

OBERMEYER GATED SPILLWAY S381

Jacksonville District 2005



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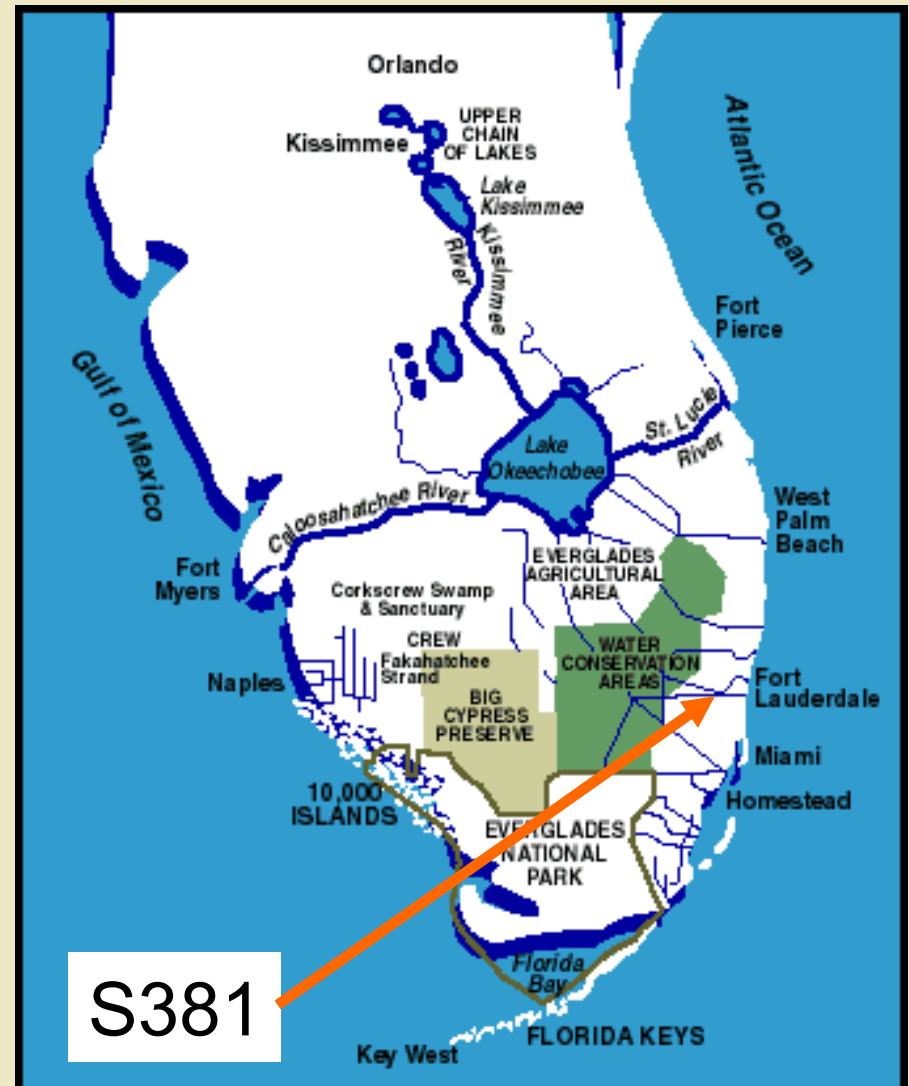
General Information

- S381 is a 3 bay broad crested spillway structure equipped with Obermeyer gates that was completed in March 2005 for \$5.5 million
- Designed as a water quality structure
- Purpose is to prevent urban runoff from communities west of Ft. Lauderdale from flowing west to water conservation areas
- 2,880 CFS discharge capacity



General Information (Cont.)

- Spillway is located along the C-11 Canal in Southeast Florida, west of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.



Background Information

- The original design called for a 2 bay vertical lift gated/ogee weir spillway structure in C-11 canal.
- Vertical lift gate structure was under construction.





Problems with Old Design

- Topography in area very flat, heavily developed
- Problems and concerns surfaced with the hydraulic design
- Local drainage districts upstream of the spillway realized that the 6" head differential created across structure meant more potential flooding than without project condition
- H&H design approach was for water quality - did not perform modeling of the watershed area to the east for flooding



Solution

- Decision made to abandon vertical lift gate design and redesign structure as an Obermeyer gated spillway (nearly zero head loss across structure)
- First time use for Jacksonville District
- Terminated existing construction contract
- Spillway was redesigned through an AE task order. HDR, Engineering Inc. did the new design and had previously designed one of these spillways in FL.
- NTP for construction contract was issued in October 03 and structure was completed in March 05.



