



MASSACHUSETTS WATER RESOURCES AUTHORITY

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May 30, 2017

**RE: Waterways License Application Number W17-4963
MWRA Utility Bridge
Dedham, Massachusetts**

Dear Reviewer:

The Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) has filed an application with the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) for a Chapter 91 License in accordance with the Public Waterfront Act (M.G.L. Chapter 91) and its implementing Regulations (310 CMR 9.00).

The proposed activity under Chapter 91 jurisdiction includes the installation of a new utility bridge, adjacent to the north side of the existing Sawmill Lane Bridge over Mother Brook. Upon completion, the utility bridge will provide a widened sidewalk along the northern side of Sawmill Lane for use as a pedestrian overlook. The Project will involve minor dredging, behind steel sheeting, to construct abutments at the edge of the brook. Impacts to the 100-year floodplain will be compensated, adjacent to the proposed bridge, in accordance with an approved Notice of Intent.

Enclosed please find a copy of the Public Notice to be published in the Dedham Times on June 2, 2017 as well as a copy of the license plans dated March 22, 2017. Pursuant to 310 CMR 9.13 (1) (a), this information is being provided for your review and comment.

If you have any questions regarding the proposed project, please feel free to contact me at (617) 788-1102.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "P. Heidell", is written over a faint circular stamp.

Pamela Heidell
Policy and Planning Manager

Attachments

cc:
Paul Rullo, MWRA
Gina Britton, Stantec

**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
WATERWAYS REGULATION PROGRAM**

**Notice of License Application pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 91
Waterways License Application Number W17- 4963**

Applicant: Massachusetts Water Resources Authority

Agent: Hillary King, STANTEC, 5 Burlington Woods,
Burlington, MA, 01803

Project Location: Mother's Brook, Dedham

Public Comments Deadline: July 7, 2017

NOTIFICATION DATE: June 7, 2017

Public notice is hereby given of the Waterways application by the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority to construct and maintain a new pipeline utility bridge crossing adjacent to existing Saw Mill Lane Bridge in the municipality of Dedham over Mother's Brook, a non-tidal river/stream. The proposed project has been determined to be water-dependent.

The Department will consider all written comments on this Waterways application received by **July 7, 2017** (Public Comments Deadline). Failure of any aggrieved person or group of ten citizens or more to submit written comments to the Waterways Regulation Program by the Public Comments Deadline will result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing in accordance with 310 CMR 9.13(4)(c). The group of citizens must include no fewer than five citizens who are residents of the municipality in which the proposed project is located.

