# STRUCTURAL GENERAL NOTES

1. <u>General Specifications:</u> Hawaii Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, 1994, together with Special Provisions prepared for this contract.

## 2. <u>Design Specifications:</u>

- (A) AASHTO 2004 LRFD Bridge Design Specifications (Third Edition) and its subsequent interim specifications with interim supplements and modifications by the Highways Division, Department of Transportation, State of Hawaii.
- (B) AASHTO 2001 Standard specifications for structural supports for Highway Signs, Luminaries and Traffic Signals (Fourth Edition) and its subsequent interim specifications with interim supplements and modifications by the Highways Division, Department of Transportation, State of Hawaii.

### 3. <u>Loads:</u>

- (A) Wind Load: 105 mph. Value is a 3 second gust speed at 32.8 ft above ground for Exposure C category and is associated with an annual probability of 0.02 (50 year mean recurrence interval).
- (B) Recurrence Interval of 50 Years.
- (C) Fatigue importance factor, IF, Shall be based on fatigue Category I for traffic signal structures.
- (D) Vortex shedding induced loads shall be considered for cantilevered mast arms and pole shafts that do not have tapers or have tapers of less than 0.14 in/ft.
- (E) Traffic signal support structures shall be designed for a truck induced gust based on a truck speed of 20 MPH over the posted speed.
- (F) Galloping and natural wind gust shall be considered for cantilever traffic signal structures.

#### 4. <u>Materials:</u>

(A) All concrete strengths shall be as noted below:

Item	Structural	Classes of	Specified Compressive
<u>No.</u>	Parts	Concrete	Strength, f'c (28 Days)
(1)	Drilled shafts	·	4500 PSI

(2) Except as noted otherwise, all others A 3000 PSI

All concrete with a 28 days compressive strenght of 4000 psi or greater shall have a maximum W/C Ratio of 0.45. The W/C Ratio for other class of concrete shall follow the Standard Specifications.

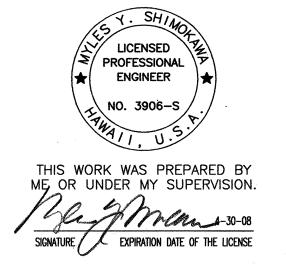
- (B) All reinforcing steel shall be ASTM A615 Grade 60 unless otherwise noted.
- (C) All structural steel shall be hot dip galvanized after fabrication, unless otherwise noted.
- (D) All anchor bolts, washers and nuts shall be hot dip galvanized after fabrication, unless otherwise specified.

### 5. Reinforcement:

- (A) The minimum covering measured from the surface of the concrete to the face of any reinforcing bars shall be as follows, except as otherwise shown:
  - (1) Concrete cast against and permanently exposed to earth = 3"
  - (2) All others unless otherwise noted = 2".
- (B) Reinforcing bars shall be detailed in accordance with the latest edition of the design specification in note 2 unless otherwise noted.
- (C) Minimum clear spacing between parallel bars shall be 1 1/2 times the diameter of bars (for non bundled bars). In no case shall the clear distance between the bars be less than 1 1/2 times the maximum size of the coarse aggregate or 1 1/2".
- (D) All dimensions relating to reinforcing bars are to centers of bars unless otherwise noted.
- (E) Reinforcing bars shall be securely tied at all intersections and lap splices except where the spacing of intersections is less than one foot in each direction, in which case alternate intersections shall be tied.

#### 6. <u>Construction Notes:</u>

- (A) See Standard Specifications and Special Provisions.
- (B) Except as otherwise noted, all vertical dimensions are measured plumb.
- (C) The Contractor shall verify all site conditions and not rely upon these plans for stream location, etc. Conditions may differ from those shown.
- (D) The Contractor shall tone and verify the location of all utility lines and notify the respective owners before commencing with excavation, and any temporary piling or sheeting.
- (E) For concrete finish see Standard Specifications and Special Provisions.
- (F) Construction joints may be relocated or additional ones added subject to the approval of the Engineer.
- (G) Unless otherwise noted, all exposed concrete edges shall be chamfered 3/4"x3/4".



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TRAFFIC OPERATIONAL IMPROVEMENTS
AT VARIOUS INTERSECTIONS & ROADWAYS
PROJECT NO. HWY-0-04-04

NIMTZ HWY./PACIFIC ST. INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

SCALE: None DATE: March 2006

SHEET No. SO.1 OF 2 SHEETS

FISCAL SHEET NO.

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PROJ. NO.

HWY-0-04-04

FED. ROAD DIST. NO.

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