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- 1) McHenry – Illinois – Fall 2001- Flood Control
- 2) Algonquin - Illinois – Fall 2001- Flood Control
- 3) Lake Traverse – Minn. – Winter 2001- Reservoir outlet
- 4) Flint – Michigan – Fall 2000- Water Diversion
- 5) Clinton Weir – Michigan – Fall 96 – Diversion
- 6) Saylorville Lake- Iowa – Fall 93 – Flood Control



Obermeyer Gate Details

- Gates consist of two gate panels per bay supported by reinforced air bladders on the down stream side.
- Gates are raised and lowered by inflating or deflating the reinforced air bladders with compressed air.
- Gates are a bottom hinged system that are attached to the foundation with a row of anchors bolts.
- By controlling the air pressure in the bladders, the water elevations can be accurately maintained within the control range (full inflation to full deflation).



Obermeyer Gate Details (Cont.)

- Restraining straps keep gate from overturning in a reverse head condition
- Lower O&M costs associated with Obermeyer gates compared with vertical lift gate spillways.
- Cleaner water discharge with Obermeyer gates versus vertical lift gate spillways since discharge is over the top instead of from the bottom.
- OHI provides design services (calculations, drawings, etc.) for the gates.



Sole Source Issue

- Sole source justification was required by Contracting Division in order to use Obermeyer gates.
- HDR performed up to 70% of design until sole source approval.



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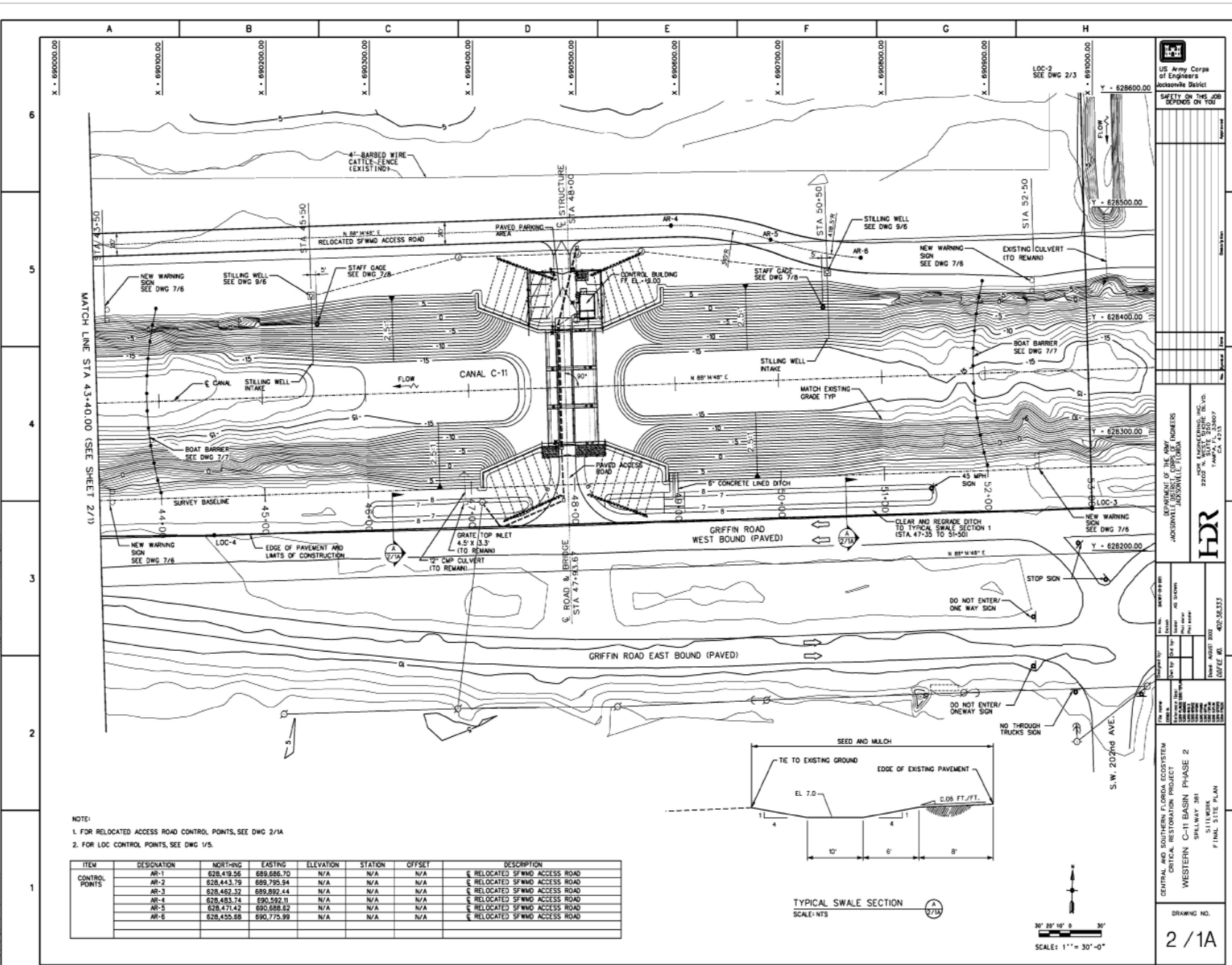
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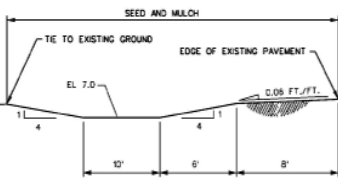
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CRITICAL RESTORATION PROJECT
WESTERN C-11 BASIN PHASE 2
SKILWAY 3M
S111600K
FINAL SITE PLAN

