



2.13 Bridges and Structures

2.13.1 General

The Design-Builder shall perform all Work necessary to complete the bridges and structures for the Project to satisfy the Basic Configuration requirements.

Elements of Work shall include the following:

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Additional elements shown in the Conceptual Plan include the following:

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The plans showing the existing bridges and other structures are located in the *As Builts* (Appendix N). The plans are not guaranteed to be dimensionally accurate or complete. The Design-Builder shall field measure and verify existing dimensions as required for the Work.

2.13.1.1 Forward Compatibility

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2.13.2 Mandatory Standards

The following is a list of Mandatory Standards that shall be followed for all design and construction related to this Section as referenced in Section 2.02, *Mandatory Standards*.

1. General Special Provisions (Appendix B)
2. Standard Specifications M 41-10 (Appendix B)
3. WSDOT *Bridge & Structures Office Design Memoranda* (Appendix D)
4. WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual LRFD* M 23-50 (Appendix D)
5. WSDOT *Geotechnical Design Manual* M 46-03 (Appendix D)
6. AASHTO Guide Specifications for LRFD Seismic Bridge Design
7. FHWA *Seismic Retrofitting Manual for Highway Structures: Part 1 - Bridges*
8. AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications
9. FHWA *Evaluating Scour at Bridges*, HEC-18
10. AASHTO Manual for Bridge Evaluation
11. WSDOT *Design Manual* M 22-01 (Appendix D)
12. WSDOT *Plans Preparation Manual* M 22-31 (Appendix D)

- 1 13. WSDOT *Construction Manual* M 41-01 (Appendix D)
- 2 14. AASHTO LRFD Bridge Construction Specifications
- 3 15. AASHTO Guide Design Specifications for Bridge Temporary Works
- 4 16. WSDOT *Materials Manual* M 46-01 (Appendix D)
- 5 17. Standard Plans M 21-01 (Appendix D)
- 6 18. WSDOT *Qualified Products List* (QPL):
- 7 <http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/Business/MaterialsLab/QPL.htm>
- 8 19. AASHTO LRFD Specifications for Structural Supports for Highway Signs,
9 Luminaires, and Traffic Signals
- 10 20. AWS *Structural Welding Code - Steel* (AWS D1.1/D1.1M)
- 11 21. AWS *Structural Welding Code - Reinforcing Steel* (AWS D1.4/D1.4M)
- 12 22. AASHTO/AWS *Bridge Welding Code* (AWS D1.5M/D1.5)
- 13 23. *American Concrete Institute Code Requirements for Environmental*
14 *Engineering Concrete Structures* (ACI 350)
- 15 24. AASHTO LRFD Road Tunnel Design and Construction Guide
16 Specifications
- 17 25. AASHTO LRFD Guide Specifications for Design of Concrete-Filled FRP
18 Tubes for Flexural and Axial Members
- 19 26. ASCE *Pre-Standard for LRFD of Pultruded FRP Structures*

20 **2.13.2.1 Bridge Design Manual Rights and Responsibilities**

21 The WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*, as modified by the WSDOT *Bridge &*
22 *Structures Office Design Memoranda*, allocates responsibilities as follows:

- 23 1. Rights and Responsibilities - The following clarifies which rights and
24 responsibilities discussed in the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* are
25 applicable to the Design-Builder:
 - 26 a) The Design-Builder shall complete all analyses, evaluations, load
27 ratings, Plans, and specifications discussed in the WSDOT *Bridge*
28 *Design Manual*.
 - 29 b) All such analyses, evaluations, load ratings, Plans, and specifications are
30 subject to Review and Comment by WSDOT.
 - 31 c) All references to WSDOT Sections, offices, and engineers shall mean
32 WSDOT.
- 33 2. Where the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* or the WSDOT *Bridge &*
34 *Structures Office Design Memoranda* requires approval by the WSDOT
35 Bridge Design Engineer, the Design-Builder shall be responsible for
36 obtaining approval from the WSDOT Engineer prior to proceeding with the
37 design.

2.13.3 Personnel Requirements

The Design-Builder shall provide a Structural Lead Engineer (SLE) to manage, coordinate, and review all aspects of the structural Work completed for the Project. The SLE shall provide written certification that the design of all permanent and temporary Work is in conformance with the Contract requirements and the Quality Management Plan for each structural drawing, calculation package, temporary structure package, and design revision during construction.

The SLE shall have a minimum of 10 years of experience in the design of bridges, retaining walls, and other highway related structures. This individual shall be a Structural Engineer.

The Engineer of Record (EOR) for all structural engineering Design Documents for significant structures described in RCW 18.43.020(12) and for all bridges shall have a minimum of 10 years of experience in the design of bridges, retaining walls, and other highway related structures. The EOR shall be a Structural Engineer.

The EOR for all structural engineering Design Documents for all other structures in the Project shall be a Professional Engineer or Structural Engineer.

2.13.4 Design Criteria

The Design-Builder shall analyze and design all new permanent bridges and structures, and all existing or modified structural elements whose load-carrying capacities are altered by the Work, using Load and Resistance Factor Design (LRFD) as defined in the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* and the *AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications*.

The Design-Builder shall design and construct permanent bridges and structures to achieve a minimum design life of 75 years. Minimum clearances shall be as follows and shall be maintained at all times during and after construction:

1. New vehicular structures over a roadway shall provide a minimum vertical clearance of 16' - 6".
2. New bike/pedestrian structures crossing a roadway shall provide a minimum vertical clearance of 17' - 6".
3. New structures over a railroad shall provide a minimum vertical clearance of 23' - 6" measured to the top of the rail.
4. New overwater structures shall provide freeboard and maintenance clearance as specified in Section 2.30, *Water Crossings*.
5. For modified existing structures, the minimum vertical clearance shall not be less than the existing clearance.

When multiple minimum clearances are listed the required minimum vertical clearance shall be the greater value.

Minimum foundation cover requirements shall be in accordance with the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.

1 Refer to Section 2.11, *Roadway*, for design criteria regarding barrier type and
2 height. All structure traffic barriers shall be a minimum 42 inches in height,
3 measured from the top of finished roadway and bridge deck and shall meet the
4 Test Level design criteria in accordance with the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.
5 In addition, the minimum Test level design criteria shall be set for specific project
6 elements as follows:

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8 Fall protection shall be provided at the top of all new retaining walls and retaining
9 wall terraces in accordance with Section 1060 of the WSDOT *Design Manual*.
10 Fall protection shall be a standard guardrail system, as described and in
11 accordance with the requirements in the WAC 296-880-40005. Timber shall not
12 be used as a material type for standard guardrail. The Standard Plan Chain Link
13 Fence Types 3 and 4, and Glare Screen Types 1 and 2 are not acceptable fall
14 protection systems. For fall protection features that are exposed to the public,
15 design of railings shall be in accordance with Chapter 13 of the *AASHTO LRFD*
16 *Bridge Design Specifications*.

