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MEMORANDUM

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GEOCREST No.

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FROM: Foundations Office,
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West Bldg., Downsview.

ATTENTION: Mr. S. Jants,
Structural Planning Technician.
OUR FILE REF.

DATE: February 14, 1973.

IN REPLY TO FEB 16 1973

SUBJECT:

40J16-42
GEOCREST No.

FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION REPORT

For

The Proposed Bridge Site 14-373
Jackson Road Bridge Over Telfer Diversion
Channel 0.4 Miles East of Telfer Road
District 1, Chatham

W.O. 72-11126 -- W.P. 43-66-19

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Attached we are forwarding to you our detailed foundation investigation report on the subsoil conditions existing at the above-mentioned site.

We believe that the factual data and recommendations contained therein will prove adequate for your design requirements. Should additional information be required, please do not hesitate to contact our Office.

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PRINCIPAL FOUNDATIONS ENGINEER.

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1. INTRODUCTION:

A foundation investigation was undertaken for the proposed Jackson Road Bridge over Telfer Diversion Channel. The proposal consists of a two-lane, three-span structure. On receiving a request from Mr. S. Jants, Structural Planning Technician for the Southwestern Region, dated October 31, 1972, a field and laboratory investigation was undertaken by this Office so as to determine the existing subsoil and groundwater conditions at the proposed crossing. Presented in this report are the results of the investigation, together with recommendations concerning the structure's foundations.

2. DESCRIPTION OF SITE:

At the proposed crossing the area is very flat. There are fields on both sides of Jackson Road. A number of farm buildings are on the north side. To the southeast of the site there is a golf course, Greenwood Golf Club. To the southwest there is a well treed bush area. The corn field immediately to the south of the proposed crossing is drained by tiles and as a result the ditch on the south of Jackson Road has about a foot of water in it at all times. The ditch is approximately 4 feet deep.

Geologically, the site is part of the physiographic region known as the St. Clair Clay Plain. The region is one of

little relief with a deep deposit of clay. At the site the clay is some 130 feet deep. Most of Lambton County is essentially till plains smoothed by shallow deposits of lacustrine clay which settled in the depressions while the knolls were being lowered by wave action.

3. FIELD WORK AND LABORATORY INVESTIGATION:

The field work consisted of three sampled boreholes and nine dynamic cone tests, three of the cones being adjacent to the boreholes. The drilling was done by a Bombardier mounted C.M.E. equipped with hollow stem augers. The bedrock in B.H. #1 was cored by a second C.M.E. using NX casing and a BX core barrel. Samples were obtained by using a split spoon sampler, which was hammered into the soil in accordance with specifications for the Standard Penetration Test. The resulting penetration "N" values were recorded. Thin walled, 2 1/2 inch I.D. Shelby tube soil samples were obtained either by advancing the Shelby hydraulically or manually. In situ shear strength was measured using an M.T.C. vane. All field and laboratory test results are recorded on the accompanying borelog sheets.

Soil samples were identified in the field and again upon arrival in the laboratory. Laboratory tests to determine moisture content, grain size and Atterberg Limits were carried out on representative samples. The soil samples obtained from the Shelby tubes were subjected to unconfined compression, quick triaxial, and consolidation tests.

The groundwater levels across the site were determined by recording the water levels in the open boreholes over the period of the investigation.

The locations and elevations of the boreholes as well as a stratigraphical profile are plotted on Drawing 72-11126A attached at the end of this report. The surveying of the site was carried out by personnel from the Southwestern Region Engineering Surveys Section.

4. SUBSOIL CONDITIONS:

4.1) General:

Generally, uniform subsoil conditions were found to prevail over the site. The subsoil consists of a deep deposit of cohesive material overlying bedrock. The two main layers samples were clayey silt, some sand and traces of gravel and silty clay, some sand and traces of gravel. A summary of each is given below.

4.2) Clayey Silt, Some Sand and Traces of Gravel:

This deposit was found to extend some 50 to 64 feet below the ground level corresponding to elevations 546 and 534 feet. Standard penetration "N" values within this layer varied between 9 and 54 blows per foot. Laboratory grain size analyses yielded the following results:

Gravel	0 - 7%
Sand	14 - 32%
Silt	33 - 55%
Clay	23 - 65%

The following average physical properties were obtained from field and laboratory tests:

Natural Moisture Content (%)	11 - 22
Liquid Limit (%)	26.5 - 34
Plastic Limit (%)	15 - 19
Bulk Density (p.c.f.)	129 - 134

Undrained Shear Strength

Field Vane (p.s.f.)	580 - 2,000
Unconfined Compression Test (p.s.f.)	625 - 1565
Triaxial Compression Test (p.s.f.)	600 - 1470

Based on the foregoing the consistency of this deposit is estimated to be firm to hard. A typical grain size envelope is included in the Appendix as Fig. 1.

