

## GENERAL NOTES

- RATE OF SLOPE DEPENDS ON GUARDRAIL LOCATION:
  - A. FOR GUARDRAIL FACE 2 FT. OR LESS FROM THE NORMAL EDGE OF PAVED SHOULDER, CONTINUE THE RATE OF SLOPE OF THE NORMAL PAVED SHOULDER TO THE BREAKPOINT.
  - B. FOR GUARDRAIL FACE MORE THAN 2 FT. FROM THE NORMAL EDGE OF THE PAVED SHOULDER, THE SLOPE SHALL BE 10:1 OR FLATTER.
- 2. WHEN SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS, EXTEND A 2 IN. MINIMUM THICKNESS PAVED SURFACE TO 1 FT. BEHIND THE GUARDRAIL POSTS OR TO THE EROSION CONTROL CURB AS SHOWN ON PLANS. ASPHALT CUTTING & PATCHING OR OTHER APPROVED METHOD SHALL BE USED TO MINIMIZE DAMAGE TO ALL PAVED SURFACES UNDER GUARDRAIL INSTALLATIONS. ALL REPAIRS TO THE PAVED AREA WILL NOT BE MEASURED AND PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE WORK. A MINIMUM 3 IN. THICK FIBER REINFORCED CONCRETE PAVEMENT MAY ALSO BE USED FOR PAVING BENEATH THE GUARDRAIL. INSTALL THE POST IN A 1/2 IN. OVERSIZED FORMED HOLE FOR GUARDRAIL RUNS AND TERMINALS AS DIRECTED. PAYMENT FOR THIS PAVED SURFACE WILL BE MADE UNDER A PAVEMENT OR CONCRETE PAY ITEM WITH QUANTITIES SHOWN ON THE PLANS.
- THE MINIMUM GUARDRAIL OFFSET FROM PAVED SHOULDER EDGE SHALL BE:

O FT. FOR SHOULDERS 8 FT. OR WIDER

2 FT. FOR SHOULDERS 6 FT. OR LESS

THE GUARDRAIL OFFSET FROM PAVED INSIDE SHOULDER EDGE OF A DIVIDED HIGHWAY SHALL BE; O FT. MINIMUM FOR SHOULDERS 6 FT. OR WIDER

2 FT. DESIRABLE FOR 4 FT. SHOULDERS

THE ABOVE 2 FT. GUARDRAIL TO SHOULDER OFFSET IS DESIRABLE BUT NOT REQUIRED FOR: A. FOR AN EXISTING HIGHWAY WITH A DESIGN SPEED LESS THAN 50 MPH, THE MINIMUM OFFSET IS 4 FT. FROM THE TRAVELED WAY.

- B. FOR A ONE-WAY ONE-LANE RAMP, AND WHERE ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING ARE TRUE:
  - (1) THE NON-OFFSET GUARDRAIL BEGINS AT LEAST 100 FT. BEYOND RAMP NOSE.
  - (2) THE NON-OFFSET GUARDRAIL IS NOT LOCATED ON THE RAMP EXIT OR ENTRANCE CURVE CONNECTION TO THE MAJOR HIGHWAY.
  - (3) THE RAMP SHOULDERS ARE 4 FT. OR WIDER.

USE OF GREATER THAN MINIMUM OFFSET DIMENSIONS IS ENCOURAGED TO MEET THE DESIRABLE GOAL OF PLACING THE GUARDRAIL AS FAR AS POSSIBLE FROM THE TRAVEL WAY, EVEN FOR SHORT DISTANCES, WHILE PROVIDING A SMOOTH CHANGE IN GUARDRAIL ALIGNMENT.

- IF 2 FT. CANNOT BE PROVIDED BETWEEN THE BACK OF THE GUARDRAIL POST AND THE BREAKPOINT, USE 7 FT. GUARDRAIL POSTS. REFER TO THE "RESTRICTIVE ROADSIDE INSTALLATION" DETAIL.
- WHEN SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS, INSTALL 4 IN. HIGH TYPE 6 CURB WITH ITS FACE AT OR BEHIND THE RAIL FACE. AS AN ALTERNATIVE WHEN SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS, INSTALL A 2 IN. x 6 IN. TREATED (AASHTO M 133) WOOD CURB. FASTEN WITH A 4 IN. LAG BOLT AND WASHER AT EACH WOOD POST, OR WITH A  $\frac{1}{4}$  IN. DIA. BOLT WITH WASHER AND NUT AT EACH STEEL POST IF THE 2 IN. x 6 IN. WOOD CURB IS SPECIFIED, IT WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE GUARDRAIL. IF APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER, A 2 IN. x 4 IN. TREATED WOOD CURB MAY BE SUBSTITUTED FOR THE 2 IN. x 6 IN. CURB AND SET ON TOP OF PAVEMENT SURFACE AND ATTACHED AS DESCRIBED ABOVE. NO SPLICING SHALL BE ALLOWED IN WOOD CURBS. ADJACENT BOARDS SHALL BE BUTTED TOGETHER AND BOLTED AT A POST LOCATION. JOINTS SHALL BE LOCATED AT THE POSTS.
- 6. SEE SHEET 7 FOR CURB TREATMENTS AT GUARDRAIL TERMINALS.
- 7. RESET GUARDRAIL IF THIS DIMENSION WILL BE LESS THAN 25 IN.
- ALL W-BEAM SPLICES, AND SPLICES OF TERMINAL CONNECTORS TO W-BEAM SHALL BE LAPPED IN THE DIRECTION OF TRAFFIC UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
- MATERIAL TYPE AND SHAPE OF POSTS AND BLOCKS SHALL BE THE SAME THROUGHOUT THE PROJECT EXCEPT WHEN SPECIFIC POSTS AND BLOCKS ARE SPECIFIED, i.e. AT END ANCHORAGES AND BOX CULVERTS.
- CONCRETE MAY BE READY-MIXED OR FIELD-MIXED AND SHALL CONSIST OF A MINIMUM OF 1 PART CEMENT TO 6 PARTS AGGREGATE BY VOLUME.

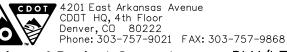
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NORMAL CENTER-TO-CENTER POST SPACING

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## STANDARD PLAN NO. **GUARDRAIL TYPE 3** W-BEAM

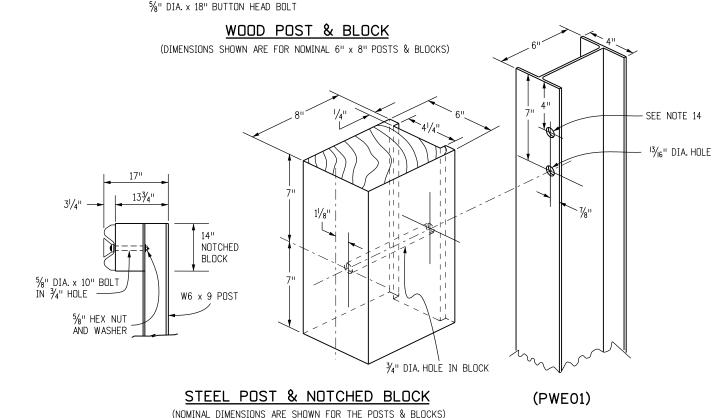
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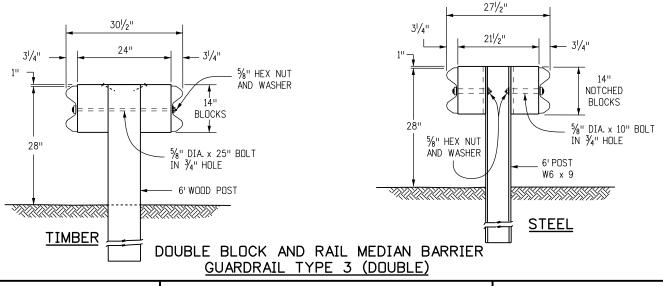
#### GENERAL NOTES (CONTINUED FROM SHEET 1)

- 11. WHEN SPECIFIED IN THE CONTRACT, 7 FT. POSTS SHALL BE INSTALLED INSTEAD OF THE STANDARD 6 FT. POSTS. THE 7 FT. POSTS SHALL BE MARKED WITH THE NUMBER 7 TO ENSURE PERMANENT INDENTIFICATION. STEEL POSTS SHALL BE STAMPED PRIOR TO GALVANIZING, THE NUMBER 7 SHALL BE A MINIMUM 2 IN. TALL AND LOCATED AS SHOWN ON THE ELEVATION VIEW ON SHEET 1.
- 12. THE STANDARD 3 IN. X 13/4 IN. X 3/6 IN. RECTANGULAR WASHER USED UNDER POST BOLT HEADS IN THE PAST MAY REMAIN IN EXISTING INSTALLATIONS BUT SHALL NOT BE USED IN NEW CONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS, OR RESETTING OF RAIL, EXCEPT WHEN SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFIED ON THE STANDARD PLAN.
- STANDARD GALVANIZED ROUND STEEL WASHERS SHALL BE USED UNDER ALL NUTS IN CONTACT WITH WOOD POSTS.
- 4. AN ADDITIONAL HOLE SHALL BE PROVIDED IN THE POSTS TO FACILITATE FUTURE RAISING OF THE RAIL ELEMENTS AND BLOCKS FOR OVERLAYS.
- 5. RETROREFLECTOR TABS SHALL BE INSTALLED AT 25 FT. INTERVALS
  (SEE SHEETS 6 AND 8 FOR EXCEPTIONS). RETROREFLECTOR TABS WILL
  NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE WORK.
  THE TABS SHALL BE MOUNTED SO THE BOLT SLOT FACES AWAY FROM
  TRAFFIC, AND THE RETROREFLECTOR SURFACE FACES THE APPROACHING
  TRAFFIC FOR ONE-WAY ROADS. FOR TWO-WAY ROADS, BOTH SIDES OF
  THE TABS SHALL BE RETROREFLECTIVE, SO THAT DELINEATION IS
  PROVIDED FOR BOTH DIRECTIONS OF TRAVEL. THE RETROREFLECTIVE
  SHEETING COLOR SHALL MATCH THE COLOR OF THE ADJACENT TRAVEL
  WAY EDGE LINE. SEE THE RETROREFLECTOR TAB DETAIL ON SHEET 3.
- 16. AT THE TIME OF INSTALLATION, WOOD POSTS OR BLOCKS WITH SEASONING CHECKS GREATER THAN 1/4 IN. SHALL NOT BE USED WHEN THE CHECK EXTENDS THE FULL LENGTH OF THE PIECE.
- WOOD BLOCKS SHALL BE CUT FROM THE SAME CROSS-SECTION, SPECIES, AND GRADE, AND SHALL RECEIVE THE SAME PRESERVATIVE TREATMENT AS THE POSTS WHEN WOOD POSTS ARE USED.
- 18. REFERENCES SUCH AS ΘΘΡDB01", ΘΘΡDE01", AND ΘΘΡWE01" IN THIS STANDARD PLAN SPECIFY HARDWARE DETAILS FROM ΘΘΑ GUIDE TO STANDARDIZED HIGHWAY BARRIER HARDWARE" PREPARED BY THE AASHTO-AGC-ARTBA JOINT COOPERATIVE COMMITTEE.
- 19. NOTCHED RAIL BLOCKS MANUFACTURED FROM SYNTHETIC MATERIAL WILL BE ACCEPTED AS ALTERNATIVES TO WOOD NOTCHED BLOCKS FOR USE WITH STEEL POSTS PROVIDED THAT THE BLOCKS HAVE RECEIVED FHWA APPROVAL AND ARE CERTIFIED AS IDENTICAL TO THE SPECIMENS USED FOR TESTING AND APPROVAL.

