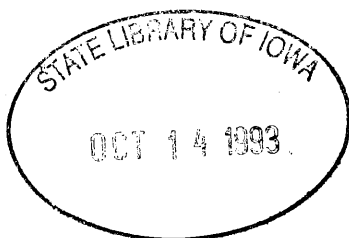


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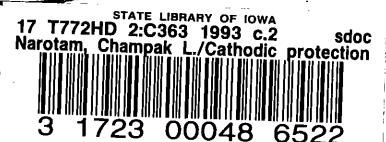
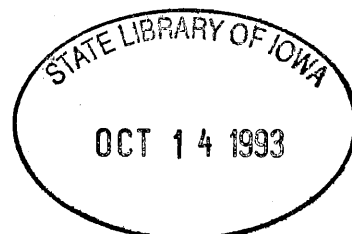
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BACKGROUND

Bridge deck deterioration due to corrosive effects of deicers on reinforcing steel is a problem facing many transportation agencies, particularly on aging bridge decks containing black steel. Deterioration of the deck is of utmost concern on continuous box girder bridges, where the decks are integral parts of the load supporting structure.

Many different rehabilitation techniques have been tried over the past years to repair bridge decks. The Iowa Low Slump Dense Concrete System has been a very effective method.

Cathodic protection is another rehabilitation method that has emerged. The application of an external source of direct current to the embedded reinforcing steel and a sacrificial anode protects the steel from corrosion.

The technology involved in cathodic protection as applied to bridge decks has improved in recent years. New and better anode materials have significantly increased the life expectancy of the anode, which is the integral part of the cathodic protection system.

The Elgard Corporation Titanium Anode Mesh impressed current system was selected for several reasons. The Elgard system, manufactured by Elgard Corporation of Chardon, Ohio, is readily

adaptable to the Iowa System of bridge deck rehabilitation. The mesh also provides uniform current density with thousands of current paths to prevent system failures from cracks, core samples, or saw cuts.

PROJECT LOCATION AND CONDITION

The Elgard Corporation cathodic protection system was installed on the northbound Pennsylvania Avenue bridge over I-235 in Des Moines (Station 502+78.92, I-235, Polk County). The bridge was built in 1962 and is a continuous concrete box girder with 7 3/4 inches of reinforced concrete deck. The structure has approximately 9560 square feet (265.5' x 36') of deck surface.

The Iowa Department of Transportation performed a bridge deck survey prior to the installation of the cathodic protection system. The survey included the following: 1) visual survey of the deck; 2) delamination map of the deck; 3) chloride content at the top mat of reinforcing steel; and 4) corrosion potential map of the deck.

The visual survey (Appendix A) showed a few asphalt patches and spalled areas, especially at the south abutment. The delamination map (Appendix B) showed 210 square feet of delaminated area. Cores of the deck and the chloride contents (Appendix C) were taken at several depths. Corrosion potentials

were determined with a copper-copper sulfate half-cell (Appendix D) and the core locations were noted on these plots.

CONTRACTS AND CONTRACTORS

On January 22, 1992 the Iowa Department of Transportation let a contract (Appendix E) for the bridge deck rehabilitation and cathodic protection system installation. Cramer and Associates, Inc. of Des Moines, Iowa was the successful bidder for the project.

BRIDGE DECK PREPARATION

The bridge deck was rehabilitated under traffic so the east one-third was done first and then the west two-thirds. The deck was prepared in accordance with 1984 Iowa Standard Specifications for Highway and Bridge Construction, Section 2413.05 (Appendix F). The deck required only Class A bridge floor repair. Approximately 754 square feet or 8% of the deck surface was removed down to the level of the top mat of reinforcing steel (Appendix G). On this project, instead of monolithically placing the overlay, all Class A repairs were made prior to placement of the surface course. This construction procedure facilitated installation of the anode, and also, prevented the potential for shorting due to the direct contact of the anode to the reinforcing steel.

INSTALLATION OF CATHODIC PROTECTION SYSTEM

The design of the cathodic protection system was accomplished by Elgard Corporation. A key factor in the design was that the installation had to be done in two phases so that one side of the bridge could remain open. Elgard furnished complete plans for the installation to the contractors and also provided trained personnel to supervise the installation.

The rehabilitation on the east one-third of the bridge was completed and the steel continuity testing began. Any discontinuous steel was thermit welded to achieve electrical continuity. Next, the areas of exposed rebar were covered with a mat to prevent a short between the anode and the rebar (Figure 1). The anode mesh (Appendix H) was rolled out and fastened down with pushpin fasteners (Figure 2).

Since the zones were split due to staging, the current density strips were attached with extra length (Figure 3) to attach to the west two-thirds of the anode mesh in each zone.

On July 10, 1992, the 2-inch overlay was placed on the east one-third of the bridge while bonding grout was sprayed ahead of the paver (Figure 4).

After the overlay was allowed to cure, the traffic was routed on the east one-third of the bridge and work began on the west two-thirds of the deck.

The deck was removed and the Class A repair work was completed. The areas of exposed rebar were also covered with a mat.

Next, three holes, one for each zone, were drilled through the deck (Figure 5) to allow access to the wiring under the bridge. With the system negative and the graphite reference electrodes in place (Figure 6), the electrical connections were placed in trenches and ran through the access holes (Figure 7). The locations of the access holes, reference electrodes, and wiring for each zone may be found in Appendix I.

The anode mat was rolled on the deck and fastened with the pushpin fasteners (Figure 8) and then the current density strips from the east one-third of the bridge were tied to the current density strips on the west two-thirds of the deck.

On July 27, 1992 the 2-inch overlay was placed on the west two-thirds of the deck with a sprayed on bonding grout (Figure 9).



Figure 1
Anode Mat to Prevent Short Between
Anode and Exposed Rebar



Figure 2
Drilling Holes for Placing Pushpin Fasteners



Figure 3
Welding Current Density Strip to Anode With Extra
Length to Connect Both Sides of Zone

