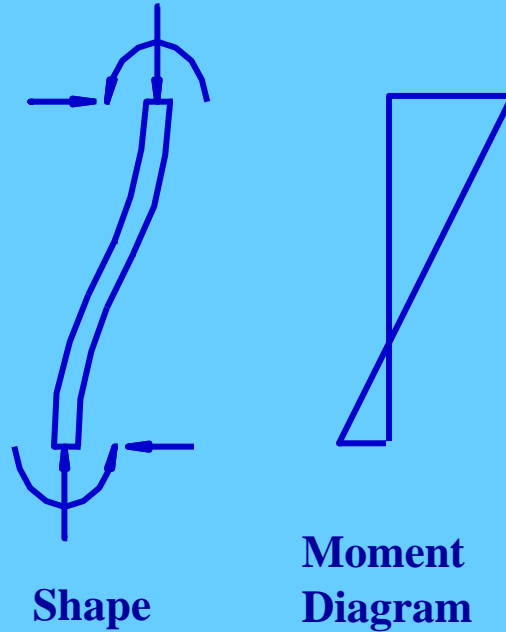
Connection at Intermediate Piers

Seismic Design of Concrete Bridges

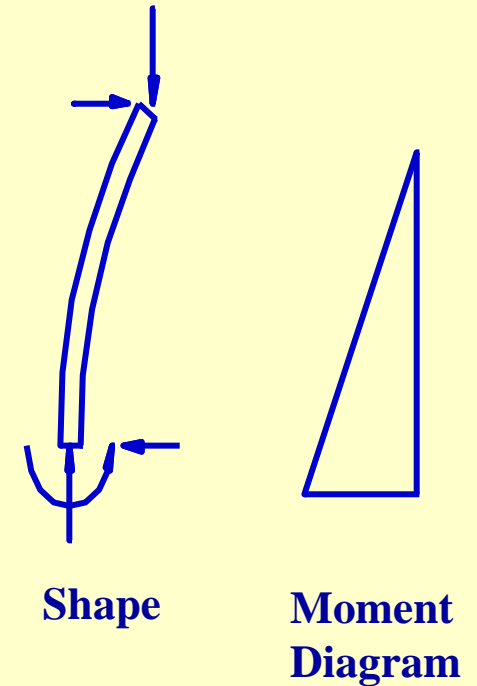
High Seismic Zone
Fixed Connection



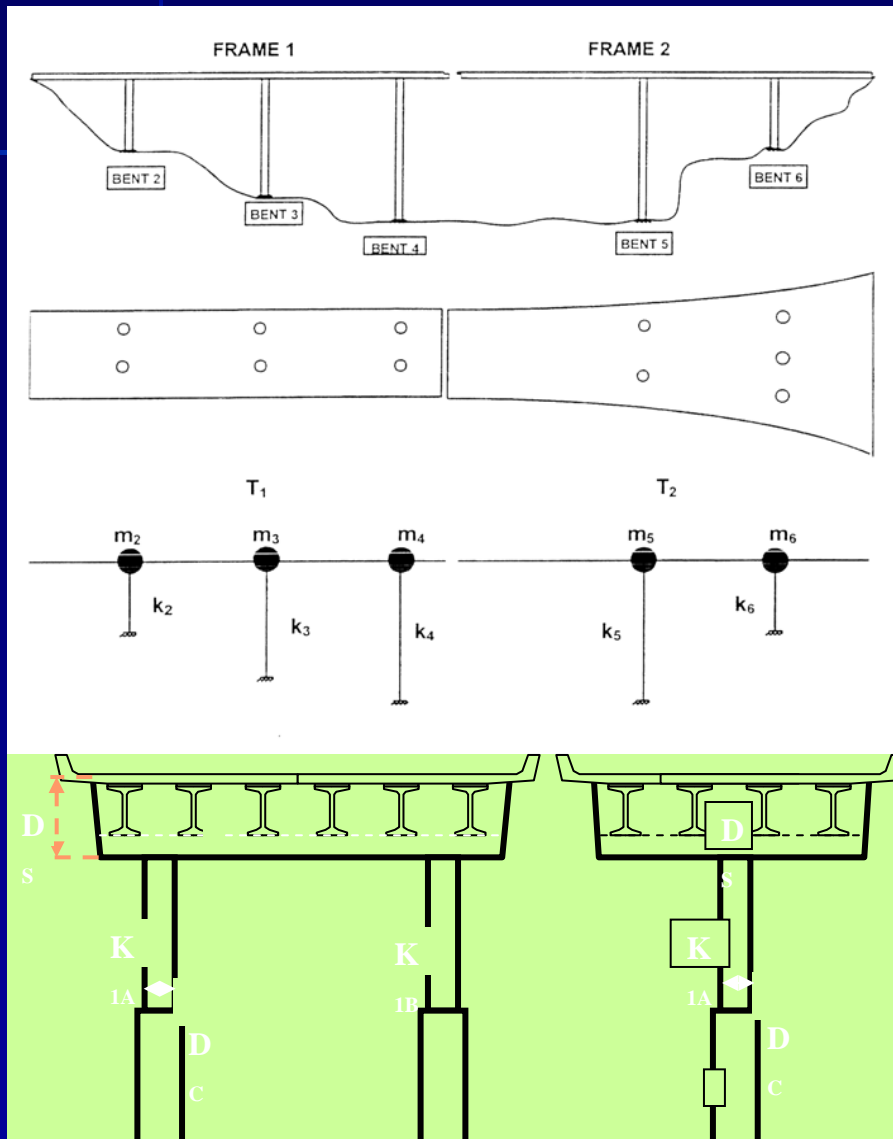
High Seismic Zone
Reduced Fixity



Low Seismic Zone
Hinge Connection



BALANCING STIFFNESS



Constant
Width Frames

$$\frac{k_i^e}{k_j^e} \geq 0.5$$

Variable
Width Frames

$$\frac{k_i^e m_j}{k_j^e m_i} \geq 0.5$$

Between Two Column Within A Bents

$$\frac{k_i^e}{k_j^e} \geq 0.75$$

$$\frac{k_i^e m_j}{k_j^e m_i} \geq 0.75$$

Between Adjacent Bents Within A Frame

$$\frac{T_i}{T_j} \geq 0.7$$

Ratio of Fundamental Period of Vibration
Between Adjacent Frames

Extended Strands for Positive Seismic Moment Capacity At Intermediate Piers Of Prestressed Girder Bridges



Positive Seismic Moment Capacity

$$M_{po}^{CG} = M_{po}^{top} + \frac{(M_{po}^{top} + M_{po}^{Base})}{L_c} h$$

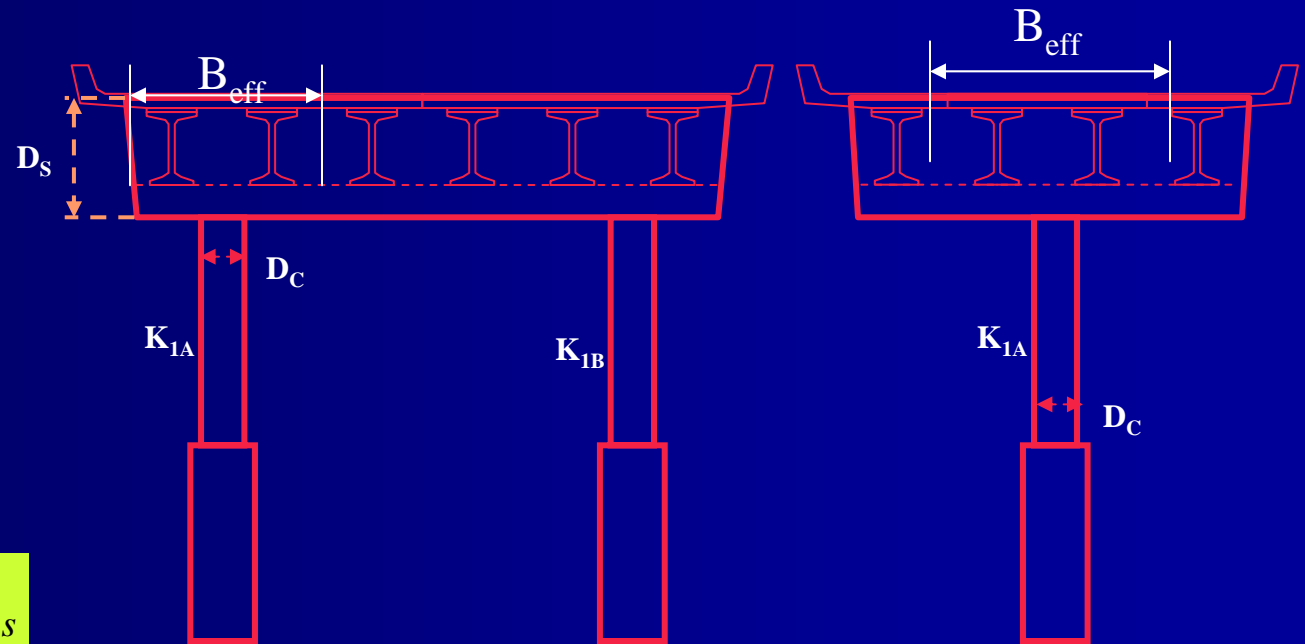


UC San Diego (Holombo 2000)

$$M_{sei}^{Int} = \frac{2M_{po}^{CG}}{3N_g^{int}}$$

$$M_{sei}^{Ext} = \frac{M_{po}^{CG}}{3N_g^{ext}}$$

$$B_{eff} = D_c + D_s$$



Extended Strands:

$$N_{ps} = 12 [M_{sei} \cdot K - M_{SIDL}] \cdot \frac{1}{0.9\phi A_{ps} f_{py} d}$$

