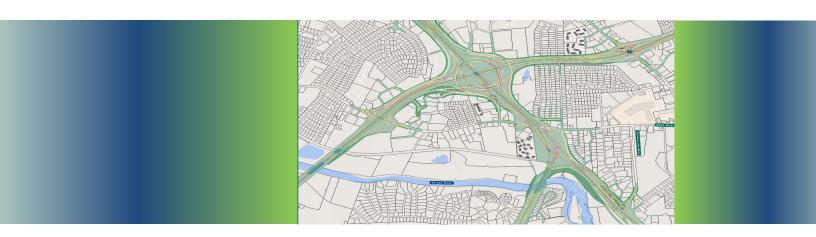




#### GEOTECHNICAL SUBSURFACE DATA REPORT

Carolina Crossroads - Phase 1 Additional Borings Richland & Lexington County, South Carolina



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#### Ms. Slayton:

Submitted herein is the Geotechnical Subsurface Data Report (GSDR) for the additional borings performed within the Phase 1 portion of the Carolina Crossroads project. This report includes field test data and laboratory test results from the performed geotechnical investigation.

Please notify us if there are any questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1. GENERAL

The site is within the Phase 1 portion of the Carolina Crossroads project. The site is generally located along I-26 Ramp C between the existing I-126 interstate and the Saluda River along the Richland County and Lexington County border in South Carolina. A site location plan is presented in Section 1 of the Appendix.

#### 1.2. SCOPE

F&ME performed geotechnical soil test borings and laboratory testing for the project. The South Carolina Department of Transportation (SCDOT) developed the scope of services for the geotechnical subsurface investigation provided herein. The Scope of Services was submitted to F&ME by HDR via email on October 12, 2020. A copy of the Scope of Services is provided in Section 7 of the Appendix.

The field investigation consisted of Soil Test Borings (STB) with Standard Penetration Testing (SPT) and rock core sampling. Laboratory testing was performed on only rock core specimens collected from the soil test borings. The exploration methods and laboratory procedures were conducted in general accordance with the current American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO), American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM) Standards, and the SCDOT Geotechnical Design Manual (GDM). This report was prepared in general accordance with the 2019 SCDOT Geotechnical Design Manual (GDM), Version 2.0.

#### 2. SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

From November 3-9, 2020, three (3) soil test borings (designated as B-60A-1, B-60A-2, & B-61A) were performed at the site. The general test boring locations were provided by the SCDOT.

The soil test borings were performed with a CME 550 ATV mounted drill rig. The borings utilized hollow stem auger drilling techniques to maintain a stable borehole. Standard Penetration Testing (SPT's) was continuously obtained in the top ten (10) feet of each boring or to an auger refusal condition. Following the continuous sampling, as necessary, SPT testing was performed on standard five (5) foot intervals. SPT samples were performed in general accordance with ASTM D-1586 to determine the relative densities and consistencies of the subsurface soils and to collect subsurface soil samples. An automatic hammer was used to perform the SPTs. The measured energy ratios for the CME 550 hammer is 86%.



The locations, depths, and elevations of the borings performed for the subsurface investigation are provided in the following table.

#### Field Investigation Summary Table

Test ID	Test Type	Test Depth (ft)	Station	Offset	Latitude	Longitude	Elevation (ft-MSL)
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B-60A-2	STB w/ RC	28.7	5414+50	2.7' LT	34.0238341	-81.0984181	171.0
B-61A	STB w/ RC	55.3	5410+98	25.0′ RT	34.0245688	-81.0991537	171.9

STB=Soil Test Boring RC=Rock Coring

The collected soil samples were examined and logged in the field by F&ME personnel, sealed in plastic bags, and transported to our laboratory. The soils were visually classified in the field based upon the Unified Soil Classification System.

Rock cores collected from the test borings were also transported to our laboratory for visual inspection and determinations of rock recovery ratios (REC), rock-quality designations (RQD), Geologic Strength Indices (GSI), Rock Mass Ratings (RMR), and unconfined compressive (UC) rock strength testing. We have provided photos of the recovered rock core specimens in Section 4 of the Appendix.

We have provided a boring location plan displaying the locations of the borings performed during the subsurface investigation in Section 2 of the Appendix.