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18 The Design-Builder shall request a bridge number from the Bridge & Structures
19 office for all new structures 20 foot span and greater. The Design-Builder shall
20 include the bridge number on all RFC plan sheets showing the new bridge. The
21 Design-Builder shall install bridge number placards (*Sign Fabrication Manual I7-*
22 *301*) on all new bridges.

23 **2.13.4.1 Bridge Design Criteria**

24 The following permanent bridge superstructure types are permitted for this Project:

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26 Masonry or timber shall not be used as materials for permanent bridge
27 superstructures or substructures.

28 For vehicular bridges, a minimum of three girder lines, with exception of two
29 girders lines for tub girders, shall be used to provide redundant load paths.
30 Intermediate hinges shall not be used with permanent bridge structures.

31 Non-redundant, fracture critical pier caps shall not be used.

32 **2.13.4.1.1 Bridge Seismic Design Criteria**

33 The seismic analyses and design for all new permanent bridge foundations shall
34 be in accordance with the *AASHTO Guide Specifications for LRFD Seismic*
35 *Bridge Design*, as modified by the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*, and the code-
36 based response spectra and coefficients applicable to this Project as defined in
37 Section 2.06, *Geotechnical*, and the *WSDOT Geotechnical Design Manual*.

38 All bridges on this Project shall have an operational classification of Ordinary,
39 except for the following bridges:

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1 **2.13.4.1.1 Liquefaction and Lateral Spread**

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3 **2.13.4.1.2 Bridge Widening Design Criteria**

4 The Work on bridges to be widened shall be in accordance with the WSDOT
5 *Bridge Design Manual* and shall include the following analysis and retrofit
6 criteria:

- 7 1. Determination of minor and major modifications and widening projects as
8 defined in the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.
- 9 2. Determination of strength Capacity to Demand (C/D) ratios for the existing
10 and modified structure and determination of displacement C/D ratios for the
11 existing and modified structures using the pushover method of analysis. A
12 summary of C/D ratios shall be provided for each structure.
- 13 3. Where the C/D ratio for the existing structure is less than 1.0 or the C/D
14 ratio for the modified structure is less than 1.0, design and construction of
15 the retrofits is required to modify the structure to meet or exceed a C/D ratio
16 of 1.0.
- 17 4. Retrofit of the existing bridge foundations may be required in accordance
18 with the differential settlement criteria within this Section.
- 19 5. Analysis for seismic demand effects shall be separate from settlement due to
20 liquefaction.

21 **2.13.4.1.3 Load Rating Report**

22 All new, widened, rehabilitated, and detour bridges that carry vehicular loads and
23 are 20 feet or more in span length (measured from back-to-back of pavement seats
24 along the centerline of the roadway) shall be load rated in accordance with the
25 WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*. Detour bridges, for the purpose of load rating,
26 are defined as bridges that will be in place for more than 90 Calendar Days. The
27 Design-Builder will not be required to retrofit the existing structures for a
28 reduction in the load rating due to existing bridge overlay replacements, removal
29 and replacement of traffic barriers, or both.

30 **2.13.4.1.4 Precast Prestressed Concrete Girders**

31 Precast prestressed concrete girders include both pre-tensioned and post-tensioned
32 girders.

33 The Design-Builder shall provide continuity reinforcement at intermediate piers
34 in the bridge deck to resist negative moments due to live load and superimposed
35 dead loads. Prestressed concrete girders shall be designed as simple span for all
36 single span and multi-span bridges.

1 **2.13.4.1.5 Steel Plate Girders and Steel Box Girders**

2 The main longitudinal load-carrying girders shall be cambered during fabrication.
3 Heat cambered rolled girders shall not be used except as secondary members or
4 temporary girders. Steel superstructures shall have a cast-in-place reinforced
5 concrete bridge deck designed to be composite for live loads.

6 Drip plates shall be provided on the bottom flanges on the exterior side of the
7 exterior steel plate girders to direct water runoff away from bearings and bridge
8 seats.

9 With the exception of weathering steel that is used east of the Cascades, all
10 structural steel shall be painted in accordance with Section 6-07 of the Standard
11 Specifications.

12 **2.13.4.1.6 Bridge Foundations**

13 The Design-Builder shall construct bridge abutments, wingwalls, and curtain
14 walls with precast or cast-in-place reinforced concrete. Where structural earth
15 walls adjoin bridge abutments or curtain walls, the joint shall be a single vertical
16 joint full height to the bottom of the traffic barrier. Curtain walls at bridge
17 abutment wall corners shall be cast-in-place walls integral with the abutment
18 walls and extending at least to the back of the footings. All girder seats at
19 abutments and pier caps shall be sloped to drain moisture accumulation.

20 The Design-Builder shall use wingwalls, curtain walls, and retaining walls as
21 required by slope geometry and under-bridge clearances. These walls shall
22 prevent soil slopes from spilling onto girders and bearings. End slopes shall meet
23 stability requirements defined in Section 2.06 *Geotechnical* and the WSDOT
24 *Geotechnical Design Manual* and shall be no steeper than 1.5H:1V.

25 **2.13.4.1.7 Bridge Decks and Expansion Joints**

26 The Design-Builder shall design and construct all vehicular bridge decks using
27 cast-in-place reinforced concrete or stay-in-place concrete deck panels in
28 accordance with Section 15.5.5 of the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*. The
29 bridge deck protection system for new and existing vehicular bridges shall be in
30 accordance with Section 15.5.5.D of the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.
31 Bituminous or bituminous-with-membrane overlays for permanent bridge deck
32 construction on new vehicular bridges shall not be used.

33 The bridge deck for widened structures shall be continuous between expansion
34 joints and shall match the existing expansion joint locations. Expansion joint
35 headers shall be re-built the entire width of the new and existing bridge deck.
36 Strip seals and compression seals shall be removed and replaced with new seals,
37 in one continuous piece, for the entire width of the new and existing bridge deck.

38 The Design-Builder shall not use steel finger expansion joints on new bridges. All
39 expansion joints shall be watertight. Longitudinal expansion joints shall not be
40 used on new bridges or widened bridges. The maximum skew for expansion joints
41 on new bridges shall be 30 degrees as measured perpendicular to the centerline of

1 the bridge deck. Longitudinal joints in overlays on existing bridges needed for
2 construction staging shall be placed along permanent lane lines.

3 **2.13.4.1.8 Slope Protection**

4 Slope protection shall reduce or eliminate the need for maintenance; lessen or
5 eliminate negative visual impacts associated with soil erosion, weed growth, trash
6 accumulation, and vandalism; and conform to the requirements described in the
7 WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* and Section 2.15, *Roadside Restoration*.

8 **2.13.4.1.9 Bridge Barriers and Railings**

9 Vertical 32-inch height barrier and Bridge Railing Type BP shall be used on both
10 sides of all new and widened bridges with pedestrian access. The Bridge Railing
11 Type BP standard details may be modified by the Design-Builder to incorporate
12 the aesthetic requirements of Section 2.15, *Roadside Restoration*, but shall not
13 adversely affect the strength limit state, extreme event limit state, service limit
14 state, and safety requirements for the traffic barriers and railings.

