## OFFICE OF STRUCTURES STRUCTURAL DETAIL MANUAL

### Chapter 05

# RETAINING WALLS (RW)

#### GENERAL NOTES

Specifications: MDOT SHA Standard Specifications for Construction

and Materials

AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications, 5th edition, 2010.

Concrete Design: LRFD, f'c= 3.0 ksi.

Reinforcing Steel Design: fy = 60.0 ksi.

Concrete: All structure concrete shall be Mix. No. 3 (3500 psi) except

as noted below under reinforcing steel.

Reinforcing Steel: Reinforcing steel shall conform to A 615, Grade 60. All

splices, not shown, shall be lapped as per Bar Lap Charts. Minimum cover for any bar shall be 2" unless otherwise noted, with the exception of bars at the bottom and sides of

all footings which shall have 3" minimum cover.

If the front face of a retaining wall less than 10 feet from the edge of paved surfaces, epoxy coated reinforcement shall be used in the front face of the stem and Mix. No. 6 (4500 psi)

concrete shall be used for the stem.

ONLY GRADE 60 CAN BE USED.

Design Parameters: Earth pressure calculated based on Coulomb Theory.

Angle of Internal Friction: 33 degrees for excellent soil

30 degrees for good and poor soils (and all walls on pile footings)

For Wall Types E and F, passive earth pressure from top of footing to bottom of shear key was utilized in the design. In these cases, the top of footing shall have a minimum of

30" cover.

Safe bearing pressures are factored resistances.

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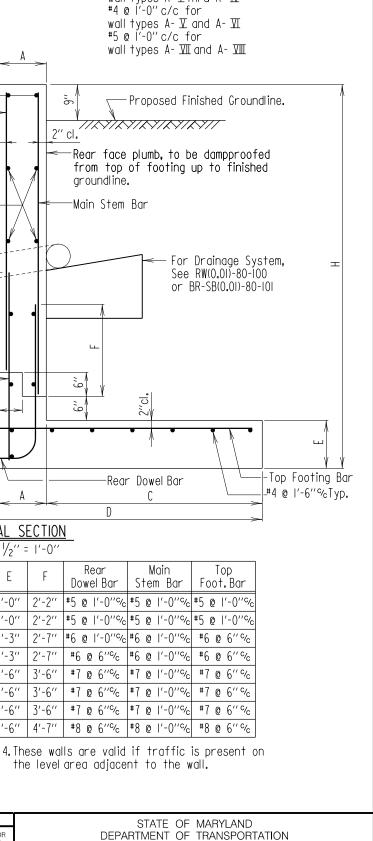
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\* \* #4 @ I'-6" c/c for

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wall types A-Ithru A- Ⅳ

\* Where specific footing concrete and stem concrete items are included in the Proposal for a particular wall, these shall be the pay limits. Where no specific items have been set up in the Proposal, the cost of wall shall be included in the main structure Contract price, i.e.; Footing Concrete \* box culvert, (where wings are included in box culvert item).: retaining wall, (where no separate pay items are established), etc.

Least Wall Type thickness

Groundline.

Dowel bar \* \*

Top Main Stem

Reinforcement

3'-0" long.

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DETAIL A

Scale: None

(See note 2 below)

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Proposed Finished

for a particular total length of wall.

Stem Concrete

Front

Dowel bar

3"cl.

(typ.)

2-#6's to follow

2" cl.

\* \* (Typ.)

slope of wall.

TYPICAL SECTION Scale:  $\frac{1}{2}$ " = 1'-0"

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Wall Type	Н	А	В	С	D	E	F	Rear Dowel Bar	Main Stem Bar	Top Foot.Bar
A-I	6'-0''	I'-0''	9''	2'-0''	3'-9''	1'-0''	2'-2''	#5 @ I'-0''%	#5 @ I'-0''%	#5 @ I'-0''c/c
Α-Π	8'-0''	I'-0''	9′′	3'-3''	5'-0''	1'-0''	2'-2''	#5 @ 1'-0''%	#5 @ I'-0''%	#5 @ I'-0''c/c
Α-Ⅲ	10'-0''	I'-0''	9′′	4'-6''	6'-3''	1'-3''	2'-7''	#6 @ 1'-0''c/c	#6 @ I'-0''c/c	#6 @ 6′′¢
Α-ΙΣ	12'-0''	I'-0''	9′′	5′-6′′	7'-3''	1'-3''	2'-7''	#6 @ 6′′°/c	#6 @ I'-0''c/c	#6 @ 6′′¢
Δ-Δ	14'-0''	1'-3''	1'-0''	6'-0''	8'-3''	1'-6''	3'-6''	#7 @ 6′′°/c	#7 @ I'-0''c/c	#7 @ 6′′°%
Α-আ	16'-0''	1'-6''	1'-0''	6'-9''	9'-3''	1'-6''	3'-6''	#7 @ 6′′°/c	#7 @ I'-0''c/c	#7 @ 6′′°%
Α-∭	18'-0''	1'-9''	1'-3''	7'-3''	10'-3''	1'-6''	3'-6''	#7 @ 6′′°/c	#7 @ I'-0''c/c	#7 @ 6′′°%
A- <b>∭</b>	20'-0''	2'-3''	1'-6''	7′-9′′	11'-3''	1'-6''	4'-7''	#8 @ 6′′°/c	#8 @ I'-0''c/c	#8 @ 6′′°c/c

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Notes:

I.An "Excellent Soil Condition" is that foundation material that can support a safe bearing pressure of 5 ksf and has an angle of friction of 33°.