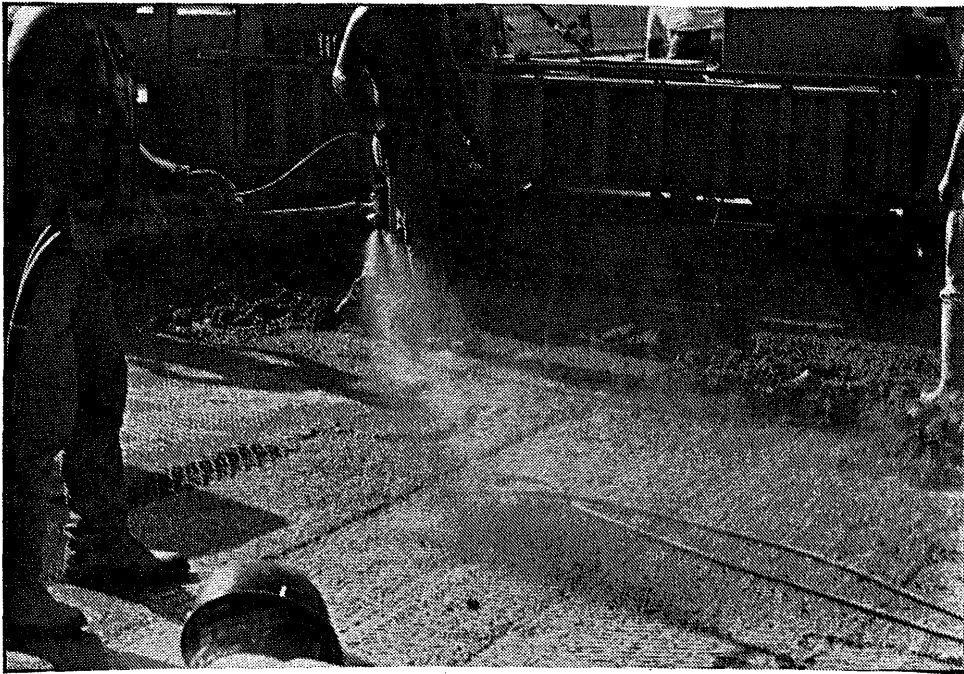


Figure 4
Spraying Grout Ahead of Paver

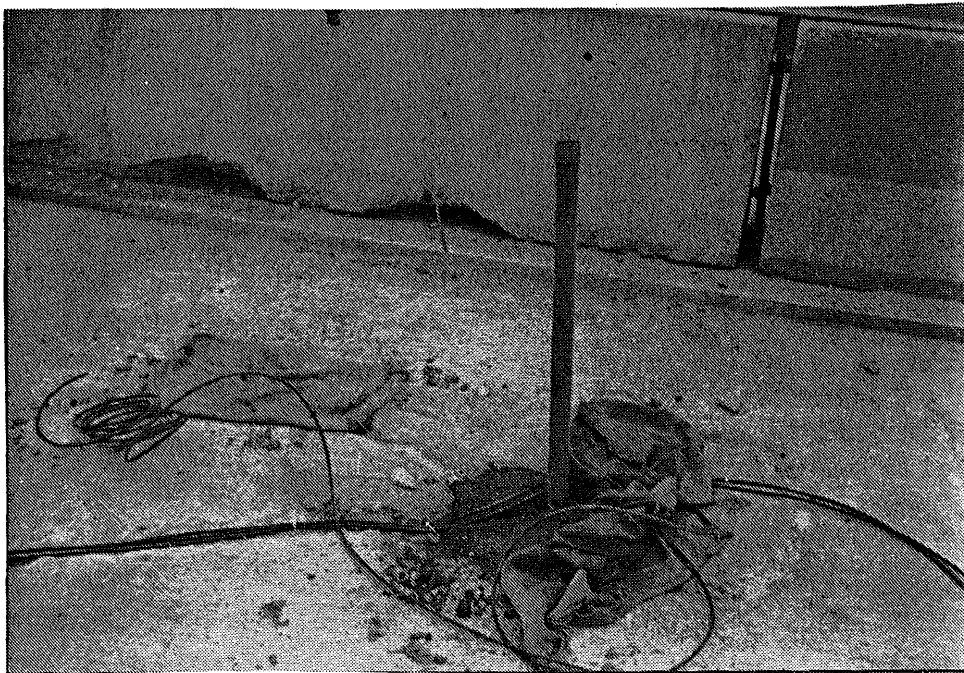


Figure 5
Access Hole in Deck



Figure 6
System Negatives and Graphite Reference Electrode

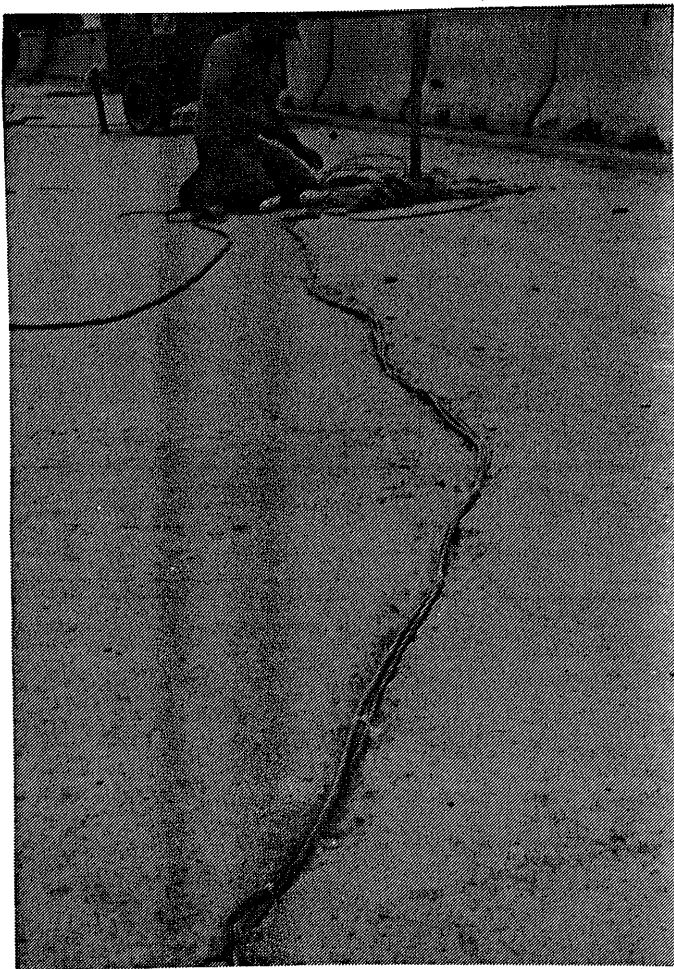


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Electrical Connection
in Trench

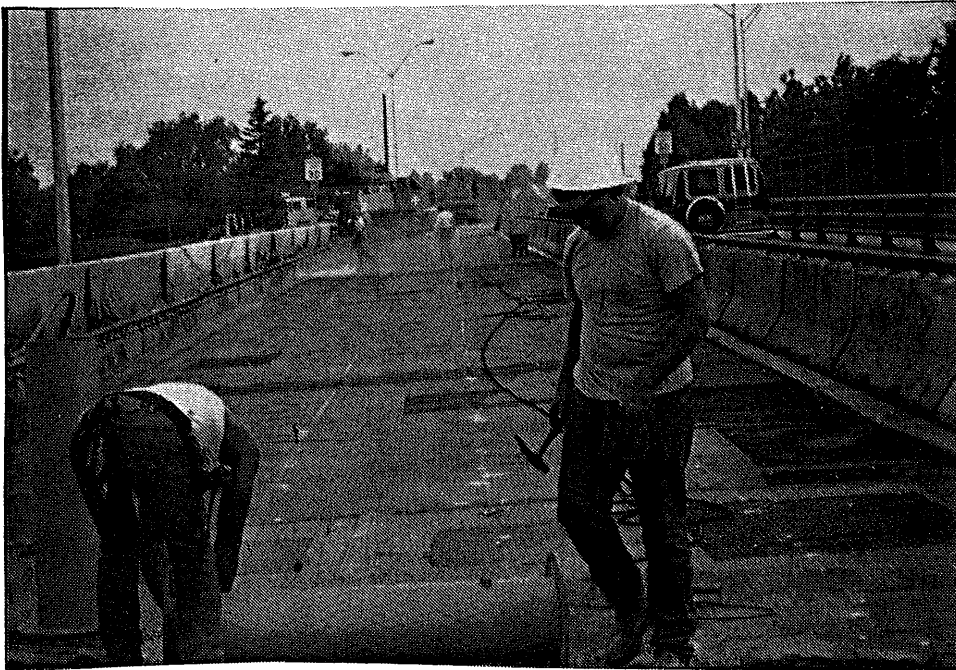


Figure 8
Overview of Deck With Anode in Place



Figure 9
Placing Overlay, Spraying Grout,
and Plywood Runway for Concrete Buggies

POST CONSTRUCTION AND SYSTEM START-UP

The electrical work was completed by running the wiring through conduit placed under the deck and then through an empty conduit to a hand hole placed through a lighting contract.

The constant current rectifier/control resistance box (CRB) unit (Figure 10, Appendix J) on the electric pole approximately 180 feet southeast of the southeast corner of the bridge (Figure 11) and the deck wiring was connected.

The system began operation on October 9, 1992. Elgard Corporation was present to adjust the system to the calculated values for adequate protection (Appendix K). The system began operation at a current density of 1 ma/sq. ft.

On November 13, 1992 a four-hour depolarization test (Appendix L) was conducted to check for the 100 millvolt shift which ensures adequate protection. Each zone showed an adequate shift and the current settings were adjusted.

