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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
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 GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING UNIT

**ROADWAY  
 SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION**

COUNTY ALAMANCE  
 PROJECT DESCRIPTION NC 54 (EAST HARDEN STREET)  
 AT NC 49 (EAST ELM STREET) IN GRAHAM  
 INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

INVENTORY

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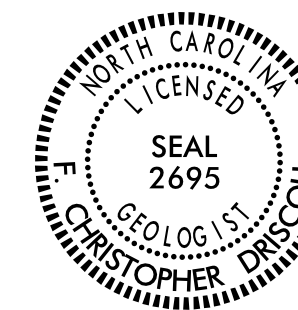
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NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS
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SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION
SOIL AND ROCK LEGEND, TERMS, SYMBOLS, AND ABBREVIATIONS

SOIL DESCRIPTION

SOIL IS CONSIDERED UNCONSOLIDATED, SEMI-CONSOLIDATED, OR WEATHERED EARTH MATERIALS THAT CAN BE PENETRATED WITH A CONTINUOUS FLIGHT POWER AUGER AND YIELD LESS THAN 100 BLOWS PER FOOT ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD PENETRATION TEST (AASHTO T 208, ASTM D1586). SOIL CLASSIFICATION IS BASED ON THE AASHTO SYSTEM. BASIC DESCRIPTIONS GENERALLY INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING: CONSISTENCY, COLOR, TEXTURE, MOISTURE, AASHTO CLASSIFICATION, AND OTHER PERTINENT FACTORS SUCH AS MINERALOGICAL COMPOSITION, ANGULARITY, STRUCTURE, PLASTICITY, ETC. FOR EXAMPLE, VERY STIFF, GRAY, SILTY CLAY, MOIST WITH INTERBEDDED FINE SAND LAYERS, HIGHLY PLASTIC, A-7-6

SOIL LEGEND AND AASHTO CLASSIFICATION

Table with columns for GENERAL CLASS., GRANULAR MATERIALS (<= 35% PASSING #200), SILT-CLAY MATERIALS (> 35% PASSING #200), and ORGANIC MATERIALS. Includes sub-columns for GROUP CLASS., SYMBOL, % PASSING #10, #40, #200, MATERIAL PASSING #40 (LL, PI), GROUP INDEX, and USUAL TYPES OF MAJOR MATERIALS.

PI OF A-7-5 SUBGROUP IS <= LL - 30; PI OF A-7-6 SUBGROUP IS > LL - 30

CONSISTENCY OR DENSENESS

Table mapping PRIMARY SOIL TYPE (e.g., GENERALLY GRANULAR MATERIAL, GENERALLY SILT-CLAY MATERIAL) to COMPACTNESS OR CONSISTENCY (e.g., VERY LOOSE, MEDIUM DENSE) and RANGE OF STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE (N-VALUE) and RANGE OF UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH (TONS/FT^2).

TEXTURE OR GRAIN SIZE

Table showing U.S. STD. SIEVE SIZE OPENING (MM) and corresponding grain sizes for BOULDER, COBBLE, GRAVEL, COARSE SAND, FINE SAND, SILT, and CLAY.

SOIL MOISTURE - CORRELATION OF TERMS

Table correlating SOIL MOISTURE SCALE (ATTERBERG LIMITS), FIELD MOISTURE DESCRIPTION (SATURATED, WET, MOIST, DRY), and GUIDE FOR FIELD MOISTURE DESCRIPTION (USUALLY LIQUID, SEMISOLID, SOLID).

PLASTICITY

Table showing PLASTICITY INDEX (PI) and DRY STRENGTH for NON PLASTIC, SLIGHTLY PLASTIC, MODERATELY PLASTIC, and HIGHLY PLASTIC soils.

COLOR

DESCRIPTIONS MAY INCLUDE COLOR OR COLOR COMBINATIONS (TAN, RED, YELLOW-BROWN, BLUE-GRAY). MODIFIERS SUCH AS LIGHT, DARK, STREAKED, ETC. ARE USED TO DESCRIBE APPEARANCE.

GRADATION

WELL GRADED - INDICATES A GOOD REPRESENTATION OF PARTICLE SIZES FROM FINE TO COARSE. UNIFORMLY GRADED - INDICATES THAT SOIL PARTICLES ARE ALL APPROXIMATELY THE SAME SIZE. GAP-GRADED - INDICATES A MIXTURE OF UNIFORM PARTICLE SIZES OF TWO OR MORE SIZES.

ANGULARITY OF GRAINS

THE ANGULARITY OR ROUNDNESS OF SOIL GRAINS IS DESIGNATED BY THE TERMS: ANGULAR, SUBANGULAR, SUBROUNDED, OR ROUNDED.

MINERALOGICAL COMPOSITION

MINERAL NAMES SUCH AS QUARTZ, FELDSPAR, MICA, TALC, KAOLIN, ETC. ARE USED IN DESCRIPTIONS WHEN THEY ARE CONSIDERED OF SIGNIFICANCE.

COMPRESSIBILITY

SLIGHTLY COMPRESSIBLE (LL < 31)
MODERATELY COMPRESSIBLE (LL = 31 - 50)
HIGHLY COMPRESSIBLE (LL > 50)

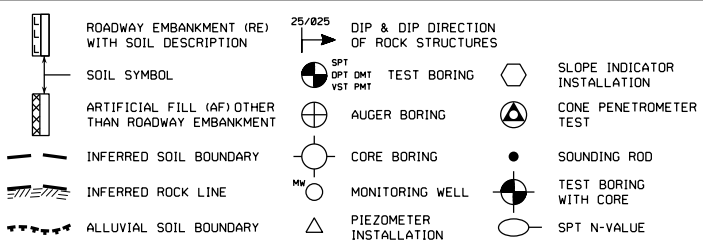
PERCENTAGE OF MATERIAL

Table showing PERCENTAGE OF MATERIAL for ORGANIC MATERIAL, GRANULAR SOILS, SILT-CLAY SOILS, and OTHER MATERIAL.

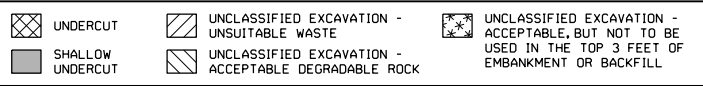
GROUND WATER

Water level symbols: Water level in bore hole immediately after drilling, static water level after 24 hours, perched water, saturated zone, or water bearing strata, spring or seep.

MISCELLANEOUS SYMBOLS



RECOMMENDATION SYMBOLS



ABBREVIATIONS

- AR - AUGER REFUSAL, BT - BORING TERMINATED, CL - CLAY, CPT - CONE PENETRATION TEST, CSE - COARSE, DMT - DILATOMETER TEST, DPT - DYNAMIC PENETRATION TEST, e - VOID RATIO, F - FINE, FOSS - FOSSILIFEROUS, FRAC. - FRACTURED, FRACTURES, FRAGS. - FRAGMENTS, HI. - HIGHLY, MED. - MEDIUM, MICA - MICACEOUS, MOD. - MODERATELY, NP - NON PLASTIC, ORG. - ORGANIC, PMT - PRESSUREMETER TEST, SAP. - SAPROLITIC, SD. - SAND, SANDY, SL. - SILT, SILTY, SLI. - SLIGHTLY, TCR - TRICONE REFUSAL, w - MOISTURE CONTENT, V - VERY, VST - VANE SHEAR TEST, WEA. - WEATHERED, UG - UNIT WEIGHT, UG - DRY UNIT WEIGHT, SAMPLE ABBREVIATIONS: S - BULK, SS - SPLIT SPOON, ST - SHELBY TUBE, RS - ROCK, RT - RECOMPACTED TRIAXIAL, CBR - CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO

EQUIPMENT USED ON SUBJECT PROJECT

- DRILL UNITS: CME-45C, CME-55, CME-550, VANE SHEAR TEST, PORTABLE HOIST, B-57 MOBILE. ADVANCING TOOLS: CLAY BITS, 6" CONTINUOUS FLIGHT AUGER, 8" HOLLOW AUGERS, HARD FACED FINGER BITS, TUNG-CARBIDE INSERTS, CASING w/ ADVANCER, TRICONE STEEL TEETH, TRICONE TUNG-CARB., CORE BIT. HAMMER TYPE: AUTOMATIC, MANUAL. CORE SIZE: B, H, N. HAND TOOLS: POST HOLE DIGGER, HAND AUGER, SOUNDING ROD, VANE SHEAR TEST.

ROCK DESCRIPTION

HARD ROCK IS NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL THAT WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL IF TESTED. AN INFERRED ROCK LINE INDICATES THE LEVEL AT WHICH NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL. SPT REFUSAL IS PENETRATION BY A SPLIT SPOON SAMPLER EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN 0.1 FOOT PER 60 BLOWS IN NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL. THE TRANSITION BETWEEN SOIL AND ROCK IS OFTEN REPRESENTED BY A ZONE OF WEATHERED ROCK. ROCK MATERIALS ARE TYPICALLY DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Table defining WEATHERED ROCK (WR), CRYSTALLINE ROCK (CR), NON-CRYSTALLINE ROCK (NCR), and COASTAL PLAIN SEDIMENTARY ROCK (CP).

