# STRUCTURE GEOTECHNICAL REPORT I-80 RECONSTRUCTION FROM RIDGE ROAD TO HOUBOLT ROAD SOUTHEAST RETAINING WALL ALONG RIVER ROAD WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

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A new retaining wall is proposed along northbound River Road to support a new 10.0-foot wide multiuse path in Will County, Illinois. The wall will be about 360.0-foot long, extending from Station 28+00.42 to Station 31+62.09. The face of the wall will be constructed about 27.4 to 28.0 feet east of the River Road centerline. The wall will have a maximum exposed height of 12.9 feet. This report provides geotechnical recommendations for the design and construction of the proposed retaining wall.

The pavement structure along River Road consists of 4 to 11 inches of asphalt pavement over 5 to 17 inches of aggregate base. Along the proposed wall alignment, the foundation soils consists of up to 24.0 feet of stiff to hard silty clay to silty clay loam fill followed by 2.0 to 6.5 feet of stiff to hard silty clay and silty clay loam overlying medium dense to very dense silty loam to loam and very dense sandy gravel. Dolostone bedrock was encountered at 565 to 562 feet elevation. The groundwater level was measured at elevations ranging from 570 to 566 feet.

The proposed retaining wall will be in a fill section. Fill wall types such as Mechanically Stabilized Earth (MSE) and Reinforced Concrete Cantilever (RCC) will require additional open cut excavations into the existing embankment slope and possibly a temporary soil retention system. Cut wall types such as drilled soldier pile walls could be considered as they will not require excavation and temporary support, thus would be easier to build and more economical.

The designer envisions a drilled soldier-pile wall type at the site. Geotechnical parameters for the design and construction of soldier pile walls are provided. A cantilevered pile embedment depth to a minimum pile tip elevation of 564.5 feet is necessary to achieve a minimum factor of safety of 1.7 for global stability. We understand the designer proposes soldier piles installed in the bedrock.

The drilled soldier-pile wall construction should expect hard drilling conditions in certain areas along the wall as discussed in the report. Excavation may be required.

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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report presents the results of our subsurface investigation, laboratory testing, geotechnical evaluations, and recommendations in support of the design and construction of a new retaining wall proposed along northbound River Road just south of the bridge carrying River Road over Interstate 80 (I-80) in Troy Township, Illinois. The project area is located in west central Will County, along I-80, about 1.0 mile southwest of the City of Joliet limits. On the USGS *Channahon Quadrangle 7.5 Minute Series* map, the project is located in SW ¼ of Section 28, Tier 35 N, Range 9 E of the Third Principal Meridian (Exhibit 1).

Wang Engineering, Inc. (Wang) understands the proposed work will also include the replacement of the River Road Bridge and the reconstruction and widening of about 300 and 350 feet of the approach roadway north and south of the bridge replacement, respectively. New retaining walls are proposed along the northeast and southeast sides of the River Road Bridge over I-80 to retain the new fill for the roadway widening. This report addresses the southeast wall. The northeast wall is addressed in a separate Structure Geotechnical Report (SGR). The River Road Bridge over I-80 replacement, new retaining walls along the River Road approach embankments, and the reconstruction of a section of River Road are part of the proposed widening and reconstruction of I-80 from east of Ridge Road to west of Houbolt Road in Will County, Illinois. The River Road Bridge, retaining walls, and roadway will be reconstructed as part of Advanced Contract CR-2.

The purpose of this investigation was to characterize the site soil and groundwater conditions, perform geotechnical analyses, and provide recommendations for the design and construction of the proposed retaining wall. Recommendations pertaining to the River Road roadway reconstruction will be included in the Roadway Geotechnical Report that will be prepared for the I-80 mainline (Contract ML-1) whereas recommendations pertaining to the construction of the River Road Bridge and northeast retaining wall are provided in separate SGRs.



#### **Existing Structure and Ground Conditions** 1.1

There is no existing structure at the proposed retaining wall site. The site surface elevation slopes gently east toward the DuPage River, from as high as 575.0 feet to as low as 562.0 feet near the River. DuPage River runs south about 0.25 miles east of the River Road Bridge over I-80. Surface elevations are about 593.0 feet along River Road near the abutments and about 571.0 feet along I-80 near the piers. Along River Road, the roadway elevation varies from 593.0 to 573.0 feet.

In the project area (see Exhibit 2), and below about 10- to 20-foot thick embankment fill, about 15foot thick overburden made up of low to moderate plasticity, medium to high strength, and low to moderate moisture content silty clayey diamicton resting over granular, very dense, low compressibility sand and gravel outwash unconformably covers the bedrock (Bauer et al. 1991, Hansel and Johnson 1996, Leighton et al. 1948, Willman et al. 1971). The bedrock is made up of shale and dolostone. Top of bedrock is mapped at about 565.0 feet elevation. The site is located within the inactive Sandwich Fault Zone (Kolata 2005). The shallow bedrock is highly weathered and may show the presence of cavities more likely filled with fine sediment. Records of mining activity in the vicinity of the bridge are missing. Neither the overburden nor the upper bedrock is known to include significant sources of water supply (Woller and Sanderson 1983).

#### **Proposed Structure** 1.2

Based on the GPE drawing prepared by HBM and dated January 21, 2022, Wang understands the proposed retaining wall will measure about 360.0 feet in length, extending along northbound River Road from Station 28+00.42 to Station 31+62.09. The front face of the wall will be constructed at a distance of about 27.4 to 28.0 feet east of the existing River Road centerline. The wall will support a new 10.0-foot wide multi use path to be constructed along northbound River Road. A drilled soldierpile wall type installed into the bedrock is currently shown on the in-progress GPE sheets. Based on the drawings and Cross-Sections, we estimate the wall will have a maximum exposed height of approximately 12.9 feet at Station 28+60.58 where the wall meets the River Road Bridge south approach. The GPE drawing is included as Appendix E, whereas the Cross-Sections are included as Appendix F.

#### 2.0 METHODS OF INVESTIGATION

The following sections outline the subsurface and laboratory investigations performed by Wang.

#### 2.1 **Field Investigation**

The subsurface investigation consisted of three retaining wall borings, designated as RIV-RWB-07 to



RIV-RWB-09, four hand auger borings, designated as RIV-RWB-06-HA to RIV-RWB-09-HA, two subgrade/stability borings, designated as RIV-SGB-03 and RIV-SGB-04, and one bridge boring, designated as RIV-BSB-03, drilled by Wang in November of 2021. The borings were drilled from elevations of 593.1 to 580.3 feet and were advanced to depths of 14.5 to 44.5 feet bgs. The asdrilled northings and eastings were acquired with a mapping-grade GPS unit. Stations, offsets, and elevations were provided by Stantec. Boring location data are presented in the Boring Logs (Appendix A) and the as-drilled boring locations are shown in the *Boring Location Plan* (Exhibit 3).

A truck-mounted drilling rig, equipped with hollow stem augers, was used to advance and maintain open boreholes. Soil sampling was performed according to AASHTO T206, "Penetration Test and Split Barrel Sampling of Soils." The soil in the bridge and retaining wall borings was sampled at 2.5foot intervals to 30.0 feet bgs and at 5.0-foot intervals thereafter to the boring termination depth or top of bedrock whereas the soil in the stability borings was sampled continuously to 10.0 feet bgs and at 2.5-foot intervals thereafter to the boring termination depth. Jackhammer driven Geoprobe samplers were used to continuously sample the soil in the hand auger borings. Bedrock cores were obtained from Borings RIV-BSB-03, RIV-RWB-07, and RIV-RWB-09 in 3 to 10-foot runs with an NWD4sized core barrel. Soil samples collected from each sampling interval were placed in sealed jars, and rock cores were placed into boxes, and transported to the laboratory for further examination and testing.

Field boring logs, prepared and maintained by a Wang field engineer, included lithological descriptions, visual-manual soil (IDH Textural) classifications, results of Rimac and pocket penetrometer unconfined compressive strength tests, and results of Standard Penetration Tests (SPT) recorded as blows per 6 inches of penetration.

Groundwater levels were measured while drilling and at completion of each of the borings. Given the location of the boreholes and limited access requiring traffic control, it was not feasible to delay backfilling of the borings to obtain 24-hour water level measurements. Each borehole location was backfilled upon completion with lean grout, soil cuttings, and/or bentonite chips and, where necessary, the pavement surface was restored as much as possible to its original condition.

#### 2.2 **Laboratory Testing**

The soil samples were tested in the laboratory for moisture content (AASHTO T265). Atterberg limits (AASHTO T89 and T90) and particle size (AASHTO T88) analyses were performed on selected samples. Unconfined compressive strength tests were performed on selected bedrock cores. Field visual descriptions of the soil samples were verified in the laboratory and index tested soils were



classified according to the IDH Soil Classification System. The laboratory test results are shown in the Boring Logs (Appendix A) and in the Laboratory Test Results (Appendix B).

#### 3.0 **INVESTIGATION RESULTS**

Detailed descriptions of the soil conditions encountered during the subsurface investigation are presented in the attached Boring Logs (Appendix A) and in the Soil Profile (Exhibit 4). Please note that strata contact lines represent approximate boundaries between soil types. The actual transition between soil types in the field may be gradual in horizontal and vertical directions.

Our subsurface investigation results fit into the local geologic context. The borings drilled in the project area revealed the native sediments consists of silty clay to silty clay loam diamicton (unit 2) with occasional lenses of silt and sand, over sand and gravel outwash (unit 3) resting over weathered bedrock. Unit 3 is water-bearing with seasonal fluctuation. Top of dolostone bedrock was encountered at elevations of 565 to 562 feet (23.5 to 30.0 feet bgs) as predicted based on geologic data.

#### 3.1 **Lithological Profile**

Borings RIV-BSB-03, RIV-RWB-07 to RWB-09, RIV-SGB-03, and RIV-SGB-04 were drilled along River Road and encountered 4 to 11 inches of asphalt pavement overlying 5 to 17 inches of sandy gravel aggregate base. In descending order, the general lithologic succession encountered beneath the pavement or at the surface includes: 1) man-made ground (fill); 2) stiff to hard silty clay and silty loam; 3) medium dense to very dense silty loam to loam; 4) very dense sandy gravel; and 5) strong, very poor to poor quality dolostone.