#### 3. LABORATORY TESTING SUMMARY

Following completion of F&ME's field investigation, F&ME selected several rock core specimens for unconfined compressive (UC) rock strength laboratory testing. Laboratory testing of the soil material above rock was not performed and was not included in the provided scope of services.

F&ME acquired the rock cores collected from soil borings B-60 and B-61 previously performed by S&ME. S&ME previously performed three (3) UC rock strength tests on samples within soil boring B-60 and one (1) UC rock strength test on samples within soil boring B-61. Under the scope of services provided herein, F&ME attempted two (2) additional UC strength tests within B-61, but only one (1) test was completed. The other specimen broke along an existing fracture during the testing setup, and the testing was subsequently cancelled for that specimen.



The laboratory testing for the project was completed at F&ME's AASHTO accredited laboratory. The laboratory testing was performed in general accordance with procedures set forth in the most current AASHTO and ASTM standards.

The performed laboratory testing quantities are detailed in the following table.

#### **Laboratory Testing Summary Table**

Type of Test	Quantity	Procedure
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The data sheets containing the results from the indicated testing are provided in Section 5 of the Appendix. We note that the rock mass at soil boring B-61 and B-61A locations was fractured at several locations. The fractures may produce non-representative indications of the rock strength as determined from the laboratory UC rock strength testing. Additional field and/or laboratory testing may be necessary to further evaluate the rock strength at these locations.

In an effort to promote clarity in the immediate area surrounding the subsurface investigation performed under this scope of services, we have included the laboratory UC rock strength test results from soil borings B-60 and B-61 previously performed by S&ME in the laboratory test results summary sheet provided in Section 5 of the Appendix. Refer to the Geotechnical Base Line Report for the individual laboratory testing data sheets from soil borings B-60 and B-61.