WEATHERING

FRESH: ROCK FRESH, CRYSTALS BRIGHT, FEW JOINTS MAY SHOW SLIGHT STAINING. ROCK RINGS UNDER HAMMER IF CRYSTALLINE.
VERY SLIGHT (V SLI.): ROCK GENERALLY FRESH, JOINTS STAINED, SOME JOINTS MAY SHOW THIN CLAY COATINGS IF OPEN. CRYSTALS ON A BROKEN SPECIMEN FACE SHINE BRIGHTLY. ROCK RINGS UNDER HAMMER BLOWS IF OF A CRYSTALLINE NATURE.
SLIGHT (SLI.): ROCK GENERALLY FRESH, JOINTS STAINED AND DISCOLORATION EXTENDS INTO ROCK UP TO 1 INCH. OPEN JOINTS MAY CONTAIN CLAY. IN GRANITOID ROCKS SOME OCCASIONAL FELDSPAR CRYSTALS ARE DULL AND DISCOLORED. CRYSTALLINE ROCKS RING UNDER HAMMER BLOWS.
MODERATE (MOD.): SIGNIFICANT PORTIONS OF ROCK SHOW DISCOLORATION AND WEATHERING EFFECTS. IN GRANITOID ROCKS, MOST FELDSPARS ARE DULL AND DISCOLORED, SOME SHOW CLAY. ROCK HAS DULL SOUND UNDER HAMMER BLOWS AND SHOWS SIGNIFICANT LOSS OF STRENGTH AS COMPARED WITH FRESH ROCK.
MODERATELY SEVERE (MOD. SEV.): ALL ROCK EXCEPT QUARTZ DISCOLORED OR STAINED. IN GRANITOID ROCKS, ALL FELDSPARS DULL AND DISCOLORED AND A MAJORITY SHOW KAOLINIZATION. ROCK SHOWS SEVERE LOSS OF STRENGTH AND CAN BE EXCAVATED WITH A GEOLOGIST'S PICK. ROCK GIVES "CLUNK" SOUND WHEN STRUCK. IF TESTED, WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL.
SEVERE (SEV.): ALL ROCK EXCEPT QUARTZ DISCOLORED OR STAINED. ROCK FABRIC CLEAR AND EVIDENT BUT REDUCED IN STRENGTH TO STRONG SOIL. IN GRANITOID ROCKS ALL FELDSPARS ARE KAOLINIZED TO SOME EXTENT. SOME FRAGMENTS OF STRONG ROCK USUALLY REMAIN. IF TESTED, WOULD YIELD SPT N VALUES > 100 BPF.
VERY SEVERE (V SEV.): ALL ROCK EXCEPT QUARTZ DISCOLORED OR STAINED. ROCK FABRIC ELEMENTS ARE DISCERNIBLE BUT MASS IS EFFECTIVELY REDUCED TO SOIL STATUS, WITH ONLY FRAGMENTS OF STRONG ROCK REMAINING. SAPROLITE IS AN EXAMPLE OF ROCK WEATHERED TO A DEGREE THAT ONLY MINOR VESTIGES OF ORIGINAL ROCK FABRIC REMAIN. IF TESTED, WOULD YIELD SPT N VALUES < 100 BPF.
COMPLETE: ROCK REDUCED TO SOIL. ROCK FABRIC NOT DISCERNIBLE, OR DISCERNIBLE ONLY IN SMALL AND SCATTERED CONCENTRATIONS. FABRIC MAY BE PRESENT AS DIKES OR STRINGERS. SAPROLITE IS ALSO AN EXAMPLE.

ROCK HARDNESS

VERY HARD: CANNOT BE SCRATCHED BY KNIFE OR SHARP PICK. BREAKING OF HAND SPECIMENS REQUIRES SEVERAL HARD BLOWS OF THE GEOLOGIST'S PICK.
HARD: CAN BE SCRATCHED BY KNIFE OR PICK ONLY WITH DIFFICULTY. HARD HAMMER BLOWS REQUIRED TO DETACH HAND SPECIMEN.
MODERATELY HARD: CAN BE SCRATCHED BY KNIFE OR PICK. GOUGES OR GROOVES TO 0.25 INCHES DEEP CAN BE EXCAVATED BY HARD BLOW OF A GEOLOGIST'S PICK. HAND SPECIMENS CAN BE DETACHED BY MODERATE BLOWS.
MEDIUM HARD: CAN BE GROUDED OR GOUGED 0.05 INCHES DEEP BY FIRM PRESSURE OF KNIFE OR PICK POINT. CAN BE EXCAVATED IN SMALL CHIPS TO PIECES 1 INCH MAXIMUM SIZE BY HARD BLOWS OF THE POINT OF A GEOLOGIST'S PICK.
SOFT: CAN BE GROUDED OR GOUGED READILY BY KNIFE OR PICK. CAN BE EXCAVATED IN FRAGMENTS FROM CHIPS TO SEVERAL INCHES IN SIZE BY MODERATE BLOWS OF A PICK POINT. SMALL, THIN PIECES CAN BE BROKEN BY FINGER PRESSURE.
VERY SOFT: CAN BE CARVED WITH KNIFE. CAN BE EXCAVATED READILY WITH POINT OF PICK. PIECES 1 INCH OR MORE IN THICKNESS CAN BE BROKEN BY FINGER PRESSURE. CAN BE SCRATCHED READILY BY FINGER NAIL.

FRACTURE SPACING

Table mapping TERM (VERY WIDE, WIDE, MODERATELY CLOSE, CLOSE, VERY CLOSE) to SPACING (MORE THAN 10 FEET, 3 TO 10 FEET, 1 TO 3 FEET, 0.16 TO 1 FOOT, LESS THAN 0.16 FEET).

BEDDING

Table mapping TERM (VERY THICKLY BEDDED, THICKLY BEDDED, THINLY BEDDED, VERY THINLY BEDDED, THICKLY LAMINATED, THINLY LAMINATED) to THICKNESS (4 FEET, 1.5 - 4 FEET, 0.16 - 1.5 FEET, 0.03 - 0.16 FEET, < 0.008 - 0.03 FEET, < 0.008 FEET).

INDURATION

FOR SEDIMENTARY ROCKS, INDURATION IS THE HARDENING OF MATERIAL BY CEMENTING, HEAT, PRESSURE, ETC.
FRIABLE: RUBBING WITH FINGER FREES NUMEROUS GRAINS; GENTLE BLOW BY HAMMER DISINTEGRATES SAMPLE.
MODERATELY INDURATED: GRAINS CAN BE SEPARATED FROM SAMPLE WITH STEEL PROBE; BREAKS EASILY WHEN HIT WITH HAMMER.
INDURATED: GRAINS ARE DIFFICULT TO SEPARATE WITH STEEL PROBE; DIFFICULT TO BREAK WITH HAMMER.
EXTREMELY INDURATED: SHARP HAMMER BLOWS REQUIRED TO BREAK SAMPLE; SAMPLE BREAKS ACROSS GRAINS.

TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

- ALLUVIUM (ALLUV.) - SOILS THAT HAVE BEEN TRANSPORTED BY WATER.
AQUIFER - A WATER BEARING FORMATION OR STRATA.
ARENACEOUS - APPLIED TO ROCKS THAT HAVE BEEN DERIVED FROM SAND OR THAT CONTAIN SAND.
ARGILLACEOUS - APPLIED TO ALL ROCKS OR SUBSTANCES COMPOSED OF CLAY MINERALS, OR HAVING A NOTABLE PROPORTION OF CLAY IN THEIR COMPOSITION, SUCH AS SHALE, SLATE, ETC.
ARTESIAN - GROUND WATER THAT IS UNDER SUFFICIENT PRESSURE TO RISE ABOVE THE LEVEL AT WHICH IT IS ENCOUNTERED, BUT WHICH DOES NOT NECESSARILY RISE TO OR ABOVE THE GROUND SURFACE.
CALCAREOUS (CALC.) - SOILS THAT CONTAIN APPRECIABLE AMOUNTS OF CALCIUM CARBONATE.
COLLUVIUM - ROCK FRAGMENTS MIXED WITH SOIL DEPOSITED BY GRAVITY ON SLOPE OR AT BOTTOM OF SLOPE.
CORE RECOVERY (REC.) - TOTAL LENGTH OF ALL MATERIAL RECOVERED IN THE CORE BARREL DIVIDED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF CORE RUN AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.
DIKE - A TABULAR BODY OF IGNEOUS ROCK THAT CUTS ACROSS THE STRUCTURE OF ADJACENT ROCKS OR CUTS MASSIVE ROCK.
DIP - THE ANGLE AT WHICH A STRATUM OR ANY PLANAR FEATURE IS INCLINED FROM THE HORIZONTAL.
DIP DIRECTION (DIP AZIMUTH) - THE DIRECTION OR BEARING OF THE HORIZONTAL TRACE OF THE LINE OF DIP, MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM NORTH.
FAULT - A FRACTURE OR FRACTURE ZONE ALONG WHICH THERE HAS BEEN DISPLACEMENT OF THE SIDES RELATIVE TO ONE ANOTHER PARALLEL TO THE FRACTURE.
FISSILE - A PROPERTY OF SPLITTING ALONG CLOSELY SPACED PARALLEL PLANES.
FLOAT - ROCK FRAGMENTS ON SURFACE NEAR THEIR ORIGINAL POSITION AND DISLOADED FROM PARENT MATERIAL.
FLOOD PLAIN (FP) - LAND BORDERING A STREAM, BUILT OF SEDIMENTS DEPOSITED BY THE STREAM.
FORMATION (FM) - A MAPPABLE GEOLOGIC UNIT THAT CAN BE RECOGNIZED AND TRACED IN THE FIELD.
JOINT - FRACTURE IN ROCK ALONG WHICH NO APPRECIABLE MOVEMENT HAS OCCURRED.
LEDGE - A SHELF-LIKE RIDGE OR PROJECTION OF ROCK WHOSE THICKNESS IS SMALL COMPARED TO ITS LATERAL EXTENT.
LENS - A BODY OF SOIL OR ROCK THAT THINS OUT IN ONE OR MORE DIRECTIONS.
MOTTLED (MOT.) - IRREGULARLY MARKED WITH SPOTS OF DIFFERENT COLORS. MOTTLING IN SOILS USUALLY INDICATES POOR AERATION AND LACK OF GOOD DRAINAGE.
PERCHED WATER - WATER MAINTAINED ABOVE THE NORMAL GROUND WATER LEVEL BY THE PRESENCE OF AN INTERVENING IMPERVIOUS STRATUM.
RESIDUAL (RES.) SOIL - SOIL FORMED IN PLACE BY THE WEATHERING OF ROCK.
ROCK QUALITY DESIGNATION (ROD) - A MEASURE OF ROCK QUALITY DESCRIBED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF ROCK SEGMENTS EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN 4 INCHES DIVIDED BY THE TOTAL LENGTH OF CORE RUN AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.
SAPROLITE (SAP.) - RESIDUAL SOIL THAT RETAINS THE RELIC STRUCTURE OR FABRIC OF THE PARENT ROCK.
SILL - AN INTRUSIVE BODY OF IGNEOUS ROCK OF APPROXIMATELY UNIFORM THICKNESS AND RELATIVELY THIN COMPARED WITH ITS LATERAL EXTENT, THAT HAS BEEN EMPLACED PARALLEL TO THE BEDDING OR SCHISTOSITY OF THE INTRUDED ROCKS.
SLICKENSIDE - POLISHED AND STRIATED SURFACE THAT RESULTS FROM FRICTION ALONG A FAULT OR SLIP PLANE.
STANDARD PENETRATION TEST (PENETRATION RESISTANCE) (SPT) - NUMBER OF BLOWS (N OR BPF) OF A 140 LB. HAMMER FALLING 30 INCHES REQUIRED TO PRODUCE A PENETRATION OF 1 FOOT INTO SOIL WITH A 2 INCH OUTSIDE DIAMETER SPLIT SPOON SAMPLER. SPT REFUSAL IS PENETRATION EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN 0.1 FOOT PER 60 BLOWS.
STRATA CORE RECOVERY (SREC.) - TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATA MATERIAL RECOVERED DIVIDED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATUM AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.
STRATA ROCK QUALITY DESIGNATION (SROD) - A MEASURE OF ROCK QUALITY DESCRIBED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF ROCK SEGMENTS WITHIN A STRATUM EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN 4 INCHES DIVIDED BY THE TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATA AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE.
TOPSOIL (TS.) - SURFACE SOILS USUALLY CONTAINING ORGANIC MATTER.
BENCH MARK: N/A