PRECAST COLUMN ON SPREAD FOOTING

Monolithic (Ductile) Connection



Bellevue Direct Access Project

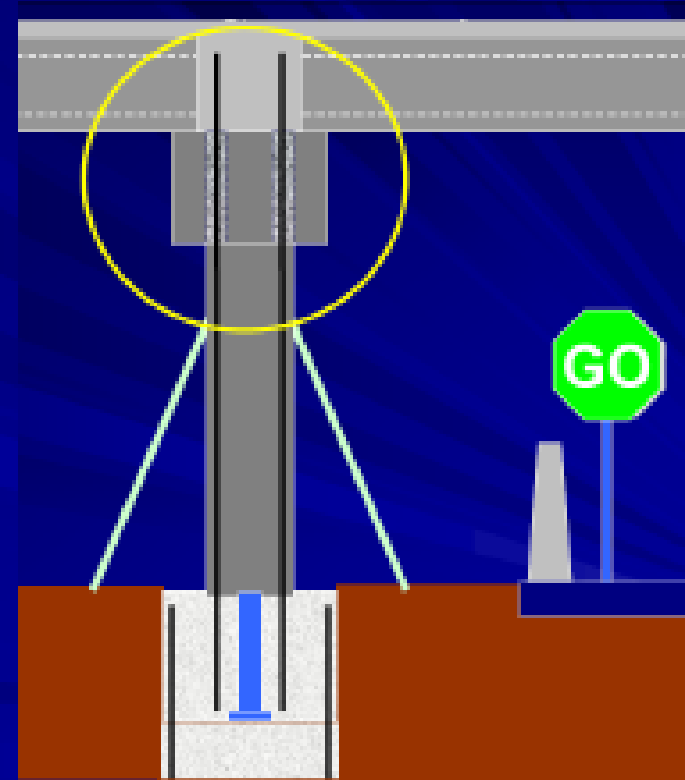
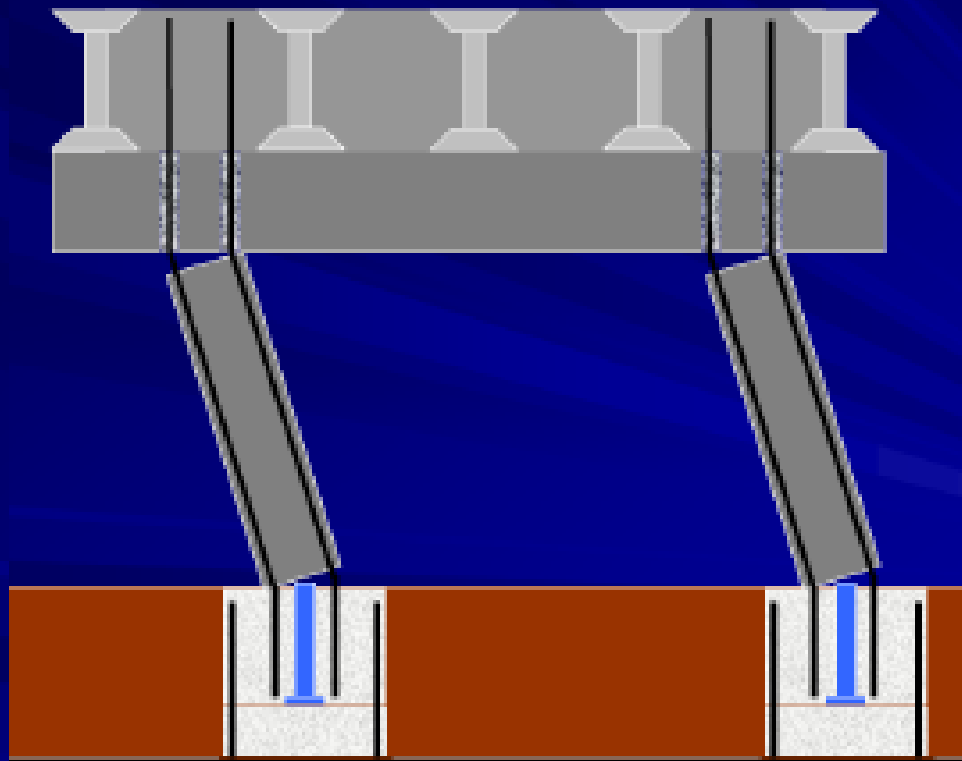
SR 16 Union Ave. Bridge

UW Project:

Design of Precast Concrete Piers for Rapid Bridge Construction In seismic Regions