2.If in the length of a wall the type of wall changes and provides for a different thickness of stem. then "Detail A" shall be used for all walls of

greater than the least wall thickness. 3. Contractor has option of lapping main stem reinforcement with rear dowel reinforcement as shown; or by extending the rear dowel reinforcement with no splicing.

However, no additional compensation to Contractor will be allowed for whichever alternative is selected.

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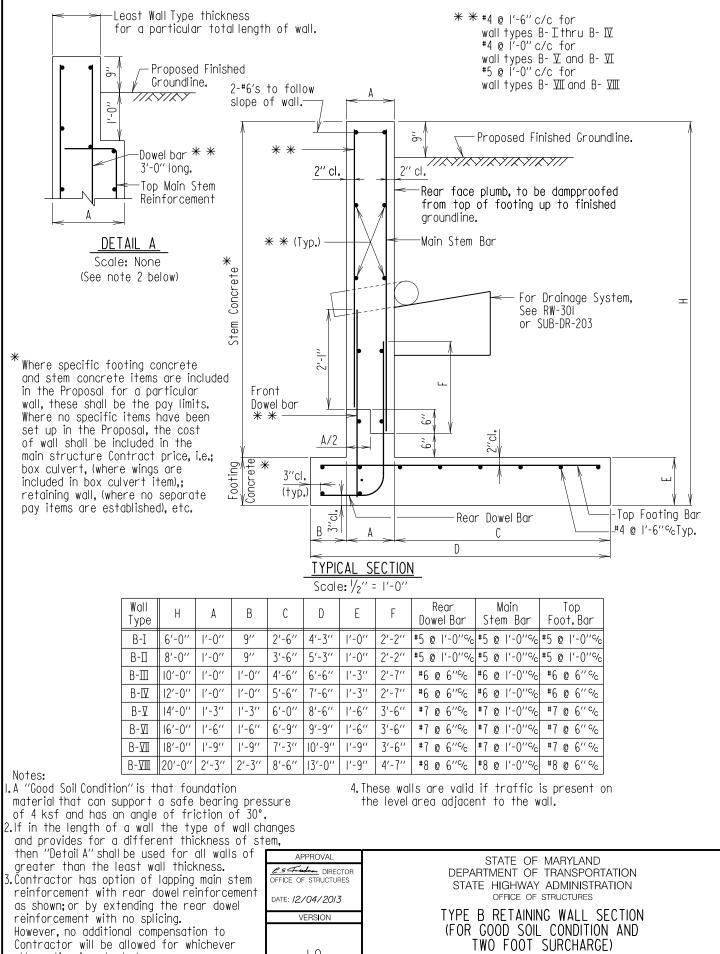
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TYPE A RETAINING WALL SECTION (FOR EXCELLENT SOIL CONDITION AND TWO FOOT SURCHARGE)

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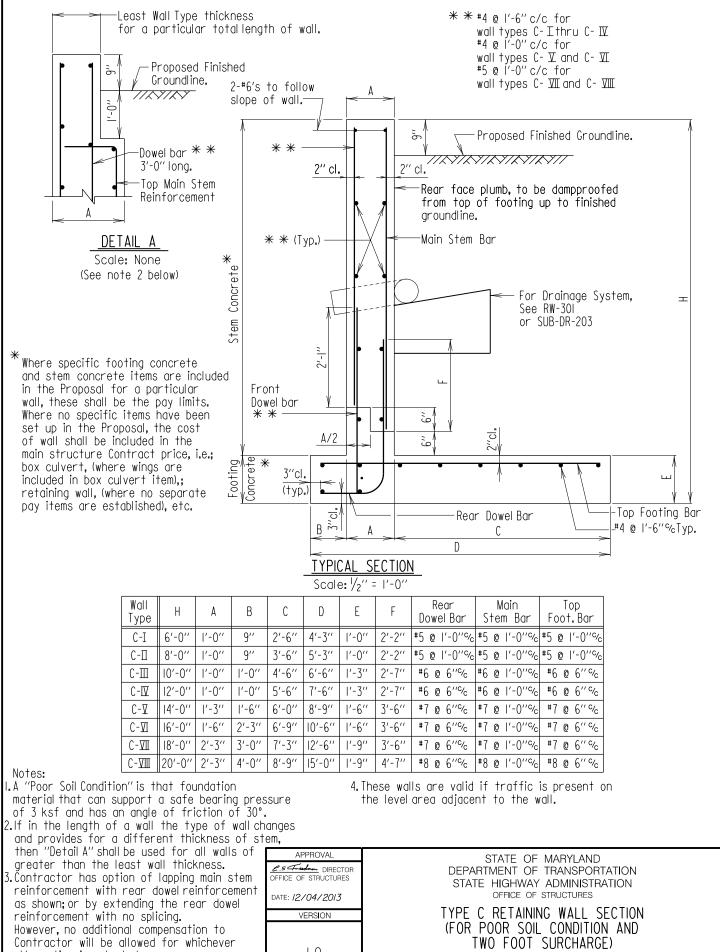
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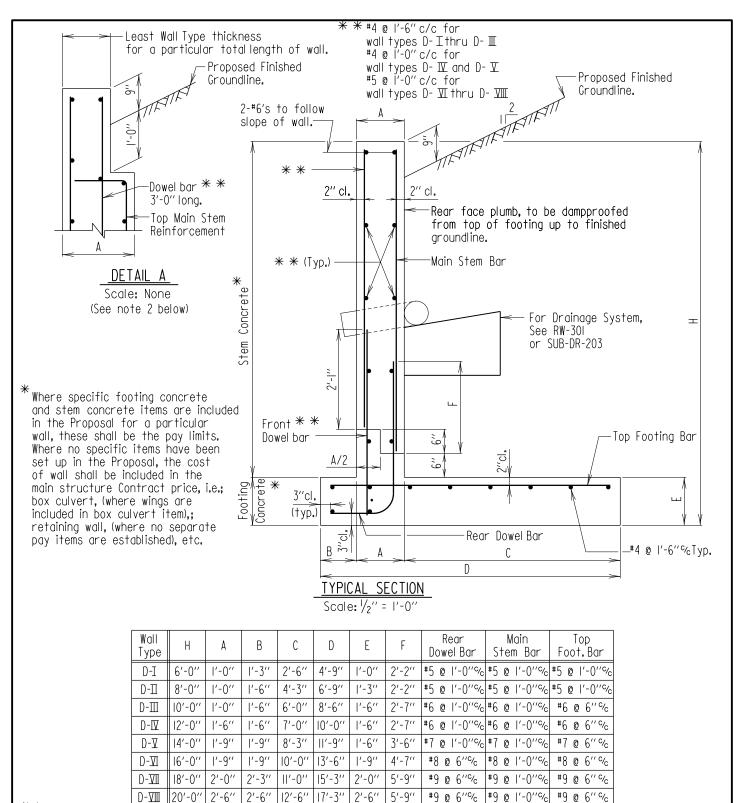
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reinforcement with no splicing. However, no additional compensation to Contractor will be allowed for whichever