- 20. WOOD POSTS SHALL BE MADE OF TIMBER WITH AN EXTREME FIBER STRESS IN BENDING OF 1200 PSI STRESS GRADING AND POST DIMENSIONS SHALL CONFORM WITH THE RULES OF THE WEST COAST INSPECTION BUREAU, OR THE SOUTHERN PINE BUREAU, OR THE WESTERN WOOD PRODUCTS ASSOCIATION. TIMBER FOR POSTS SHALL BE EITHER ROUGH SAWN (UNPLANED) OR S4S (SURFACED FOUR SIDES) WITH NOMINAL DIMENSIONS INDICATED. ONLY ONE TYPE OF SURFACE FINISH SHALL BE USED FOR POSTS AND BLOCKS IN ANY ONE CONTINUOUS LENGTH OF GUARDRAIL.
- GLULAM POSTS AND BLOCKS WILL BE ACCEPTED AS ALTERNATIVES PROVIDED THAT THE SUPPLIED MATERIALS HAVE RECEIVED FHWA APPROVAL AND ARE CERTIFIED AS IDENTICAL TO THE SPECIMENS USED FOR TESTING AND APPROVAL.
- 22. PRESSURE TREATMENT OF POSTS AND BLOCKS SHALL CONFORM TO AASHTO M 133 EXCEPT THAT BLOCKS NEED NOT BE INCISED. PRESERVATION ASSAY RETENTION REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE ENGINEER. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CERTIFY THAT THE SPECIES AND GRADE MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CONTRACT.
- 23. W-BEAM AND THRIE-BEAM GUARDRAIL POSTS SHALL BE MANUFACTURED USING AASHTO M 270 (ASTM A 709) GRADE 36 STEEL UNLESS CORROSION RESISTANT STEEL IS REQUIRED, IN WHICH CASE THE POST SHALL BE MANUFACTURED FROM AASHTO M 270 (ASTM A 709) GRADE 50W STEEL. THE DIMENSIONS OF THE CROSS-SECTION SHALL CONFORM TO A W6 X 9 SECTION AS DEFINED IN AASHTO M 160 (ASTM A 6). W6 X 8.5 WIDE FLANGE STEEL POSTS ARE AN ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATIVE TO THE W6 X 9.
- 4. AFTER THE SECTION IS CUT AND ALL HOLES ARE DRILLED OR PUNCHED THE COMPONENT SHALL BE ZINC-COATED CONFORMING TO AASHTO M 111 (ASTM A 123) UNLESS CORROSION-RESISTANT STEEL IS USED. WHEN CORROSION-RESISTANT STEEL IS USED THE PORTION OF THE POST TO BE EMBEDDED IN SOIL SHALL BE ZINC-COATED CONFORMING TO AASHTO M 111 (ASTM A 123) AND THE PORTION ABOVE THE SOIL SHALL NOT BE ZINC-COATED, PAINTED OR OTHERWISE TREATED.
- 25. FIELD MODIFICATION TO RAIL ELEMENTS ONLY IS ALLOWED BY SAWING AND DRILLING OF HOLES. FLAME CUTTING IS NOT PERMITTED. POSTS SHALL NOT BE MODIFIED. COMPONENTS ON WHICH THE SPELTER COATING HAS BEEN DAMAGED SHALL BE EITHER REGALVANIZED OR RECOATED IN CONFORMANCE WITH AASHTO M 36, OR PAINTED WITH ONE FULL BRUSH COAT OF ZINC RICH PAINT CONFORMING TO MILITARY SPECIFICATION DOD-P-21035A.



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191/4"

16"

%" DIA. x 18" BOLT

REFLECTOR TAB

(SEE NOTE 15)

ÍN ¾" HOLE

TWO 16d GALV.

BI OCK

5/4" HEX NUT

AND WASHER

WOOD POST

NAILS (TYPICAL)

SPLICE LAP

5/4" HEX NUT

AND WASHER

SEE NOTE 14

¾" DIA. HOLE

6' WOOD POST

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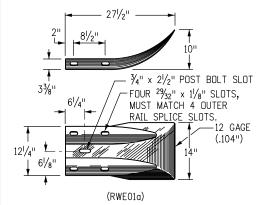
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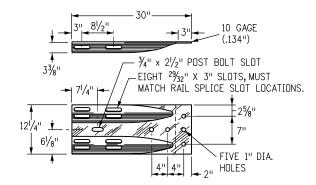
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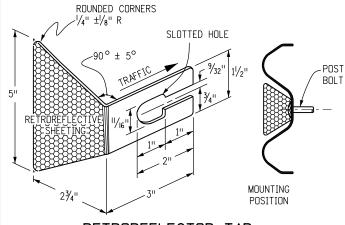
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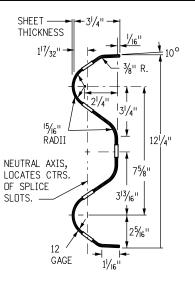


#### TERMINAL SECTION (CONNECTOR)



#### RETROREFLECTOR TAB

RETROREFLECTOR TABS SHALL BE MANUFACTURED FROM 12 TO 14 GAUGE STEEL. RETROREFLECTIVE SHEETING SHALL CONFORM TO ASTM D4956 TYPE III. SEE NOTE 7 ON SHEET 6.

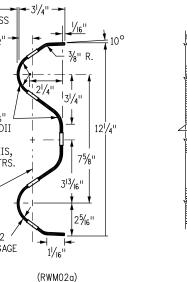


W-BEAM RAIL SECTION

41/411/41/4

3¾"**.**▼

75/8"



FIVE 1" DIA. HOLES

EXTRA HOLES PERMITTED

 $\sim \frac{3}{4}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " POST BOLT SLOT (OPTIONAL)

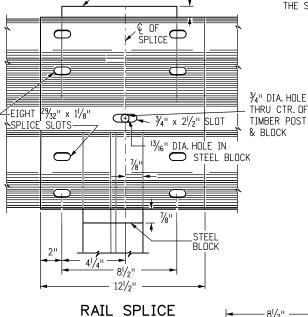
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SHALL MATCH RAIL SPLICE SLOT LOCATIONS.

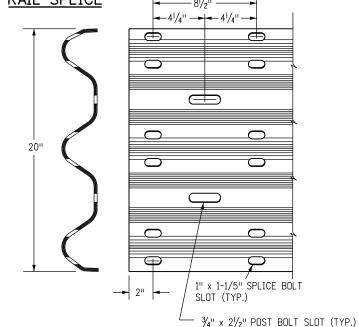
BUTTON HEAD BOLT

WITH OVAL SHOULDER

THRIE BEAM

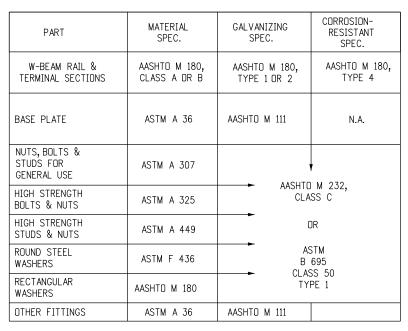
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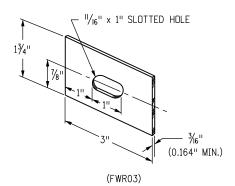
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THE SPLICE LAP SHOWN



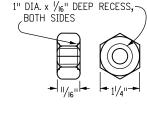
THE TABULATION OF GUARDRAIL WILL SPECIFY THE TYPE OF CORROSION PROTECTION: GALVANIZED OR CORROSION - RESISTANT

STEEL POSTS SHALL HAVE THE SAME CORROSION PROTECTION AS SPECIFIED FOR THE METAL BEAM RAIL. PUNCHING, DRILLING, CUTTING, OR WELDING OF POSTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED AFTER GALVANIZING.



#### RECTANGULAR WASHER (TO BE USED ONLY WHERE SPECIFIED.)

### THRIE BEAM DETAIL



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-	/16"	11/4"	

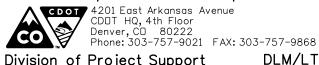
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	5/8	11/4	FULL (1 1/32)	ALL RAIL SPLICES	FBB01	8 PER SPLICE*		
	BUTTON HEAD							
	OVAL	18	MIN. 21/2	SINGLE BLOCK & POST (TIMBER)	FBB04	1 PER POST		
	SHLDR.	25	MIN. 2	DOUBLE BLOCK & POST (TIMBER)	FBB05	1 PER POST		
		10	MIN. 2	FASTEN NOTCHED BLOCK TO STEEL POST	FBB03	1 PER BLOCK		
	* WASHERS NOT USED AT RAIL SPLICES							

