

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS ONTARIO

13-7003

## MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. B. R. Davis,  
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Attention: Mr. S. McCombie

OUR FILE REF.

FROM: Foundation Section,  
Materials & Testing Div.,  
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DATE: January 11, 1968

IN REPLY TO

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SUBJECT:

FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION REPORT  
For  
Proposed Credit River Structure  
Hwy. #10 & #24; Orangeville By-Pass  
District No. 3 (Stratford)  
W.J. 67-F-109 --- W.P. 274-66-01

Attached, we are forwarding to you, our detailed foundation investigation report on the subsoil conditions existing at the above structure 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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FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION REPORT  
For  
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Hwy. #10 & #24; Orangeville By-Pass  
District No. 3 (Stratford)  
W.J. 67-F-109 -- W.P. 274-66-01

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**1. INTRODUCTION:**

A request for a foundation investigation at the crossing of the proposed Orangeville By-Pass (Hwy. #10 & #24) and the proposed Credit River Diversion, was received from Mr. A. P. Watt, Regional Bridge Location Engineer, in a memorandum, dated November 21, 1967.

A field investigation was subsequently carried out by this Section to determine the subsoil conditions existing at the site. This report contains the results of this investigation and our recommendations pertaining to the design of the proposed structure foundations.

**2. DESCRIPTION OF THE SITE:**

The proposed structure site is located on the proposed Orangeville By-Pass (Hwy. #10 & #24) at Credit River, in the Town of Orangeville. The surrounding area is flat and swampy at the immediate vicinity, and bush-covered.

Physiographically, the site is located in the region referred to as the Hillsburg Sand Hills. Rough topography, sandy material and flat-bottom swampy valley are the outstanding characteristics.

**3. FIELD AND LABORATORY INVESTIGATION PROCEDURES:**

A total of four boreholes and ten dynamic cone penetration tests was carried out during the course of the field investigation. Boring was achieved by means of conventional diamond drilling

3. FIELD AND LABORATORY INVESTIGATION PROCEDURES: (cont'd.) ...

equipment adapted for sampling purposes. During the field work, disturbed samples were obtained by means of a standard split-spoon sampler and the energy used in driving it, conformed to the requirements of the Standard Penetration Test. Dynamic cone penetration tests were carried out adjacent to each borehole and at six other locations. Driving energy to advance the cone was 350 ft.-lbs. per blow. In-situ vane tests were carried out on a few occasions, at elevations 12 inches below the various sample depths.

The locations and elevations of all boreholes are shown on Drawing No. 67-F-109A, which accompanies this report.

Samples were visually examined and classified at the site as well as in the laboratory. Certain tests were carried out in the laboratory for classification purposes. These tests consisted of Atterberg limits, natural moisture content, grain-size distribution and organic content determinations. The test results are shown on the Record of Borehole sheets in the Appendix of this report.

4. SOIL TYPES AND SOIL CONDITIONS:

4.1) General:

The subsoil at the site consists of about five different deposits. The boundaries of the different deposits are shown on the accompanying Record of Borehole sheets. The estimated stratigraphical profile shown on Dwg. No. 67-F-109A, is based upon this information. From ground level downwards, the various soil types are as follows:

4.2) Muck:

This deposit was observed in all boreholes, and extends from ground level to about El. 1332. The thickness varies from 3 ft. to 7 ft. The material consists mainly of black-coloured decayed and undecayed organic substances. The consistency may be described as very soft. The organic content was found to range from 17% to 64%.

4. SOIL TYPES AND SOIL CONDITIONS: (cont'd.) ...

4.3) Silty Sand to Sandy Silt (Grey):

This stratum was found to underlie the muck deposit in all boreholes, and varies in depth from about 2 ft. to 8 ft. The maximum thickness occurs in Borehole #7, being about 8 ft.

The material consists of silt and sand in varying proportions and traces of clay. The colour of the deposit is grey. The obtained 'N' values ranged from 5 to 14 blows per foot. In Borehole #7, occasional clayey silt layers were encountered within this deposit.

4.4) Clayey Silt to Silt:

This deposit was encountered in B.H.'s #1 and #3 and underlies the silty sand to sandy silt zone. The lower boundary was found to be at approx. El. 1327.

The material consists mainly of silt and clay, with traces of fine sand. Based on field vane test measurements, the consistency may be described as soft to firm.

4.5) Gravelly Sand:

This deposit was encountered at all borehole locations between approx. El. 1325 and El. 1328. The chief components were found to be sand and gravel with some fines. The relative density may be described as compact to dense.

4.6) Sandy Silt to Silty Sand (Brown):

This stratum underlies the gravelly sand material in all boreholes. The lower boundaries were not determined since the borings were terminated in this layer which extends below El. 1268.

The material is predominantly non-cohesive and consists mainly of silt and sand with traces of clay. Typical grain-size distribution curves are included in the Appendix of this report. The natural moisture content was found to vary between 18% and 27%. The relative density of the deposit may be described as compact to very dense, the 'N' values being in the order of 12 to 71 blows per foot.

5. GROUNDWATER CONDITIONS:

The groundwater levels were found to be at or a few inches below the existing ground level during the field investigation.

6. DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

It is proposed to construct a single-span structure at the crossing of the proposed Credit River Diversion and the proposed Orangeville By-Pass.

The proposed finished grade elevation will be at El. 1349, and the diverted stream bed at El. 1336.5.

The subsoil at the site consists of muck, followed by silty sand to sandy silt and clayey silt to silt, followed by gravelly sand, followed by an extensive compact to very dense sandy silt to silty sand. For detailed information, see section headed: "Soil Types and Soil Conditions". To achieve a safe bearing capacity of about 2.0 t.s.f., assuming a safety factor of 3.0, the excavation for a spread footing type foundation would have to be carried down to approx. El. 1326, which is considered to be uneconomical. The observed high groundwater level would complicate matters during construction.

In view of the foregoing, it is recommended that the proposed structure be supported on 25-ft. long No. 14 timber piles driven into the denser sandy silt to silty sand stratum where a safe design load of 25 tons per pile could be achieved. The pile driving should be controlled by means of the Hiley Formula according to D.H.O. Standards DD 1218 and 1219.

Prior to construction of any type of bridge or culvert, it is recommended that the organic soil which forms the surface deposit, be completely removed and replaced with suitable granular fill over the entire area of the structure and approaches. Since the present field investigation covers only the section of highway between Sta. 634+63 and Sta. 636+64, it is recommended that further field work be carried out by the Regional Materials Engineer to determine the full extent of the required subexcavation.

6. DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS: (cont'd.) ...

As an alternative, the proposed structure may consist of a concrete box type culvert or a flexible pipe arch culvert. Both of these structures should be supported on a granular pad of minimum thickness 2.0 ft., and should be constructed according to the pertinent D.H.O. Standards. If either of these types of structure is decided upon, it is recommended that the above mentioned subexcavation and backfilling be completed to ground level, then re-excavated to the elevation of the base of the culvert bed. This will result in consolidation and hence strengthening of the underlying loose to compact sand and silt layers. The material in the 2-ft. thick bed of the pipe should consist of granular backfill compacted in 6-inch layers.