15 The Design-Builder shall not use precast concrete barriers for permanent
16 applications on bridges or bridge approach slabs. Permanent barriers shall be
17 reinforced concrete cast-in-place in the final position.

18 The Design-Builder shall cast a minimum of two 2-inch diameter conduit pipes
19 with junction box pairs (one for each conduit pipe) spaced at 180 feet maximum
20 into all new concrete bridge barriers for the full length of the barrier, including
21 barriers on bridge approach slabs and barriers on walls that abut approach slabs or
22 bridges. Each conduit pipe shall terminate at separate Type 1 junction boxes
23 within 15 feet of the exit from a barrier. The Design-Builder shall furnish and
24 install conduit expansion, deflection devices, or both at all expansion joints,
25 points where the conduit exits from the barrier and other locations where
26 movement is expected. Additional conduit shall be installed as needed to meet the
27 Projects utility requirements. Conduit installed but not utilized for this Project
28 shall be considered spare for future utility needs.

29 **2.13.4.1.10 Bridge-Mounted Utilities**

30 Existing Utilities shall be removed from the existing bridge and relocated in
31 coordination with the type of replacement structures. Utility installation
32 requirements on new and existing structures shall be in accordance with Section
33 2.10, *Utilities and Relocation Agreements*, and Section 15.10 of the WSDOT
34 *Bridge Design Manual*.

35 **2.13.4.1.11 Temporary Structures**

36 Temporary structures refer to a temporary bridge, detour bridge, portion of a
37 bridge, or buried structure that will not remain upon Physical Completion of the
38 Project and shall accommodate vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

39 The Design-Builder shall design temporary structures in accordance with the
40 WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*, WSDOT Geotechnical Design Manual,

1 AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications, and AASHTO Guide
2 Specifications for LRFD Seismic Bridge Design. Welding on all steel elements
3 shall be in accordance with AWS D1.5. Components of temporary structures
4 which will be incorporated into the permanent structures shall meet the
5 requirements for the permanent structures. All temporary structures shall be
6 designed for live load deflection less than or equal to $L/800$ as defined by
7 AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications. Temporary structures with
8 vehicular traffic shall be designed for minimum 75 percent of the HL-93 live load
9 as defined in the AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications, except when
10 there is no practical detour route available for freight, then 100 percent of the HL-
11 93 live load shall be used.

12 The driving surface of the temporary detour structure shall be durable and skid
13 resistant as defined in Section 10.13 of the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.
14 Temporary traffic barriers shall be in accordance with Section 1610 of the
15 WSDOT *Design Manual* and the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.

16 The Design-Builder may use new and salvaged structure members for the
17 temporary structure, but it shall be the responsibility of the EOR to ensure all
18 members meet all appropriate material properties for their intended function, such
19 as dimensions, yield strength, tensile strength, ductility, toughness, chemical
20 composition, weldability, and corrosion resistance. Material testing of the
21 structure members may be required in order to provide assurance that the
22 appropriate requirements of material properties have been met. For salvaged steel
23 materials where the grade of steel cannot be positively identified, the design
24 stresses for the steel shall conform to Section 6-02.3(17)B3 of the Standard
25 Specifications. Salvaged structure members include previously used members
26 from other bridges or structures, members that have been fabricated but never
27 installed in a structure, and members from a prefabricated structural system
28 designed specifically for repeated temporary use. Concrete girder design sheets
29 shall be provided indicating concrete strength, strand type and pattern, shear
30 reinforcement, and other pertinent information. The Design-Builder shall provide
31 supporting documentation for all selected temporary members to the WSDOT
32 Engineer for Review and Comment.

33 All foundations of the temporary structures shall be located outside the horizontal
34 limits of the Ordinary High Water for *** $\$1\$$ *** and the bottom of
35 foundations shall be located a minimum of 2 feet below scour estimated for the 2-
36 year MRI water flows. Before Substantial Completion of the Project, the
37 foundations for temporary structures shall be completely removed.

38 Prior to opening to traffic, all temporary detour structures shall be inspected by
39 the Quality Assurance Inspector in the field for compliance with the Plans and
40 specifications, and the SLE shall be advised of deviations. The Design-Builder
41 shall be responsible for the maintenance and removal of all temporary structures.
42 Temporary structures shall be removed in accordance with 2-02.3(2) of the
43 Standard Specifications.

1 **2.13.4.2 At-Grade Concrete Barrier**

2 At-grade concrete barrier, except as otherwise described, shall be designed in
3 accordance with the WSDOT *Design Manual* and shall use the design criteria
4 reflected therein with a minimum of TL-3. Grade separations up to 10 inches may
5 be designed to a minimum of TL-3 or employ a WSDOT standard plan. At-grade
6 concrete barrier used for a structure or over a structure or buried structure shall be
7 designed in accordance with the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* and shall use the
8 design criteria reflected therein with a minimum of TL-4. Existing barriers that
9 require modification shall be replaced by removing the existing barrier to the next
10 joint.

11 **2.13.4.3 Retaining Wall Design Criteria**

12 The Design-Builder shall design and construct permanent retaining walls for the
13 Project. Retaining walls shall be of the following types:

- 14 1. Proprietary structural earth walls in accordance with Section 6-13 of the
15 Standard Specifications.
- 16 2. Standard permanent geosynthetic retaining walls in accordance with
17 Standard Plans D-3.09, D-3.10, and D-3.11 and Section 6-14 of the Standard
18 Specifications.
- 19 3. Standard reinforced concrete cantilevered retaining walls in accordance with
20 Standard Plans D-10.10 through D-10.45, D-20.10-00 and Section 6-11 of
21 the Standard Specifications.
- 22 4. Soil nail walls in accordance with Section 6-15 of the Standard
23 Specifications.
- 24 5. Soldier pile walls in accordance with Sections 6-16 and 6-17 of the Standard
25 Specifications.
- 26 6. Soldier pile tieback walls in accordance with Sections 6-16 and 6-17 of the
27 Standard Specifications.
- 28 7. Secant pile and tangent pile walls in accordance with Section 6-19 of the
29 Standard Specifications

30 The Design-Builder shall design walls in accordance with Section 2.06
31 *Geotechnical*, the *WSDOT Geotechnical Design Manual*, the *WSDOT Bridge*
32 *Design Manual*, and the *AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications*. The
33 Design-Builder may modify the Standard Plan retaining walls to meet Project
34 requirements, such as seismic design criteria and aesthetic requirements per
35 Section 2.15, *Roadside Restoration*, by providing special design analysis.
36 Aesthetic modifications shall not adversely affect the strength and safety
37 requirements of the retaining walls. Special design retaining walls shall be
38 stamped and signed by the EOR.