NOTES:

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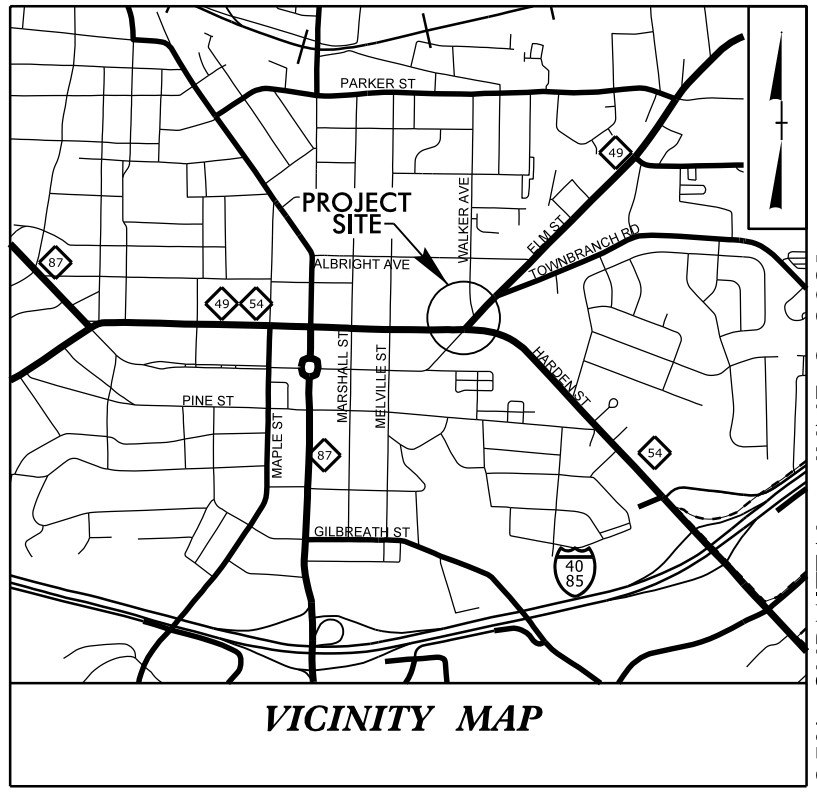
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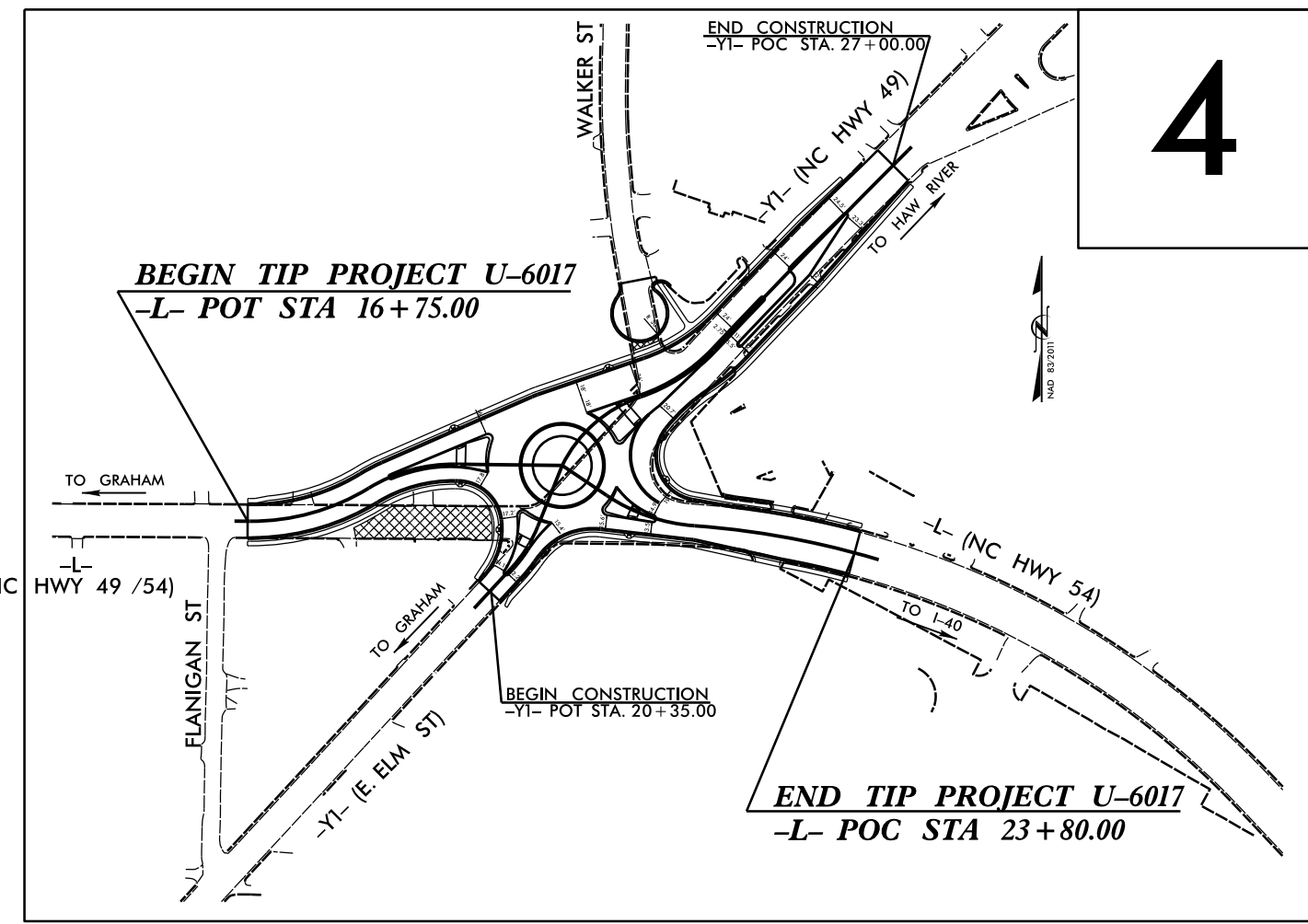
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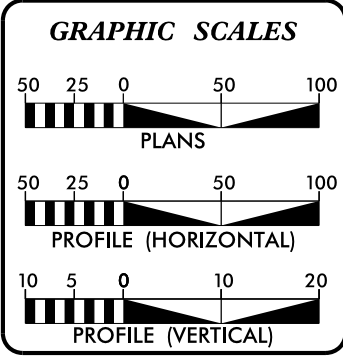
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**DESIGN DATA**

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ADT 2040 =	17,700
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D =	55 %
T =	3 % *
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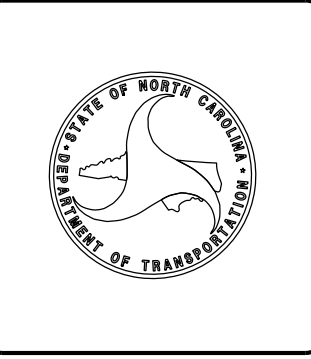
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STATE PROJECT: 47162.1.1 (U-6017)  
 COUNTY: Alamance  
 DESCRIPTION: NC 54 (East Harden Street) at NC 49 (East Elm Street) in Graham Intersection Improvements

**SUBJECT: GEOTECHNICAL REPORT - INVENTORY**

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

This project consists of a realignment of existing US-54 (-L-) and US-49 (-Y1-) to accommodate a new roundabout at the intersection.