## 1) Man-made ground (fill)

Beneath the pavement or at the surface, the borings encountered up to 24.0 feet of cohesive fill. The cohesive fill consists of stiff to hard, black, brown, and gray silty clay to silty clay loam with unconfined compressive strength (Q<sub>u</sub>) values of 1.0 to 7.7 tsf and moisture content values of 10 to 22%. Laboratory index testing on a sample from the fill layer showed liquid limit (LL) and plastic limit (PL) values of 29 to 35% and 15 to 19%, respectively. Rig chatter indicating the presence of cobbles was noted within this layer at a depth of 16.0 feet (elevation 578 feet) in Boring RIV-BSB-03.

A 2- to 43-inch thick layer of buried, black silty clay to silty clay loam topsoil with moisture content values of 25 to 26% was sampled beneath the fill in Borings RIV-RWB-08, RIV-RWB-09, RIV-



RWB-09-HA, and RIV-BSB-03. The presence of this layer most likely indicates the boundary between fill and natural soils.

## 2) Stiff to hard silty clay and silty loam

Beneath the fill, at elevations of 577 to 570 feet, the borings advanced through 2.0 to 6.5 feet of stiff to hard, brown to gray silty clay to silty clay loam. The silty clay to silty clay loam is characterized by Qu values of 1.0 to 4.0 tsf and moisture content values of 21 to 29%. This layer was encountered to the termination depth in Borings RIV-RWB-07-HA and RIV-RWB-08-HA.

## 3) Medium dense to very dense silty loam to loam

At depths of 12.0 to 24.0 feet bgs, or elevations of about 570 to 568 feet, the borings encountered 0.7 to 2.5 feet of medium dense to very dense, brown to gray, damp to saturated silty loam to loam. This soil unit has N-values of 12 to 23 blows per foot and a moisture content value of 11 to 15%. Rig chatter indicating the presence of cobbles was noted within this layer at a depth of 25.5 feet (elevation 569 feet) in Boring RIV-BSB-03.

## 4) Very dense sandy gravel

At elevations of 570 to 568 feet, the borings advanced through 2.0 feet of very dense, brown, damp to saturated sandy gravel with N-values of 60 blows per foot to more than 50 blows per inch and moisture content values of 7 to 12%. Rig chatter indicating the presence of cobbles was noted within this layer at a depth of 20.0 feet (elevation 566 feet) in Boring RIV-RWB-09.

At elevations of 567 to 565 feet, the borings advanced through up to 2.5 feet of very dense, brown, damp to saturated weathered dolostone bedrock. This soil unit has N-values of 50 blows per 3 inches to 50 blows per inch and moisture content values of 2 to 6%.

## 5) Strong, very poor to poor quality dolostone

At elevations of 565 to 562 feet (23.5 to 30.0 feet bgs), the borings encountered strong, very poor to poor quality, highly to moderately weathered dolostone bedrock. The rock quality designation (RQD) ranges from 0 to 26% and uniaxial compressive strength testing revealed Q<sub>u</sub> values of 6,081 to 7,459 psi. The bedrock core data are shown in the *Bedrock Core Photographs* (Appendix C).

#### **Groundwater Conditions** 3.2

Groundwater was encountered while drilling at elevations of 570 to 566 feet (14.0 to 26.0 feet bgs) within the sandy gravel and weathered bedrock layers. At the completion of drilling, the groundwater was observed in Borings RIV-RWB-07-HA and RIV-RWB-09-HA at elevations of 570 to 568



feet (12.0 to 16.0 feet bgs). For the purpose of analysis, the design groundwater elevation is considered at elevation 570 feet. It should be noted that groundwater levels might change with seasonal rainfall patterns and long-term climate fluctuations or may be influenced by local site conditions.

#### FOUNDATION ANALYSIS AND RECOMMENDATIONS 4.0

The retaining wall will support a new 10.0-foot wide multi-use path proposed along northbound River Road. Based on the GPE and Cross-Sections (Appendixes E and F), the wall will have a total length of 360.0 feet and a maximum exposed height of 12.9 feet near Station 28+60.58. The proposed wall will retain the new fill to be placed for the roadway widening. Additionally, the plans indicate the existing grade in front of the wall will be lowered by up to 4.0 feet and the finished grade in front of the wall will be graded at slopes ranging from 1:2.5 to 1:3 (V: H). As such, the wall is a combination of cut and fill.

Fill wall types, such as Mechanically Stabilized Earth (MSE) and Reinforced Concrete Cantilever (RCC) walls would require large open cut excavations into the existing embankment slope, temporary soil retention systems, and will impact the existing roadway. The construction of these wall types would likely also require more backfilling thus longer construction time. In our opinion, non-gravity wall types such as a sheet pile or soldier pile type wall would be more appropriate considering the soil conditions, constructability, and cost. A driven sheet pile wall type will not be feasible due to potential difficulty of driving the sheet piles in cohesive soils with unconfined compressive strength values of greater than 4.5 tsf. The final wall type should be selected based on a wall-type study including cost and construction considerations. We understand a drilled-soldier pile wall type installed in the bedrock is proposed by the designer. Recommendations for the design and construction of the proposed wall type are discussed in the following sections.

#### 4.1 **Seismic Design Considerations**

Seismic design is not required for retaining wall structures located in Seismic Performance Zone (SPZ) 1 in accordance with the IDOT *Bridge Manual* (2012).

#### 4.2 **Soldier-Pile and Lagging Wall**

A soldier-pile wall type could be considered at this location. If soldier piles are designed to support the wall, they could be installed by setting them within prebored holes with diameters sized in accordance with IDOT criteria. The wall should be designed for both lateral earth pressure and lateral deformation. The embedment depth in moment equilibrium for the wall sections should be designed in accordance with the AASHTO LRFD guidelines (AASHTO 2020).



Generally, both granular soils and overconsolidated clayey soils, such as the stiff to hard silty clay to silty clay loam encountered in the borings will exhibit lower overall shear strength in the longterm condition. Therefore, in accordance with AASHTO (2020), the lateral earth pressure analysis should be performed for walls in the long-term (drained) condition using the soil parameters recommended in Table 1. Elevations provided in Table 1 are based on the average layer elevations across the soil profile and may vary from one boring location to another. The active and passive earth pressure coefficients are provided for straight backfill behind the wall and a slope of 1:3 (V: H) in front of the wall.

The design of the wall should ignore 3.0 feet of soil in front of the wall measured from the finished ground surface elevation in providing passive pressure due to excavations required for installation of concrete facing, drainage systems, and frost-heave conditions. In developing the design lateral pressure, the pressure due to construction equipment surcharge loads should be added to the lateral earth pressure. Drainage behind the wall should be in accordance with IDOT guidelines (IDOT 2012). The water pressures should be added to the earth pressure if drainage is not provided.

Table 1: Drained Geotechnical Parameters for Design of Soldier-Pile Walls

	Unit		ear Strength erties	Earth Pressu	re Coefficients
Elevation Range (feet) Soil Description	Weight, γ (pcf)	Cohesion (psf)	Friction Angle (°)	Active Pressure (Straight)	Passive Pressure (straight to 1V:3H)
Proposed Finished Grade to Existing Grade NEW FILL	120	0	30	0.33	
Existing Grade to EL 573 Stiff to Hard SI CLAY to SI CLAY LOAM FILL	120	100	30	0.33	
EL 573 to 570 V Stiff SI CLAY to SI CLAY LOAM	120	100	30	0.33	2.29(1)
EL 570 to 567 M Dense SILTY LOAM	58(2)	0	30	0.33	3.00
EL 567 to 565 V Dense SANDY GRAVEL	58 <sup>(2)</sup>	0	33	0.29	3.39
EL 565 to 563 <sup>(3)</sup> V Dense WEATHERED BEDROCK	63 <sup>(2)</sup>	0	35	0.27	3.69

<sup>(1)</sup> Earth pressure coefficients for 1:3 (V: H) front slope; (2) Submerged unit weight; (3) Approximate top of Bedrock



The lateral deformation of the wall should be designed for movement and moment fixity at the base of the pile. The roadway and utilities should not be impacted by the lateral movement of the wall. Therefore, the design of the soldier pile wall should establish lateral movement limits. The evaluations should be performed using the recommended soil parameters shown in Tables 2 and 3, via the p-y curve (COM624) method. Elevations provided in Tables 2 and 3 are based on the average layer elevations across the profile and may vary from one boring location to another.

Table 2: Recommended Soil Parameters for Lateral Load Analysis of Soldier Pile Walls

Elevation Range (feet) Soil Type (Layer)	Unit Weight, γ (pcf)	Undrained Shear Strength, cu (psf)	Estimated Friction Angle, Φ	Estimated Lateral Soil Modulus Parameter, k (pci)	Estimated Soil Strain Parameter, \$\varepsilon_{50}\$ (%)
Finished Grade to Existing Grade NEW FILL	120	1000	0	500	0.7
Existing Grade to EL 573 Stiff to Hard SI CLAY to SI CLAY LOAM FILL	120	2500	0	1000	0.5
EL 573 to 570 V Stiff SI CLAY to SI CLAY LOAM	120	3500	0	1000	0.5
EL 570 to 567 M Dense SILTY LOAM	58(1)	0	30	60	
EL 567 to 565 V Dense SANDY GRAVEL	58(1)	0	33	125	
EL 565 to 563 <sup>(2)</sup> V Dense WEATHERED BEDROCK	63 <sup>(1)</sup>	0	35	125	

<sup>(1)</sup> Submerged unit weight; (2) Approximate top of bedrock

Table 3: Recommended Bedrock Parameters for Lateral Load Analysis of Soldier Pile Walls (Borings RIV-BSB-03, RIV-RWB-07, and RIV-RWB-09)

E	3edrock	Total Unit Weight, γ (pcf)	Modulus of Rock Mass (ksi)	Poisson's Ratio, μ	Uniaxial Compressive Strength (psi)	RQD (%)	Strain Factor
D	olostone	140	300	0.3	6,081 to 7,459	0 to 12	0.0005



#### 4.3 **Settlement**

On the east side of River Road, where the retaining wall is proposed, the widening for the multi-use path will require the placement of up to 9.0 feet of new fill along the existing embankment slopes. Wang has performed evaluations of the potential consolidation settlements resulting from the proposed grade change for the wall. Settlement estimates have been made based on correlations to measured index properties obtained from the laboratory tests (Appendix B). Based on the soil conditions, we estimate the foundation soils will undergo long-term settlements of less than 1.0 inch under the new fill.