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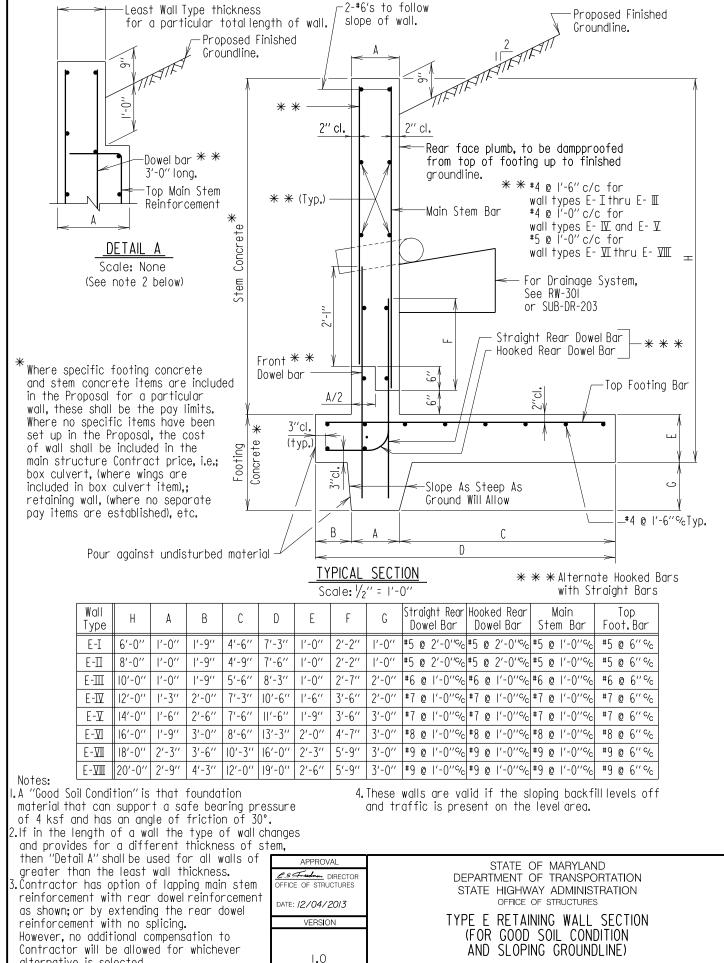
4. These walls are valid if the sloping backfill levels off and traffic is present on the level area.

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TYPE D RETAINING WALL SECTION (FOR EXCELLENT SOIL CONDITION AND SLOPING GROUNDLINE)