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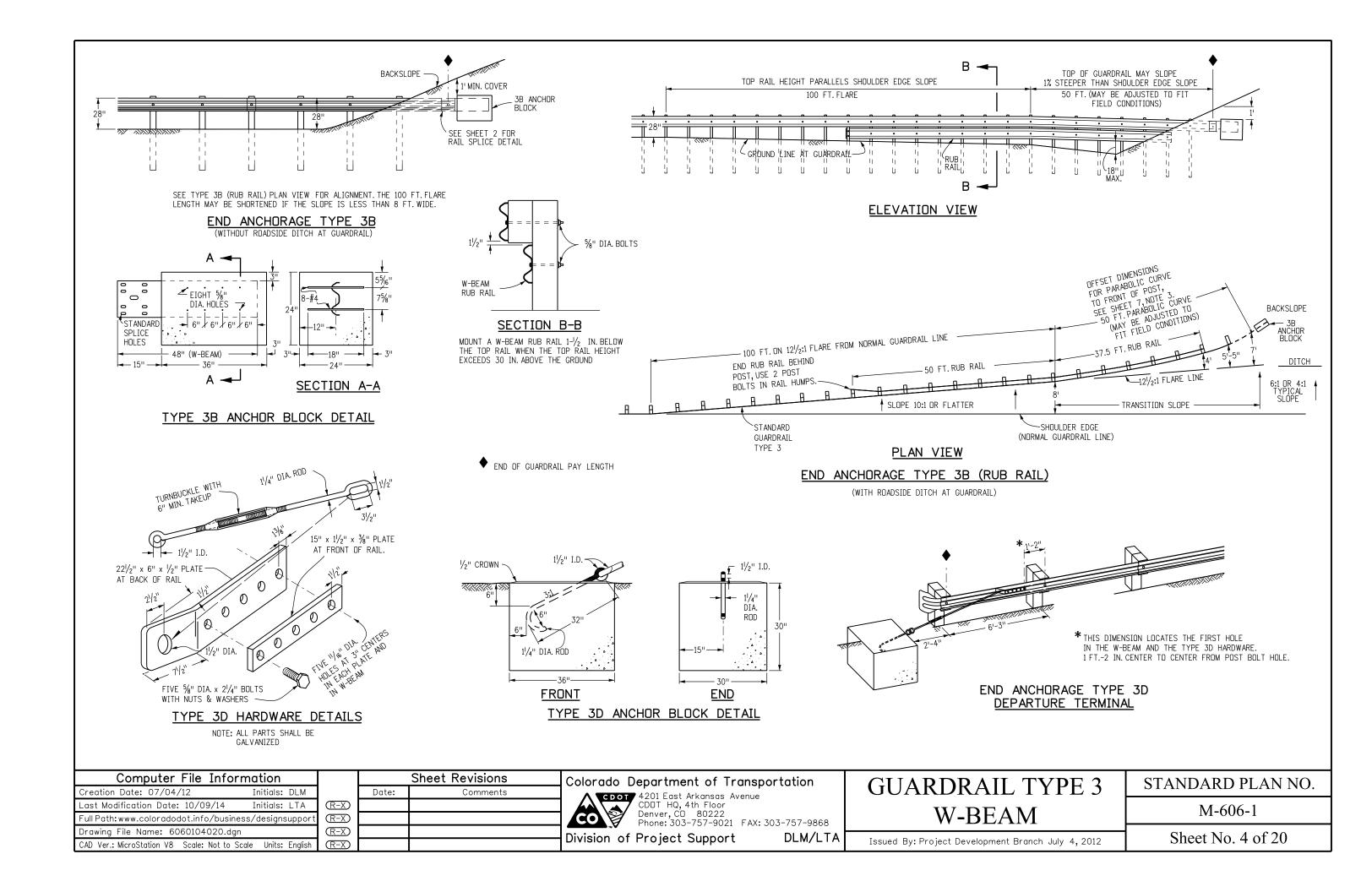
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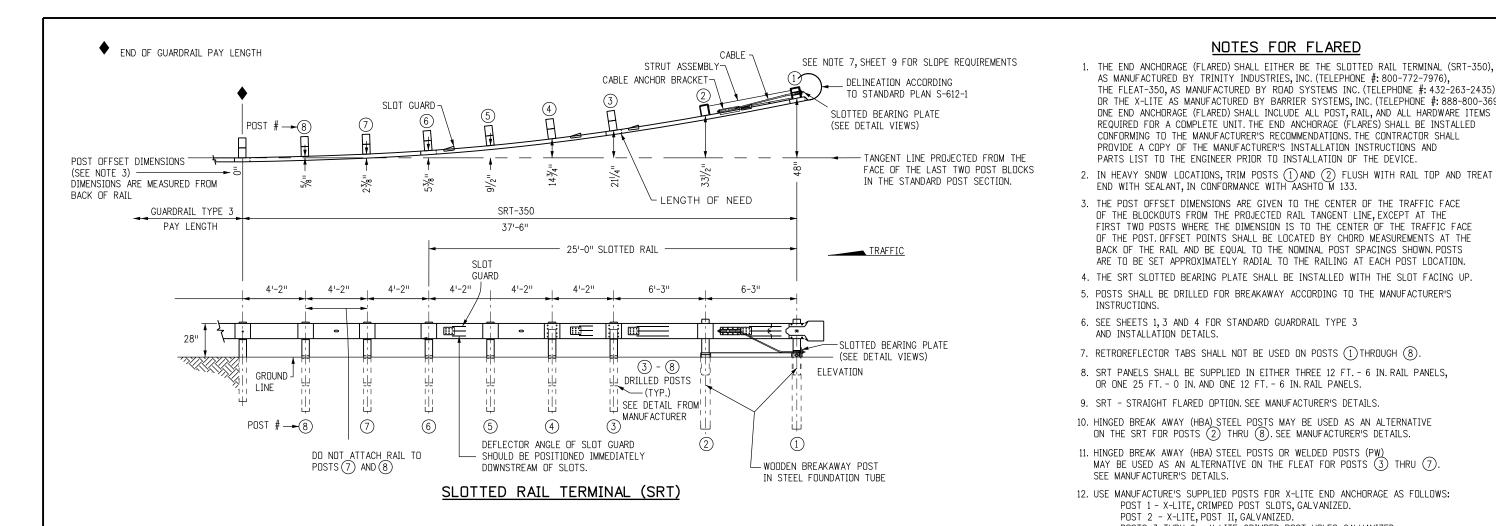
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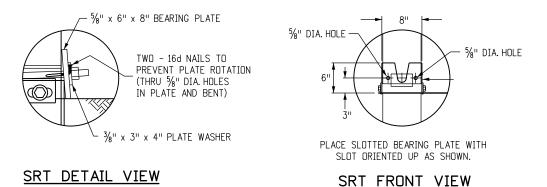
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## END ANCHORAGE (FLARED)

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NOTES FOR FLARED

THE FLEAT-350, AS MANUFACTURED BY ROAD SYSTEMS INC. (TELEPHONE #: 432-263-2435),

ONE END ANCHORAGE (FLARED) SHALL INCLUDE ALL POST, RAIL, AND ALL HARDWARE ITEMS

REQUIRED FOR A COMPLETE UNIT. THE END ANCHORAGE (FLARÉS) SHALL BE INSTALLED

CONFORMING TO THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS AND

OF THE BLOCKOUTS FROM THE PROJECTED RAIL TANGENT LINE, EXCEPT AT THE

FIRST TWO POSTS WHERE THE DIMENSION IS TO THE CENTER OF THE TRAFFIC FACE OF THE POST. OFFSET POINTS SHALL BE LOCATED BY CHORD MEASUREMENTS AT THE

BACK OF THE RAIL AND BE EQUAL TO THE NOMINAL POST SPACINGS SHOWN. POSTS

ARE TO BE SET APPROXIMATELY RADIAL TO THE RAILING AT EACH POST LOCATION.

PARTS LIST TO THE ENGINEER PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OF THE DEVICE.

END WITH SEALANT, IN CONFORMANCE WITH AASHTO M 133.

OR ONE 25 FT. - O IN. AND ONE 12 FT. - 6 IN. RAIL PANELS.

POST 1 - X-LITE, CRIMPED POST SLOTS, GALVANIZED.

POST 2 - X-LITÉ, POST II, GALVANIZED.

FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE WORK.

MAY BE USED AS AN ALTERNATIVE ON THE FLEAT FOR POSTS (3) THRU (7).

POSTS 3 THRU 6 - X-LITÉ, CRIMPED POST HOLES, GALVANIZED. 13. DELINEATION SHALL BE APPLIED TO THE END PIECE, AND SHALL NOT BE PAID

INSTRUCTIONS.

AND INSTALLATION DETAILS.

SEE MANUFACTURER'S DETAILS.

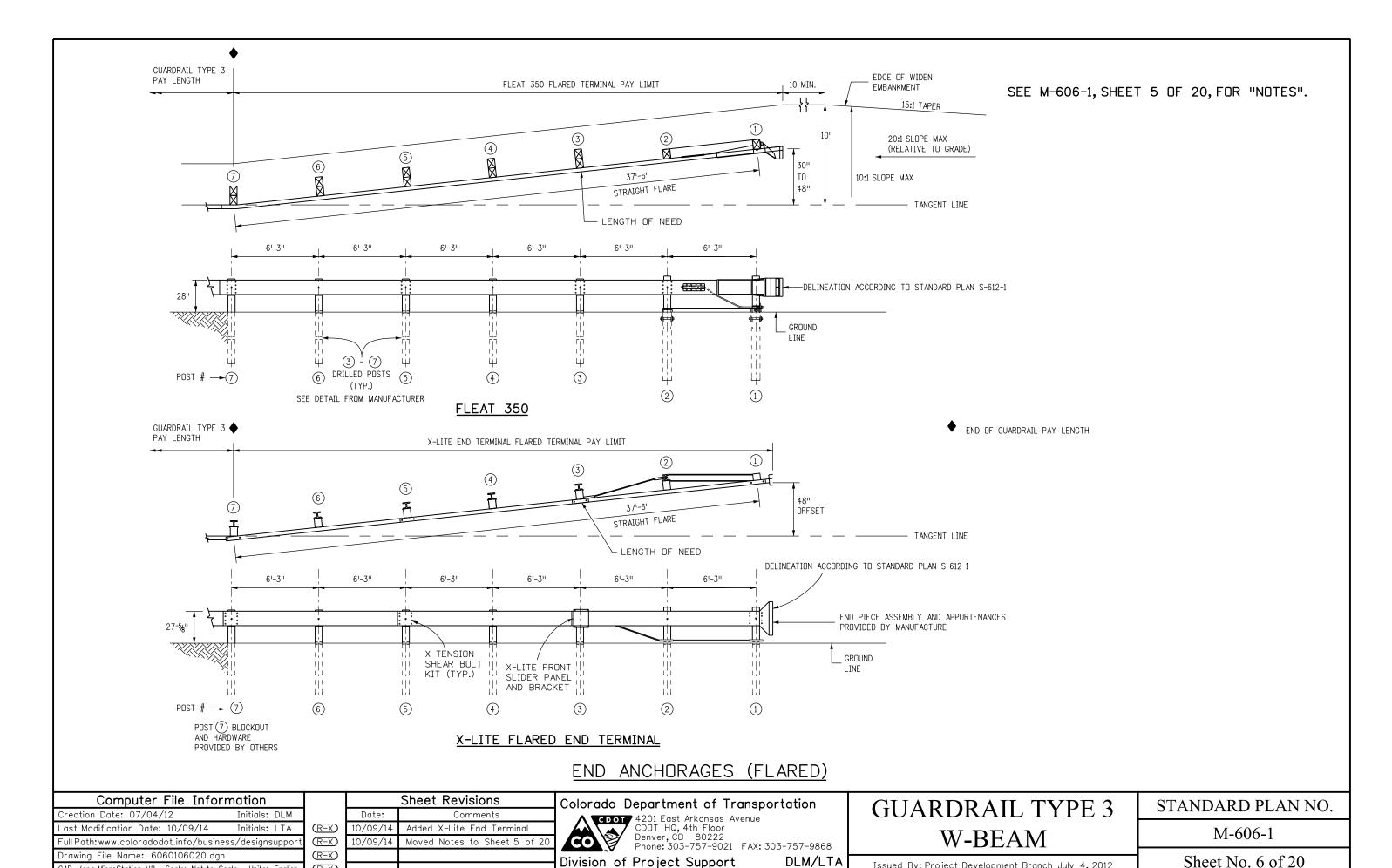
OR THE X-LITE AS MANUFACTURED BY BARRIER SYSTEMS, INC. (TELEPHONE #: 888-800-3691).

