


PROJECT REFERENCE NO. R-5516		SHEET NO. W-2	
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NOTES:

FOR MECHANICALLY STABILIZED EARTH (MSE) RETAINING WALLS, SEE MECHANICALLY STABILIZED EARTH RETAINING WALLS PROVISION.
 FOR STEEL BEAM GUARDRAIL, SEE ROADWAY PLANS AND SECTION 862 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
 AT THE CONTRACTOR'S OPTION, USE FINE AGGREGATE IN THE REINFORCED ZONE OF RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2.
 CAST-IN-PLACE REINFORCED CONCRETE COPING IS REQUIRED FOR THE VERTICAL EDGES WHERE WALL NO.1 AND NO.2 TIE TO BACKWALL
 A SEPARATION GEOTEXTILE IS REQUIRED AT THE BACK OF THE REINFORCED ZONE FOR RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2, PROVIDED COARSE AGGREGATE IS USED IN THE REINFORCED ZONE.
 A DRAIN IS REQUIRED FOR RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2.
 BEFORE BEGINNING MSE WALL DESIGN FOR RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2, SURVEY WALL LOCATION AND SUBMIT A REVISED WALL PROFILE VIEW (WALL ENVELOPE) FOR REVIEW. DO NOT START WALL DESIGN OR CONSTRUCTION UNTIL THE REVISED WALL ENVELOPE IS ACCEPTED.

DESIGN RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2 FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- 1) H = DESIGN HEIGHT + EMBEDMENT
- 2) DESIGN LIFE = 100 YEARS
- 3) MAXIMUM FACTORED VERTICAL PRESSURE ON FOUNDATION MATERIAL SHALL BE AS SHOWN BELOW.
- 4) MINIMUM REINFORCEMENT LENGTH (L) SHALL BE AS SHOWN BELOW OR 6 FT, WHICHEVER IS LONGER
- 5) MINIMUM EMBEDMENT DEPTH FOR ABUTMENT FRONT FACE = H/10 OR 2 FT BELOW PROPOSED GRADE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER.

WALL NO.	STATION		ALIGNMENT	REINFORCEMENT LENGTH RATIO	MAXIMUM FACTORED VERTICAL PRESSURE ON FOUNDATION MATERIAL (KSF)
	FROM	TO			
1	9+50	13+00	W1	0.9H	6.8
	13+00	19+36	W1	0.9H	5.0
2	9+92	15+60	W2	0.9H	5.1

6) REINFORCED ZONE AGGREGATE PARAMETERS:

AGGREGATE TYPE*	UNIT WEIGHT (γ) LB/CF	FRICTION ANGLE (φ) DEGREES	COHESION (c) LB/SF
COARSE	110	38	0
FINE	115	34	0

*SEE MSE RETAINING WALLS PROVISION FOR COARSE AND FINE AGGREGATE MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS.

7) IN-SITU ASSUMED MATERIAL PARAMETERS:

MATERIAL TYPE	UNIT WEIGHT (γ) LB/CF	FRICTION ANGLE (φ) DEGREES	COHESION (c) LB/SF
BACKFILL	120	30	0
FOUNDATION - WALL NO.1 STATION 9+50 TO 13+00	120	30	0
FOUNDATION - WALL NO.1 STATION 13+00 TO 19+36	120	29	0
FOUNDATION - WALL NO.2	120	30	0

DESIGN RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2 FOR A LIVE LOAD (TRAFFIC) SURCHARGE.

DESIGN REINFORCEMENT CONNECTED TO END BENT CAPS FOR FACTORED LOAD AND LENGTH OF REINFORCEMENT IN ACTIVE ZONE (L_d) SHOWN. CAST REINFORCEMENT CONNECTORS INTO CAP BACKWALL FOR END BENT NO.2 LOCATED AT STATION 33+65.84 -YEB01-. MAINTAIN A CLEARANCE OF AT LEAST 3" BETWEEN CONNECTORS AND REINFORCING STEEL IN CAP.

FOUNDATIONS FOR SIGNS OR LIGHTING MAY BE LOCATED BEHIND RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2 AND MAY INTERFERE WITH REINFORCEMENT. BEFORE BEGINNING MSE WALL CONSTRUCTION, SUBMIT PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION METHODS FOR THESE FOUNDATIONS FOR APPROVAL.

EXISTING OR FUTURE OBSTRUCTIONS SUCH AS FOUNDATIONS, GUARDRAIL, FENCE OR HANDRAIL POSTS, PAVEMENTS, PIPES, INLETS OR UTILITIES MAY INTERFERE WITH REINFORCEMENT FOR RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2.

CONSTRUCT RETAINING WALL NO.1 BEFORE INSTALLING FOUNDATIONS FOR END BENT NO.2 LOCATED AT STATION 33+65.84 -YEB01-.

