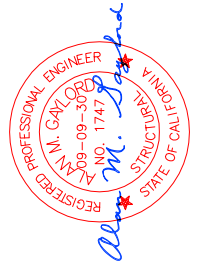


Bridge Structure General Notes #1



DESIGN LOADINGS

- AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specification - Fourth Edition - 2007 "HL-93".
- This Bridge Is Designed To Comply With The Following Load Criteria:
 - Dead Load -- Weights Of Permanent Bridge Structure Components
 - Live Load -- AASHTO Vehicular "HL-93" Definition.
 - Seismic Load -- Acting Only In Conjunction With Bridge Dead Load.
- Bridge Structure Designed To Comply With American Association Of State Highway Officials Design Provisions -- AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications, Fourth Edition, 2007.
 - "Dynamic Load Allowance" (Impact) Factor:
 - Applies Only To Design Of Bridge Deck Structure.
 - Does Not Apply To Design Of Abutments And/Or Footings.
 - Applies Only To Truck And/Or Tandem Live Loads.
 - Does Not Apply To Dead Loads, To Lane Loads, To Special Equipment Live Loads, And/Or To Seismic Loads.
 - Multiply Applicable Static Live Load Effects By:
 - 1.33 -- For Bridge Deck Moments And Shears.
 - 1.75 -- For Bridge Deck Joints.
 - "Multiple Presence" Factor For All Live Loads = 1.00.
 - Applicable AASHTO "Load Combination Limit States":
 - "Strength I" -- AASHTO "HL-93" Loads
 - "Extreme Event I" -- AASHTO "Seismic" Load
- Critical Live Loads
 - Concrete Deck Flexural Forces
 - Strength I -- AASHTO "HS-93 - Design Live Load Definition".
 - Concrete Deck Shear Forces
 - Strength I -- AASHTO "HL-93 - Design Live Load Definition".
 - Abutments Walls Acting As Retaining Walls -- Strength I.
 - Abutments Walls Under Seismic Loading -- Extreme Event I.
 - Foundation Soil Bearing -- Working -- Dead Load Plus Live Load.
- Bridge Abutment Foundation/Soil Pressures Checked Using "Working Loads" (Not Factored Loads).
- Design For Seismic Loading Based On Following Parameters:
 - Location: 38 Deg 26.9 Min North / 123 Deg 06.9 Min West
 - California Building Code (2007) Design Parameters Per Henry Justiniano & Associates Geotech Report Update Dated May 9, 2008:
 - Site Class
 - Short Period Spectral Response Acceleration $F_a = 0.9$.
 - One-Second Spectral Response Acceleration $F_v = 2.4$.
 - Short Period Near-Source Acceleration $S_{da} = 1.23$.
 - One-Second Near-Source Acceleration $S_{d1} = 1.76$.
 - AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specification, Fourth Edition, (Near Equivalent To California Building Code) Parameters:
 - AASHTO Acceleration Coefficient 0.60.
 - Soil Profile Coefficient For Type IV Soil Profile ... 2.00.
 - Seismic Inertia-Multiplier Coefficient 1.20.
 - Bridge "Importance" = "Other" (Not "Critical" Or "Essential")
 - Response Modification Factors:
 - Wall-Type Piers (Abutment Walls) 2.0.
 - Connection Between Bridge Deck And Support Abutments . 0.8.
- Bridge System Also Designed To Accommodate:
 - Asphalt Pavement Wearing Surface Of 3" Thickness Weighing 21 Psf.
 - Guardrail System Installed Along Each Side Of Bridge Weighing 100 Plf.
 - Water Line Attached To Downstream Side Of Bridge Weighing 50 Plf.
- Vehicular Guardrail System Designed To Meet AASHTO Crash-Test Level 2 Criteria.

