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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**  
**DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS**  
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**STRUCTURE**  
**SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION**

PROJ. REFERENCE NO. 45360.1.19 (BD-5114S) F.A. PROJ. \_\_\_\_\_  
COUNTY JACKSON  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION BRIDGE No. 53 ON SR-1001  
OVER CULLOWHEE CREEK

SITE DESCRIPTION \_\_\_\_\_  
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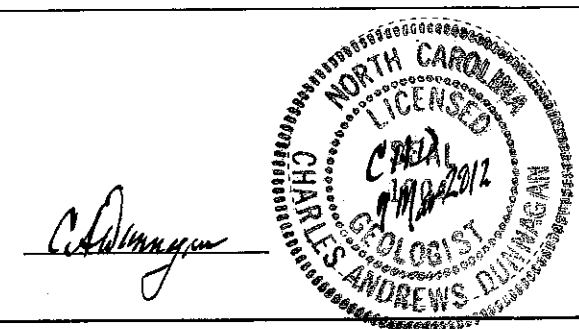
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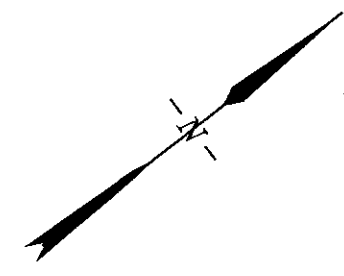
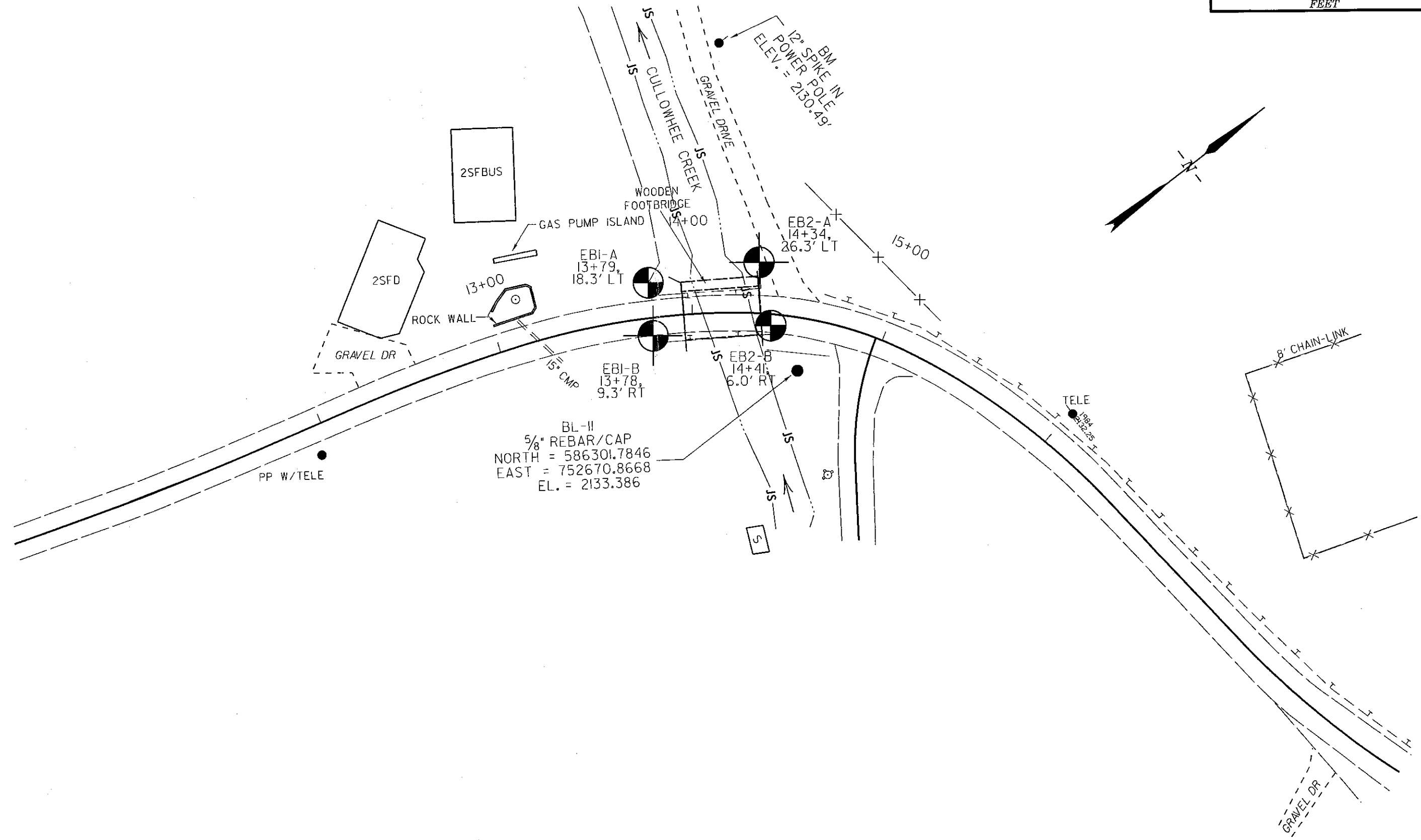
**SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION**