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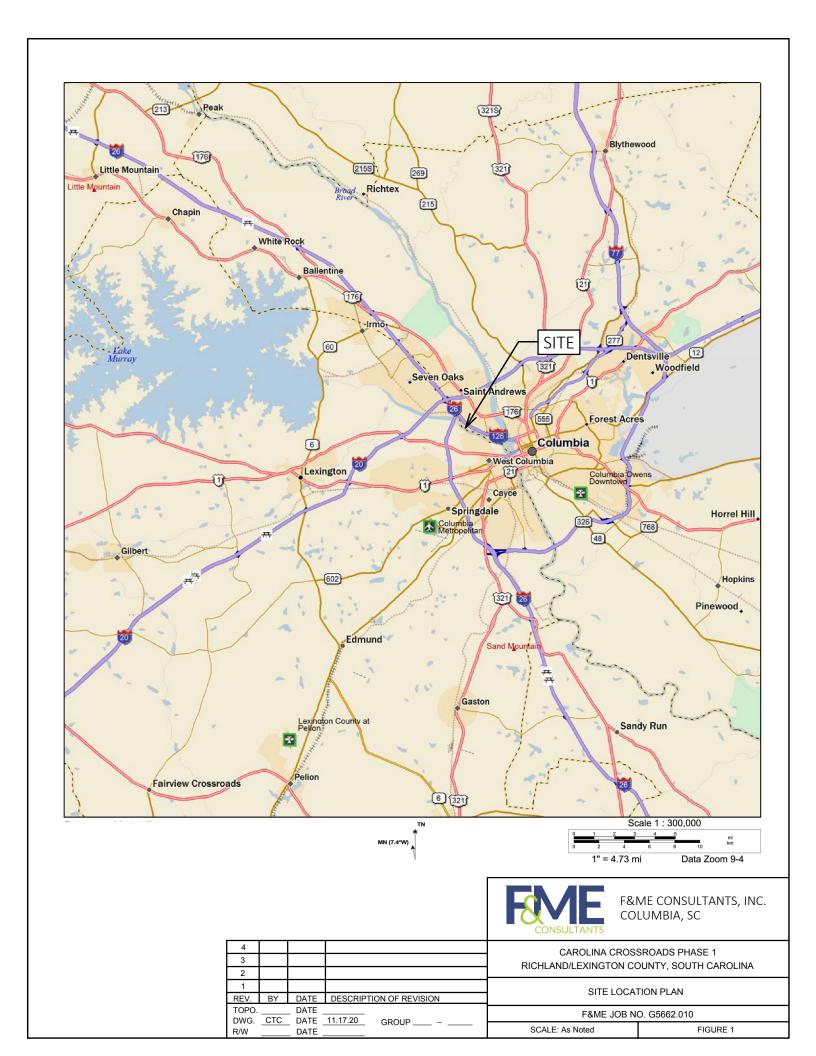
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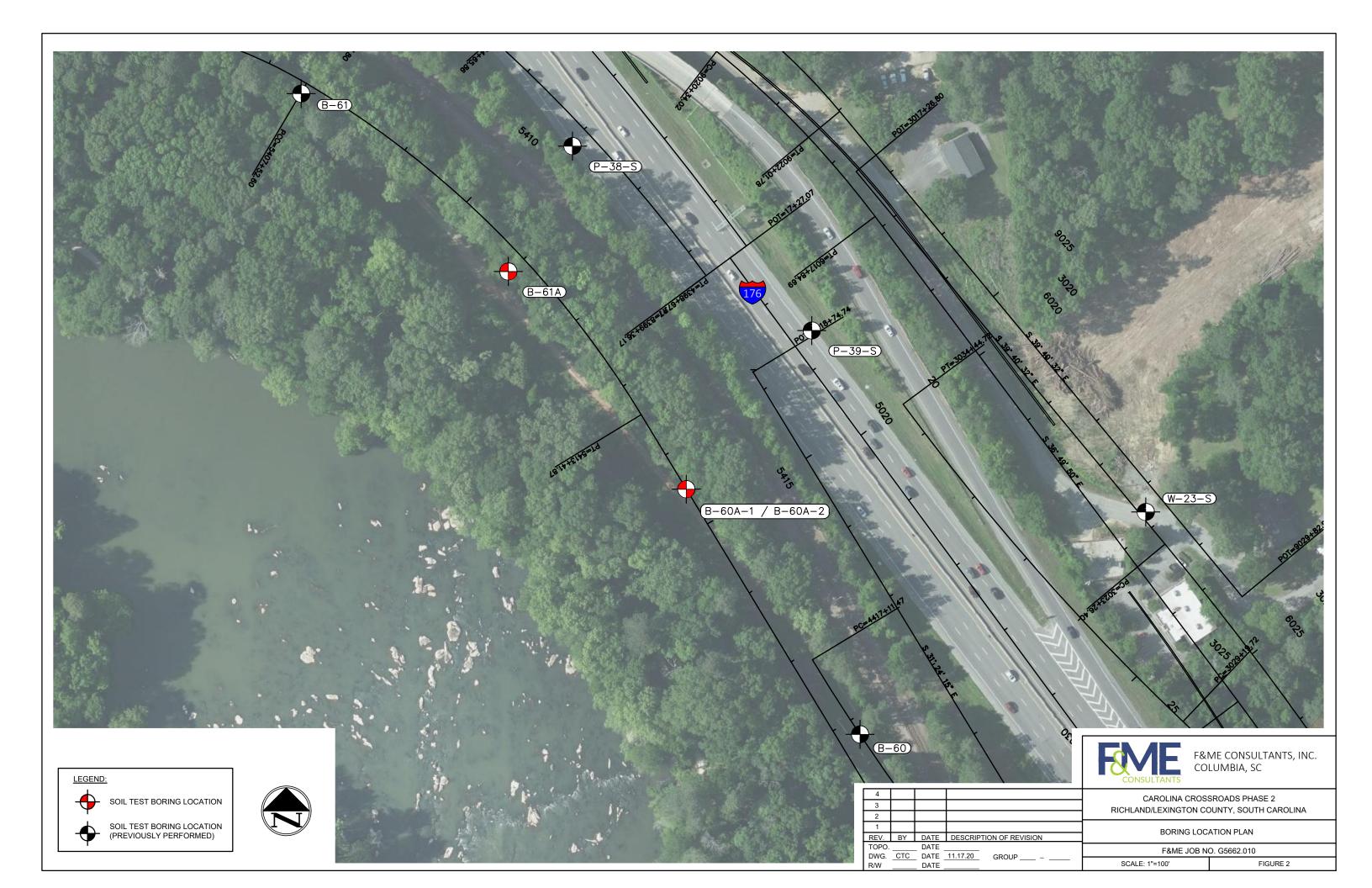




