

# Project Development & Environment (PD&E) Study for Replacement of the Northbound Howard Frankland Bridge (I-275/SR 93)

## Final Preliminary Engineering Report

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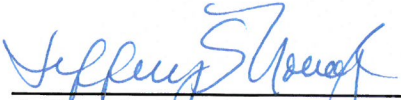


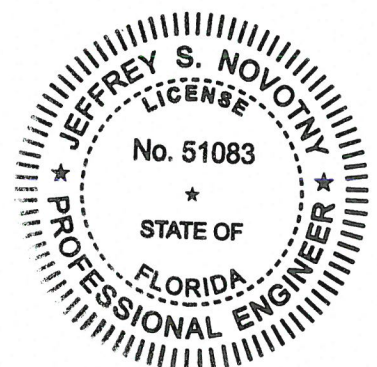
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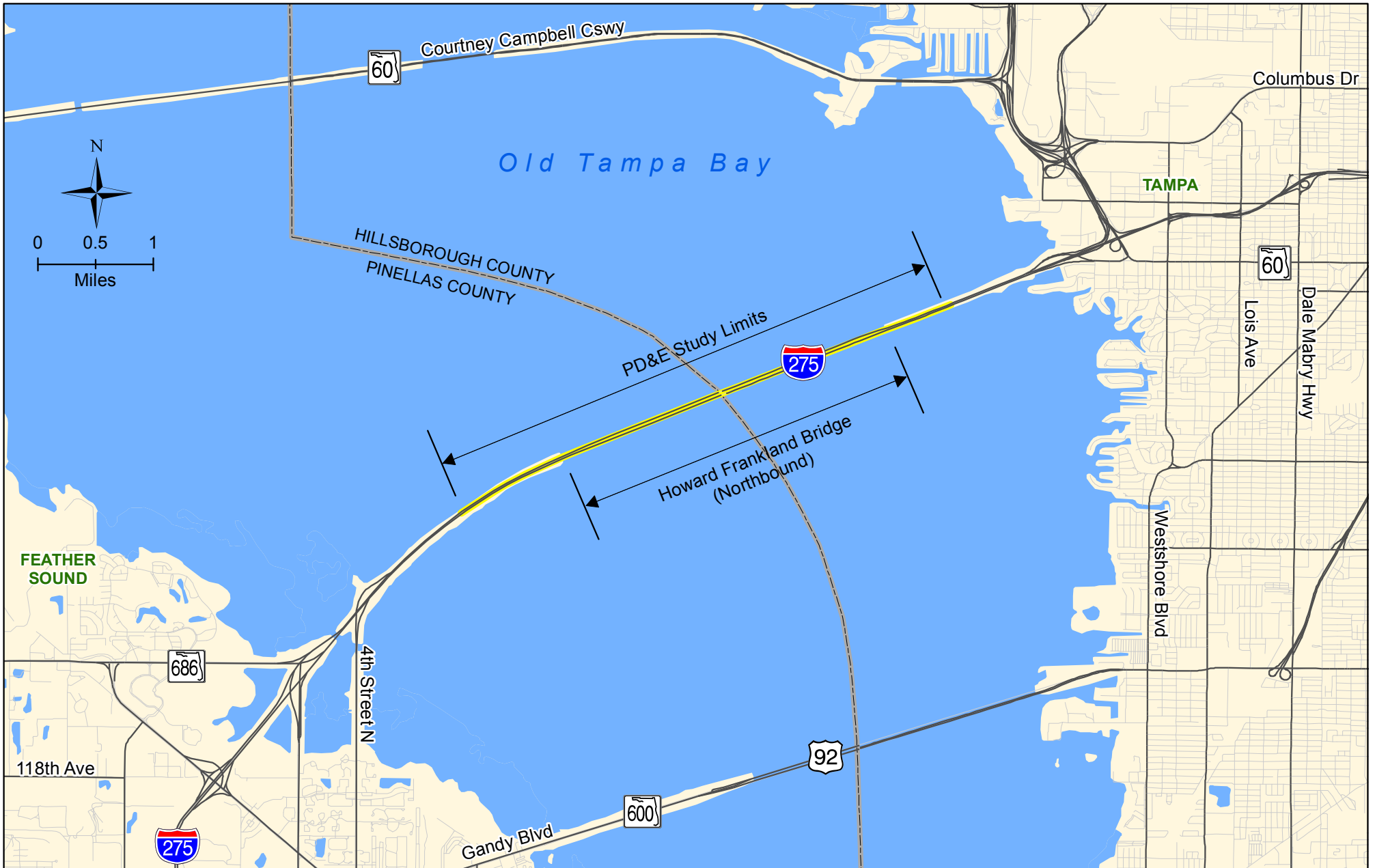
## **SECTION 1 SUMMARY OF PROJECT**

### **1.1 SUMMARY STATEMENT**

This *Final Preliminary Engineering Report* contains detailed engineering information that fulfills the purpose and need for the planned replacement of the northbound Howard Frankland Bridge (HFB), Bridge No. 150107, over Old Tampa Bay, in Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties. The Project Development and Environment (PD&E) study limits extend approximately 1 mile south of and ½ mile north of the existing 3-mile long bridge (**Figure 1-1**).

### **1.2 COMMITMENTS**

1. The FDOT will conduct benthic surveys during the seagrass growing season (June-September), in order to support the permit approval process.
2. The FDOT proposes utilizing the Old Tampa Bay Water Quality Improvement Project as mitigation for seagrass impacts. Coordination with U.S. Fish and Wildlife Server (USFWS), National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) and Southwest Florida Water Management District (SWFWMD) will continue as seagrass mitigation progresses or other options are proposed.
3. The size/style of piles, quantity of piles, number of piles driven per day, number of strikes per pile, and other information needed in order to determine potential hydroacoustic impacts to the smalltooth sawfish and sea turtles is unknown at this time. Further information will be provided once a design-build team is selected and more details regarding design and construction related to pile driving activities is known. Endangered Species Act Section 7 consultation will be re-initiated with the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) for smalltooth sawfish and swimming sea turtles during the future project phases once more detailed information listed above is known for this project. The FDOT will continue coordination with NMFS on potential impacts associated with pile driving activities.
4. The FDOT will require the contractor to minimize potential impacts of multiple pile driving operations by maintaining a minimum 4,000 feet over the length of the bridge opening as a low-noise travel corridor. This corridor should be continuous to the extent feasible, but no individual component of the corridor will be less than 1,000 feet. Low noise corridors are defined as areas where noise levels are below injury and behavioral disturbance thresholds. This commitment will provide aquatic fauna a sufficiently wide low-noise corridor or corridors through the project area without injury or disturbance.
5. The contractor will be required to use a ramp-up procedure during the installation of piles. This procedure allows for a gradual increase in noise level in order to give sensitive species ample time to flee prior to initiation of full noise levels. This approach can also reduce the likelihood of any secondary or sub-lethal effects from sound impulses associated with pile driving.



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**Project Study Area Map**

**Figure 1-1**

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6. The FDOT will adhere to the NMFS's *Sea Turtle and Smalltooth Sawfish Construction Conditions* (**Appendix B** of the Draft *Natural Resources Evaluation* [NRE]) during construction of the project.
7. The FDOT will continue informal Endangered Species Act Section 7 consultation with the USFWS for the Gulf Sturgeon and manatee during future project phases.
8. FDOT will incorporate the *Construction Special Conditions for the protection of the Gulf Sturgeon* (**Appendix B** of the Draft NRE).
9. To assure the protection of wildlife during construction, the FDOT will implement a Marine Wildlife Watch Plan (MWWP), which includes the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) *Standard Manatee Conditions for In-Water Work*. The FDOT will require the construction contractor to abide by these guidelines during construction. **Appendix B** of the Draft NRE provides an example of the most current *Standard Manatee Conditions for In-Water Work* (2011).
10. No nighttime in-water work will be performed. In-water work can be conducted from official sunrise until official sunset times.
11. Special conditions for manatees will be addressed during construction and include the following:
  - Two dedicated (minimum one primary), experienced manatee observers will be present when in-water work is performed. Primary observers should have experience observing manatees in the wild on construction projects similar to this one;
  - All siltation barriers or coffer dams should be checked at least twice a day, in the morning and in the evening, for manatees that may become entangled or entrapped at the site.
  - Barges will be equipped with fender systems that provide a minimum standoff distance of four feet between wharves, bulkheads and vessels moored together to prevent crushing manatees. All existing slow speed or no wake zones will apply to all work boats and barges associated with construction; and
  - Although culverts are unlikely for this project, any culverts larger than eight inches and less than eight feet in diameter should be grated to prevent manatee entrapment. The spacing between the bridge pilings will be at least 60 inches to allow for manatee movement in between the pilings. If a minimum of 60-inch spacing is not provided between piles, further coordination will be conducted with the USFWS.
12. No blasting is proposed for this project. If blasting is required, formal Section 7 Consultation will be initiated with the USFWS for the manatee and with the NMFS for swimming sea



turtles and the smalltooth sawfish. A blast plan and MWWP would be developed and submitted to the USFWS, NMFS and FWC for their approval prior to beginning blasting activities.

13. No dredging is proposed for this project. If dredging is required, Section 7 Consultation will be re-initiated with the USFWS for the manatee.
14. The new replacement bridge will be designed to be able to handle the structural loads of a future Light Rail Transit (LRT) system in the future.

### **1.3 DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED ACTION**

The planned project involves the replacement of the four-lane northbound I-275 HFB (Bridge No. 150107) over Old Tampa Bay, in Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties. The limits of the PD&E study extend from approximately 1 mile south of the 3 mile bridge to one-half mile north of the bridge to include portions of the existing causeway. In addition to the proposed bridge replacement, this study also considered reserving space for a future transit envelope within the existing I-275 right of way (ROW). The proposed transit improvements will be consistent with the Tampa Bay Area Regional Transit Authority (TBARTA) Master Plan, adopted in August 2015, and have been evaluated in conjunction with local premium transit initiatives such as the Pinellas Alternatives Analysis which evaluated premium transit service between Clearwater and St. Petersburg with an extension across Tampa Bay to Tampa across the I-275 corridor. The project limits fall within Township 29S, Range 17E, and Sections 32-33; Township 29S, Range 18E, and Section 19; and Township 31S, Range 19E and Section 21.

A previously considered Recommended Build Alternative was presented to the public at a public hearing in 2013, which included a four-lane bridge with one lane (auxiliary lane) converted to one tolled express lane. This bridge was proposed to be constructed between the existing southbound and northbound bridges. However, based on public response and comments received in October 2016, and based on further agency coordination in late 2017, the FDOT decided to change the proposed bridge typical section.

The Preferred Build Alternative for this project includes constructing new bridge to the west side of the existing southbound bridge. The new bridge will include four 12-foot general use lanes (same as the existing bridges) two 12-foot tolled express lanes in each direction, and a 12-foot shared use path "trail". The proposed tolled express lanes are part of Tampa Bay Next, FDOT's program to modernize portions of Tampa Bay's transportation infrastructure. The tolled express lanes will be barrier separated from the general use lanes. The tolled express lanes could be used by express bus and Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) vehicles in addition to private motor vehicles. The shared use path will be barrier separated from the southbound general use lanes. The overall width of the bridge will be 170 feet +/- . The new bridge structure and all approach roadway improvements will be constructed within the existing Florida Department of Transportation right of way. The existing southbound

bridge will be retrofitted for northbound traffic. The existing northbound bridge will be demolished as part of this project.

The new replacement bridge would have longer vertical curves than the existing northbound bridge near the center of the bridge to meet current design standards and be more geometrically consistent with the existing southbound bridge. At the navigational channel, the vertical clearance of the new bridge is intended to meet or exceed the vertical clearance of the existing southbound bridge. In coordination with US Coast Guard (USCG), this will meet the USCG navigational clearances. Also, the overall profile would be constructed several feet higher than the existing southbound bridge to avoid wave forces during extreme storm events (at least one foot above the predicted 100-year wave crest elevation).

The estimated cost of the improvements, including the roadway transitions at either end of the new bridge, is approximately \$785 million in 2017 dollars. The cost estimate includes approximately an additional \$25 million in structural enhancements to strengthen the new bridge to be able to accommodate a potential future light-rail transit system on the bridge.

## **SECTION 2 INTRODUCTION**

### **2.1 PROJECT DEVELOPMENT & ENVIRONMENT STUDY PROCESS**

Prior to the beginning of the Project Development and Environment (PD&E) study phase, the project was entered into the Florida Department of Transportation's (FDOT or Department) Efficient Transportation Decision Making (ETDM) system. An ETDM Final *Programming Screen Summary Report* was published on March 1, 2013 as ETDM Project number 12539. The proposed bridge replacement was run in the ETDM Environmental Screening Tool (EST) Planning Screen under project number 12256 (Gateway to Hillsborough County Line). A Type 2 Categorical Exclusion class of action was assigned by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) during the programming screen phase of the ETDM process for the bridge replacement PD&E study.

The objective of this PD&E study is to determine the type, design, and improvements that are needed for the replacement of the northbound HFB. Factors considered included improving safety of the traveling public and workers during construction, complexities of construction activities, anticipated lane closures during construction, future expansion considerations, transportation needs, socioeconomic and environmental impacts, engineering requirements and cost estimates. In general terms, the process involved the following steps:

- (1) Verifying the project purpose and need developed during the ETDM screening process
- (2) the gathering and analysis of detailed information regarding the environmental resources features of the study area in addition to engineering data
- (3) the development and evaluation of alternatives for meeting the project need
- (4) the selection of a Preferred Alternative, and
- (5) documenting the entire process in a series of reports

During the process, communication with the affected public has been accomplished directly, through public information meetings and one hearing so far, and indirectly, through interaction with elected officials and agency representatives. The PD&E study process is designed to satisfy all applicable state and federal requirements, including the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), in order for this project to qualify for federal-aid funding of subsequent project phases. In addition to the various Build Alternatives, the No-Build or Bridge Rehabilitation/Repair Alternative is also being considered as part of the study process.

### **2.2 PROJECT HISTORY AND BACKGROUND**

The original HFB was opened to traffic in early 1960. The original bridge carried four lanes of traffic, two lanes in each direction, with only a 4-foot traffic separator between oncoming traffic lanes. By 1978, planning had begun for increasing the capacity of this section of I-275. As traffic conditions deteriorated for the HFB it became clear that an auxiliary lane in each direction would be needed in addition to the six lanes originally proposed. In 1987, it was determined that a parallel, four-lane

span would be built, and construction began in 1988. The new southbound span was opened to traffic in 1991, and the older bridge was closed to traffic, rehabilitated and reopened in 1992 as the northbound span. One of the four lanes in each direction serves as an auxiliary lane as they do not extend beyond the SR 686/Roosevelt Boulevard/118<sup>th</sup> Avenue interchange in Pinellas County or beyond the SR 60 interchange in Hillsborough County, the first full interchanges north and south of the bridge.

A Regional Transit Corridor Evaluation was also conducted by FDOT to evaluate where future premium transit enhancements could be situated in the future within the HFB corridor for linkage between the Gateway area in Pinellas County and the Westshore area in Hillsborough County. That regional transit evaluation was consistent with the adopted 2015 TBARTA Master Plan update. Accommodations for express lanes and premium transit have been incorporated in this PD&E study and are discussed in greater detail in **Section 8** of this report.

### **2.3 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

The PD&E study evaluated various design and operational concepts for replacing the bridge and for rehabilitating it as well. The study also assessed the environmental effects of replacing the bridge and undertaking the related improvements to the causeway approaches. The PD&E study also explored various design options to accommodate transit provisions within an “envelope” on the new bridge or on a separate parallel bridge within the existing I-275 ROW; the type of premium transit service to be accommodated will be determined by future transit studies and agency coordination.

The purpose of this report is to document all of the engineering-related aspects associated with the planned replacement of the northbound HFB. Separate reports were prepared to document environmental effects and public involvement efforts (see **Section 10** for list).

## SECTION 3 PURPOSE & NEED FOR PROJECT

There are two primary **purposes** for this project. One is to replace the northbound span of the HFB due to the existing structure nearing the end of its useful life. Second is to provide additional traffic capacity by adding express lanes to the bridge corridor to enable a future connection on I-275 on either side of Old Tampa Bay. The **need** for the proposed project is explained below.

### 3.1 STRUCTURAL CONDITION

An inspection conducted on the existing HFB in September 2010 resulted in a sufficiency rating of 61.8 classifying the bridge as *structurally deficient*. The FDOT performed repairs that improved the sufficiency rating to 81.3 in the 2012 inspection. In the September 2016 inspection, the sufficiency rating decreased to 79.8. The existing northbound HFB is not presently classified as structurally deficient. In the 1950's, when this bridge was originally designed, normal practice was to design bridges for a 50-year life span. While that duration has now been exceeded and the bridge is located in a harsh saltwater environment, major past rehabilitation projects have helped to extend the life of the structure.

### 3.2 SYSTEM LINKAGE AND REGIONAL CONNECTIVITY

I-275 at the HFB is a vital link in the local and regional transportation network and one of only three crossings between Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties over Old Tampa Bay and the crossing which carries the most traffic. **Figure 3-1** shows the relationship of the project location to the regional roads in west central Florida. In addition to being an Interstate highway and part of the National Highway System (**Figure 3-2**), I-275 is part of the Strategic Intermodal System (SIS) that provides for the high-speed movement of people and goods (**Figure 3-3**). The SIS is a statewide network of highways, railways, waterways and transportation hubs that handle the bulk of Florida's passenger and freight traffic.

### 3.3 CONSISTENCY WITH TRANSPORTATION PLANS

This project is situated in both Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties. As such, the Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP), Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) and State Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP) for both counties list this project. WPI Segment Number 422904-2 is the Pinellas County portion and includes the roadway approaches in Pinellas County and the complete bridge crossing over Tampa Bay. WPI Segment Number 422904-4 includes the roadway approaches in Hillsborough County.

The replacement of the 4-lane northbound Howard Frankland Bridge is consistent with the Pinellas County MPO's (now called Forward Pinellas) 2040 Cost Feasible Long Range Transportation Plan (Pinellas LRTP) for construction in years 2020-2040. Tables 5-1, 5-8 and the map figure the Pinellas LRTP show the bridge replacement as committed (funded in the TIP and STIP 2017/18 to 2021/22).

The TIP and STIP show project 422904-2 is funded with \$753,584,957 in fiscal year 2020 as a design-build project.

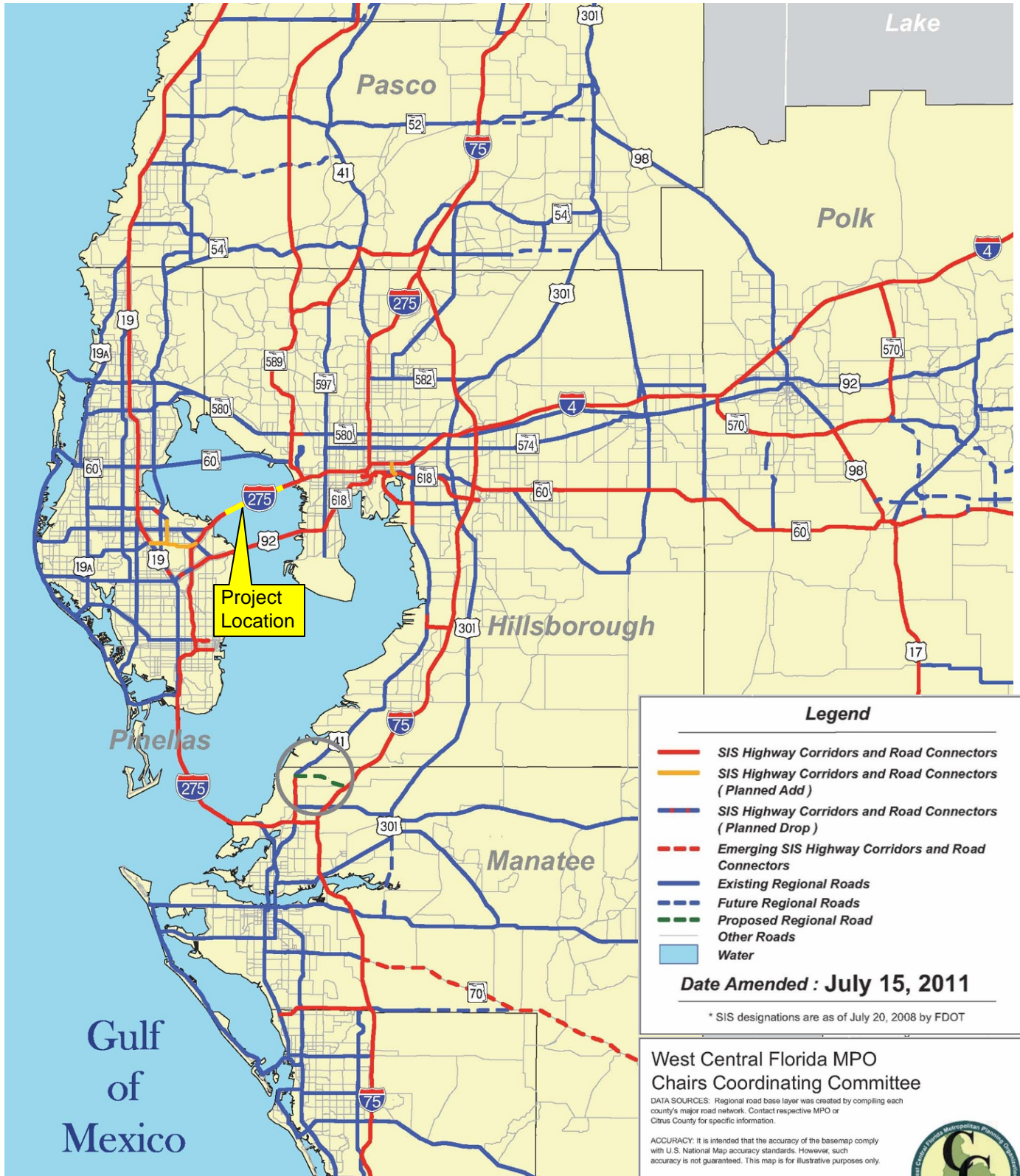
The portion of the project in Hillsborough County is included in the Hillsborough County MPO's LRTP (Hillsborough LRTP) (as amended February 6, 2018) as the western 1/2 mile of Project 1002 - listed as I-275 from N of Howard Frankland to S of SR 60. Description includes expanding I-275 to include 8 lanes and 4 express toll lanes. Figures 3-31 and 5-15 in the Hillsborough LRTP show Project 1002 as needed and cost feasible. The TIP and STIP show project 422904-4 funded with \$23,777,633 in fiscal year 2020 as a design-build project.

The proposed transit envelope within the HFB corridor is included in the Forward Pinellas' County Cost Feasible (2020-2040) Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) as an unfunded project. The transit envelope is also consistent with the TBARTA's 2040 Regional Transit Projects Map which shows both regional commuter and premium transit in the I-275 HFB corridor (**Figure 3-4**).

### **3.4 EMERGENCY EVACUATION AND SAFETY**

The HFB is a critical evacuation route for portions of Pinellas County and is shown on the Florida Division of Emergency Management's evacuation route network. I-275 is also designated as an emergency evacuation route by the Hillsborough County Emergency Management Office and the Pinellas County Emergency Management Office.

For the 5-year period 2011 through 2015, a total of 404 crashes were reported for the northbound direction (3-mile bridge plus a mile on either end) involving 1 fatality and 256 injuries. The resulting economic loss associated with these crashes is estimated to be approximately \$ 46.8 million, based on 2015 National Safety Council unit costs. For just the 3-mile bridge limits, 163 crashes were reported on the northbound bridge compared to 93 crashes on the southbound bridge for this same time period. The crash rate was estimated to be about 75 percent higher on the northbound bridge compared to the newer southbound bridge. The vertical alignment on the northbound bridge does not meet current design standards for an Interstate highway. Based on the as-built plans, the estimated design speed is between 50 and 55 miles per hour (mph), while the bridge is posted at 65 mph (current standards require 70 mph design speed). This lower design speed results in shorter stopping sight distances for motorists travelling over the "hump" near the center of the bridge, which could be a contributing factor in some of the reported rear-end collisions on the bridge. In addition, the left 4-foot shoulder is less than the 10-foot standard, and two of the lanes are 11-feet wide which do not meet current Interstate design standards of 12-feet.











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**Relationship of the Project  
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**Figure 3-1**

# National Highway System: Tampa--St. Petersburg FL

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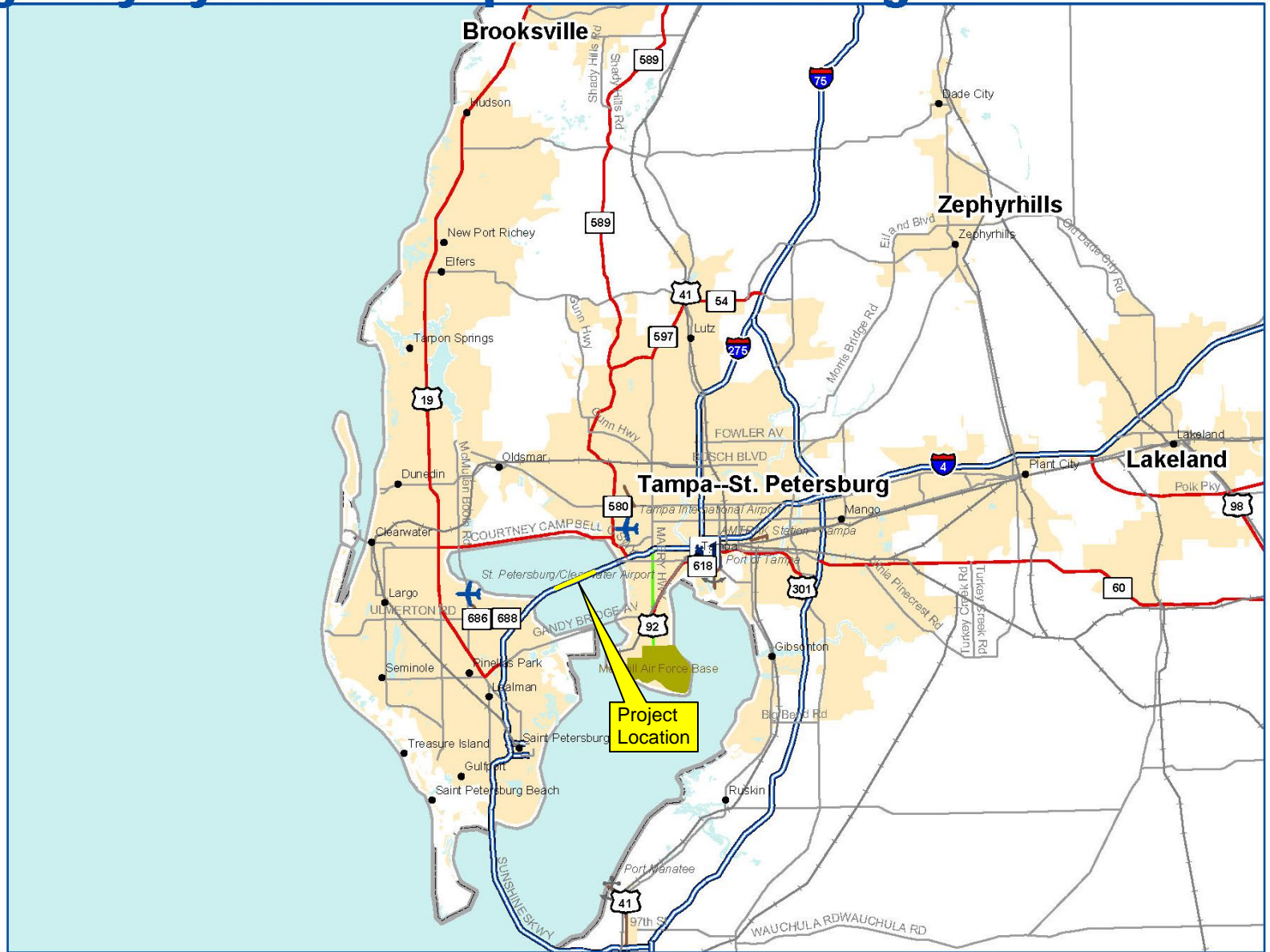
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-  Other NHS Routes
-  Non-Interstate STRAHNET Route
-  Major STRAHNET Connector
-  Intermodal Connector
-  Unbuilt NHS Routes
-  Other Roads (not on NHS)
-  Railroad

-  Census Urbanized Areas
-  Indian Reservation
-  Department of Defense
-  National Forest
-  National Park Service
-  Water

-  Airport
-  Intercity Bus Terminal
-  Ferry Terminal
-  Truck/Pipeline Terminal
-  Multipurpose Passenger Facility
-  Port Terminal
-  Truck/Rail Facility
-  AMTRAK Station
-  Public Transit Station



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**Figure 3-2**



**SIS & Emerging SIS  
Hubs, Corridors & Connectors**



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**DISTRICT 7(a)**

- LEGEND**
- SIS Hubs**
- Airports
  - General Aviation Reliever Airports
  - Seaports
  - Passenger Terminals
  - Spaceport
  - Intermodal Freight - Rail Terminals
- Corridors**
- Highway
  - Rail
  - Waterways
- Connectors**
- Road Connectors
  - Rail Connectors
  - Waterway Connectors
- Other**
- Areas that are Urbanized<sup>1</sup>

- Emerging SIS Hubs**
- Airports
  - Seaports
  - Passenger Terminals
  - Intermodal Freight - Rail Terminals
- Corridors**
- Highway
  - Rail
  - Waterways
- Connectors**
- Road Connectors
  - Rail Connectors
  - Waterway Connectors

- Planned Facilities Hubs**
- SIS/Emerging SIS (Planned Add)
  - SIS/Emerging SIS (Planned Drop)
- Corridors**
- SIS/Emerging SIS Highway (Planned Add)
  - SIS/Emerging SIS Highway (Planned Drop)
  - SIS/Emerging SIS Railway (Planned Add)
- Connectors**
- SIS/Emerging SIS Highway (Planned Add)
  - SIS/Emerging SIS Highway (Planned Drop)
  - SIS/Emerging SIS Railway (Planned Add)

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**NOTES**

<sup>1</sup>Population density greater than 1,000 persons per square mile. (2000 Census)

- Rail Connector Description
- Road Connector Description
- Waterway Connector Description

State of Florida  
Department of Transportation  
Office of Policy Planning



**Tampa Area (Inset C)**





### **3.5 TRANSPORTATION DEMAND**

The existing HFB crossing (both directions) includes a total of six through lanes and two auxiliary lanes which provide room for weaving between the interchanges at SR 686 in St. Petersburg and the SR 60/Memorial Highway interchange in Tampa as shown on **Figure 2-1**. The 2016 annual average daily traffic (AADT) on the bridge was 157,500 vehicles per day (VPD) based on the FDOT's 2016 Florida Traffic Online, with approximately half of the traffic in each direction. Based on the existing daily traffic volume, the existing level of service (LOS) is "E" based on the 2013 FDOT Quality/Level of Service Handbook based on Core Urbanized Freeways. The Tampa Bay Regional Transit Model for Managed Lanes indicates that the total AADT in 2040 is expected to increase to 229,800 VPD. The projected 2040 two-way AADT of 229,800 VPD would result in LOS "F" traffic conditions without any additional traffic lanes being added to the bridge.

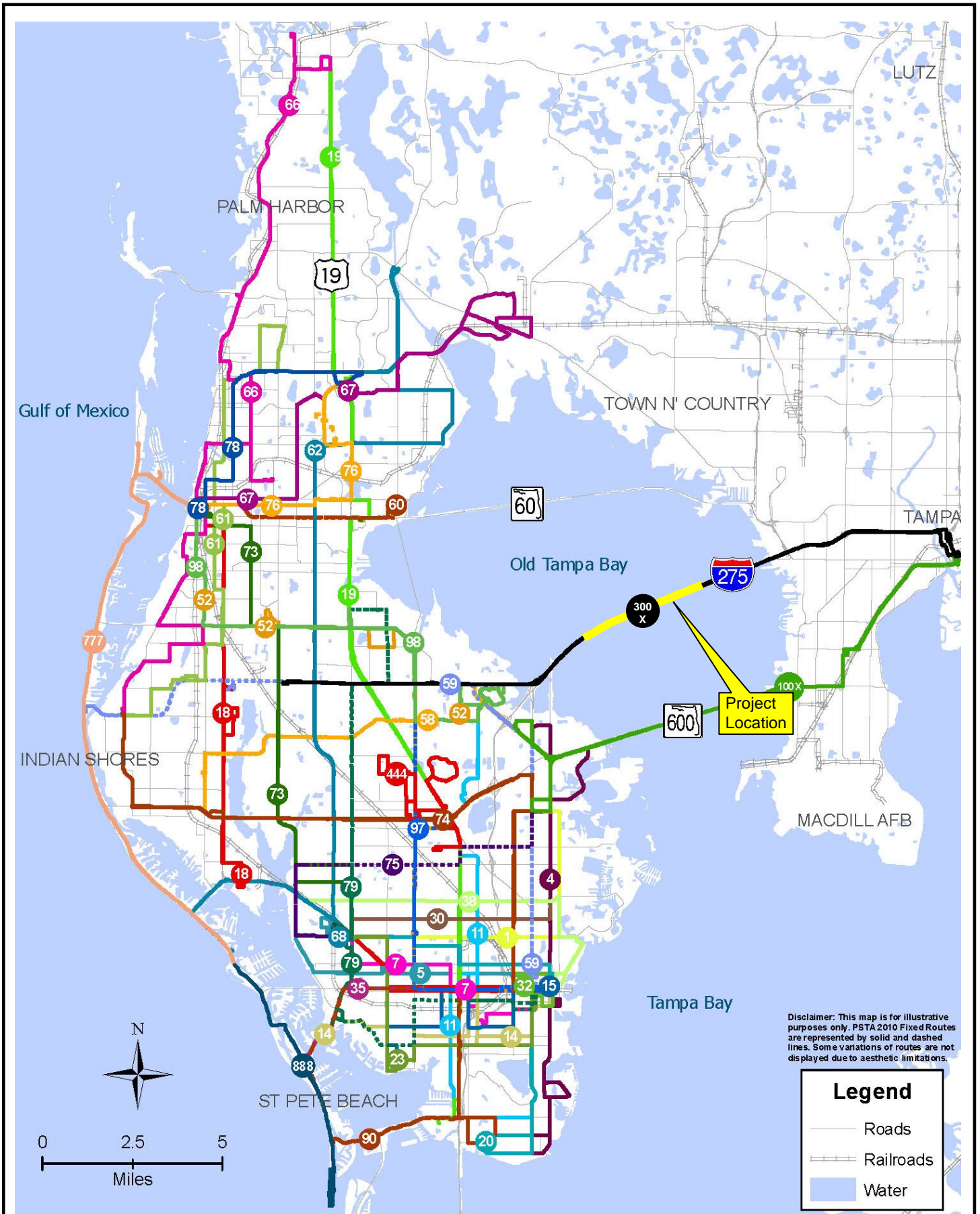
### **3.6 TRANSIT AND MULTIMODAL ACCOMMODATIONS**

The Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority (PSTA) operates one express bus route which utilizes the HFB in providing service between Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties. Route 300X provides a connection between the Ulmerton Road Park-N-Ride in Largo and downtown Tampa, with service primarily in the peak periods and with limited intermediate stops (**Figure 3-5**). The Hillsborough Area Regional Transit Authority (HART) does not currently operate any buses on the HFB. Various motorcoach services use HFB/I-275 as part of their regional network; for example, Amtrak's Thruway motorcoach service connects Tampa's Union Station to Pinellas Park-St. Petersburg, Bradenton, Sarasota, Port Charlotte, and Ft. Myers Accommodations. The planned tolled express lanes will accommodate express buses and bus rapid transit (BRT) vehicles if local governments implement BRT in the future. In addition, an envelope for a future light rail transit (or other technology) system will be provided on the west side of the to-be-constructed new bridge should local governments implement such a system in the longer-range future.

I-275 is part of the highway network that provides access to regional intermodal facilities such as the Tampa International Airport, the St. Petersburg-Clearwater International Airport, several general aviation airports, MacDill Air Force Base, the Port of Tampa, Hookers Point, the Port of St. Petersburg, transit stations, cruise ship terminals and major CSX intermodal rail facilities. As noted earlier, I-275 is part of the SIS and is also part of TBARTA's regional freight network, which is considered the backbone of the goods movement system for the TBARTA region. Improvements to the HFB/I-275 within the project limits will maintain access to freight activity centers in the area and facilitate the movement of freight in the greater Tampa Bay region.

This PD&E study only evaluated the replacement of the existing northbound bridge with a new bridge to carry four-lanes of highway traffic in addition to two tolled express lanes in each direction and a shared use trail. This study did not consider the environmental impacts of the future ultimate buildout which could include widening the existing southbound bridge to accommodate rail or other

transit technology on the new bridge. A future PD&E study or reevaluation of this study would be needed to determine the impacts of these potential longer-range transit improvements.



Disclaimer: This map is for illustrative purposes only. PSTA 2010 Fixed Routes are represented by solid and dashed lines. Some variations of routes are not displayed due to aesthetic limitations.

Legend	
	Roads
	Railroads
	Water

## SECTION 4 EXISTING CONDITIONS

### 4.1 EXISTING ROADWAY CHARACTERISTICS

#### 4.1.1 Roadway Classification & Access Management

I-275 at the HFB is classified as an “urban principal arterial – Interstate”. The Interstate System is a subset of the National Highway System. I-275 is also included in Florida’s SIS as mentioned in **Section 3.2**. The HFB corridor is also designated as an emergency evacuation route for portions of Pinellas County. The access management classification is Class 1, which consists exclusively of limited access facilities.

#### 4.1.2 Typical Sections and Posted/Design Speeds

The roadway approaches on either side of the HFB include four 12-foot lanes, 10-foot paved inside and outside shoulders, and concrete barrier walls within the 22-foot median. As noted in **Section 2.2**, one of the lanes in each direction serves as an auxiliary lane. The causeways near the bridge ends include seawalls/barrier walls located approximately 50 to 70 feet from the outside edge of pavement. The existing roadway approach typical sections are illustrated in **Figure 4-1**. Both causeway ends include emergency access (turnaround) roadways which run underneath the bridge ends.

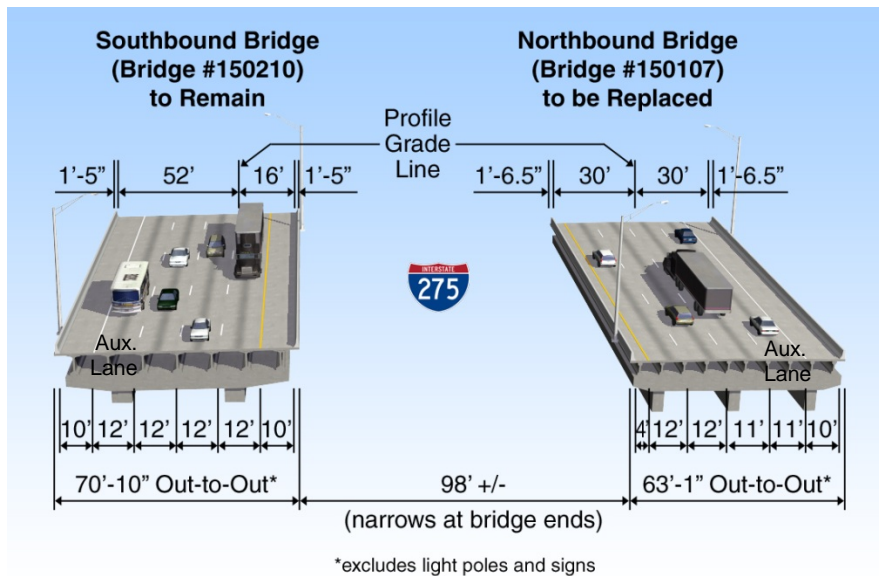
The northbound HFB typical section includes a 4-foot inside shoulder, a 10-foot outside shoulder, two 12-foot travel lanes and two 11-foot travel lanes. The lanes were restriped in early 1999 to provide a better refuge area on one side for disabled vehicles and crash investigations, etc. The posted speed limit is 65 mph with 40 mph minimum. The original design speed is unknown, but based on the K values for the vertical curves, it would be between 50 and 55 mph, which is less than the standard Interstate design speed of 70 mph. The inside shoulder width and the two 11-foot lanes do not meet current design standards for an Interstate highway.

#### 4.1.3 Pedestrian & Bicycle Facilities

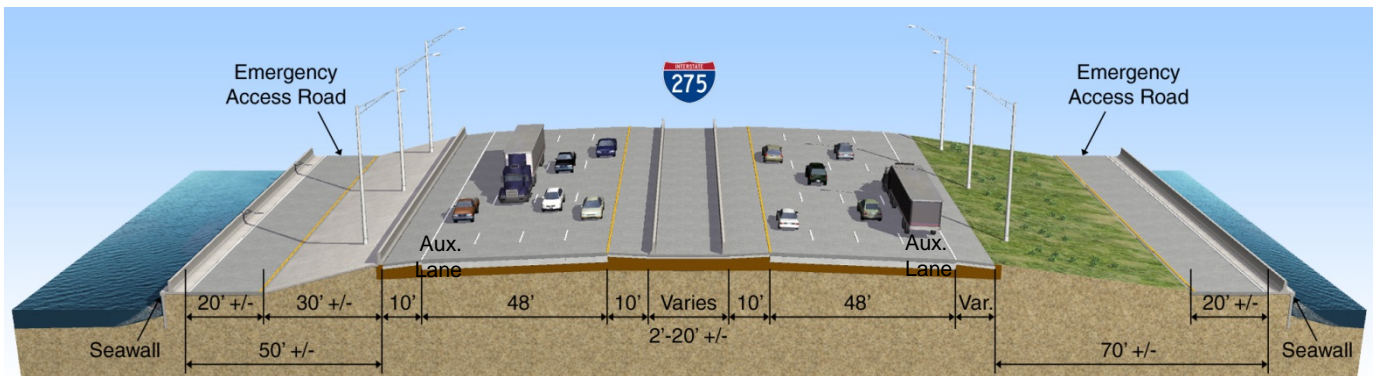
Currently there are no provisions for pedestrians or bicyclists on the HFB (I-275) or its roadway approaches. Future provisions for a trail are discussed in **Section 8.7** and **Section 9.12**.

#### 4.1.4 Right of Way

Existing (limited-access) ROW in the vicinity of the HFB is 2,000 feet in width, based on Trustees of the Internal Improvement Trust Fund (TIIF) deeds from 1958 that showed it as 2,000 feet in width.

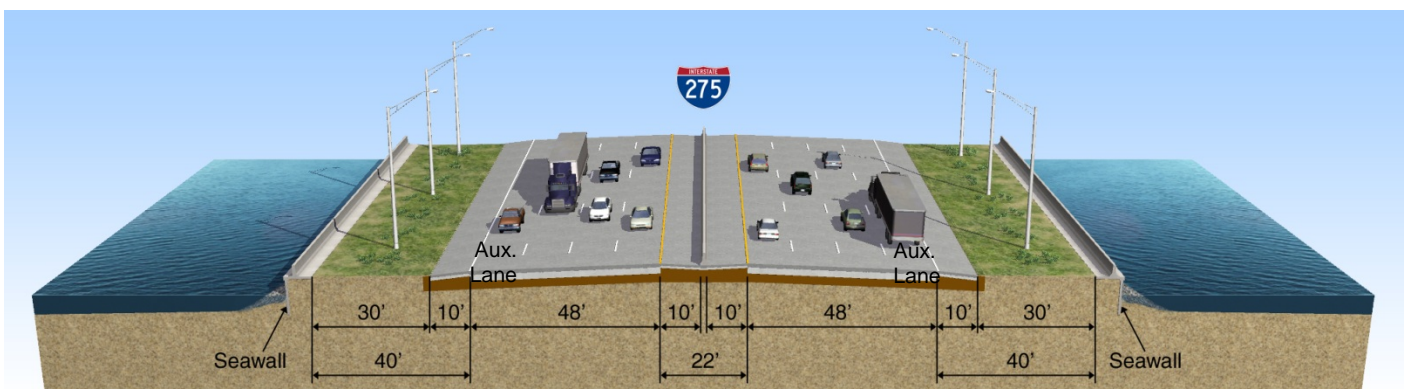


Existing Howard Frankland Bridges over Old Tampa Bay



Roadway Approaches Near Bridge Ends (Looking North)

(Applies for about 1400 ft near the south bridge end and a maximum of 1500 ft +/- near the north bridge end)



Roadway Approaches on the Causeway (Looking North)

(The existing right of way on the causeway and bridge is 2,000 feet wide)

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#### **4.1.5 Horizontal Alignment**

The existing horizontal alignment on the bridges and their approaches is illustrated in **Figure 4-2**. The northbound bridge is in a tangent section, including the roadway to the north, and a 0 degree-15 minute-7 second curve right ends at the south end of the northbound bridge.

#### **4.1.6 Vertical Alignment**

The existing vertical alignment for the roadway and bridge is discussed in **Section 4.2.4**.

#### **4.1.7 Drainage & Floodplains**

There are currently no stormwater management facilities on the bridge or its causeway approaches within the study limits. Stormwater runoff from the bridge drains directly into Old Tampa Bay via scuppers (vertical holes through the bridge deck) on the bridge. There are no areas on the causeway near the bridge ends which would allow sufficient space for ponds, even if it was economically feasible to capture and pipe the runoff from a 3-mile long bridge in the middle of the bay.

The causeway approaches to the HFB are located in Base Flood (100-year flood) Flood Zone VE (elevation 9 feet NAVD88) according to GIS data developed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) (**Figure 4-3**). Zone VE is defined as “Coastal flood zone with velocity hazard (wave action); base flood elevations determined.” The following information is from the *Final Location Hydraulic Technical Memorandum* prepared for this project, to document that the floodplain encroachment will be minimal.

1. History of Flooding: Infrequent flooding problems have been identified within the project area due to tropical storms and hurricanes. When Tropical Storm Debby passed through the bay area in June 2012, the Florida Highway Patrol closed the HFB in both directions on Monday June 25 (at about 6:30 p.m.) due to high winds, surf and flooding on the causeway approaches to the bridge. The southbound lanes reopened shortly after 8 p.m. according to news reports, and by 11 p.m. all lanes were open. In addition, local maintenance offices having jurisdiction in the project area were contacted to verify flooding problems in the project area. Anita Montjoy, Assistant Maintenance Engineer with the FDOT Tampa Maintenance Office, indicated that the service roads have been under water during major storm events at high tide.
2. Longitudinal or Transverse Encroachments: All of the floodplain encroachment is longitudinal encroachment of existing floodplain along the causeway approaches to the bridge. Some increase in the volume of fill on the roadway (causeway) approaches within the floodplain is expected as a result of the proposed northbound bridge replacement. Since these bridge approaches are located in tidally influenced flood zones, there will be no adverse impacts.

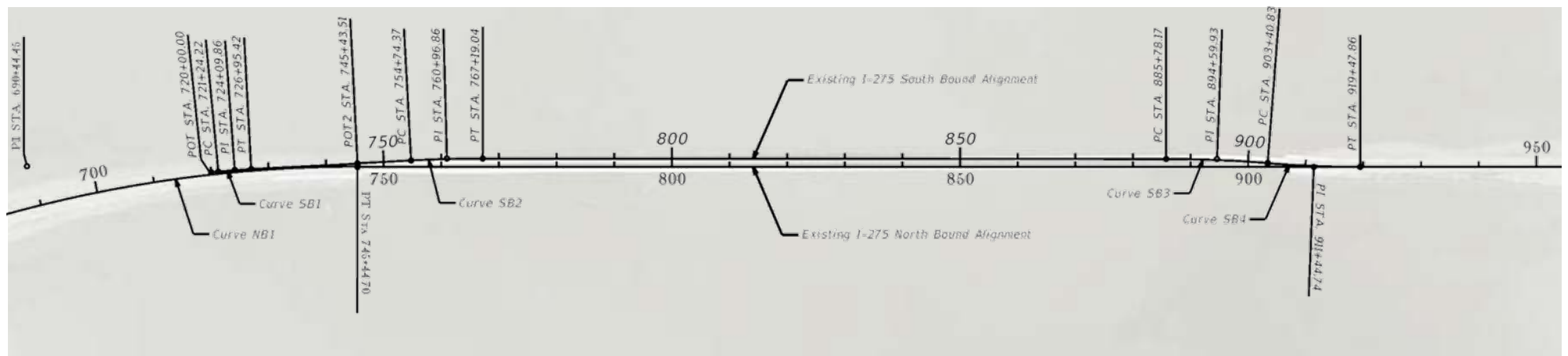


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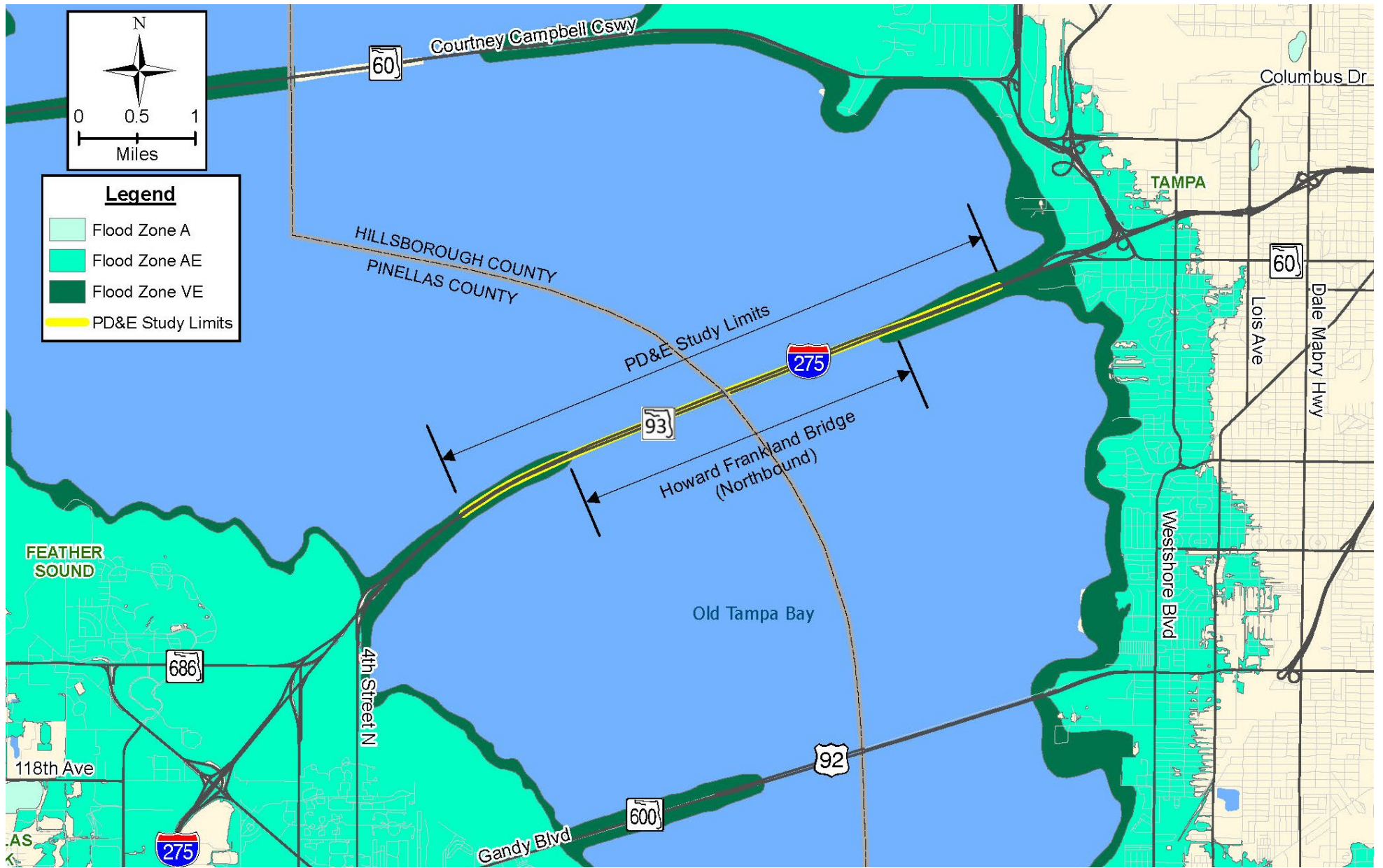
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## Existing Horizontal Alignment

Figure 4-2



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**Floodplains in the Study Area**

**Figure 4-3**

3. Avoidance Alternatives: There are no Build Alternatives available which would completely avoid any new floodplain encroachment since the majority of encroachment is associated with the causeway approaches to the bridge, and the new bridge is planned to be constructed at a higher elevation to meet or exceed the elevation of the newer southbound HFB.
4. Emergency Services and Evacuations: No change in emergency services is expected due to construction of the proposed project. As mentioned above, interruption of traffic flow due to major storm events is very infrequent and unavoidable due to the low elevation of the roadway (causeway) approaches and the low mainland elevations on either side of the causeway. Therefore, no emergency services or evacuation opportunities will be adversely affected as a result of construction of the proposed project.
5. Base Flood Impacts: The project's drainage design will be consistent with local Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), FDOT, and Southwest Florida Water Management District's (SWFWMD) design guidelines. Therefore, no significant changes in base flood elevations or limits will occur.
6. Regulatory Floodway: There are no regulatory floodways within the limits of this project.
7. Natural and Beneficial Floodplain Values: The planned bridge replacement will follow the same general alignment as the existing bridge. Impacts to natural areas are expected to be very minor; therefore, no natural and beneficial floodplain values will be significantly affected.
8. Floodplain Consistency and Development: The proposed bridge replacement is consistent with and included in the Pinellas County MPO's TIP as a design-build project in FY 2020. The planned project will not encourage floodplain development due to local (FEMA) floodplain and SWFWMD regulations and local government site development regulations which prohibit construction of new development within Old Tampa Bay.
9. Floodplain/FIRM: The entire causeway is located within the FEMA-designated floodplain, which is tidally influenced. The project is located within FIRM maps 12103C0161G, 12103C0162G and 12103C0144G for Pinellas County and 12057C0333H, 12057C0337H, and 12057C0341H for Hillsborough County (maps dated August 2008). The project is located in Zone A (100-year floodplain with elevations undetermined) and Zone VE, a special flood hazard area inundated by 100-year flooding with velocity hazard (wave action) and where the base flood elevation has been determined to be 9-foot North American Vertical Datum (NAVD) of 1988. Mainland areas at either end of the causeway are classified as Zone AE, a special flood hazard area inundated by 100-year flooding where the base flood elevation has also been determined to be 9-foot NAVD88.

Risk Assessment: Based on the FDOT’s floodplain categories, this project falls under Category 5: “projects on existing alignment involving replacement of drainage structures in heavily urbanized floodplains.” Replacement drainage structures (in this case a major bridge) for this project are limited to hydraulically equivalent structures. The limitations to the hydraulic equivalency being proposed are basically due to restrictions imposed by the geometrics of design, existing development, cost feasibility, or practicability. An alternative encroachment location is not considered in this category since it defeats the project purpose or is economically unfeasible. Since flooding conditions in the project area are inherent in the topography or are a result of other outside contributing sources, and there is no practical alternative to totally eradicate flood impacts or even reduce them in any significant amount, existing flooding will continue, but not be increased. The proposed structure will be hydraulically equivalent to or greater than the existing structure, and backwater surface elevations are not expected to increase. As a result, the project will not affect existing flood heights or floodplain limits. This project will not result in any new or increased adverse environmental impacts. There will be no significant change in the potential for interruption or termination of emergency service or emergency evacuation routes. Therefore, it has been determined that *this encroachment is not significant*.

A *Bridge Hydraulic Report* (BHR) is not being developed as part of the PD&E study. A new replacement bridge is planned as part of this PD&E study and will be located adjacent and parallel to the existing southbound HFB. Since a BHR is not being prepared as part of the PD&E study, the following items are discussed as part of this hydraulic analysis:

1. Conceptual Length: The conceptual length of the proposed bridge is approximately 3.0 miles, the same as the bridge to be replaced.
2. Conceptual Scour Considerations: The proposed bridge will be located within Old Tampa Bay, which is a tidally influenced waterbody. Some scour caused by tidal fluctuation is anticipated at the proposed bridge location. A hydraulic analysis will be conducted pursuant to *Section 4.8.2 – Tidal Crossings of the FDOT Drainage Manual*.
3. Preliminary Vertical Grade Requirements: The vertical clearances of the planned northbound replacement bridge will be designed at a minimum to meet or exceed the vertical clearances of the existing southbound HFB, which is approximately 6 feet higher than the existing northbound bridge and is located approximately 98 feet west of and parallel to the northbound bridge. Currently the vertical clearance at the center span above mean high water is as follows:
  - Northbound bridge = Approximately 43.5 feet
  - Southbound bridge = Approximately 49 feet

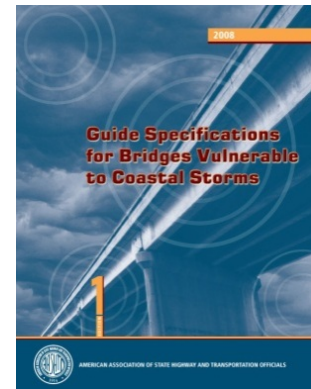
The roadway approaches on the causeway are at about elevation 7 feet (NAVD88) while the 100-year floodplain is at about 9-foot elevation. The low member on the approach spans of the existing

northbound bridge is at about elevation 10 feet, which is above the 100-year flood elevation but below the estimated 100-year wave crest elevation, which ranges from about 12 to 18 feet (NAVD88) when also accounting for future predicted sea level rise condition.

In addition to potential damage to bridge piers due to scour, the main concern from a floodplain standpoint is the potential damage that could occur to a bridge crossing the bay due to wave action on top of a major storm surge.

#### Need for Vulnerability Analysis for Coastal Bridges and Background Information

In 2004, Hurricane Ivan caused significant damage to numerous structures along the northwest coast of Florida. A combination of elevated water level and wave heights trapped air between the girders increasing the buoyant force and imparted large vertical and horizontal forces dislodging most of the low lying spans of the I-10 Bridges over Escambia Bay. In the following year, Hurricanes Katrina and Rita did similar damage to bridges in Mississippi and Louisiana. In response to these events, the FHWA initiated a research project in cooperation with ten states which resulted in the development of the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) *Guide Specifications for Bridges Vulnerable to Coastal Storms*, published in 2008.



Design wave forces acting on a bridge superstructure are typically large, so bridges designed to resist these wave forces are more costly. For bridges spanning waters subject to coastal storms, the AASHTO Guide Specification requires the superstructure to have a minimum vertical clearance of one foot above the 100-year design wave crest elevation, including the storm surge elevation and wind setup; this elevation is termed the *wave crest clearance*. If this clearance is not met, the bridge superstructure must be designed to resist storm wave forces. This requirement is also consistent with the latest editions of FDOT's *Structures Design Guidelines*.

The levels of analysis are defined according to the AASHTO Guide Specifications for Bridges Vulnerable to Coastal Storms, Article 6.2. The appropriate level of analysis for a bridge is dependent on the bridge length and importance. Long and/or significant bridges, such as the HFB, would be designed using a more accurate analysis (level III) and simulation. For all bridges spanning waters subject to coastal storms, the designer could consider simple and inexpensive measures that enhance a structure's capacity to resist storm forces, for example, the designer could place vents in all diaphragms for little or no cost. Venting all bays for all spans would reduce the effects of buoyancy forces on the structure. The designer could also consider anchoring the superstructure down to the substructure to reduce or prevent damage resulting from storms.

#### Results of 2010 Study Performed for FDOT District Seven

FDOT's Central Office conducted a pilot study on storm surge and wave loading on bridge superstructures. The objectives of the study were:

1. To develop a screening methodology that would identify those bridges potentially vulnerable to surge/wave loading,
2. To perform three different levels of analysis (Levels I, II and III) for determining the meteorological and oceanographic (met/ocean) parameters needed to compute surge/wave loads,
3. Establish design (100-year return interval) values for the met/ocean parameters based on the results from the Level III analysis,
4. Compute the design and storm of record loads on the vulnerable bridges in the pilot study area, and
5. Provide data, information, and a preliminary analysis for a wave modifier method, which will form the base for a FDOT follow-up study to develop methods for improving the accuracy of the Levels I and II results.

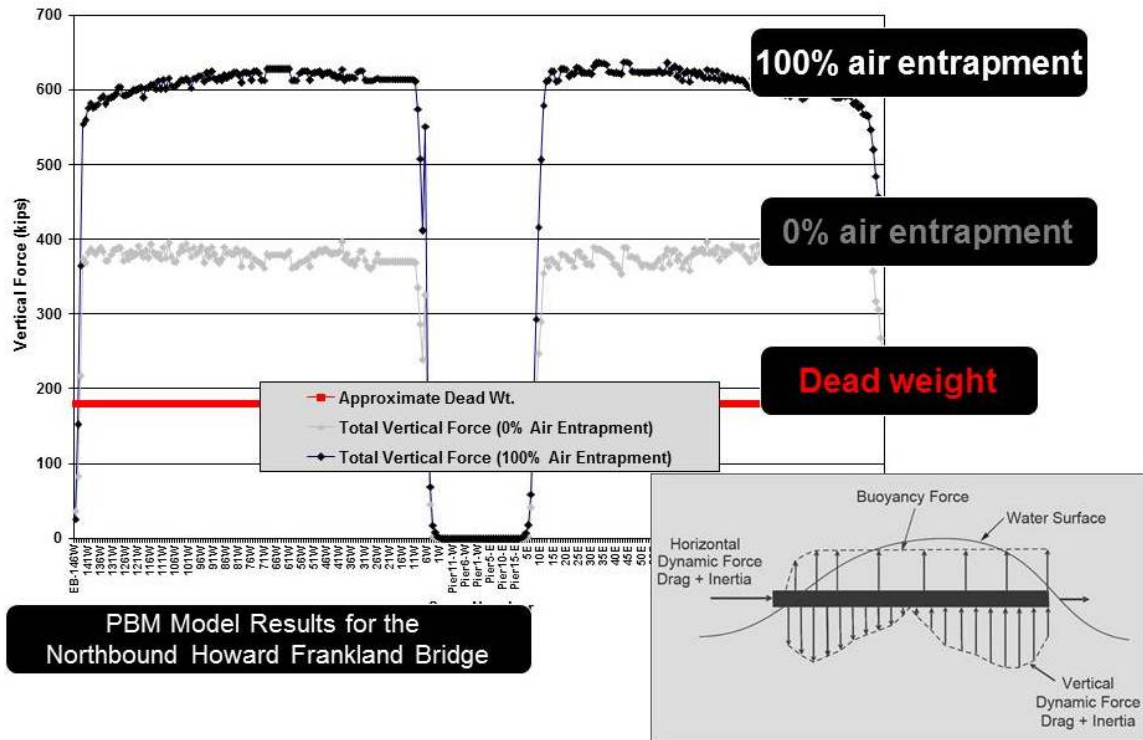
FDOT District Seven was chosen as the location for the pilot study. Fifty-two tidal bridges were included in the initial study group based on a conservative estimate of their location being susceptible to surge and waves. The screening procedure reduced the number to 34 requiring further analysis.

A Level I met/ocean analysis uses existing storm surge information for the site and analytical equations for estimating local wind setup and wave heights and periods. A Level II analysis is similar to the Level I but uses more refined methods for computing setup, wave heights and periods, and in some cases storm surge. The Level III analysis involved reconstruction of wind, water elevation and wave heights and periods produced by the hurricanes and tropical storms (hindcasting) that have impacted the pilot study area over the past 150 years. The number of actual storms experienced (30) was too small for the extremal analysis so additional storms were simulated by adjusting the storm paths and phasing with the astronomical tides of the actual storms to produce a total of 150 events. Extremal analyses on the results of the hindcasts produced the design (100-year) maximum water elevations and associated wave heights at each of the vulnerable bridge sites.

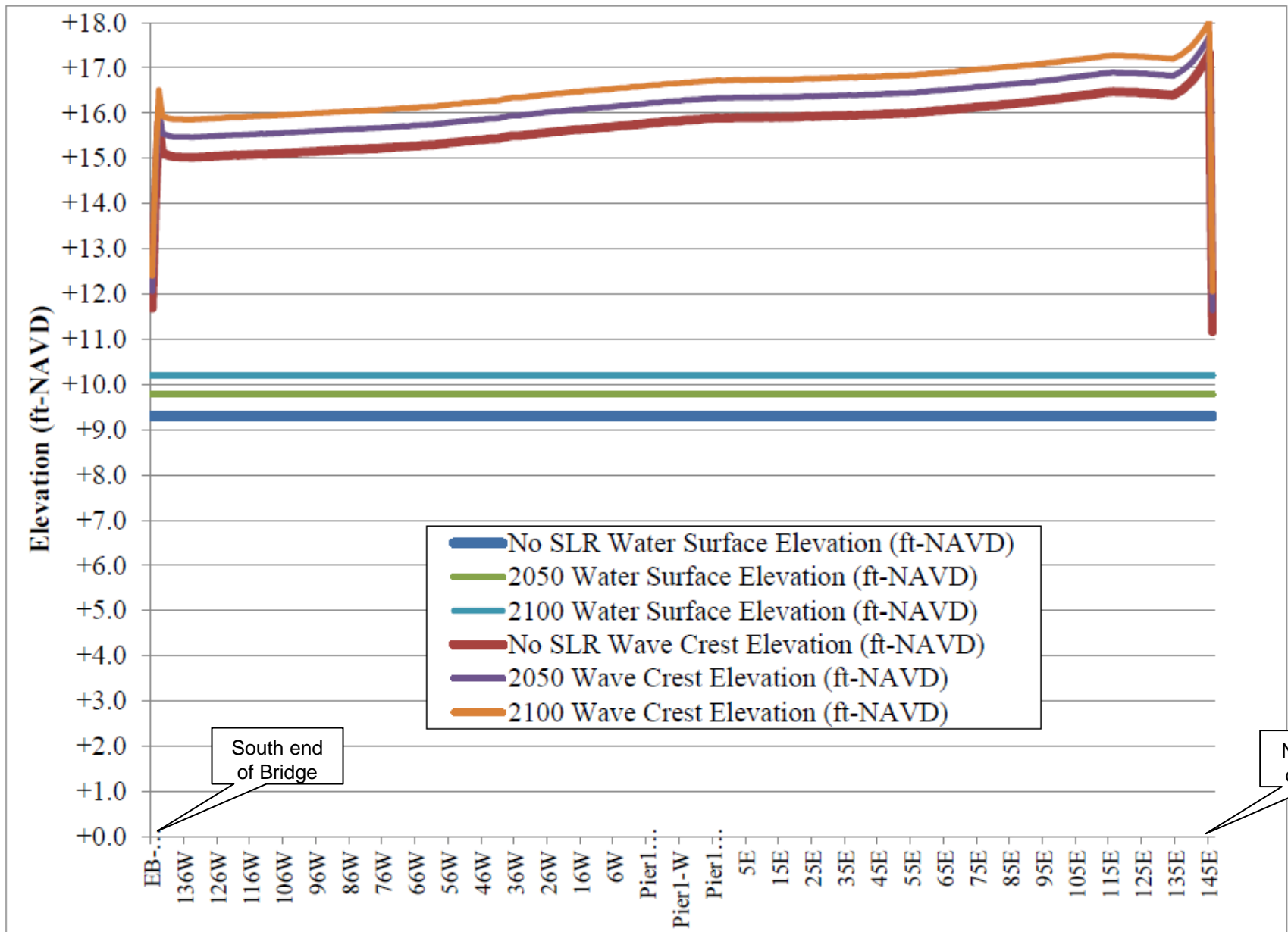
100-year wave crest elevations along the northbound HFB were obtained from the Level III analysis performed as part of the 2010 pilot study described above. The Level III analysis followed the methodology described in the *AASHTO Guide Specifications for Bridges Vulnerable to Coastal Storms*, along with the revised requirements in the 2016 FDOT *Drainage Manual*. The Level III results were extracted at each bent along the northbound bridge to determine the maximum wave crest elevation possible at that location, including the effects of sea level rise (SLR). **Figure 4-5** shows the

100-year maximum wave crest elevation along the northbound HFB. The maximum wave crest elevations (in feet-NAVD88) are presented at each bent location along the existing northbound bridge. As shown in the figure, the north end of the bridge (Bent 145E) is subject to the highest maximum 100-year wave crest elevation, which reaches +18.0 feet NAVD. The overall values range from 12.1 feet NAVD to 18.0 feet NAVD.

As mentioned previously, if this clearance cannot be met, the bridge superstructure must be designed to resist storm wave forces. During a later phase of the project development process, a benefit-cost analysis is likely to be conducted to determine the most cost-effective design. As shown in **Figure 4-4**, for the existing northbound HFB, the vertical force on the superstructure under the design wave event exceeds the dead load of the superstructure, even with zero percent air entrapment between the beams. With 100 percent air entrapment, the vertical force increases to more than three times the weight of the superstructure.



**Figure 4-4 Comparison of Vertical Forces on the Northbound Bridge**



Source: Intera, Inc., August 2016



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**Predicted 100-Year Water and Wave Crest  
Elevations at Northbound Bridge**

**Figure 4-5**



The 100-year design wave crest elevation (elevation 18.0 feet) is about 8 feet higher than the 10.4-foot elevation of the low chord on most of the existing northbound bridge. To meet the required 1-foot clearance above the wave crest elevation, the low chord of the new bridge would need to be raised about 9 feet to elevation 19.0 feet. Preliminary calculations indicate that it may be acceptable to safely limit this increase to between 4 and 5 feet depending on the final dead load and configuration of the various superstructure alternatives. Based on a replacement configuration similar to the existing southbound bridge, a low chord elevation of 14.5 feet results in buoyancy just less than the counteracting dead load, assuming 100 percent air entrapment. Additional discussion is included in **Section 9.17** of this report.

#### **4.1.8 Geotechnical Data**

The following section presents information summarized from the Pinellas County Soil Survey and the Hillsborough County Soil Survey, as contained in the *Draft Geotechnical Technical Memorandum* prepared for this study.