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

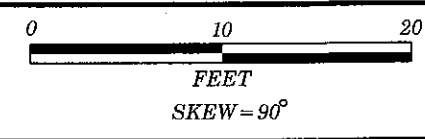
SOIL DESCRIPTION		GRADATION		ROCK DESCRIPTION		TERMS AND DEFINITIONS					
SOIL IS CONSIDERED TO BE THE UNCONSOLIDATED, SEMI-CONSOLIDATED, OR WEATHERED EARTH MATERIALS THAT CAN BE PENETRATED WITH A CONTINUOUS FLIGHT POWER AUGER, AND YIELD LESS THAN 100 BLOWS PER FOOT ACCORDING TO STANDARD PENETRATION TEST (ASHTO T206, ASTM D-1586). SOIL CLASSIFICATION IS BASED ON THE AASHTO SYSTEM. BASIC DESCRIPTIONS GENERALLY SHALL INCLUDE: CONSISTENCY, COLOR, TEXTURE, MOISTURE, AASHTO CLASSIFICATION, AND OTHER PERTINENT FACTORS SUCH AS MINERALOGICAL COMPOSITION, ANGULARITY, STRUCTURE, PLASTICITY, ETC. EXAMPLE: <i>VERY STIFF, GRANULY CLAY, MOIST WITH INTERBEDDED FINE SAND LAYERS, HIGH PLASTIC, A-7-6</i>		WELL GRADED - INDICATES A GOOD REPRESENTATION OF PARTICLE SIZES FROM FINE TO COARSE. UNIFORM - INDICATES THAT SOIL PARTICLES ARE ALL APPROXIMATELY THE SAME SIZE. ALSO POORLY GRADED. GAP-GRADED - INDICATES A MIXTURE OF UNIFORM PARTICLES OF TWO OR MORE SIZES.  <b>ANGULARITY OF GRAINS</b> THE ANGULARITY OR ROUNDNESS OF SOIL GRAINS IS DESIGNATED BY THE TERMS: ANGULAR, SUBANGULAR, SUBROUNDED, OR ROUNDED.		HARD ROCK IS NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL THAT IF TESTED, WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL, 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:  WEATHERED ROCK (WR) NON-COASTAL PLAIN MATERIAL THAT WOULD YIELD SPT N VALUES > 100 BLOWS PER FOOT IF TESTED.  CRYSTALLINE ROCK (CR) FINE TO COARSE GRAIN (IGNEOUS AND METAMORPHIC) ROCK THAT WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL IF TESTED. ROCK TYPE INCLUDES GRANITE, GNEISS, GABBRO, SCHIST, ETC.  NON-CRYSTALLINE ROCK (NCR) FINE TO COARSE GRAIN METAMORPHIC AND NON-COASTAL PLAIN SEDIMENTARY ROCK THAT WOULD YIELD SPT REFUSAL IF TESTED. ROCK TYPE INCLUDES PHYLLITE, SLATE, SANDSTONE, ETC.  COASTAL PLAIN SEDIMENTARY ROCK (CPI) COASTAL PLAIN SEDIMENTS CEMENTED INTO ROCK, BUT MAY NOT YIELD SPT REFUSAL. ROCK TYPE INCLUDES LIMESTONE, SANDSTONE, CEMENTED SHELL BEGS, ETC.		<b>ALLUVIUM (ALLOUV.)</b> - 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, 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 (RQD) - 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 (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 (SCREC.) - TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATA MATERIAL RECOVERED DIVIDED BY TOTAL LENGTH OF STRATUM AND EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE. STRATA ROCK QUALITY DESIGNATION (SRQD) - 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.					
<b>SOIL LEGEND AND AASHTO CLASSIFICATION</b>		<b>MINERALOGICAL COMPOSITION</b>		<b>WEATHERING</b>		<b>ROCK HARDNESS</b>					
GENERAL CLASS.    GRANULAR MATERIALS (≤ 35% PASSING #200)    SILT-CLAY MATERIALS (> 35% PASSING #200)    ORGANIC MATERIALS		MINERAL NAMES SUCH AS QUARTZ, FELDSPAR, MICA, TALC, KAOLIN, ETC. ARE USED IN DESCRIPTIONS WHENEVER THEY ARE CONSIDERED OF SIGNIFICANCE.		<b>FRESH</b> ROCK FRESH, CRYSTALS BRIGHT, FEW JOINTS MAY SHOW SLIGHT STAINING. ROCK RINGS UNDER HAMMER IF CRYSTALLINE. <b>VERY SLIGHT (V. S.L.)</b> 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. <b>SLIGHT (S.L.)</b> 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. <b>MODERATE (MOD.)</b> 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. <b>MODERATELY SEVERE (MOD. SEV.)</b> 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. <b>SEVERE (SEV.)</b> 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. <b>VERY SEVERE (V. SEV.)</b> ALL ROCK EXCEPT QUARTZ DISCOLORED OR STAINED. ROCK FABRIC ELEMENTS ARE DISCERNIBLE BUT THE MASS IS EFFECTIVELY REDUCED TO SOIL STATUS, WITH ONLY FRAGMENTS OF STRONG ROCK REMAINING. SAPROLITE IS AN EXAMPLE OF ROCK WEATHERED TO A DEGREE SUCH THAT ONLY MINOR VESTIGES OF THE ORIGINAL ROCK FABRIC REMAIN. <i>IF TESTED, YIELDS SPT N VALUES &lt; 100 BPF.</i> <b>COMPLETE</b> ROCK REDUCED TO SOIL. ROCK FABRIC NOT DISCERNIBLE, OR DISCERNIBLE ONLY IN SMALL AND SCATTERED CONCENTRATIONS. QUARTZ MAY BE PRESENT AS DIKES OR STRINGERS. SAPROLITE IS ALSO AN EXAMPLE.		<b>COMPRESSIBILITY</b> SLIGHTLY COMPRESSIBLE    LIQUID LIMIT LESS THAN 31 MODERATELY COMPRESSIBLE    LIQUID LIMIT EQUAL TO 31-50 HIGHLY COMPRESSIBLE    LIQUID LIMIT GREATER THAN 50		<b>VERY HARD</b> CANNOT BE SCRATCHED BY KNIFE OR SHARP PICK. BREAKING OF HAND SPECIMENS REQUIRES SEVERAL HARD BLOWS OF THE GEOLOGIST'S PICK. <b>HARD</b> CAN BE SCRATCHED BY KNIFE OR PICK ONLY WITH DIFFICULTY. HARD HAMMER BLOWS REQUIRED TO DETACH HAND SPECIMEN. <b>MODERATELY HARD</b> 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. <b>MEDIUM HARD</b> CAN BE GROOVED OR GOUGED 0.05 INCHES DEEP BY FIRM PRESSURE OF KNIFE OR PICK POINT. CAN BE EXCAVATED IN SMALL CHIPS TO PEICES 1 INCH MAXIMUM SIZE BY HARD BLOWS OF THE POINT OF A GEOLOGIST'S PICK. <b>SOFT</b> CAN BE GROVED 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. <b>VERY SOFT</b> 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.			
<b>PERCENTAGE OF MATERIAL</b>		<b>GROUND WATER</b>		<b>ROCK QUALITY DESIGNATION (RQD)</b>		<b>BENCH MARK: BL-II: REBAR WITH CAP 27.0' RIGHT OF -L- STATION 14+58; N=586301E; 752670</b>					