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- NOTE:
1. FOR RELOCATED ACCESS ROAD CONTROL POINTS, SEE DWG 2/1A
2. FOR LOC CONTROL POINTS, SEE DWG 1/5.

ITEM	DESIGNATION	NORTHING	EASTING	ELEVATION	STATION	OFFSET	DESCRIPTION
CONTROL POINTS	AR-1	628,418.56	689,686.70	N/A	N/A	N/A	RELOCATED SFWD ACCESS ROAD
	AR-2	628,443.79	689,755.94	N/A	N/A	N/A	RELOCATED SFWD ACCESS ROAD
	AR-3	628,462.32	689,892.44	N/A	N/A	N/A	RELOCATED SFWD ACCESS ROAD
	AR-4	628,483.74	690,592.11	N/A	N/A	N/A	RELOCATED SFWD ACCESS ROAD
	AR-5	628,471.42	690,686.62	N/A	N/A	N/A	RELOCATED SFWD ACCESS ROAD
	AR-6	628,455.68	690,775.99	N/A	N/A	N/A	RELOCATED SFWD ACCESS ROAD



TYPICAL SWALE SECTION
SCALE: NTS

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Braced Cofferdam

- Required construction of work platform and diversion channel
- Bottom of foundation approx 20' below water surface
- Required blasting to get sheets through limestone



Tremie Seal

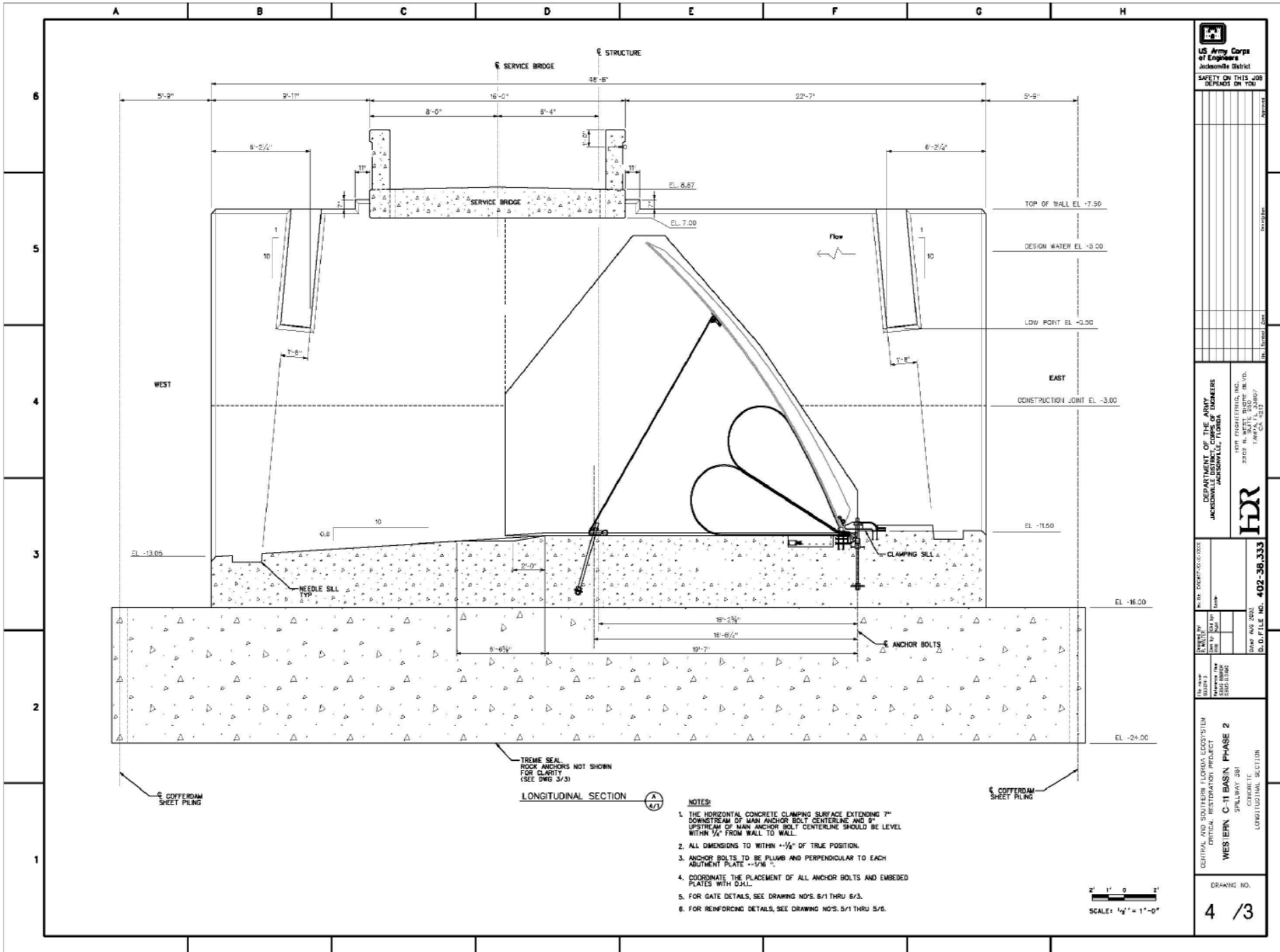
- 8' thick concrete seal placed by tremie to allow construction in dry
- Rock anchors used to reduce thickness of tremie and to anchor spillway structure