39 The Design-Builder shall evaluate potential impacts to Utilities and WSDOT
40 owned facilities (stormwater pipe, Intelligent Transportation System [ITS]
41 conduit, etc.) crossing under proposed walls and incorporate mitigation measures

1 to avoid conflicts and detrimental effects including, but not limited to, settlement
2 and surcharge loading.

3 Rock walls, gravity block walls, and gabion cribbing shall not be used for
4 retaining earth or as retaining walls.

5 **2.13.4.3.1 Temporary Retaining Walls**

6 Temporary retaining wall refers to a wall or portion of wall that retains earth
7 adjacent to public vehicular traffic and will not remain functional upon Physical
8 Completion of the Project.

9 The Design-Builder may reuse structural components of temporary retaining
10 walls as part of permanent retaining wall systems, provided all of the structural
11 support elements and materials of the temporary retaining walls are in as-new
12 condition and meet the requirements of the permanent structure standards. Timber
13 piles will be allowed as foundations for temporary retaining walls where allowed
14 by the Project’s permits. Maintenance of temporary retaining walls shall be the
15 Design-Builder’s responsibility.

16 The Design-Builder shall remove all portions of temporary retaining walls before
17 Substantial Completion of the Project.

18 **2.13.4.4 Buried Structures Design Criteria**

19 The Design-Builder shall use only cast-in-place or precast reinforced concrete,
20 metal structural plate, or a composite arches system for buried structures.

21 Buried structures and associated approach slabs, footings, headwalls, wingwalls,
22 Class 4000D concrete topping slab, connected barriers, rails, and fall protection
23 shall be designed and constructed in accordance with the WSDOT *Geotechnical*
24 *Design Manual*, WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*, Standard Specifications,
25 *AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications*, and the *AASHTO LRFD Bridge*
26 *Construction Specifications*. The AASHTO operational classification load
27 modifier for the buried structure shall be that for typical bridges unless noted
28 otherwise.

29 Corrosion and abrasion shall be considered as specified in the WSDOT *Bridge*
30 *Design Manual*.

31 No portion of the structure shall be placed within the Structure Free Zone (SFZ)
32 as defined in Section 2.30, *Water Crossings*.

33 The Structural Clear Span of a buried structure shall be used to determine the
34 buried structure class. When supporting a Roadway, the Structural Clear Span
35 shall be the widest horizontal opening from interior face to interior face of the end
36 walls measured parallel to the roadway centerline. When not supporting a
37 Roadway, the Structural Clear Span shall be the widest horizontal opening from
38 interior face to interior face of the end walls measured perpendicular to the buried
39 structure centerline.

Structure Class	Structural Clear Span
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Class 1	Less than 20.0 feet
Class 2	20.0 feet and greater

1 Class 2 buried structures shall include seismic design and ground failure
2 mitigation in accordance with the *AASHTO LRFD Road Tunnel Design and*
3 *Construction Guide Specifications*. Seismic analysis shall include the loading
4 effects resulting from ground shaking and ground failure. This includes, at a
5 minimum, design for the seismic effects of transient racking or ovaling
6 deformations.

7 Seismic Design need not be considered for Class 1 buried structures.

8 All head walls and wingwalls shall meet the seismic design requirements in
9 accordance with the WSDOT Bridge Design Manual, WSDOT Geotechnical
10 Design Manual, and *AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications*.

11 All buried structures and associated headwalls and wingwalls shall be designed
12 for scour from the design flood (100-year flood event) and the check flood (500-
13 year flood event) in accordance with the *WSDOT Bridge Design Manual* and the
14 *AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications* unless additional design criteria are
15 documented in the Final Hydraulic Design report. Channel migration shall be
16 considered.

17 Headwalls are structure elements that are end treatments connected to buried
18 structures, including, at a minimum, parapets, slope collars, cutoff walls and
19 inverts. Headwalls shall be reinforced concrete.

20 Wingwalls are retaining wall structure elements adjacent to or above a buried
21 structure end or headwall. Portions of wingwalls below the 100 years mean
22 recurrence interval water surface shall be reinforced concrete or have a reinforced
23 concrete fascia.

24 When supporting a Roadway, the Fill Depth shall be defined as the total backfill
25 and surfacing depth above the top of the buried structure. When not supporting a
26 Roadway, the Fill Depth shall be defined as the total backfill above the top of the
27 buried structure.

28 Structural Earth Wall wingwalls shall not use metallic ground reinforcement
29 below the 100 year mean recurrence interval water surface unless the pH of the
30 water in front of the wall and of the groundwater are within the range of 5.0 and
31 10.0, in accordance with WSDOT T 417 in the *WSDOT Materials Manual*.

32 All buried structures on this Project shall have an operational classification of
33 Ordinary.

34 **2.13.4.4.1 Concrete Structures**

35 When the buried structure is located in a corrosive environment as defined in the
36 *WSDOT Bridge Design Manual*, corrosion-resistant reinforcement defined in the
37 *WSDOT Bridge Design Manual* shall be used. The minimum cover requirements

1 for direct exposure to salt water and coastal situations of the *AASHTO LRFD*
2 *Bridge Design Specifications* shall apply.

3 When the Fill Depth of the buried structure is less than 2 feet at a point above the
4 Structure, all reinforcement in the top slab shall be corrosion resistant as defined
5 in the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* LRFD M 23-50. Reinforcement in the top
6 slab need not be corrosion-resistant when a concrete deck meeting the
7 requirements for a Type 4 Bridge Deck Protection System as defined in the
8 WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* is provided.

9 When the top of the buried structure is directly exposed to vehicular traffic, a
10 concrete or HMA overlay or reinforced concrete deck shall be provided. For an
11 HMA overlay, the minimum concrete cover from the top surface of the buried
12 structure to the top mat of reinforcement shall be 2½ inches. For a concrete
13 overlay or reinforced concrete deck, the minimum concrete cover from the top
14 surface of the buried structure to the top mat of reinforcement shall be 2 inches.
15 When the top of the buried structure is directly exposed to vehicular traffic, bridge
16 approach slabs shall be provided.

17 All reinforcement in precast units shall be of the same type.

18 **2.13.4.4.2 Metal Structural Plate Structures**

19 Steel structural plate shall not be used in locations conforming to corrosive
20 environments as defined in the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*. Galvanizing and
21 zinc coatings shall not be used below the Hydraulic Design Flood Elevation,
22 unless a reinforced concrete splash wall is provided in accordance with the
23 WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.

24 Where the buried structure supports a Roadway and the minimum Fill Depth is
25 less than 8 feet, the Contractor shall provide protection against Roadway de-icing
26 salts and chlorides by one of the following methods:

- 27 1. Providing an impermeable geomembrane with welded seams in the backfill
28 over the Structure that is sloped to drain water away from the Structure. The
29 membrane shall be a minimum 30 mil thick polyvinyl chloride, ethylene
30 interpolymer alloy, or polyurethane polymer, or a combination of these
31 polymers.
- 32 2. Preventing roadway drainage from entering into the fill above the buried
33 structure.
- 34 3. Providing additional metal plate thickness.