<b>ORGANIC MATERIAL</b> TRACE OF ORGANIC MATTER    2 - 3% LITTLE ORGANIC MATTER    3 - 5% MODERATELY ORGANIC    5 - 10% HIGHLY ORGANIC    >10%		<b>WATER LEVEL IN BORE HOLE IMMEDIATELY AFTER DRILLING</b> <b>STATIC WATER LEVEL AFTER 24 HOURS</b> <b>PERCHED WATER, SATURATED ZONE, OR WATER BEARING STRATA</b> <b>SPRING OR SEEP</b> 		<b>VERY HARD</b> MORE THAN 10 FEET <b>HARD</b> 3 TO 10 FEET <b>MODERATELY CLOSE</b> 1 TO 3 FEET <b>CLOSE</b> 0.16 TO 1 FEET <b>VERY CLOSE</b> LESS THAN 0.16 FEET		<b>INDURATION</b> FOR SEDIMENTARY ROCKS, INDURATION IS THE HARDENING OF THE MATERIAL BY CEMENTING, HEAT, PRESSURE, ETC. <b>FRIABLE</b> RUBBING WITH FINGER FREES NUMEROUS GRAINS; GENTLE BLOW BY HAMMER DISINTEGRATES SAMPLE. <b>MODERATELY INDURATED</b> GRAINS CAN BE SEPARATED FROM SAMPLE WITH STEEL PROBE; BREAKS EASILY WHEN HIT WITH HAMMER. <b>INDURATED</b> GRAINS ARE DIFFICULT TO SEPARATE WITH STEEL PROBE; DIFFICULT TO BREAK WITH HAMMER. <b>EXTREMELY INDURATED</b> SHARP HAMMER BLOWS REQUIRED TO BREAK SAMPLE; SAMPLE BREAKS ACROSS GRAINS.					
<b>USUAL TYPES OF MAJOR MATERIALS</b>		<b>MISCELLANEOUS SYMBOLS</b>		<b>FRAC. - FRACTURED, FRACTURES</b>		<b>NOTES:</b>					
<b>EXCELLENT TO GOOD</b> <b>FAIR TO POOR</b> <b>FAIR TO POOR</b> <b>POOR</b> <b>UNSATURABLE</b>		<b>ROADWAY EMBANKMENT (RE) WITH SOIL DESCRIPTION</b> <b>SOIL SYMBOL</b> <b>ARTIFICIAL FILL (AF) OTHER THAN ROADWAY EMBANKMENT</b> <b>INFERRED SOIL BOUNDARY</b> <b>INFERRED ROCK LINE</b> <b>ALLUVIAL SOIL BOUNDARY</b> <b>DIP &amp; DIP DIRECTION OF ROCK STRUCTURES</b> <b>SOUNDING ROD</b> 		<b>ROADWAY EMBANKMENT (RE) WITH SOIL DESCRIPTION</b> <b>SOIL SYMBOL</b> <b>ARTIFICIAL FILL (AF) OTHER THAN ROADWAY EMBANKMENT</b> <b>INFERRED SOIL BOUNDARY</b> <b>INFERRED ROCK LINE</b> <b>ALLUVIAL SOIL BOUNDARY</b> <b>DIP &amp; DIP DIRECTION OF ROCK STRUCTURES</b> <b>SOUNDING ROD</b> 		<b>SOIL MOISTURE - CORRELATION OF TERMS</b> <b>L.L.</b> - LIQUID LIMIT <b>P.L.</b> - PLASTIC LIMIT <b>O.M.</b> - OPTIMUM MOISTURE <b>S.L.</b> - SHRINKAGE LIMIT <b>- SATURATED - (SAT.)</b> USUALLY LIQUID; VERY WET, USUALLY FROM BELOW THE GROUND WATER TABLE <b>- WET - (W)</b> SEMISOLID; REQUIRES DRYING TO ATTAIN OPTIMUM MOISTURE <b>- MOIST - (M)</b> SOLID; AT OR NEAR OPTIMUM MOISTURE <b>- DRY - (D)</b> REQUIRES ADDITIONAL WATER TO ATTAIN OPTIMUM MOISTURE		<b>EL ELEVATION: 2133.39</b>			
<b>TEXTURE OR GRAIN SIZE</b>		<b>ABBREVIATIONS</b>		<b>INSTRUMENTS</b>		<b>INDURATION</b>					
<b>U.S. STD. SIEVE SIZE OPENING (MM)</b>		<b>AR - AUGER REFUSAL</b> <b>BT - BORING TERMINATED</b> <b>CL - CLAY</b> <b>CPT - CONE PENETRATION TEST</b> <b>CSE - COARSE</b> <b>DMT - DILATOMETER TEST</b> <b>DPT - DYNAMIC PENETRATION TEST</b> <b>F - FINE</b> <b>FOSS. - FOSSILIFEROUS</b> <b>FRAC. - FRACTURED, FRACTURES</b> <b>FRAGS. - FRAGMENTS</b>		<b>HL - HIGHLY</b> <b>MED. - MEDIUM</b> <b>MICA - MICACEOUS</b> <b>MOD. - MODERATELY</b> <b>NP - NON PLASTIC</b> <b>ORG. - ORGANIC</b> <b>PMT - PRESSUREMETER TEST</b> <b>SAP. - SAPROLITIC</b> <b>SD. - SAND, SANDY</b> <b>SL. - SILT, SILTY</b> <b>SLI. - SLIGHTLY</b> <b>TCR - TRICONE REFUSAL</b>		<b>DRILL UNITS:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> MOBILE B- <input type="checkbox"/> BK-51 <input type="checkbox"/> CME-45C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CME-550 <input type="checkbox"/> PORTABLE HOIST		<b>ADVANCING TOOLS:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> CLAY BITS <input type="checkbox"/> 6" CONTINUOUS FLIGHT AUGER <input type="checkbox"/> 8" HOLLOW AUGERS <input type="checkbox"/> HARD FACED FINGER BITS <input type="checkbox"/> TUNG-CARBIDE INSERTS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CASING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> W/ ADVANCER <input type="checkbox"/> TRICONE _____ * STEEL TEETH <input type="checkbox"/> TRICONE _____ * TUNG-CARB. <input type="checkbox"/> CORE BIT		<b>HAMMER TYPE:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AUTOMATIC <input type="checkbox"/> MANUAL <b>CORE SIZE:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> B <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N XWL <input type="checkbox"/> H <b>HAND TOOLS:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> POST HOLE DIGGER <input type="checkbox"/> HAND AUGER <input type="checkbox"/> SOUNDING ROD <input type="checkbox"/> VANE SHEAR TEST	
<b>BOULDER (BLDR.)</b> <b>COBBLE (COB.)</b> <b>GRAVEL (GR.)</b> <b>COARSE SAND (CSE, SD.)</b> <b>FINE SAND (F, SO.)</b> <b>SILT (SL.)</b> <b>CLAY (CL.)</b>		<b>CR - CRACK</b> <b>DI - DIP</b> <b>DI + D</b> - DIP DIRECTION		<b>W - MOISTURE CONTENT</b> <b>V - VERY</b> <b>VST - VANE SHEAR TEST</b> <b>WEA. - WEATHERED</b> <b>γ - UNIT WEIGHT</b> <b>γ<sub>d</sub> - DRY UNIT WEIGHT</b> <b>FIAD - FILLED IMMEDIATELY AFTER DRILLING</b> <b>WCH - WEIGHT OF HAMMER</b>		<b>TERM</b> <b>SPACING</b> <b>VERY WIDE</b> MORE THAN 10 FEET <b>WIDE</b> 3 TO 10 FEET <b>MODERATELY CLOSE</b> 1 TO 3 FEET <b>CLOSE</b> 0.16 TO 1 FEET <b>VERY CLOSE</b> LESS THAN 0.16 FEET		<b>TERM</b> <b>THICKNESS</b> <b>VERY THICKLY BEDDED</b> > 4 FEET <b>THICKLY BEDDED</b> 1.5 - 4 FEET <b>THINLY BEDDED</b> 0.16 - 1.5 FEET <b>VERY THINLY BEDDED</b> 0.03 - 0.16 FEET <b>THICKLY LAMINATED</b> 0.006 - 0.03 FEET <b>THINLY LAMINATED</b> < 0.006 FEET			
<b>PLASTICITY</b>		<b>EQUIPMENT USED ON SUBJECT PROJECT</b>		<b>FRAC. - FRACTURED, FRACTURES</b>		<b>INDURATION</b>					
<b>NONPLASTIC</b> PLASTICITY INDEX (PI)    DRY STRENGTH <b>LOW PLASTICITY</b> 0-5    VERY LOW <b>MED. PLASTICITY</b> 6-15    SLIGHT <b>HIGH PLASTICITY</b> 16-25    MEDIUM 26 OR MORE    HIGH		<b>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.</b>		<b>FRAC. - FRACTURED, FRACTURES</b>		<b>INDURATION</b>					