The geotechnical investigation was conducted in July 2021. Standard Penetration Test borings were advanced with a Mobile B-57 drill rig with an automatic hammer. Hand Augers were also performed in areas where the use of a drill rig was restricted or underground and overhead utility conflicts were observed. Representative soil samples were collected for visual classification in the field and selected samples were submitted for laboratory analysis by Geotechnics, Inc.

The following alignments, totaling 0.2 miles, were investigated. Plan sheets and cross sections of these alignments are included in this report.

<u>LINE</u>	<u>STATIONS</u>
-L-	14+00 to 28+00
-Y1-	16+00 to 29+00
-RAB-	10+00 to 12+92
-RTL-	10+00 to 11+16

**PHYSIOGRAPHY AND GEOLOGY**

The project is located in the Piedmont Physiographic Province. The project corridor is comprised primarily of residential and commercial properties. The general topography along the project is generally flat to steeply sloping.

Geologically, the project is located within the Carolina Slate Belt. Soils are derived from the underlying bedrock which consists of metamorphosed metavolcanic rock.

**SOIL PROPERTIES**

Soils encountered during this investigation are separated into two categories based on origin. They consist of artificial fill and residual soils.

Soil identified as artificial fill are present at the commercial properties adjacent to the existing roadway. The artificial fill encountered generally consists of moist, medium stiff, silty clay (A-7) with trace gravel, brick and asphalt fragments. No samples of artificial fill were tested.

Residual soils are derived from the weathering of underlying metavolcanic rock. The majority of the residual soils encountered consist of moist to wet, soft to hard, sandy silts, and clayey silts (A-4, A-5); moist to wet, soft to stiff, sandy clays and silty clays (A-6, A-7); and moist, medium dense to very dense, silty sands and

clayey sands (A-2-4, A-2-7) with trace to little rock fragments. The plasticity index of the clays tested ranged from 11 to 66.

**GROUNDWATER**

Groundwater was encountered at elevations ranging from 590.3 to 600.5 feet and typically ranges from 5 to 17 feet below the existing ground surface.

**AREAS OF SPECIAL GEOTECHNICAL INTEREST**

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

<u>LINE</u>	<u>STATIONS</u>	<u>OFFSETS</u>
-L-	16+75 to 18+75	LT, RT
-L-	20+75 to 23+80	LT, RT
-Y1-	20+35 to 21+15	LT, RT
-Y1-	22+75 to 27+00	LT, RT

2) Groundwater: The following areas exhibit a high water table, seasonal high groundwater or the potential for groundwater related construction problems:

<u>LINE</u>	<u>STATIONS</u>	<u>OFFSETS</u>
-L-	18+60 to 19+90	LT, RT
-L-	22+25 to 23+80	LT, RT

3) Artificial Fill: Artificial Fill was encountered on the project at the following locations:

<u>LINE</u>	<u>STATIONS</u>	<u>OFFSETS</u>
-L-	20+60 to 22+20	RT
-L-	22+20 to 26+25	LT, RT
-Y1-	20+35 to 21+00	LT, RT
-Y1-	23+10 to 24+20	RT
-Y1-	24+30 to 26+20	LT

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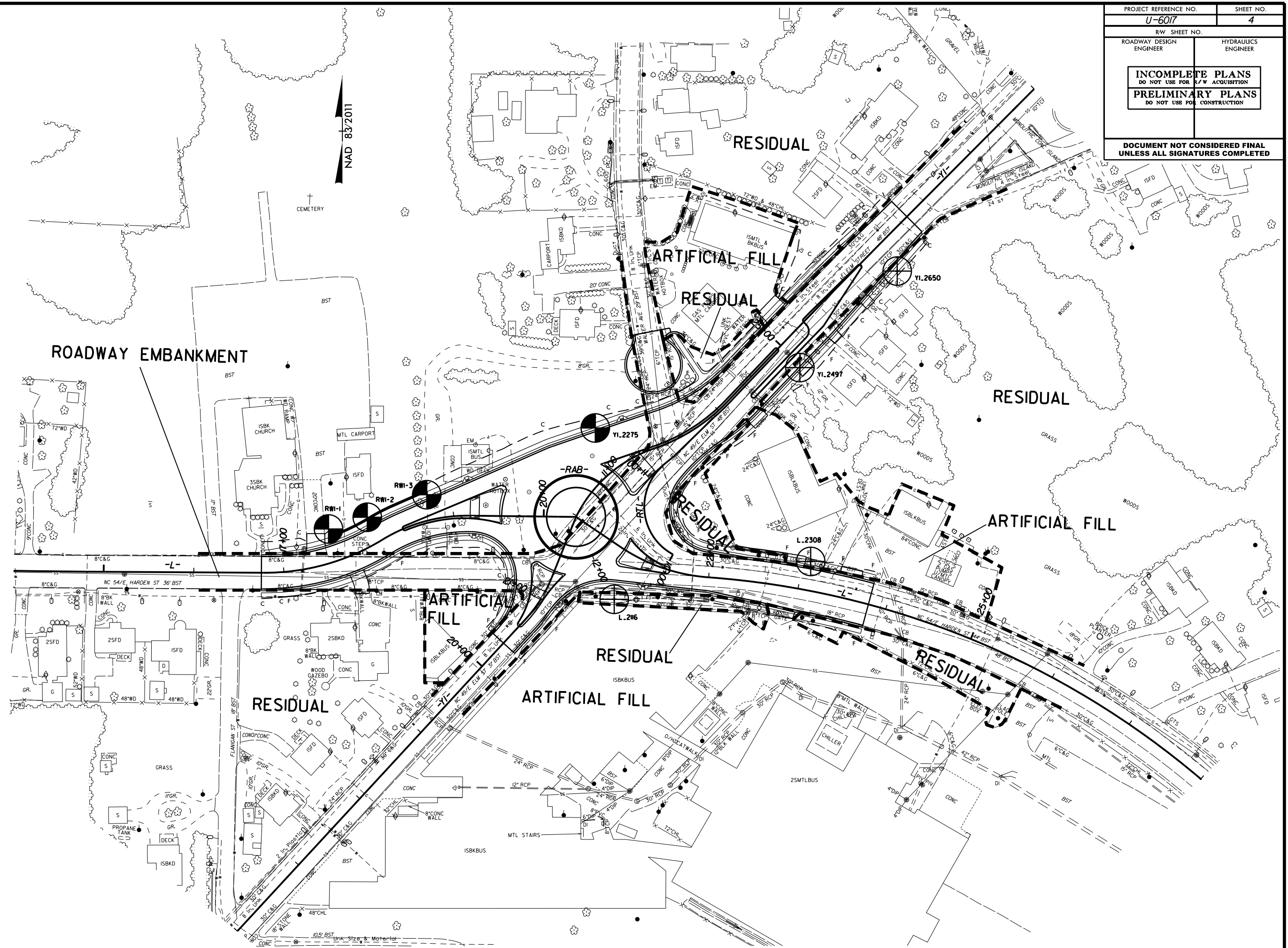
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Bulk Sample

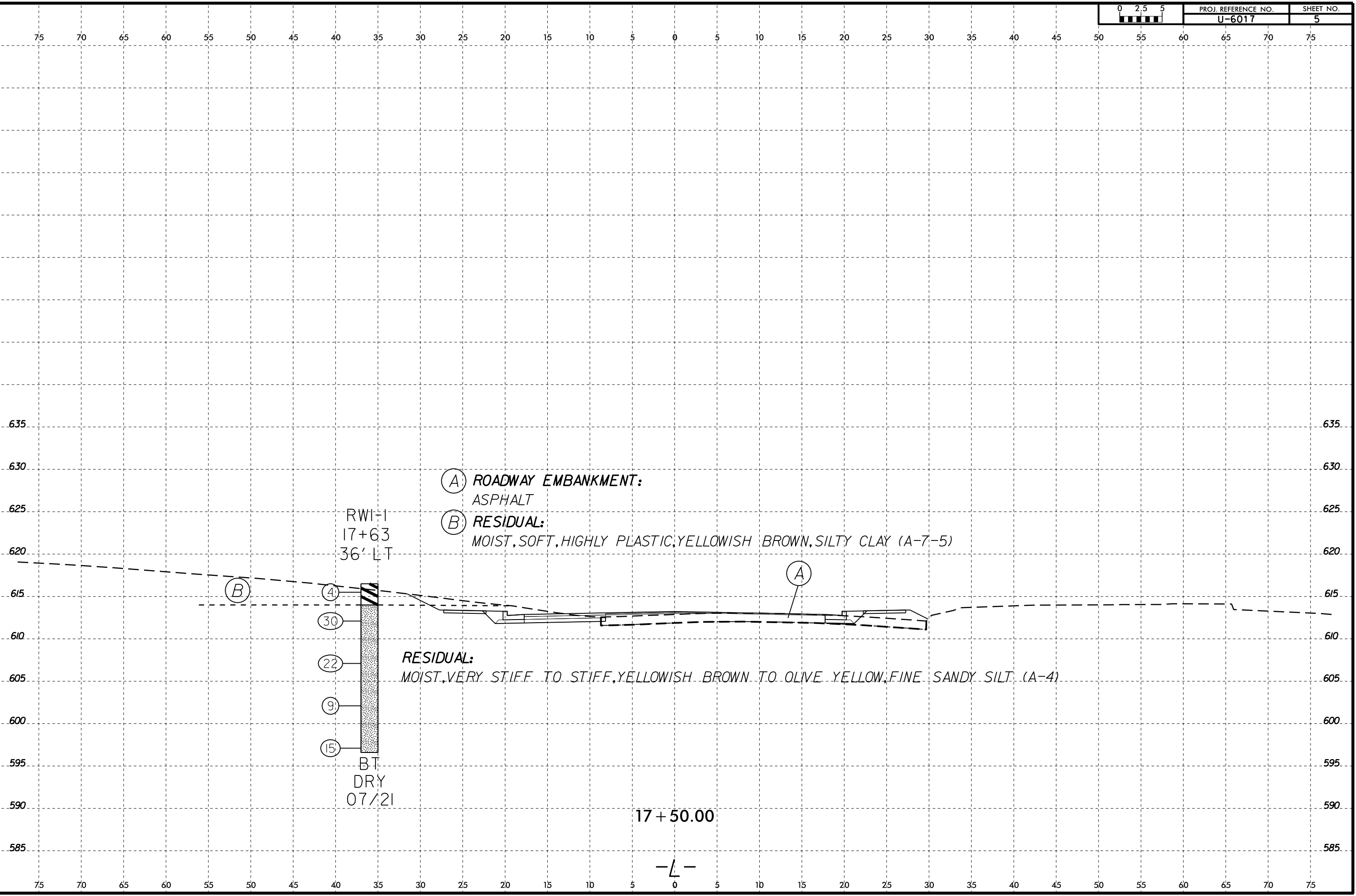
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CBR-1	-L-	22+75	50' LT	0.0 – 4.0	Standard Proctor, CBR