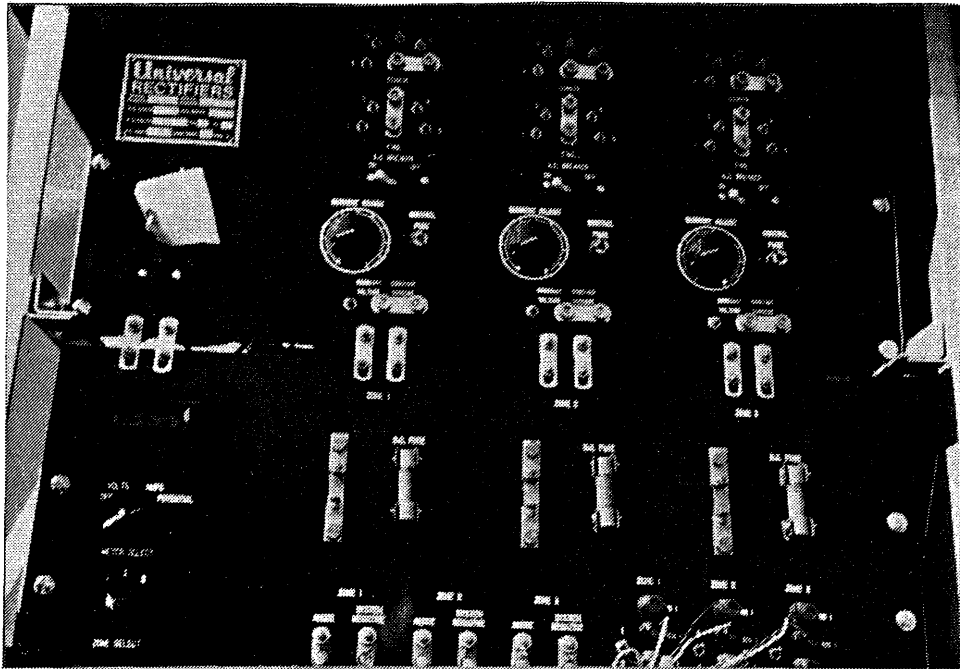


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Rectifier/CRB Unit

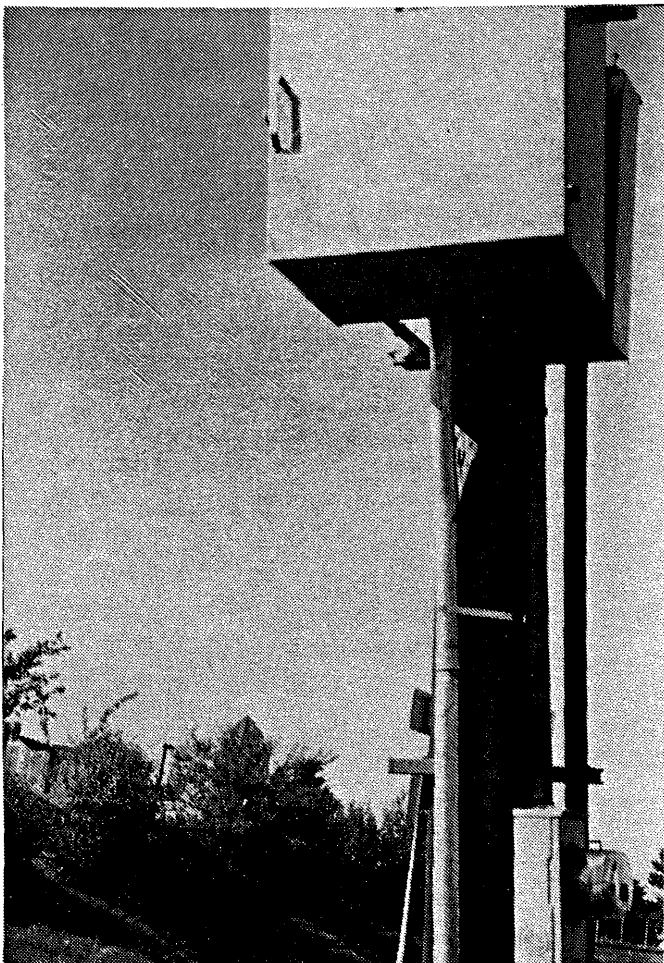


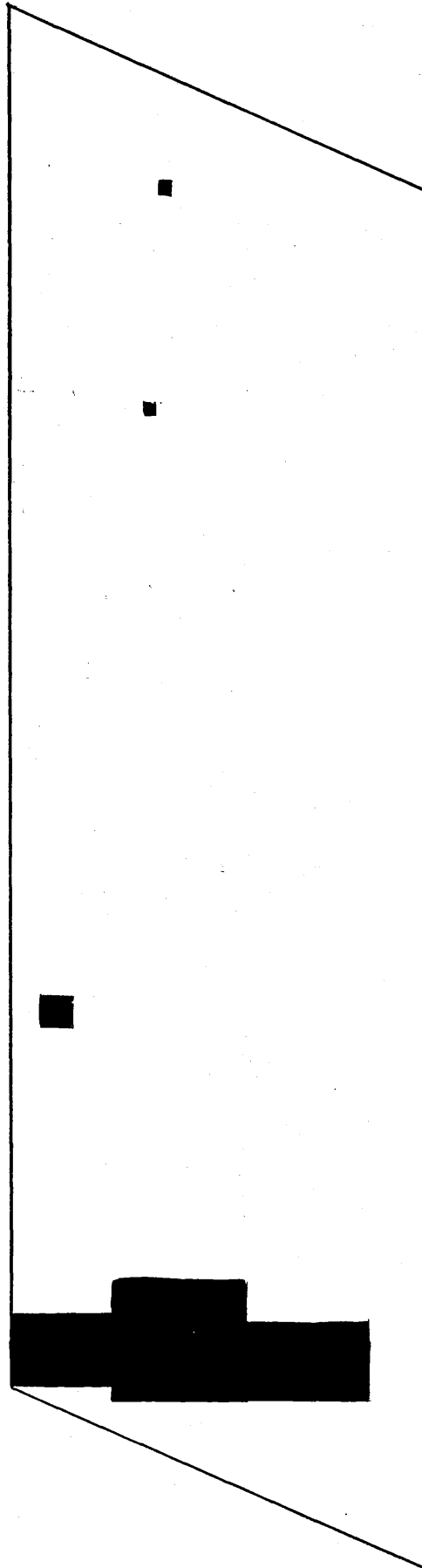
Figure 11
Rectifier/CRB Place
on Electrical Pole

CONCLUSIONS AND FUTURE PLANS

The Elgard 200 Titanium Anode Mesh Cathodic Protection System is readily adaptable to construction methods used in the Iowa System of bridge deck repair. The thousands of current paths in the anode makes it a more reliable anode over time. The data to date indicates that the reinforcing steel is being adequately protected.

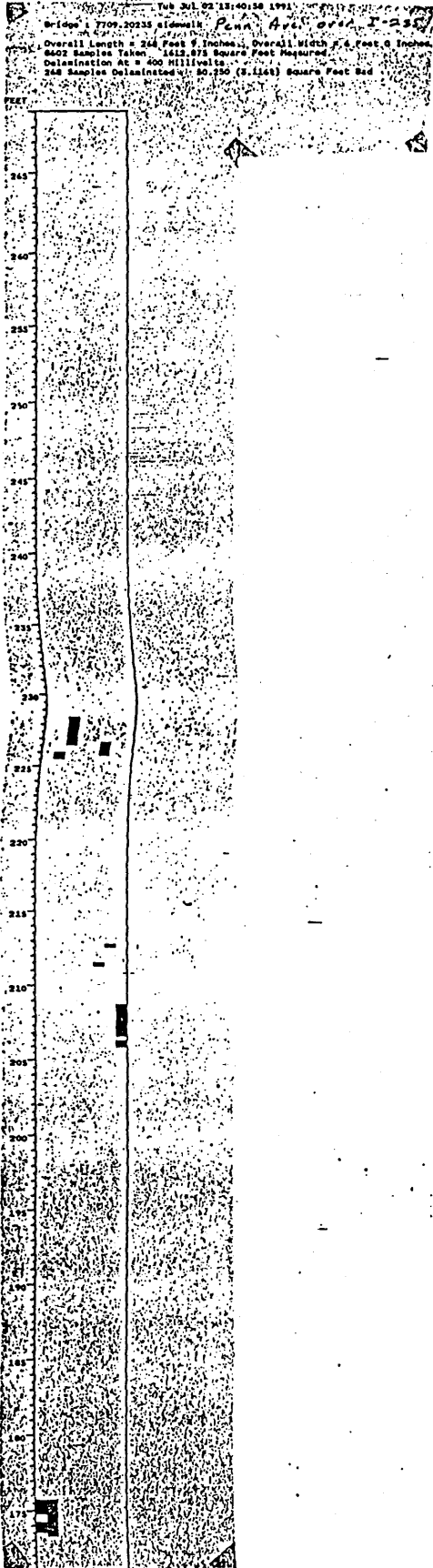
The cathodic protection system will continue to be monitored on a monthly basis and a four-hour depolarization test is planned in the spring of 1993.