35 **2.13.4.4.3 Composite Arch System**

36 Composite arch systems, also referred to as Composite Arch Bridge System
37 (CAS), shall not be used in locations of high energy streams, where the
38 supporting arches could be vulnerable to impact damage from large rocks, wood
39 or flood debris. Composite arch systems shall not be used in locations which are
40 exposed to significant wildfire hazard.

1 Composite arch systems shall maintain a Fill Depth of at least 3 feet.
2 Composite arches systems shall consist of a two component Superstructure placed
3 on reinforced concrete foundations. The superstructure shall consist of fiber-
4 reinforced polymer (FPR) composite hollow tubes, external reinforcement/stay-
5 in-place formwork filled with expansive self-consolidating concrete (ESCC),
6 supporting custom pultruded corrugated FRP deck panels retaining the structural
7 backfill. The arches shall be supported by concrete foundations (cast-in-place or
8 precast in sections and made continuous), requiring a cast-in-place encasement of
9 the arch ends for anchorage to the foundations.

10 The composted arch system shall be designed in accordance with the AASHTO
11 LRFD Bridge Design Specifications, the AASHTO LRFD Guide Specifications
12 for Design of Concrete-Filled FRP Tubes for Flexural and Axial Members, the
13 ASCE Pre-Standard for LRFD of Pultruded FRP Structures, and other applicable
14 specifications.

15 The composite arch system structural components shall be designed, fabricated
16 and supplied by, or an independent contractor of:

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18 **2.13.4.4 Load Rating Report**

19 For a Class 2 buried structure supporting a Roadway, the Contractor shall submit
20 a load rating report in accordance with the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*,
21 except in the following cases:

- 22 1. For a simple span (single barrel) buried structure, when the Structural Clear
23 Span is less than or equal to 24 feet and the minimum Fill Depth is greater
24 than 13 feet.
- 25 2. For a simple span (single barrel) buried structure, when the Structural Clear
26 Span is greater than 24 feet and the minimum Fill Depth exceeds the
27 Structural Clear Span.
- 28 3. For a multiple span (multiple barrel) buried structure, when the Fill Depth
29 exceeds the Structural Clear Span.

30 **2.13.4.5 Stormwater Vaults**

31 New or modified stormwater vaults, vaults where the runoff volume is modified,
32 and open top vaults shall be watertight and shall conform to the requirements for
33 detention vaults in the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*. New stormwater vaults
34 shall not be located in the roadway.

35 Stormwater vaults that may carry vehicular loads and that are 20 feet or more in
36 span length (measured from inside face to inside face) shall be load rated in
37 accordance with the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.

38 Refer to Section 2.14, *Stormwater*, for additional design requirements.

1 **2.13.4.6 Noise Wall Design Criteria**

2 Noise walls shall be constructed of precast concrete, cast-in-place concrete, or
3 reinforced concrete masonry. Gravity block noise walls shall not be used. The
4 Design-Builder may modify the Noise Wall Plans shown in the Standard Plans as
5 required to meet Project-specific criteria by providing special design analysis. The
6 special design noise walls shall be stamped and signed by the EOR. The Design-
7 Builder shall design noise walls for all structural service limit state, strength limit
8 state, extreme limit state, and safety requirements.

9 The Design-Builder may use the Standard Plan noise walls as a basis for special
10 design noise walls to meet the aesthetic requirements for the Project in accordance
11 with Section 2.15, *Roadside Restoration*. Aesthetic modifications shall not
12 adversely affect the strength and safety requirements of the Standard Plan noise
13 walls.

14 The Design-Builder may use the Standard Plan noise walls as a basis for special
15 design noise walls to meet the seismic requirements for the Project in accordance
16 with Section 2.06, *Geotechnical*. Structural modifications for seismic demand not
17 covered by the Standard Plans shall meet the strength and safety requirements of
18 all noise wall design codes.

19 Grading at special design noise walls shall conform to the grading for Standard
20 Plan noise walls.

21 The top of the noise walls shall be constructed to meet or exceed the top elevation
22 of the noise walls shown in the Conceptual Plans with vertical steps and
23 horizontal runs constructed in accordance with Section 6-12 of the Standard
24 Specifications.

25 The Design-Builder shall provide fire hydrant access doors adjacent to fire
26 hydrant locations. Doors shall be provided as specified in the Standard Plans and
27 locations shall be easily accessible to both emergency vehicles and water supply
28 service lines. Each access door shall have a deadbolt lock capable of accepting a
29 Best CX Series Core. The Design-Builder shall furnish and install a spring-loaded
30 construction core with each lock. WSDOT will furnish the permanent Best CX
31 Series Core for the Design-Builder to install at the end of the Project. Fire hydrant
32 signs shall be attached to all doors that provide access to fire hydrants.

33 Final alignment tolerances shall be 0.5 inches within a 10-foot length of wall.

34 **2.13.4.7 Illumination, Intelligent Transportation System, Traffic**
35 **Signal, and Overhead Sign Structures**

36 Overhead sign structures include monotube sign structures, bridge mounted signs,
37 monotube sign structures mounted on bridges, and their foundations. Overhead
38 sign structures may support static signs, variable message signs (VMS), toll rate
39 signs (TRS), or tolling equipment (toll gantries).

40 Where light standards, ITS closed-circuit television (CCTV) standards, traffic
41 signal standards (including for ramp meter systems), or overhead sign structures

1 are mounted on bridges, the bridge structural elements shall be designed for the
2 support reactions.

3 The Design-Builder shall design retaining walls and foundations to account for
4 the placement of illumination, ITS, traffic signal (including ramp meter), or
5 overhead sign structure supports on or behind the retaining walls.

6 Handholes in closed members shall have reinforcement around the holes.
7 Structural bolted splices or connections shall use ASTM A 325 high strength
8 bolts. All fabricated structural components and hardware shall be galvanized after
9 fabrication in accordance with AASHTO M 111. All bolts and related hardware
10 shall be galvanized after fabrication per AASHTO M 232 except ASTM F 1554
11 GR 105 Anchor Rods shall be galvanized after fabrication per ASTM F 2329.

12 Overhead monotube sign structures shall be designed in accordance with the
13 design criteria specified in Chapter 10 of the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.
14 Overhead monotube sign structure designs (including foundations) shall be
15 stamped and signed by the EOR. Span lengths and loadings are as shown in
16 Chapter 10 of the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*. Deviations from these designs
17 shall be considered special designs. Special designs shall be designed using
18 *AASHTO LRFD Specifications for Structural Supports for Highway Signs,*
19 *Luminaires, and Traffic Signals,* the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual,* and this
20 Section. The Design-Builder shall prepare and submit detailed structural design
21 calculations and plans to the WSDOT Engineer for Review and Comment.
22 Foundations for illumination, ITS, traffic signal, and overhead sign structures
23 shall be designed in accordance with Section 2.06, *Geotechnical* and WSDOT
24 *Bridge Design Manual*.