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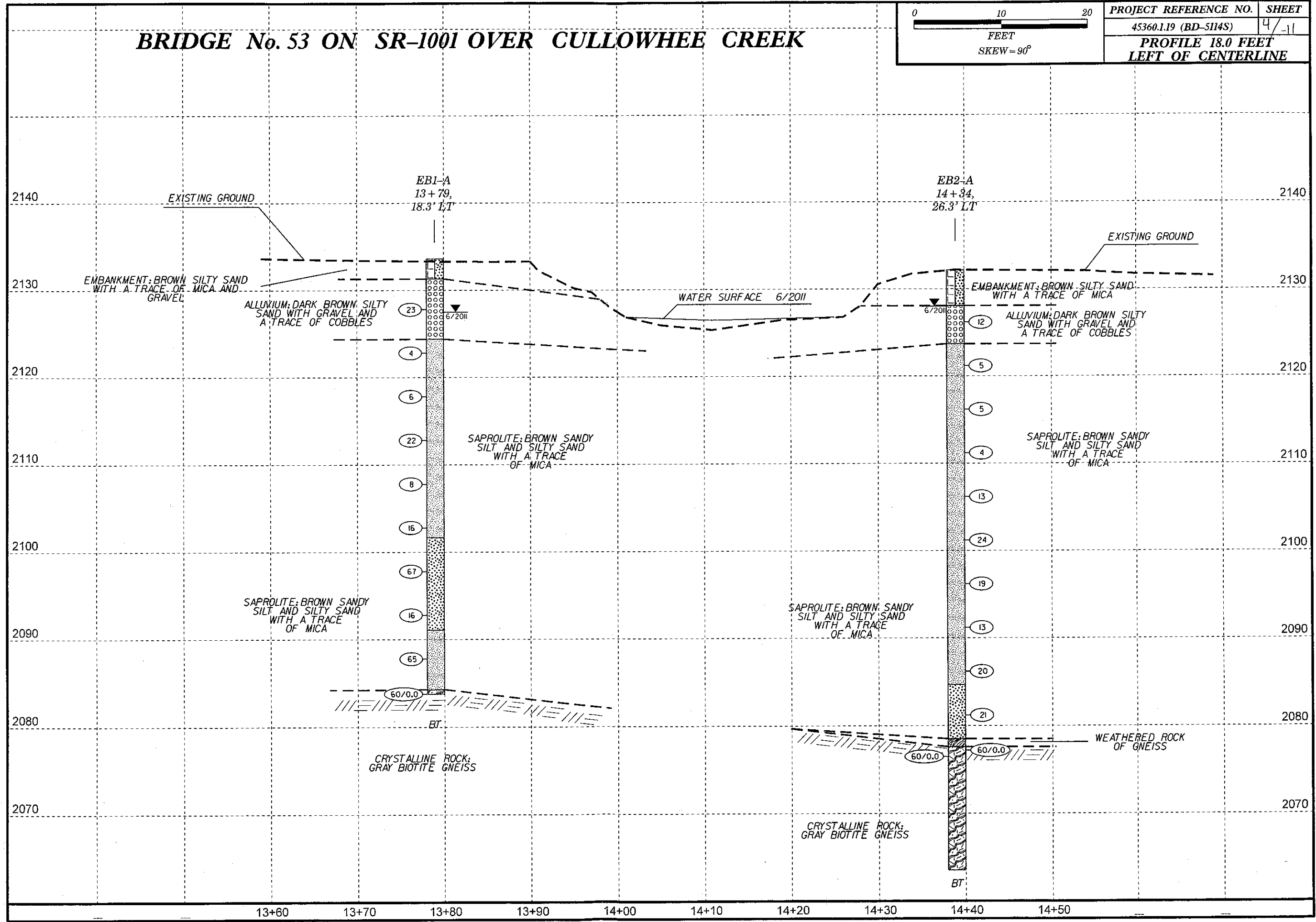
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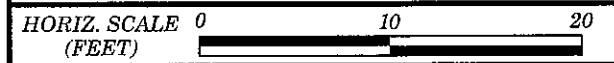
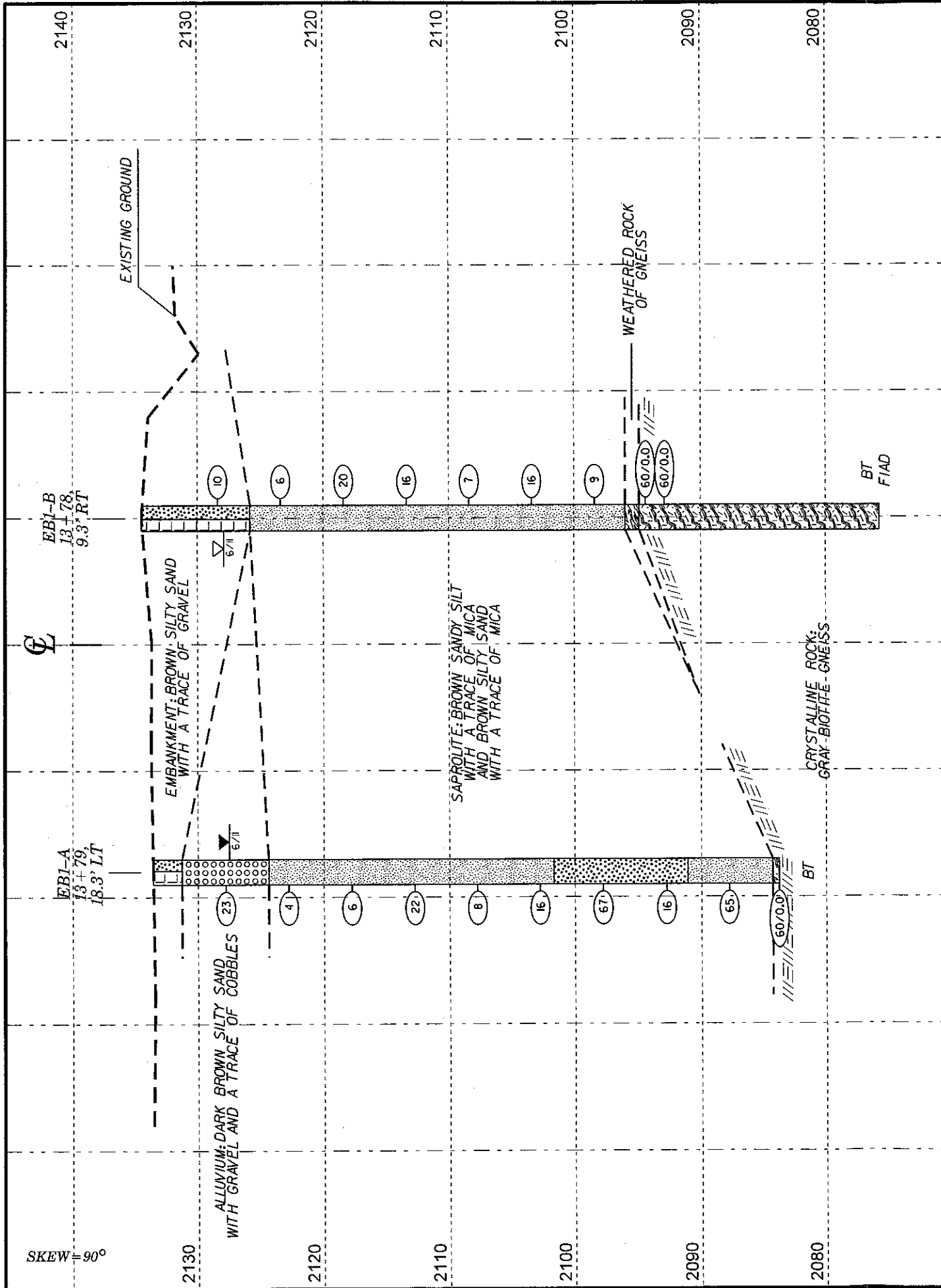