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Visual Survey - Patches and Spalled Areas

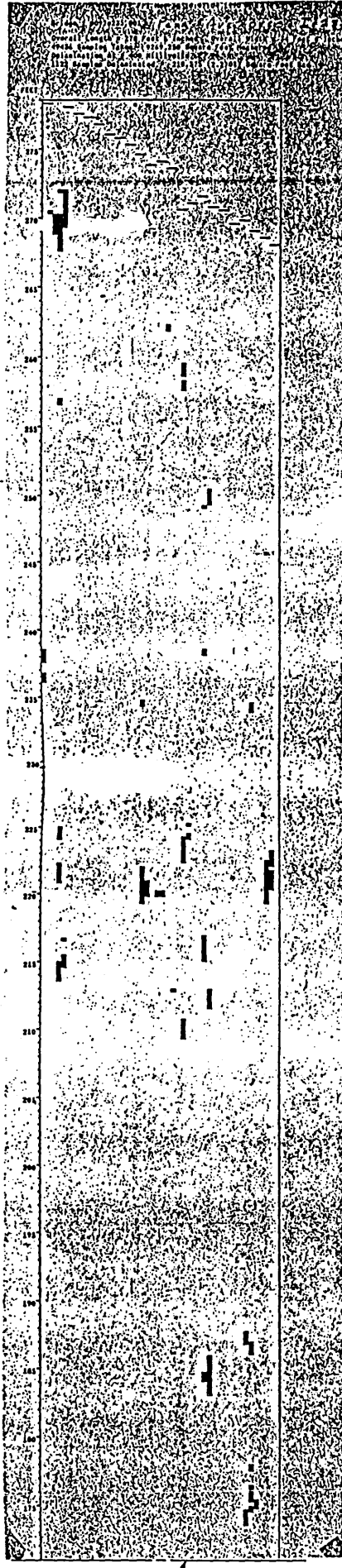


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Appendix B
Delamination Survey



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Design for Repairs to a 15' Slew
265'-6" x 36' CONTINUOUS CONCRETE
BOX GIRDER BRIDGE
 32'-6" gir-O, gir-O, gir-O, gir-O, gir-O Spans

SURVEY PLOT
 Station 502+78.52
POLK COUNTY
 IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION-HIGHWAY DIVISION
 Design Sheet No. 2, Of 20, File No. 28351, Design No. 622

September, 1975

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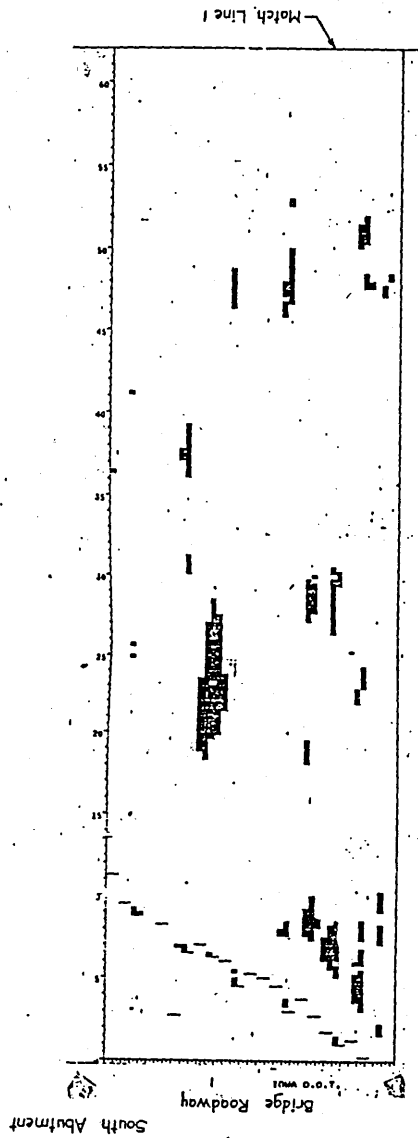
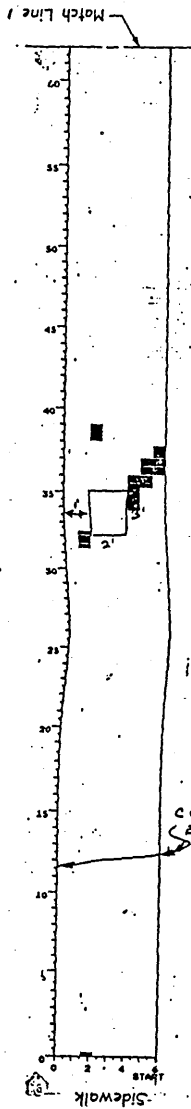
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Design for: Repairs to a 15' Skew
265'-6" x 36' CONTINUOUS CONCRETE
BOX GIRDER BRIDGE
 32'-6", 61'-0", 61'-0", 61'-0", 50'-0" Spans
SURVEY PLOT
 Station 502+78.52 to I-235 September, 1962
POLK COUNTY
 IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION-HIGHWAY DIVISION
 Design Sheet No. 8 Of 20 File No. 28391 Design No. 62

Polk COUNTY

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SURVEY PLOT
 Station 502+78.32 to 1+235
POLK COUNTY
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Appendix C
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Bureau of Operations
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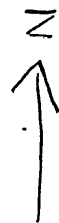
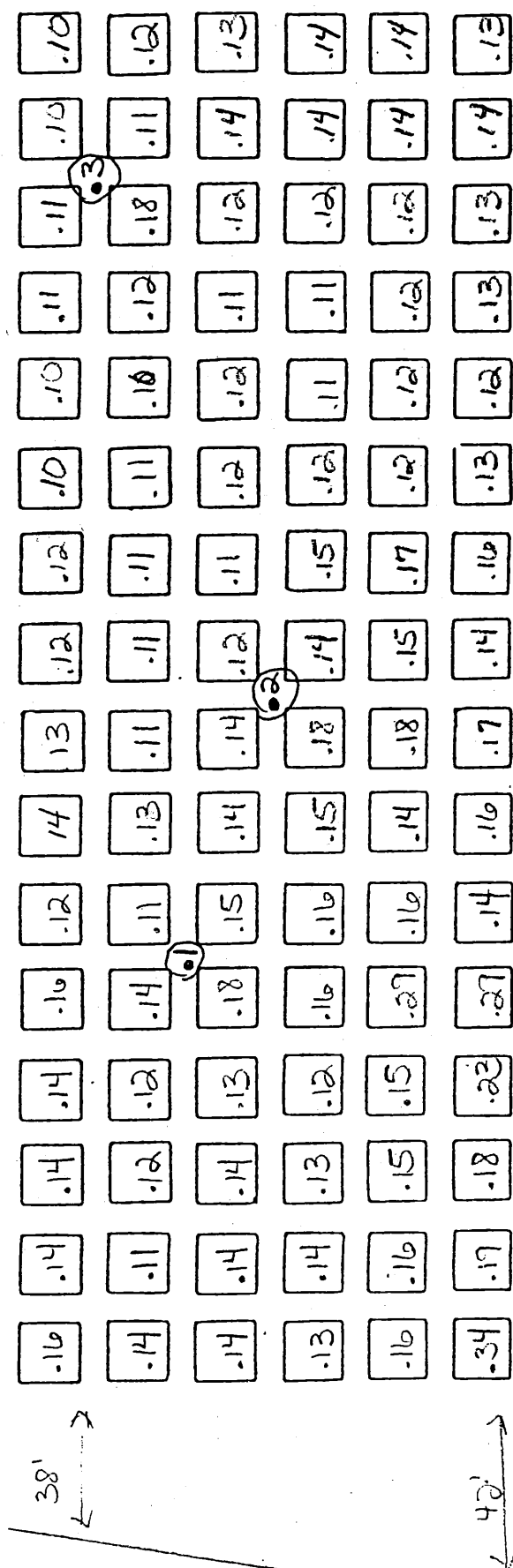
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C. Narotam
T. Hanson
C.
Anderson

Samples for Chloride Determination

Design No. _____ Project IR-235-2(213)80--12-77 County Polk
Samples from Pennsylvania Ave. Bridge Samples taken by C. Anderson & T. Hanson Date 5-13-92
Bridge Dim. L= 270 W= 36 Samples submitted by C. Anderson Date 5-20-92
Location _____ Date Reported _____
Submission Report No. _____

| Lab. No. | Core Number | Station | Dist. from C or | Dist. from # | lbs/cu. yd. | | Sub Sample Depths | | | | | | Depth of Res. |
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| 62 | 206 | | | | 13.68 | 8.63 | 2.01 | 2.55 | | | | | |

Appendix D
Corrosion Potentials



17'6" ↔

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↔ 13'3"

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North Pier

Appendix E
Contract

County POLK Project No. IR-235-2(213)80--12-77
 Res. Engr. WAYNE SUNDAY Address DES MOINES RCE 521200
 Letting Date JANUARY 22, 1992 Liquidated Damages \$200 PER DAY
 Special Prov. FHWA-1273 08/01/89, SP-1043 01/07/92, SS- 964 07/31/84,
SS-1062 08/01/88, SS-1073 12/20/88, SS-1089 12/05/89,
SS-1093 12/05/89, SS-5003 05/01/90, SS-5025 03/26/91,
SS-5040 01/07/92

Date Started _____ Field Comp. _____ Cert. Comp. _____

Form 850019 4-88 H-8288

CONTRACT

NO. 33911

County POLK Project No. IR-235-2(213)80--12-77
 Type of Work BRIDGE FLOOR REPAIR Miles _____
 Cost Center 601000 Object Code 892 Milepost _____ TO _____
OVER I-235, ON PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE IN THE CITY OF
DES MOINES.

