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13.1 General

13.1.1 Sheet name conventions
The naming conventions for sheets may be found on the Iowa DOT website at:
https://www.iowadot.gov/projectdev/consultant-designer-resources-home#30292410-quick-links
https://www.iowadot.gov/bridge/automation-tools/microstation-documentation

13.1.2 Note cell libraries
The office maintains MicroStation cell libraries for standard notes. The cell libraries in design file format
are available through the Iowa DOT web site at the following address:

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The designer should use the standard notes where appropriate when developing bridge, culvert, and repair design plans. The designer should recognize, however, that the standard notes do not cover all possible conditions, and it will be necessary to add supplementary notes for each project.

The standard notes in the cell libraries also are listed in following articles in this manual.

### 13.1.3 Note organization

Each of the articles that follows is in sequence based on note number range, and each article begins with an alphabetical topic index. If a note has an A, B, or C suffix, the note is one of a series, and only one of the series should be used. In some cases, there are instructions for use of the note, and those instructions follow the note. Table 13.1.3 gives an overview of the notes by article, general topic, typical sheet, and note number range.

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### 13.1.4 Abbreviations

The following abbreviations are in standard notes and on standard sheets, and the designer may use the abbreviations on project plans. Abbreviations are not used on the plan title sheet.

- ABUT. – ABUTMENT
- ADDL. - ADDITIONAL
- ALT. – ALTERNATE
- APPROX. – APPROXIMATE
- B.F. – BACK FACE
- BARR. – BARRIER
- BKWL. – BACKWALL
- BL (overlapped) – BASELINE
- BOTH F. - BOTH FACES
- BOTT. – BOTTOM
- BRG. – BEARING or BRIDGE
- CL. – CLEAR(ANCE)
CL (overlapped) – CENTERLINE
CONC. – CONCRETE
CONST. – CONSTRUCTION
CONT. -- CONTINUOUS
CTR. – CENTERS
DES. - DESIGN
DIA. – DIAMETER
DIAPH. – DIAPHRAGM
DNR – DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
E. – EAST
EA. – EACH
E.B. – EASTBOUND
E.F. – EACH FACE
ELEV. – ELEVATION
EQ. – EQUAL
EXCAV. - EXCAVATION
EXIST. – EXISTING
EXP. – EXPANDED or EXPANSION
EXT. – EXTENSION or EXTERIOR
F.F. – FRONT FACE
FHWA – FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION
F.L. – FLOWLINE
FTG. – FOOTING
GALV. – GALVANIZED
GR. – GRADE
HDWL. - HEADWALL
H.M.A. – HOT MIX ASPHALT
HORIZ. – HORIZONTAL
H.P.C. – HIGH PERFORMANCE CONCRETE
H.S. - HIGH STRENGTH
H.W. – HIGH WATER
I-29, I-380, ETC. – INTERSTATE ROAD
IA 5, IA 92, ETC. – STATE ROAD
I.D.C. – IMPROVED DURABILITY CONCRETE
INT. – INTERIOR
INTERM. - INTERMEDIATE
I.T.S. – INTELLIGENT TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS
JT. – JOINT
K21, F63, ETC. – COUNTY ROAD
L.A. – LEFT AHEAD
LGTH. – LENGTH
LLV – LONG LEG VERTICAL
LONGIT. – LONGITUDINAL
LT. – LEFT
MAINT. - MAINTENANCE
MATERIAL
MAX. – MAXIMUM
MIN. – MINIMUM
M.S.E. – MECHANICALLY STABILIZED EARTH
N. – NORTH
N.B. – NORTHBOUND
NO. – NUMBER
O.C. – ON CENTER
P.C.C. – PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE
P.G.L. – PROFILE GRADE LINE
PL (overlapped) – PLATE

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13.1.5 References

13.2 Project
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E25: Construction permit, sovereign lands

SOVEREIGN LANDS CONSTRUCTION PERMIT ____ SHALL APPLY TO WORK ON THIS PROJECT. THE IOWA DNR CONSERVATION OFFICER FOR THE AREA SHALL BE
CONTACTED. AT LEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK CONTACT ____ AT ____.

Fill in the permit number, name of the local Iowa DNR conservation officer, and full telephone number of the officer. The officer’s name and telephone number are available on the Sovereign Lands Construction Permit for the bridge project.

E30A: Traffic control plan, roadway open, tied projects
TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

THE ROADWAY WILL BE OPEN TO THRU TRAFFIC. REFER TO THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN INCLUDED IN THE TIED ROAD PLANS, PROJECT NO. ?.

When traffic is maintained through the project, but the traffic control plan is included in a tied project, use this note and fill in the tied project number.

E30B: Traffic control plan, roadway closed, tied projects
TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

THE ROADWAY WILL BE CLOSED TO THRU TRAFFIC. REFER TO THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN INCLUDED IN THE TIED ROAD PLANS, PROJECT NO. ?.

When the roadway is closed to traffic, but the traffic control plan is included in a tied project, use this note and fill in the tied project number.

E31A: Traffic control plan, roadway open, shown elsewhere
TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

THE ROADWAY WILL BE OPEN TO THRU TRAFFIC. REFER TO THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THESE PLANS.

When traffic is maintained through the project we will continue to get traffic control notes and plans from the Office of Design for inclusion in our plans.

E31B: Traffic control plan, roadway closed, shown elsewhere
TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

THE ROADWAY WILL BE CLOSED TO THRU TRAFFIC. REFER TO THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THESE PLANS.

E32: Traffic control plan, roadway open, see design sheet
TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

THE ROADWAY WILL BE OPEN TO THRU TRAFFIC. REFER TO THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN ON DESIGN SHEET x.

When traffic is maintained through the project we will continue to get traffic control notes and plans from the Office of Design for inclusion in our plans.

E33: Traffic control plan, roadway closed, responsibility of contractor
TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

THE ROADWAY WILL BE CLOSED TO THRU TRAFFIC. ROAD CLOSURE WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ROAD CONTRACTOR AS SHOWN ON THE ROAD PLANS.
E34: Traffic control plan, roadway not open, relocation

TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

THIS STRUCTURE IS BEING CONSTRUCTED ON A RELOCATION AND THE ROAD WILL NOT BE OPEN TO TRAFFIC UNTIL AFTER COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION.

E40A: Pollution prevention plan, see design sheet

SEE DESIGN SHEET x FOR POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN.

E40B: Pollution prevention plan, shown elsewhere in plans

POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THESE PLANS.

E40C: Pollution prevention plan, tied projects (includes PPP and 404 permit)

404 PERMIT INFORMATION AND THE POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN ARE INCLUDED IN THE TIED ROAD PLANS, PROJECT NO. ?.

Use this note when road sheets are not included because the road project is tied to the bridge project. This note precludes OBS from having to track down 404 permit information for tied projects. In cases where road sheets are included in the bridge plans, the PPP and 404 permit information will automatically be included making this note unnecessary.

E44: Roadway quantities, tied projects

ROADWAY QUANTITIES ARE INCLUDED IN THE TIED ROAD PLANS, PROJECT NO. ?.

E45: Roadway quantities, shown elsewhere in plans

ROADWAY QUANTITIES SHOWN ELSEWHERE IN THESE PLANS.

E46: Project coordination, more than one contractor in area

DURING CONSTRUCTION OF THIS PROJECT THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR WILL BE REQUIRED TO COORDINATE OPERATIONS WITH THOSE OF OTHER CONTRACTORS WORKING WITHIN THE SAME AREA. OTHER WORK IN PROGRESS DURING THE SAME PERIOD OF TIME WILL INCLUDE, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, CONSTRUCTION OF THE FOLLOWING PROJECTS:

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This note is to be used where more than one contractor is in the area. Check with the supervising Section Leader about which other projects will be in progress while the bridge/culvert contractor is working.

Verify this information with the District Construction Engineer and/or Assistant District Engineer prior to hand in. Modify the note to indicate "Culvert Contractor" when project involves culvert construction.

E48: Reinforcing Bars, Dowels
ALL REINFORCING BARS AND BARS NOTED AS DOWELS SUPPLIED FOR THIS STRUCTURE SHALL BE DEFORMED REINFORCEMENT UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED OR SHOWN.

Use this note for all dowel bar situations. The note prevents the contractor from using smooth bars instead of deformed bars.

E50: Specifications and design stresses, bridge repair
SPECIFICATIONS:
CONSTRUCTION: IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, SERIES 2015, PLUS APPLICABLE GENERAL SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS, DEVELOPMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS, SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS AND SPECIAL PROVISIONS SHALL APPLY TO CONSTRUCTION WORK ON THIS PROJECT.

DESIGN STRESSES:
DESIGN STRESSES FOR THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AASHTO STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR HIGHWAY BRIDGES, SERIES OF 2002.
REINFORCING STEEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 8, GRADE 60.
CONCRETE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 8, f′c = 4.0 KSI.
PRESTRESSED CONCRETE BEAMS, SEE DESIGN SHEET ?.
STRUCTURAL STEEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 10. ASTM A709 GRADE 36, GRADE 50, AND GRADE 50W ( AASHTO M270 GRADE 36, GRADE 50, AND GRADE 50W ).
FATIGUE STRESS CYCLES BASED ON CASE ?.

These standard bridge design notes are to be used on the front estimate sheet. See BDM Article 12.1.12.2 for more information.

E50B: Specifications and design stresses, nonstandard culverts and extensions
SPECIFICATIONS:
DESIGN:
AASHTO LRFD BRIDGE DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS, 5TH ED., SERIES OF 2010.

CONSTRUCTION:
IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, CURRENT SERIES, PLUS APPLICABLE GENERAL SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS, DEVELOPMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS, SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS AND SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

DESIGN STRESSES:
DESIGN STRESSES FOR THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AASHTO LRFD BRIDGE DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS, 5TH ED., SERIES OF 2010:
REINFORCING STEEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH AASHTO LRFD SECTION 5, GRADE 60.
CONCRETE IN ACCORDANCE WITH AASHTO LRFD SECTION 5, f′c = 4.0 KSI.

These culvert design notes are to be used on the front estimate sheet for new culverts (non-standard sizes and fills) and extensions.

E50E: Specifications and design stresses, LRFD superstructure and substructure bridge 2017
SPECIFICATIONS:
DESIGN: AASHTO LRFD 8th Ed, SERIES OF 2017, EXCEPT AS NOTED IN THE CURRENT IOWA BRIDGE DESIGN MANUAL.

CONSTRUCTION: IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, SERIES 2015, PLUS APPLICABLE GENERAL SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS, DEVELOPMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS, SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS AND SPECIAL PROVISIONS SHALL APPLY TO CONSTRUCTION WORK ON THIS PROJECT.

DESIGN STRESSES:
DESIGN STRESSES FOR THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AASHTO LRFD BRIDGE DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS, 8th Ed, SERIES OF 2017, EXCEPT AS NOTED IN THE CURRENT IOWA BRIDGE DESIGN MANUAL.

REINFORCING STEEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH AASHTO LRFD SECTION 5, GRADE 60 FOR EPOXY COATED AND NON-COATED, AND GRADE 60 OR 75 FOR STAINLESS.

CONCRETE IN ACCORDANCE WITH AASHTO LRFD SECTION 5, $f'_c = 4.0$ KSI, EXCEPT PRESTRESSED BEAM CONCRETE AS NOTED.

PRESTRESSED CONCRETE BEAMS, SEE DESIGN SHEET?

BRIDGE DECK CONCRETE $f'_c = ?$

STRUCTURAL STEEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH AASHTO LRFD SECTION 6. ASTM A709 GRADE 36, GRADE 50, AND GRADE 50W (AASHTO M270 GRADE 36, GRADE 50, AND GRADE 50W).

FATIGUE DESIGN BASED ON FATIGUE I LOAD COMBINATION AND INFINITE LIFE (or FATIGUE DESIGN BASED ON FATIGUE II LOAD COMBINATION AND 75 YEAR FINITE LIFE WITH SINGLE LANE ADTT (ADTTSL) OF ?.

This LRFD bridge design note is to be used on the front estimate sheet when the superstructure and substructure were designed by the AASHTO LRFD 8th Edition, Series 2017.

E55: Abutment modification, stub abutment piling behind MSE wall

THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR SHALL DRIVE ABUTMENT PILING BEFORE THE MECHANICALLY STABILIZED EARTH (MSE) WALL IS CONSTRUCTED AND MAINTAIN PROPER POSITION OF PILING WHILE THE MSE WALL IS BEING CONSTRUCTED. THE PILING SHALL BE TIED TOGETHER BY MECHANICAL MEANS AND ANCHORED TO PREVENT DISPLACEMENT DURING BACKFILLING OPERATIONS AND MSE WALL CONSTRUCTION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A PLAN TO THE ENGINEER FOR APPROVAL OF THE CONNECTIONS AND ANCHORAGE.

This CADD general note shall be provided in the plans requiring the contractor to tie the abutment piling group together and provide anchorage for the pile group to prevent shifting of the piles during backfilling. This note may be modified for special cases, such as partial driving, addition of tie backs, or if additional rows of piles are required for the abutments.

E60: Subdrain, slope rate

NOTE: SUBDRAIN SLOPED x”
PER FOOT FROM ______TO EXTEND THRU FILL (TYPICAL BOTH ABUTMENTS).
E65: Shop drawing submittals, item list

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This note is to be used for all projects involving shop drawing submittal.

E70: Steel bridge, girder erection plan

IN ACCORDANCE WITH IOWA DOT STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS SECTION 1105, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A GIRDER ERECTION PLAN (GEP) CONSISTING OF ERECTION PLANS, ERECTION PROCEDURES, AND ERECTION ENGINEERING CALCULATIONS TO THE ENGINEER ACCORDING TO SPECIAL PROVISION SP-XX-XX "GIRDER ERECTION PLAN".

A girder erection plan only needs to be submitted when the steel bridge meets one of the conditions found in BDM 5.5.2.4.4.

E75: Deck, deck pour monitoring

RESEARCHERS FROM IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY WILL BE OBSERVING PLACEMENT OF DECK CONCRETE FOR THIS PROJECT. CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO CONTACT BRENT PHARES AT (515)294-5879 THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO DECK CONCRETE PLACEMENT AND WHENEVER A CHANGE IN DECK PLACEMENT SCHEDULE IS MADE. ACTIVITIES BY IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY WILL BE TO OBSERVE ONLY AND WILL NOT IMPACT CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES.

Place the following note on all bridge plans with deck/slab pours (PPCB, Steel Beam, and CCS bridges) with the following letting dates: July 17, 2018 letting through April 16, 2019 letting (turn-in dates of May 1, 2018 through February 5, 2019).

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13.3.2 Listing

**E100A: Existing structure, repair, widening, etc.**

Electronic copies of original design plans are available to the contractor as part of the E-files supplied with the contract documents. Dimensions shown on these plans are based on design plans (original design no. ____).

Use this note on all repair work, widening or remodeling, culvert extensions, or retrofit rails.

**E100B: Existing structure, repair, widening, etc., structural steel**

Electronic copies of the original design plans are available to the contractor as part of the E-files supplied with the contract documents. Shop drawings will be available to the contractor by contacting the office of contracts highway division - Iowa DOT - Ames. Dimensions shown on these plans are based on design plans (original design no. ____).

Use this note on all repair work and widening or remodeling involving existing structural steel.

**E101: Existing structure, field verify dimensions**

All alignment, stationing, connecting dimensions, and elevations used in the new details in these plans were developed based on the existing bridge plans. The bridge contractor shall field verify these details before starting construction.

This note shall be used on all widening projects and major repairs.

**E102: Existing structure, faint lines**

Faint lines on plans indicate the existing structure.
E103A: Utility notification, rural
UTILITY COMPANIES WHOSE FACILITIES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR KNOWN TO BE
WITHIN THE CONSTRUCTION LIMITS SHALL BE NOTIFIED BY THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR
OF THE STARTING DATE.

Use this note for bridge projects in rural areas.

E103B: Utility notification, urban
THE CITY AND UTILITY COMPANIES WHOSE FACILITIES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR
KNOWN TO BE WITHIN THE CONSTRUCTION LIMITS SHALL BE NOTIFIED BY THE BRIDGE
CONTRACTOR OF THE CONSTRUCTION STARTING DATE.

Use this note for bridge projects in urban areas.

E104A: Live load, HS20-44
THIS BRIDGE IS DESIGNED FOR HS20-44 LOADING, PLUS 20 LBS. PER SQUARE FOOT OF
ROADWAY FOR FUTURE WEARING SURFACE.

Use this note for the design live load requirement for all new bridges on primary
highways, excluding interstates. For interstate bridges use the note that includes
alternate military load [E104B].

E104B: Live load, HS20-44 plus alternate military
THIS BRIDGE IS DESIGNED FOR HS20-44 + ALTERNATE MILITARY LOADING, PLUS 20
LBS. PER SQUARE FOOT OF ROADWAY FOR FUTURE WEARING SURFACE.

Use this note for the design live load requirement for all new bridges on interstates.

E104D: Live load, HL-93 bridge
THIS BRIDGE IS DESIGNED FOR HL-93 LOADING, PLUS 20 LBS. PER SQUARE FOOT OF
ROADWAY FOR FUTURE WEARING SURFACE.

Use this note for the design live load requirement for all new bridges on primary
highways, where both the superstructure and substructure are designed using LRFD.

E105: Guardrail, placed by others
GUARDRAIL IS TO BE PLACED BY OTHERS.

Verify whether guardrail work is a part of the bridge contract or another contract.

On jobs where road and bridge plans are combined do not reference work shown in the
plans to be done "by others". On combined plans there are no "others".

E108: Railroad overpass, coordination
THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR SHALL WORK IN SUCH A MANNER THAT EQUIPMENT AND
MATERIALS SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED TO INTERFERE WITH TRAIN TRAFFIC OR BE
ALLOWED TO FALL ON THE RAILROAD TRACKS. INTERFERENCE ABOVE THE RAILROAD
TRACK AREA SHALL BE COORDINATED WITH THE RAILROAD.

E110: Bridge deck, dimension table

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1. DECK LENGTH IS MEASURED FROM FACE-TO-FACE OF PAVING NOTCHES ALONG THE CENTERLINE OF THE ROADWAY.
2. DECK WIDTHS ARE MEASURED FROM OUT-TO-OUT OF DECK PERPENDICULAR TO THE CENTERLINE OF ROADWAY.
4. DECK AREA IS TO BE BASED ON THE FACE-TO-FACE PAVING NOTCH DISTANCE AND OUT-TO-OUT DECK DIMENSIONS.

Lengths should be to the nearest 0.1 of a foot, and areas should be to the nearest 1 ft². E110 is only necessary on new and replacement bridges.

E120: Traffic control, road closed
THE ROAD WILL BE CLOSED TO TRAFFIC DURING CONSTRUCTION. SEE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN NOTE ON DESIGN SHEET x.

Always relate traffic notes to the traffic control plan note.

E121: Traffic control, road open
THE ROAD WILL BE OPEN TO TRAFFIC DURING CONSTRUCTION. SEE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN NOTE ON DESIGN SHEET x.

Always relate traffic notes to the traffic control plan note.

E130: Removal of existing structure, partial
"REMOVALS AS PER PLAN" INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH REMOVING THE__________________________.
REMOVALS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2401, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. ANY DAMAGE TO OTHER PORTIONS OF THE EXISTING STRUCTURE NOT NOTED FOR REMOVAL SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR AND SHALL BE REPAIRED AT NO EXTRA COST TO THE STATE.

Use this note where partial removal of a structure is required. Refer to the instructions for E131 for comments concerning salvage of material. Include scrape test note if painted steel items are involved in the removal.

E131: Removal of existing structure, bridge
THIS DESIGN IS FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF THE EXISTING (describe) DESIGN NO. _____ WITH A YEAR OF CONSTRUCTION OF _____. ELECTRONIC PLANS OF THE EXISTING STRUCTURE ARE AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR AS PART OF THE E-FILES SUPPLIED WITH THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

THE LUMP SUM BID FOR "REMOVAL OF EXISTING BRIDGE" SHALL INCLUDE (describe bridge & any special removal limits).

REMOVALS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2401, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

This note is to be used on bridge replacement projects. Describe the existing structure and any removal limits that are different from what is specified in the Standard Specifications. Include scrape test note if painted steel items are involved in the removal.
When structural steel is to be removed as part of a federal aid project (this includes removal of the complete bridge or a portion of the bridge such as a bridge rail) normally the steel is given to the contractor [IDOT SS 2401.01]. In this case, FHWA will participate in the cost of the removal.