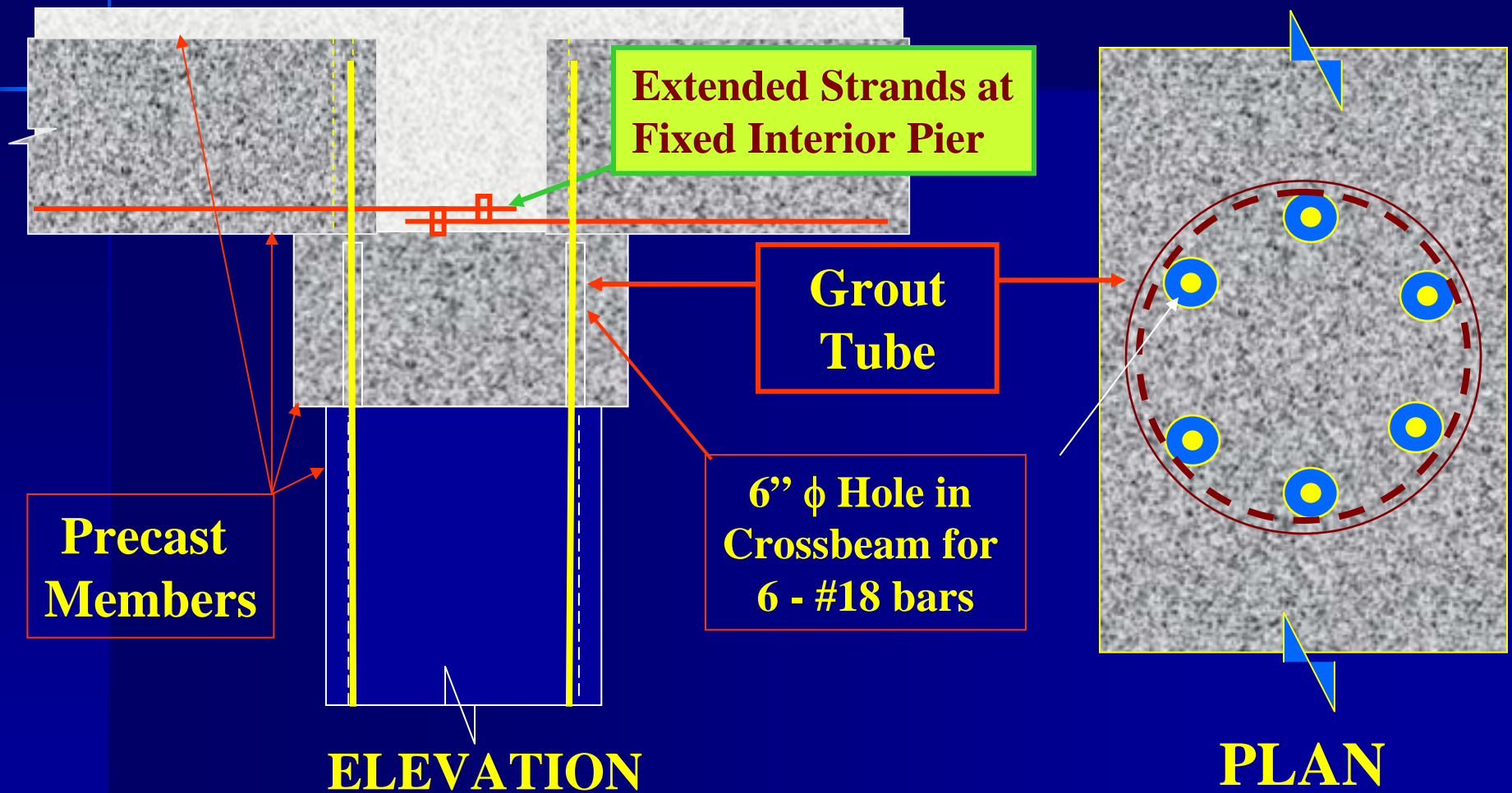
Phase I: Analytical

Phase II: Experimental



PRECAST SUBSTRUCTURE RESEARCH AT UW

Precast Substructure Research UW



Seismic Performance

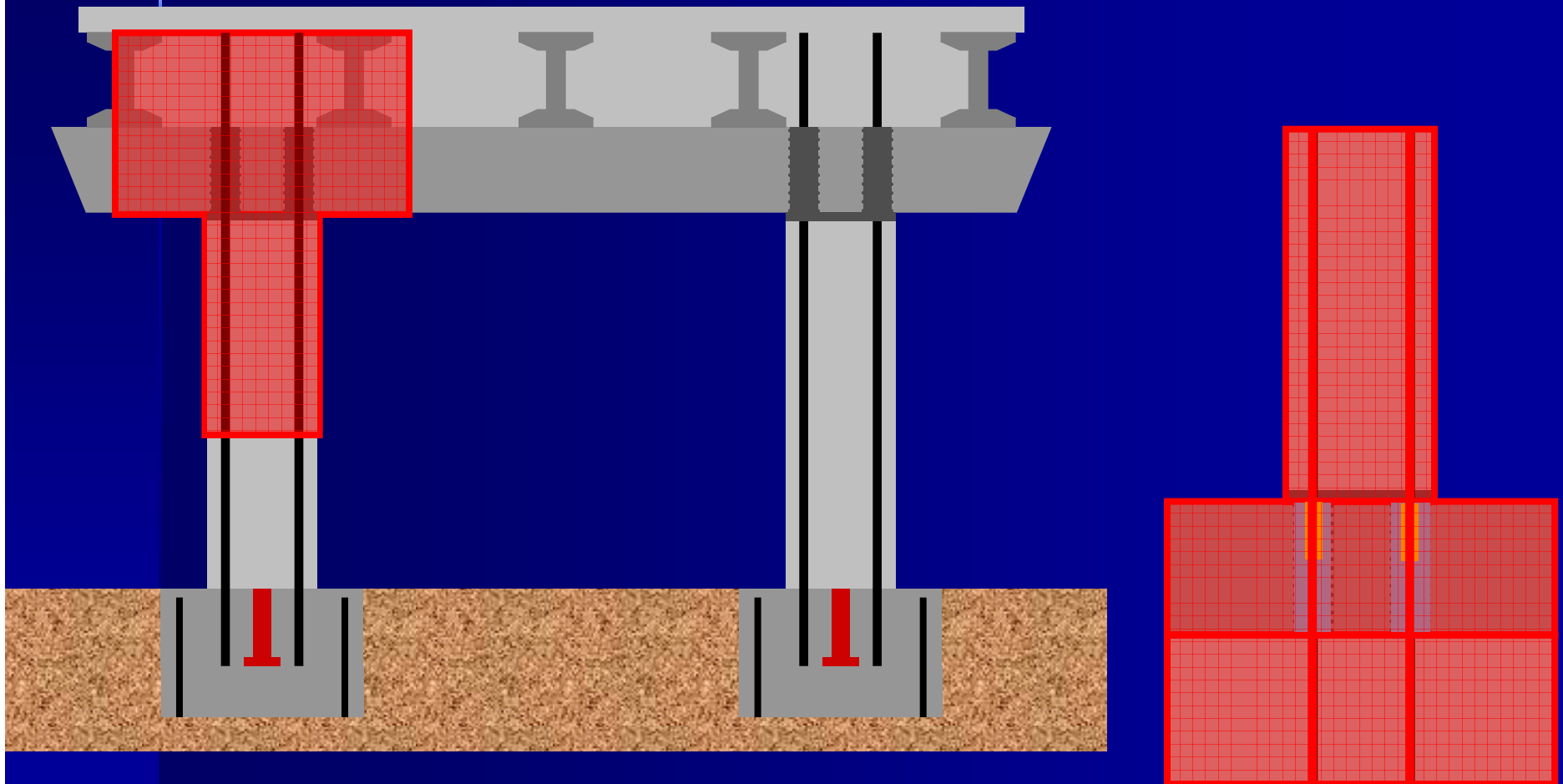


**WARD 648.2 Rapidly
Constructible Large-Bar Precast
Bridge-Bent Seismic Connection**



Seismic Performance – UW Test

WARD 648.2 Rapidly Constructible Large-Bar Precast Bridge-Bent Seismic Connection



PRECAST SUBSTRUCTURE RESEARCH AT UW

Phase II: Beam-column assembly: (Scaled tests)