PROJECT REFERENCE NO. <b>U-6017</b>	SHEET NO. <b>4</b>
RW SHEET NO.	
ROADWAY DESIGN ENGINEER	HYDRAULICS ENGINEER
<b>INCOMPLETE PLANS</b> DO NOT USE FOR R/W ACQUISITION <b>PRELIMINARY PLANS</b> DO NOT USE FOR CONSTRUCTION	
<b>DOCUMENT NOT CONSIDERED FINAL</b> UNLESS ALL SIGNATURES COMPLETED	



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- (A) ROADWAY EMBANKMENT:  
ASPHALT
- (B) RESIDUAL:  
MOIST, SOFT, HIGHLY PLASTIC, YELLOWISH BROWN, SILTY CLAY (A-7-5)

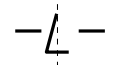
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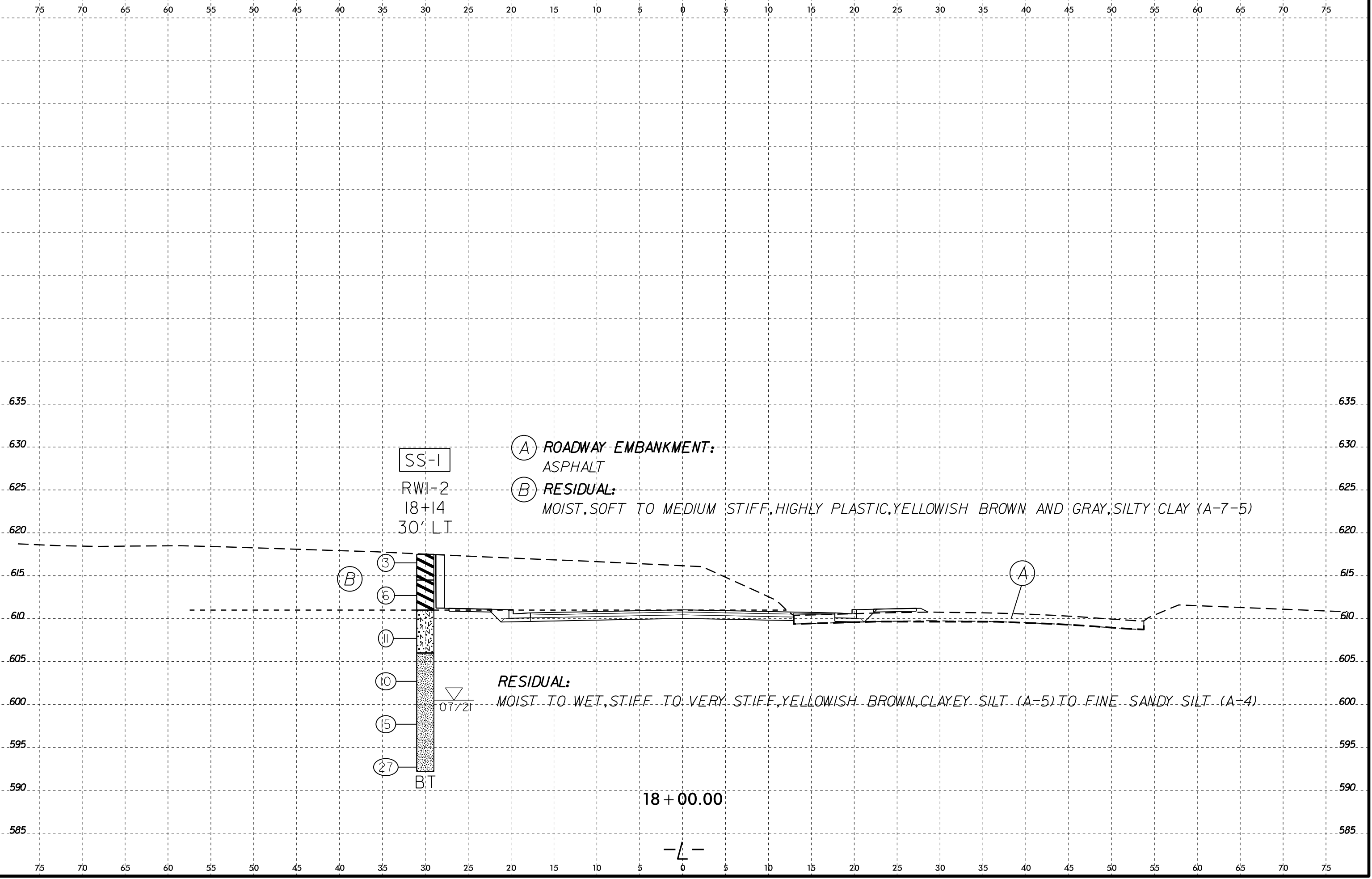
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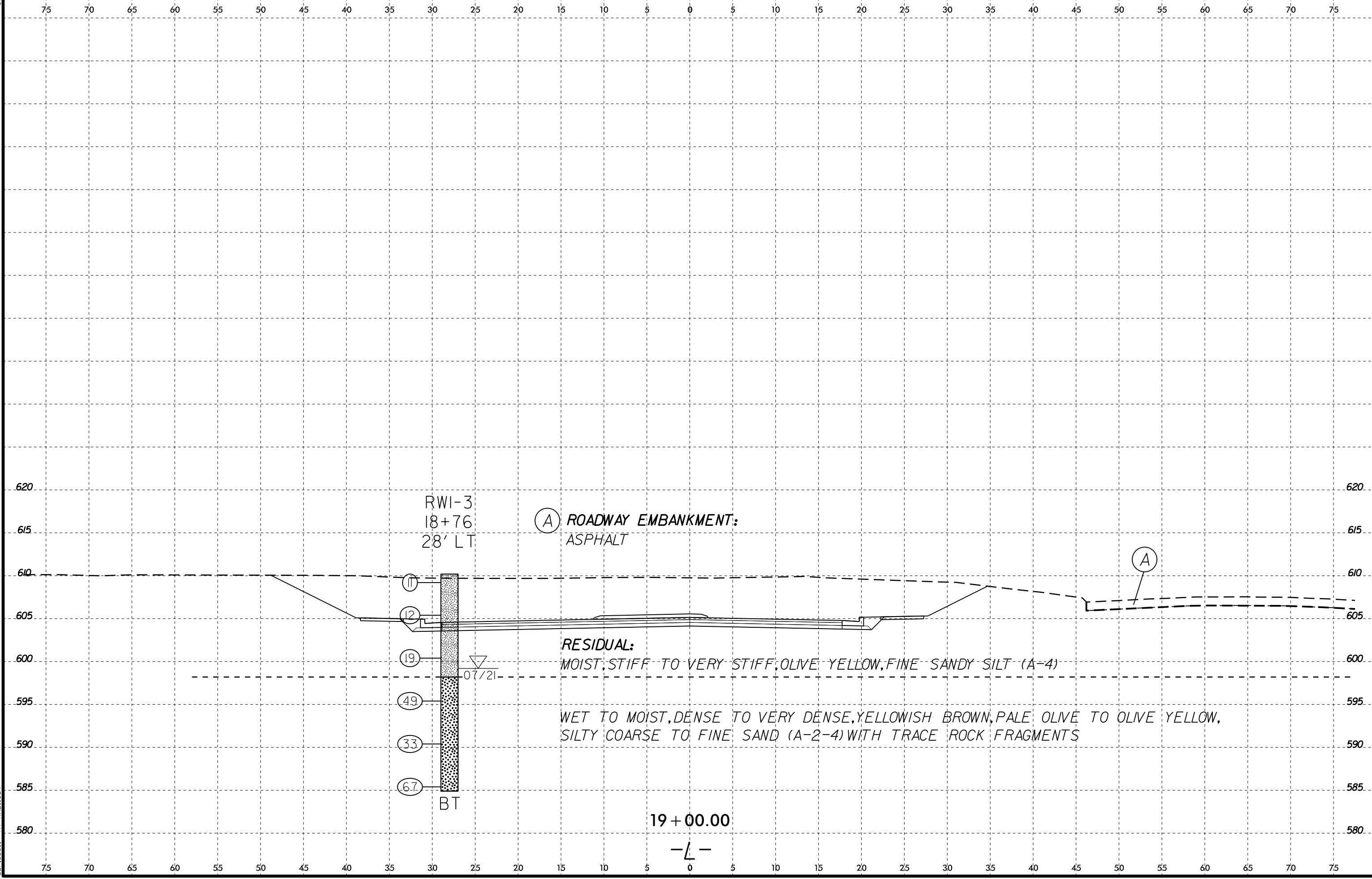