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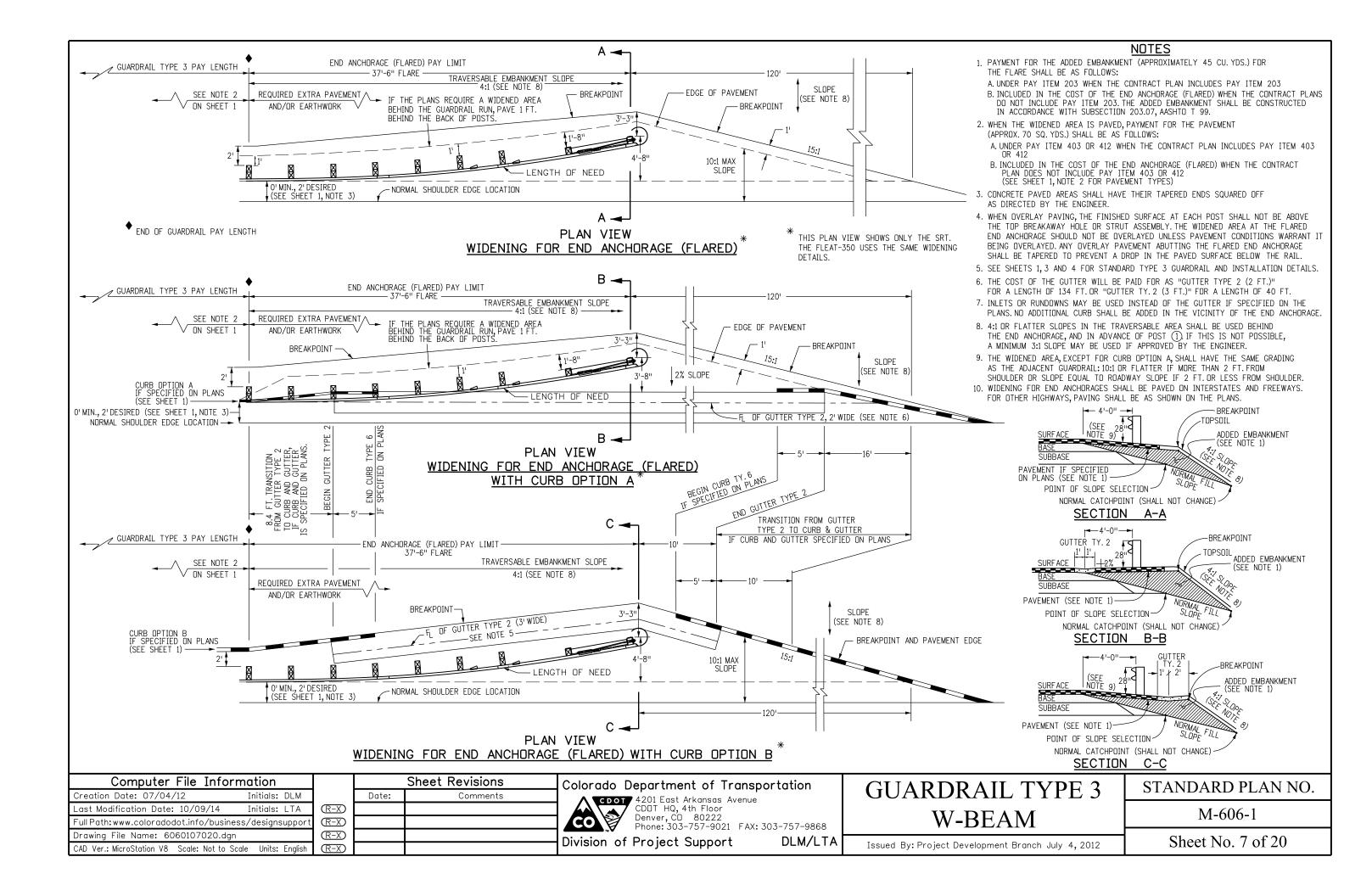
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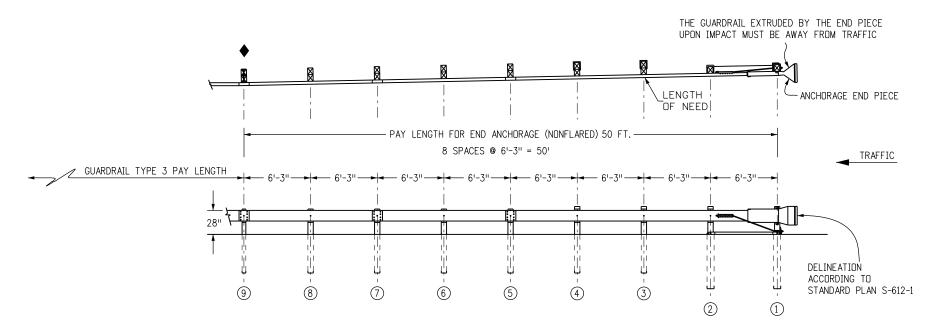
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#### NOTES FOR NONFLARED



- 1. THE END ANCHORAGE (NONFLARED) SHALL EITHER BE THE SKT GUARDRAIL AS MANUFACTURED BY ROAD SYSTEMS, INC. (TEL. #: 432-263-2435), OR THE X-LITE AS MANUFACTURED BY BARRIER SYSTEMS, INC. (TEL. #: 888-800-3691). THE END ANCHORAGE (NONFLARED) SHALL INCLUDE ALL POST, RAIL, AND HARDWARE ITEMS REQUIRED FOR A COMPLETE UNIT. THE END ANCHORAGE (NONFLARED) SHALL BE INSTALLED CONFORMING TO THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS AND PARTS LIST TO THE ENGINEER PRIOR TO THE INSTALLATION OF THE DEVICE.
- 2. WOOD POSTS SHALL BE DRILLED FOR BREAKAWAY CONFORMING TO THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS.
- 3. HINGED BREAK AWAY (HBA) STEEL POSTS MAY BE USED CONFORMING TO THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS.
- 4. RETROREFLECTOR TABS SHALL NOT BE USED ON THE LAST SEVEN POSTS OF THE END ANCHORAGE (NONFLARED).
- 5. USE THE MANUFACTURER'S SPECIFIED STEEL FOUNDATION TUBE FOR POSTS (1) AND (2) FOR SKT END ANCHORAGES (NONFLARED).
- 6. USE THE MANUFACTURE'S SUPPLIED POSTS FOR X-LITE END ANCHORAGE AS FOLLOWS:

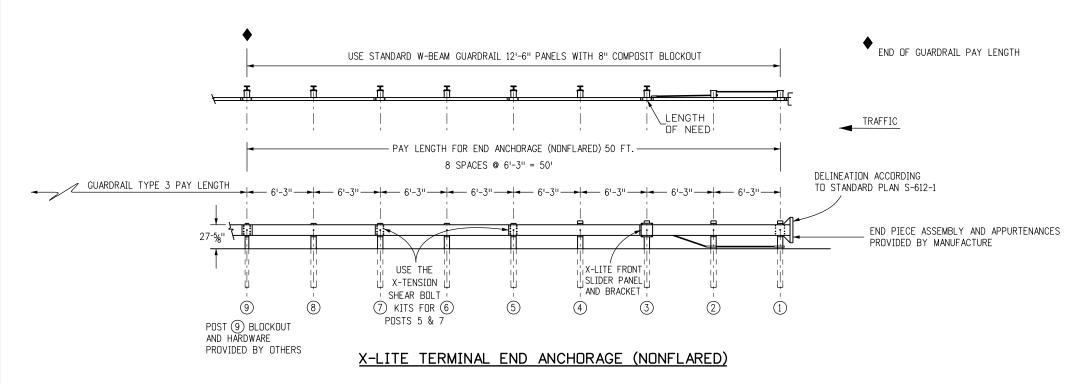
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POST 3 - X-LITE, CRIMPED POST HOLES, GALVANIZED.

FOR POSTS 4 THRU 8 - USE STANDARD LINE POST, GALVANIZED.

7. DELINEATION SHALL BE APPLIED TO THE END PIECE AND SHALL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE WORK. SEE STANDARD PLAN S-612-1.

#### SKT END ANCHORAGE (NONFLARED)



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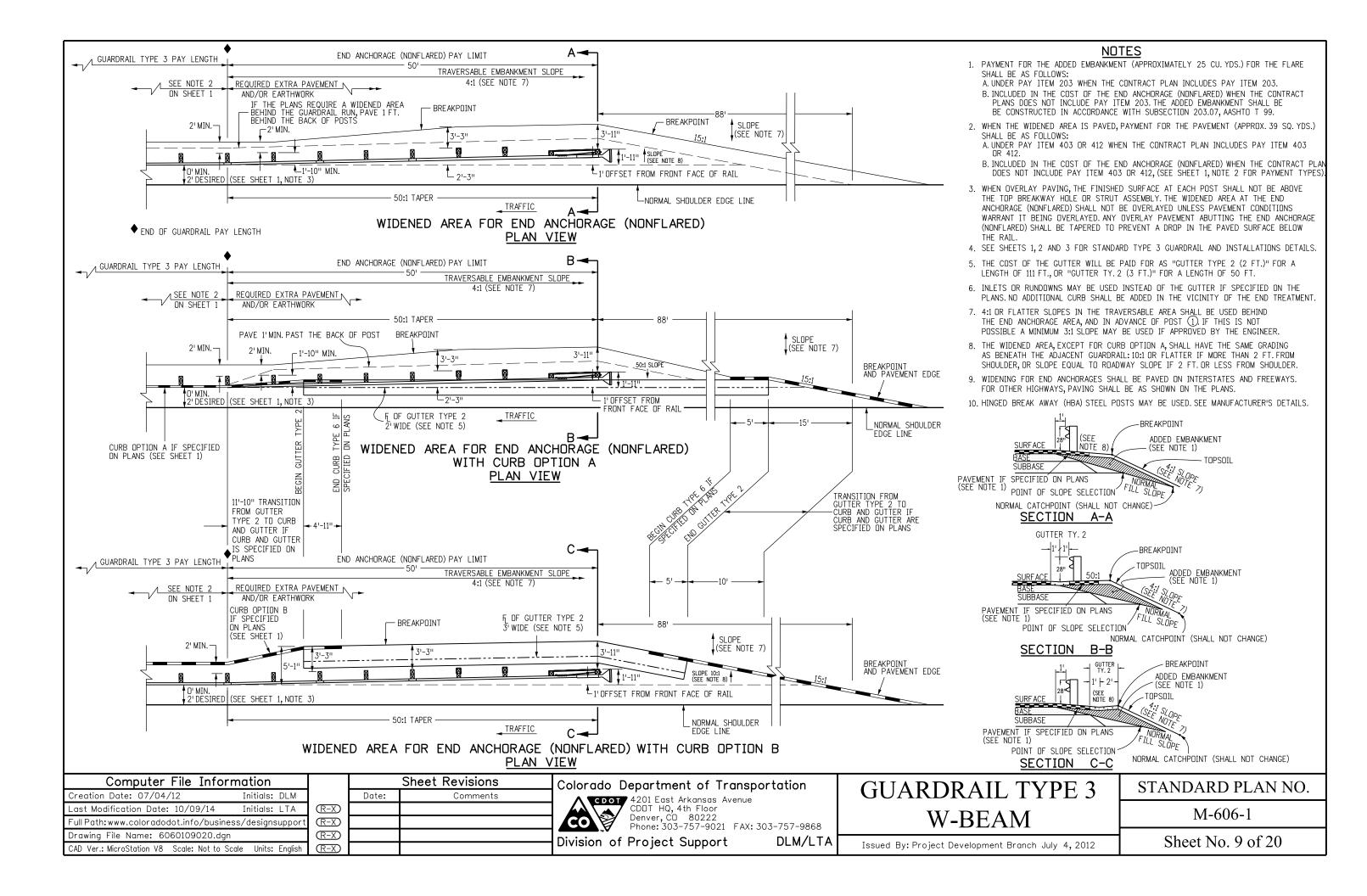
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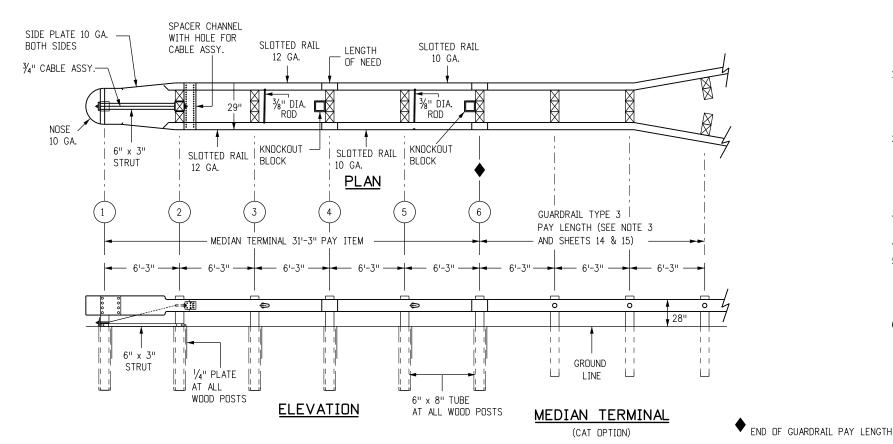
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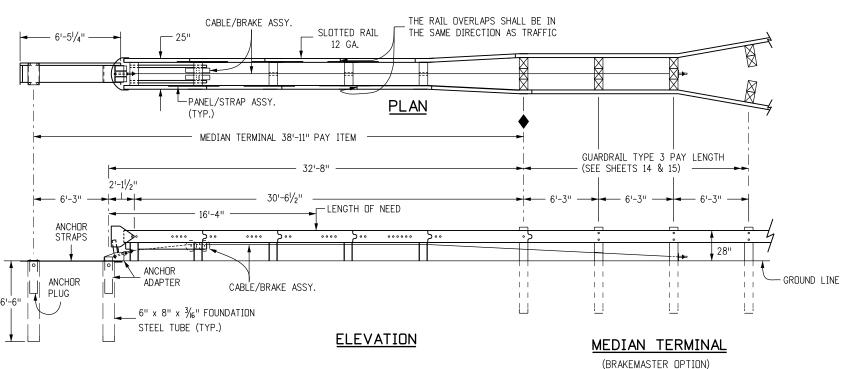
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#### MEDIAN TERMINAL NOTES