# BRIDGE No. 53 ON SR-1001 OVER CULLOWHEE CREEK

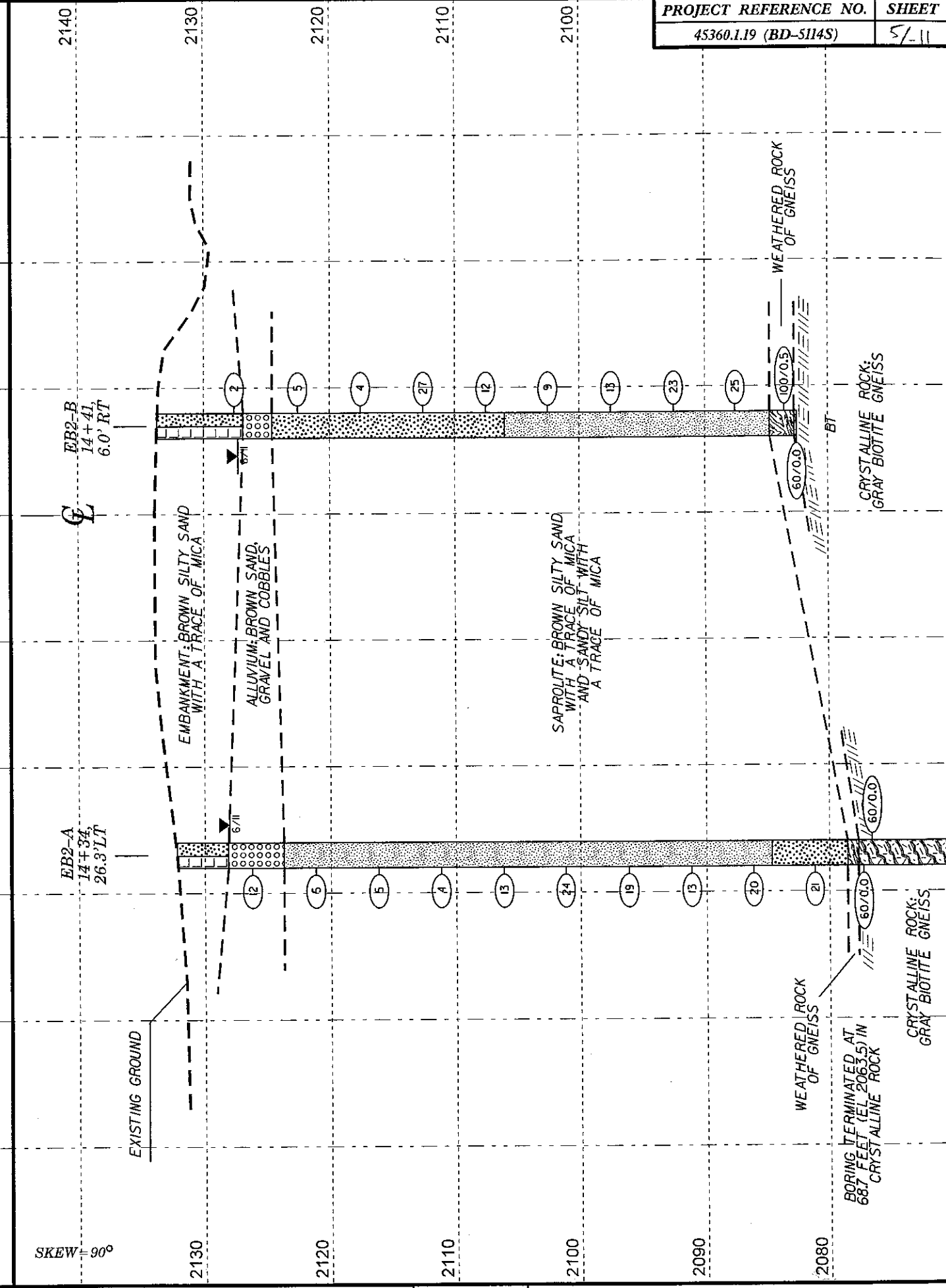


PROJECT REFERENCE NO.	SHEET
45360.1.19 (BD-5114S)	4/-11
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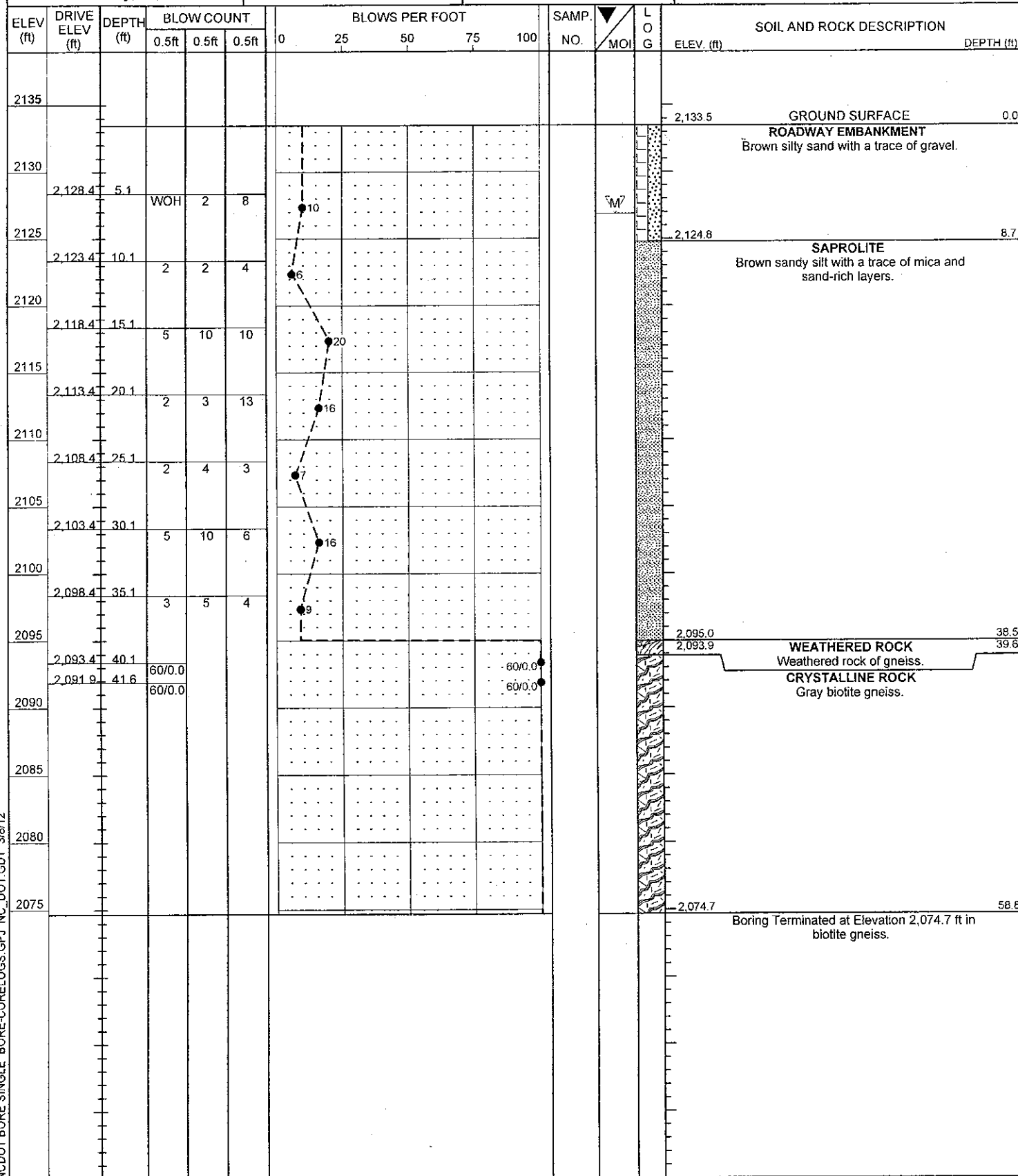
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SITE DESCRIPTION Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001 over Cullowhee Creek.			GROUND WTR (ft)
BORING NO. EB1-A	STATION 13+79	OFFSET 18 ft LT	ALIGNMENT -L- 0 HR. N/A
COLLAR ELEV. 2,133.6 ft	TOTAL DEPTH 49.8 ft	NORTHING 586,267	EASTING 752,587 24 HR. 6.1
DRILL RIG/HAMMER EFF./DATE AFO0071 CME-550X 72% 09/03/2009		DRILL METHOD NW Casing w/ SPT	HAMMER TYPE Automatic
DRILLER Coffey, Jr., C.	START DATE 06/16/11	COMP. DATE 06/16/11	SURFACE WATER DEPTH N/A

ELEV (ft)	DRIVE ELEV (ft)	DEPTH (ft)	BLOW COUNT			BLOWS PER FOOT					SAMP. NO.	L O G	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	DEPTH (ft)		
			0.5ft	0.5ft	0.5ft	0	25	50	75	100					ELEV. (ft)	DEPTH (ft)
2135														2,133.6	0.0	GROUND SURFACE
														2,131.3	2.3	ROADWAY EMBANKMENT Brown silty sand with a trace of mica and gravel.
2130	2,128.8	4.8				28	14	9								ALLUVIAL Dark brown silty sand with gravel and a trace of cobbles.
2125	2,123.8	9.8				1	1	3								
2120	2,118.8	14.8				1	3	3								
2115	2,113.8	19.8				4	11	11								
2110	2,108.8	24.8				2	4	4								
2105	2,103.8	29.8				4	6	10								
2100	2,098.8	34.8				18	31	36								
2095	2,093.8	39.8				6	7	9								
2090	2,088.8	44.8				9	15	50								
2085	2,083.8	49.8				60/0.0								2,084.3	49.3	CRystalline Rock Gray biotite gneiss.
														2,083.8	49.8	Boring Terminated with Standard Penetration Test Refusal at Elevation 2,083.8 ft in biotite gneiss.