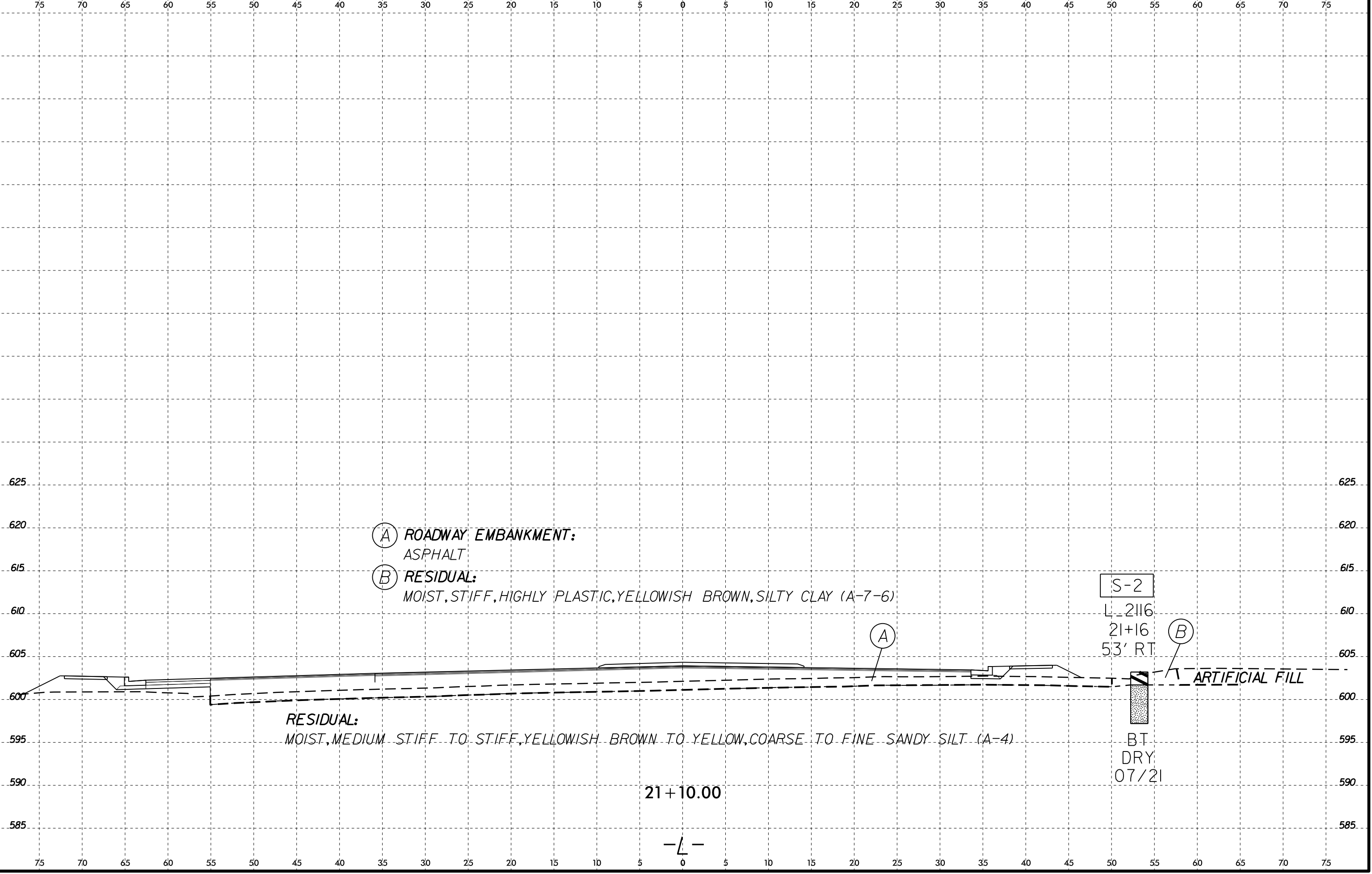
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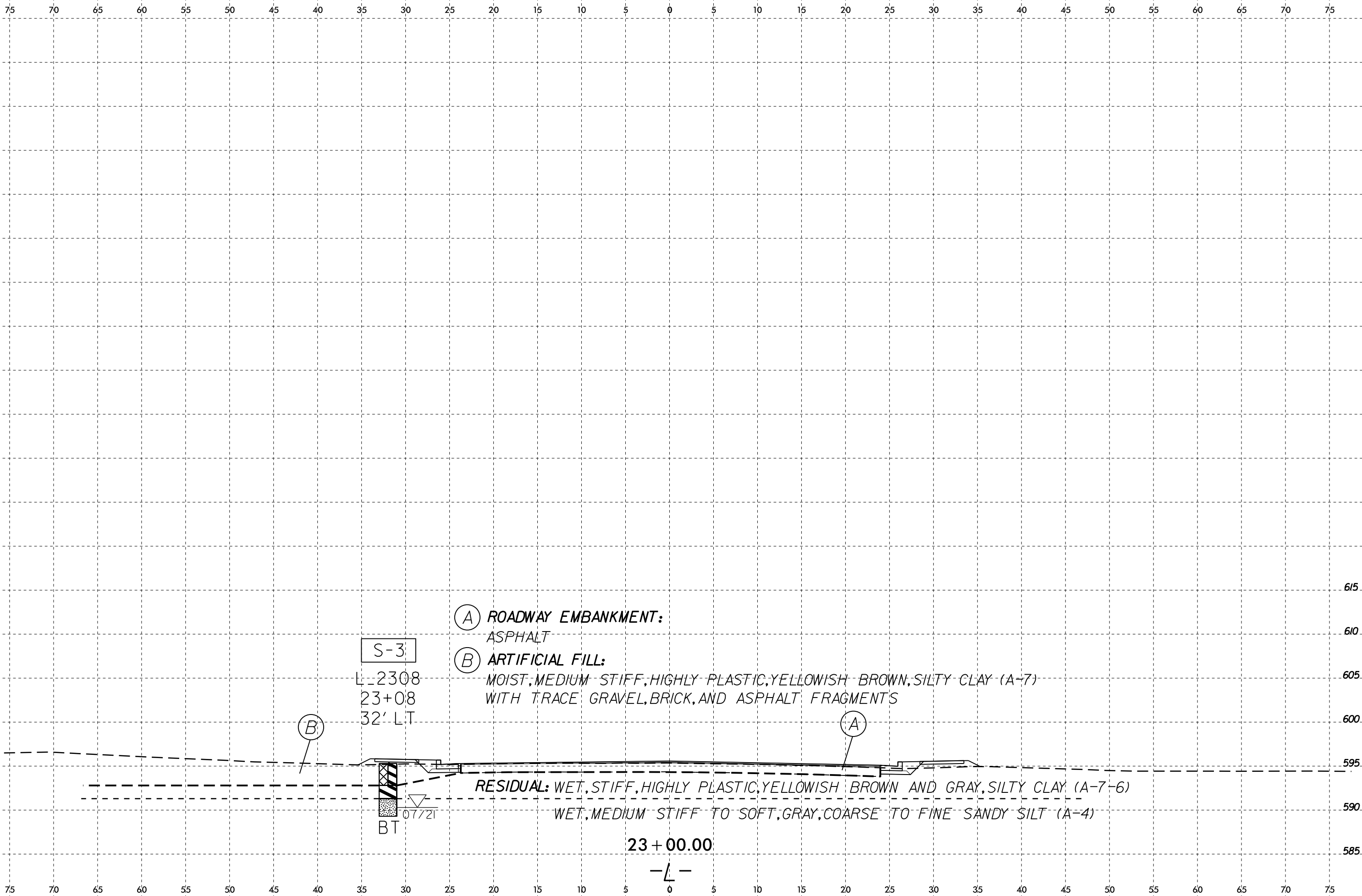