25 Non-metallic support structures for lighting, ITS, traffic signal, or Toll Equipment
26 shall not be used for permanent installations.

27 **2.13.4.7.1 Variable Message Signs**

28 VMS shall be supported on monotube sign bridges or monotube balanced tee
29 cantilever sign structures.

30 The Design-Builder shall furnish and install all VMS. The Design-Builder shall
31 design and construct all associated VMS housings, VMS mounting beams and
32 brackets, maintenance walkways, support structures, and foundations (including
33 all necessary hardware) to install VMS.

34 The VMS housing structural framing, face covering, and mounting members shall
35 be designed to withstand a wind velocity of 115 mph and shall otherwise comply
36 with the requirements of the *AASHTO LRFD Specifications for Structural*
37 *Supports for Highway Signs, Luminaires, and Traffic Signals*.

38 Prior to fabrication, the Design-Builder shall prepare and submit detailed
39 structural design calculations and Plans for all associated VMS housings, VMS
40 mounting beams and brackets, maintenance walkways, support structures, and
41 foundations (including all necessary hardware) to WSDOT for Review and
42 Comment.

1 **2.13.4.7.2 Toll Rate Signs**

2 TRs shall be installed on monotube sign bridge structures, unless noted
3 otherwise. The Design-Builder shall furnish and install all TRs. The Design-
4 Builder shall design and construct all associated sign housings, sign mounting
5 beams and brackets, support structures, and foundations (including all necessary
6 hardware) to install TRs.

7 The TRs on ***\$\$1\$\$*** shall be replaced with a new TRs of the same size.
8 The Design-Builder shall analyze the existing cantilever sign structure to verify
9 that it meets the required cubic (XYZ) and weight limitations as stated in the
10 WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* for cantilever sign structures. If the existing
11 cantilever sign structure does not meet the requirements, the Design-Builder shall
12 replace it with a monotube sign bridge.

13 The TRs housing structural framing, face covering, and mounting members shall
14 be designed to withstand a wind velocity of 100 mph with a 30 percent gust factor
15 and shall otherwise comply with the latest requirements of *LRFD Specifications*
16 *for Structural Supports for Highway Signs, Luminaires, and Traffic Signals*.

17 Prior to fabrication, the Design-Builder shall prepare and submit detailed
18 structural design calculations and Plans for all associated TRs housings, TRs
19 mounting beams and brackets, maintenance walkways, support structures, and
20 foundations (including all necessary hardware) to WSDOT for Review and
21 Comment.

22 **2.13.4.7.3 Closed-Circuit Television**

23 Where pre-approved CCTV support structures are not used, the analysis and
24 design of CCTV camera support structures shall comply with the requirements of
25 the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*. Fatigue design shall conform to Section 11
26 of the *AASHTO LRFD Specifications for Structural Supports for Highway Signs,*
27 *Luminaires, and Traffic Signals using Fatigue Category III*.

28 **2.13.4.7.4 Toll Gantries**

29 Toll Gantries shall use monotube sign structures as supports and shall not support
30 other equipment other than tolling equipment. Toll Gantries shall be designed
31 within the design criteria specified for monotube sign structures in accordance
32 with the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*. Limits for span lengths and loadings
33 shall be as shown in the Monotube Sign Structure Plans and notes in the WSDOT
34 *Bridge Design Manual*. All proposed Toll Gantry plan sheets shall include details
35 for the toll reader equipment cabinet and associated conduit, as well as vertical
36 clearances over the center of each lane and shoulder.

37 Toll Gantry analysis and design shall conform to the following additional criteria:

- 38 1. Toll Equipment is assumed to have the following properties per tolled lane
39 and per adjacent shoulder, including wiring, attachments, cameras, sensors,
40 and other appurtenances:
- 41 a) Weight 1,300 pounds

- 1 b) Surface area of 20 square feet
2 Limit the natural vibrational frequency of an element that supports the
3 equipment support frame to less than 500 hertz.
- 4 2. Limit displacements of the structure when the wind speed is equal to 30
5 mph, so that:
- 6 a) Movement of a point along the structure shall not exceed 0.7 inches
7 relative to the position of another point along the structure, and the
8 maximum displacement of a point shall not exceed 0.7 inches.
- 9 b) Rotational displacement of a point shall not exceed 8 milliradians (0.47
10 degrees) relative to the rotational orientation of that point at rest, in all
11 three rotational axes.
- 12 3. Limit displacements of the structure when the wind speed is equal to 70
13 mph, so that maximum movement of all points shall not exceed 1.4 inches.
- 14 4. See Section 2.26, *Toll Infrastructure* for additional requirements of Toll
15 Gantries.

16 **2.13.5 Construction Criteria**

17 Construction equipment exceeding the legal load shall not be operated on
18 structures without WSDOT’s written approval. Refer to Section 1-07 of the
19 *General Provisions* for additional requirements.

20 **2.13.5.1 Structure Monitoring Program**

21 All new and existing bridges, retaining walls, and other structures that have the
22 potential to be damaged by the work shall be considered Sensitive Facilities. The
23 Design-Builder shall identify all new and existing structures that are considered
24 Sensitive Facilities based on the proposed Work and develop a monitoring
25 program. Sensitive Facilities shall include at a minimum the following:

26 ***§§1§§***.

27 The monitoring program shall be used to assess the stability and safety of the
28 structure for public use by comparing baseline measurements to routine
29 monitoring measurements after commencement of construction activities within
30 the Project limits. The monitoring program shall include the following elements
31 for a pre-construction condition survey and routine monitoring of the structure:

32 **2.13.5.1.1 Pre-construction Condition Survey**

33 There shall be two baseline Structure surveys. The first survey shall be performed
34 at least 14 Calendar Days prior to commencement of construction activities
35 (soil/rock removal, pile driving, structural Work, etc.) for the ***§§2§§***. The
36 second survey shall be performed 24 hours prior to starting the construction
37 activities in order to verify stability of the baseline measurements. Both surveys
38 shall document visible cracks, defects, and unusual conditions. Baseline
39 measurements shall include estimated effects due to temperature, traffic impacts,

1 etc. on the displacement measurements. The first survey shall include installation
2 of survey targets on the structure to track permanent displacements. See Appendix
3 S for recent WSDOT condition inspection documents for existing structures.