**Pinellas County Soils** - Based on a review of the Pinellas County Soil Survey published by USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), it appears that there is one (1) soil-mapping unit included within the Pinellas County project limits (**Figure 4-6** and **Table 4-1**). The mapped soil unit along the Pinellas County side of the causeway is identified as Matlacha and St. Augustine Soils and Urban Land (map unit 16). The general soil descriptions are presented in the sub-sections below, as described in the Web Soil Survey. The table following the soil descriptions summarizes information on the soil mapping unit obtained from the Web Soil Survey.

##### Matlacha and St. Augustine Soils and Urban Land (Unit 16)

The Matlacha component makes up 32 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 2 percent. This component is on fills on ridges on marine terraces on coastal plains. The parent material consists of sandy mine spoil or earthy fill. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is somewhat poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches is low. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded. It is not ponded. This soil's seasonal zone of water saturation is at 30 inches.

The St. Augustine component makes up 32 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 2 percent. This component is on ridges on marine terraces on coastal plains. The parent material consists of sandy mine spoil or earthy fill. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is somewhat poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches is low. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded or ponded. This soil's seasonal zone of water saturation is at 27 inches.



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## Soils Map of Study Area

**Figure 4-6**

**Table 4-1 Pinellas County USDA-NRCS Soil Survey Information**

USDA Map Unit and Soil Name	Depth (in)	Soil Classification		Permeability	Ph	Seasonal High Water	
		USCS	AASHTO			Depth (ft)	Months
(16) Matlacha-St. Augustine-Urban Land	0 – 42	SP, SP-SM	A-3	2.0 – 6.0	6.1 – 8.4	2.0 – 3.0	June - Oct
	42 – 80	SP, SP-SM	A-3	6.0 – 20.0	6.1 – 8.4		
	0 – 8	SP, SP-SM	A-3	6.0 – 20.0	6.1 – 8.4	1.5 – 3.0	June - Oct
	8 – 33	SP-SM	A-2-4	2.0 – 20.0	6.1 – 8.4		
	33 – 48	SP, SP-SM	A-3	6.0 – 20.0	6.1 – 8.4		
	48 – 63	SM, SP-SM	A-2-4	2.0 – 20.0	6.1 – 8.4		
	63 – 80	SP, SP-SM	A-3	6.0 – 20.0	6.1 – 8.4		
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In areas mapped as Urban Land, 85 percent or more of the surface is covered by streets, parking lots, buildings or other structures. Most areas of Urban Land are artificially drained by sewer systems, gutters, tile drains and surface ditches lower historic water tables. Specific soil information for the Urban Land mapping unit is not available in the Soil Survey. The soil unit presented above is part of the artificial causeway leading to the HFB.

**Hillsborough County Soils** - Based on a review of the Hillsborough County Soil Survey published by USDA-NRCS, it appears that there are two (2) soil-mapping units noted within the Hillsborough County project limits (**Figure 4-6** and **Table 4-2**). The mapped soil units along the Hillsborough County side of the causeway are identified as Arents, nearly level (map unit 4) and Myakka fine sand (map unit 29). The general soil descriptions are presented in the sub-sections below, as described in the Web Soil Survey. The table following the soil descriptions summarizes information on the soil mapping units obtained from the Web Soil Survey.

Arents, nearly level (Unit 4)

The Arents component makes up 100 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 5 percent. This component is on rises on marine terraces on coastal plains, fills. The parent material consists of altered marine deposits. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is somewhat poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches is very low. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded. It is not ponded. This soil’s seasonal zone of water saturation is at 27 inches.

Myakka fine sand (Unit 29)

The Myakka component makes up 89 percent of the map unit. Slopes are 0 to 2 percent. This component is on flatwoods on marine terraces on coastal plains. The parent material consists of sandy marine deposits. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is poorly drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches is low. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded. It is not ponded. This soil’s seasonal zone of water saturation is at 12 inches.

**Table 4-2 Hillsborough County USDA-NRCS Soil Survey Information**

USDA Map Unit and Soil Name	Depth (in)	Soil Classification		Permeability (in/hr)	Ph	Seasonal High Water Table	
		USCS	AASHTO			Depth (ft)	Months
(4) Arents	0 – 10	SP, SP-SM	A-1-b, A-2-4, A-3	6.0 – 20.0	6.6 – 8.4	1.5 – 3.0	June – Nov
	10 – 32	SP, SP-SM	A-2-4, A-3	6.0 – 20.0	5.6 – 8.4		
	32 – 60	SP, SP-SM	A-2-4, A-3	6.0 – 20.0	5.6 – 6.5		
(29) Myakka	0 – 5	SP, SP-SM	A-3	6.0 – 20.0	3.5 – 6.5	0.5 – 1.5	June – Sept
	5 – 20	SP, SP-SM	A-3	6.0 – 20.0	3.5 – 6.5		
	20 – 30	SM, SP-SM	A-2-4, A-3	0.6 – 6.0	3.5 – 6.5		
	30 – 80	SP, SP-SM	A-3	6.0 – 20.0	3.5 – 6.5		

**Groundwater Conditions** - The groundwater along the causeway alignment is anticipated to be consistent with sea level and will be tidally influenced. The groundwater table at the end bents and approaches to the HFB along the causeway will also be tidally influenced.

**Potentiometric Surface Maps** - Based on a review of the “Potentiometric Surface of the Upper Floridan Aquifer, West Central Florida” maps published by the U.S. Geological Survey, the potentiometric surface elevation across the bridge site is approximately +5 feet NGVD 29. As indicated in **Section 2.1**, the mudline elevations range from approximately -20 to -10 feet across Old Tampa Bay and +0 to +10 feet along the causeways. It should be noted that artesian conditions were not noted within test borings completed by others at the project site.

#### 4.1.9 Crash Data & Safety Analysis

Traffic crash data for the HFB for years 2011 through 2015 for the Hillsborough and Pinellas County segments were obtained from the FDOT crash database. Information included the crash location, type of crash, road surface condition, time of day, influence of drug and alcohol, lighting condition, and other data. In this section, only the crashes for the northbound HFB structure are discussed since this study only considers the northbound bridge replacement. During the 5-year analysis period, a total of 404 crashes involving a total of 1 fatality and 256 injuries were reported to occur along the northbound structure of the HFB. Traffic crashes per year are summarized in **Figure 4-7**.

The distribution of crash types was also investigated. It was found that about 65 percent were rear-end crashes. In addition, there were a high percentage of sideswipe crashes (12 percent) that occurred. Many crashes were also reported as hit concrete barrier wall, hit guard rails, hit bridge rails, and over-turned vehicles which have been categorized as “other” crash types (23 percent).

The estimated economic loss or the societal cost of these crashes is estimated to be approximately \$46.8 million, as shown in **Table 4-3**, based on unit costs from the National Safety Council for 2015.

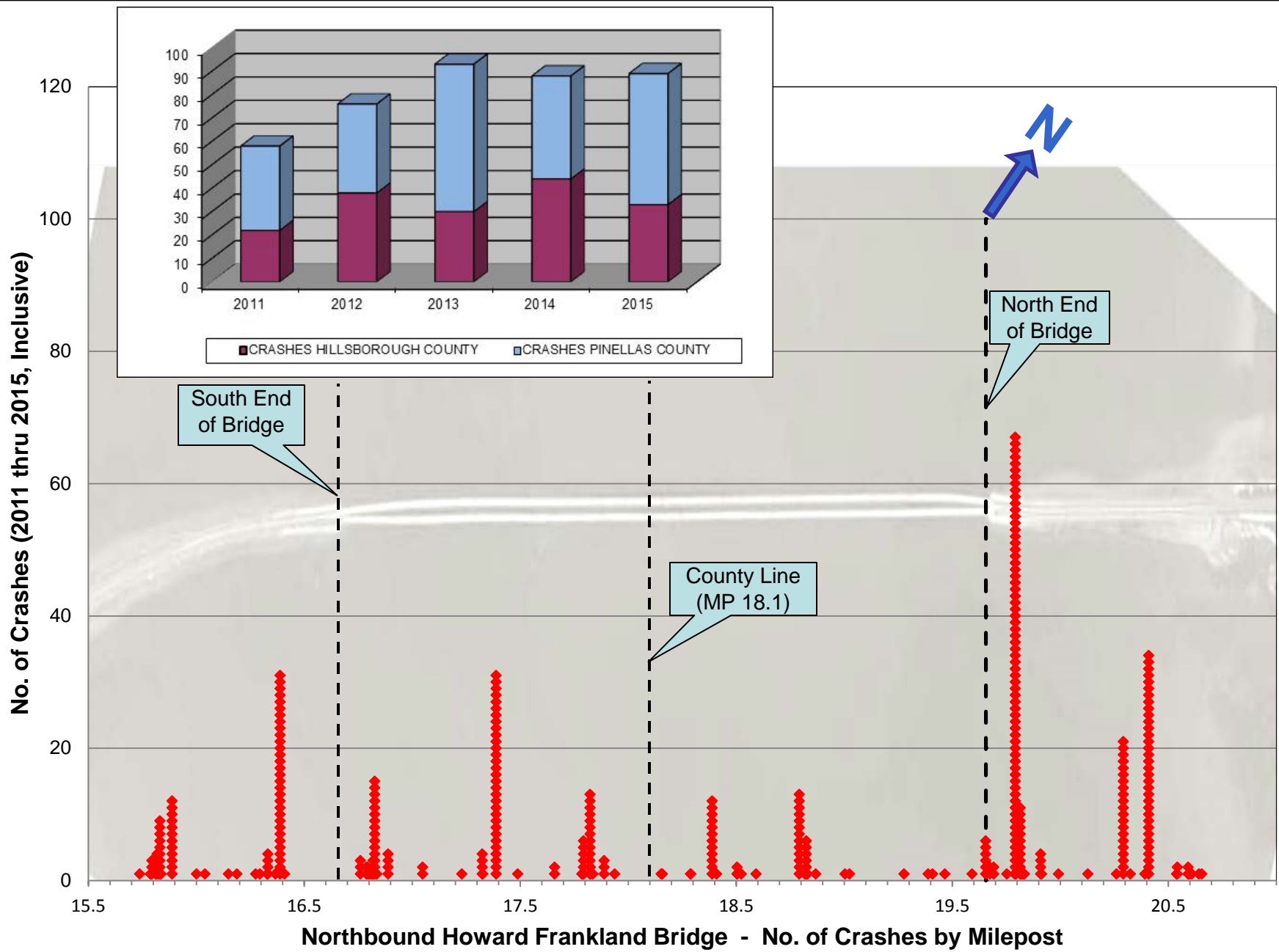
**Table 4-3 Estimated Economic Loss for Crashes**

Crash Type	Estimated 2014 Unit Cost*	Estimated Number of Crashes 2011-2015	Economic Loss (\$millions)
Fatal	\$10,082,000	1	10.1
Non-fatal Disabling Injury	\$1,103,000	17	18.7
Property Damage Crash**	\$46,600	386	18.0
Totals		404	46.8

\*Unit costs based on National Safety Council costs for 2014.

\*\*Includes non-disabling injuries

The location of the crashes on the bridges was also investigated. The location of reported crashes for the northbound bridge is also shown in **Figure 4-7**. A significant number of crashes reportedly occurred north of the bridge, within the study limits. These crashes are likely related to congestion occurring downstream, near the I-275 interchanges at Kennedy Boulevard and Memorial Highway.



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### Traffic Crashes by Location

Figure 4-7

Traffic crash rates were also investigated for the southbound and northbound bridges, both with and without the roadway approach segments. These rates are summarized in **Table 4-4** below.

**Table 4-4 Comparison of Crash Rates by Bridge and Segment Length**

Bridge	5-Year Total Number of Crashes	AADT*	Segment Length (Mi)	Average Crash Rate over 5-Year Period	5-Year Average Statewide Crash Rate**	Ratio of Actual to Statewide Crash Rate
<b>5-Mile Study Area</b>						
SB Bridge & Approaches	223	72,950	5.006	0.33	0.59	0.56
NB Bridge & Approaches	404	72,950	5.006	0.61	0.59	1.03
<b>3-Mile Bridge Only</b>						
SB Bridge Only	93	72,950	3.006	0.23	0.59	0.39
NB Bridge Only	163	72,950	3.006	0.41	0.59	0.69
NB Compared to SB:	75% Higher	75% Higher			75% Higher	

*Crash rates expressed as crashes per million vehicle miles of travel*

*\*Average AADT for years 2011 through 2015 from FTI 2016 DVD with Traffic Balanced by Direction*

*\*\*Statewide crash rate for average of urban and rural Interstate segments: Urban = 0.790; rural = 0.388; Average = 0.589*

To fairly compare the crash rates between the two HFB bridges, it is necessary to only consider crashes which occurred within the 3-mile milepost limits for the HFB, as summarized in the bottom half of **Table 4-4**. For the 5-year study period, the northbound bridge had approximately 75 percent more crashes reported than for the southbound bridge, and the crash rate was 75 percent higher. The statewide average for similar facilities, based on an average of the rates for urban and rural Interstates (since the bridge is located in an urban area but the isolated causeway has rural characteristics) was used. The difference in crash rates between the southbound and northbound bridges might be, in part, due to the “substandard” design features of the older northbound bridge, such as narrower lanes and shoulders and the shorter vertical curves (less stopping sight distance) located near the “hump” in the center of the bridge. In addition, the added congestion northbound due to Kennedy/Memorial ramp area of I-275 might be a factor as well.

#### **4.1.10 Intersections & Signalization**

*Not applicable for this bridge replacement study.*

#### 4.1.11 Lighting

Both HFB structures have highway lighting. The lights on the northbound HFB are 250 watt high-pressure sodium, with poles on each side, staggered spacing, mounted at 45-foot heights. They are maintained for the FDOT by a private contractor.

#### 4.1.12 Utilities ITS & Railroads

Numerous utilities are located within the general study area, as listed in **Table 4-5**. A small house-like electric load center structure is located on the south side of the causeway, near each end of the bridge, which provides electric power for street lighting. In addition, there is currently existing or planned full Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) coverage in the bridge corridor. This includes dynamic message signs (DMS), closed-circuit television (CCTV) and detectors, in addition to related conduit, fiber and power. CCTV's are installed at approximately one-mile intervals, DMS as required, usually before every interchange and detectors at ½-mile intervals. Additional ITS projects are planned near the Kennedy/Airport off ramp and the Memorial on-ramp and on I-275 southbound from Ashley (approximately) to the Airport interchange. In addition, "Highway advisory radio (HAR) is to be installed in the next few years", according to the ITS Operations Manager for FDOT District Seven. Other than buried electric and ITS, there are no other utilities either on or near (within 1,000 feet of) the bridge, based on follow-up phone calls made in April 2014 to all potential utility owners.

**Table 4-5 Existing Utilities in the Study Area**

Utility Owner	Type of Utility	In Pinellas County?	In Hillsborough County?
Progress Energy – St. Petersburg	Underground Electric Power	Yes	
Verizon Florida	Cable/Fiber/Phone	Yes	Yes
Knology Broadband of Florida	Fiber optic	Yes	
Pinellas County South Water	Water and Sewer	Yes	
Fiberlight LLC	Fiber optic		Yes
TW Telecom Tampa	Fiber optic		Yes
AT&T	Fiber optic		Yes
Level 3 Communications	Fiber optic		Yes
MCI (now Verizon)	Fiber optic		Yes
TECO Peoples Gas-Tampa	Gas		Yes
City of Tampa Transportation Div.	Traffic Sign and Signal Infrastructure		Yes
Tampa Electric Co.	Underground Electric Power		Yes
Bright House Networks	Cable TV		Yes
XO Communications – Tampa	Fiber optic		Yes

Source: Based on a Sunshine One Call ticket dated 5/11/2012.



#### 4.1.13 Pavement Conditions

A flexible pavement condition survey was conducted by FDOT in 2012 for the project corridor. Each section of pavement is rated for cracking, ride and rutting on a 0-10 scale with 0 the worst and 10 the best. Any rating of 6.4 or less is considered deficient pavement and is marked by an asterisk. **Table 4-6** identifies the existing and projected pavement condition ratings for I-275 on either side of the northbound HFB. The existing pavement is in good condition and is projected to be acceptable through 2017 based on straight-line extrapolation. No ratings for rutting were provided.

**Table 4-6 Pavement Condition Survey Results**

Beginning Mile Post	Ending Mile Post	Last Year Resurfaced	Condition Category	Year 2012 Rating (0-10)	Year 2017 Projected Ratings (Based on Composite of Both Directions)
<b>Pinellas County – Northbound I-275</b>					
14.357	16.649	2006	Cracking	10.0	7.5
			Ride	9.0	7.8
<b>Hillsborough County – Northbound I-275</b>					
0.00	1.282	2003	Cracking	9.0	6.5
			Ride	8.7	7.3

Source: FDOT's Pavement Condition Forecast Reports for Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties, June 2012.

#### 4.2 EXISTING STRUCTURES

Photos of the existing bridge structures are included in **Figures 4-8** and **4-9**.

##### 4.2.1 Type of Structure

The approximately 3-mile (15,872 feet or 3.006 miles) long northbound bridge (Bridge No. 150107) is a pre-stressed concrete stringer/girder structure with a reinforced concrete flat slab deck; the substructure consists of concrete pile bents and concrete footer piers. The typical bent contains eight pre-stressed concrete piles and ten similar piles in the tower bents. Each pier contains three support columns over square footers and two struts. There are a total of 288 bents and 30 piers. Except for seven bents (including end bents), all pile bents and piers are in direct contact with the water. The piles on the end-bents are embedded within the embankment and are not accessible for inspection. The bridge is symmetrical about the 98-foot long AASHTO Type IV concrete girder channel span. At each side of the channel span there are three 1-foot-7-inch thick simply-supported 33-foot long reinforced concrete flat slab approach spans, 143 48-foot long simply-supported AASHTO Type II prestressed concrete girder spans and 14 simply-supported 66-foot long AASHTO Type II prestressed concrete girder spans.

Aerial view of both bridges. looking  
northeasterly →

Bridge No. 150107 (northbound)  
Bridge No. 150210 (southbound)



South end of both bridges



Looking southeasterly – old  
bridge is in the background

North end of both bridges



On the causeway approaching the northbound bridge



On the northbound bridge before the "hump"



On the northbound bridge near the "hump"



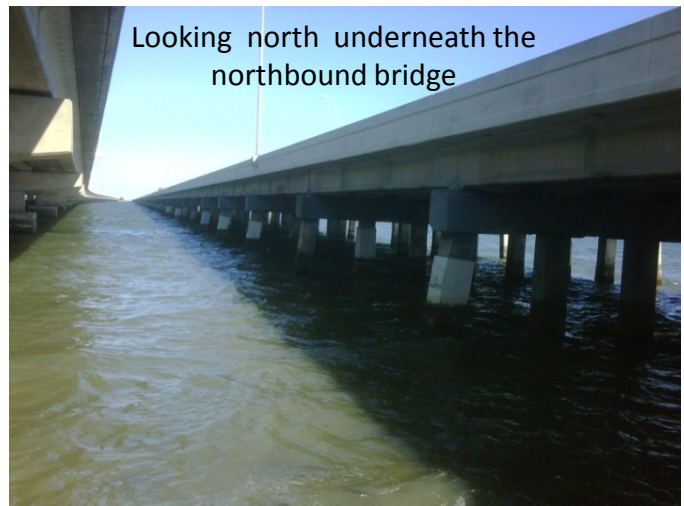
On the northbound bridge after the "hump"



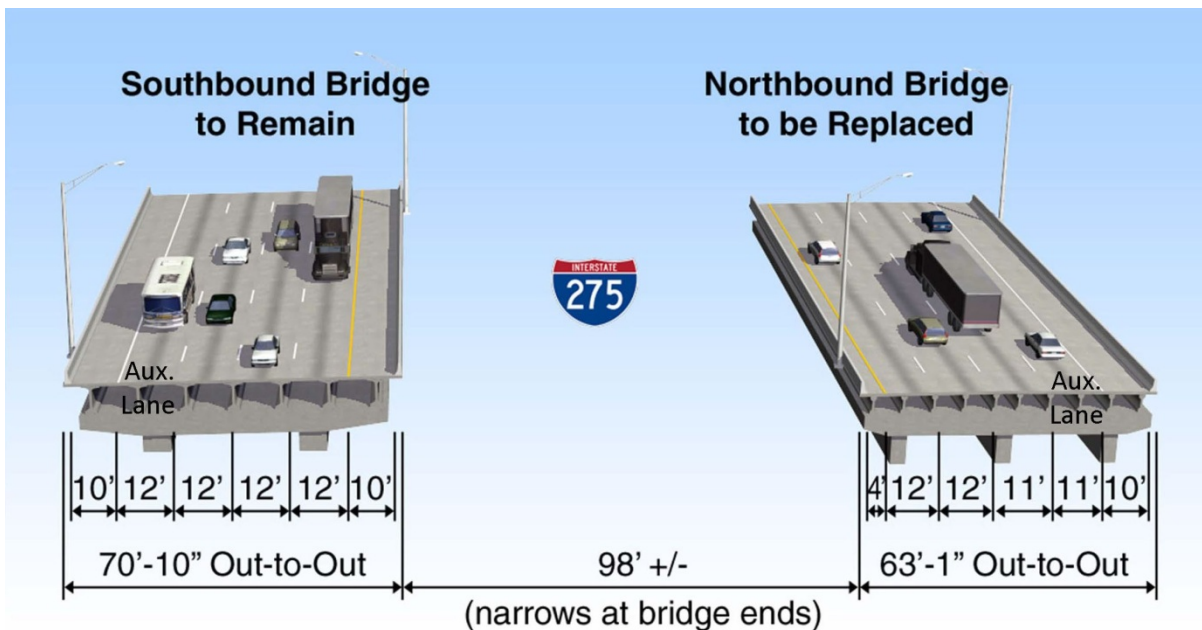
On the causeway at the north end of the northbound bridge, showing the merge area for the emergency access road



Looking north underneath the northbound bridge



The four-lane northbound bridge is 63'-1" wide measured from outside of the parapet walls, also considered "out-to-out". The existing typical sections for both the southbound and northbound structures are shown in **Figure 4-10**. The northbound bridge includes both 11 and 12-foot lane widths in addition to a 4-foot inside shoulder and a 10-foot outside shoulder. The outside travel lane in each direction serves as an auxiliary lane since it begins/ends at the SR 686/Roosevelt Blvd/118<sup>th</sup> Avenue interchange in Pinellas County to the south and begins/ends at the SR 60 interchange in Hillsborough County to the north (east). These lanes are marked "Aux. Lane" on **Figure 4-10**. In 1991 when it was converted for northbound only travel, it was rehabilitated for four 12-foot lanes and two 6-foot shoulders but was later restriped in 1999. Current standards require minimum 10-foot inside and outside shoulders for 6 or more lane freeways.



**Figure 4-10 Existing Bridge Typical Sections**

A comparison between the two HFB structures is included in **Table 4-7**. The older structure (Bridge No. 150107) serves northbound traffic while the newer bridge (Bridge No. 150210) serves southbound traffic.

**Table 4-7 Comparison of Two Howard Frankland Bridge Structures**

Bridge Element	Southbound Bridge #150210	Northbound Bridge #150107
Year Opened to Traffic	1991	1960
Type of Construction	Florida Bulb T Superstructure	AASHTO Type II & IV concrete girders
Number of Spans	111 spans @ 143' = 15,873'	321 spans = 15,872' 6 @ 33'; 286 @ 48'; 28 @ 66' & 1 @ 98'
Length of Center Channel Span	143 feet	98 feet
Number of Piers and Bents	110 piers and 2 end pile bents	290 pile bents, 30 piers & 2 end bents
Overall Bridge Width (out-to-out)	70 feet – 10 inches	63 feet – 1 inch
Horizontal Navigational Clearance	75 feet	75 feet
Vertical Clearance at Center	Approximately 49 feet	Approximately 43.5 feet
Profile Grade Elevation of Approach Spans	21.3 feet NGVD29	16 feet +/- NGVD29
Sufficiency Rating*(2016)	94.5	79.8
Health Index*(2016)	99.30	85.84
Design Speed	70 mph	Estimated to be 50-55 mph

\*Source: *FDOT 2016 Inspection Reports*

\*\* *Based on instrument survey conducted in 2011*

#### **4.2.2 Condition & Year of Construction**

The existing northbound HFB (Bridge No. 150107) was designed in 1956 and opened to bidirectional traffic on January 15, 1960. Since then, four different rehabilitation projects have been undertaken.

In 1987, repairs included the installation of a cathodic protection system at pier numbers 160 and 163 and restoration of spalled concrete areas. In 1991, after completion of the new southbound bridge, a bridge rehabilitation project was undertaken including various superstructure repairs such as removal of the center and exterior barrier walls, construction of new barrier walls on the exterior, placement of a concrete overlay, and replacement of the flat slab spans at each end and a precast span at the east end. Substructure repairs included the installation of a cathodic protection system with metalizing and pile jackets as well as cleaning and repainting of the steel bearing assemblies.

In 1992, a bridge rehabilitation test project was undertaken to include a cathodic protection system, pile jackets, and beam repairs with zinc masking. In 2004, a bridge rehabilitation project was undertaken to include the installation of cathodic protection integral structural and nonstructural pile jackets, zinc metalizing, restoration of spalled areas, and beam repairs. In 2009, a project was

begun to repair corrosion on the bridge bearings (that allow for expansion and contraction of certain bridge components due to temperature changes). It was completed in 2011. Additional rehab/repair work has been ongoing since then.

### Bridge Condition Terminology

The term "**structurally deficient**" means that the department believes a bridge should undergo a series of repairs or replacement within the next six years. The department's policy is to repair or replace all the structurally deficient state-owned bridges during that time.

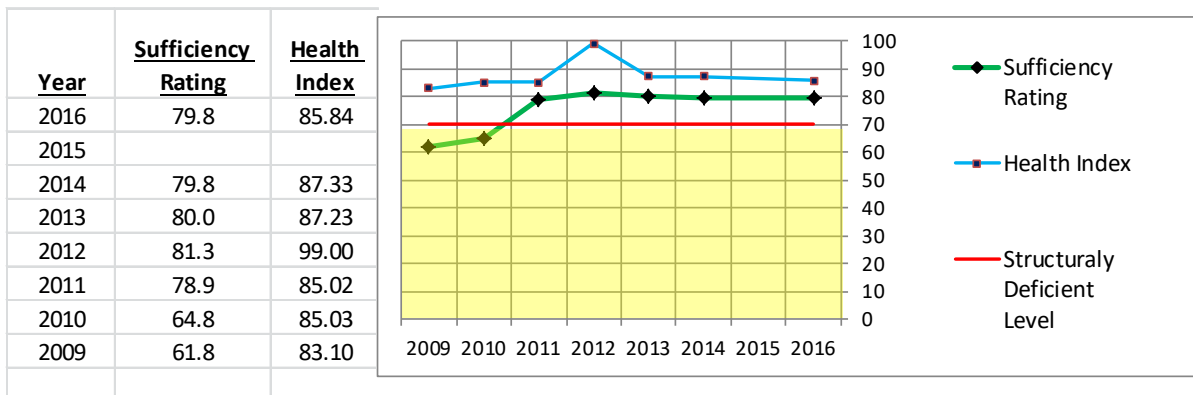
The term "**functionally obsolete**" means that a bridge does not meet current road design standards. For example, some bridges are "functionally obsolete" because they were built at a time when lane or shoulder widths were narrower than the current standard.

The "**health index**" is a tool that measures the overall condition of a bridge. The health index typically includes about 10 to 12 different elements that are evaluated by the department. A lower health index means that more work would be required to improve the bridge to an ideal condition. A health index below 85 generally indicates that some repairs are needed, although it doesn't mean the bridge is unsafe. A low health index may also indicate that it would be more economical to replace the bridge than to repair it.

The "**sufficiency rating**" is a tool to help determine whether a bridge that is structurally deficient or functionally obsolete should be repaired or just replaced. The sufficiency rating considers a number of factors, about half of which relate to the condition of the bridge itself. The sufficiency ratings for bridges are part of a formula used by the Federal Highway Administration when it allocates federal funds to the states for bridge replacement.

Based on the bridge inspection performed in September 2009, the bridge was previously classified as *structurally deficient* with a sufficiency rating of 61.8 and a Health Index of 83.10. The inspection report completed in September 2016 showed an increased bridge sufficiency rating of 79.8, due to the completed and ongoing rehabilitation projects. In addition, the Health Index was increased to 85.84. Historical condition and appraisal ratings are summarized in **Table 4-8**, while the most recent ratings are summarized in **Table 4-9**, from the Comprehensive Inspection & Bridge Profile Reports prepared for FDOT.

**Table 4-8 Northbound HFB Condition Ratings by Year**



The September 2014 inspection report included the following recommendations for corrective action:

**Expansion Joints:** remove dirt from joints.

**Superstructure:** repair major beam diaphragm spalls, strut deficiencies, delaminations, cracks (repairs are ongoing).

**Substructure:** clean plugged vent holes in pilings, repair piling cracks, spalls and delaminations; repair footer delaminations, repair corrosion in bent caps, repair spalls and delaminations on bent caps, repair cracks in pile jackets (and continue the ongoing repairs to bearings; repairs are ongoing)

In addition to the above data, the November 2016 Inventory Data Report shows that the Design Load is HS 20, the Operating Rating is 64.1 tons, and the Inventory Rating is 38.3 tons. The bridge is not posted for weight restrictions as none are needed based on the most recent load analysis.

**Table 4-9 Summary of Northbound Bridge Condition Ratings**

	Ratings with Definitions
National Bridge Inventory (NBI) Categories	Inspection Above Water on 9/29/16 and Underwater on 8/18/16
<b>Condition Ratings</b>	
Channel	7 Minor Damage
Deck	5 Fair
Superstructure	5 Fair
Substructure	5 Fair
Waterway	8 Desirable
<b>Appraisal Ratings</b>	
Structural Evaluation	5 Above Minimum Tolerable
Deficiency	Not Deficient
Deck Geometry	4 Tolerable
Pier Protection	2 In-Place, Functioning
Scour Critical Bridges	5 Stable within footing
<b>Overall Sufficiency Rating</b>	79.8
<b>Health Index</b>	85.84

*\*Repair/replacement was still ongoing at the time of this inspection under FPN 40706-2-52-01. The inspection cycle was changed back to 24 months due to the improved superstructure rating.*

### 4.2.3 Historical Significance

According to the *Cultural Resource Assessment Survey Report* completed for this PD&E study, the HFB is neither distinguished by its significant historical associations nor by its engineering or architectural design. As a result, it is considered ineligible for listing in the *National Register of Historic Places* (SHPO concurrence was received on October 4, 2012).

### 4.2.4 Horizontal & Vertical Alignment and Clearances

The horizontal alignment of the roadway approaches and both HFB structures was previously discussed in **Section 4.1.5**. The horizontal alignment of the northbound bridge is tangent for the entire length of the 3-mile long structure. The horizontal separation between the two bridges reduces to less than 20 feet near either end of the bridges, where they tie in to the causeway approaches.

The existing profile for both HFB structures is shown in **Figure 4-11**. The top of deck elevation for most of the 3-mile northbound bridge is at about 16 feet. The newer southbound bridge was built about 5 feet higher and approximately 98 feet to the north. Using the K values shown for the vertical curves of the northbound bridge (from the as-built plans), the estimated design speed based the current FDOT's Plans Preparation Manual (PPM) would be between 50 and 55 mph, lower than today's 70 mph standard for Interstate highways. In addition, the vertical curves do not meet the current minimum length required by the PPM. Vertical curve values are given in **Table 4-10**. The K values for the newer southbound bridge meet or exceed the PPM requirements for a 70 mph design speed. The maximum grade on the older northbound bridge is 3.0 percent, while the maximum grade on the newer southbound bridge is 2.0 percent.

**Table 4-10 Summary of Vertical Curves on the Existing NB Bridge**

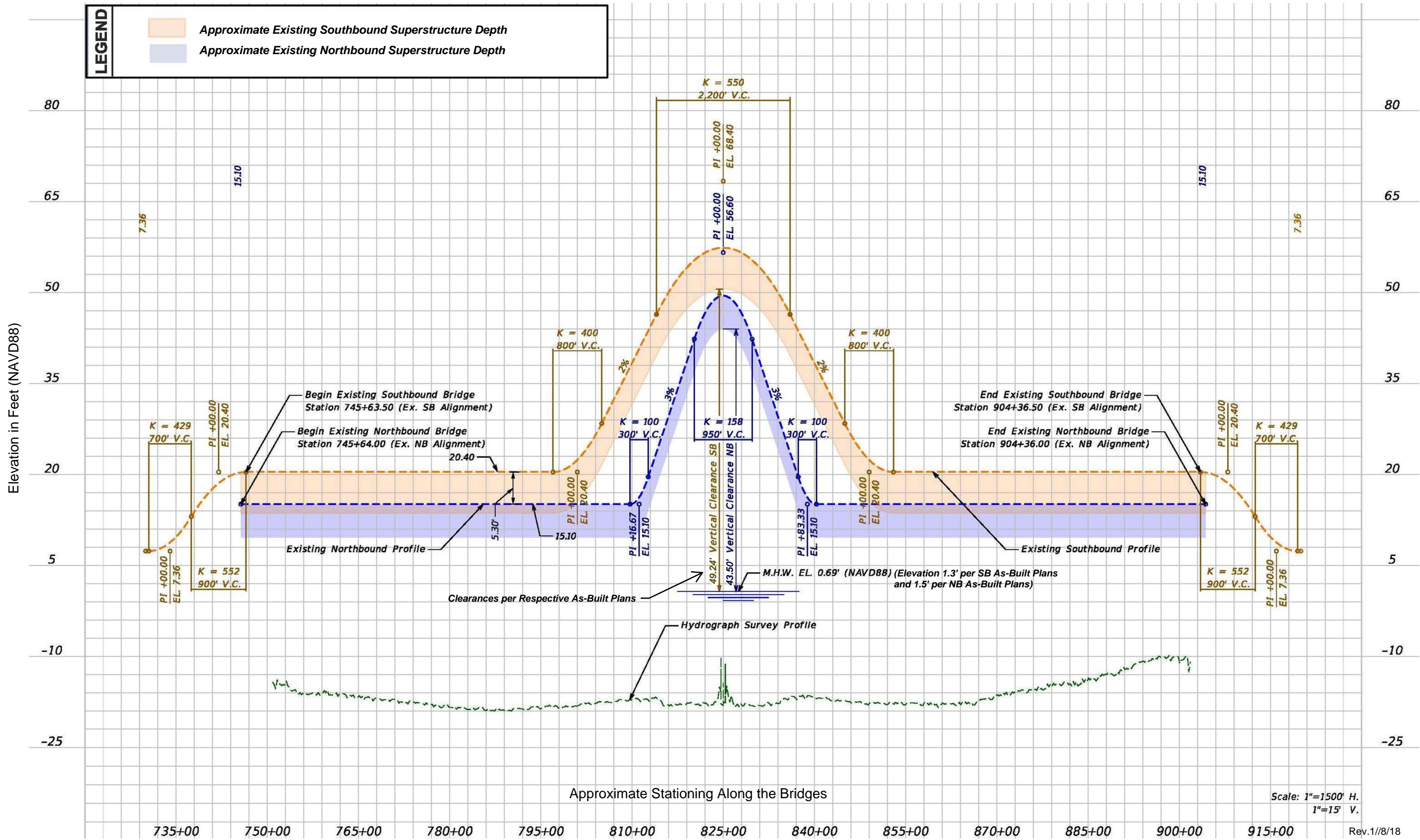
Curve(s)	Actual Length (L)	Minimum Length Required for Interstates <sup>1</sup>	Algebraic Difference in Grades (A)	Existing K Factor (K=L/A)	Minimum Required K for 70 mph design speed <sup>2</sup>
Crest Vertical Curve at the Center Span	950 ft	1000 ft	+3% - (-3%) = 6	158	506
2 Sag Vertical Curves on either side of Center	300 ft	800 ft	3% - 0% = 3	100	206

Notes:

<sup>1</sup> PPM Table 2.8.5 gives minimum values for crest vertical curves based on stopping sight distance (SSD) and Table 2.8.6 gives minimum values for sag vertical curves based on SSD and headlight sight distance

<sup>2</sup> PPM Table 1.9.2 shows 70 mph minimum design speed required for rural/urban Interstates. Minimum K values are shown on PPM Tables 2.8.5 and 2.8.6 for crest and sag vertical curves, respectively.





Scale: 1"=1500' H.  
1"=15' V.

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The navigational clearances for the existing northbound bridge are approximately 43 feet vertical and 72 feet horizontal, as shown in **Figure 4-12**. The mean high water (MHW) elevation reported is based on a previous study done by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) Bureau of Surveying and Mapping. Any references to MHW are based on the tide interpolation point #652 (located near the north end of the HFB) from the FDEP's Land Boundary Information System (LABINS) Mean High Water Interactive Map (<http://data.labins.org/imf3/IMHW3/imfStyle2.jsp>). According to the 2006 Structural Condition Assessment Report, the mean tidal change at the site is 2.8 feet with a maximum change of 3.5 feet.

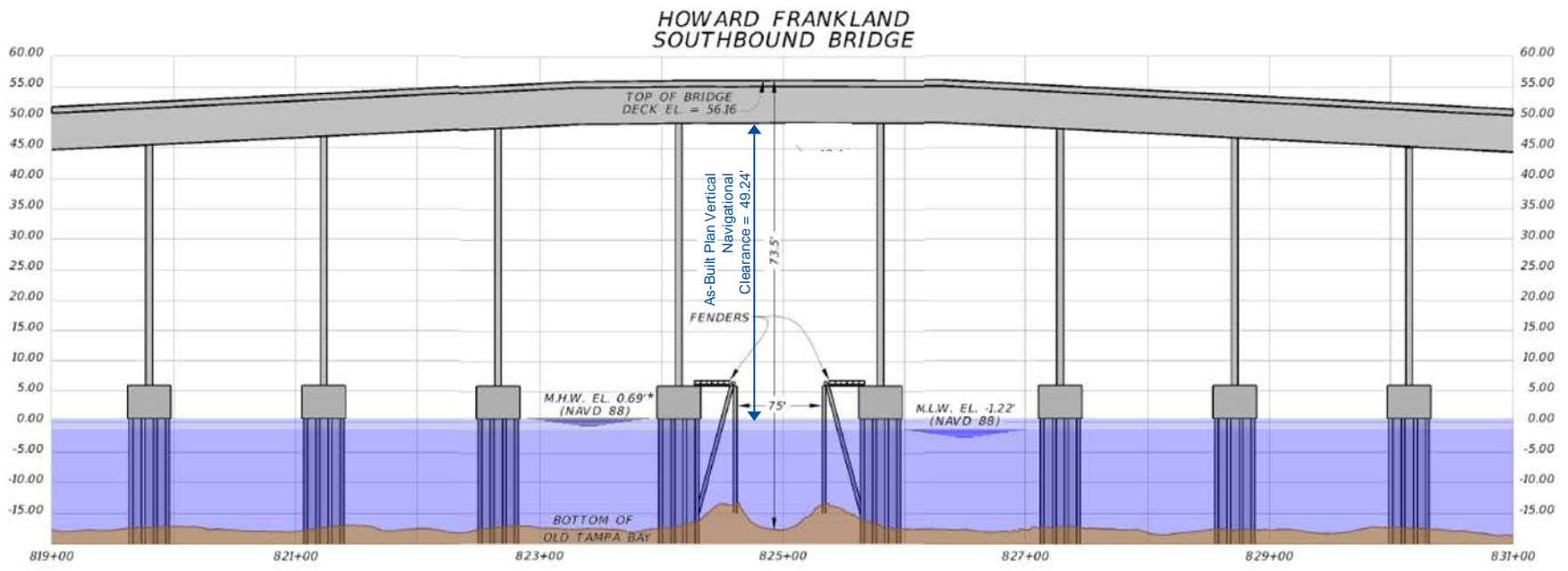
#### **4.2.5 Span Arrangement**

The bridge has 314 continuous concrete spans and 6 approach spans, with a 98-foot long channel span, for a total of 321 spans. **Figure 4-13** shows the span arrangement on the original bridge plan and elevation sheet. On each side of the 98-foot channel span, from the outside to the center, are three 33-foot spans, 143 at 48-foot spans and 14 at 66-foot spans.

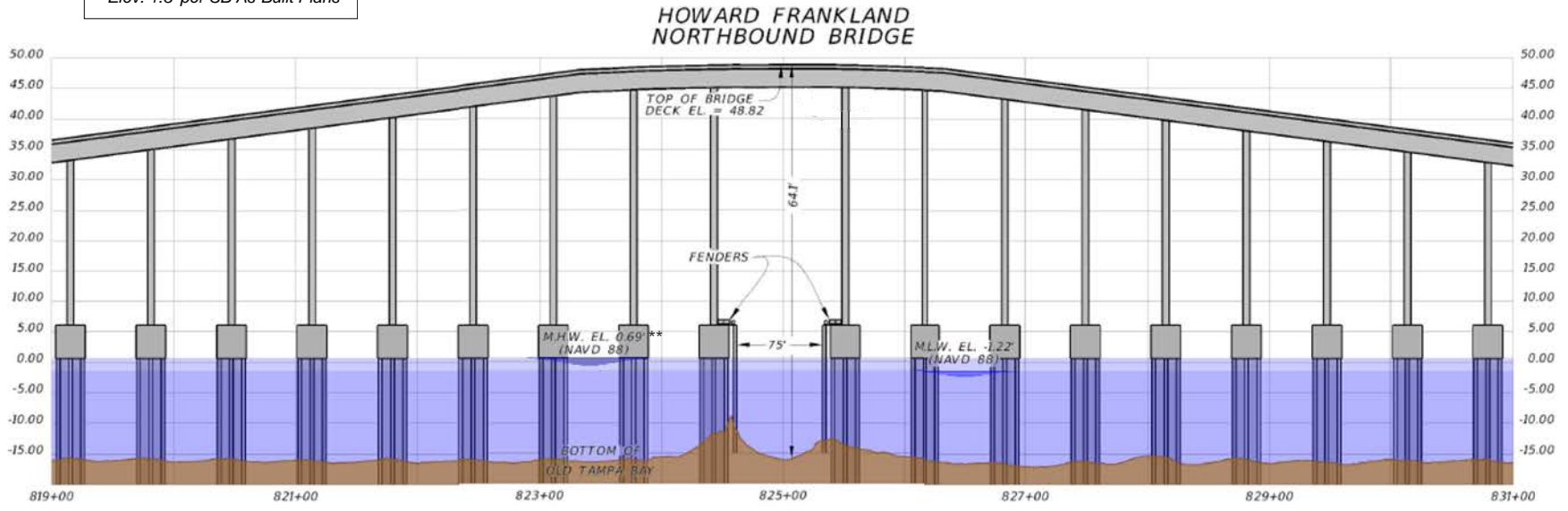
#### **4.2.6 Channel Data**

As shown in the navigational chart for Old Tampa Bay (**Figure 4-14**), there is no maintained navigational channel at the HFB. All channels maintained by the US Army Corps of Engineers end south of the Gandy Bridge. Based on a hydrographic survey conducted for the PD&E study, the depth of the "channel" is approximately minus 15 feet NAVD88.

According to the *Cultural Resource Assessment Survey (CRAS) Report* prepared for this PD&E study, "In general, the navigational charts from 1930 to 1988 show few significant changes to the depth and contour of Tampa Bay in the area of the HFB. Based on the navigational charts, it appears that the channel span was located to span the deepest portion of the bay. This channel has retained its basic flow pattern since the 1930s and, based on the navigation charts, has not been dredged (U.S. Department of Commerce 1928, 1930, 1935, 1943, 1959, 1969, 1978, 1988)." **Figure 4-15** is a channel profile plot showing minor changes in the Bay bottom profile along the bridge alignment between years 2000 and 2014.



\*Elev. 1.3' per SB As-Built Plans  
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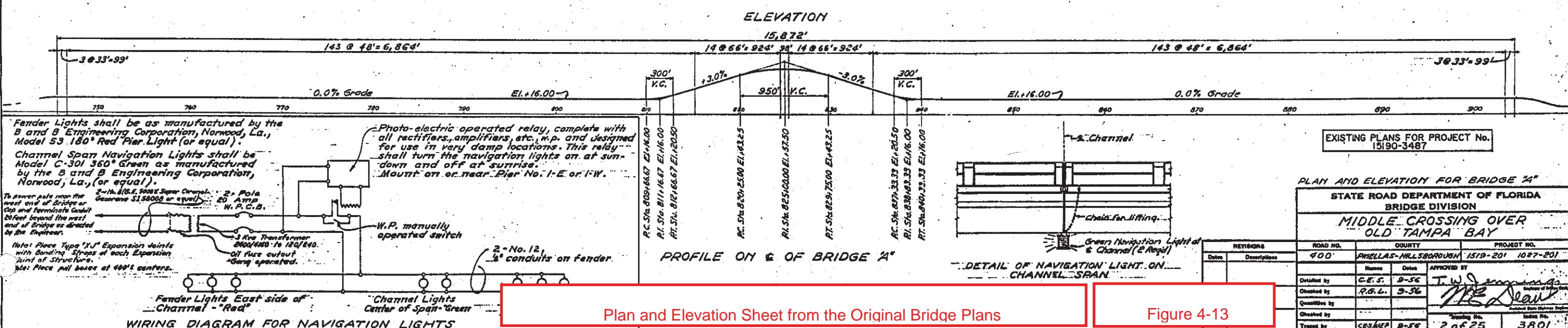
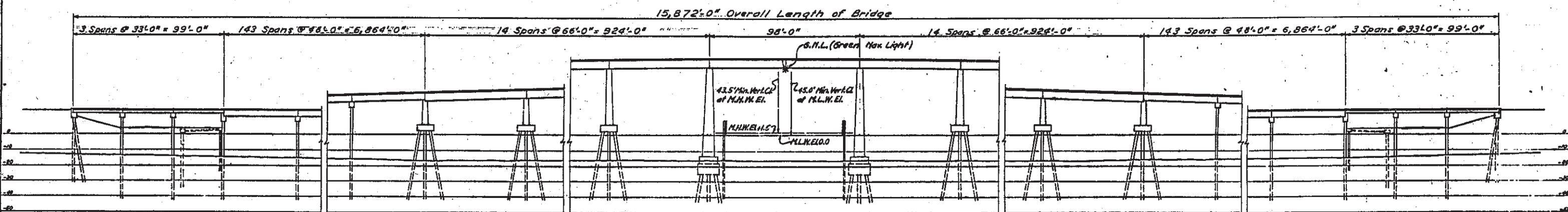
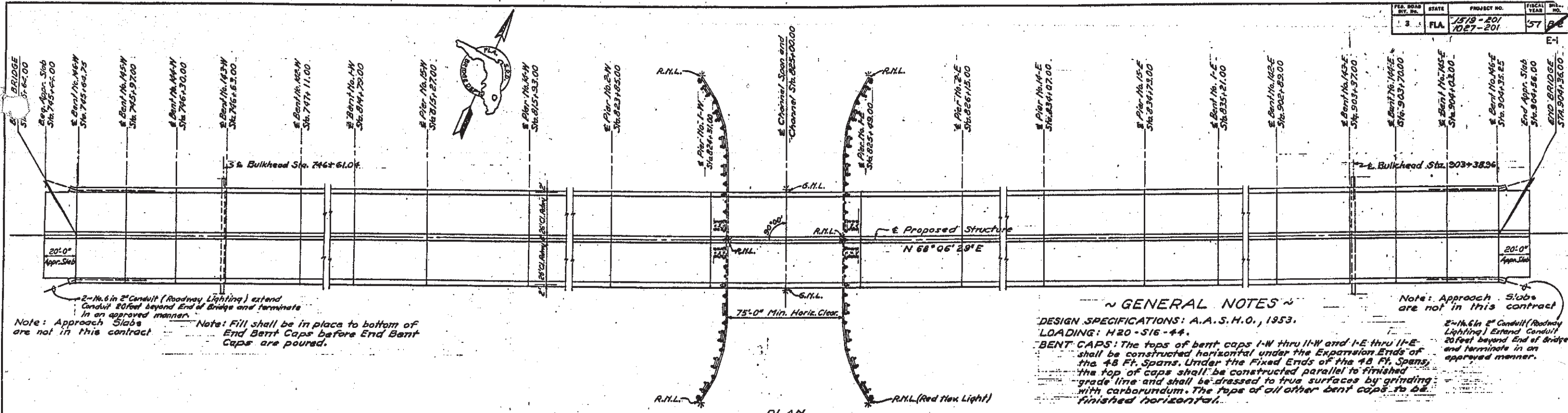
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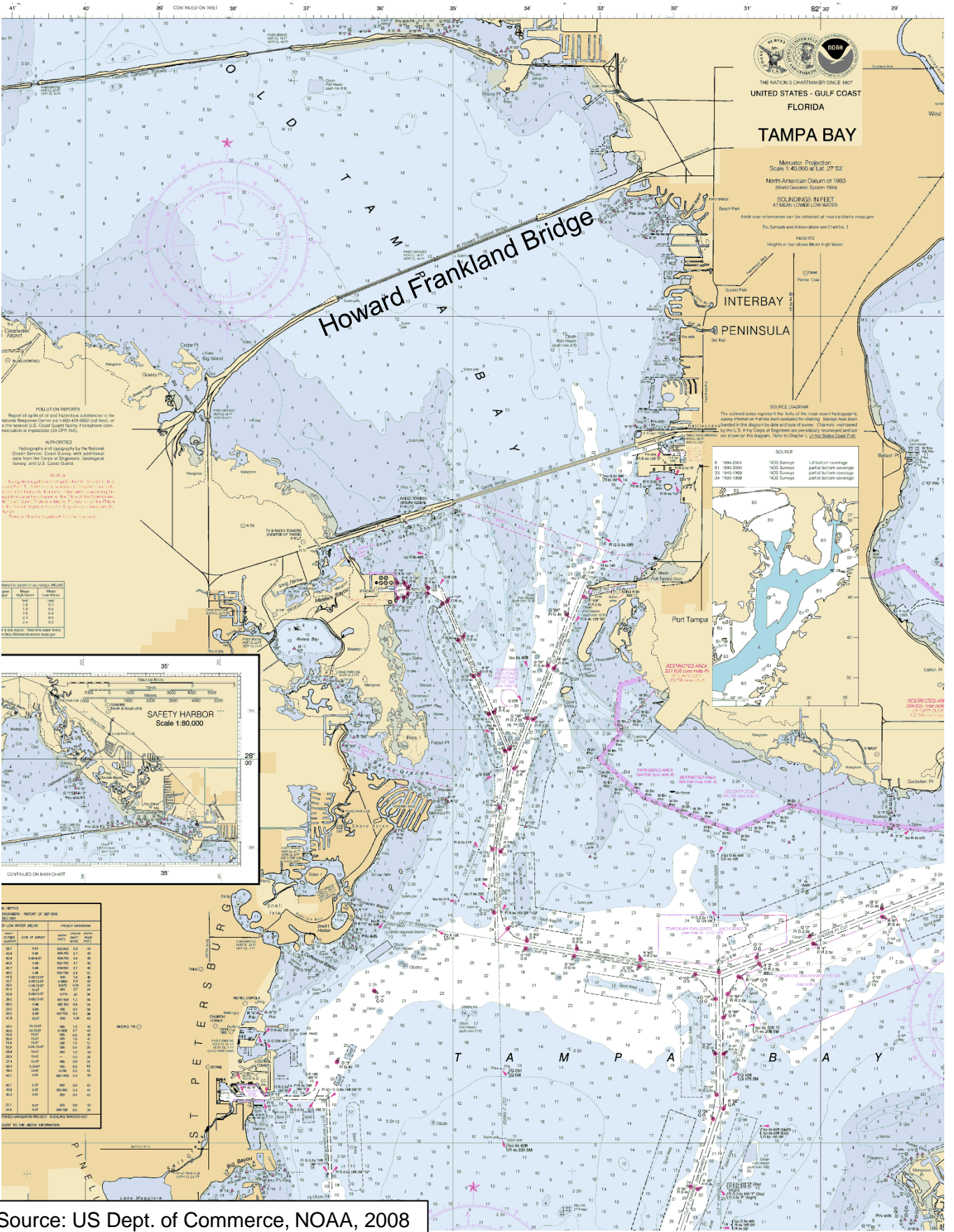
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## Elevation Views of Bridge Center Spans

**Figure 4-12**



Plan and Elevation Sheet from the Original Bridge Plans Figure 4-13



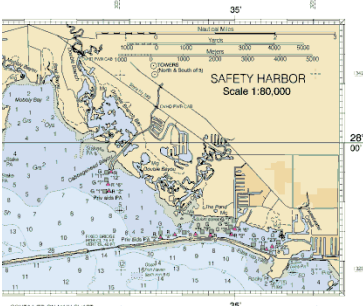
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 Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the nearest Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (24 hours) or by the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility. If Response Center communications are impossible, call CPD 1-800-1353.

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**NOTE A**  
 Although the chart is based on the most recent hydrographic survey information that has been available for charting, Tampa Bay has been restricted to the datum for depth and soundings. Corrections indicated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are periodically reviewed and are shown on the original. Refer to Section 1, United States Coast Pilot.

DEPTH SOUNDING CONVERSION TABLE

DEPTH	MEASUREMENT	HEIGHT
1.0	1.0	1.0
1.5	1.5	1.5
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3.0	3.0	3.0
3.5	3.5	3.5
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Source: US Dept. of Commerce, NOAA, 2008



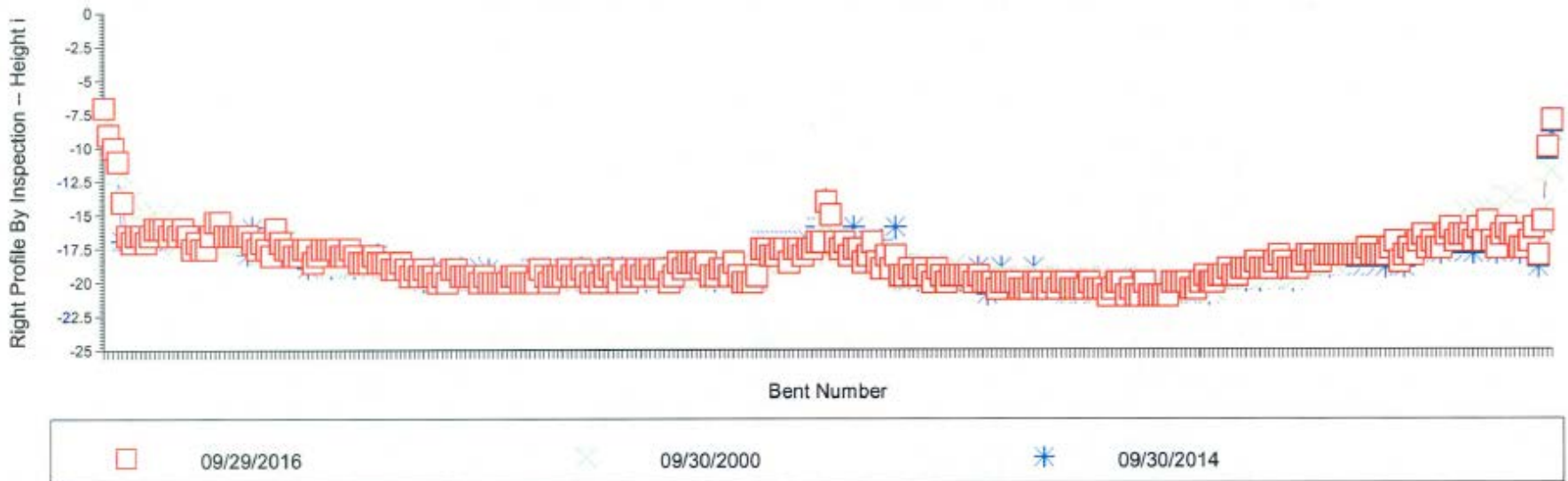
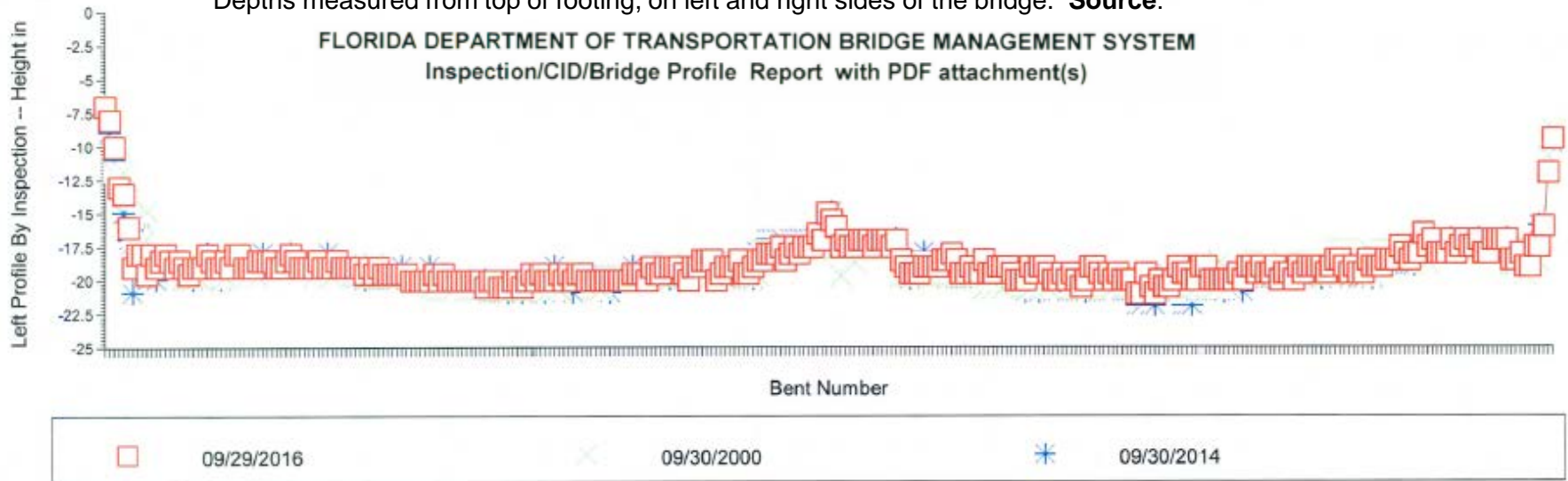
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**Navigational Chart for the Study Area**

**Figure 4-14**

Depths measured from top of footing, on left and right sides of the bridge. **Source:**

**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION BRIDGE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**  
**Inspection/CID/Bridge Profile Report with PDF attachment(s)**



## 4.2.7 Ship Impact Data

### Background Information and FDOT's Research

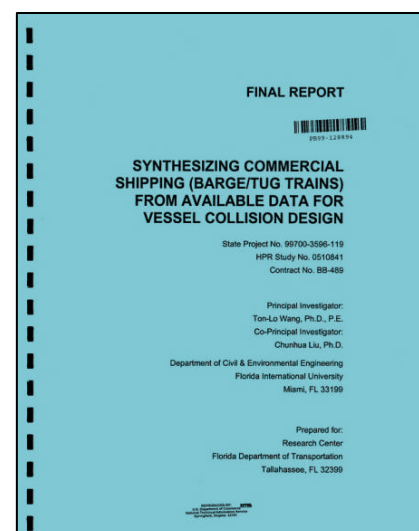
Accounting for potential waterway vessel collision is an integral component of structural design for any bridge spanning navigable waters. The 1980 collapse of the Sunshine Skyway Bridge marked a major turning point in increased concern for the safety of bridges crossing navigable waterways. In 1994, AASHTO adopted the Load and Resistance Factor Design (LRFD) Bridge Design Specifications, which incorporate the vessel collision provisions developed as part of a 1988 FHWA-sponsored research project. Current highway bridge design practice in Florida follows the AASHTO specifications. In bridge design, the probability of bridge collapse is currently estimated using procedures prescribed by the AASHTO specifications. However, due to the relative rarity of bridge collapses from vessel collision, the AASHTO expression was developed based on ship-to-ship collision data, rather than barge-to-bridge data.

The AASHTO guide specification for protection from vessel collisions provides three vessel impact design methods (I, II, and III).

- Method I is a semi-deterministic procedure that allows the designer to select a design vessel for collision impact.
- Method II is a probability-based technique in which the design vessel is selected based on accurate vessel traffic data.
- Method III employs a cost-effective analysis procedure to select the design vessel for collision impact and closely parallels techniques used in Method II.

Although more difficult to apply than Method I, the AASHTO *Guide* strongly recommends using Method II for most bridges; however this requires statewide data, and the application of Method II for barge traffic is much more difficult than for ship traffic because of the many possible combinations of barge trains and lack of published barge accident data.

In the late 1990's, FDOT sponsored a research project (*Synthesizing Commercial Shipping [Barge/Tug Trains] from Available Data for Vessel Collision Design*, January 1999) to establish the commercial shipping traffic for all bridges located over navigable waterways in Florida. Knowing the commercial shipping traffic, a risk analysis can be performed which optimizes the vessel collision design. This data was developed statewide so that the commercial vessel traffic can be provided to design teams to reduce bridge design and construction costs by the use of consistent data and a uniform risk analysis approach. It was estimated that 401 bridge sites were qualified for this synthesization process at that time.



The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Water Resources Support Center's Navigation Data Center (NDC) is responsible for establishing and maintaining a variety of navigation-oriented databases, including waterborne commerce, domestic commercial vessels, port facilities, lock facilities and lock operations, and navigation dredging projects. These databases are operated and maintained by the NDC's Waterborne Commerce Statistics Center (WCSC) in New Orleans. The data and information are available to all government agencies, organizations, and individuals.

Various data sources were used in the FDOT-sponsored research to establish "past points". These are specific bridge locations which are selected as being representative of a stretch of waterway with similar navigational traffic. The selection of past points was primarily based on the following two principles: basically each major river/canal of every county possesses one past point, and a bridge site at a moveable structure is an optional past point.

#### Vessel Data for Howard Frankland Bridge

When these points were approved by FDOT, a total of 52 bridge locations were chosen as past points to represent 540 bridges with navigation control throughout Florida. A map showing the past points for Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties is included in **Figure 4-16**. The WCSC provided data for all 52 past points; however, Point #38 (applicable to the HFB) was found to be "a waterway that was a dead-end and probably has no through traffic", according to the research study.



#### Proposed Ship Impact Design Criteria

The existing southbound HFB was designed in the late 1980s for ship impact forces on the piers ranging from 200 kips to 2000 kips depending on the distance from the navigation channel. Using this force and FDOT's *Structure Design Guidelines*, a 200-foot channel span and continuous girder superstructure over the channel piers would be required. A review of data from multiple sources associated with past point #38 indicates that such high ship impact forces may not be warranted or cost effective for the new northbound bridge. According to a former bridge engineer who worked for HDR Engineering (the firm that designed the southbound bridge), the ship impact criteria was based on barges that brought fuel (oil or coal) to the now demolished A. W. Higgins Oldsmar Power Plant at the north end of the bay. Built in the early 1950's, it was last used in 1993 and demolished in 2006, according to an article in the St. Petersburg Times dated May 4, 2006. According to Progress Energy/Duke Energy, the site currently contains the smaller Higgins Combustion Turbine Station, a 4-unit, 105 megawatt station fueled by oil or natural gas (<http://www.duke-energy.com/power-plants/oil-gas-fired/other.asp>). With the former power plant gone, the need for a higher ship impact design load may no longer be justified. Recommended ship impact design criteria should consider the probability of future industrial development within Old Tampa Bay north of this bridge. Neither future land use maps for Pinellas or Hillsborough Counties show any proposed industrial areas north of the bridge; the only similar use shown is for "transportation/utility" at the site of the small Oldsmar power plant mentioned above.



PINELLAS COUNTY

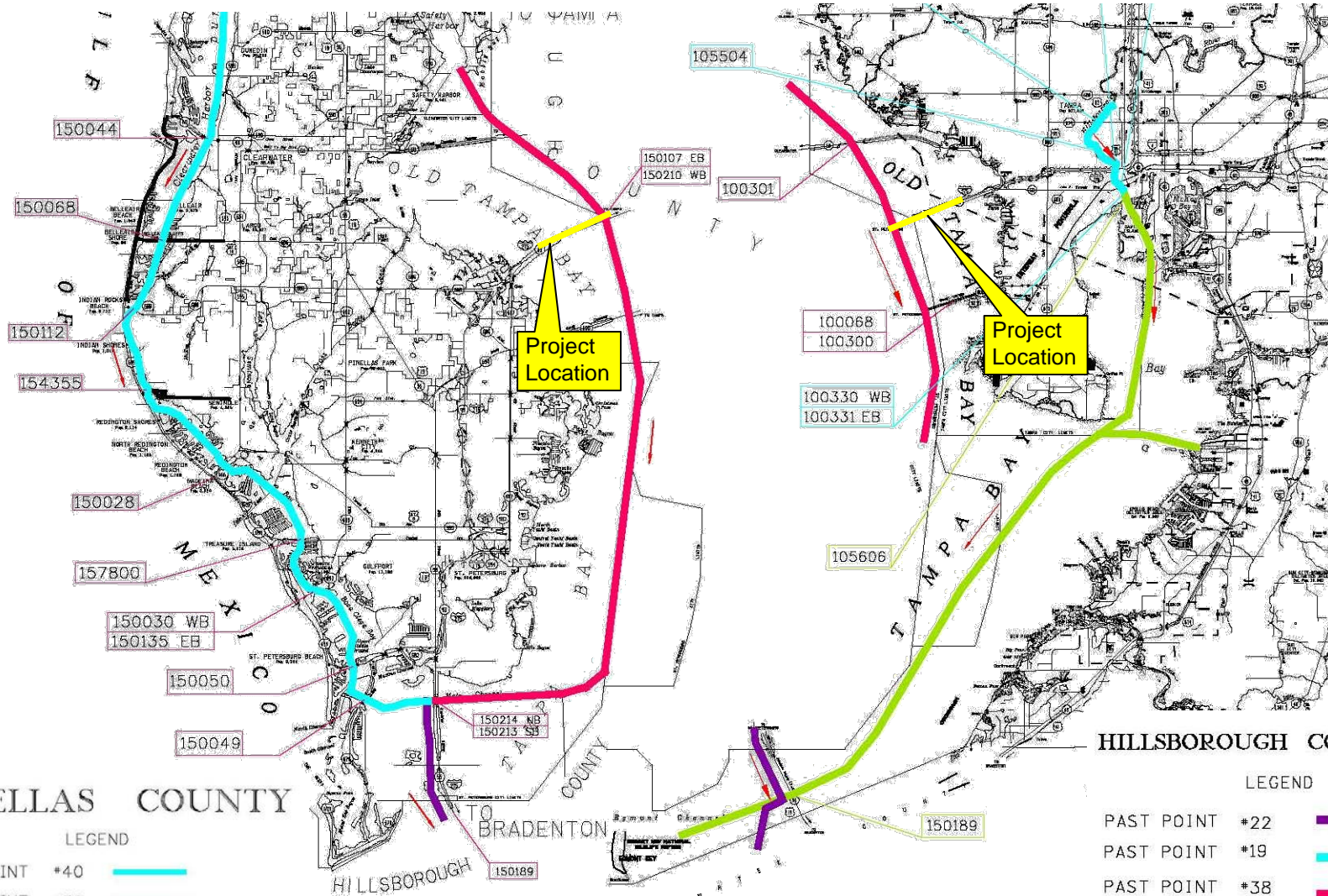
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- PAST POINT #40 
- PAST POINT #38 
- PAST POINT #22 

Bridge No. 150049

Downbound Traffic 

Note: Ship traffic is not provided.



HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

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- PAST POINT #22 
- PAST POINT #19 
- PAST POINT #38 
- PAST POINT #39 

Downbound Traffic 

Bridge No. 100301

NOTE: Ship traffic is not provided.



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## Navigational Past Points for Ship Impact Analysis

Figure 4-16

In consultation with the department, a preliminary risk assessment was conducted using an oversize tank barge (600 tons traveling at 1 knot) shown in the AASHTO guide specification, which is the typical vessel for the nearby past points, #'s 39 and 40. Although slightly larger than the vessels at past point #38, which is closest to the HFB, the larger oversize tank barge would cover the risk of any vessel from the nearby past points drifting up to the bridge. It is slightly larger than the standard hopper barge; however it is typical of the barges in the vicinity and is considered appropriate design criteria.

A preliminary risk analysis was conducted considering past point #38 with ½ of the traffic applied to the northbound bridge (due to shielding by the parallel bridge) with 200 kips as the strength for the piers. This analysis yields a return of about 10,000 years (meaning the chance of a direct hit would be once every 10,000 years) because of the low number of trips. For this scenario, 200 kips would satisfy past point #38 data.

#### **4.2.8 Geotechnical Information**

**Soils on the Roadway Approaches** - Based upon the USDA-NRSC Soil Survey for Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties, the soils at the end bents and approaches to the HFB (along the causeway) consist of man-made fills containing altered marine deposits and mine spoils. These materials are inherently variable due to the unknown nature of the deposition methods and unknown sources of the original burrow sites. The USDA Soil Surveys do indicate that a majority of these deposited materials consist of sandy soils. It is recommended that soil test borings be completed during final design activities to evaluate the soil at the site to determine soil suitability for the proposed improvements.

**Geotechnical Bridge Considerations** - The northbound HFB structure consists of over 300 spans supported by 24-inch driven concrete square piles and steel H piles. The steel HP 14x73 piles support the center piers. The design load for both types of piles was reported in the plans to be 60 tons.

The southbound bridge is supported by both 24-inch and 30-inch square concrete piles. According to the 1987 design plans, the design capacity of the 24-inch piles was 200 tons and the design capacity for the 30-inch piles was 300 tons. Pile driving records indicate that the piles were driven to a required bearing of 400 tons and 600 tons for the 24-inch and 30-inch piles, respectively. **Table 4-11** summarizes the pile configurations for the end bents and piers for the existing southbound bridge.

