

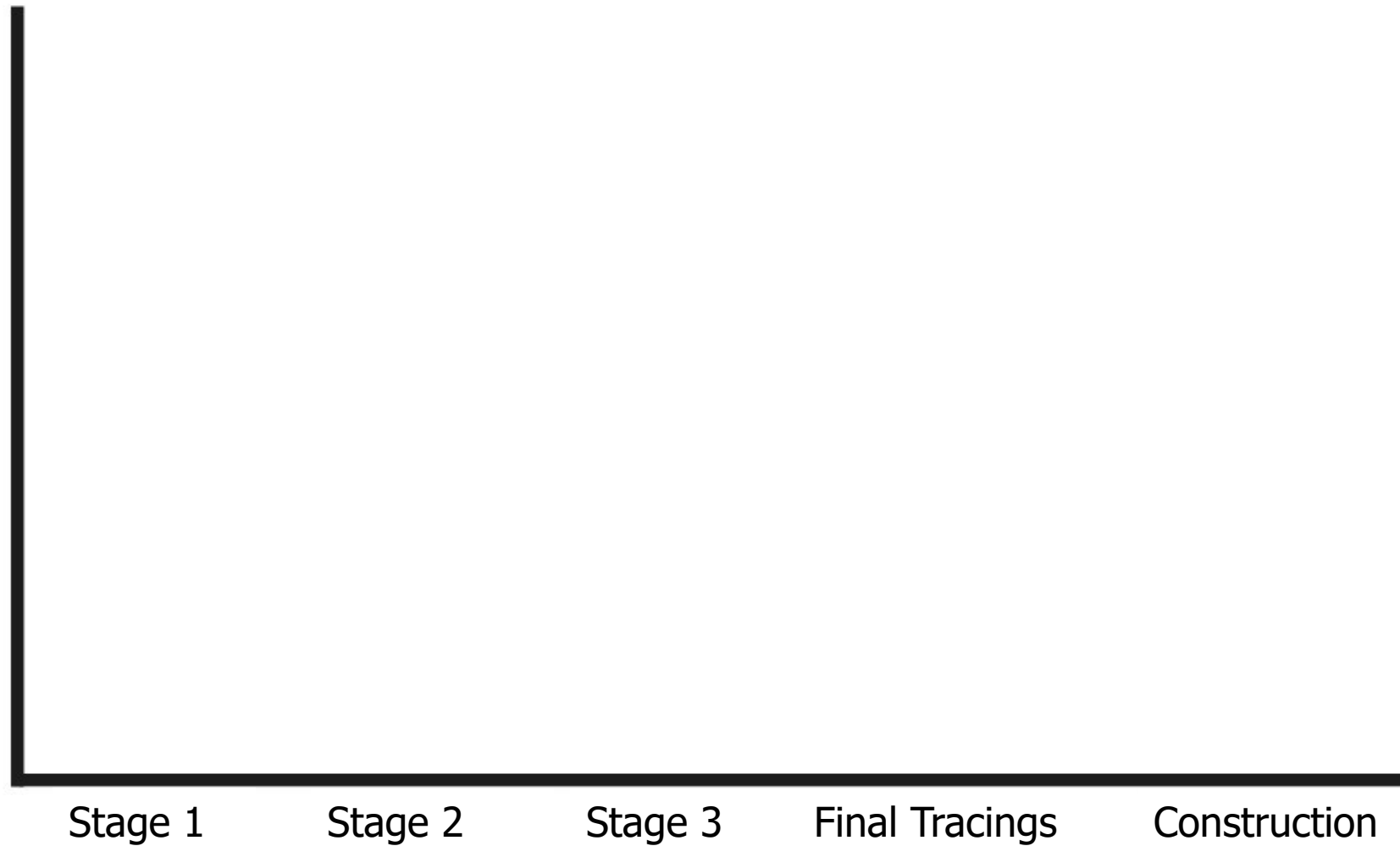
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