Spillway Structure

- 101'-6" long X 48'-6" wide overall
- Exterior walls 2'-6" thick
- Interior walls 3'-3" thick
- Walls designed to allow dewatering of any bay
- Foundation 3'-0" to 4'-6" thick
- Integral flat slab bridge helps to brace walls





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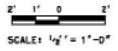
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CONTRACT AND PROJECT INFORMATION
WESTERN C-11 BASIN PHASE 2
SPILLWAY 3B
CONCRETE
LONGITUDINAL SECTION

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LONGITUDINAL SECTION (A 4/1)

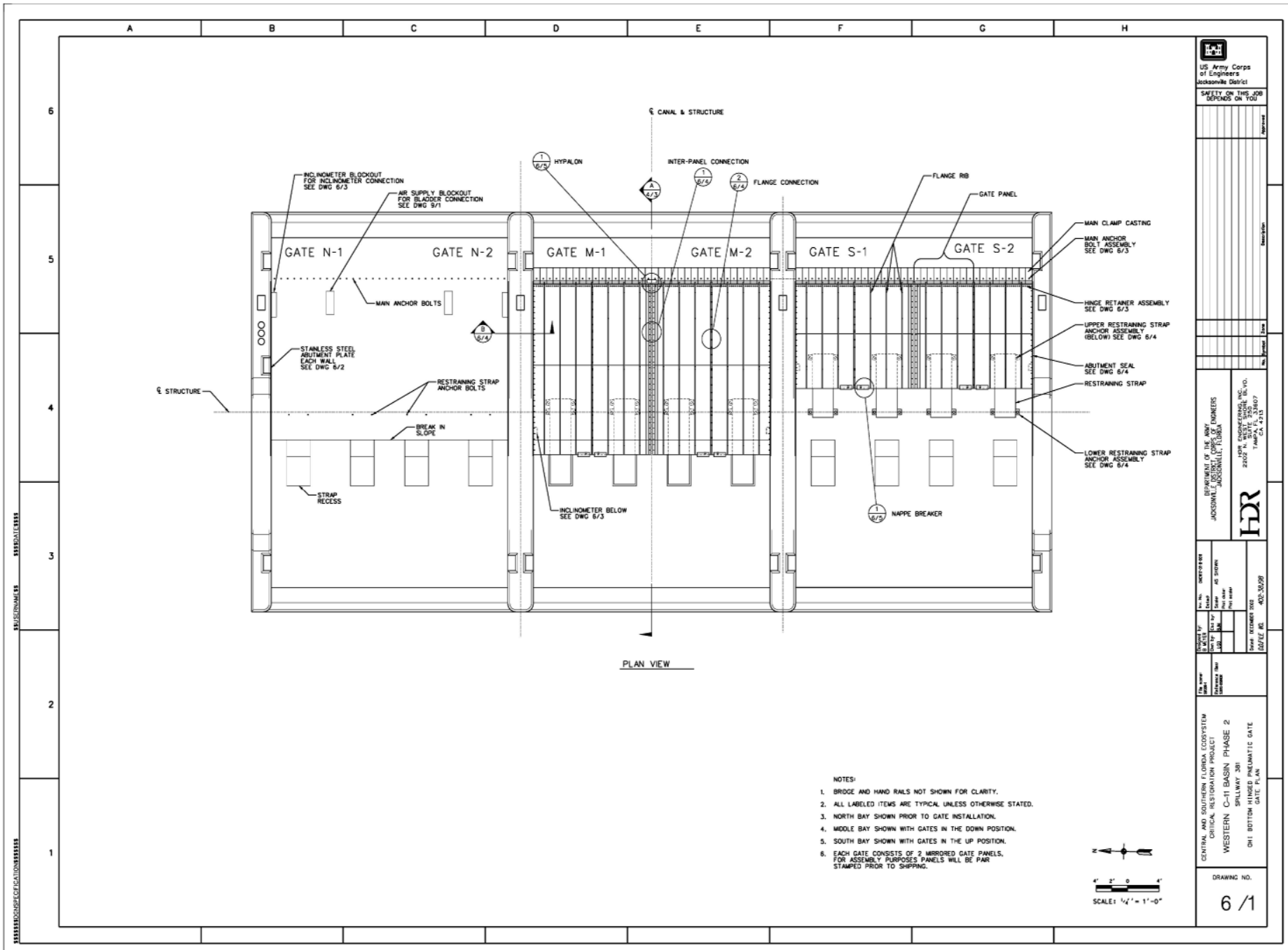
- NOTES:**
1. THE HORIZONTAL CONCRETE CLAMPING SURFACE EXTENDING 7" DOWNSTREAM OF MAIN ANCHOR BOLT CENTERLINE AND 9" UPSTREAM OF MAIN ANCHOR BOLT CENTERLINE SHOULD BE LEVEL WITHIN 1/4" FROM WALL TO WALL.
 2. ALL DIMENSIONS TO WITHIN +/- 1/8" OF TRUE POSITION.
 3. ANCHOR BOLTS TO BE PLUMB AND PERPENDICULAR TO EACH ABUTMENT PLATE +/- 1/16".
 4. COORDINATE THE PLACEMENT OF ALL ANCHOR BOLTS AND EMBEDDED PLATES WITH D.H.I.
 5. FOR GATE DETAILS, SEE DRAWING NO'S. 5/1 THRU 5/3.
 6. FOR REINFORCING DETAILS, SEE DRAWING NO'S. 5/1 THRU 5/6.