Precast Bent cap SR 202 / SR 520



Duct Template



Tolerances - Tack Weld



Spirals

Precast Bent cap SR 202 / SR 520

**1^{1/2} Hours +/-
Bent Cap Erection**



FHWA - Highways for LIFE (IBRD) Fully Precast Bridge in Seismic Regions

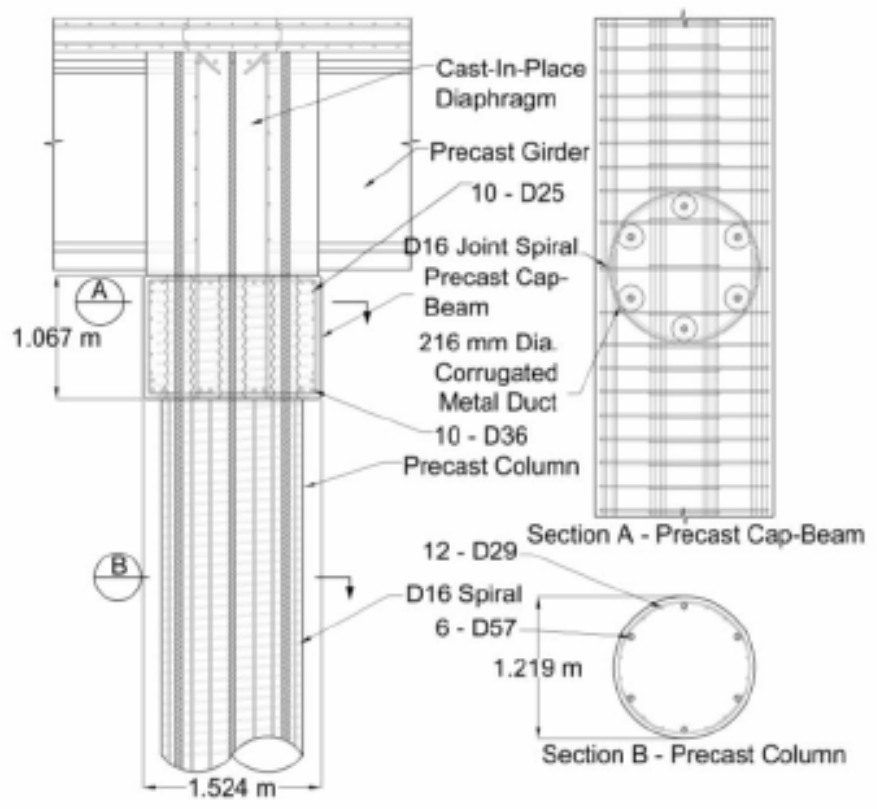


Figure 1. Typical Implementation of Product Concept

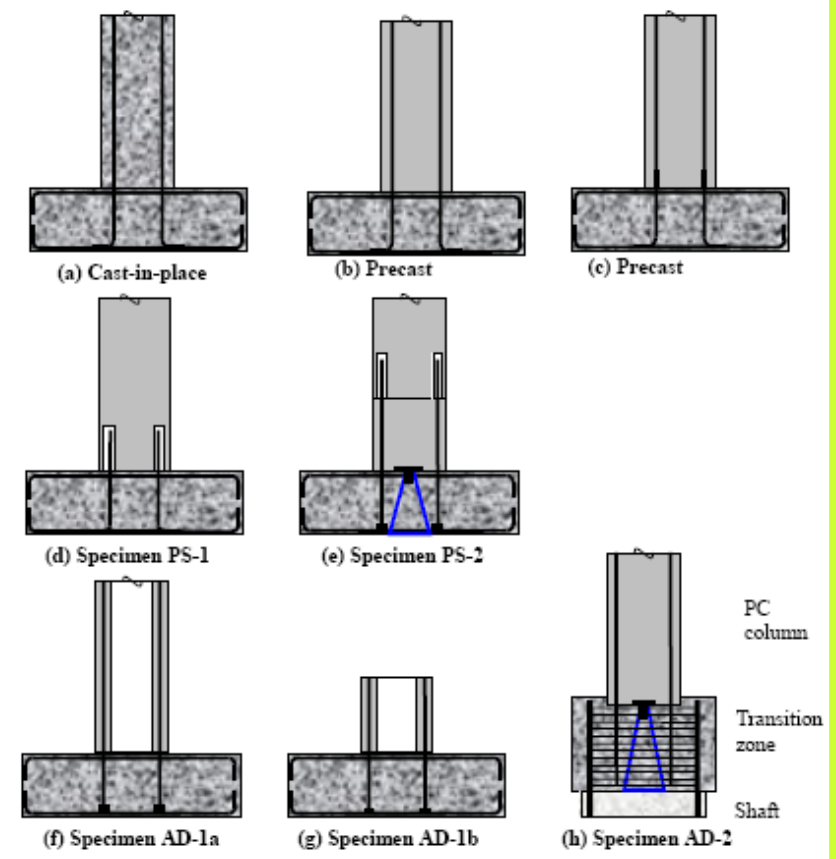


Figure 3. Test Specimens

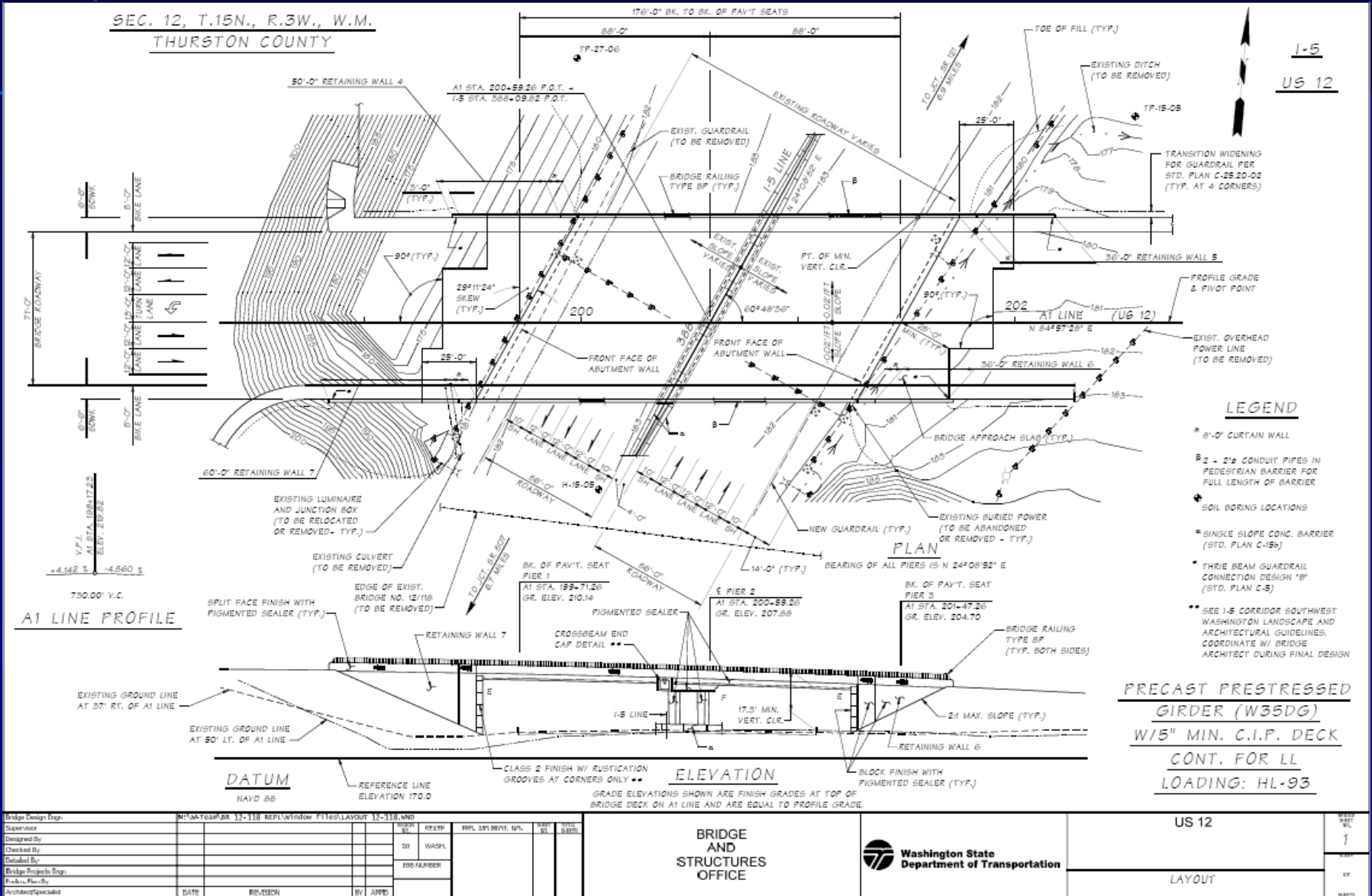
FHWA Highways for LIFE

Fully Precast Bridge in Seismic Regions