Occasionally the steel removed will be retained by the state or given to the county. The Standard Specifications state the contractor is required to stockpile this material at the site [IDOT SS 2401.03, E]. In this case the FHWA will participate in the cost of removal. The stockpiling at the site will be included in the removal item. The plan shall indicate which steel is to remain property of the contracting authority. In the event the county would like the contractor to assist them in loading the material onto county vehicles or hauling the material to another site for storage, they are expected to negotiate these items separately with the contractor. These items shall not be mentioned on the plan. If the state would like the contractor to assist them in loading the material onto state vehicles or hauling the material to another site for storage, the items should be bid separately (hauling and storing structural steel). This item will be considered as non-participating and so noted in the estimate reference information on the plans.

The FHWA requires the salvaged material removed using a federal participation removal item must be reused on projects eligible for federal aid funds. We will assume this will be the case unless we have knowledge to the contrary. If the salvage material will not be reused on a project eligible for federal aid, the FHWA will be reimbursed for the salvage value of the material.

In accordance with 2401.03A, the contractor is required to notify the DNR prior to starting bridge demolition. The notification form will require “year of construction” as an entry on the form. This information will be required for all contracts which include the “Removal of existing bridge” item. As per 2401.03 A 3 any asbestos found during inspection is assumed to be removed prior to award of this contract. Typically this will be done by a separate contract initiated by the Office of Location and Environment (OLE). If the asbestos removal cannot be accomplished prior to award of the bridge contract due to accessibility issues, the asbestos removal must be addressed by the bridge contractor. If asbestos removal must be accomplished as part of the bridge removal process, the designer shall include an asbestos removal note (E485) and appropriate bid item.

**E132: Removal of existing structure, miscellaneous**

THE BID ITEM “REMOVALS AS PER PLAN” SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH REMOVING THE _______________. REMOVALS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2401, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

Use this note when the removals involve miscellaneous items (retaining walls, pipes, etc.)

**E133: Removal of existing structure, feather edging**

THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR IS TO PROVIDE A METHOD OF REMOVAL THAT WILL PREVENT FEATHER EDGING AT THE BOTTOM OF THE EXISTING SLAB. CARE SHALL BE TAKEN WHEN EXPOSING EXISTING REINFORCING SO THE BOND TO EXISTING CONCRETE IS NOT BROKEN AT THE CONCRETE BREAK LINES.

Use this note for bridge widening, beam replacements, or other projects where a portion of the slab is to be removed.

**E140A: Excavation, channel by bridge contractor, dimensioned**

THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR IS TO CLEAR THE CHANNEL UNDER THE BRIDGE FOR A DISTANCE OF x FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTERLINE OF ROADWAY AS SHOWN
BY THE INDICATED AREAS ON THE "SITUATION PLAN" AND "LONGITUDINAL SECTION ALONG CENTERLINE ROADWAY" ON DESIGN SHEET x.

Channel excavation may be done by the bridge or road contractor. In most instances the bridge plan will indicate the bridge contractor will clear the channel for a distance of 10 feet outside the limits of the bridge upstream and downstream with the additional work being done by the road contractor. This could be modified based on the removal responsibility of the existing bridge or the extent of other work in the area. Coordinate this with the Office of Design.

If road and bridge work are combined in a single contract, all channel excavation should be included with road quantities.

**E140B: Excavation, channel by bridge contractor, approximate limits**

THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR IS TO CLEAR AND/OR SHAPE THE CHANNEL WITHIN THE APPROXIMATE LIMITS OF THE AREAS AS SHOWN ON THE "SITUATION PLAN" AND "LONGITUDINAL SECTION ALONG CENTERLINE ROADWAY" ON DESIGN SHEET x.

This note is to be used when bridge contractor does Class 10 Channel to limits other than 10 feet outside the bridge deck. Show limits on the plan details.

**E141: Excavation, channel by others**

WHEN CHANNEL EXCAVATION IS DONE BY OTHERS, THE "CLASS 10 CHANNEL EXCAVATION" BID ITEM WILL BE DELETED FROM THE BRIDGE CONTRACT. NO PAYMENT WILL BE MADE FOR WORK DELETED.

On jobs where road and bridge plans are combined, do not reference work shown in the plans to be done "by others". On combined plans there are no "others".

Many stream crossing bridge plans indicate that the bridge contractor is to clean the channel under the bridge. There is a pay item on the bridge plans for Class 10 channel excavation for that amount of earth to be removed from the stream channel under the bridge. Normally the road plans for the project will also have an item for Class 10 channel excavation which includes that amount to be excavated under the bridge.

This has caused problems on several projects in the past. Normally the grading contractor will do all of the Class 10 channel excavation. This requires deletion of that item from the bridge contract. Some bridge contractors have then asked for partial payment for the item of channel excavation even though they have not been required to do the work. They claim that a portion of their fixed overhead cost was included in this item and deletion of the item denies them recovery of that fixed cost.

Placing this note on the plans could eliminate this problem.

Add this note to the plans when the channel excavation is also included on the road plans.

**E142: Excavation, channel not in contract, shape berms**

THE CHANNEL EXCAVATION AS SHOWN IS NOT A PART OF THIS CONTRACT, BUT SHALL BE COMPLETED BEFORE ABUTMENT PILES ARE DRIVEN. THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR IS TO LEVEL OFF AND SHAPE THE BERMS TO THE ELEVATIONS AND DIMENSIONS SHOWN. DRESSING OF SLOPES OUTSIDE THE BRIDGE AREA NOT DISTURBED BY THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE PAID FOR AS EXTRA WORK.

Use this note when the Office of Design has agreed to place channel excavation on road plans.
Bridge plans generally include a note requiring the contractor to "level off and shape the berms to the elevations and dimensions shown." On large fills, the bridge contractor is often required to do extensive shaping and dressing of the slopes because the grading contractor did not properly shape them. To fix the responsibility for the various items of work upon the proper contractor, please use this note.

Include the amended note on consultant plans.

E143: Excavation, roadway by others
ROADWAY EXCAVATION IS TO BE DONE BY OTHERS AND IS NOT A PART OF THIS CONTRACT. EXCAVATION QUANTITIES FOR THE PIERS ARE BASED ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT ROADWAY EXCAVATION WILL HAVE BEEN COMPLETED AND ABUTMENT FILLS ARE IN PLACE PRIOR TO STARTING CONSTRUCTION OF THE PIERS.

Use this note for an overhead structure when roadway excavation is required to establish a grade or ditches on the road below. Coordinate with the Office of Design.

On jobs where road and bridge plans are combined, do not reference work shown in the plans to be done "by others". On combined plans there are no "others".

E144: Excavation, sites for excess material
IT SHALL BE THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO PROVIDE SITES FOR EXCESS EXCAVATED MATERIAL. NO PAYMENT FOR OVERHAUL WILL BE ALLOWED FOR MATERIAL HAULED TO THESE SITES.

Use this note on all plans that have excavation (Class 10 Channel, Class 20, 21, and 22) unless we provide an overhaul bid item.

If a significant amount of excess excavated material is involved and a separate road contractor is at the site, this material may need to be stockpiled. Check with the Office of Design.

E145: Excavation, Class 20 assumption
CLASS 20 EXCAVATION QUANTITIES ARE BASED ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE CHANNEL EXCAVATION IS COMPLETED PRIOR TO STARTING CONSTRUCTION OF THE ABUTMENTS AND PIERS.

Do not use this note if channel excavation is part of the bridge plan. Assume the contractor will be paid for Class 10 down to noted elevation and Class 20 below noted elevation. See the Standard Specifications [IDOT SS 2402.04, A]. If channel excavation is by others, include this note. This assumes Class 10 has been completed prior to this contract. If not the contractor will be paid for additional Class 20 excavation.

E170: Earth retention, behind abutments
THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR IS TO RETAIN EARTH AND/OR GRANULAR MATERIAL BEHIND THE PORTION OF ABUTMENTS SUBJECTED TO TRAFFIC DURING WIDENING BY METHODS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. ALL COSTS FOR RETAINING THE EARTH AND/OR GRANULAR MATERIAL SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR "CLASS 20 EXCAVATION".

Use this note for widening projects or stage construction projects when appropriate.

E171: Earth retention, temporary shoring
THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE TEMPORARY SHORING (SHEET PILE OR OTHER) TO PREVENT THE EARTH UNDER THE TRAFFIC LANE, FROM SLOUGHING IN DURING
CONSTRUCTION. ALL COST OF SHORING, WILL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO CONSTRUCTION AND NO DIRECT PAYMENT WILL BE MADE. ALL MATERIAL USED FOR SHORING SHALL REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF THE CONTRACTOR. SHORING IS TO BE REMOVED ONLY AFTER BACKFILLING HAS BEEN COMPLETED. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT SHORING PLANS FOR REVIEW. IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS NOTED ABOVE, ARTICLE 1107.07 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS STILL APPLIES.

Use this note when excavation in Zone 2 is required. (See the commentary for information on Zone 2.)

Staged construction may require excavation very close to a traffic lane and temporary embankment support (shoring) may be necessary to safely maintain traffic. The plans shall require the Contractor to provide adequate shoring and the details shall be reviewed and approved by the Engineer.

This note will need to be modified to accommodate specific job situations such as type of structure, embankment location, etc.

For situations where traffic is shifted to the shoulders, consideration should be given to shoring or slope stability. The temporary slope of 1.5:1 for Zone 1 is limited to fill heights of less than 20 ft. unless a global stability analysis is performed.

E172: Earth retention, temporary shoring, PE required

TEMPORARY SHORING (SHEET PILE OR OTHER) SHALL BE REQUIRED AS NECESSARY TO PREVENT THE EARTH UNDER THE TRAFFIC LANE FROM SLOUGHING IN DURING CONSTRUCTION.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A TEMPORARY SHORING PLAN FOR REVIEW. THE TEMPORARY SHORING PLAN SHALL BE DESIGNED AND CERTIFIED BY A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER LICENSED IN THE STATE OF IOWA. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT PROCEED WITH INSTALLATION OF THE TEMPORARY SHORING WITHOUT NOTICE TO PROCEED FROM THE ENGINEER.

THE TEMPORARY SHORING SUBMITTAL SHALL INCLUDE:

- DESIGN CALCULATIONS (INCLUDING A GLOBAL STABILITY ANALYSIS)
- SOIL PROPERTIES
- SHORING MATERIAL PROPERTIES
- SHORING PLAN LAYOUT (SHOWING LOCATION OF TRAFFIC)
- SHORING DETAILS

TEMPORARY SHORING SHALL BE PAID FOR AS A LUMP SUM INCLUDING ALL COST FOR DESIGNING, FURNISHING, INSTALLING AND REMOVAL. ALL MATERIAL USED FOR SHORING SHALL REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF THE CONTRACTOR. SHORING IS TO BE REMOVED ONLY AFTER BACKFILLING HAS BEEN COMPLETED. IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS NOTED ABOVE, ARTICLE 1107.07 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS STILL APPLIES.

Use this note when excavation is in Zone 3. (See the commentary for information on Zone 3.) Also, use the appropriate lump sum bid item for temporary shoring along with note E172.

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The contractor will be paid a lump sum contract price for temporary shoring. This payment shall be full compensation for all costs associated with designing, furnishing, installing and removing the temporary shoring.
Design and review of the temporary shoring is to be based on *AASHTO Guide Design Specification for Bridge Temporary Works* [BDM 13.1.5].

**E175: Approach fills, driving piles, waiting period**

ABUTMENT PILES SHALL NOT BE DRIVEN FOR A MINIMUM OF ?? DAYS FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF APPROACH FILLS. THE TIME PERIOD BETWEEN COMPLETION OF FILLS AND DRIVING PILES MAY BE CHANGED AS ORDERED BY THE ENGINEER BASED UPON REVIEW OF SETTLEMENT PLATES.

This note shall be used in situations where new berms are being constructed and settlement is an issue. The number of days used in the note will be based on recommendations from the Soils Section of the Office of Design. Typical delay periods range from 90 to 180 days; however, longer or shorter periods are possible.

**E181: Concrete sealer, bridge seats**

CONCRETE SEALER IS TO BE APPLIED TO THE EXPOSED BRIDGE SEAT AND WASH SURFACES AT THE ABUTMENTS (and at piers?).

Preparation and payment for sealer is covered in the Standard Specifications [IDOT SS 2403.03, P, 3, and 2403.05, C]. For new construction, place concrete sealer on any abutment seat and wash surfaces. Include pier tops below a joint in the deck. For repairs, check with the supervising Section Leader to determine if concrete sealer should be placed.

**E183: Approach fills, not in contract, shape berms**

THE APPROACH FILLS AS SHOWN ARE NOT A PART OF THIS CONTRACT, BUT ARE TO BE IN PLACE BEFORE ABUTMENT PILES ARE DRIVEN. THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR IS TO LEVEL OFF AND SHAPE THE BERMS TO THE ELEVATIONS AND DIMENSIONS SHOWN. DRESSING OF SLOPES OUTSIDE THE BRIDGE AREA NOT DISTURBED BY THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE PAID FOR AS EXTRA WORK.

Use this note when road work and bridge work are on separate projects. Soil under the approach fill may contain compressible material and consolidation may occur. If this is the case, a delay note prior to driving piles may be required.

If a delay is required, the Soils Design Section will give its recommendations.

This note may be combined with E142 if channel excavation is also required.

**E184: Prebored holes, integral abutment piles**

THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR SHALL PREBORE HOLES FOR ABUTMENT PILES. HOLES SHALL BE BORED TO THE ELEVATIONS SHOWN ON THE "LONGITUDINAL SECTION ALONG CENTERLINE ROADWAY" ON DESIGN SHEET x. PILES SHALL BE DRIVEN THROUGH THE HOLES TO AT LEAST THE SPECIFIED DESIGN BEARING.

This note is to be used when prebored holes are required at the abutment. See integral abutment information elsewhere in the manual for where to use prebored holes [BDM 6.5.1.1.1].

Except for bridges with lengths 130 feet or less, the office requires piles to be driven in prebored holes to (1) provide for lateral movement of the pile at integral abutments or (2) eliminate drag load forces induced by settlement. The prebored hole voids are to be filled with natural bentonite slurry. The office believes that the bentonite slurry will provide for good lateral movement of the piles at integral abutments. The Soils Design Section believes that the bentonite slurry is a good material for eliminating drag forces.
E185: Wing slopes, dress after bridge repair
THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR SHALL DRESS UP THE SLOPES AROUND THE WINGS WHICH ARE DISTURBED DURING CONSTRUCTION. THIS WORK SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL AND NO EXTRA PAYMENT WILL BE MADE.

This note is to be used on repair projects that involve a wing area.

E186: Weathering steel, stain protection for substructure concrete
SUBSTRUCTURE CONCRETE SHALL BE PROTECTED FROM STAINING BY A WRAPPING OF POLYETHYLENE OR SIMILAR MATERIALS WHICH SHALL BE LEFT IN PLACE AND KEPT IN A SERVICEABLE CONDITION UNTIL AFTER THE DECK HAS BEEN PLACED. IF SUBSTRUCTURE CONCRETE IS STAINED, THE STAINS SHALL BE REMOVED BY METHODS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROTECTION AND ANY REQUIRED CLEANING OF THE SUBSTRUCTURE CONCRETE SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR "STRUCTURAL STEEL".

This note is to be used for weathering steel bridges only.

E187: Pile points, H-piles
CAST IN-ONE-PIECE STEEL PILE POINTS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE (designate which abutment or pier) PILES IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 4167.02 OF THE CURRENT STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS AND MATERIALS IM 468.

E188: Concrete barrier rails, slipform method, concrete class
CONCRETE BARRIER RAILS PLACED USING THE SLIPFORM METHOD WILL REQUIRE THE USE OF A CLASS BR CONCRETE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2513.03, A, 2, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. CAST-IN-PLACE BARRIER RAILS SHALL USE CLASS C MIX. CLASS D CONCRETE IS NOT PERMITTED FOR CONCRETE BARRIER RAILS (CAST-IN-PLACE OR SLIPFORMED METHOD).

Due to quality issues contractors no longer have the option of Class D concrete for placement of barrier rails by the slipform or cast-in-place method.

E189: Reinforcing, English designation on plans
THESE BRIDGE PLANS LABEL ALL REINFORCING STEEL WITH ENGLISH NOTATION (5a1 is 5/8 inch diameter bar). ENGLISH REINFORCING STEEL RECEIVED IN THE FIELD MAY DISPLAY THE FOLLOWING "BAR DESIGNATION". THE "BAR DESIGNATION" IS THE STAMPED IMPRESSION ON THE REINFORCING BARS, AND IS EQUIVALENT TO THE BAR DIAMETER IN MILLIMETERS.

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The table was revised to fit note sheets more efficiently.

E192: CCS falsework, staged construction
THIS BRIDGE WILL BE BUILT IN STAGES AND THE FALSEWORK FOR STAGE I CONSTRUCTION SHALL REMAIN IN PLACE UNTIL STAGE II IS COMPLETE. THE STAGE I FALSEWORK SHALL BE REMOVED WITH THE STAGE II FALSEWORK.

It is permissible to allow live load on the cured Stage I deck with the falsework in place. The falsework need not be designed to carry HL-93 loads. When falsework is to remain in
place for more than one construction season consult with the Chief Structural Engineer
about requiring the falsework to be designed for ice loads.

Note that the J-standards for CCS bridges include a note requiring the falsework to be
removed prior to construction of the barrier rails. If this portion of the note is included in
the plan set it should be modified as follows for staged construction:

SLAB FALSEWORK SHALL BE REMOVED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OF THE
BARRIER RAILS, UNLESS SLAB CONSTRUCTION IS STAGED.

E200: Precast concrete deck panels, option

AT THE OPTION OF THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR, THE PRECAST PRESTRESSED
CONCRETE DECK PANELS AS SHOWN ON DESIGN SHEET x MAY BE USED IN
CONSTRUCTION OF THE BRIDGE DECK IN LIEU OF THE CONVENTIONAL DECK AS
SHOWN ON DESIGN SHEET x.

This note to be used when precast concrete deck panels are permissible. See
prestressed deck panels criteria [BDM 5.2.4.3] to determine if these panels are
appropriate. See the Standard Specifications for basis of payment [IDOT SS 2425.05].

E201: Prestensioned prestressed concrete beams, nonstandard

NON-STANDARD BEAMS WITH HIGHER THAN USUAL CONCRETE STRENGTHS ARE
REQUIRED FOR THIS BRIDGE. ADDITIONAL STRANDS ARE ALSO REQUIRED.

Use this note when wider beam spacings are used and the design requires higher
concrete strengths and additional strands for some or all of the beams.

E202: Prestressed concrete beam bridge, temporary bracing

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING STABILITY OF
PRESTRESSED CONCRETE BEAMS DURING ERECTION AND CONSTRUCTION UP
THROUGH THE CONCRETE BRIDGE DECK REACHING ITS FULL 28-DAY STRENGTH. THE
CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE SUFFICIENT TEMPORARY ANCHOR BRACING AT BEAM
ENDS AND TEMPORARY INTERMEDIATE BRACING AS NEEDED TO ENSURE
PRESTRESSED BEAM STABILITY. PARTIALLY OR FULLY INSTALLED PERMANENT
BRACING AS SHOWN IN THESE DESIGN PLANS SHALL NOT BE ASSUMED SUFFICIENT
TO BRACE PRESTRESSED BEAMS DURING ERECTION AND CONSTRUCTION.
TEMPORARY BRACING SHALL NOT BE WELDED TO PRESTRESSED BEAM STIRRUPS.

Include this plan note in the General Notes for all new PPCB bridges and projects
involving deck replacements.

E204: Steel beams, temporary bracing

THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE TO PROVIDE SUFFICIENT TEMPORARY BRACING
TO MINIMIZE LATERAL DEFLECTION AND ROTATION OF EXTERIOR STEEL BEAMS
DURING DECK PLACEMENT. LATERAL DEFLECTION AND ROTATION OF EXTERIOR
BEAMS MAY RESULT IN THIN DECKS AND AN UPWARDS SHIFT IN BAR MATS WHICH CAN
DECREASE CONCRETE COVER. PARTIALLY OR FULLY INSTALLED PERMANENT
BRACING AS SHOWN IN THESE DESIGN PLANS SHALL NOT BE ASSUMED SUFFICIENT
TO MINIMIZE LATERAL DEFLECTION AND ROTATION OF EXTERIOR BEAMS DURING
DECK PLACEMENT. TEMPORARY BRACING SHALL NOT BE WELDED TO THE STEEL
BEAMS OR ITS ATTACHMENTS INCLUDING THE STUDS.

Include this plan note in the General Notes for all new steel beam bridges and projects
involving deck replacement.

E205: Longitudinal grooving, paving by others
LONGITUDINAL GROOVING WILL NOT BE A PART OF THIS CONTRACT, BUT WILL BE DONE BY OTHERS PRIOR TO OPENING THE BRIDGE TO TRAFFIC.