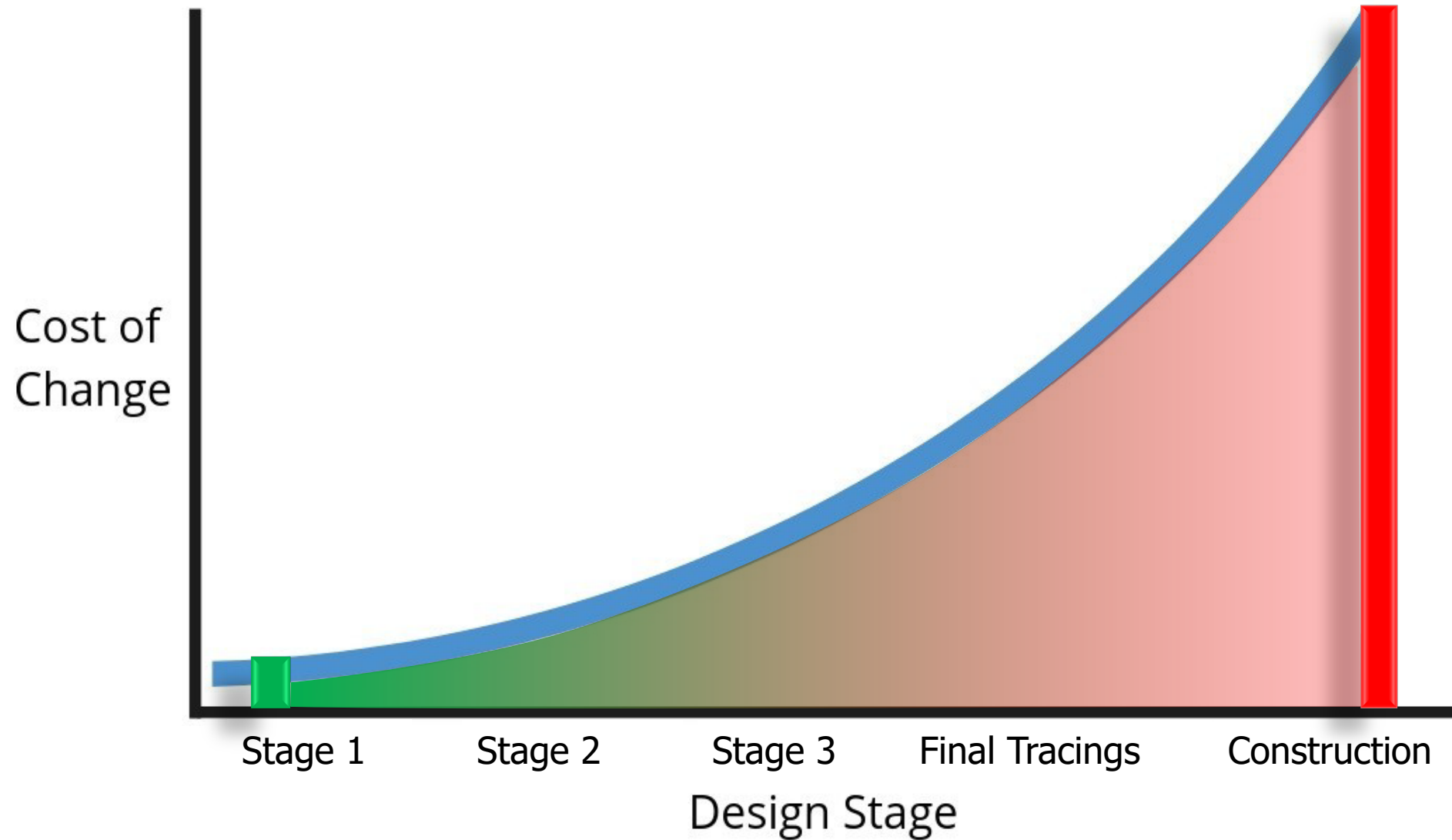
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