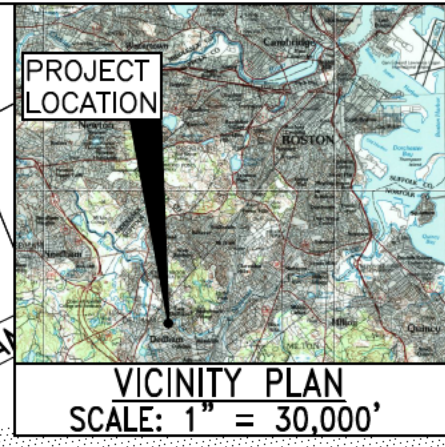
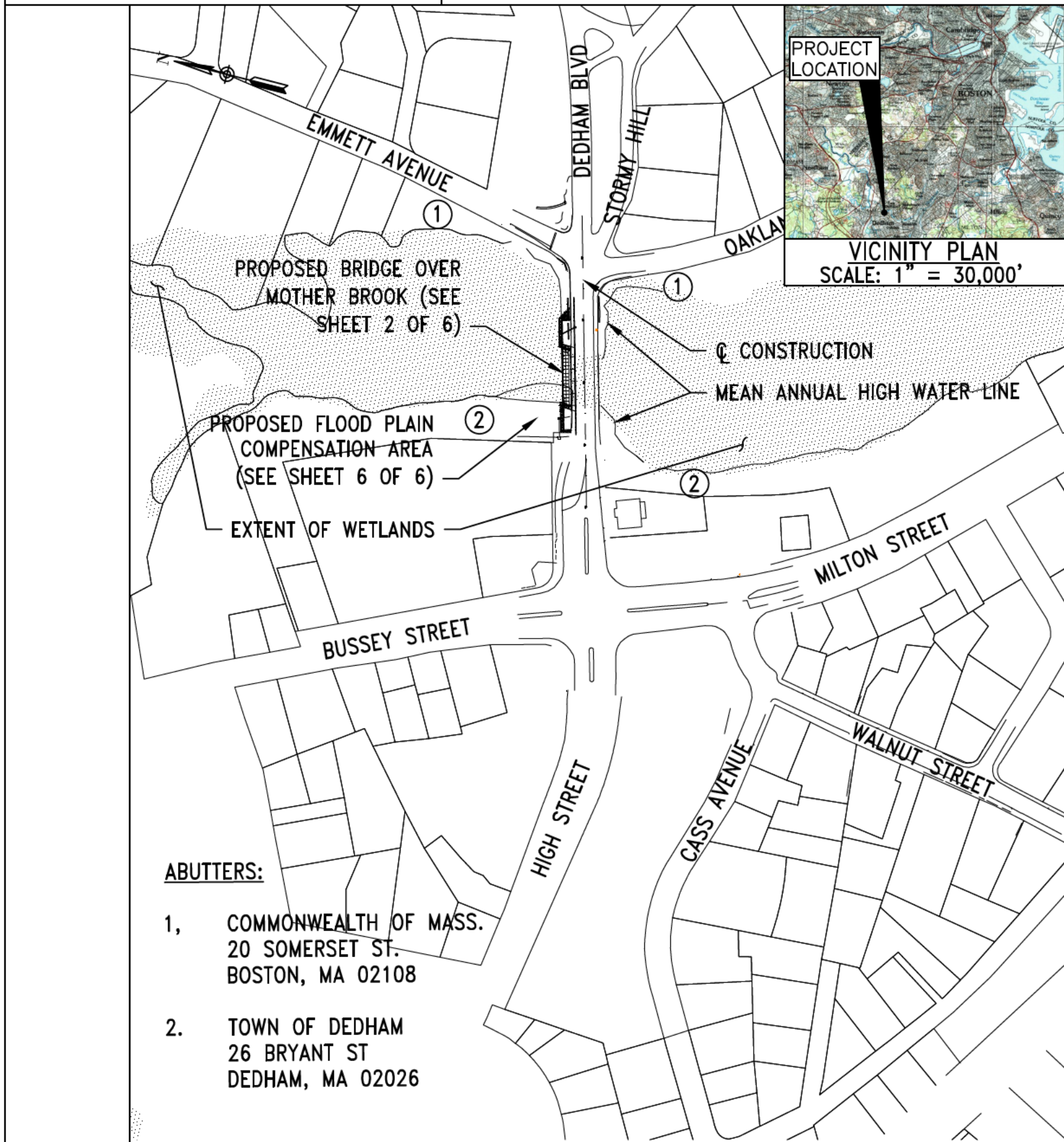
Additional information regarding this application may be obtained by contacting the Waterways Regulation Program at (617) 292-5708. Project plans and documents for this application are on file with the Waterways Regulation Program for public viewing, by appointment only, at the address below.