**Table 4-11 Southbound Bridge Pile Cap Configuration at Each Pier/Bent**

Pier/Bent	Pile Size	Pile Cap Configuration
END BENT 1W	24" X 24"	1 CAP X 12 PILES
PIER 2W to 40W	24" X 24"	2 CAPS X 5 PILES
PIER 41W to 46W	30" X 30"	1 CAP X 8 PILES
PIER 47W to 51W	30" X 30"	1 CAP X 20 PILES
PIER 52W to 56W	30" X 30"	1 CAP X 35 PILES
PIER 56E to 52E	30" X 30"	1 CAP X 35 PILES
PIER 51E to 47E	30" X 30"	1 CAP X 20 PILES
PIER 46E to 41E	30" X 30"	1 CAP X 8 PILES
PIER 40E to 2E	24" X 24"	2 CAPS X 5 PILES
END BENT 1E	24" X 24"	1 CAP X 12 PILES

Soil boring information and pile driving records utilized during the design and construction of the southbound HFB were reviewed to evaluate conditions that could be anticipated during the design of the replacement of the northbound HFB.

A total of 47 Standard Penetration Test (SPT) borings performed during the design phase for the southbound HFB were reviewed. The soil boring information generally indicated a mixture of loose/soft to dense/stiff sands and clays from the mudline (elevations of approximately -10 to -20 feet) for depths varying from approximately 30 to 90 feet underlain by weathered limestone (elevations of -30 to -100 feet, NGVD29). The depth to the top of the weathered limestone or a "bearing layer" varied across the borings.

Pile driving records for the southbound HFB were also reviewed. A total of 1460 piles were driven between 1988 and 1989, including 112 test piles. These test piles were dynamically tested with a Pile Driving Analyzer (PDA). The pile driving records indicated variability among the pile tip elevation (pile lengths) both across the bridge site and within pier groups. Splicing was common. In addition, set checks were utilized on piles that did not reach the pile driving criteria and over 100 production piles were PDA tested to verify pile capacity. At some locations, individual piles after splicing and set-check operations still did not achieve the required capacity; however, the total capacity of the pile group was established to have met the design requirements and thus the individual pile was accepted.

After review of this information, the boring data and the final production tip values were separated into three (3) sections to illustrate the pile length variations across the bridge in order to assist in future pile estimates and for variability assessment.

Section 1 extends from Bent/Pier 1E to 26E. This is an area of the eastern portion of the bridge where 24-inch pile tip elevations were relatively consistent ranging from approximately -25 to -50 feet.

Section 2 consists of the remaining 24-inch piles across the bridge with variations in the pile tip elevations ranging from approximately -40 to -175.

Section 3 consists of the piers along the bridge with 30-inch piles with variations in pile elevations ranging from approximately -35 to -130.

A graphic summary of the average, minimum, and maximum pile elevation across the bridge site is included in **Figure 4-17**. These three sections with the pile design load are shown in **Table 4-12**.

**Table 4-12 Southbound Bridge Pile Information by Section**

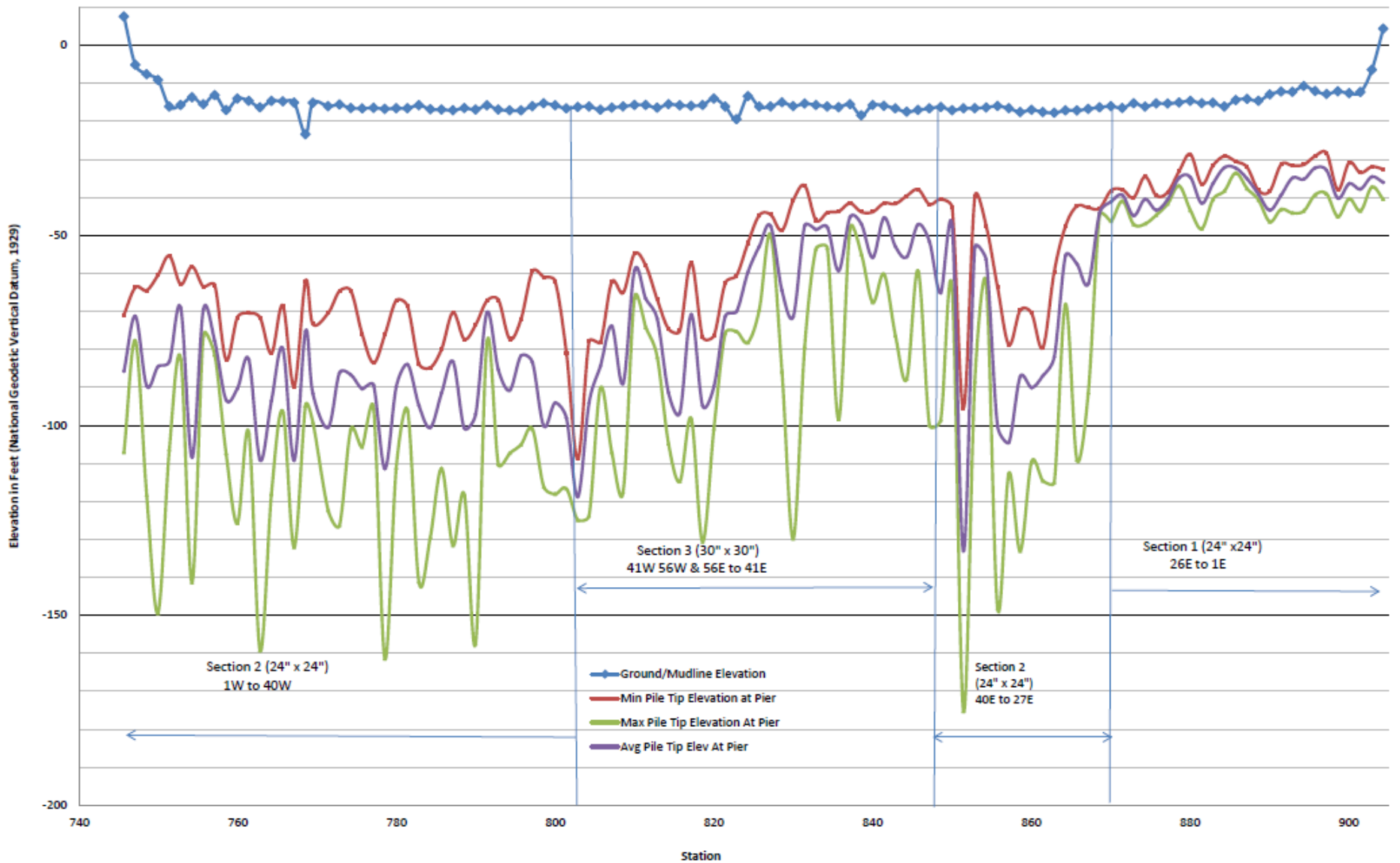
Section	Bent/Pier	Pile Size	Pile Design Load (ton)
1	1E to 26E	24" x 24"	200
2	27E to 40E;40W to 1W	24" x 24"	200
3	41E to 56E;56W to 41W	30" x 30"	300

*Source: 1988 Bridge Plans*

A table showing the actual tip elevation ranges that occurred within each section is included in **Appendix E**. In addition to the variations in pile lengths across the bridge site, in some cases, considerable variability occurred even among the piles within each pier; the above referenced Appendix includes additional data in this regard.

The soil boring data, pile sizes, and design loads were analyzed in FB-Deep Version 2.03 to evaluate what current pile capacity analysis would predict when a new northbound HFB is constructed. The analysis did not consider scour effects. The predicted driven pile tip elevations for each section based solely on the FB-Deep analysis are included in **Appendix E**.

**Geotechnical Bridge Recommendations** - Additional soil borings will be required during the design phase for the new bridge. The variability observed with the pile lengths across the new bridge and within pile groups, the variability of the depth and consistency of the limestone among the SPT borings, and the variability in pile lengths with current pile prediction software will be considered during the future Bridge Development design phase of the proposed project.



Source: Geotechnical Technical Memorandum, 2012



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## Review of Pile Driving Records for Southbound Bridge

Figure 4-17

The following evaluations of foundation alternatives for a bridge replacement were based on the results of subsurface conditions encountered in the borings performed during the design of the existing southbound HFB and review of the pile driving records. Initial foundation alternatives considered included:

- Shallow Foundations
- Steel Piles, including Pipe and H Sections
- Square Pre-stressed Concrete (PSC) Piles (24- and 30-inch square)
- Drilled Shafts

Each of these is discussed briefly below.

With **shallow foundation systems**, the structure loads are supported by the bearing capacity of the foundation soils. The design of shallow foundations is typically governed by the soil bearing capacity and total and differential settlement criteria. The soils at the proposed end bents consist of man-made deposits, which are inherently variable. The surficial soils at the proposed end bents would likely require soil improvement to achieve an adequate bearing resistance and minimize the potential for differential settlements. In addition, shallow foundation sizes may be required to be very large to accommodate bridge loads of the magnitude of the HFB. Shallow foundations can also be undermined by scour unless the foundations are protected and/or constructed at depths that typically are too deep to be practical. Therefore, considering scour effects, impacts of the soil improvement operations and associated costs, shallow foundations were not considered further for this preliminary geotechnical evaluation.

**Steel pile** types include pipe and H-piles. Previous experience has shown that steel piles are generally more expensive per lineal foot than PSC piles. Steel piles may more easily penetrate dense layers to achieve a desired penetration depth. In addition, steel piles are well suited to conditions with high variability in anticipated penetration depths where frequent splicing is expected. Typical sizes of pipe piles range from 18 to 24 inches in diameter. Steel pipe piles do not develop as much capacity for similar penetration depths as PSC piles. Steel H-piles often provide lower capacities than pipe piles at similar costs. Steel piles although structurally viable, are susceptible to corrosion in aggressive, high-chloride content environments as is present at this site. Steel piles are therefore not typically considered appropriate for a bridge replacement project in an extremely aggressive saltwater environment and are not permitted by the *Structures Design Guidelines*.

**Drilled shafts** - Drilled cast-in-place straight-sided concrete shafts have the ability to develop high axial and lateral capacities. One drilled shaft could potentially take the place of several driven piles. The quality control of drilled shaft installation requires more attention and precaution compared with driven piles to ensure that the construction is in accordance with the specifications. This type of foundation system is often the chosen alternative for sites where competent limestone or very dense bearing strata are present at a relatively shallow depth with a sufficient thickness. Drilled

shafts are also considered for sites where limiting vibrations and noise are important. Depending on the proximity of the proposed new bridge with the existing bridge, vibration concerns would be considered. Drilled shafts would be evaluated as part of the Bridge Development phase of the project. It should be noted that the potential potentiometric head pressure (potential artesian head) is reported in *Potentiometric Surface of the Upper Floridan Aquifer, West Central Florida* maps published by the USGS at an elevation +5 NGVD 29. The potential for artesian conditions will need to be evaluated as part of the planned design of the bridge substructure. Drilled shaft cut-off elevations would ideally be set above the potential artesian head elevation to avoid construction problems with artesian flow.

The variations in the depth and consistency of competent limestone (as evidence by the variable pile lengths) are a concern for the project. Limestone strength testing and soil boring/rock cores will have to be analyzed in further detail during project design to evaluate feasibility of drilled shaft foundations.

**PSC pile** foundations are a feasible foundation alternative. They are a widely used and proven foundation system in central Florida. PSC pile foundations are readily available and generally have a lower cost per ton of capacity than other pile types. Based on the saltwater environment of Old Tampa Bay, the environment of the substructure at the bridge site is classified as *extremely aggressive* due to the chlorides content of the water. As a result, it is recommended that the minimum size for PSC pile foundations be 24 inches square as required by the FDOT *Structures Design Guidelines*.

#### Additional Geotechnical Recommendations

**Protection of Existing Structures** - FDOT, SSRBC Section 455-1 will be followed for the protection of existing structures during foundation construction operations. It should be noted that, depending on the bridge alternative alignment, some of the proposed bridge pier foundation locations may be situated in close proximity (distances less than 100 feet) to the existing southbound bridge. The design of the new bridge foundations and construction phasing will need to be configured to avoid impacts to the existing northbound and southbound foundations which contain battered piles.

**Dynamic load testing for driven pile foundations** - In the event a driven pile foundation is considered for the project, a test pile program would be conducted for the proposed bridge construction including testing of at least 10 percent of the total piles, and the test piles would be monitored dynamically utilizing the PDA. The monitoring would provide estimates of pile capacity versus pile penetration, stresses in the pile, and other relevant parameters used to evaluate the pile driving process. A Case Pile Wave Analysis Program (CAPWAP) analyses would be performed on selected conditions for evaluation of the PDA results. The results of the CAPWAP analyses would provide information for developing production pile length and driving criteria recommendations. The installation of the piles will be carried out in accordance with the FDOT SSRBC Section 455.

**Drilled Shaft Construction** - In the event a drilled shaft foundation is considered for the project, FDOT requires that non-production test-hole shafts be installed to determine if the Contractor's methods and equipment are sufficient for the project. It is recommended that the Contractor perform a minimum of one test hole for each shaft size proposed to be completed. The test hole would be installed in accordance with the FDOT SSRBC Section 455. In addition, due to the variable limestone conditions, a pilot hole at each shaft location is recommended. To verify the integrity of drilled shafts, Cross-hole Sonic Logging tubes would be installed in all drilled shafts in accordance with the FDOT SSRBC Section 455. It is expected that Cross-hole Sonic Logging testing would be performed on all test-hole shafts and at selected production shafts on the project. Recommended general notes for drilled shaft construction would be prepared during project final design.

#### **4.2.9 Security Issues**

No security issues associated with the HFB have been identified to date.



## **SECTION 5 PLANNING PHASE/CORRIDOR ANALYSIS**

The planning screen process was not undertaken for this planned project in FDOT's Efficient Transportation Decision Making (ETDM) system. In addition, alternative corridors are not applicable for this planned bridge replacement project. A separate premium transit evaluation was completed to determine the future location of, if any, premium transit accommodations to be included on or near the HFB. Potential accommodations for future premium transit are discussed in **Section 8.6** and **8.8**.

## SECTION 6 DESIGN CONTROLS & CRITERIA

### 6.1 DESIGN CONTROLS

Project design control information is included in **Table 6-1**.

### 6.2 PROJECT DESIGN CRITERIA

Project design standards are included in **Table 6-2**. In addition, **Table 6-3** includes standards for managed/express lanes.

**Table 6-1 Project Design Controls**

Design Element	I-275 Mainline/NB HFB	Reference
<b>Functional Classification</b>	Urban Principal Arterial Interstate and Strategic Intrastate System (SIS)	RCI database and Straight Line Diagram Inventory
<b>Speed:</b> -Posted -Design	65 mph, Min. 40 mph 70 mph	PPM Table 1.9.2
<b>Design Vehicle</b>	WB-62FL	PPM Figure 1.12.1
<b>Level of Service</b>	LOS D or better	
<b>Design Traffic Volumes</b>	2040 AADT is 229,800 VPD for No Build	
<b>Pedestrian and Bicycle Requirements</b>	Not required for a limited-access facility; however, a policy decision was made in 2017 to include a barrier separated path on the new bridge.	
<b>Existing ROW Constraints</b>	Existing ROW = 2000 ft +/-	
<b>Type of Stormwater Management Facilities</b>	Not applicable: No existing or proposed facilities	
<b>Navigational Requirements</b>	Exceed or Maintain Existing Clearances: Vertical: Approximately 49 feet Horizontal: 75 feet	Vertical: at center span relative to mean high water, based on 2011 instrument survey
<b>Mean High Water</b>	0.69 ft NAVD88	Based on FDEP's LABINS published data
<b>Design Wave Height</b>	Year 2100 wave crest el. 18.0 ft NAVD88 accounting for future sea level rise	From 2010 study by OEA, Inc for FDOT D7 and updated 2016 memo (Appendix F)
<b>Access Classification</b> -Interchange Spacing	Not Applicable to this study	
<b>Design Life</b>	75 Years	FHWA Policy

**Table 6-2 Project Design Criteria**

Design Element	I-275 Mainline/NB HFB	Reference
<b>Horizontal Alignment</b> - Max curvature - Max curvature with NC - Max superelevation - Slope rates - Min curve length in full super. - Max deflection w/o curve - Length of curve	3° 00' 00" 0° 15' 00" 0.10 ft/ft 1:200, 100' min. (for only 6-lane) 200' 0° 45' 00" 2,100' (1,050' min)	PPM Table 2.8.3 PPM Table 2.8.4 PPM Table 2.8.3 PPM Table 2.9.3 PPM Table 2.8.2a PPM Table 2.8.1a PPM Table 2.8.2a
<b>Vertical Alignment</b> - Max Grade - Max change in grade w/o curve - Min. stopping sight distance <sup>(1)</sup> - Min. "K" for crest curve - Min. "K" for sag curve - Min. crest curve length - Min sag curve length	3% 0.2%  820' 506 206 1,000' open highway 800'	PPM Table 2.6.1 PPM Table 2.6.2  PPM Table 2.7.1 PPM Table 2.8.5 PPM Table 2.8.6 PPM Table 2.8.5 PPM Table 2.8.6
<b>Cross Section Elements</b> - Travel lane width  - Auxiliary lane - Outside shoulder width (mainline) - Outside shoulder width (bridge) - Inside shoulder width (mainline) - Inside shoulder width (bridge) - Median width w/o barrier wall - Median width w/ barrier wall - Travel lane cross slope - Outside shoulder cross slope - Inside shoulder cross slope - Max rollover at ramp terminal - Max rollover between travel lanes	12' (design variation/exception may be required) 12' 12' (10' paved) 10' 12' (10' paved) 10' 64' 26' 2.0% (3.0% max) 6.0% 5.0% 5.0% 4.0%	PPM Table 2.1.1  PPM Table 2.1.1 PPM Table 2.3.1  PPM Figure 2.11.1  PPM Table 2.3.1  PPM Figure 2.11.1 PPM Table 2.2.1 PPM Table 2.2.1 PPM Figure 2.1.1 PPM Table 2.3.1 PPM Table 2.3.1 PPM Table 2.1.4 PPM Table 2.1.1
Shared-Use Path	Horizontal and Vertical Alignment	PPM Vol. 1, Sec. 8.6
Path Width	12' Clear Width	PPM Sec. 8.7.1
<b>Roadside Slopes</b> - Front slopes  - Back slopes - Transverse slopes	1:6 for 0-5' height 1:6 to CZ then 1:4 for 5-10' ht. 1:6 to CZ then 1:3 for 10-20' ht. 1:2 with guardrail for ht. over 20' 1:4 desir. (1:3 min w/1:6 front slope) 1:10	PPM Table 2.4.1 PPM Table 2.4.1 PPM Table 2.4.1 PPM Table 2.4.1 PPM Table 2.4.1 PPM Table 2.4.1

**Table 6-2 Project Design Criteria (continued)**

Design Element	I-275 Mainline/NB HFB	Reference
<b>Border Width</b>	Standard 94' not achievable on the Causeway, Therefore a <b>Design Exception &amp; Variation will be Required</b>	PPM Table 2.5.3
<b>Clear Zone/Horizontal Clearance</b> - Travel lane - Auxiliary lane	36' 24'	PPM Table 4.2.1
<b>Vertical Clearance</b> - Overhead signs <sup>(2)</sup> - Dynamic message sign <sup>(2)</sup> - Roadway over roadway	17.5' 19.5' 16.5'	PPM Table 2.10.2 PPM Table 2.10.2 PPM Table 2.10.1
<b>Structural Loading Capacity</b>	HL 93 <sup>(3)</sup>	AASHTO LRFD (Load and Resistance Factor Design) Specifications

Source for design standards is 2017 FDOT Plans Preparation Manual (PPM) unless otherwise noted

<sup>(1)</sup> Lengths to be adjusted for grades of 2.0% or less (PPM, Table 2.7.1)

<sup>(2)</sup> Clearance over the entire width of pavement and shoulder to the lowest sign component

<sup>(3)</sup> Includes a combination of the design truck or design tandem, and the design lane load

# Table 6-3 District Seven Design Standards for Express Lanes

## DESIGN CRITERIA - DISTRICT 7 EXPRESS LANES (Version 1.3)

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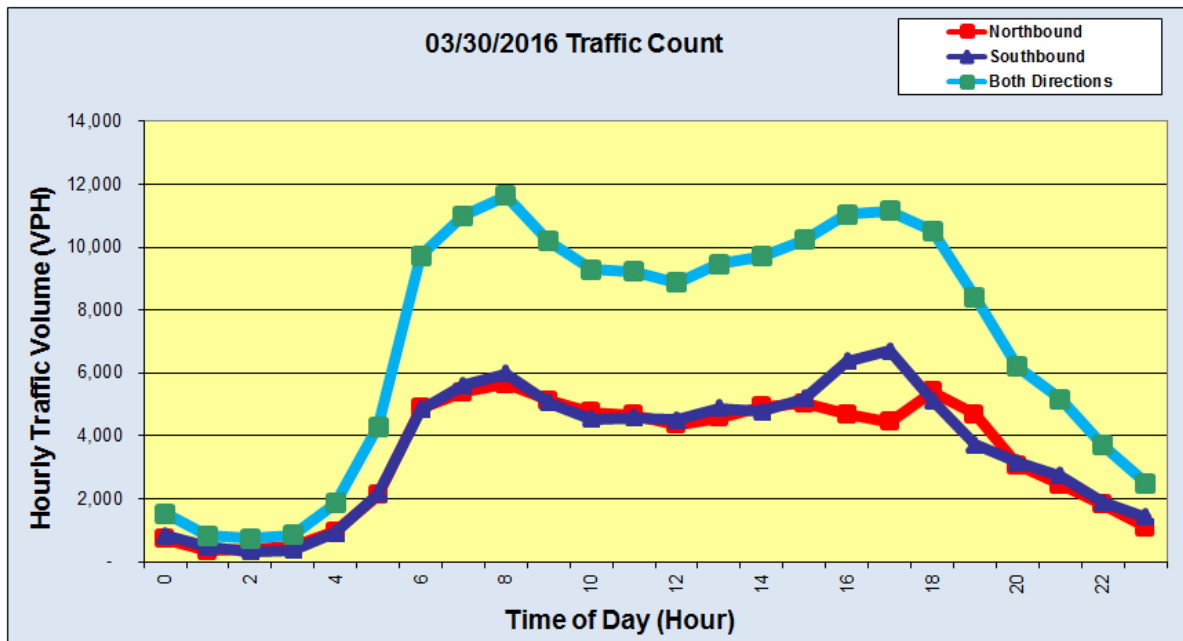
DESIGN CRITERIA	Proposed Express Lane Master Plan Criteria			PPM (2014)		AASHTO (2004)		AASHTO (2011)	
	Desirable	Minimum	Comments	Minimum	Ref./Page #	Minimum	Ref./Page #	Minimum	Ref./Page #
<b>Express Lanes</b>									
Design Speed	70 mph	50 mph	Desirable - SIS Urbanized Freeway Minimum Non SIS Urban Freeway						
Minimum Design Speed (System Ramps)	50 mph	35 mph	Policy					35 mph	p. 10-89
Design Vehicle	SU-30/BUS-45	SU-30/BUS-45	Policy						
<b>Mainline (Paved Buffer and Barrier Separated)</b>									
Lane Width	12'	11'	Policy - requires Design Exception	12'	Table 2.1.2	12'	p. 504	12'	p. 4-7
Left Shoulder Width - Paved Buffer (Full/Paved)	12' / 10'	8' / 6'	Policy	14' / 10'	Table 2.3.1	10'	p. 505	10'	p. 4-10 & 4-11
Buffer from General Lanes (Paved Separation)	4'	4'	Policy						
Left Shoulder Width - Barrier Separated (Full/Paved)	6' / 6'	6' / 6'	2-Lane Barrier-Separated	6' / 6'	Table 2.3.1	10'	p. 505	10'	p. 4-10 & 4-11
Right Shoulder Width (Barrier Wall Separation)	10' / 10'	10' / 10'	Provides refuge for stalled vehicle	10' / 10'	Table 2.3.1	10'	p. 505	10'	p. 4-10 & 4-11
Profile	Match Existing General Lanes		Policy						
<b>Single-Lane Slip Ramp/Scramble Lane</b>									
Lane Width	15'	11'	Policy	15'	Table 2.1.3				
Left Shoulder Width	10'	2'	Policy (see attached Figure 6-5)	6' / 2'	Table 2.3.1	2'	p. 838	2'	p. 10-102
Right Shoulder Width (Buffer)	4'	4'	Policy						
<b>Single-Lane Ramp</b>									
Lane Width	15'	11'	Combination of Minimum lane and shoulder width values allows Passing Stalled Vehicle On Tangent. See PPM Table 2.14.1	15'	Table 2.1.3				
Left Shoulder Width (Full/Paved)	6' / 2'	4' / 2'		6' / 2'	Table 2.3.1	2'	p. 838	2'	p. 10-102
Right Shoulder Width (Full/Paved)	6' / 4'	4' / 2'		6' / 4'	Table 2.3.1	8'	p. 838	8'	p. 10-102
<b>Dual-Lane Ramp</b>									
Lane Width	12'	11'	Combination of Minimum lane and shoulder width values allows Passing Stalled Vehicle On Tangent. See PPM Table 2.14.1	12'	Table 2.1.3				
Left Shoulder Width	8' / 4'	4' / 2'		8' / 4'	Table 2.3.1	4'	p. 840	4'	p. 10-102
Right Shoulder Width	12' / 10'	10' / 8'		12' / 10'	Table 2.3.1	6'	p. 840	6'	p. 10-102
<b>General Lanes</b>									
Design Speed	70 mph	50 mph		70 mph	Table 1.9.2	50 mph	p. 503	50 mph	p. 8-1
Design Vehicle	WB-62FL	WB-62FL		WB-62FL	Section 1.12	WB-62	Exhibit 2-1 p. 17		
<b>Mainline</b>									
Lane Width	12'	11'	Policy-provide one 12' wide lane in each direction Requires a Design Exception	12'	Table 2.1.1	12'	p. 504	12'	p. 4-7
Buffer from Managed Lanes	4'	4'	Policy						
Right Shoulder Width (Full/Paved)	12' / 10'	10' / 8'	Provides refuge for stalled vehicle full width and depth pavement within 1 mile each way of interchange for EMS	12' / 10'	Table 2.3.1	10'	p. 505	10'	p. 4-10 & 4-11
<b>Other Critical Criteria</b>									
Stopping Sight Distance	PPM Interstate	AASHTO		820 (2%)	Table 2.1.1	730	Exhibit 3-1 p. 112	771 (3%)	p. 3-5
Lane Balance at Exit Terminals	Desirable, Not Required		Policy						
Transit Corridors	44' including barriers		Policy						
Border Width	94'	10' from face of retaining wall	Minimum 10' for maintenance	94'	Table 2.5.3	80'-150'	p. 508	80'-150'	p. 8-5
Vertical Clearance - Roadway Over Transit	23'6"	23'-3"		23'-6"	Table 2.10.1	23'	p. 522		
Vertical Clearance over roadway	16'-6" (new)	16' (existing)		16'-6"	Table 2.10.1	16'	p. 506, 507, 763	16'	p. 8-4
<b>Horizontal Clearances</b>									
Bridges Piers & Abutments	approach road + shoulder width		Stopping Sight Distance to be met	CZ	Table 2.11.6				
Setbacks-discontinuous attachments to barriers			PPM Figure 7.1.2.1 (Toll gantries, luminaires, bridge piers, ITS, etc.)						

Note: The criteria listed in this table meets the criteria outlined in the AASHTO Guide for High-Occupancy Vehicle Facilities. See attached reference documents for additional information related to design decisions.

## SECTION 7 TRAFFIC DATA

### 7.1 EXISTING TRAFFIC VOLUMES & TRAFFIC CHARACTERISTICS

HFB (I-275/SR 93) is currently an eight-lane facility, with separate four-lane bridges serving each direction. The 2016 annual average daily traffic (AADT) on the bridge was 157,500 vehicles per day (VPD) based on the most recent FTI CD, with approximately half of this in each direction. The existing traffic pattern on the bridge reflects that the traffic split in both directions is essentially balanced, as shown in **Figure 7-1**. Based on the existing daily traffic volume, the existing level of service (LOS) is “E” according to the 2013 FDOT Quality/Level of Service Handbook, based on Core Urbanized Freeways.



**Figure 7-1 Existing Traffic Time-of-Day Pattern**

Based on actual peak hour counts, the existing peak-hour LOS is estimated to be “C/D” (AM/PM) using Highway Capacity Software (HCS).

The K factor is reported to be 9.0 percent, the D factor as 58.00 percent, and the T factor as 4.1 percent as obtained from the 2016 Florida Transportation Information (FTI) CD.

## 7.2 MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS

Multimodal considerations are discussed in **Section 3.4**.

## 7.3 FUTURE TRAFFIC PROJECTIONS AND LEVEL OF SERVICE

Future traffic projection was based on the Time of Day Tampa Bay Regional Planning Model for Managed Lanes (TBRPM-ML). The information on the future AADT volumes has been obtained from Draft Traffic Projections for I-275 Systems Interchange Modification Report Update dated April 2016 received from FDOT’s District Seven Systems Planning Group. The future traffic projection was based on the 2012 AADT obtained from the 2012 Florida Transportation Information (FTI) DVD and the 2035 model AADT obtained from the TBRPM-ML. The future no-build AADT volumes for the Opening (2020), Interim (2030) and Design (2040) years are presented in **Table 7-1** below. **Table 7-1** also includes the future model year 2035 AADT.

**Table 7-1 Howard Frankland Bridge – Future Year No-Build AADTs**

Future Years	Estimated AADT Projections
Opening Year - 2020	162,700
Mid-Design Year - 2030	183,900
2035	213,500 <sup>1</sup>
Design Year - 2040	229,800

<sup>1</sup> Based on 2035 TBRPM-ML Model Output

The projected 2040 two-way no-build AADT of 229,800 VPD would operate at LOS “F” without any additional traffic lanes being added to the bridge based on FDOT’s 2013 Quality/Level of Service Handbook. With this estimated projection, the existing bridge is expected to operate at LOS “E” by 2017 and LOS “F” by 2027 depending on how fast economy continues to rebound following the recession which began in 2008.

The level of service was estimated based on the AADT for all the future years using FDOT’s 2013 Quality/Level of Service Handbook. In addition, peak hour peak direction level of service analysis was conducted for the future years using the basic freeway module of the Highway Capacity Software (HCS+, Version 6.7). The results are provided in **Table 7-2** below.

**Table 7-2 No-Build Daily and Peak Hour Level of Service (LOS) for Future Years**

Future Years	AADT (VPD)	Daily LOS <sup>1</sup>	Peak Hour Peak Directional Traffic	Peak hour Peak Directional LOS <sup>2</sup>
Opening Year - 2020	162,700	E	8,493	E
Mid-Year - 2030	183,900	F	9,600	F
Design Year - 2040	229,800	F	11,996	F

<sup>1</sup> Based on FDOT’s 2013 Quality/Level of Service Handbook

<sup>2</sup> Based on Highway Capacity Software (HCS 2010, Version 6.7)

**Figure 7-2** shows a comparison of future traffic on the HFB predicted from a linear trendline projection based on historical traffic counts with the year 2040 “traffic model projection” (based on the year 2035 model output extrapolated to 2040). The adjusted model projection shows a somewhat lower forecast of future traffic demand on the HFB compared to the linear trendline projection based on historical AADTs.

Considering the Tampa Bay Next project, which includes four general use lanes and two express lanes in each direction, the build AADTs and associated LOS by lane type are shown in **Table 7-3** below.

**Table 7-3 General Use and Express Lane AADT and Level of Service**

Future Years	Lane Configuration	General Use Lanes AADT (VPD)	Daily LOS <sup>(3)</sup>	Express Lane AADT (VPD)	Daily Express Lane LOS <sup>(3)</sup>
Opening Year – 2020 <sup>(1)</sup>	4-2-2-4	105,900	C	58,800	C
Mid-Year – 2030 <sup>(2)</sup>	4-2-2-4	120,700	C	66,000	D
Design Year – 2040 <sup>(2)</sup>	4-2-2-4	168,600	E	66,000	D

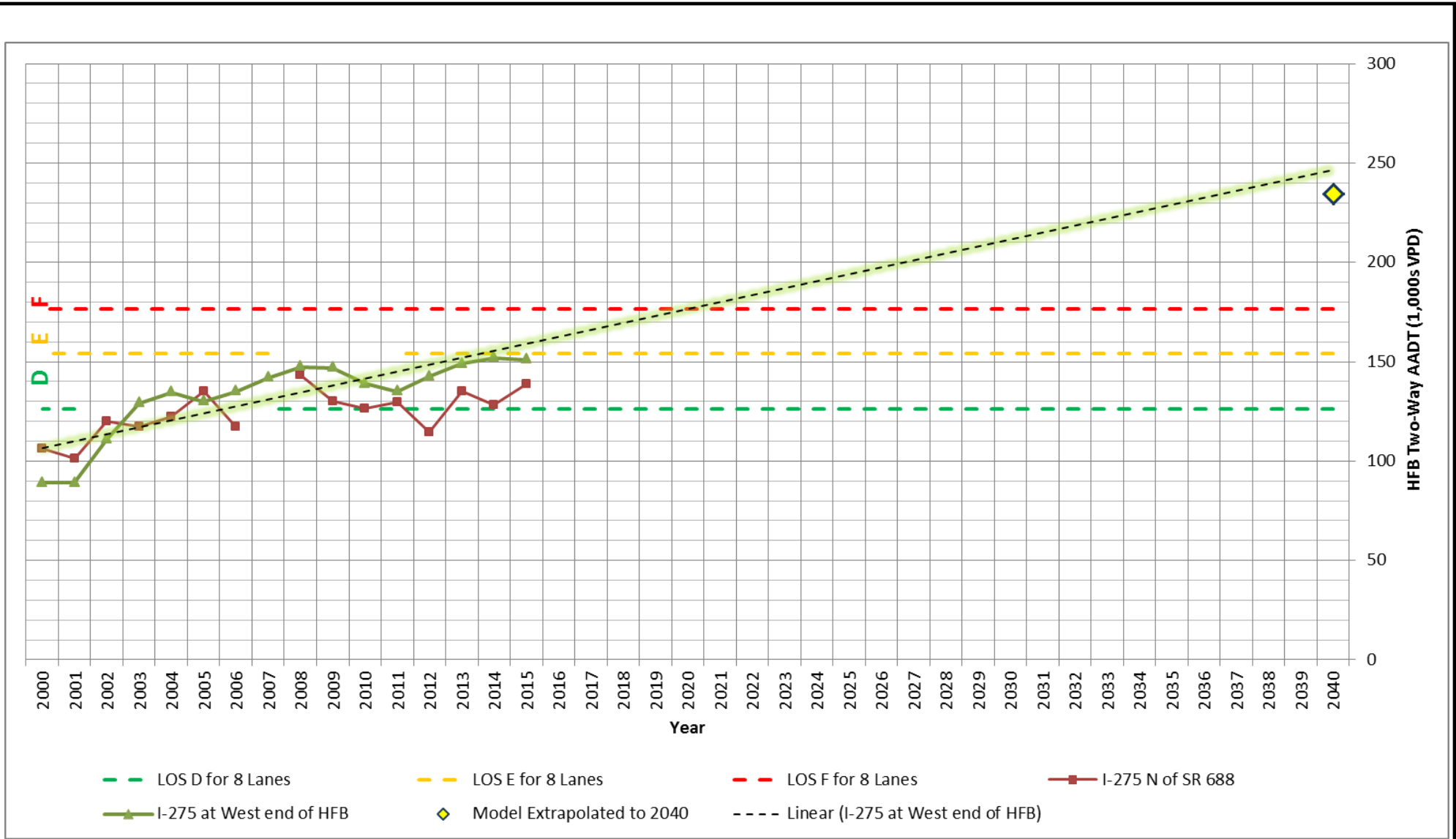
Source: Draft Traffic Projections for I-275 Systems Interchange Modification Report Update

(1) Volumes have been assigned from General Use lanes to Express Lanes by assigning max. Daily LOS C volume for 2 Express Lanes from Table 1 of 2013 FDOT Quality/Level of Service Handbook.

(2) Traffic Projections on Express Lane for Design Year 2040 as in Draft Traffic Projections for I-275 Systems Interchange Modification Report Update dated April 2016 was used.

(3) Based on FDOT’s 2013 Quality/Level of Service Handbook.





LOS estimate based on FDOT's 2012 Generalized LOS table for urbanized areas

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## **SECTION 8 ALTERNATIVES ANALYSIS**

### **8.1 NO-BUILD/REHABILITATION/REPAIR ALTERNATIVE**

In the mid-1950s, when this northbound bridge was originally designed, standard practice was to design for a 50-year life span. While that duration has now been exceeded and the bridge is located in a harsh saltwater environment, major past rehabilitation projects have helped to extend the life of the northbound structure.

As part of the alternatives analysis conducted for the northbound HFB replacement, the FDOT performed a “life-cycle cost analysis” (LCCA) in September 2011. LCCA is an engineering economic analysis tool that allows transportation officials to quantify the differential costs of alternative investment options for a given project. LCCA considers all agency expenditures and user costs throughout the life of an alternative, not only initial investments

A present-worth economic comparison was made between the Rehabilitation Alternative and the Replacement (“Build”) Alternative. The actual calculations are included in **Appendix D**. An 80-year analysis period was used for the cost comparison, which is consistent with the FHWA-recommended service life of 75 years for major bridge structures. An interest (“discount”) rate of 5 percent was used along with an annual inflation rate of 3 percent. Typical maintenance costs projected out for future years included repair/replacement of bearings, pile jackets with cathodic protection, painting, deck replacement, bridge rail repair/replacement, beam repairs, beam metalizing, cap repairs, footing repairs and fender system maintenance. Costs for the bridge replacement alternative did not include mobilization and maintenance of traffic, roadway approach work, or engineering design and inspection, as this information is not relevant.

The LCCA concluded that the present worth cost comparison to rehabilitate and maintain this bridge was approximately 25 percent greater than the replacement alternative. Therefore, based on the LCCA, it was recommended to replace the bridge.

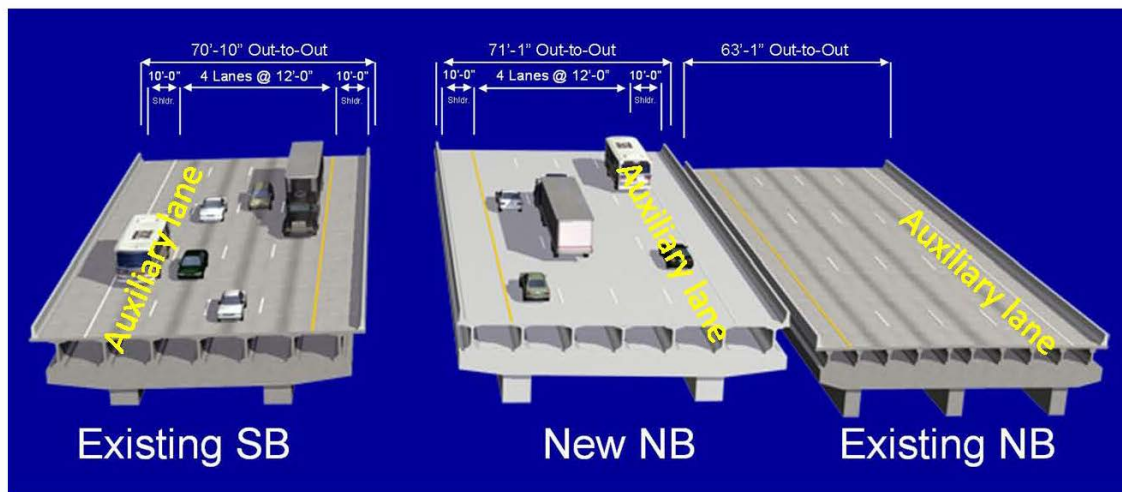
### **8.2 TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM MANAGEMENT & OPERATIONS (TSM&O)**

The FDOT currently employs an Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) to monitor traffic conditions on the HFB and to facilitate quick responses to traffic incidents and crashes. Beyond that existing system, additional TSM&O measures aren’t applicable for this bridge replacement study other than future planned upgrades to the existing ITS.

## 8.3 BUILD ALTERNATIVES

### 8.3.1 Original Proposed Typical Section

A new northbound bridge typical section (**Figure 8-1**) would approximately match that of the existing southbound bridge, to include 10-foot shoulders and four 12-foot travel lanes (three general through lanes and one auxiliary lane). The total out-to-out dimension would be slightly different due to different bridge railing dimensions. The typical sections on the roadway approaches would match and tie into the existing typical sections. This original bridge typical section was modified later as explained in **Sections 8.6 and 8.7** in this report.



**Figure 8-1 Original Proposed Typical Section for the Replacement Bridge Structure**  
(Centered Option Shown without additional 4 ft width for express lanes)

### 8.3.2 Alternative Alignments

Build Alternatives considered included replacement of the northbound bridge structure with a structure similar to the existing southbound bridge structure, on one of three alternative alignments, as shown in **Figure 8-2**:

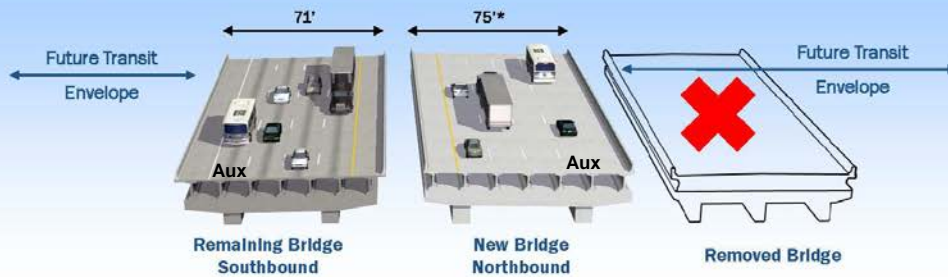
- A centered alignment between the two existing bridges (“Option A”)
- A new bridge on the west side of the existing southbound bridge (“Option B”), and
- A new bridge on the east side of the existing northbound bridge (“Option C”)

All three of these options would reserve space for a future “transit envelope” within the existing I-275 ROW to accommodate premium exclusive transit service within this corridor connecting Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties. Transit alignments could be accommodated on either side of the highway bridges.

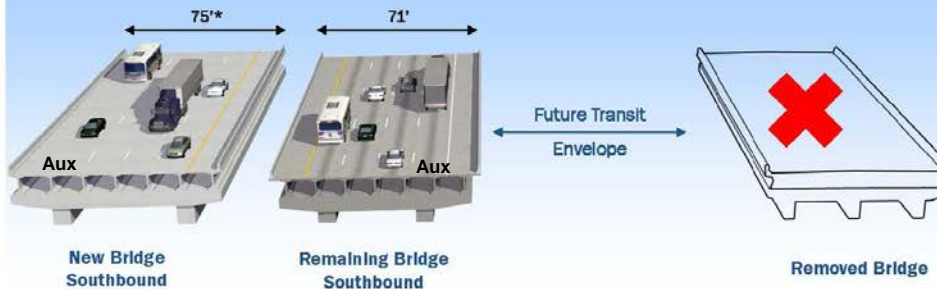
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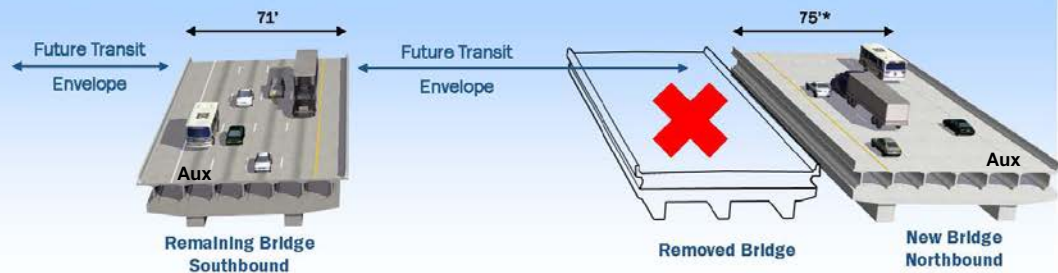
## Option A – New bridge in middle



## Option B – New bridge on west side



## Option C – New bridge on east side



**Notes:** All dimensions are rounded to the nearest foot. The existing right of way width is 2,000 feet on the bridge and causeway. \*Additional width is shown on the new bridge to accommodate a 4-foot buffer between express and general use lanes.

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Preliminary conceptual design plans for each of the three alternatives are included in **Appendix A**. The centered alignment option would require stage construction of the new bridge, as conceptually shown in **Figure 8-3**. Preliminary capital cost estimates are provided in **Table 8-1**. All costs were based on the department’s Long-Range Estimates (LRE) System and in 2013 dollars. Cost estimates for the 2016 Recommended Build Alternative are included in **Table 8-3** based on additional refinements.

**Table 8-1 NB HFB Replacement Cost Estimates for the Original Alignment Alternatives**

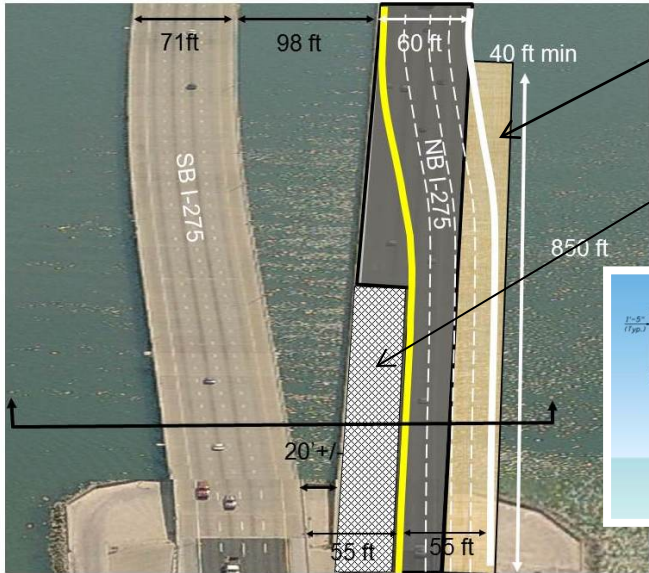
Component	Unit	Approx Unit Cost	West Alignment		Center Alignment		East Alignment	
			Quantities	Cost	Quantities	Cost <sup>1</sup>	Quantities	Cost
NB New Bridge	SF	\$ 143	1,192,125	\$ 170,318,710	1,192,125	\$ 170,318,710	1,192,125	\$ 170,318,710
Temporary NB Bridge Widening	SF	\$ 141	0	\$ -	60,000	\$ 8,458,724	0	\$ -
NB Bridge Removal <sup>1</sup>	SF	\$ 30	1,001,259	\$ 30,089,969	1,061,259	\$ 31,895,370	1,001,259	\$ 30,089,969
Roadway Transitions	LF	\$ 2,100	6,350	\$ 13,335,000	2,800	\$ 6,007,178	4,950	\$ 10,395,000
Seawall	LF	\$ 3,000	6,130	\$ 18,390,000	0	\$ -	5,300	\$ 15,900,000
Access Rd Rebuild	LF	\$ 1,000	3,900	\$ 3,900,000	0	\$ -	3,900	\$ 3,900,000
Mitigation Costs	AC	\$ 1,000,000	4.00	\$ 4,000,000	0	\$ -	3.25	\$ 3,250,000
Signing/Lighting				\$ 1,345,000		\$ 1,052,594		\$ 1,320,000
Added Costs for Const Staging				\$ -		\$ 8,000,000		\$ -
Maintenance of Traffic (MOT)		10%		\$ 24,137,868		\$ 22,573,258		\$ 23,517,368
Mobilization		10%		\$ 26,551,655		\$ 24,830,583		\$ 25,869,105
<b>Construction Subtotal</b>				<b>\$ 292,068,202</b>		<b>\$ 273,136,416</b>		<b>\$ 284,560,152</b>
Contingencies		25%		\$ 73,067,051		\$ 68,484,104		\$ 71,340,038
<b>Construction Total</b>				<b>\$ 365,135,253</b>		<b>\$ 341,620,520</b>		<b>\$ 355,900,190</b>
Design for DB (8%)		8%		\$ 23,365,456		\$ 21,850,913		\$ 22,764,812
CEI (7%)		7%		\$ 27,195,050		\$ 25,443,000		\$ 26,506,550
<b>Design, Const. &amp; CEI</b>				<b>\$ 415,695,759</b>		<b>\$ 388,914,434</b>		<b>\$ 405,171,552</b>

<sup>1</sup>Includes cost for removal of temporary bridge widening (say \$420 million) (say \$390 million) (say \$410 million)

(Costs shown in Table 8-1 were updated as described in **Section 8.5** and shown in **Table 8-3**)

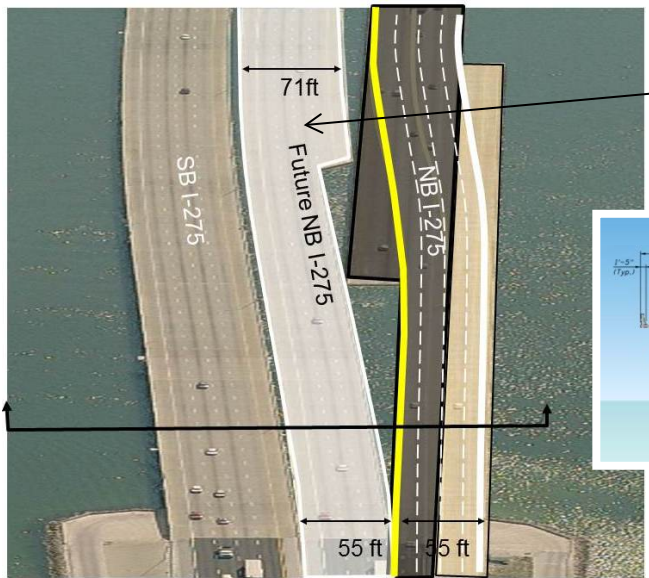
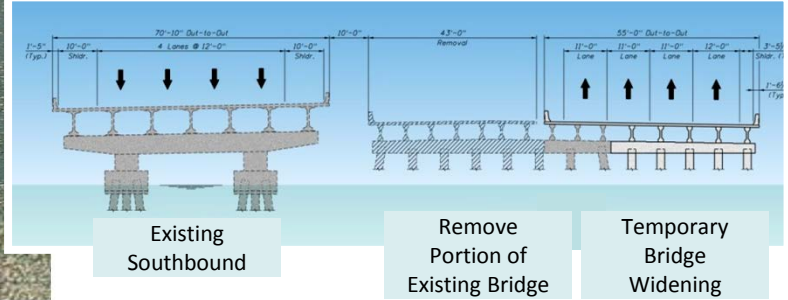
#### 8.4 ORIGINAL EVALUATION MATRIX

The three original alignment options described above were compared in an evaluation matrix as shown in **Table 8-2**. The primary difference in the alignment options originally, aside from costs, is the difference in impacts to seagrasses and differences in construction complexities. In addition, the centered option would have required stage construction at the ends of the new bridge as noted above and shown on **Figure 8-3**.

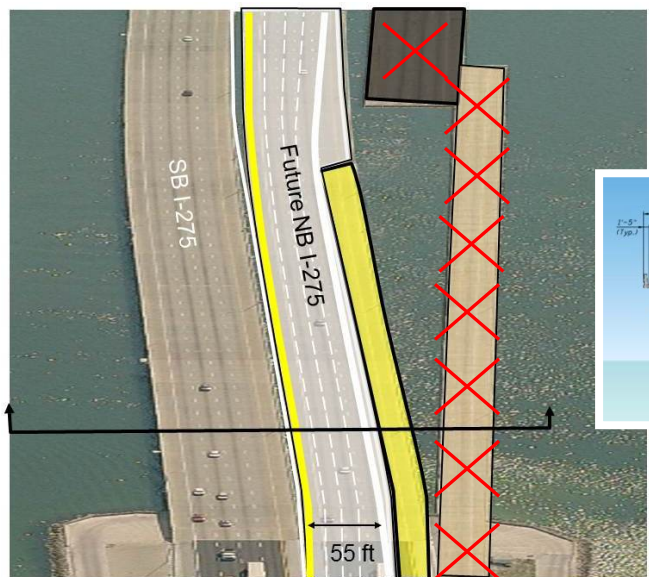
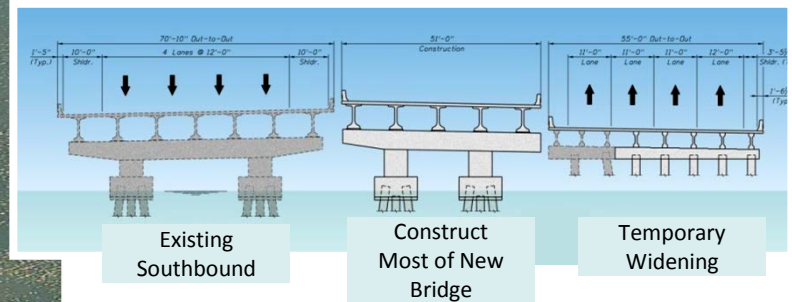


Stage 1: Construct temporary bridge widening

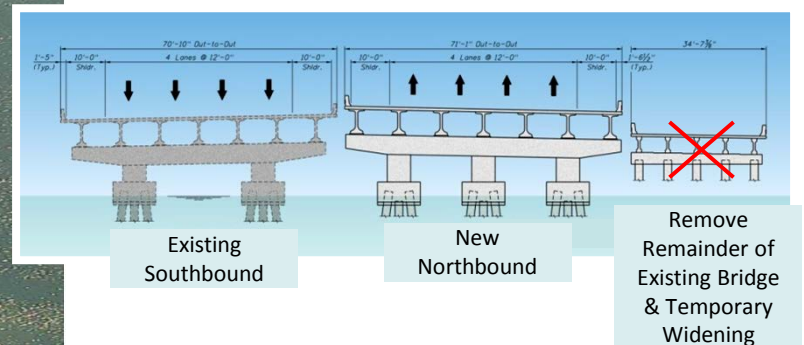
Stage 2: Realign traffic and remove portion of existing structure



Stage 3: Construct most of the new structure using a combination of barges and a gantry crane



Stage 4: Shift traffic onto new structure, remove old structure and complete construction of new bridge



(The same concept applies to both north and south ends of the HFB)

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**Conceptual Construction Staging Plan for Centered Alternative**

**Figure 8-3**

**Table 8-2 Original Alternatives Evaluation Matrix for Northbound HFB Replacement**

(Costs shown in Table 8-2 were updated as described in Section 8.6 and shown in Table 8-4)

Evaluation Criteria	Bridge "Repair/ Rehab"	Alignment Alternatives		
		Western (Option B)	Centered (Option A)	Eastern (Option C)
<b>Potential Relocations</b>				
Number of Businesses and Residences	0	0	0	0
<b>Potential Right-of-Way (ROW) Impacts</b>				
Additional ROW Needed (acres)	0	0	0	0
<b>Potential Net Environmental Effects</b>				
Archaeological/Historical Sites	0	0	0	0
Noise-Sensitive Sites <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0
Seagrasses (acres)	0	3.7	0.0	3.1
Mangroves (acres)	0	0	0	0
Pinellas Aquatic Preserve/OFW Encroachment by Fill (acres)	0	0	0	0
Threatened and Endangered Species, Potential Involvement with	low	moderate	low	moderate
Petroleum Contamination & Hazardous Material Sites	0	0	0	0
<b>Estimated Project Costs <sup>2</sup></b>		<b>(Costs in \$ millions, rounded)</b>		
Right of Way Acquisition		\$0	\$0	\$0
Construction Costs				
New Northbound (NB) Bridge	See separate comparison of life-cycle costs of Build vs Rehab Alternatives	\$170	\$170	\$170
Temporary Widening of NB Bridge		-	\$8	-
Demolition of Existing NB Bridge		\$30	\$32	\$30
Roadway Transitions		\$13	\$6	\$16
Seawall		\$18	-	\$16
Access Road Reconstruction		\$4	-	\$4
Seagrass/Wetlands Mitigation <sup>3</sup>		\$4	-	\$3
Signing/Lighting		\$1	\$1	\$1
Added Construction Staging Costs		-	\$8	-
Maintenance of Traffic (10%)		\$24	\$23	\$24
Mobilization (10%)		\$27	\$25	\$26
Additional Contingencies (25%/+/-)		\$73	\$68	\$71
Engineering Design-Build/CE&I <sup>4</sup> (8%/7%)		\$57	\$47	\$49
<b>Prelim. Estimate of Total Project Costs <sup>5</sup></b>		<b>\$420</b>	<b>\$390</b>	<b>\$410</b>
Notes: 1) Sites located within 66dBA noise contour.		Rev. 9/24/2013		
2) Year 2013 costs in millions of dollars., Construction Costs based on FDOT's LRE system costs.				
3) Estimated at \$500,000 per acre of impact, for preliminary budgeting purposes.				
4) CE&I = construction engineering and inspection.				
5) Rounded to 2 significant figures - Costs are rounded above and may not add up to exact total shown				

## 8.5 THE VIADUCT ALTERNATIVE

Subsequent to the initial public hearing for the proposed project, the study team was asked to evaluate a viaduct alternative, which might look similar to the photo shown below (of the Selmon Expressway reversible lanes), except that it would be about 60 percent wider. The viaduct alternative would retain the existing northbound bridge and construct a new 93-foot wide bridge between the existing two bridges for four elevated express lanes. The existing bridges would remain as they are now, with three general-use lane and one auxiliary lane in each direction. The viaduct structure would be approximately one mile longer than the existing three-mile long bridges.



The horizontal spacing between the northbound and southbound bridges narrows from 98 feet to approximately 10 feet at the bridge ends, which would require the new express lanes to be carried over the existing lanes by elevating on a viaduct-type structure.

A cost comparison of the viaduct alternative with the previously recommended build alternative is included in Table 8-3. With the viaduct alternative, the replacement of the existing northbound bridge would be deferred, so the costs for removal of the existing bridge are not included in this comparison as the year of replacement is not known. Complexities would arise when the existing northbound bridge is removed in the future due to the vertical location of the viaduct at the bridge ends.



**Table 8-3 Cost Comparison for the Viaduct Alternative**

Estimated Capital Costs		(Cost in \$ millions, rounded)
	Original PD&E Recommended Alternative (center bridge) from Table 8-2	Viaduct Alternative
<b>Right-of-Way Acquisition</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>
<b>Construction Costs</b>		
New Bridge	\$170 (NB Replacement)	\$ 349 (New bridge for 4 Express lanes now, there will be future cost for existing NB bridge replacement)
Temporary Widening of NB Bridge	\$ 8	\$ 0
Demolition of Existing NB Bridge	\$ 32	\$ 0 (now, but deferred)
Roadway Transitions	\$ 6	\$ 35
Seawall replacement	\$ 0	\$ 30
Access Road Reconstruction	\$ 0	\$ 1
Seagrass/Wetlands Mitigation (acres impacted)	0 acres	approx. 1.5 acres
Signing/Lighting	\$ 1	\$ 1
Special Construction Staging Costs	\$ 8	\$ 23 (incl. gantry)
Maintenance of Traffic (10%)	\$ 23	\$ 44
Mobilization (10%)	\$ 25	\$ 48
Additional Contingencies (25%+/-)	\$ 68	\$ 133
<b>Construction Total</b>	<b>\$ 343</b>	<b>\$ 666</b>
<b>Engineering Design-Build/CE&amp;I (8%/7%)</b>	<b>\$ 47</b>	<b>\$ 100</b>
<b>Additional contingency for strengthening structure for future light-rail transit</b>	<b>\$ 25</b>	<b>\$ unknown</b>
<b>Preliminary Estimate of Total Capital Costs</b>	<b>\$ 415</b>	<b>\$ 766</b>

2013 costs rounded to nearest \$1 million, so may not add up to exact total

**Advantages for the Viaduct Alternative**

- Four additional lanes constructed initially.
- Top-down construction helps minimize construction from barges that may be challenging to maneuver between the existing piers (the span lengths for southbound bridge are greater than the northbound bridge)
- Entire Viaduct bridge could be built throughout the bridge length, as opposed to the PD&E recommended alternative, which at the ends would need to be built in stages due to the narrow median at the ends. This would decrease the overall construction time.
- In keeping 4 lanes of traffic open during construction, the existing northbound bridge does not need to be temporarily widened.

- Removal of the northbound bridge could be deferred; however, maintenance costs to keep the structure in service will increase over time. The current analysis shows that it's more cost effective to replace than to maintain the bridge.

#### **Disadvantages for the Viaduct Alternative**

- Using 12-foot lanes, 10-foot outside and 6-foot inside shoulders, the Viaduct bridge would be approximately 93 feet wide. There is only 98 feet of horizontal space between the existing northbound and southbound structures (not including the existing light poles hung on pilasters along the inside barrier walls of the existing bridges). This would require an extremely tight construction window or the entire bridge to be built in stages to maintain safe horizontal clearances.
- Four additional lanes from the viaduct could not be maintained coming off the bridge without creating a bottleneck. Currently, the SR 60 interchange is a substantial constraint, so not all of the new lanes could be utilized effectively until that interchange is fully built-out. The additional lanes would also need to be carried southbound into Pinellas County.
- Direct overhead construction at the bridge ends, would require at least temporary closure of one or two northbound and southbound lanes.
- Raising the profile of the viaduct at the ends would result in an elevation close to the same as the “hump” in the main span. While it is possible the profile for the viaduct could drop to match the planned northbound profile (several feet higher than the existing and higher southbound bridge due to proposed wave dynamics), a steeply rolling grade would result, creating a large sag on each side of the hump. This large sag, while meeting standards, could create a sense of low sight distance for drivers, especially in heavy rain, fog or dawn/dusk situations, potentially lowering safety. Thus the sags would need to be lessened, resulting in a substantially higher structure for most parts of the bridge, except for the “hump”.
- To make horizontal space for the Viaduct express lanes to drop to grade, the existing northbound and southbound general lanes would need to be reconstructed and shifted outwards, thus requiring the causeway to be widened. This requires moving the seawall which protects the roadway to be moved out and results in permanent and temporary impacts to existing seagrass beds that is not required in the PD&E recommended alternative. In the Pinellas County end, these seagrasses are situated in the aquatic preserve, thus elevating their sensitivity. These new impacts would require mitigation and concurrence by National Marine Fisheries and other permitting agencies.
- Higher cost than replacement alternative due to longer structure (additional ½ mile on each end).
- Higher unit cost (per square foot of bridge) than replacement alternative due to increased vertical elevation at ends and single column pier design requires much larger pier columns to support the structure.

- With ends of northbound and southbound bridge situated under viaduct structure, future bridge removal would be more complex as it would require working under low vertical clearances (could not use cranes to remove elements)
- Constructing the viaduct strong enough for future transit loading would require an early agreement from local agencies on the type and loading requirements of future transit. In addition, if this bridge carried one express lane in each direction plus a rail envelope, the overall bridge width would need to be approximately 99 feet wide, too wide to be built initially without being carried entirely over the existing northbound and southbound lanes.
- Future transit (say rail) would best be built with a new bridge either to the west of the southbound bridge or east of the northbound bridge; however, on the Hillsborough side, the current strategy for future transit would require the transit alignment to cross-over the roadway lanes and occupy the median. The cost for the separate rail structure may need to be considered in the overall costs of the corridor.

### Conclusions

Based on the differences in the initial capital costs, as well as a greater number of disadvantages, this viaduct alternative was eliminated from further consideration.

### **8.6 SUBSEQUENT CONSTRUCTION EVALUATION OF ALTERNATIVE ALIGNMENTS**

In early 2016, the FDOT Construction office evaluated the project alternatives for construction-related issues including construction time, ease of access and work areas, and maintenance of traffic during construction. It is difficult to put an exact cost on some of these items because many of them are “soft costs” and not necessarily, quantity-based differences in cost estimating. It was estimated that constructing the new bridge with a center alignment, between the existing bridges, would result in greater complexities during the construction process than an alignment with the new bridge either west or east of the existing bridges. Constructing the new bridge to the east would require demolition of the existing northbound bridge in the center of the new and remaining southbound bridge, while constructing the new bridge to the west eliminates the demolition in the center. Constructing the new bridge to the outside creates greater work areas and likely would reduce construction time due to avoiding widening of the existing bridge that is needed with the center option, additional demolition that would result from this widening, and being able to have more work crews involved with pile driving and deck pours. An outside alignment streamlines the delivery of materials for the new bridge with fewer potential obstructions that the center option would require. Construction time is estimated at about 5.8 years for the center alignment, compared to 3.1 to 5.2 years for the west alignment and 3.1 to 4.5 years for the east alignment. The time range is dependent on the number of crews that the construction entity can provide for the project.

Lane closures can be minimized during the maintenance of traffic with a west/east alignment compared to the center alignment. Simplified maintenance of traffic would lower construction costs, reduce lane closures and thus increase safety of workers and the traveling public. It is

understood that more materials can be delivered by barge from the water with a west/east alignment as opposed to from the roadway/bridge for the center alignment, thus reducing night-time lane/shoulder closures on I-275 during construction. This allows more construction work to take place during the daytime as opposed to nighttime. The temporary widening of the existing bridge which was required for the center option required a lane closure to construct. With a west or east alignment, the widening is eliminated and thus the related lane closure is eliminated. Lane closures for the west or east alignments would be limited to periods when the roadway approaches are being widened/realigned to line up with the new bridge location. An east alignment requires some construction on the approach in the future median area to remove approach pavement for the southbound lanes. All approach work for the west alignment would occur to the outside of travel lanes, streamlining construction and avoiding the need to close the left/inside lane on the mainline during that work.

The extent of existing seagrasses in the Bay is of higher quality on the south (east) side of the bridge corridor. Thus, the east alignment would create greater impacts to higher quality seagrasses than a west alignment because of areas where the causeway is widened, pushing the seawall further into the bay on that side. Due to the differences of seagrass impacts and the construction and maintenance of traffic-related concerns noted above, the center alignment was dropped from consideration and the west alignment was selected as the revised Recommended Build Alternative. An updated evaluation matrix was prepared comparing the previous recommended alignment (center bridge) with the revised recommended alignment (west bridge) (Table 8-4).

### 8.7 RECOMMENDED BUILD ALTERNATIVE

The year 2016 Recommended Build Alternative included a 75-foot wide four-lane bridge on a west-shifted alignment with the capability to convert one lane to a tolled express lane (Figure 8-4), as described above in Section 8.6. The extra four feet of width would have allowed room for a buffer to separate the general use lanes from the proposed express lane.

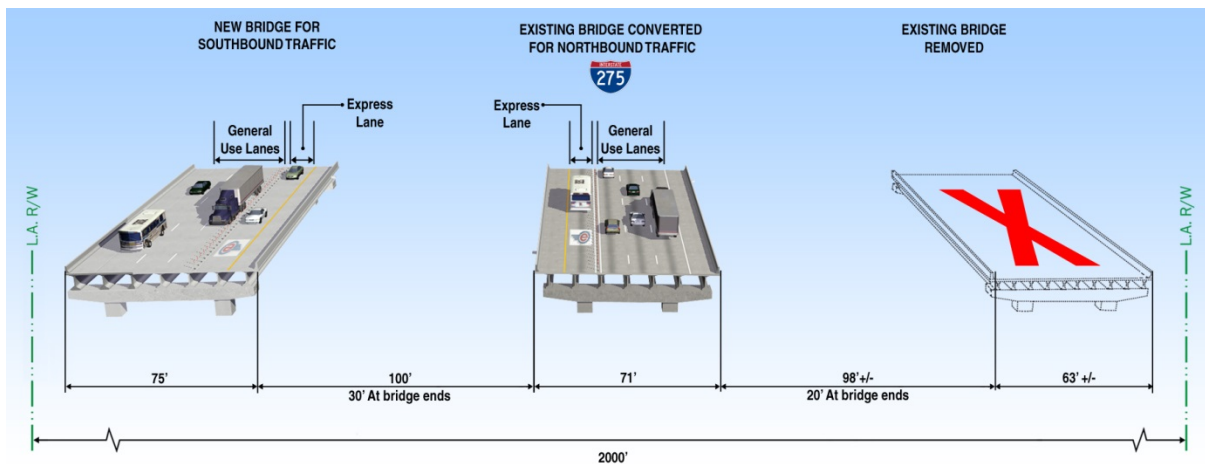


Figure 8-4 Year 2016 Recommended Bridge Typical Sections (now Superseded)

**Table 8-4 Alternatives Evaluation Matrix for 2016 Recommended Build Alternative**

Evaluation Criteria	No-Build Alternative	Previously Proposed Build Alternative (Center Bridge)	Recommended Build Alternative (West Bridge)
<b>Potential Relocations</b>			
Number of Businesses and Residences	0	0	0
<b>Potential Right-of-Way (ROW) Impacts</b>			
Additional ROW Needed (acres)	0	0	0
<b>Potential Net Environmental Effects</b>			
Archaeological/Historical Sites	0	0	0
Noise-Sensitive Sites	0	0	0
Seagrasses (acres)	0.0	0.0	2.3
Mangroves (acres)	0	0	0
Pinellas Aquatic Preserve/Outstanding Florida Water Encroachment by Fill (acres)	0.0	0.0	3.3
Threatened and Endangered Species, Potential Involvement	low	low	low
Petroleum Contamination & Hazardous Material Sites	0	0	0
<b>Construction Complexities</b>			
Estimated Construction Time	N/A	Up to 6 years	3 to 5 years
Potential Lane Closures on I-275 During Construction	N/A	Nightly and Possibly Long Duration Closures of inside lanes across bridge	Limited Closures of outside lane on causeway during construction of roadway approaches
Lateral Work Space for Contractor to Construct New Bridge	N/A	Constrained 98' lateral space to build 75' wide new bridge	Little Constraint 100' space to nearest bridge and only on one side
<b>Estimated Capital and Future Bridge Maintenance Costs <sup>1</sup></b>		<b>(Cost in \$ millions, rounded)</b>	
Right-of-Way Acquisition	\$0	\$0	\$0
Bridge Maintenance Costs (75 year span)	\$460	\$8	\$6
Seagrass/Wetlands Mitigation	\$0	\$0	\$5
<b>Construction Costs</b>			
New Northbound (NB) Bridge	\$0	\$183	\$183
Temporary Widening of NB Bridge	\$0	\$11	\$0
Demolition of Existing NB Bridge	\$0	\$68	\$63
Roadway Transitions	\$0	\$6	\$11
Seawall	\$0	\$0	\$19
Access Road Reconstruction	\$0	\$0	\$2
Signing/Lighting	\$0	\$2	\$2
Added Construction Staging Costs	\$0	\$8	\$0
Maintenance of Traffic (6%-10%)	\$0	\$27	\$17
Mobilization (7%-10%)	\$0	\$31	\$21
Additional Contingencies (5%+/-)	\$0	\$51	\$48
Engineering Design-Build/CE&I <sup>2</sup> (8%/7%)	\$0	\$57	\$52
Construction and Engineering (CE&I Costs)	\$0	\$444	\$418
Additional Costs to Increase Strength of New Bridge for Future Transit Loading	\$0	\$25	\$25
<b>Preliminary Estimate of Total Capital and Future Bridge Maintenance Costs<sup>3,4</sup></b>	<b>\$460 (rounded)</b>	<b>\$477 (rounded)</b>	<b>\$454 (rounded)</b>

Notes: 1) Year 2019 costs in millions of dollars. Construction costs based on FDOT's 2016 LRE system costs inflated to 2019.