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SAMPLER TYPE

NQ - Rock Core, 1-7/8"

CU - Cuttings

CT - Continuous Tube SS - Split Spoon UD - Undisturbed Sample AWG - Rock Core, 1-1/8"

HSA - Hollow Stem Auger CFA - Continuous Flight Augers DC - Driving Casing

DRILLING METHOD RW - Rotary Wash ugers RC - Rock Core

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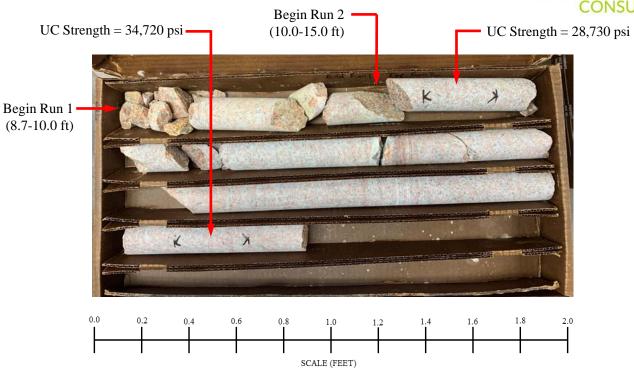
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SECTION 4 ROCK CORE PHOTOS



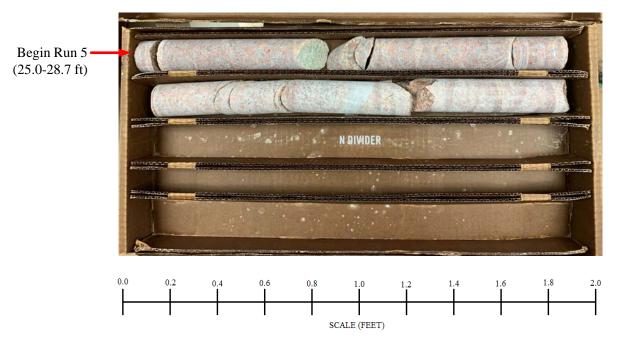
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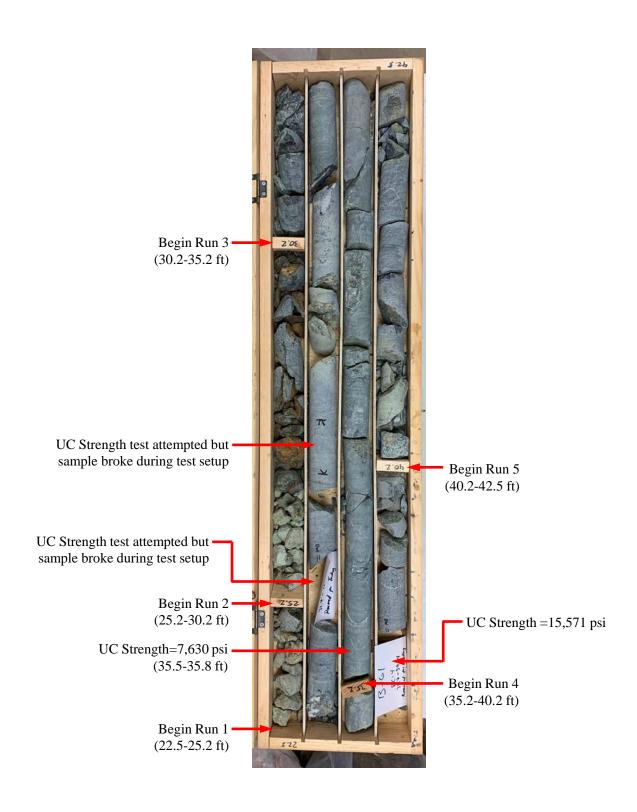