This agreement made and entered by and between the IOWA DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION AUSTIN TURNER, DOUGLAS SHULL, ROBERT H. MEIER,
SHEIDA HERTZKE BEENER, SUZAN STEWART, CATHERINE DUNN & MARLIN VOLZ
JR. Contracting Authority, and
CRAMER AND ASSOC., INC. OF DES MOINES, IOWA
00010200 Contractor.

It is agreed that the notice and instructions to bidders, the proposal filed herein, the general specifications of the Iowa Department of Transportation for 1984, together with supplemental specifications and special provisions, together with the general and detailed plans, if any, for said project IR-235-2(213)80--12-77, together with Contractor's performance bond, are made a part hereof and together with this instrument constitute the contract. This contract contains all of the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties hereto. A true copy of said plans and specifications is now on file in the office of the Contracting Authority under date of JANUARY 17, 1992.

Contractor, for and in consideration of \$ ****234,473.10, payable as set forth in the specifications constituting a part of this contract, agrees to construct various items of work and/or provide various materials or supplies in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor, and in the locations designated in the Notice to Bidders.

Contractor certifies by his signature on this contract, under pain of penalties for false certification, that he has complied with Iowa Code Section 324.17(8) (1985) as amended, if applicable.

In consideration of the foregoing, Contracting Authority hereby agrees to pay the Contractor promptly and according to the requirements of the specifications the amounts set forth, subject to the conditions as set forth in the specifications.

It is further understood and agreed that the above work shall be commenced or completed in accordance with the following schedule:

| GROUP | START. DATE | COMPL. DATE | WORK. DAYS |
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| GROUP 1 | | 09/25/92 | 70 |

Time is the essence of this contract.

To accomplish the purpose herein expressed, Contracting Authority and Contractor have signed this and four other identical instruments as of the _____ day of _____.

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

By _____
 Contracting Authority

CRAMER AND ASSOC., INC. OF DES MOINES, IOWA

By _____

CONTRACT PRICES

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Bid Order No. 34

Contractor's No. 1, 0, 2, 0, 0

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| 0010 | BRIDGE FLOOR REPAIR, CLASS A | 177 SQ. YDS. | 50.0000 | | 8,850.00 | |
| 0020 | BRIDGE FLOOR OVERLAY | 1356 SQ. YDS. | 45.0000 | | 61,020.00 | |
| 0030 | HANDRAIL, HAULING & STORING EXISTING | 1 LUMP SUM | 3000.0000 | | 3,000.00 | |
| 0040 | RAIL, STEEL SIDEWALK | 299.6 LINEAR FT | 35.0000 | | 10,486.00 | |
| 0050 | REPAIR, CONCRETE | 1 LUMP SUM | 4500.0000 | | 4,500.00 | |
| 0060 | TEMPORARY BARRIER RAIL, FURNISH ONLY | 450 LINEAR FT | 8.0000 | | 3,600.00 | |
| 0070 | TEMPORARY BARRIER RAIL, PLACE ONLY | 900 LINEAR FT | 2.0000 | | 1,800.00 | |
| 0080 | SEALER, CONCRETE, AS PER PLAN | 1250 SQUARE FT | 1.5000 | | 1,875.00 | |
| 0090 | RAIL, CONCRETE BARRIER (CAST-IN-PLACE) | 611.7 LINEAR FT | 37.0000 | | 22,632.90 | |
| 0100 | CATHODIC PROTECTION SYSTEM | 1 LUMP SUM | 75000.0000 | | 75,000.00 | |
| 0110 | FENCE, CHAIN LINK, AS PER PLAN | 2.98 STAS. | 840.0000 | | 2,503.20 | |
| 0120 | BARRIER, CONCRETE, APPROACH, MODIFIED | 2 ONLY | 1500.0000 | | 3,000.00 | |
| 0130 | GROUND ROD, AS PER PLAN | 6 ONLY | 70.0000 | | 420.00 | |
| 0140 | JUNCTION BOX, RM-9, AS PER PLAN | 2 ONLY | 460.0000 | | 920.00 | |
| 0150 | HANDHOLE, RM-17, AS PER PLAN | 7 ONLY | 370.0000 | | 2,590.00 | |
| 0160 | BASE, ADAPTOR, AS PER PLAN | 2 ONLY | 360.0000 | | 720.00 | |
| 0170 | CONNECTOR, RM-12, AS PER PLAN | 20 ONLY | 35.0000 | | 700.00 | |
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| 0190 | CONDUIT, RIGID STEEL, 3/4 IN. DIA. | 20 LINEAR FT | 5.0000 | | 100.00 | |
| 0200 | CONDUIT, PLASTIC, TYPE 2, 2 IN. DIA. | 260 LINEAR FT | 5.0000 | | 1,300.00 | |
| 0210 | CABLE, 1/C NO. 8 AWG 600 V | 1720 LINEAR FT | 0.6000 | | 1,032.00 | |
| 0220 | GROUND WIRE, BARE COPPER, 6 AWG | 860 LINEAR FT | 0.6500 | | 559.00 | |

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| 0240 | MOBILIZATION | 1 LUMP SUM | 15000.0000 | | 15,000.00 | |
| | | TOTAL FOR GROUP 1 | | | \$234,473.10 | |
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Appendix F
Standard Specification for Deck Preparation

2413.05 PREPARATION OF SURFACE FOR REPAIR AND OVERLAY. Concrete shall be removed from each area, designated on the plans or by the Engineer, to a depth and in a manner consistent with the classification for that area. Areas as shown on the plans are based on the best information available; actual areas will be determined by the Engineer.

A. Class A Bridge Floor Repair. Concrete may be removed by chipping or by a combination of scarifying and chipping, except that final clean up, in any case, shall be by use of hand tools. Class A repair removal shall be considered to start 1/4 inch below the existing surface, but this shall not preclude removal coincidental with preparation for overlay. Removal for Class A repair shall extend at least to the level of the top of the top reinforcing bars, and the removal shall extend deeper, as necessary, to remove unsound concrete. All reinforcing bars and newly exposed concrete shall be thoroughly cleaned by sandblasting or shotblasting. Where bond between existing concrete and reinforcing steel has been destroyed, the concrete adjacent to the bar shall be removed to a depth that will permit new concrete to bond to the entire periphery of the bar so exposed. A minimum of 3/4-inch clearance shall be required around the bar. Care shall be exercised to prevent cutting, stretching, or damaging any exposed reinforcing steel. The Engineer may require enlarging a designate portion should inspection indicate deterioration of concrete or corrosion of reinforcing beyond the limits previously designated.

B. Class B Bridge Floor Repair. Within all areas designated for Class B repair, and any designated areas of Class A repair in which the depth of the remaining sound concrete is less than 50 percent of the original depth of the bridge floor, all concrete shall be removed. Designated Class A repair areas shall be measured as Class B Bridge Floor Repair when full-depth removal is required. At the direction of the Engineer, limited areas of removal greater than 50 percent of the floor thickness, such as beneath reinforcing, may be allowed; these limited areas of excess depth will be measured as Class A Bridge Floor Repair. Concrete may be removed by chipping or by a combination of scarifying and chipping, except that the final removal at the periphery of Class B repair areas shall be accomplished by 15-pound chipping hammers or hand tools. Class B repair removal shall be considered to start 1/4 inch below the existing surface, but this shall not preclude removal coincidental with preparation for overlay. All exposed reinforcing bars and newly exposed concrete shall be thoroughly cleaned by sandblasting or shotblasting. Care shall be exercised to prevent cutting, stretching, or damaging exposed reinforcing. Forms shall be provided to enable placement of new concrete in the full-depth opening. The forms shall preferably be suspended from existing reinforcing bars by wire ties. Forms may, in the case of large-area openings, be supported by blocking from the beam flanges. Forms will in all cases be supported by elements of the existing superstructure unless specifically noted or shown otherwise on the plans.

C. Bridge Floor Overlay. The entire existing concrete floor area shall be uniformly scarified or prepared to a depth of 1/4 inch, except over areas of Class A and B repair where the 1/4-inch removal may be coincidental with operations for repair removal. Removal to a greater depth will be required at drains and elsewhere, as noted on the plans.