In order to properly compact the culvert bed, it is necessary to carry out this work in the dry. To accomplish this, a dewatering scheme will be required. Two methods are suggested:

A.) Vacuum Wellpoints:

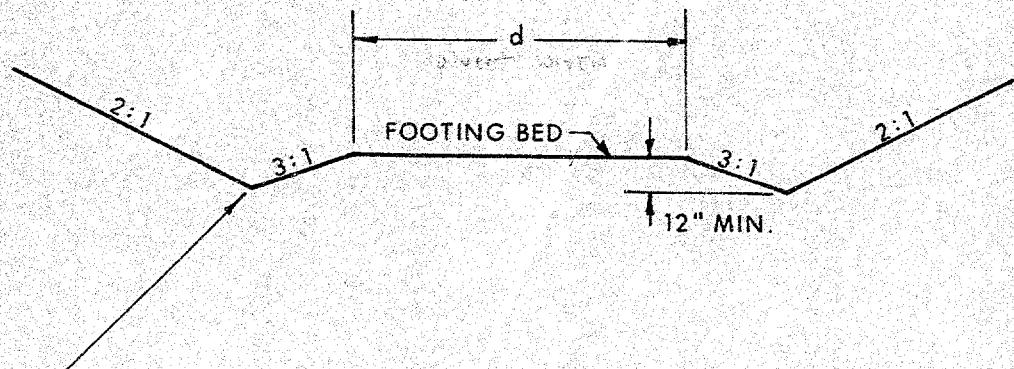
Since the gravelly sand and the sandy silt to silty sand materials are sufficiently free-draining, wellpoints may be installed around the periphery of the structure excavation. The tips should penetrate into the pervious gravelly sand material, and should be also at least 4 ft. below the base of the culvert bed. The system must be kept in operation until the backfilling, compaction and placing of concrete is completed.

B.) Oversize Excavation:

An undisturbed and dry excavation base can be exposed with an oversize excavation as illustrated on the sketch on the following page. This method would involve an initial gradual pumping, with final pumping confined to the shallow ditches around the bottom of excavation. The rate of pumping should be such that the sides of the excavation do not slough in.

6. DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS: (cont'd.) ...

No stability problems are anticipated for the proposed 10-ft. high approach embankments, provided all the soft organic material is removed completely and replaced with suitable fill. Standard 2:1 slopes are recommended.



Perimeter Ditches must be pumped out at all times until footing placed.

$d$  = culvert width

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7. SUMMARY:

A foundation investigation at the crossing of the proposed Orangeville By-Pass (Hwy. #10 & #24) and the proposed Credit River Diversion is reported.

Subsoil at the site investigated was found to consist of muck, followed by silty sand to sandy silt and clayey silt to silt, followed by gravelly sand, followed by sandy silt to silty sand.

The groundwater level was found to be at ground level.

Three types of structure have been considered:

- 1.) Single-span bridge; supported on 25-ft. long #14 timber piles. A safe load of 25 tons per pile may be used for design purposes.
- 2.) Concrete Box type culvert.
- 3.) Flexible pipe arch culvert.

The culverts should be supported on a minimum 2.0 ft. thick well compacted granular pad.

All the soft organic soil should be removed within the entire construction area, and replaced with suitable fill.

A proper dewatering scheme will be required.

No stability problems are anticipated for the side slopes of the 10-ft. high approach fill if the recommendations are followed.

Details are given in the foregoing section: "Discussion and Recommendations".

8. MISCELLANEOUS:

The field work was carried out during the period November 26 to December 5, 1967. Equipment used was owned and operated by Canadian Longyear Limited.

The supervision of the field work, together with the preparation of this report, was carried out by Mr. P. Payer, Project Foundation Engineer. The report was reviewed by Mr. K. G. Selby, Supervising Foundation Engineer.

January, 1968.

APPENDIX I.

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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 1

FOUNDATION SECTION

LOCATION Sta. 635 + 15; o/s 60' Rt.

ORIGINATED BY PP

BORING DATE November 27 &amp; 28, 1967

COMPILED BY PP

BOREHOLE TYPE Washbore - NX &amp; BX Casing

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SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT					LIQUID LIMIT WL	PLASTIC LIMIT WP	WATER CONTENT W	BULK DENSITY P.C.F.	REMARKS	
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE		25	50	75	100	125						
1339.4	Ground Level															
0.0	Muck-Black, decayed & undecayed. Organic substances.		1	SS	1½											WL Gr.Sa.Si.Cl
1332.3	Very soft.		2	SS	2½											0.87 (13)
1330.0	Silty sand. Very loose.		3	SS	4											0 2 79 19
1327.3	Clayey silt to silt. Soft		4A	SS	21											
1324.7	Gravelly sand. Compact.		5	SS	31											
114.7	Sandy silt to silty sand with traces of clay. Compact to very dense.		6	SS	21											0 54 39 7
			7	SS	17											
			8	SS	19											
			9	SS	12											
			10	SS	31											
			11	SS	17											
			12	SS	29											
			13	SS	26											
			14	SS	71											
			15	SS	32											
			16	SS	19											
1279.1	End of Borehole															
60.0																

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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 2

FOUNDATION SECTION

LOCATION Sta. 635 + 84; o/s 78' Rt.

BORING DATE Nov. 29, 1967

BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test Only

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SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE					LIQUID LIMIT WL	PLASTIC LIMIT WP	WATER CONTENT % W	BULK DENSITY P.C.F.	REMARKS		
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PILOT	NUMBER	TYPE		BLOWS / FOOT	25	50	75	100	125						
												SHEAR STRENGTH P.S.F.					
1339.0	Ground Level																
0.0																	
1302.0	End of Borehole																
37.0																	

1330

1320

1310

1300

End of cone test.

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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 3

LOCATION Sta. 635 + 60; o/s 24' Rt.

BORING DATE Nov. 29 &amp; 30, 1967

BOREHOLE TYPE Washbore - NX &amp; BX Casing

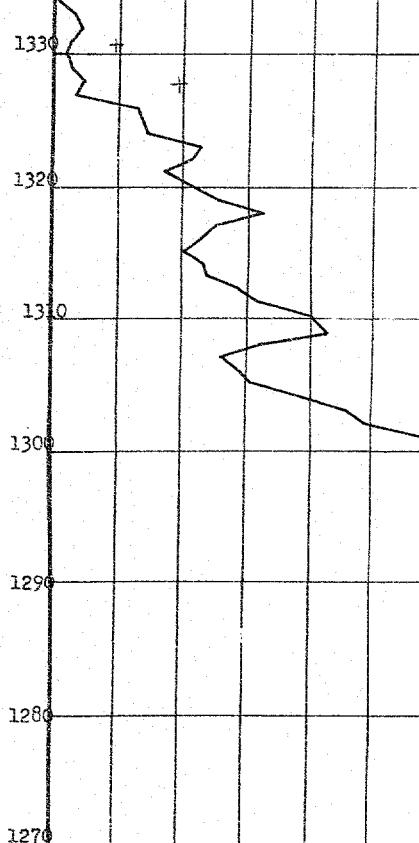
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ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	SAMPLES		ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE					LIQUID LIMIT WL	PLASTIC LIMIT WP	WATER CONTENT % W	BULK DENSITY P.C.F.	REMARKS	
		NUMBER	TYPE		25	50	75	100	125						
1339.0	Ground Level														
0.0	Muck - Black	1	SS	1											
1334.5	Very soft	2	SS	5											
4.5	Silty sand.	3	SS	5											
1331.5	Loose.	4	TW	PM											
7.3	Clayey silt to silt, with traces of sand.	4A	SS	23											
1326.0	Soil to firm.	5	SS	41											
12.2	Gravelly sand.	6	SS	31											
1321.0	Compact.	7	SS	23											
15.0		8	SS	22											
	Sandy silt to silty sand with traces of clay.	9	SS	39											
	Compact to dense.	10	SS	50											
		11	SS	25											
1267.5		12	SS	18											
71.5	End of Borehole														



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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 4

FOUNDATION SECTION

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LOCATION Sta. 635 + 91; o/s 16' Rt.

