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# ROADWAY SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION

COUNTY ALAMANCE  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION BRIDGE #112 ON NC87 OVER  
REEDY FORK CREEK

## INVENTORY

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SOIL AND ROCK LEGEND, TERMS, SYMBOLS, AND ABBREVIATIONS**

| SOIL DESCRIPTION  |  |   | GRADATION   |   |   | ROCK DESCRIPTION  |  |   | TERMS AND DEFINITIONS  |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <p>SOIL IS CONSIDERED UNCONSOLIDATED, SEMI-CONSOLIDATED OR WEATHERED EARTH MATERIALS THAT CAN BE PENETRATED WITH A CONTINUOUS FLIGHT POWER AUGER AND YIELD LESS THAN 100 BLOWS PER FOOT ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD PENETRATION TEST (ASTM D 1586). SOIL CLASSIFICATION IS BASED ON THE AASHTO SYSTEM. BASIC DESCRIPTIONS GENERALLY INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING: CONSISTENCY, COLOR, TEXTURE, MOISTURE, AASHTO CLASSIFICATION, AND OTHER PERTINENT FACTORS SUCH AS MINERALOGICAL COMPOSITION, ANGLULARITY, STRUCTURE, PLASTICITY, ETC. FOR EXAMPLE, VERY STIFF, GRAY-SILT CLAY MOST WITH INTERBEDDED FINE SAND LENSSES, MEDIUM PLASTIC, A-7-6.</p>  |  |   | <p><b>WELL GRADED</b> - INDICATES A GOOD REPRESENTATION OF PARTICLE SIZES FROM FINE TO COARSE. UNIFORMLY GRADED - INDICATES THAT SOIL PARTICLES ARE ALL APPROXIMATELY THE SAME SIZE. <b>GAP-GRADED</b> - INDICATES A MIXTURE OF UNIFORM PARTICLE SIZES OF TWO OR MORE SIZES.</p>  |   |   | <p>HARD ROCK IS NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL THAT WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL. IF TESTED, AN INFERRED ROCK LINE INDICATES THE LEVEL AT WHICH NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL. SPT REFUSAL IS PENETRATION BY A SPLIT SPOON SAMPLER EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN 80 FOOT PER 60 BLOWS IN NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL. THE TRANSITION BETWEEN SOIL AND ROCK IS OFTEN REPRESENTED BY A ZONE OF WEATHERED ROCK. WEATHERED MATERIALS ARE DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:</p> |  |   | <p><b>ALLUVIUM (ALLOV.)</b> - SOILS THAT HAVE BEEN TRANSPORTED BY WATER.<br/><b>AQUICER</b> - A WATER BEARING FORMATION OR STRATA.<br/><b>ARGILLACEOUS</b> - APPLIED TO ROCKS THAT HAVE BEEN DERIVED FROM SAND OR THAT CONTAIN SAND.<br/><b>ARGILLACEOUS</b> - APPLIED TO ALL ROCKS OR SUBSTANCES COMPOSED OF CLAY MINERALS, OR HAVING A NOTABLE PROPORTION OF CLAY IN THEIR COMPOSITION, SUCH AS SHALE, SLATE, ETC.<br/><b>ARTESIAN</b> - GROUND WATER THAT IS UNDER SUFFICIENT PRESSURE TO RISE ABOVE THE LEVEL AT WHICH IT IS ENCOUNTERED, BUT WHICH DOES NOT NECESSARILY RISE TO OR ABOVE THE GROUND SURFACE.<br/><b>CALCAREOUS (CALC.)</b> - SOILS THAT CONTAIN APPRECIABLE AMOUNTS OF CALCIUM CARBONATE.<br/><b>COLLUVIUM</b> - ROCK FRAGMENTS MIXED WITH SOIL DEPOSITED BY GRAVITY ON SLOPE OR AT BOTTOM OF SLOPE.<br/><b>CORE RECOVERY (REC.)</b> - TOTAL LENGTH OF ALL MATERIAL RECOVERED IN THE CORE BARREL DIVIDED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF CORE RUN AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.<br/><b>DIKE</b> - A TABULAR BODY OF IGNEOUS ROCK THAT CUTS ACROSS THE STRUCTURE OF ADJACENT ROCKS OR CUTS MASSIVE ROCK.<br/><b>DIP</b> - THE ANGLE AT WHICH A STRATUM OR ANY PLANAR FEATURE IS INCLINED FROM THE HORIZONTAL.<br/><b>DIP DIRECTION (DIP AZIMUTH)</b> - THE DIRECTION OR BEARING OF THE HORIZONTAL TRACE OF THE LINE OF DIP, MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM NORTH.<br/><b>Fault</b> - A FRACTURE OR FRACTURE ZONE ALONG WHICH THERE HAS BEEN DISPLACEMENT OF THE SIDES RELATIVE TO ONE ANOTHER PARALLEL TO THE FRACTURE.<br/><b>FISSILE</b> - A PROPERTY OF SPLITTING ALONG CLOSELY SPACED PARALLEL PLANES.<br/><b>FOLD</b> - ROCK FRAGMENTS ON SURFACE NEAR THEIR ORIGINAL POSITION AND DISCLOSED FROM PARENT MATERIAL.<br/><b>FLOOD PLAIN (FP)</b> - LAND BORDERING A STREAM, BUILT OF SEDIMENTS DEPOSITED BY THE STREAM.<br/><b>FORMATION (FM)</b> - A MAPPABLE GEOLOGIC UNIT THAT CAN BE RECOGNIZED AND TRACED IN THE FIELD.<br/><b>JOINT</b> - A FRACTURE IN ROCK ALONG WHICH NO APPRECIABLE MOVEMENT HAS OCCURRED.<br/><b>LEDGE</b> - A SHELF-LIKE RIDGE OR PROJECTION OF ROCK WHOSE THICKNESS IS SMALL COMPARED TO ITS LATERAL EXTENT.<br/><b>LENS</b> - A BODY OF SOIL OR ROCK THAT THINS OUT IN ONE OR MORE DIRECTIONS.<br/><b>MOTTLED (MOT.)</b> - IRREGULARLY MARKED WITH SPOTS OF DIFFERENT COLORS. MOTTLING IN SOILS USUALLY INDICATES POOR AERATION AND LACK OF GOOD DRAINAGE.<br/><b>PERCHED WATER</b> - WATER MAINTAINED ABOVE THE NORMAL GROUND WATER LEVEL BY THE PRESENCE OF AN INTERVENING IMPERVIOUS STRATA.<br/><b>RESIDUAL (RES.) SOIL</b> - SOIL FORMED IN PLACE BY THE WEATHERING OF ROCK.<br/><b>ROCK QUALITY DESIGNATION (RQD)</b> - A MEASURE OF ROCK QUALITY DESCRIBED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF ROCK SEGMENTS EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN 4 INCHES DIVIDED BY THE TOTAL LENGTH OF CORE RUN AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.<br/><b>SAPROLITE (SAP.)</b> - RESIDUAL SOIL THAT RETAINS THE RELIC STRUCTURE OR FABRIC OF THE PARENT ROCK.<br/><b>SILL</b> - AN INTRUSIVE BODY OF IGNEOUS ROCK OF APPROXIMATELY UNIFORM THICKNESS AND RELATIVELY THIN COMPARED WITH ITS LATERAL EXTENT, THAT HAS BEEN EMPLACED PARALLEL TO THE BEDDING OR SCHISTOSITY OF THE INTRODUCED ROCKS.<br/><b>SLICKENSIDE</b> - POLISHED AND STRIATED SURFACE THAT RESULTS FROM FRICTION ALONG A FAULT OR SLIP PLANE.<br/><b>STANDARD PENETRATION TEST (PENETRATION RESISTANCE) (SPT)</b> - NUMBER OF BLOWS IN OR (SP) OF A 140 LB HAMMER FALLING 30 INCHES REQUIRED TO PRODUCE A PENETRATION OF 1 FOOT INTO SOIL WITH A 2 INCH OUTSIDE DIAMETER SPLIT SPOON SAMPLER. SPT REFUSAL IS PENETRATION EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN 80 FOOT PER 60 BLOWS.<br/><b>STRATA CORE RECOVERY (REC.)</b> - TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATA MATERIAL RECOVERED DIVIDED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATA AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.<br/><b>STRATA ROCK QUALITY DESIGNATION (SRQD)</b> - A MEASURE OF ROCK QUALITY DESCRIBED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF ROCK SEGMENTS WITHIN A STRATUM EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN 4 INCHES DIVIDED BY THE TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATA AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.<br/><b>TOPSOIL (TS)</b> - SURFACE SOILS USUALLY CONTAINING ORGANIC MATTER.</p> |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| VERY WIDE   | MORE THAN 18 FEET  | VERY THICKY BEDDED  | 4 FEET  |   |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| WIDE  | 3 TO 18 FEET   | THICKY BEDDED   | 1.5 - 4 FEET  |   |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MODERATELY CLOSE  | 1 TO 3 FEET  | MODERATELY BEDDED   | 0.6 - 1.5 FEET  |   |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CLOSE   | 0.6 TO 1 FOOT  | VERY THINLY BEDDED  | 0.03 - 0.6 FEET   |   |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| VERY CLOSE  | LESS THAN 0.6 FEET   | THICKLY LAMINATED   | 0.008 - 0.003 FEET  |   |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <p><b>NOTES:</b></p> <p>FIAD - FILLED IMMEDIATELY AFTER DRILLING<br/>ROADWAY BORING ELEVATIONS WERE OBTAINED USING THE PROJECT .TIN FILE, D5728.is.tin.TIN UPLOADED TO SHAREPOINT ON APRIL 11, 2019</p>   |  |   | <p><b>BENCH MARK:</b> TBM #2; SPIKE IN 28" POPLAR STA -L- 19+71.35, 149.60' FT<br/>ELEVATION: 591.08 FEET</p>   |   |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |  |  |  |   |   |  |  |   |                    |        |   |              |                 |  |                  |             |   |                |        |  |                    |   |            |                    |                   |                    |           |           |           |           |           |           |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |