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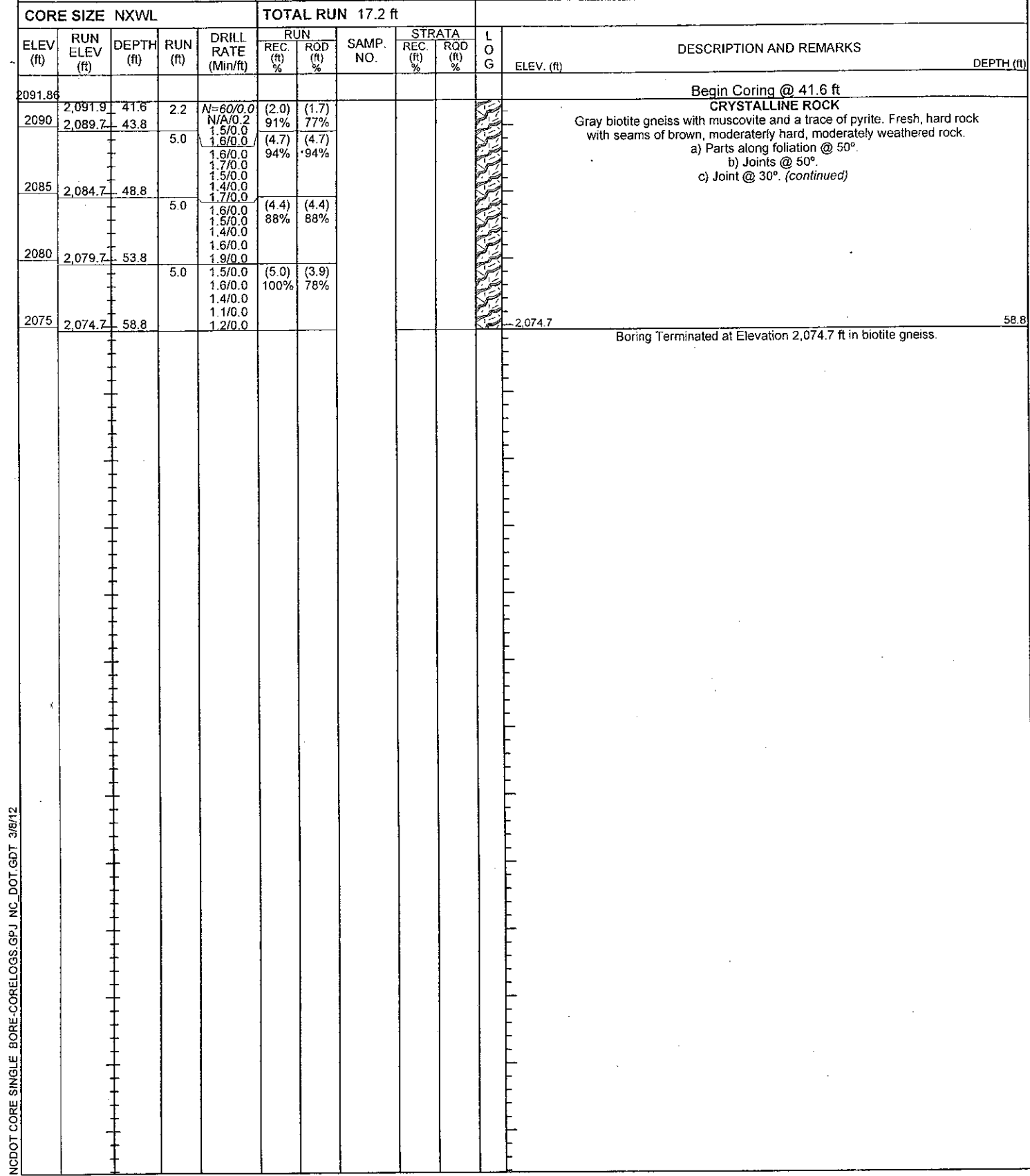
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SITE DESCRIPTION Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001 over Cullowhee Creek.			GROUND WTR (ft)
BORING NO. EB1-B	STATION 13+78	OFFSET 9 ft RT	ALIGNMENT -L-
COLLAR ELEV. 2,133.5 ft	TOTAL DEPTH 58.8 ft	NORTHING 586,252	EASTING 752,610
DRILL RIG/HAMMER EFF./DATE AFO0071 CME-550X 72% 09/03/2009		DRILL METHOD NW Casing W/SPT & Core	HAMMER TYPE Automatic
DRILLER Coffey, Jr., C.	START DATE 06/22/11	COMP. DATE 06/22/11	SURFACE WATER DEPTH N/A



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**CORE BORING REPORT**

WBS 45360.1.19	TIP BD-5114S	COUNTY JACKSON	GEOLOGIST Elliott, D. C.
SITE DESCRIPTION Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001 over Cullowhee Creek.			GROUND WTR (ft)
BORING NO. EB1-B	STATION 13+78	OFFSET 9 ft RT	ALIGNMENT -L-
COLLAR ELEV. 2,133.5 ft	TOTAL DEPTH 58.8 ft	NORTHING 586,252	EASTING 752,610
DRILL RIG/HAMMER EFF./DATE AFO0071 CME-550X 72% 09/03/2009		DRILL METHOD NW Casing W/SPT & Core	HAMMER TYPE Automatic
DRILLER Coffey, Jr., C.	START DATE 06/22/11	COMP. DATE 06/22/11	SURFACE WATER DEPTH N/A



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WBS 45360.1.19		TIP BD-5114S		COUNTY JACKSON		GEOLOGIST Elliott, D. C.							
SITE DESCRIPTION Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001 over Cullowhee Creek.							GROUND WTR (ft)						
BORING NO. EB2-A		STATION 14+34		OFFSET 26 ft LT		ALIGNMENT -L-							
COLLAR ELEV. 2,132.2 ft		TOTAL DEPTH 68.7 ft		NORTHING 586,319		EASTING 752,614							
DRILL RIG/HAMMER EFF./DATE AFO0071 CME-550X 72% 09/03/2009		DRILL METHOD NW Casing W/SPT & Core		HAMMER TYPE Automatic									
DRILLER Coffey, Jr., C.		START DATE 06/17/11		COMP. DATE 06/17/11		SURFACE WATER DEPTH N/A							
ELEV (ft)	DRIVE ELEV (ft)	DEPTH (ft)	BLOW COUNT			BLOWS PER FOOT				SAMP. NO.	LO G	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	DEPTH (ft)
			0.5ft	0.5ft	0.5ft	0	25	50	75				
2135												2,132.2	0.0
2130												2,128.1	4.1
2125	2,127.2	5.0	3	6	6						M	2,123.7	8.5
2120	2,122.2	10.0	1	2	3								
2115	2,117.2	15.0	1	3	2								
2110	2,112.2	20.0	WOH	2	2								
2105	2,107.2	25.0	4	6	7								
2100	2,102.2	30.0	9	9	15								
2095	2,097.2	35.0	6	8	11								
2090	2,092.2	40.0	4	6	7								
2085	2,087.2	45.0	6	10	10								
2080	2,082.2	50.0	7	10	11								
2075	2,077.2	55.0	60/0.0										
	2,076.5	55.7	60/0.0										
2070													
2065													

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WBS 45360.1.19		TIP BD-5114S		COUNTY JACKSON		GEOLOGIST Elliott, D. C.						
SITE DESCRIPTION Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001 over Cullowhee Creek.							GROUND WTR (ft)					
BORING NO. EB2-A		STATION 14+34		OFFSET 26 ft LT		ALIGNMENT -L-						
COLLAR ELEV. 2,132.2 ft		TOTAL DEPTH 68.7 ft		NORTHING 586,319		EASTING 752,614						
DRILL RIG/HAMMER EFF./DATE AFO0071 CME-550X 72% 09/03/2009		DRILL METHOD NW Casing W/SPT & Core		HAMMER TYPE Automatic								
DRILLER Coffey, Jr., C.		START DATE 06/17/11		COMP. DATE 06/17/11		SURFACE WATER DEPTH N/A						
ELEV (ft)	RUN ELEV (ft)	DEPTH (ft)	RUN (ft)	DRILL RATE (Min/ft)	TOTAL RUN 13.0 ft		SAMP. NO.	STRATA		LO G	DESCRIPTION AND REMARKS	DEPTH (ft)
					REC (ft)	ROD (ft)		REC (%)	ROD (%)			
2076.5	2,076.5	55.7	3.0	N=60/0.0 1.3/0.0 1.5/0.0 1.8/0.0	(2.9)	(1.9)					Begin Coring @ 55.7 ft	
2075	2,073.5	58.7	5.0	1.0/0.0 1.6/0.0 1.3/0.0 1.2/0.0 1.4/0.0	(4.5)	(2.5)					CRYSTALLINE ROCK Biotite gneiss with garnets and a trace of muscovite and pyrite. Gray, slightly weathered to fresh, hard to very hard rock interlayered with severely to moderately weathered, soft to moderately weathered rock. a) Parts along foliation @ 50°. b) Joints @ 10°. c) Joint @ 88°. (continued)	
2070	2,068.5	63.7	5.0	1.5/0.0 1.3/0.0 1.0/0.0 1.3/0.0 1.4/0.0	(4.8)	(3.4)						
2065	2,063.5	68.7									Boring Terminated at Elevation 2,063.5 ft in biotite gneiss.	68.7