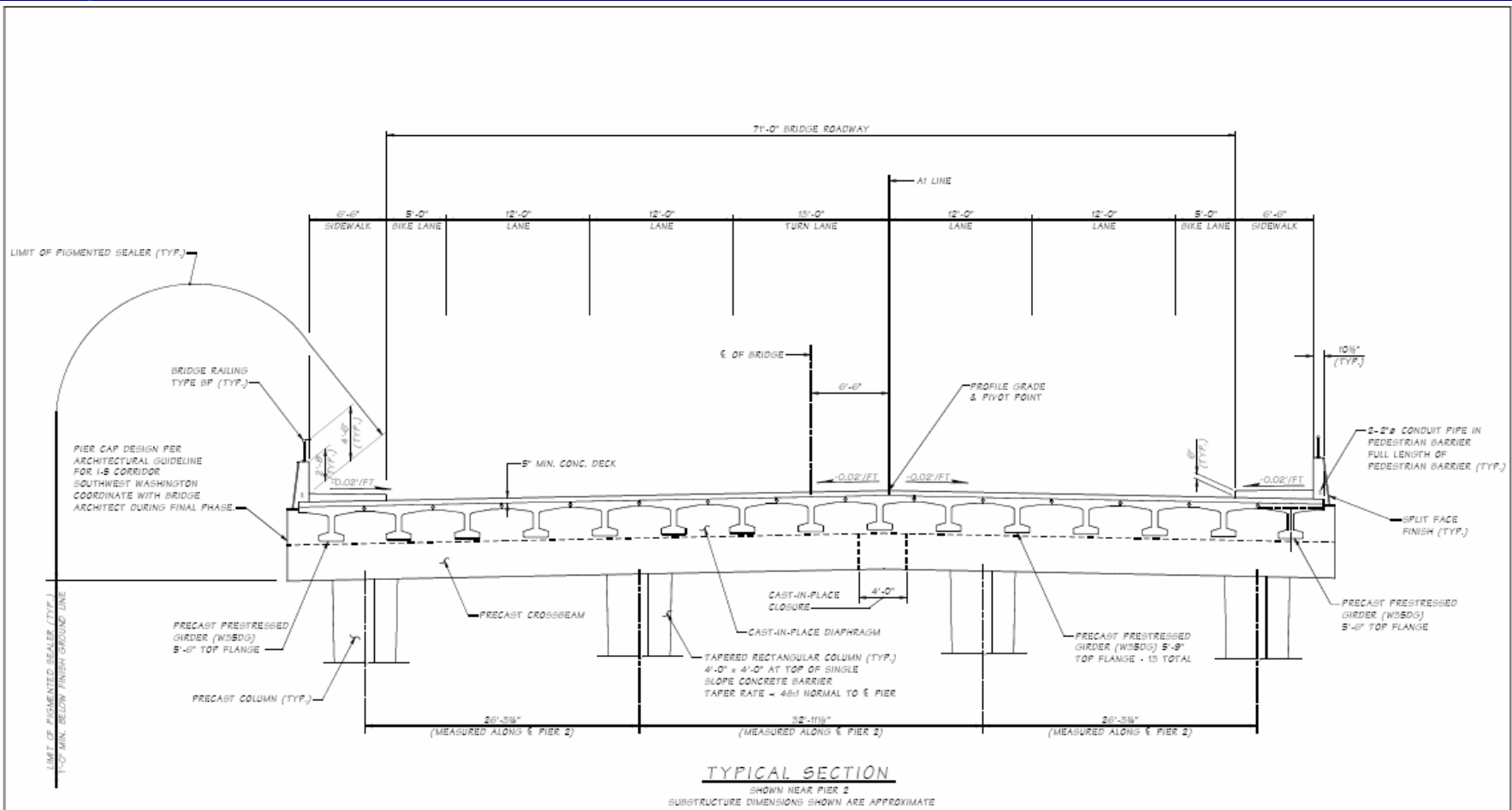


Figure 5. Existing SR 12 Overcrossing of I-5 to be Replaced

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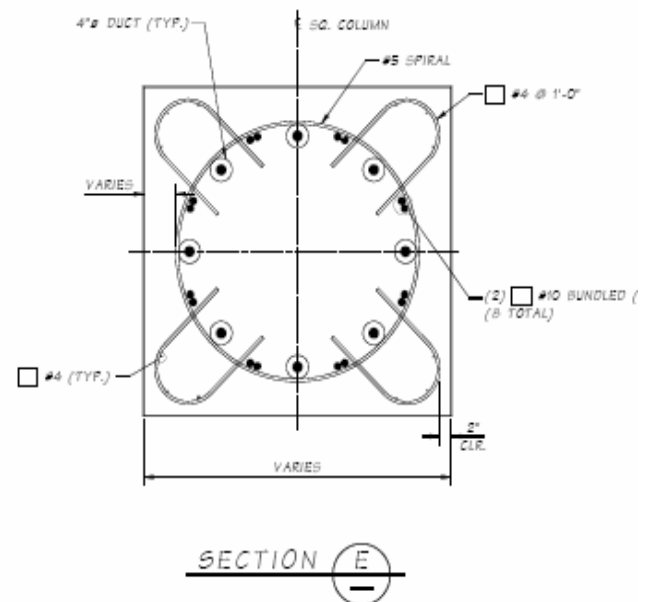
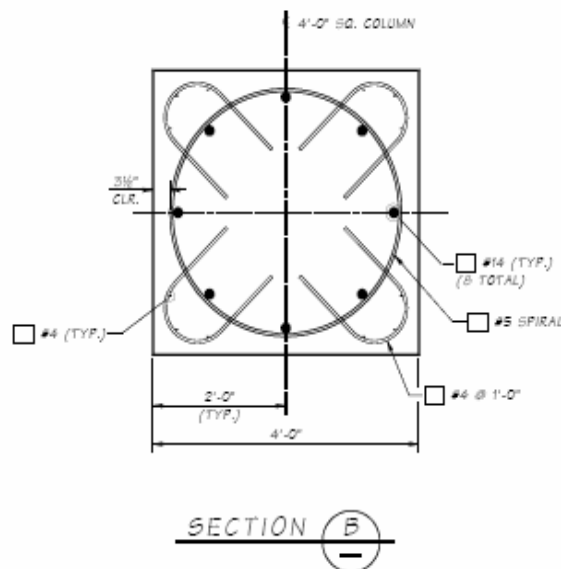
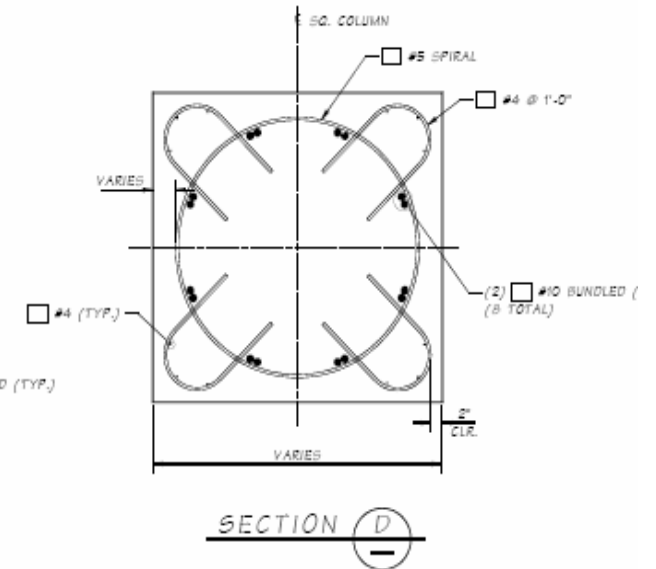
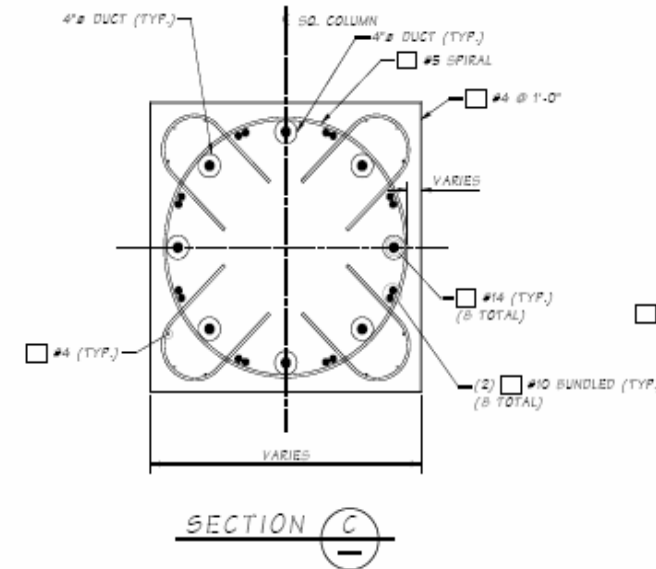
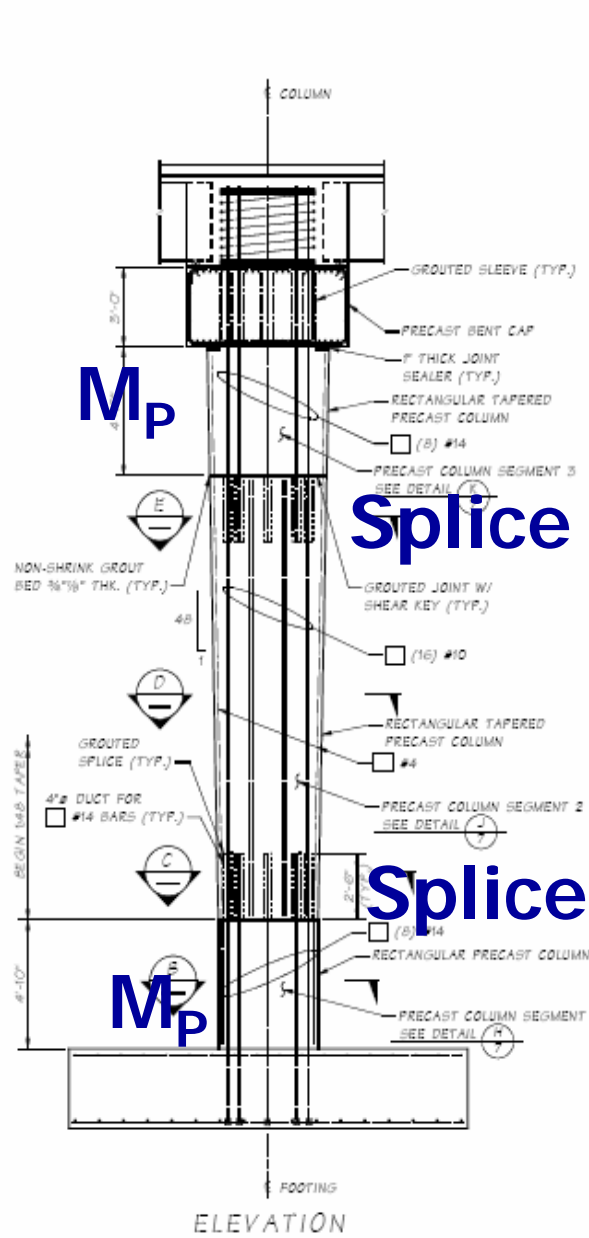


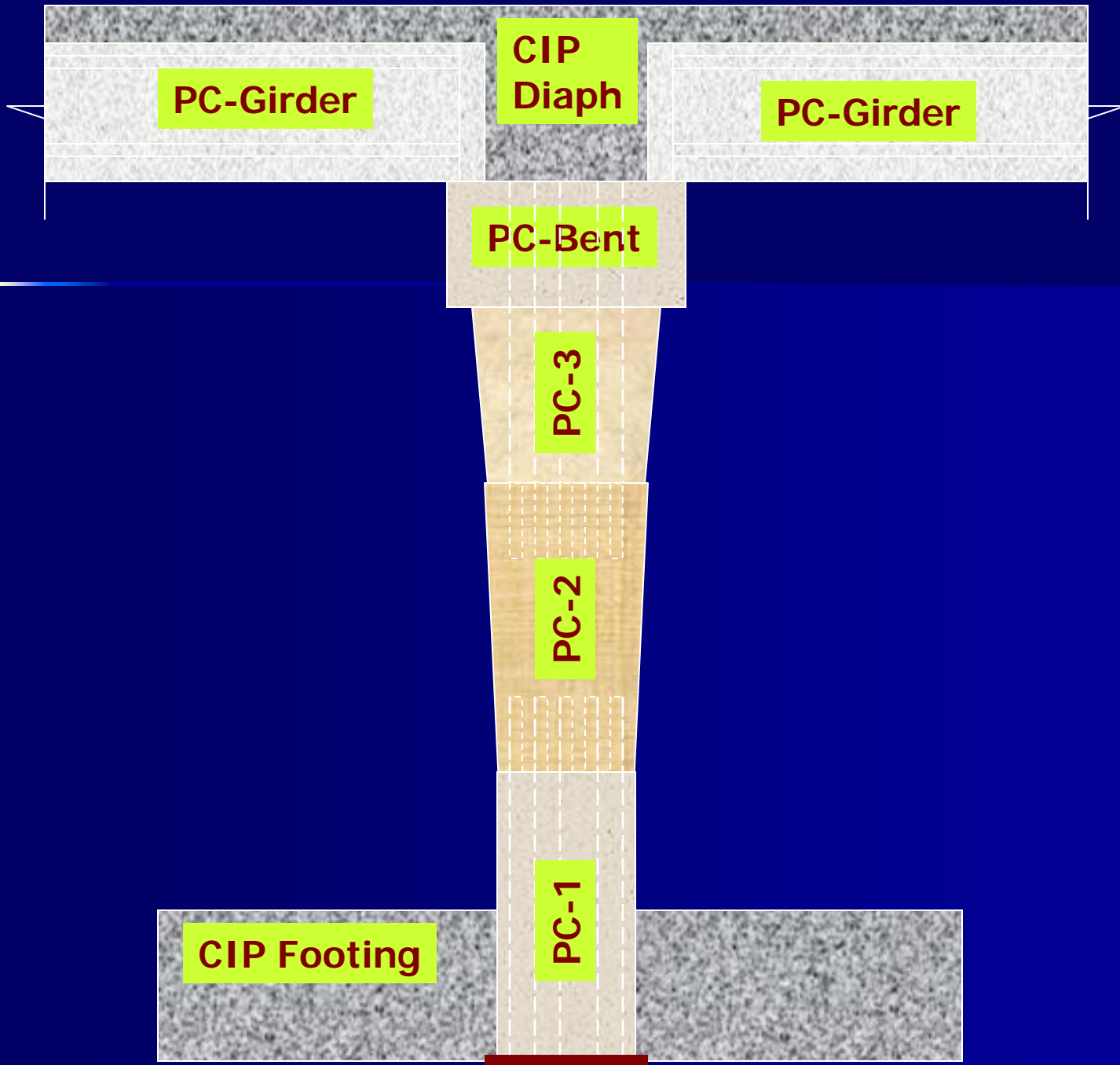
FHWA Highways for LIFE (IBRD) Fully Precast Bridge in Seismic Regions