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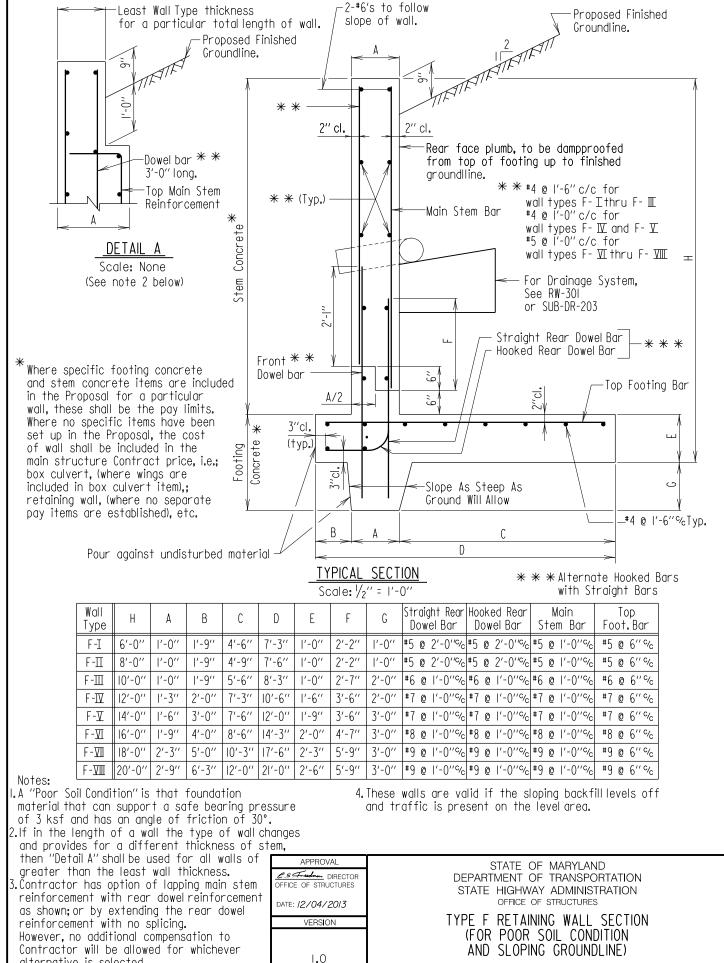
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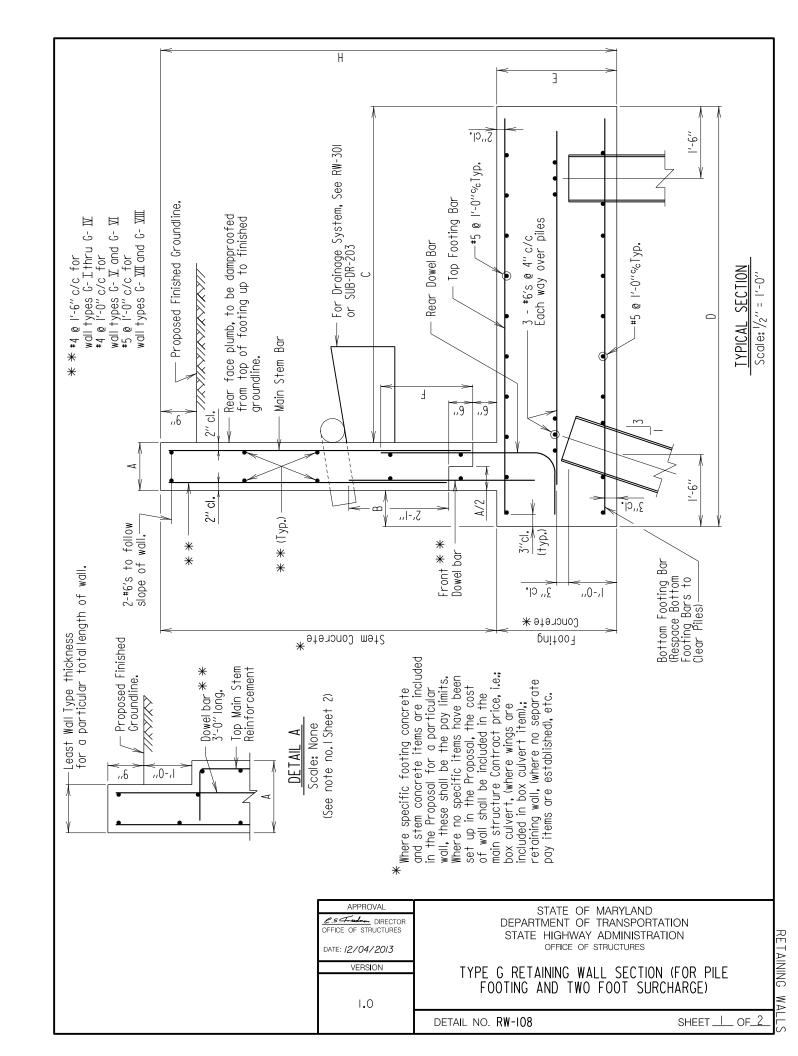
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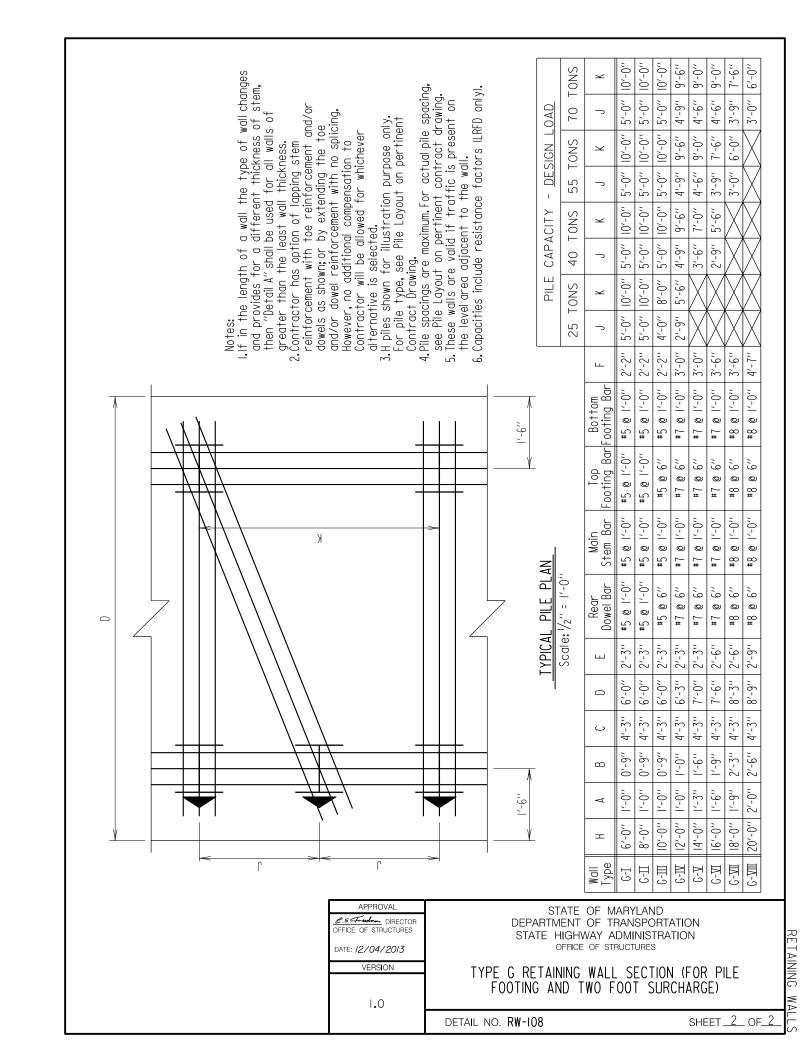