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2) CE&I = construction engineering and inspection. 3) Costs above rounded to nearest \$1 million, so may not add up to exact total

4) Present Day (2016) costs are \$435 million for No-build Alternative, \$454 million for Previously Proposed (Center Bridge) & \$431 million for Recommended Alternative (West)

In late 2016, various members of the public and media expressed opposition to the proposed bridge replacement concept which would “convert” the existing (free) auxiliary lanes (on both HFB bridges) to tolled express lanes. In response to the concerns voiced, in October 2016 the FDOT announced that they would reconsider the proposed bridge replacement concept. Following internal meetings and informal alternatives analysis, in January 2017 the FDOT announced a revised plan to construct a new bridge which would include four general use lanes and a tolled express lane in each direction. As a result, the new bridge would be 56 feet wider to accommodate the additional lanes, shoulders and barrier separations.

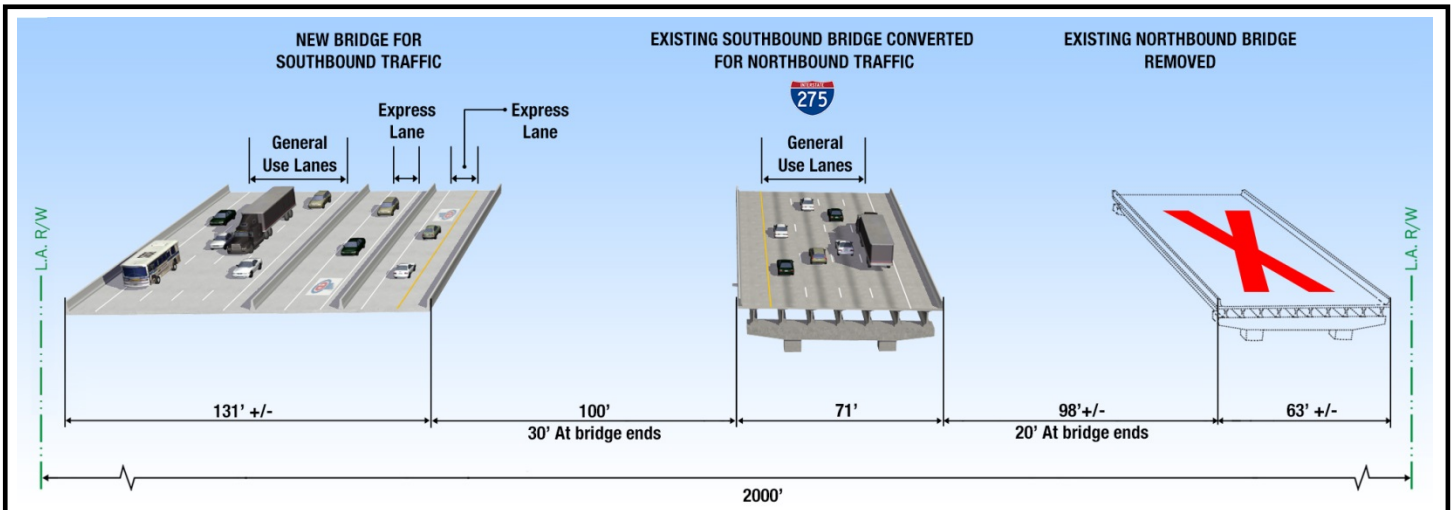
The early 2017 Recommended Build Alternative included constructing the new wider bridge to the west side of the existing southbound bridge as shown in **Figure 8-5**. The new bridge included four 12-foot general use lanes and one 12-foot tolled express lane in each direction, which were, at that time, consistent with the “Starter Project” for FDOT’s Tampa Bay Express program. The tolled express lanes were barrier separated from the general use lanes and also barrier separated from each other. These lanes could be used by express bus and Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) vehicles in addition to private motor vehicles.

The overall width of the bridge would have been approximately 131 feet. Demolition of the existing northbound bridge was included as part of the bridge construction. The longer-range future transit envelope was proposed to be located on the west side of the to-be-constructed new bridge.

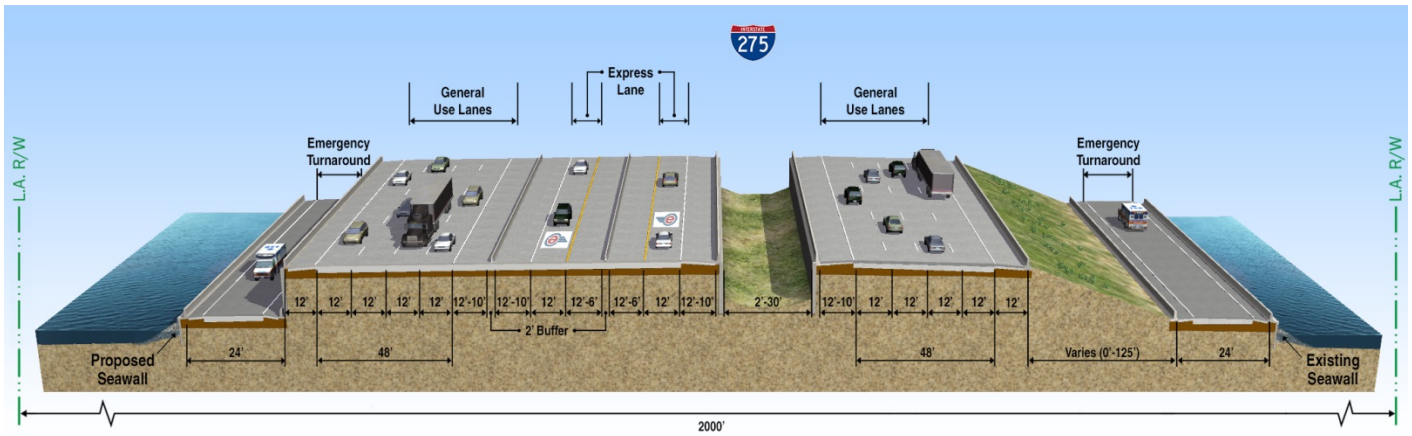
In October 2017, the FDOT revised the bridge plan again, as a result of coordination with agencies and continued public outreach. The revised plan provides an additional express lane in each direction as well as the addition of a shared-use path (“trail”). The October 2017 Recommended Build Alternative includes constructing the new bridge to the west side of the existing southbound bridge with a cross section that includes four 12-foot general use lanes (same as the existing bridges), two 12-foot tolled express lanes in each direction and a 12-foot shared-use path (“trail”) on the west side. The tolled express lanes will be barrier separated from the general use lanes and also barrier separated between each direction of travel. The trail will also be barrier separated from vehicular traffic lanes. The overall width of the bridge will be approximately 170 feet.

The tolled express lanes could be used by express bus and Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) vehicles in addition to private motor vehicles. The proposed improvements are consistent with Tampa Bay Next, FDOT’s program to modernize Tampa Bay’s transportation infrastructure.

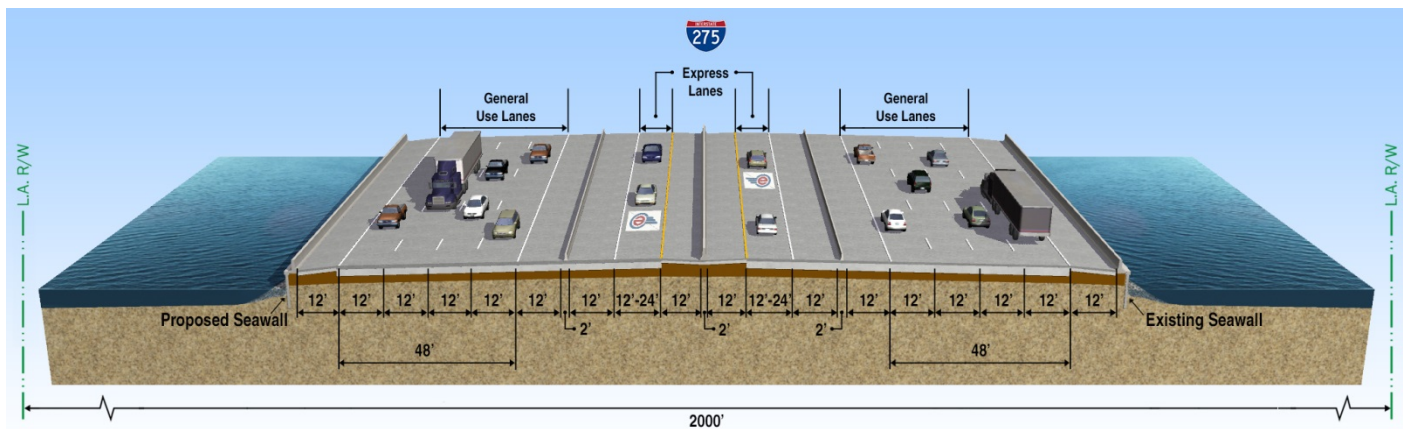
Proposed typical sections for the new bridge and the roadway approaches are shown in **Figures 8-6** and **8-7**, respectively. In addition, an updated Alternatives Evaluation Matrix is included in **Table 8-5**.



**Bridge Typical Sections**



**South Approach near Bridge Ends**



**Causeway Approaches to the Bridges**

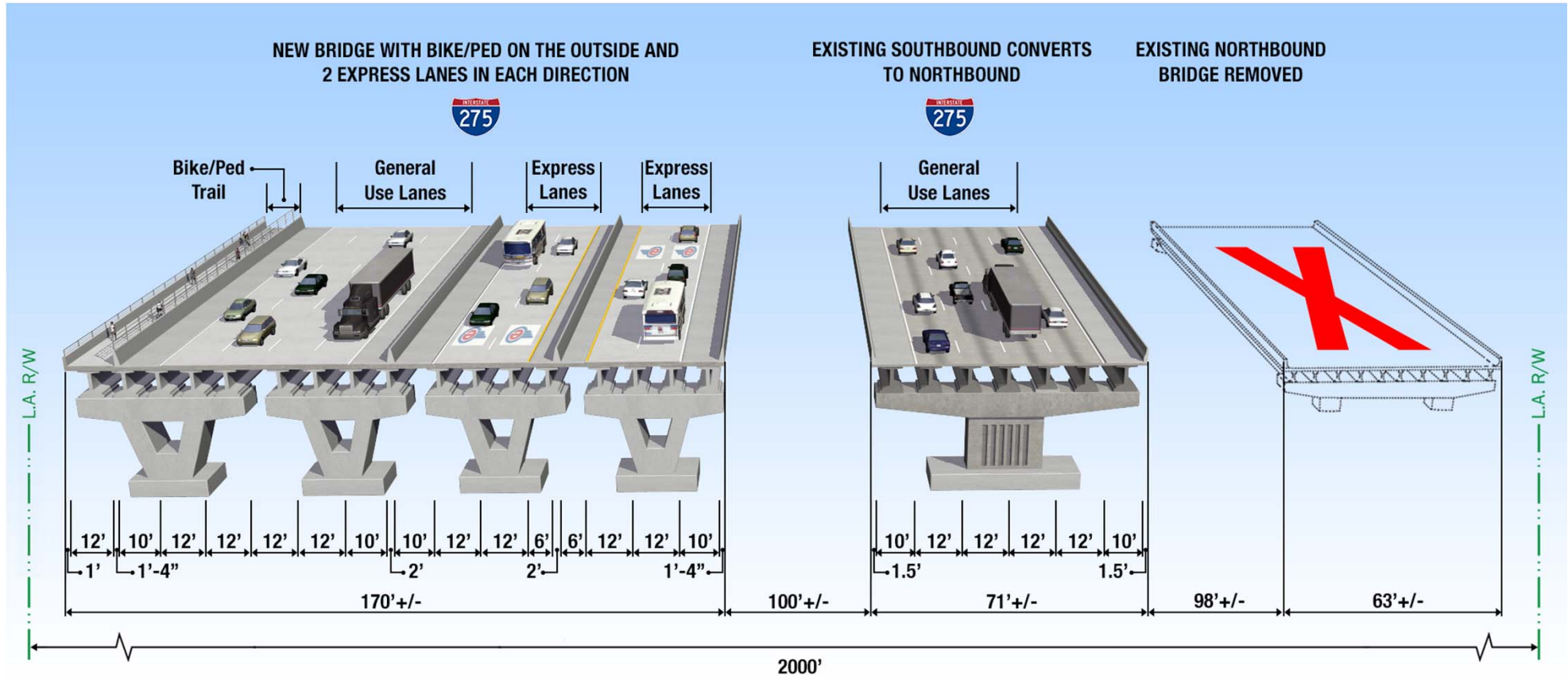
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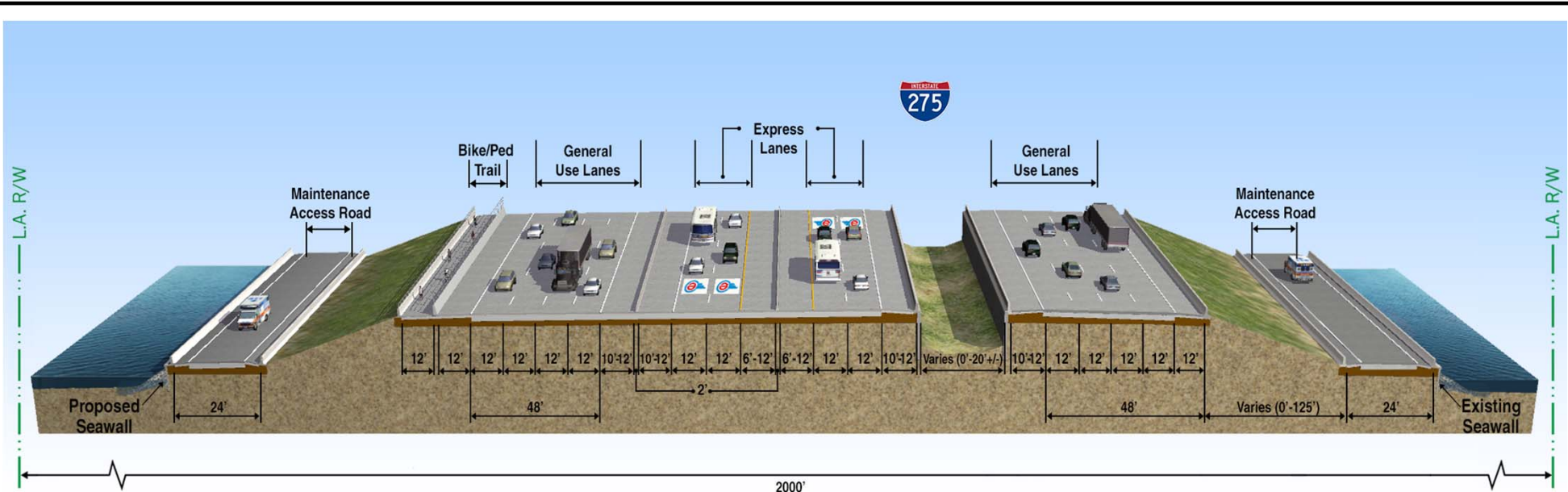
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**Early 2017 Recommended Build Alternative Typical Sections**

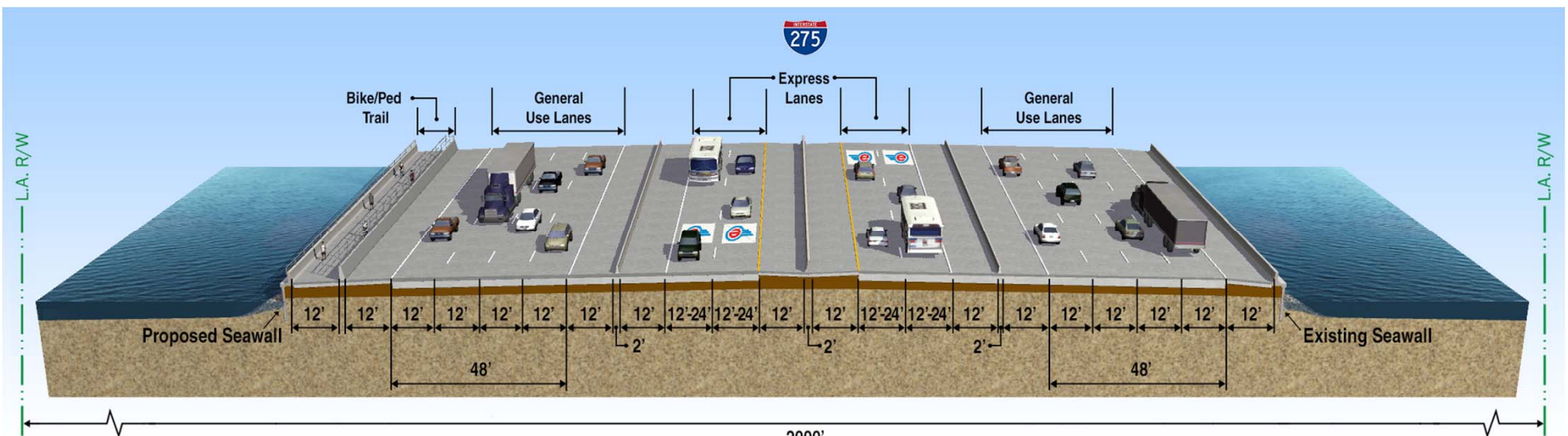
**Figure 8-5**







South Approach Near Bridge End



Causeway Approach South of the Bridge

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**Table 8-5 Revised Alternative Evaluation Matrix**

Evaluation Criteria	No-Build Alternative	2013 Public Hearing Alternative (Center Bridge)	2016 Recommended Build Alternative (West Bridge)	2017 Wider Recommended Build Alternative (West Bridge)
<b>Number of Lanes (General-Express-Express-General)</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>3-1-1-3</b>	<b>4-1-1-4</b>	<b>4-2-2-4</b>
<b>Year 2040 Level of Service (LOS)</b>				
LOS for General Use Lanes/Express Lanes	F	F/D	F/D	E/D
Percent over capacity (LOS D) for General Use Lanes	49%	80%	27%	9%
<b>Potential Relocations</b>				
Number of Businesses and Residences	0	0	0	0
<b>Potential Right-of-Way (ROW) Impacts</b>				
Additional ROW Needed (acres)	0	0	0	0
<b>Potential Net Environmental Effects</b>				
Archaeological/Historical Sites	0	0	0	0
Noise-Sensitive Sites	0	0	0	0
Seagrasses (acres)	0.0	0.0	2.3	9.5
Mangroves (acres)	0	0	0	0
Pinellas Aquatic Preserve/Outstanding Florida Water Encroachment by Fill (acres)	0.0	0.0	3.3	13.7
Threatened and Endangered Species, Potential Involvement	low	low	low	low
Petroleum Contamination & Hazardous Material Sites	0	0	0	0
Bicycle/Pedestrian Accommodations	None	None	None	Shared Use Path
<b>Construction Complexities</b>				
Estimated Construction Time	N/A	Up to 6 years	3 to 5 years	3 to 5 years
Potential Lane Closures on I-275 During Construction	N/A	Nightly and Possibly Long Duration Closures of inside lanes across bridge	Limited Closures of outside lane on causeway during construction of roadway approaches	Limited Closures of outside lane on causeway during construction of roadway approaches
Lateral Work Space for Contractor to Construct New Bridge	N/A	Constrained 98' lateral space to build 75' wide new bridge	Little Constraint 100' space to nearest bridge and only on one side	Little Constraint 100' space to nearest bridge and only on one side
<b>Estimated Capital and Future Bridge Maintenance Costs <sup>1</sup> (Cost in \$ millions, rounded)</b>				
Right-of-Way Acquisition	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Seagrass/Wetlands Mitigation	\$0	\$0	\$5	\$0
<b>Construction Costs</b>				
New Bridge	\$0	\$183	\$183	\$396
Temporary Widening of NB Bridge	\$0	\$11	\$0	\$0
Demolition of Existing NB Bridge	\$0	\$68	\$63	\$35
Roadway Transitions & Causeway Shared Use Path	\$0	\$6	\$11	\$30
Seawall	\$0	\$0	\$19	\$26
Access Road Reconstruction	\$0	\$0	\$2	\$4
Signing/Lighting	\$0	\$2	\$2	\$10
Added Construction Staging Costs	\$0	\$8	\$0	\$0
Maintenance of Traffic (6%-10%)	\$0	\$27	\$17	\$32
Mobilization (7%-10%)	\$0	\$31	\$21	\$39
Additional Contingencies (15%+/-)	\$0	\$51	\$48	\$90
Engineering Design-Build/CE&I <sup>2</sup> (7%/7%)	\$0	\$57	\$52	\$96
Construction and Engineering (CE&I Costs)	\$0	\$444	\$418	\$758
Additional Costs to Increase Strength of New Bridge for Future Transit Loading	\$0	\$25	\$25	\$27
<b>Preliminary Estimate of Total Capital Costs <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$477 (rounded)</b>	<b>\$454 (rounded)</b>	<b>\$785 (rounded)</b>
Bridge Maintenance Costs (75 year span)	\$460	\$8	\$6	\$6
<b>Preliminary Estimate of Total Capital and Future Bridge Maintenance Costs <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>\$460 (rounded)</b>	<b>\$485 (rounded)</b>	<b>\$460 (rounded)</b>	<b>\$791 (rounded)</b>

Notes: 1) Construction costs based on FDOT's LRE system costs. 2017 are present day costs; previous years are as reported previously.

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2) CE&I = construction engineering and inspection.

3) Costs above rounded to nearest \$1 million, so may not add up to exact total.

The new bridge is proposed to be constructed several feet higher than the existing southbound bridge in order to clear the predicted 100-year wave crest elevation, to minimize the chance of structural damage during an extreme weather event. A conceptual proposed roadway/bridge profile is shown in **Figure 8-8** along with the existing northbound and southbound bridge profiles. The proposed profile will be refined during the future design-build phase as the bridge superstructure is determined. In addition to the build alternatives considered, a No-Build and a Rehabilitation option were also considered during the study process.

The announcement of the October 2017 Recommended Build Alternative included a list of the reported benefits of the new design:

- The new design will improve incident management in emergency response situations, which addresses safety concerns raised by the community during our outreach process.
- Hurricane evacuation plans can utilize all the lanes. In the aftermath of Hurricane Irma, this is particularly important for coastal Pinellas County, the most densely populated county in Florida.
- The new design would provide improved operations of Express Bus Service and better accommodate the possibility of future transit.
- The new design includes a bicycle/pedestrian trail, which accommodates requests from both the Hillsborough MPO and Forward Pinellas and reflects the increased emphasis the community has asked us to place on bicycle/pedestrian facilities.
- In order to accommodate light rail in the future, we would not have to construct a third bridge as called for in the previous plan. We would only need to widen the existing southbound bridge and shift some of the travel lanes to the widened bridge, which would be more cost efficient and less impactful to the environment.
- This new design would accommodate future demand at a much lower cost than adding lanes as part of future construction.
- The additional express lane in each direction will better prepare the Howard Frankland Bridge for the potential of autonomous vehicles. Experts believe that initially autonomous vehicles (passenger and transit) may operate in dedicated lanes.

Following the public hearing held on November 14 & 16, 2017, the Department selected a “Preferred Build Alternative” for this PD&E study. The Preferred Build Alternative consists of replacing the existing northbound Howard Frankland Bridge (Bridge No. 150107) with a new structure approximately 170 feet in width, as shown in **Figure 8-6**. The new bridge is proposed to be constructed approximately 100 feet to the west/north of the existing southbound (1990’s) bridge,

with less distance near the ends of the bridge. The new bridge will carry four southbound general use lanes, two express lanes in each direction that are barrier separated, and a barrier separated 12 foot shared-use path (bike/ped trail). The existing northbound (1960's) bridge will be demolished as part of the project. In addition, the approach spans of the new bridge are proposed to be constructed approximately 8 feet higher than those of the existing 1990's bridge to reduce the probability of damage due to wave action associated with an extreme storm event. In addition, space for future transit modes is provided for in an "envelope" on the inside portion (where the express lanes are planned), as shown in the future ultimate typical section, **Figure 8-10**. No additional right of way will be required. The existing right of way along the study area is sufficient at 2000 feet wide.

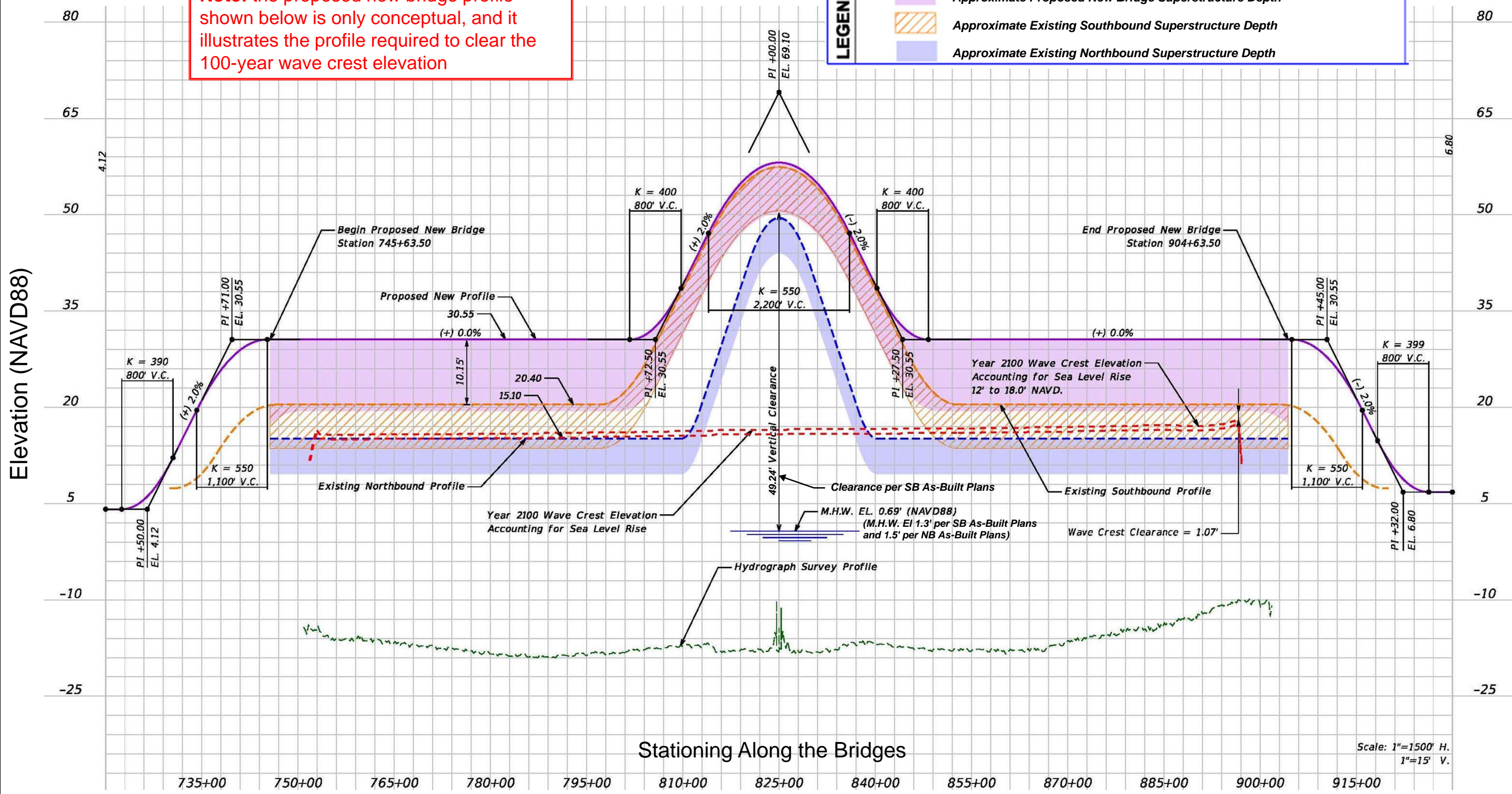
The overall PD&E Study length begins 1 mile south of the bridge and ends 0.5 miles north of the bridge. The proposed bridge typical section will also extend beyond the bridge to the ends of the study area. To accommodate this section, the causeway on either ends of the bridge will need to be widened to the west/north and the existing seawall will need to be replaced in a new location. The existing maintenance access roads along the causeways that circle under the bridge ends will be replaced. See **Figure 8-7** for typical section along causeway. The proposed construction will result in approximately 9.5 acres of seagrass impacts. South of the bridge, on the Pinellas causeway, slip ramps are proposed to provide vehicles access between the general use lanes and the express lanes. A future gantry will be located south of the bridge for the future collection of tolls for the northbound traffic. The exact location of the slip ramps and gantry are still being finalized by the District. **Appendix A** includes concept plans for the Preferred Build Alternative.

The future connections of the shared use path on the Pinellas and Hillsborough ends will be coordinated with the local agencies during later project phases. Those connections are located outside of the PD&E study limits.

Mitigation for seagrass impacts and compensatory water quality treatment for stormwater will be handled through credits gained by the District under the Old Tampa Bay Water Quality Project. The District has been coordinating the findings and recommendations of the Natural Resources Evaluation Report (wetlands, species, and essential fish habitat) with US Fish & Wildlife Service, National Marine Fisheries Service and Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission. There are several environmental commitments that are included in the draft environmental document as recommended by those agencies.

**Note:** the proposed new bridge profile shown below is only conceptual, and it illustrates the profile required to clear the 100-year wave crest elevation

<b>LEGEND</b>		Approximate Proposed New Bridge Superstructure Depth
		Approximate Existing Southbound Superstructure Depth
		Approximate Existing Northbound Superstructure Depth



## **8.8 MULTIMODAL CONSIDERATIONS AND EXPRESS LANES**

Separate but related studies were conducted to evaluate the feasibility of including accommodations for premium transit services within the HFB corridor in addition to accommodating express lanes. The current bridge replacement plan includes a shared-use path on the west side of the new bridge to accommodate bicyclists, pedestrians and other non-motorized trail users.

The provision for additional transportation capacity along I-275 within the HFB corridor was considered by two different, but related means. One was by setting aside an envelope for future premium transit, and the other was the inclusion of tolled express lanes, as already discussed. Decisions on implementation of premium transit will be made outside the realm of this PD&E study by the FDOT in association with other local, state and federal agencies.

### **8.8.1 Premium Transit Accommodation**

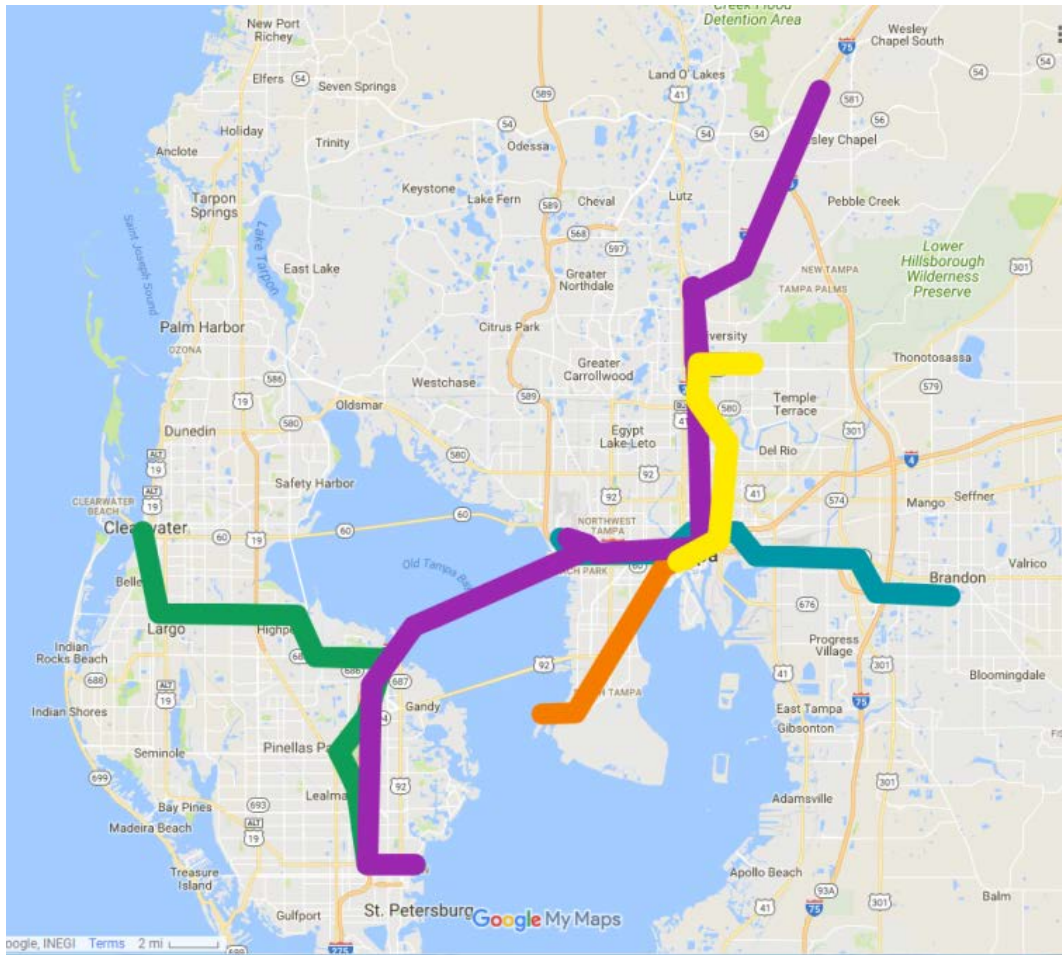
The Pinellas Alternatives Analysis (Pinellas AA) transit study for Pinellas County was completed in 2013. The Locally Preferred Alternative (LPA) recommended 24 miles of light rail transit (LRT) within Pinellas County with a connection to Hillsborough County across the HFB. The LPA included a primary transit station in the Gateway area of Pinellas County roughly in the location of SR 686/Roosevelt Boulevard and SR 688/Ulmerton Road approximately one-mile west of I-275. Presently the Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority (PSTA) operates an existing express bus (Route 300x) between Largo and downtown Tampa along I-275 across the HFB. The premium transit options across the HFB could involve LRT and the existing express bus route, or bus rapid transit (BRT) and the existing express bus route. In order to accommodate LRT along the I-275 corridor, a rail line would need to be constructed separated from the roadway travel lanes. Considerations for locating a separated rail line (fixed guideway) across Tampa Bay in the I-275 corridor are discussed below in **Section 8.8.2**. BRT and express bus could be accommodated in two ways. A bus-only guideway could be constructed similar to the LRT fixed guideway with BRT/bus only lanes separated from the general-use I-275 travel lanes, or the BRT/express bus could share the express lanes with other highway vehicles.

A [Regional Transit Feasibility Plan](#) (study) is currently underway, funded by the FDOT and being administered by the Hillsborough Area Regional Transit Authority (HART). The plan is being completed under the direction and guidance of the following agencies and stakeholders:

- Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), District Seven
- Hillsborough Area Regional Transit Authority (HART)
- Pasco County Board of County Commissioners/Pasco County Public Transportation (PCPT)
- Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority (PSTA)
- Tampa Bay Transportation Management Area (TMA) Leadership Group

- Hillsborough County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)
- Pasco County MPO
- Pinellas County MPO

This is a regional (Hillsborough, Pasco, Pinellas Counties) transit plan that began with a review of more than 55 transportation plans and studies already completed by Tampa Bay area agencies over the past 30 years to determine where the strongest corridors are for possible transit options and what those projects would look like. A short list of five connections are being examined in greater detail to choose the one that is the most competitive for federal and state funding, the most forward-thinking, and makes the best use of today’s technology. This short list includes connections between Tampa, Wesley Chapel, St. Petersburg, Clearwater and Brandon, as shown in the map below. Future study efforts will identify three specific projects to build in Tampa Bay and rank them in the order they should be built. Once the projects are selected, the next phases of the study will decide how to pay for them and who will maintain and operate them. The HFB corridor is included in one of the initial five corridors being studied (see **Figure 8-9**).



**Figure 8-9 Initial Regional Transit Feasibility Plan Study Corridors**

### **8.8.2 Tampa Bay Next Master Plan**

For the I-275/HFB crossing, the long-range Tampa Bay Next master plan improvement includes converting the easternmost portion of the new bridge to a transitway (for light rail or other premium transit technology) and widening the converted northbound bridge to accommodate two express lanes, as shown in **Figure 8-10**. At the present time, there is no timetable to implement the long-range master plan in the HFB corridor to add premium transit.

### **8.8.3 Potential Impact of Longer-Range Improvements**

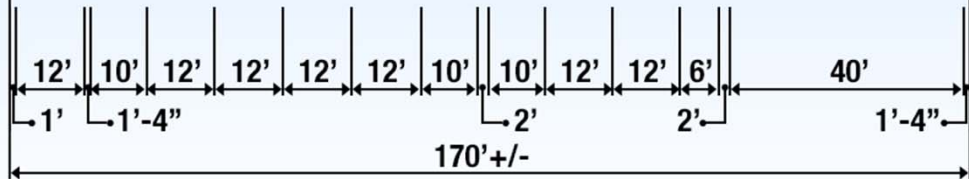
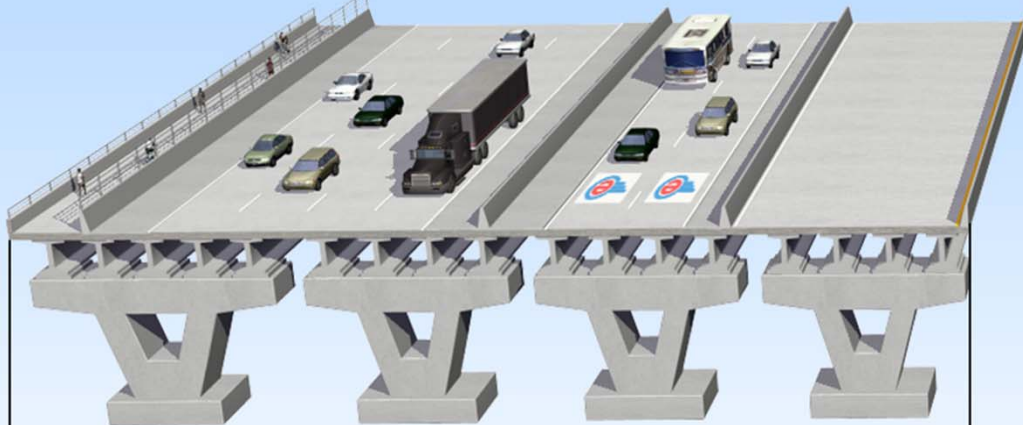
This PD&E study only evaluated the replacement of the existing northbound bridge to carry four-lanes of highway traffic in addition to the four express lanes to be included on the new bridge. This study did not consider the environmental impacts of a widened bridge which would be required for premium transit to be built in the corridor. A future PD&E study or reevaluation of this study would be needed to determine the impacts of constructing a wider bridge and installing facilities for premium transit.



**SOUTHBOUND BRIDGE WITH NORTHBOUND EXPRESS LANES  
CONVERTED TO TRANSIT ENVELOPE**



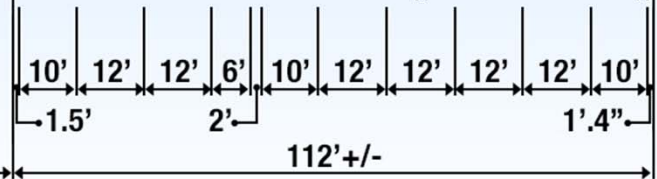
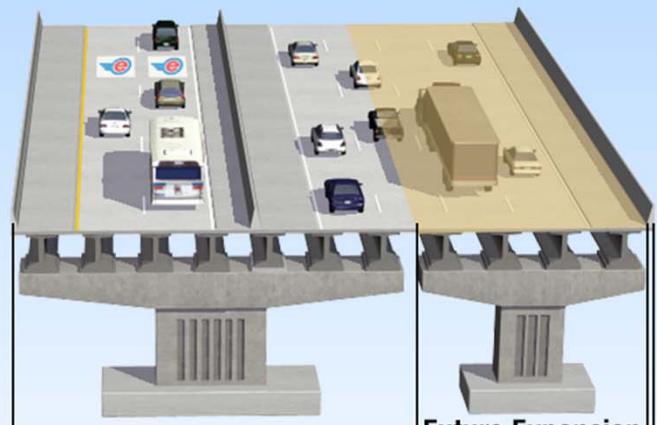
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**NORTHBOUND WIDENING TO  
ACCOMMODATE EXPRESS LANES**



Express Lanes | General Use Lanes



2000'



Northbound Howard Frankland Bridge  
(I-275/SR 93) Replacement PD&E Study  
WPI Segment No. 422799 1  
Pinellas & Hillsborough Counties

**Future Ultimate Bridge Typical Section to  
Accommodate Premium Transit**

Figure 8-10

## SECTION 9 DESIGN DETAILS OF PREFERRED BUILD ALTERNATIVE

### 9.1 DESIGN TRAFFIC VOLUMES

As previously shown in **Table 7-1**, future no-build traffic projections are shown below:

Future Years	Estimated AADT Projections
Opening Year - 2020	162,700
Mid-Design Year - 2030	183,900
2035	213,500 <sup>1</sup>
Design Year - 2040	229,800

<sup>1</sup> 2035 TBRTMv23 Model Output PSWADT converted to AADT

The design-hour traffic is estimated to be 9.0 percent of the AADT traffic with 58.00 percent in the peak direction.

### 9.2 TYPICAL SECTIONS & DESIGN SPEED

The Preferred Bridge Alternative typical section is shown in **Figure 8-6**. The recommended design speed is 70 mph. The roadway approaches would transition to match the existing roadway approach typical sections, previously shown in **Figure 4-1**. The new replacement bridge is expected to be approximately 5 inches narrower than the 170-foot width shown due to the expected adoption of the single-slope outside barrier walls which are 2.5 inches narrower than the current F-shape standard barrier wall.

### 9.3 INTERSECTION CONCEPTS & SIGNAL ANALYSIS

*(Not applicable for this proposed project.)*

### 9.4 ALIGNMENT & RIGHT OF WAY NEEDS

The proposed horizontal alignment follows the existing roadway alignment, previously shown in **Figure 4-2**, with the new bridge to be constructed west of the two existing bridges, followed by the removal of the existing northbound bridge. The transitions on the ends will be designed for the 70-mile per hour design speed. No additional ROW is required for the proposed project. A plan view of the proposed improvements is shown in **Appendices A** and **B**. The proposed vertical alignment was previously shown in **Figure 8-8**.

### 9.5 RELOCATIONS

*(Not applicable for this proposed project.)*

## 9.6 COST ESTIMATES

A cost estimate for the Preferred Build Alternative was updated in mid-2017, and the total cost in 2017 dollars is approximately \$785 million, based on the FDOT's Long Range Estimates (LRE) system (**Table 9-1**). This estimate is based on a new bridge approximately 170 feet wide and includes the costs of the roadway approaches, mitigation costs, removal of the existing northbound bridge, design and construction inspection. The cost for engineering (final design) and the cost for Construction Engineering and Inspection (CE&I) are shown in the table. This cost includes approximately \$25 million (\$27 million in 2017 costs) that was added to the cost to strengthen the new bridge for supporting a potential future light-rail transit system. All costs were rounded to the nearest million dollars.

**Table 9-1 Estimated Project Costs**

<b>Estimated Capital Costs</b>	<b>(Cost in \$ millions, rounded)</b>
Seagrass/Wetland Mitigation	\$0
Right-of-Way Acquisition	\$0
<b>Construction Costs</b>	
New Bridge	\$396
Demolition of Existing NB Bridge	\$35
Roadway Transitions and Causeway Trail	\$30
Seawall	\$26
Access Road Reconstruction	\$4
Signing/Lighting/ITS <sup>2</sup>	\$10
Maintenance of Traffic (6%-10%)	\$32
Mobilization (7%-10%)	\$39
Additional Contingencies (15%+/-)	\$90
Engineering Design-Build/CE&I <sup>2</sup> (7%/7%)	\$48/\$48
Subtotal of Construction and Engineering Costs	\$758
Additional costs for strengthening structure for future light-rail transit	\$27
<b>Preliminary Estimate of Total Capital Costs</b>	<b>\$785</b>
Bridge Maintenance Costs over 75 year span	\$6

Notes: 1) Present day costs in millions of dollars. Construction costs based on FDOT's LRE system costs.

2) CE&I = construction engineering and inspection. ITS=Intelligent Transportation Systems

3) Costs above rounded to nearest \$1 million, so may not add up to exact total.

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## 9.7 RECYCLING OF SALVAGEABLE MATERIALS

During construction of the project, recycling of reusable materials will occur to the greatest extent possible. Where possible, pavement material removed from the existing roadway can be recycled for use in the new pavement. This will help to reduce the volume of the materials that need to be hauled away and disposed of from the project and to reduce the cost of purchasing materials suitable for pavement construction. Other materials such as signs, drainage concrete pipes, etc., will also be salvaged and reused for regular maintenance operations if they are deemed to be in good

condition. Concrete from the existing bridge can be reused as rip rap and roadway base material, etc.

### **9.8 USER BENEFITS (SAFETY, ETC.)**

The primary benefit to the motoring public as a result of the proposed improvement will be a safer and more reliable transportation facility. As noted previously in **Section 3.4**, the vertical alignment on the existing northbound bridge does not meet current design standards for an Interstate highway. Based on the as-built plans, the estimated design speed is between 50 and 55 mph, while the bridge is posted with 65 mph speed limit signs (current standards require 70 mph design speed). This lower design speed results in shorter stopping sight distances for motorists travelling over the “hump” near the center of the bridge, which could be a contributing factor in some of the reported rear-end collisions on the bridge. In addition, the shoulder widths and two of the lane widths do not meet current Interstate design standards. The new bridge will meet all current design standards for a 70-mph design speed Interstate highway.

### **9.9 MULTIMODAL CONSIDERATIONS**

As mentioned previously in this report, the Department is planning on adding express lanes and including provisions to add premium transit such as light-rail transit (LRT) or bus rapid transit (BRT) as part of the *ultimate* typical section. Coordination is ongoing with TBARTA, PSTA, HART, Pinellas and Hillsborough County MPOs and other local governments and agencies to determine the best long-range solution for increasing the capacity within the HFB corridor.

### **9.10 ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

The proposed project would create temporary jobs during the construction phase along with the secondary benefits to service-related businesses. Based on the TIGER 3 FAQ's at the US DOT Application Resources website, the US DOT estimates that there are 13,000 job-years created per \$1 billion dollars of government investment (or \$76,900 per job-year; previous guidance had stated that every \$92,000 of investment is equivalent to one job year). Based on a construction cost of \$785 million, construction for this project could result in approximately 10,200 job years of employment for the local economy.

### **9.11 TEMPORARY TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN**

**Appendix C** includes a preliminary traffic control plan for the Preferred Build Alternative (West Alignment).

### **9.12 PEDESTRIAN & BICYCLE FACILITIES**

The proposed bridge build alternative includes a 12-foot shared-use path (“trail”) on the west side of the new bridge, to be barrier separated from the general use travel lanes and fenced. This trail will connect to existing/planned trail facilities in Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties. At either end of the

new bridge, the trail will need to be grade-separated over the maintenance roads to avoid any opportunity for trail users to access the vehicle lanes. In addition, the proposed trail on the roadway approaches to the new bridge will be generally located within the project area and separated from the I-275 freeway by a barrier wall and fencing.

### **9.13 UTILITY IMPACTS**

Existing and planned utilities are discussed in **Section 4.1.12**. Existing utilities on or near the bridge include buried electric cable, electrical conduit on the bridge, and ITS infrastructure. These facilities will require relocation and adjustments during the construction of the new bridge. Costs for utility adjustments are expected to be borne by the FDOT.

### **9.14 RESULTS OF PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT PROGRAM**

A *Public Involvement Plan* (PIP) was prepared for this study in April 2011 and updated in August 2017. The purpose of the plan was to describe the program that FDOT would implement to inform and solicit responses from interested parties, including local residents, public officials and agencies, and business owners. The plan included early agency coordination through the ETDM programming screen and the Advance Notification (AN) process; small group meetings with local residents and business owners; agency stakeholder meetings, and one public hearing to date. The results of the program have been summarized in the *Final Comments and Coordination Report*. A brief summary of the program's activities follows.

#### ***EFFICIENT TRANSPORTATION DECISION MAKING (ETDM)***

The PD&E study for the replacement of the northbound HFB (I-275/SR 93) was submitted to the Environmental Technical Advisory Team (ETAT) via the programming screen of the ETDM process in February 2012. The comment period lasted for a total of 45 days ending in April 2012. From the close of the comment period, FDOT had 60 days to submit a response to each comment. The initial *Programming Screen Summary Report* was published on June 6, 2012.

#### ***ADVANCE NOTIFICATION (AN)***

FDOT, through the ETDM distribution of the AN package, informed a number of federal, state, regional, and local agencies of this project and its scope of anticipated activities. The AN Package was distributed to the Florida State Clearinghouse in February 2012. The majority of comments received as part of the ETAT review process included requests for further coordination throughout the project, especially with regards to wetlands, essential fish habitat, and threatened and endangered species. No AN comments were received other than those received as part of the ETAT review.

#### ***INTERAGENCY COORDINATION***

In April 2011, the Department distributed an electronic notification to elected officials informing them of the initiation of the HFB (I-275/SR 93) PD&E study and Regional Transit Corridor Evaluation.

The notification consisted of a brief project description, overview of the project approach, and contact information. The notification was sent to representatives of the following governmental organizations:

- U.S. Senators
- U.S. Representatives (applicable districts)
- Florida State Senators (applicable districts)
- Florida House of Representatives (applicable districts)
- Hillsborough County Board of County Commissioners
- Pinellas County Board of County Commissioners
- City of Tampa City Council
- City of St. Petersburg City Council
- Hillsborough County Metropolitan Planning Organization
- Pinellas County Metropolitan Planning Organization

#### **LOCAL AGENCY MEETINGS**

Throughout the duration of the study, the Department met with various local agencies and organizations to keep them informed and to solicit feedback. These agencies included:

- Hernando/Citrus MPO
- Hillsborough Area Regional Transit Authority (HART) / Hillsborough County MPO staff Joint Meeting
- Hillsborough County MPO Board
- Hillsborough County MPO Subcommittees
- Hillsborough County Public Works
- Pasco County MPO
- Advisory Committee for Pinellas Transportation (ACPT) (*Evolved from the Pinellas AA PAC*)
- Pinellas Alternative Analysis (AA) Project Advisory Committee (PAC)
- Forward Pinellas (FKA Pinellas County MPO Board)
- Pinellas Alternative Analysis (AA) Stakeholder Meetings
- Pinellas County MPO Board
- Pinellas County MPO (Forward Pinellas) Committees
- Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority (PSTA) Board
- St. Petersburg Chamber of Commerce
- St. Petersburg Planning & Vision Commission
- Tampa Bay Applications Group
- Tampa Bay Regional Planning Model Technical Review Team (TRT)
- Tampa Bay Regional Transit Authority (TBARTA) Board
- Tampa Bay Regional Transit Authority (TBARTA) CAC
- Tampa Bay Partnership

- Tampa International Airport / Westshore Alliance Joint Meeting
- Westshore Alliance Transportation Committee

A detailed list including dates is included in the *Comments and Coordination Report*.

### **STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS**

Two stakeholder meetings were conducted in May 2013. These meetings were held to help the Department collect information and gain consensus on issues related to the replacement of northbound HFB, including the importance of the bridge in municipal transportation plans, the location of the replacement bridge in relation to the existing structure, and the inclusion of a transit envelope.

The first meeting was held on Tuesday, May 7, 2013 at Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority (PSTA) offices. There were approximately nine (9) attendees including representatives from Pinellas MPO, City of Pinellas Park, Hillsborough County, PSTA/TBARTA, City of St. Petersburg, and the Sierra Club. A total of six (6) questionnaire responses and two (2) written comments were received.

The second meeting was held on Thursday, May 9, 2013 at Hillsborough Community College – Dale Mabry Campus. Approximately twenty-one (21) attendees participated, included representatives from the City of Tampa, Westshore Alliance, Pinellas County, Tampa International Airport, Hillsborough County MPO, SWFWMD, HART, and TBARTA. A total of seven (7) questionnaire responses were received. No written comments were received at this meeting.

### **PUBLIC HEARING**

An initial public hearing for this project was held in 2013 in two sessions at two different locations. The first session was held in Pinellas County at the Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority (PSTA) offices in St. Petersburg on Tuesday, October 8, 2013. The second session was held in Hillsborough County at the Tampa Marriott Westshore on Thursday, October 10, 2013.

The hearing was held to inform citizens and interested parties about the project and to provide them the opportunity to express their views concerning the proposed improvements. During both sessions, the hearing consisted of an open house from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and a formal presentation and public comment period beginning at 6:00 p.m. After the public comment period, the open house resumed until 7:00 p.m.

Draft study documents were available for public review from September 4, 2013 through October 21, 2013 at the Pinellas Park Library in Pinellas County and at the West Tampa Library and FDOT District Seven office in Hillsborough County.

Newsletters announcing the public hearing were sent via email to public officials and via direct mail to property owners located within 500 feet of the project, as well as current tenants, agencies, and

interested parties. A legal display ad for the hearing was published in the *Tampa Bay Times* on September 21 and October 21, 2013. An advertisement was also placed in the *Florida Administrative Register* on October 1, 2013. The hearing was also publicized on the project's website.

FDOT staff and representatives were available at both hearing sessions to discuss the project and answer questions. A continuous-loop PowerPoint presentation describing the project and the recommended build alternative was shown during the open house portion of the hearing. Display boards were set up showing a plan view of the proposed improvements, typical sections, transit study information, and other project information.

The formal portion of each hearing session was moderated by Kirk Bogen, District Seven Project Development Engineer and recorded by a court reporter. Mr. Bogen welcomed the audience, discussed the purpose of the hearing, read various required statements and then accepted verbal statements from the audience.

A total of 66 people signed in at public hearing session 1 (Pinellas County), including: 5 elected officials and 9 representatives from 9 different agency/community groups. A total of 7 written comments were received and 16 verbal statements were made during the formal public comment period.

A total of 94 people signed in at public hearing session 2 (Hillsborough County), including: 3 elected officials and representatives from 9 different agency/community groups. A total of 10 written comments were received and twenty verbal statements were made during the formal public comment period.

Copies of the legal display advertisement, the sign-in sheets, the speaker cards, display graphics, the PowerPoint slides, and attendance rosters are included in the *Public Hearing Scrapbook* prepared for this study while the public hearing transcript is included in the *Final Comments and Coordination Report*.

A total of 72 comments were received during the hearing and 10-day comment period: 17 written and 36 verbal comments. Most comments expressed support for the project. The following table summarizes the nature of comments received.



**Table 9-2 Summary of 2013 Public Hearing Comments**

	Supported	Did Not Support
<b>Bridge Replacement (PD&amp;E)</b>		
Bridge Replacement in General	72	0
Express Lanes/Managed Lanes	37	0
“In-Kind” Replacement Only	1	0
<b>Future Transportation Options</b>		
Light Rail	27	25
Future Transit Envelope/Premium BRT	18	
Other	6	1

A second public hearing was originally planned to be held in October 2016; however, it was cancelled immediately before the set dates when the FDOT decided to revisit the Recommended Build Alternative, as explained in **Section 8.7**.

In 2017, a second public hearing was held from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in two sessions at different locations. The first session was held in Hillsborough County at the Tampa Marriott Westshore, 1001 N. Westshore Boulevard in Tampa, on Tuesday, November 14, 2017. The second session was held in Pinellas County at the Hilton-St. Petersburg Carillon Park, 950 Lake Carillon Drive in St. Petersburg, on Thursday, November 16, 2017.

The hearing was held to inform citizens and interested parties about the project details and schedule, and afford them the opportunity to express their views concerning the proposed improvements. During both sessions, the hearing consisted of an open house from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. and a formal presentation and public comment period beginning at 6:30 p.m. After the public comment period, the open house resumed until 7:30 p.m.

The study’s documents were made available from October 24, 2017 through November 27, 2017 on the project website as well as at the Pinellas Park Library, the West Tampa Library, and the FDOT District Seven office in Tampa, Florida.

A newsletter announcing the public hearing was sent via email to public officials and via direct mail to property owners located within 500 feet of the project, as well as current tenants, agencies, and interested parties. A legal display notice advertising the public hearing was published in the Tampa Bay Times on October 16, 2017 and November 3, 2017; in La Gaceta on October 20, 2017 and November 3, 2017; and in the Florida Sentinel on October 20, 2017 and November 3, 2017. An advertisement was also placed on the project website as well as in the Florida Administrative Register. Copies of these advertisements are included in the *Public Hearing Scrapbook*.

FDOT staff and its consultants were available at both hearing sessions to discuss the project and answer questions. A continuously-running PowerPoint presentation describing the project and the

recommended build alternative was shown during the open house portion of the hearing. Displays included conceptual design plans roll plots and various presentation boards.

The formal portion of each hearing session was conducted by Kirk Bogen, P.E., District Seven Project Development Engineer and was recorded by a court reporter. Following Mr. Bogen's prepared statement, the hearing was opened up to receive verbal comments from the public.

A total of 87 people signed in at Public Hearing Session 1, including: 9 representatives from 4 different agency/community groups. A total of 3 written comments were received and one verbal statement was made during the formal public comment period. A total of 43 people signed in at Public Hearing Session 2; including: 2 elected officials and 7 representatives from 4 different agency/community groups. A total of 3 written comments were received and ten verbal statements were made during the formal public comment period.

Comments received included the following:

- The 1960's bridge replacement will eventually be necessary, however before work is started the purpose and need for this alternate project needs to be determined. Issues: 1) Why express lanes when that is being determined? 2) Why additional road capacity if transit can manage? 3) Why AV (Autonomous Vehicles) when it has yet to prove itself?
- Fixed guideway transit should occur first. Fixed guideway is not virtual or express buses. No TACS. No need to widen the bridge to 12 lanes. Transit can offset. It's not what scenario folks wanted, we want no express toll lanes and transit first.
- The new span should be strengthened for rail use in the future. The use of parking garages on both sides of the bridge. The pedestrian and bike trail is a must for the bridge. No plans showed the trail going past the causeway. Against express toll lanes - general use lanes for entire bridge. Taxes for most of bridge. NO TOLLS!! The bridge exits should have parking garages. The cars park and people take.
- The entire bridge should be general use by all citizens. I have been commuting across the Howard Frankland Bridge for 19 years and it would be wise to make the bridge a throughway for locals, visitors and all people. Why are the designers proposing something that people have to pay over and above to use. It is only fair that if it is free for one, it should be free for all. What is the Government actually doing without tax dollars to propose a plan that will take even more of our hard earned dollars from us?
- Why not propose a double decker bridge or light rail or alternative transportation or carpooling incentives. Why? Technology is moving so rapidly that soon society will have driverless cars or other means that have yet to be developed. DOT should build smart and not a bridge to obsolescence.

- I don't see a solution to the traffic jam N.B. (Northbound) on 275. I am tired of sitting in traffic because the Tampa side goes from 4 lanes to 2. Transit will not solve this problem. Road widening will we need 4 lanes from 1 end of the bridge to the I-4 intersection. How much of our lives do you expect us to spend in the same traffic jam?
- Must add additional capacity northbound at SR 60 to the airport. Need more than the single flyover.
- We need these improvements ASAP. Faster, Faster, Faster. We support managed toll lanes for new capacity with congestion pricing. Fix SR 60 and flyover. Ensure evacuation is a priority. No transit rail. Prepare for new technology.

## **OTHER PUBLIC OUTREACH ACTIVITIES**

### **Newsletters**

To date, three newsletters have been distributed for this study to provide project updates, graphics, and FDOT contact information. The first, a kick-off newsletter, was developed to provide an introduction to the study, study graphics, and FDOT contact information. It was distributed in October 2011 and explained both the PD&E study and Regional Transit Corridor Evaluation processes. The second and third newsletters were distributed prior to the public hearings and described the Recommended Alternative to be shown at the hearings. The newsletters were distributed to all property owners, federal, state, and local government agencies and other interested parties. Upon approval of the final environmental document, FDOT will distribute a final newsletter to inform the public of the Location Design and Concept Acceptance notification received from FDOT's Office of Environmental Management, acting on behalf of the FHWA.

### **Fact Sheet**

The Department used the fact sheet to communicate with the general public and elected officials having jurisdiction in the project area. The fact sheet was a brief status report consisting of a brief project description, schedule, and contact information. The project fact sheet is typically distributed on-demand and at major project milestones.

### **Local Publications**

During the course of the study, numerous project-related articles involving the project were published in the *Tampa Tribune* (no longer in publication), the *Tampa Bay Times*, the Tampa Bay Newspapers or *TBNweekly.com*, and the *Tampa Bay Business Journal*. The articles often included project updates and informed the public of upcoming meetings.

### **Project Website**

In an effort to fully engage and inform the public, a project website was developed. The site, <http://hfbs.fdotd7studies.com/> contained a wide variety of project information. Visitors could read

about why the project is needed in the project overview or find information related to public meetings, the project schedule, or contact information. Project documents and publications, including facts sheets and newsletters were also available for review. Eleven interested parties submitted requests to be added to the project mailing list through the website. In addition to print ads and press releases, the Department used the project website to notify the public of upcoming meetings.

### **9.15 VALUE ENGINEERING AND COST/ SCHEDULE RISK ASSESSMENT RESULTS**

The project is planned to be a future design-build project; therefore, value engineering was not required. The FDOT conducted a Cost and Schedule Risk Assessment in 2016 for all sections of TBX including the HFB which is considered Section 3. Future market conditions, the potential for additional design costs, design build incentives, hydro-acoustic noise monitoring, change orders, and water quality improvement needs attribute to potential cost risks. The overall cost risk is approximately \$36 million and schedule contingency is approximately four months.

### **9.16 DRAINAGE & STORMWATER MANAGEMENT**

As previously noted in **Section 4.1.7**, there are currently no stormwater management facilities on the bridge or its causeway approaches within the study limits. Stormwater runoff from the bridge drains directly into Old Tampa Bay via scuppers (vertical holes through the bridge deck) on the bridge. There are no areas on the causeway near the bridge ends which would allow sufficient space for ponds, even if it was economically feasible to capture and pipe the runoff from a 3-mile long bridge in the middle of the bay. Compensatory treatment elsewhere within the same drainage basin will be provided as part of the Upper Tampa Bay Water Quality Improvement Project. The permit submittal and approval process will be conducted with the SWFWMD during implementation of the project.

### **9.17 STRUCTURES**

In addition to the other information included within this section about the proposed replacement bridge structure, several additional items are addressed below:

**Scour** – a scour analysis will be conducted to allow a more accurate estimation of pile lengths.

**Bridge type** – three alternatives were bid for the existing southbound Bridge including steel, Bulb T and segmental. While it is not vital at this stage to determine the precise bridge type, a bridge development report (BDR) is likely to be completed to further evaluate constructible alternative along with development of more accurate construction cost estimates.

**Bridge Profile and Elevation** - A preliminary analysis was completed to compare the costs related to increasing the vertical profile to 1 foot above the predicted 100-year wave crest elevation verses maintaining the existing southbound bridge profile and installing tie-downs in accordance with FDOT's *Structures Manual*, Section 2.5.

A maximum vertical wave force (un-factored) of 9.3 kips/foot was estimated, including quasi-static and slamming forces, and assuming 100 percent air entrapment (see **Appendix F**). In addition, a bridge weight of 16.8 kips per foot was estimated for calculation purposes. When comparing this to a *factored* vertical wave force, or  $1.75 \times 9.3$  kips/foot = 16.27 kips/foot, the dead load (weight) of the bridge itself exceeds that of the factored vertical wave force; therefore tie-downs would not be required. This assumes a 7-beam typical section as shown in the conceptual plans in this PE Report. For the design-stage scope of services or design-build RFP, it should be stipulated that if the dead load of the bridge does not exceed this factored vertical wave force (e.g. should a beam be eliminated to lighten the bridge weight), tie-downs will be required if the low chord is not a minimum of 1 foot above the maximum wave crest elevation.

Calculations were also completed to estimate the incremental cost to raise the bridge profile 1 foot above the 100-year wave crest elevation; it is estimated to cost approximately \$1.8 million more to raise the profile versus maintaining the same vertical profile as the existing southbound bridge. This incremental cost is based on the additional concrete, steel and MSE wall which would be required, using FDOT pay items/unit costs and contains no contingency factors.

For PD&E study/planning purposes, the proposed vertical profile is based on the new bridge’s low chord member being at least 1 foot above the 100-year wave crest elevation, consistent with AASHTO and FDOT’s recommended design standards. Considering a similar superstructure as the existing southbound bridge (e.g. similar beam depth, etc.) calculations show that a superstructure depth of about 8.5 feet would be required (**Table 9-3**); however, this will need to be adjusted based on the to-be-determined cross slopes for the new 170-foot wide bridge.

**Table 9-3 Preliminary Superstructure Depth Estimate**

Element	Depth (ft)	Comments	New Bridge Width	75 ft +/-
Bridge Deck	0.708		Cross Slope	2%
Haunch	0.250		Coping to PGL	63.54167 ft
Beam	6.000	to match existing		
Cross Slope	1.191			
Total Depth	8.197			
<b>Rounded Value</b>	8.50 (Preliminary)			

The resulting profile grade line (PGL) is about 18.0 feet (wave crest) + 1 foot (minimum low chord above wave crest) + 8.5 feet (superstructure) = an approximate elevation (EL.) 27.5 feet.

**9.18 SPECIAL FEATURES**

Seawall relocation will be required along the west side of the causeway near either end of the bridge. In addition, the existing maintenance roads near either end of the existing bridges will require partial relocation/reconstruction along the west side of the existing bridges. To provide

access for emergency vehicles during traffic incidents or crashes on the new bridge, barrier gates will be provided every half mile for the barrier-separated express lanes. There is no approved standard (FDOT or Florida's Turnpike Enterprise) but the one that has been used previously by FTE (and Georgia DOT) is called BarrierGate System. The cost of these has been included in the October 2017 LRE cost estimate update.

### **9.19 ACCESS MANAGEMENT**

(Not applicable for this proposed project since I-275 is a limited access facility.)

### **9.20 POTENTIAL CONSTRUCTION SEGMENTS & PHASING**

A preliminary construction sequence plan is included in **Appendix B** for the Preferred Build Alternative. Related to this is a preliminary traffic control plan included in **Appendix C**.

### **9.21 WORK PROGRAM SCHEDULE**

Replacement of the northbound bridge is included in the current 5-year Work Program (Fiscal year 2017/18 to 2021/22) for Fiscal Year 2019/20 as a design/build project (FPN 422904-2 and 422904-4). The total amount shown is about \$878 million.

This proposed bridge replacement project will tie into planned SR 60 operational improvements (FPID 441111-1) at the Hillsborough County (north) end of the bridge. The SR 60 project is funded for design in Fiscal Year 2018.