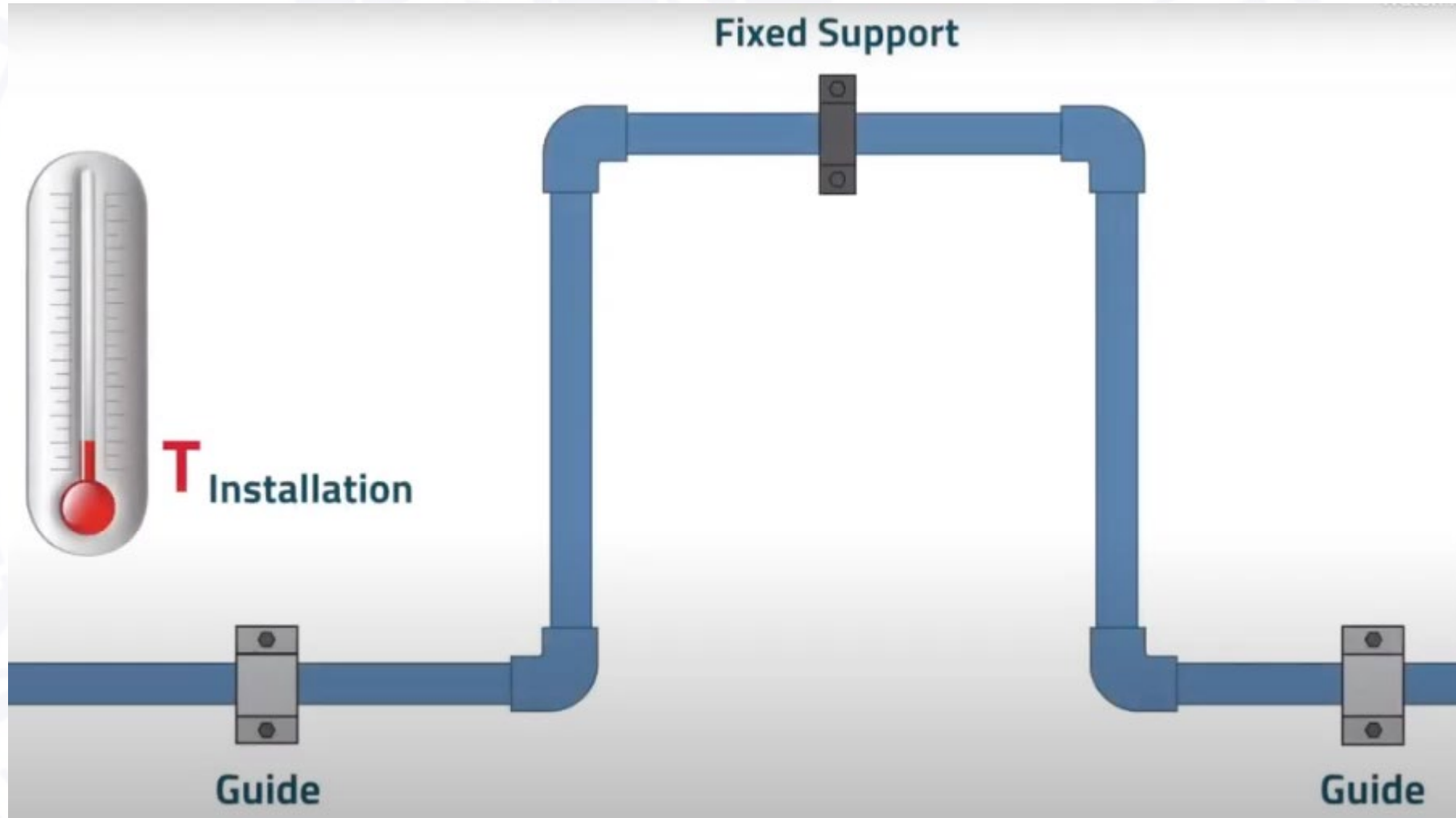
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409-7.01(03) Thermal Effects