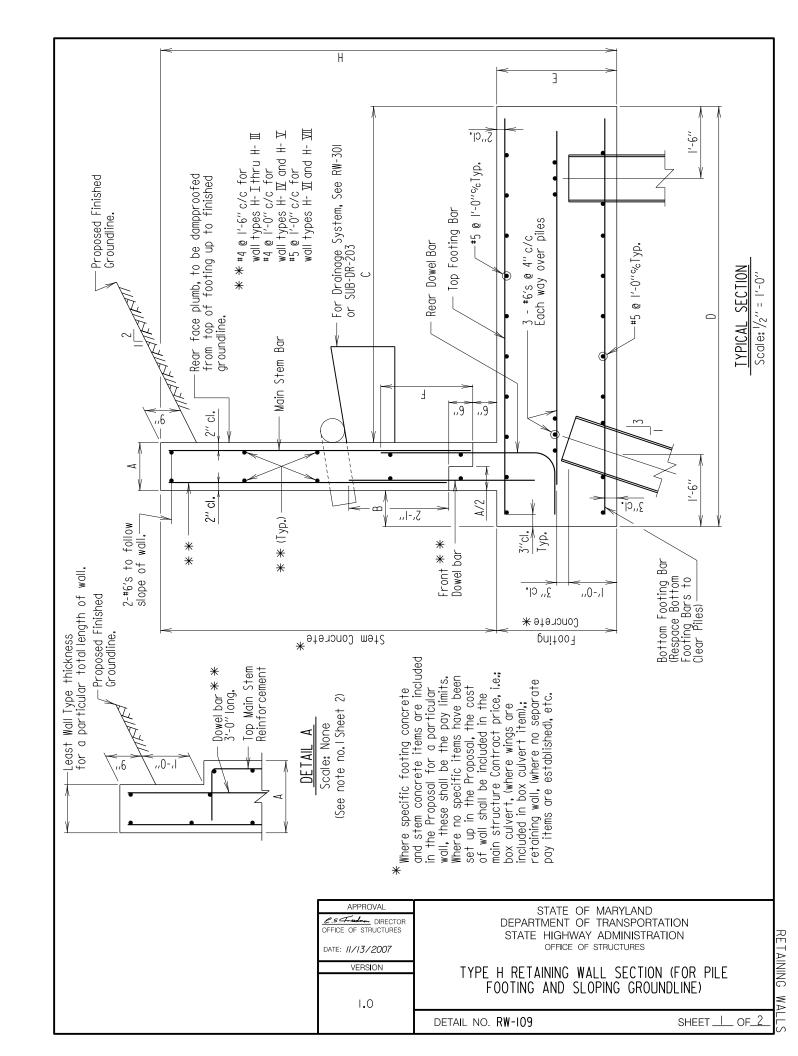
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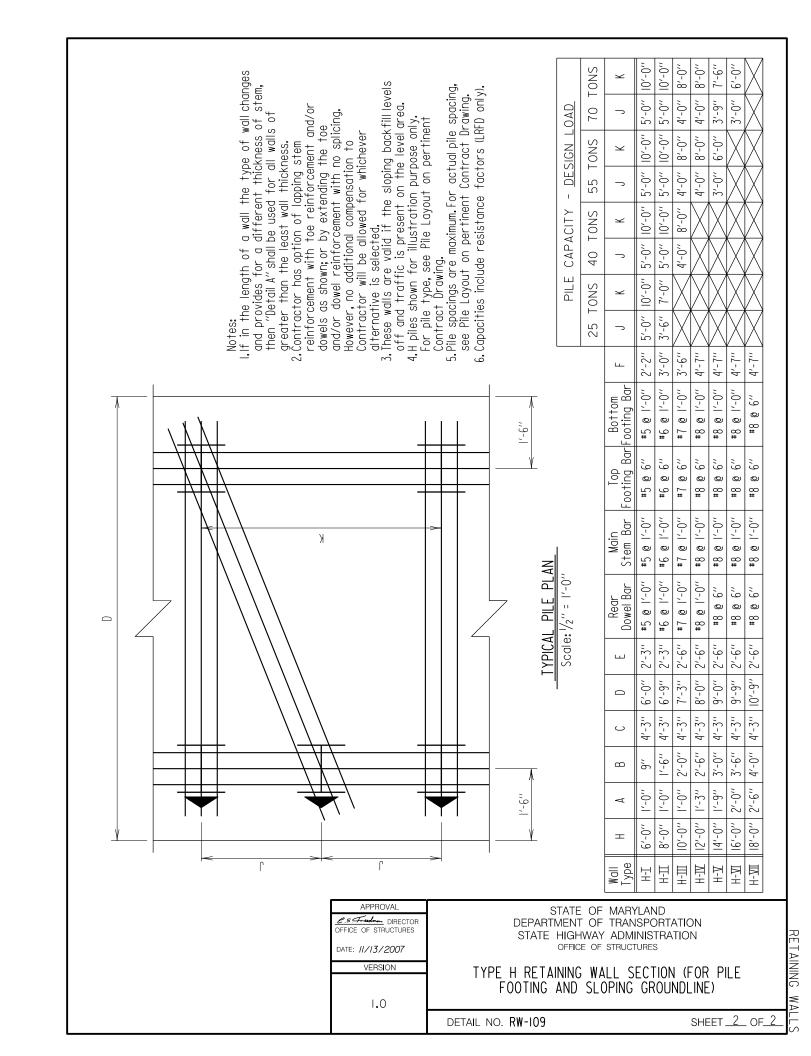
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