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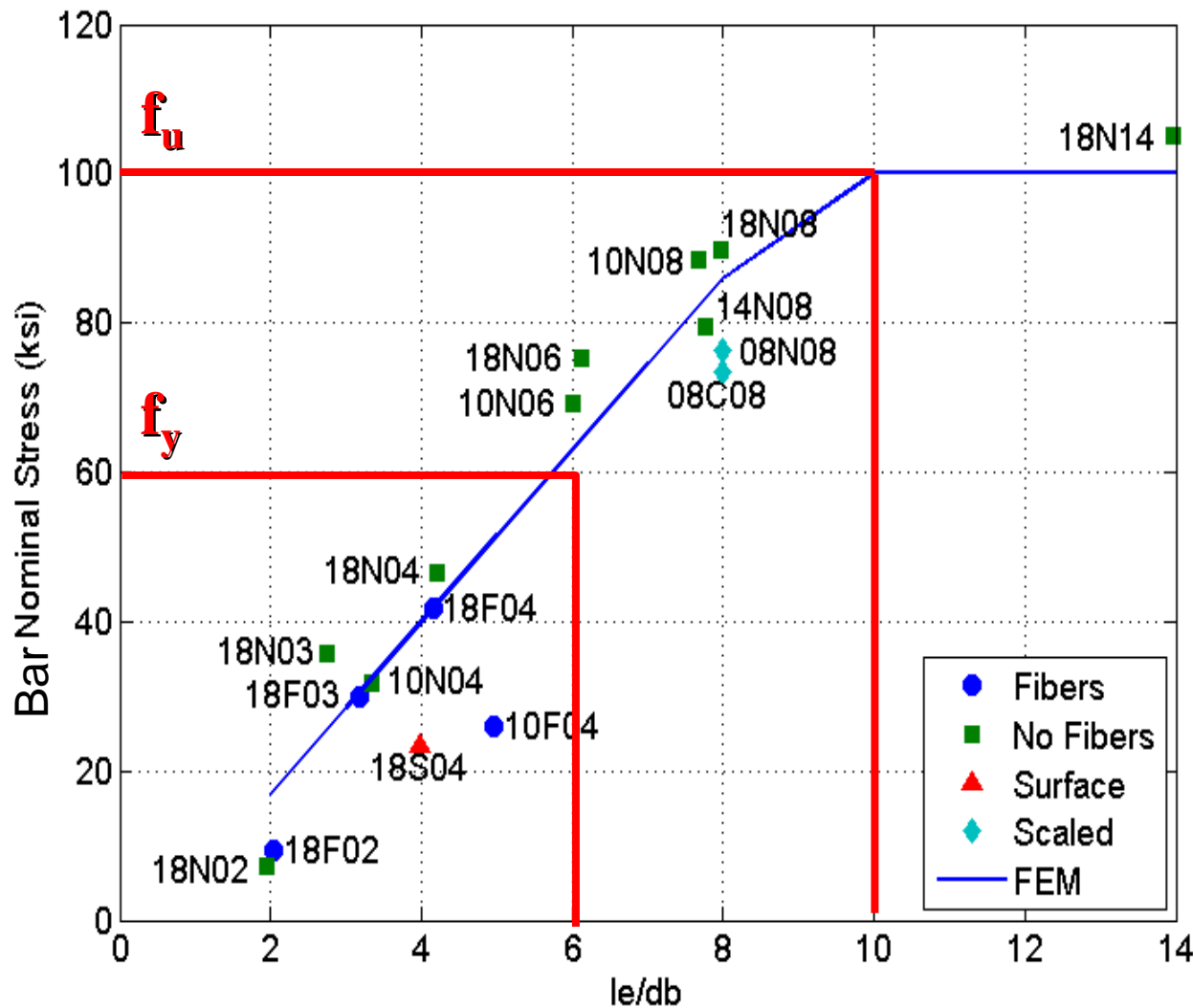
HFL Fully Precast Bridge Bents for Seismic Regions





Seismic Performance – UW Test

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Full-Scale Anchorage Tests

Yield in 6 db

Fracture in 14 db

Enough length for debonding and anchorage

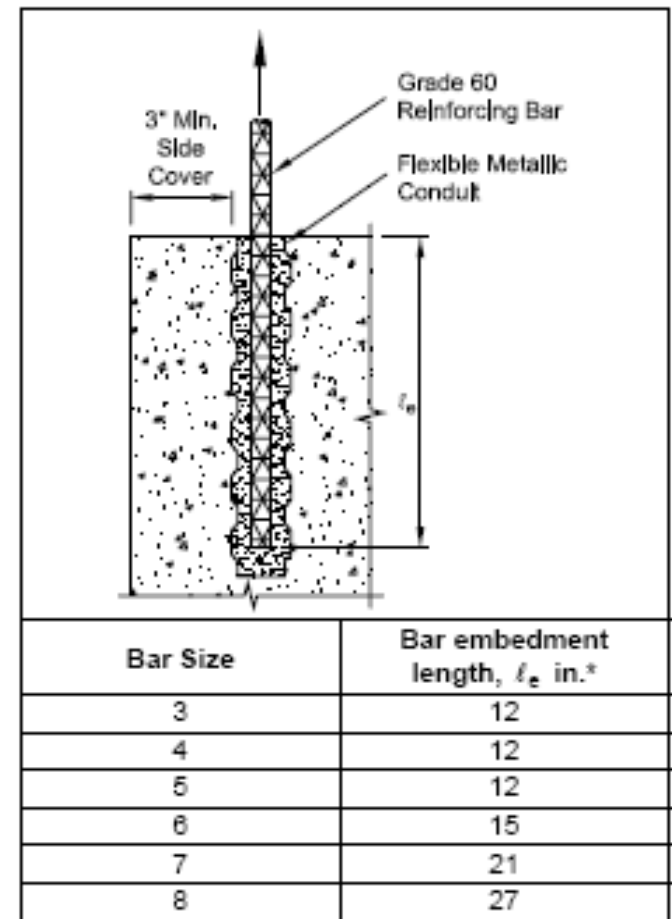
Recommended Duct size and embedment length for Grouted Sleeves

Precast Substructure Elements UDOT - Specification 03131S

Bar Size	Outside Diameter (inches)	Length of Sleeve (inches)
4	2.625	14.125
5	3.000	14.125
6	3.000	14.125
7	3.000	18.75
8	3.500	18.75
9	3.500	18.75
10	3.500	23.5
11	4.000	23.5
14	4.000	28.375
18	4.500	39.625

PCI Figure 6.4.3.1

Figure 6.4.3.1 Anchorage in grouted conduit [25]

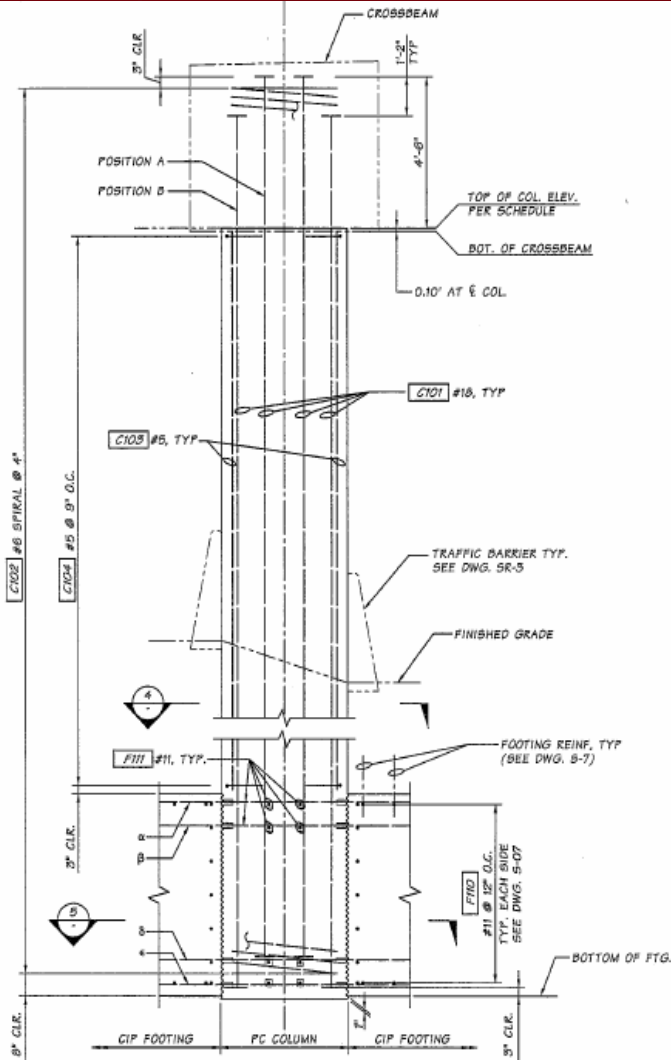


* For grout strengths higher than 5000 psi, multiply table values by $\sqrt{5000/f'_c}$.