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BORING DATE Nov. 30, 1967

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DATUM Geodetic

BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test Only

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SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE					SHEAR STRENGTH P.S.F.	LIQUID LIMIT — WL	PLASTIC LIMIT — WP	WATER CONTENT — %	WATER CONTENT %	BULK DENSITY	REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE		BLOWS / FOOT	25	50	75	100							
1339.0	Ground Level																
0.0																	
1302.1																	
36.9	End of Cone Test																

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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 5

FOUNDATION SECTION

LOCATION Sta. 635 + 65; o/s 30° Lt.

BORING DATE December 1, 1967

BOREHOLE TYPE Washbore - NX &amp; BX Casing

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SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE					LIQUID LIMIT WL			BULK DENSITY P.C.F.	REMARKS		
ELEV.	DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	BLOWS / FOOT	25	50	75	100	125	WP	WL	WATER CONTENT %	10	20	30
1339.0	Ground Level																
1336.2	0.0 Muck - Black Soft			1	SS	6									10	20	30
2.8	Sand to silty sand. Loose to compact with layers of clayey silt. Grey & Brown.			2	SS	12									10	20	30
1328.1				3	SS	5									10	20	30
10.6	Gravelly sand			4	SS	6									10	20	30
1325.7	Compact to dense			5	SS	44									10	20	30
13.3	Sandy silt to silty sand with traces of clay.			6	SS	25									10	20	30
	Compact to dense.			7	SS	10									10	20	30
				8	SS	22									10	20	30
				9	SS	17									10	20	30
				10	SS	21 <sub>1</sub>									10	20	30
				11	SS	26									10	20	30
				12	SS	21 <sub>1</sub>									10	20	30
				13	SS	45									10	20	30
				14	SS	19									10	20	30
1286.5				15	SS	43									10	20	30
52.5	End of Borehole																

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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 6

FOUNDATION SECTION

LOCATION Sta. 635 + 43; o/s 70' Lt.

BORING DATE Dec. 4, 1967

BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test Only

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SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES		ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE					LIQUID LIMIT WL					REMARKS
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	Type	BLOWS / FOOT	25	50	70	100	125	SHEAR STRENGTH P.S.F.	WP	W	WL	
1339.4	Ground Level					1330									
0.0						1320									
						1310									
						1300									
						1290									
289.4	End of Cone Test														
50.0															

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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 7

FOUNDATION SECTION

LOCATION Sta. 635 + 13; o/s 571 Lt.

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BORING DATE Dec. 4, 1967

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BOREHOLE TYPE WASHBORE - BX &amp; NX Casing

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ELEV. DEPTH	SOIL PROFILE DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	SAMPLES		ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT					LIQUID LIMIT WL PLASTIC LIMIT WP WATER CONTENT W	WATER CONTENT % 10 20 30	BULK DENSITY P.C.F.	REMARKS	
			NUMBER	TYPE		BLOWS / FOOT	25	50	75	100	125				
1339.2	Ground level														
0.0	Muck														
1336.1	V. Soft														
3.0	Sandy silt, occ. layers of clayey silt		1 SS 12		1330										
	Loose to compact.		2 SS 14												
			3 SS 14												
			4 SS 8												
1328.2			5 SS 22		1320										
1325.7	Gravelly sand		6 SS 17												
	Compact		7 SS 22												
13.5	Sandy silt to silty sand with traces of clay.		8 SS 25												
			9 SS 18												
			10 SS 31		1310										
			11 SS 19												
			12 SS 49												
1298.2	End of Borehole				1300										
41.0					1290										

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## RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO.8

FOUNDATION SECTION

LOCATION Sta. 635 + 34; o/s 18' Lt.

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BOREHOLE TYPE Cone Test only

SOIL PROFILE		SAMPLES			ELEV. SCALE	DYNAMIC PENETRATION RESISTANCE BLOWS / FOOT					LIQUID LIMIT WL	PLASTIC LIMIT WP	WATER CONTENT W	BULK DENSITY P.C.F.	REMARKS	
ELEV. DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT. PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE		25	50	75	100	125						
1339.0	Ground Level															
0.0																
1306.0	End of Cone Test															
33.0																

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**RECORD OF BOREHOLE NO. 2**

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LOCATION Sta. 634 + 63; o/s 61' Lt.

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LOCATION Sta. 636 + 645 o/s 3' Lt