D. General. The thickness of concrete above the prepared surface or reinforcing steel shall be at least 3-4 inch and shall be greater if specified on the plans. The clearance shall be checked in the following manner before concrete is placed. A filler block having a thickness 1-8 inch less than the overlay thickness shall be attached to the bottom of the screed; with screed guides in place, the screed shall be passed

over the area to be concreted. As an alternate to passage of the finishing machine, an approved template, supported by the screed guides, may be passed over the overlay area. Where the intended clearance does not allow use of this method, a stringline or other means shall be used, subject to approval of the Engineer. All old concrete which does not have sufficient clearance shall be removed. All reinforcing steel which does not have sufficient clearance shall be depressed and fastened down. It may be necessary to remove concrete beneath some reinforcement to permit depressing the reinforcement adequately. The minimum clear distance around these bars for placement of new concrete shall be 3/4 inch.

Areas from which concrete has been removed shall be kept free of slurry produced by wet sawing of concrete joints. All such slurry shall be removed from prepared areas before new concrete is placed.

Hand tools shall be used to remove final particles of concrete or to achieve the required depth. The entire surface, including curbs and exposed reinforcement, against which new concrete is to be placed shall be sandblasted or shot-blasted. The cleaning shall be of such extent as to remove all dirt, oil, and other foreign material, as well as any unsound concrete. Immediately before applying grout in preparation for placement of new concrete, the surface shall be cleaned with air blast. For the portland cement concrete, it is not intended or desired that existing concrete, prepared for repair or overlay be presaturated with water before grout and new concrete is placed. The prepared surface shall be dry to allow some absorption of the grout.

At the time of placement of either PCC or latex-modified concrete, the area shall be clean and the reinforcement free of rust; rust forming because of dew on clean reinforcement overnight will not be considered objectionable, but reinforcement with a greater amount of rust shall be subject to recleaning before the concrete is placed. The area shall be cleaned by air blast before the concrete is placed.

For latex-modified concrete, the surface shall be flushed with water and kept wet for at least one hour before concrete placement. Puddles of free water shall be removed before covering with concrete.

2413.06 PROPORTIONING AND MIXING. The mixture shall be proportioned and mixed at the project site. Ready-mixed concrete shall not be approved.

The water-reducing admixture for improved workability of portland cement concrete shall be incorporated and mixed into

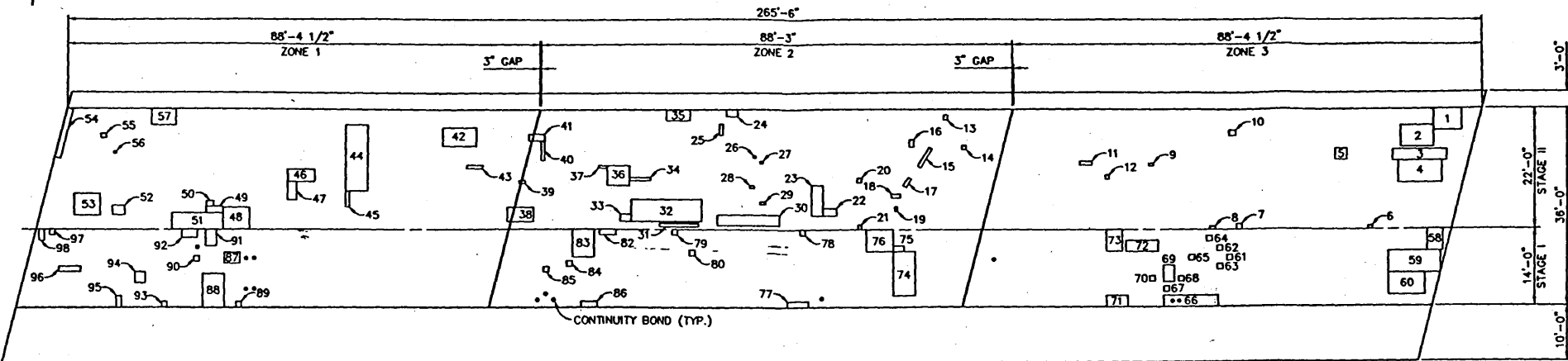
Appendix G
Class A Areas



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NOTES



PLAN VIEW DECK

| LOCATION | DELAM. SIZE |
|----------|-------------|
| 1 | 48" X 65" |
| 2 | 48" X 75" |
| 3 | 24" X 124" |
| 4 | 48" X 100" |
| 5 | 24" X 27" |
| 6 | 8" X 10" |
| 7 | 12" X 12" |
| 8 | 7" X 12" |
| 9 | 6" X 10" |
| 10 | 12" X 15" |
| 11 | 8" X 28" |
| 12 | 8" X 10" |
| 13 | 9" X 12" |
| 14 | 9" X 9" |
| 15 | 8" X 48" |
| 16 | 10" X 16" |
| 17 | 8" X 22" |
| 18 | 8" X 20" |
| 19 | 5" X 10" |
| 20 | 10" X 10" |
| 21 | 8" X 10" |
| 22 | 16" X 31" |
| 23 | 26" X 66" |
| 24 | 16" X 25" |
| 25 | 8" X 25" |
| 26 | 6" X 6" |
| 27 | 6" X 6" |
| 28 | 6" X 10" |
| 29 | 6" X 12" |
| 30 | 23" X 140" |

| LOCATION | DELAM. SIZE |
|----------|-------------|
| 31 | 7" X 86" |
| 32 | 48" X 157" |
| 33 | 16" X 24" |
| 34 | 7" X 48" |
| 35 | 25" X 53" |
| 36 | 44" X 48" |
| 37 | 6" X 20" |
| 38 | 32" X 60" |
| 39 | 7" X 14" |
| 40 | 8" X 43" |
| 41 | 15" X 36" |
| 42 | 40" X 75" |
| 43 | 8" X 36" |
| 44 | 48" X 146" |
| 45 | 8" X 34" |
| 46 | 27" X 60" |
| 47 | 20" X 40" |
| 48 | 48" X 61" |
| 49 | 15" X 37" |
| 50 | 12" X 16" |
| 51 | 36" X 116" |
| 52 | 20" X 28" |
| 53 | 48" X 57" |
| 54 | 13" X 110" |
| 55 | 9" X 12" |
| 56 | 5" X 6" |
| 57 | 36" X 56" |
| 58 | 36" X 48" |
| 59 | 48" X 120" |
| 60 | 47" X 84" |

| LOCATION | DELAM. SIZE |
|----------|-------------|
| 61 | 12" X 12" |
| 62 | 12" X 12" |
| 63 | 12" X 12" |
| 64 | 12" X 12" |
| 65 | 12" X 12" |
| 66 | 24" X 120" |
| 67 | 12" X 12" |
| 68 | 12" X 12" |
| 69 | 24" X 36" |
| 70 | 12" X 12" |
| 71 | 24" X 48" |
| 72 | 24" X 72" |
| 73 | 36" X 48" |
| 74 | 48" X 96" |
| 75 | 12" X 24" |
| 76 | 48" X 60" |
| 77 | 12" X 48" |
| 78 | 12" X 12" |
| 79 | 12" X 12" |
| 80 | 12" X 12" |
| 81 | 12" X 12" |
| 82 | 12" X 36" |
| 83 | 48" X 60" |
| 84 | 12" X 12" |
| 85 | 12" X 12" |
| 86 | 12" X 36" |
| 87 | 24" X 36" |
| 88 | 48" X 72" |
| 89 | 12" X 12" |
| 90 | 12" X 12" |

| LOCATION | DELAM. SIZE |
|----------|-------------|
| 91 | 24" X 36" |
| 92 | 18" X 36" |
| 93 | 12" X 12" |
| 94 | 24" X 24" |
| 95 | 12" X 24" |
| 96 | 12" X 48" |
| 97 | 12" X 12" |
| 98 | 12" X 24" |

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REFERENCE DRAWING

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IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
DWG. TITLE
ELGARD CATHODIC PROTECTION
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SPACER MESH LOCATIONS