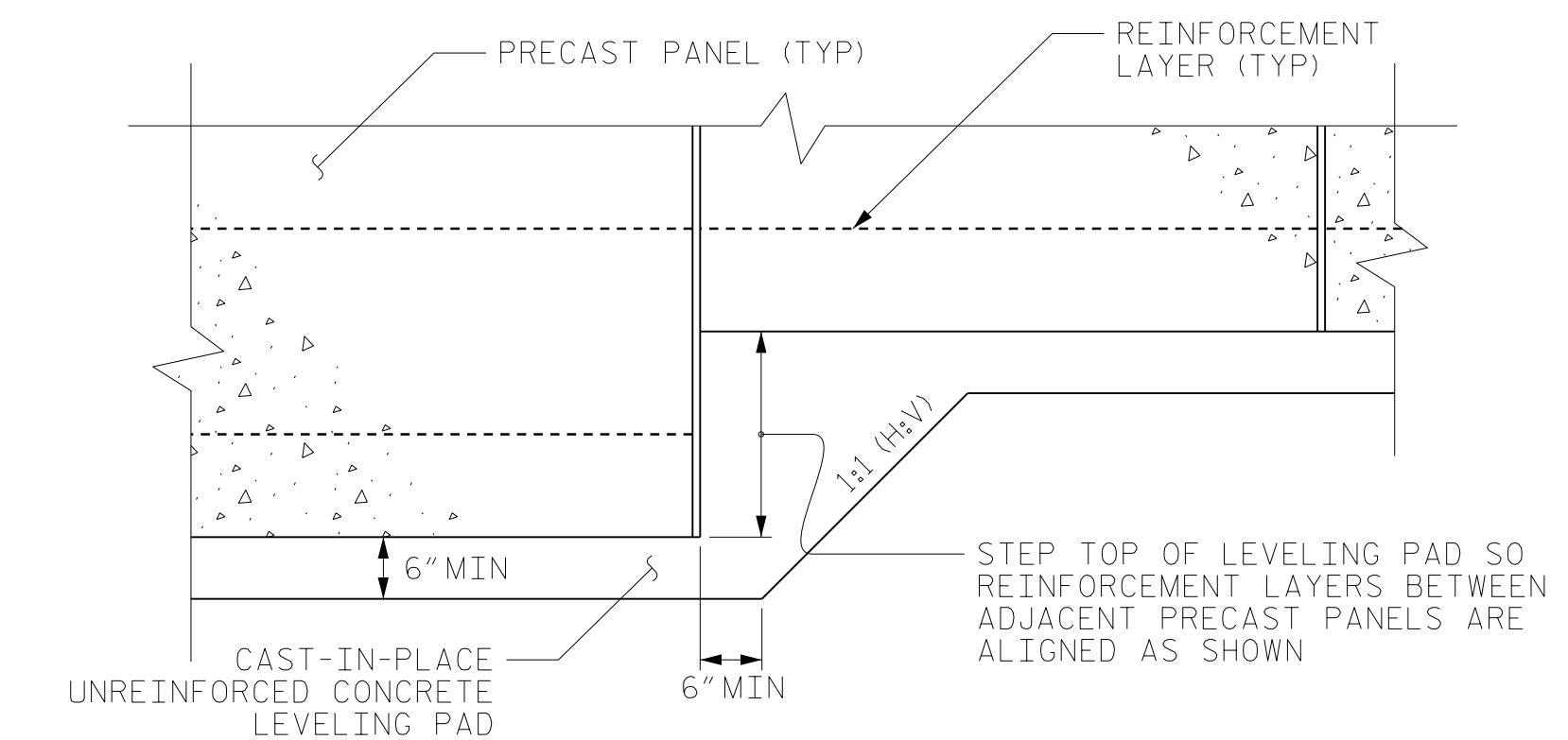
DO NOT PLACE LEVELING PAD CONCRETE, AGGREGATE OR REINFORCEMENT FOR RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND 2 UNTIL EXCAVATION DIMENSIONS AND FOUNDATION MATERIAL ARE APPROVED.

INSTALL A 16 GAGE, 24 INCH DIAMETER CORRUGATED STEEL PIPE FOR END BENT NO.2 LOCATED AT STATION 33+65.84 -YEB01- FOR RETAINING WALL NO.1. SEE "FOUNDATION LAYOUT" SHEET FOR FOUNDATION LOCATIONS.

THE COST FOR THE 16 GAGE, 24 INCH DIAMETER CORRUGATED STEEL PIPES FOR END BENT NO.2 LOCATED AT STATION 33+65.84 -YEB01- IS INCIDENTAL TO MSE RETAINING WALL NO.1.

UNDERCUT DEEPER THAN WALL EXCAVATION WILL BE REQUIRED AT MSE RETAINING WALLS NO.1 AND NO.2. SEE ROADWAY PLANS FOR THE UNDERCUT LIMITS. THE UNDERCUT WILL BE MEASURED BY ENGINEER AND PAID AS ROADWAY EXCAVATION.

ESTIMATED MSE WALL QUANTITIES (SQUARE FEET)	
MSE RETAINING WALL NO.1	17,700 SF
MSE RETAINING WALL NO.2	9,200 SF

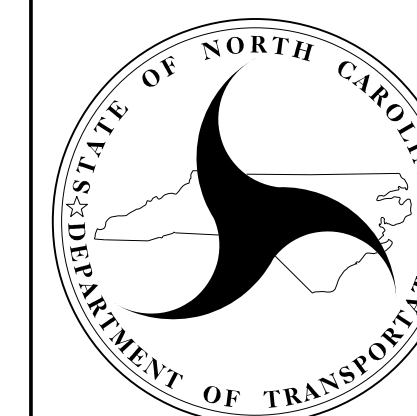


PRECAST CONCRETE PANELS

LEVELING PAD STEP DETAILS

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