Thermal translation, Δo , is estimated as follows:

$$\Delta o = \alpha L \Delta T$$

where L is the expansion length, α is the coefficient of thermal expansion of $6.0 \times 10^{-6}/^{\circ}\text{F}$ normal-density concrete, and ΔT is the change in average bridge temperature.

$$\Delta o = \alpha L \Delta T$$

A change in temperature causes thermal movement in all directions. This means that a short, wide bridge can experience greater transverse movement than longitudinal movement.

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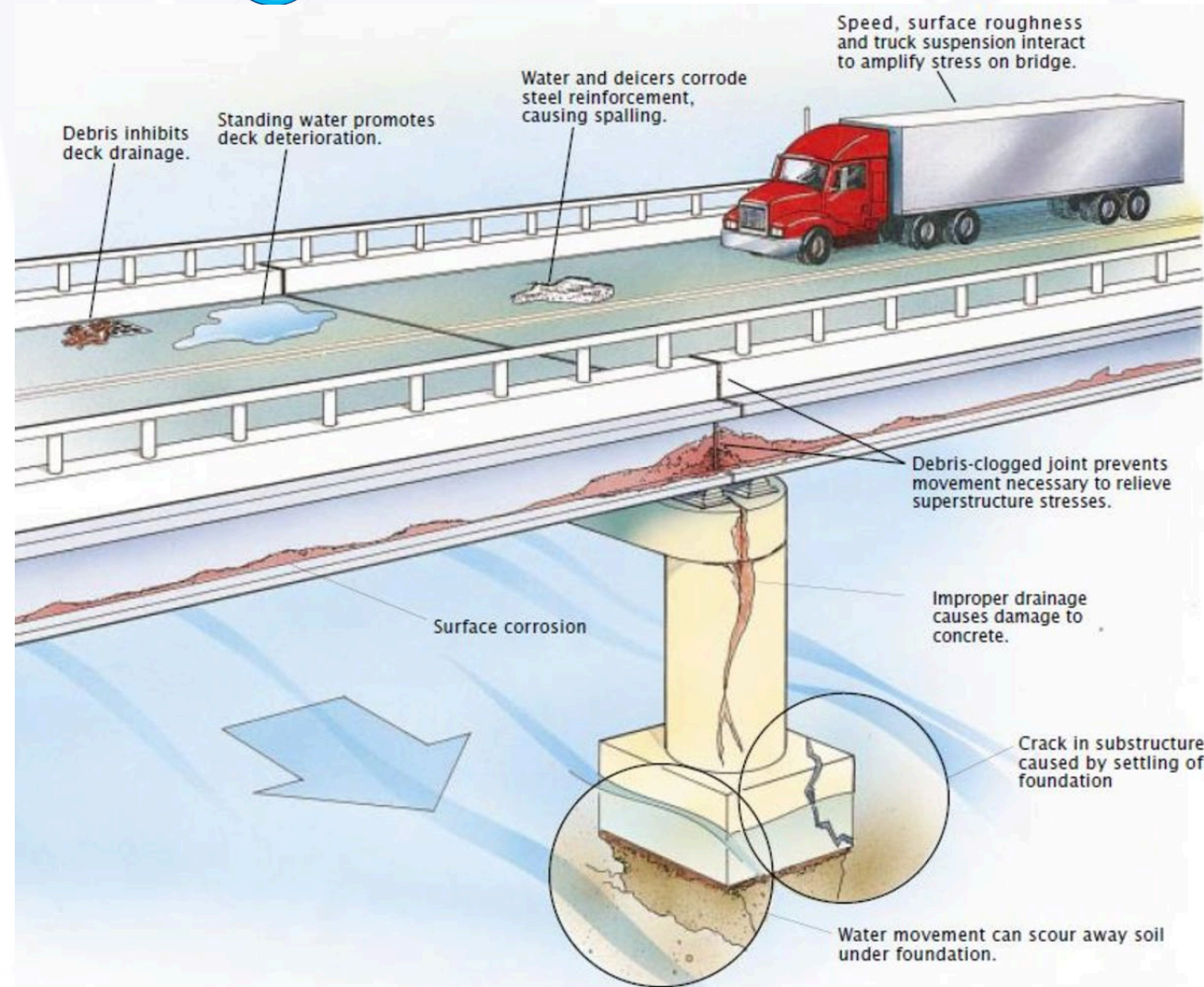
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3%
WNW 8 MPH

A mix of clouds and sun. High 57F. Winds WNW at 5 to 10 mph.