FILE NAME
0462EF07
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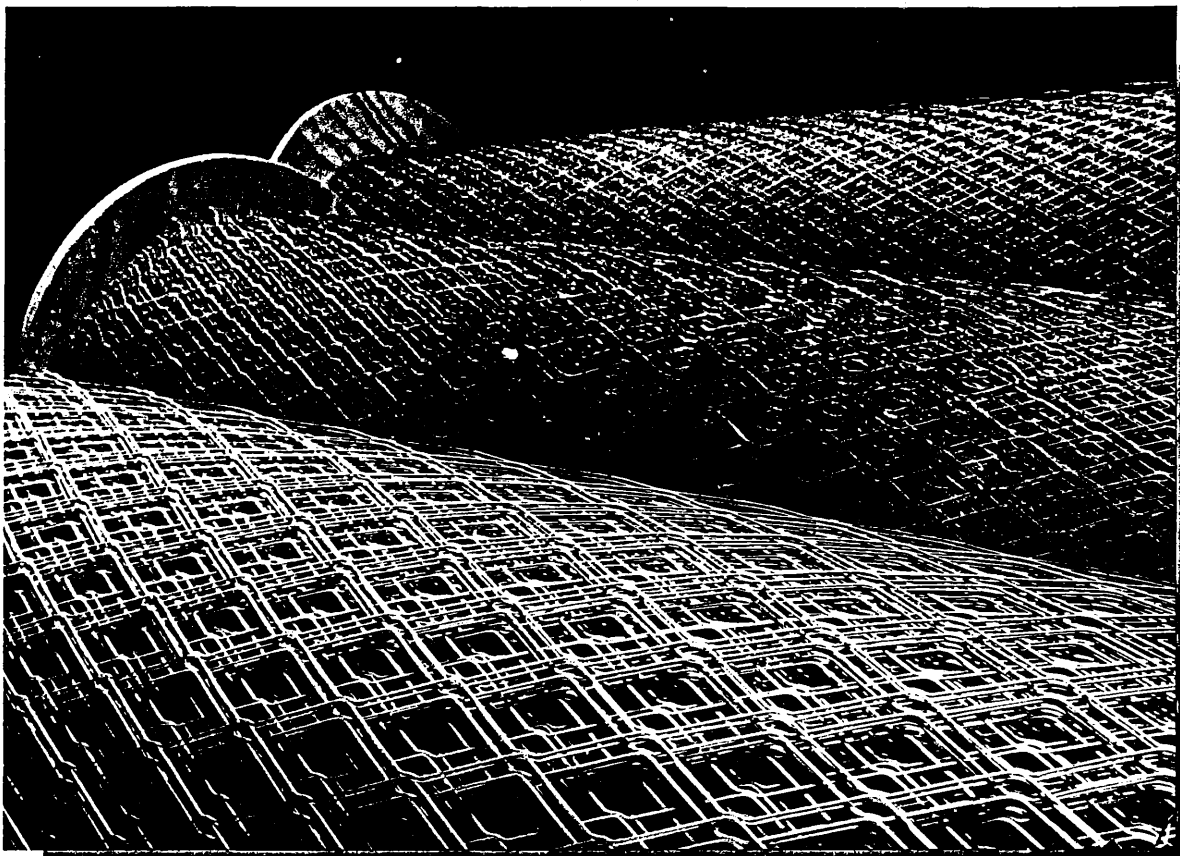
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Appendix H
Anode Mesh Specifications

Anode Mesh



Advanced Cathodic Protection System for Steel-Reinforced Concrete

Description:

ELGARD Anode Mesh is a key component of the ELGARD CP System. It is composed of a precious metal oxide catalyst sintered to a highly expanded titanium mesh substrate. ELGARD's proprietary CP technology is based on the dimensionally stable anode (DSA®) which draws upon patents granted and pending. Applications include structures such as bridge decks, substructures, sidewalks and abutments, elevated expressways, tunnels, parking garages, and industrial facilities.

Special Features:

- The ELGARD Anode Mesh does not affect the surrounding concrete and remains unchanged in shape, geometry, and dimension during its lifetime.
- The ELGARD Anode Mesh provides low electrical resistance, chemical stability, and much redundancy in the number of electrical paths.
- The ELGARD Anode Mesh is simple to install. Standard construction crews unroll the lightweight anode onto the concrete surface. The anode cuts easily with hand tools and can be flexibly bent, wrapped, and fitted around drains, curbs, columns, and other irregular configurations.

ELGARD™ Anode Mesh

MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

| | 150 Anode Mesh | 210 Anode Mesh | 300 Anode Mesh |
|--|--|--|--|
| MAXIMUM CONCRETE STRUCTURE CURRENT DENSITY | 2.0 mA/ft ² | 2.7 mA/ft ² | 3.9 mA/ft ² |
| CATALYST | | | |
| Composition | Mixed precious metal oxide | Mixed precious metal oxide | Mixed precious metal oxide |
| Specificity | Oxygen | Oxygen | Oxygen |
| Maximum anode-concrete interface current density | 13 mA/ft ² | 13 mA/ft ² | 13 mA/ft ² |
| MESH | | | |
| Composition | Titanium Gr. 1 | Titanium Gr. 1 | Titanium Gr. 1 |
| Width of roll | 45 in | 4 ft | 4 ft |
| Length | 267 ft | 250 ft | 250 ft |
| Diamond dimension | 3 in LWD x 1 1/8 in SWD | 3 in LWD x 1 1/8 in SWD | 2 in LWD x 0.92 in SWD |
| Resistance lengthwise (45 in wide) | .026 ohm/ft | .014 ohm/ft | .008 ohm/ft |
| Resistance widthwise with current distributor | .007 ohm/ft | .005 ohm/ft | .004 ohm/ft |
| Bending radius | 3/32 in | 3/32 in | 3/32 in |
| Bending radius in mesh plane | 50 ft | 50 ft | 50 ft |
| CURRENT DISTRIBUTOR | | | |
| Width | .5 in | .5 in | .5 in |
| Thickness | .040 in | .040 in | .040 in |
| Typical distance separating current distributors (mesh lengthwise) | 100 ft | 100 ft | 100 ft |
| Typical distance separating power feeds (mesh widthwise) | 30 ft | 30 ft | 30 ft |
| TITANIUM SUBSTRATE PROPERTIES | | | |
| Density | 0.163 lb/in ³ | 0.163 lb/in ³ | 0.163 lb/in ³ |
| Melting point | 3040°F | 3040°F | 3040°F |
| Coefficient of thermal expansion | 4.8x10 ⁻⁶ in/in/°F | 4.8x10 ⁻⁶ in/in/°F | 4.8x10 ⁻⁶ in/in/°F |
| Modulus of elasticity | 14.9x10 ⁶ PSI | 14.9x10 ⁶ PSI | 14.9x10 ⁶ PSI |
| Thermal conductivity @ room temperature | 9.0 BTU/hr/ft ² /°F/ft | 9.0 BTU/hr/ft ² /°F/ft | 9.0 BTU/hr/ft ² /°F/ft |
| Specific heat @ room temperature | 0.124 BTU/lb/°F | 0.124 BTU/lb/°F | 0.124 BTU/lb/°F |
| Resistivity | 56 x 10 ⁻⁶ ohm-cm | 56 x 10 ⁻⁶ ohm-cm | 56 x 10 ⁻⁶ ohm-cm |
| Weldability | Good | Good | Good |
| Tensile strength | 35,000 PSI min | 35,000 PSI min | 35,000 PSI min |
| Yield strength, 0.2% offset | 25,000 PSI min | 25,000 PSI min | 25,000 PSI min |
| Elongation, sheet > .025 thick | 24% min | 24% min | 24% min |
| Chemical composition | 0.08 C 0.20 Fe 0.03 N 0.18 O 0.015 H max | 0.08 C 0.20 Fe 0.03 N 0.18 O 0.015 H max | 0.08 C 0.20 Fe 0.03 N 0.18 O 0.015 H max |

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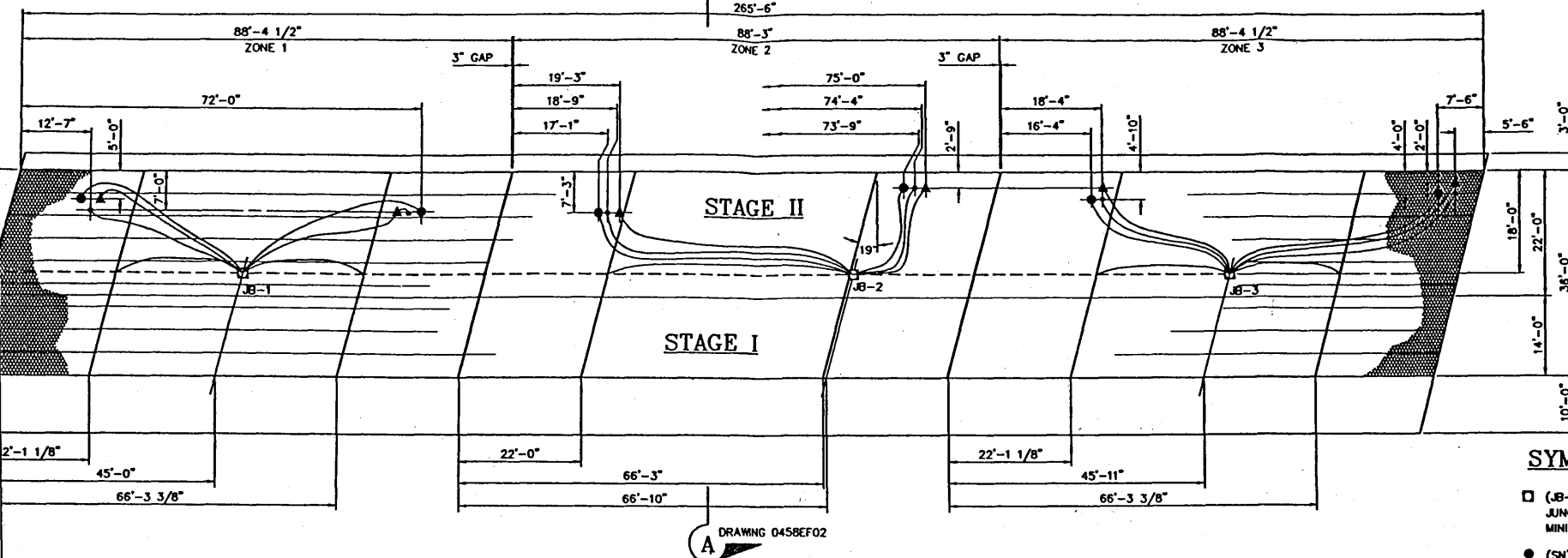
Appendix I
Layout of Zones and Electrical Connections