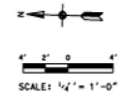
Design Criteria

- Structure designed to allow for dewatering of one bay at a time for maintenance
- Structure designed for a maximum water elevation of 5.00
- Designed for reverse head condition.
- Rock anchors designed for maximum overturning and sliding stability.





- NOTES:
- BRIDGE AND HAND RAILS NOT SHOWN FOR CLARITY.
 - ALL LABELED ITEMS ARE TYPICAL UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.
 - NORTH BAY SHOWN PRIOR TO GATE INSTALLATION.
 - MIDDLE BAY SHOWN WITH GATES IN THE DOWN POSITION.
 - SOUTH BAY SHOWN WITH GATES IN THE UP POSITION.
 - EACH GATE CONSISTS OF 2 MIRRORRED GATE PANELS, FOR ASSEMBLY PURPOSES PANELS WILL BE PAIR STAMPED PRIOR TO SHIPPING.



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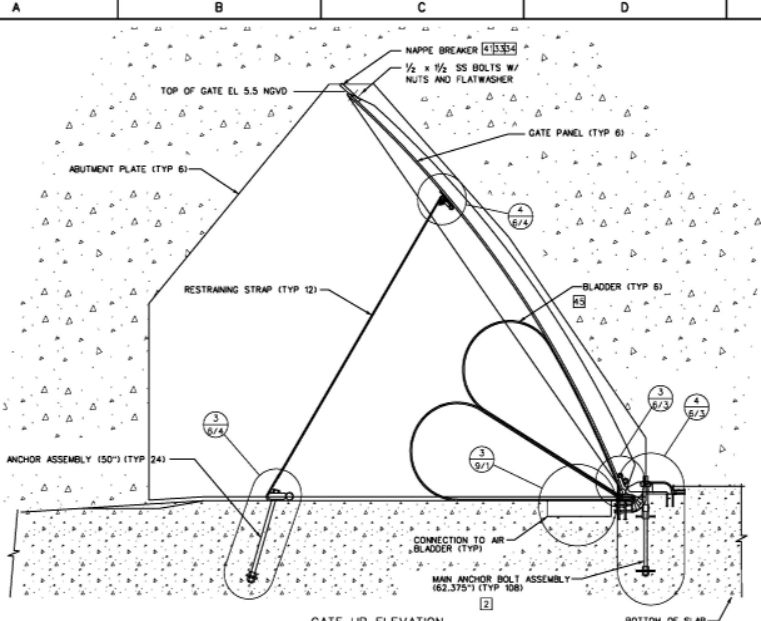