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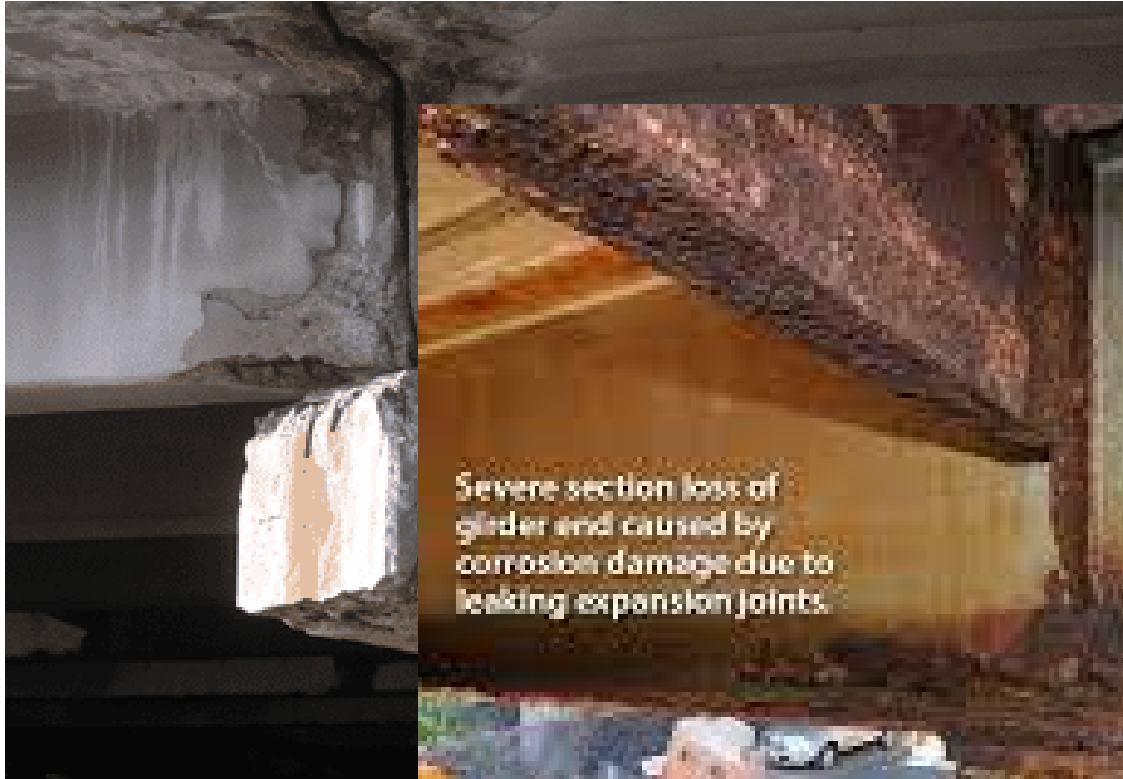
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Severe section loss of glider and caused by corrosion damage due to leaking expansion joints.