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December 16, 2020

STATE PROJECT: 45684.1.1 (B-5728)  
FEDERAL PROJECT: N/A  
COUNTY: Alamance

DESCRIPTION: Project Description  
SUBJECT: Geotechnical Report – Inventory

The Geotechnical Engineering Unit has completed a subsurface investigation for this project and presents the following inventory.

**Project Description**

This project consists of a slight widening and vertical grade change of existing NC 87 (-L-) from 600 ft south of Alamance County Bridge No 112 to 653 feet north of Alamance County Bridge No. 112. The types of work included grading, drainage, and paving.

A geotechnical investigation was conducted during May and June of 2020 consisting of thirteen SPT borings performed by the Geotechnical Engineering Unit. Representative soil samples were collected for visual classification in the field and selected samples were submitted for laboratory analysis by the Materials and Tests Unit.

The following alignment, totaling 0.224 mile, was investigated. Subsurface plans and cross sections of the following alignments are included in this report.

| <u>Line</u> | <u>Stations</u>      |
|-------------|----------------------|
| -L-         | 14+00 to 30+00       |
| -LDET-      | 14+94.62 to 29+24.93 |

**Physiography and Geology**

The project is located in the northwest corner of Alamance County, within the Outer Piedmont Physiographic Province and is underlain by soils and rocks of the Carolina Slate Belt. The soils consist of alluvial sediment transported to the site by Reedy Fork Creek and residual derived from underlying meta-granodiorite and diorite. The topography of the project area is gently to moderately rolling and is dominated by dendritic drainage patterns. Land use adjacent to the project is a mix of commercial, agricultural, and residential, with a substantial amount of undeveloped land.

**Soils Properties**

Soils encountered during this investigation varied in origin and consist of roadway embankment, artificial fill, alluvial and residual soils.

Roadway embankment within the project limits is present adjacent to bridge no. 112 underlying the existing road bed. These soils consist of soft to medium stiff gray and brown to red-brown and orange-tan, moist to wet silty clay (A-7-6) with trace to little gravel and thin layers of silty sand (A-2-4). The plasticity index was measured to be 25. Because of the limited extent of roadway embankment, only one representative sample was taken but it is representative of roadway embankment encountered on the project.

Artificial Fill soils encountered on the project were surficially mapped but not bored as they were either inaccessible or occurred outside the limits of the project. These soils are anticipated to consist of mixed local soil and ABC aggregate for driveways and adjacent lots and comprises just a thin veneer in areas where it occurs within the limits of the project. Areas of artificial fill include: -L- stations 16+40 to 17+60, RT; and 18+60 to 19+85, LT.

Alluvial soils underlie the project in the vicinity of Reedy Fork Creek and range in thickness from 12± feet on the south side of Reedy Fork Creek to 8± feet on the north side of Reedy Fork Creek. These soils consist of loose to medium dense gray and brown silty sand (A-2-4) and coarse sand with gravel, and medium stiff brown and gray sandy and silty clay (A-6 and A-7-6). The plasticity index of the sampled clay is 19 and is characteristic of the alluvial clays. The alluvial sands and clays are interlayered, with the coarse sand and gravel making up the basal unit of the alluvial soils.

Residual soils were encountered throughout the entire project area, are derived from weathered meta-granodiorite and meta-basalt, and are cohesive in nature. These soils are moist and consist of soft to hard sandy silty clay (A-7), sandy silt (A-4) and silt (A-5) with colors ranging from a gray and light tan to a brownish red, and plasticity indices that range from a non-plastic sandy silt (A-4) to a silty clay with a plasticity index of 30. Soil structure is limited throughout the limits of the project, however, the soils do exhibit saprolitic structure at depth and does have intermittent weakness planes with manganese-oxide infilling. North of Reedy Fork Creek, boulders occur in situ within the residual soils and scattered along the surface.