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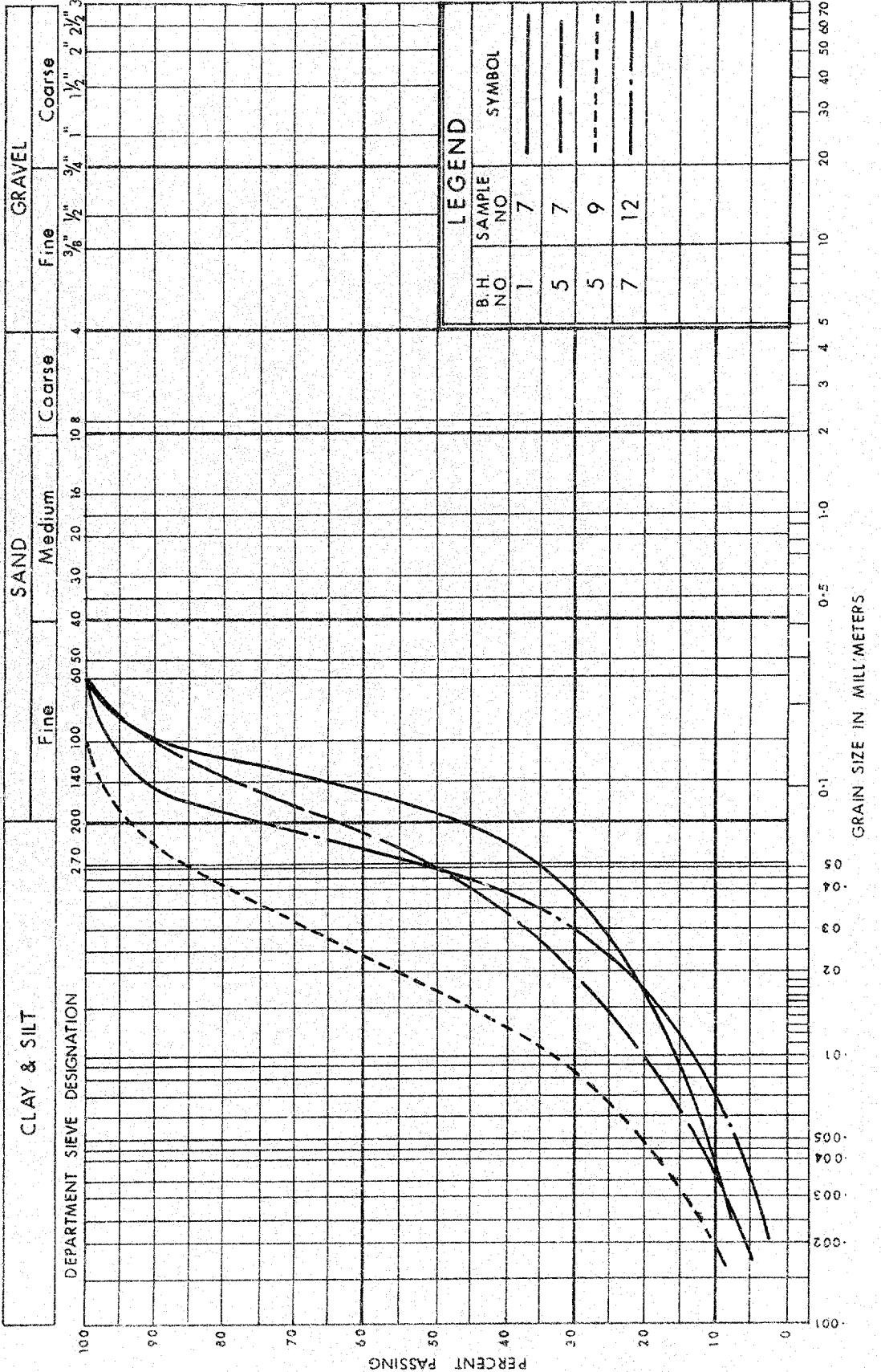
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UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM



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GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION  
SILTY SAND TO SANDY SILT

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## ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS REPORT

### PENETRATION RESISTANCE

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE 'N' : - 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>'N' BLOWS / FT.</u>	<u>C LB. / SQ. FT.</u>	<u>DENSENESS</u>	<u>'N' BLOWS / FT.</u>
VERY SOFT	0 - 2	0 - 250	VERY LOOSE	0 - 4
SOFT	2 - 4	250 - 500	LOOSE	4 - 10
FIRM	4 - 8	500 - 1000	COMPACT	10 - 30
STIFF	8 - 15	1000 - 2000	DENSE	30 - 50
VERY STIFF	15 - 30	2000 - 4000	VERY DENSE	> 50
HARD	> 30	> 4000		

### TYPE OF SAMPLE

S.S.	SPLIT SPOON	T.W.	THINWALL OPEN
W.S.	WASHED SAMPLE	T.P.	THINWALL PISTON
S.B.	SCRAPER BUCKET SAMPLE	O.S.	OESTERBERG SAMPLE
A.S.	AUGER SAMPLE	F.S.	FOIL SAMPLE
C.S.	CHUNK SAMPLE	R.C.	ROCK CORE
S.T.	SLOTTED TUBE SAMPLE		
		P.H.	SAMPLE ADVANCED HYDRAULICALLY
		P.M.	SAMPLE ADVANCED MANUALLY

### SOIL TESTS

Qu	UNCONFINED COMPRESSION	L.V.	LABORATORY VANE
Q	UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL	F.V.	FIELD VANE
Qcu	CONSOLIDATED UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL	C	CONSOLIDATION
Qd	DRAINED TRIAXIAL	S	SENSITIVITY

## ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS REPORT

### SOIL PROPERTIES

$\gamma$	UNIT WEIGHT OF SOIL (BULK DENSITY)
$\gamma_s$	UNIT WEIGHT OF SOLID PARTICLES
$\gamma_w$	UNIT WEIGHT OF WATER
$\gamma_d$	UNIT DRY WEIGHT OF SOIL (DRY DENSITY)
$\gamma'$	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 <sub>r</sub>	DEGREE OF SATURATION
w <sub>L</sub>	LIQUID LIMIT
w <sub>P</sub>	PLASTIC LIMIT
I <sub>p</sub>	PLASTICITY INDEX
s	SHRINKAGE LIMIT
I <sub>L</sub>	LIQUIDITY INDEX = $\frac{w - w_p}{I_p}$
I <sub>C</sub>	CONSISTENCY INDEX = $\frac{w_L - w}{I_p}$
e <sub>max</sub>	VOID RATIO IN LOOSEST STATE
e <sub>min</sub>	VOID RATIO IN DENSEST STATE
I <sub>D</sub>	DENSITY INDEX = $\frac{e_{max} - e}{e_{max} - e_{min}}$
	RELATIVE DENSITY D <sub>r</sub> IS ALSO USED
h	HYDRAULIC HEAD OR POTENTIAL
q	RATE OF DISCHARGE
y	VELOCITY OF FLOW
i	HYDRAULIC GRADIENT
k	COEFFICIENT OF PERMEABILITY
j	SEEPAGE FORCE PER UNIT VOLUME
m <sub>v</sub>	COEFFICIENT OF VOLUME CHANGE = $\frac{-\Delta e}{(1+e)\Delta\sigma}$
c <sub>v</sub>	COEFFICIENT OF CONSOLIDATION
c <sub>c</sub>	COMPRESSION INDEX = $\frac{\Delta e}{\Delta \log_{10} \sigma'}$
T <sub>v</sub>	TIME FACTOR = $\frac{c_v t}{d^2}$ (d, DRAINAGE PATH)
U	DEGREE OF CONSOLIDATION
T <sub>f</sub>	SHEAR STRENGTH
c	EFFECTIVE COHESION
c'	INTERCEPT
$\phi'$	EFFECTIVE ANGLE OF SHEARING RESISTANCE, OR FRICTION
c <sub>u</sub>	APPARENT COHESION
$\phi_u$	APPARENT ANGLE OF SHEARING RESISTANCE, OR FRICTION
$\mu$	COEFFICIENT OF FRICTION
S <sub>t</sub>	SENSITIVITY

### GENERAL

$\pi$	= 3.1416
e	BASE OF NATURAL LOGARITHMS 2.7183
$\log_e \sigma$ OR $\ln \sigma$	NATURAL LOGARITHM OF $\sigma$
$\log_{10} \sigma$ OR $\log \sigma$	LOGARITHM OF $\sigma$ 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
$\sigma$	NORMAL STRESS
$\sigma'$	NORMAL EFFECTIVE STRESS ( $\sigma'$ IS ALSO USED)
$\tau$	SHEAR STRESS
$\epsilon$	LINEAR STRAIN
$\gamma$	SHEAR STRAIN
$\nu$	POISSON'S RATIO ( $\nu$ IS ALSO USED)
E	MODULUS OF LINEAR DEFORMATION (YOUNG'S MODULUS)
G	MODULUS OF SHEAR DEFORMATION
K	MODULUS OF COMPRESSIBILITY
$\eta$	COEFFICIENT OF VISCOSITY

### EARTH PRESSURE

d	DISTANCE FROM TOP OF WALL TO POINT OF APPLICATION OF PRESSURE
$\delta$	ANGLE OF WALL FRICTION
K	dimensionless coefficient to be used with various suffixes in expressions referring to normal stress on walls
K <sub>o</sub>	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 <sub>s</sub>	modulus of subgrade reaction

### SLOPES

H	VERTICAL HEIGHT OF SLOPE
D	DEPTH BELOW TOE OF SLOPE TO HARD STRATUM
$\beta$	ANGLE OF SLOPE TO HORIZONTAL

401 & Keele Street  
Downsview, Ontario

November 24, 1967

Canadian Longyear Limited  
35 Brydon Drive  
Rosedale, Ontario

Dear Sirs:

This is to confirm our request of November 24, 1967 for the supply of a Diamond Drill together with all necessary equipment, as specified under the terms of our Contract Agreement, at 10.a.m. November 27, 1967 at Orangeville, Ontario.