## SECTION 10 LIST OF TECHNICAL REPORTS

### Engineering Items

- This *Final Preliminary Engineering Report* (PER)
- *Final Geotechnical Technical Memorandum*
- Vertical Wave Force “Letter Report” (updated document included in PER Appendix F)
- *Final Location Hydraulic Technical Memorandum*

### Environmental Items

- *Natural Resources Evaluation* (NRE)
- Essential Fish Habitat (EFH) Assessment (included in the NRE)
- *Cultural Resource Assessment Survey* (CRAS)
- *Type 2 Categorical Exclusion*

### Public Involvement Items

- *Comments and Coordination Report*
- *Public Hearing Transcript & Certification* (2013 sessions)
- *Public Hearing Transcript & Certification* (2017 sessions)

## Appendices

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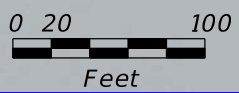
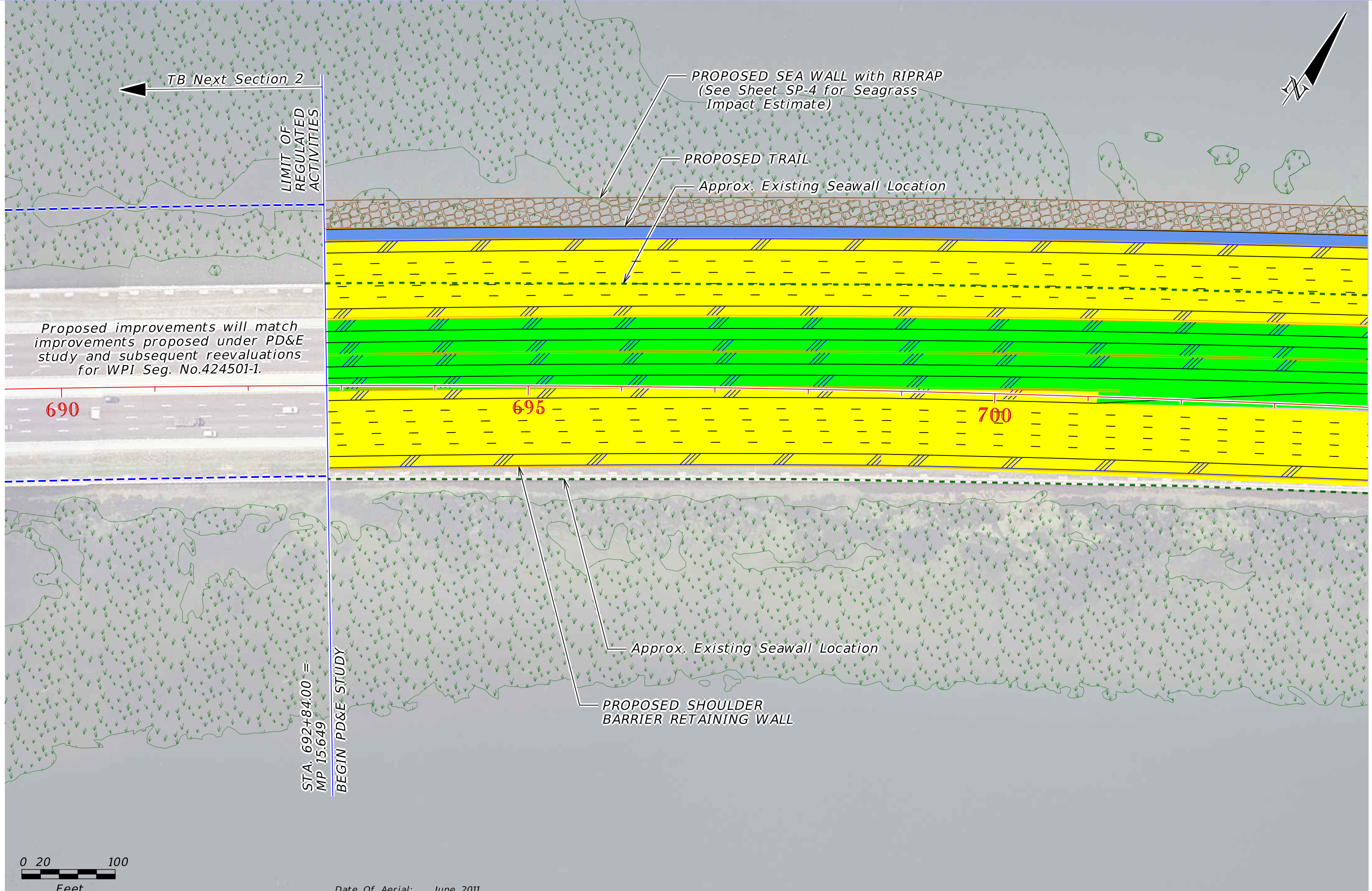
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# *Appendix A*

## *Conceptual Design Plans*

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Part 1: Concept  
Plans for the  
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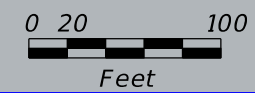
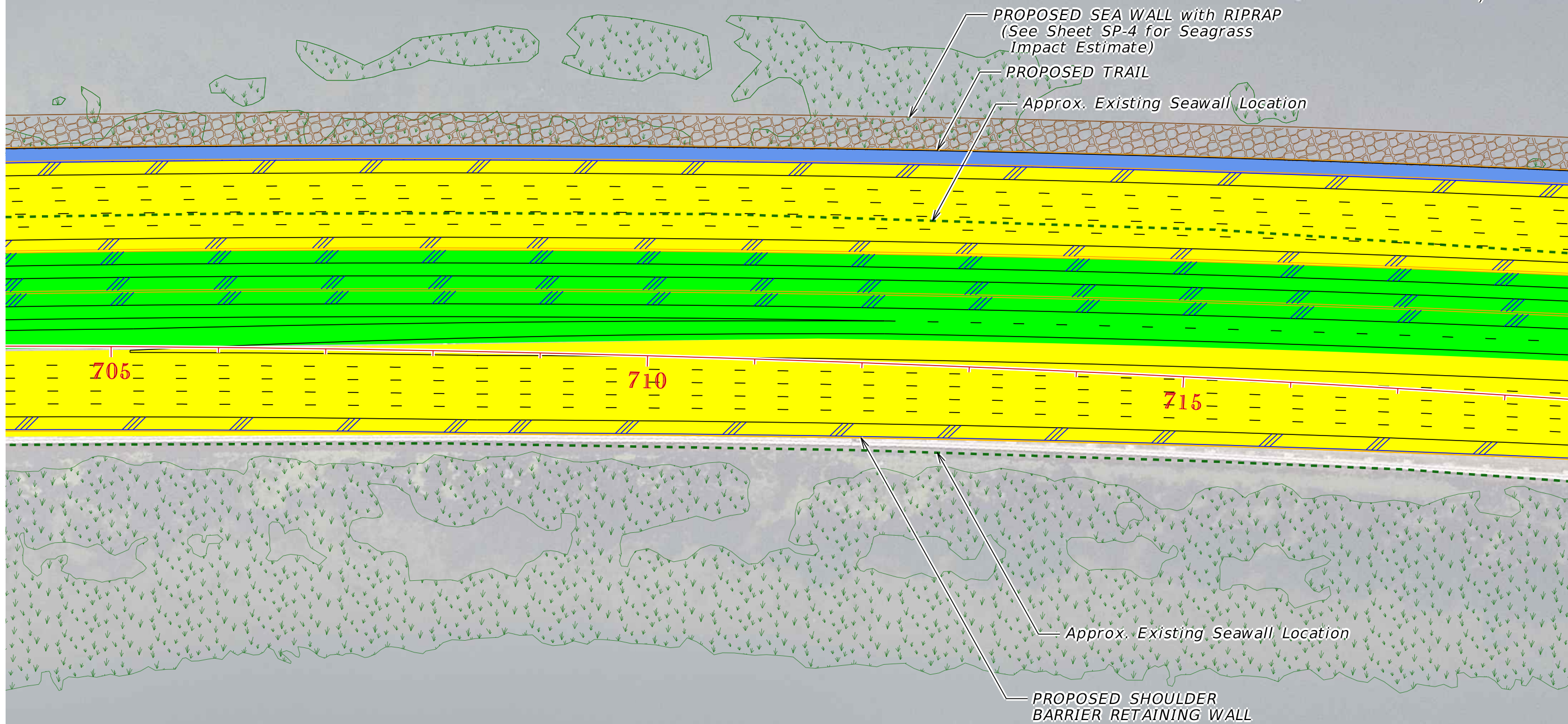
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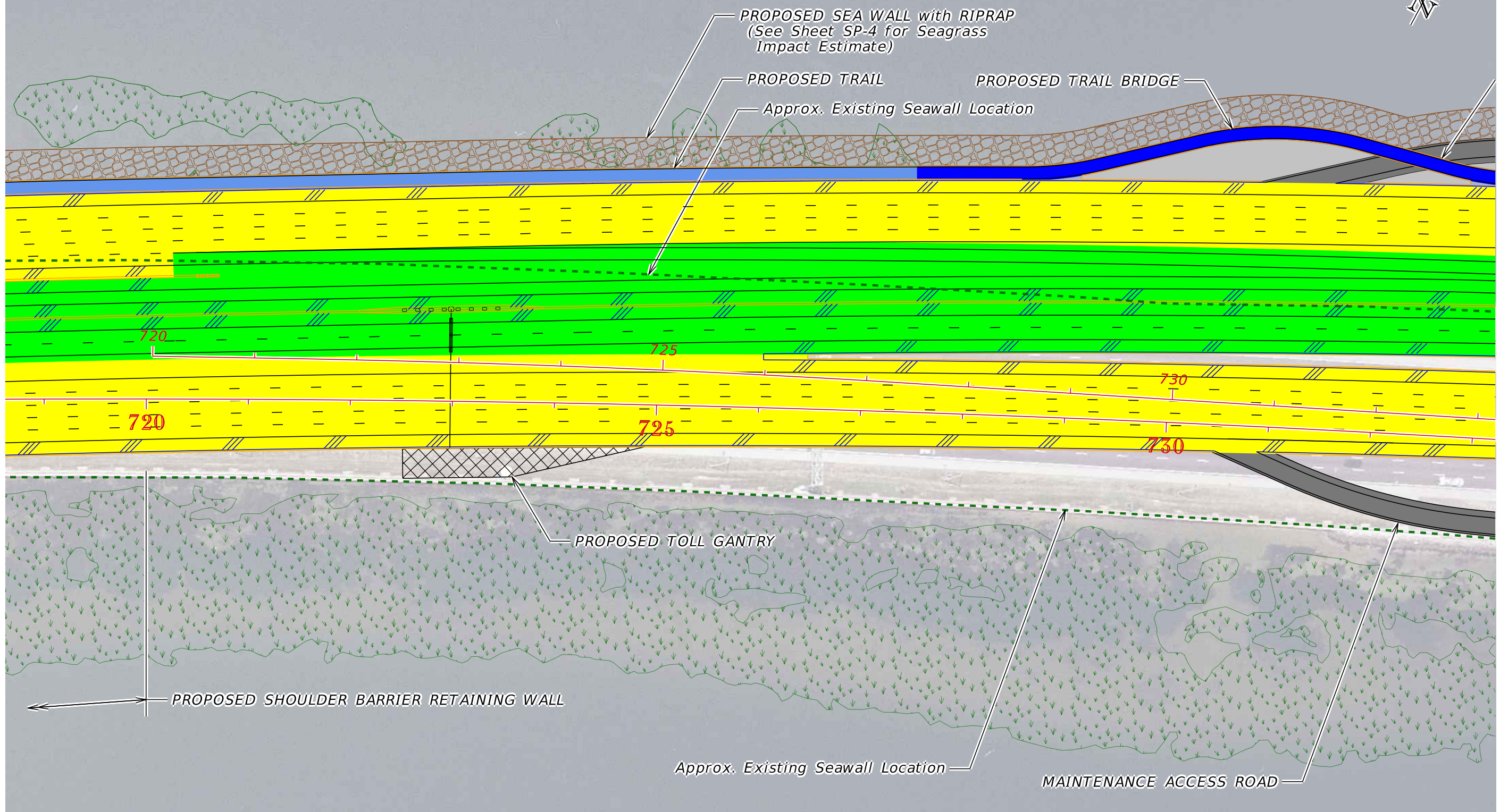
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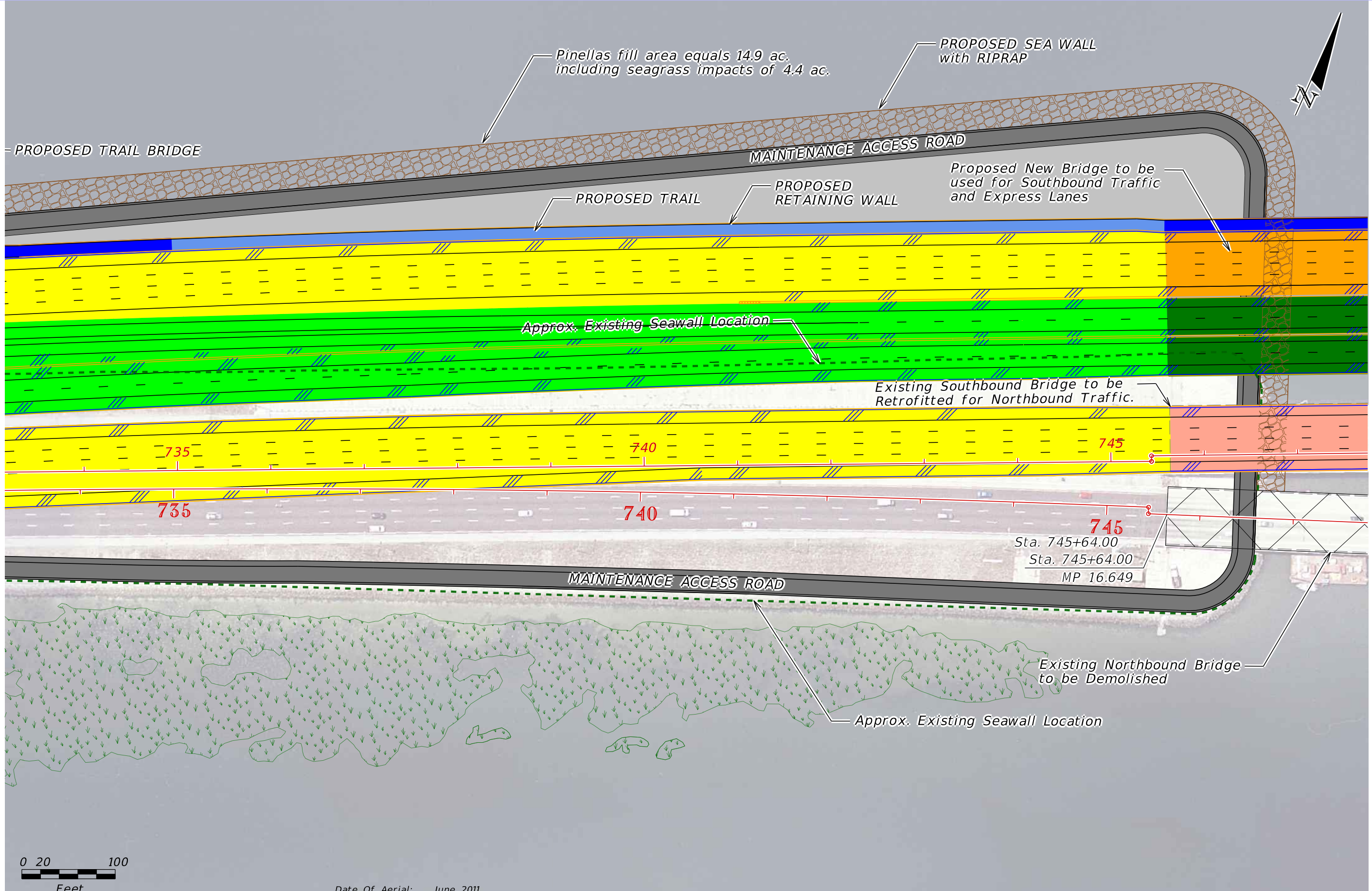
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PROPOSED SEA WALL with RIPRAP

PROPOSED TRAIL BRIDGE

MAINTENANCE ACCESS ROAD

PROPOSED TRAIL

PROPOSED RETAINING WALL

Proposed New Bridge to be used for Southbound Traffic and Express Lanes

Approx. Existing Seawall Location

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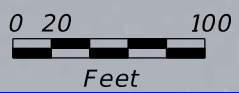
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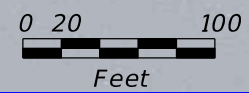
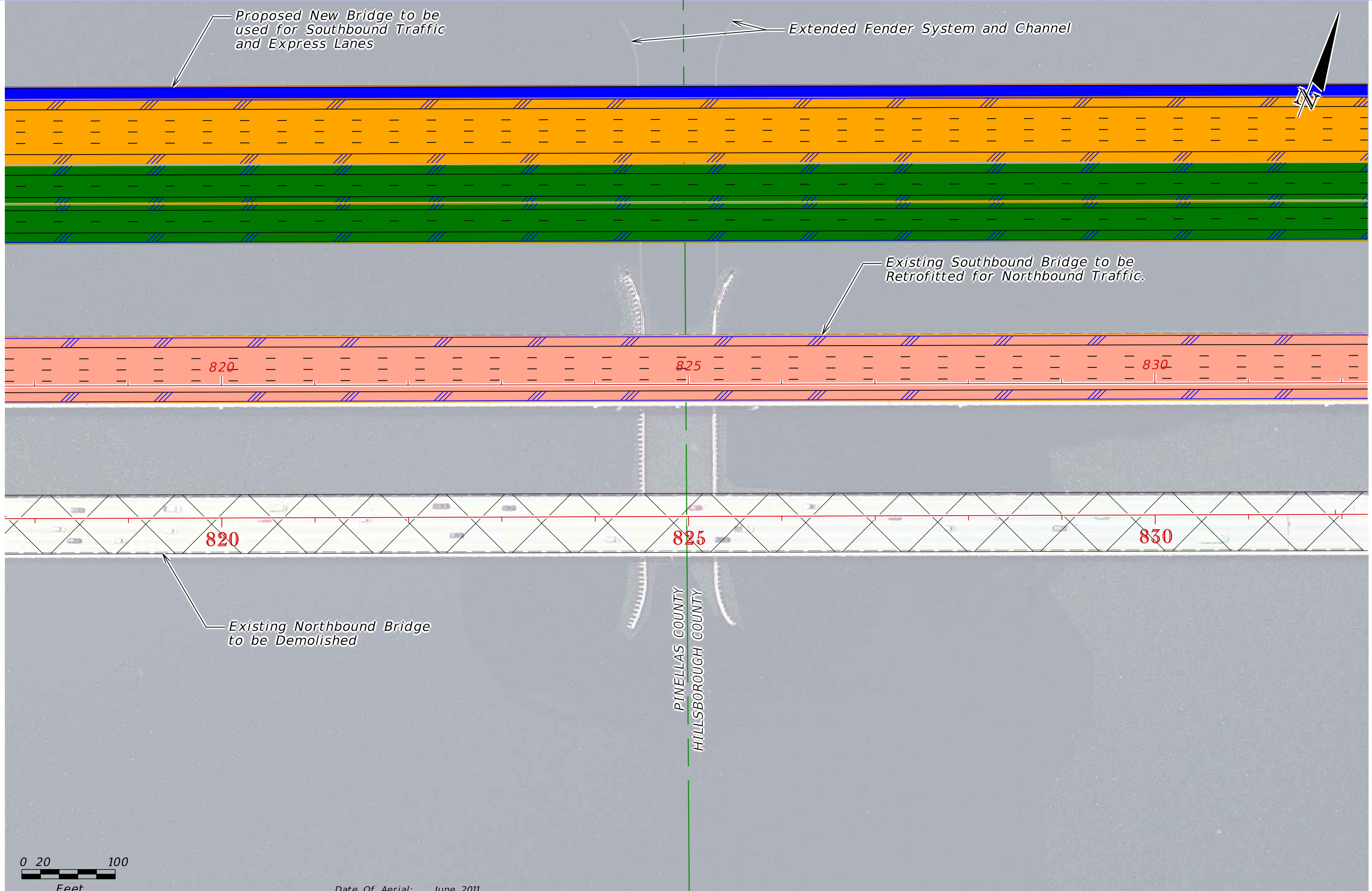
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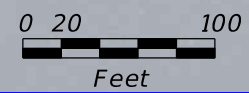
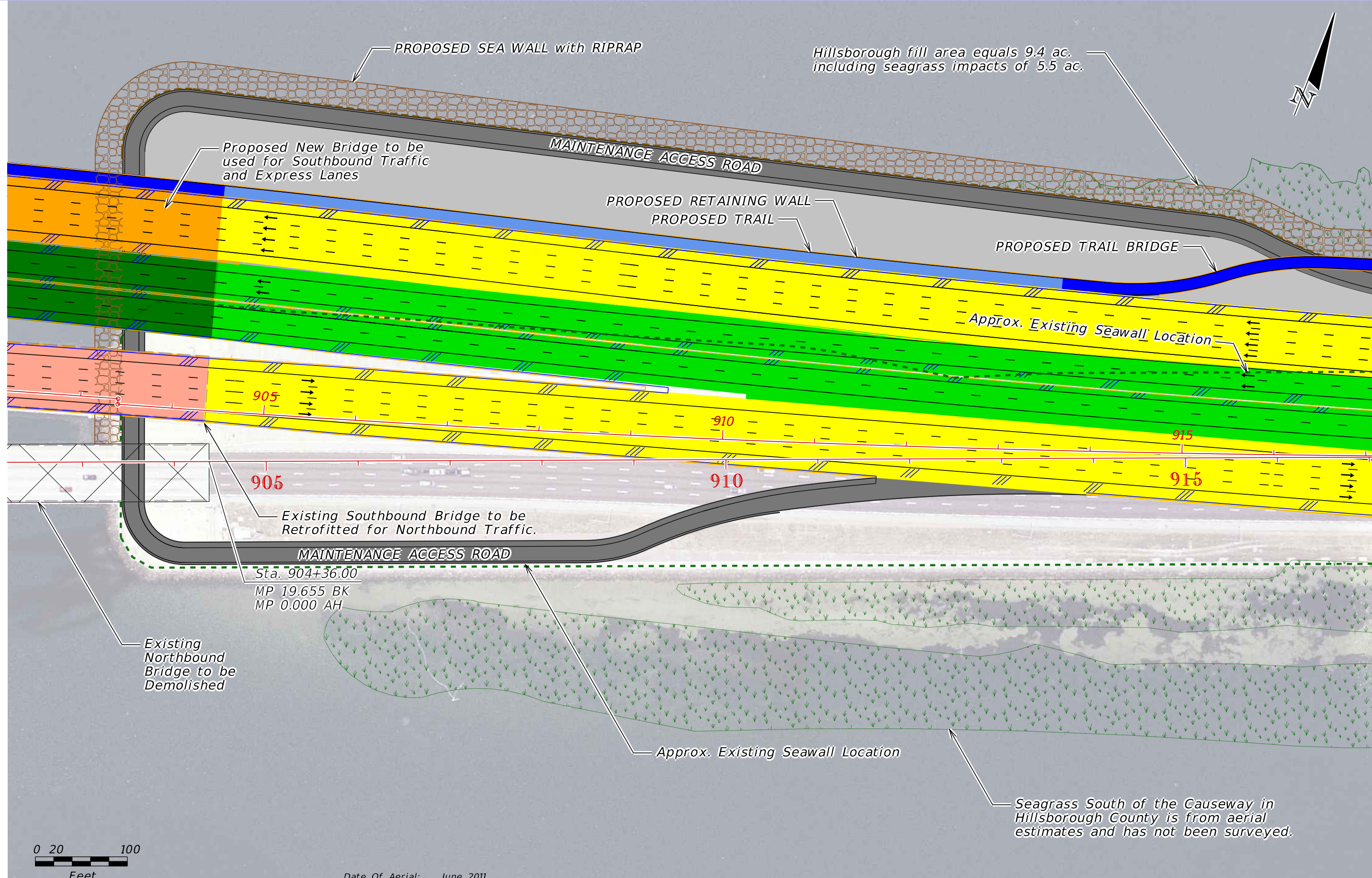
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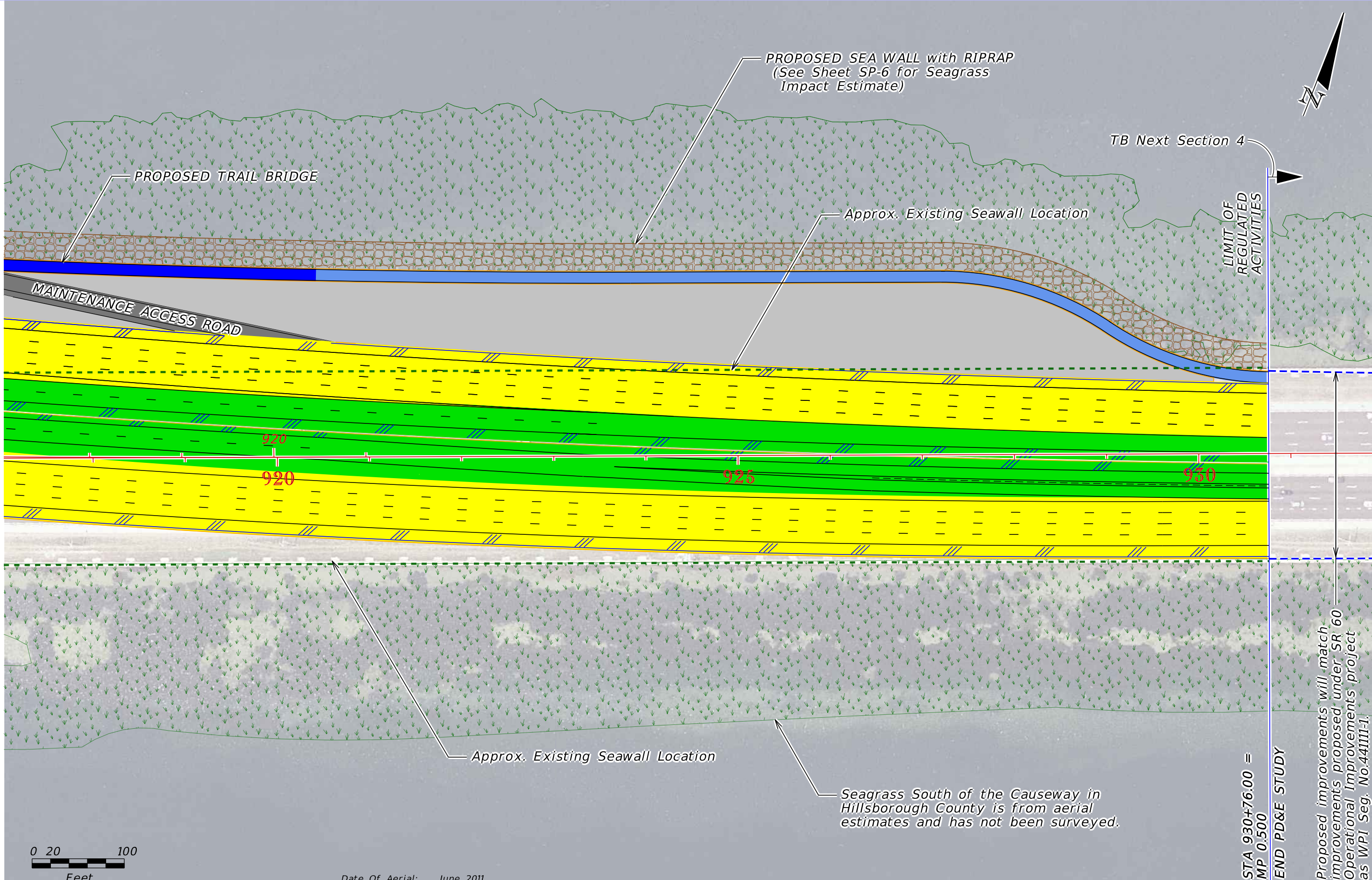
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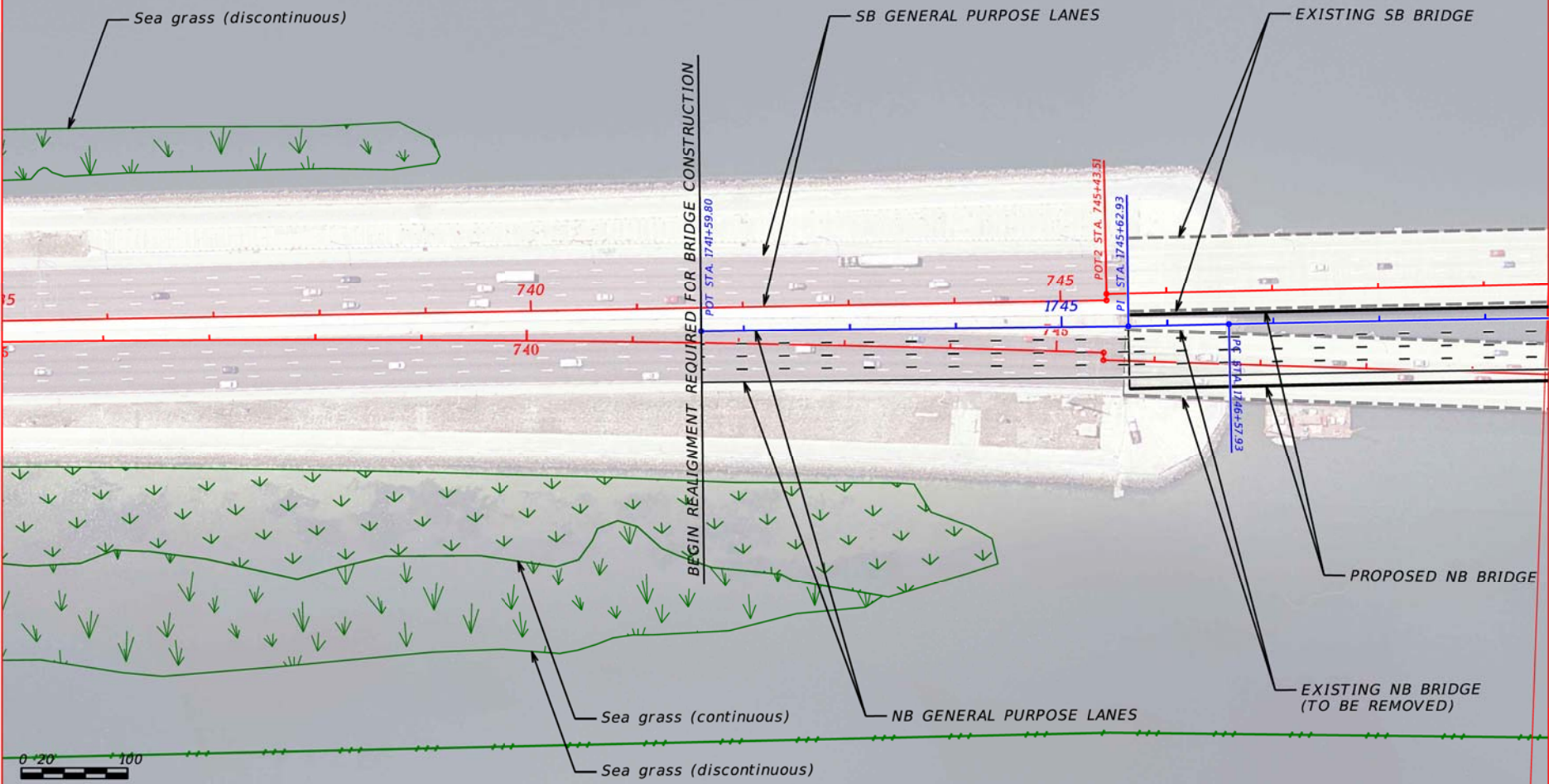
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**Part 2: Concept  
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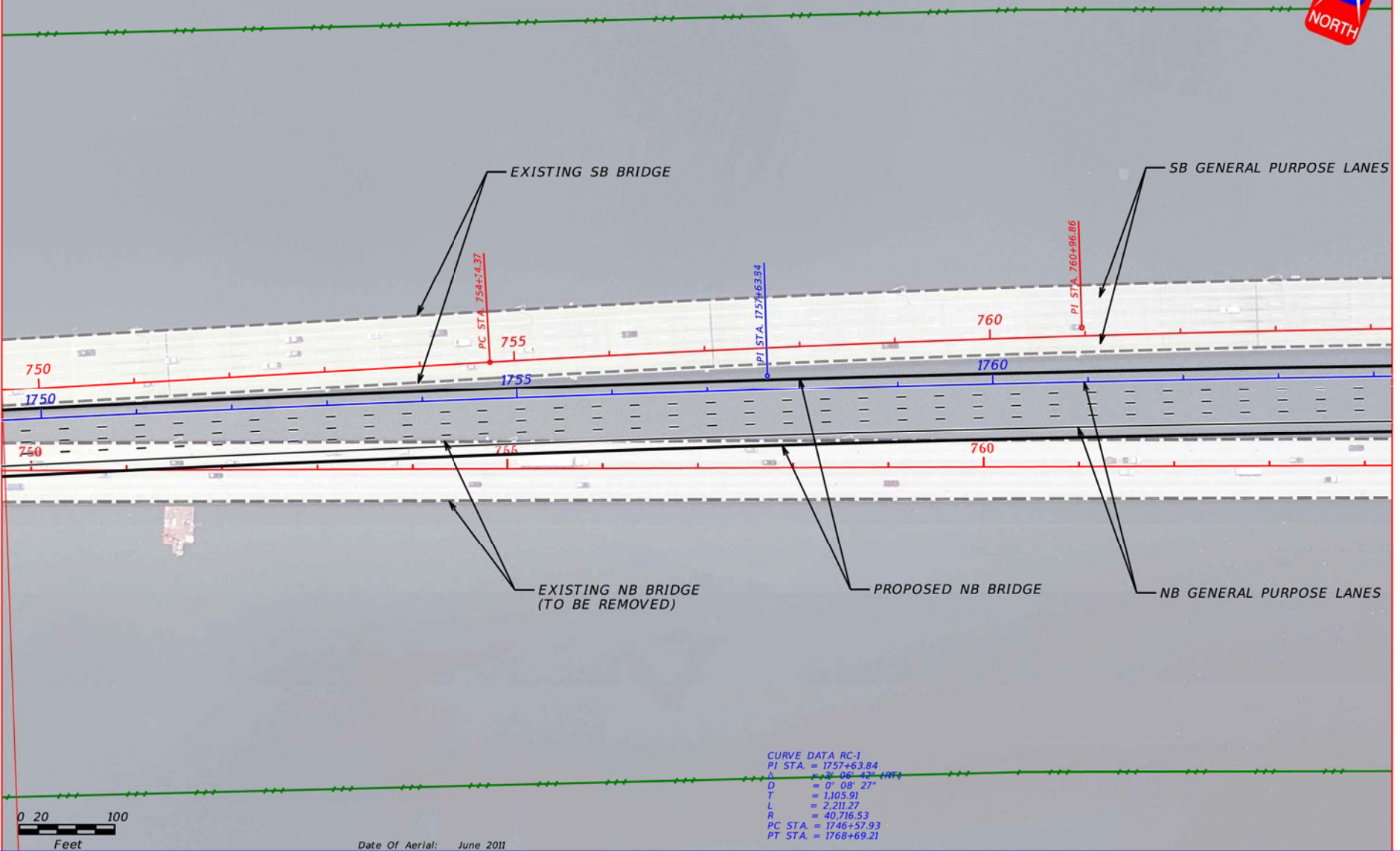
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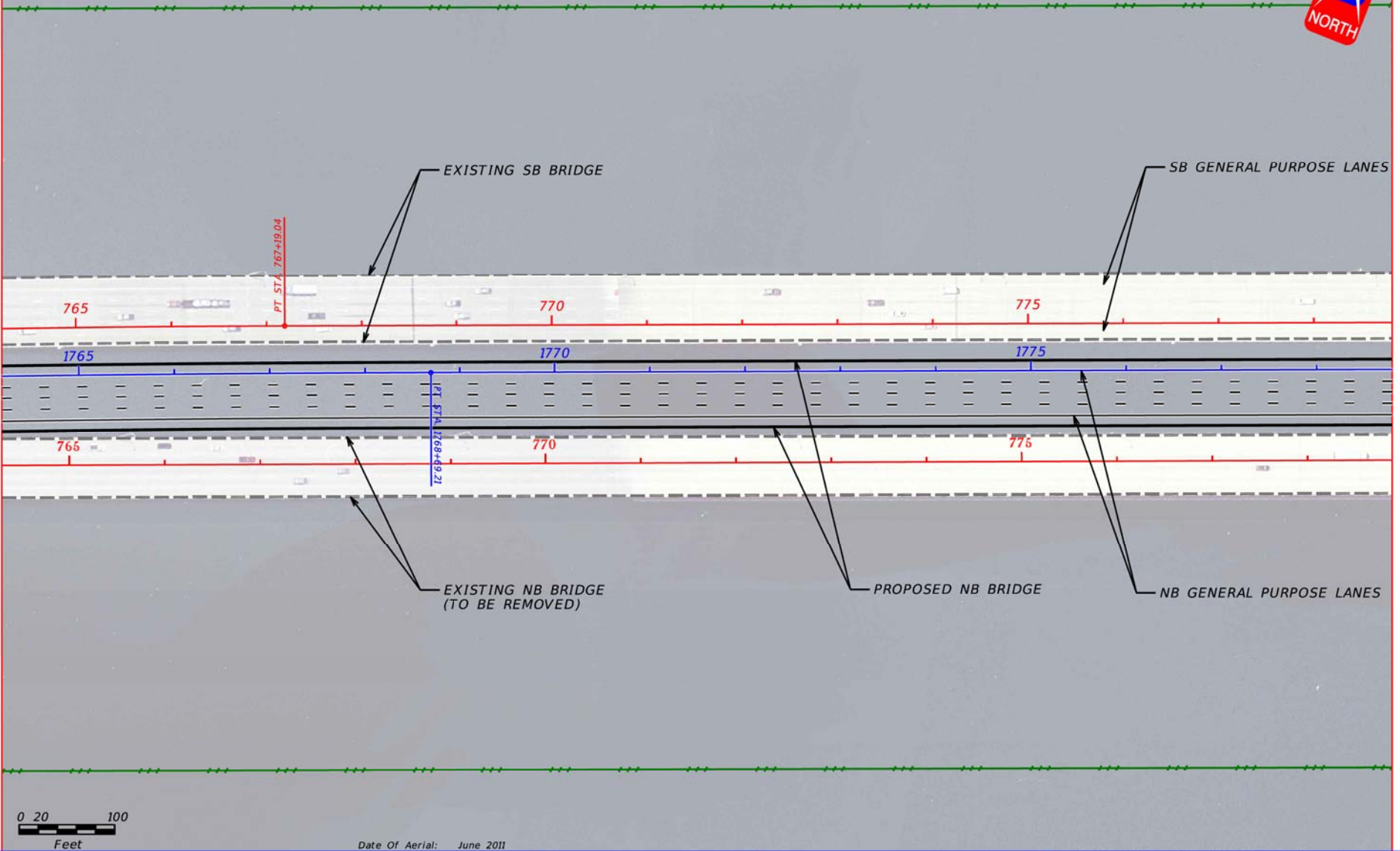
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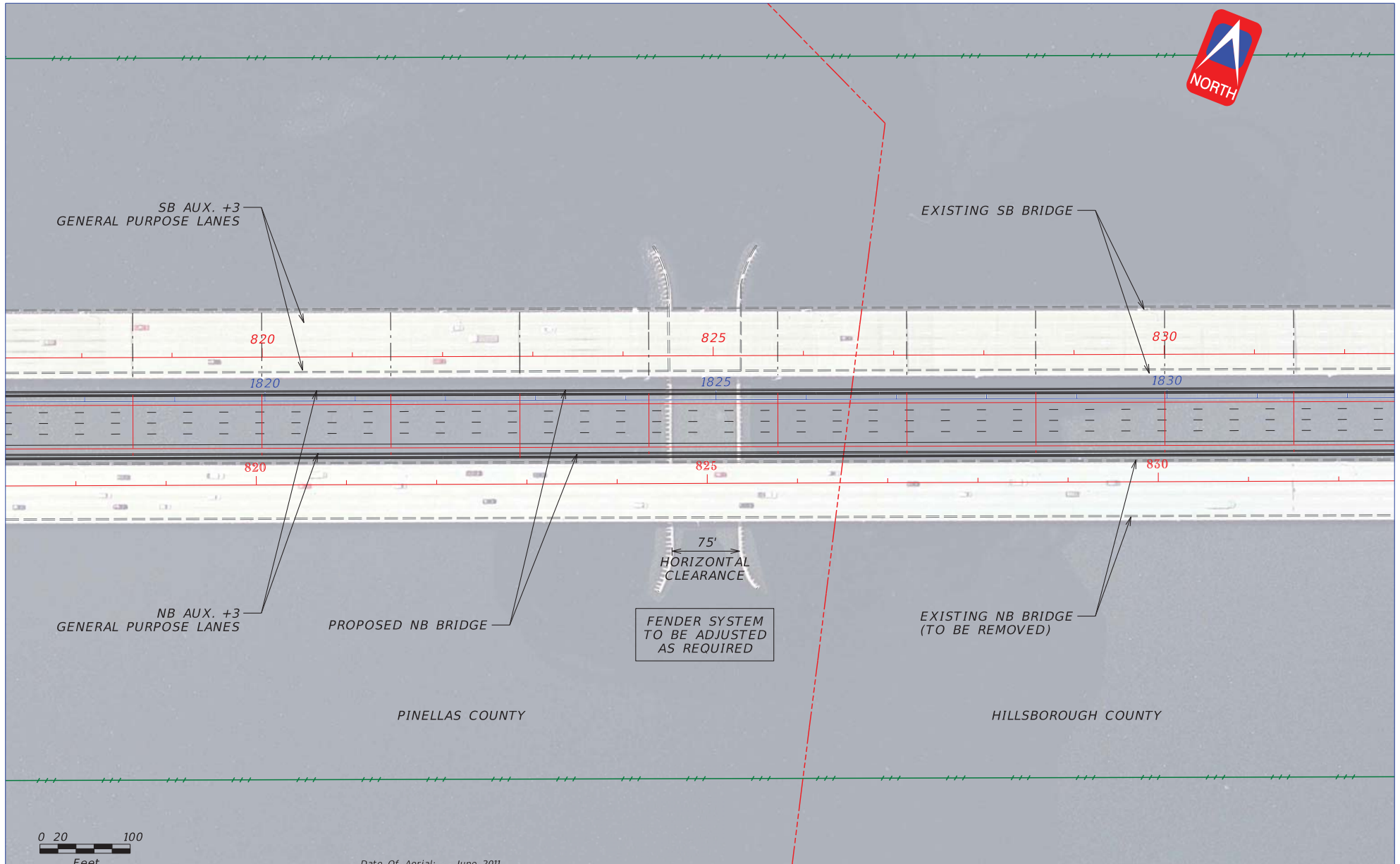
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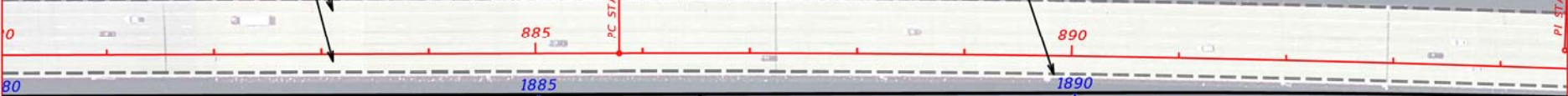