Written comments must be addressed to: jerome.grafe@state.ma.us or by USPS to Jerome Grafe, DEP Waterways Regulation Program, One Winter Street - 5th Floor, Boston, MA 02108

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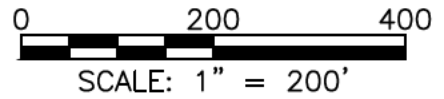
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ABUTTERS:

- 1, COMMONWEALTH OF MASS.
20 SOMERSET ST.
BOSTON, MA 02108
- 2. TOWN OF DEDHAM
26 BRYANT ST
DEDHAM, MA 02026

VICINITY PLAN



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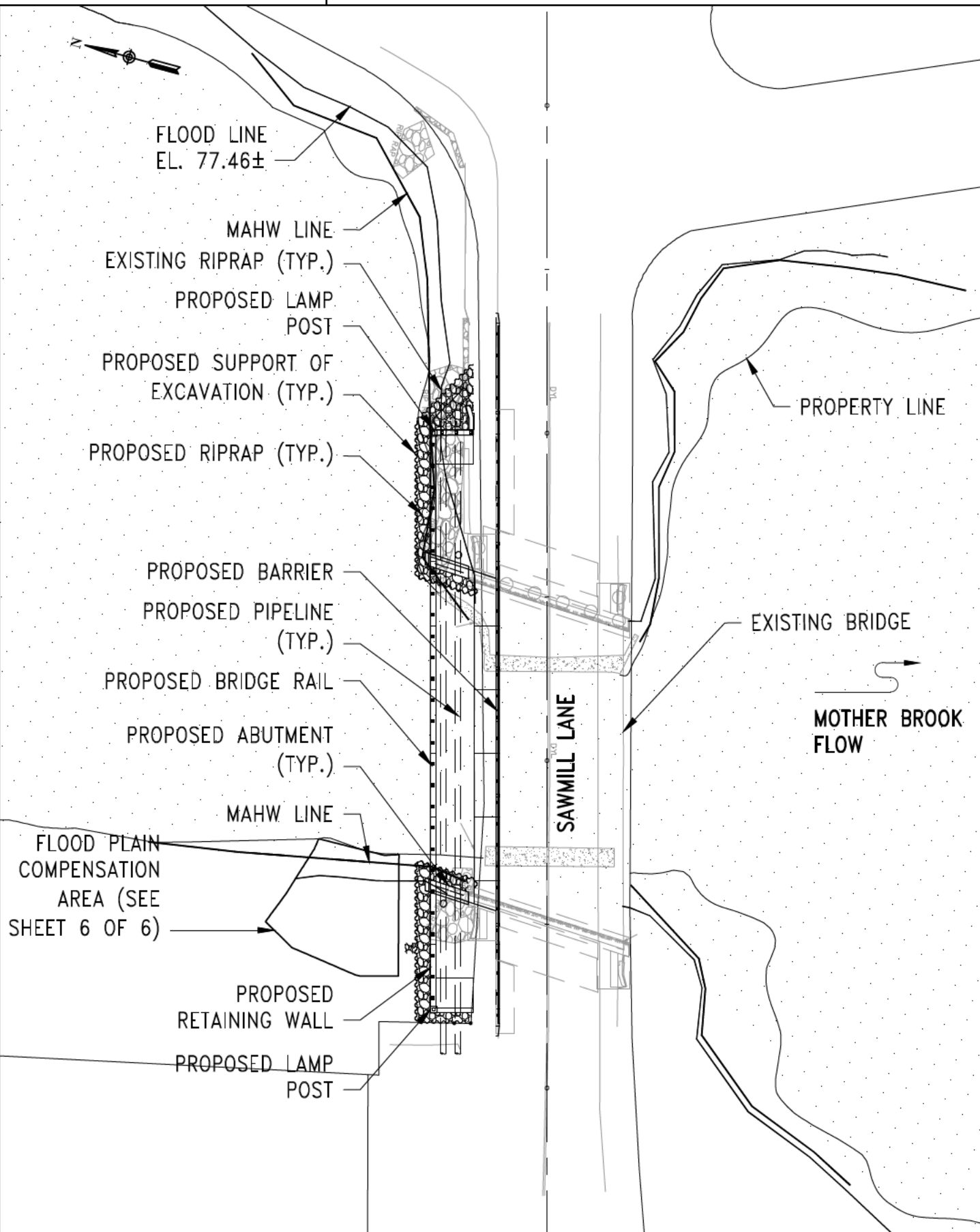
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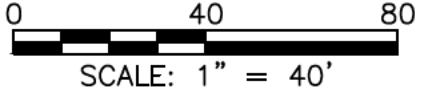