This project bears Job Number 67-R-109.

Yours truly,

*K. G. Selby*

K. G. Selby  
Supervising Foundation Engineer  
for A. G. Stermac  
Principal Foundation Engineer

KIS:mt

Aug 1/68

Credit River Br. W.I 67 F-109

flwy 10 & 24 12' 10" - 8' 4"

W.P. 274-66-01

corrugated Pipe

much  
4-7' sand to silty sand } gravel  
                        { sandy silt to silty sand

excavate much & backfill

Q: What period should be specified for the proposed staging?

A: As long as possible  
Six months would be fine

Note: The material being granular  
it could be even less than  
6 months

Department of Highways Ontario

Copy for the information of

Foundation Section

Mr. A. Stermac,  
Principal Foundation Engineer,  
Room 107, Lab. Building

Bridge Division,  
Downsview, Ontario

November 19, 1968

Credit River Structure  
Orangeville By-pass  
W.P. 274-66-01, Site 4-143  
Hwys. 10 & 24, District 3

67-F-109

Attached herewith we are submitting the final bridge drawings which show the foundation design for this structure.

Kindly give us your comments at your earliest convenience.

CSG:rd

C.S. Grebski,  
Bridge Design Engineer

Attach.

c.c. Foundation Section

No comments.

pp.

Dec. 2/68.

(KJF)

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS ONTARIO

## MEMORANDUM

To: Mr. A. G. Stermac,  
Principal Foundation Engineer,  
Materials and Testing Division,  
Downsview.  
ATTENTION:

FROM: Mr. D. A. Sutherland,  
Advance Program Engineer,  
Downsview.  
DATE: August 6, 1968.

OUR FILE REF:

IN REPLY TO

SUBJECT: W. P. 274-66-1 = Credit River Bridge - Highway 10  
Orangeville Diversion - District 3 - Stratford.

67-F-109

It has been brought to our attention that a twin multi-plate arch culvert has been recommended for the above location which will require excavating, backfilling and surcharging in advance of placing the culverts.

Would you at your, earliest convenience, supply me with a sketch and a cost estimate of the work involved, so that we may consider programming it as a separate project, in advance of placing the culverts under W. P. 5-66-00.

DAS/lid



D. A. Sutherland,  
Advance Program Engineer.

Gave necessary information by phone call

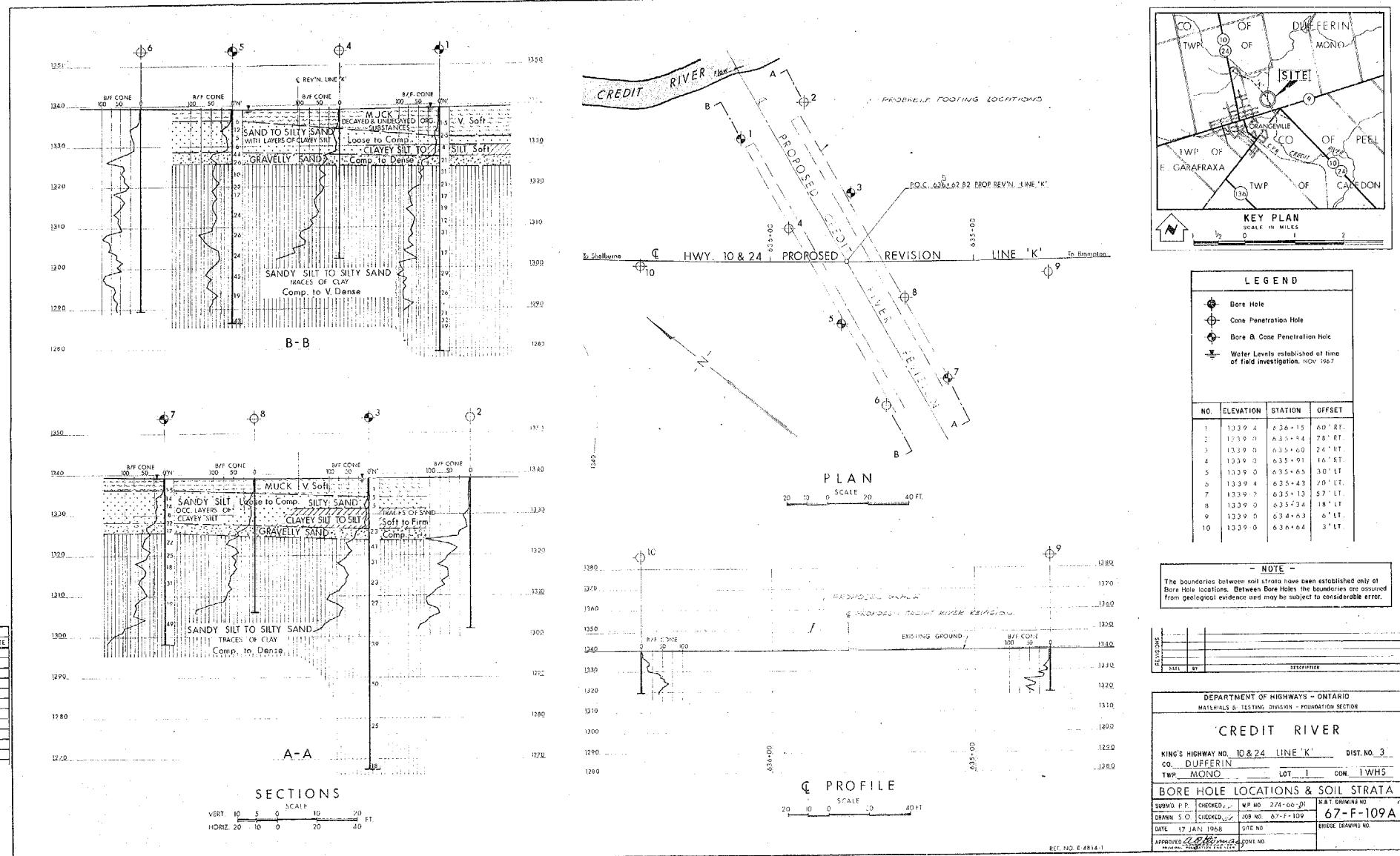
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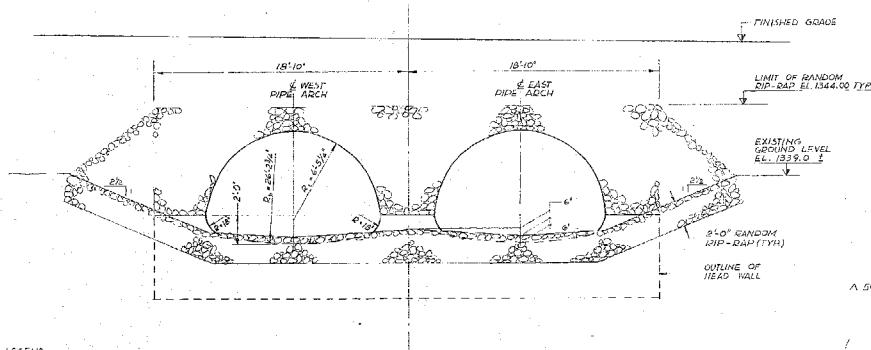
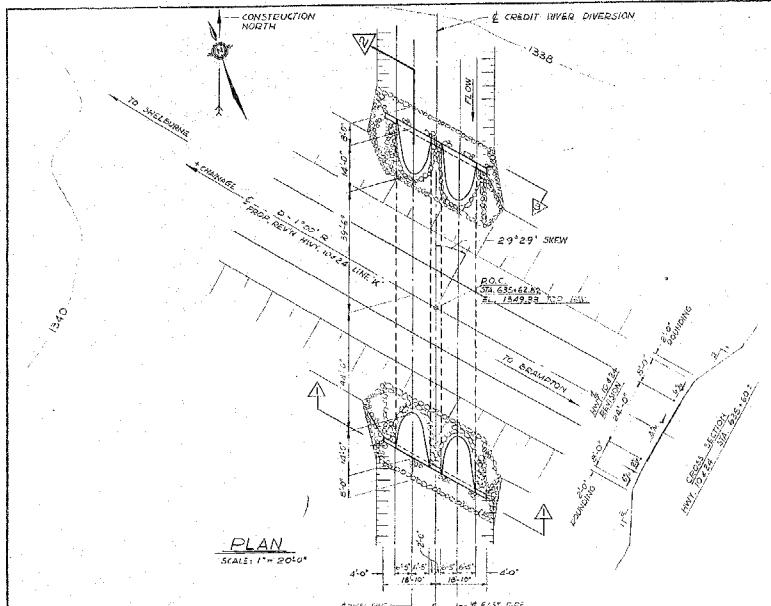
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Hwy. #10 + 24