#### 4.4 **Global Stability**

The global stability of the proposed wall was analyzed based on the soil profile described in Section 3.1 and the information provided in the design drawings and cross-sections. The stability was analyzed at the critical section near Station 28+50 where the maximum exposed height is 12.9 feet. The minimum required factor of safety (FOS) is 1.7 in both short-term (undrained) and long-term (drained) conditions (IDOT 2020a).

Details of the global stability analysis with critical failure surfaces and results are presented in Appendix D. The short-term and long-term analyses do not consider the resistance from the top 3.0 feet measured from the proposed finished grade at the front face of the wall. We estimate the wall will have an adequate FOS of 3.4 (Appendix D-1) in the undrained condition. Global stability evaluations were performed to estimate the minimum pile tip elevation required to achieve an FOS of 1.7 in the drained condition. The embedded portion of the cantilevered piles will provide resistance against the slope instability above the tip of the piles. The results of our analysis are summarized in Table 4. We recommend that the wall tip elevations be installed at or deeper than the minimum elevation shown in Table 4 to provide long-term global stability FOS values of at least 1.7 as shown in Appendix D-2. It should be noted that typically, the lateral earth pressure and deformation analyses will determine the minimum embedment depth for cantilevered pile walls. Therefore, the designer should perform other analyses including lateral earth pressure and deflection analyses to determine the required design pile embedment. We understand the designer proposes soldier piles installed in the bedrock.

Table 4: Results of Global Stability Analysis

		Exposed	Short-tern	n (Undrained) Condition	Long-ter	rm (Drained) Condition
Station	Reference Boring(s)	Wall Height (feet)	FOS	Minimum Tip Elevation (feet)	FOS	Minimum Tip Elevation (feet)
28+50	RIV-BSB-03 and RIV-RWB-06HA	12.9	3.5	-/-	1.7	564.5



#### **5.0** CONSTRUCTION CONSIDERATIONS

#### 5.1 **Site Preparation**

Vegetation, surface topsoil, and debris should be cleared and stripped where the structure will be placed. If unstable or unsuitable materials are exposed during excavation, they should be removed and replaced with compacted structural fill as described in Section 5.3.

#### 5.2 **Excavation, Dewatering, and Utilities**

Excavations should be performed in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations. The potential effect of ground movements upon nearby utilities should be considered during construction. Excavations for the construction of the wall should be sloped at no steeper than 1:2 (V: H). Any slope that cannot be graded at 1:2 (V:H) should be properly shored in accordance with the temporary sheet piling charts provided in IDOT Design Guide-Simplified Temporary Sheet Piling Design Charts (IDOT 2020a). Dewatering may be necessary if groundwater perched within the granular layers is encountered

For cantilevered pile walls, it should be noted that hard drilling conditions, frequent rig chatter, and possible cobbles were noted in Borings RIV-BSB-03 and RIV-RWB-09 at elevations of 577 to 566 feet (16.0 to 27.5 feet bgs), and should be anticipated during pile driving or drilling. Pile shoes or excavation may be needed due to the presence of cobbles as observed by drill rig chatter during drilling.

Groundwater was encountered while drilling at elevations of 570 to 566 feet (14.0 to 26.0 feet bgs) within the sandy gravel and weathered bedrock layers. At the completion of drilling, the groundwater was observed in Borings RIV-RWB-07-HA and RIV-RWB-09-HA at elevations of 570 to 568 feet (12.0 to 16.0 feet bgs). We do not anticipate groundwater concerns during the construction of the cantilevered soldier pile walls if piles are driven; however, if drilled soldier piles are designed, temporary casing and wet installation methods will be needed for drilling and setting into the granular layers below an elevation of 570 feet. Additionally, perched or temporary water may be encountered during times of heavy precipitation while excavating within the upper fill soils and will require dewatering efforts. Water that does accumulate in open excavations by seepage or runoff should be immediately removed by sump pump. Any soils allowed to soften under standing water should be removed and replaced with compacted fill as described in Section 5.3.



The construction of the new walls should be coordinated with the pile driving for the proposed River Road bridge replacement and the Contractor should perform a vibration analysis and provide vibration monitoring during construction, if needed.

#### 5.3 Filling and Backfilling

Fill material used to attain final design elevations should be pre-approved, compacted, cohesive or granular soil conforming to Section 204, Borrow and Furnished Excavation (IDOT 2016). The fill material should be free of organic matter and debris and should be placed in lifts and compacted according to Section 205, Embankment (IDOT 2016). Backfill materials must be pre-approved by the Resident Engineer.

#### **5.4 Earthwork Operations**

The required earthwork can be accomplished with conventional construction equipment. Moisture and traffic will cause deterioration of exposed subgrade soils. Precautions should be taken by the Contractor to prevent water erosion of the exposed subgrade. A compacted subgrade will minimize water runoff erosion.

Earth moving operations should be scheduled to not coincide with excessive cold or wet weather (early spring, late fall or winter). Any soil allowed to freeze or soften due to the standing water should be removed. Wet weather can cause problems with subgrade compaction.

It is recommended that an experienced geotechnical engineer be retained to inspect the exposed subgrade, monitor earthwork operations, and provide material inspection services during the construction phase of this project.



#### 6.0 **QUALIFICATIONS**

The analysis and recommendations submitted in this report are based upon the data obtained from the borings drilled at the locations shown on the boring logs and in Exhibit 3. This report does not reflect any variations that may occur between the borings or elsewhere on the site, variations whose nature and extent may not become evident until the course of construction. In the event that any changes in the design and/or location of the structure are planned, we should be timely informed so that our recommendations can be adjusted accordingly.

It has been a pleasure to assist Stantec, HBM Engineering Group, LLC, and the Illinois Department of Transportation on this project. Please call if there are any questions, or if we can be of further service.

Respectfully Submitted,

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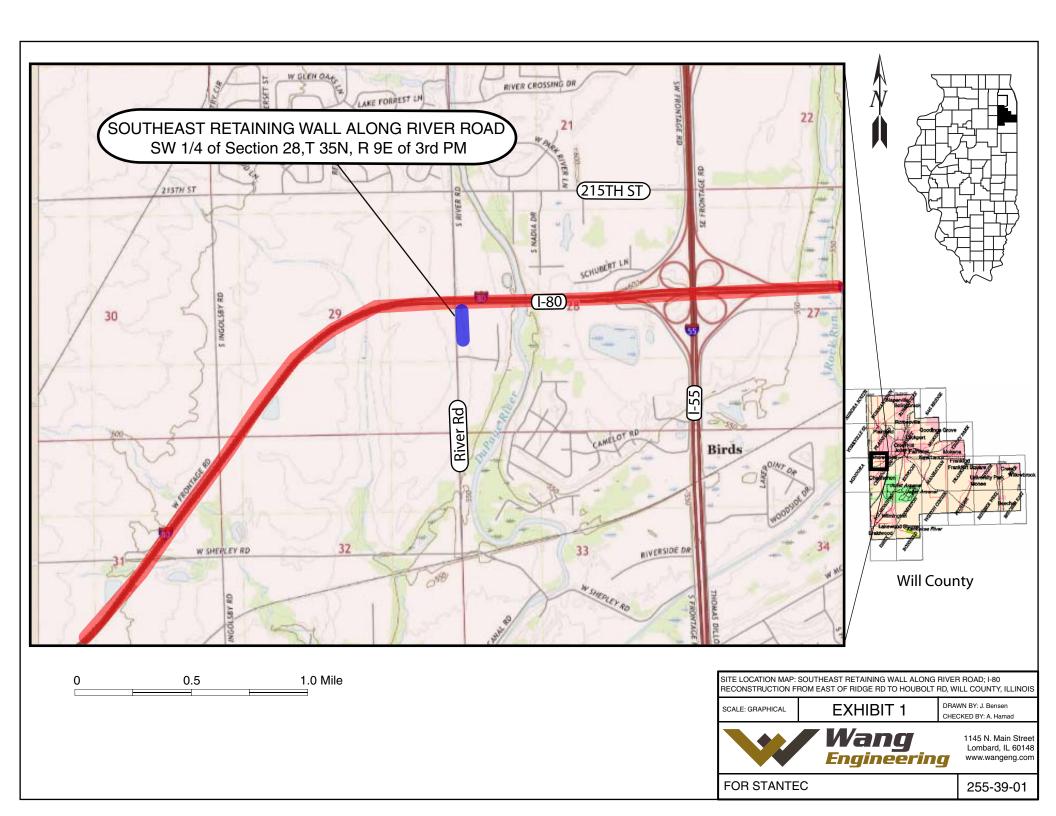