- 4 1. Bridge Surveys shall be performed on all spans and piers of the bridge and
5 shall provide a geometric baseline for the bridge deck and the location and
6 elevation of bridge piers. At a minimum, survey targets shall be located on
7 each exterior column of interior piers, within 2 feet vertical distance below
8 the top of each column, and within 2 feet vertical distance above the existing
9 ground line or top of exposed footing.
- 10 2. Retaining Wall Surveys shall be performed at the wall ends and intervals no
11 greater than 50 ft along the wall length. Survey targets shall be located
12 within 2 ft of the top of wall.
- 13 3. ***\$\$3\$\$***

14 2.13.5.1.2 Routine Monitoring

15 Monitoring of the survey targets on the structure shall start within 24 hours after
16 commencement of construction activities then continue at least each Calendar
17 Day until the structure is no longer in service to the public, vehicular and
18 pedestrian traffic is shifted to the temporary detour alignment, and construction
19 activities adjacent to the structure that impact the stability are completed.
20 Monitoring shall include surveying the target locations (x, y, and z values) a
21 minimum of once per Calendar Day and uploading the survey data the same day
22 to an online database. Access to the online database shall be provided to WSDOT
23 up to Substantial Completion of the Project.

24 The trigger, maximum, and repair displacement values shown below define the
25 threshold levels to implement additional monitoring requirements and adjust
26 construction practices as required. The Design-Builder may adjust the threshold
27 levels depending on the results of the Pre-construction Condition Survey. The
28 Design-Builder shall notify the WSDOT Engineer of the selected threshold levels
29 24 hours prior to starting construction activities. Threshold levels are compared to
30 the resultant combination of vertical and horizontal displacements of the survey
31 targets. Displacement measurements shall be taken to a precision of 0.01 feet.

Threshold Levels for Permanent Displacements (feet)

Structure	Element	Trigger Level	Maximum Level	Repair Level
\$\$4\$\$	***\$\$5\$\$***	***\$\$6\$\$***	***\$\$7\$\$***	***\$\$8\$\$***

32 Damaged, missing, or non-functioning survey equipment or targets shall be
33 replaced and re-baselined within 24 hours. The Design-Builder shall develop a
34 Corrective Action Plan describing specific actions to be taken if permanent
35 displacements exceed the threshold levels given above. This plan shall be
36 submitted to the WSDOT Engineer for Review and Comment at least 14 Calendar
37 Days prior to construction activities.

1 Structural damage to the structure caused by the Design-Builder’s construction
2 activities and creating safety concerns for public use on the structure, shall be
3 repaired regardless of the measured displacement levels. The Design-Builder shall
4 be responsible for all associated design and repair costs, and implementation of
5 repairs to restore stability and safety to the structure for public use.

6 The monitoring program shall include the following elements:

7 1. ***\$\$9\$\$***

8 The Design-Builder shall perform remedial measures for each threshold level as
9 described below:

- 10 1. Trigger Level: Notify the WSDOT Engineer the same Calendar Day that the
11 trigger level has been exceeded. Report displacement measurements to the
12 WSDOT Engineer until it is verified that movement has stopped. Increase
13 frequency of future monitoring for each affected survey target to two
14 readings daily with a minimum of 6 hours between readings, and also
15 monitor the adjacent targets at the same frequency until movements have
16 stabilized. Implement procedures to limit additional movement and protect
17 the affected facility.
- 18 2. Maximum Level: Verify measurements and notify WSDOT immediately if
19 the maximum level has been exceeded. Increase frequency of future
20 monitoring for all survey targets to three readings daily with a minimum of
21 4 hours between readings. Report displacement measurements to the
22 WSDOT Engineer until it is verified that movement has stopped. WSDOT
23 may suspend associated ground disturbing activities and require the Design-
24 Builder to submit alternative proposals for minimizing further movement. If
25 Work is suspended, the Design-Builder shall obtain approval prior to
26 restarting ground disturbing activities.
- 27 3. Repair Level: All construction activities affecting the structure shall be
28 suspended immediately and WSDOT shall be notified immediately to assess
29 the stability risk and safety of the structure for public use. The Design-
30 Builder, SLE, and WSDOT Engineer shall determine the extent of
31 temporary repairs required for the structure before construction activities are
32 allowed to resume. Structural repairs shall be designed and constructed by
33 the Design-Builder and SLE to restore stability and safety of the structure
34 for public use.

35 **2.13.6 Bridge Maintenance Requirements**

36 **2.13.6.1 Existing Bridge Expansion Joint Rehabilitation**

37 The Design-Builder shall field measure all existing compression seal and strip
38 seal expansion joints requiring replacement. The expansion joint headers and
39 expansion joint materials of the existing bridge expansion joints shall be removed.
40 The expansion joint headers shall be reconstructed with either elastomeric or
41 polyester concrete, concrete class 4000 or concrete class 4000D (in widths
42 matching the existing headers and thickness 0.25 inches less than the replacement

1 Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) overlay), and the joint gland replaced with a
2 compression seal, strip seal, or rapid-cure silicone expansion joint system
3 designed for the gap and motion range of the joint. Strip seals and compression
4 seals shall be removed and replaced with new seals, in one continuous piece, for
5 the entire width of the new and existing bridge deck. New HMA overlay shall not
6 be installed across the expansion joints. Transverse joint seals at the back of
7 pavement seat and end of bridge approach slab shall be constructed in accordance
8 with Standard Plan A-40.20. Transverse joint seals shall be located at the
9 following locations: ***\$\$1\$\$***.

10 Bridge joint calculations shall be submitted to the WSDOT Engineer for Review
11 and Comment.

12 **2.13.6.2 Bridge Inspection and Maintenance Access**

13 The Design-Builder shall design, detail, and construct all bridge superstructures,
14 joints, and bearings to be accessible for WSDOT inspection and maintenance.

15 The Design-Builder shall design, detail, and construct all joints and bearings to be
16 replaceable. All bearing locations shall be designed with jacking points and
17 adequate clearances to facilitate future bearing replacement. Jacking points shall
18 be designed to support 200 percent of the calculated lifting load.

19 All exterior surfaces of superstructures, including bearings and between girders,
20 shall be accessible by an Aspen Aerial A-62 Under Bridge Inspection Truck, a 40-
21 foot bucket truck, or a 15-foot ladder. "Accessible" is defined as within arm's
22 reach of an inspector. Technical details including the flight path for an Aspen
23 Aerial A-62 can be located on the Aspen Aerials website.

24 Pipe railing shall be provided along steel plate girder webs for future maintenance
25 and inspection access and shall be located and detailed in accordance with sheet
26 6.4-A9 of the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.

27 For box girders where permanent access is provided, access doors shall be
28 provided at both ends of the bridge.

29 For steel box girders with permanent access, the Design-Builder shall paint the
30 interior of steel box girders the color white (SAE AMS Standard 595, Color No.
31 17925) and shall provide LED inspection lighting and electrical power. Lighting
32 fixtures, light switches and duplex receptacles shall be located inside the steel box
33 girders in a manner consistent with the WSDOT *Design Manual*.

34 The Design-Builder shall notify WSDOT 30 Calendar Days prior to a new bridge
35 or buried structure being open to traffic, so that WSDOT can schedule an
36 inventory inspection by the WSDOT Bridge Preservation Office.