**Groundwater**

Measurements for the occurrence of groundwater in the borings were taken in May and June of 2020 during normal weather conditions. Across the project, water was encountered in only one boring away from the Reedy Fork Creek floodplain, 27+54 52' RT, and this can be attributed to rainfall occurring during the period after the boring was drilled and before the water was measured. Borings for the end bents of the proposed structure encountered water within alluvial sediments at the approximate elevation of 581 ft above sea level, but these borings were filled in after drilling due to their location within the roadway.

**Areas of Special Geotechnical Interest**

- 1) Highly Plastic Clays: Highly plastic clays (PI>25) were encountered on the project at the following locations:

| <u>Line</u> | <u>Stations</u> | <u>Offsets</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|----------------|
| -L-         | 14+00 to 17+75  | LT to RT       |
| -L-         | 25+50 to 26+10  | LT to RT       |

A discussion of these highly plastic clay soils is located in the section titled "Soil Properties".

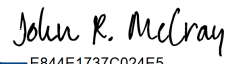
2) Artificial Fill: Areas of artificial fill are present along the following alignments:

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| -L-         | 16+40 to 17+60  | RT             |
| -L-         | 18+60 to 19+85  | LT             |

3) Hard Rock: Crystalline hard rock is present within six feet of grade in the following areas:

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| -L-         | 14+45 to 15+40± | RT             |