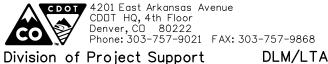
- 1. THE MEDIAN TERMINAL SHALL BE THE CAT 350 AS MANUFACTURED BY TRINITY INDUSTRIES INC. (TEL #: 800-722-7976), OR THE BRAKEMASTER AS MANUFACTURED BY ENERGY ABSORPTION SYSTEMS, INC. AS DISTRIBUTED BY INTERWEST SAFETY SUPPLY (TEL #: 303-733-8447), OR THE FLEAT-MT MEDIAN TERMINAL AS MANUFACTURED BY ROAD SYSTEM INC. (TEL. #: 432-263-2435).
- 2. ONE MEDIAN TERMINAL SHALL INCLUDE ALL POSTS, RAIL, AND HARDWARE ITEMS REQUIRED FOR A COMPLETE UNIT. THE DEVICE SHALL BE INSTALLED IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS AND PARTS LISTS TO THE ENGINEER PRIOR TO THE INSTALLATION OF THE DEVICE.
- 3. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS, THE MEDIAN TERMINAL SHALL BE INSTALLED FOR BIDIRECTIONAL TRAFFIC APPLICATION.
- 4. MEDIAN GUARDRAIL POSTS MAY BE STEEL OR WOOD.
- 5. EACH INSTALLATION SHALL BE SUPERVISED AND CERTIFIED AS CORRECT UPON COMPLETION BY A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEVICE MANUFACTURER OR BY AN EMPLOYEE OF THE CONTRACTOR WHO IS A CERTIFIED INSTALLER. THE CERTIFIED INSTALLER SHALL HAVE COMPLETED DEVICE TRAINING AND SHALL BE REGISTERED WITH THE MANUFACTURER AS A CERTIFIED INSTALLER.
- 6. DELINEATION, IF REQUIRED, SHALL BE APPLIED TO THE END PIECE AND WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE WORK. SEE STANDARD PLAN S-612-1.



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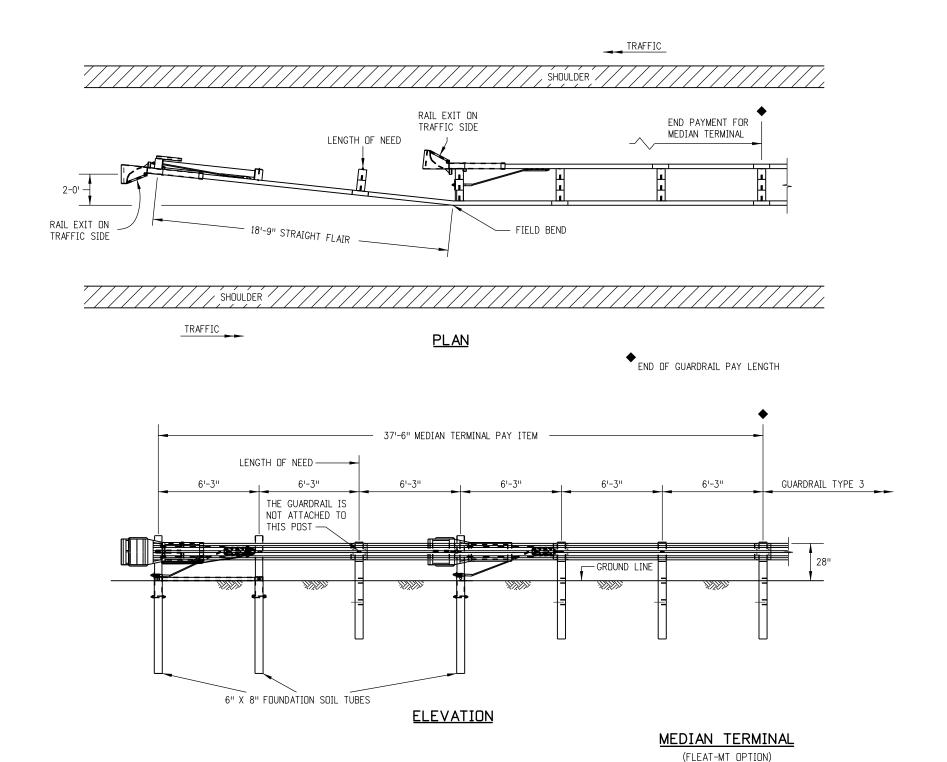
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#### FLEAT- MT NOTES

- 1. THE FLEAT-MT MAY BE SELECTED AS A MEDIAN TERMINAL UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN IN THE PLANS.
- 2. BREAKAWAY POSTS ARE REQUIRED WITH THE FLEAT-MT.
- 3. THE SOIL TUBES SHALL NOT PROTRUDE MORE THAN 4 INCHES ABOVE GROUND (MEASURED ALONG A 5 FEET CORD). SITE GRADING MAY BE NECESSARY TO MEET THIS REQUIREMENT.
- 4. THE SOIL TUBES SHALL BE DRIVEN WITH AN APPROVED DRIVING HEAD AND NOT BE DRIVEN WITH THE POST IN THE TUBE. IF THE TUBES ARE PLACED IN DRILLED HOLES, THE BACKFILL MATERIAL MUST BE SATISFACTORILY COMPACTED TO PREVENT SETTLEMENT.
- 5. WHEN ROCK IS ENCOUNTERED DURING EXCAVATION, A 12 INCH DIA. POST HOLE, 20 INCH DEEP MAY BE USED IF APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. GRANULAR MATERIAL SHALL BE PLACED IN THE BOTTOM OF THE HOLE APPROX. 21/2 INCH DEEP TO PROVIDE DRAINAGE. THE SOIL TUBES SHALL BE FIELD CUT TO LENGTH, PLACED IN THE HOLE AND BACKFILLED WITH ADEQUATELY COMPACTED MATERIAL EXCAVATED FROM THE HOLE.
- 6. THE BREAKAWAY CABLE ASSEMBLY MUST BE TAUT. DO NOT TWIST THE CABLE WHEN TIGHTENING NUTS.