4.3) Silty Clay, Some Sand and Traces of Gravel:

This deposit is below the clayey silt and extends to the bedrock. At its thickest it is some 80 feet deep extending to elevation 466, some 126 feet below the ground surface. Standard

penetration "N" values range between 15 and 41 blows per foot. Laboratory grain size analyses yielded the following results:

Gravel	3	-	9%
Sand	11	-	13%
Silt	46	-	52%
Clay	32	-	40%

The following average physical properties were obtained from field and laboratory tests:

Natural Moisture Content (%)	18	-	36
Liquid Limit (%)	33	-	43.5
Plastic Limit (%)	17	-	25
Bulk Density (p.c.f.)	121.5	-	130

Undrained Shear Strength

Field Vane (p.s.f.)	650	-	>2000
Unconfined Compression Test (p.s.f.)	560	-	3070
Triaxial Compression Test (p.s.f.)	465	-	2715

Based on the foregoing the consistency of this deposit is estimated to be firm to hard. A typical grain size envelope is included in the Appendix as Fig. 2.

4.4) Bedrock:

A brief description by Mr. K. W. Ingham, Geologist, is given below for the borehole drilled into bedrock at this site, together with the appropriate bedrock elevations.

Hole No. 1 Bedrock at 466.6

466.6 to 471.6 limestone; medium grey, shaley fine grained, generally medium bedded.

5. GROUNDWATER CONDITIONS:

The following groundwater levels were observed during the field investigation:

B.H. #1	Elevation 585.2
B.H. #6	Elevation 568.7

These levels may not be representative of actual groundwater levels due to the relative impermeable nature of the subsoil and the short duration of the field work.

6. DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

6.1) General:

It is proposed to build a three-span (41.8' - 60' - 41.8') structure at the Jackson Road and Telfer Channel Diversion. The profile grade of Jackson Road is not to change and will remain at elevation 597. The base of the channel will be at elevation 575_±.

The subsoil at this site consists of a deep deposit of clayey silt and silty clay. The upper 9 to 12 feet is a very stiff to hard desiccated surface crust. Below the crust the undrained shear strength of the material decreased until a minimum value of about 600 p.s.f. is reached, then increases again with depth, with some random variation.

Because of the compressible nature of the subsoil, it is inevitable that consolidation settlements will occur over a long term period due to the imposed loads of the structure. Past experience, however, indicated that these settlements will be of a minor nature.

6.2) Structure Foundations:

a) Spread Footings:

The entire structure may be supported on spread footings. A safe net pressure of 1.5 t.s.f. may be assumed for design purposes. The abutments may be placed at elevation 586 and the piers at elevation 569.

Settlements at the abutments and piers were calculated to be in the order of 1.5 to 2.0 inches. It is recommended that the structure be built to accommodate 1.0 inch differential settlement between the abutments and piers. The foundations should be protected against undermining by scour. The depth of scour may be obtained from the Hydrology Office.

The subsoil is susceptible to softening on contact with water; therefore, it is recommended that the base of the footing excavations be protected by a concrete working slab, immediately

on exposure.

b) Pile Foundation:

The proposed structure footings may be founded on timber piles (treated if not completely below the groundwater level) driven to the elevation necessary to achieve the required pile capacity. In determining the safe capacity of a timber pile, the following equation may be used.

$$Q = 0.5 L \text{ (Tons)}$$

$$Q = \text{Safe capacity of one pile}$$

$$L = \text{Embedded length in original ground (ft.)}$$

Maximum settlements for the pile groups were calculated to be in the order of 1.5 inches. It is recommended that the structure be built to accommodate a 1.0 inch differential settlement between abutments and piers.

As a second alternative, the structure footings may be supported on steel H-piles driven to bedrock, utilizing the maximum allowable design load for the particular steel section adopted.

All footings and/or pile caps should be protected against frost action by at least 4 feet of earth cover.

No major dewatering problems are anticipated because of the relatively impervious nature of the subsoil.

6.3) Channel Slopes:

It is recommended that the proposed channel be constructed with 2:1 slopes and be protected against scour action in the vicinity of the new structure.

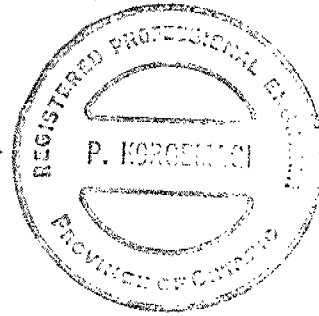
7. MISCELLANEOUS:

The field work was carried out from November 22 to November 29, 1972, and was supervised by Mr. P. Korgemagi, Project Foundations Engineer.

The equipment used was owned and operated by P.V.K. & Sons Drilling Ltd., Burford, Ontario.

This report was written by Mr. P. Korgemagi and reviewed by Mr. K. G. Selby, Supervising Foundations Engineer.