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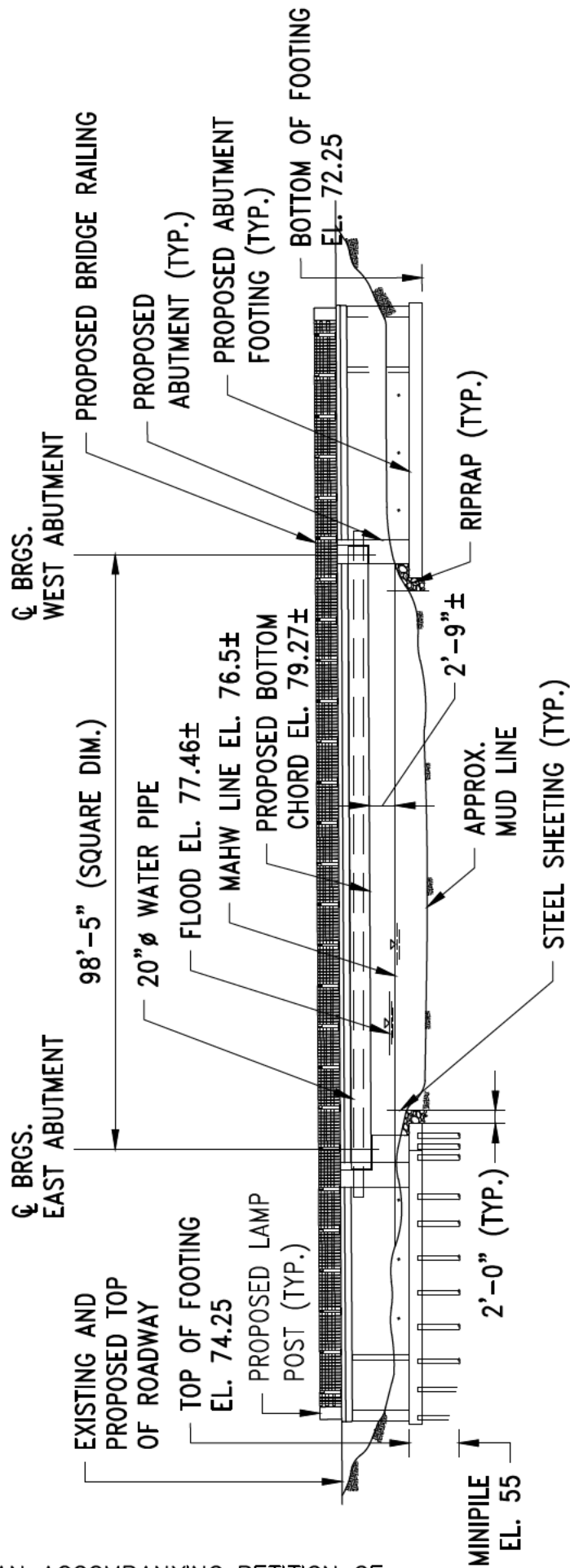
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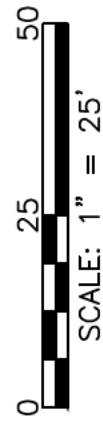
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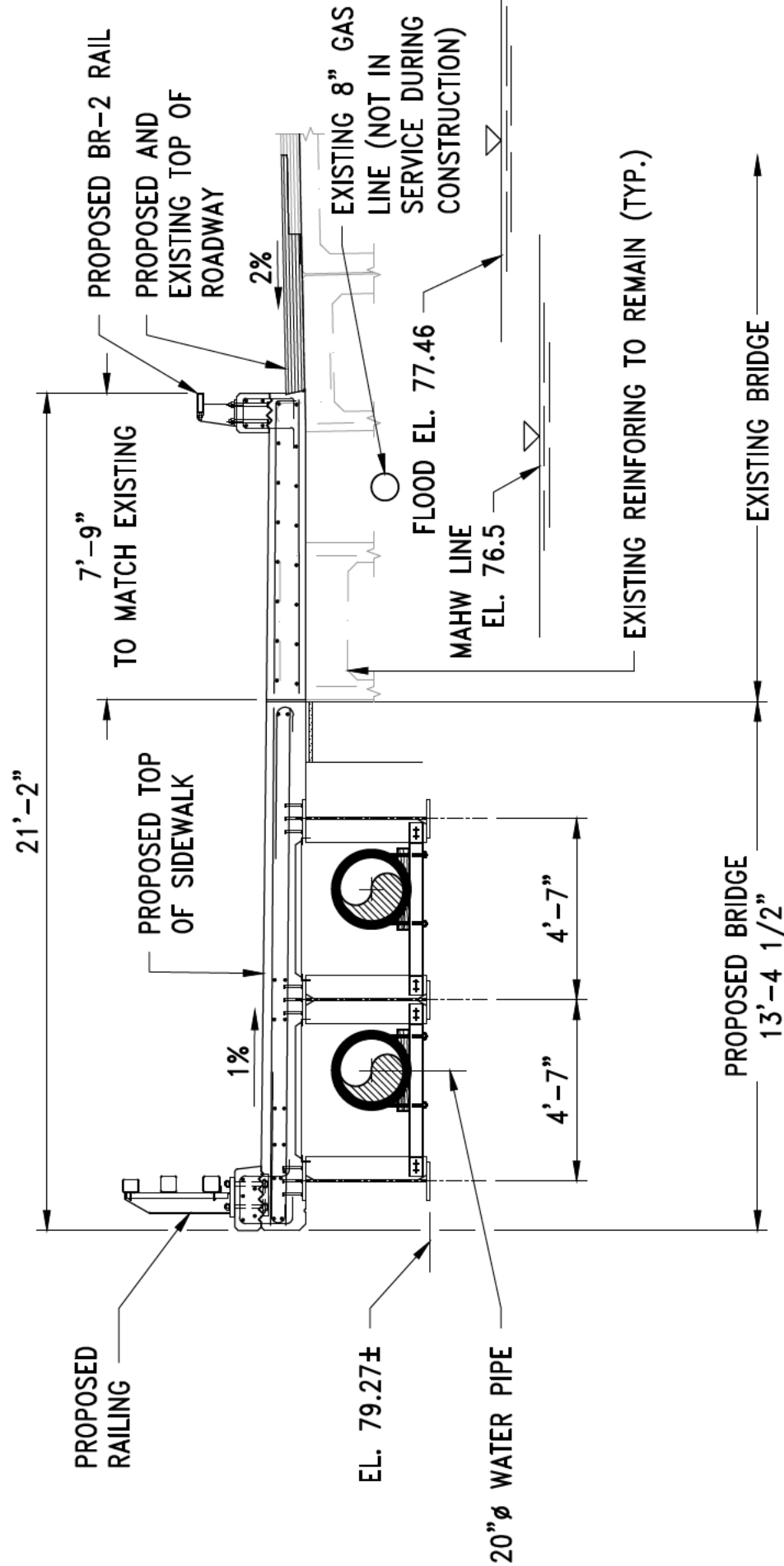