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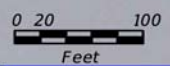
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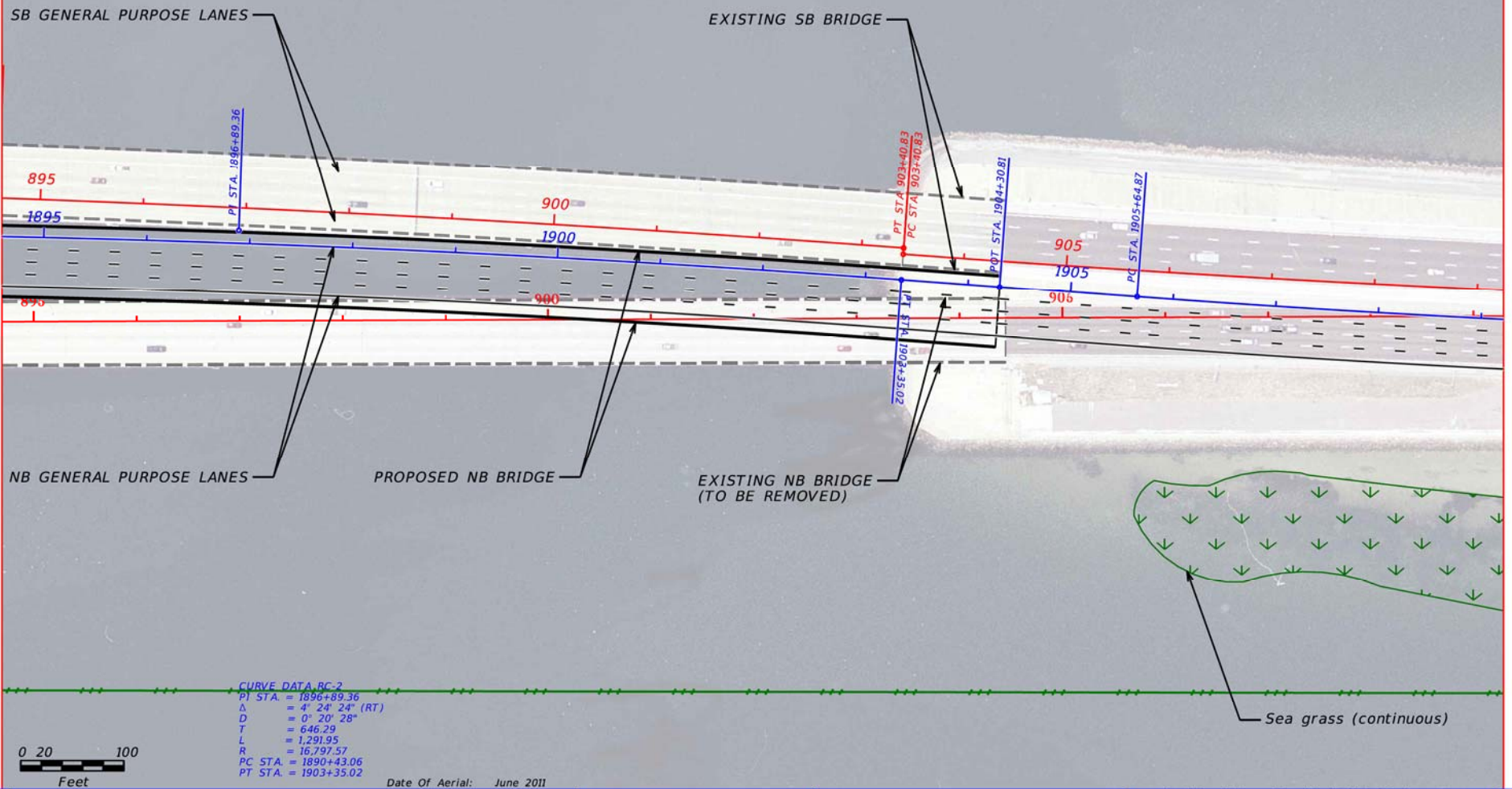
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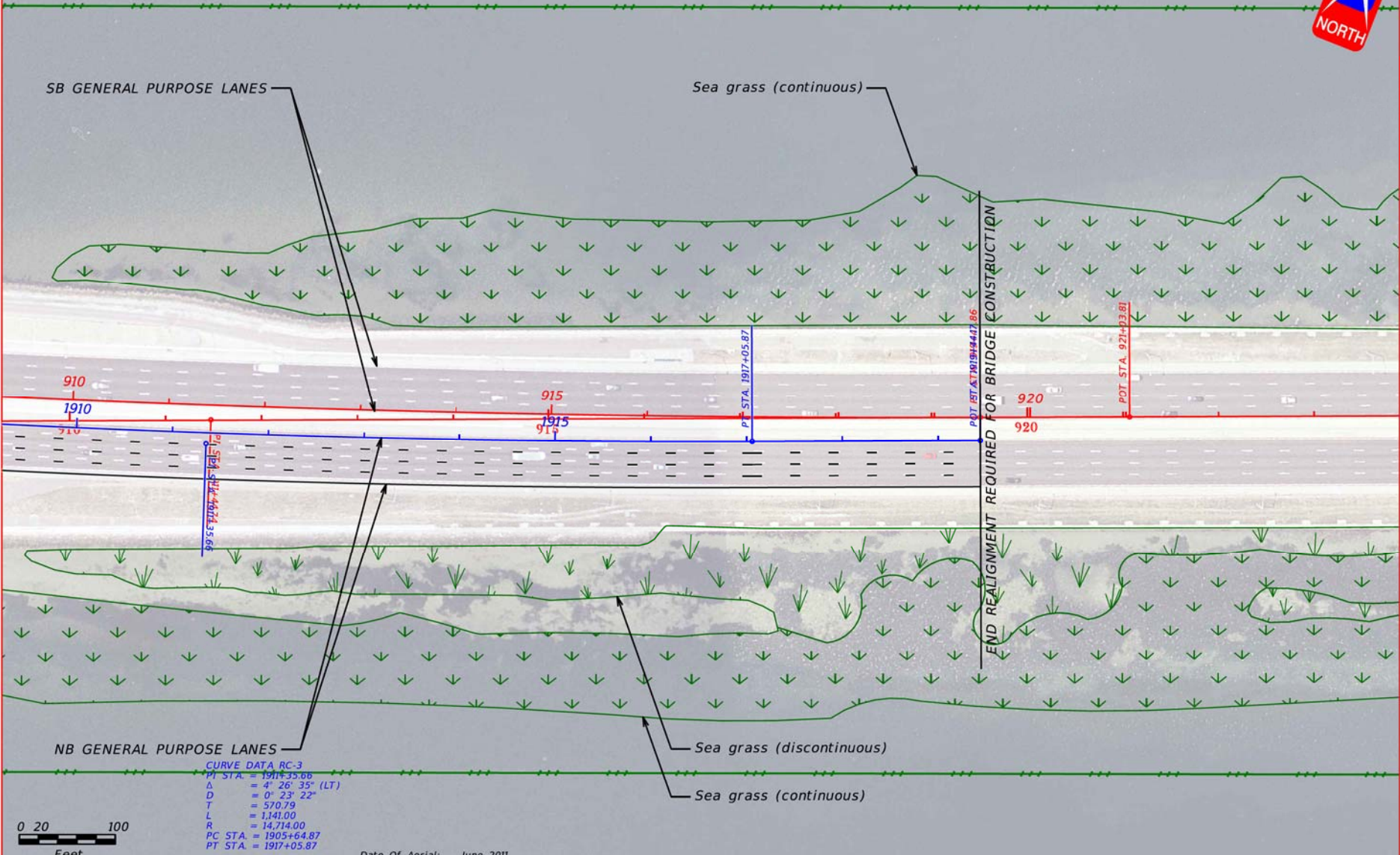
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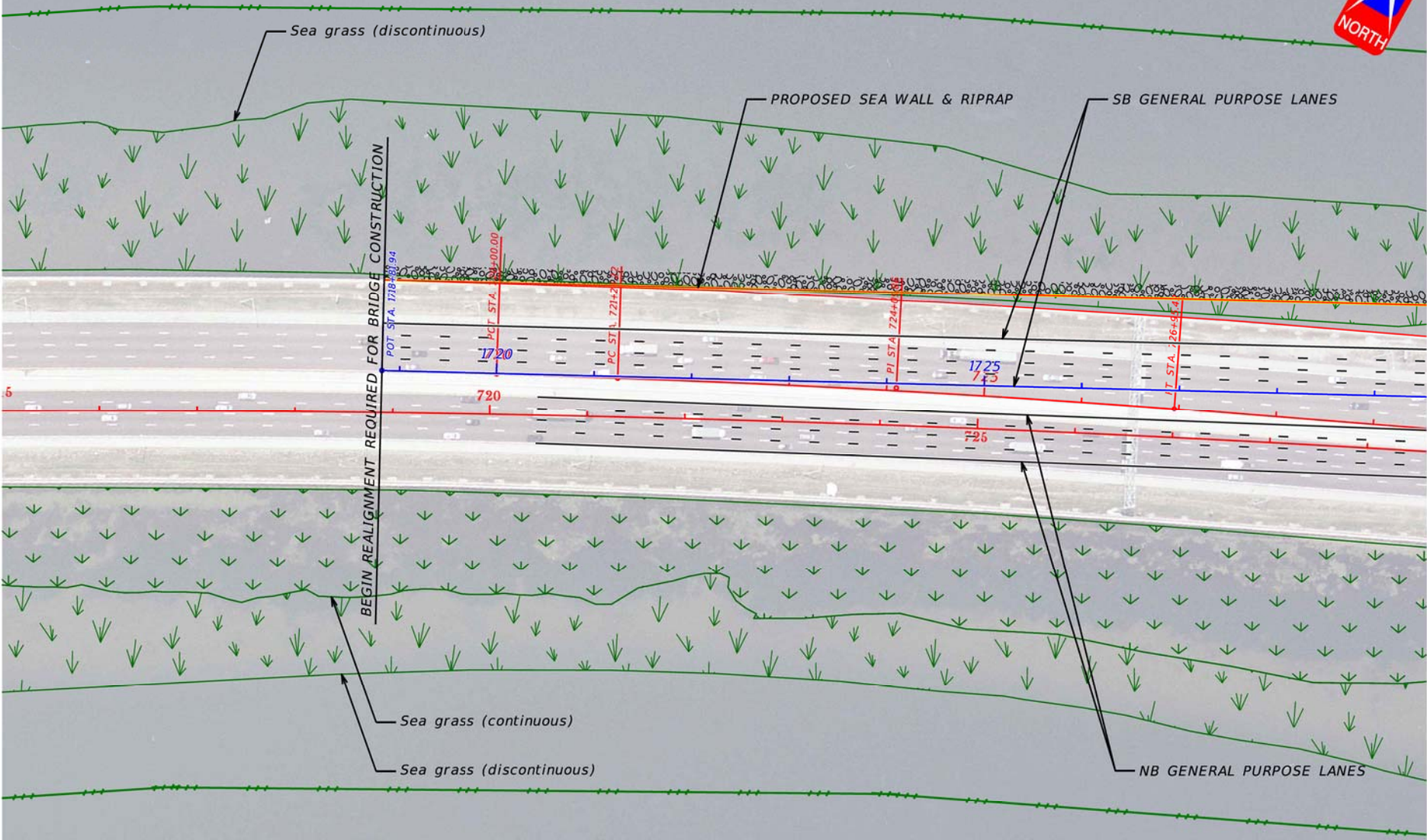
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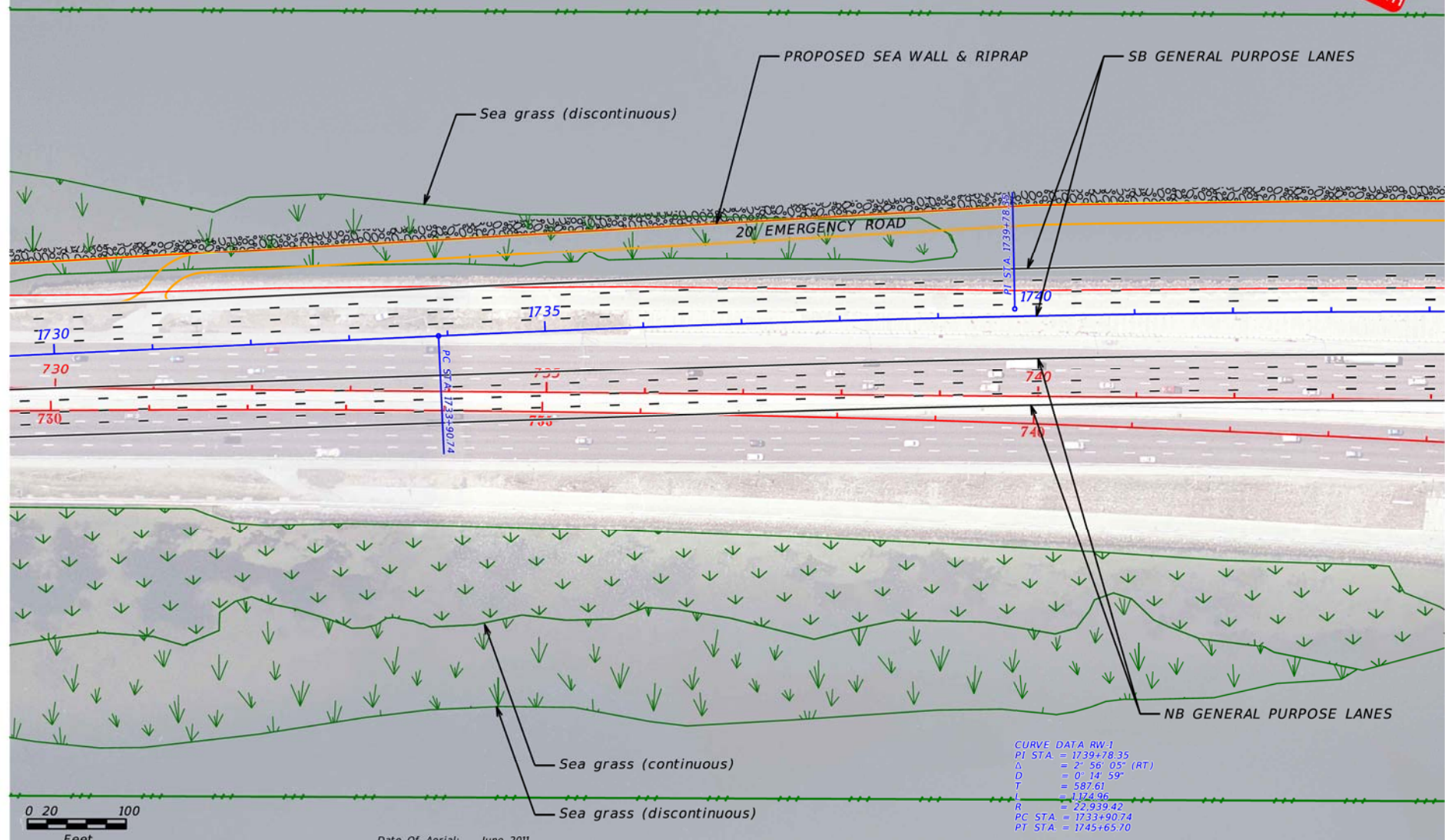
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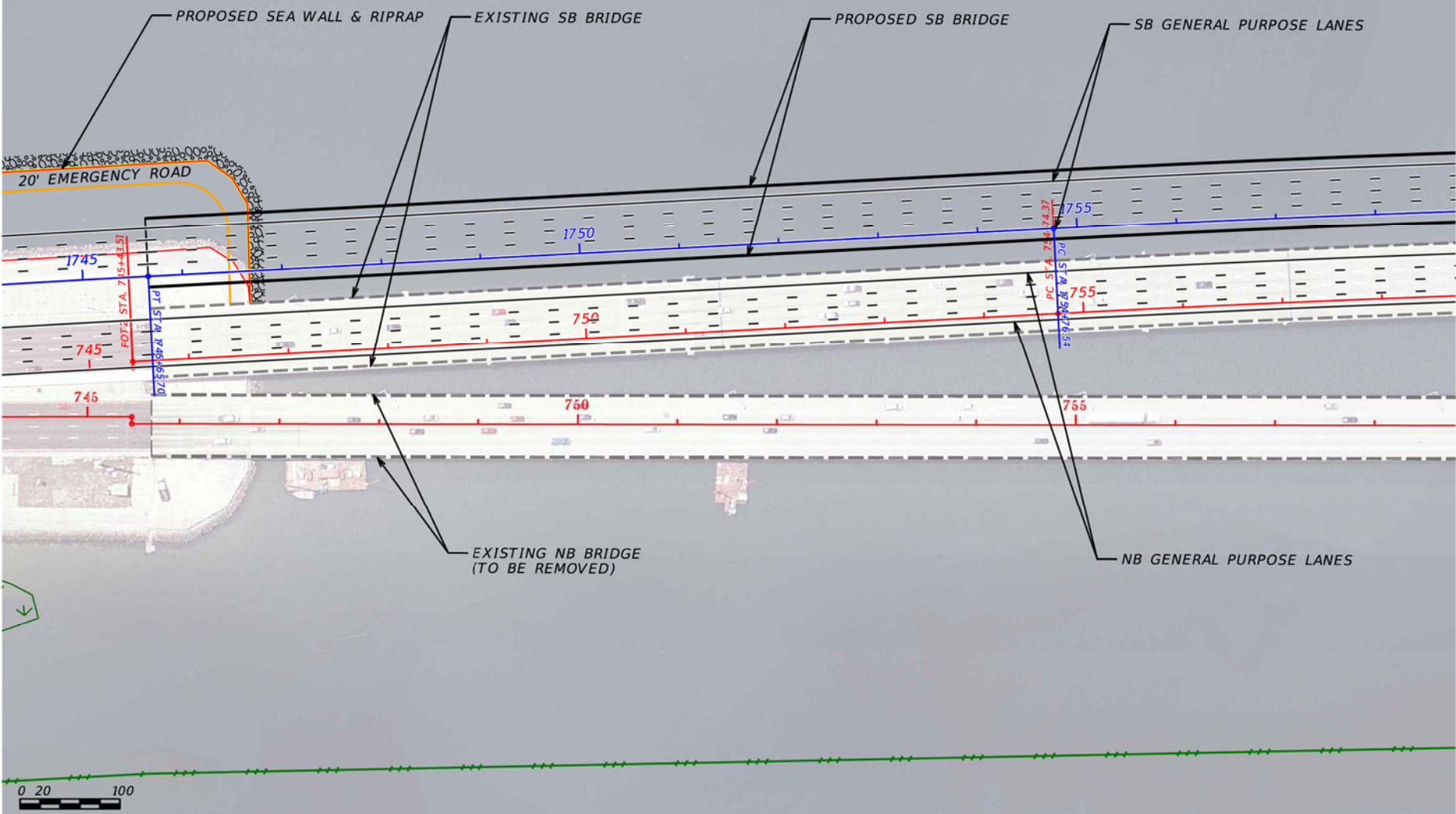
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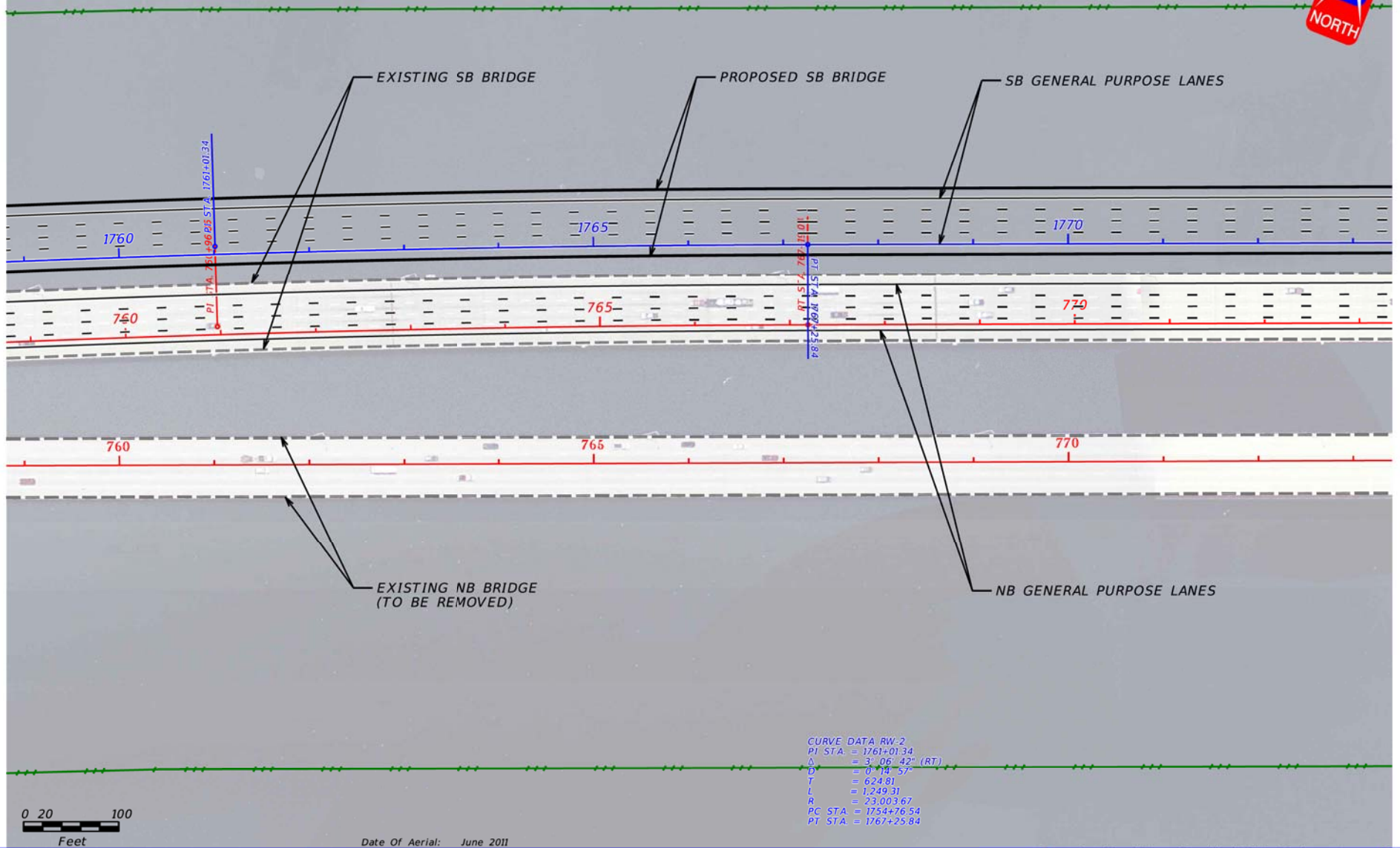
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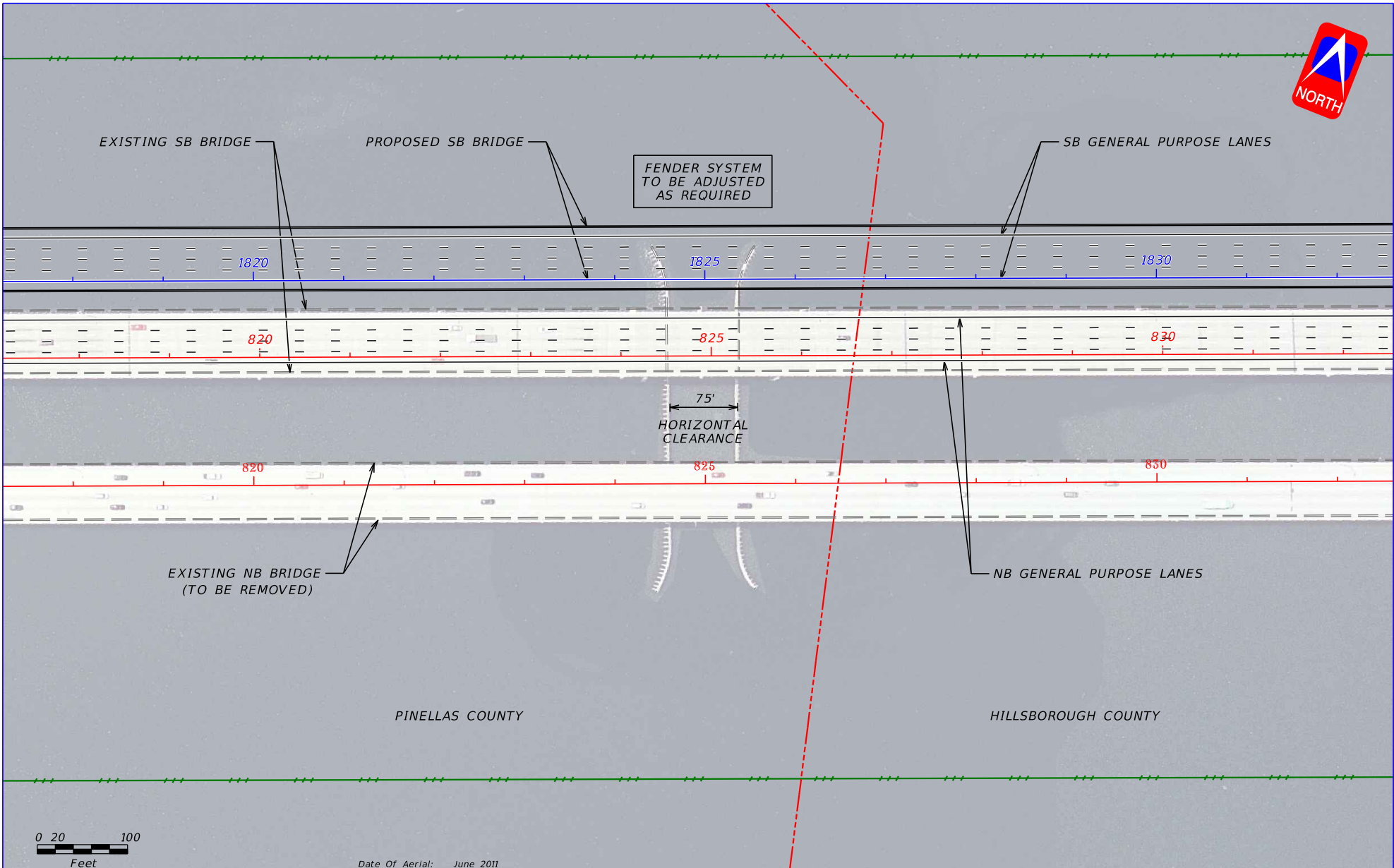
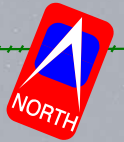
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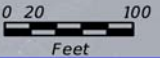
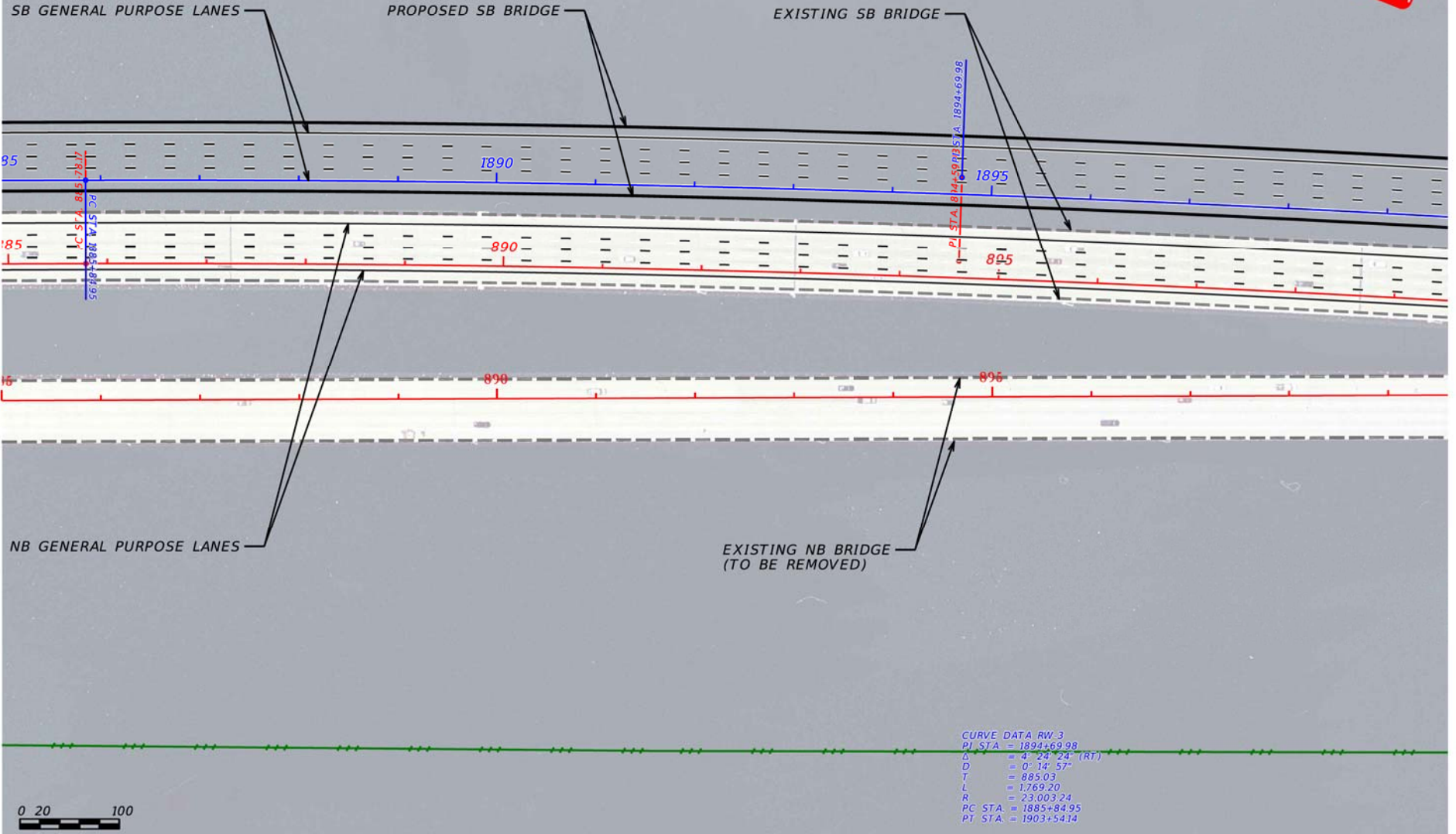
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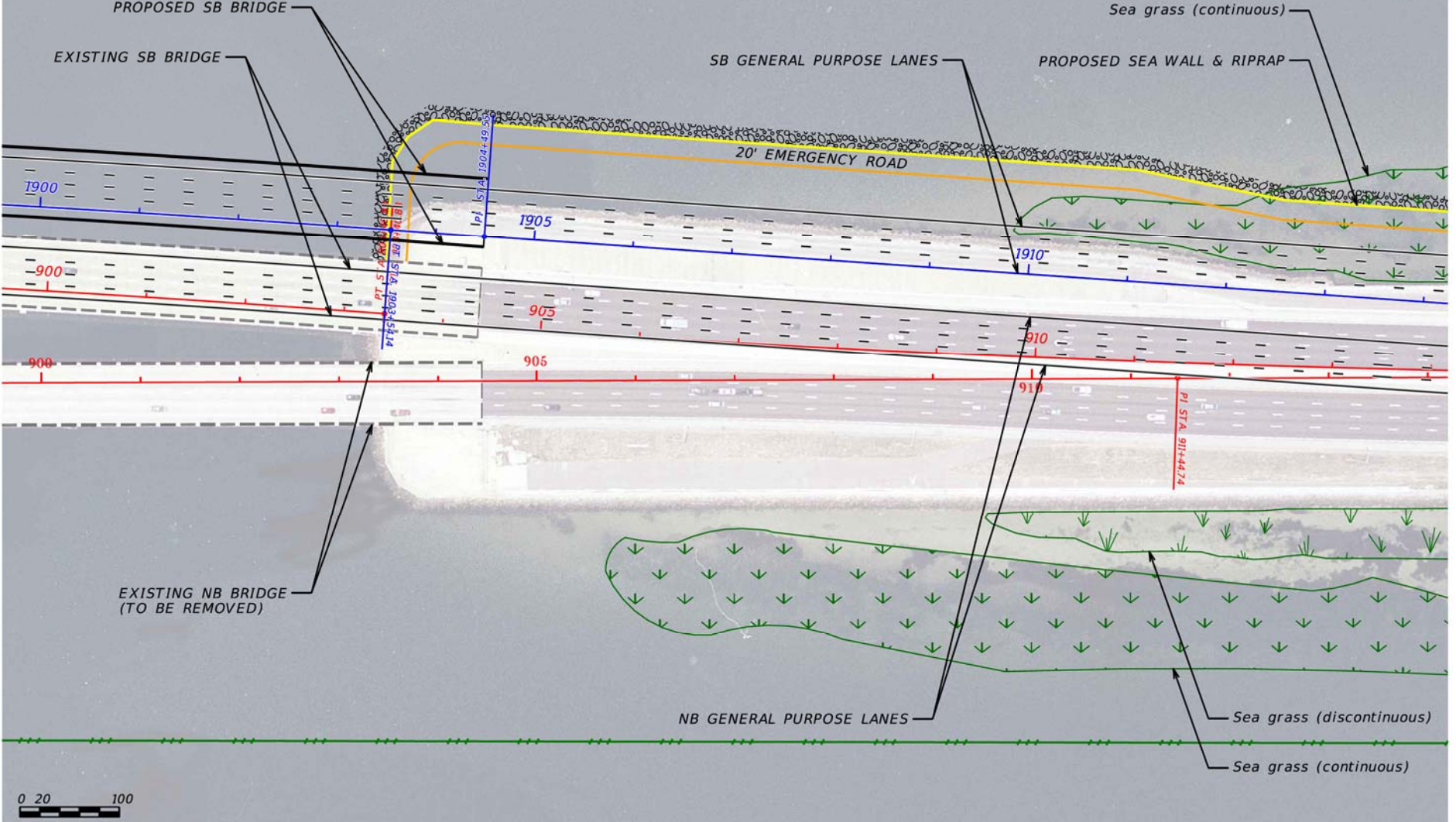
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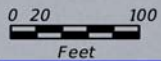
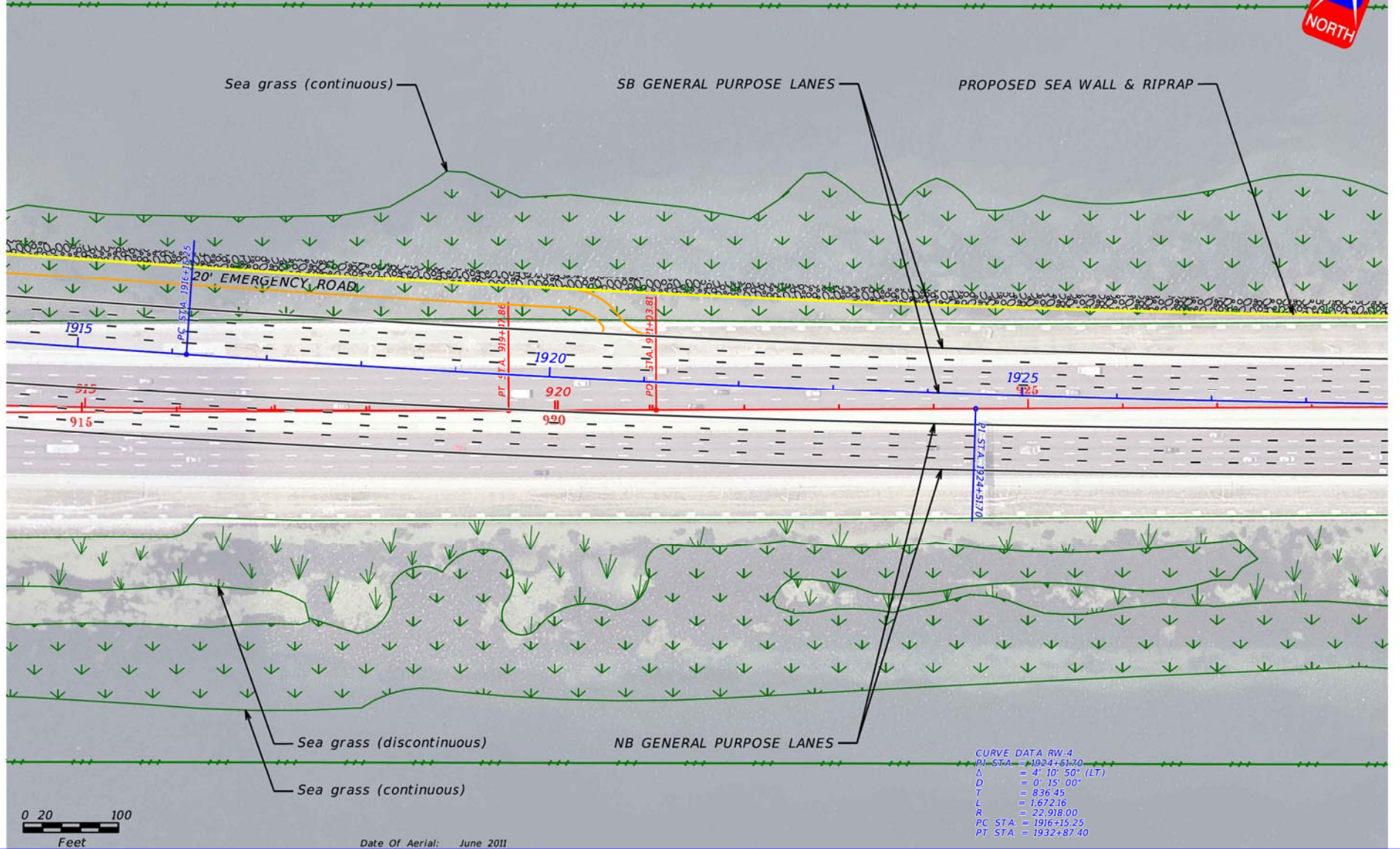
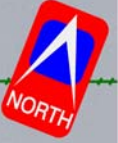
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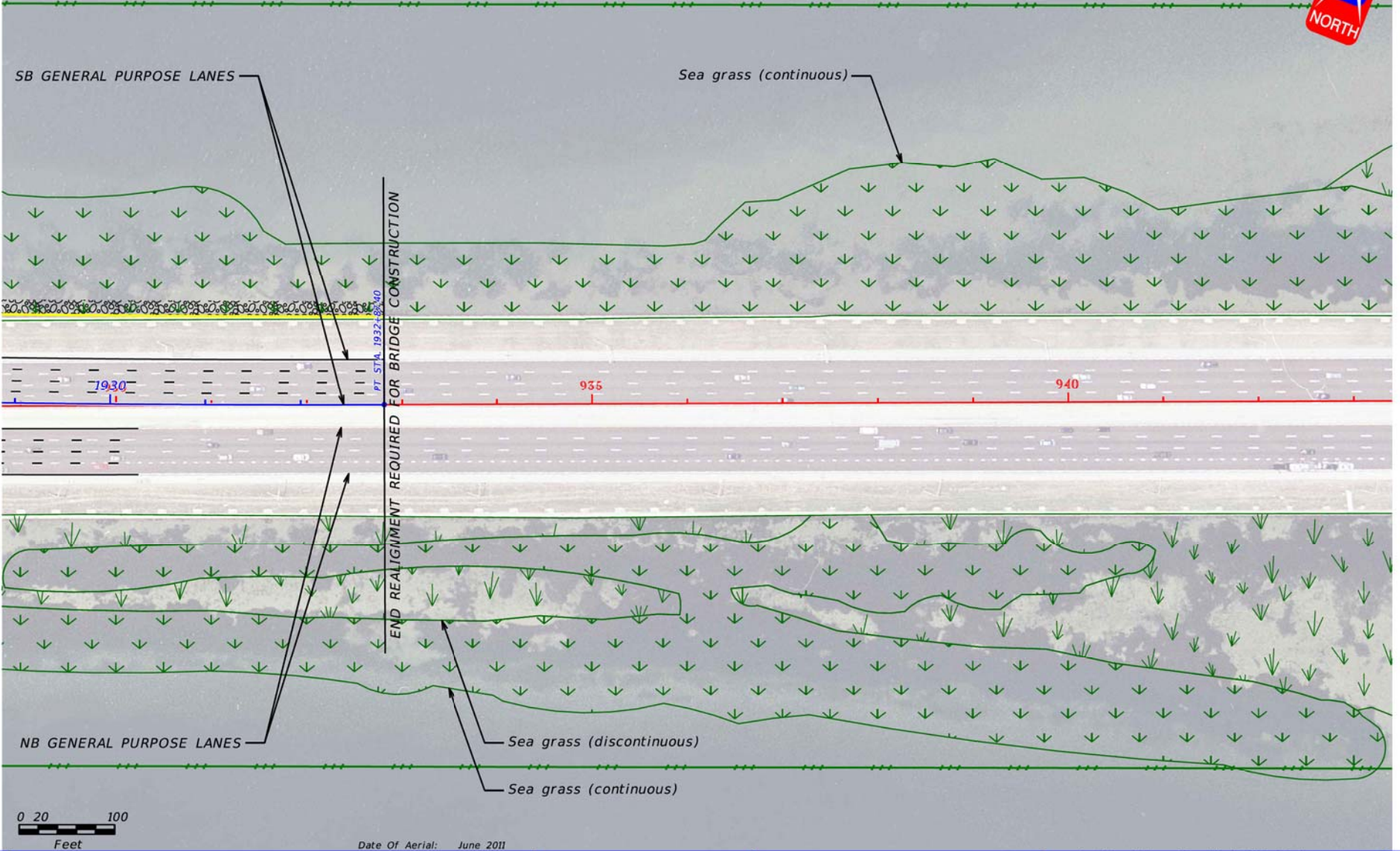
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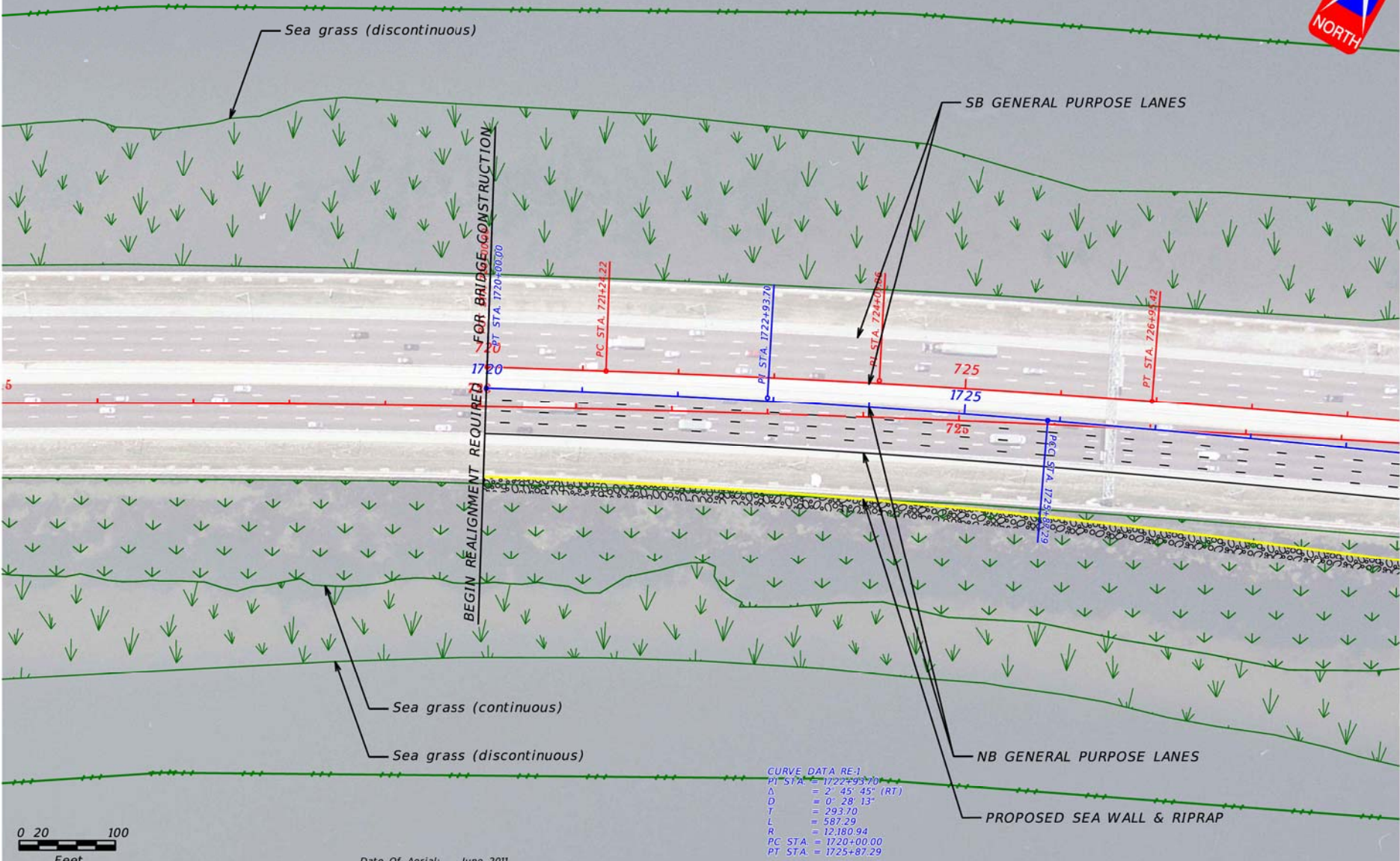
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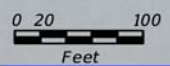
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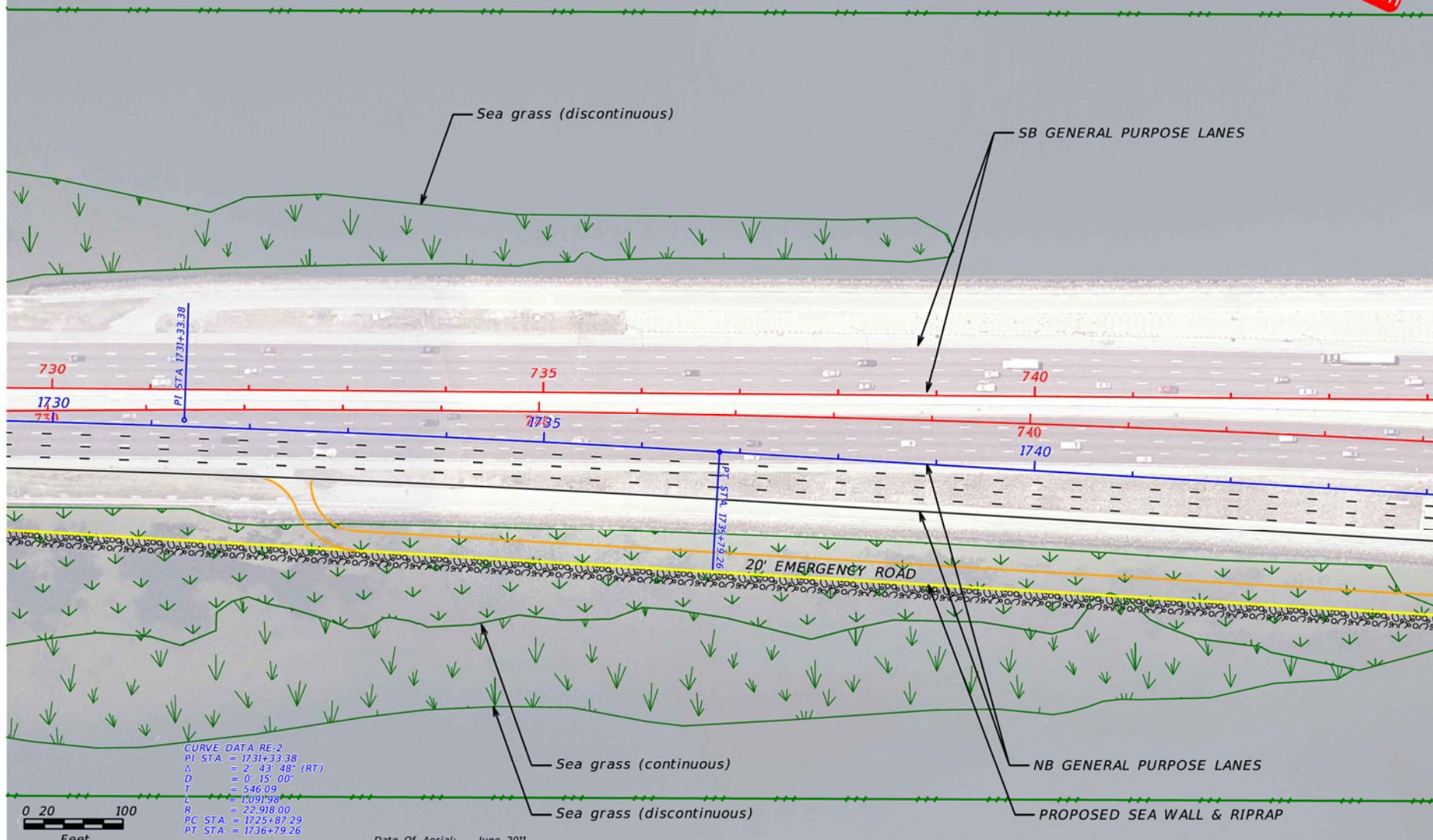
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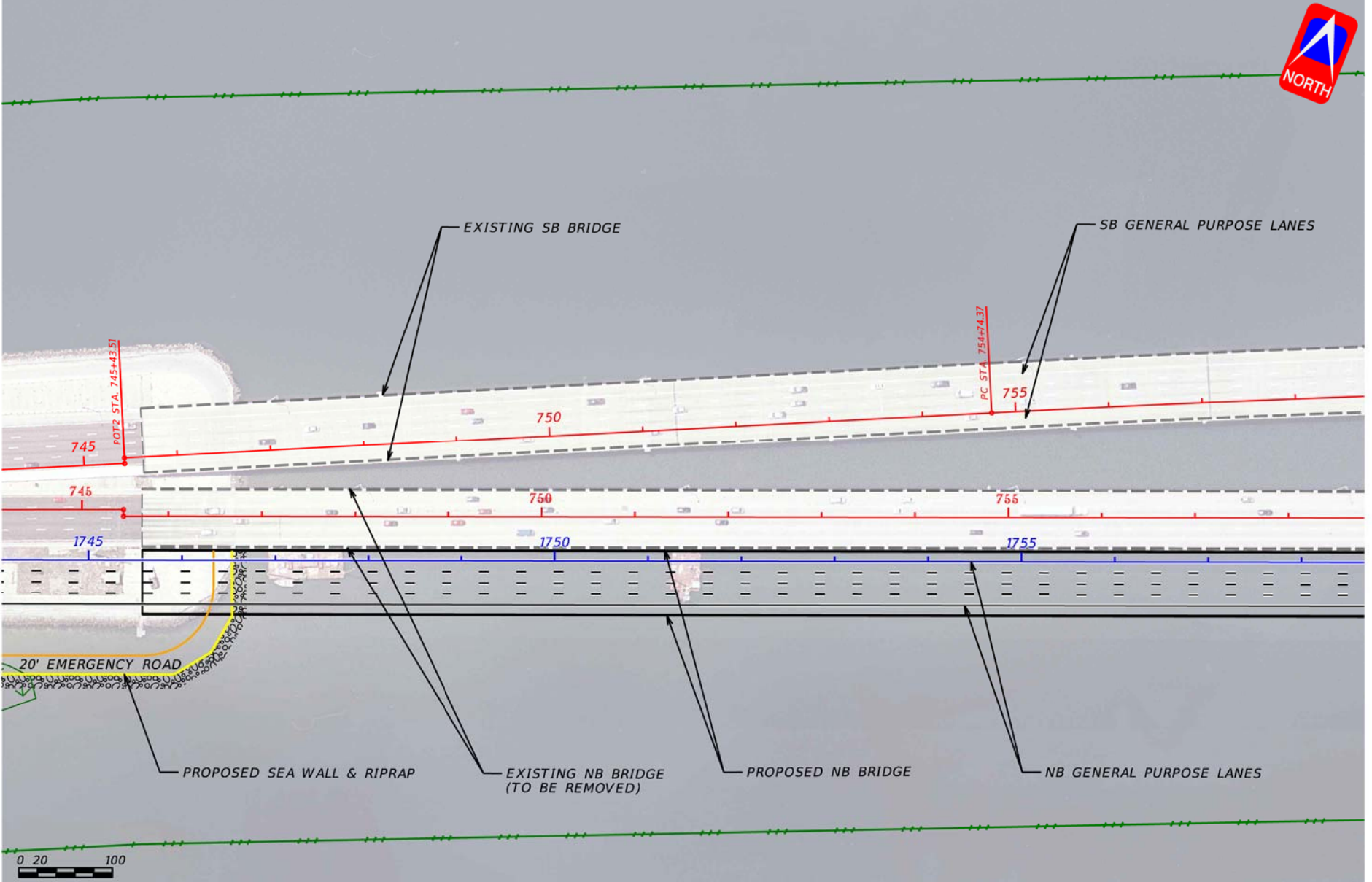
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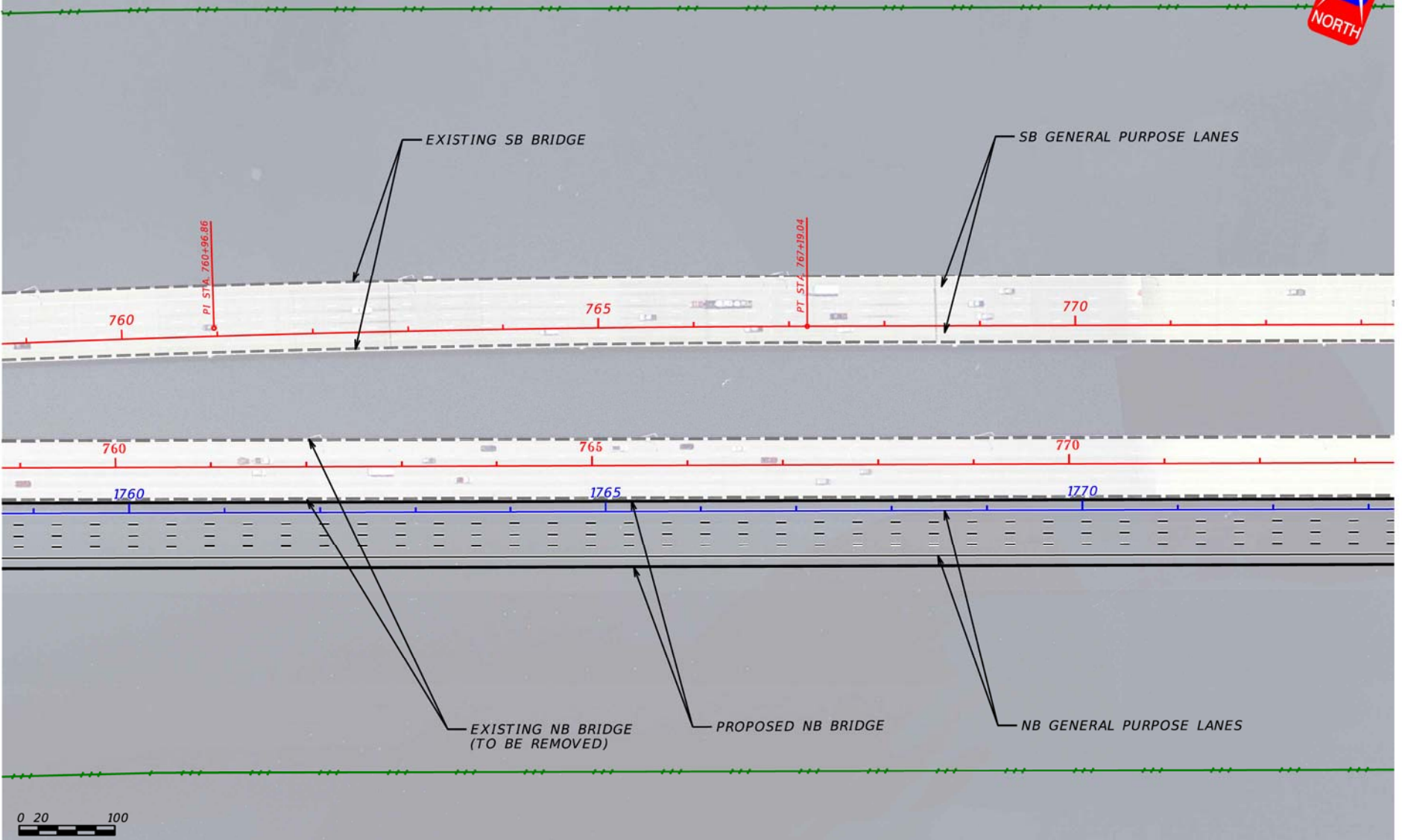
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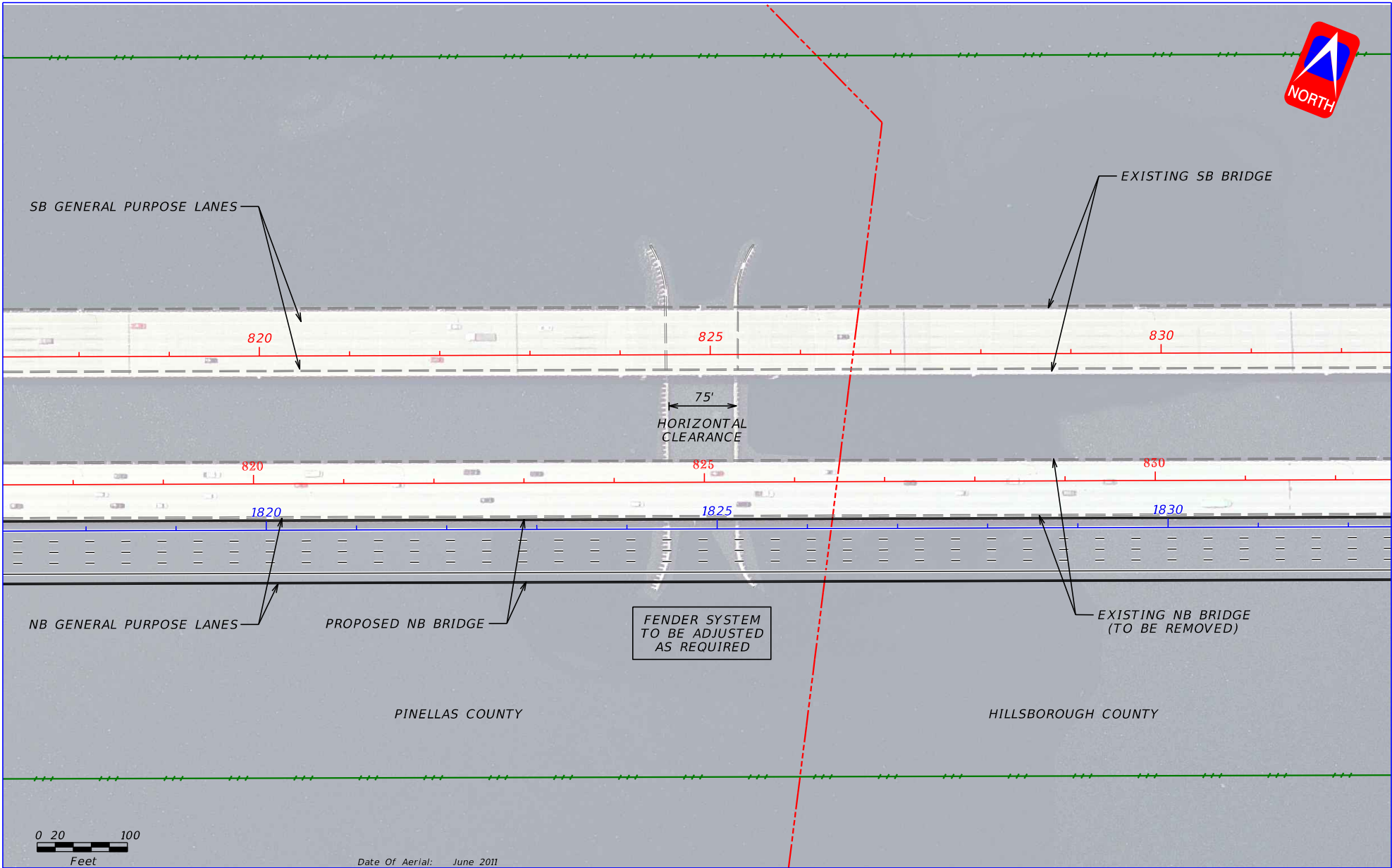
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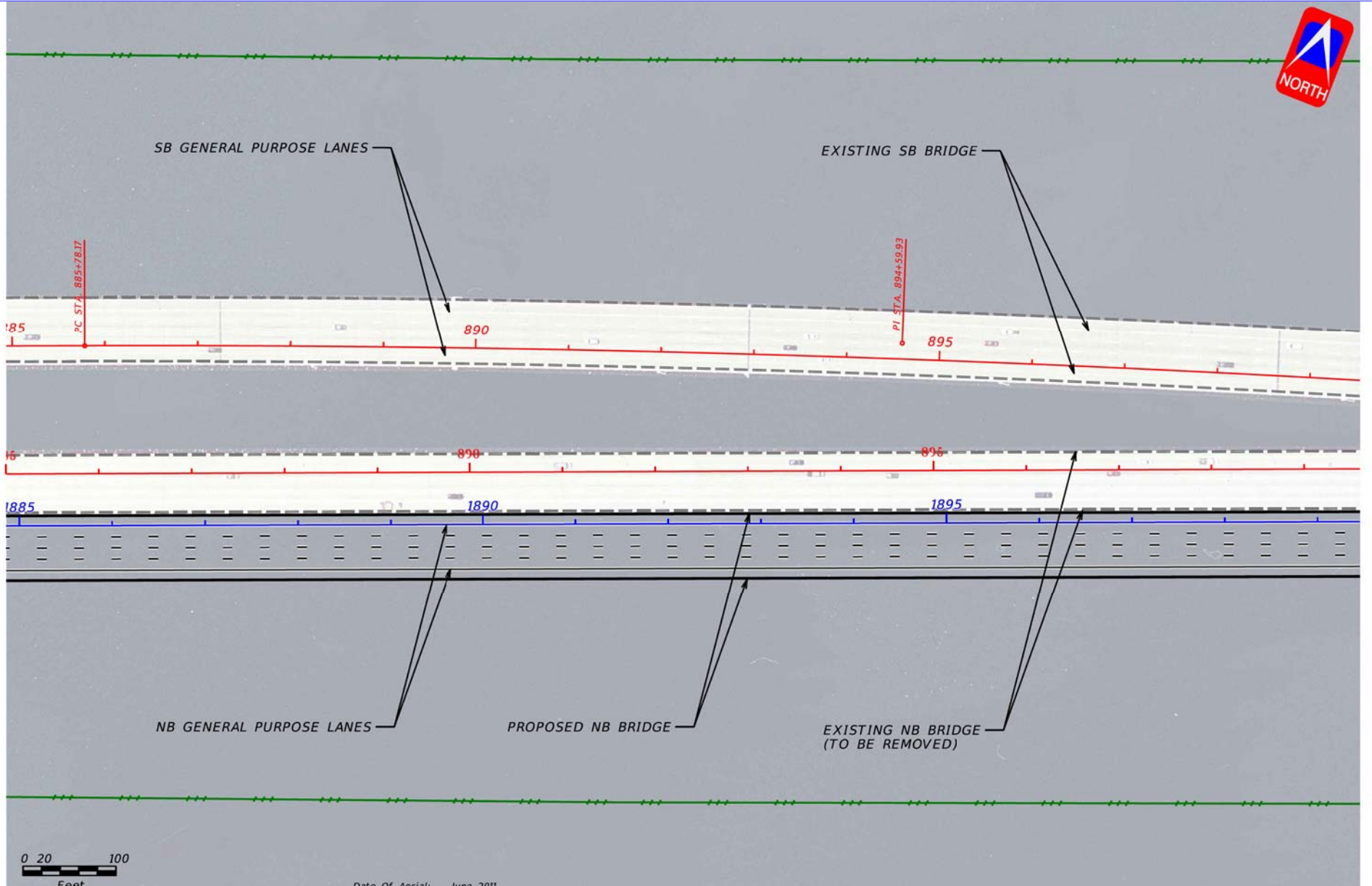
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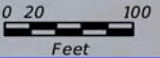
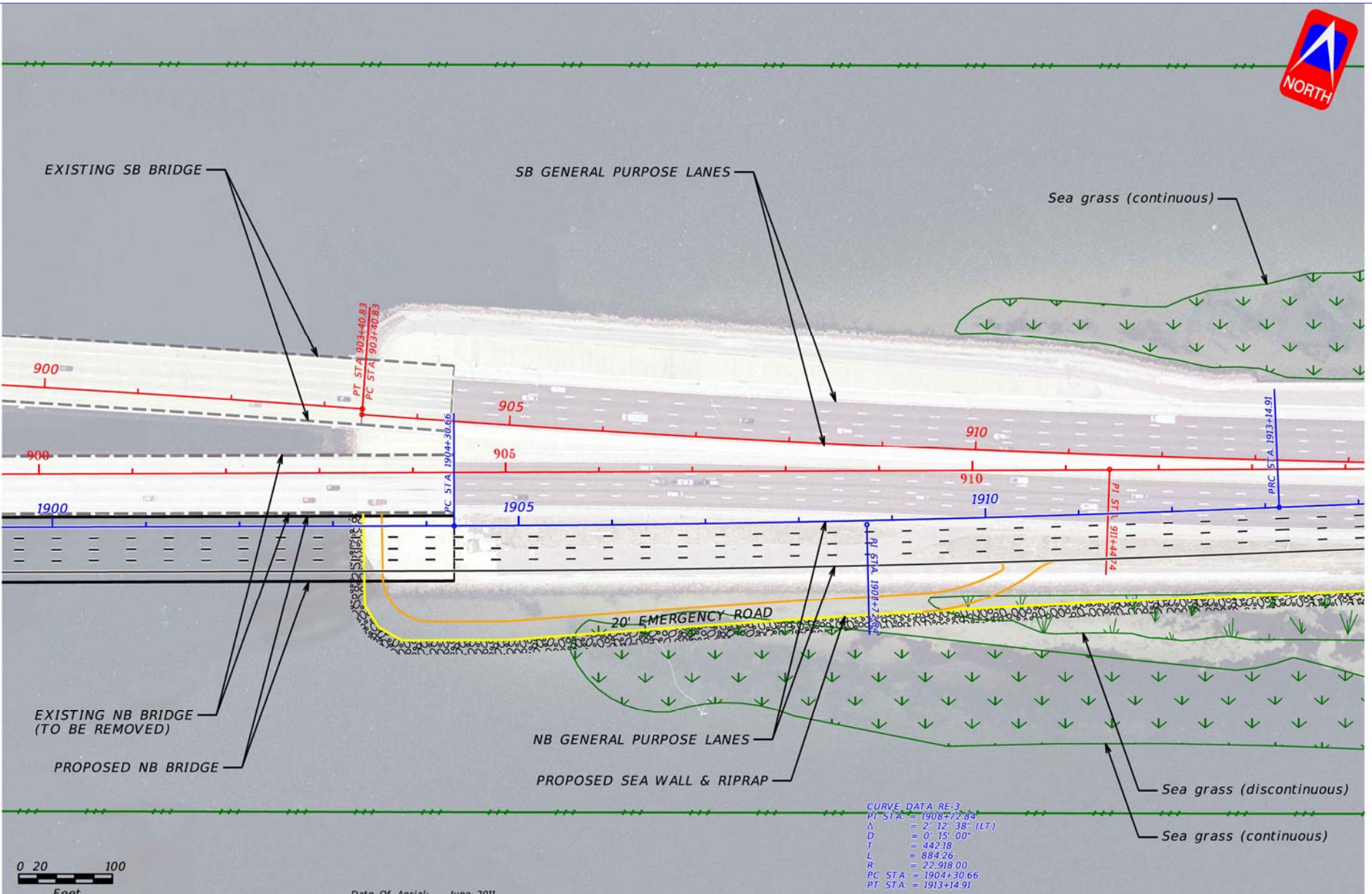
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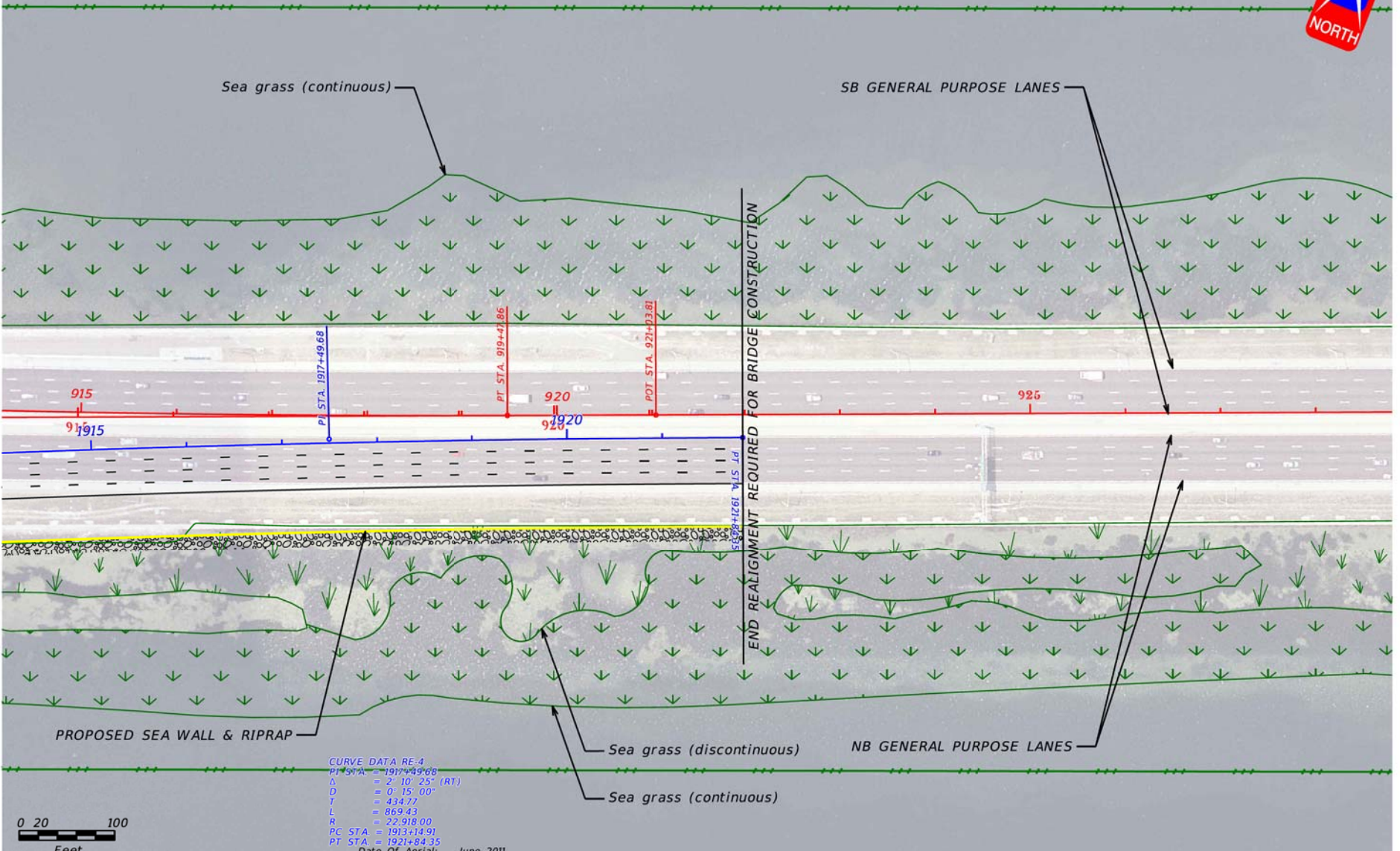
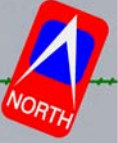
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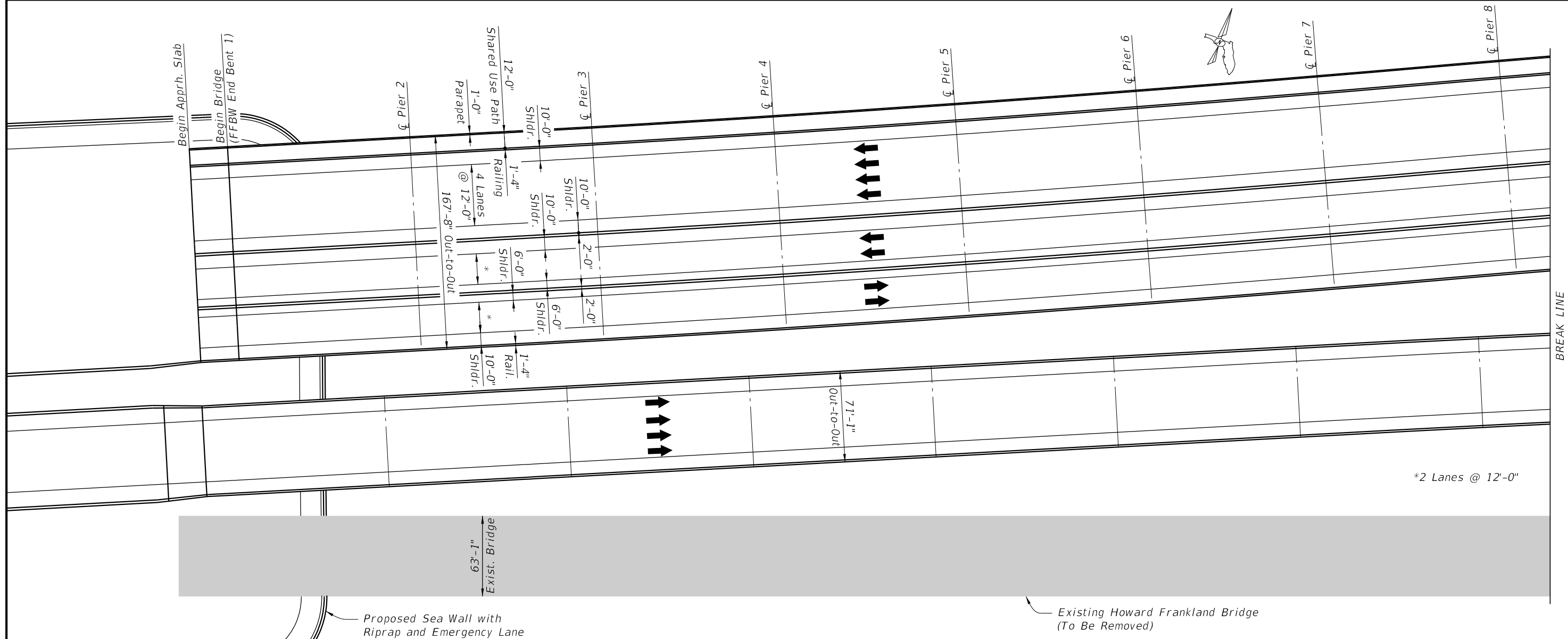
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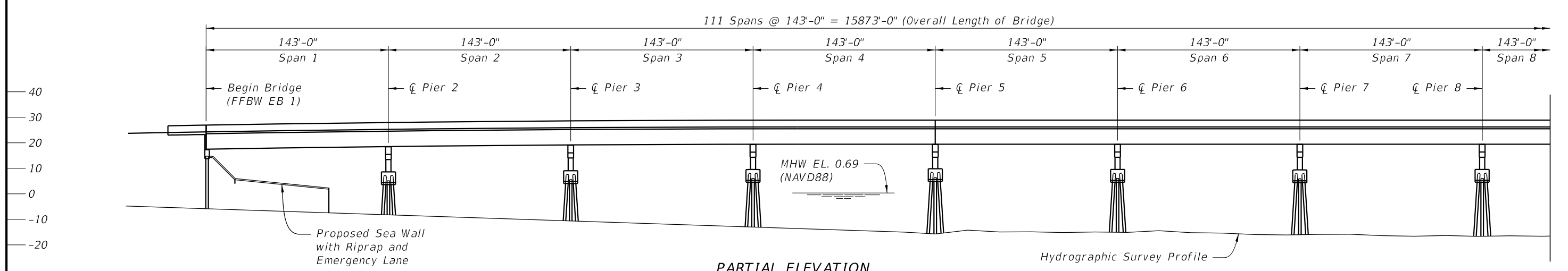
## *Plan, Elevation & Bridge Sequencing*

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## **Part 1: Plan and Elevation Drawings for the Recommended Build Alternative**

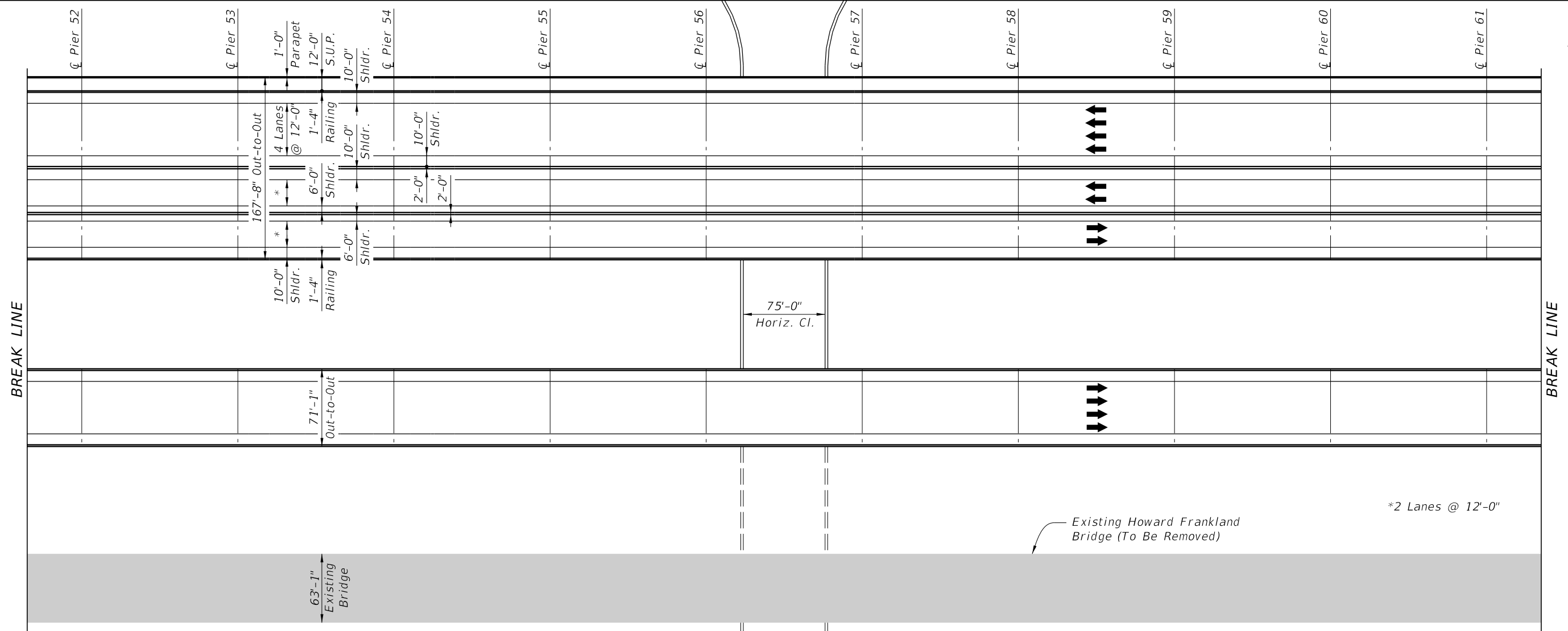


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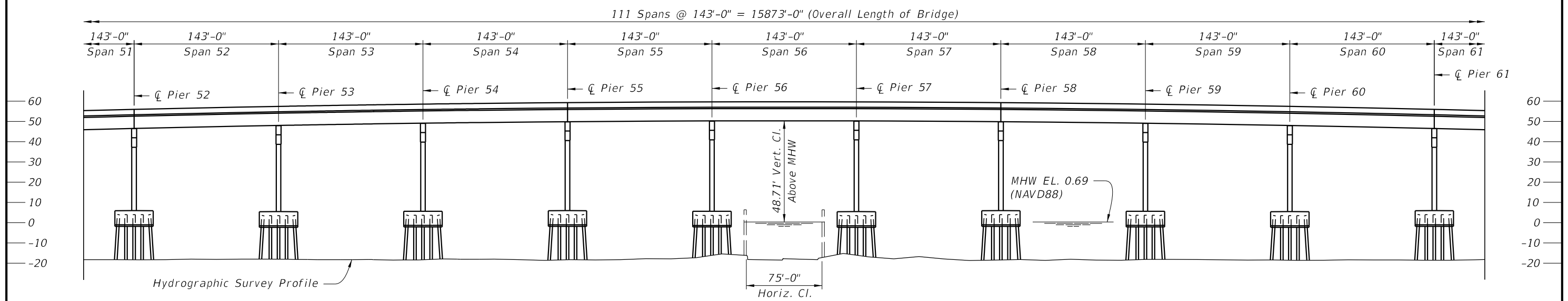


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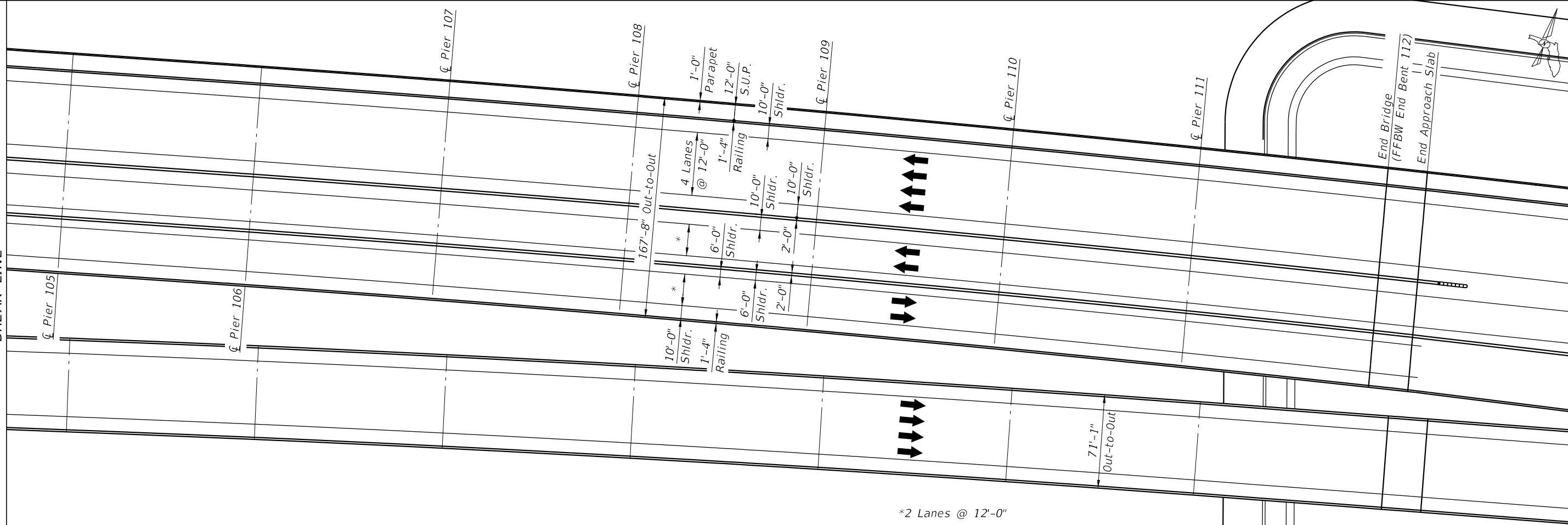
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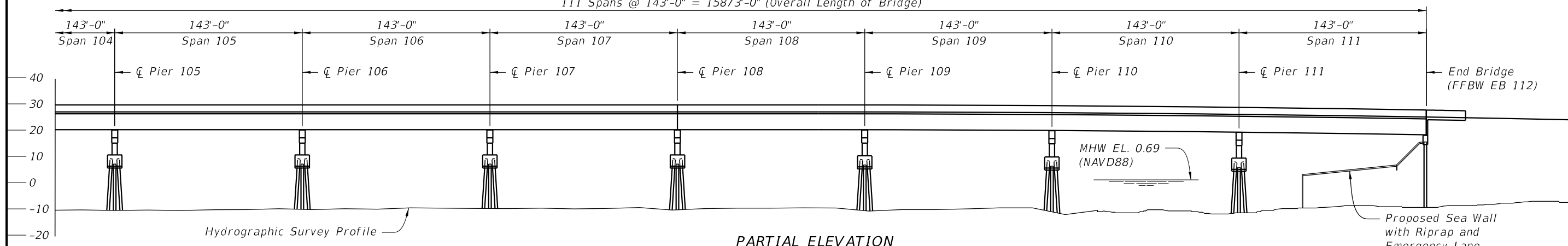
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Proposed Sea Wall with  
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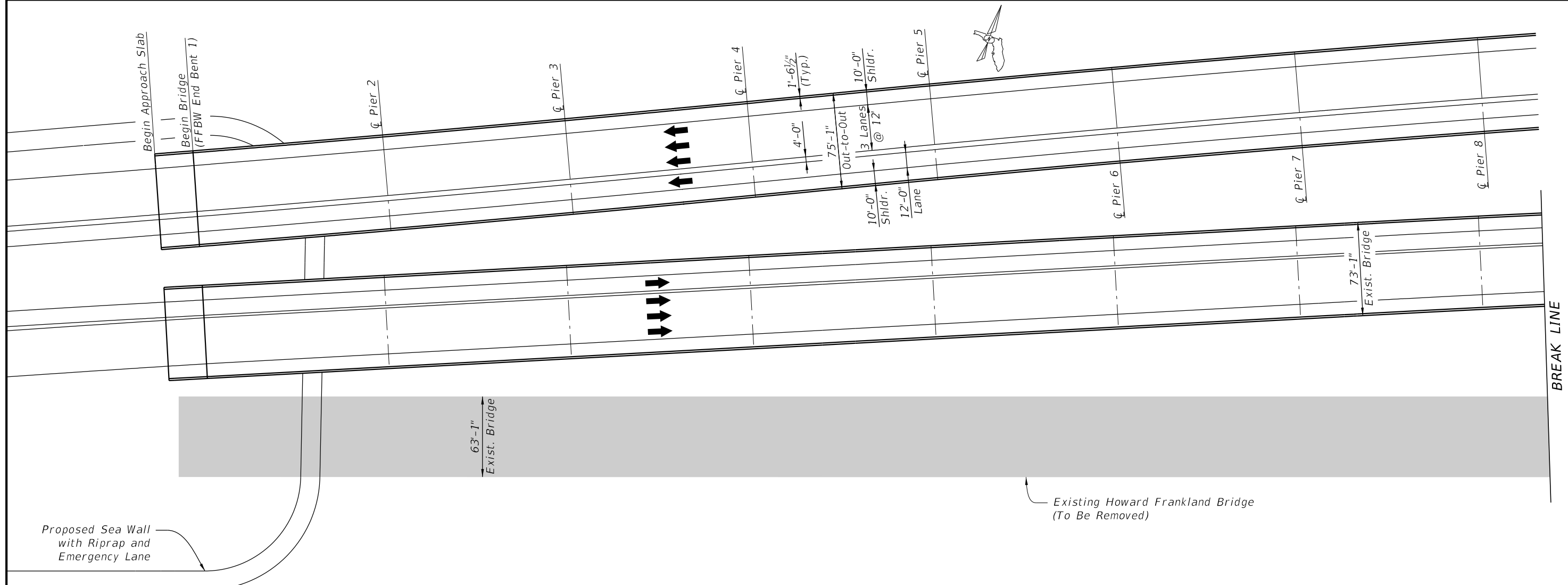
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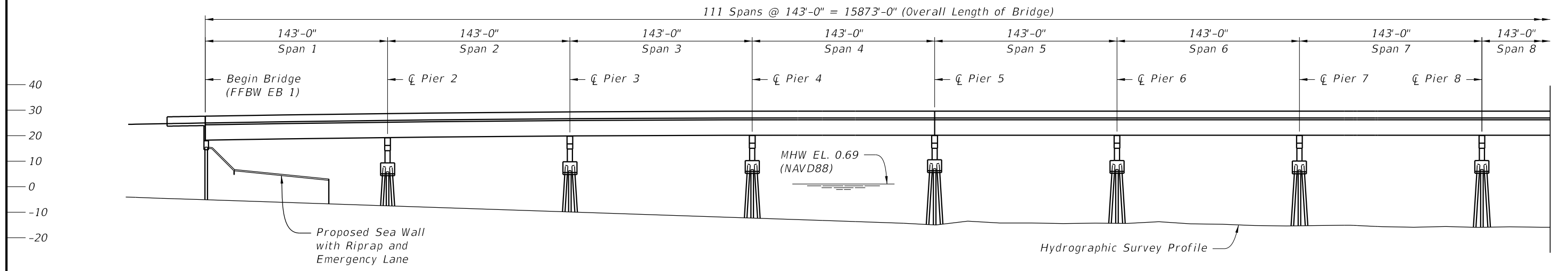
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## **Part 2: Plan, Elevation & Sequencing Drawings for the Previous Recommended Build Alternatives**





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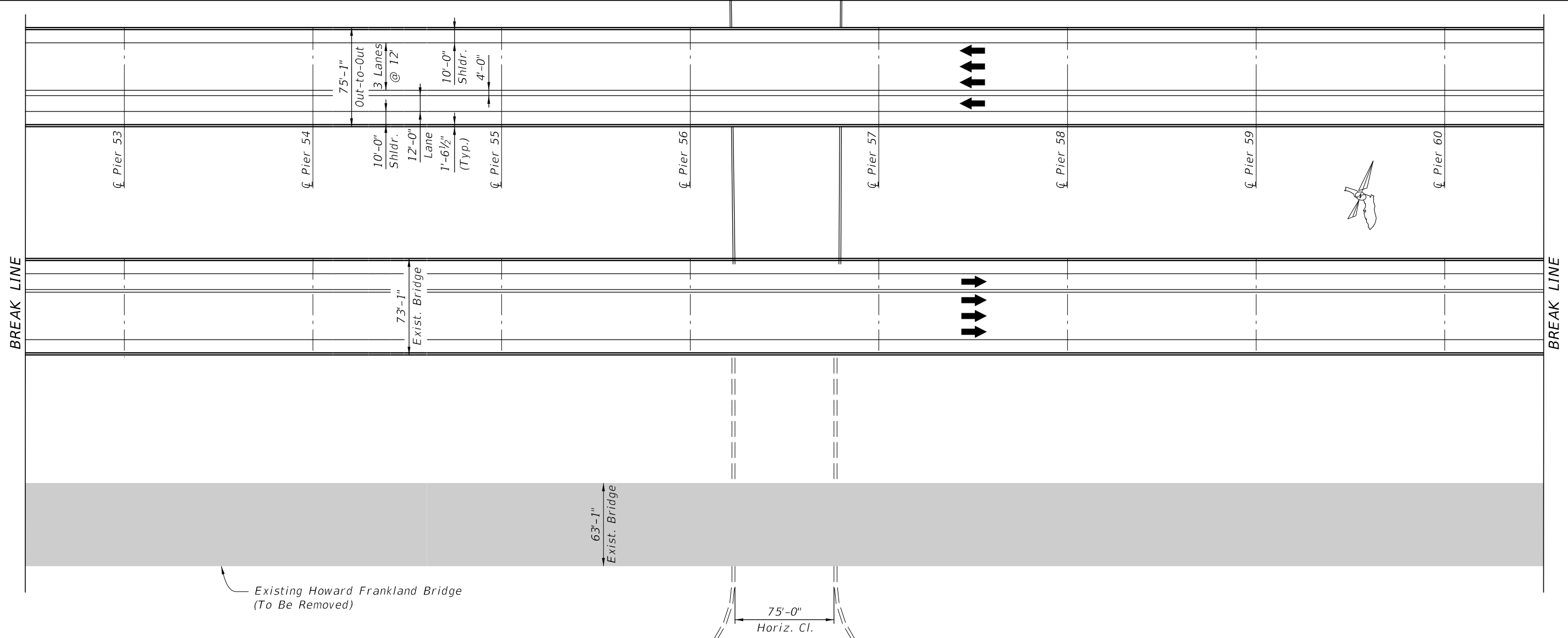


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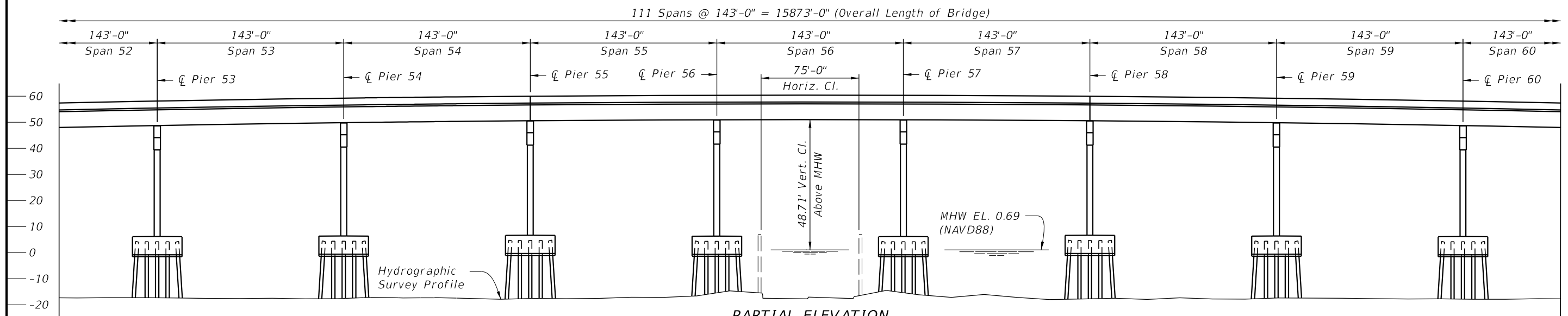
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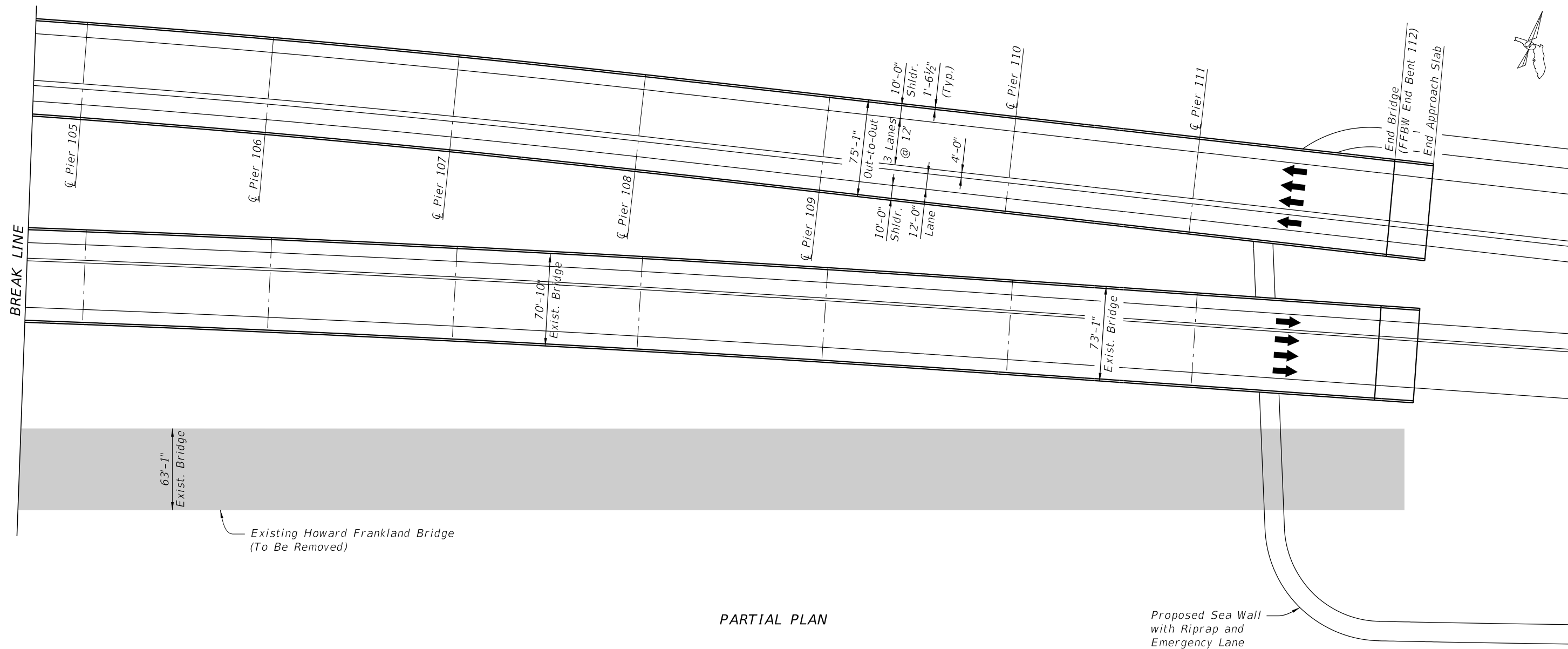
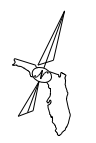


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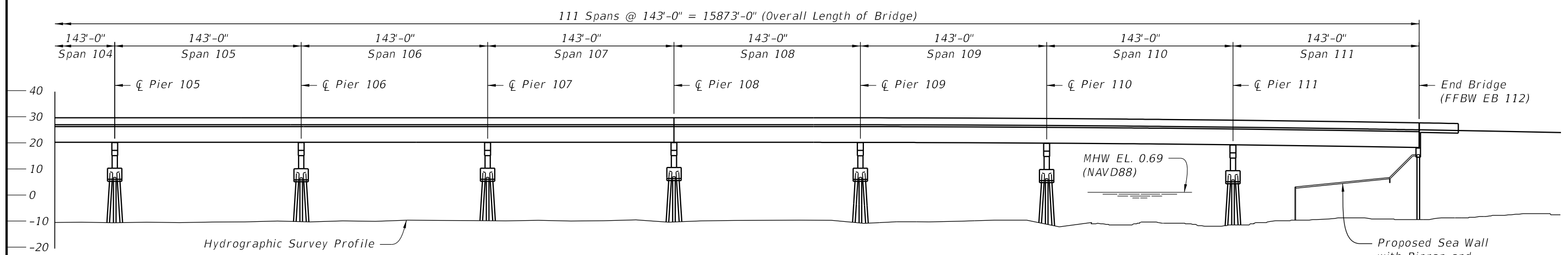