P. Korgemagi
P. Korgemagi, P. Eng.



K. G. Selby

K. G. Selby, P. Eng.

PK/ao

February 13, 1973.

APPENDIX I

DESIGN SERVICES BRANCH

FOUNDATIONS OFFICE

RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 1

JOB 72-11126

LOCATION Sta. 99 + 28 o/s 17' Lt. of Jackson Rd.

ORIGINATED BY PK

W.P. 43-66-19

BORING DATE Nov. 23 to 28, 1972

COMPILED BY PK

DATUM Geodetic

BOREHOLE TYPE Auger, Washboring & Cone Test

CHECKED BY

SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT					LIQUID LIMIT W_L PLASTIC LIMIT W_P WATER CONTENT W			BULK DENSITY γ P.C.F.	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT		25	50	75	100	125	W_P	W	W_L		
596.2	Ground Level															
0.0	Brown		1	SS	22	590										1 25 46 28
			2	SS	46											
			3	SS	40											
			4	SS	22											
			5	SS	14											
581.2	Grey Clayey silt Some sand Traces of gravel Stiff to hard		6	TW	PH	580										130 129 7 32 36 25
15.0			7	SS	17	570										
			8	TW	PH											
			9	TW	PH											
			10	SS	19	560										
			11	SS	25	550										
546.2			12	SS	12											
50.0			13	TW	PM	540										
			14	SS	18	530										
			15	TW	PH	520										
	Silty clay Some sand Traces of gravel Very stiff to hard		16	SS	26	510										3 13 52 32
			17	SS	31											
			18	SS	24	500										

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15 5 % STRAIN AT FAILURE
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FOUNDATIONS OFFICE

RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 1 Continued

JOB 72-11126 LOCATION Sta. 99 + 28 o/s 17' Lt. @ Jackson Rd. ORIGINATED BY PK
 W.P. 43-66-19 BORING DATE Nov. 23 to 28, 1972 COMPILED BY PK
 DATUM Geodetic BOREHOLE TYPE Auger, Washboring & Cone Test CHECKED BY lo

SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE					LIQUID LIMIT w_L			BULK DENSITY	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT		BLOWS / FOOT					PLASTIC LIMIT w_p				
							25	50	75	100	125	WATER CONTENT w				
							SHEAR STRENGTH P.S.F.					w_p — w — w_L				

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RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 2

JOB 72-11126

LOCATION Sta. 99 + 70 o/s 17' Lt. @ Jackson Rd.

ORIGINATED BY PK

W.P. 43-66-19

BORING DATE Nov. 23, 1972

COMPILED BY PK

DATUM Geodetic

BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test

CHECKED BY

SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE			LIQUID LIMIT ——— w_L			BULK DENSITY	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT		BLOWS / FOOT			PLASTIC LIMIT ——— w_p				
							25	50	75	100	125	WATER CONTENT ——— w		
SHEAR STRENGTH P.S.F.							w_p ——— w ——— w_L			WATER CONTENT %				
○ UNCONFINED + FIELD VANE													γ	P.C.F. GR. SA. SI. CL.
● QUICK TRIAXIAL x LAB VANE														
596.5	Ground Level													
0.0														
						590								
						580								
572.5														
24.0	End of Cone Test													
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RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 3

JOB 72-11126

LOCATION Sta. 100 + 30 o/s 17¹ Lt. Ø Jackson Rd.

ORIGINATED BY PK

W.P. 43-66-19

BORING DATE Nov. 23 and Nov. 29, 1972

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DATUM Goodetic

BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test

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SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES				ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT 25 50 75 100 125	LIQUID LIMIT ——— w_L PLASTIC LIMIT ——— w_p WATER CONTENT ——— w w_p ——— w ——— w_L WATER CONTENT %	BULK DENSITY γ P.C.F.	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT					
596.6	Ground Level									
0.0										

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RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 4

JOB 72-11126

LOCATION Sta. 100 + 72 o/s 17' Lt. of Jackson Rd.

ORIGINATED BY PK

W.P. 43-66-19

BORING DATE Nov. 22, 1972

COMPILED BY PK

DATUM Geodetic

BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test

CHECKED BY Lo

SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT 25 50 75 100 125	LIQUID LIMIT W_L PLASTIC LIMIT W_P WATER CONTENT W W_P — W — W_L	BULK DENSITY γ P.C.F.	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT					
596.4	Ground Level									
0.0						590				
585.5										
12.9	End of Cone Test									

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RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 5

JOB 72-11126

LOCATION Sta. 99 + 28 o/s 14' Rt. of Jackson Rd.

ORIGINATED BY PK

W.P. 43-66-19

BORING DATE Nov. 22, 1972

COMPILED BY PK

DATUM Geodetic

BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test

CHECKED BY *[Signature]*

SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE					LIQUID LIMIT — w_L			BULK DENSITY	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT		BLOWS / FOOT	25	50	75	100	125	PLASTIC LIMIT — w_p	WATER CONTENT — w		
596.7	Ground Level															
0.0						590										
584.8																
11.9	End of Cone Test															

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RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 6

JOB 72-11126

LOCATION Sta. 99 + 70 o/s 14' Rt. of Jackson Rd.