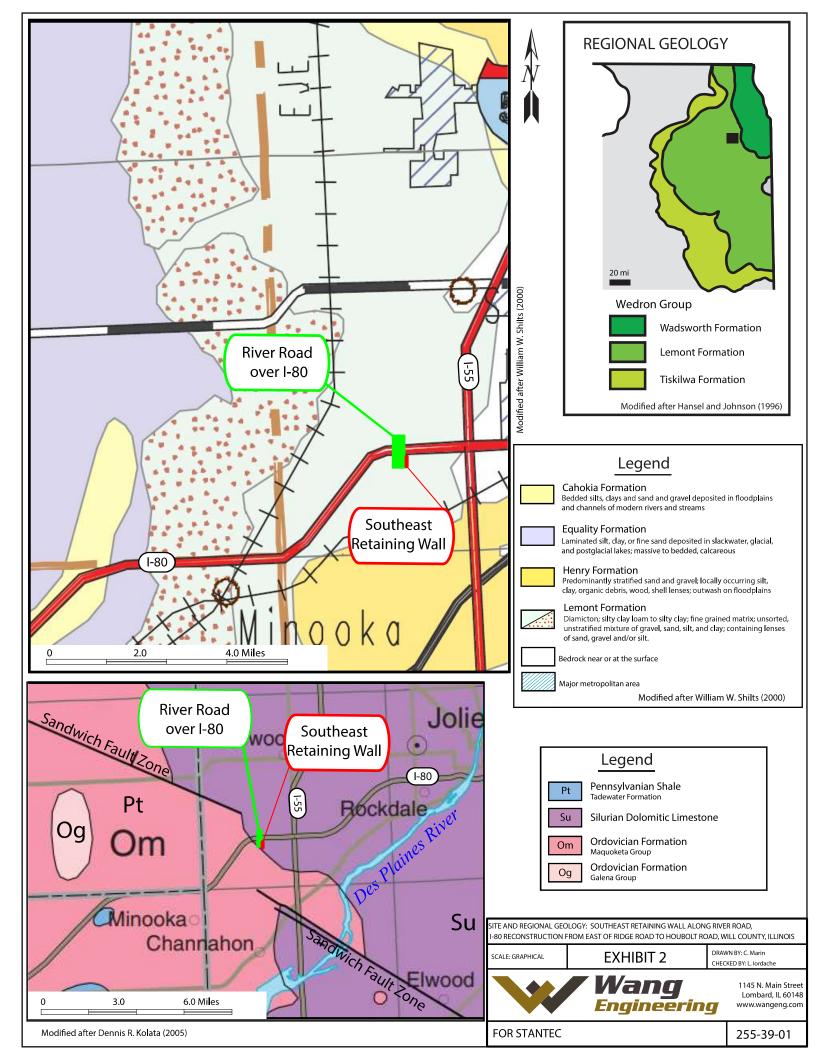
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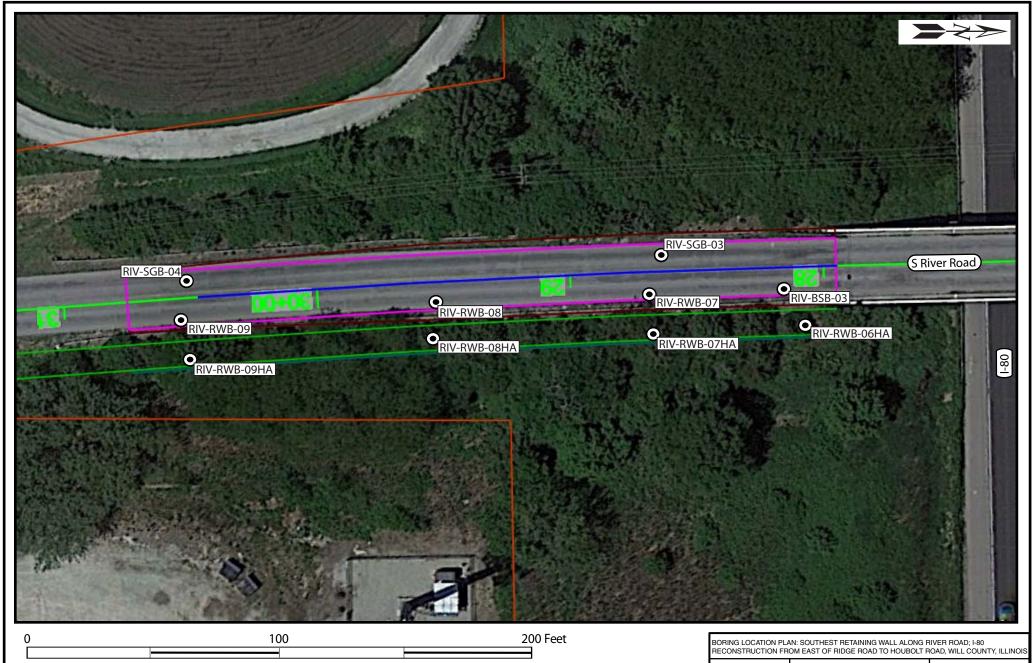
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# **EXHIBITS**







Legend

Boring Location

SCALE: GRAPHICAL

**EXHIBIT 3** 

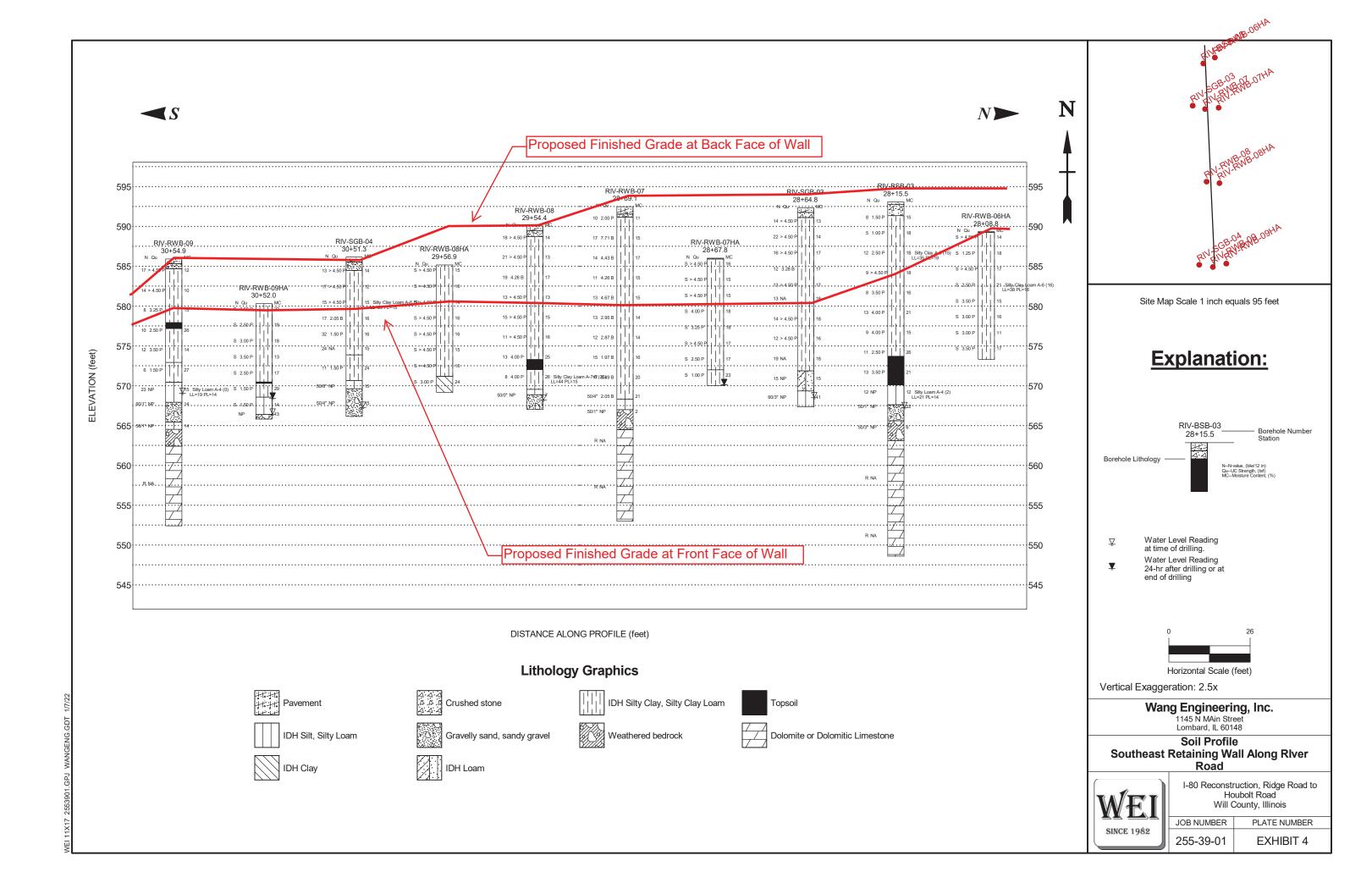
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# **APPENDIX A**



# **BORING LOG RIV-BSB-03**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec

Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD 88 Elevation: 593.11 ft North: 1755103.18 ft East: 1016269.75 ft Station: 28+15.5 Offset: 8.3 LT

	Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND R DESCRIPT	0.3	Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)	Profile	Elevation (ff)	DESCRIPTION  Somple Type Recovery (ft) Sample Type Recovery (ft) Shall (st) (ft) (ft) Shall (st) (ft) (ft) Moisture	Content (%)				
	11.1. 4.4.		h thick ASPHAL		Sa	Š	S C		- ŏ		567.	7.6%Gravel=11.2 %Sand=25.4 \(\sqrt{7}\)					
	4.4. 1111		e and gray SANI VEL; damp AGGREG	DY /-		1	5 4	1.50	15		565.	%Sitt=55.9	12				
		SILT	to hard, brown a Y CLAY to SILT` M, trace gravel; o	nd gray Y CLAY			2 2	1.00	18			brown SANDY GRAVEL: wet	6				
				FILL <sub>5_</sub> RDR 2-3	1	2	3	P P	10		563.	rig chatter, 27.5 ft; possible					
			% %	, P <sub>L</sub> (%)=19 Gravel=0.8 6Sand=5.6		3	2 3 9	2.50 P	18	/ / / /	- - - - -	Very dense, brown and reddish brown, weathered dolostone fragments; saturated					
				%Silt=59.9 6Clay=33.7 A-6 (15)		4	4 4	> 4.50	18	/ / / /		Weathered BEDROCK Strong, light greenish gray, very - poor to poor quality, _ DOLOSTONE; Moderately to					
				10_			5	P		/ / / /		closely spaced, highly weathered, <sup>35</sup> — 13 horizontal and vertical JOINTS, with <0.05 inch opening, slicken					
				-		5	3 4 4	3.50 P	16	/ / / /		to slightly rough walls, and <0.2 inch thick clay infillRUN 1: 30.0 to 40.0 feet					
				- 15		6	4 6 7	4.00 P	21	/ / / /		Recovery: 90% RQD: 8% Qu=6,081 psi					
		1	ig chatter; possil	ble cobbles		7	4 4 5	4.00 P	15	/ / / / / /		RUN 2: 40.0 to 44.5 feet Recovery: 81% RQD: 26%					
		•	stiff, black and g			8	3 5 6	2.50 P	26	7/ 7/ 7/	- <u>548.</u>	8.6  Boring terminated at 44.50 ft 45_					
2/13/21		trace	gravel; damp Buried	I TOPSOIL RDR 2		9	3 6 7	3.50 P	21								
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## **BORING LOG RIV-RWB-06HA**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec
Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD88 Elevation: 589.34 ft North: 1755110.12 ft East: 1016283.21 ft Station: 28+08.8 Offset: 21.9 LT