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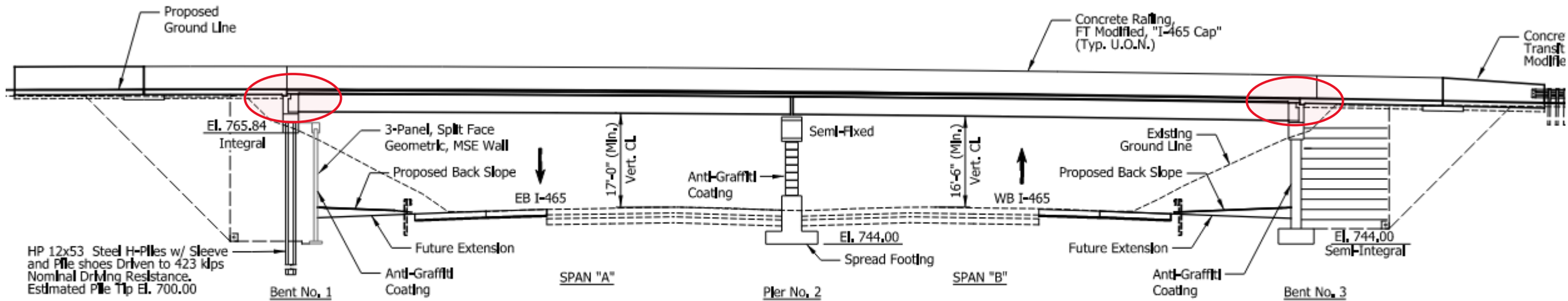
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Expansion Joints



ELEVATION

Scale: $\frac{1}{16}'' = 1'-0''$

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See List of Unique Provisions (samples), No. 15, Terminal Joint Polymer Modified Asphalt [Link](#)

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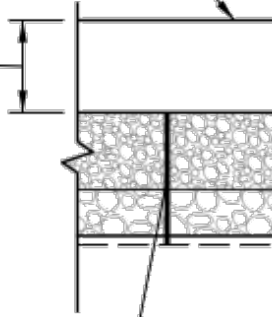
Limits of P

2 Layers Polyeth
Thickness 6 mils

#5 x 5'-8" @ 6"

Reinforced Concrete Bridge Approach
(RCBA)

RCBA Thickness



Subbase for PCCP on
Subgrade Treatment, Type IC on
Geotextile for Pavement, Type 2B

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1" Wide Filled
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402-7.02(03) Integral End Bent [Rev. Sep. 2019]

The integral end bent eliminates the deck joint between the superstructure and the end bent by the structural integration of the two. The vertical dimension of the cap beam can be minimized as the mudwall becomes a composite part thereof.

Components of the deep foundation shall be flexible to accommodate the longitudinal movement of the pile bent. Such flexibility can be provided with steel H-piles or steel-encased-concrete piles.

The reinforced concrete bridge approach (RCBA) should be attached to the bridge structure. Longitudinal bridge movements should be accommodated at the outer end of the terminal joint. See Section 409-2.04(01) for terminal joint criteria.

The Bridge has an...	Approach Pavement is...	Terminal Joint Requirement
integral or semi integral end bent AND <i>an expansion length ≤ 100 ft for concrete and ≤ 50 ft for steel.</i>	HMA	Not Required
	PCCP	Terminal Joint, Type PCCP
integral or semi integral end bent AND has an expansion length > 100 ft ≤ 400 . (concrete) or expansion length > 50 ft ≤ 400 . (steel)	HMA	Terminal Joint, Type HMA
	PCCP	Terminal Joint, Type PCCP
integral or semi integral end bent AND has an expansion length > 400 ft.	HMA or PCCP	Special Detail Required
integral or semi integral end bent AND any expansion length	CRCP or HMA over CRCP	Special Detail Required