ORIGINATED BY PK

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BORING DATE Nov. 27 to 28, 1972

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DATUM Geodetic

BOREHOLE TYPE Auger & Cone Test

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SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT					LIQUID LIMIT ——— w_L PLASTIC LIMIT ——— w_p WATER CONTENT ——— w			BULK DENSITY γ P.C.F.	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT		25	50	75	100	125	w_p	w	w_L		
596.7	Ground Level															
0.0			1	SS	20											
			2	SS	52	590										3 31 43 23
	Brown		3	SS	27											
	Very stiff to hard		4	SS	21	580										
576.7			5	TW	PH											
20.0			6	SS	20	570									130	3 13 44 40
			7	TW	PH										130	
			8	SS	28	560									130.5	
	Clayey silt Some sand Traces of gravel Grey		9	TW	PH										130.5	
			10	SS	9	550										1 19 55 25
	Stiff to very stiff		11	TW	PM										126.5	
			12	SS	10	540									127	0 2 33 65
534.7			13	TW	PH	530									130	
62.0			14	SS	31	520									128.5	
	Silty clay Some sand Traces of gravel Very stiff to hard Grey		15	SS	27	510										
498.2			16	SS	41	500										9 11 46 34
98.5	End of B.H.															
492.7																

104.0 END OF CONE TEST

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15 5 % STRAIN AT FAILURE
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RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 7

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BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test

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SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT 25 50 75 100 125	LIQUID LIMIT — w_L PLASTIC LIMIT — w_p WATER CONTENT — w w_p — w — w_L WATER CONTENT %	BULK DENSITY γ P.C.F. GR. SA. SI. CL.	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS / FOOT					
596.7	Ground Level									
0.0						590				
583.8										
12.9	End of Cone Test									

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RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO 8

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LOCATION Sta. 100 + 72 o/s 14' Rt. of Jackson Rd.

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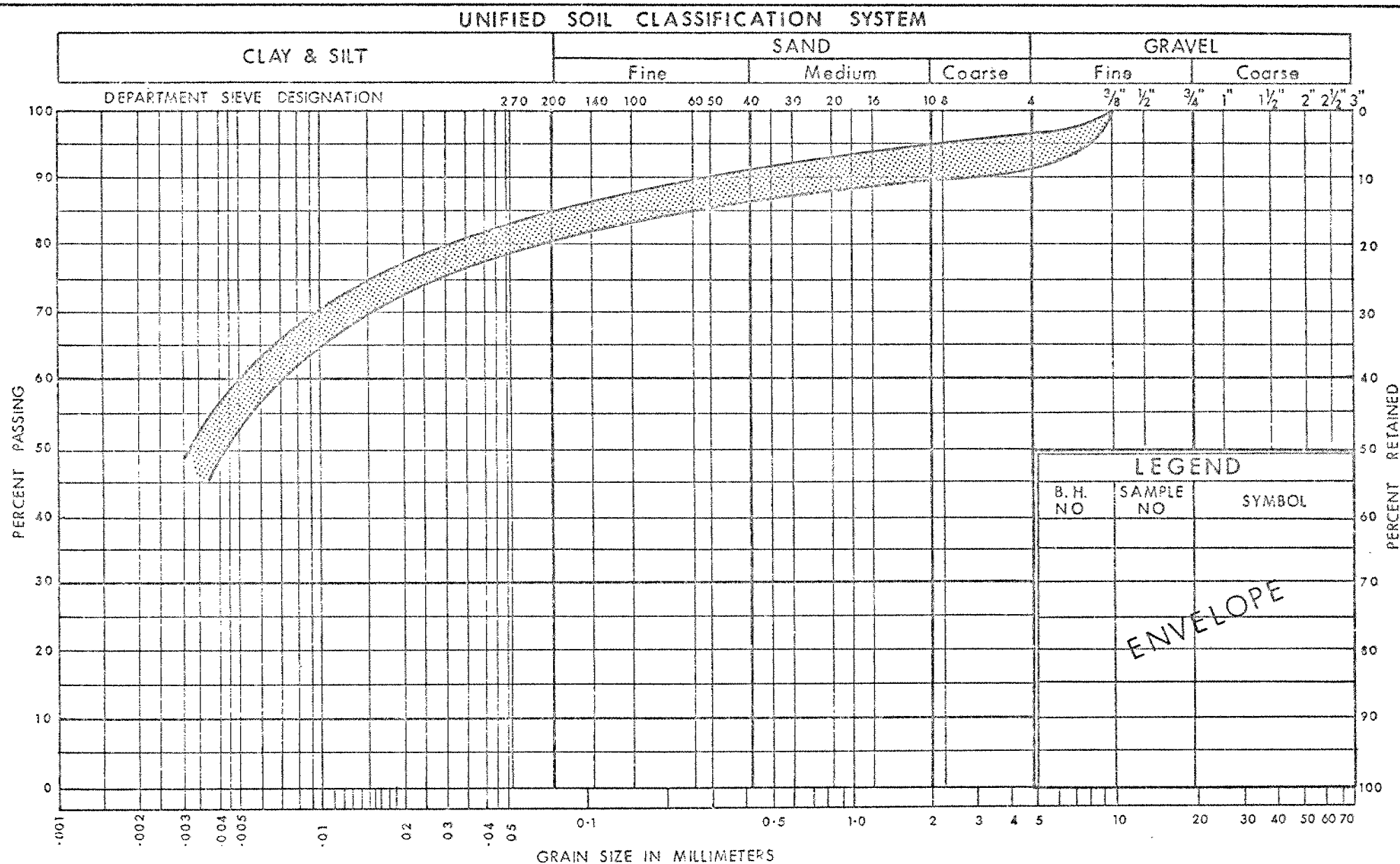
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BOREHOLE TYPE Auger & Cone Test