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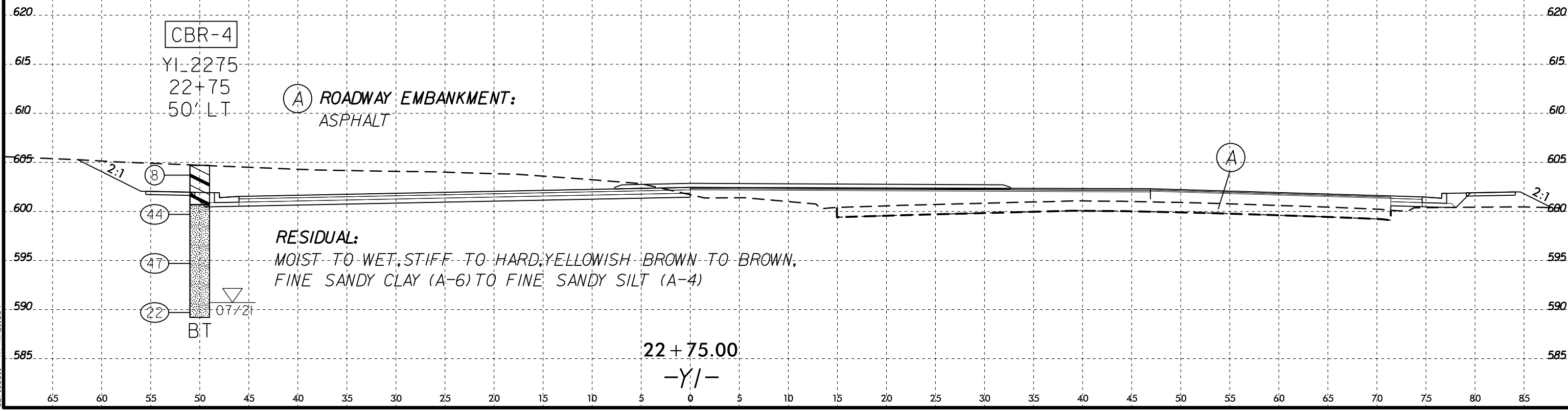


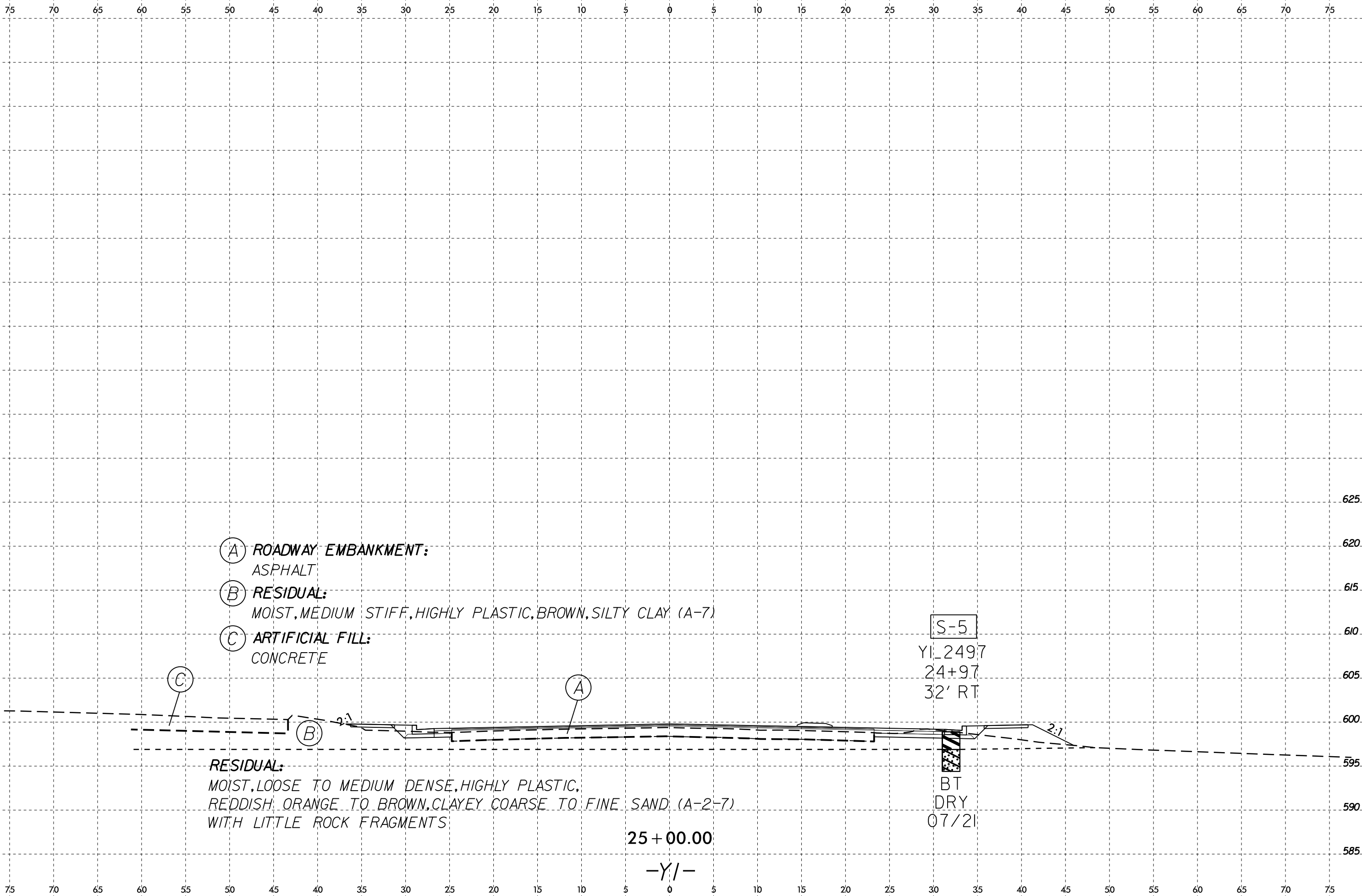


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- (A) **ROADWAY EMBANKMENT:**  
ASPHALT
- (B) **RESIDUAL:**  
MOIST, MEDIUM STIFF, HIGHLY PLASTIC, BROWN, SILTY CLAY (A-7)
- (C) **ARTIFICIAL FILL:**  
CONCRETE

**RESIDUAL:**  
MOIST, LOOSE TO MEDIUM DENSE, HIGHLY PLASTIC,  
REDDISH ORANGE TO BROWN, CLAYEY COARSE TO FINE SAND (A-2-7)  
WITH LITTLE ROCK FRAGMENTS

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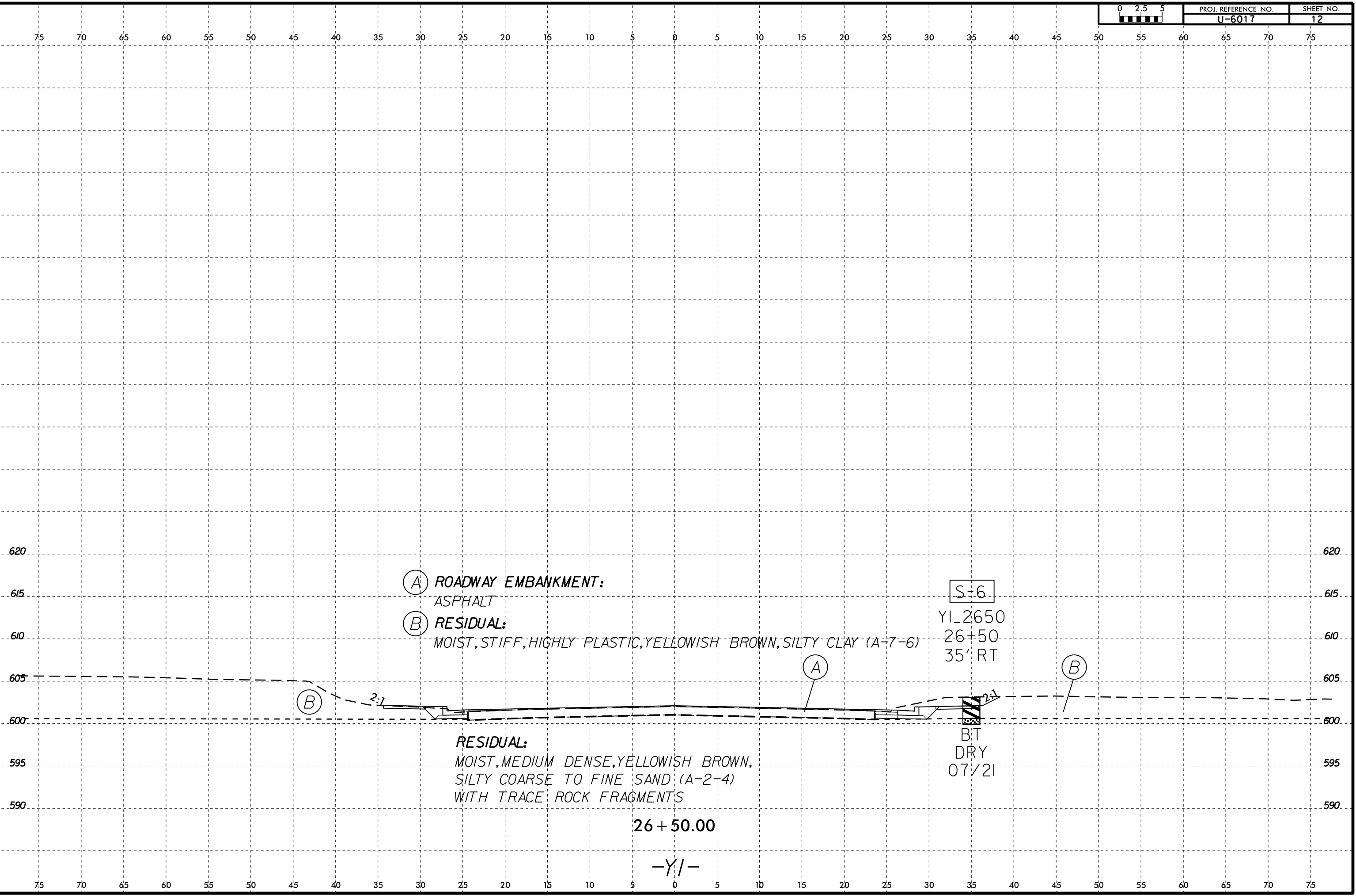
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(A) ROADWAY EMBANKMENT:  
ASPHALT