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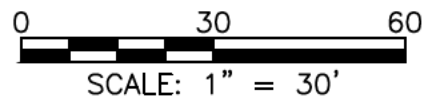
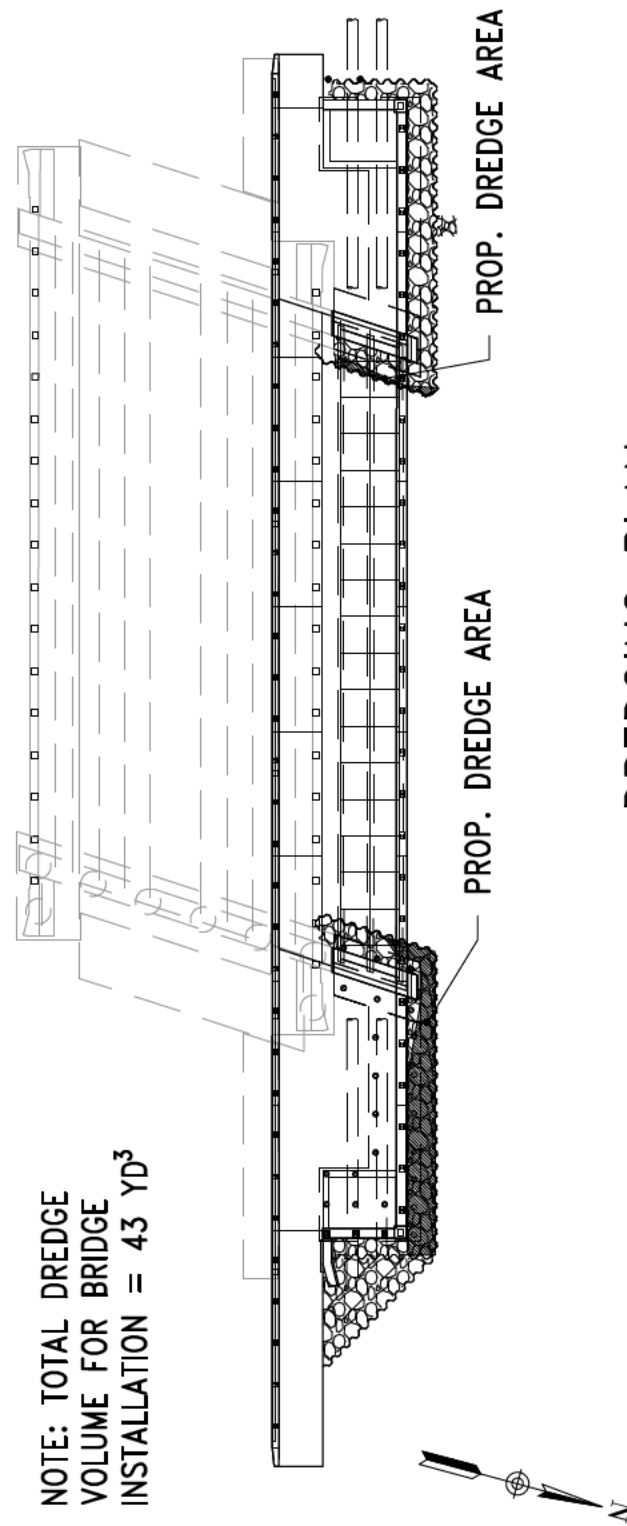
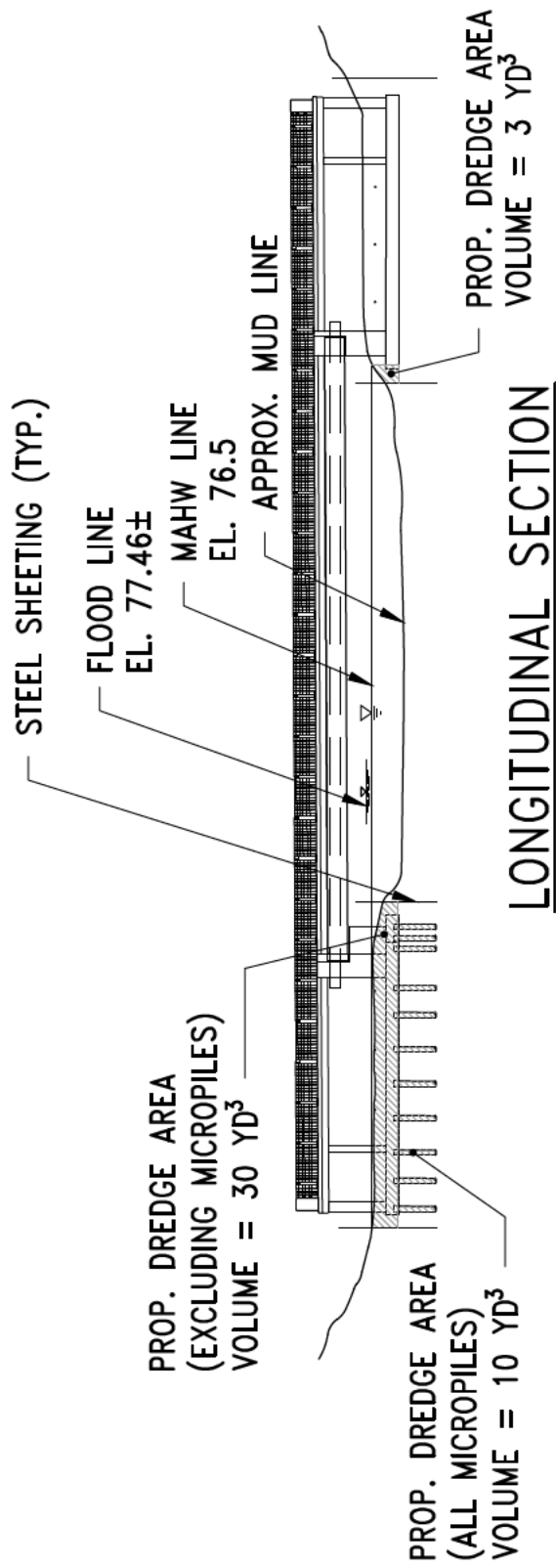