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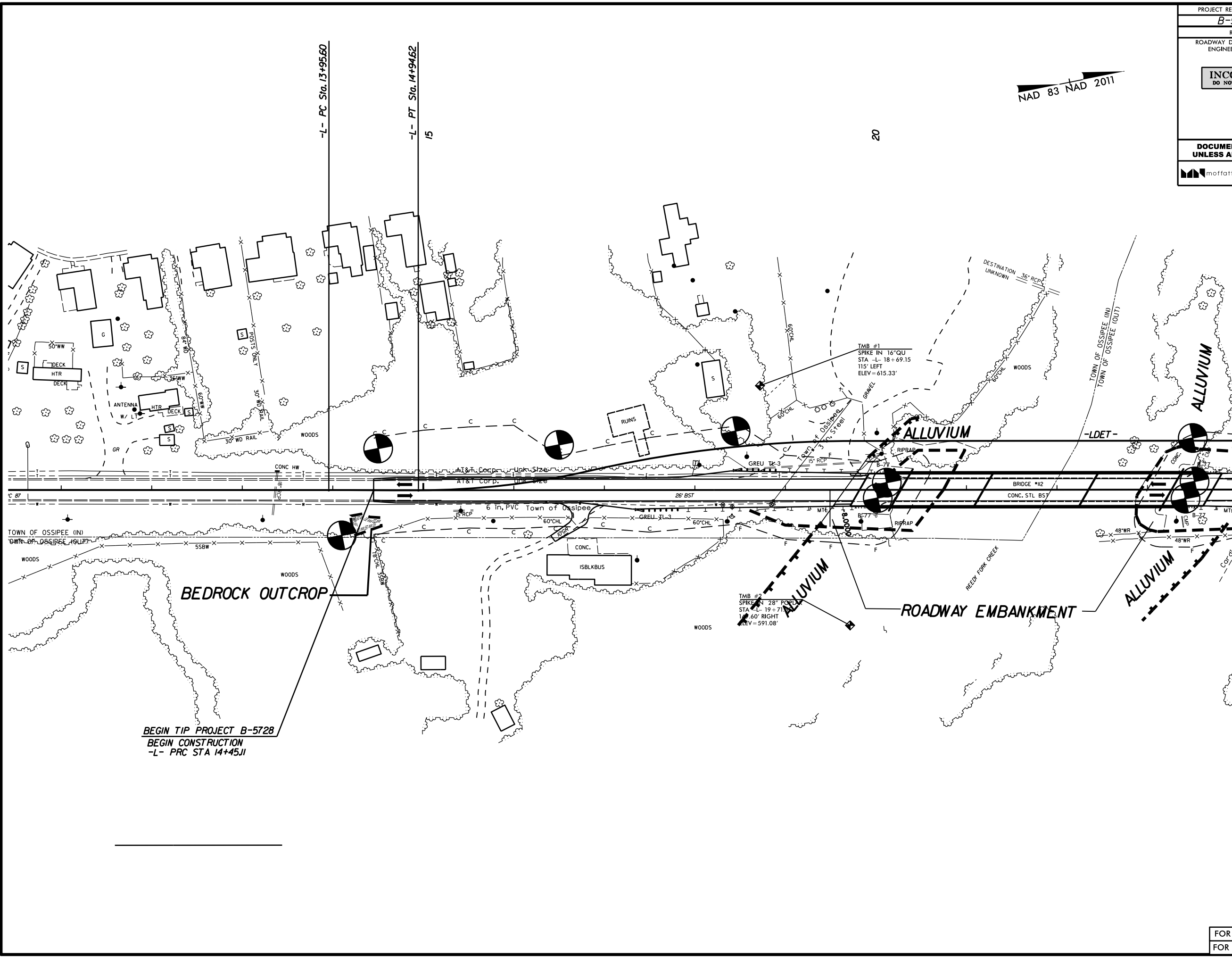
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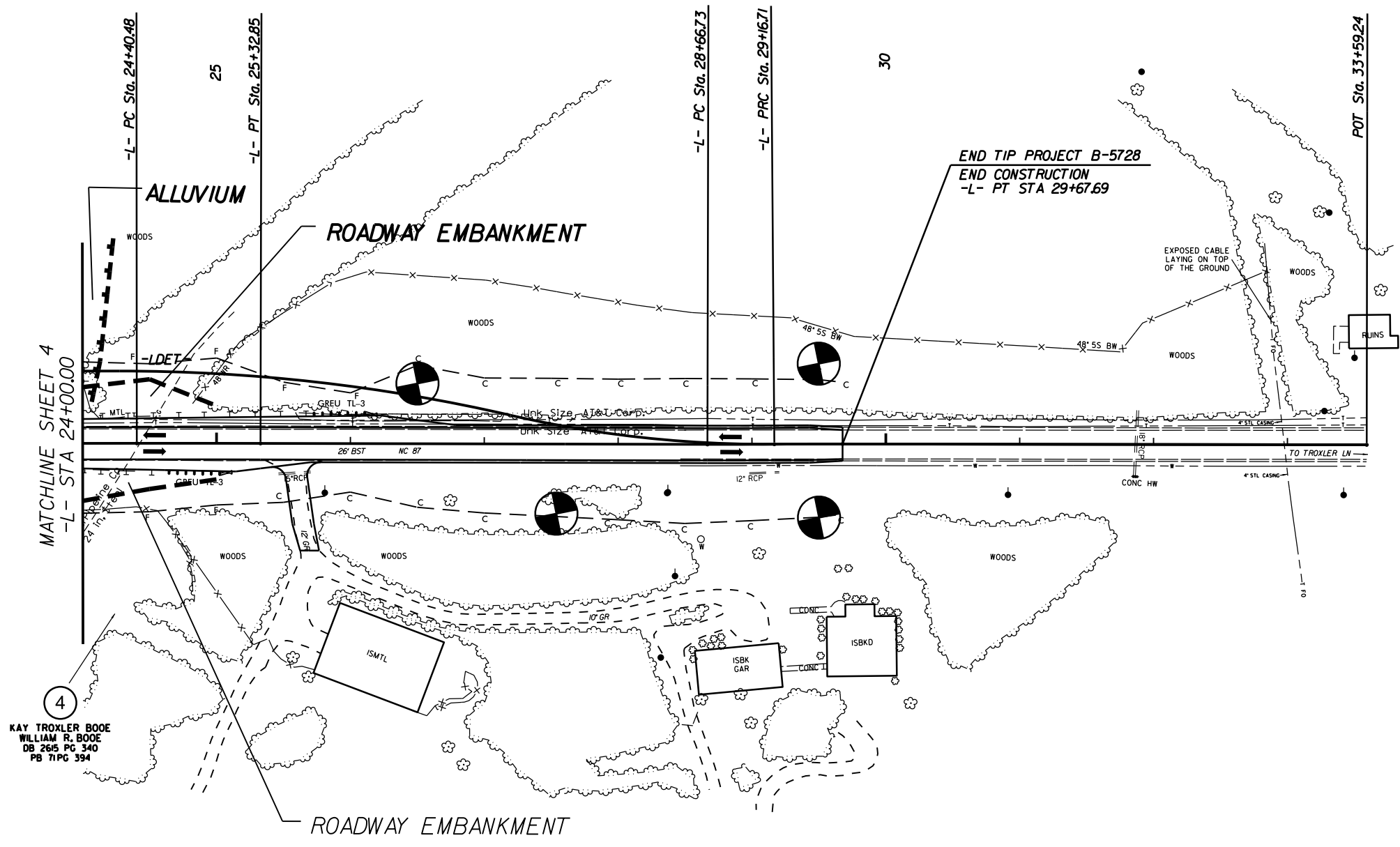
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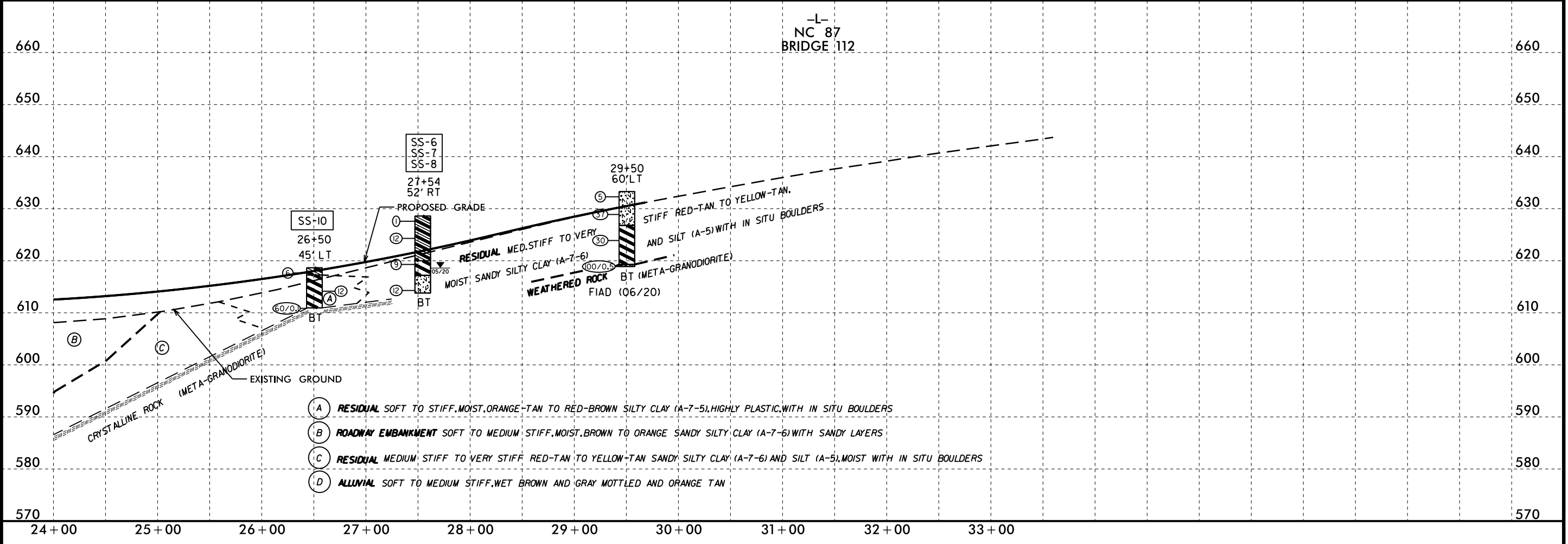