When bridge decks (and bridge approaches) are a separate contract, but will be followed by a paving contract responsible for opening the road to traffic, the designer shall calculate the quantity of longitudinal grooving necessary for the bridge deck for inclusion in the paving plan. This quantity shall be forwarded to the Office of Design for their use in developing quantities for the paving project. Remind the Office of Design that our quantity is only for the bridge deck, and they will need to calculate the quantity for the approach sections.

E206: Longitudinal grooving, is in a tied project

LONGITUDINAL GROOVING WILL NOT BE A PART OF THIS PROJECT, BUT WILL BE INCLUDED IN ANOTHER PROJECT ASSOCIATED WITH THIS CONTRACT.

Prior to using this note, the designer shall verify with the Office of Contracts that the projects will be tied.

E213: Paint, weathering steel, new bridge

THIS STRUCTURE SHALL BE BUILT WITH WEATHERING STEEL. ALL STRUCTURAL STEEL, EXCEPT AS NOTED, SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM A709 GRADE 50W. PAINTING REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS STRUCTURE SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2408.02, Q, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

Use this note in the general notes for all new structures using weathering steel. A number of other notes particular to weathering steel bridges are required. See E930.

E214: Paint, non-weathering steel, new bridge

PAINTING REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS STRUCTURE SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2408.02, Q, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

Use this note on any new steel structure, which cannot use weathering steel. The Standard Specifications require shop applied inorganic zinc silicate paint. The specifications do allow the use of the topcoat to be optional. If the topcoat is to be used, then the location (example exterior face of exterior beam) must be specified in the plans.

E233: Nuclear density checks, deck test wells

TWO COURSE DECKS USING LOW SLUMP OVERLAY MIXES WILL REQUIRE TEST WELLS BE CAST IN THE FIRST CONCRETE DECK COURSE. TEST WELLS SHALL BE LOCATED AS NOTED IN MATERIALS IM 204, APPENDIX M.

PRIOR TO DECK PLACEMENT THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A TEST WELL LOCATION PLAN TO THE ENGINEER FOR APPROVAL. THE PLAN SHALL SHOW THE PROPOSED EXTENT OF EACH SECOND STAGE PLACEMENT AND PROPOSED TEST WELL LOCATIONS. ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH CONSTRUCTING THE TEST WELLS SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO STRUCTURAL CONCRETE BRIDGE OR HIGH PERFORMANCE STRUCTURAL CONCRETE ?????.

On some bridges a two-course bridge deck may be specified. This note is required when the second course is a low slump concrete overlay. Testing is not required if a high performance overlay is used. The top course usually will not be thick enough to accommodate the probe of a nuclear density gauge designed to determine the in-place density of plastic concrete. The probe is somewhat longer than 2 inches in length. Therefore, design plans should have this note. Cost shall be incidental to Structural
Concrete, Bridge or High Performance Structural Concrete depending on the concrete specified to be used for the bridge deck.

**E234: Bridge deck, two-course, surface preparation**

NO CURING COMPOUNDS SHALL BE USED ON THE SURFACE OF THE CONCRETE DECK (FIRST COURSE).

THE SURFACE OF THE FIRST COURSE SHALL BE INTENTIONALLY ROUGHENED (COMBED) TO A MINIMUM DEPTH OF 1/8" AND A MAXIMUM DEPTH OF 1/4". THIS ROUGHENED SURFACE SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED ON PLASTIC CONCRETE BY USE OF A MECHANICAL DEVICE AS PRESCRIBED IN ARTICLE 2301.03, H, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS OR ON HARDENED CONCRETE BY UNIFORMLY SCARIFYING THE ENTIRE DECK AREA. THE INTENT IS TO GIVE THE CONTRACTOR THE OPTION OF ACHIEVING THE REQUIRED SURFACE ROUGHNESS ON THE PLASTIC OR HARDENED CONCRETE SO THE SECOND COURSE WILL BOND PROPERLY.

This note replaces E923 and should be used with two course decks for new bridges. Curing compounds should not be allowed, so the second course will bond properly.

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This note is typically used when the deck soundings have been done manually by the District and includes a plot. The 25% increase is based on past experience.

E400B: Deck survey, no plot, HMA surfacing or PCC overlay present
NO PRELIMINARY DECK SURVEY IS SHOWN. THE PLAN QUANTITY FOR "CLASS A BRIDGE DECK REPAIR" IS ESTIMATED AS ___ OF THE TOTAL DECK AREA. THE ACTUAL QUANTITY IS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER AFTER THE ___ HAS BEEN REMOVED. ACTUAL SPALLED AND HOLLOW AREAS AS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER SHALL BE REPAIRED.

This note is used when there is HMA surfacing or a PCC overlay already on the deck. In these cases deck soundings are not reliable.

1. For HMA surfacing fill in 100% of deck area for shorter bridges and 50% of deck area for longer bridges. For PCC overlays already on the deck fill in 20% of deck area. Consult with the supervising Section Leader on percentage to use.
2. Fill in H.M.A. SURFACING or P.C.C. OVERLAY as applicable.

E400C: Deck survey, delamtect and manual sounding plot
PLAN QUANTITY OF DECK REPAIR IS BASED ON TWO TIMES THE SHADED AREAS PLUS THE BOUNDED AREAS SHOWN ON THE "SURVEY PLOT" IN THESE PLANS. SHADED AREAS REPRESENT CLASS A BRIDGE DECK REPAIR FOUND BY DELAMTECT PLOT. BOUNDED AREAS INCLUDE H.M.A. PATCH OR SPALLED AREAS NOT RECORDED BY THE DELAMTECT AND/OR THE SQUARING UP OF THE REPAIR AREAS. ACTUAL SPALLED AND HOLLOW AREAS AS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER AT THE TIME OF CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE REPAIRED.

This note is used when the delamtect plot has areas added manually. Consult with the supervising Section Leader if the "two times" should be adjusted. Normal procedure would be to add the bounded area to the "two times" delamtect area, even though the bounded areas may overlap the delamtect area. Accuracy of this measurement does not justify further refinement of this quantity.

E400D: Deck survey, delamtect plot
PLAN QUANTITY OF DECK REPAIR IS BASED ON TWO TIMES THE SHADED AREAS SHOWN ON THE "SURVEY PLOT" IN THESE PLANS. SHADED AREAS REPRESENT CLASS A BRIDGE DECK REPAIR FOUND BY THE DELAMTECT PLOT. ACTUAL SPALLED AND HOLLOW AREAS AS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER AT THE TIME OF CONSTRUCTION, SHALL BE REPAIRED.

This note is used when the delamtect plot has had nothing manually added to it.

E400E: Deck survey, manual sounding with no plot
NO PRELIMINARY DECK SURVEY IS SHOWN. THE PLAN QUANTITY FOR "CLASS A DECK REPAIR" IS ESTIMATED AS _____ SY BASED ON HAND SOUNDING OF THE DECK PLUS 25% INCREASE FOR ESTIMATING PURPOSES. THIS INCLUDES: _____ SY AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS ALONG _____ LANE AND _____ SY AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS ALONG _____
LANE. THE ACTUAL QUANTITY IS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER AT THE TIME OF REPAIR. ACTUAL SPALLED AND HOLLOW AREAS AS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER SHALL BE REPAIRED.

This note is typically used when the deck soundings have been done manually by the District and there is no plot. The 25% increase is based on past experience.

E410A: Deck surfacing, repair, and overlay, beam bridge
PRESENT DECK THICKNESS IS ABOUT _____ INCHES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL EXERCISE CARE IN REMOVING CONCRETE IN ORDER TO PREVENT UNNECESSARY UNBONDING OF REINFORCING STEEL.

This note is typically used on beam type bridges.

E410B: Deck surfacing, repair, and overlay, slab bridge
PRESENT DECK THICKNESS IS ABOUT _____ INCHES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL EXERCISE CARE IN ORDER TO PREVENT UNNECESSARY REMOVAL OF CONCRETE BELOW THE TOP OF THE TOP REINFORCING. THE ENERGY OF HAND TOOLS SHALL BE RESTRICTED NEAR THE BOTTOM OF THE DESIGNATED CLASS A REPAIR AREAS IN ORDER TO PREVENT UNBONDING OF REINFORCING. NO CONCRETE SHALL BE REMOVED BELOW THE TOP OF THE TOP LONGITUDINAL REINFORCING WITHOUT PRIOR PERMISSION FROM THE BRIDGE ENGINEER.

This note is used on bridge superstructures where the main reinforcing is parallel with the roadway such as a concrete slab bridge.

E410C: Deck surfacing, repair, and overlay, shallow reinforcing (rare)
PRESENT DECK THICKNESS IS ABOUT _____ INCHES. THE DECK REINFORCING IS QUITE SHALLOW FOR A PORTION OF THE DECK AREA. IN THOSE AREAS WHERE REINFORCING IS LESS THEN 1/4 " CLEAR BELOW THE ORIGINAL FINISHED SURFACE, THE BOTTOM LIMIT OF BRIDGE DECK OVERLAY WILL BE CONSIDERED AS THE TOP OF THE TOP REINFORCING. UNSOUND CONCRETE BELOW THE TOP OF THE TOP REINFORCING SHALL BE REPAIRED AS CLASS A BRIDGE DECK REPAIR. THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE REQUIRED TO CAREFULLY REGULATE SCARIFYING DEPTH AND EMPLOY HAND METHODS AS NECESSARY IN ORDER TO PREVENT DAMAGE OR UNBONDING OF REINFORCING.

This note is only used if there is very little cover over top reinforcing, which should be quite infrequent.

E410D: Deck surfacing, repair, and overlay, re-overlay beam bridge
PRESENT DECK THICKNESS IS ABOUT _____ INCHES, INCLUDING EXISTING OVERLAY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL EXERCISE CARE IN REMOVING CONCRETE IN ORDER TO PREVENT UNNECESSARY UNBONDING OF REINFORCING STEEL.

E410E: Deck surfacing, repair, and overlay, re-overlay slab bridge
PRESENT DECK THICKNESS IS ABOUT _____ INCHES, INCLUDING EXISTING OVERLAY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL EXERCISE CARE IN ORDER TO PREVENT UNNECESSARY REMOVAL OF CONCRETE BELOW THE TOP OF THE TOP REINFORCING. THE ENERGY OF HAND TOOLS SHALL BE RESTRICTED NEAR THE BOTTOM OF THE DESIGNATED CLASS A REPAIR AREAS IN ORDER TO PREVENT UNBONDING OF REINFORCING. NO CONCRETE SHALL BE REMOVED BELOW THE TOP OF THE TOP LONGITUDINAL REINFORCING WITHOUT PRIOR PERMISSION FROM THE BRIDGE ENGINEER.
E411: Decksurfacing, repair, and overlay, slab bridge, no top reinforcing
THE MINIMUM DEPTH FOR CLASS A REPAIR IS TO BE 1 1/2 INCHES IN AREAS WHERE
TOP REINFORCING IS NOT PRESENT.

This note is used when a slab bridge does not have top steel for some or all of the slab.

E412: Deck surfacing, repair, and overlay, re-overlay
THE BRIDGE DECK IS COVERED WITH A _____ INCH THICK PORTLAND CEMENT
CONCRETE OVERLAY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTE THE REDEFINING OF THE
CLASSIFICATION LINE (BOUNDARY BETWEEN REPAIR AND OVERLAY) FOR THIS
PROJECT DUE TO THE EXISTING _____ INCH OVERLAY. THE CLASSIFICATION LINE WILL
BE DEFINED AS _____ INCHES BELOW THE TOP OF EXISTING OVERLAY. THIS WILL
NECESSITATE THE REMOVAL OF THE EXISTING BRIDGE DECK OVERLAY BEFORE
PLACING THE PROPOSED NEW BRIDGE DECK OVERLAY.

ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE REMOVAL OF THE EXISTING OVERLAY SHALL BE
INCLUDED IN THE BID ITEM "REMOVAL OF EXISTING P.C.C. OVERLAY". REMOVAL OF
EXISTING OVERLAY SHALL BE COMPUTED IN SQUARE YARDS FROM THE
MEASUREMENT OF AREAS REMOVED. THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE PAID THE
CONTRACT PRICE PER SQUARE YARD FOR FURNISHING ALL EQUIPMENT AND LABOR
NECESSARY TO REMOVE THE CONCRETE TO WITHIN 1/4 INCH ABOVE THE
CLASSIFICATION LINE. ALL COSTS, INCLUDING FURNISHING EQUIPMENT AND LABOR,
ASSOCIATED WITH REMOVAL OF THE NEXT 1/4 INCH OF CONCRETE (TO THE
CLASSIFICATION LINE) SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE BID ITEM "DECK OVERLAY".

UPON COMPLETION OF THE REMOVAL OF CONCRETE DOWN TO THE CLASSIFICATION
LINE, THE ENGINEER SHALL DETERMINE THE AREAS OF BRIDGE DECK TO BE
REPAIRED AS "DECK REPAIR, CLASS A". ACTUAL HOLLOW AREAS, AS DETERMINED BY
THE ENGINEER, SHALL BE REPAIRED.

The existing overlay thickness shall include the original surface raise and scarification.
The depth to the new classification line shall be 1/4" below the original classification line.

Discuss with the supervising Section Leader the possibility of requesting concrete cores
from the bridge deck to determine the integrity of the original deck and if overlay is a wise
investment.

The second paragraph of this note is necessary to provide method of measurement and
basis of payment for the bid item "Removal of Existing P.C.C. Overlay", since it is not
included in the Standard Specifications.

The last 1/4" of concrete removal is included in the bridge deck overlay item. This
eliminates the need of redefining bridge deck overlay (which includes 1/4" of deck
scarification as per the Standard Specifications [IDOT SS 2413.01, C]).

E415: Deck surfacing, repair, and overlay, HPC-O concrete curing
IF THE CONTRACTOR USES HPC-O MIX THE SURFACE SHALL BE CURED FOR AT LEAST
168 HOURS. FOR THE FIRST 96 HOURS, KEEP THE BURLAP CONTINUOUSLY WET BY
MEANS OF AN AUTOMATIC SPRINKLING OR WETTING SYSTEM. AFTER 96 HOURS, THE
CONTRACTOR MAY COVER THE WET BURLAP WITH A LAYER OF 4 MIL POLYETHYLENE
FILM FOR A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS IN LIEU OF USING THE SPRINKLING OR WETTING
SYSTEM. IF THE POLYETHYLENE FILM IS USED, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE
REQUIRED TO VERIFY THE BURLAP REMAINS WET FOR THE 72 HOUR PERIOD.

This note which supersedes Article 2413.03, F, 2 of the Standard Specifications shall only be
used on the plans at the District’s request.
E420: Stage construction, maintain traffic
CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DONE IN STAGES WITH AT LEAST ONE LANE TRAFFIC MAINTAINED AT ALL TIMES IN ACCORDANCE WITH "TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN" NOTE.

E421: Stage construction, reverse stages option
CONSTRUCTION STAGES I & II AS DETAILED ON THESE PLANS MAY BE REVERSED AT THE CONTRACTOR'S OPTION SUBJECT TO THE ENGINEER'S APPROVAL.

Use this note only when stage numbers are shown on the plans and it is feasible to reverse the staging.

E422: Stage construction, construction options, rebuilding a backwall
BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH BRIDGE DECK OVERLAY AND BRIDGE DECK REPAIR THE CONTRACTOR MAY COMPLETE ALL STAGES OF OTHER CONSTRUCTION. ANY CONSTRUCTION SHALL HAVE STAGE LIMITS, TEMPORARY BARRIER RAIL AND TRAFFIC CONTROL AS DETAILED ON THESE PLANS. TEMPORARY BARRIER RAIL AND TRAFFIC CONTROL MAY BE ADJUSTED TO FIT THE ACTUAL WORK AND STORAGE AREA. WHEN BACKWALLS AND/OR APPROACH SECTIONS ARE TO BE REBUILT TO A RAISED SURFACE, AND WHEN DECK OVERLAY IS NOT A PART OF THE SAME STAGE, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE FOR PROFILE TRANSITION WITH H.M.A. SURFACING. PROFILE TRANSITION SHALL BE TAPERED AT A RATE OF 25' FOR 1 1/2 INCHES OF RAISE. THE H.M.A. TRANSITION MATERIAL SHALL BE A COMMERCIAL GRADE HOT SURFACING MIX OR A MIX APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER H.M.A. MAY BE PLACED BY HAND METHODS AND MAY BE COMPACTED BY ANY APPROVED METHOD. ALL COSTS FOR ADDITIONAL TRAFFIC CONTROL, REPOSITIONING OF BARRIER AND H.M.A. SURFACING SHALL BE BORNE BY THE CONTRACTOR.

Usually this note is only necessary when plans indicate rebuilding a backwall.

E429: Superstructure raise, vertical tolerance and horizontal support
THE BRIDGE SUPERSTRUCTURE IS TO BE RAISED AS A SINGLE UNIT USING A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF HYDRAULIC JACKS AT EACH SUPPORT. IN ORDER TO PREVENT OVERSTRESSING OF THE SUPERSTRUCTURE MEMBERS, THE ENTIRE SUPERSTRUCTURE SHALL BE RAISED UNIFORMLY AND SIMULTANEOUSLY, WITH NO MORE THAN
- A 1 INCH LONGITUDINAL ELEVATION DIFFERENCE BETWEEN ADJACENT BENTS AND
- A ¼ INCH TRANSVERSE ELEVATION DIFFERENCE BETWEEN ADJACENT BEAMS. THE TRANSVERSE ELEVATION DIFFERENCE MAY ACCUMULATE ACROSS THE BRIDGE, BUT THERE SHALL BE NO MORE THAN A 1 INCH TOTAL ACCUMULATION. IF THERE ARE ANY SIGNS OF DISTRESS DURING OR AFTER RAISING OPERATIONS THESE LIMITS SHALL BE ADJUSTED DOWNWARD AS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER. LONGITUDINAL AND LATERAL SUPPORT OF THE SUPERSTRUCTURE SHALL BE PROVIDED DURING RAISING OPERATIONS TO PREVENT HORIZONTAL MOVEMENT OF THE SUPERSTRUCTURE.

Include this note with the general notes when a superstructure needs to be raised. Even with a correct jacking setup contractors cannot raise the superstructure perfectly uniformly and need a small amount of vertical tolerance. The ¼ inch tolerance between adjacent beams is based on information from the field for a successful superstructure raising project. The 1 inch longitudinal tolerance between adjacent bents should generally be acceptable for even short span bridges. Traffic should not be permitted on the bridge during the jacking and raising. Once the bridge is raised, blocked, and longitudinally and laterally supported, traffic may be permitted. The Contractor shall provide details illustrating the blocking system, and longitudinal and lateral support to the Engineer for
approval. Traffic permitted on a raised bridge with expansion joints, particularly higher speed traffic, will require additional remediation due to discontinuities in the riding surface.

E430: Repair project, general outline of work
THIS DESIGN IS FOR REPAIRS TO THE EXISTING ___. ELECTRONIC COPIES OF ORIGINAL DESIGN PLANS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR AS PART OF THE E-FILES SUPPLIED WITH THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS. REPAIR SHALL CONSIST OF:

1. __________________
2. __________________

The general notes should lead off with the above. Fill in a description of the existing structure and the highway it is on and the feature crossed. Specify in general the extent of work covered in the plans (bridge and road) for the project such as bridge deck repair and overlay, removal of existing handrail, placing new cast-in-place barrier rail, replacing guardrail, etc.

E431: Curb repair, concrete notes
AREAS OF CURB INDICATED ON THE "SURVEY PLOT" OR DESIGNATED BY THE ENGINEER ARE TO BE REPAIRED USING CONCRETE REPAIR NOTES AND DETAILS INCLUDED IN THESE PLANS.

Repair of curbs is addressed better with the concrete repair notes and details than with the note specifying Class A Bridge Deck Repair. Include the concrete repair detail sheet [OBS SS 1045] in the plans. Bid this area of repair as "Concrete Repair".

E432A: Overlay construction joint, temporary barrier rail conflict
SCREED EXTENSION OR OVERLAY BEYOND THE LONGITUDINAL CONSTRUCTION JOINT MAY BE LESS THAN THE 6 INCHES REQUIRED BY ARTICLE 2413.03, A, 4, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THE ENGINEER MAY REQUIRE ADDITIONAL VIBRATION OR SPECIAL FINISHING PROCEDURES ADJACENT TO THE LONGITUDINAL CONSTRUCTION JOINT.

Use this note only when the temporary barrier rail is placed less than 8" from the overlay construction joint.