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PLAN VIEW DECK

SYMBOL LEGEND

- (JB-1) ACCESS HOLE WITH JUNCTION BOX (6" X 6" X 6" MINIMUM)
- (SN) SYSTEM NEGATIVE
- ▲ (RC) REFERENCE CELL
- ⤿ (RCG) REFERENCE CELL GROUND
- UNDERDECK CONDUIT

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
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| 0462EF03 | STANDARD DETAILS |
| 0462EF04 | STANDARD DETAILS |
| 0462EF05 | STANDARD DETAILS |
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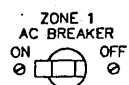
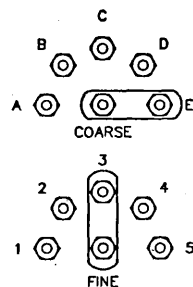
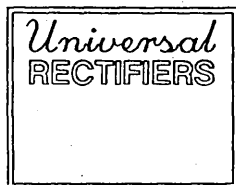
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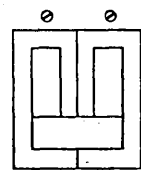
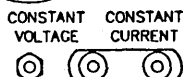
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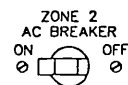
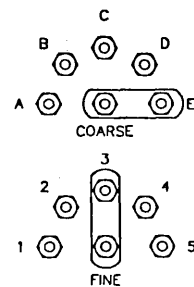
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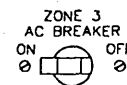
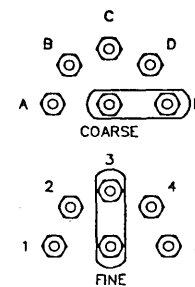
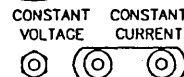
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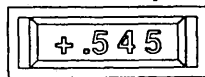
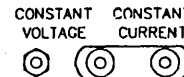
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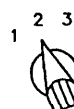
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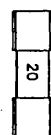
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ZONE SELECT

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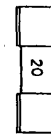
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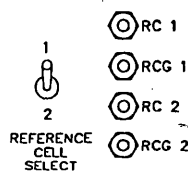


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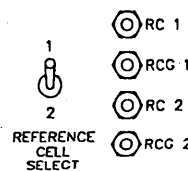
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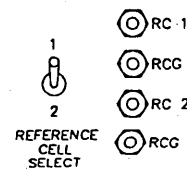
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ZONE 2



ZONE 3



Appendix K
Initial Settings

Iowa Department of Transportation
 Pennsylvania Avenue Bridge over I-235
 Startup Data Sheet

Data Taken By: SDS
 Date: 10/2/92

Rectifier Serial No: 920944
 Weather Conditions: Sunny, 65 Degrees Fahrenheit

| Zone No. | Reference Cell No. | Resistance | | DC mV | | Rebar Static Potential (mV) vs. Graphite |
|----------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------|----------|--|
| | | SN/RCN (DC) ohms | Anode/SN (AC) ohms | SN/RCN | Anode/SN | |
| 1 | 1 | 2.2/2.3 | 0.58 | 0.0 | 188 | -72 |
| | 2 | 2.2/2.4 | | 0.0 | | -99 |
| 2 | 1 | 2.9/3.0 | 0.74 | 0.0 | 168 | -65 |
| | 2 | 3.0/3.2 | | 0.0 | | -168 |
| 3 | 1 | 3.5/3.5 | 0.88 | 0.0 | 35 | -91 |
| | 2 | 3.8/3.2 | | 0.1 | | -3 |

| Zone No. | Zone Voltage (Volts) | Current Output (Amps) | Reference Cell No. | Rebar "On" Potential | Rebar "Instant Off" Potential |
|----------|----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 1 | -391 | -339 |
| | | | 2 | -473 | -398 |
| 2 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 1 | -466 | -367 |
| | | | 2 | -467 | -417 |
| 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 1 | -367 | -240 |
| | | | 2 | -302 | -161 |

NOTES: Reference Cell Ground Wire is the White Wire from the Shielded Twisted Pair
 Reference Cell Wire is the Black Wire from the Shielded Twisted Pair

Appendix L
Depolarization Test

**Iowa Department of Transportation
Pennsylvania Avenue Bridge over I-235
Depolarization Test**

Data taken by: SDS

Date: 11/13/92

Rectifier Serial No.: 920944

Weather: 28 Degrees F, Cold and Windy

| | | Rebar Static Potential | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|------|
| | | RC mV = -mV vs. Reference Cell | | | | | | |
| | Elapsed Time,min. | Actual Time of Reading | Zone No. 1 | | Zone No. 2 | | Zone No. 3 | |
| | | | RC-1 | RC-2 | RC-1 | RC-2 | RC-1 | RC-2 |
| | | | mV | mV | mV | mV | mV | mV |
| On Potential | 0 | 8:14 | 695 | 872 | 929 | 939 | 549 | 358 |
| Instant-Off Potential | <1 sec. | 8:15 | 486 | 599 | 607 | 667 | 262 | 117 |
| | 1 | 8:16 | 410 | 505 | 495 | 573 | 131 | 28 |
| | 2 | 8:17 | 361 | 457 | 440 | 530 | 86 | 2 |
| | 3 | 8:18 | 333 | 427 | 405 | 504 | 59 | 18 |
| | 4 | 8:19 | 308 | 405 | 379 | 488 | 41 | 25 |
| | 5 | 8:20 | 291 | 388 | 361 | 476 | 30 | 27 |
| | 6 | 8:21 | 275 | 372 | 341 | 465 | 22 | 26 |
| | 7 | 8:22 | 262 | 360 | 330 | 457 | 17 | 24 |
| | 8 | 8:23 | 254 | 352 | 322 | 453 | 15 | 22 |
| | 9 | 8:24 | 249 | 347 | 317 | 450 | 14 | 20 |
| | 10 | 8:25 | 241 | 346 | 309 | 445 | 12 | 16 |
| | 20 | 8:35 | 199 | 301 | 270 | 420 | 27 | 23 |
| | 30 | 8:45 | 176 | 281 | 250 | 404 | 46 | 53 |
| | 40 | 8:55 | 164 | 270 | 239 | 394 | 57 | 68 |
| | 50 | 9:05 | 155 | 259 | 230 | 384 | 64 | 76 |
| | 60 | 9:15 | 150 | 252 | 223 | 377 | 68 | 79 |
| | 90 | 9:45 | 141 | 239 | 211 | 362 | 71 | 77 |
| | 120 | 10:15 | 142 | 224 | 200 | 345 | 53 | 70 |
| | 150 | 10:45 | 138 | 222 | 198 | 342 | 54 | 68 |
| | 180 | 11:15 | 132 | 216 | 194 | 334 | 52 | 65 |
| | 210 | 11:45 | 129 | 211 | 190 | 328 | 50 | 62 |
| | 240 | 12:15 | 125 | 206 | 186 | 322 | 48 | 59 |
| DELTA | | | 361 | 393 | 421 | 345 | 214 | 58 |

NOTES: Settings Before Testing:

Zone 1: 3.2 A, 3.0 V

Zone 2: 3.2 A, 3.6 V

Zone 3: 3.2 A, 3.6 V

Settings After Testing:

Zone 1: 2.8 A, 2.4 V

Zone 2: 2.8 A, 3.0 V

Zone 3: 3.2 A, 3.1 V

Delta is the difference between readings at "Instant-Off" and "Time 240".