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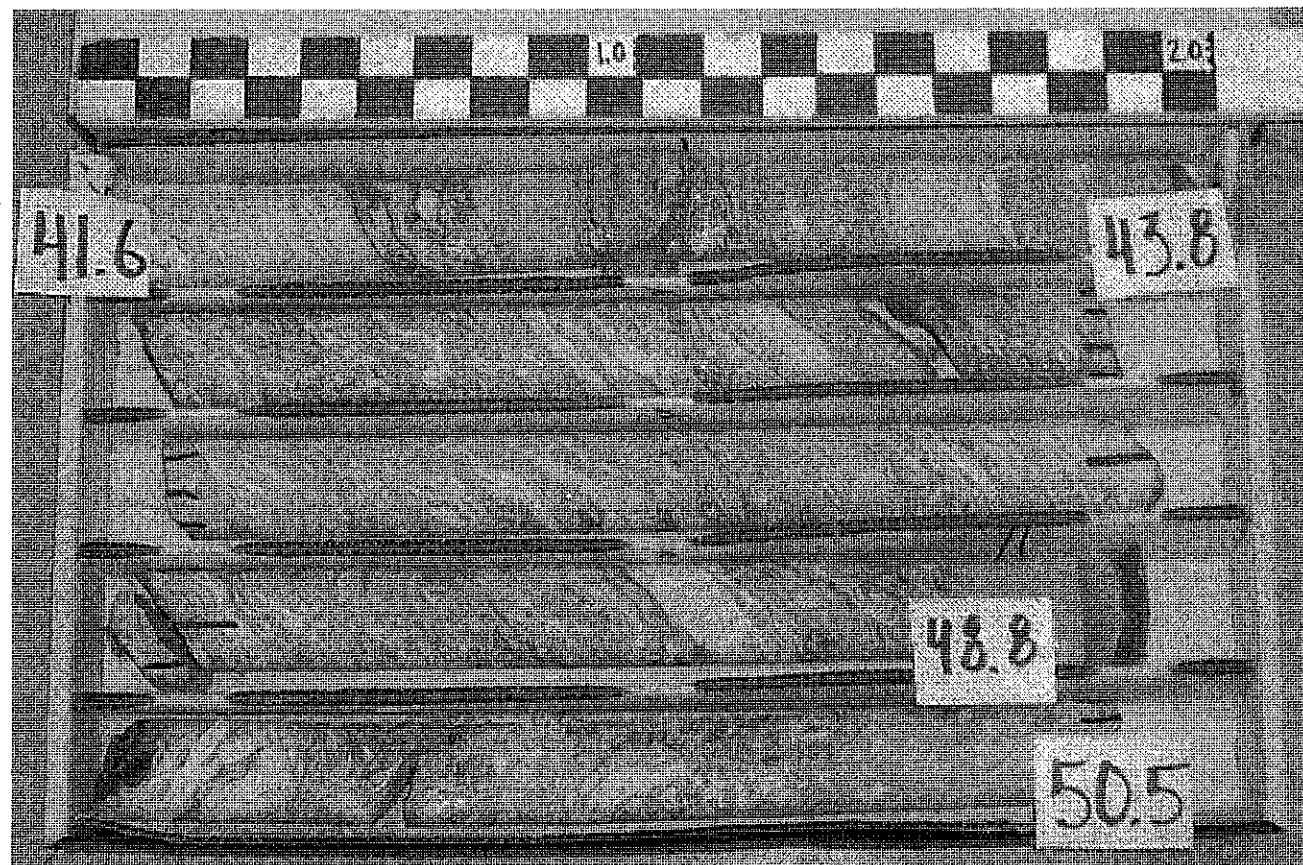
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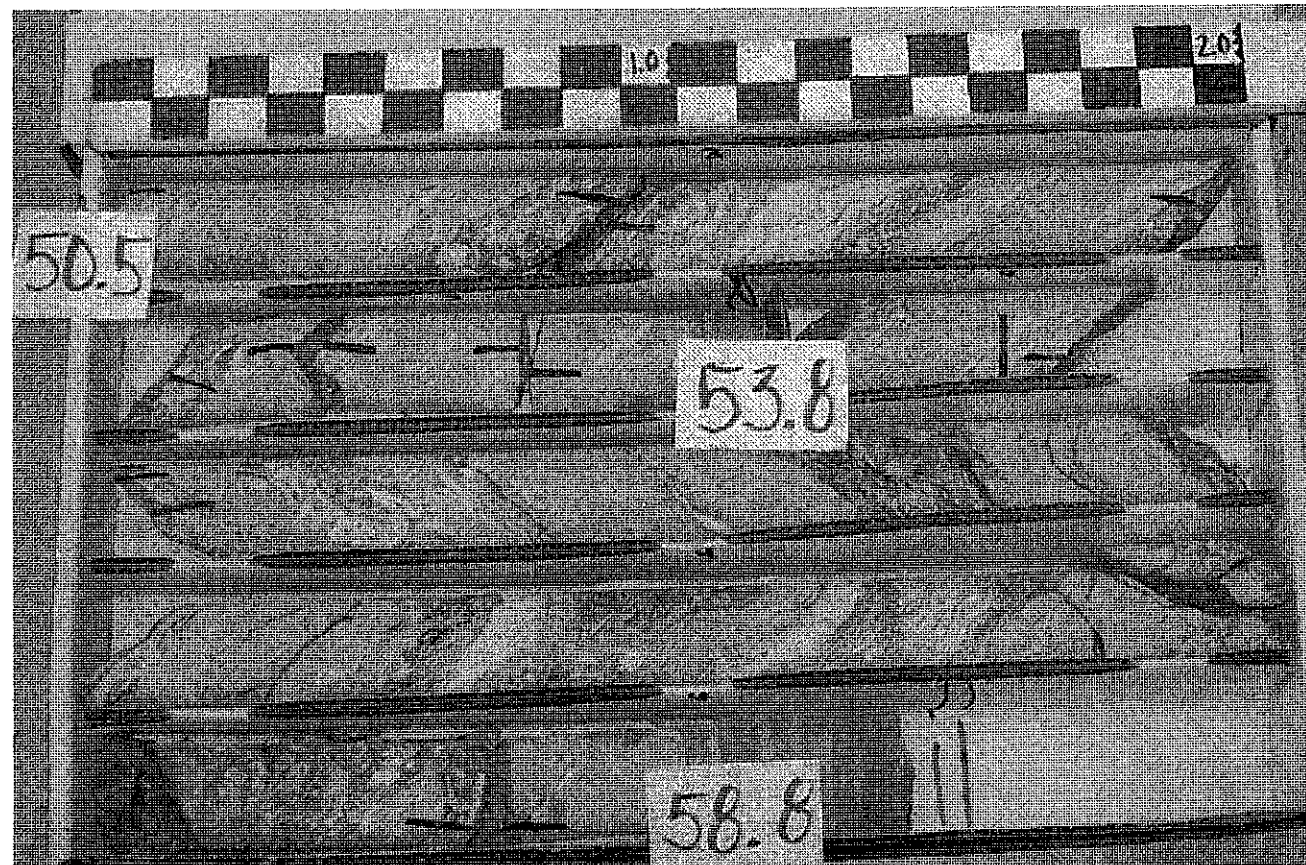
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SITE DESCRIPTION Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001 over Cullowhee Creek.			GROUND WTR (ft)
BORING NO. EB2-B	STATION 14+41	OFFSET 6 ft RT	ALIGNMENT -L-
COLLAR ELEV. 2,133.7 ft	TOTAL DEPTH 51.2 ft	NORTHING 586,304	EASTING 752,643
DRILL RIG/HAMMER EFF./DATE AFO0071 CME-550X 72% 09/03/2009		DRILL METHOD NW Casing w/ SPT	HAMMER TYPE Automatic
DRILLER Coffey, Jr., C.	START DATE 06/21/11	COMP. DATE 06/21/11	SURFACE WATER DEPTH N/A

ELEV (ft)	DRIVE ELEV (ft)	DEPTH (ft)	BLOW COUNT			BLOWS PER FOOT					SAMP. NO.	LOG	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	DEPTH (ft)		
			0.5ft	0.5ft	0.5ft	0	25	50	75	100						
2135														2,133.7	GROUND SURFACE	0.0
2130	2,128.5	5.2												2,126.8	ROADWAY EMBANKMENT Brown silty sand with a trace of mica.	6.9
2125	2,123.5	10.2	WOH	1	1									2,124.5	ALLUVIAL Brown gravel and cobbles.	9.2
2120	2,118.5	15.2		2	1	4									SAPROLITE Tan to dark brown silty sand with a trace of mica.	
2115	2,113.5	20.2		2	1	3										
2110	2,108.5	25.2		6	11	16										
2105	2,103.5	30.2		4	6	6								2,106.0	SAPROLITE Tan sandy silt with a trace of mica and sand-rich layers.	27.7
2100	2,098.5	35.2		2	3	6										
2095	2,093.5	40.2		5	6	7										
2090	2,088.5	45.2		4	10	13										
2085	2,083.5	50.2		7	12	13								2,084.7	WEATHERED ROCK Weathered rock of gneiss.	49.0
	2,082.5	51.2												2,082.7	CRYSTALLINE ROCK Gray biotite gneiss.	51.0
														2,082.5	CRYSTALLINE ROCK Gray biotite gneiss. Boring Terminated with Standard Penetration Test Refusal at Elevation 2,082.5 ft in biotite gneiss.	51.2