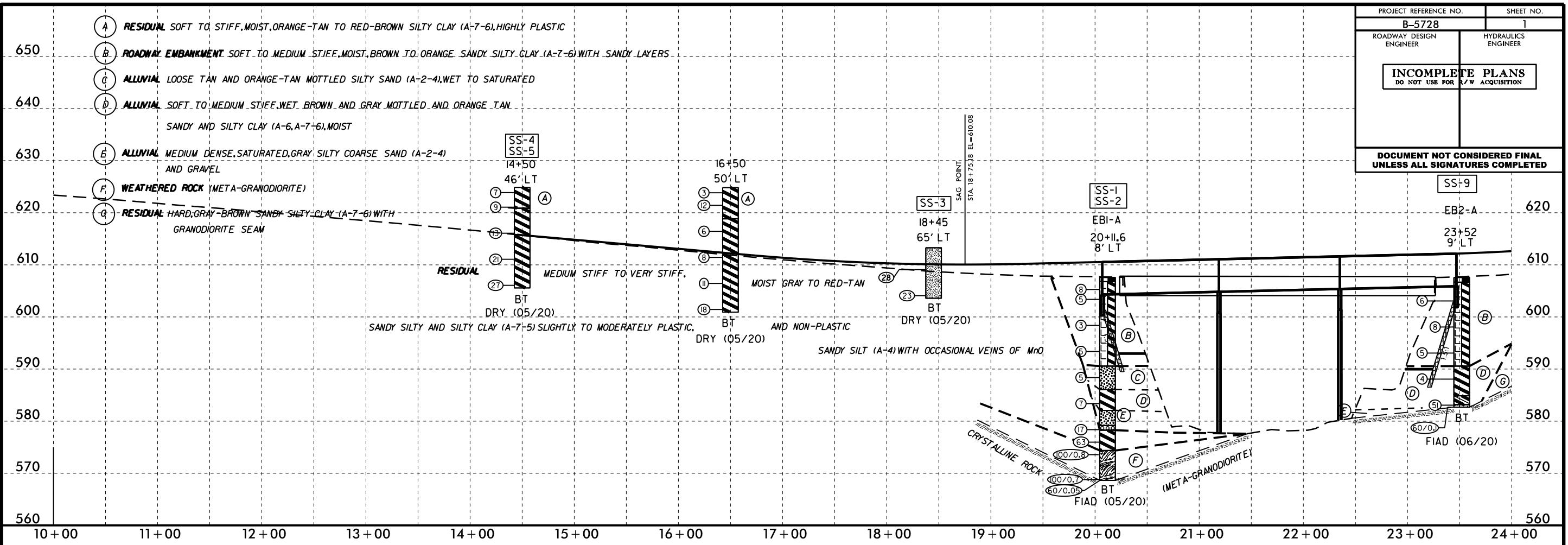
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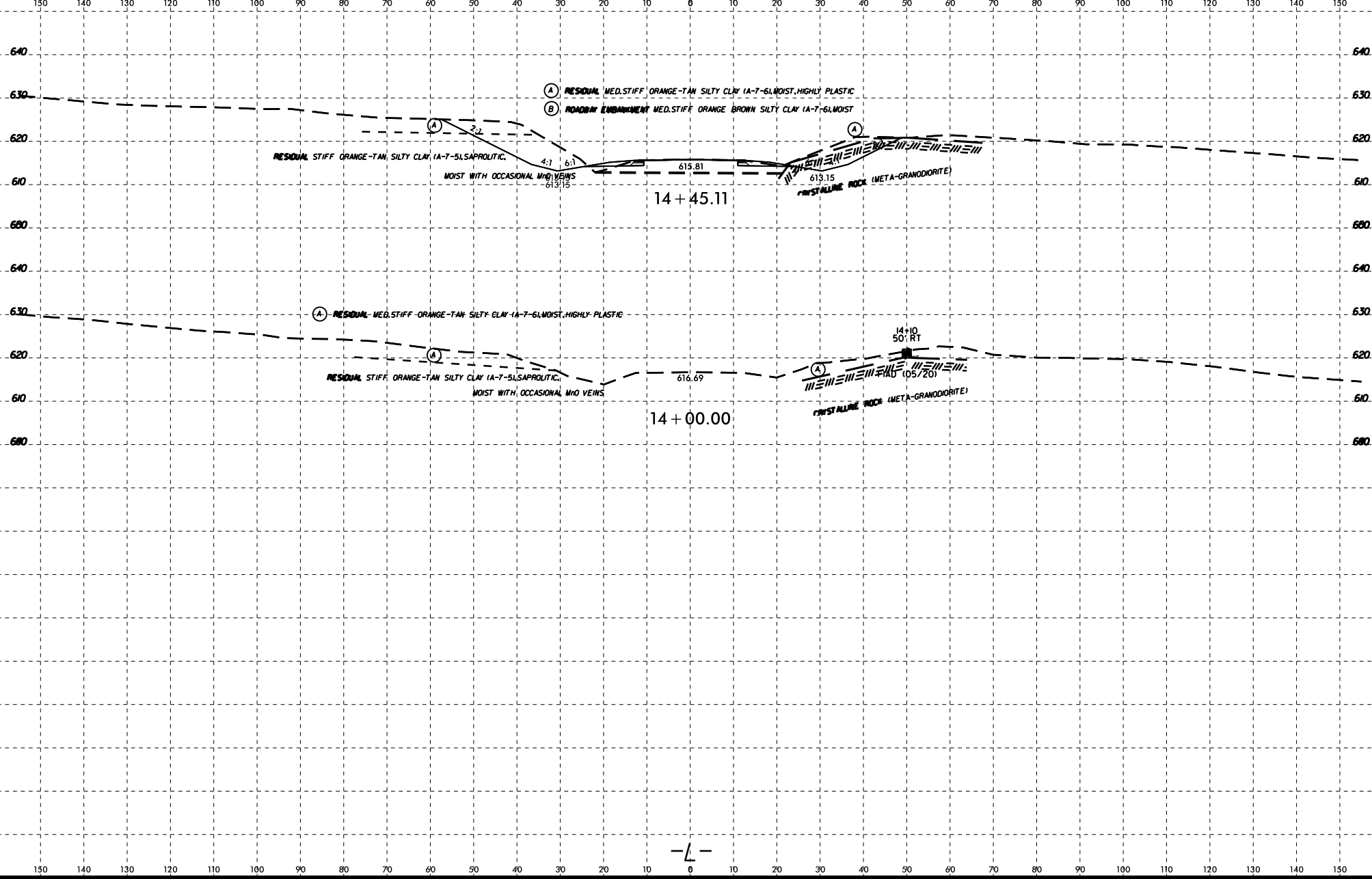
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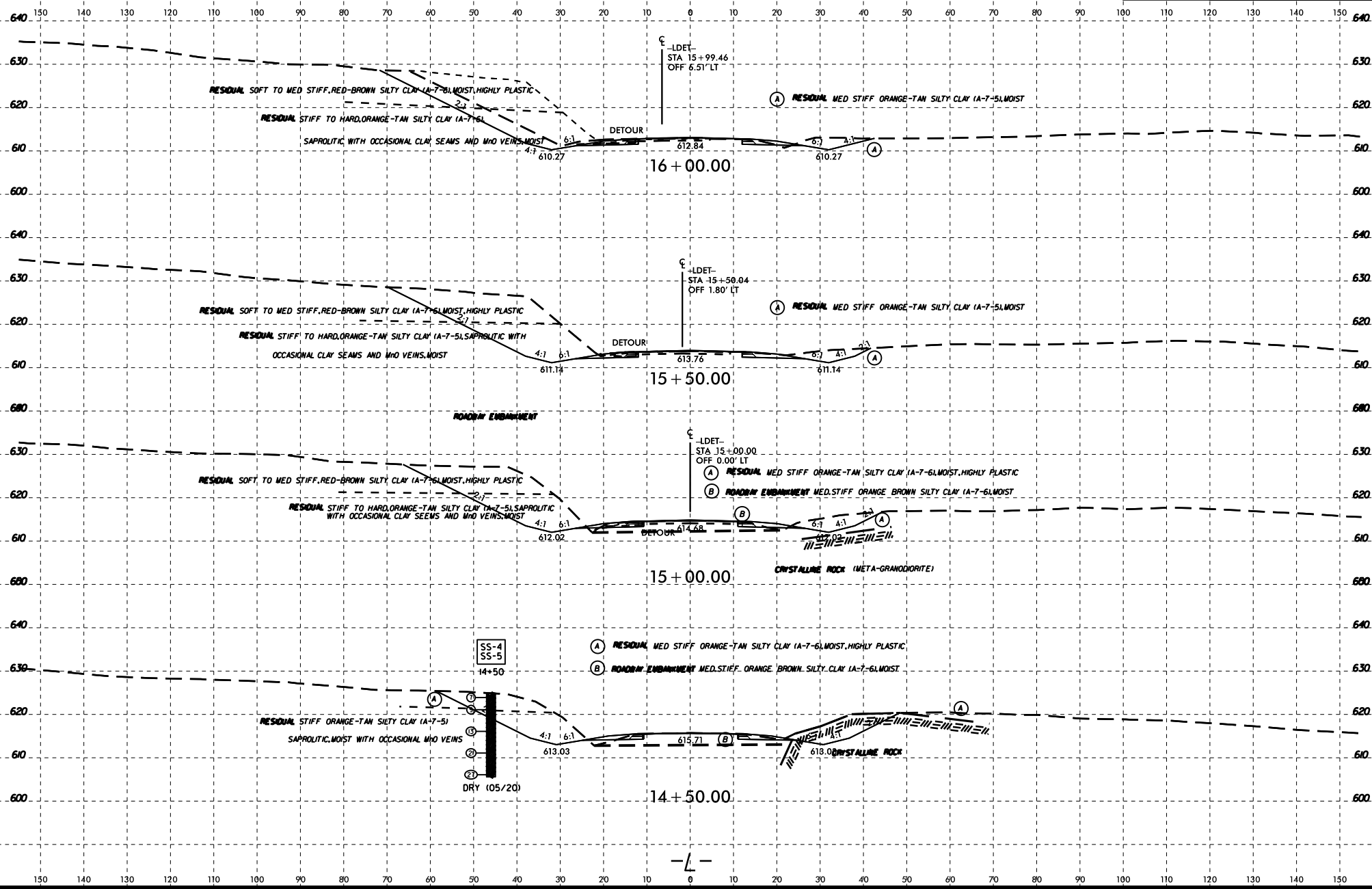


