CONNECT Standard Templates

For CONNECT projects OpenBridge Modeler Iowa specific templates are available for the placement and modification of decks, barriers, beams, and pier components of a bridge.

The templates are shown below organized by component.

Deck templates are available for various types of superstructure and configurations of the deck and is indicated in the name.



Abbreviations included in names are:

BT - bulb tee PGL – profile grade line LT – left RT – right SW – sidewalk CL – centerline Barrier templates are available for each type of barrier lowa DOT allows with left and right variations and is indicated in the name. The directional options allow for correct orientation of the placed barrier.

Sidewalk options are provided to be placed separately and are included with the F-34 barrier rails.



Additional abbreviations included in names are:

L – left R – right RSWK – raised sidewalk SWK – sidewalk TSS – Texas single slope WP – working point Beam templates available for each type of prestressed precast beam lowa DOT allows.



Additional abbreviations included in names are:

Std - Standard

Pier templates include one custom Multi Column Iowa DOT option, IA Filleted Column Tee.



Templates may be modified or new ones added as additional bridge projects are completed in OpenBridge Modeler or new standards are issued. The documentation will be updated as needed.