SPT Values (blw/6 in) Moisture Content (%) Moisture Content (%) Sample No Sample No SPT Value (blw/6 in) Elevation (ft) Elevation (ft) Profile Profile **SOIL AND ROCK** SOIL AND ROCK Qu (tsf) Qu (tsf) Sample Sample **DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION** 589.2Brown SANDY GRAVEL --FILL 4.50 14 S H Stiff to hard, brown and gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY LOAM, trace gravel; damp --FILL--18 1.25 U 4.50 17 --L<sub>1</sub>(%)=38, P<sub>1</sub>(%)=16----%Gravel=1.8--U S 2.50 21 --%Sand=19.5----%Silt=52.1----%Clay=26.6----A-6 (16)--3.50 15 3.00 16 Н 3.00 11 Н U 3.50 17 Ρ Boring terminated at 16.00 ft 20 2553901.GPJ WANGENG.GDT 12/13/21 **WATER LEVEL DATA GENERAL NOTES** ∑ **DRY** 11-30-2021 Complete Drilling 12-01-2021 Begin Drilling While Drilling Wang Testing Services Drill Rig Geoprobe HA DRY At Completion of Drilling **Drilling Contractor** WANGENGINC RH&AG Logger M. Rojo Checked by C. Marin Time After Drilling **Drilling Method** 1" ID HSA; boring backfilled upon completion Depth to Water The stratification lines represent the approximate boundary between soil types; the actual transition may be gradual.



# **BORING LOG RIV-RWB-07**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec
Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD 88 Elevation: 592.50 ft North: 1755049.72 ft East: 1016271.73 ft Station: 28+69.1 Offset: 8.8 LT

	Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth (ft) Sample Typ	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)	Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth	Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)
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		SIL			2	5 8 9	7.71 B	15	7 7 7 7 7 7	poo clo we and	rong, light grayish gray, ver or quality, DOLOSTONE; sely spaced, moderately eathered, horizontal, obliqued d vertical joints, with <0.05 sh opening, slightly rough v	very		12	CORE		
					3	5 6 8	4.43 B	17			d <0.2 inch thick sand infillRUN 1: 28.0 to 31.5 toRecovery: 8RQD:RUN 2: 31.5 to 39.5 to	eet 6%			CORE		
				10	4	4 5 6	4.26 B	15	/ / / / /		Recovery: 9 Recovery: 9 RQD:	4%		13			
					5	3 6 7	4.67 B	15	/ / / / /			- - - -	- - - - -				
				15	6	5 6 7	2.95 B	14	7	553.0 Bo	ring terminated at 39.50 ft	40_					
					7	4 6 6 -6	2.87 B	14				- - - -					
				20	\	6	1.97 B 5.49	16				45_ -					
ANGENG: GD1 12/13/.		568.3 Ve	ry dense, brown SILTY Lo	DAM, 25	10	7	B 2.05	21				- - - - 50					
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# **BORING LOG RIV-RWB-07HA**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec

Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD88 Elevation: 586.01 ft North: 1755051.25 ft East: 1016287.66 ft Station: 28+67.8 Offset: 24.8 LT

	Profile	SOIL AND ROCK does not	Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)	Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth (ft)	Sample Type	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)
•		583,9Brown SANDY GRAVELFILL Very stiff to hard, brown and gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY	- -	1	P U S H	> 4.50 P	16								
		LOAM, trace gravel; damp FILL	- - - -	2	P U S H	> 4.50 P	15								
		5_	- - - - - - -	3	P U S H	> 4.50 P	15								
			- - - -	4	P U S H	4.00 P	18								
		10_	- - -	5	P U S H	3.25 P	18								
			- - -	6	P U S H	> 4.50 P	17								
-		572.0	- - - -	7	P U S H	2.50 P	17								
		Stiff, brown and gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY LOAM, 15 trace gravel; moist to wet	- - - -	8	P U S H	1.00 P	23								
		Boring terminated at 16.00 ft	- - -												
		20_	- - -												
3/21			- - -												
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NGIN	Dri	00								Time After Drilling  Depth to Water	NA NA				
WANGE	Drilling Method 1" ID HSA; boring backfilled upon completion									Depth to Water  The stratification lines represent the approximate boundary between soil types; the actual transition may be gradual.					



# **BORING LOG RIV-RWB-08**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec

Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD88 Elevation: 590.05 ft North: 1754964.53 ft East: 1016273.57 ft Station: 29+54.4 Offset: 7.3 LT

Drofile	L Colle	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth (ft)	Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)	Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth (ft)	Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)
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			_AY to SILTY CLAY LOAM, ace gravel; damp FILL RDR 2			2	9 10 11	> 4.50 P	13				30 -					
				- - - - - -		3	7 7 12	4.26 B	17				- - - -					
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					- - - -	-												
		E72.2		15		6	4 5 6	> 4.50 P					40 <u></u> -					
		572.1	ard, black SILTY CLAY to LTY CLAY LOAM, trace gravel ad organic matterBURIED TOPSOIL		XI	7	4 6 7 3	4.00 P	25				- - - -	-				
		CL	ace gravel; damp to moist RDR 2 L <sub>L</sub> (%)=44, P <sub>L</sub> (%)=15	П		9	3 4 4 4	4.00 P NP	26 7				45 - - -	-				
WANGENGINC 2553901.GPJ WANGENG.GDT 12/13/21	L <sub>L</sub> (%)=44, P <sub>L</sub> (%)=15 %Gravel=2.2 %Sand=8.5 %Silt=60.6 %Clay=28.6 A-7-6 (26) Brown and gray SILTY LOAM to 25																	
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## **BORING LOG RIV-RWB-08HA**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec
Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NGVD Elevation: 585.18 ft North: 1754962.78 ft East: 1016288.59 ft Station: 29+56.9

Will County, Illinois Offset: 22.2 LT Fax: (630) 953-9938 SPT Values (blw/6 in) Moisture Content (%) Moisture Content (%) Sample No Sample No Elevation (ft) Elevation (ft) Profile Profile **SOIL AND ROCK** SOIL AND ROCK Sample <sup>-</sup> Qu (tsf) Qu (tsf) Sample **DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION** Very stiff to hard, brown and gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY 4.50 15 LOAM, trace gravel; damp S --FILL----RDR 2--4.50 16 U 4.50 14 U 4.50 16 4.50 16 4.50 15 S Р Н 4.50 15 Н Very stiff, black and gray CLAY to SILTY CLAY; damp U 3.00 24 Ρ Boring terminated at 16.00 ft 20 2553901.GPJ WANGENG.GDT 12/13/21 **WATER LEVEL DATA GENERAL NOTES** ∑ **DRY** 11-29-2021 Complete Drilling 11-29-2021 Begin Drilling While Drilling Wang Testing Services Drill Rig Geoprobe HA DRY At Completion of Drilling **Drilling Contractor** 

Time After Drilling

The stratification lines represent the approximate boundary between soil types; the actual transition may be gradual.

Depth to Water

Driller RH&AG Logger M. Rojo Checked by C. Marin

1" ID HSA; boring backfilled upon completion

**Drilling Method** 



# **BORING LOG RIV-RWB-09**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec

Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD 88 Elevation: 585.93 ft North: 1754864.40 ft East: 1016280.92 ft Station: 30+54.9 Offset: 8.8 LT

Profile	Flevation	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Sample Type recovery	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)	Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth (ft)	Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)
	:\ \_	White and gray SANDY GRAVEL; dampBASE COURSE Very stiff to hard, brown and gray SILTY CLAY		1	7 9 8	> 4.50 P	12		Str poo Clo	EDROCKauger refusal at 23.5 frong, light grayish gray, veror quality, DOLOSTONE; osely spaced, moderately athered, horizontal and vents, with <0.05 inch opening	y - - rtical -		10	E		
		LOAM, trace gravel; dampFILL 5RDR 2		2	3 6 8	> 4.50 P	10			ghtly rough walls, and no ir RUN 1: 23.5 to 33.5 Recovery: 9 RQD: 1	ifill eet <sub>30</sub> 1%					
		77.9 Very stiff, black SILTY CLAY to		3	3 4 <u>4</u>	3.25 P	15	/ / / /	552.4		- - -					
		SILTY CLAY LOAM, trace gravel  and organic matter BURIED TOPSOIL-10  Very stiff to hard (>4.50P), brown		4	4 5 <u>5</u>	2.50 P	26		Во	ring terminated at 33.50 ft	- 35_ -	-				
	       <u>57</u>	and gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY LOAM, trace gravel; dampRDR 2		5	5 5 7	3.50 P	14				- - - -	-				
	         <sub>57</sub>	Stiff, bluish gray and brown SILTY CLAY, trace gravel; moistRDR 2 15 70.4		6	3 3 3	1.50 P	27				- - 40_	-				
	56	Medium dense, brown SILTY  LOAM, trace gravel; saturated RDR 2 L <sub>L</sub> (%)=19, P <sub>L</sub> (%)=14 %Gravel=13 7		7	4 4 19	NP	15				- - -	-				
		%Gravel=13.7 %Sand=24.6 %Silt=54.3 %Clay=7.4 A-4 (0)		8	60/1"	NP	14				- - - 45_					
GDT 12/13/21	56	Very dense, brown GRAVEL; RDR 2-3 rig chatter; possible cobbles  Very dense, white and gray  22 *SILTY LOAM, trace gravel			- - - -	-										
WANGENGINC 2553901.GPJ WANGENG.C	7 7 7	White and gray WEATHERED		50_												
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# **BORING LOG RIV-RWB-09HA**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec

Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD88 Elevation: 580.31 ft North: 1754868.40 ft East: 1016296.74 ft Station: 30+52.0 Offset: 24.9 LT

Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth (ft)	recovery Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)	Profile	Elevation (ft)	SOIL AND F	(	(ft) Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)
	(	Very stiff, brown and gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY LOAM, trace gravel; damp FILL		1	P U S H	3.50 P										
		RDR 2	· -    	2	P U S H	2.50 P	19									
			5_	3	P U S H	3.00 P	18									
			- - - - - - -	4	P U S H	3.50 P	13									
	570.5 570.3	Black SILTY CLAY to SILTY	10	5	P U S H	2.50 P	17									
	568.6	CLAY LOAM, trace gravelBURIED TOPSOIL Stiff, bluish-green gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY LOAM,	/ -    -   <u> </u>	6	P U S H	1.50 P	29									
9711	566.4	trace gravel; dampRDR 2 Stiff. brown and gray SILTY	/ <del>-</del>   -   <del>   </del>	7	P U S H	1.50 P NP	14									
221 V		LOAM to SILTY CLAY LOAM, trace gravel; damp RDR 2 Brown SANDY GRAVEL; wet	1/5													
		Weathered BEDROCK spoon refusal Boring terminated at 14.50 ft														
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**Drilling Method** 

## **BORING LOG RIV-SGB-03**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec
Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD 88 Elevation: 592.36 ft North: 1755053.60 ft East: 1016257.18 ft Station: 28+64.8 Offset: 5.4 RT

SPT Values (blw/6 in) Moisture Content (%) Moisture Content (%) Sample No SPT Value (blw/6 in) Sample No Elevation (ft) Elevation (ft) Profile Profile **SOIL AND ROCK** SOIL AND ROCK Qu (tsf) Sample <sup>-</sup> Qu (tsf) Sample **DESCRIPTION DESCRIPTION** 7-inch thick ASPHALT --PAVEMENT--Gray and white SANDY 591.1GRAVEL; damp 8 --AGGREGATE BASE-4.50 16 7 5 Very stiff to hard, brown and gray 4.50 13 Р SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY 7 LOAM, trace gravel; damp 8 --FILL----RDR 2--10 11 4.50 14 11 9 NA 18 6 Medium dense, brown and gray 7 LOAM, trace gravel; moist 4.50 17 9 --FILL--Ρ 7 --RDR 2--10 NP 15 8 7 6 3.28 17 Very dense, brown SILTY LOAM, 6 trace gravel; wet to saturated 5 --RDR 2--NΡ 11 9 5 60/3" 7 10 25 17 4.50 6 Boring terminated at 24.75 ft Ρ 7 3 5 NA 18 2553901.GPJ WANGENG.GDT 12/15/2 4.50 6 18 Ρ **WATER LEVEL DATA GENERAL NOTES** ∑ 24.00 ft 11-22-2021 11-22-2021 Begin Drilling Complete Drilling While Drilling Wang Testing Services Drill Rig 20CME55T[81%] DRY **Drilling Contractor** At Completion of Drilling RR&AG Logger M. Rojo Checked by C. Marin Time After Drilling

Depth to Water

The stratification lines represent the approximate boundary between soil types; the actual transition may be gradual.

2.25" ID HSA; boring backfilled upon completion



# **BORING LOG RIV-SGB-04**

WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Client Stantec

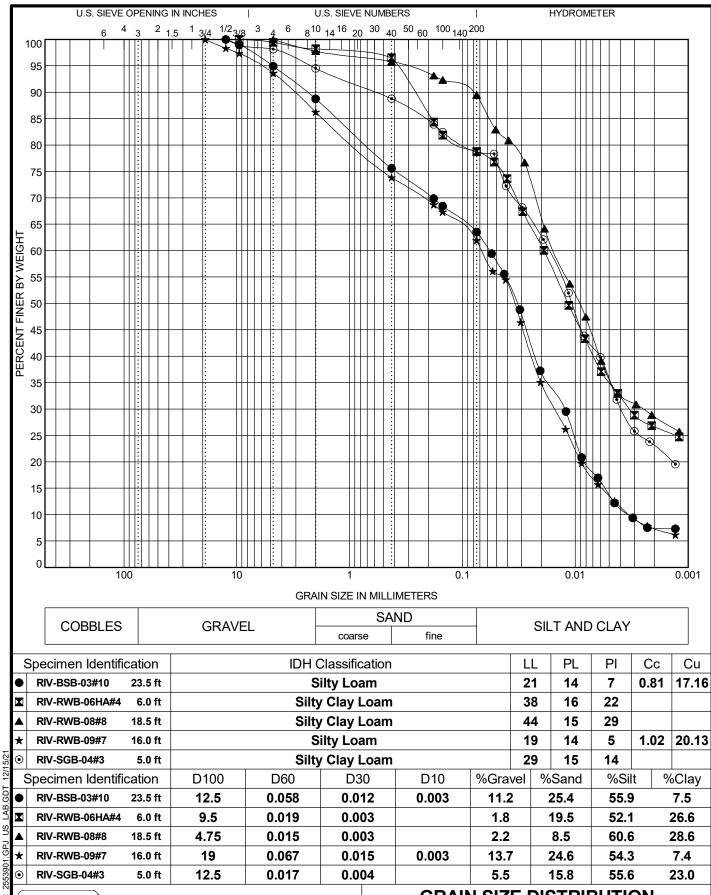
Project I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road
Location Will County, Illinois

Datum: NAVD 88 Elevation: 586.14 ft North: 1754867.01 ft East: 1016264.92 ft Station: 30+51.3 Offset: 7.2 RT

i	Profile	SOIL AND ROCK date of the day of	Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)	Profile	SOIL AND ROCK DESCRIPTION	Depth (ft) Sample Type	Sample No.	SPT Values (blw/6 in)	Qu (tsf)	Moisture Content (%)
**************************************		7-inch thick ASPHALT  585.6PAVEMENT-  Medium dense, gray and white SANDY GRAVEL  584.5BASE COURSE-  Stiff to hard, brown and gray SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY LOAM, trace gravel; dampFILL-		1	13 7 6 7	> 4.50 P	14		Very dense, brown SILTY LOAM to SILTY CLAY LOAM; moistRDR 2 Very dense, brown and gray GRAVEL to SANDY GRAVEL; moist to saturatedRDR 2		8	5 50/6"	NP	15
		RDR 2 - - - 5_	-	2	4 7 10 11	> 4.50 P	12		5.1	20	9	*50 <u>/</u> 4"	NP	15
		L <sub>L</sub> (%)=29, P <sub>L</sub> (%)=15 %Gravel=5.5 %Sand=15.8 %Silt=55.6 %Clay=23.0- A-6 (9)		3	7 8 7 9	> 4.50 P	15		Boring terminated at 20.00 ft					
		- - -		4	5 8 9 10	2.05 B	16							
       		- - 10_ -		5	20 21 11 9	1.50 P	16			_ _ 25				
		573.9 Stiff, gray and brown SILTY CLAY to SILTY CLAY LOAM,		6	10 13 11	NA	15							
WANGENGINC 2553901.GPJ WANGENG.GDT 12/15/21		trace gravel; damp to moistRDR 2		7	3 2 9	1.50 P	24			30_				
GPJ		GENERAL N	OT	ES		l			WATER LE	/EL [	_ DAT	Ά		
53901.	Begin Drilling 11-23-2021 Complete Drilling 11-23-2021											00 ft		
C 25£		lling Contractor Wang Testing Serv									D	RY		
NGIN	Dril				Che									
VANGE	Dril	lling Method 2.25" ID HSA; boring b	ack	tille	d up	on co	ompl	etio	Depth to Water  The stratification lines represent the between soil types; the actual transi	approxin	nate b	oundary	,	



# APPENDIX B





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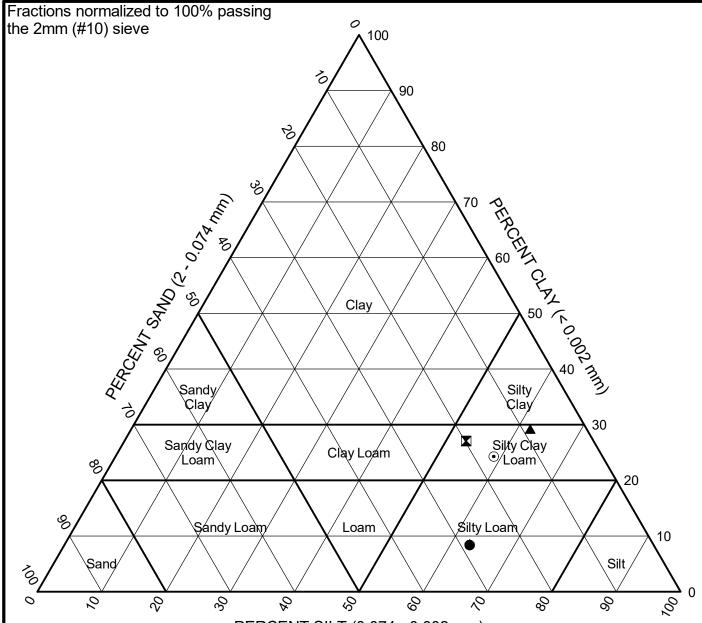
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## **GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION**

Project: I-80 Reconstruction, Ridge Road to Houbolt Road

Location: Will County, Illinois

Number: 255-39-01



			Sand	Silt	Clay	Classification					
	Sample	Depth (ft)	(%)	(%)	(%)	IL DOT	AASHTO	ASTM			
•	IV-BSB-03#1	0 23.5	28.6	63.0	8.4	Silty Loam	A-4 (2)	CL-ML			
K/	-RWB-06HA	#4 6.0	19.9	53.1	27.1	Silty Clay Loam	A-6 (16)	CL			
<b>≜</b> R	IV-RWB-08#	8 18.5	8.7	62.0	29.2	Silty Clay Loam	A-7-6 (26)	CL			
₩	IV-RWB-09#	7 16.0	28.5	62.9	8.6	Silty Loam	A-4 (0)	CL-ML			
<b>⊙</b> F	IV-SGB-04#	3 5.0	16.7	58.8	24.3	Silty Clay Loam	A-6 (9)	CL			



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## **IDH Textural Classification Chart**

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### **Unconfined Compressive Strength of Intact Rock Core Specimens**