E432B: Overlay construction joint, sandblasting
SURFACE PREPARATION SHALL BE ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 2413.03, B AND C OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ENSURE THE VERTICAL EDGE OF THE STAGE 1 OVERLAY IS PREPARED FOR PLACEMENT OF THE NEW CONCRETE FOR STAGE 2 BY SANDBLASTING OR SHOT BLASTING, FOLLOWED BY AN AIR BLAST. ENSURE THIS CLEANING REMOVES ALL DIRT, OIL, AND OTHER FOREIGN MATERIAL. ENSURE IT REMOVES ALL UNSOUND CONCRETE, LAITANCE, OR LOOSE MATERIAL FROM THE SURFACE AND EDGES AGAINST WHICH THE SURFACING MIXTURE IS TO BE PLACED. THE CLEANING SHOULD ROUGHEN THE SURFACE IN ORDER TO PROVIDE SATISFACTORY BOND WITH THE SURFACING MIXTURE.

E433: Surface raise, restriction
SURFACE RAISE, AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS, SHALL BE CONSIDERED A MINIMUM. IN ORDER TO LIMIT THE ADDITIONAL DEAD LOAD SURFACE RAISE SHALL BE RESTRICTED TO A MAXIMUM OF 1/2 " MORE THAN SHOWN ON THE PLANS. PROFILE MAY BE ADJUSTED TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE WITHIN THESE LIMITS.
E434: Existing structure, field verify dimensions
ALL DIMENSIONS AND DETAILS SHOWN ON THESE PLANS PERTINENT TO NEW CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE VERIFIED IN THE FIELD BY THE CONTRACTOR BEFORE STARTING CONSTRUCTION.

E435: Existing structure, field verify dimensions, steel
ALL DIMENSIONS REQUIRED TO FABRICATE NEW STRUCTURAL STEEL SHALL BE FIELD VERIFIED BY THE CONTRACTOR.

When existing structural steel is replaced or new steel is attached to existing members include this note. Three examples when this note would be required are:

1. When replacing damaged truss members.
2. When replacing damaged rail members.
3. When adding raise plates to sliding plate expansion devices.

E436: Existing structure, faint lines
FAINT LINES ON PLANS INDICATE EXISTING PORTIONS OF THE BRIDGE.

E437: Reinforcing, minimum clearances
MINIMUM CLEAR DISTANCE FROM FACE OF CONCRETE TO NEAR REINFORCING BAR IS TO BE 2" UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED OR SHOWN.

E438: Concrete sealer, abutment seats
IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 2413.03, G, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, BOTH EXPOSED ABUTMENT BRIDGE SEATS AND WASH SURFACES SHALL HAVE AN APPLICATION OF CONCRETE SEALER IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2403.03, P, 3, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

Check with the supervising Section Leader for guidance for placing sealer on existing abutments.

All primary and interstate bridges with any type of expansion device shall have concrete sealer applied to the exposed bridge seat and wash surfaces.

E440: Removal, scheduled items
THE LUMP SUM BID FOR "REMOVALS, AS PER PLAN" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH REMOVING THE ____________________________. REMOVAL OF SCHEDULED ITEMS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2401 OF THE SPECIFICATIONS. ANY DAMAGE TO ANY STEEL OR CONCRETE NOT TO BE REMOVED SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR AND REPAIRED AT NO EXTRA COST TO THE STATE.

Use this note when the removal includes partial removal of a structure.
Describe what is to be removed.

E441A: Removal, handrail, property of contractor
THE BID ITEM "REMOVAL OF EXISTING HANDRAIL + END POST" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH DISMANTLING THE EXISTING _______ HANDRAIL (APPROXIMATELY _____ L.F. AND ______ POSTS). THE HANDRAILS ARE TO BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE CONTRACTOR.

Specify steel or aluminum handrail, length of rail, and number of posts. If the bridge has no end posts, use the bid item "REMOVAL OF EXISTING HANDRAIL".
E441B: Removal, handrail, property of Iowa DOT

THE BID ITEM "REMOVE AND STOCKPILE EXISTING HANDRAIL" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE DISMANTLING, HAULING AND STORING OF BOTH OF THE HANDRAILS (APPROXIMATELY _____ L.F. OF RAIL AND _____ POSTS). THE RAILS, POSTS AND HARDWARE ARE TO BE HAULED TO THE IOWA D.O.T. MAINTENANCE YARD AT ___________________. ANCHOR BOLTS NEED NOT BE SALVAGED.

This note should only be used if there is a specific request from the field office for the Iowa DOT to keep the railing. See also E131.

E442: Removal, HMA overlay

THE PRICE BID FOR "REMOVAL OF ASPHALT CEMENT CONCRETE SURFACING" SHALL BE CONSIDERED FULL COMPENSATION FOR REMOVAL OF THE EXISTING H.M.A. OVERLAY TO THE LIMITS SHOWN. THE REMOVED MATERIAL SHALL BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE CONTRACTOR.

Use this note when a bridge has an HMA overlay.

E443: Keyways, dimensions and bevel

KEYWAY DIMENSIONS SHOWN ON THE PLANS ARE BASED ON NOMINAL DIMENSIONS UNLESS STATED OTHERWISE. IN ADDITION, THE BEVEL USED ON THE KEYWAY SHALL BE LIMITED TO A MAXIMUM OF 10 DEGREES FROM VERTICAL.

There has been some confusion in the field on the keyway dimensions for construction joints, whether they are based on nominal or actual dimensions (for example, 2 x 4 or 1½ inches x 3½ inches). Also, questions have been raised about the keyway bevel. Contractors generally prefer as much bevel as possible to make it easier to remove the keyway forms after casting; however, the office would like to limit the bevel to provide a better shear plane across the joint.

Provide this note on all projects currently being developed. The Assistant Bridge Engineer will be working with the Specifications Committee to include information in the Iowa DOT Standard Specifications.

E445: Heavy construction equipment, bridge protection during beam replacement

HEAVY CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON THE BRIDGE DURING CONSTRUCTION UNLESS PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER IS OBTAINED. APPROVAL SHALL BE OBTAINED BY SUBMITTING A WRITTEN REQUEST TO THE ENGINEER. THIS REQUEST SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

1. A DETAILED PLAN ADEQUATELY DESCRIPTION THE EQUIPMENT AND HOW IT IS PROPOSED TO BE USED. THIS PLAN SHALL CONTAIN, AS A MINIMUM, THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

   A. THE CONFIGURATION AND WEIGHT OF THE EQUIPMENT PROPOSED TO BE PLACED ON THE BRIDGE.

   B. THE PROPOSED LOCATION(S) OF THE EQUIPMENT ON THE BRIDGE DURING ALL LIFTING OPERATIONS.

   C. THE WEIGHT OF ALL PROPOSED LIFTS TO BE MADE BY THE EQUIPMENT.

   D. THE LOAD TO ALL WHEELS/AXLES/OUTRIGGERS/CRAWLERS RESULTING FROM THE PROPOSED LIFTING OPERATIONS, DURING ALL CRITICAL PHASES OF THE LIFTING OPERATIONS.
2. THE NECESSARY CALCULATIONS TO VERIFY THAT NO COMPONENT OF THE BRIDGE WILL BE OVERSTRESSED DURING THE PROPOSED USE OF THE EQUIPMENT ON THE BRIDGE. THE CALCULATIONS SHALL BE CERTIFIED BY A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER CURRENTLY LICENSED TO PRACTICE ENGINEERING IN THE STATE OF IOWA.

When replacing prestressed concrete beams that have been damaged by high loads it has been office practice to include a plan note that prohibits placing heavy construction equipment on the deck during repair operations. Several contractors have requested exceptions to this restriction stating that they have the necessary equipment to do any removal and/or replacement from the deck, and by so doing cause less of an obstruction to traffic using the highway below. In Chapter 11 of the Construction Manual the Office of Construction recently defined loads that require review and approval, and thus there will be reason in addition to this plan note for the contractor to submit deck loading plans.

The office has no objection to the placing of construction equipment on the bridge deck providing the traffic requirements across the bridge can still be satisfied and that no portions of the structure are overstressed during repair operations.

Therefore, on plans involving the replacement of damaged prestressed concrete beams this note should be included.

E447: Heavy construction equipment, bridge protection during overlays and re-overlays
READY MIX TRUCKS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON THE PREPARED PORTION OF THE BRIDGE DECK.

Since the deck or slab will be in a weakened state during an overlay or re-overlay project, ready mix trucks are specifically excluded from being on the prepared portion of the bridge deck.

E450: Approach pavement, new PCC
THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONSTRUCT NEW BRIDGE APPROACH PAVEMENT AS NOTED AND SHOWN. THE PRICE BID FOR "BRIDGE APPROACH SECTION, REINFORCED AS PER PLAN" SHALL BE FULL COMPENSATION FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING P.C. CONCRETE APPROACH PAVEMENT, INCLUDING EXCAVATION REINFORCING STEEL AND JOINT MATERIAL REQUIRED.

This note should be used for approach slab repair (non-standard) situations where a portion of the approach slab is replaced or where special details or reinforcing is required in the approach slab and shown on the plans.

E451: Approach pavement, PCC overlay
THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PLACE PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE OVERLAY ON THE BRIDGE APPROACH PAVEMENT AS NOTED AND SHOWN ON STANDARD ROAD PLAN BR-111. PAYMENT FOR THIS WORK SHALL BE NOTED ON STANDARD ROAD PLAN BR-111.

Include this note only when the overlay quantity for the approaches is part of the bridge quantities.

E461: Backwall repair, Class C concrete
THE TOPS OF THE ABUTMENT BACKWALLS AS SHOWN SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED USING STRUCTURAL CONCRETE CLASS C. PROMPTLY AFTER THE CONCRETE HAS BEEN PLACED AND VIBRATED AS PROVIDED IN ARTICLES 2403.03, C, AND 2403.03, D, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, IT SHALL BE HAND FINISHED TO PROVIDE A SMOOTH SURFACE WITH THE PROPER CROWN. THE CONTRACTOR MAY ELECT TO USE FORMWORK WHICH IS MARKED OR TRIMMED TO THE CORRECT ELEVATION AND CROWN TO PROVIDE THE LIMITS FOR THE HAND FINISHING.
This note is used when a portion of or the entire backwall is being reconstructed.

Generally the top of the abutment backwall is 1.00 foot or less in width, depending on the type of expansion joint. This is too narrow an area to realistically use any type of vibrator screed. Typically the tops of abutment backwalls are surveyed and closely graded on the formwork. The concrete finishing is performed by vibrating the concrete with stinger vibrators, and then the concrete surface is hand float finished. The contractor would not be able to use either a finishing machine or a vibratory screed and achieve as good a grade and finish as they can by closely grading the formwork and hand float finishing.

E462: Backwall repair, earth support, stage construction

IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO SUPPORT THE EARTH AND/OR GRANULAR MATERIAL BEHIND THE ABUTMENT DURING RECONSTRUCTION OF THE ABUTMENT BACKWALLS BY SOME METHOD APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. ALL COSTS FOR SUPPORTING THE EARTH AND/OR GRANULAR MATERIAL SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR "CLASS 20 EXCAVATION".

This note is used when a backwall is being reconstructed under stage construction.

E463: Concrete sealer, barrier rail

THE TOP AND INTERIOR FACES OF THE EXISTING CONCRETE RAILING ARE TO BE CLEANED AND SEALED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2403.03, P, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. IF NEW SECTIONS OF RAIL ARE CONSTRUCTED, THE NEW SECTIONS SHALL NOT BE SEALED. ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH CLEANING AND SEALING OF THE CONCRETE RAILS SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE UNIT PRICE BID ITEM "??".

If repair work is being done on a bridge, the field has requested that we apply concrete sealer to the traffic face and top of the existing concrete barrier rails. This should apply when overlays are being applied or when rail end sections are being updated on the structures. Do not seal rails unless other repairs require traffic control for both sides of the bridge.

New concrete barrier rails shall not be sealed. There is concern that the sealant prevents proper curing of the concrete and therefore should not be applied to new concrete surfaces.

The cost of the sealing should be made incidental to a contract item. Examples of bid items in which it could be included are: “Concrete Repair”, “Repair Beam Ends”, “Deck Overlay” or “Structural Concrete”.

One issue to consider before adding the sealing work to the plans is the condition of the existing barrier rail. If the barrier has severe deterioration, consider whether repairs need to be made first before sealing, or if the sealing is worth the cost.

E470: Paint, raise plate on expansion device

SURFACES OF EXISTING EXPANSION DEVICE ARE TO BE CLEANED OF EXISTING CORROSION AND PAINT IN PREPARATION FOR FIELD WELDING. THE 1 1/2 " THICK RAISE PLATES FOR THE EXPANSION DEVICE ARE TO BE CLEANED AND PAINTED AFTER FIELD WELDING TO THE EXISTING EXPANSION DEVICE. THE CLEANING IS TO BE BY VACUUM BLAST OR BY A NON-BLASTING METHOD AND IS TO COMPLY WITH THE STEEL STRUCTURES PAINTING COUNCIL SPECIFICATIONS SSPC-SP3. THE EXPOSED TOP SURFACES OF THE COMPLETED EXPANSION DEVICE ARE TO BE GIVEN ONE COAT OF BOTH A RUST INHIBITOR TYPE PRIMER AND FINAL COAT AS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. THE COLOR OF THE DRY PAINT SHOULD APPROXIMATE THE COLOR OF CONCRETE. ONLY THE EXPOSED SURFACES OF THE EXPANSION DEVICE AND RAISE
PLATES ARE TO BE PAINTED. NO PAINTING OF OTHER STEEL IS REQUIRED. BECAUSE OF THE SMALL QUANTITY, ALL COST ASSOCIATED WITH CLEANING AND PAINTING OF THE EXPANSION DEVICE AS NOTED IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE BID ITEM "PAINTING STRUCTURAL STEEL".

THE BID ITEM "STRUCTURAL STEEL" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH FURNISHING AND INSTALLING RAISE PLATES ON EXPANSION DEVICE AS SHOWN EXCEPT ITEMS INCLUDED IN THE BID ITEM "PAINTING STRUCTURAL STEEL" AND THE BID ITEM "CONTAINMENT".

Coating is to be specified in generic terms. Expand the definition of structural steel when appropriate. Use containment note and scrape test note. See the cleaning and painting article in the bridge design manual [BDM 12.1.9.5.2].

E471: Paint, strip seal on sliding plate
SURFACES OF EXISTING EXPANSION DEVICE AS DETAILED IN THESE PLANS ARE TO BE CLEANED OF EXISTING CORROSION AND PAINT IN PREPARATION FOR FIELD WELDING. THE NEW STEEL EXTRUSION TO BE PAINTED SHALL BE CLEANED AND PAINTED AFTER FIELD WELDING TO THE EXISTING EXPANSION DEVICE. THE CLEANING IS TO BE BY VACUUM BLAST OR BY A NON-BLASTING METHOD AND IS TO COMPLY WITH THE STEEL STRUCTURES PAINTING COUNCIL SPECIFICATIONS SSPC-SP3. THE EXPOSED SURFACES OF THE COMPLETED EXPANSION DEVICE ARE TO BE GIVEN ONE COAT OF BOTH A RUST INHIBITOR TYPE PRIMER AND FINAL COAT AS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. THE COLOR OF THE DRY PAINT SHOULD APPROXIMATE THE COLOR OF CONCRETE. ONLY THOSE SURFACES OF THE EXPANSION DEVICE NOTED TO BE PAINTED ARE TO BE PAINTED. NO PAINTING OF OTHER STRUCTURAL STEEL IS REQUIRED. BECAUSE OF THE SMALL QUANTITY, ALL COST ASSOCIATED WITH CLEANING AND PAINTING OF THE EXPANSION DEVICE AS NOTED IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE BID ITEM "PAINTING STRUCTURAL STEEL".

THE BID ITEM "STEEL EXTRUSION JOINT WITH NEOPRENE" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH FURNISHING AND INSTALLING THE EXPANSION DEVICE AS SHOWN, EXCEPT ITEMS INCLUDED IN THE BID ITEM "PAINTING STRUCTURAL STEEL" AND THE BID ITEM "CONTAINMENT".

Coating is to be specified in generic terms. Use this note when a strip seal is to be installed on a sliding plate expansion device. The plans should show what is to be painted. Use containment note and scrape test note.

See the cleaning and painting article in the bridge design manual [BDM 12.1.9.5.2].

E472A: Paint, minor part repainting, steel bridge
THE LUMP SUM BID FOR "PAINTING STRUCTURAL STEEL" SHALL INCLUDE THE COST OF PREPARING ALL THE EXISTING STRUCTURAL STEEL FOR PAINTING (INCLUDING BEARINGS) AND FIELD PAINTING EXISTING STRUCTURAL STEEL AS NOTED IN THESE PLANS. CLEANING AND PAINTING SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. AN EPOXY PAINT SYSTEM SHALL BE USED.

Use this note for repainting of minor parts (bearings, expansion devices, etc.) of steel bridges. Repainting is normally a separate contract. Use containment note and scrape test note. The bid items "Bridge Cleaning for Painting" and "Blast Cleaning of Structural Steel" shall not be used, but considered incidental and included in "Painting of Structural Steel".

E472B: Paint, complete repainting, steel bridge
THE LUMP SUM BID FOR "BRIDGE CLEANING FOR PAINTING" SHALL INCLUDE THE COSTS OF REMOVAL OF ACCUMULATED FOREIGN MATERIAL, LOOSE PAINT AND
WATER WASHING IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

THE LUMP SUM BID FOR "BLAST CLEANING OF STRUCTURAL STEEL" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS FOR THE PREPARATION OF STEEL SURFACES THAT REQUIRE PAINTING IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

THE LUMP SUM BID FOR "PAINTING OF STRUCTURAL STEEL" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS FOR PAINTING THE STRUCTURAL STEEL IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. AN EPOXY PAINT SYSTEM SHALL BE USED. BEFORE CLEANING THE EXISTING STRUCTURAL STEEL, THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR SHALL REMOVE ANY ATTACHMENTS NOT BEING REUSED. IN ADDITION, ANY EXISTING STEEL INACCESSIBLE AFTER REASSEMBLY WILL BE GIVEN THE FULL PAINT SYSTEM BEFORE FINAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STRUCTURE.

Use this note for steel bridges that are being remodeled, where complete repainting is required. Use containment note and scrape test note.

E472C: Paint, strengthening angles, steel bridge

THE LUMP SUM BID ITEMS FOR "BRIDGE CLEANING FOR PAINTING", "BLAST CLEANING OF STRUCTURAL STEEL" AND "PAINTING OF STRUCTURAL STEEL" SHALL INCLUDE THE COSTS OF CLEANING, BLAST CLEANING AND FIELD PAINTING OF THE EXISTING STRUCTURAL STEEL AREA WHERE THE STRENGTHENING ANGLES WILL BE INSTALLED. THE BID ITEMS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THE PAINT SYSTEM REQUIRED IS DESCRIBED IN THE "BEAM STRENGTHENING NOTES" IN THESE PLANS.

Bid items for “Bridge Cleaning for Painting”, “Blast Cleaning of Structural Steel” and “Painting of Structural Steel” and "Containment" shall be included on the plan in accordance with Article 2508.01, A, Non-Hazardous Paint Removal, of the Standard Specifications.

Place "Beam Strengthening Notes" E1000 on the detail sheet, which shows the strengthening angles.

E473: Paint, bearing repainting, concrete bridge

ABUTMENT BEARINGS (SOLE PLATES AND MASONRY PLATES) ARE TO BE CLEANED AND PAINTED. CLEANING BY VACUUM BLASTING OR BY A NON-BLASTING METHOD IS REQUIRED. SURFACE TO BE PAINTED SHALL BE PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STEEL STRUCTURES PAINTING COUNCIL (SSPC) SP3. SURFACES OF THE ABUTMENT BEARINGS ARE TO BE GIVEN ONE COAT OF BOTH A RUST INHIBITOR TYPE PRIMER AND FINAL COAT AS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. THE COLOR OF THE DRY PAINT SHOULD APPROXIMATE THE COLOR OF CONCRETE. THIS WORK SHALL BE MEASURED AND PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER LUMP SUM FOR THE BID ITEM, "PAINTING OF STRUCTURAL STEEL".

Coating is to be specified in generic terms. This note is to be used on repair of a concrete beam bridge when bearings require painting. Check with the supervising Section Leader or District personnel to see if this should be part of contract the or if the bridge crew can handle the work. Include containment note and scrape test note.

E474: Paint, containment and disposal

CONTAINMENT AND DISPOSAL OF WASTE SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH HAULING AND DEPOSITING OF WASTE AT THE DESIGNATED SITE/FACILITY SHALL BE THE
RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR AND INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT PRICE BID FOR THE “CONTAINMENT” ITEM.