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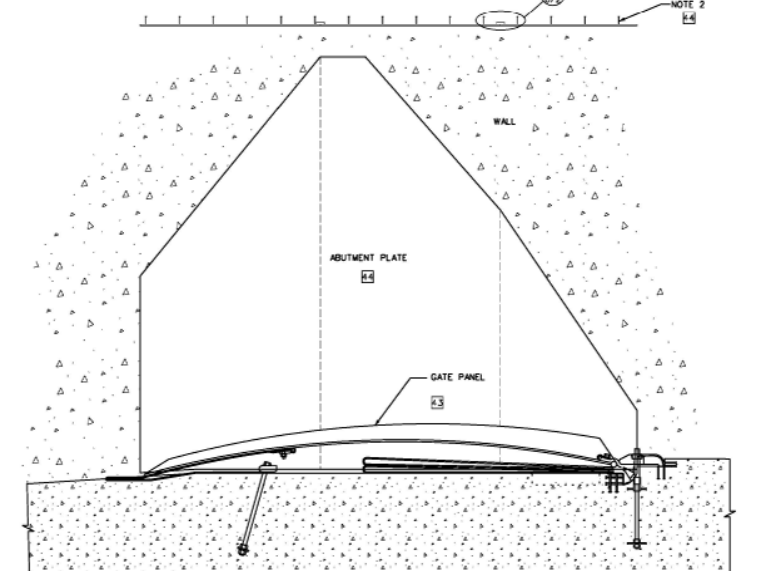
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GATE PLAN

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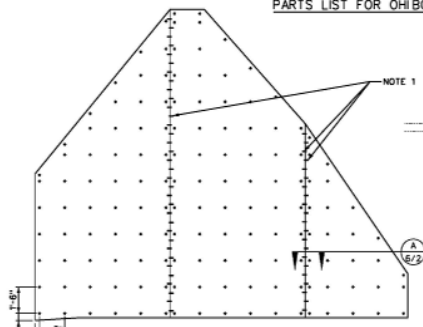
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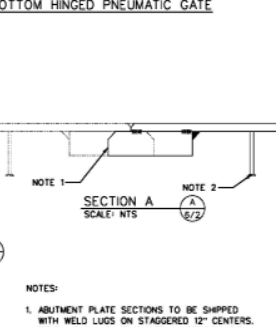
GATE UP ELEVATION
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GATE DOWN ELEVATION
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ABUTMENT PLATE STUD DETAIL
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SECTION A
SCALE: NTS

- NOTES:
1. ABUTMENT PLATE SECTIONS TO BE SHIPPED WITH WELD LUGS ON STAGGERED 12" CENTERS. FIELD WELD AND GRIND PER OHISPECIFICATION.
 2. NELSON STUDS PRE-WELDED TO ABUTMENT PLATES.
 3. SEE DWG 9/3 FOR AIR CONTROL CABINET CONTENTS AND DETAILS.