Project: I-80 Reconstruction

Client: Stantec
WEI Job No.: 255-39-01

Field Sample ID	Run #	Depth (ft)	Location	Sample Description	Before	th (in) After Capping	Diameter (in)	Total Load (lbs)	Total Pressure (psi)	Fracture Type*	Break Date	Tested By	Area (in²)
RIV-BSB-03	1	39.0	South Abutment	Dolostone	4.27	NA	2.05	20110	6081	3	11/18/21	MAC	3.31
RIV-RWB-09	1	25.5	Southeast Retaining Wall	Dolostone	4.14	NA	2.05	24620	7459	3	12/13/21	MAC	3.30

•	Fra	cture	· Ty	pes:
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Type 1 - Reasonably well-formed cones on both ends, less than 1 in. [25 mm] of cracking through caps;	
Type 2 - Well-formed cone on one end, vertical cracks running through caps, no well defined cone on other end;	
Type 3 - Columnar vertical cracking through both ends, no well-formed cones;	Prepared by:
Type 4 - Diagonal fracture with no cracking through ends; tap with hammer to distinguish from Type 1;	
Type 5 - Side fractures at top or bottom (occur commonly with unbonded caps);	
Type 6 - Similar to Type 5 but end of cylinder is pointed.	Checked by:

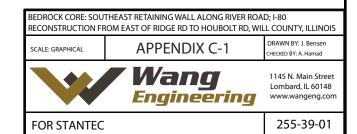


# APPENDIX C

### Run #1



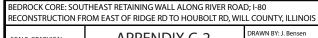
Boring RIV-RWB-07: Run #1, 28.0 to 31.5 feet, RECOVERY=86%, RQD=0%



Run #2



Boring RIV-RWB-07: Run #2, 31.5 to 39.5 feet, RECOVERY=94%, RQD=0%



**APPENDIX C-2** 

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Run #1



0 6 inches

Boring RIV-RWB-09: Run #2, 23.5 to 33.5 feet, RECOVERY=91%, RQD=12% BEDROCK CORE: SOUTHEAST RETAINING WALL ALONG RIVER ROAD; I-80 RECONSTRUCTION FROM EAST OF RIDGE RD TO HOUBOLT RD, WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

SCALE: GRAPHICAL

**APPENDIX C-3** 

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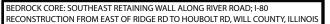
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Run #1



0 6 inches

Boring RIV-BSB-03: Run #1, 30.0 to 40.0 feet, RECOVERY=90%, RQD=8%



CALE: GRAPHICAL

**APPENDIX C-4** 

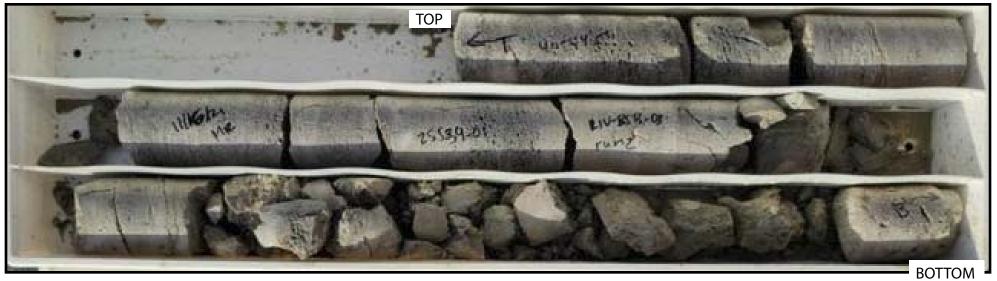
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Run #2



0 6 inches

Boring RIV-BSB-03: Run #2, 40.0 to 44.5 feet, RECOVERY=81%, RQD=26%



SCALE: GRAPHICA

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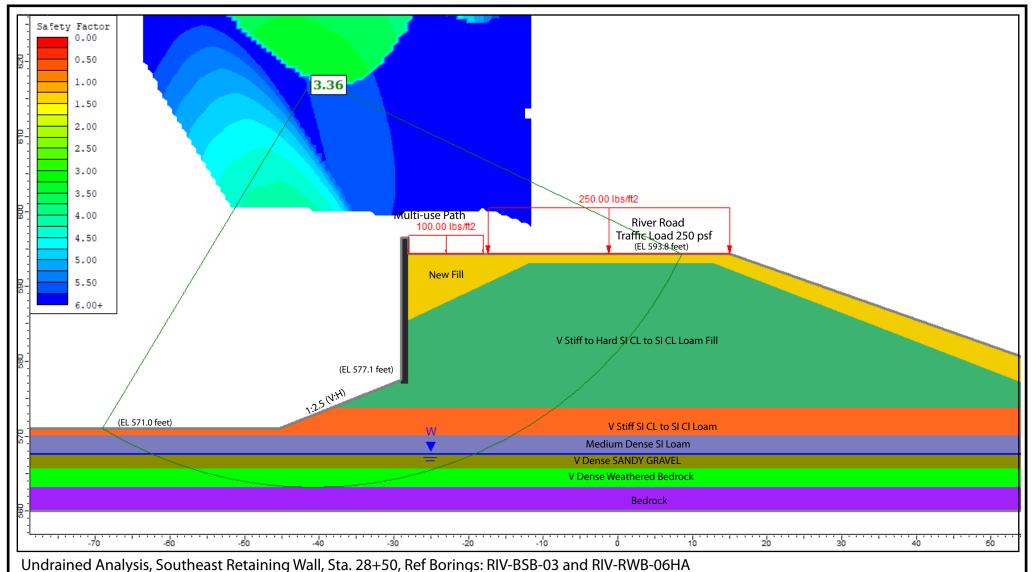
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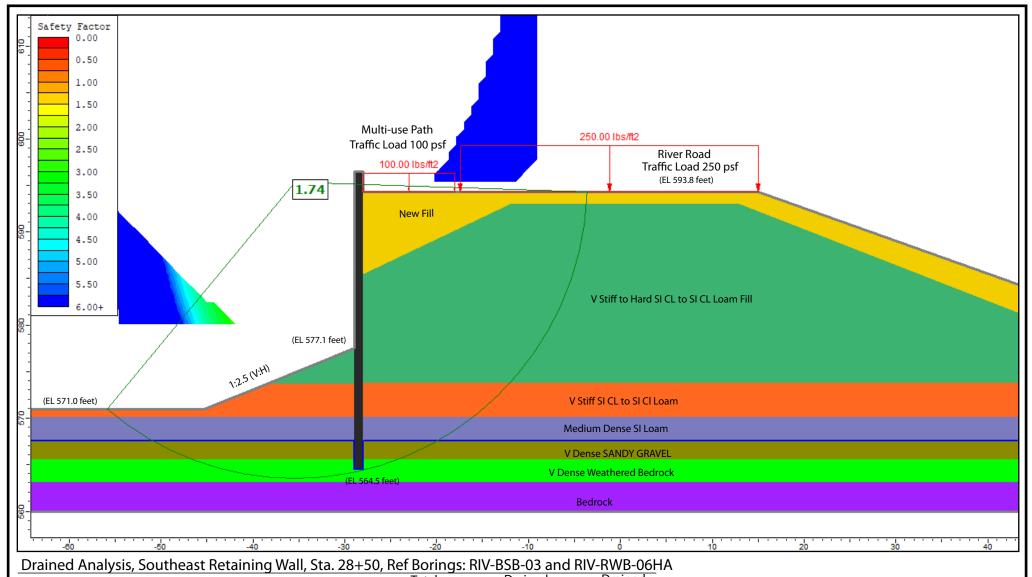


# APPENDIX D



Undrained	Analysis, Southeast Retaining Wall, Sta. 2	28+50, Ref Borings	: RIV-BSB-03 a	nd RIV-RWB-06H
Layer	Description	Total	Undrained	Undrained
ID	P	Unit Weight	Cohesion	Friction Angle
		(pcf)	(psf)	(degrees)
1	New Fill	125	1000	0
2	V Stiff to Hard SI CL to SI CL Loam Fill	120	2700	0
3	V Stiff SI CL to SI CL Loam	120	3500	0
4	M Dense SI Loam	120	0	30
5	V Dense Sa GRAVEL	125	0	35
6	V Dense Weathered Bedrock	130	0	35

	OUTHEAST REATINING WALL ALONG RIVER R OM EAST OF RIDGE RD TO HOUBOLT ROAD, N	
SCALE: GRAPHICAL	APPENDIX D-1	DRAWN BY: N. Balakumaran CHECKED BY: A. Hamad
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Drained Analysis, Southeast Retaining Wall, Sta. 28+50, Ref Borings: RIV-BSB-03 and RIV-RWB-06HA						
Layer	Description	Total	Drained	Drained		
ID	•	Unit Weight	Cohesion	Friction Angle		
		(pcf)	(psf)	(degrees)		
1	New Fill	125	100	30		
2	V Stiff to Hard SI CL to SI CL Loam Fill	120	100	30		
3	V Stiff SI CL to SI CL Loam	120	100	30		
4	M Dense SI Loam	120	0	30		
5	V Dense Sa GRAVEL	125	0	35		
6	V Dense Weathered Bedrock	130	0	35		

GLOBAL STABILITY: SOUTHEAST REATINING WALL ALONG RIVER ROAD; 1-80 RECONSTRUCTION FROM EAST OF RIDGE RD TO HOUBOLT ROAD, WILL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