This note is to be used when removing paint from an existing structure. The scrape test results will be used to determine if the waste is considered hazardous or not. Different containment and disposal methods are specified for hazardous and nonhazardous paint. In addition, the bid item “Paint Waste Transport and Disposal” is required for hazardous waste.

**E480: Scrape test, lead and chromium ppm**

A SCRAPE SAMPLE WAS TAKEN FROM AN AREA OF THIS BRIDGE TO GET AN INDICATION OF THE EXISTENCE OF AND LEVEL OF TOTAL LEAD AND TOTAL CHROMIUM. ANALYSIS OF TOTAL LEAD ON THIS SAMPLE WAS ____ PARTS PER MILLION (PPM). ANALYSIS OF TOTAL CHROMIUM ON THIS SAMPLE WAS ____ PPM. THESE ANALYSES SHOW THE EXISTENCE OF THESE TWO TOXIC CONSTITUENTS. LEVELS INDICATED BY THESE TESTS COULD CREATE CONDITIONS ABOVE REGULATORY LIMITS FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS. NO OTHER CONSTITUENTS WERE ANALYZED. THE BIDDER SHOULD NOT RELY ON THE IOWA DOT’S TESTING AND ANALYSIS FOR ANY PURPOSE OTHER THAN AS AN INDICATION OF THE EXISTENCE OF THESE TWO TOXIC CONSTITUENTS.

Place this note on any plan requiring a paint scrape test. Scrape tests will be required in the following situations:

1. When a new bridge or culvert requires removal of an existing bridge that has painted structural steel. If the only steel on an existing bridge is expansion joint plate steel, a scrape test is not required, however, if the scrape test data is already available include the note in the plans.
2. On retrofit rail projects when the existing steel rail is to be removed.
3. On repair projects when cleaning and painting structural steel, including raise plates, bearings, and strengthening angles.
4. Bridge remodeling or widening where painting of or removal of the steel beams is involved.

The designer within the DOT should check to see if scrape tests have been performed on an existing bridge by checking the following Office of Location and Environment (OLE) database on the W-drive. If the bridge is not in the database, the designer should ask that the Assistant Bridge Engineer request a scrape test from OLE.

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Modify this note if a leachable amount of lead or chromium is provided with the scrape test results. In that case, place the leachable amount in parenthesis after the sample results as follows: (INCLUDES ____ PPM LEACHABLE).

If the leachable amount of lead or chromium is 5.0 PPM or greater the material is considered hazardous. If the lead or chromium is in excess of 35,000 PPM and a leachable amount is not available, it is assumed that the material is hazardous.

If the paint is removed from the steel by a cleaning process and there is a significant amount of paint waste (i.e. a widening or remodeling project involving complete repaint) and the paint is considered or assumed to be hazardous, the designer shall provide bid items to address handling of hazardous material.

Scrape tests are required for steel bridge removal, including steel rail retrofits. Designers need to inform the supervising Section Leader early in the design phase of any project.
requiring structural steel removal so that scrape tests can be received before job turn-in. The section leader will then notify the Assistant Bridge Engineer, who will order the scrape tests. Results of the test analyses will be returned to us to be included on the plans as noted.

If retrofit rail plans, including removal of steel handrails, are incorporated into road plans, place the scrape test note on the retrofit rail plan.

**E481: Scrape test, bridge demolition, hazardous levels of lead and chromium**

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONDUCT THEIR OPERATIONS IN SUCH A MANNER THAT ANY PAINT REMOVED DURING DEMOLITION IS CONTAINED, COLLECTED, AND DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. BEFORE DELIVERY OF ANY SCRAP STEEL THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE A WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE RECEIVING FACILITY. THIS NOTICE SHALL AT A MINIMUM INCLUDE:

1. A NOTICE THAT THE SCRAP STEEL IS COATED WITH PAINT THAT HAS REGULATED MATERIALS AT LEVELS WHICH COULD BE HAZARDOUS TO EMPLOYEES OR THE ENVIRONMENT.
2. A COPY OF THE SCRAPE SAMPLE PROVIDED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.
3. A SIGNATURE BLOCK FOR THE RECEIVING FACILITY TO CONFIRM THEIR RECEIPT OF THIS INFORMATION.

A COPY OF THIS NOTICE, SIGNED BY THE RECEIVING FACILITY, SHALL BE RETURNED TO THE ENGINEER BEFORE ANY SCRAP STEEL IS REMOVED FROM THE PROJECT.

This plan note should be used for bridge demolition projects that have hazardous levels of paint. This would include the minor projects where we remove painted railings, expansion devices, etc. as intact units. Hazardous levels are defined as levels of chromium or lead in the paint system at leachable levels of 5.0 PPM or greater determined by TCLP (leach test) or total levels greater than 35,000 PPM without a leachable amount determined by TCLP.

The designer within the DOT should check to see if scrape tests have been performed on an existing bridge by checking the following Office of Location and Environment (OLE) database on the W-drive. If the bridge is not in the database, the designer should ask that the Assistant Bridge Engineer request a scrape test from OLE.

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Add the following sentence to the end of the note when the Section 2508 paint waste transport and disposal bid item is not being used. Removal of intact masonry plates having potentially hazardous paint would be an example of a situation that requires the additional sentence.

**THE COST OF HANDLING AND DISPOSAL OF ANY PAINTED STEEL OR REMOVED PAINT IS INCIDENTAL TO THE REMOVAL BID ITEM.**

**E485: Asbestos removal, location and areas**

LABORATORY ANALYSIS HAS IDENTIFIED ASBESTOS AT THIS SITE. ASBESTOS SHALL BE REMOVED PRIOR TO BRIDGE DEMOLITION OPERATIONS. REMOVAL, TRANSPORT, AND DISPOSAL SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2536, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. REQUIRED DNR INFORMATION INCLUDES:

YEAR CONSTRUCTED __________________________________________
Identify year bridge was constructed and specific locations where asbestos is present. For example, asbestos may be present in the grey caulk around the base plates of a walkway railing. If appropriate, indicate the number of base plates and the area affected. Reword the note as necessary to describe particular situations. Include lump sum bid item 2536-6745045 Removal of Asbestos in the estimated quantities table. See BDM 12.1.9.1.9 for additional information.

E490: Retrofit barrier rail, existing conduit

THE CONTRACTOR'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE EXISTING CONDUIT IN THE BRIDGE CURBS. IN ORDER TO ENSURE THE EXISTING CONDUITS ARE NOT DAMAGED DURING PLACEMENT OF THE CAST-IN-PLACE BARRIER RAIL, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO DO THE FOLLOWING:

1. PHYSICALLY LOCATE THE CONDUIT AT APPROXIMATELY 50 FOOT INTERVALS PRIOR TO DRILLING ANY HOLES FOR 3/4" DIAMETER DOWEL BARS.

2. AFTER COMPLETION OF DRILLING FOR THE 3/4" DOWEL BARS AND PRIOR TO PLACEMENT OF THE DOWELS, PROVE TO THE INSPECTOR BY A REASONABLE METHOD THE USABILITY OF THE CONDUIT HAS NOT BEEN COMPROMISED.

COST OF THESE OPERATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE COST OF THE CAST-IN-PLACE BARRIER RAIL. ANY DAMAGE TO THE CONDUIT OR WIRING BY THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR AND REPAIRED AT NO EXTRA COST TO THE STATE.

On some of the urban bridges where rail retrofits are to be installed, conduits for future electrification may have been placed in the existing curb. When conduits are in the curb, the barrier rail shall be widened from 10" to 1'-2 to attempt to miss the conduit. In addition, this note shall be placed on the plans.

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E600: Design, intent, RCB culvert
IT IS THE INTENT OF THIS DESIGN TO CONSTRUCT A ____ x ____ x ____ REINFORCED CONCRETE BOX CULVERT SKewed ___° ___ AHEAD AT STATIONS ___+. Use this note on RCB culvert projects. Modify the description for tapered inlets, drop inlets, flume outlets, differently skewed headwalls, RCB extensions, structure replaced, etc.

E601A: Design, specification, 1983 AASHTO
THE R.C.B. CULVERT SECTIONS ARE DESIGNED FOR HS20-44 LIVE LOAD AND EARTH FILLS OF x FT. THIS DESIGN IS BASED ON LOAD FACTOR DESIGN, ACCORDING TO THE 1983 AASHTO SPECIFICATIONS, FOR VERTICAL LOADS THE WEIGHT OF EARTH IS ASSUMED AS 140 PCF AND FOR LATERAL EARTH LOADS EQUIVALENT FLUID PRESSURE IS ASSUMED AS 36 PSF/FT. Z = 170 k/in FOR CRACK CONTROL.

Loading given in this note is from 1983 AASHTO specifications and is applicable for culverts using the current English single and twin RCB standards. This note is not required on the plan if the RCB-G1-87 or TWRCB-G1-87 standard is referenced. Use the E601B note for RCB culverts designed using the program SIGLBOX or MULTIBOX.

E601B: Design, specification, 1992 AASHTO
THE R.C.B. CULVERT SECTIONS ARE DESIGNED FOR HS 20-44 LIVE LOAD AND EARTH FILLS OF x FEET. THIS DESIGN IS BASED ON LOAD FACTOR DESIGN, ACCORDING TO THE 1992 AASHTO SPECIFICATIONS, FOR VERTICAL LOADS THE WEIGHT OF EARTH IS ASSUMED AS 120 Fe PCF AND FOR LATERAL EARTH LOADS THE EQUIVALENT FLUID PRESSURE IS ASSUMED AS 30 PSF/FT. OR 60 PSF/FT. Z = 170 k/in FOR CRACK CONTROL.

Loading given in this note is from 1992 AASHTO specifications.

Use this note for non-standard English (The SIGLBOX or MULTIBOX program is used for lengths in excess of 25’ or box size not covered by standards,) or triple RCB English standards. Current triple RCB English standards are designed for this loading case, however single and twin RCB English standards are designed with 1983 AASHTO specifications. Additional work to update the standards to AASHTO LRFD will be addressed in the future.

E601C: Design, specification, 2012 AASHTO
THE RCB CULVERT SECTIONS ARE DESIGNED FOR HL-93 LIVE LOAD AND EARTH FILLS OF XXX FEET.

THE RCB CULVERT SECTIONS ARE DESIGNED FOR CLASS 1 EXPOSURE CONDITIONS EXCEPT: CLASS 2 EXPOSURE CONDITION IS UTILIZED FOR THE SLAB DESIGN IN 0’ FILL INSTANCES.

E602: Existing structure, faint lines
FAINT LINES ON PLANS INDICATE EXISTING STRUCTURE.

E603A: Utility notification, urban
UTILITY COMPANIES AND MUNICIPALITIES WHOSE FACILITIES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR KNOWN TO BE WITHIN THE CONSTRUCTION LIMITS SHALL BE NOTIFIED BY THE CONTRACTOR OF THE CONSTRUCTION STARTING DATE.
E603B: Utility notification, rural
UTILITY COMPANIES WHOSE FACILITIES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR KNOWN TO BE WITHIN THE CONSTRUCTION LIMITS SHALL BE NOTIFIED BY THE CONTRACTOR OF THE CONSTRUCTION STARTING DATE.

E604: Design, culvert standards
STANDARDS:

FOR DETAILS AND NOTES NOT SHOWN REFER TO THE FOLLOWING IOWA D.O.T. – CULVERT STANDARDS:

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E606: Headwall curtain walls, dewatering, alternate methods
WHEN DE-WATERING PRESENTS A PROBLEM FOR PLACING THE CURTAIN WALLS AS DETAILED, ALTERNATE METHODS SUCH AS STEEL SHEET PILE AND PRECAST CONCRETE WALLS MAY BE APPROVED BUT AT NO ADDITIONAL COST. THE CULVERT CONTRACTOR IS TO SUBMIT TO THE ENGINEER FOR APPROVAL COMPLETE DRAWINGS OF THE PROPOSED CURTAIN WALL ALTERNATE BEFORE BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION.

Place this note on all culvert plans that have headwall curtain walls. The criteria for approving a sheet pile alternate to the cast in place concrete curtain wall are as follows:

1. The top of the sheet piles is to extend a minimum of 6" into the concrete culvert floor.
2. The bottom of the sheet piles is to extend into the ground to an elevation at least 3' lower than the bottom elevation of the concrete curtain wall being replaced.
3. The steel sheet pile shall be a minimum thickness of 3/8".

E607: Bell joints, upstream end
BELL JOINTS SHALL BE PLACED ON THE UPSTREAM END OF THE BARREL SECTIONS.

Use for all culverts that require bell joints.

E610A: Traffic control plan, roadway open
THE ROADWAY WILL BE OPEN TO TRAFFIC DURING CONSTRUCTION. SEE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN NOTE.

E610B: Traffic control plan, roadway closed
THE ROADWAY WILL BE CLOSED TO TRAFFIC DURING CONSTRUCTION. SEE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN NOTE.

E611: Traffic control plan, traffic maintained, flowable mortar
THIS CULVERT IS TO BE BUILT UNDER THE EXISTING xx WITH TRAFFIC MAINTAINED AT ALL TIMES. SEE DESIGN SHEETS IN THESE PLANS FOR ROAD WORK INCLUDED IN THIS PROJECT.

Use for flowable mortar backfill type projects. Give bridge size and type.
E620: Concrete, minimum clearances
REINFORCING BAR CLEARANCES WILL BE AS FOLLOWS:
EDGE CLEARANCES: 2" EXCEPT
TOP OF FLOOR 2 1/4 " TO NEAR TRANSV. REINF. BAR
BOTTOM OF FLOOR 3 1/2 " TO NEAR TRANSV. REINF.
BAR END CLEARANCES:
VERTICAL TOP 2"
VERTICAL BOTTOM 3 1/2 
TRANSVERSE 2"

E621: Concrete, floor barrel
FLOOR OF BARREL IS TO BE FINISHED SMOOTH. SIDES OF FOOTING ARE TO BE FORMED TO INSURE CORRECT LINE AND GRADE.

E622: Concrete, construction joints, keyway
ALL CONSTRUCTION JOINTS ARE TO BE FORMED WITH BEVELED 2 x 4 KEYWAYS, EXCEPT AT BELL JOINTS.

E623: Concrete, construction joint, top of wall
THE PERMISSIBLE CONSTRUCTION JOINT AT THE TOP OF THE WALLS MAY BE LOWERED AT THE CONTRACTOR'S OPTION WITH ENGINEER'S APPROVAL.

E624: Concrete, finishing, roadway surface
THE TOP SLAB SURFACE WILL BE FINISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2301.03. MACROTEXTURE SHALL BE APPLIED LONGITUDINALLY (PARALLEL TO CENTERLINE OF THE ROADWAY). MACROTEXTURE SHALL BE PLACED ON THE ENTIRE TOP SURFACE OF THE TOP SLAB EXCEPT IN THE AREA WITHIN APPROXIMATELY 2 FEET OF THE PARAPET.

Use note E624 to allow longitudinal tining by hand when traffic will ride on the top slab of the culvert.

E625: Paving notch, protection
IF NECESSARY TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO THE END OF THE CULVERT SLAB OR CULVERT WALLS FROM CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, AN APPROPRIATE METHOD OF PROTECTION APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER SHALL BE PROVIDED BY THE CULVERT CONTRACTOR AT NO EXTRA COST TO THE STATE.

When traffic will ride on the top slab of the culvert, provide this note for paving notch protection.

E630: Reinforcing, construction joint, no bell joints
EXCEPT FOR DOWEL BARS 5r1, LONGITUDINAL REINFORCING IS NOT TO EXTEND THRU THE CONSTRUCTION JOINTS.

Use this note only if bell joints are not required.

E631: Reinforcing, support intervals
ALL SLAB AND FLOOR REINFORCING STEEL IS TO BE SUPPORTED AT INTERVALS OF NOT MORE THAN 3'-O IN EITHER DIRECTION AS OUTLINED IN THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

E632A: Reinforcing, splice, bar spacing 6 inches or more
THE VERTICAL BARS IN THE WALLS MAY BE SPliced ABOVE THE FOOTING AT THE CONTRACTOR'S OPTION AS FOLLOWS:
BAR SIZE NUMBER 4 5 6 7 8
MINIMUM SPLICE LENGTH  17"  21"  25"  34"  44"
THIS SPLICE, IF USED WILL BE AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.

Use this note when vertical wall bars are spaced at 6" or greater intervals. Do not allow this splice if culvert height is 5' or less.

E632B: Reinforcing, splice, bar spacing less than 6 inches
THE VERTICAL BARS IN THE WALLS MAY BE SPLICED ABOVE THE FOOTING AT THE CONTRACTOR'S OPTION AS FOLLOWS:
BAR SIZE NUMBER  4  5  6  7  8
MINIMUM SPLICE LENGTH  21"  26"  31"  43"  55"
THIS SPLICE, IF USED WILL BE AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.

Use this note when vertical wall bars are spaced at less than 6" intervals. Do not allow this splice if culvert height is 5' or less.

E633: Reinforcing, concrete pipe or CMP openings
A ?" DIAMETER RF-1 PIPE (OR CMP) IS TO BE CAST IN THE WALL (OR SLAB) AT THE LOCATION INDICATED. THE CONTRACTOR IS TO FURNISH A 4 FOOT SECTION OF PIPE. THE PIPE IS TO BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE UNIT PRICE BID FOR STRUCTURAL CONCRETE. THE LONGITUDINAL AND TRANSVERSE BARS, IN THE AREA OF THE OPENING, ARE TO BE FIELD CUT AND BENT TO PROVIDE FOR 2" MINIMUM CLEARANCE ALL AROUND THE OPENING.

An estimate reference information note for the “Structural Concrete” bid item needs to be included. This note will indicate the pipe size and length and make the furnishing and placing incidental to the cost of the “Structural Concrete”.

E634: Paving notch, dowels
PAVING NOTCH DOWELS SHALL BE STAINLESS STEEL DEFORMED BAR GRADE 60, MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS OF MATERIALS I.M. 452. THE WEIGHT OF THE STAINLESS STEEL PAVING NOTCH DOWEL BAR IS TO BE INCLUDED WITH THE WEIGHT OF THE EPOXY COATED REINFORCING STEEL. ADDITIONAL COST IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR "REINFORCING STEEL - EPOXY COATED".

When traffic will ride on the top slab of the culvert the approach slab shall be tied to the paving notch with stainless steel dowels. Use E634/M 634 to specify the stainless steel material.

E640: Stage construction, typical method
NEW CULVERT CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DONE IN STAGES AS SPECIFIED ON THE STAGE CONSTRUCTION LAYOUTS. ONE LANE OF TWO-WAY TRAFFIC IS TO BE MAINTAINED ON THE EXISTING ROADWAY DURING STAGE I AND ON A TEMPORARY RUNAROUND DURING STAGE II.

This is the typical method for staging RCB culvert construction.

E650: Removal, parapet, RCB extension
REMOVAL OF THE EXISTING CULVERT SHALL BE ON A VERTICAL PLANE PARALLEL WITH AND AT THE FRONT FACE OF THE EXISTING PARAPET, AND TO THE WIDTH OF THE FLOOR OF THE PROPOSED EXTENSION. THE REMOVAL LINE SHALL BE INITIATED WITH A 2 1/2 "± DEEP SAW CUT ON THE TOP AND BOTH SIDES OF EACH WALL, AND ACROSS THE TOP OF THE FLOOR. THIS SAW CUT SHOULD CUT THRU ANY EXISTING LONGITUDINAL REINFORCING THEREBY FACILITATING A NEAT NON-SPALLED BREAK LINE, IF EXISTING TOP OF PARAPETS WILL BE WITHIN 0'-6 OF PROPOSED SUBGRADE ELEVATION, THE PARAPETS SHALL BE REMOVED DOWN TO AN ELEVATION 1"± ABOVE
THE TOP OF THE EXISTING SLAB. ANY EXISTING PARAPET VERTICAL BARS EXPOSED DURING PARAPET REMOVAL SHALL BE CUT OFF FLUSH WITH THE PARAPET REMOVAL LINE AND PAINTED WITH TWO COATS OF ZINC RICH PAINT.

Use this note for RCB culvert extension projects.

E651: Removal, entire structure
REMOVALS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2401, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

E660: Excavation, by others
ANY CHANNEL EXCAVATION BEYOND THE INLET OR OUTLET ENDS OF THE CULVERT IS TO BE DONE BY OTHERS AND IS NOT A PART OF THIS CONTRACT.

On projects where road and bridge plans are combined, do not reference work shown in the plans to be done "by others". On combined plans there are no "others".

E661: Excavation, excess Class 20
EXCESS CLASS 20 EXCAVATION MATERIAL SUITABLE FOR BACKFILLING SHALL BE STOCKPILED AT THE CONSTRUCTION SITE, AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

Notify the road design section how much excess excavation is available, and determine if the excess excavation is needed for backfilling or other roadwork.