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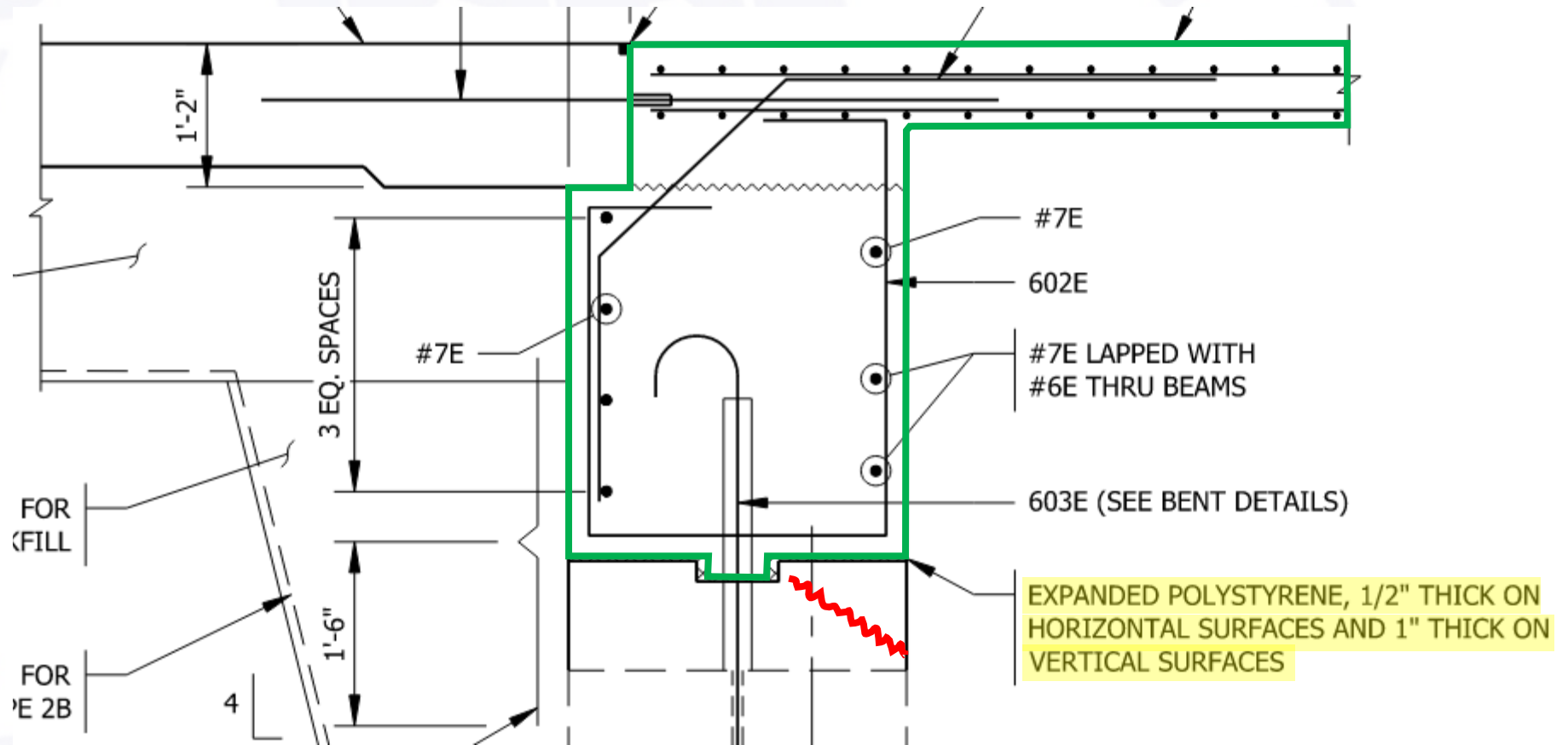
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- Thermal Movements
 - The Devil is in the Details
 - Show on Plans

Joint Opening Table						
Temperature	0°	20°	40°	60°	80°	100°
Dimension "W"	10.42"	9.67"	8.92"	8.17"	7.42"	6.67"

- Consider Terminal Joints



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C. Substructures and Foundations

1. General: The substructure is in satisfactory condition and was rated a "6" during the 2017 NBIS inspection. The substructures consist of concrete caps on exposed 14" S.E.C. piling at the piers and concrete cap on 14" S.E.C. piling at the end bents.
2. Repair/Maintenance Work: Previous minor surface patching on the center of the end bents was noted during the field inspection.
3. Specific Deficiencies: Epoxy coating is cracking and peeling on piles with only 50% of the epoxy coating remaining. The piles have minor section loss but appear to be sound. ✓

Substructure and Foundation ✓

1. The existing exposed 14" S.E.C. piling at the piers will be cleaned and epoxy coated to 2 feet below existing ground to further extend the service life of the piles. ✓