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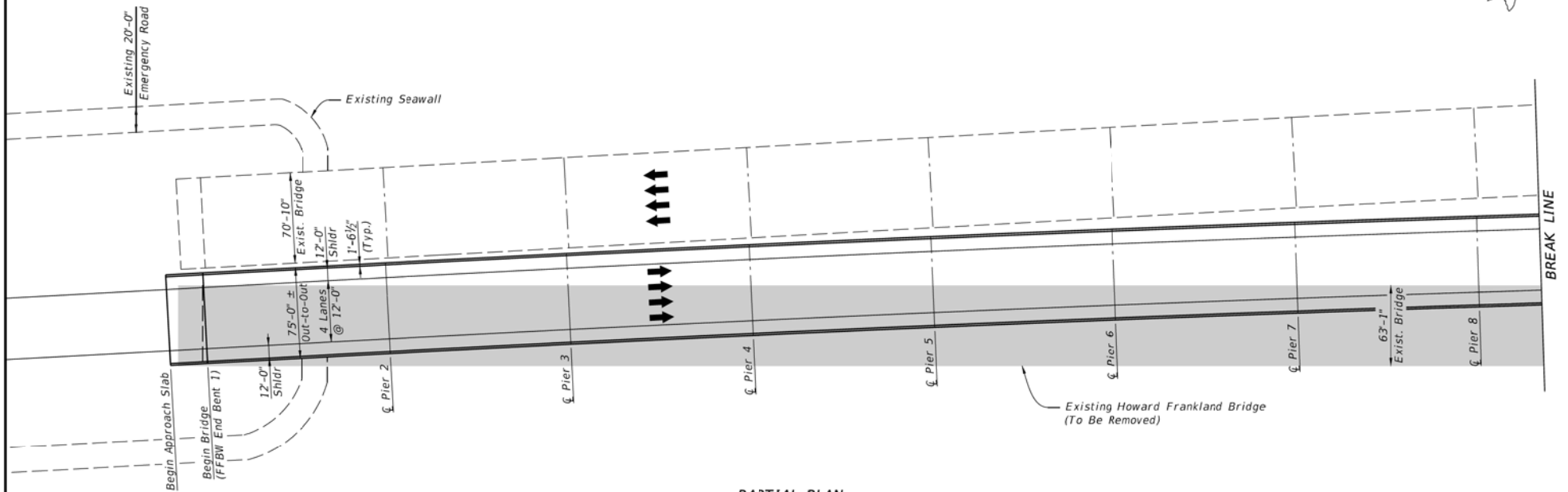
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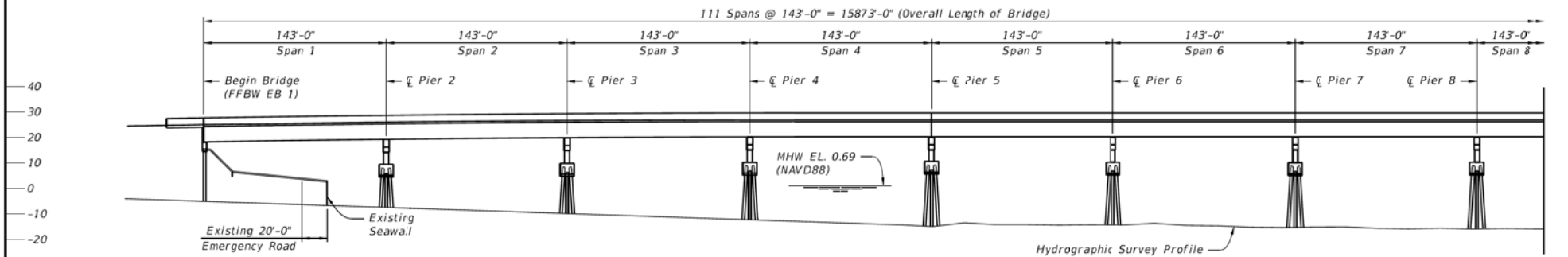
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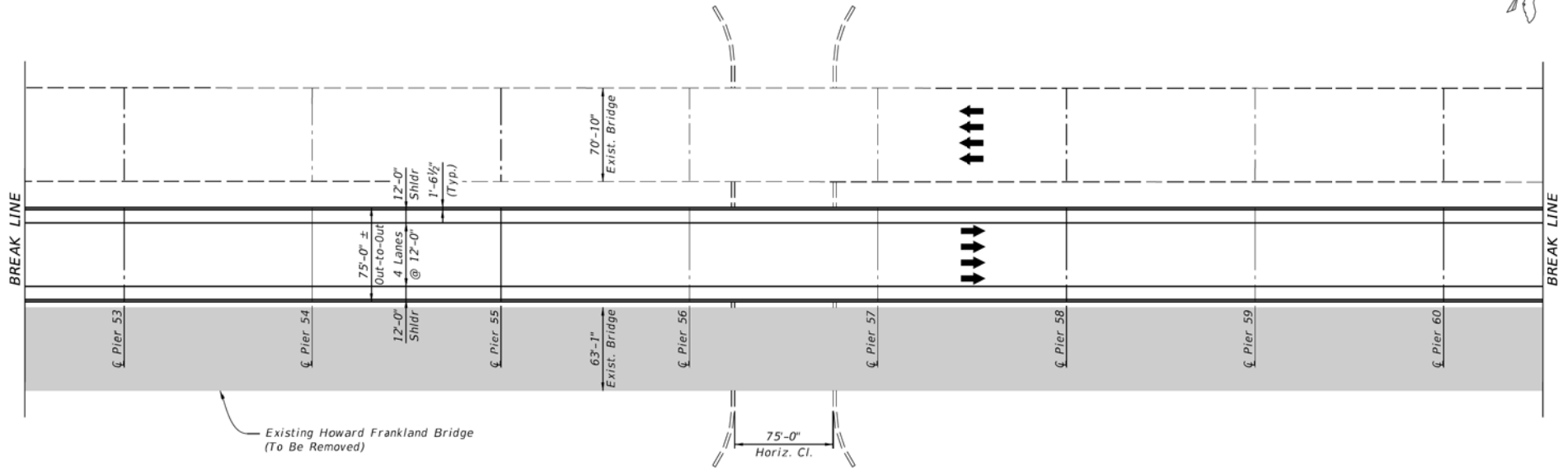
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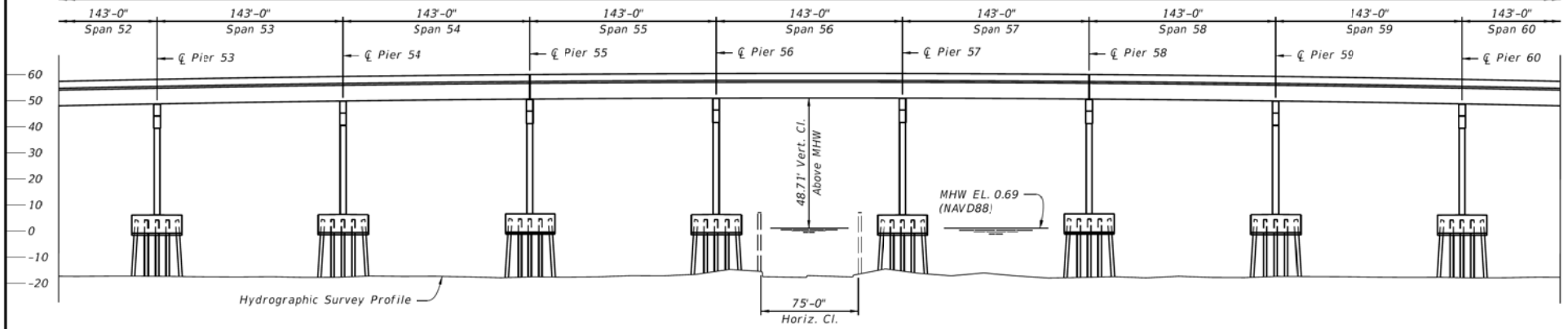
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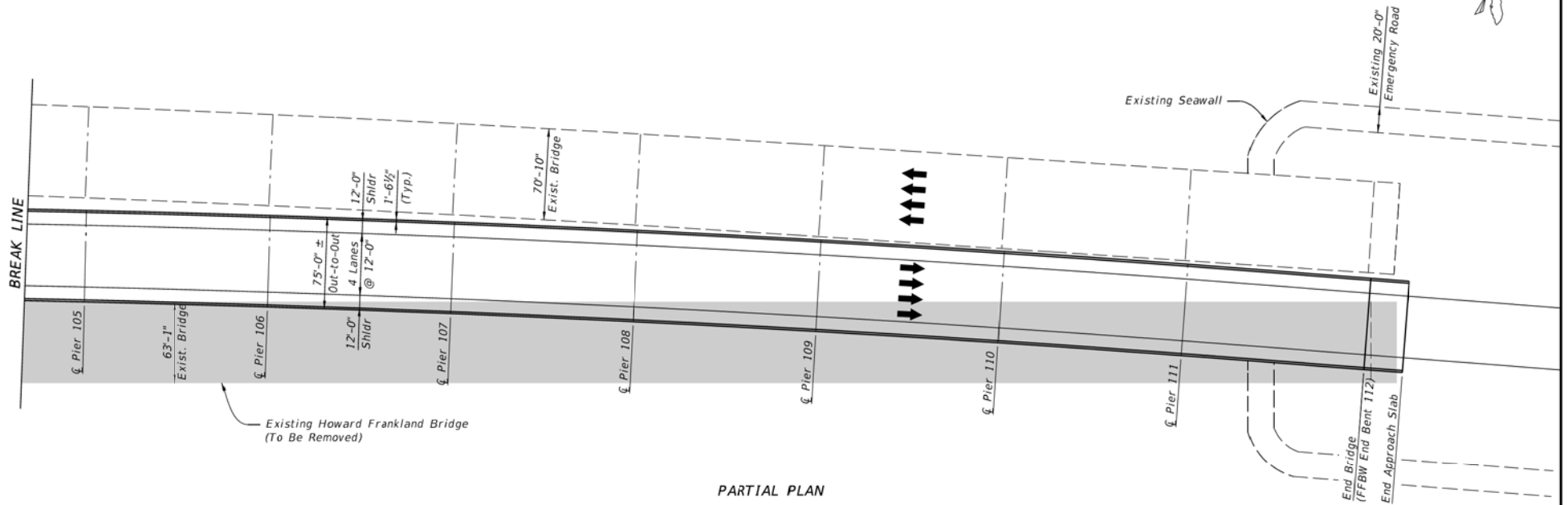
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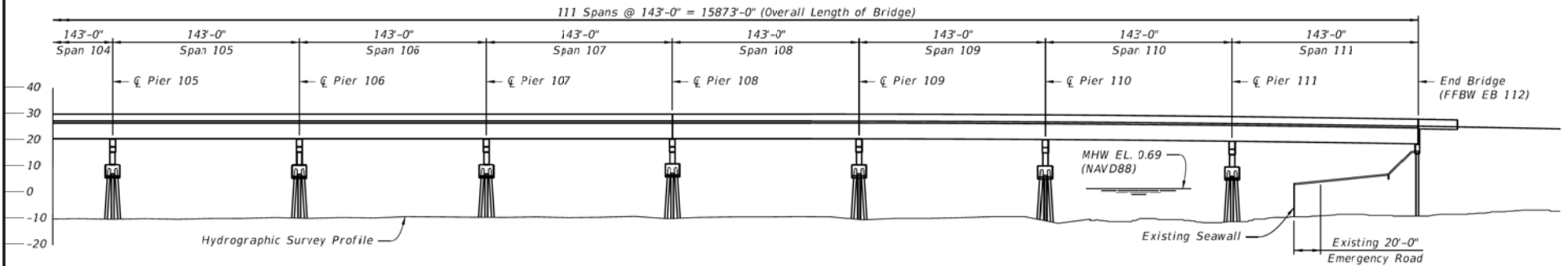
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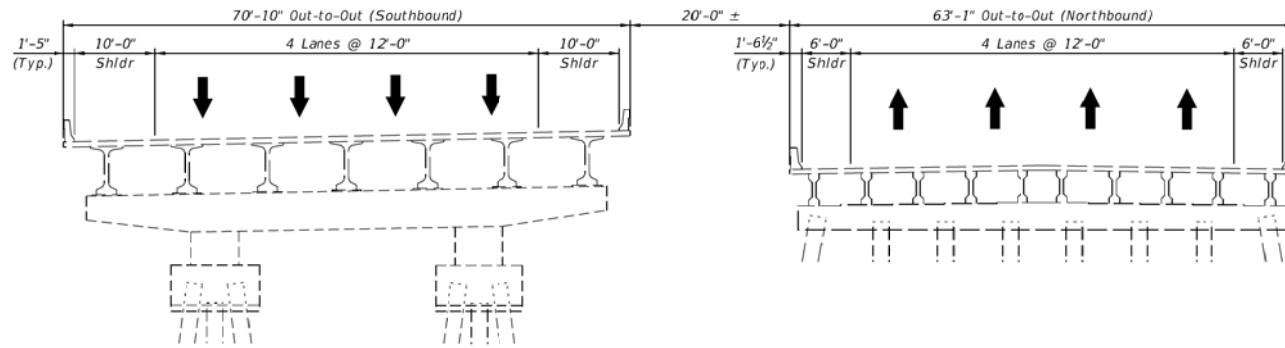
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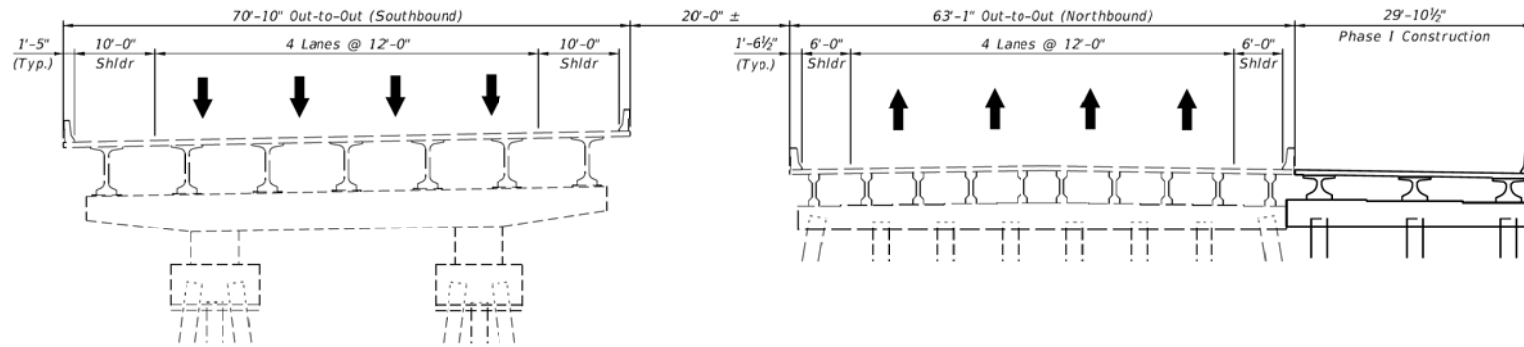
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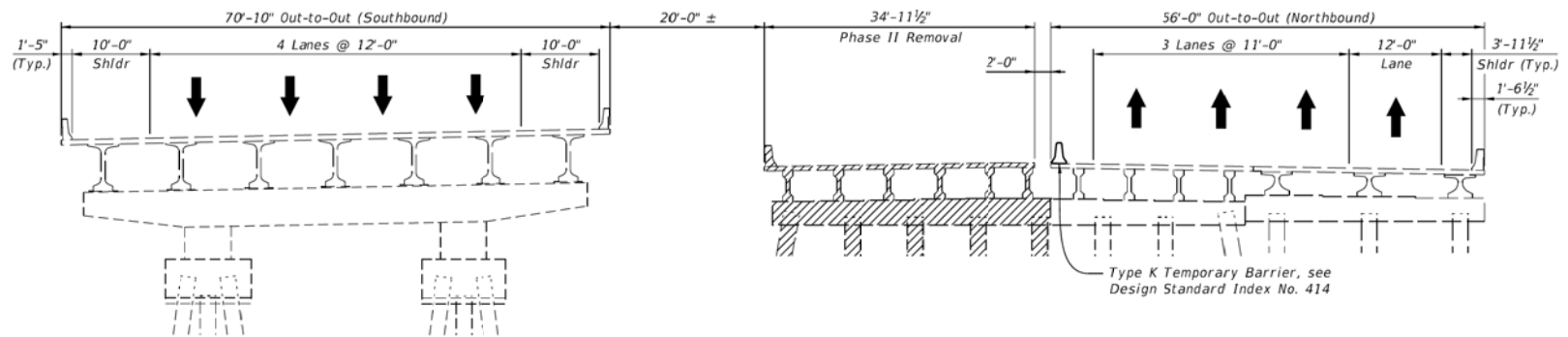
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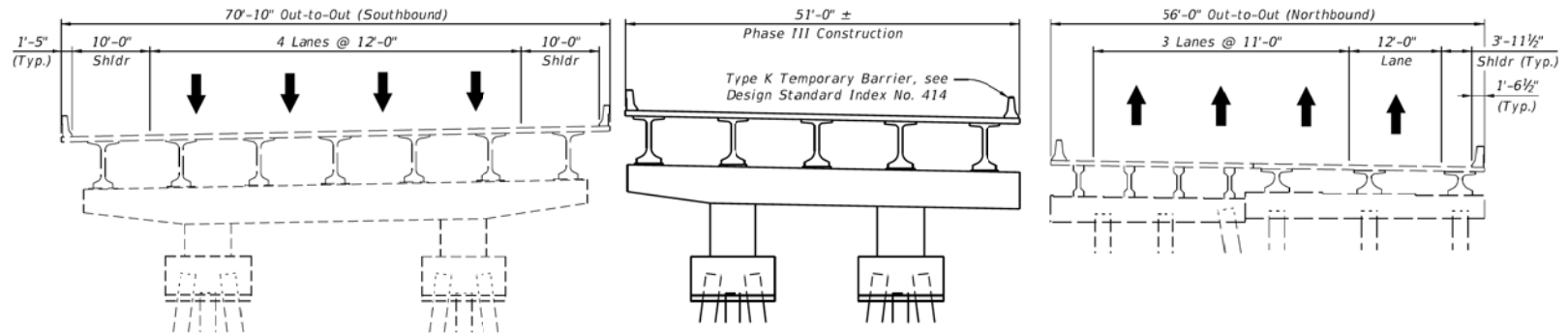
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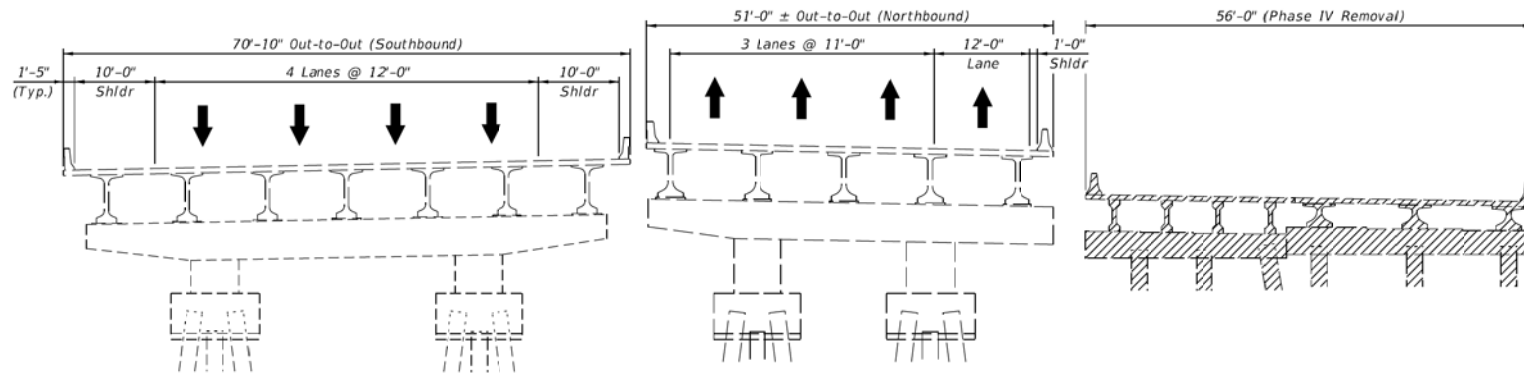
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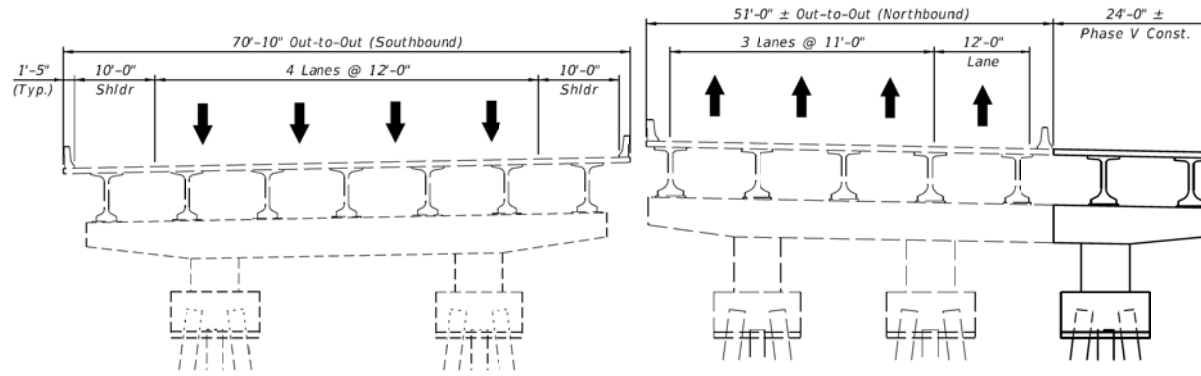
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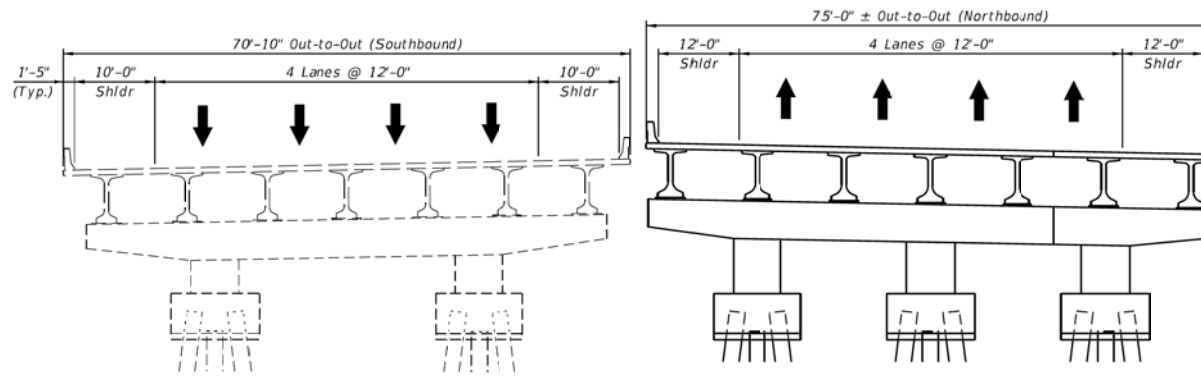
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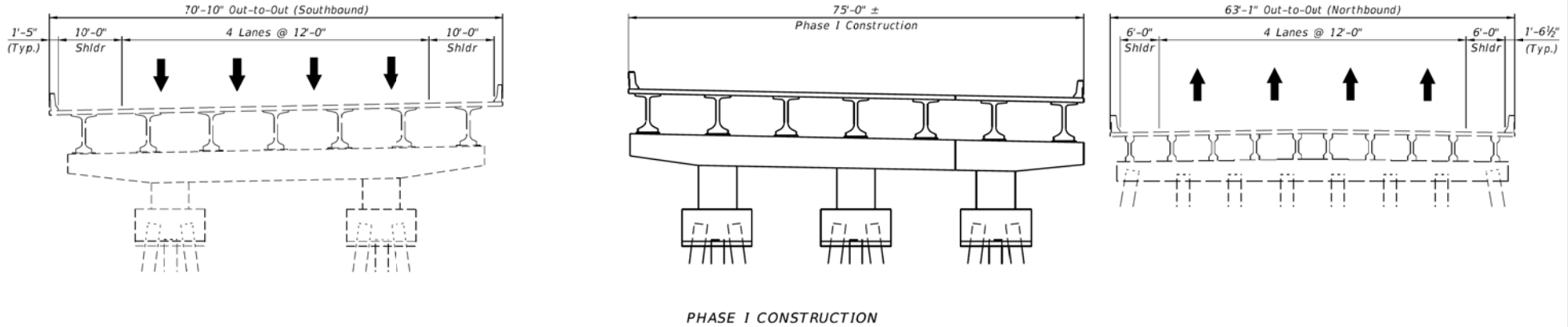
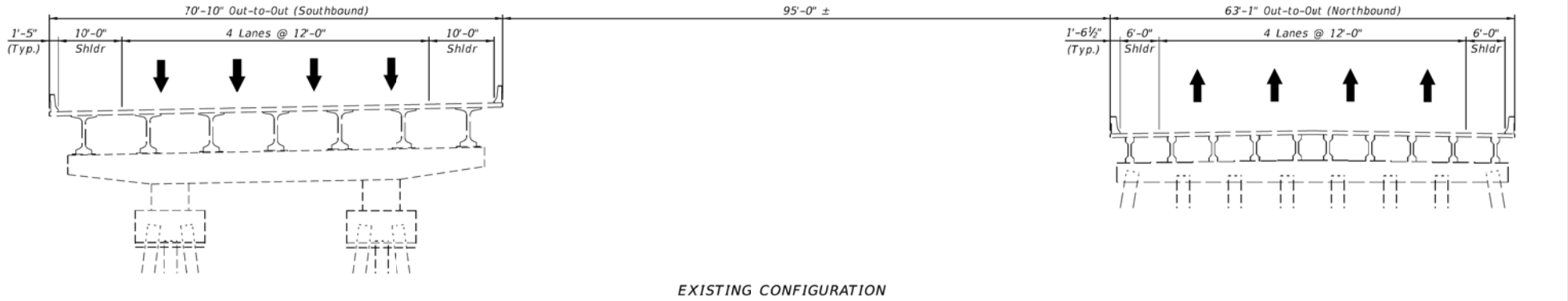
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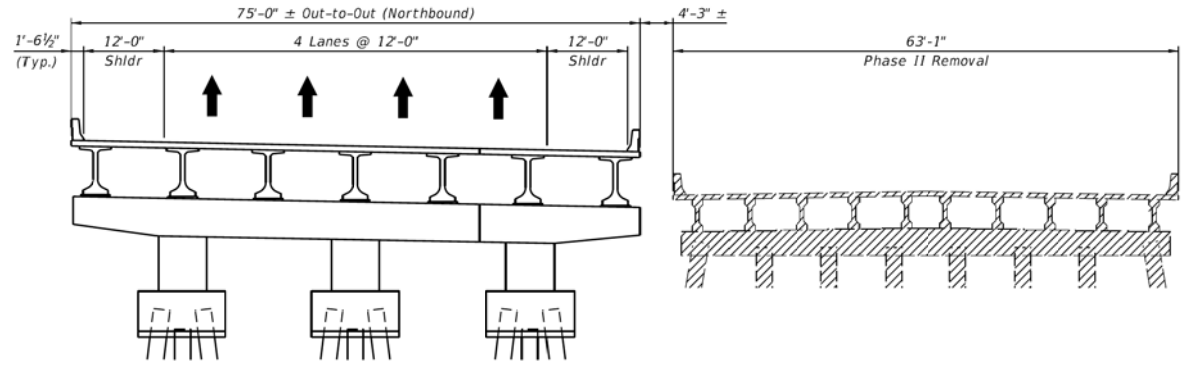
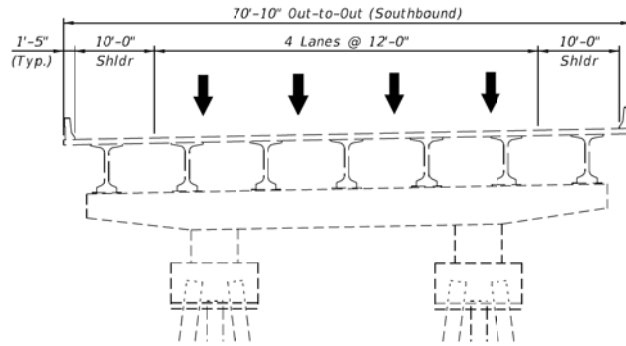
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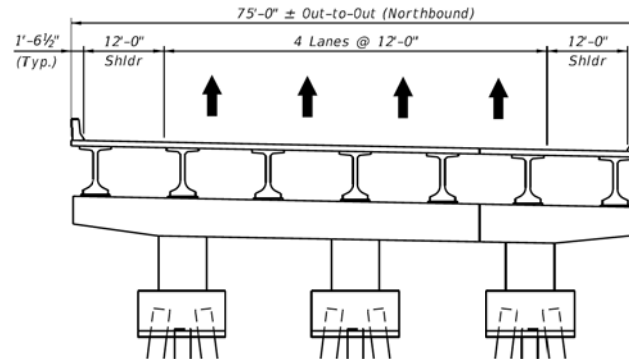
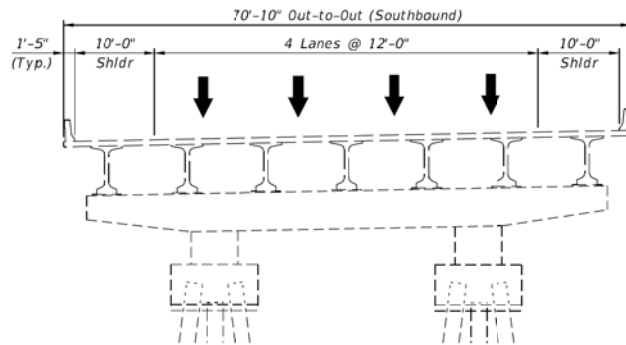
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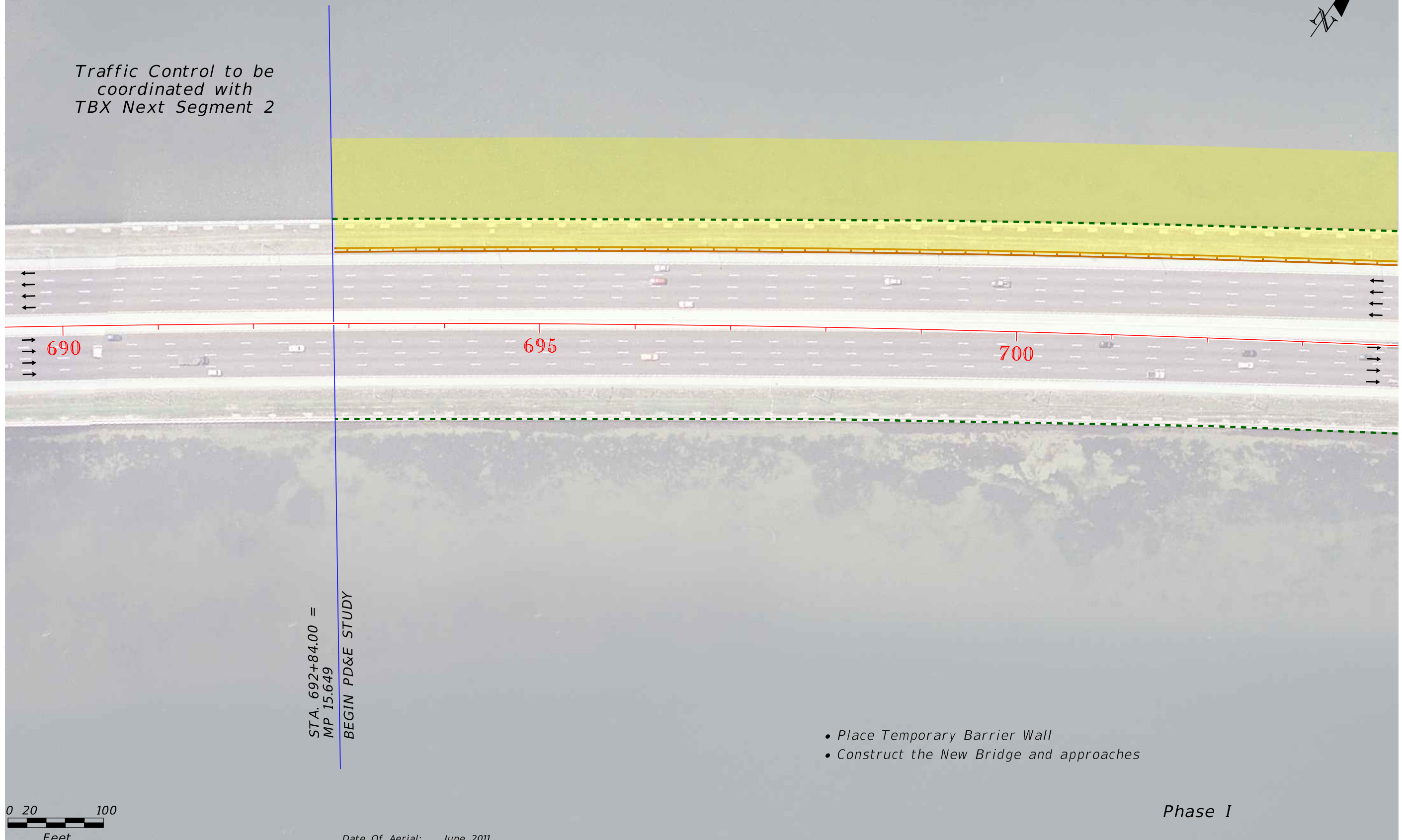
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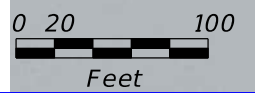


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- Construct the New Bridge and approaches

Phase I



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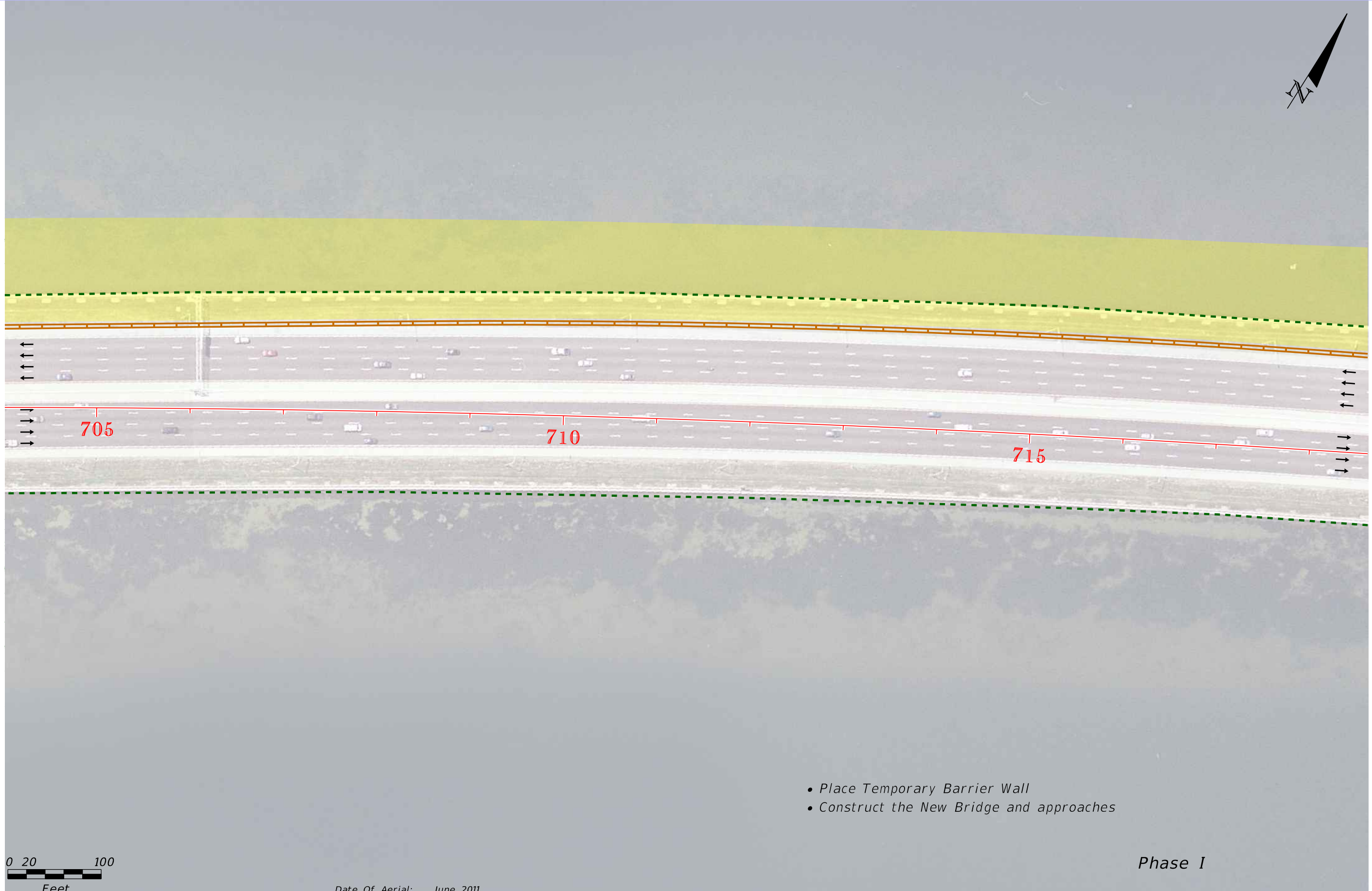
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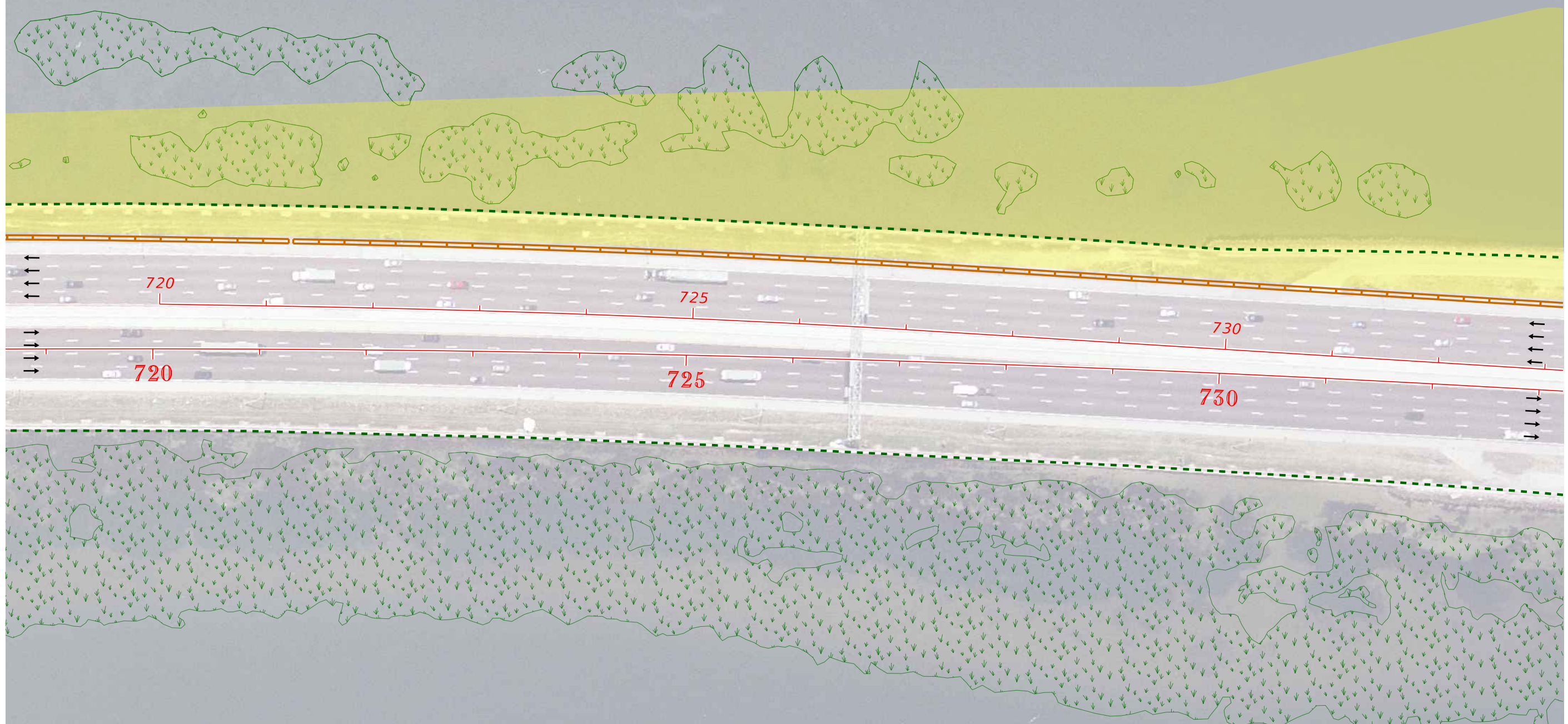
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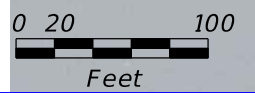
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- Construct the New Bridge and approaches

Phase I



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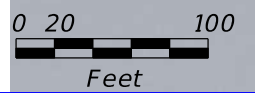
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 Traffic Control Plan Concept

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- Construct the New Bridge and approaches

Phase I



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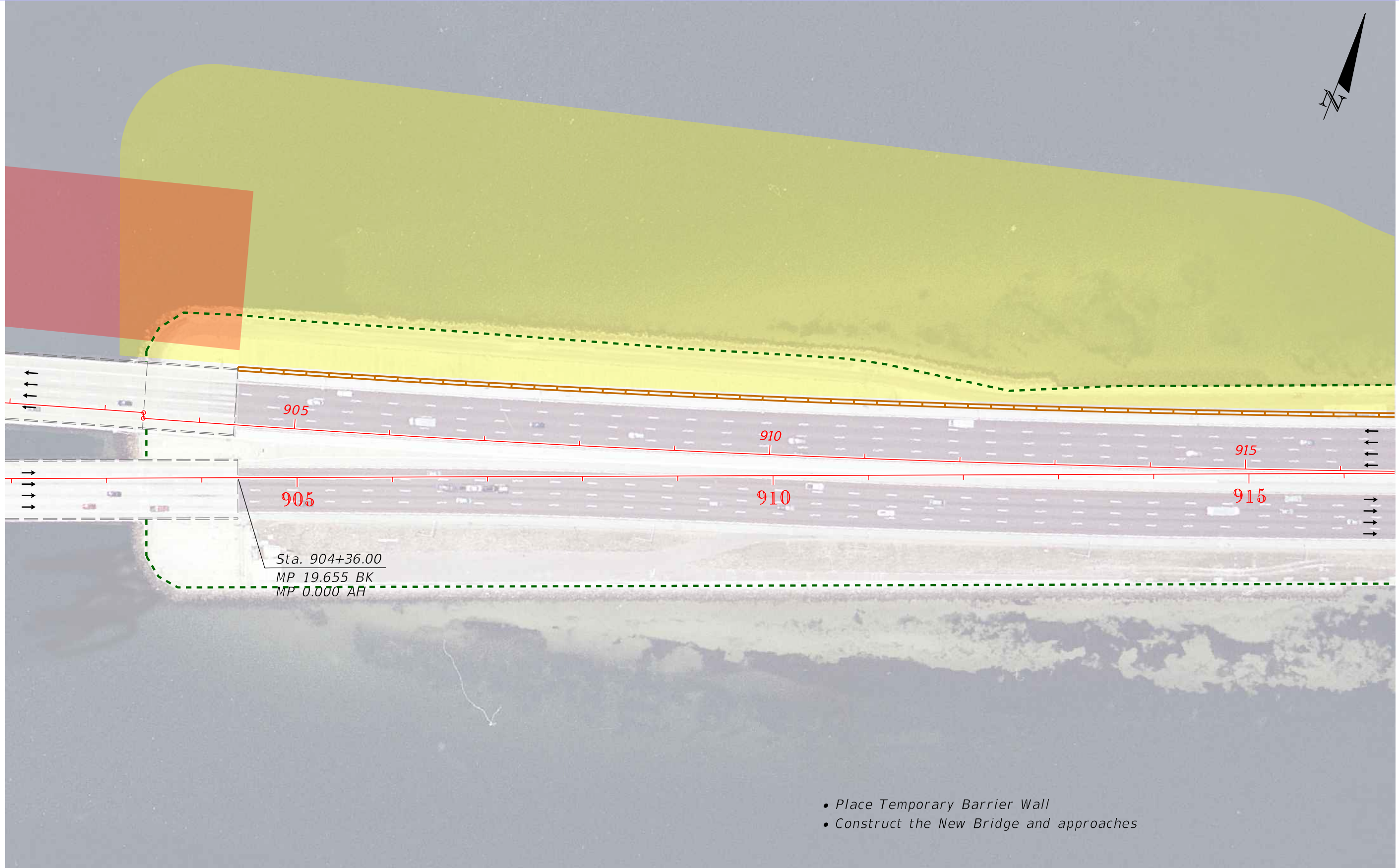
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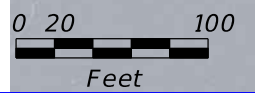
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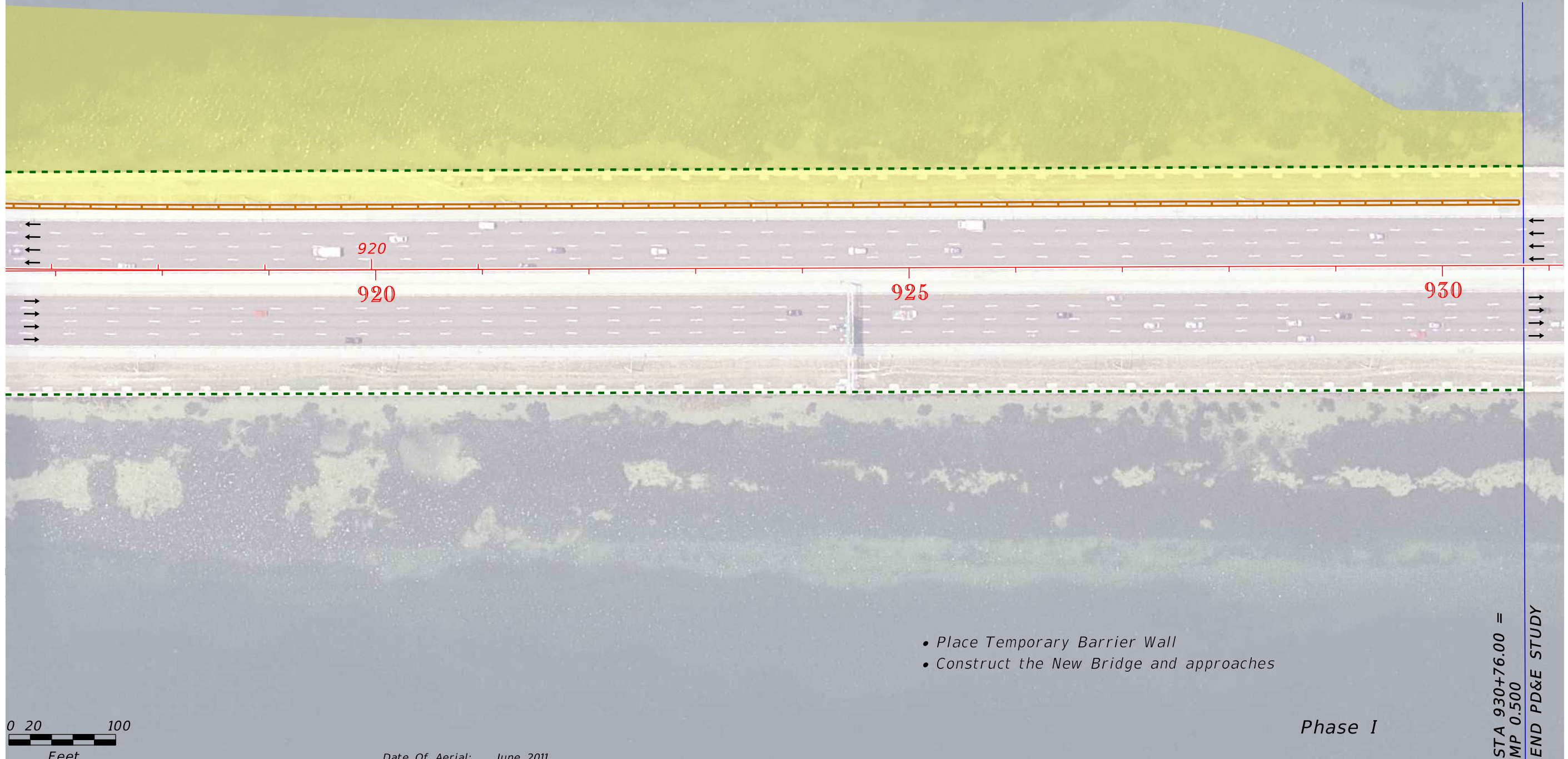
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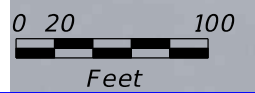
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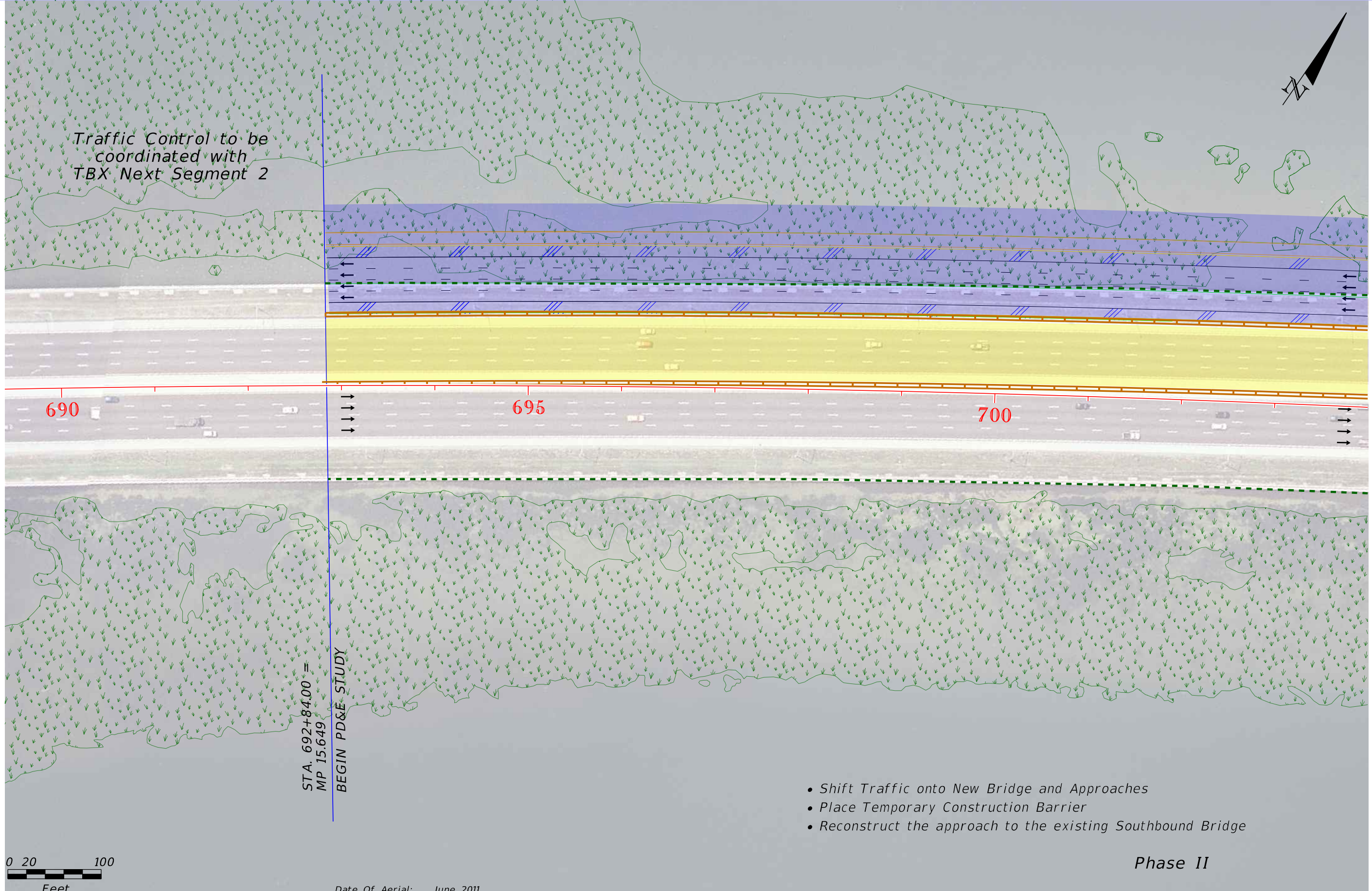
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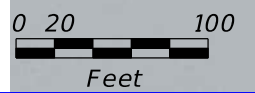
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- Reconstruct the approach to the existing Southbound Bridge

Phase II



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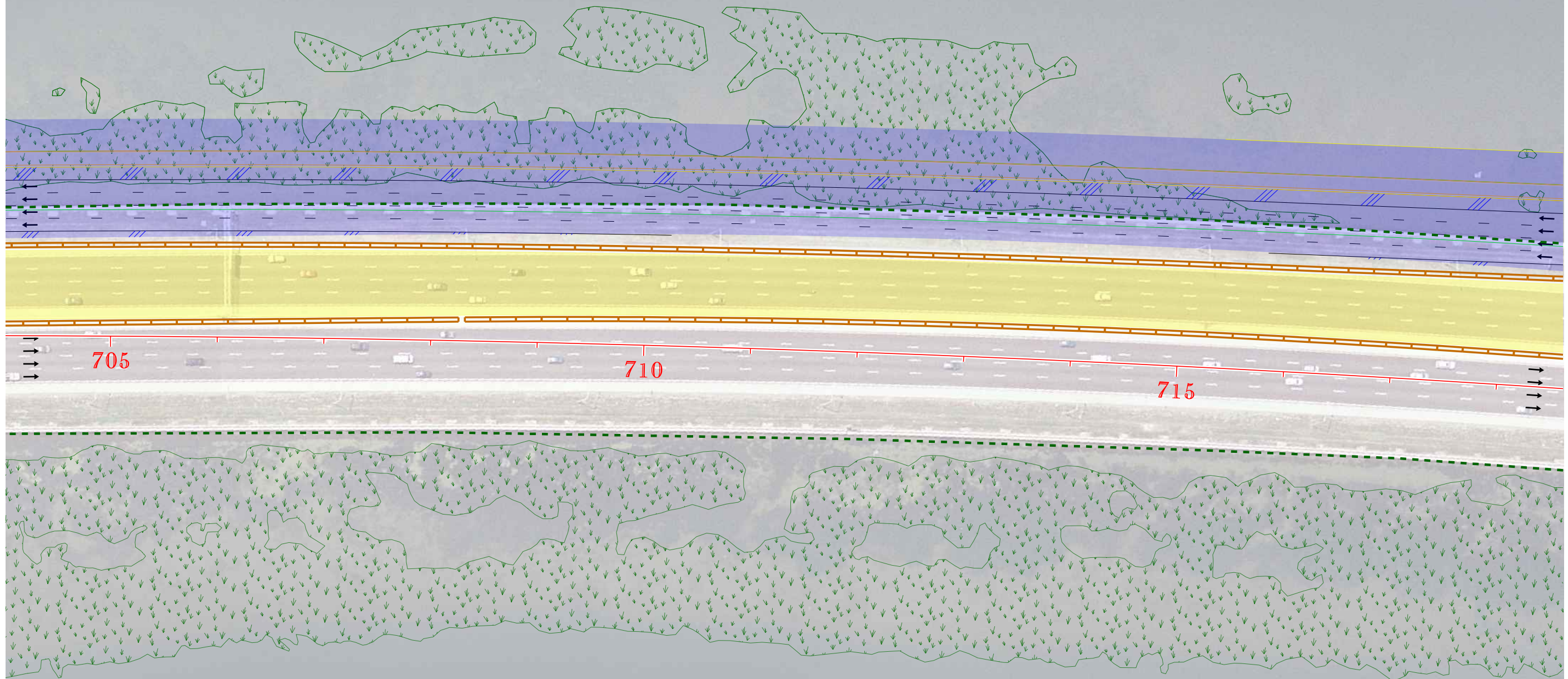
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**Bridge Replacement**  
Traffic Control Plan Concept

SHEET NO.  
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- Shift Traffic onto New Bridge and Approaches
- Place Temporary Construction Barrier
- Reconstruct the approach to the existing Southbound Bridge

Phase II



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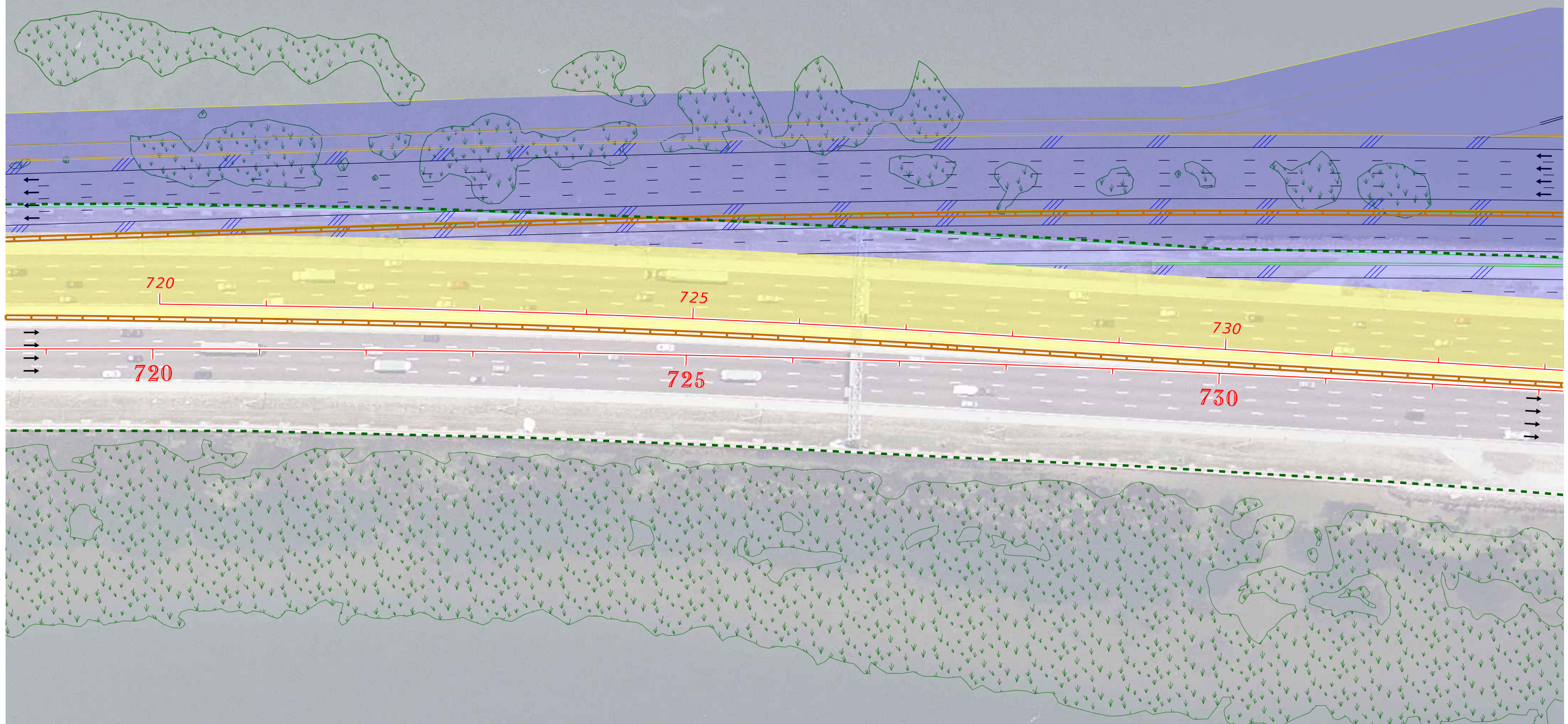
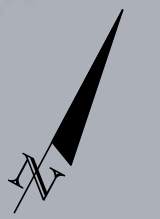
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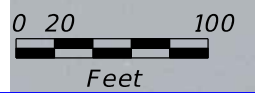
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- Place Temporary Construction Barrier
- Reconstruct the approach to the existing Southbound Bridge

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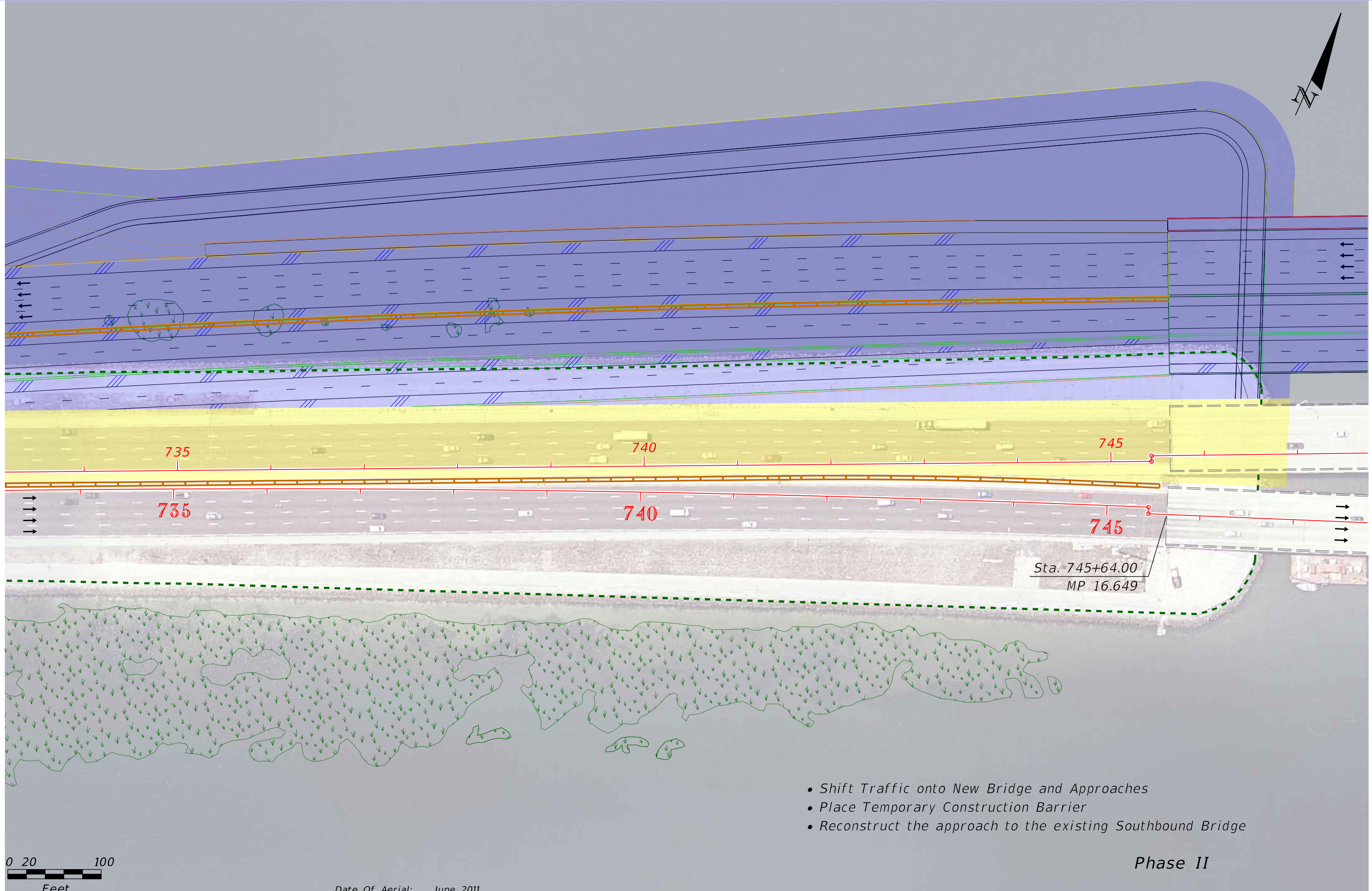
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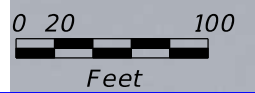
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- Place Temporary Construction Barrier
- Reconstruct the approach to the existing Southbound Bridge

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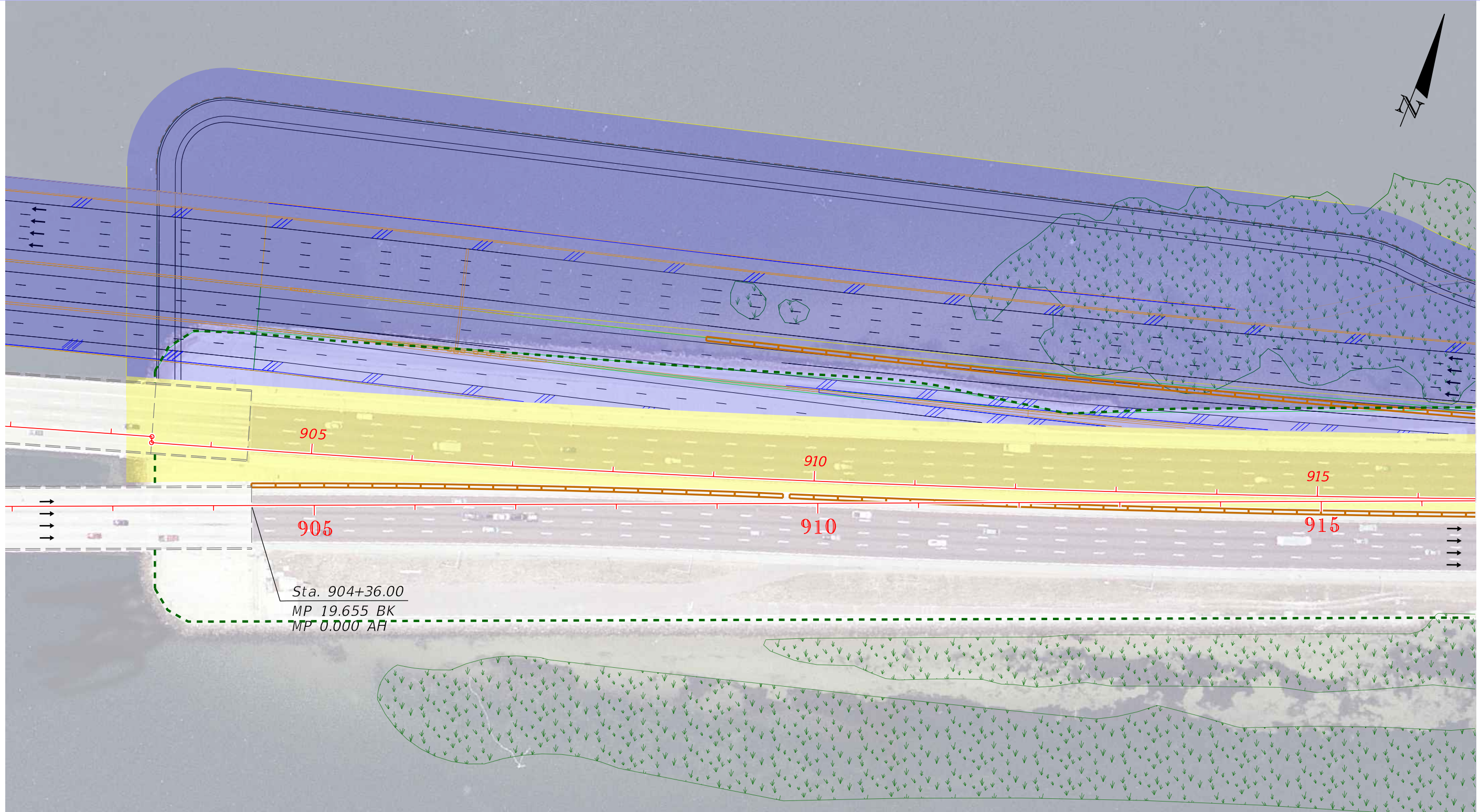
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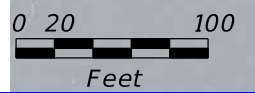
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 Traffic Control Plan Concept

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- Shift Traffic onto New Bridge and Approaches
- Place Temporary Construction Barrier
- Reconstruct the approach to the existing Southbound Bridge