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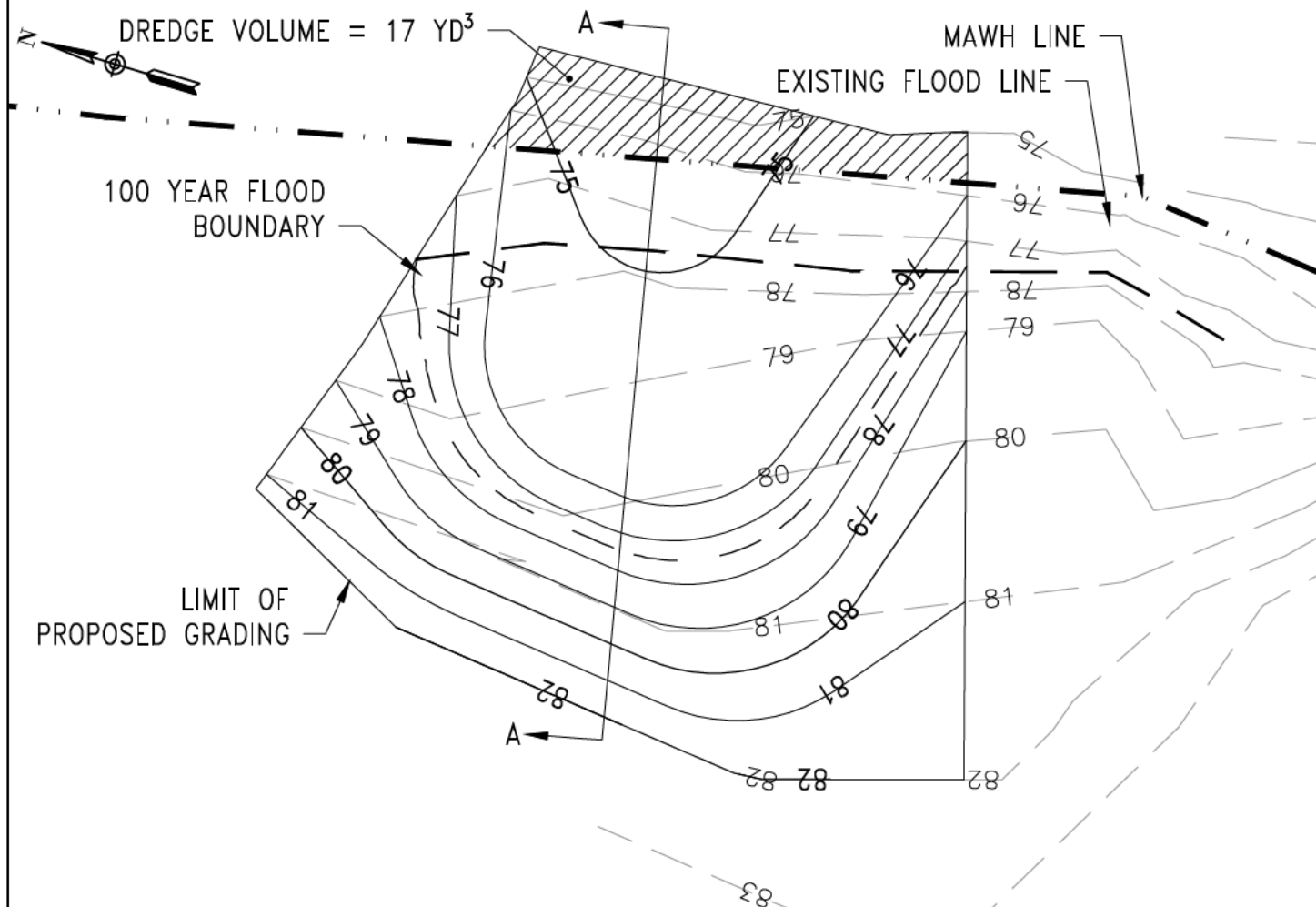