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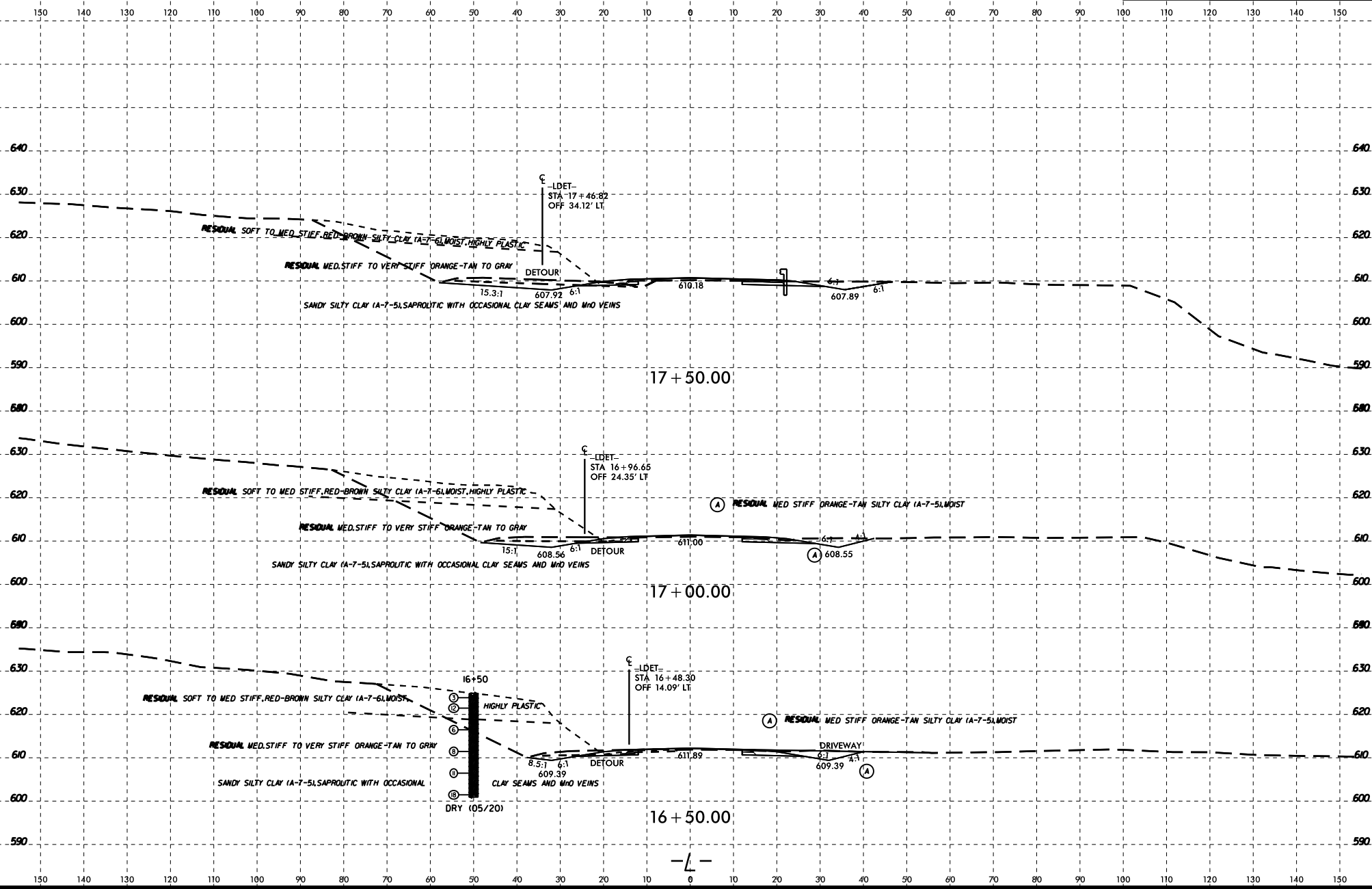
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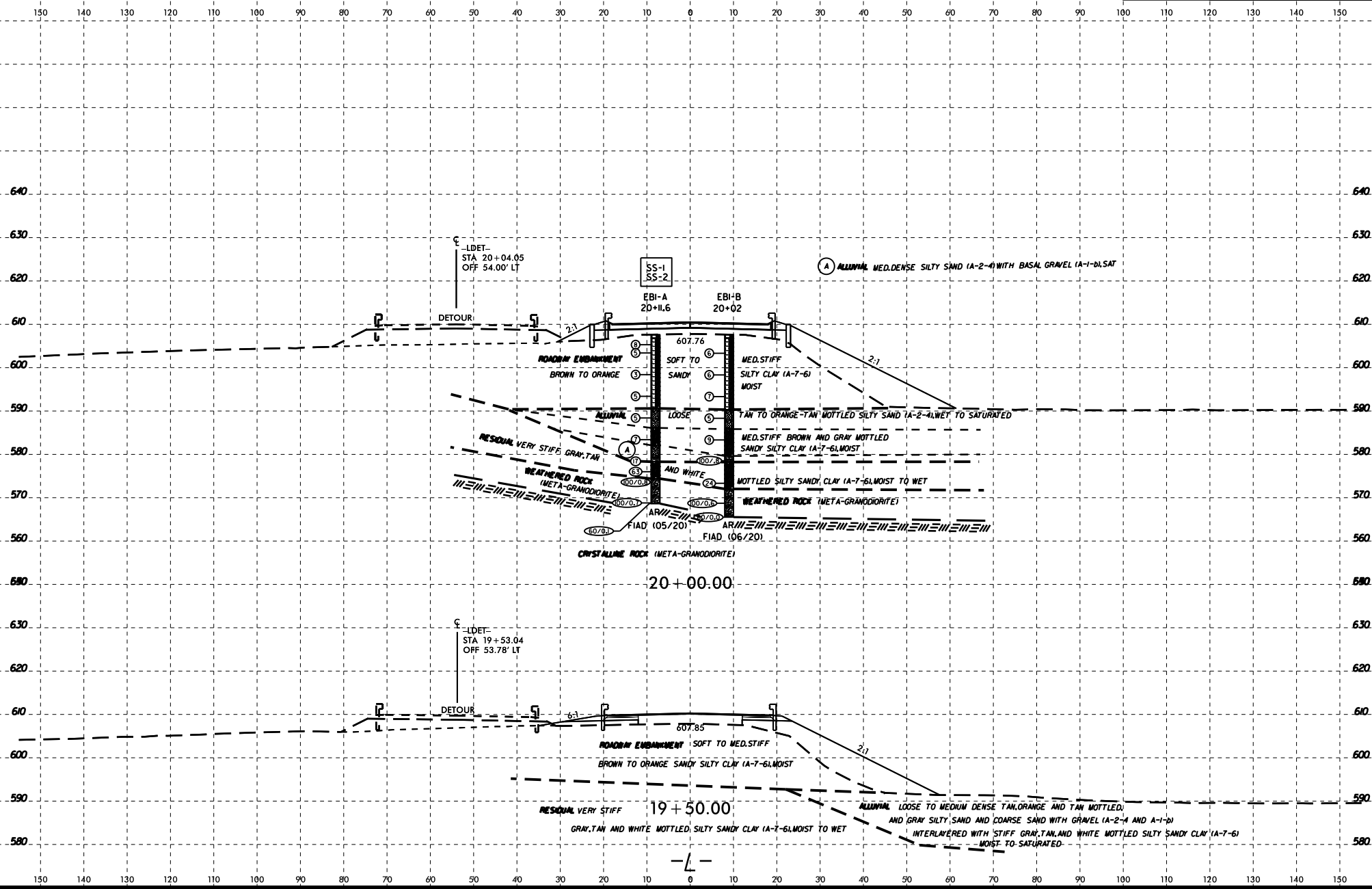
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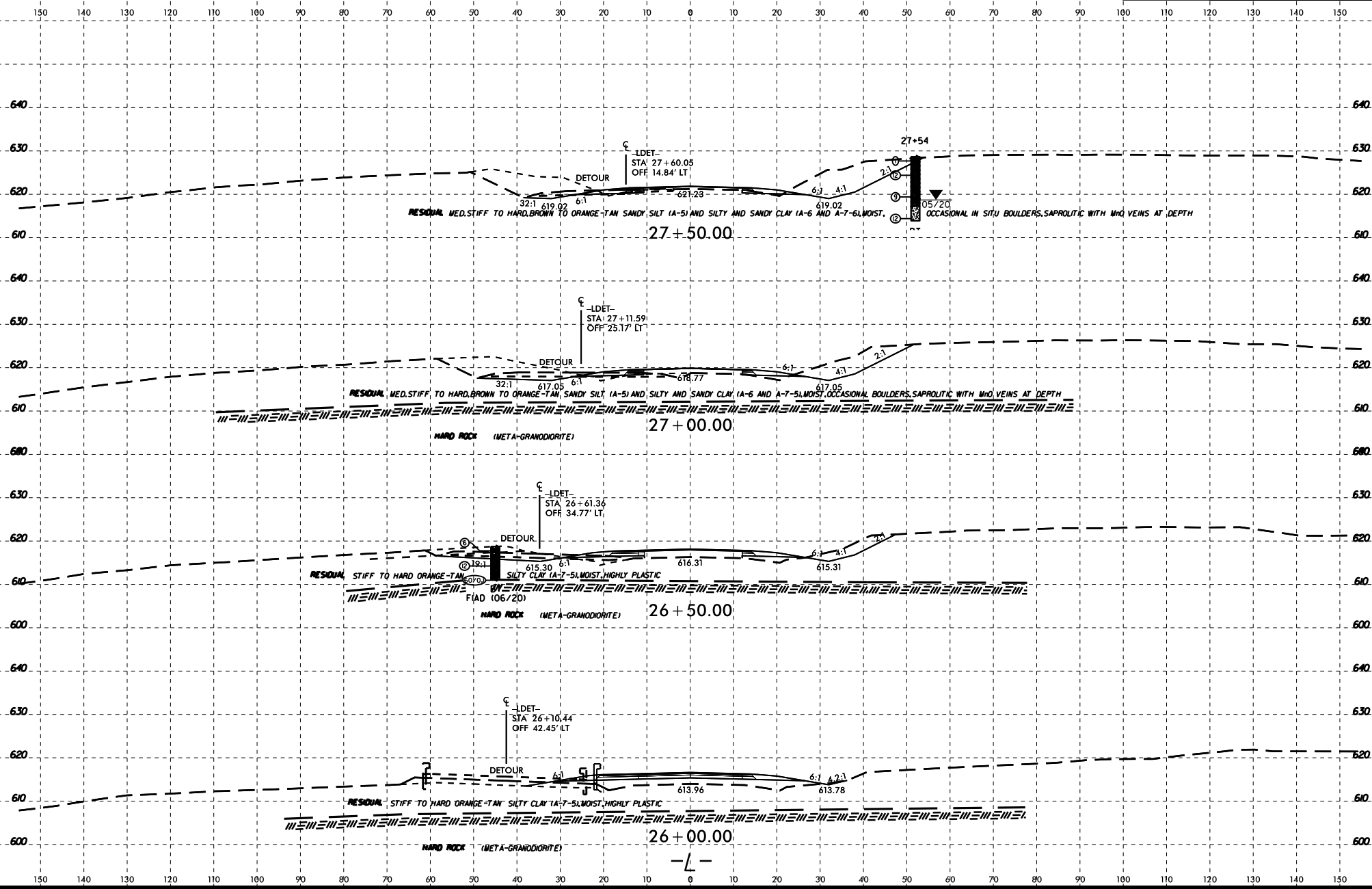