WSDOT Recommended Duct Size And Embedment Length For Grouted Sleeves

Bar Size	Nominal Duct Size, in.	Embedment Length, in.	Embedment / Bar Diameter
#3	2	12	29
#4	2.5	15	27
#5	3	15	21
#6	3	15	18
#7	3	20	21
#8	3.5	20	18
#9	3.5	20	16
#10	3.5	25	18
#11	4	25	16
#14	4	30	16
#18	4.5	40	16

Continuous Bridge in Redmond WA



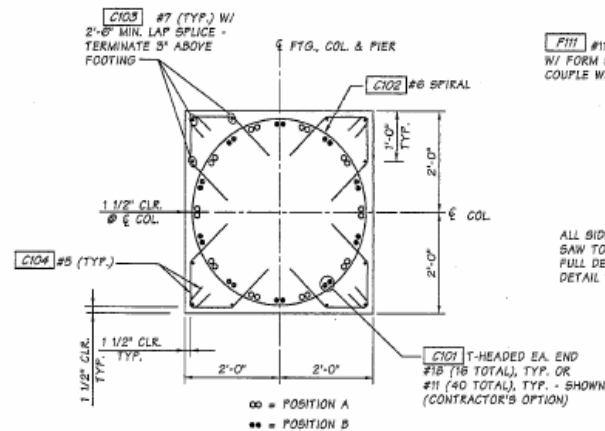
SECTION AT COLUMN **3**
S-7

- a = 2 F101 #11, TYP., SEE NOTE 1
- b = 2 F103a #11, TYP., SEE NOTE 1
- b = 2 F104a #11, TYP., SEE NOTE 1
- c = 2 F101 #11, TYP., SEE NOTE 1

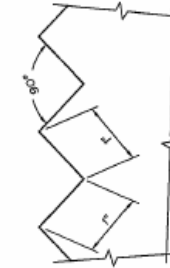
COLUMN	COLUMN TOP ELEVATION	COLUMN E BEARING
C2-1	354.52	N62°06'10"W
C2-2	354.44	N61°44'12"W
C2-3	354.37	N61°23'19"W
C2-4	354.28	N61°02'24"W
C2-5	354.19	N60°41'28"W
C2-6	354.10	N60°20'32"W
C2-7	354.00	N59°59'37"W
C2-8	353.90	N59°38'41"W
C2-9	353.79	N59°17'46"W
C2-10	353.67	N58°56'50"W
C2-11	353.55	N58°35'54"W
C2-12	353.43	N58°14'58"W
C2-13	353.30	N57°54'03"W
C2-14	353.18	N57°33'07"W

NOTE:

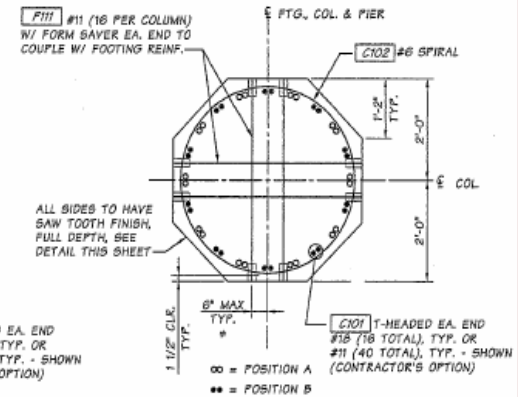
- TWO F101 TOP & BOTTOM, F103a & F104a BARS SHALL BE MODIFIED @ EACH COLUMN @ 6" EITHER SIDE OF THE COLUMN CENTERLINE TO THREAD INTO THE COLUMN F101 #11 FORM SAVERS.



COLUMN SECTION **4**



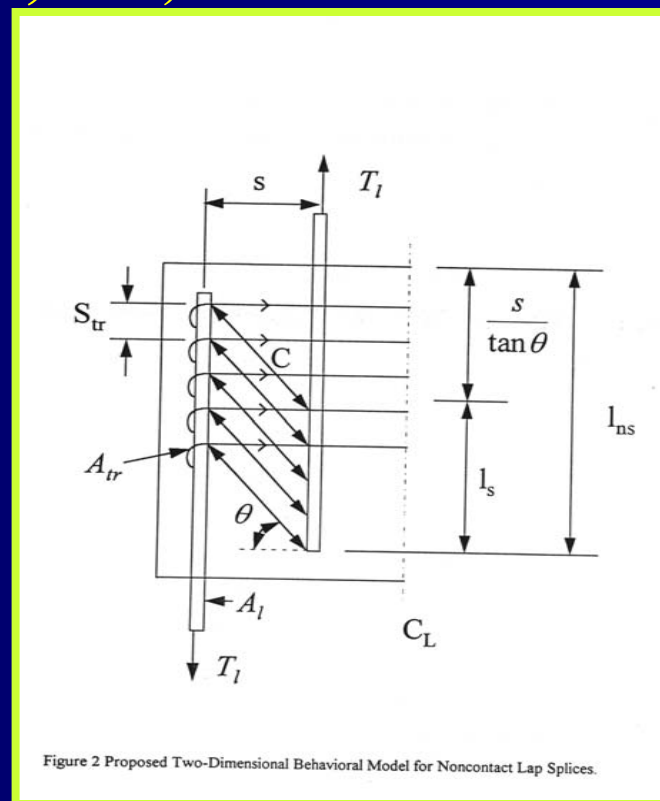
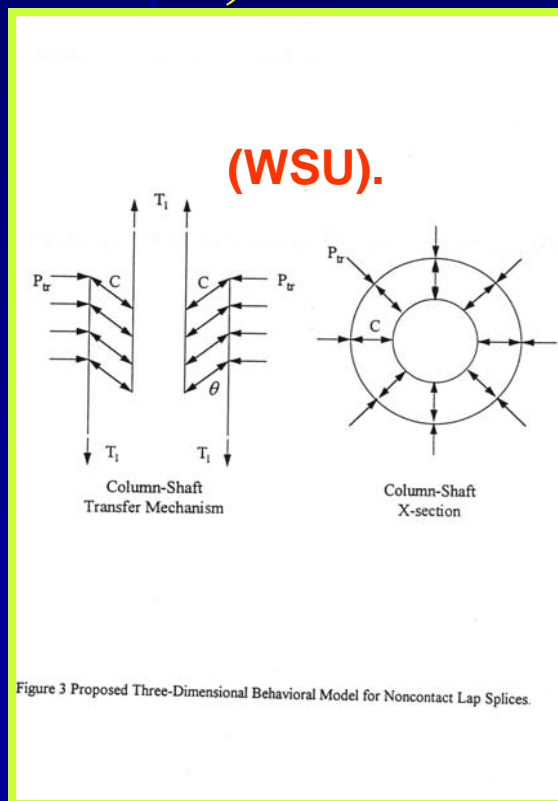
SAWTOOTH DETAILS
SAWTOOTH TO BE USED FULL DEPTH OF FOOTING ON ALL SIDES OF THE COLUMN



COLUMN SECTION **5**
* ADJUST TO FIT BETWEEN VERTICAL COLUMN REINF.

Column – Shaft Connection

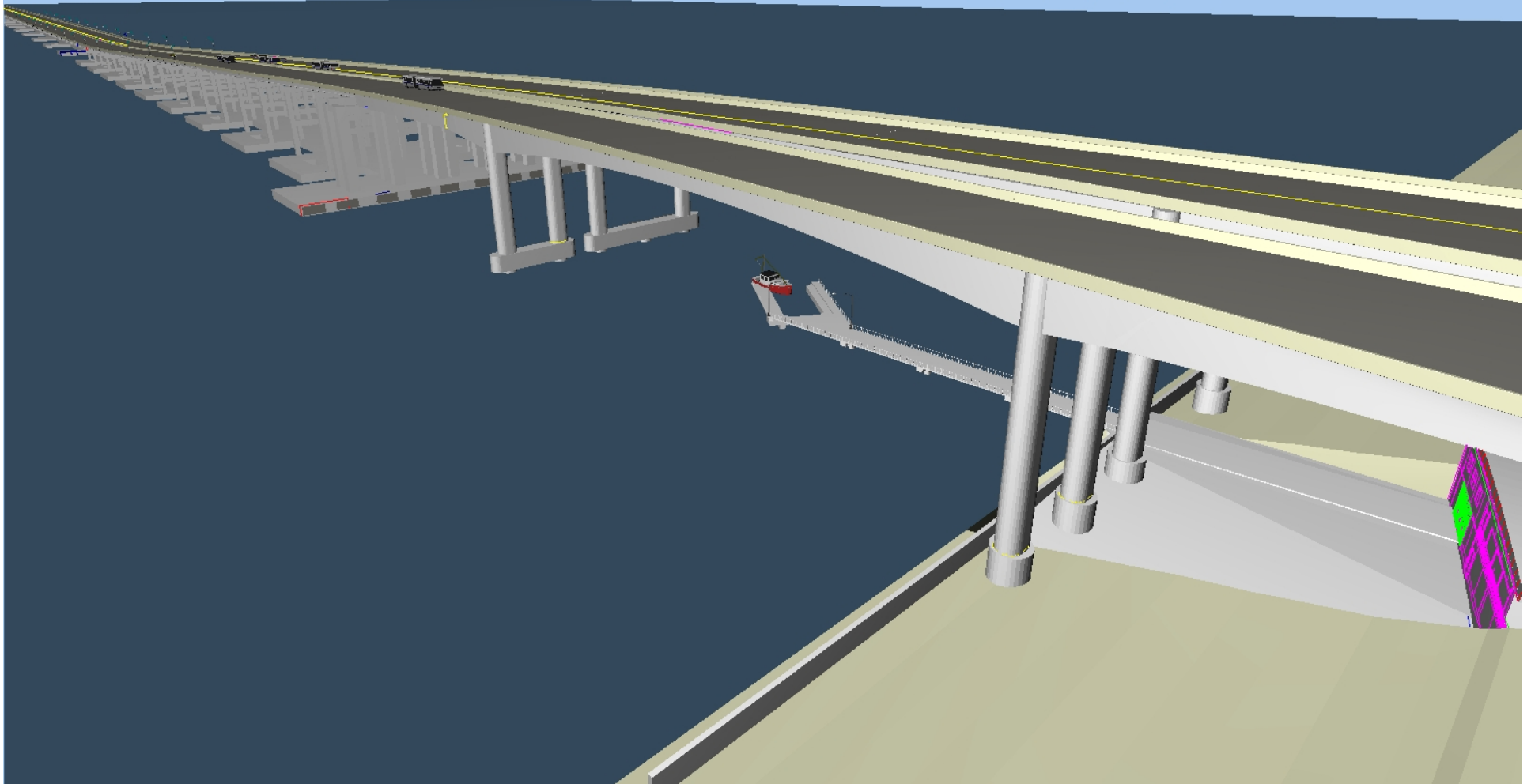
- Connection Design of Column-Oversized Shafts Based On Expected Nominal Flexural Capacity at 1.00 Times The Overstrength Moment, M_{po} of Column.
- Column longitudinal reinforcement into enlarged shafts in a staggered manner with the minimum embedment lengths of $2D_{c,max}$ and $3D_{c,max}$,



