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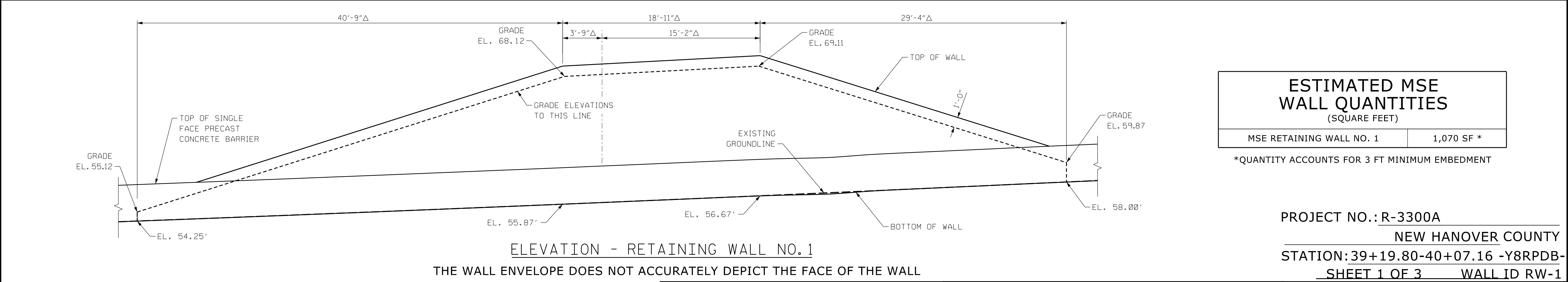
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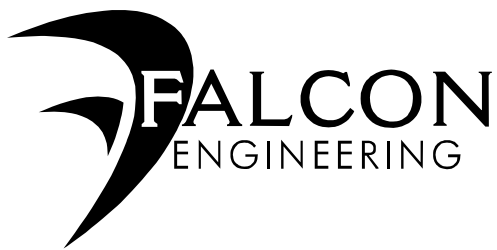
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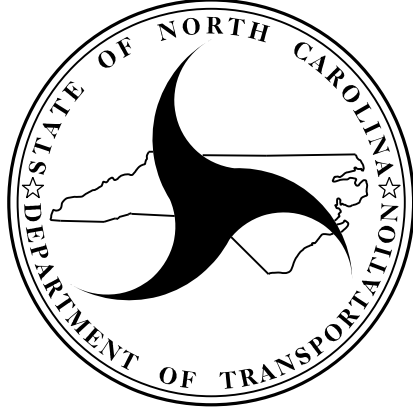
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NOTES:

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.

FOR SINGLE FACED PRECAST CONCRETE BARRIER, SEE ROADWAY PLANS AND SECTION 857 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

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BEFORE BEGINNING MSE WALL DESIGN FOR RETAINING WALL NO. 1, 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.