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SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT					LIQUID LIMIT — w_L PLASTIC LIMIT — w_p WATER CONTENT — w			BULK DENSITY γ P.C.F.	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS/FOOT		25	50	75	100	125	w_p	w	w_L		
596.5	Ground Level															
0.0																
			1	SS	20	Dry Hole										
			2	SS	16											
			3	SS	54											
	Brown		4	SS	21											1 15 41 43
			5	SS	19											
580.5			6	TW	PH											
16.0			7	SS	13											5 17 44 34
	Grey Clayey silt Some sand Traces of gravel															
			8	TW	PM											129 129
	Stiff to Hard		9	SS	15											3 14 48 35
			10	TW	PM											130 130.5
			11	SS	21											
			12	TW	PM											
532.5			13	SS	48											
64.0	End of B.H.															

OFFICE REPORT SOIL EXPLORATION



DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS
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TESTING
DIVISION

GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION

SILTY CLAY

SOME SAND, TRACES OF GRAVEL

W.P. No. 43-66-19

JOB No. 72-11126

FIG. NO. 2

ABBREVIATIONS & SYMBOLS USED IN THIS REPORTPENETRATION RESISTANCE

'N' = STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE : - THE NUMBER OF BLOWS REQUIRED TO ADVANCE A STANDARD SPLIT SPOON SAMPLER 12 INCHES INTO THE SUBSOIL, DRIVEN BY MEANS OF A 140 POUND HAMMER FALLING FREELY A DISTANCE OF 30 INCHES.

DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE : - THE NUMBER OF BLOWS REQUIRED TO ADVANCE A 2 INCH, 60 DEGREE CONE, FITTED TO THE END OF DRILL RODS, 12 INCHES INTO THE SUBSOIL. THE DRIVING ENERGY BEING 350 FOOT POUNDS PER BLOW.

DESCRIPTION OF SOIL

THE CONSISTENCY OF COHESIVE SOILS AND THE RELATIVE DENSITY OR DENSENESS OF COHESIONLESS SOILS ARE DESCRIBED IN THE FOLLOWING TERMS :-

<u>CONSISTENCY</u>	<u>c LB./SQ. FT.</u>	<u>DENSENESS</u>	<u>'N' BLOWS / FT.</u>
VERY SOFT	0 - 250	VERY LOOSE	0 - 4
SOFT	250 - 500	LOOSE	4 - 10
FIRM	500 - 1000	COMPACT	10 - 30
STIFF	1000 - 2000	DENSE	30 - 50
VERY STIFF	2000 - 4000	VERY DENSE	> 50
HARD	> 4000		

TERMS TO BE USED IN DESCRIBING SOILS :-

TRACE < 10% , SOME 10-25% , WITH 25-40% , > 40% SILTY, SANDY, GRAVELLY, CLAYEY ETC.

TYPE OF SAMPLE

S.S.	SPLIT SPOON	T.W.	THINWALL OPEN
W.S.	WASHED SAMPLE	T.P.	THINWALL PISTON
S.T.	SLOTTED TUBE SAMPLE	O.S.	OESTERBERG SAMPLE
A.S.	AUGER SAMPLE	F.S.	FOIL SAMPLE
C.S.	CHUNK SAMPLE	R.C.	ROCK CORE

P.H. SAMPLE ADVANCED HYDRAULICALLY

P.M. SAMPLE ADVANCED MANUALLY

SOIL TESTS

U	UNCONFINED COMPRESSION	L.V.	LABORATORY VANE
UU	UNCONSOLIDATED UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL	F.V.	FIELD VANE
CIU	CONSOLIDATED ISOTROPIC UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL	C	CONSOLIDATION
CID	" " DRAINED "	S	SENSITIVITY
CAU	" " ANISOTROPIC UNDRAINED "		
CAD	" " DRAINED "		