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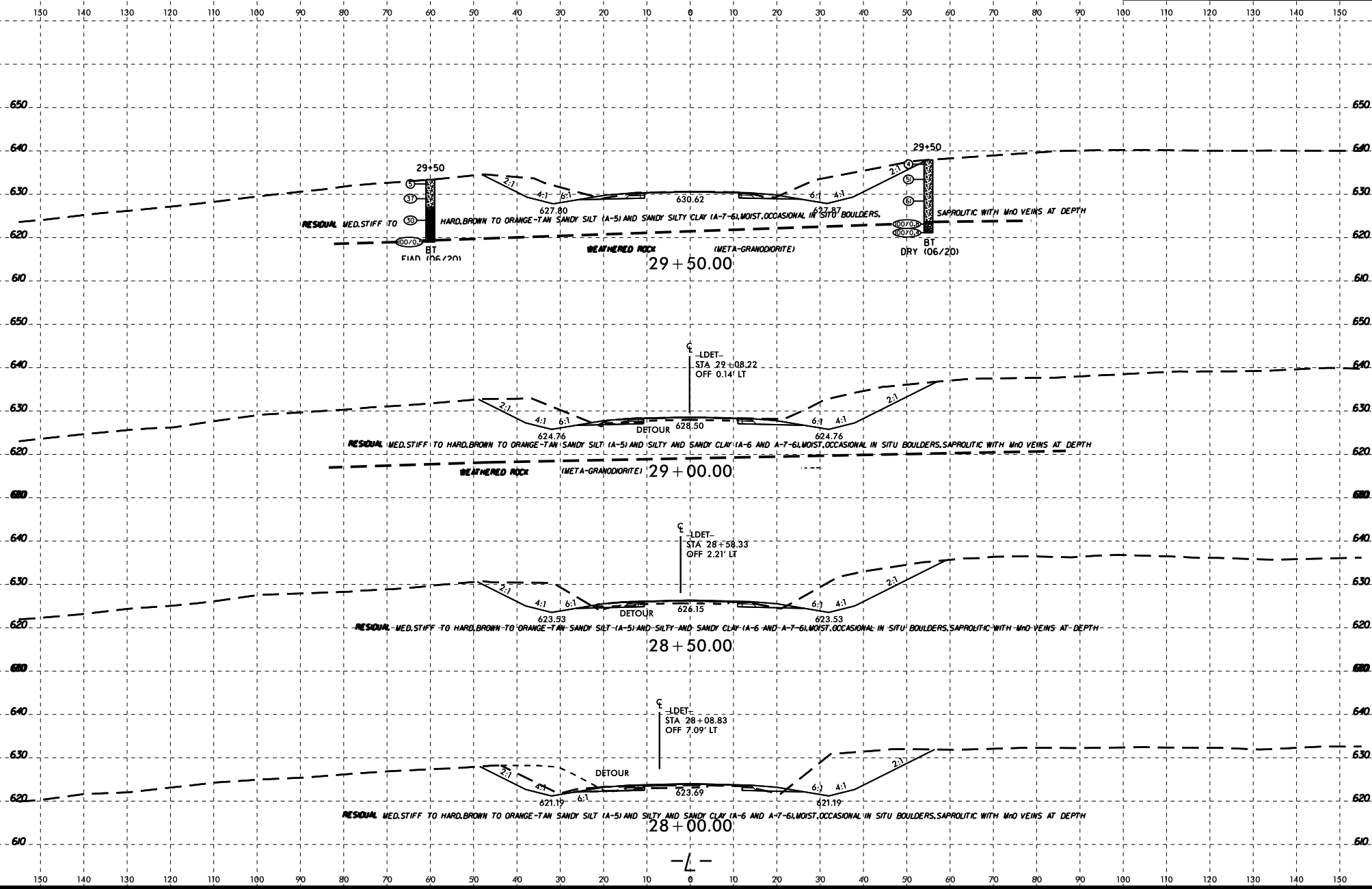
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SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION  
APPENDIX A  
LABORATORY RESULTS