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- 2) DESIGN LIFE = 100 YEARS
- 3) MAXIMUM FACTORED VERTICAL PRESSURE ON FOUNDATION MATERIAL = 4,520 PSF
- 4) MINIMUM REINFORCEMENT LENGTH (L) = 0.87*H OR 6 FT, WHICHEVER IS LONGER
- 5) MINIMUM EMBEDMENT DEPTH = 3.0 FT
- 6) REINFORCED ZONE AGGREGATE PARAMETERS:

AGGREGATE TYPE*	UNIT WEIGHT (γ) PCF	FRICTION ANGLE (φ) DEGREES	COHESION (c) PSF
COARSE	110	38	0
FINE	115	34	0

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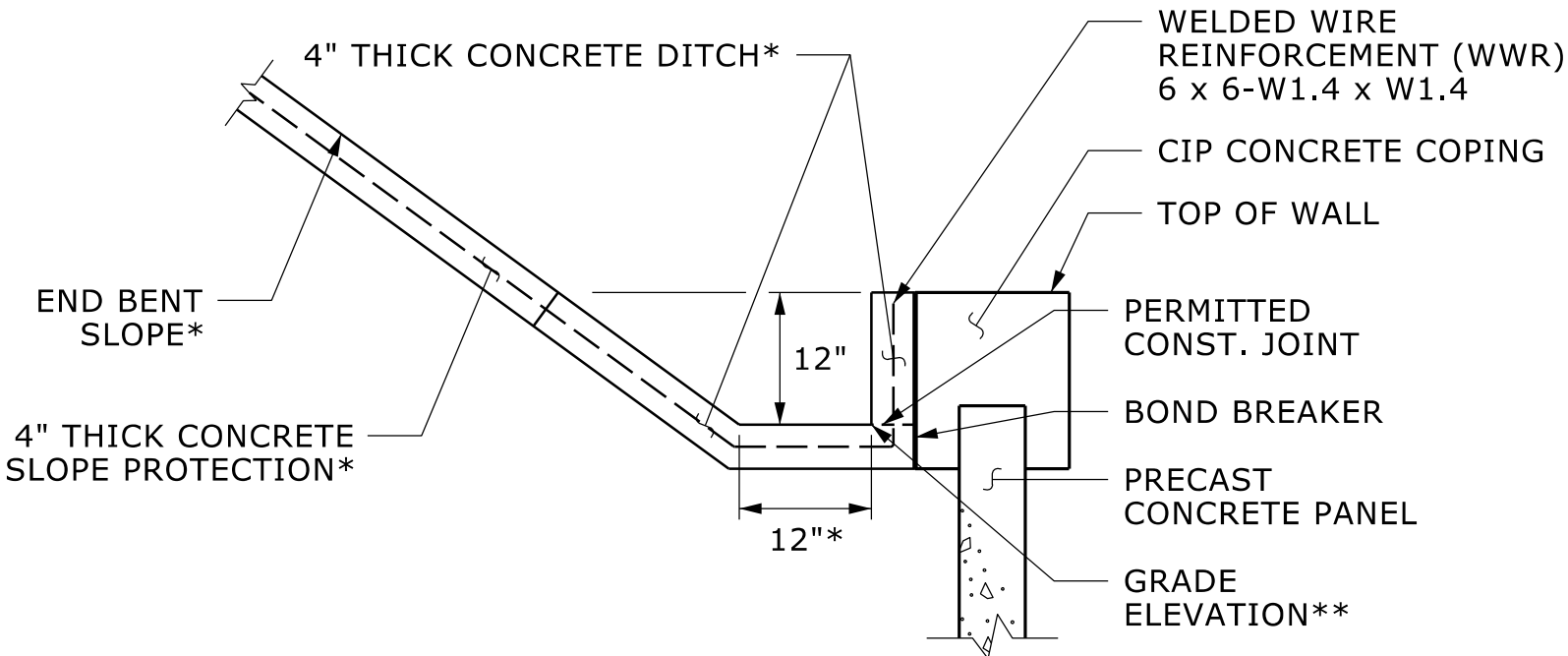
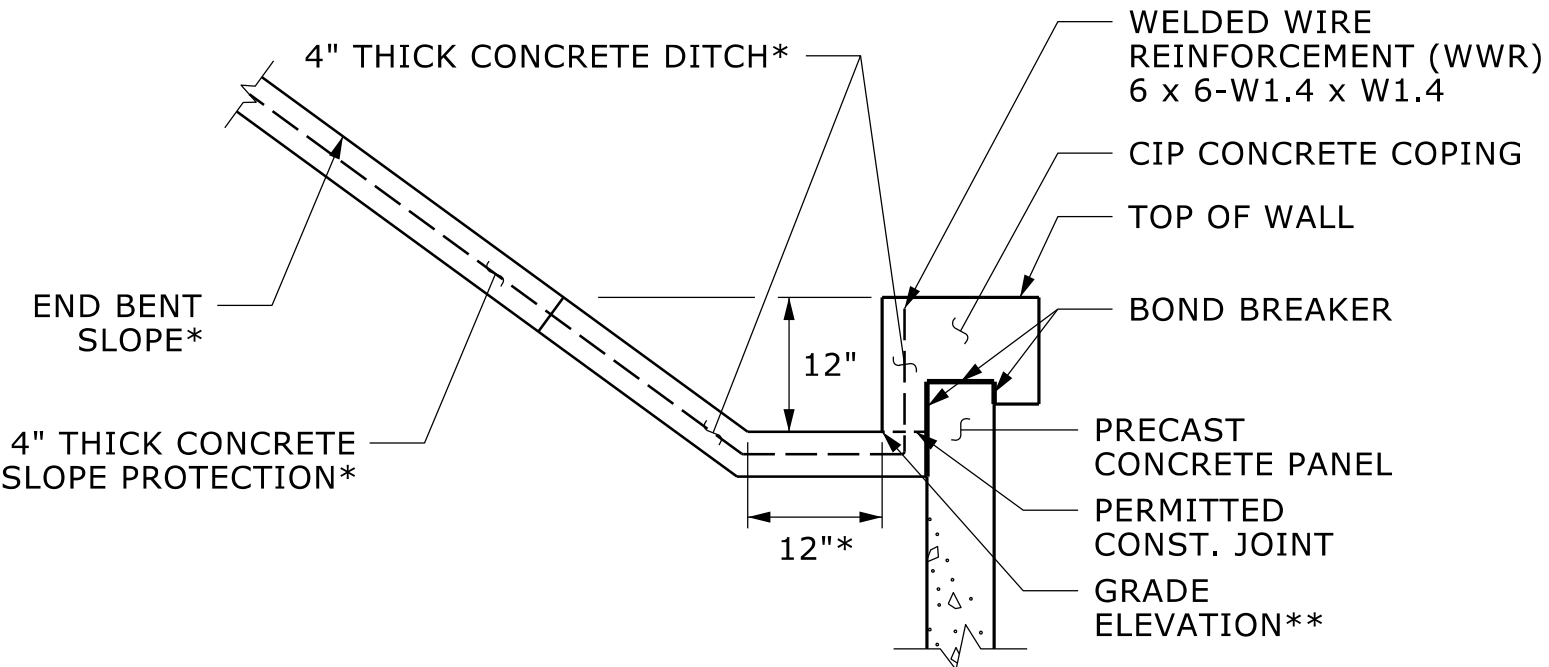
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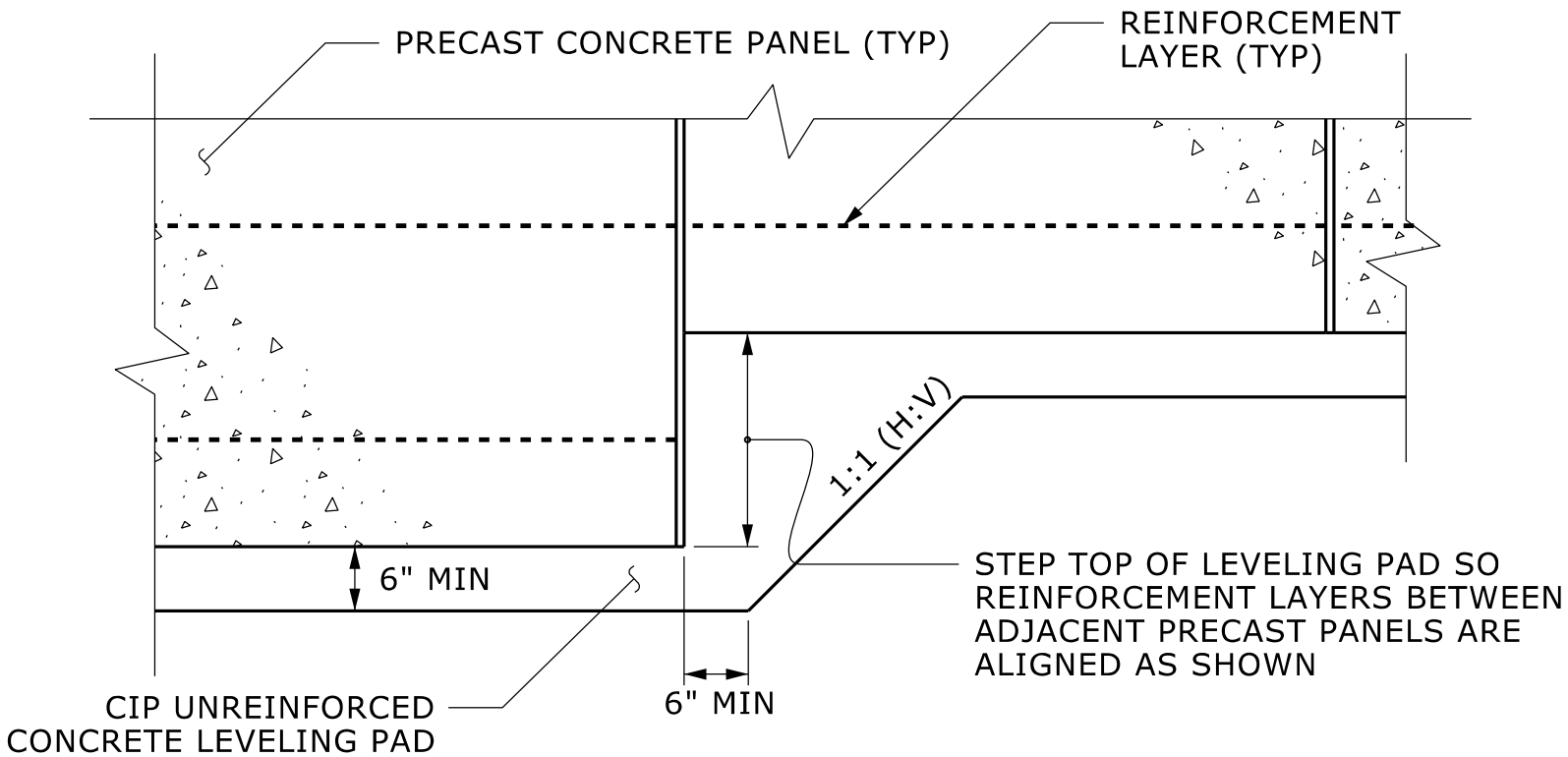


MSE WALL WITH PRECAST PANELS