CREDIT RIVER

STRUCTURE



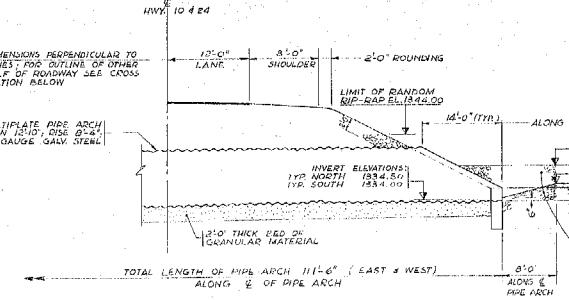


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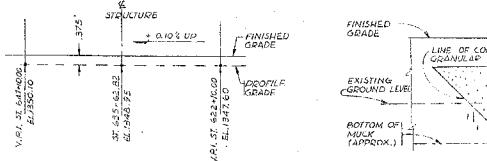
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SECTION A

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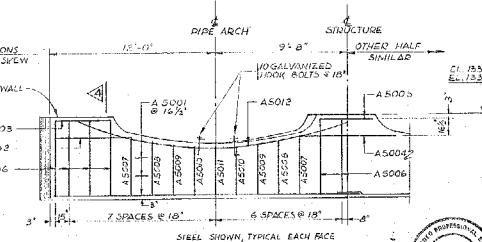
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70 & HWY. 104 E.  
N.T.S.



PROFILE  
AT  $\pm$  HWY. 10 & 34 REVISION  
N.E.S.

MINIMUM GRANULAR BACKFILL  
HALF SECTION PERPENDICULAR TO E OF STRUCTURE  
SCALE: K' = 100'

**NOTES.**  
CLASS OF CONCRETE: 3000 P.S.I.  
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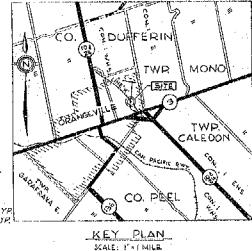