37 **2.13.7 Submittals**

38 **2.13.7.1 Structure Design Submittals**

39 Project submittals shall include, at a minimum, the required submittals in this
40 Section.

1 **2.13.7.1.1 Preliminary Design Submittal**

2 The Design-Builder shall submit to WSDOT for Review and Comment
3 preliminary design drawings on WSDOT standard sheets in accordance with the
4 WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* Preliminary Plan Checklist for all bridges and
5 structures. The stamp of the EOR shall be applied in accordance with WAC 196-
6 23-020.

7 **2.13.7.1.2 Final Design Submittal**

8 The Design-Builder shall submit to WSDOT for Review and Comment final
9 design drawings on WSDOT standard sheets in accordance with the WSDOT
10 *Bridge Design Manual*. The Design-Builder shall submit final Technical
11 Specifications, design calculations, and supporting reports for all bridges and
12 structures. The stamp of the EOR shall be applied in accordance with WAC 196-
13 23-020.

14 **2.13.7.1.3 Released for Construction Document Submittal**

15 The Design-Builder shall submit Released for Construction (RFC) Documents to
16 WSDOT for all structural Work related to bridge and structures construction,
17 including drawings, Technical Specifications, design calculations, and supporting
18 reports, along with verification that all written review comments for the
19 Preliminary and Final Design Submittals have been resolved. The RFC
20 Documents shall include the stamp and signature of the EOR in accordance with
21 WAC 196-23-020.

22 **2.13.7.1.4 Design Calculations**

23 The Design-Builder shall submit to WSDOT for Review and Comment complete
24 sets of legible calculations to support all structural engineering designs described
25 in this Section. Complete sets of calculations shall be included with each Final
26 and RFC design review Submittal.

27 All RFC calculations shall include the stamp and signature of the EOR in
28 accordance with WAC 196-23-020.

29 All calculation sets shall include the following:

- 30 1. Cover Sheet - The name of the Project, structure name, designer/checker
31 names, date (month, day, and year), and supervisor's name shall be listed.
32 The stamp and signature of the EOR shall also be included.
- 33 2. Index Sheets - These shall include an index by subject with the
34 corresponding design calculation sheet numbers.
- 35 3. Design Calculations - Design calculation sheets shall be numbered. The
36 calculations shall include design criteria; loadings; structural analysis;
37 results; member capacities; geotechnical calculations; horizontal and
38 vertical settlement calculations; deflection diagrams; long term creep
39 diagrams for horizontal flexural members; and all computer input and output
40 data (reduced to an 8.5 by 11-inch sheet size). In addition, all electronic files

1 of spreadsheets, computer models, analysis, design files of spreadsheets and
2 computer input/output files used to support the design calculations shall be
3 submitted.

4 **2.13.7.2 Working Drawings**

5 All Working Drawings shall be submitted as Type 2 Working Drawings in
6 accordance with Section 1-05.3(5) unless otherwise noted.

7 **2.13.7.2.1 Shop Drawings**

8 The Design-Builder shall submit to WSDOT shop drawings for all steel elements,
9 precast concrete elements, post-tensioning reinforcement, bearings, expansion
10 joints, railings, barriers, luminaires, drainage structures, reinforcing steel, and
11 piles/drilled shafts prior to implementing Work based on the shop drawings. The
12 EOR shall review all shop drawings prior to Submittal to WSDOT. The Design-
13 Builder shall submit the final approved shop drawings prior to Physical
14 Completion as part of the As Built Plans in accordance with Section 2.13.7.5.1.
15 The shop drawings shall include, at a minimum, the following information:

- 16 1. Size of member and fasteners
- 17 2. Length dimensions
- 18 3. Finish, such as galvanizing, anodizing, and painting.
- 19 4. Weld size and type and welding procedures
- 20 5. Strand or steel reinforcing bar placement
- 21 6. Post-tensioning reinforcement tensioning procedure, stress calculations, and
22 elongations
- 23 7. Post-tensioning anchorage details
- 24 8. Fabrication-reaming, drilling, and assembly procedures
- 25 9. Wall penetrations
- 26 10. Erection procedures for steel elements
- 27 11. Handling and erection procedures for precast concrete elements, including
28 complete details of all temporary supports, bracing, and inserts placed for
29 lifting, assembly, and erection.
- 30 12. Material specifications

31 **2.13.7.2.2 Falsework, Formwork, and other Temporary** 32 **Structures**

33 The Design-Builder shall submit to the WSDOT Engineer for Review and
34 Comment Type 3 or Type 3E Working Drawings with supporting design
35 calculations for falsework, formwork, construction work bridges, temporary
36 retaining walls, temporary bridges, and other temporary structures.

1 The Design-Builder shall submit to WSDOT for Review and Comment
2 procedures and Working Drawings with supporting design calculations for critical
3 construction processes. Critical construction processes include, at a minimum,
4 bridge removal, bridge approach demolition, and jacking pits.

5 All Final Design Plans and calculations for the falsework, formwork, construction
6 work bridges, temporary retaining walls, temporary bridges, other temporary
7 structures, demolition, erection, and installation shall bear the stamp and signature
8 of a Professional Civil or Structural Engineer.

9 **2.13.7.2.3 Shaft Construction Submittal**

10 The Shaft Construction Submittals shall be submitted to the WSDOT Engineer for
11 Review and Comment.

12 **2.13.7.3 Plan Revisions During Construction**

13 The Design-Builder shall incorporate calculations for revisions made during
14 construction into the design/check calculation file when construction is
15 completed. All revisions to design calculations and RFC plan sheets shall be
16 stamped and signed by the EOR in accordance with WAC 196-23-020 prior to
17 incorporating them into the Project. The SLE shall certify that all revisions to
18 structural calculations and plan sheets are in conformance with the Contract
19 requirements. Whenever new plan sheets are required as part of a Contract
20 revision, the information in the title blocks of these sheets shall be identical to the
21 title blocks of the Contract they are for. Every revision shall be assigned a
22 number. The assigned number shall be located both at the location of the change
23 on the sheet and in the revision block of the plan sheet along with an explanation
24 of the change.

25 **2.13.7.4 Load Rating Report**

26 The Design-Builder shall complete and submit a load rating report as described in
27 Section 15.12 of the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual* to WSDOT for Review and
28 Comment at least ***\$\$1\$\$*** Calendar Days before a structure is opened to
29 vehicular traffic.

30 **2.13.7.5 End of Project Submittals**

31 All Design Documents overseen by the SLE shall be submitted prior to Physical
32 Completion and shall bear the stamp and signature of the SLE except as otherwise
33 required in this Section.

34 **2.13.7.5.1 Plans**

35 The Design-Builder shall prepare As Built Plans for bridges and structures on
36 WSDOT standard sheets in accordance with the WSDOT *Bridge Design Manual*.
37 Plans shall be submitted on 11 by 17-inch PDF and as electronic CADD files in
38 accordance with Section 2.01, *General Information* and this Section. Final
39 approved shop drawings for structures shall be included in the As Built Plans.