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PRECAST PANELS
LEVELING PAD STEP DETAIL

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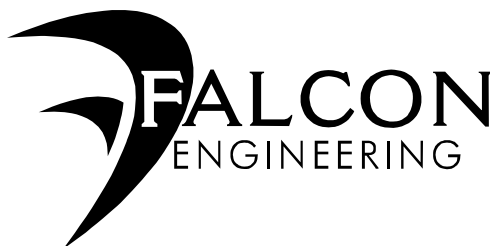
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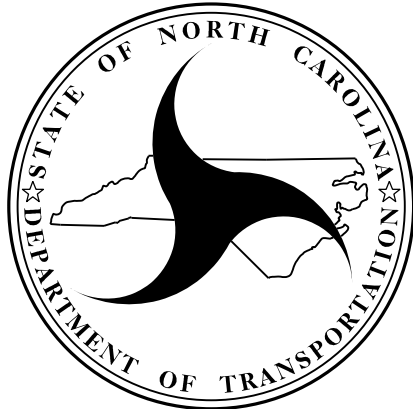
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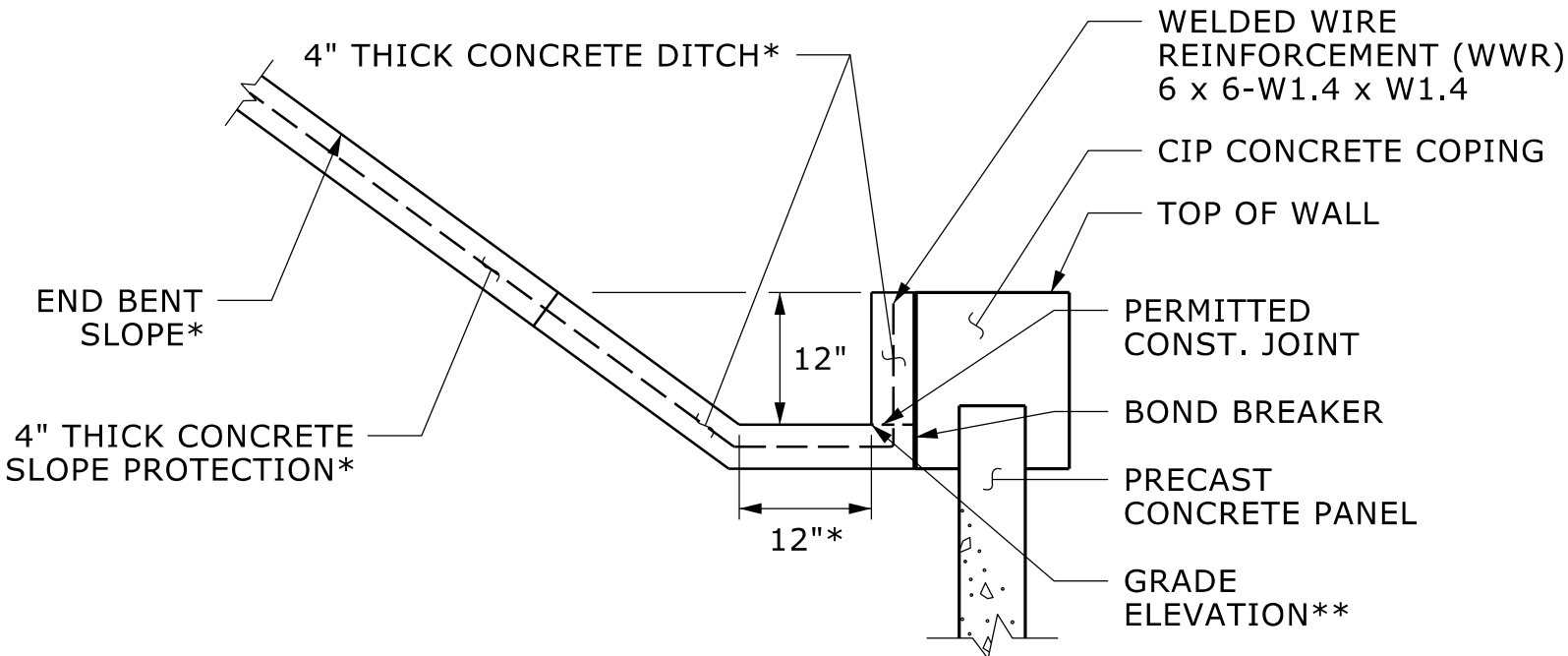
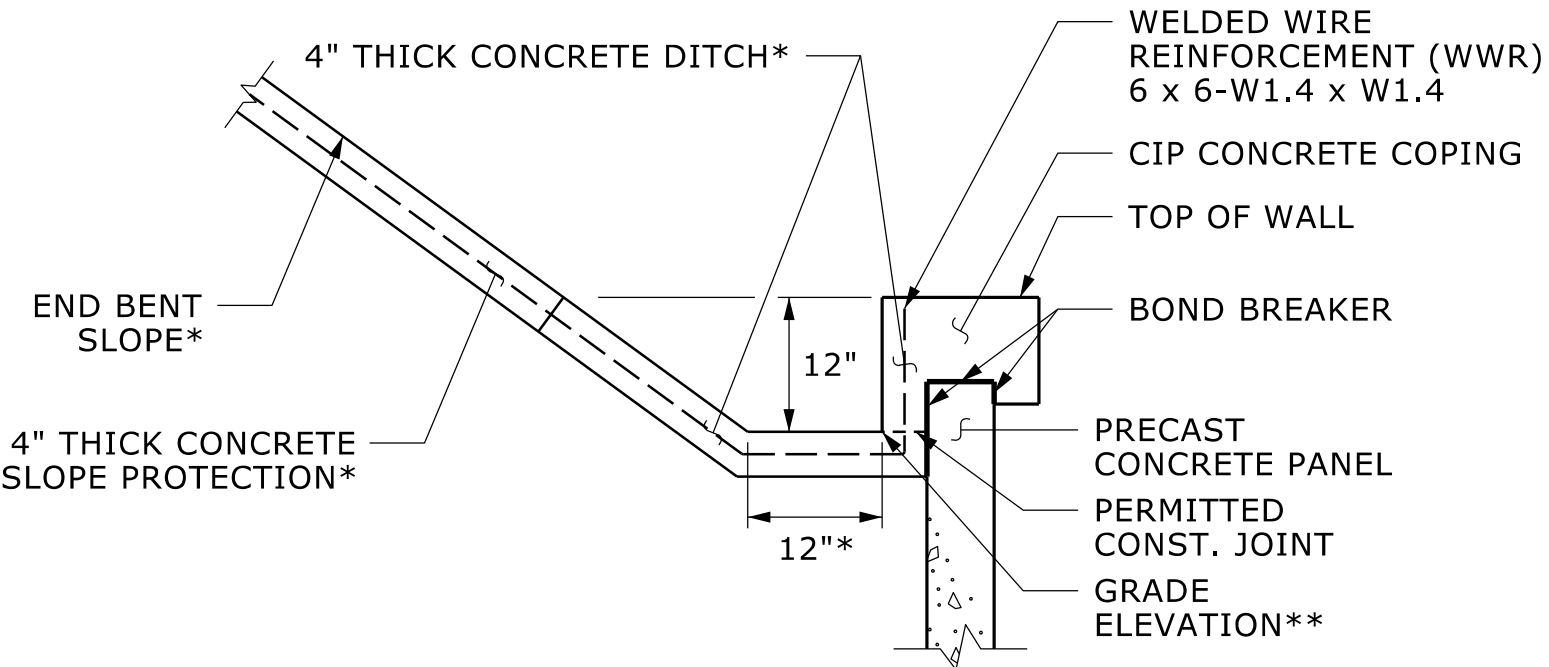
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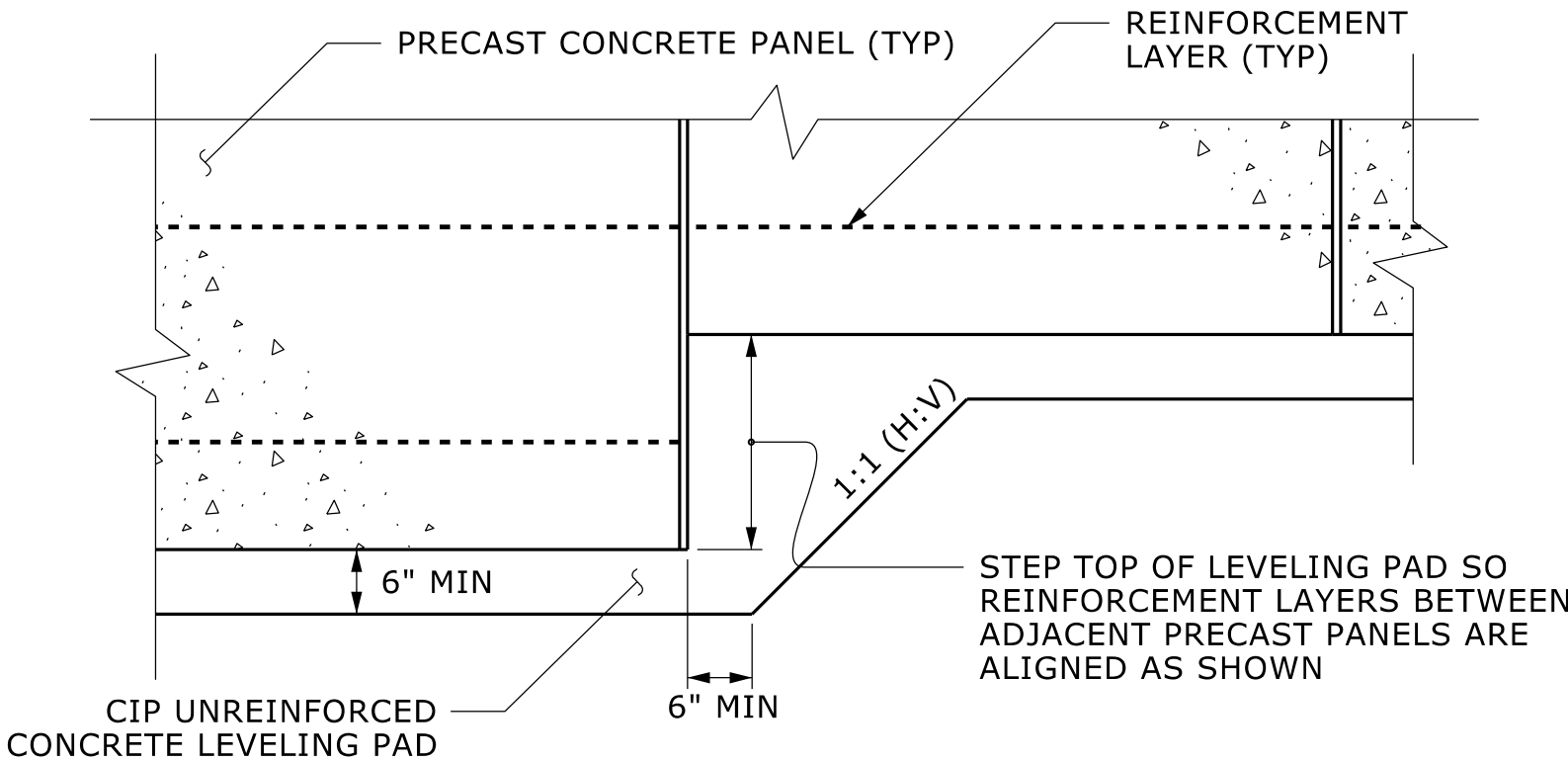


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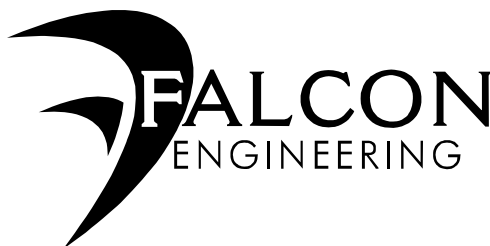
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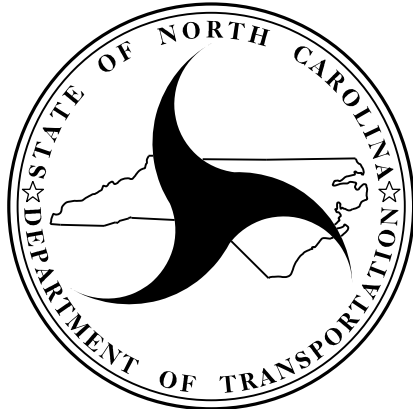
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