ABBREVIATIONS & SYMBOLS USED IN THIS REPORT

SOIL PROPERTIES

γ	UNIT WEIGHT OF SOIL (BULK DENSITY)
γ_s	UNIT WEIGHT OF SOLID PARTICLES
γ_w	UNIT WEIGHT OF WATER
γ_d	UNIT DRY WEIGHT OF SOIL (DRY DENSITY)
γ'	UNIT WEIGHT OF SUBMERGED SOIL
G	SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOLID PARTICLES $G = \frac{\gamma_s}{\gamma_w}$
e	VOID RATIO
n	POROSITY
w	WATER CONTENT
S_r	DEGREE OF SATURATION
w_L	LIQUID LIMIT
w_P	PLASTIC LIMIT
I_P	PLASTICITY INDEX
w_s	SHRINKAGE LIMIT
I_L	LIQUIDITY INDEX $= \frac{w - w_P}{I_P}$
I_C	CONSISTENCY INDEX $= \frac{w_L - w}{I_P}$
e_{max}	VOID RATIO IN LOOSEST STATE
e_{min}	VOID RATIO IN DENSEST STATE
I_D	DENSITY INDEX $= \frac{e_{max} - e}{e_{max} - e_{min}}$
	RELATIVE DENSITY D_r IS ALSO USED
h	HYDRAULIC HEAD OR POTENTIAL
q	RATE OF DISCHARGE
v	VELOCITY OF FLOW
i	HYDRAULIC GRADIENT
k	COEFFICIENT OF PERMEABILITY
j	SEEPAGE FORCE PER UNIT VOLUME
m_v	COEFFICIENT OF VOLUME CHANGE $= \frac{-\Delta e}{(1+e)\Delta \sigma'}$
c_v	COEFFICIENT OF CONSOLIDATION
C_c	COMPRESSION INDEX $= \frac{\Delta e}{\Delta \log_{10} \sigma'}$
T_v	TIME FACTOR $= \frac{c_v t}{d^2}$ (d, DRAINAGE PATH)
U	DEGREE OF CONSOLIDATION
τ_f	SHEAR STRENGTH
c'	EFFECTIVE COHESION INTERCEPT
ϕ'	EFFECTIVE ANGLE OF SHEARING RESISTANCE, OR FRICTION
c_u	APPARENT COHESION
ϕ_u	APPARENT ANGLE OF SHEARING RESISTANCE, OR FRICTION
μ	COEFFICIENT OF FRICTION
S_i	SENSITIVITY

GENERAL

π	= 3.1416
e	BASE OF NATURAL LOGARITHMS 2.7183
$\log_e \sigma$ OR $\ln \sigma$	NATURAL LOGARITHM OF σ
$\log_{10} \sigma$ OR $\log \sigma$	LOGARITHM OF σ TO BASE 10
t	TIME
g	ACCELERATION DUE TO GRAVITY
V	VOLUME
W	WEIGHT
M	MOMENT
F	FACTOR OF SAFETY

STRESS AND STRAIN

u	PORE PRESSURE
σ	NORMAL STRESS
σ'	NORMAL EFFECTIVE STRESS ($\bar{\sigma}$ IS ALSO USED)
τ	SHEAR STRESS
ϵ	LINEAR STRAIN
γ	SHEAR STRAIN
ν	POISSON'S RATIO (μ IS ALSO USED)
E	MODULUS OF LINEAR DEFORMATION (YOUNG'S MODULUS)
G	MODULUS OF SHEAR DEFORMATION
K	MODULUS OF COMPRESSIBILITY
η	COEFFICIENT OF VISCOSITY