SECTION **4**

SECTION 3  
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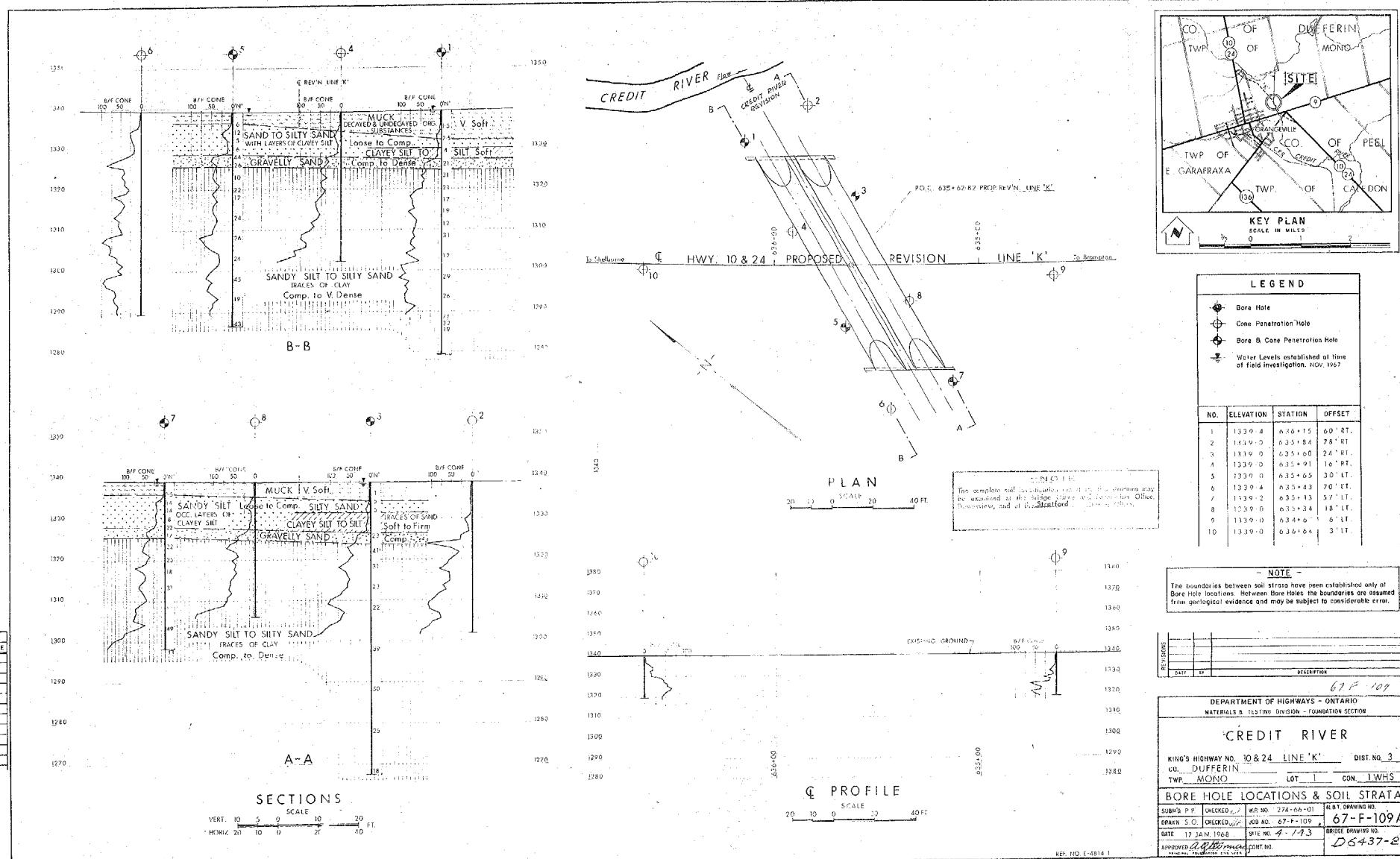
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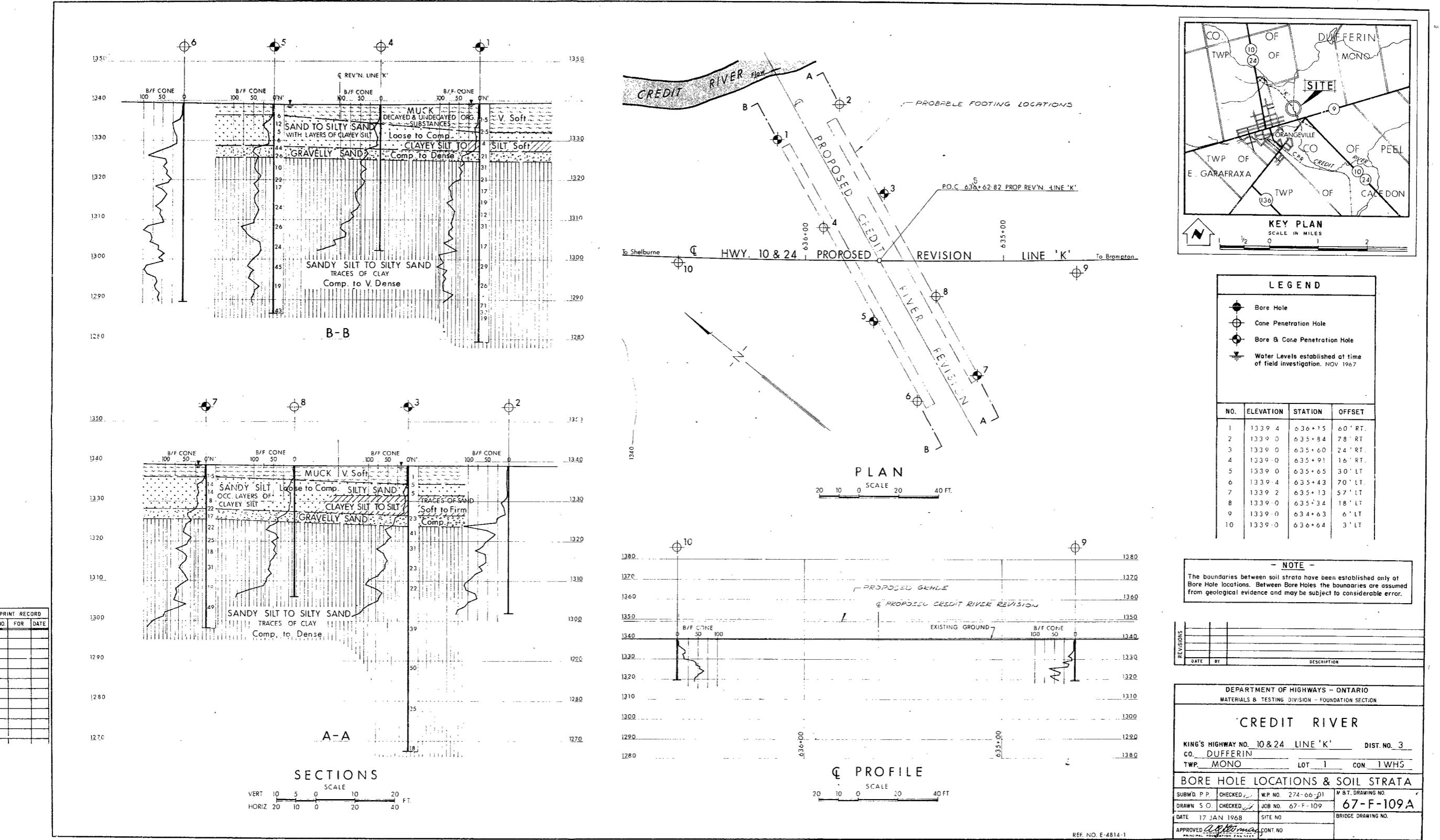
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Hwy. 10 24 Revision  
Downstream Upstream  
Down Level  
Camber Diagram  
Before Backfill