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	SHEET	WEIGHT	QUANTITY
1	ANCHOR ASSEMBLY & CLAMP			
2	2.5" UNC BRONZE NUT	6/3	6	908
3	20 304 SS 4" CLAMPING SILL PLATE	6/3	103	308
4	10 304 SS 4" CLAMPING SILL PLATE	6/3	94	3
5	20 304 SS 9" BY 6" BLADDER WEDGE PLATE	6/3	715	3
6	10 304 SS 9" BY 6" BLADDER WEDGE PLATE	6/3	357	3
7	MAN CLAMP CASTINGS 6" WEDGE 45°	6/3	230	308
8	HINGE FLAP (APP. 15" X 14.75" X 1.5")	6/3	223	6
9	BLADDER WEDGE AREA CONCRETE SHAPING FORMS	6/3	10	3
RESTRAINING STRAP ANCHOR & CLAMPS				
10	2.0" UNC X 50" 304 SS RS ANCHOR ASSEMBLES	6/4	64	24
11	2.0" UNC SS NUTS	6/4		24
12	2.0" SS FLAT WASHERS	6/4		24
13	2.0" UNC X 5" LONG BOLT (GATE)	6/4		12
14	3/8" X 9.5" X 3" RS CLAMP ASS. LOWER	6/4	290	12
15	3/8" X 9.5" X 3" RS CLAMP ASS. UPPER	6/4	290	12
16	NYLON ROD 1/2" X 24"	6/4		24
17	RESTRAINING STRAPS (APP. 16" X 24" X .75")	6/4	137	12
AIR SUPPLY CONNECTIONS				
18	1" BRASS BLADDER FITTING	9/1		6
19	1" NPT 250 PSIG CAST BRASS ELBOW	9/1		6
20	1" NPT XT BRASS HOSE BARR	9/1		6
21	1/2"-1.5" SS HOSE SCREW CLAMPS	9/1		24
22	1" MM&K-XTF 3,000 PSIG GATES HOSE	9/1		20
23	1" NPT X 1" SS HOSE BARR	9/1		6
24	3.0" X 1.0" NPT SS BUSHING	9/1		6
25	3.0" SS WELD BY NPT ELBOW	9/1		6
GATES				
26	1/4" SS UNC NUTS FOR INTER PANEL SEALS	6/3		380
27	1/4" SS UNC FLAT WASHERS FOR INTER PANEL SEALS	6/3		380
28	1.25" UNC SS NUTS FOR HINGE RETAINERS	6/3		305
29	1.25" UNC FLAT WASHERS FOR HINGE RETAINERS	6/3		305
30	1.25" UNC X 4.0" LONG SS BOLTS FOR FLING RB	6/4		138
31	1.25" UNC SS NUTS FOR FLANGE RB	6/4		138
32	1.25" SS FLAT WASHERS FOR FLANGE RB	6/4		138
33	1/2" X 1.5" UNC SS HEX BOLTS FOR NAPPE BRKR	6/2		48
34	1/2" SS FLAT WASHERS FOR NAPPE BRKR	6/2		48
35	1/2" UNC X 1.5" LONG ALLAN SCREWS	6/3		14
36	INCLINOMETER	6/3		3
37	SEAL RETAINER (SETS)	6/3		54
38	ABUTMENT SEALS (APP. 22" X 7.25" X 1")	6/4		6
39	INTER-PANEL SEALS (APP. 22" X 8" X .75")	6/4		3
40	HYDRAON PIECES (12" X 36")	6/5		2
41	NAPPE BREAKER (APP. 18" X 8" X 1.5")	6/2		7
42	HINGE RETAINER (APP. 24" X 1.25" X 3")	6/5		25
43	GATE PANELS (6 SETS)	6/2	8950 (EACH)	12
ABUTMENTS				
44	ABUTMENT PLATES (6 SETS OF 3 PIECES) US: 470; M: 138; DS: 180	6/2	3031 (EACH)	6
BLADDERS				
45	BLADDERS (APP. 15" X 11" X 4")	6/2	2540	6
COMPRESSOR PACKAGE				
46	COMPRESSOR ROTARY IR UP25-125-BM	6/2	1203	2
47	STARTUP KIT			2
48	PRE-FILTER IR HE 375	9/2		1
49	IR HE 375 FILTER ELEMENTS	9/2		1
50	DRYER IR TS250	6/2	310	1
51	ACCUMULATOR TANK 240 GALLON	6/2	520	1
52	AUTOMATIC DRAIN VALVE EDV 2000	9/2		1
53	2" FULL PORT BRONZE SOFT SEAT BALL CHECK VALVE			1
MISCELLANEOUS				
54	AIR CONTROL CABINET (PAINTED) (NOTE 3)	9/3	860	1
55	1/2" X 4" ADHESIVE ANCHOR	9/3		4
56	MUFFLER	9/2	28	1