EARTH PRESSURE

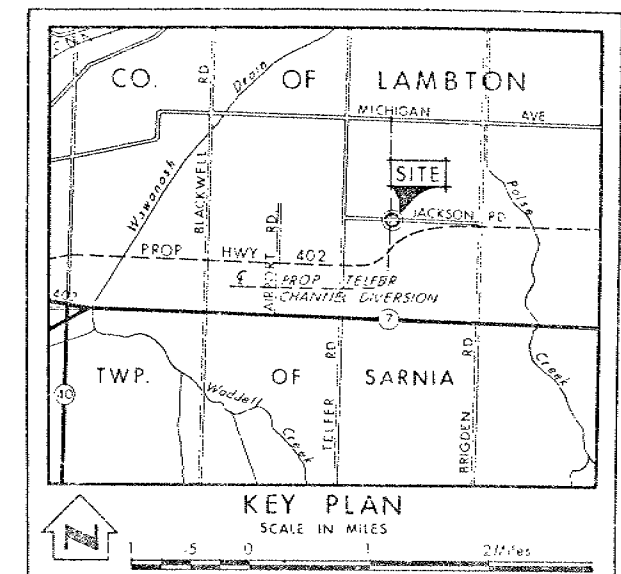
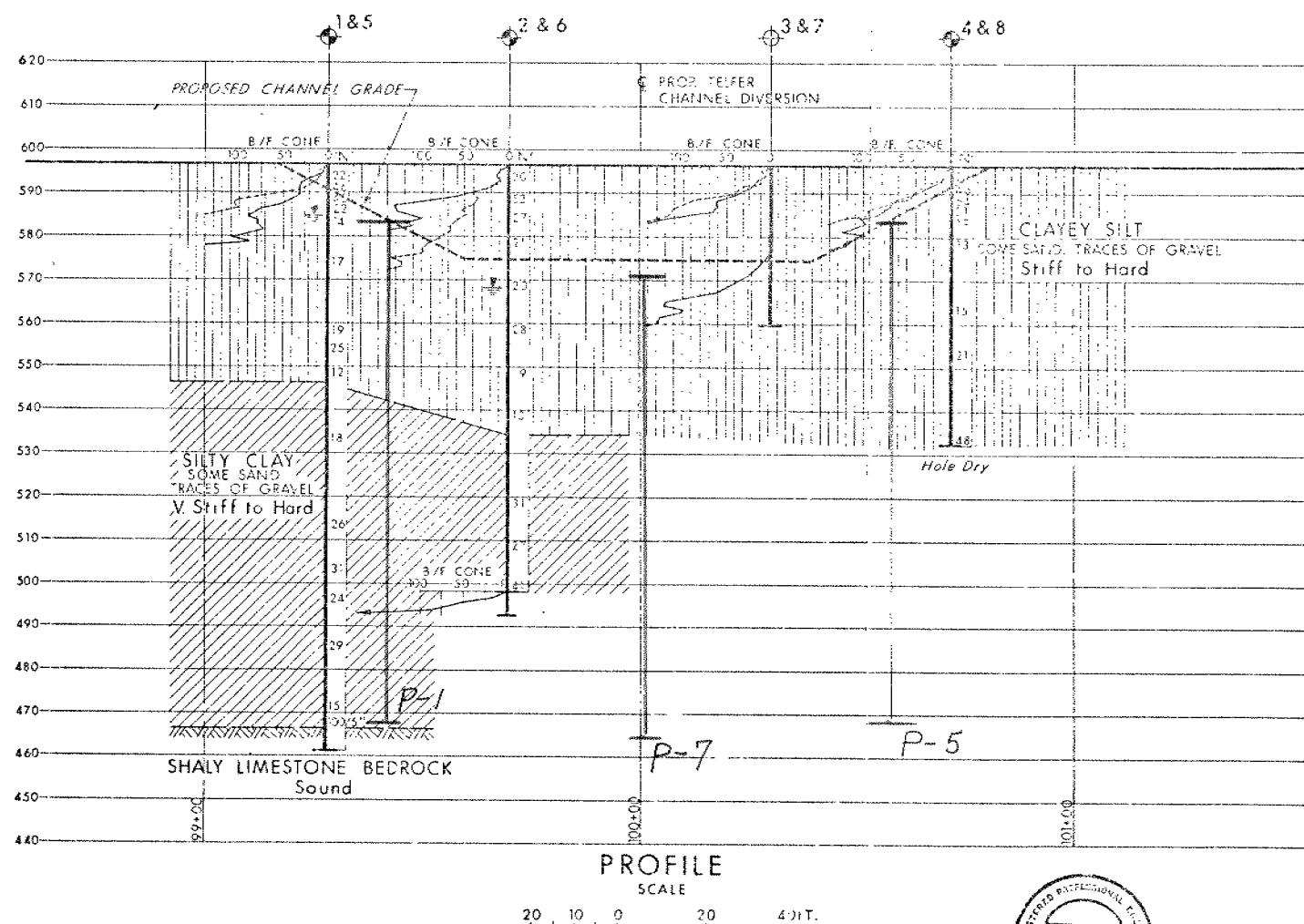
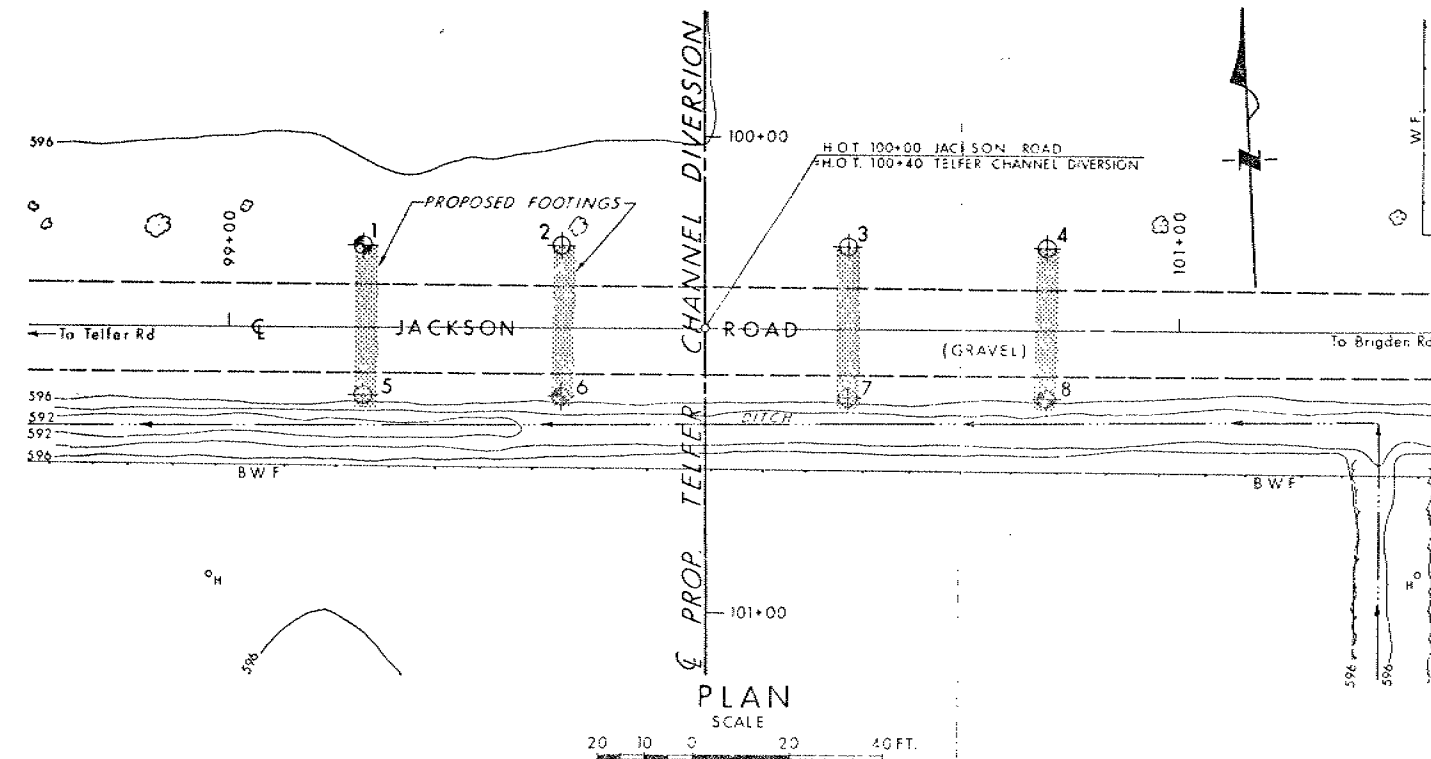
d	DISTANCE FROM TOP OF WALL TO POINT OF APPLICATION OF PRESSURE
δ	ANGLE OF WALL FRICTION
K	DIMENSIONLESS COEFFICIENT TO BE USED WITH VARIOUS SUFFIXES IN EXPRESSIONS REFERRING TO NORMAL STRESS ON WALLS
K_0	COEFFICIENT OF EARTH PRESSURE AT REST