If the material is suitable and can be used by another contractor at the site, include this note in the plan; otherwise the contractor must dispose of the material in accordance with the Standard Specifications [IDOT SS 2402.03, G]. This note is typically used when backfilling is done using flowable mortar.

E662: Excavation, rock encountered
IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT ROCK MAY BE ENCOUNTERED WHEN CONSTRUCTING THIS BOX CULVERT. IF IT IS ENCOUNTERED IN THE AREA OF THE FLOOR OF THE CULVERT, THE ROCK IS TO BE REMOVED AT LEAST TO THE BOTTOM OF THE FLOOR OF THE CULVERT. IF IT IS ENCOUNTERED IN THE AREA OF THE APRON CURTAIN WALLS, THE CURTAIN WALL IS TO EXTEND INTO THE ROCK A MINIMUM OF 6”. SEE DETAILS IN THESE PLANS.

This note is to be used if Class 23 excavation is bid for earth removal.

The culvert design should be investigated to determine if the rock at the bottom of floor elevation creates a worse condition than the design assumptions made by the culvert design program. If stress conditions are worse, over excavation to 1' below the bottom of floor and backfilling with granular backfill should be considered.

E663: Excavation, Class 20 assumption
THE CLASS 20 EXCAVATION QUANTITY IS BASED ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT AT THE START OF CULVERT CONSTRUCTION, THE EXISTING GROUNDLINE SHOWN ON THE "SITUATION PLAN" ON DESIGN HAS REMAINED UNDISTURBED AND NO ROADWAY FILL HAS BEEN PLACED.

Use this note on all plans that will have roadway fill placed as part of another contract.

E670: Temporary shoring, culvert extensions
SINCE THE HIGHWAY WILL NOT BE CLOSED TO TRAFFIC DURING THIS CONSTRUCTION, THE CONTRACTOR MAY FEEL TEMPORARY SHORING (SHEET PILE OR OTHER) IS NECESSARY TO ENSURE THAT THE SHOULDER WILL NOT SLOUGH IN WHILE CULVERT
IS BEING EXTENDED. HOWEVER, IF FOR ANY REASON SUCH SHORING IS DEEMED NECESSARY, THE CULVERT CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A SHORING PLAN TO THE ENGINEER FOR APPROVAL. COST OF SHORING, IF REQUIRED, WILL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO CONSTRUCTION AND NO DIRECT PAYMENT WILL BE MADE. THEREFORE, ALL MATERIAL USED FOR SHORING SHALL REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF THE CONTRACTOR. IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS NOTED ABOVE, ARTICLE 1107.07, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, STILL APPLIES.

Use this note for culvert extensions.

**E680: Backfill, flowable mortar**

THE CULVERT SHALL BE BACKFILLED WITH FLOWABLE MORTAR. FOR FLOWABLE MORTAR DETAILS AND OTHER ROAD WORK SEE ROAD SHEETS IN THESE PLANS.

Check with the Office of Design to determine if flowable mortar is to be used as backfill.

**E685: Precast, bridge replacements**

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A PRECAST BOX INSTALLATION PLAN FOR REVIEW. THE PRECAST BOX INSTALLATION PLAN SHALL COVER METHOD OF PLACEMENT FOR BOX SECTIONS INSTALLED UNDER THE EXISTING BRIDGE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT PROCEED WITH PRECAST BOX INSTALLATION WITHOUT NOTICE TO PROCEED FROM THE ENGINEER.

THE PRECAST BOX INSTALLATION SUBMITTAL SHALL INCLUDE:

- METHOD OF INSTALLATION (E.G. LIFTING, SLIDING, ETC.)
- EQUIPMENT TO MOVE BOXES
- BOX ATTACHMENT LOCATIONS AND BOX ATTACHMENT DETAILS FOR MOVING OPERATIONS
- TEMPORARY AND PERMANENT SUPPORT SURFACE DETAILS AND LIMITS FOR BOXES

PRECAST BOX INSTALLATION SUBMITTAL AND ALL MATERIAL USED TO PERFORM THE INSTALLATION SHALL BE INCIDENTAL TO THE PRECAST CONCRETE BOX CULVERT BID ITEM.

Additional information can be found in BDM Article 7.3.4.2.3.

**E690: Precast, headwall and box option**

THE CULVERT CONTRACTOR MAY USE PRECAST BOX SECTIONS AND PRECAST HEADWALLS INSTEAD OF THE CAST IN PLACE SECTIONS AND HEADWALLS SHOWN ON THE PLANS. BEFORE BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT DETAILS OF THE PROPOSED PRECAST BOX SECTIONS AND HEADWALLS TO THE ENGINEER FOR APPROVAL. THE DETAILS SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

A. THE HEADWALL SHALL INCLUDE A PARAPET AT LEAST 1'-0 WIDE EXTENDING A MINIMUM OF 1'-0 ABOVE TOP OF SLAB.

B. HEADWALL WINGS MAY BE PARALLEL RATHER THAN FLARED. THE TOP OF WINGWALL BEGINS AT THE TOP OF PARAPET AND SLOPES DOWNWARD TO THE END OF APRON. AT THE END OF APRON THE TOP OF WINGWALL IS TO BE TWO FEET ABOVE FLOW LINE ELEVATION. FOR 0° SKEW CULVERTS THE SLOPE OF WINGWALL SHALL BE THREE HORIZONTAL TO ONE VERTICAL.

C. THE CURTAIN WALL SHALL BE THE SAME WIDTH AND EXTEND THE SAME DISTANCE BELOW FLOW LINE AS THE CURTAIN WALL FOR THE CAST IN PLACE BOX SHOWN ON THE PLANS.
D. WHEN PARALLEL WINGWALLS ARE USED, THE CLEAR SPAN DISTANCE OF THE PRECAST BOX SHALL BE INCREASED TO ONE FOOT GREATER THAN THE SPAN OF THE CAST IN PLACE BOX SHOWN ON THE PLANS.

E. WHEN THE CULVERT IS CONSTRUCTED ON A SKEW TO THE CENTERLINE OF ROADWAY, THE BACK TO BACK OF PARAPET DIMENSION SHALL BE LENGTHENED. THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE PARAPET CORNERS CLOSEST TO THE CENTERLINE OF ROADWAY SHALL EQUAL OR EXCEED THE BACK TO BACK OF PARAPET DIMENSION SHOWN ON THE PLANS. THE WINGWALLS OF SKEWED CULVERTS SHALL EXTEND TO A POINT WHERE THE END OF APRON CLOSEST TO THE CENTERLINE OF ROADWAY COINCIDES WITH A POINT TWO FEET ABOVE THE TOE OF THREE HORIZONTAL AND ONE VERTICAL FORESLOPE.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ALLOW TEN WORKING DAYS FOR THE ENGINEER'S REVIEW. FOR CONSTRUCTING THE PRECAST ALTERNATE THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE PAID THE UNIT BID PRICES FOR THE PLAN QUANTITIES OF STRUCTURAL CONCRETE AND REINFORCING STEEL.

The Specification Committee removed the option of using precast box culverts in 1995. (Reference Specification Committee minutes dated May 11, 1995.) The contractor may submit a value engineering proposal. Do not use this note unless specifically directed to do so. This note does not meet current office policy and remain in the listing for history only.

On Primary and Interstate system projects, the use of precast barrel sections and precast headwalls for box culverts may be allowed provided the following criteria are met:

1. Only on new single box culverts
2. The fill height must be greater than 2 ft and less than 20 ft.
3. The expected settlement must be less than 0.5 feet.

13.8 Bridge substructure
These notes are placed on the pier details sheets and on the abutment details sheets.

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E700: Pier concrete, minimum clearance

MINIMUM CLEAR DISTANCE FROM FACE OF CONCRETE TO NEAR REINFORCING BAR IS TO BE 2" UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED OR SHOWN.

E701: Pier concrete, construction joints, keyways

CONSTRUCTION JOINTS ARE TO BE FORMED WITH A 3 x 10 x * DRESSED AND BEVELED STRIP.

This note is to be used to key the columns of a T-pier to the cap and footing.

Length dimension shall be 5’ less than out to out of shaft.

E710: Pier reinforcing, bar shift at anchor bolts

REINFORCING BARS MAY BE SHIFTED SLIGHTLY TO CLEAR ANCHOR BOLTS.
To be used when anchor bolts for bearings are to be preset in pier cap. Refer to note E730.

E711: Pier reinforcing, column spiral
SPIRAL REINFORCING IS TO BE NO. XXXX BAR WITH XXXX" DIAMETER, 12" PITCH WITH 4 EQUALLY SPACED L 7/8 x 7/8 x 1/8 SPACERS PUNCHED TO HOLD SPIRALS. SPIRALS ARE TO HAVE 1 1/2 EXTRA Turns AT TOP AND BOTTOM COLUMNS.

THE SPIRAL REINFORCING MAY BE SPLICED BY LAPPING XXXX. THE LENGTH OF THE SPIRAL SHOWN DOES NOT INCLUDE THE LAPPED LENGTH OF THE SPLICES. THE COST OF THE LAPS AT SPLICES IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR OTHER REINFORCEMENT.

Use this note only with a 12" pitch spiral. Fill in bar size, column diameter, and lap length. Spiral reinforcement will typically consist of a No. 4 bar without epoxy coating and a 2'-2" lap.

E712: Pier reinforcing, column tie option
COLUMN TIES SPACED AT 12" CENTERS MAY BE SUBSTITUTED FOR THE SPIRAL REINFORCEMENT. PAYMENT WILL BE BASED ON THE WEIGHT OF SPIRAL REINFORCEMENT. NO ADJUSTMENTS IN REINFORCING STEEL PAY WEIGHT WILL BE ALLOWED. SEE BENT BAR DETAILS FOR SPLICE LAP LENGTH.

Use this note for columns with spirals with a 12" pitch. See the column detailing article [BDM 6.6.4.1.2.2].

E713: Pier reinforcing, column spiral reinforcement grade
ARTICLE 4151.03, A, 2, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED FOR SPIRAL REINFORCEMENT.

Use this note for columns with spirals if Grade 60 spiral reinforcement is required by design. Including this note will prevent possible substitution with Grade 40 reinforcement.

E714: Pier reinforcing. Column tie option, not permissible
SUBSTITUTION OF COLUMN TIES (HOOPS) IS NOT PERMITTED.

Use this note for spirally designed columns with spirals at 3" pitch. Substitution of column ties would result in an unconservative design.

E715: Pier columns, construction joint
PERMISSIBLE CONSTRUCTION JOINTS MAY BE USED TO PLACE CONCRETE FOR THE PIER COLUMNS IN TWO STAGES. THE PERMISSIBLE CONSTRUCTION JOINTS, IF USED, SHALL BE PLACED MIDWAY BETWEEN THE e1 COLUMN HOOP BARS ANYWHERE IN THE COLUMN. d1 VERTICAL COLUMN BARS MAY BE SPLICED WITH ONE LAP AT THE PERMISSIBLE CONSTRUCTION JOINT. THE MINIMUM LENGTH OF THE LAP SPlice SHALL BE ?? . PAYMENT FOR d1 REINFORCING BARS SHALL BE BASED ON NO SPLICES, AND NO ALLOWANCE SHALL BE MADE FOR THE ADDITIONAL LENGTH OF BAR REQUIRED FOR THE USE OF SPLICES.

Use this note only if pier height exceeds 40 feet.

E718: Pier piles, LRFD contract length and resistance
THE CONTRACT LENGTH OF ___ FEET FOR THE PIER ___ PILES IS BASED ON A ___ SOIL CLASSIFICATION, A TOTAL FACTORED AXIAL LOAD PER PILE (PU) OF ___ KIPS, AND A GEOTECHNICAL RESISTANCE FACTOR (PHI) OF ___ FOR SOIL AND ___ FOR ROCK END BEARING. TO ACCOUNT FOR SOIL CONSOLIDATION UNDER THE NEW FILL, THE
FACTORED AXIAL LOAD INCLUDES A FACTORED DOWNDRAg LOAD OF ___ KIPS. PIER PILES ALSO WERE DESIGNED FOR A FACTORED TENSION FORCE OF ___ KIPS.

THE NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTROL WAS DETERMINED FROM A ___ SOIL CLASSIFICATION AND A GEOTECHNICAL RESISTANCE FACTOR (PHI) OF ___ FOR SOIL AND ___ FOR ROCK END BEARING. PILES ARE ASSUMED TO BE DRIVEN FROM A START ELEVATION AT THE ___. DESIGN SCOUR (200-YEAR) WAS ASSUMED TO AFFECT THE UPPER ___ FEET OF EMBEDDED PILE LENGTH AND CAUSE ___ KIPS OF DRIVING RESISTANCE.

1. Fill in the contract length (ft).
2. Fill in pier number (1, 2… ) or delete the blank if the note covers all piers.
3. Fill in soil classification for design (cohesive, mixed, or non-cohesive).
4. Fill in the total factored axial load per pile (Pu, kips).
5. Fill in the resistance factor (phi) for design in soil. If piles are to be driven to rock, add the resistance factor (phi) for rock; otherwise, delete the end of the sentence beginning with “for”. If piles are designed for rock bearing alone, delete ___ FOR SOIL AND.
6. If piles are subject to downdrag, fill in the factored downdrag load (Pu, kips).
7. If piles were designed for tension, fill in the factored tension force; otherwise delete the sentence.
8. Fill in soil classification for construction control (cohesive, mixed, or non-cohesive).
10. Fill in location for start of pile driving (BOTTOM OF FOOTING for piers, BOTTOM OF PREBORE if prebore is present, BOTTOM OF PILE ENCASEMENT for steel H-pile bents, PROPOSED GROUND ELEVATION or STREAMBED ELEVATION as appropriate for pipe and prestressed pile bents).
11. If piles were designed for scour, fill in the affected embedded length (ft); otherwise, delete the sentence.
12. Revise this note for special conditions not covered above.
13. If the contractor elects to drive piles from a start elevation of ___ then an additional embedded pile length of ___ feet causes ___ kips of additional driving resistance.

1. Fill in pier number (1, 2… ) or delete the blank if the note covers all piers.
2. Fill in end of drive bearing (tons).
3. For cohesive sites with consideration of setup, fill in applicable retap blanks. If only one-day retap is different, delete three-day and seven-day retap parts of the sentence. For cohesionless or mixed sites, piles driven to rock, or other cases with no difference in EOD and retap value, delete the retap sentence and add OR RETAP to the end of the first sentence.
4. If retap is specifically required for construction control, substitute the following sentence.

E719: Pier piles, LRFD driving and construction control
THE REQUIRED NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE FOR PIER ___ PILES IS ___ TONS AT END OF DRIVE. IF RETAPS ARE NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE BEARING THE REQUIRED NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE IS ___ TONS AT ONE-DAY RETAP, ___ TONS AT THREE-DAY RETAP, OR ___ TONS AT SEVEN-DAY RETAP. THE PILE CONTRACT LENGTH SHALL BE DRIVEN AS PER PLAN UNLESS PILES REACH REFUSAL. IN NO CASE SHALL A PILE BE EMBEDDED LESS THAN ___ FEET. CONSTRUCTION CONTROL REQUIRES A WEAP ANALYSIS WITH BEARING GRAPH.
5. PILES SHALL BE RETAPPED AT ___ DAYS WITH A REQUIRED NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE OF ___ TONS.

5. For timber piles replace the contract length sentence with the following:
   • THE PILE CONTRACT LENGTH SHALL BE DRIVEN AS PER PLAN UNLESS PILES REACH A DRIVING LIMIT OF 160 TONS.

6. If piles are subject to tension, scour, or other conditions requiring a minimum embedment length, fill in the length; otherwise delete the sentence.

7. Replace the construction control sentence if a method other than WEAP without planned retap is to be used. Alternate sentences are as follows:
   • CONSTRUCTION CONTROL REQUIRES AN IOWA DOT ENR FORMULA.
   • CONSTRUCTION CONTROL REQUIRES PDA/CAPWAP AND A WEAP ANALYSIS WITH BEARING GRAPH.
   • CONSTRUCTION CONTROL REQUIRES A WEAP ANALYSIS WITH BEARING GRAPH AND A RETAP AT ___ DAYS AFTER EOD.

8. Revise this note for special conditions not covered above.

E721A: Pier spread footings, bearing, hard rock
THE DESIGN BEARING PRESSURE FOR THE FOOTINGS ON ________________ IS _________ TONS PER SQ.FT. FOOTINGS TO EXTEND AT LEAST 12" INTO ________________ WITH THE FINAL 12" OF EXCAVATION TO BE TO NEAT LINES OF THE FOOTING.

Use this note for hard rock installation, limestone or cemented sandstone. Use the actual name of rock given in soundings. Consult with the Soils Design Section for allowable bearing value.

E721B: Pier spread footings, bearing, soft rock
THE DESIGN BEARING PRESSURE FOR THE FOOTINGS ON ________________ IS ___ TONS PER SQ.FT. FOOTINGS TO EXTEND AT LEAST 18" INTO ________________ WITH THE FINAL 12" OF EXCAVATION TO NEAT LINES OF THE FOOTING.

This note is to be used for soft rock such as uncemented sandstone or siltstone. Consult with the Soils Design Section for allowable bearing value.

E721C: Pier spread footings, shale
FOOTINGS ARE TO EXTEND AT LEAST 18" INTO SOUND SHALE WITH THE FINAL 12" OF EXCAVATION TO BE TO NEAT LINES OF THE FOOTING. FOOTING CONCRETE IS TO BE PLACED NOT LATER THAN THE DAY FOLLOWING EXCAVATION OF ANY PORTION OF THE FOOTING AREA TO FINAL ELEVATION. THE FOUNDATION SHALL BE KEPT DRY DURING THE PERIOD BETWEEN FINAL EXCAVATION AND PLACING OF THE FOOTING CONCRETE.

The time limit for exposure of shale is used due to deterioration of shale when exposed to air.

E722: Pier piles, H-pile points
STEEL PILE POINTS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE STEEL H-PILES AT THE PIERS.

Pile points are used to penetrate boulders or to anchor piles into steeply inclined bedrock. If pile points are used, the recommendations should come from the Soils Design Section.

E723: Pier piles, encasement, pile bents
THE PIER PILE ENCASEMENTS ARE TO BE AS DETAILED AND NOTED ON IOWA D.O.T. STANDARD _____, AS SHOWN IN THESE PLANS. THE UNIT PRICE BID FOR ENCASEMENT
SHALL BE FULL PAYMENT FOR FURNISHING AND PLACING ALL MATERIAL AND NECESSARY EXCAVATION. THE PILING ENCASEMENTS ARE TO EXTEND FROM THE BOTTOM OF PIER CAP TO ELEVATION SHOWN.

Use this note for individual encasement [BDM 6.6.4.2.2] of steel H piles, and insert the appropriate standard, P10L or P10A.

E724: Pier piles, battered pile cutoff
ALL BATTERED PILE SHALL BE TRIMMED TO A HORIZONTAL LINE TO AID IN THE PLACEMENT OF REINFORCING.

Use this note when footing reinforcement is placed directly above battered H-piles, pipe piles, or timber piles in pier footings. Do not use this note for battered prestressed concrete piles.

E730: Pier anchor bolts, preset
ANCHOR BOLTS ARE TO BE PRESET IN PIERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2405.03, H, 2, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THE WEIGHT OF ANCHOR BOLTS IS INCLUDED IN THE STRUCTURAL STEEL QUANTITY.

The preferred method of setting anchor bolts is in drilled holes in accordance with the Standard Specifications [IDOT SS 2405.03, H, 2]. Preset the anchor bolts and include this note only if drilling is not desirable, such as very tight rebar spacing in the pier cap. Do not preset anchor bolts in two adjacent piers unless provisions are made for construction inaccuracies and adjustments.

E735A: Pier caps, early formwork removal permitted
FORMS FOR PIER CAPS ON PIERS _____ MAY BE REMOVED WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER WHEN THE FOLLOWING TWO CONDITIONS HAVE BEEN MET:

• PIER CAP CONCRETE HAS BEEN IN PLACE FOR A MINIMUM OF 2 CALENDAR DAYS EXCLUDING DAYS THAT THE CONCRETE SURFACE IS SUBJECTED TO TEMPERATURES AT OR BELOW 40° F AND
• THE PIER CAP CONCRETE STRENGTH IS AT LEAST 2.50 KSI.