Column Dia	CIP Joint
4 ft	12 ft
5 ft	15 ft
6 ft	18 ft

$$S_{tr} = \frac{2\pi A_{sp} f_{yt} l_s}{k A_l f_w}$$

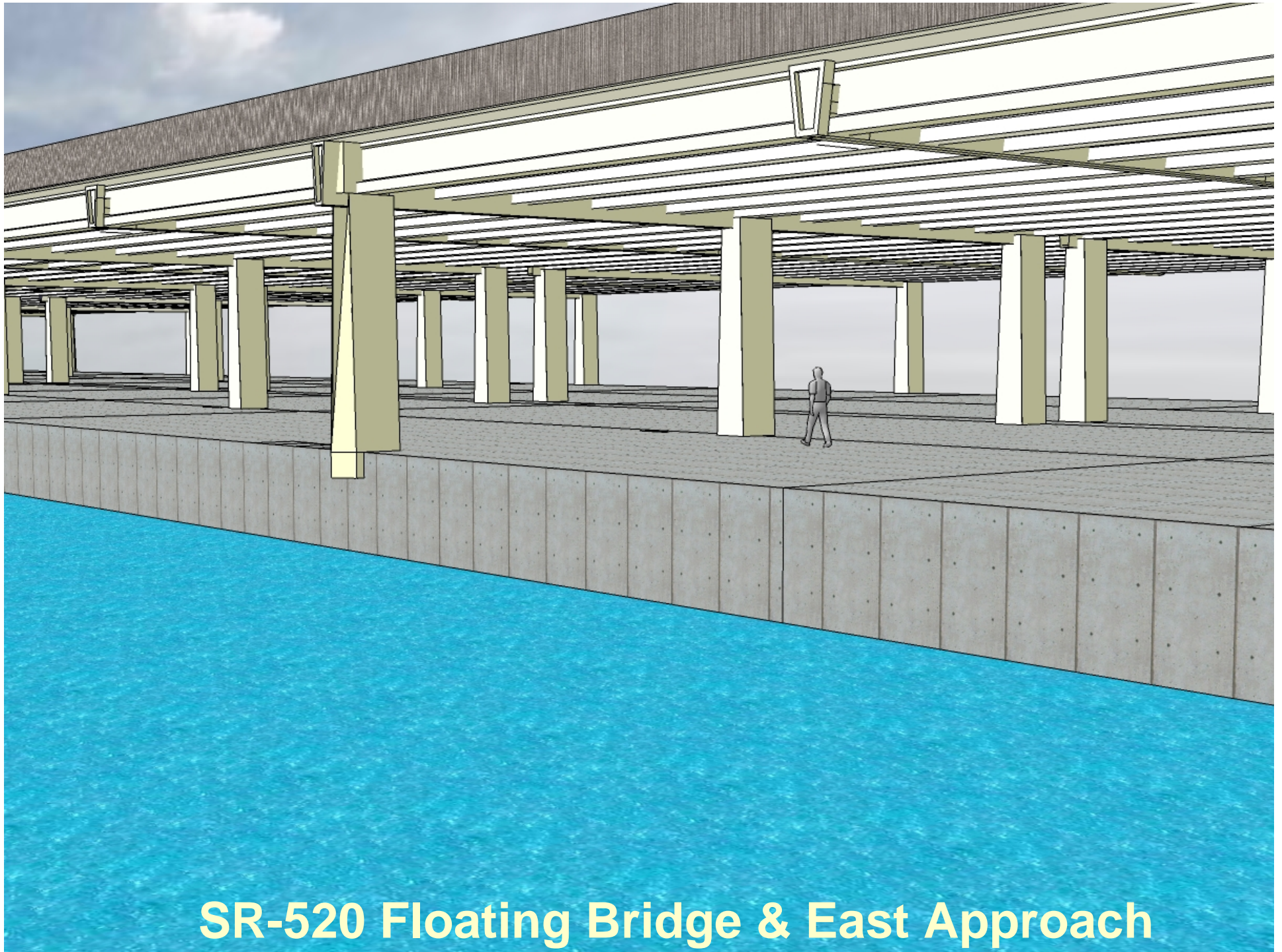
SR-520 Floating Bridge & East Approach



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SR 520 Pontoon Construction Project





SR-520 Floating Bridge & East Approach

AWV Bridge Replacement – Bored Tunnel

Existing Viaduct
to be Replaced by 2015



for Roadway Structure

Accelerated Bridge Construction (ABC)

- **Strategic Plan**
- **ABC Advisory Committee**
- **ABC Website**
- **ABC Decision-Making Matrix**
- **ABC Impact Quantification**
- **ABC Chapter for WSDOT BDM**
 - Design Criteria**
 - Design Examples**
 - STD Details - Connections**

WSDOT Strategic Plan for Accelerated Bridge Construction (ABC)

WSDOT ABC Website



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Reports

- [WSDOT ABC Strategic Plan \(draft\)](#)
- [FHWA Seismic ABC Workshop Report](#)
- [ABC Seismic Connections - TRB Research Proposal \(Oct 15, 2008\)](#)
- [Design of Precast Concrete Piers for Rapid Bridge Construction in Seismic Regions](#)
- [A Precast Concrete Bridge Bent Designed to Re-center after an Earthquake](#)

Presentations

- [Presentations from WSDOT ABC Workshop \(September 30, 2008\) \(500 MB\)](#)
- [Presentations from WSDOT-CalTrans TRB 2009 Seismic ABC Collaboration \(612 MB\)](#)
- [Lewis and Clark Bridge Deck Replacement](#)
- [Rapid Replacement of the Hood Canal Bridge Approach Spans](#)

Links

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Decision-Making Matrix -ABC Checklist

- **Emergency replacement?**
- **Lane closures or detours?**
- **High traffic volume?**
- **High daily traffic control costs?**
- **Critical path of project?**
- **Innovative contracting strategies?**
- **Weather constraints?**
- **Worker safety concerns?**
- **Environmentally sensitive site?**
- **Multiple similar spans (Bridge type)?**
- **Delay-related user cost concern?**
- **Adequate owner staffing?**

ABC may be considered if Number of YES > NO

Next Step: Bridge Construction Index (BCI) Calculations

ABC Impact Quantification

Calculate the Bridge Construction Index (BCI)

Baseline Measure-

Calculate BCI's for conventional construction - (BCI-C)x

ABC Measure-

Calculate BCI's for ABC - (BCI-A)x.

Calculate Earnings by ABC (ERN) – Construction Time

ERN (in days) = (BCI-C) – (BCI-A)

Convert ERN (in days) into \$ = [(BCI-C)_{ERN} – (BCI-A)_{ERN}]x\$/day

Calculate Savings by ABC (SAV)- Traffic Delay Reduction

SAV (days) = (BCI-C) – (BCI-A)

Convert SAV (in days) into \$ = [(BCI-C)_{SAV} – (BCI-A)_{SAV}]x\$/day

+ **Safety + Environment**

Compare: ABC Earning vs. Construction Cost

Case Study:

ABC Impact Quantification: Baseline Measure

Construction Time Difference - Study of 3 Bridge Scenarios:

- **Case 1: 2-Span Post-Tensioned Box Girder Bridge Over SR 18**
- **Case 2: 4-Span Prestressed Girder Bridge Under I-5**
- **Case 3: 2-Span Steel Box Girder Bridge Over I-5**


Lane Closure Cost:

- **Case 1: 1 Month Lane Closure – Traffic Control**
- **Case 2: 3 Months Lane Closure – Traffic Control**
- **Case 3: 4 Months Lane Closure – Traffic Control**

Risks:

At Work Zone to WSDOT And Contractors' Staff
At Work Zone to Travelling Public
Cost Risk Estimating

Environmental Impact



Thank you
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