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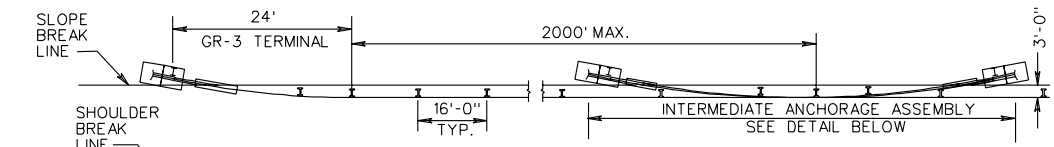

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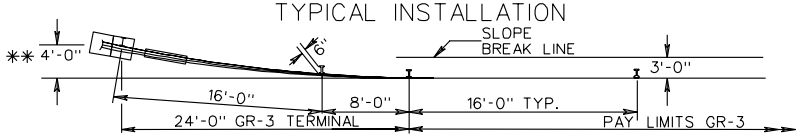
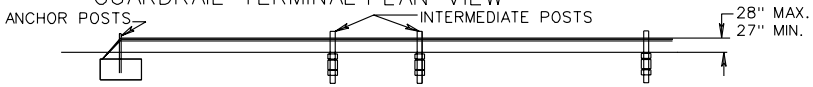


GUARDRAIL TERMINAL PLAN VIEW



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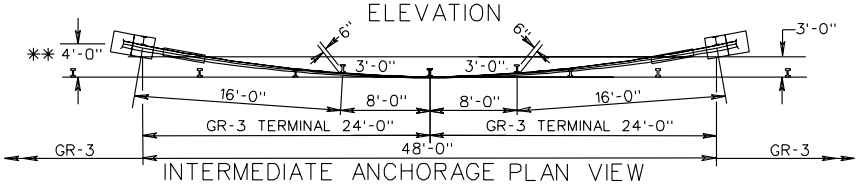
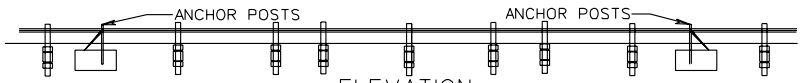


INTERMEDIATE ANCHORAGE PLAN VIEW



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NOTES:

FOR ARRANGEMENTS OF SPRING CABLE END ASSEMBLIES (COMPENSATING DEVICES) AND TURNBUCKE CABLE END ASSEMBLIES, THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA SHALL APPLY:

LENGTH OF CABLE RUNS:
-TO 500'-USE COMPENSATING DEVICE ON EACH END OF EACH INDIVIDUAL CABLE.

-OVER 500' TO 2000'-USE COMPENSATING DEVICE ON EACH END OF EACH INDIVIDUAL CABLE.

-OVER 2000'-START NEW STRETCH BY INTERLACING AT LAST PARALLEL POST. SEE TYP. INSTALLATION.

FITTINGS: ALL FITTINGS SHALL BE SO DESIGNED AND BE OF SUCH SECTION AS TO DEVELOP THE FULL STRENGTH OF A SINGLE CABLE OR CABLE ASSEMBLIES, AS THE CASE MAY BE.

SINGLE CABLE ANCHOR ASSEMBLY-
MIN. TENSILE STRENGTH.....25,000 LBS.
THREE CABLE ANCHOR ASSEMBLY-
MIN. TENSILE STRENGTH.....100,000 LBS.

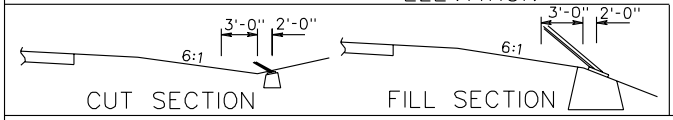
ALL FITTINGS SHALL BE HOT DIPPED GALVANIZED.

THE DYNAMIC DEFLECTION FOR STANDARD GR-3 IS 11 FEET.

⊛ THE GUARDRAIL AND MEDIAN BARRIER COMPONENTS DEPICTED A.R.T.B.A. TECHNICAL BULLETIN NUMBER 268B MAY BE SUBSTITUTED IF INTERCHANGEABLE WITH THE STANDARDS FOR GUARDRAIL (GR) OR MEDIAN BARRIER (MB) AND APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER.

FOR ROCK INSTALLATION, 8"X24"X1/4" PLATE SHALL BE ELIMINATED. DRILL OR EXCAVATE HOLE FOR POST AND BACKFILL WITH CRUSHER RUN AGGREGATE TO LEVEL OF ROCK.

5/16" ANSI B18.2.2 HEX. BACKING NUT OR APPROVED SHOULDER MUST EQUAL BEARING AREA OF 5/16" STANDARD NUT.



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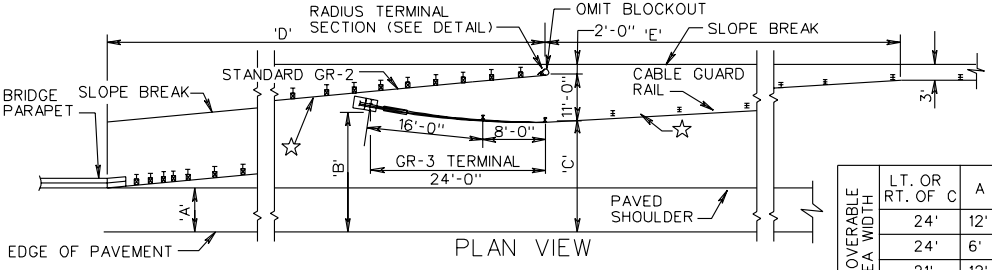
** WHEN BURYING GR-3 CABLE GUARDRAIL IN THE BACKSLOPE, THE CONCRETE ANCHOR ASSEMBLY MUST BE PLACED AT A HEIGHT ON THE BACKSLOPE TO MAINTAIN THE 27" MIN./28" MAX. CABLE HEIGHT AT THE ANCHORAGE.



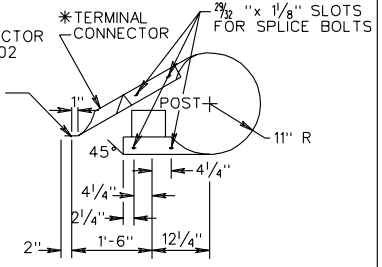
PLAN VIEW

☆ USE 15:1 FLARES ON BOTH TYPES OF RAIL FOR DESIGN SPEED OF 70 MPH OR 13:1 FOR DESIGN SPEED OF 60 MPH OR LESS.

RECOVERABLE AREA WIDTH	LT. OR RT. OF C	A	B	C	70 MPH D.S. D	70 MPH D.S. E
	24'	12'	27'	26'	375'	150'
	24'	6'	27'	26'	465'	150'
	21'	12'	24'	23'	330'	150'
	21'	6'	24'	23'	420'	150'

* FOR DETAILS OF TERMINAL CONNECTOR SEE SHEET 501.02

DRILL 3/4" DIA. HOLE IN CENTER



RADIUS TERMINAL SECTION DETAIL

METHOD OF TRANSITION FROM CABLE GUARDRAIL TO W-BEAM GUARDRAIL AT BRIDGE APPROACHES

SHEET 1 OF 3

SPECIFICATION REFERENCE
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