CONCRETE STRENGTH SHALL BE VERIFIED BY FLEXURAL STRENGTH ACCORDING TO MATERIALS I.M. 316 WITH A MINIMUM FLEXURAL STRENGTH OF 0.343 KSI OR BY THE MATURITY METHOD ACCORDING TO MATERIALS I.M. 383. CURING OF PIER CAP CONCRETE SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. PIER CAP CONCRETE SHALL ATTAIN A MINIMUM CONCRETE STRENGTH OF 4.00 KSI BEFORE BEING SUBJECTED TO EXTERIOR LOADS. PIER CAP CONCRETE SHALL BE SUBJECTED TO EXTERIOR LOADS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2403.03, N, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

Insert the pier number(s) into the note to designate which pier caps may have forms removed early. The designer shall specifically call out which piers, if any, may have pier cap forms removed early and which ones, if any, shall not (see E735B). This note only applies to typical frame and T-pier caps. Pile bent caps, abutment caps and V-pier caps are not considered under this note. The designer shall verify the capacity of the pier cap for early form removal. If necessary, modify concrete strengths and flexural strengths.

E735B: Pier caps, early formwork removal prohibited
FORMS FOR PIER CAPS ON PIERS _____ SHALL BE REMOVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. EARLY FORM REMOVAL IS PROHIBITED.

Insert the pier number(s) into the note to designate which pier caps shall not have forms removed early. The designer shall specifically call out which piers, if any, shall not have
pier cap forms removed early and which ones, if any, may (see E735A). This note shall be included on all projects involving frame piers and T-piers when E735A is not used.

**E740: Drilled shafts, rock socket grooving not required**

DRILLED SHAFT ROCK SOCKETS SHALL BE BRUSHED BUT SHALL NOT BE GROOVED.

Use this note for sockets in hard rock, as determined by the Soils Design Section. See also BDM C6.3.4.

**E750: Drilled shafts, downdrag**

THE DRILLED SHAFTS FOR THIS PROJECT ARE DESIGNED TO RESIST DOWNDRAG FORCES CAUSED BY SETTLEMENT WITHIN THE COMpressible SOIL LAYERS. THE DOWNDRAG FORCES APPLIED TO THE SHAFT ARE DEPENDENT ON THE SHAFT DIAMETER. THE CONTRACT LENGTH OF THE DRILLED SHAFTS IS BASED ON AN AS-CONSTRUCTED SHAFT DIAMETER NOT EXCEEDING ___. IF THE EXCAVATION DIAMETER EXCEEDS THIS VALUE DURING CONSTRUCTION, THE ENGINEER MUST BE CONTACTED TO DETERMINE IF MODIFICATIONS TO THE DRILLED SHAFT DESIGN ARE NECESSARY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH MODIFYING THE DRILLED SHAFT DESIGN TO ACCOUNT FOR SHAFT DIAMETER EXCEEDING THE MAXIMUM VALUE NOTED IN THE PLANS.

Fill in the size of the shaft diameter for which downdrag was considered. Typically this will be the shaft diameter for shafts with a rock socket 6 inches smaller than the shaft diameter or 6 inches larger than the nominal shaft diameter for situations involving a constant shaft diameter. See BDM 6.3.4.

**E800: Abutment concrete, minimum clearance**

MINIMUM CLEAR DISTANCE FROM FACE OF CONCRETE TO NEAR REINFORCING BAR IS TO BE 2" UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED OR SHOWN.

**E801: Abutment concrete, mask wall, stub**

THE MASKWALL IS TO BE POURED BEFORE THE SUPERSTRUCTURE SLAB IS POURED.

Use this note for stub abutments.

**E802: Abutment concrete, construction joints, keyways**

CONSTRUCTION JOINT KEYWAYS ARE TO BE FORMED WITH BEVELED 2 x 8's, EXCEPT AS NOTED.

Keyways shall preferably be indicated in details and not in notes.

**E803: Abutment concrete, expansion device, stub**

THE PORTION OF THE BACKWALL CONTAINING THE ABUTMENT ANCHORAGE OF THE EXPANSION DEVICE IS TO BE PLACED AFTER THE BRIDGE DECK IS PLACED.

Use this note for stub abutments. The construction sequence allows for proper setting of the expansion joint.

**E818: Abutment piles, LRFD contract length and resistance**

THE CONTRACT LENGTH OF ___ FEET FOR THE ___ ABUTMENT PILES IS BASED ON A ___ SOIL CLASSIFICATION, A TOTAL FACTORED AXIAL LOAD PER PILE (PU) OF ___ KIPS, AND A GEOTECHNICAL RESISTANCE FACTOR (PHI) OF ___ FOR SOIL AND ___ FOR ROCK END BEARING. TO ACCOUNT FOR SOIL CONSOLIDATION UNDER THE NEW FILL, THE FACTORED AXIAL LOAD INCLUDES A FACTORED DOWNDRAG LOAD OF ___ KIPS. ABUTMENT PILES ALSO WERE DESIGNED FOR A FACTORED TENSION FORCE OF ___ KIPS.
THE NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTROL WAS DETERMINED FROM A ___ SOIL CLASSIFICATION AND A GEOTECHNICAL RESISTANCE FACTOR (PHI) OF ___ FOR SOIL AND ___ FOR ROCK END BEARING. PILES ARE ASSUMED TO BE DRIVEN FROM A START ELEVATION AT THE BOTTOM OF ___. DESIGN SCOUR (200-YEAR) WAS ASSUMED TO AFFECT THE UPPER ___ FEET OF EMBEDDED PILE LENGTH AND CAUSE ___ KIPS OF DRIVING RESISTANCE.

1. Fill in the contract length (ft).
2. Fill in abutment location (north, east, south, or west) or delete the blank if the note covers both abutments.
3. Fill in soil classification for design (cohesive, mixed, or non-cohesive).
4. Fill in the total factored axial load per pile (Pu, kips).
5. Fill in the resistance factor (phi) for design in soil. If piles are to be driven to rock, add the resistance factor (phi) for rock; otherwise, delete the end of the sentence beginning with “FOR”. If piles are designed for rock bearing alone, delete ___ FOR SOIL AND.
6. If piles are subject to downdrag, fill in the factored downdrag load (Pu, kips).
7. If piles were designed for tension, fill in the factored tension force; otherwise delete the sentence.
8. Fill in soil classification for construction control (cohesive, mixed, or non-cohesive).
10. Fill in location for start of pile driving (FOOTING for abutments with no prebore, PREBORE if prebore is present).
11. If piles were designed for scour, fill in the affected embedded length (ft); otherwise, delete the sentence.
12. Revise this note for special conditions not covered above.

E819: Abutment piles, LRFD driving and construction control
THE REQUIRED NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE FOR ___ ABUTMENT PILES IS ___ TONS AT END OF DRIVE. IF RETAPS ARE NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE BEARING, THE REQUIRED NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE IS ___ TONS AT ONE-DAY RETAP, ___ TONS AT THREE-DAY RETAP, OR ___ TONS AT SEVEN-DAY RETAP. THE PILE CONTRACT LENGTH SHALL BE DRIVEN AS PER PLAN UNLESS PILES REACH REFUSAL. IN NO CASE SHALL A PILE BE EMBEDDED LESS THAN ___ FEET. CONSTRUCTION CONTROL REQUIRES A WEAP ANALYSIS WITH BEARING GRAPH.

1. Fill in abutment location (north, east, south, or west) or delete the blank if the note covers both abutments.
2. Fill in end of drive bearing (tons).
3. For cohesive sites with consideration of setup, fill in applicable retap blanks. If only one-day retap is different, delete three-day and seven day-retap parts of the sentence. For cohesionless or mixed sites, piles driven to rock, or other cases with no difference in EOD and retap value, delete the retap sentence and add OR RETAP to the end of the first sentence.
4. If retap is specifically required for construction control, substitute the following sentence:
   - PILES SHALL BE RETAPPED AT ___ DAYS WITH A REQUIRED NOMINAL AXIAL BEARING RESISTANCE OF ___ TONS.
5. For timber piles, replace the contract length sentence with the following:
   - THE PILE CONTRACT LENGTH SHALL BE DRIVEN AS PER PLAN UNLESS PILES REACH A DRIVING LIMIT OF 160 TONS.
6. If piles are subject to tension, scour, or other condition requiring a minimum embedment length, fill in the length (ft); otherwise, delete the sentence.
7. Replace the construction control sentence if a method other than WEAP without planned retap is to be used. Alternate sentences are as follows:
8. Revise this note for special conditions not covered above.

E821: Abutment piles, H-pile points
STEEL PILE POINTS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE STEEL H-PILES AT THE ABUTMENTS.

Steel pile points are sometimes used to penetrate a layer of boulders or to anchor into steeply inclined bedrock. Pile points should not be indicated on the plans unless recommended by the Soils Design Section.

E830: Abutment construction sequence, stub
BEAMS AND MASONRY PLATES ARE TO BE SET BEFORE BACKWALL IS PLACED.

Use this note for stub abutments.

E831A: Abutment subdrains, stub
THE COST OF RESILIENT JOINT FILLER, FURNISHING AND PLACING SUBDRAIN (INCLUDING EXCAVATION), FLOODABLE BACKFILL, POROUS BACKFILL, AND COST OF FURNISHING AND PLACING CONCRETE SEALER IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR "STRUCTURAL CONCRETE".

Use this note for stub abutments. See the Standard Specifications [IDOT SS 2403.05].

E831B: Abutment subdrains, integral and slab
THE COST OF FURNISHING AND PLACING SUBDRAIN (INCLUDING EXCAVATION), FLOODABLE BACKFILL AND POROUS BACKFILL IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR "STRUCTURAL CONCRETE".

Use this note for integral abutment and slabs.

E832: Excavate and dewater, pier footings

Use this note when the “Excavate and Dewater” bid item is used. See the seal coat article in the Bridge Design Manual for additional information [BDM 6.6.4.1.4].

E833: Pile downdrag, new earth fill
ABUTMENT (OR PIER) PILES ARE DESIGNED TO ACCOMMODATE DOWNDRAF FORCE DUE TO SOIL CONSOLIDATION UNDER THE NEW EARTH FILL. PILES SHALL BE DRIVEN TO ___ TONS BASED ON THEORETICAL DRIVING RESISTANCE. THIS INCLUDES ___ TONS OF RESISTANCE IN AND ABOVE THE COMPRESSIBLE LAYERS, ___ TONS
RESISTANCE FOR DOWNDRAG FORCES AND ___ TONS RESISTANCE FOR DEAD AND LIVE LOAD BEARING CAPACITY.

See the downdrag article [BDM 6.2.2.3].

E834: Pier piles, driving over waterways
PIER PILES ARE DESIGNED TO ACCOMMODATE THE ABSENCE OF SCOURABLE SOILS ABOVE THE 100 YEAR SCOUR ELEVATION SHOWN IN THESE PLANS. PILES SHALL BE DRIVEN TO ?? TONS BASED ON THEORETICAL DRIVING RESISTANCE. THIS INCLUDES ?? TONS RESISTANCE IN THE SCOURABLE LAYERS, AND ?? TONS RESISTANCE FOR DEAD AND LIVE LOAD BEARING CAPACITY.

When designing piers supporting bridges over waterways, current design practice is not to count skin friction through layers above the computed 100 year scour elevation, and to develop the required design bearing for the piles below this elevation. To clarify the intentions of our design for the field and to alleviate the need for the construction office to adjust the design bearing value given in our plans, we will now be including the driving resistance through the scourable soil layers on our plans in a fashion similar to the driving resistance listed for abutment piles with downdrag.

E835: Bearing Resistance
THE NOMINAL BEARING RESISTANCE FOR ______ FOOTING IS ______ KSF (SERVICE LIMIT STATE) AND ______ KSF (FACTORED LRFD STRENGTH 1 LIMIT STATE).

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E900: Steel bridge, field verify dimensions
ALL DIMENSIONS AND DETAILS SHOWN IN THESE PLANS PERTINENT TO FABRICATION OF STRUCTURAL STEEL SHALL BE VERIFIED IN THE FIELD BY THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR BEFORE FABRICATION OF THE STRUCTURAL STEEL.
This note is to be used on all repair widening or remodeling projects requiring fabricating of structural steel.

**E901: Steel bridge, Charpy V-notch**

CHARPY V-NOTCH TOUGHNESS REQUIREMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 4152.02, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS SHALL APPLY TO ALL CROSS FRAMES AND CONNECTION STIFFENERS AT CROSS FRAMES.

This note is to be used where steel girders are designed to be horizontally curved.

This requirement puts us in agreement with the AASHTO Standard Specifications [AASHTO-I 10.20.1], which states that cross frames for horizontally curved steel girder bridges shall be designed as main members.

**E902: Steel bridge, shop drill option**

THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR MAY SHOP DRILL ANY CONNECTION THAT IS SHOWN AS FIELD DRILLED IF PERTINENT DIMENSIONS ARE ACCURATELY FIELD MEASURED AND THE BRIDGE CONTRACTOR CAN ENSURE PROPER FIT BETWEEN NEW AND EXISTING STRUCTURAL STEEL.

**E903: Steel bridge, minimum temperature for field cutting, drilling, etc.**

NO TORCHWORK, CUTTING, GRINDING OR DRILLING OF HOLES ON THE EXISTING STRUCTURAL STEEL OF THE BRIDGE SHALL BE PERFORMED WHEN THE AIR TEMPERATURE AND STEEL TEMPERATURE ARE BELOW 40 °F.

On all repair work involving main members (as defined in the Standard Specifications [IDOT SS 4152.02]) include this note.

**E904: Steel bridge, intended erected position**

THE GIRDERS ARE TO BE FABRICATED FOR A STEEL DEAD LOAD FIT CONDITION.

Note that horizontally curved girders with an (L/R)_{max} ratio greater than or equal to 0.2 are recommended to be fabricated for a no-load fit condition.

**E905: Steel bridge, suggested girder erection sequence**

THE SUGGESTED GIRDER ERECTION SEQUENCE SHOWN IN THESE PLANS IS INTENDED FOR PRELIMINARY SCHEMATIC PURPOSES ONLY AND DOES NOT SUPPLANT THE CONTRACTOR’S RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FABRICATION, ERECTION, AND CONSTRUCTION OF ANY PART OF THE BRIDGE. THE CONTRACTOR MAY CHOOSE AN ALTERNATIVE GIRDER ERECTION SEQUENCE TO THAT PRESENTED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THE STABILITY OF EACH GIRDER DURING ALL PHASES OF ERECTION AS NOTED IN THE SPECIAL PROVISION SP-XX-XX “GIRDER ERECTION PLAN”.

Include this note when a suggested girder erection sequence is included in the plans per BDM 5.5.2.4.4. This note assumes the special provisions for the girder erection plan will also be included.

**E910: Expansion joint, finger plate concrete placement**

CONCRETE SHALL BE FORCED UNDER AND AROUND FINGER PLATE SUPPORTING HARDWARE, STUDS AND BARS. PROPER CONSOLIDATION SHALL BE ACHieved BY LOCALIZED INTERNAL VIBRATION.
Include this note with the finger plate details. This note replaces past references to hand packing concrete under the finger plate armor as suggested in AASHTO LRFD C14.5.3.5.

E921: Empirical deck, reinforcing placement
TOP TRANSVERSE REINFORCING STEEL IS TO BE PARALLEL TO AND 2 1/2 INCHES CLEAR BELOW THE TOP OF SLAB. TOP REINFORCING MAT IS TO BE TIED RIGIDLY WITH APPROVED TIES AT 100 PERCENT OF REINFORCING STEEL INTERSECTIONS. THE TOP MAT SHALL BE SUPPORTED BY INDIVIDUAL EPOXY COATED METAL BAR CHAIRS SPACED AT NO MORE THAN 2.0 FEET CENTERS LONGITUDINALLY AND TRANSVERSELY OR BY CONTINUOUS ROWS OF EPOXY COATED METAL BAR HIGH CHAIRS OR SLAB BOLSTERS SPACED NOT MORE THAN 2.0 FEET APART.

BOTTOM TRANSVERSE REINFORCING STEEL IS TO BE PARALLEL TO AND 1 INCH CLEAR ABOVE THE BOTTOM OF SLAB. BOTTOM REINFORCING MAT IS TO BE TIED RIGIDLY WITH APPROVED TIES AT ALTERNATE INTERSECTIONS SO THAT 50 PERCENT OF THE INTERSECTIONS ARE TIED. THE BOTTOM MAT SHALL BE SUPPORTED BY INDIVIDUAL EPOXY COATED METAL BAR CHAIRS SPACED AT NO MORE THAN 2.5 FEET CENTERS LONGITUDINALLY AND TRANSVERSELY OR BY CONTINUOUS ROWS OF EPOXY COATED METAL BAR CHAIRS OR SLAB BOLSTERS SPACED NOT MORE THAN 2.5 FEET APART.

This note is to be included for all LRFD empirical design bridge decks.

E924: Anchor bolts, placement
WELDING OF ANCHOR BOLTS SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL OBTAIN A TEMPLATE FROM THE MANUFACTURER / FABRICATOR FOR PROPER PLACEMENT OF THE ANCHOR BOLTS.

Welding of reinforcing bars to anchor bolts to maintain alignment of the bolts is of concern because the welding may alter material properties of the bolts, possibly causing brittle fractures.

E926: Prestressed concrete beam bridge, deck placement
NOTE: CONCRETE DECK SHALL BE PLACED IN SECTIONS AND SEQUENCES INDICATED. (AN APPROVED ALTERNATE PROCEDURE IS TO PLACE THE CONCRETE DECK IN ONE CONTINUOUS POUR BEGINNING AT ONE END OF THE BRIDGE. << OR >> PLACING THE CONCRETE DECK IN ONE CONTINUOUS POUR IS PROHIBITED AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR APPROVAL AS AN ALTERNATE PROCEDURE.) ALTERNATE PROCEDURES FOR PLACING DECK CONCRETE MAY BE SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL TOGETHER WITH A STATEMENT OF THE PROPOSED METHOD AND EVIDENCE THAT THE CONTRACTOR POSSESSES THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES TO ACCOMPLISH THE REQUIRED RESULTS. THE BRIDGE ENGINEER SHALL REVIEW ANY ALTERNATE PROCEDURES. THE COST OF ANY ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS AND PLAN MODIFICATIONS SHALL BE PAID FOR BY THE CONTRACTOR, THE ENGINEER SHALL DETERMINE IF A RETARDING ADMIXTURE IS REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN PLASTICITY OF THE CONCRETE DECK DURING PLACEMENT.

If the total volume of deck concrete is 500 CY or less and the designer has no structural or constructability concerns, then allow the contractor to place the deck in one continuous pour. If the continuous deck pour should start at a specific end of the bridge then modify the note accordingly. If the designer determines a continuous deck pour is not permissible, then explicitly exclude the option in the note.

If the total volume of deck concrete exceeds 500 CY then consider allowing a series of sequential pours sized between 300 to 500 CY from one end of the bridge to another. Consider showing a separate concrete placement diagram for this additional option. The
A concrete placement diagram shall specify a 2-day waiting period between subsequent pours. See BDM 5.2.4.1.2 for additional information.

Average deck retarders are pre-approved for about 10 hours. Contractors typically pour concrete decks at a rate of 50 CY per hour which results in the volume limit of 500 CY per pour.

**E930: Steel bridge, weathering steel**

All structural steel, except as noted, shall conform to ASTM A709 Grade 50W. The minimum yield point for Grade 50W structural steel is 50 KSI for plates 4 inches and under in thickness, and all structural shapes. The Grade 50W steel is a weathering steel and is to remain unpainted, except as noted.

Deck drains including plates welded to the drain for drain support are to be Grade 36 steel.

All pieces comprising the [abutment and] pier bearings shall comply with the requirements as stated in the notes on design sheet/s ? & ?.

Shear studs are to be of an approved type listed in materials I.M. 453.10, Appendix A.

The finish on deck drains, bearings and weathering steel shall be in accordance with the plan notes and section 2408, of the standard specifications. [All weathering steel embedded into an integral abutment shall be painted to a distance of 1 foot from the concrete face and sealed by caulking at the abutment concrete and steel interface.] Exterior surfaces of all galvanized components which are designated in the contract documents to be painted shall be prepared according to article 2509.03, of the standard specifications.

Bolts for use with weathering steel shall be A325 Type III with A563 Grade DH3 Nuts and F436 Type III Washers.

Bolts used to splice girder sections are to be installed such that nuts are on the inside face of the girder webs for the exterior girders, and on the top of both top and bottom flanges of all the girders.

The steel shall be kept free of oil, grease, dirt, crayon or chalk marks, concrete spatter and any other foreign matter that may affect the natural oxidation of the steel. Any foreign matter remaining on the steel after completion of bridge construction shall be removed by the bridge contractor as directed by the engineer. The resultant surface shall be free of all visible residues. All costs associated with cleaning steel surfaces shall be borne by the bridge contractor.

Seal material for caulking shall be neutral cure and non sag silicone. Two products meeting these criteria are Dow 888, CraFCO Road Saver Silicone, or CSL342 Joint Sealant.