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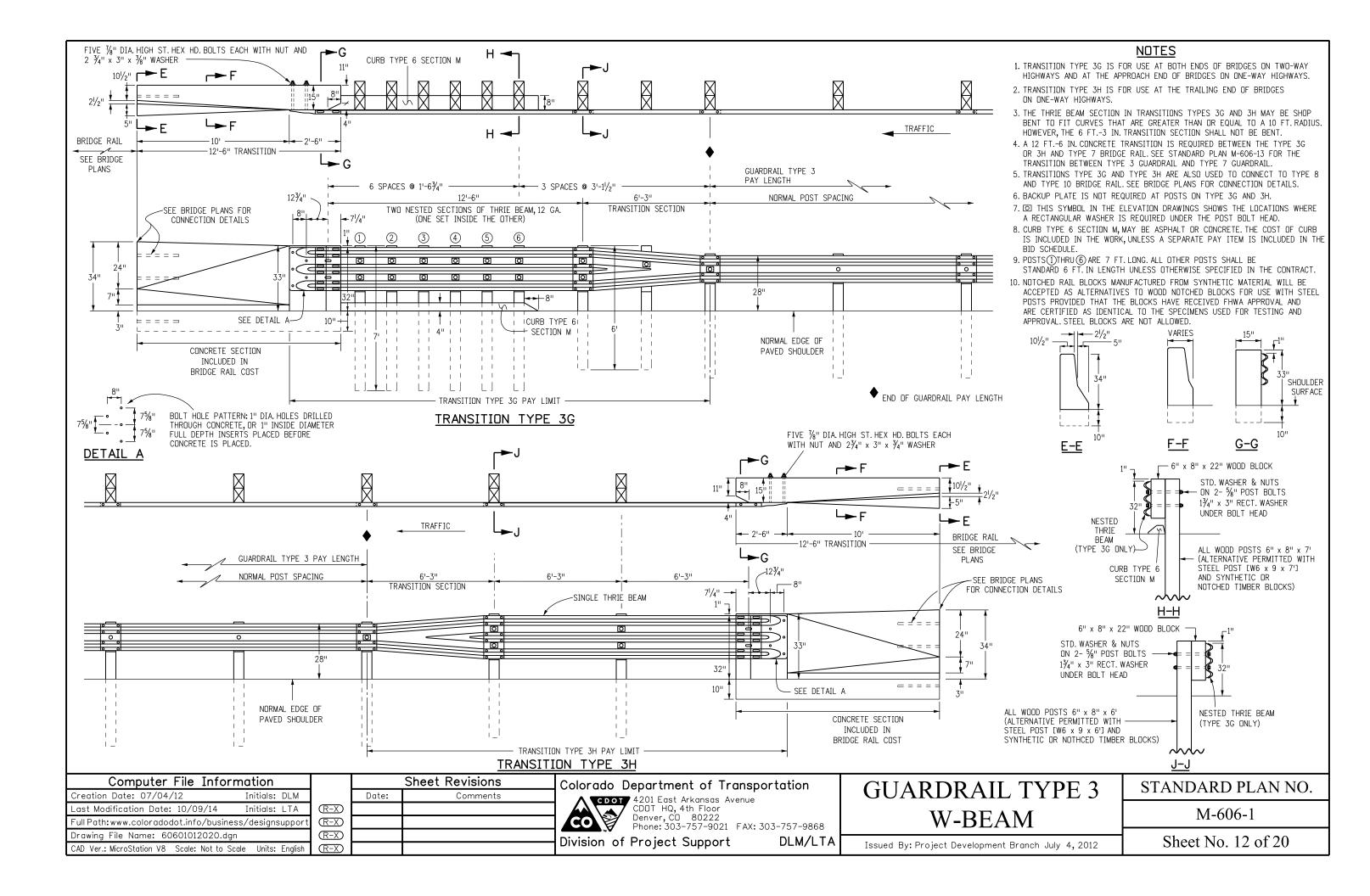
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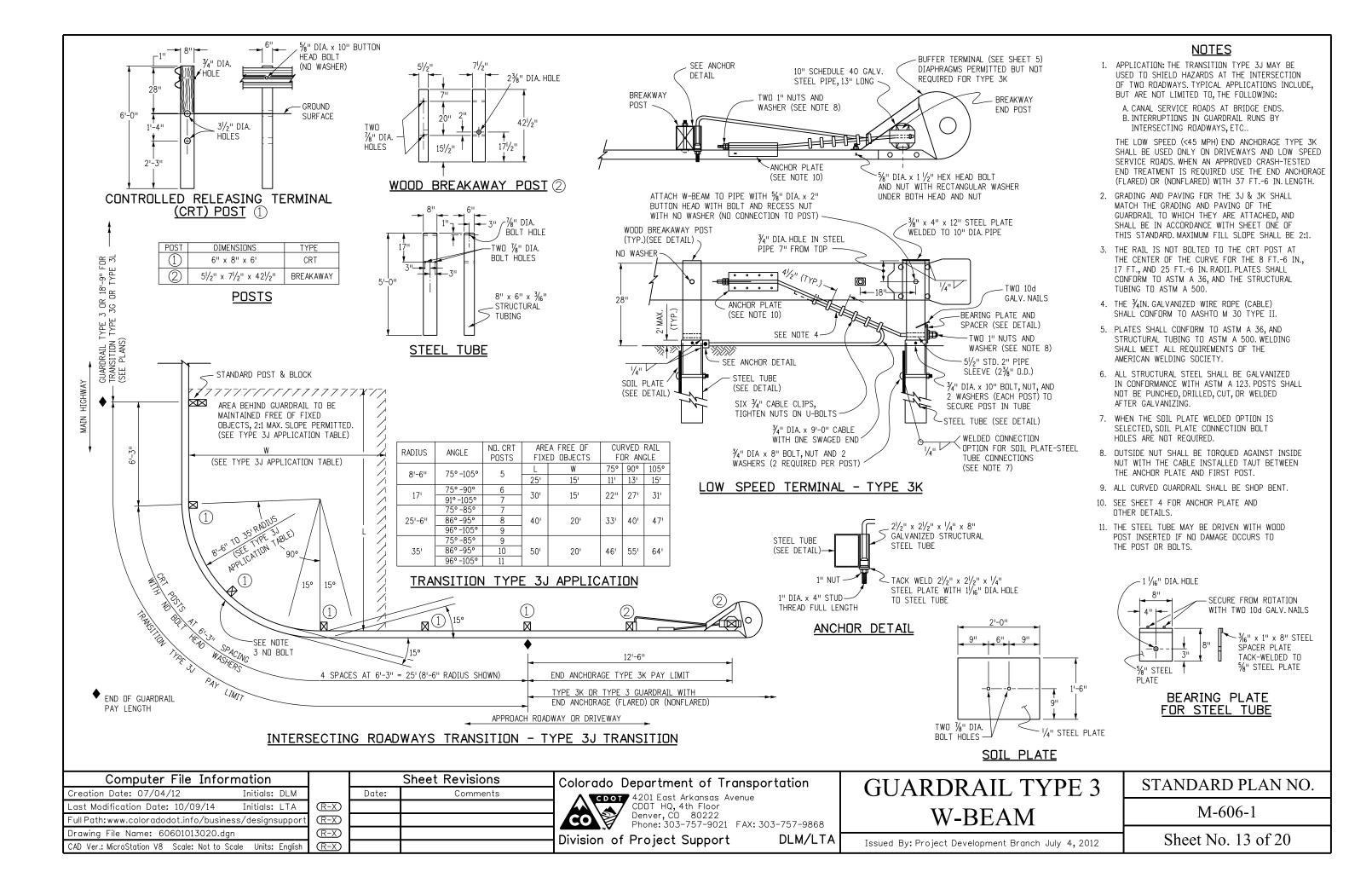
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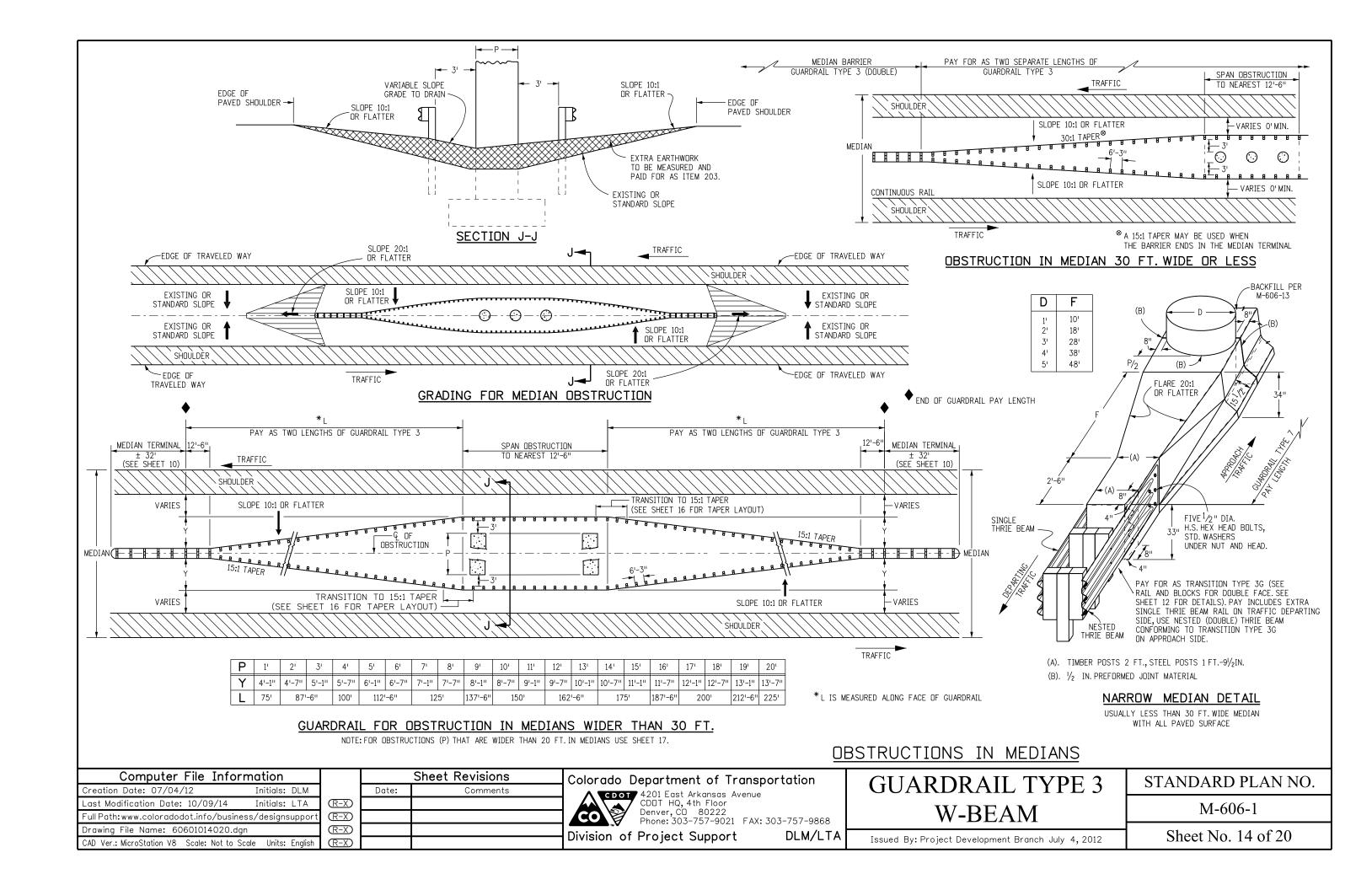
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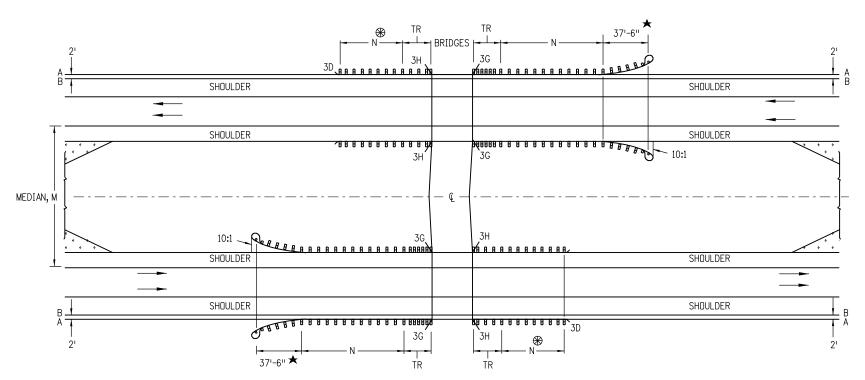
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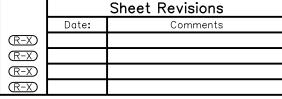


MULTILANE DIVIDED HIGHWAYS FOR STEEP EMBANKMENTS IN MEDIAN

#### NOTES:

- MEDIAN BARRIERS TANGENT TO THE ROADWAY MAY BE USED WHERE THE SHOULDER SLOPES IN THE MEDIAN ARE STEEP.
- 2. BARRIER LENGTHS SHALL BE INCREASED TO ACCOUNT FOR STEEP EMBANKMENTS OR OTHER HAZARDS WITHIN CLOSE PROXIMITY OF BRIDGES.
- DO NOT CONSTRUCT THE TR AND GUARDRAIL ON THE TRAILING BRIDGE ENDS IF SITE CONDITIONS DO NOT WARRANT THE USE OF GUARDRAIL.
- N SHOWN ON PLANS.LENGTH TO SHIELD ALL HAZARDS IS
  BASED ON GUARDRAIL'S LENGTH OF NEED COMPUTATION.SEE
  AASHTO ROADWAY DESIGN GUIDE.THE MINIMUM SHALL BE
  12 FT. 6 IN., WHERE SITE CONDITIONS ALLOW.THE TOTAL
  LENGTH OF NEED WILL INCLUDE THE LENGTH OF TRANSITION,
  THE LENGTH OF RAIL (N), AND ANY REDIRECTIVE LENGTH IN
  THE RAIL END TREATMENT.
- TR 18 FT.-9 IN. FOR 3G AND 3H.
- A EDGE OF 8 FT. OR 10 FT. SHOULDER.
- B EDGE OF 6 FT. OR LESS SHOULDER.
- $\bigstar$  END ANCHORAGE CAN BE FLARED OR NONFLARED.