(B) RESIDUAL:  
MOIST, STIFF, HIGHLY PLASTIC, YELLOWISH BROWN, SILTY CLAY (A-7-6)

RESIDUAL:  
MOIST, MEDIUM DENSE, YELLOWISH BROWN,  
SILTY COARSE TO FINE SAND (A-2-4)  
WITH TRACE ROCK FRAGMENTS

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26+50  
35' RT

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NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS  
GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING UNIT  
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APPENDIX A  
LABORATORY RESULTS

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**LABORATORY SUMMARY SHEET FOR SOIL SAMPLES**

**SHEET 14**

**PROJECT NO.: 47162.1.1 (U-6017)**

**COUNTY: ALAMANCE**

**DESCRIPTION: NC 54 (EAST HARDEN STREET) AT NC 49 (EAST ELM STREET IN GRAHAM) INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS**

Sample No.	Boring Number	Alignment	Station	Offset	Sample Depth (ft.)	Natural Moisture Content (%)	Organic Content (%)	AASHTO Class.	Atterberg Limits			Gradation Results							
									L.L.	P.L.	P.I.	Retained #4 Sieve	Pass #10 Sieve	Pass #40 Sieve	Pass #200 Sieve	Coarse Sand (%)	Fine Sand (%)	Silt (%)	Clay (%)
SS-1	RW1-2	-L-	18+14	30' LT	3.8-5.3	33.8	-	A-7-5	99	33	66	0.0	100.0	99.5	92.6	1.4	8.8	14.8	75.1
S-2	L_2116	-L-	21+16	53' RT	0.5-1.0	29.6	-	A-7-6	87	28	59	0.1	99.7	98.3	89.9	3.0	10.0	17.8	69.3
S-3	L_2308	-L-	23+08	32' LT	2.5-3.0	28.3	-	A-7-6	69	21	48	0.5	98.9	96.4	85.3	6.6	11.1	17.0	65.3
CBR-4	Y1_2275	-Y1-	22+75	50' LT	0.0-4.0	13.7	-	A-6	32	21	11	0.8	97.4	95.5	74.0	8.2	25.0	43.8	23.0
S-5	Y1_2497	-Y1-	24+97	32' RT	2.0-2.5	34.4	-	A-2-7	68	30	38	0.0	99.7	87.6	34.7	23.7	53.7	11.2	11.4
S-6	Y1_2650	-Y1-	26+50	35' RT	1.0-1.5	22.2	-	A-7-6	74	23	51	0.7	98.2	93.1	78.5	11.9	12.7	22.2	53.2

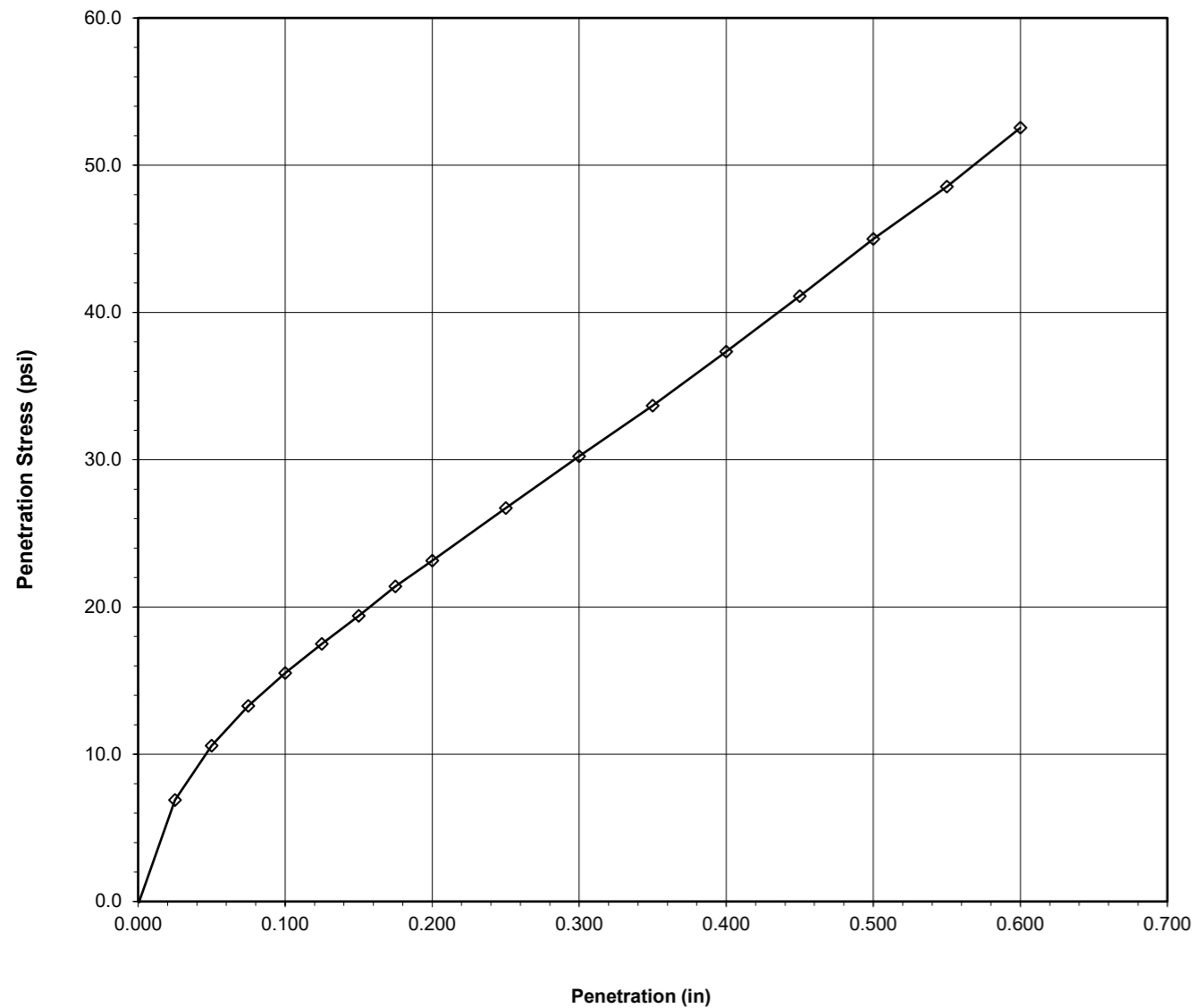


**SINGLE POINT CBR TEST**  
ASTM D 1883-16

Client Kleinfelder Boring No. Y1\_2275  
 Client Reference U-6017 Roadway Depth(ft.) 0.0-4.0  
 Project No. R-2021-211-002 Sample No. CBR-4  
 Lab ID R-2021-211-002-001 Visual Description Brown Clay with Silt

**CBR VALUE (0.1") 1.6 %**  
**CBR VALUE (0.2") 1.5 %**

**Penetration Stress vs. Penetration**



Tested By SS Date 8/18/2021 Approved By MPS Date 8/23/2021

**SINGLE POINT CBR TEST**  
ASTM D 1883-16

Client Kleinfelder Boring No. Y1\_2275  
 Client Reference U-6017 Roadway Depth(ft.) 0.0-4.0  
 Project No. R-2021-211-002 Sample No. CBR-4  
 Lab ID R-2021-211-002-001 Visual Description Brown Clay with Silt

Test Type	STANDARD	Density Measurement	
		Before Soaking	After Soaking
Molding Method	C		
Mold ID	R-673		
Wt. of Mold (gm.)	4132.7	Wt. Mold & WS (gm.)	8527.1
Mold Volume (cc)	2122	Wt. WS (gm.)	4602
Surcharge (lbs.)	10	Sample Volume (cc)	2122
Piston Area (in <sup>2</sup> )	3	Wet Density (gm./cc)	2.07
Sample Height	4.58	Wet Density (pcf)	129.2
Sample Conditions	Soaked		
Blows per Layer	27	Dry Density (pcf)	113.0
		Dry Density (gm./cc)	1.81

Water Contents	As Rec'd	Beginning Compaction	After Compaction	Before Soaking	After Soaking	Top 1" After Soak
Tare No.	4M	850	476		834	726
Wt. of T+WS (gm.)	66.54	359.16	342.89		1110.88	672.48
Wt. of T+DS (gm.)	60.38	330.5	312.84		970.2	561.26
Wt of Tare (gm.)	15.52	135.46	98.78		259.87	143.01
Moisture Content(%)	13.7	14.7	14.0	14.4	19.8	26.6

Piston Displacement (in.)	Load (lbs.)	Penetration Stress (psi.)	Swell Measurement		
			Elapsed Time (hrs)	Dial Gauge (Div)	Percent Swell
0	-0.64	-0.2			
0.025	20.68	6.9			
0.050	31.76	10.6			
0.075	39.82	13.3			
0.100	46.56	15.5	0.00	190	0.00%
0.125	52.49	17.5	21.50	265	1.64%
0.150	58.22	19.4	47.50	279	1.94%
0.175	64.17	21.4	96.08	284	2.05%
0.200	69.43	23.1			
0.250	80.17	26.7			
0.300	90.72	30.2			
0.350	100.99	33.7			
0.400	112.05	37.3			
0.450	123.34	41.1			
0.500	134.95	45.0			
0.550	145.64	48.5			
0.600	157.61	52.5			

1Division = 0.001 in.

Tested By SS Date 8/18/2021 Checked By AES Date 8/23/2021