CONCRETE

- General
 - Provide Concrete Complying With ACI 301.
 - Use Normal Weight (145 pcf +/- 5 pcf) Concrete.
 - Air-Entrainment Volume 5% +/- 1%.
 - Provide Concrete Having A Minimum Cement Content Of 6 Sacks Per Cubic Yard.
 - Cast Concrete Using A Maximum Water/Cement Ratio Of 5 1/2 Gals Per Sack Of Cement.
 - Do Not Use Any Concrete Unit Having Cracks Over 1/16" Wide.
 - Fabricate Block "Lugs" And "Recesses" And Plank "Recesses" Such That The Dimensions Detailed For Them On The Drawings Are Achieved To A Tolerance Of +/- 1/16 Inch.
- Precast Bridge Deck Planks
 - Prestressed Deck Planks
 - Minimum Strength At 28-Days $F'_c = 6000$ Psi.
 - Minimum Strength At Strand Release .. F_c Release = 4000 Psi.
 - Use Aggregates No Larger Than 1".
 - Fabricate Plank Units To The Following Dimensional Tolerances:
 - Length +/- 1/2".
 - Width +/- 1/2".
 - Thickness +/- 1/4".
 - Twist, As Measured By "Lift" Of Corner, Where The Other (3) Corners Define A Horizontal Plane +/- 1/4".
 - Supply Plank Units Having The Following Surface Finishes:
 - Bottom, Sides, And Ends "As-Cast In Steel Forms".
 - Top Surface Transverse "Rake" Finish. (1/4" Wide By 1/4" Deep Grooves Spaced At 1/2" On Center)
 - Provide Plank And Panel Units Having No "Honeycomb" Voids And No Corner Or Edge Chips Larger Than 1 Inch In Any Direction.
- Precast Abutment Block, Footing Plank, And/Or Closure Panel Units
 - Minimum Strength At 28-Days $F'_c = 3000$ Psi.
 - Minimum Strength At Removal From Form F_c Remove = 2000 Psi.
 - Use Aggregates No Larger Than 3".
 - Fabricate Units To The Following Dimensional Tolerances:
 - Overall Width, Length, And Thickness +/- 1/8".
 - Squareness On All (6) Sides, As Measured By Comparing Lengths Of Face Diagonal Distances +/- 1/8".
 - Supply Units Having "As-Cast In Steel Forms" Finish.
 - Provide Units Having No "Honeycomb" Voids And No Corner Or Edge Chips Larger Than 2 Inches In Any Direction.
- Mortars And Grouts
 - Provide "Dry-Pack" "MasterFlow 928 Natural Aggregate Grout" Or "Five Star Highway Patch" In Longitudinal Joints Between Bridge Deck Planks.
 - Provide Pre-Molded Compressible Backer Rods Along Bottom And At Ends Of Joints To Retain Dry Pack.
 - Fill Longitudinal Joints Flush With Top Surface Of Planks.
 - Provide "Flowable" "MasterFlow 928 Natural Aggregate Grout" Or "Five Star Fluid Grout 100 With Devolider" Between Top Of Top Abutment Block Units And Underside Of Precast Deck Plank Units.
 - Provide Wood Setting Blocks, Pre-Molded Compressible Backer Rods, And/Or Expandable, Closed-Cell, Expandable Foam Around Perimeter Of Top Abutment Block(s) To Retain Grout.
 - Fill Vertical Cylindrical Voids Around Abutment Vertical Reinforcement Bars.
 - Vibrate Grout, As Required, To Assure That All Voids Spaces Are Completely Filled.
 - Note: Do Not Install Grout Between Bridge Deck Planks And Tops Of Abutment Walls Until After Transverse Rods Have Been Fully Tightened.

SOILS, FOUNDATIONS, AND BACKFILLS

- This Project Has Been Designed In Accordance With Recommendations Provided By Henry Justiniano & Associates, San Ramon, California In Their Geotechnical Report Dated April 13, 2006 In Their Letter Of Affirmation Dated May 9, 2008, EMail Communication With Mr. Justiniano On November 25, 2008, And Telephone Communication With Mr. Justiniano On January 14, 2009.
 - Design Working Load Bearing Pressure Under Permanent Plus Transient Loading Is Limited To A Maximum Of 1800 Psf.
 - Design Working Load Bearing Pressure Under Permanent Plus Transient Plus Wind And/Or Seismic Loading Is Limited To A Maximum Of 2400 Psf.
 - Design Working Load Bearing Pressure Limits Apply Only To Increase In Soil Bearing Pressure Due To Bridge Structure Loadings That Are Additional To Pre-Existing Soil Pressure At The Footing Bearing Elevation.
- Remove Any Existing Fill, Any Existing Silty, Sand-Silt, Or Clay-Silt Soil, Or Any Soil That Is Loose Or Has Been Disturbed Down To Existing Very Dense Gravel For A Minimum Width Of 8'-6" Extending At Least 6" Beyond Front And Back Ends Extending At Least 6" Beyond Front And Back Ends
- Where Excavation Of Fill And/Or Silt Extends Below Bottom Elevation Of Abutment Blocks, Provide Imported Angular Crushed Rock Base Down To Very Dense Gravel To Create An Acceptable Bearing Surface Of Precast Concrete Footing Block Units.
- Compact Imported Base Material To At Least 95% Relative Compaction.
- Provide A Scour-Resistive Armor Assemblage Of Well-Graded, Highly-Interlocking Mix Of Hard Rock Of Up To 36" Dimension Well-Compacted To Be Capable Of Reliably Functioning As A Monolithic Gravity Retaining Wall In Front Of Each Support Abutment To Resist Horizontal Pressures Induced By Backfill Earth And Road Traffic In Accordance With Project Civil Engineering Requirements Provided By Prunuske Chatham, Inc.
- Use Only Free-Draining Granular Material As Backfill Behind Abutment Walls And Wingwalls. Compact Material Placed Behind Walls To 90% Relative Compaction Using Only Light Or Hand-Operated Compaction Equipment.

CONCRETE REINFORCING STEEL

- Provide Deformed Steel Bars Complying With ASTM A615:
 - Bars Size #4 And Larger Grade 60.
 - Bars Size #3 Grade 40.
- Provide All Bars Full Length.
 - Do Not Lap-Splice Any Bar.
 - Do Not Weld-Splice Any Bar.
- Position Deck Plank Longitudinal Bars Not Required To Be Full Length Mid-Length Of Deck Planks.
- Shop-Fabricate All Bars Required To Be Bent.
 - Cold-Bend All Bars.
 - Do Not Apply Heat To Any Bar Or "Tack Weld" Any Bar.
- Provide Minimum Concrete Cover For Reinforcing Bars As Follows:
 - At Bottom And Sides Of Precast Bridge Planks 1" +/- 1/4".
 - At Ends Of Precast Bridge Planks 1 1/2" +/- 1/4".
 - At Top Surface Of Precast Bridge Planks 2" +/- 1/4".
 - At All Surfaces Of Reinforced Abutment Blocks 3" +/- 1/4".
- Position Bars As Shown On The Drawings To The Following Tolerances:
 - Bar Location As Measured Perpendicular To Bar Length . +/- 1/4".
 - Bar Location As Measured Parallel To Bar Length . +/- 1/2".
 - Longitudinal Location Of Bends And Ends Of Bars +/- 1/2".

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