REFERENCE: B-5728

PROJECT: 45684

| <b>SOIL TEST RESULTS</b> |        |         |                |               |      |      |             |        |      |      |                    |    |     |            |           |
|--------------------------|--------|---------|----------------|---------------|------|------|-------------|--------|------|------|--------------------|----|-----|------------|-----------|
| SAMPLE NO.               | OFFSET | STATION | DEPTH INTERVAL | AASHTO CLASS. | L.L. | P.I. | % BY WEIGHT |        |      |      | % PASSING (SIEVES) |    |     | % MOISTURE | % ORGANIC |
|                          |        |         |                |               |      |      | C.SAND      | F.SAND | SILT | CLAY | 10                 | 40 | 200 |            |           |
| SS-1                     | 8' LT  | 20+11   | 13.2-10.7      | A-7-6(17)     | 52   | 25   | 16.5        | 13.5   | 27.9 | 42.2 | 95                 | 83 | 70  | -          | -         |
| SS-2                     | 8' LT  | 20+11   | 23.2-24.7      | A-7-6(16)     | 42   | 19   | 4.6         | 21.3   | 42.0 | 32.1 | 100                | 97 | 83  | -          | -         |
| SS-3                     | 65' LT | 18+45   | 3.2-4.7        | A-4(0)        |      | NP   | 4.6         | 24.1   | 57.2 | 14.1 | 100                | 97 | 82  | -          | -         |
| SS-4                     | 46' LT | 14+50   | 0.3-1.5        | A-7-6(29)     | 58   | 30   | 6.4         | 11.2   | 30.1 | 52.2 | 100                | 96 | 87  | -          | -         |
| SS-5                     | 46' LT | 14+50   | 7.8-9.3        | A-7-5(12)     | 48   | 14   | 3.6         | 29.3   | 43.0 | 24.1 | 100                | 99 | 76  | -          | -         |
| SS-6                     | 52' RT | 27+54   | 0.5-1.5        | A-6(7)        | 40   | 17   | 22.3        | 13.7   | 29.9 | 34.1 | 82                 | 67 | 56  | -          | -         |
| SS-7                     | 52' RT | 27+54   | 8.6-9.8        | A-7-6(3)      | 43   | 14   | 26.1        | 28.7   | 23.1 | 22.1 | 85                 | 69 | 43  | -          | -         |
| SS-8                     | 52' RT | 27+54   | 13.3-14.8      | A-5(9)        | 44   | 8    | 4.4         | 25.7   | 51.8 | 18.1 | 100                | 97 | 80  | -          | -         |
| SS-9                     | 9' LT  | 23+52   | 23.5-24.4      | A-6(12)       | 36   | 15   | 2.8         | 23.9   | 39.2 | 34.1 | 100                | 98 | 82  | -          | -         |
| SS-10                    | 45' LT | 26+50   | 3.5-5.0        | A-7-5(26)     | 57   | 26   | 5.0         | 16.1   | 34.7 | 44.2 | 100                | 97 | 86  | -          | -         |