**Phase II**



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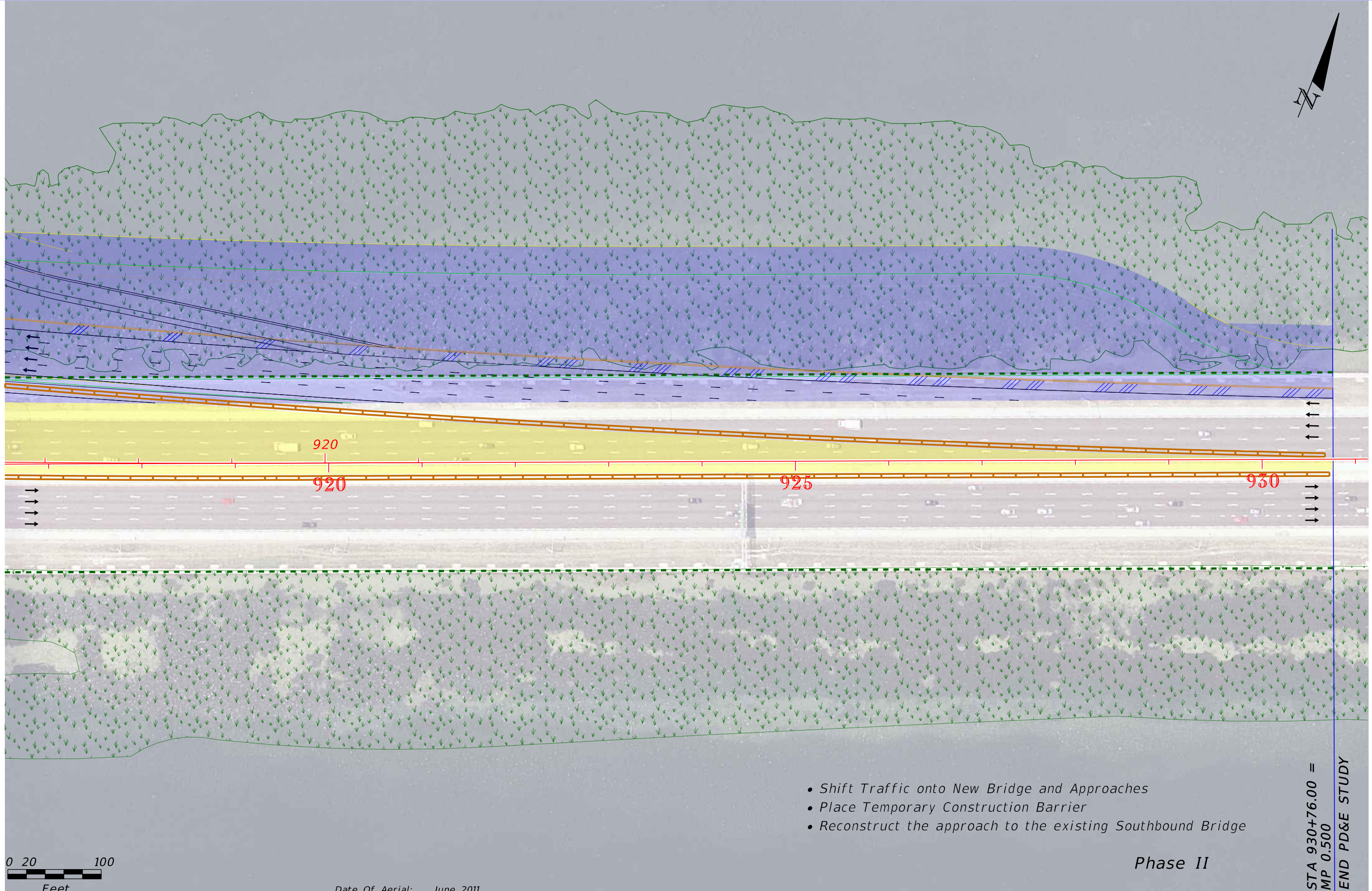
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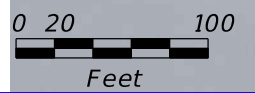
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- Shift Traffic onto New Bridge and Approaches
- Place Temporary Construction Barrier
- Reconstruct the approach to the existing Southbound Bridge

**Phase II**

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MP 0.500  
END PD&E STUDY



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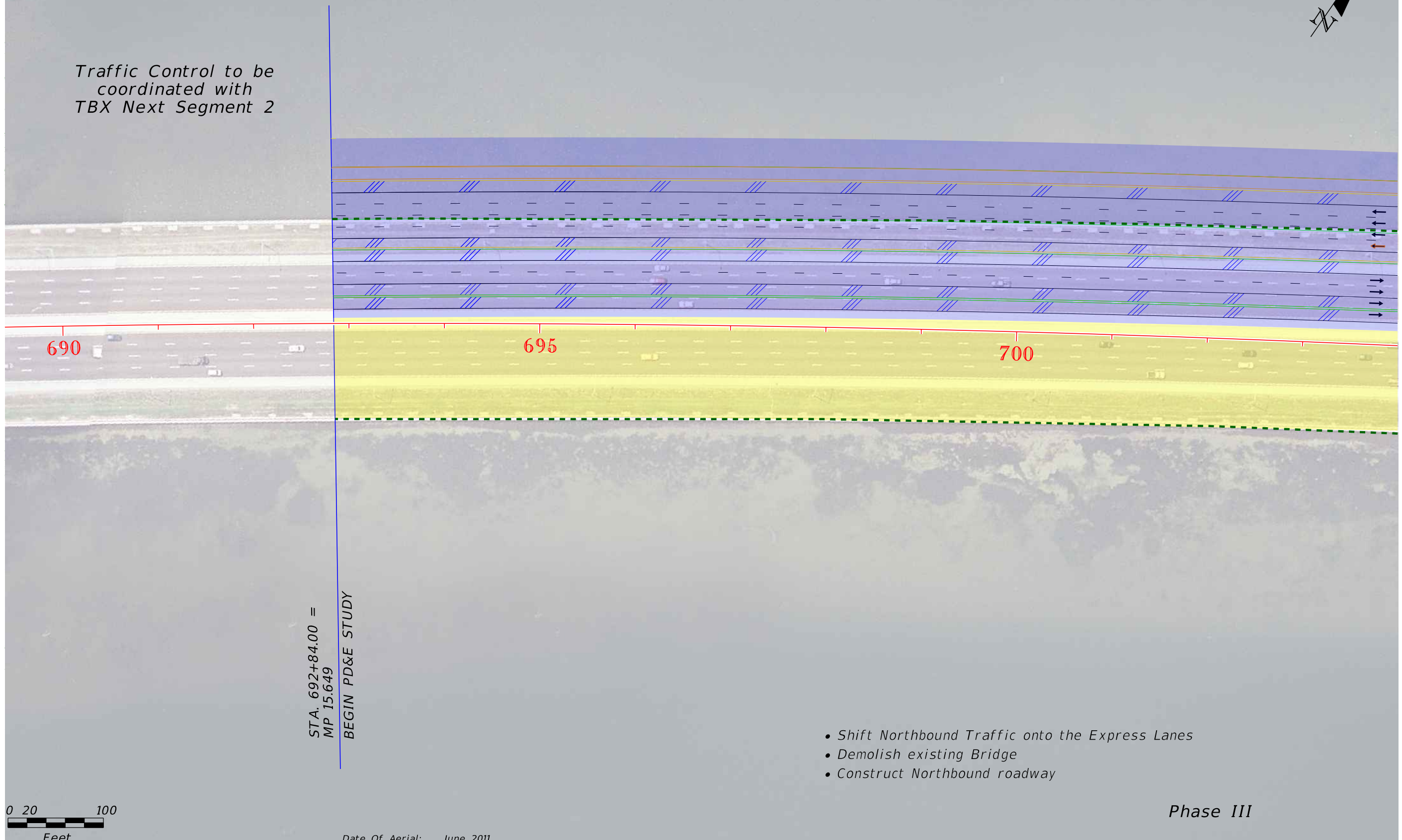
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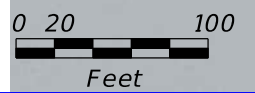
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- Demolish existing Bridge
- Construct Northbound roadway

Phase III



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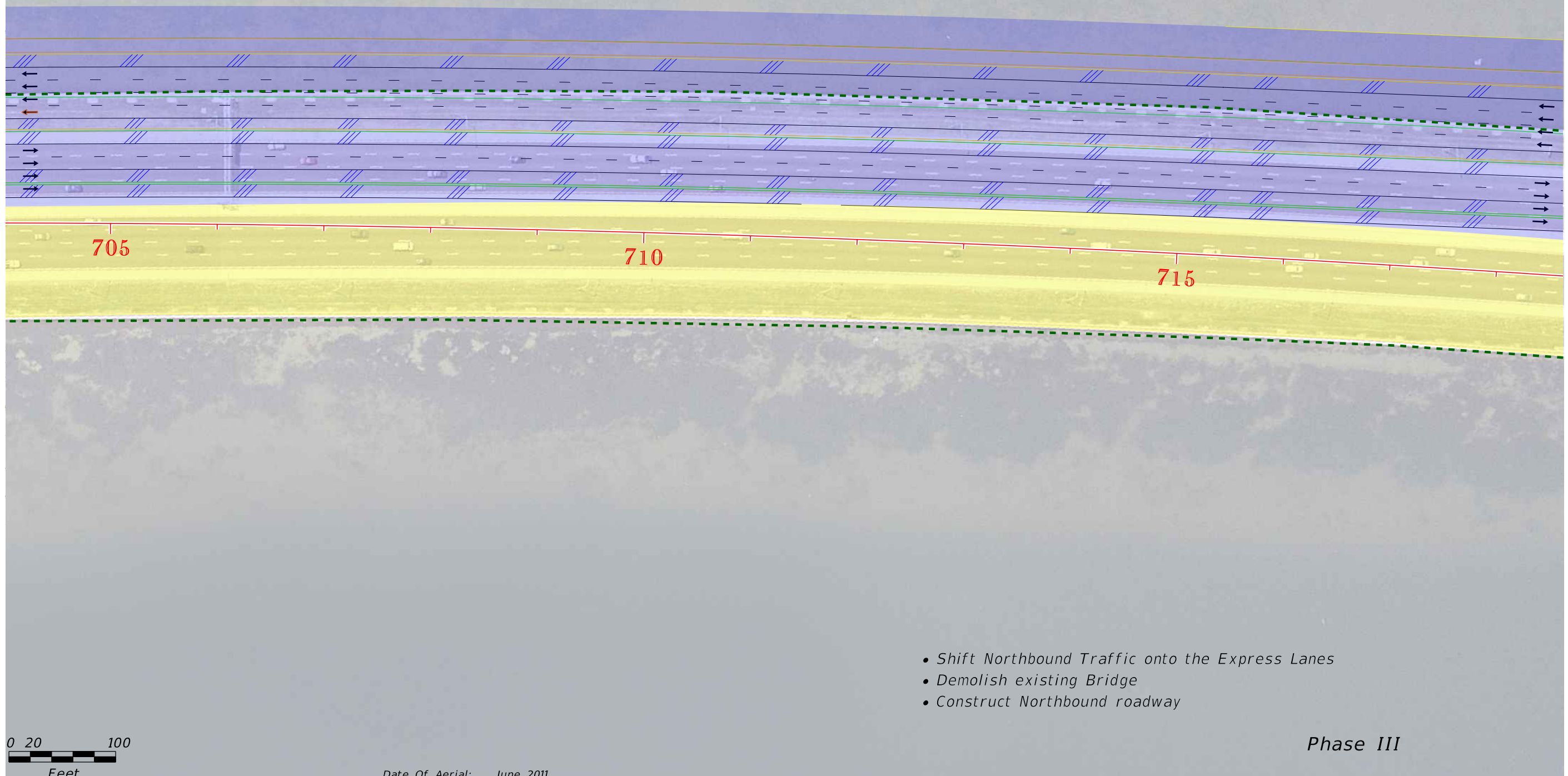
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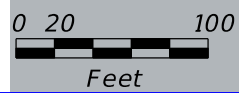
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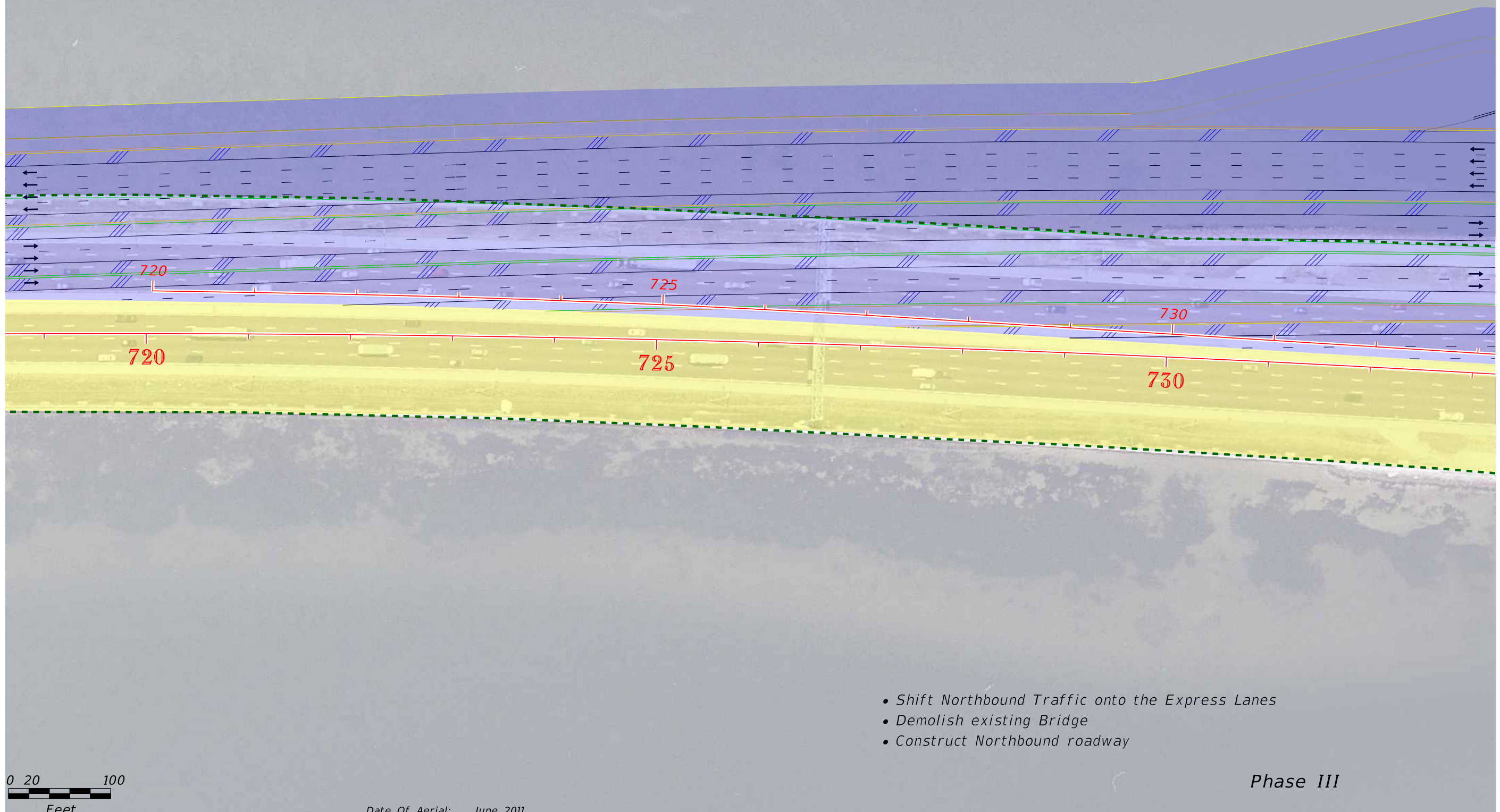
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- Demolish existing Bridge
- Construct Northbound roadway

Phase III



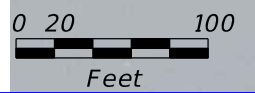
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- Shift Northbound Traffic onto the Express Lanes
- Demolish existing Bridge
- Construct Northbound roadway

Phase III



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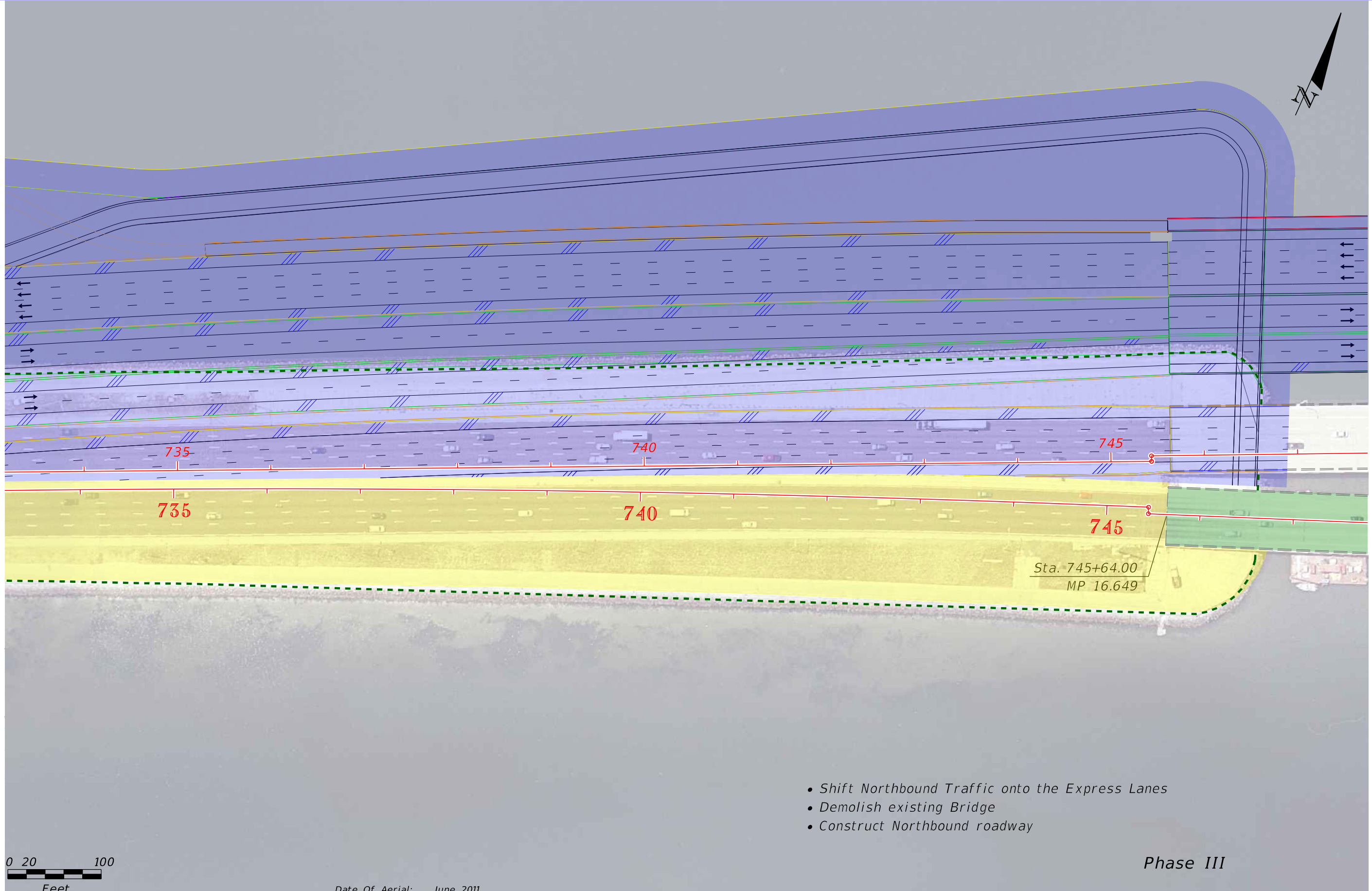
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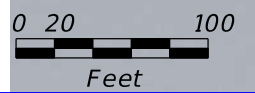
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- Shift Northbound Traffic onto the Express Lanes
- Demolish existing Bridge
- Construct Northbound roadway

Phase III



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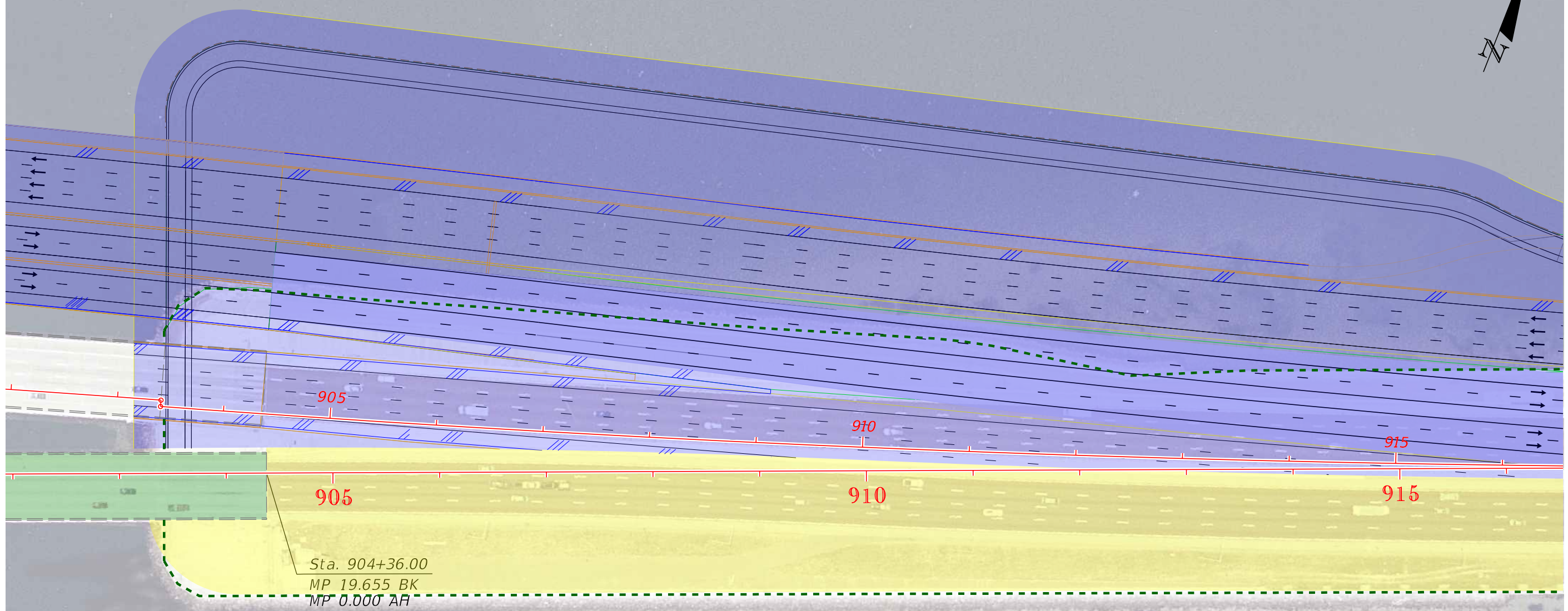
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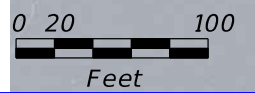
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 Traffic Control Plan Concept

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- Shift Northbound Traffic onto the Express Lanes
- Demolish existing Bridge
- Construct Northbound roadway

Phase III



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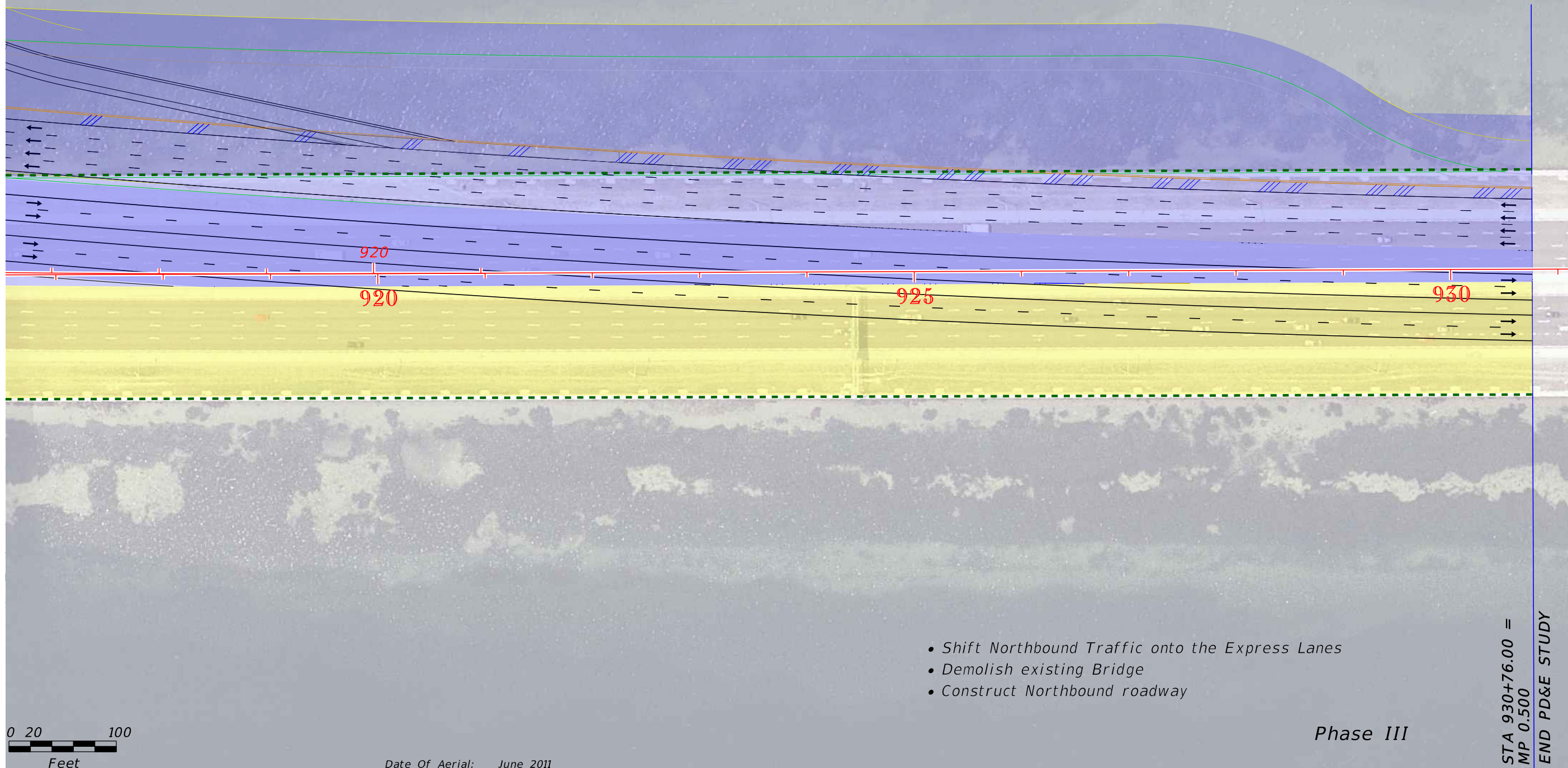
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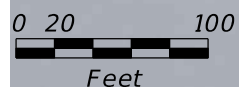
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- Shift Northbound Traffic onto the Express Lanes
- Demolish existing Bridge
- Construct Northbound roadway

Phase III

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	Temporary Concrete Barrier Wall	Demolition		I-275	PINELLAS HILLSBOROUGH	422799-1-12-04	

# *Appendix D*

## *Life-Cycle Cost Analysis*

## Updates to the Rehab Costs Only for Analysis Period, Inflation and Additive Factors

by American Consulting Engineers -- August 31, 2016

Raw 75 yr cost of maintenance for rehab option		\$	258,421,339	2011 dollars
Additive costs				
Maintenance of Traffic	6%	\$	15,505,280	
Subtotal		\$	273,926,619	
Mobilization	7%	\$	19,174,863	
Subtotal		\$	293,101,482	
Contingencies	15%	\$	43,965,222	
Subtotal		\$	337,066,704	
Design	7%	\$	23,594,669	
CEI	7%	\$	23,594,669	
Total		\$	384,256,042	

Inflate to year:	PDC multiplier			
Bring from 2011 to 2015	1.1	\$	422,681,646	<a href="http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/RetroCostInflation.pdf">http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/RetroCostInflation.pdf</a>
2015-2016	1.03	\$	435,362,095	
Inflation factor to 2019	1.056	\$	459,742,372	<a href="http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/inflation.pdf">http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/inflation.pdf</a>

Raw 75 yr cost of maintenance for new bridge option		\$	3,320,608	2011 dollars
Additive costs				
Maintenance of Traffic	6%	\$	199,236	
Subtotal		\$	3,519,844	
Mobilization	7%	\$	246,389	
Subtotal		\$	3,766,233	
Contingencies	15%	\$	564,935	
Subtotal		\$	4,331,168	
Design	7%	\$	303,182	
CEI	7%	\$	303,182	
Total		\$	4,937,532	

Inflate to year:	PDC multiplier			
Bring from 2011 to 2015	1.1	\$	5,431,285	<a href="http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/RetroCostInflation.pdf">http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/RetroCostInflation.pdf</a>
2015-2016	1.03	\$	5,594,224	
Inflation factor to 2019 (WEST OPTION)	1.056	\$	5,907,501	<a href="http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/inflation.pdf">http://www.dot.state.fl.us/planning/policy/costs/inflation.pdf</a>

Bridge situated in the center (previously recommended) is expected to have maintenance costs that are about 30% higher than for the west option because the west option bridge is situated 100' west of the existing southbound structure and the center option was situated only about 20 feet away. That smaller distance would make access more difficult and costly as maintenance barges could not turn around between the structures, slowing down the work effort.

Inflation factor to 2019 (CENTER OPTION)      \$ 7,679,751      These nos. were included in the revised Alternatives Evaluation Matrix, Aug. 2016



<b>Year</b>	<b>Rehabilitation Present Worth</b>	<b>Replacement Present Worth</b>
0	\$ 107,302,694	\$ 191,682,194
10	\$ 23,258,121	\$ 32,607
20	\$ 5,533,716	\$ 47,079
30	\$ 21,602,965	\$ 38,842
40	\$ 3,812,606	\$ 45,781
50	\$ 25,620,499	\$ 37,772
60	\$ 17,383,965	\$ 46,745
70	\$ 2,166,923	\$ 38,567
80	\$ 1,787,816	\$ 31,820
<b>Total Present Worths</b>	<b>\$ 260,476,312</b>	<b>\$ 195,168,200</b>

**Recommendation:**

The present worth cost comparison to rehabilitate and maintain this bridge is approximately \$65 million greater than the replacement alternative. Therefore, based upon the life cycle costs analysis it is TYLI's recommendation to replace the bridge.

**NOTES:**

- 1 The life cycle costs for both, the replacement and rehabilitation alternatives are taken from the footprint of the existing bridge and do not consider widening of the bridge.
- 2 Bridge replacement costs estimates were taken from the January 2011 FDOT Structures Design Guidelines, Chapter 9- BDR Cost Estimating.
- 3 Bridge rehabilitation costs were taken from a combination comprised of the FDOT's statewide averages and recently let construction projects.
- 4 Maintenance costs for the bridge replacement alternative were estimated at \$0.04/SF for the first 10 years, \$0.07/SF for the next 20 years, \$0.10/SF for the next 20 years and \$0.15/SF for the final 30 years.
- 5 Maintenance costs for the bridge rehabilitation alternative were estimated at \$0.10/SF for the first 20 years, \$0.15/SF for the next 20 years, \$0.20/SF for the next 20 years and \$0.30/SF for the final 20 years.
- 6 Replace bridge rails at \$70/LF in Year 10 and repeat in Year 60.
- 7 Replace bridge deck at \$500/CY in Current Year and repeat in Year 60.
- 8 Repair 10% Prestressed Concrete Beams with an estimate of 2 strand splices per beam in Year 0 and repeat in Years 30 and 60. Beam repair is estimated at \$2000/beam.
- 9 Metalize all beams in Current Year at \$24/SF and repeat every 10 years.
- 10 Perform bearing repair and replacement, 33% at \$1.57 million in Current Year, 33% at \$1.57 million in Year 10 and 100% at \$4.71 million in Year 50.
- 11 Repair 50% of beam diaphragms at \$500/CY in Current Year and repeat with in Years 30 and 60.
- 12 Repair 30% concrete bent caps at \$500/CY in Current Year and repeat in Years 30 and 60.
- 13 Metalize 10% of the bent caps at \$24/SF in the Current Year.
- 14 Metalize 100% of the bent caps at \$24/SF in Year 10 and repeat every 10 years.
- 15 Install CP pile jackets at \$1500/LF on all of the non-jacketed piles in Current Year and repeat with structural CP jackets at \$2000/LF every 25 years.
- 16 Replace all non-CP jackets with structural CP pile jackets at \$2000/LF in Current Year and repeat every 25 years
- 17 Replace existing CP and structural CP pile jackets with new structural CP jackets at \$2000/LF. Replace 30% in Year 10, then replace 70% in Year 25, then in Year 50 replace all.
- 18 Repair 20% of footings at \$500/CY in Current Year and repeat every 30 years.
- 19 Install ICCP on 10 footings at \$500K/footing in Current Year and repeat in Year 75.
- 20 Perform concrete repairs on 50% of the struts at \$500/CY in Current Year and repeat every 30 years.
- 21 Metalize all of the struts (except the two that currently have ICCP) at \$24/SF in Current Year and repeat every 10 years.

**150107 Preliminary Estimate Cost for Replacement**

Existing Deck Area (sq ft)	988826	
<b>Existing Length (ft):</b>	15872	
Existing Width from plans (ft):	63.08333333	
Lane Width (ft):	12	
Number Lanes:	4	
Total Shoulder Width (ft):	12	
Total Barrier Width (ft):	3.083333333	
Additional Shoulder Width Req'd per PPM(ft):		Not Required for LCCA
<b>Reconstructed Width per PPM (ft):</b>	63.08333333	
<b>Reconstructed Deck Area (sq ft):</b>	1001258.667	
		Total Cost/SQ FT
New Const 2011 Cost Per Sq Ft Per SDG	147	\$147,185,024
Demo Cost per SF	45	\$44,497,170
<b>Total Reconstructed Structure Cost:</b>		<b>\$191,682,194</b>

BRIDGE REPLACEMENT LIFE CYCLE COSTS:				
PW=(1+f)^n/(1+i)^n				
interest rate, i =		5	%	
inflation rate, f =		3	%	
n =		number of years		
PW =		present worth		
Year	PW Factor	Replacement Cost	Annual Maintenance	Total Present Worth
0	1.000	\$191,682,194		\$ 191,682,194
1	0.981		\$ 39,521	\$ 38,768
2	0.962		\$ 39,521	\$ 38,030
3	0.944		\$ 39,521	\$ 37,306
4	0.926		\$ 39,521	\$ 36,595
5	0.908		\$ 39,521	\$ 35,898
6	0.891		\$ 39,521	\$ 35,214
7	0.874		\$ 39,521	\$ 34,544
8	0.857		\$ 39,521	\$ 33,886
9	0.841		\$ 39,521	\$ 33,240
10	0.825		\$ 39,521	\$ 32,607
11	0.809		\$ 69,162	\$ 55,975
12	0.794		\$ 69,162	\$ 54,909
13	0.779		\$ 69,162	\$ 53,863
14	0.764		\$ 69,162	\$ 52,837
15	0.749		\$ 69,162	\$ 51,831
16	0.735		\$ 69,162	\$ 50,844
17	0.721		\$ 69,162	\$ 49,875
18	0.707		\$ 69,162	\$ 48,925
19	0.694		\$ 69,162	\$ 47,993
20	0.681		\$ 69,162	\$ 47,079
21	0.668		\$ 69,162	\$ 46,182
22	0.655		\$ 69,162	\$ 45,303
23	0.643		\$ 69,162	\$ 44,440
24	0.630		\$ 69,162	\$ 43,593
25	0.618		\$ 69,162	\$ 42,763
26	0.607		\$ 69,162	\$ 41,948
27	0.595		\$ 69,162	\$ 41,149
28	0.584		\$ 69,162	\$ 40,366
29	0.573		\$ 69,162	\$ 39,597
30	0.562		\$ 69,162	\$ 38,842
31	0.551		\$ 98,803	\$ 54,432
32	0.540		\$ 98,803	\$ 53,395
33	0.530		\$ 98,803	\$ 52,378
34	0.520		\$ 98,803	\$ 51,381
35	0.510		\$ 98,803	\$ 50,402
36	0.500		\$ 98,803	\$ 49,442
37	0.491		\$ 98,803	\$ 48,500
38	0.482		\$ 98,803	\$ 47,576
39	0.472		\$ 98,803	\$ 46,670
40	0.463		\$ 98,803	\$ 45,781
41	0.455		\$ 98,803	\$ 44,909
42	0.446		\$ 98,803	\$ 44,054
43	0.437		\$ 98,803	\$ 43,215
44	0.429		\$ 98,803	\$ 42,392
45	0.421		\$ 98,803	\$ 41,584
46	0.413		\$ 98,803	\$ 40,792
47	0.405		\$ 98,803	\$ 40,015
48	0.397		\$ 98,803	\$ 39,253
49	0.390		\$ 98,803	\$ 38,505
50	0.382		\$ 98,803	\$ 37,772
51	0.375		\$ 148,205	\$ 55,578
52	0.368		\$ 148,205	\$ 54,520
53	0.361		\$ 148,205	\$ 53,481
54	0.354		\$ 148,205	\$ 52,463
55	0.347		\$ 148,205	\$ 51,463
56	0.341		\$ 148,205	\$ 50,483
57	0.334		\$ 148,205	\$ 49,522
58	0.328		\$ 148,205	\$ 48,578
59	0.322		\$ 148,205	\$ 47,653
60	0.315		\$ 148,205	\$ 46,745
61	0.309		\$ 148,205	\$ 45,855
62	0.304		\$ 148,205	\$ 44,981
63	0.298		\$ 148,205	\$ 44,125
64	0.292		\$ 148,205	\$ 43,284
65	0.286		\$ 148,205	\$ 42,460
66	0.281		\$ 148,205	\$ 41,651
67	0.276		\$ 148,205	\$ 40,858
68	0.270		\$ 148,205	\$ 40,079
69	0.265		\$ 148,205	\$ 39,316
70	0.260		\$ 148,205	\$ 38,567
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72	0.250		\$ 148,205	\$ 37,112
73	0.246		\$ 148,205	\$ 36,405
74	0.241		\$ 148,205	\$ 35,712
75	0.236		\$ 148,205	\$ 35,031
76	0.232		\$ 148,205	\$ 34,364
77	0.227		\$ 148,205	\$ 33,710
78	0.223		\$ 148,205	\$ 33,067
79	0.219		\$ 148,205	\$ 32,438
80	0.215		\$ 148,205	\$ 31,820
			<b>Total PW</b>	<b>195,168,200</b>

BRIDGE REHABILITATION LIFE CYCLE COSTS:																				
Retain 50 year old bridge (BR#150107, constructed 1960):																				
$PW=(1+f)^n/(1+i)^n$																				
interest rate, i = 5 %																				
inflation rate, f = 3 %																				
Year	PW Factor	Deck Replacement	Partial Deck Repair	Bridge Rails	Beam Repair	Beam Metalizing	Diaphragm Repair	Bearing Repair/Replacement	Cap Repair	Cap Metalizing	CP Pile Jacket	CP Structural Jacket	Footing Repair	Footing ICCP	Strut Repair	Strut Metalizing	Fender System	Navigation Lights	Maintenance	Total Present Worth
0	1.000				\$ 1,260,000	\$ 34,176,895	\$ 1,063,125	\$ 1,569,925	\$ 26,499,364	\$ 565,320	\$ 34,992,000	\$ 1,264,000	\$ 176,587	\$ 5,000,000	\$ 138,669	\$ 373,007	\$ 125,000		\$ 98,803	\$ 107,302,694
1	0.981																		\$ 98,803	\$ 96,921
2	0.962																		\$ 98,803	\$ 95,075
3	0.944																		\$ 98,803	\$ 93,264
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5	0.908																		\$ 98,803	\$ 89,745
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7	0.874																		\$ 98,803	\$ 86,359
8	0.857																		\$ 98,803	\$ 84,714
9	0.841																		\$ 98,803	\$ 83,100
10	0.825	0	\$ 12,198,536	\$ 4,444,160		\$ 3,417,690		\$ 1,569,925		\$ 4,239,898		\$ 1,848,000				\$ 373,007			\$ 98,803	\$ 23,258,121
11	0.809																		\$ 98,803	\$ 79,965
12	0.794																		\$ 98,803	\$ 78,442
13	0.779																		\$ 98,803	\$ 76,947
14	0.764																		\$ 98,803	\$ 75,482
15	0.749																		\$ 98,803	\$ 74,044
16	0.735																		\$ 98,803	\$ 72,634
17	0.721																		\$ 98,803	\$ 71,250
18	0.707																		\$ 98,803	\$ 69,893
19	0.694																		\$ 98,803	\$ 68,562
20	0.681	0				\$ 3,417,690				\$ 4,239,898						\$ 373,007			\$ 98,803	\$ 5,533,716
21	0.668																		\$ 148,205	\$ 98,962
22	0.655																		\$ 148,205	\$ 97,077
23	0.643																		\$ 148,205	\$ 95,228
24	0.630																		\$ 148,205	\$ 93,414
25	0.618											\$ 52,232,000							\$ 148,205	\$ 32,386,598
26	0.607																		\$ 148,205	\$ 89,889
27	0.595																		\$ 148,205	\$ 88,177
28	0.584																		\$ 148,205	\$ 86,498
29	0.573																		\$ 148,205	\$ 84,850
30	0.562	0			\$ 1,260,000	\$ 3,417,690	\$ 1,063,125		\$ 26,499,364	\$ 4,381,228			\$ 176,587		\$ 138,669	\$ 373,007	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 8,000	\$ 148,205	\$ 21,602,965
31	0.551																		\$ 148,205	\$ 81,648
32	0.540																		\$ 148,205	\$ 80,093
33	0.530																		\$ 148,205	\$ 78,568
34	0.520																		\$ 148,205	\$ 77,071
35	0.510																		\$ 148,205	\$ 75,603
36	0.500																		\$ 148,205	\$ 74,163
37	0.491																		\$ 148,205	\$ 72,750
38	0.482																		\$ 148,205	\$ 71,365
39	0.472																		\$ 148,205	\$ 70,005
40	0.463	0				\$ 3,417,690				\$ 4,239,898						\$ 373,007			\$ 197,606	\$ 3,812,606
41	0.455																		\$ 197,606	\$ 89,819
42	0.446																		\$ 197,606	\$ 88,108
43	0.437																		\$ 197,606	\$ 86,429
44	0.429																		\$ 197,606	\$ 84,783
45	0.421																		\$ 197,606	\$ 83,168
46	0.413																		\$ 197,606	\$ 81,584
47	0.405																		\$ 197,606	\$ 80,030
48	0.397																		\$ 197,606	\$ 78,506
49	0.390																		\$ 197,606	\$ 77,010
50	0.382	0				\$ 3,417,690		\$ 4,709,775		\$ 4,239,898		\$ 54,080,000				\$ 373,007			\$ 197,606	\$ 25,620,499
51	0.375																		\$ 197,606	\$ 74,105
52	0.368																		\$ 197,606	\$ 72,693
53	0.361																		\$ 197,606	\$ 71,308
54	0.354																		\$ 197,606	\$ 69,950
55	0.347																		\$ 197,606	\$ 68,618
56	0.341																		\$ 197,606	\$ 67,311
57	0.334																		\$ 197,606	\$ 66,029
58	0.328																		\$ 197,606	\$ 64,771
59	0.322																		\$ 197,606	\$ 63,537
60	0.315	0	\$ 12,198,536	\$ 4,444,160	\$ 1,260,000	\$ 3,417,690	\$ 1,063,125		\$ 26,499,364	\$ 4,239,898			\$ 176,587		\$ 138,669	\$ 373,007	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 8,000	\$ 296,410	\$ 17,383,965
61	0.309																		\$ 296,410	\$ 91,710
62	0.304																		\$ 296,410	\$ 89,963
63	0.298																		\$ 296,410	\$ 88,249
64	0.292																		\$ 296,410	\$ 86,568
65	0.286																		\$ 296,410	\$ 84,920
66	0.281																		\$ 296,410	\$ 83,302
67	0.276																		\$ 296,410	\$ 81,715
68	0.270																		\$ 296,410	\$ 80,159
69	0.265																		\$ 296,410	\$ 78,632
70	0.260	0				\$ 3,417,690				\$ 4,239,898						\$ 373,007			\$ 296,410	\$ 2,166,923
71	0.255																		\$ 296,410	\$ 75,665
72	0.250																		\$ 296,410	\$ 74,224
73	0.246																		\$ 296,410	\$ 72,810
74	0.241																		\$ 296,410	\$ 71,423
75	0.236											\$ 54,080,000		\$ 5,000,000					\$ 296,410	\$ 14,034,869
76	0.232																		\$ 296,410	\$ 68,728
77	0.227																		\$ 296,410	\$ 67,419
78	0.223																		\$ 296,410	\$ 66,135
79	0.219																		\$ 296,410	\$ 64,875
80	0.215	0				\$ 3,417,690				\$ 4,239,898						\$ 373,007			\$ 296,410	\$ 1,787,816
Total Present Worth=																				\$260,476,312

**Bridge 150107 Northbound Howard Frankland Bridge****Items to Note:**

\*Project 420666-1-52 was final accepted in 7/2009. This project included 19 new cathodic (only) jackets. Only 3 new jackets were noted on the 2010 BIR

\*Project 405757-1-52-01 was final accepted in 10/2005. This project included 129 new cathodic (structural and non-structural) jackets.

This amount, plus more, was picked up in the 2008 BIR.

Of the 129 jackets, 116 were existing jackets that were replaced. This amount, plus a few more, are reflected Element 299 in the 2008 BIR.

\*The 2010 draft BIR has moved the majority of the steel bearings into CS =1. Both bearing elements, 311 and 313, use the painting system as one of the indicators.

However, even if the painting system is functioning properly it seems questionable to move elements in CS1 due to the underlying condition. Also, only 280 movable bearings are planned for replacement and 70 fixed (this is the new quantity). Furthermore, the BIR states another inspection will be required after the rehab project.

\*2010 BIR lists an additional pile in Element 298. This doesn't seem correct since any new jacket would be reflected in Element 299 due to the CP requirements of jackets.

Element 207- P/S Conc Hollow Pile

	2010 BIR	2008 BIR	9/2006 BIR	2004 BIR
CS1	2744	2782	2782	2782
CS2	39	22	22	22
CS3	34	2	2	2
CS4	99	110	110	110
Total Qty:	2916	2916	2916	2916

Element 311 - Moveable Bearing

	2010 BIR	2009 BIR*	2008 BIR	2007 BIR*	9/2006 BIR	5/06 Insp*
CS1	951	0	0	980	0	0
CS2	159	1108	1108	200	1097	1117
CS3	0	2	2	0	3	3
CS4	0	0	0	0		+
Total Qty:	1110	1110	1110	1180	1100	1120

Element 298/4 Pile Jacket Bare

	2010 BIR	2008 BIR	9/2006 BIR	2004 BIR
CS1	47	46	221	221
CS2	24	27	0	0
CS3	8	5	11	11
CS4	0	0	0	0
Total Qty:	79	78	232	232

Element 313 - Fixed Bearing

	2010 BIR	2009 BIR*	2008 BIR	2007 BIR*	9/2006 BIR	5/06 Insp*
CS1	430	0	0	4620	347	0
CS2	110	540	540	620	107	44
CS3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Qty:	540	540	540	5240	454	44

Element 299/4 Pile Jkt/Cathodic Protection

	2010 BIR	2008 BIR	9/2006 BIR	2004 BIR
CS1	308	305	142	142
CS2	0	0	0	0
CS3	0	0	0	0
CS4	0	0	0	0
Total Qty:	308	305	142	142

\*Special Bearing Inspection

BRIDGE COMPONENTS:

Bridge Length: 15872 Bridge Width (o-o): 62.25

Span No.	Span Length (ft)	Bridge Rail (ft)	Deck Area (ft^2)	Beams per Span	Beams Perimeter (ft)	Beams Perimeter Total Per Span(ft)	Exposed Beam Surface Area (ft^2)	Diaphragms (cf)	Bent/Pier No.	Type of Pile Bent	Type of Bearing	Bent Cap Volume (yd^3)	Bent Cap Exposed Area (ft^2)	Pier Cap Volume (yd^3)	Pier Cap Exposed Area (ft^2)	Pier Column Height (ft)	Pier Column Volume (ft^3)	Pier Columns Exposed Area (ft^2)	Footing Volume (yd^3)	Footing Exposed Area (yd^2)	Pier Strut Volume (yd^3)	Exposed Pier Strut Area (ft^2)	Number of Piles on Bent
Span 1	33	66	2054	Flat Slab	NA	NA		NA	Bent 1	EB	F	10.4	216	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	12
Span 2	33	66	2054	Flat Slab	NA	NA		NA	Bent 2	Bent	EF	10	394	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 3	33	66	2054	Flat Slab	NA	NA		NA	Bent 3	Bent	EF	10	394	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 4	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 4	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 5	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 5	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 6	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 6	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 7	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 7	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 8	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 8	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 9	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 9	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 10	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 10	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 11	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 11	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 12	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 12	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 13	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 13	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 14	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 14	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 15	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 15	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 16	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 16	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 17	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 17	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 18	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 18	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 19	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 19	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 20	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 20	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 21	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 21	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 22	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 22	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 23	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 23	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 24	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 24	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 25	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 25	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 26	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 26	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 27	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 27	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 28	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 28	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 29	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 29	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 30	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 30	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 31	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 31	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 32	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 32	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 33	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 33	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 34	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 34	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 35	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 35	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 36	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 36	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 37	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 37	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 38	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 38	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 39	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 39	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 40	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 40	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 41	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 41	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 42	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 42	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 43	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 43	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 44	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 44	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 45	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 45	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 46	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 46	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 47	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 47	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 48	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 48	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 49	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 49	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 50	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 50	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 51	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 51	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 52	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 52	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 53	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 53	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 54	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 54	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 55	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 55	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 56	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 56	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 57	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 57	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 58	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 58	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 59	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 59	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 60	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 60	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 61	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 61	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 62	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 62	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 63	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 63	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 64	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 64	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 65	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 65	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 66	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 66	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 67	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 67	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA							





Span No.	Span Length (ft)	Bridge Rail (ft)	Deck Area (ft^2)	Beams per Span	Beams Perimeter (ft)	Beams Perimeter Total Per Span(ft)	Exposed Beam Surface Area (ft^2)	Diaphragms (cf)	Bent/Pier No.	Type of Pile Bent	Type of Bearing	Bent Cap Volume (yd^3)	Bent Cap Exposed Area (ft^2)	Pier Cap Volume (yd^3)	Pier Cap Exposed Area (ft^2)	Pier Column Height (ft)	Pier Column Volume (ft^3)	Pier Columns Exposed Area (ft^2)	Footing Volume (yd^3)	Footing Exposed Area (yd^2)	Pier Strut Volume (yd^3)	Exposed Pier Strut Area (ft^2)	Number of Piles on Bent
Span 140	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 140	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 141	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 141	TB	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 142	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 142	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 143	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 143	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 144	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 144	Bent	EF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 145	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 145	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 146	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Pier 146	Pier	EF	23	557	30.5	576	13.25	17.2	357.5	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	8
Span 147	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 147	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	15.25	19.7	411.4	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 148	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 148	Pier	EF	23	557	30.5	576	17.25	22.3	465.4	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 149	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 149	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	19.25	24.9	519.4	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 150	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 150	Pier	EF	23	557	30.5	576	21.25	27.5	573.3	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 151	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 151	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	23.25	30.1	627.3	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 152	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 152	Pier	EF	23	557	30.5	576	25.25	32.7	681.2	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 153	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 153	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	27.25	35.3	735.2	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 154	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 154	Pier	EF	23	557	30.5	576	29.25	37.9	789.2	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 155	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 155	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	31.25	40.5	843.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 156	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 156	Pier	EF	23	557	30.5	576	32.25	41.8	870.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 157	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 157	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	33.25	43.1	897.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 158	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 158	Pier	EF	23	557	30.5	576	34.25	44.4	924.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 159	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 159	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	35.25	45.6	951.0	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 160	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 160	Pier	EF	23	557	41.5	677	57.50	127.8	1955.0	154.0	952	28.9	1664.0	78
Span 161	98	196	6101	10	11.55	115.5	11319	13.5	Pier 161	Pier	FE	23	557	41.5	677	57.50	127.8	1955.0	154.0	952	28.9	1664.0	78
Span 162	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 162	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	13.25	17.2	357.5	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 163	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 163	Pier	FE	23	557	30.5	576	15.25	19.7	411.4	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 164	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 164	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	17.25	22.3	465.4	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 165	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 165	Pier	FE	23	557	30.5	576	19.25	24.9	519.4	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 166	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 166	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	21.25	27.5	573.3	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 167	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 167	Pier	FE	23	557	30.5	576	23.25	30.1	627.3	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 168	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 168	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	25.25	32.7	681.2	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 169	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 169	Pier	FE	23	557	30.5	576	27.25	35.3	735.2	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 170	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 170	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	29.25	37.9	789.2	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 171	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 171	Pier	FE	23	557	30.5	576	31.25	40.5	843.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 172	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 172	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	32.25	41.8	870.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 173	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 173	Pier	EE	23	557	30.5	576	33.25	43.1	897.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 174	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 174	Pier	FF	23	557	30.5	576	34.25	44.4	924.1	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 175	66	132	4109	10	11.55	115.5	7623	13.5	Pier 175	Pier	FE	23	557	30.5	576	35.25	45.6	951.0	41.6	348	17.7	575.0	18
Span 176	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 176	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 177	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 177	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 178	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 178	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 179	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 179	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 180	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 180	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 181	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 181	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 182	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 182	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 183	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 183	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 184	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 184	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 185	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 185	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 186	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 186	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 187	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 187	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 188	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 188	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 189	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 189	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 190	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 190	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 191	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 191	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 192	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 192	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 193	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 193	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 194	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 194	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 195	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 195	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 196	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 196	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 197	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 197	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 198	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 198	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 199	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 199	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 200	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 200	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 201	48	96	2988	10	8.12																		



Span No.	Span Length (ft)	Bridge Rail (ft)	Deck Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Beams per Span	Beams Perimeter (ft)	Beams Perimeter Total Per Span(ft)	Exposed Beam Surface Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Diaphragms (cf)	Bent/Pier No.	Type of Pile Bent	Type of Bearing	Bent Cap Volume (yd <sup>3</sup> )	Bent Cap Exposed Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Pier Cap Volume (yd <sup>3</sup> )	Pier Cap Exposed Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Pier Column Height (ft)	Pier Column Volume (ft <sup>3</sup> )	Pier Columns Exposed Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Footing Volume (yd <sup>3</sup> )	Footing Exposed Area (yd <sup>2</sup> )	Pier Strut Volume (yd <sup>3</sup> )	Exposed Pier Strut Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Number of Piles on Bent
Span 282	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 282	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 283	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 283	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 284	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 284	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 285	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 285	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 286	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 286	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 287	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 287	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 288	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 288	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 289	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 289	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 290	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 290	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 291	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 291	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 292	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 292	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 293	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 293	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 294	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 294	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 295	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 295	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 296	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 296	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 297	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 297	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 298	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 298	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 299	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 299	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 300	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 300	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 301	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 301	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 302	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 302	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 303	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 303	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 304	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 304	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 305	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 305	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 306	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 306	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 307	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 307	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 308	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 308	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 309	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 309	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 310	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 310	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 311	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 311	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 312	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 312	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 313	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 313	TB	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	10
Span 314	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 314	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 315	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 315	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 316	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 316	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 317	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 317	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 318	48	96	2988	10	8.12	81.2	3897.6	13.5	Bent 318	Bent	FF	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 319	33	66	2054	Flat Slab	NA	NA	NA	NA	Bent 319	Bent	FE	23	557	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 320	33	66	2054	Flat Slab	NA	NA	NA	NA	Bent 320	Bent	FE	10	394	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	8
Span 321	33	66	2054	Flat Slab	NA	NA	NA	NA	Bent 321	EB	F	10.4	216	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	12
Totals	15872	31744	988032	3150	2657.27	26572.7	1,068,028	4252.5				7152.52	176662.43	937.03	17482.5	830	1181.4806	23200.7	1471.56	11648	554.6741	19427.44	3054

# *Appendix E*

## *Additional Geotechnical Information*

## Appendix E – Additional Geotechnical Information

(From the Draft Geotechnical Report, June 2012)

The following table provides information regarding the tip elevation ranges that occurred within each section for the southbound Howard Frankland Bridge, constructed in 1991.

**Table 3-3: Pile Driving Tip Elevations**

Section	Total Number of Piles	Number of Piles with a Tip Elevation within the Elevation Ranges Shown							
		(% of Total Piles)							
		-28 to -40	-40 to -50	-50 to -70	-70 to -90	-90 to -110	-110 to -130	-130 to -150	-150 to -176
1	252	166 (~66%)	86 (~34%)	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	552	1 (<1%)	42 (~8%)	80 (~14%)	218 (~39%)	139 (~25%)	44 (~8%)	23 (~4%)	5 (~1%)
3	646	8 (~1%)	181 (~28%)	206 (~32%)	151 (~23%)	78 (~12%)	22 (~3%)	0	0

Table 3-3 provides an indication on the variations in pile lengths across the bridge site. However, in some cases, considerable variability occurred even among the piles within each pier. The following table provides an indication of the variability of the pile tip elevations *within* individual piers.

**Table 3-4: Pile Driving Tip Variations within Individual Piers**

Section	Number of Piers	Number of Piers where the Distance Between the Most Shallow and Deepest Tip Elevations Range, In Feet						
		<10	10 to 15	15 to 25	25 to 35	35 to 50	50 to 70	70 to 90
		1	26	17 (~65%)	9 (~35%)	--	--	--
2	54	--	5 (~9%)	5 (~9%)	10 (~19%)	14 (~26%)	13 (~24%)	7 (~13%)
3	32	4 (~13%)	6 (~19%)	7 (~22%)	3 (~9%)	7 (~22%)	4 (~13%)	1 (~3%)

The soil boring data, pile sizes, and design loads were analyzed in FB-Deep Version 2.03 to evaluate what current pile capacity analysis would predict when the New Howard Frankland Bridge was constructed. The analysis did not consider scour effects. The predicted driven pile tip elevations for each section based solely on the FB-Deep analysis are as follows.

**Table 3-5: Predicted Pile Driving Tip Elevations**

Section	Pile Size	Pile Design Load (ton)	Required Bearing (ton) <sup>(1)</sup>	Total Number of Borings Analyzed	Predicted Pile Tip Elevation Ranges						
					-28 to -40	-40 to -50	-50 to -70	-70 to -90	-90 to -110	-110 to -130	< -130
1	24" x 24"	200	400	2	--	1 (50%)	1 (50%)	--	--	--	--
2	24" x 24"	200	400	18	--	--	4 (~22%)	10 (~56%)	3 (~17%)	--	1 (~6%)
3	30" x 30"	300	600	22	--	--	8 (~36%)	6 (~27%)	1 (~5%)	--	7 (~32%)

<sup>(1)</sup> Required bearing for the project was indicated on the pile driving records as 2 times the pile design load. The Davisson Capacity from FB-Deep analyses was compared to the required bearing loads.

Tables 3-3 and 3-5 can be compared to evaluate the difference between the actual and predicted pile tip elevations.

# *Appendix F*

## *Vertical Wave Force Documentation*

August 22, 2016

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**RE: Howard Frankland Bridge Regional Transit Corridor Evaluation  
Maximum Wave Crest Elevation Analysis**

Mr. Novotny,

This letter documents the 100-year wave crest elevation along the Howard Frankland Bridge alignment over Old Tampa Bay. Results presented herein derived from the Level III analysis performed by Ocean Engineering Associates, Inc. (OEA, acquired by INTERA Incorporated) for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) in District 7 (OEA 2010). The Level III analysis followed the methodology described in the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials Guide Specifications for Bridges Vulnerable to Coastal Storms (AASHTO 2008). The Level III results were extracted at each bent along the north bound bridge. These results provided input for a proprietary wave model to determine the maximum wave crest elevation possible at locations along the alignment.

Work previously performed for this project included development of wave crest elevations including the assumption that mean sea levels remained at current levels over the lifetime of the project. Notably, this was the current practice at the time of performance of the work. Since that time, the Department has amended its drainage design policy to include methodologies for incorporating sea level rise (SLR) into design. The 2016 FDOT Drainage Manual states that “the design of coastal projects (including new construction, reconstruction and projects rebuilding drainage systems) must include a sea level rise analysis to assess impacts to design.” The manual provides a table of SLR estimates based on historical tidal records gathered by National Water Level Observation Network (NWLON) and managed by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration at fourteen locations throughout the state. The manual states that the “analysis must consist of straight line regression equation extrapolation based on the design service life of the project” and to use the station nearest the site for analysis. The District has requested American Consulting Engineers of Florida, LLC (American) to incorporate SLR into the estimates of maximum wave crest elevations at the bridge. American tasked INTERA with updating the analysis.

For this project the closest site location is at NOAA Station 8726520 in St. Petersburg, FL. The table located on page 18 of the manual indicates that the rate of rise at this location is 2.54 mm/yr. In order to incorporate the expected SLR into design, an end of life date for the project is required. For this project, INTERA examined two future dates: 2050 and 2100. Employing the mid date of the previous tidal epoch as an initial date (1992), the FDOT Drainage Manual provided rate results in a rise in elevations of 0.48 ft by 2050 and 0.90 ft by 2100 over 1992 mean sea levels.



Incorporating these elevations into the proprietary wave model resulted in new estimates for the wave crest elevations in 2050 and 2100. Table 1 and Figure 1 present the 100-year maximum wave crest elevation along the Howard Frankland Bridge alignment assuming no SLR (1992), SLR expected by 2050, and SLR expected by 2100. In both the table and the figure, the maximum wave crest elevations (in ft-NAVD) are presented at each bent location along the existing north bound bridge. As the results demonstrate, the east end of the bridge (Bent 145E) is subject to the highest maximum 100-year wave crest elevation, which reaches +18.0 ft-NAVD for the year 2100 SLR scenario.

Sincerely,



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Director

Enclosure

Table 1 Maximum Wave Crest Elevations along the Existing I-275 NB Howard Frankland Bridge

Location	No SLR Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	No SLR Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)
EB-146W	+9.3	+11.7	+9.8	+12.1	+10.2	+12.4
145W	+9.3	+14.1	+9.8	+14.5	+10.2	+14.8
144W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.5
143W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+15.9
142W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
141W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
140W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
139W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
138W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
137W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
136W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
135W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
134W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
133W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
132W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
131W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
130W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
129W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
128W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
127W	+9.3	+15.0	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
126W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
125W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
124W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
123W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
122W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
121W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
120W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
119W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
118W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
117W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
116W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
115W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
114W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
113W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
112W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
111W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
110W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.5	+10.2	+15.9
109W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+15.9

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Maximum Wave Crest Elevation Analysis

Location	No SLR Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	No SLR Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)
108W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
107W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
106W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
105W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
104W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
103W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
102W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
101W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
100W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
99W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
98W	+9.3	+15.1	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
97W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
96W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
95W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
94W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
93W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
92W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
91W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
90W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
89W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
88W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
87W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
86W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.0
85W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.6	+10.2	+16.0
84W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
83W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.0
82W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
81W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
80W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
79W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
78W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
77W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
76W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
75W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
74W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
73W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
72W	+9.3	+15.2	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
71W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
70W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
69W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
68W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
67W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1

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Maximum Wave Crest Elevation Analysis

Location	No SLR Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	No SLR Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)
66W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
65W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
64W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
63W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.7	+10.2	+16.1
62W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.1
61W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.1
60W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
59W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
58W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
57W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
56W	+9.3	+15.3	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
55W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
54W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
53W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
52W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
51W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
50W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
49W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
48W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.8	+10.2	+16.2
47W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
46W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
45W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
44W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
43W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
42W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
41W	+9.3	+15.4	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
40W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
39W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
38W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
37W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
36W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
35W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+15.9	+10.2	+16.3
34W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.3
33W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
32W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
31W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
30W	+9.3	+15.5	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
29W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
28W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
27W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
26W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
25W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4

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Location	No SLR Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	No SLR Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)
24W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
23W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
22W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.0	+10.2	+16.4
21W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.4
20W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
19W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
18W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
17W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
16W	+9.3	+15.6	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
15W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
14W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
13W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
12W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
11W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
10W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
9W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
8W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
7W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.1	+10.2	+16.5
6W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.5
5W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
4W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
3W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
2W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
1W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier15-W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier14-W	+9.3	+15.7	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier13-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier12-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier11-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier10-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier9-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier8-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier7-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.2	+10.2	+16.6
Pier6-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.6
Pier5-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier4-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier3-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier2-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier1-W	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier1-E	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier2-E	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier3-E	+9.3	+15.8	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7

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Pier4-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier5-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier6-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier7-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier8-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier9-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier10-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier11-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier12-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier13-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier14-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
Pier15-E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
1E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
2E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
3E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
4E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
5E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
6E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
7E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
8E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
9E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
10E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
11E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
12E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
13E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.3	+10.2	+16.7
14E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
15E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
16E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
17E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
18E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
19E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.7
20E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
21E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
22E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
23E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
24E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
25E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
26E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
27E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
28E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
29E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
30E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8

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31E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
32E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
33E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
34E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
35E	+9.3	+15.9	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
36E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
37E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
38E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
39E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
40E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
41E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
42E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
43E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
44E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
45E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
46E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
47E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
48E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
49E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
50E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
51E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
52E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
53E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
54E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.4	+10.2	+16.8
55E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.8
56E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.8
57E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
58E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
59E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
60E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
61E	+9.3	+16.0	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
62E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
63E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
64E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
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66E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
67E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
68E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
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70E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
71E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.5	+10.2	+16.9
72E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+16.9

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Location	No SLR Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	No SLR Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2050 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Water Surface Elevation (ft-NAVD)	2100 Wave Crest Elevation (ft-NAVD)
73E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
74E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
75E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
76E	+9.3	+16.1	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
77E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
78E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
79E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
80E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
81E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
82E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
83E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
84E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
85E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.6	+10.2	+17.0
86E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.0
87E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.0
88E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.0
89E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
90E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
91E	+9.3	+16.2	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
92E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
93E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
94E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
95E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
96E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
97E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
98E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
99E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.7	+10.2	+17.1
100E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.1
101E	+9.3	+16.3	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
102E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
103E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
104E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
105E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
106E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
107E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
108E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
109E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
110E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
111E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
112E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
113E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
114E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3



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115E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
116E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
117E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
118E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
119E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
120E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
121E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
122E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
123E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
124E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
125E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
126E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
127E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
128E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
129E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
130E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
131E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
132E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
133E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
134E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.8	+10.2	+17.2
135E	+9.3	+16.4	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.2
136E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
137E	+9.3	+16.5	+9.8	+16.9	+10.2	+17.3
138E	+9.3	+16.6	+9.8	+17.0	+10.2	+17.4
139E	+9.3	+16.7	+9.8	+17.1	+10.2	+17.4
140E	+9.3	+16.7	+9.8	+17.1	+10.2	+17.5
141E	+9.3	+16.8	+9.8	+17.2	+10.2	+17.6
142E	+9.3	+16.9	+9.8	+17.3	+10.2	+17.7
143E	+9.3	+17.1	+9.8	+17.4	+10.2	+17.8
144E	+9.3	+17.2	+9.8	+17.6	+10.2	+17.9
145E	+9.3	+17.3	+9.8	+17.7	+10.2	+18.0
EB-146E	+9.3	+11.2	+9.8	+11.6	+10.2	+12.1

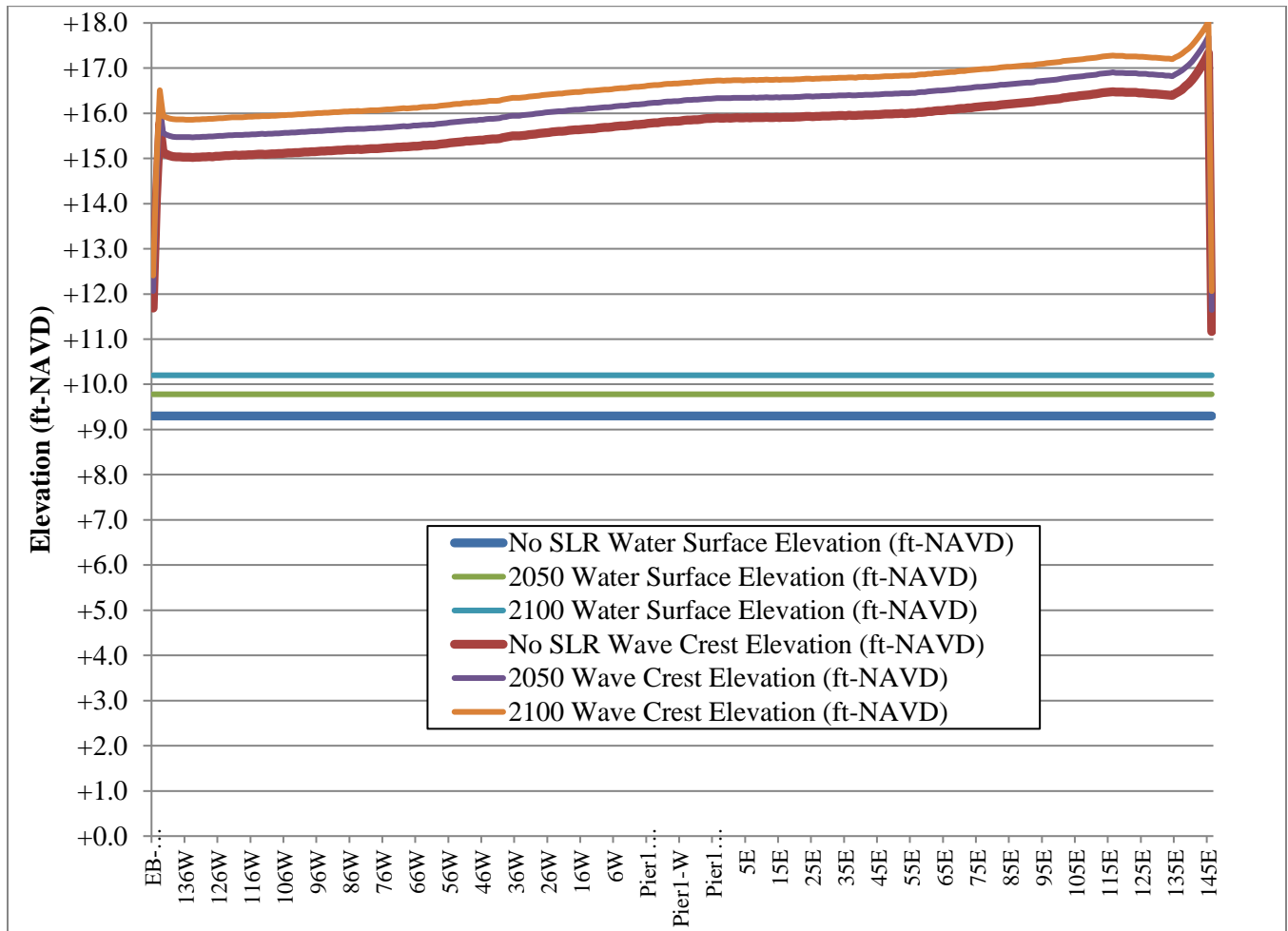


Figure 1 Wave Crest Elevations along the Existing Howard I-275 NB Frankland Bridge

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