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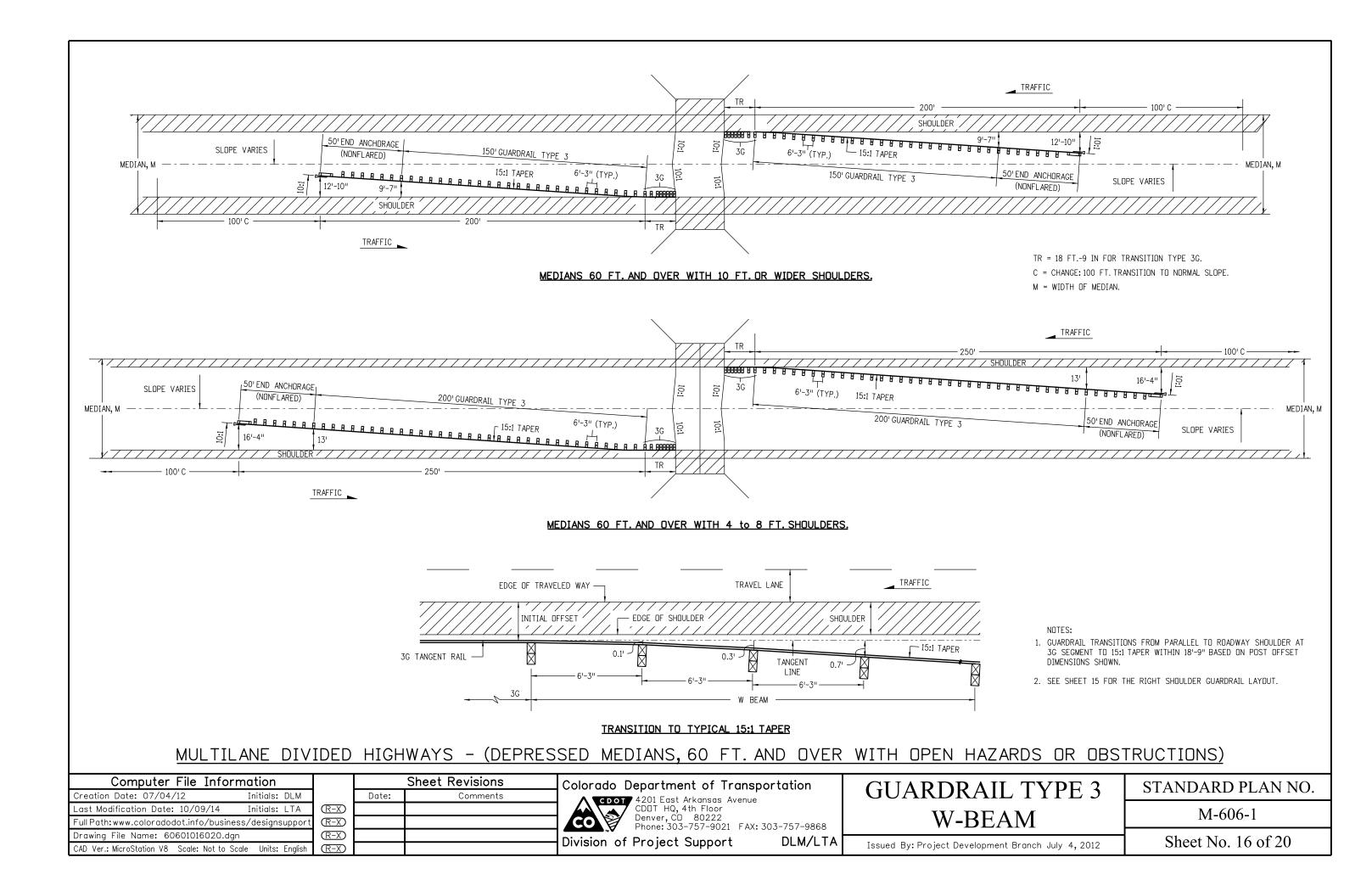
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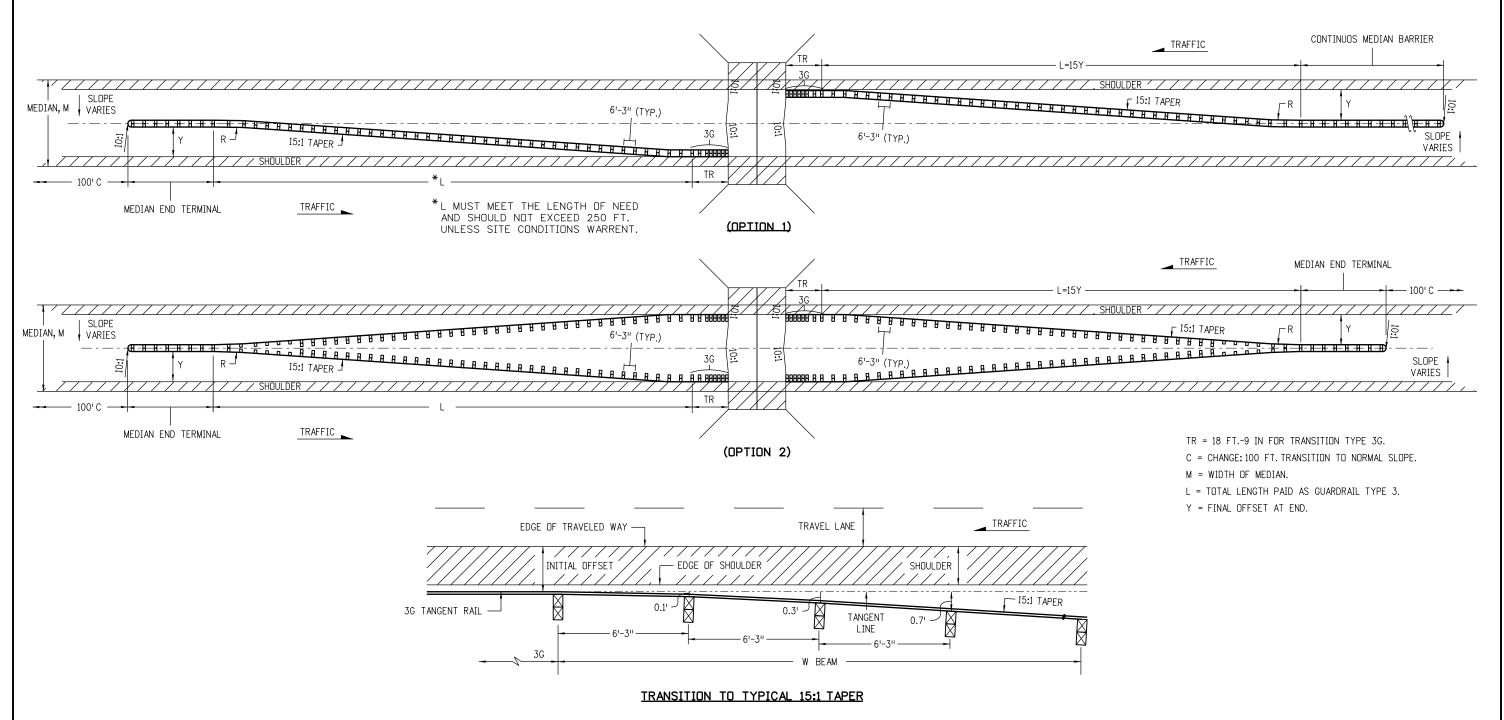
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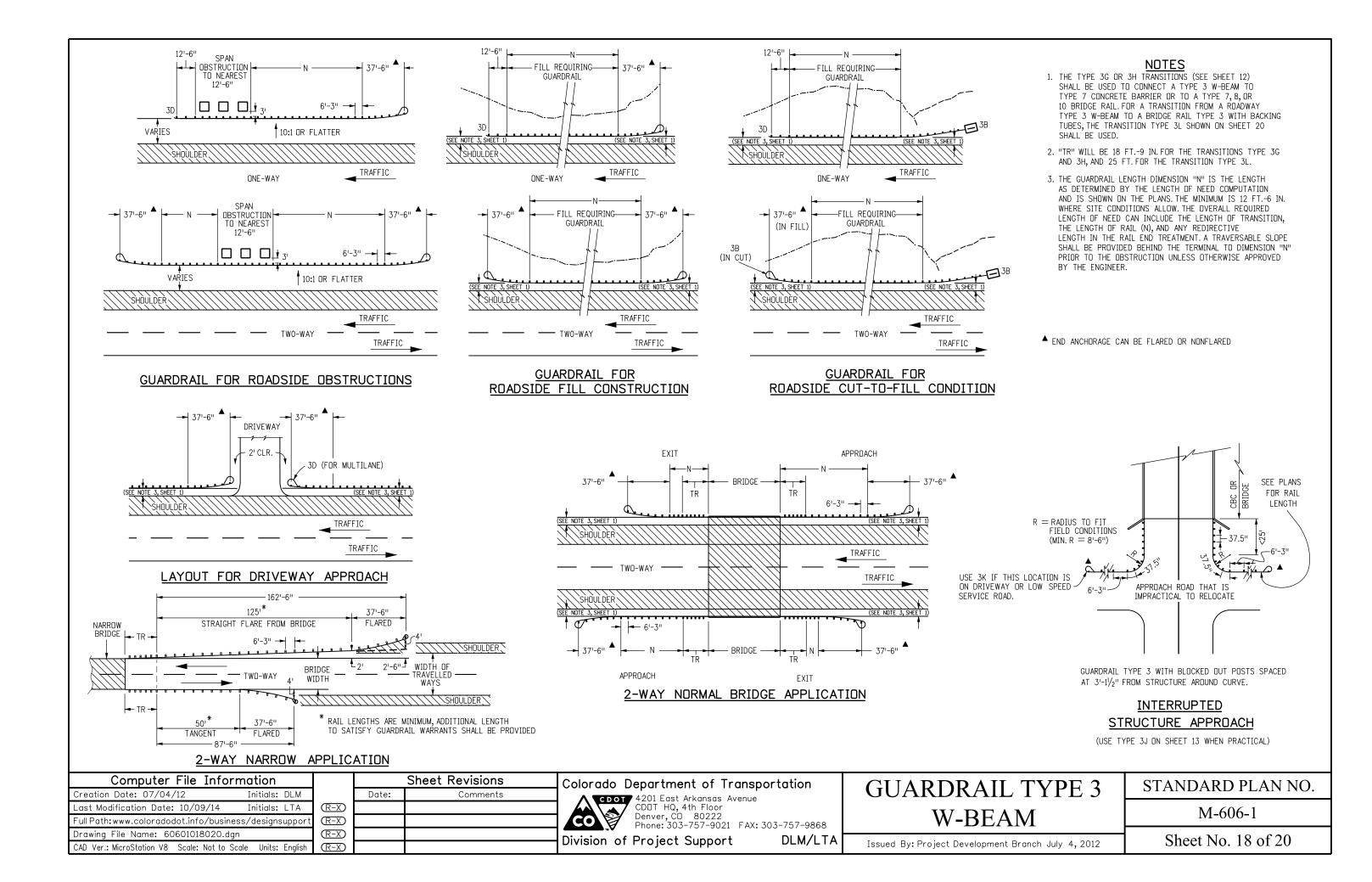


- GUARDRAIL TRANSITIONS FROM PARALLEL TO ROADWAY SHOULDER AT 3G SEGMENT TO 15:1 TAPER WITHIN 18'-9" BASED ON POST OFFSET DIMENSIONS SHOWN.
- 2. THE OPTION 1 LAYOUT SHALL BE USED WHEN "Y" EXCEEDS 16 FEET OR WHEN MEDIAN BARRIER IS CONTINUOUS.
- 3. THE OPTION 2 LAYOUT SHALL BE USED WHEN "Y" IS 16 FEET OR LESS.
- 4. SEE SHEET 15 FOR RIGHT SHOULDER GUARDRAIL LAYOUT.