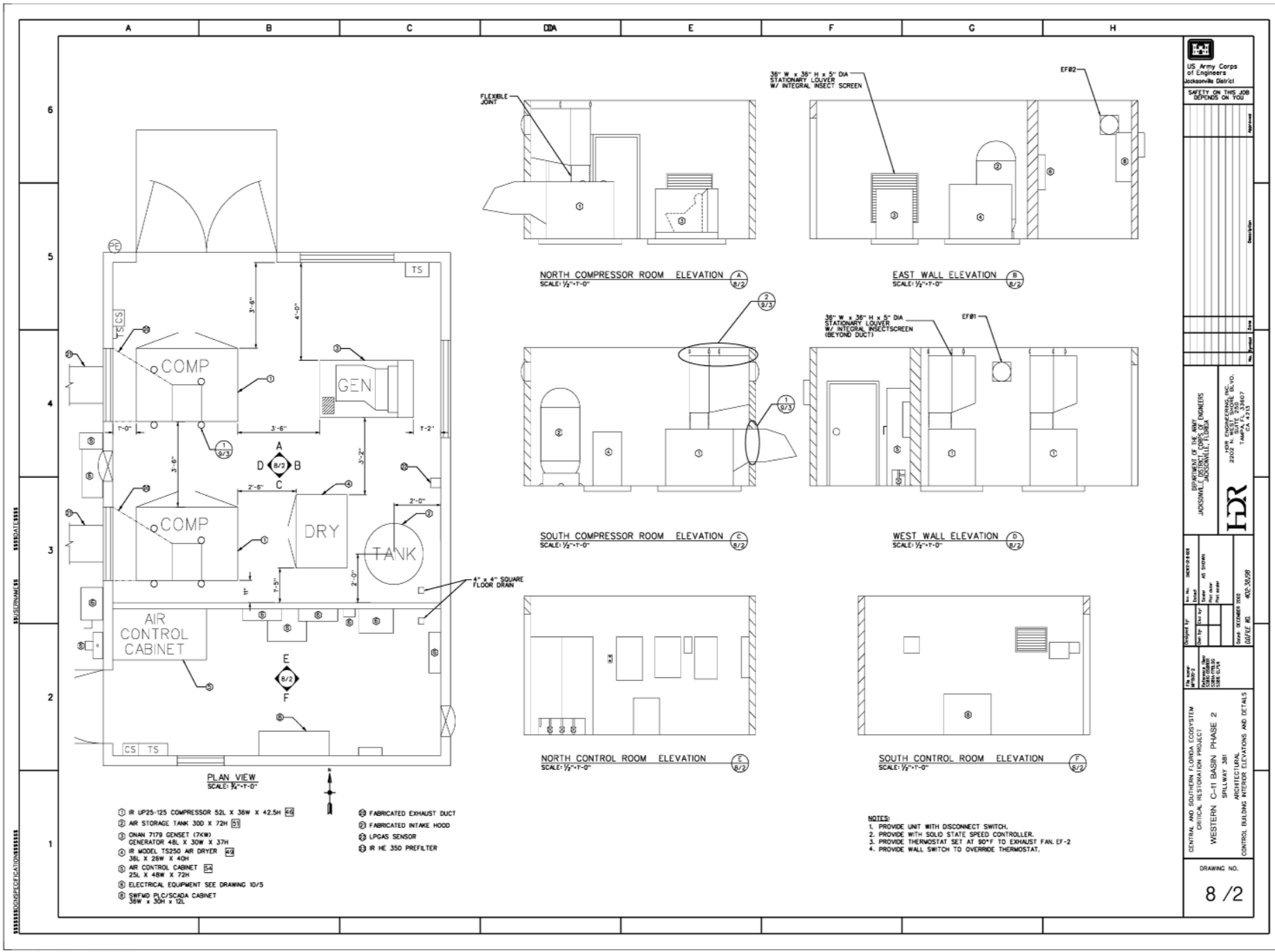
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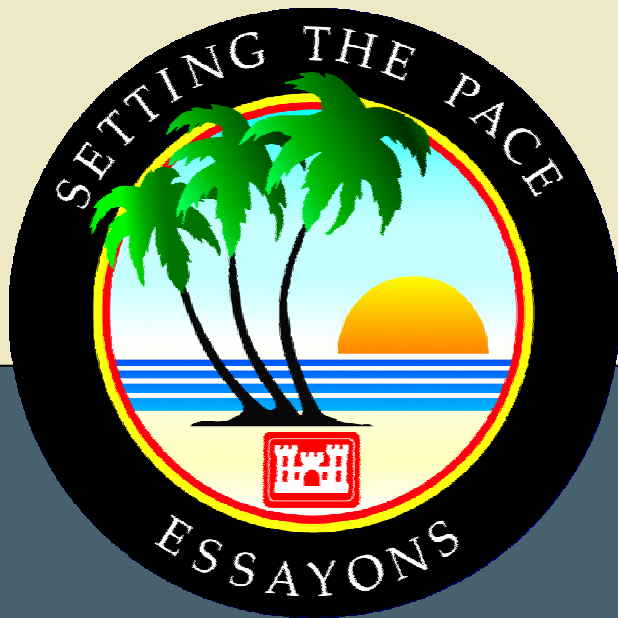
- Local sponsor (SFWMD) requested SST gates and abutment plates to reduce future O&M costs
- Bid Schedule – Fixed cost bid item provided for Obermeyer services and equipment:
 - Includes equipment
 - Transporting equipment to site
 - Providing on-site installation services
- Cost for 6 gates all OHI supplied material ~ \$1,000,000
- OHI parts warranty – 2 years



Final Comments

1. Jacksonville's H&H Branch has adopted these structures and proposed them on several future projects
2. Lower profile spillway structure that is mechanically much simpler due to no operating platform and may possibly save money
3. Use of this product successfully resolved a design dilemma for the Jacksonville District





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Video Presentation

Shows several of their installations

Benefits discussed include

- Drop gates without power (during floods)
- Gates can be independently operated
- Does not use hydraulic fluids
- Gates up to 10 meters tall
- Versatile, numerous applications