SCALE: GRAPHICAL

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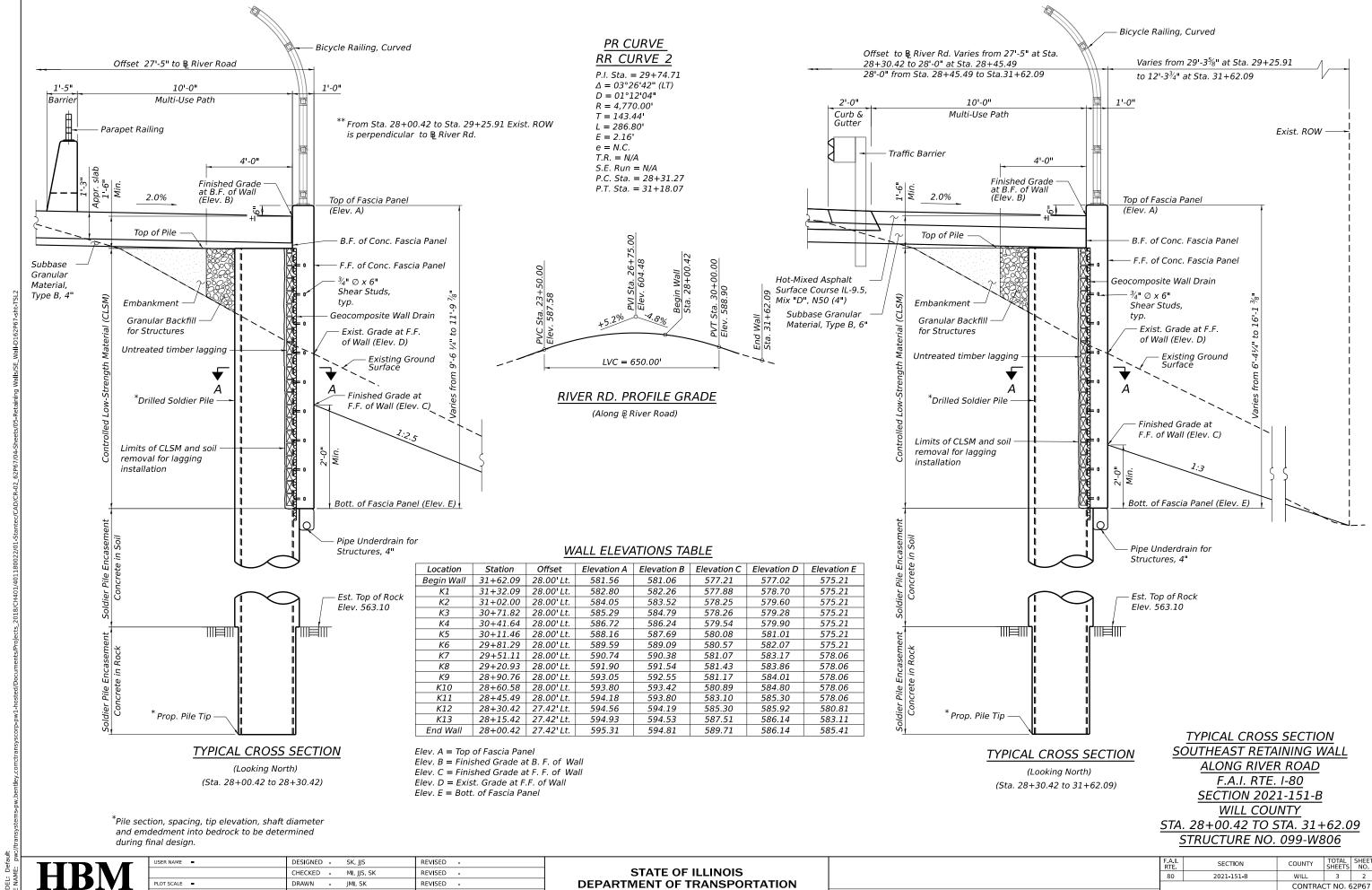
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# APPENDIX E

**DESIGN STRESSES DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS** HIGHWAY CLASSIFICATION Benchmark: Set 2" CWA Aluminum disc in concrete pier seat in southerly pier of River Road bridge on south side of eastbound I-80, Elev. 575.61 2020 AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design FIELD UNITS Existing Structure: None. Township Road 056-River Rd. F.A.I. Rte. 80 - I-80 Specifications, 9th Edition f'c = 3,500 psiFunctional Class: Local Road Functional Class: Interstate ADT: 1,750 (2019) ; 2,146 (2032) fy = 60,000 psi (Reinforcement) ADT: 57,400 (2019); 61,284 (2032) Traffic Control: Traffic will be detoured during construction. ADTT: 158 (2019); 194 (2032) fy = 50,000 psi (M270 Grade 50) Soldier Piles ADTT: 10,906 (2019); 11,644 (2032) DHV: 236 (2032) DHV: 6,741 (2032) Design Speed: 40 m.p.h. Design Speed: 70 m.p.h. Posted Speed: 30 m.p.h. Posted Speed: 70 m.p.h. 2-Way Traffic 2-Way Traffic \* Measured along F.F. of Wall Directional Distribution: 50-50 Directional Distribution: 50-50 \*\* Pile Section, spacing, tip elevation, shaft River Road o<u>ver</u> diameter and embedment into bedrock to I-80 Bridge be determined during final design S.N. 099-8304 360'-0" Soldier Plle Retaining Wall \*Total Length 90'-0" 90'-0" 90'-0" 45'-0" 45'-0" \*Exp. Jt. Spa. 3 Spaces at 30'-0" = 90'-0" 3 Spaces at 30'-0" = 90'-0" 3 Spaces at 30'-0" = 90'-0" *30'-0"* 3 Spaces at 15'-0" = 45'-0" \*Const. Jt. Spa. - End SE Ret. Wall - Sta. 28+45.49 Finished Grade at Elev. 594.18 Sta. 28+00.42 Sta. 29+81.29 B.F. of Wall (Elev. B) - Sta. 28+90.76 Elev. 595.31 Elev. 589.59 Elev. 593.05 Top of Fascia Panel (Elev. A) - Sta. 30+71.82 Begin SE Ret. Wall Elev. 585.29 Existing Grade at F.F. **LEGEND** Sta. 31+62.09 of Wall (Elev. D) Finished grade at F.F. Elev. 581.56 of Wall (Elev. C)\_ Soil Boring Exist. Aerial Line Elev. 583.1 Min. ·------ Prop. Fence Elev. 580.81 Bott. of Fascia Panel (Elev. E), typ. --- Exist. Guardrail - Est. Top of Rock Est. Top of Rock -Elev. 578.06 – Elev. 575.21 Elev. 563.10 Elev. 563.10 Prop. Guardrail \*\* Drilled Soldier Piles Exist. ROW **ELEVATION** River Road over I-80 Bridge (Looking at Front Face of Wall) Exist. Telephone S.N. 099-8304 Exist. Fiber Opti RIV-SGB-03 F.F. Front Face - ₿ & PGL River Road B.F. Back Face Increase RIV-SGB-04 29+00 30+00 RIV-RWB-08 RIV-BSB-03 RIV-RWB-07 Range 9E, 3rd P.M. 31+00RIV-RWB-09 Structure Location RIV-RWB-06HA RIV-RWB-08HA RIV-RWB-07HA B.F. of Retaining Wall ወ RIV-RWB-09HA 10 \ 10\_ -29 - 1 F.F. of Retaining Wall Drilled Soldier pile, End SE Ret. Wall Sta. 28+00.42 LOCATION SKETCH Offset 27.42' LT Sta. 31+62.09 Offset 28.00' LT GENERAL PLAN & ELEVATION SOUTHEAST RETAINING WALL ALONG RIVER ROAD NOTES: F.A.I. RTE. I-80 1. Stations and offsets are measured from the B of River Road to the front face of cast-in-place concrete facing. SECTION 2021-151-B 2. Wall to be built along straight chords between construction joints. **WILL COUNTY** 3. The Contractor shall exercise extreme caution during wall construction to make certain that the construction STA. 28+00.42 TO STA. 31+62.09 activities will not have detrimental effects on the adjacent utilities and other facilities. STRUCTURE NO. 099-W806 4. "K1" denotes wall kink point - Number 1. JSER NAME = DESIGNED - SK, JJS REVISED -SECTION STATE OF ILLINOIS REVISED -CHECKED - MI, JJS, SK 80 2021-151-B WILL 3 1 DRAWN - JMI, SK REVISED -**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION** CONTRACT NO. 62P67 SHEET 1 OF 3 SHEETS PLOT DATE = CHECKED - MI. IIS. SK REVISED -

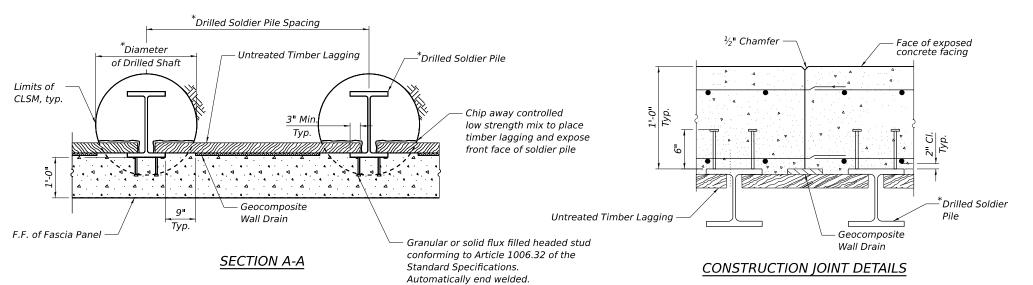


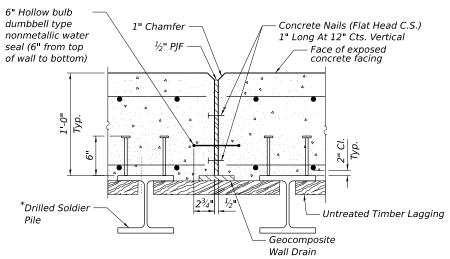
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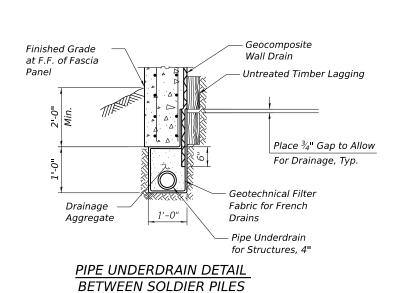
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**EXPANSION JOINT DETAILS** 

- Untreated Timber Lagging Limits of CLSM and soil removal for lagging installation Finished Grade at Place  $\frac{3}{4}$ " Gap to allow F.F. of Fascia for Drainage, Typ. Panel \*Drilled Soldier Drainage Aggregate Geotechnical Filter Fabric for French 1'-0" Drains Pipe Underdrain for Structures, 4" PIPE UNDERDRAIN DETAIL AT **SOLDIER PILE** 



\*Pile section, spacing, tip elevation, shaft diameter an embedment into bedrock to be determined during final design.

DRILLED SOLDIER PILE WALL DETAILS

SOUTHEAST RETAINING WALL

ALONG RIVER ROAD

F.A.I. RTE. I-80

SECTION 2021-151-B

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# APPENDIX F