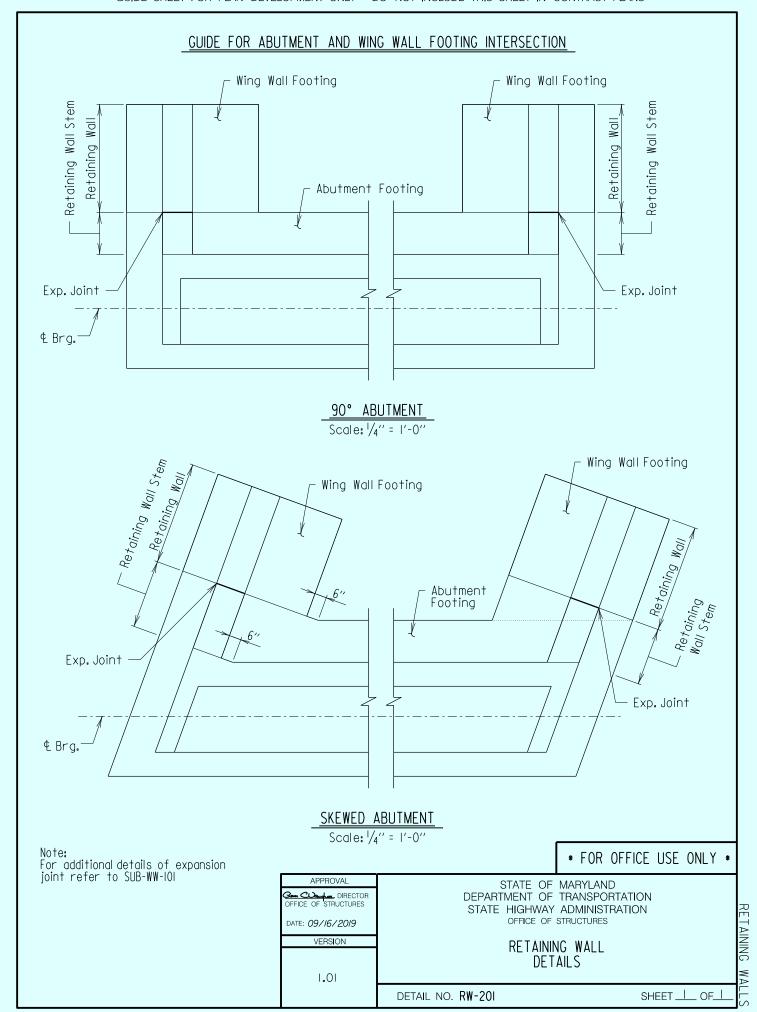
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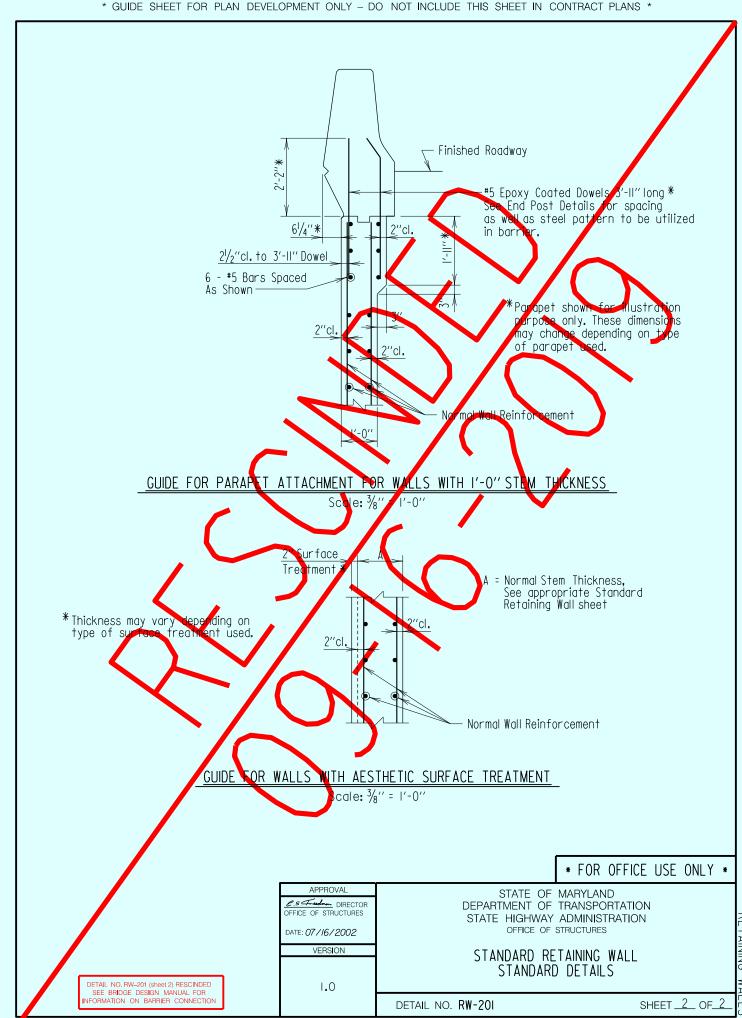