FOUNDATIONS

B	BREADTH OF FOUNDATION
L	LENGTH OF FOUNDATION
D	DEPTH OF FOUNDATION BENEATH GROUND
N	DIMENSIONLESS COEFFICIENT USED WITH A SUFFIX APPLYING TO SPECIFIC GRAVITY, DEPTH AND COHESION ETC. IN THE FORMULA FOR BEARING CAPACITY
k_s	MODULUS OF SUBGRADE REACTION

SLOPES

H	VERTICAL HEIGHT OF SLOPE
D	DEPTH BELOW TOP OF SLOPE TO HARD STRATUM
β	ANGLE OF SLOPE TO HORIZONTAL



LEGEND			
	Bore Hole		
	Cone Penetration Test		
	Bore Hole & Cone Test		
	Water Levels established at time of field investigation Nov. 1972		

NO.	ELEVATION	STATION	OFFSET
1	596.2	99+28	17' LT.
2	596.5	99+70	17' LT.
3	596.6	100+30	17' LT.
4	596.4	100+72	17' LT.
5	596.7	99+28	14' RT.
6	596.7	99+70	14' RT.
7	596.7	100+30	14' RT.
8	596.5	100+72	14' RT.

— NOTE —
The boundaries between soil strata have been established only at Bore Hole locations. Between Bore Holes the boundaries are assumed from geological evidence.

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BORE HOLE LOCATIONS & SOIL STRATA

SUBMD P.K.	CHECKED	WP NO. 43-66-19	DRAWING NO.
DRAWN	CHECKED	WD NO. 72-11126	72-11126A
DATE Jan. 29, 1973	SITE NO. 10-3/3	BRIDGE DRAWING NO.	
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