### 13.10 New and repair bridge detail

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E1000: Beam strengthening, angles

BEAM STRENGTHENING NOTES:

THE EXISTING _________ BEAMS TO BE STRENGTHENED WITH NEW STEEL ___ x ___ x ___
STRENGTHENING ANGLES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING CONSTRUCTION
SEQUENCE:

1. THE AREA OF THE EXISTING BEAMS WHICH WILL BE UNDER THE STRENGTHENING
  ANGLES AND AT LEAST ONE INCH OUTSIDE THE AREAS SHALL BE BLAST CLEANED TO
  A NEAR-WHITE CONDITION IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD
  SPECIFICATIONS. VACUUM BLAST SHALL BE USED. IF THE CONTRACTOR RECYCLES
  THE BLAST MATERIAL, IN NO CASE SHALL THE RECYCLING PROCESS UTILIZE A WET
  SEPARATION METHOD. CONTAINMENT AND DISPOSAL OF WASTES SHALL BE IN
  ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

2. THE PORTION OF THE BLAST-CLEANED SURFACES WHICH WILL BE UNDER THE
  STRENGTHENING ANGLES AND AN ADDITIONAL ONE INCH OUTSIDE THESE AREAS
SHALL BE GIVEN A PRIME COAT OF ZINC SILICATE PAINT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THE STRENGTHENING ANGLES SHALL RECEIVE THE ZINC SILICATE PRIMER ALSO. THE ZINC SILICATE PAINT SHALL MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF MATERIALS IM. 482.02 APPENDIX A. CARE SHALL BE TAKEN TO INSURE THAT ZINC SILICATE PRIMER IS APPLIED ONLY ON BLAST-CLEANED STEEL SURFACES AND THAT NONE IS APPLIED OVER OLD PRIMER OR PAINT.

3. RESTRICT TRAFFIC TO ONE LANE OF TWO-WAY TRAFFIC ON THE SIDE OF THE BRIDGE AWAY FROM THE EXTERIOR BEAM BEING STRENGTHENED.


5. AFTER DRILLING, REMOVE STRENGTHENING ANGLES AND CLEAN ALL BURRS AND CUTTINGS FROM THE STRENGTHENING ANGLES AND BEAM MEMBERS.

6. BOLT THE ______ Angle to the I-BEAM WITH 3/4 " DIA. H.S. BOLT. FULLY TIGHTEN ALL BOLTS FOR A FRICTION TYPE CONNECTION. DURING THE TIGHTENING OF BOLTS, ALL POSSIBLE EFFORTS SHALL BE MADE BY THE CONTRACTOR TO MINIMIZE THE AMOUNT OF EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES STORED ON THE BRIDGE DECK AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. TRAFFIC MAY BE RESTORED AFTER ALL BOLTS ARE TIGHTENED.

7. PAINT THE BOLTS, NUTS, ANGLES, AND THE BLAST-CLEANED AREA AROUND IT IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2508, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, AND WITH THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONS/EXCEPTIONS:

A. REMOVE ANY SILICATE PRIMER APPLIED (IN STEP 2 ABOVE) OVER OLD PRIMER OR PAINT.

B. APPLY EPOXY ALUMINUM PRIMER TO THE ATTACHED ANGLES AND AN ADDITIONAL 3 INCHES OUTSIDE THE ANGLES.

C. APPLY WATERBORNE ACRYLIC PAINT FINISH COAT OVER THE EPOXY ALUMINUM PRIMER. FINAL PAINT COAT SHALL MATCH THE COLOR OF THE EXISTING PAINT.

STRENGTHENING ANGLES SHOULD BE PLACED PRIOR TO PLACEMENT OF ANY OVERLAY OR CAST IN PLACE BARRIER RAIL.

ANY DAMAGE BY THE CONTRACTOR TO PORTIONS OF THE STRUCTURE AND ITS PAINT SYSTEM NOT SPECIFICALLY COVERED BY THE SCOPE OF THESE PLANS SHALL BE REPAIRED OR REPLACED BY THE CONTRACTOR AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.

ALL NEW BOLTS ARE TO BE 3/4 " DIA. H.S. BOLTS AND ALL HOLES ARE TO BE 13/16 " DIA. BOLTS SHALL BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. NO ADDITIONAL DEAD LOADS AND/OR CONSTRUCTION LOADS WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE BRIDGE WHILE BOLTS ARE BEING TORQUED TO SPECIFICATIONS.

THE PRICE BID FOR "STRUCTURAL STEEL" SHALL INCLUDE ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH FURNISHING AND INSTALLING STRENGTHENING ANGLES (INCLUDING FIELD DRILLING EXISTING BEAMS) AS NOTED ABOVE EXCEPT FOR ITEMS INCLUDED IN THE BID ITEMS FOR "BRIDGE CLEANING FOR PAINTING", "BLAST CLEANING OF STRUCTURAL STEEL", "CONTAINMENT AND PAINTING OF STRUCTURAL STEEL". CHARPY V NOTCH TESTING IS REQUIRED FOR THE STRENGTHENING ANGLES. ALSO SEE GENERAL NOTES FOR OTHER ITEMS INCLUDED IN STRUCTURAL STEEL.
This series of notes specifies surface preparation, paint application, and construction sequence for the installation of beam strengthening angles for a deck repair and overlay project. Place this series of notes with the details for the strengthening angles, not in the general notes. Modify notes as appropriate. Include notes for paint containment and disposal (E474), painting strengthening angles (E472C), and scrape test (E480) in general notes.

**E1001: Beam strengthening, shear studs**

Shear studs which are unacceptable by testing after attachment may be repaired by adding a 5/16” minimum fillet weld in place of the missing weld in accordance with Office of Materials IM 558.

This note should be placed on the plans when old beams (pre-1940) are to be strengthened by adding shear studs.

**E1005: Beam ends, sealing**

The price bid item “sealer coat-prestressed concrete beam ends” shall include all costs including labor and material for preparing and sealing of the prestressed concrete beam ends at each expansion joint location to the limits shown on these plans. The work shall be paid for per “each” beam end that is sealed. Sealant material for the beam ends shall be from the approved material list IM 491.19B. The contractor shall apply the sealant in accordance with the manufacturer’s requirements.

**E1010A: Bearings, neoprene sheets**

Neoprene sheets under bearings shall be considered incidental to the structural steel bid item.

**E1010B: Bearings, bronze plates and neoprene sheets**

Lubricated bronze plates and neoprene sheets are a part of the superstructure steel quantity. Unit price bid for “structural steel” shall include allowance for cost of bronze plates.

**E1011: Bearings, curved sole plate, welding**

After welding the curved plate to the 7 x 3/4 sole plate, the weld and the surrounding area are to be cleaned and coated in accordance with ASTM designation A780-93a. Use “zinc based solders” specified under paragraph 4.2.1 and clean as specified in Annexes A1 of the specification.

This note is to be used on PPCB bridges when the bearing plate is more than one inch thick and requires a built up sole plate. Place this note adjacent to the detail showing the built up sole plate.

**E1020: Reinforcing, mechanical splices, stage construction**

The ___ bars in the abutment backwalls shall be spliced at the locations shown using mechanical splice assemblies. Mechanical splice assemblies consist of mechanical splicers and reinforcing splice bars as required to facilitate the use of the mechanical splicer. The mechanical splice assembly used shall meet the requirements of materials IM 451 Appendix E. Reinforcing splice bars shall be a minimum of ____ inch dia.

All mechanical splice assemblies to be used in splicing ___ bars in the abutment backwalls shall be epoxy coated.
THE COST OF ALL SPLICE ASSEMBLIES IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR "REINFORCING STEEL EPOXY COATED" AND NO SEPARATE PAYMENT WILL BE MADE. THE WEIGHT OF MECHANICAL SPLICE ASSEMBLIES IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE QUANTITY SHOWN FOR "REINFORCING STEEL EPOXY COATED". A TOTAL OF x EPOXY COATED SPLICE ASSEMBLIES WILL BE REQUIRED.

This note is to be used in stage construction of the backwall where space is tight and bars in Stage I construction cannot extend past the construction joint and provide the required lap for Stage II construction. A note similar to this may be used whenever stage construction interferes with Stage I rebar placement (i.e. pier caps, abutment footing, bridge slab adjacent to sheet pile).

**E1025: Dowels, installation**

THE _____________ BARS SHALL BE SET AS DOWELS IN DRILLED HOLES. HOLES ARE TO BE 10" DEEP. THE DOWELS SHALL BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS. EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING SYSTEMS MAY BE USED AS A BONDING AGENT FOR VERTICAL DOWELS, BUT ONLY SYSTEM "A" MAY BE USED FOR HORIZONTAL DOWELS:

A. POLYMER GROUT SYSTEM IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 2301.03, E, OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

B. HYDRAULIC CEMENT GROUT SYSTEMS. DRILLED HOLES ARE TO BE 2 ½ TIMES THE DOWEL DIAMETER AND ARE TO BE BLOWN CLEAN WITH COMPRESSED AIR IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO PLACING GROUT. THE HYDRAULIC CEMENT GROUT SHALL BE ONE OF THOSE APPROVED IN MATERIALS I.M. 491.13 AND SHALL BE USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

Indicate dowel setting procedure on the plans.

**E1026: Dowels, cost**

THE PRICE BID FOR "STRUCTURAL CONCRETE" SHALL INCLUDE THE COSTS OF SETTING BARS AS DOWELS IN THE ________________.

**E1030: Sheet pile, material and installation**

THE SHEET PILE MATERIAL SHALL MEET THE REQUIREMENTS FOR ASTM A328/A328M OR A572/A572M GRADE 50 STEEL FOR STRENGTH AND WELDABILITY. OTHER SHEET PILE MAY BE USED IN PLACE OF THE ONE DETAILED, BUT THE MINIMUM SECTION MODULUS REQUIRED SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN _____ CU. IN. PER FOOT OF WALL. SHEET PILES SHALL BE DRIVEN TO FULL PENETRATION.

Use this note when sheet pile is a bid item. Note that the ASTM A328/A328M specification has a minimum yield point of 39 ksi, which will control the sheet pile design.

**E1040A: Deck placement sequence, steel girder**

NOTE: CONCRETE DECK SHALL BE PLACED IN SECTIONS AND SEQUENCES INDICATED. (AN APPROVED ALTERNATE PROCEDURE IS TO PLACE THE CONCRETE DECK IN ONE CONTINUOUS POUR BEGINNING AT ONE END OF THE BRIDGE. << OR >> PLACING THE CONCRETE DECK IN ONE CONTINUOUS POUR IS PROHIBITED AND WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR APPROVAL AS AN ALTERNATE PROCEDURE.) ALTERNATE PROCEDURES FOR PLACING DECK CONCRETE MAY BE SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL TOGETHER WITH A STATEMENT OF THE PROPOSED METHOD AND EVIDENCE THAT THE CONTRACTOR POSSESSES THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES TO ACCOMPLISH THE REQUIRED RESULTS. THE BRIDGE ENGINEER SHALL REVIEW ANY ALTERNATE PROCEDURES. THE COST OF ANY ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS AND PLAN MODIFICATIONS SHALL BE PAID FOR BY THE CONTRACTOR. THE ENGINEER SHALL
DETERMINE IF A RETARDING ADMIXTURE IS REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN PLASTICITY OF THE CONCRETE DECK DURING PLACEMENT.

If the total volume of deck concrete is 500 CY or less and the designer has no structural or constructability concerns, then allow the contractor to place the deck in one continuous pour. If the continuous deck pour should start at a specific end of the bridge then modify the note accordingly. If the designer determines a continuous deck pour is not permissible, then explicitly exclude the option in the note.

If the total volume of deck concrete exceeds 500 CY then consider allowing a series of sequential pours sized between 300 to 500 CY from one end of the bridge to another. Consider showing a separate concrete placement diagram for this additional option. The concrete placement diagram shall specify a 2-day waiting period between subsequent pours. See BDM 5.2.4.1.2 for additional information.

Average deck retarders are pre-approved for about 10 hours. Contractors typically pour concrete decks at a rate of 50 CY per hour which results in the volume limit of 500 CY per pour.

E1040B: Deck placement sequence, steel girder, two span

NOTE: CONCRETE DECK SHALL BE PLACED IN SECTIONS IN THE FOLLOWING SEQUENCES:

A. SECTION 1 AND SECTION 2 SHALL BE PLACED IN THE SAME DAY. HOWEVER, THE SECTION PLACED FIRST MUST REMAIN PLASTIC UNTIL THE OTHER SECTION IS COMPLETELY PLACED.

B. SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 5 MAY NOT BE PLACED UNTIL THE SECOND DAY FOLLOWING THE PLACEMENT OF SECTIONS 1 AND 2.

(AN APPROVED ALTERNATE PROCEDURE IS TO PLACE THE CONCRETE DECK IN ONE CONTINUOUS POUR BEGINNING AT ONE END OF THE BRIDGE.) NO (OTHER) ALTERNATE PROCEDURES FOR PLACING THE CONCRETE DECK WILL BE ALLOWED. THE ENGINEER SHALL DETERMINE IF A RETARDING ADMIXTURE IS REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN PLASTICITY OF THE CONCRETE DECK DURING PLACEMENT.

Use this note on two-span steel bridges. Place positive moment sections first and then the negative moment sections over the piers and abutments. Place this note under the concrete placement diagram in lieu of note E1040A shown on the current standard.

If the total volume of deck concrete is 500 CY or less and the designer has no structural or constructability concerns, then allow the contractor to place the deck in one continuous pour. See BDM 5.2.4.1.2 for additional information.

Average deck retarders are pre-approved for about 10 hours. Contractors typically pour concrete decks at a rate of 50 CY per hour which results in the volume limit of 500 CY per pour.

E1040C: Deck placement sequence, steel girder, unbalanced two span

NOTE: CONCRETE DECK SHALL BE PLACED IN SECTIONS IN THE FOLLOWING SEQUENCES:

A. SECTION 1 AND SECTION 2 SHALL BE PLACED IN THE SAME DAY. HOWEVER, SECTION 1 MUST BE PLACED FIRST AND REMAIN PLASTIC UNTIL SECTION 2 IS COMPLETELY PLACED.
B. SECTIONS 3, 4 AND 5 MAY NOT BE PLACED UNTIL THE SECOND DAY FOLLOWING THE PLACEMENT OF SECTIONS 1 AND 2.

(AN APPROVED ALTERNATE PROCEDURE IS TO PLACE THE CONCRETE DECK IN ONE CONTINUOUS POUR BEGINNING AT THE _____ ABUTMENT.) NO (OTHER) ALTERNATE PROCEDURES FOR PLACING THE CONCRETE DECK WILL BE ALLOWED. THE ENGINEER SHALL DETERMINE IF A RETARDING ADMIXTURE IS REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN PLASTICITY OF THE CONCRETE DECK DURING PLACEMENT.

Use this note on a two-span steel bridge where one span is significantly longer than the other span. In that case, place the shorter span first to reduce uplift. Place this note under the concrete placement diagram in lieu of note E1040A shown on the current standard.

If the total volume of deck concrete is 500 CY or less and the designer has no structural or constructability concerns, then allow the contractor to place the deck in one continuous pour. Indicate which end of the bridge the pour should start at. See BDM 5.2.4.1.2 for additional information.

Average deck retarders are pre-approved for about 10 hours. Contractors typically pour concrete decks at a rate of 50 CY per hour which results in the volume limit of 500 CY per pour.

E1050: Deck drains, material and cost
NOTE: DRAINS ARE TO BE GALVANIZED. x DRAINS REQUIRED. SEE "SITUATION PLAN" FOR LOCATION. WEIGHT = x LBS. PER DRAIN IS BASED ON ROLLED TUBE. COST OF DRAINS TO BE INCLUDED IN PRICE BID FOR "STRUCTURAL CONCRETE".

This note is to be placed near the drain detail, not in the general notes. Include cost of drains in structural concrete unless the project has a structural steel bid item. If the cost of drains is included with structural steel, delete the sentence "COST OF DRAINS IS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR ".

Current continuous concrete slab bridge standards indicate drain weight is based on welded plate and not rolled tube. This may be modified at some future date. Continue to use the slab bridge standards without change.

E1060: Paving block, installation and removal
BEFORE THE CONCRETE PAVING BLOCK IS PLACED, LINE THE NOTCH WITH TARPAPER TO PREVENT BOND. BLOCK IS TO BE REMOVED BEFORE PAVEMENT IS PLACED. PAVING BLOCK MAY BE MADE OF CLASS “C” OR CLASS “D” CONCRETE.

The paving block may not be required if traffic does not impact the bridge end before pavement is placed.

The office recommends placing this note with the paving block detail and deleting it from the abutment notes. Length of paving block sections should be 6 to 8 feet. Paving block length should be rounded down to the nearest six inch interval.

E1070: Reinforcing, pier spiral
NOTE: SPIRAL REINFORCING IS TO BE NO.4 BAR WITH X" DIAMETER 12" PITCH WITH 4 EQUALLY SPACED L 7/8 x 7/8 x 1/8 SPACERS PUNCHED TO HOLD SPIRALS. SPIRALS ARE TO HAVE 1 1/2 EXTRA TURNS AT TOP AND BOTTOM OF COLUMNS.

E1080: Temporary barrier rail, layout
THE PLANS SHOW A LAYOUT FOR TBR FOR BOTH STAGE 1 AND STAGE 2 CONSTRUCTION. THE TEMPORARY BARRIER RAIL SECTIONS ADJACENT TO THE WORK
AREA FOR STAGE 1 TRAFFIC ARE TO REMAIN IN PLACE UNTIL TRAFFIC IS SHIFTED TO THE STAGE 2 TRAFFIC LANE. THE TEMPORARY BARRIER RAIL SECTIONS ADJACENT TO THE WORK AREA FOR STAGE 2 TRAFFIC ARE TO BE IN PLACE PRIOR TO SHIFTING TRAFFIC TO THE STAGE 2 TRAFFIC LANE.

Place this note on one of the temporary barrier rail (TBR) plan sheets when TBR is placed adjacent to a large drop-off that may occur in stage construction projects.

The total TBR furnished equals the TBR necessary to protect Stage 1 traffic plus the TBR necessary to protect Stage 2 traffic. All sections are to be tied down, and a suitable detail should be shown.

This note is not required for deck repair projects.

E1085: Conduit, I.T.S. conduit

I.T.S. CONDUIT NOTES:

I.T.S. CONDUIT SHALL BE LIMITED TO SIX 45 DEGREE ELBOW BENDS FOR A CABLE PULL.

RIGID STEEL CONDUIT FOR I.T.S. APPLICATIONS SHALL BE INSTALLED AND PREPARED TO FACILITATE INSTALLATION OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE.

THE MINIMUM INSIDE BEND RADIUS FOR RIGID STEEL CONDUIT USED FOR I.T.S. APPLICATIONS SHALL BE 18 INCHES.

RIGID STEEL CONDUIT FOR I.T.S. APPLICATIONS SHALL BE CUT AND THREADED TO ELIMINATE EXPOSED THREADS AFTER COMPLETING THE CONNECTIONS; ALL COUPLINGS SHALL BE TIGHTENED UNTIL THE CONDUIT ENDS MEET TO ALLOW A CONTINUOUS INNER SURFACE THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE CONDUIT RUN. NIPPLES SHOULD BE USED TO ELIMINATE CUTTING AND THREADING SHORT LENGTHS OF CONDUIT.

ALL BURRS AND ROUGHENED SURFACES SHALL BE REMOVED FROM CONDUITS AND FITTINGS. ALL CONDUIT RUNS SHALL BE REAMED, CLEANED AND SWABBED FOR INSTALLATION OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE.

ONLY GALVANIZED FITTINGS SHALL BE USED WITH RIGID STEEL CONDUIT. DAMAGED GALVANIZED SURFACES OF RIGID STEEL CONDUIT OR FITTINGS SHALL BE PAINTED WITH AN ACCEPTABLE ZINC-RICH PAINT.

I.T.S. CONDUIT SHALL INCLUDE A POLYPROPYLENE PULL ROPE BETWEEN HANDHOLES WITH A MINIMUM 600 POUND TENSILE STRENGTH.

Separate conduit and junction boxes should be used in the rail when both conductor and I.T.S. communication wires are required. Add this note to lighting details sheet or other appropriate sheet when installing I.T.S. conduit in the rail.

E1090: Beam stirrups, adjustment

NOTE: FOR MODIFIED STIRRUP EXTENSIONS, SEE "BENT BAR DETAILS" AND BEAM DETAIL SHEET FOR DIMENSIONS AND LOCATIONS.

Add this note on beam detail note sheet when increasing the stirrup heights due to haunches more than 2".

E1091: Beam stirrups, extension

NOTE STIRRUP EXTENSION

Add this note on beam elevation detail sheet when haunches are more than 2". This note is to be used in conjunction with note E1090.
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