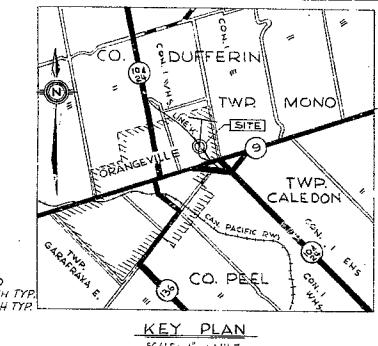
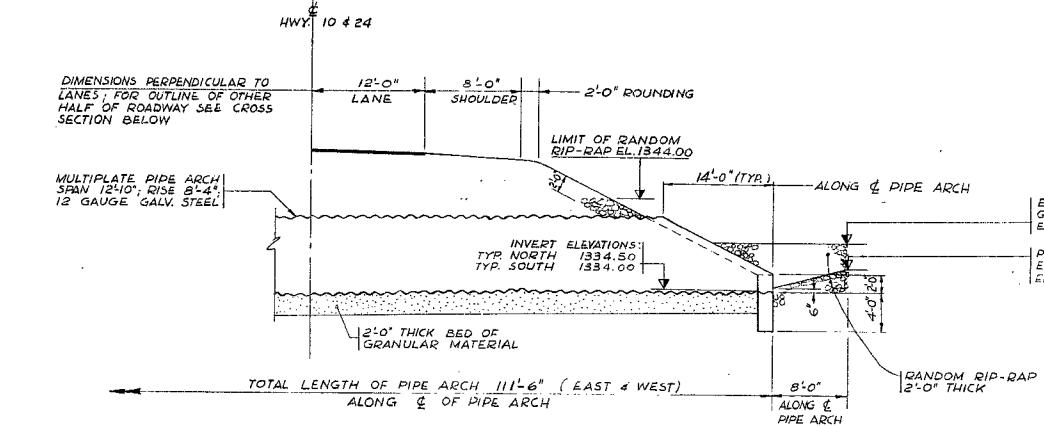
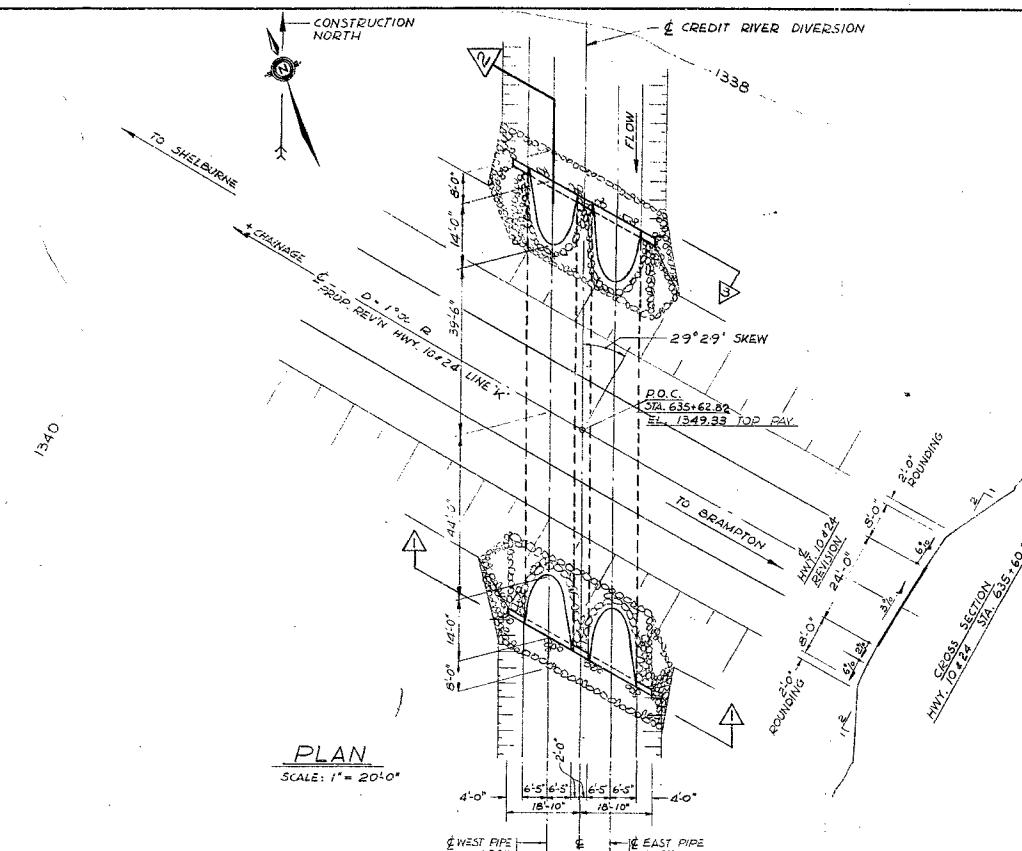
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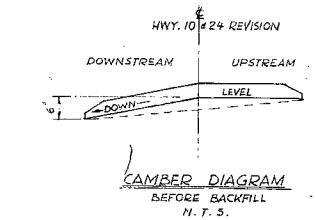
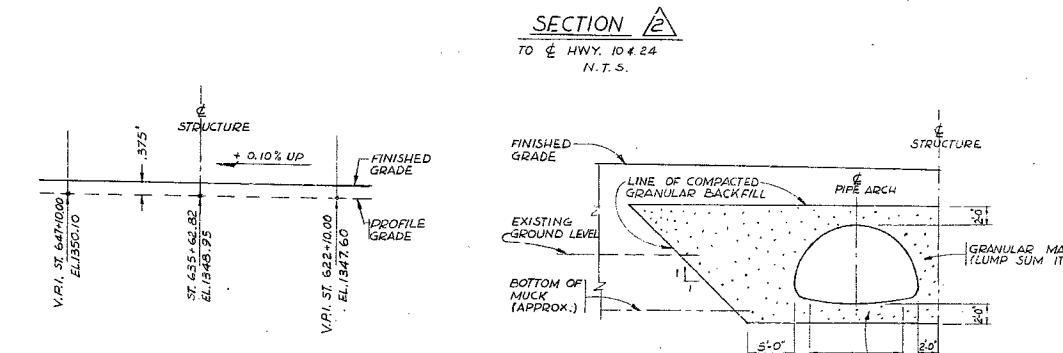
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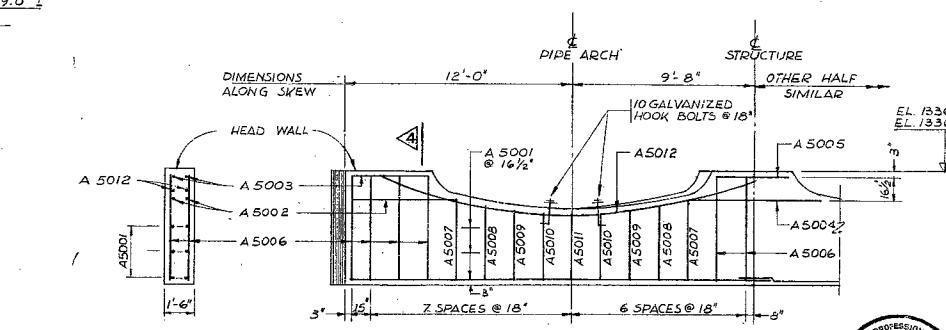
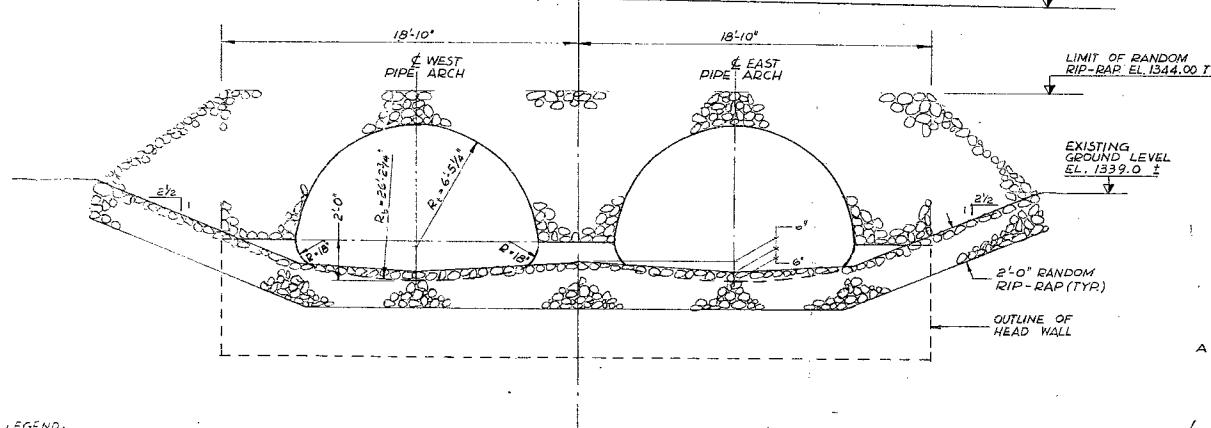
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