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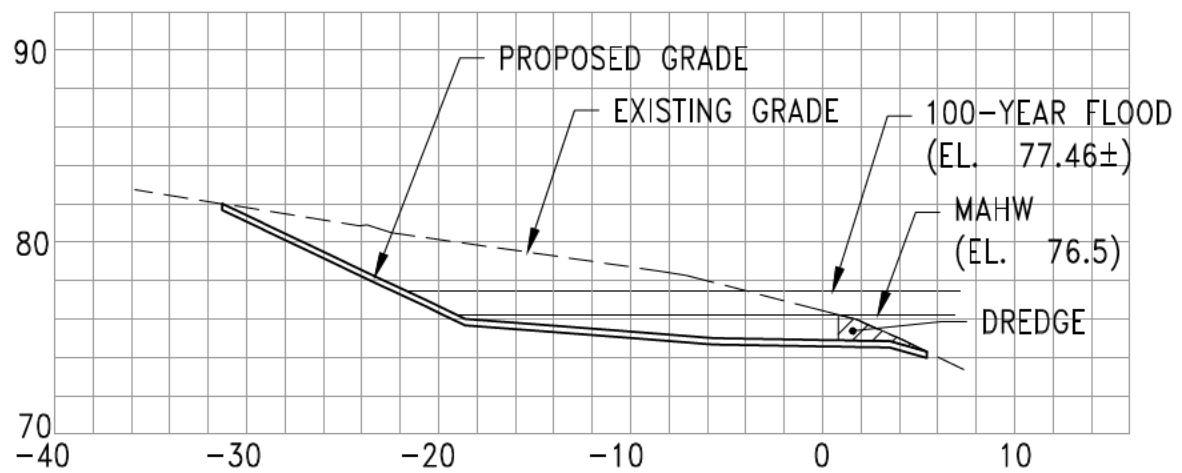
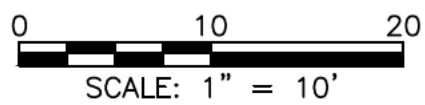
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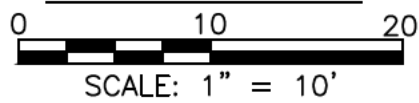
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FLOOD COMPENSATION AREA PLAN



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