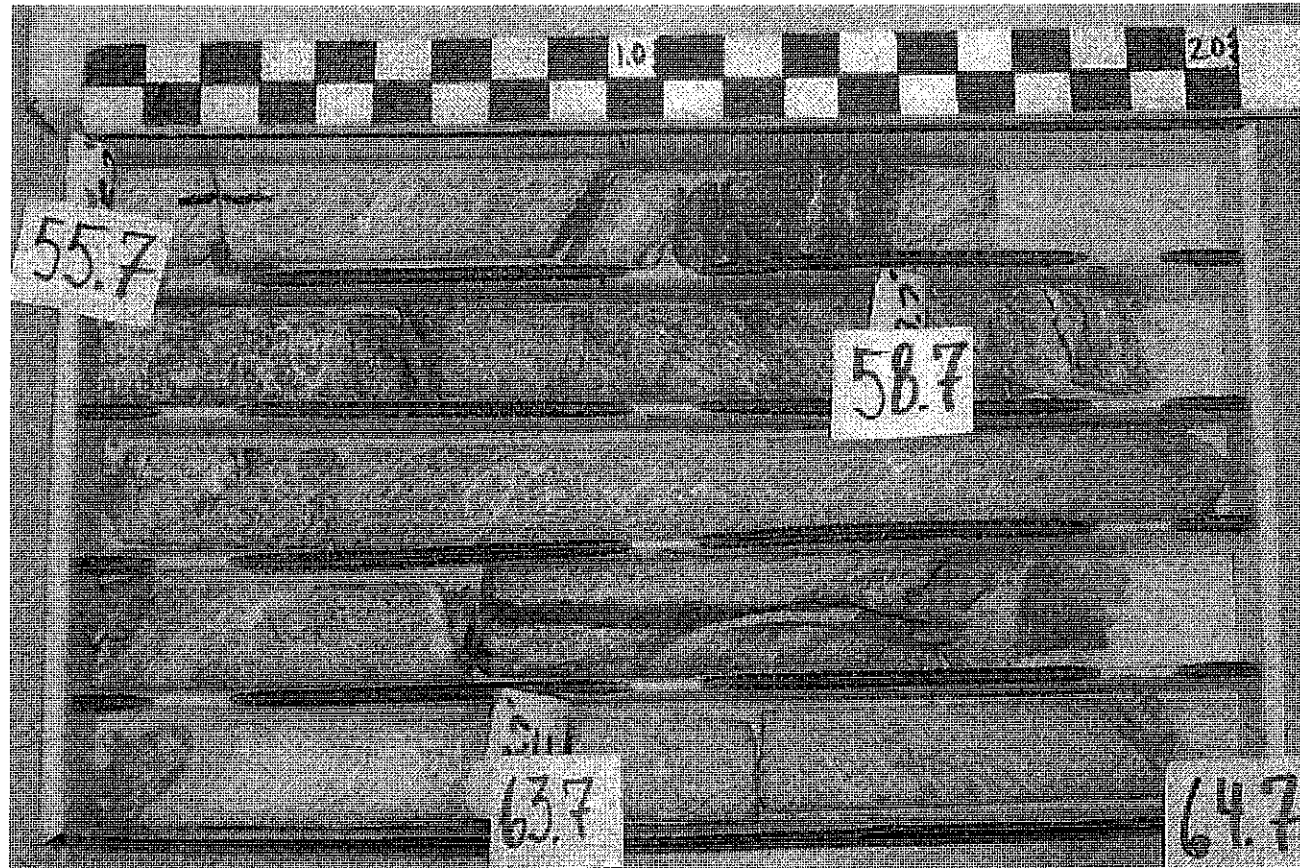
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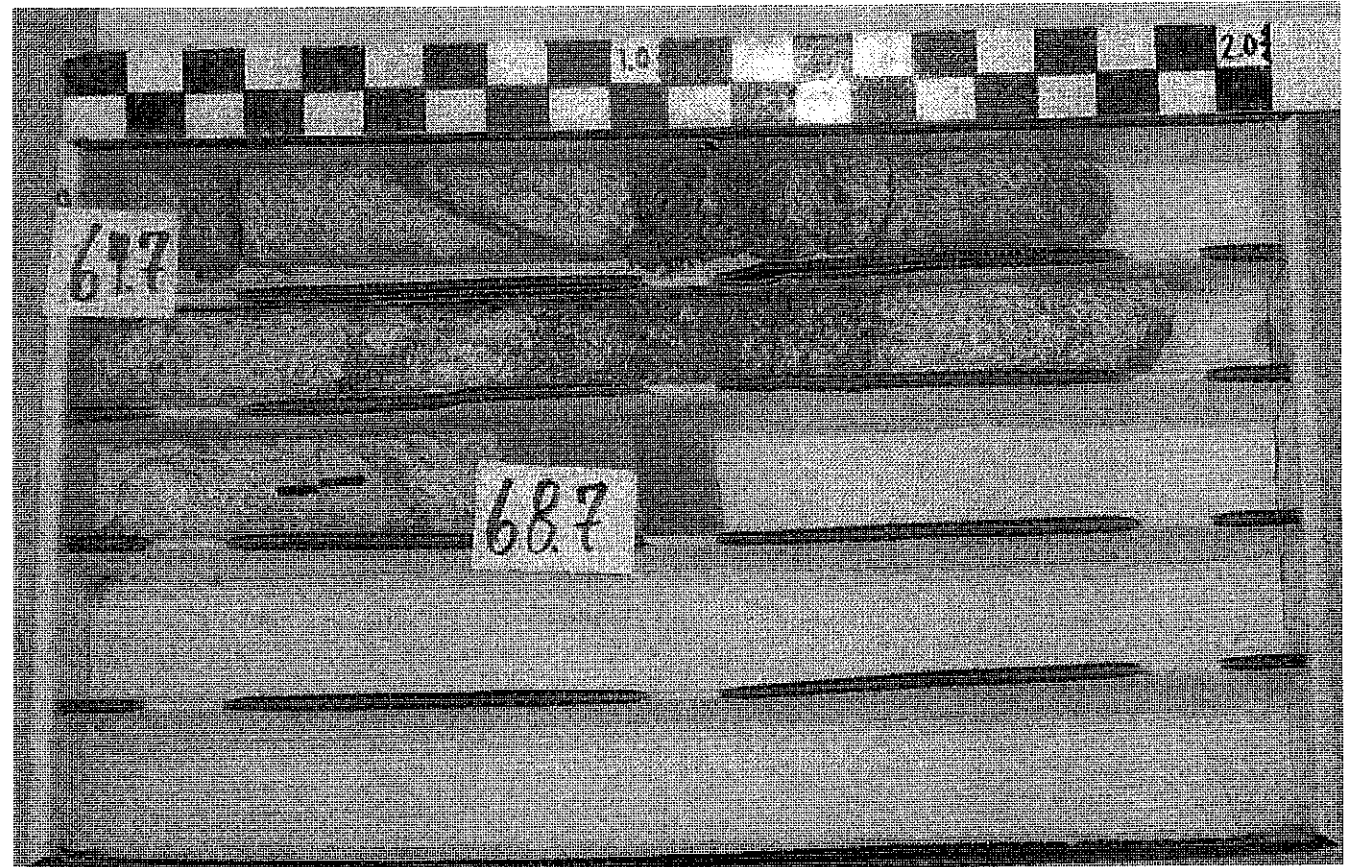
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 Over Cullowhee Creek  
 EB1-B  
 Box 1 of 2



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 Jackson Co.  
 Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001  
 Over Cullowhee Creek  
 EB1-B  
 Box 2 of 2



45360.1.4 (BD-5113S)  
 Jackson Co.  
 Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001  
 Over Cullowhee Creek  
 EB2-A  
 Box 1 of 2



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 Jackson Co.  
 Bridge No. 53 on SR-1001  
 Over Cullowhee Creek  
 EB2-A  
 Box 2 of 2