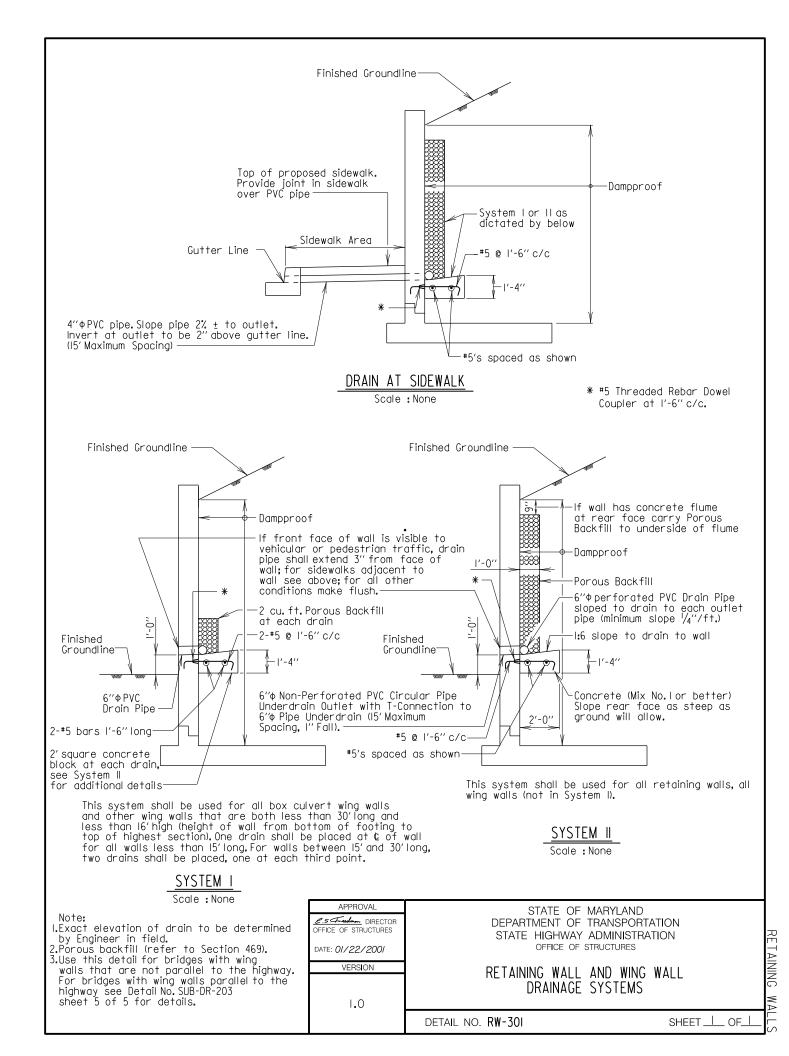


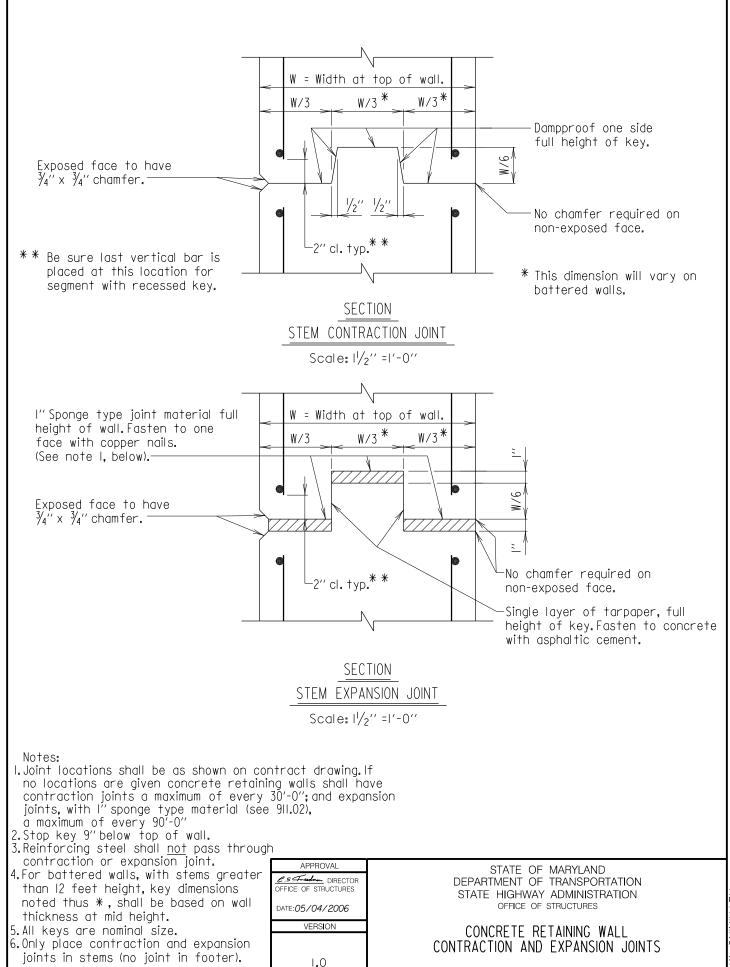






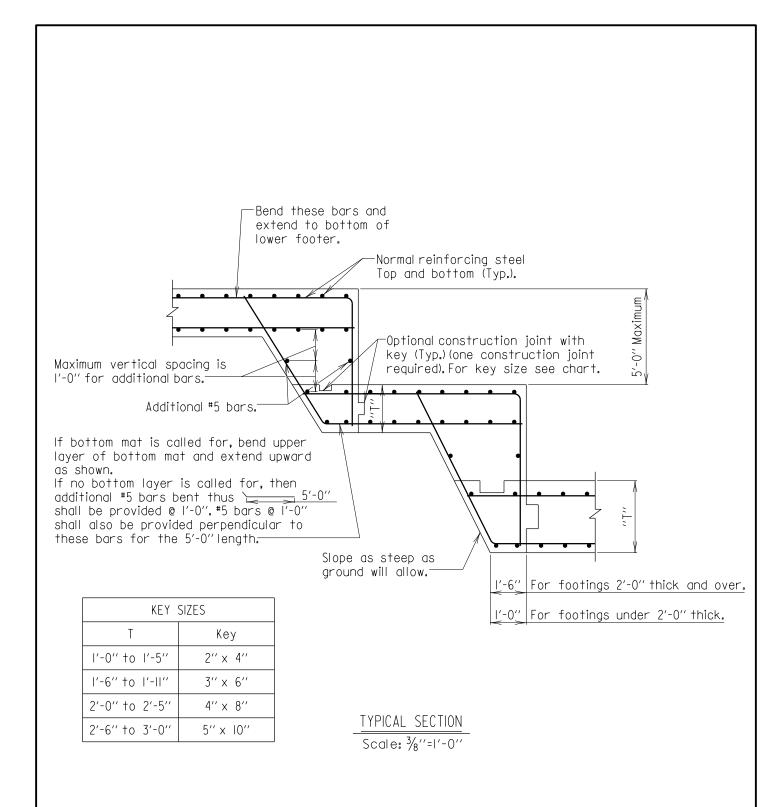






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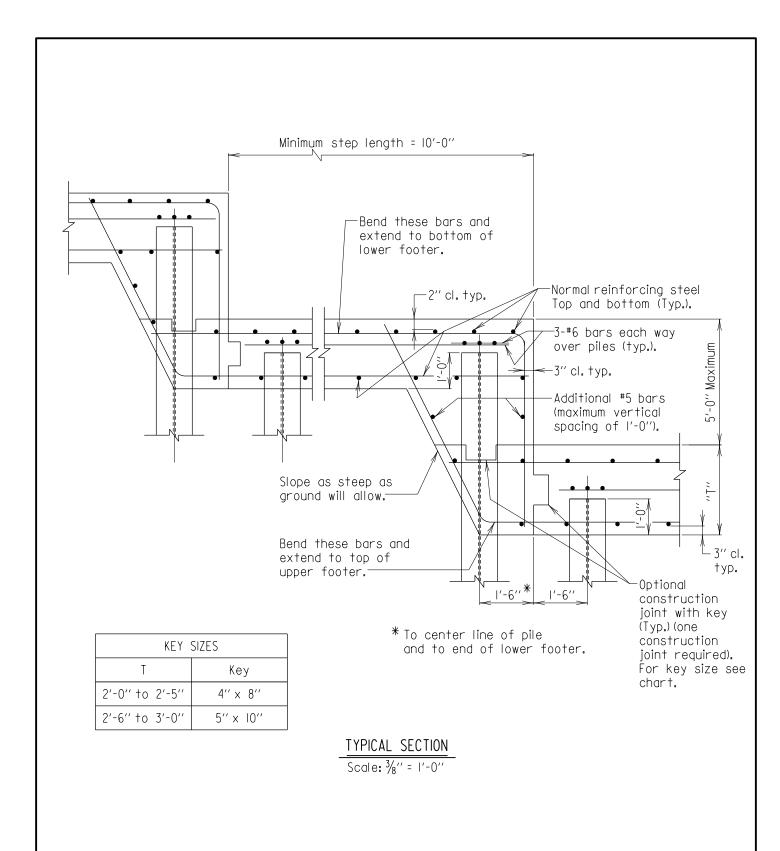
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Notes:

I. All keys are nominal size.

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### Notes:

- I. Steel H piles shown. Other pile types similar.
- 2. See Plan of Footing for orientation of piles.

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I <b>.</b> O	STEPPED FOOTING DETAIL WITH PILES
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