## MULTILANE DIVIDED HIGHWAYS - (DEPRESSED MEDIANS, 21 - 59 FT. WITH OPEN HAZARDS OR OBSTRUCTIONS)

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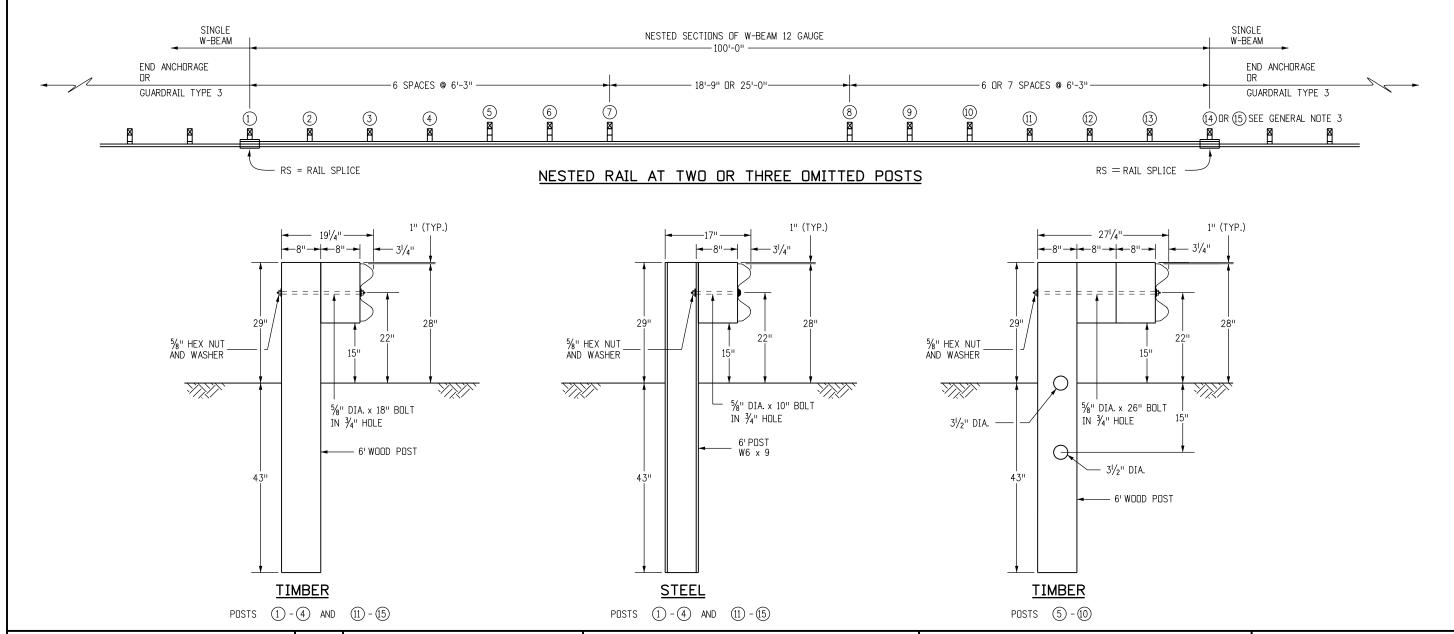


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## NESTED RAIL AT ONE OMITTED POST

### <u>NOTES</u>

- 1. FOR DNE OMITTED POST IN THE GUARDRAIL RUN, i.e. AT A PIPE CULVERT WITH MINIMUM COVER, SEE THE "NESTED RAIL AT ONE OMITTED POST" DETAIL ON THIS SHEET. THE W-BEAM RAILS SPANNING THE OMITTED-POST GAP SHALL BE DOUBLED (ONE RAIL NESTED IN THE OTHER), AND SHALL EXTEND A MINIMUM OF 6 FT.-3 IN. ON EITHER SIDE OF THE GAP. USING 12 FT.-6 IN. SECTIONS OF RAIL, AND DEPENDING ON THE SPLICE LOCATION, ONE OMITTED POST SECTION REQUIRES EITHER 25 FT. OR 37 FT. 6 IN. OF NESTED RAIL.
- 2. FOR TWO OR THREE OMITTED POSTS, SEE THE "NESTED RAIL AT TWO OR THREE OMITTED POSTS" DETAIL ON THIS SHEET. RAIL SPLICES IN THE 100 FT. NESTED SECTION MAY BE PLACED TO FACILITATE CONSTRUCTABILITY. HOWEVER ONLY ONE RAIL SPLICE MAY BE PLACED IN THE OMITTED POSTS SECTION, AND ONLY AT THE MIDPOINT OF THE 25 FT. LENGTH.
- 3. POST (15) REQUIRED WHEN TWO POSTS ARE OMITTED FOR THE 18 FT.-9 IN. LENGTH.
- 4. ONLY TIMBER POSTS AND BLOCKS ARE ALLOWED FOR WEAKENED POSTS 5 THROUGH 10.



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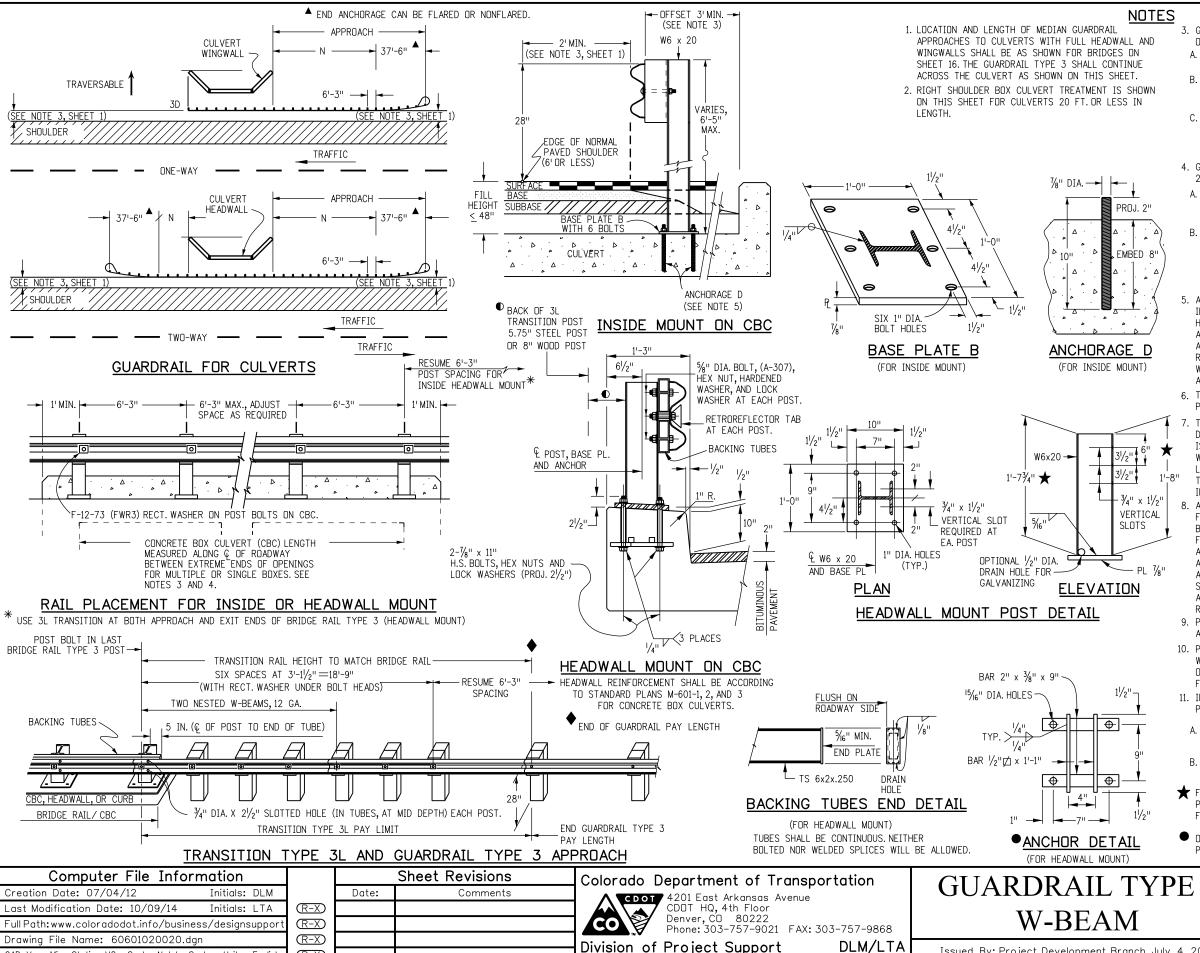
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- 3. GUARDRAIL ACROSS CULVERTS WITH A LENGTH OF 20 FT. OR LESS SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:
- A. FILL HEIGHT AT GUARDRAIL POST 48 IN. OR GREATER: CONSTRUCTION AND PAYMENT WILL BE AS GUARDRAIL TYPE 3.
- B. FILL HEIGHT AT GUARDRAIL POST LESS THAN 48 IN. AND BLOCK FACE TO HEADWALL OFFSET OF 3 FT. OR GREATER: CONSTRUCTION AND PAYMENT AS GUARDRAIL TYPE 3.
- C. FILL HEIGHT AT GUARDRAIL POST 48 IN. OR LESS AND BLOCK FACE TO HEADWALL OFFSET LESS THAN 3 FT: CONSTRUCTION ACCORDING TO HEADWALL MOUNT DETAILS AND PAYMENT AS BRIDGE RAIL TYPE 3.
- 4. GUARDRAIL ACROSS CULVERTS WITH LENGTH GREATER THAN 20 FT. SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:
- A. FILL HEIGHT AT GUARDRAIL POSTS 48 IN. OR GREATER: CONSTRUCTION AND PAYMENT WILL BE FOR STANDARD GUARDRAIL TYPE 3.
- B. FILL HEIGHT AT GUARDRAIL POSTS 48 IN. OR LESS: CONSTRUCTION AND PAYMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONTRACT BRIDGE PLANS. WHEN BLOCK FACE TO HEADWALL OFFSET IS 3 FT. OR GREATER: CONSTRUCTION AND PAYMENT AS GUARDRAIL TYPE 3.
- ANCHORAGE D: SIX BOLTS FOR BASE PLATE "B" WITH INSIDE MOUNT. THE BOLTS SHALL BE 7/8 IN. DIA X 10 IN. HIGH STRENGTH RODS THREADED FULL LENGTH AND ALL GALVANIZED. RODS SHALL BE CAST-IN-PLACE FOR A NEW STRUCTURE. FOR AN EXISTING STRUCTURE, THE RODS SHALL BE INSTALLED IN 1-1/4 IN. DIA HOLES WITH NON-SHRINK GROUT OR EPOXY CONFORMING TO ASTM C 881.
- 6. TYPE 3L POSTS SHALL BE STEEL OR WOOD TO MATCH POSTS USED ON THE APPROACH GUARDRAIL.
- THE GUARDRAIL LENGTH DIMENSION "N" IS THE LENGTH AS DETERMINED BY THE LENGTH OF NEED COMPUTATION AND IS SHOWN ON THE PLANS. THE MINIMUM IS 12 FT.-6 IN. WHERE SITE CONDITIONS ALLOW. THE OVERALL REQUIRED LENGTH OF NEED CAN INCLUDE THE LENGTH OF TRANSITION, THE LENGTH OF RAIL (N). AND ANY REDIRECTIVE LENGTH IN THE RAIL END TREATMENT.
- 8. ALL BRIDGE RAIL TYPE 3 BACKING TUBES SHALL BE FABRICATED FROM ASTM A 500 GRADE B. ALL POSTS, BASE PLATES, AND ANCHOR BOLTS SHALL BE FABRICATED FROM ASTM Á 36 STEEL. THE ABOVE MATERIAL, W-BEAM, AND ALL ANCHOR BOLTS AND MISCELLANEOUS BOLTS, NUTS, AND WASHERS SHALL BE GALVANIZED AFTER FABRICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 509. CONCRETE, REINFORCING STEEL, AND STRUCTURAL STEEL ELEMENTS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTIONS 601, 602, AND 509, RESPECTIVELY.
- 9. POST ANCHORS, ENCASED IN CONCRETE, SHALL BE ASTM A 36 STEEL, AND NEED NOT BE GALVANIZED.
- 10. PRIOR TO FABRICATION OF BRIDGE RAIL, THREE SETS OF WORKING DRAWINGS WHICH COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF SECTION 105 SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE ENGINEER FOR INFORMATION ONLY.
- 11. IF HEADWALL MOUNT GUARDRAIL IS USED, SEE STANDARD PLAN M-601, AND NOTES BELOW:
- A. ALL ITEMS ABOVE TOP OF CBC HEADWALL WILL BE MEASURED AND PAID FOR AS LINEAR FEET OF BRIDGE RAIL TYPE 3.
- B. HEADWALL MOUNTING OF RAIL WILL NOT BE MEASURED AND PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE WORK
- TOR STANDARD 12 IN. HEADWALL WITH NO PAVEMENT, THE POST HEIGHT SHALL BE 1 FT.- 6 IN. ADJUST POST HEIGHT FOR PAVEMENT THICKNESS.
- ONE ANCHOR ASSEMBLY SHALL BE PLACED FOR EACH RAIL POST.

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