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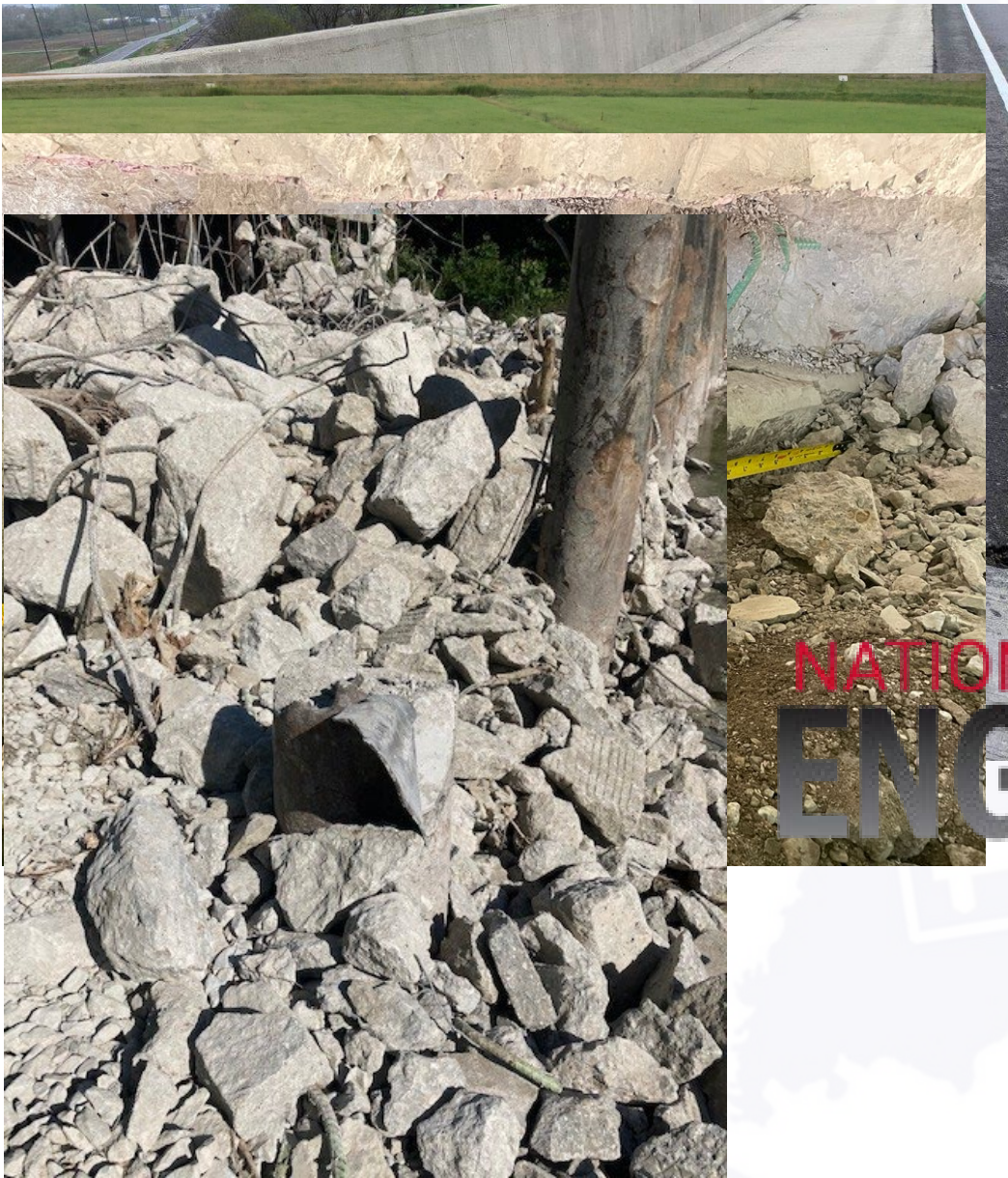
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