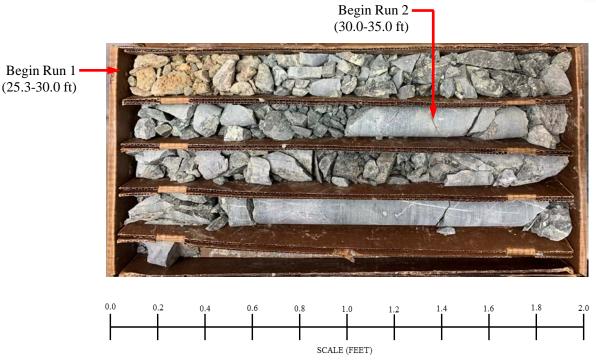


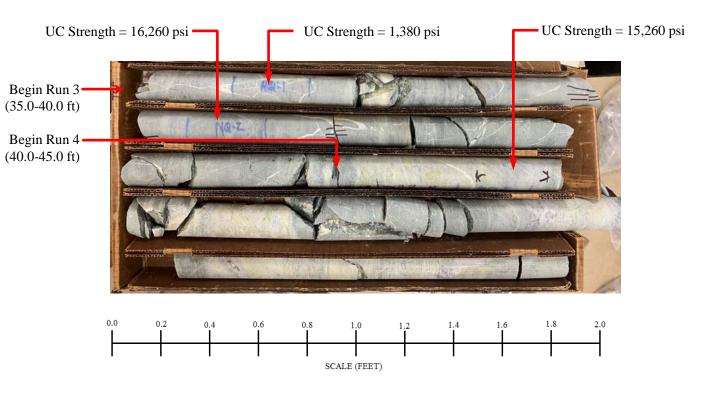




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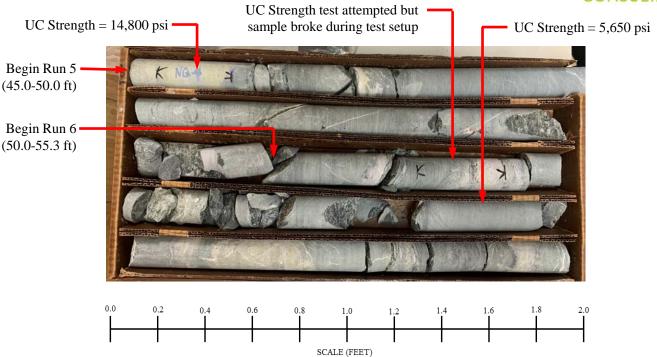






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## **APPENDIX**

SECTION 5 LABORATORY TEST RESULTS



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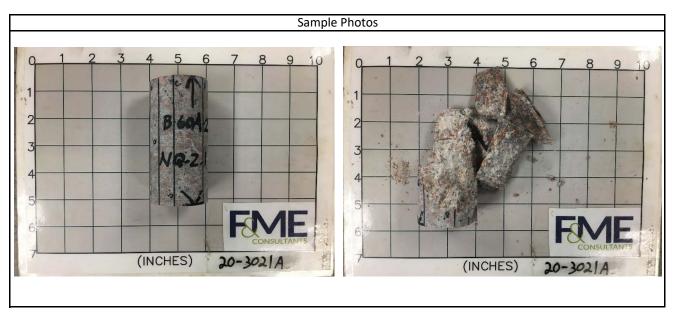
#### ROCK CORE LABORATORY RESULTS SUMMARY

Boring Number	Core Run Number	Sample Depth (ft)	Rock Type	REC (%)	RQD (%)	RMR	GSI	Unit Weight (lb/ft³)	Elastic Modulus (ksi)	Poissons Ratio	UC Strength (psi)
B-60	RC-3	16.2-16.9	Granite	100	63	47	60-70	165.2			12540
B-60	RC-4	23.3-24.3	Granite	100	78	69	65-75	165.8			40627
B-60	RC-5	26.2-26.7	Granite	100	100	82	65-75	165.7			32094
B-60A-2	NQ-2	10.0 - 10.3	Granite	94	75	40	55-65	162.7	7270		28730
B-60A-2	NQ-2	14.4 - 14.7	Granite	94	75	43	55-65	163.6	9960	0.22	34720
B-60A-2	NQ-3	15.7 - 16.0	Granite	93	65	36	55-65	163.4	10000	0.19	28050
B-60A-2	NQ-4	22.3 - 22.6	Granite	100	90	40	45-55	163.4	9630	0.31	23121
B-61	RC-4	35.5-35.8	Schist	100	52	49	60-70	237.1	4440	1.14	7630
B-61	RC-4	38.7-39.4	Schist	100	52	49	60-70	176.3		=	15571
B-61A	NQ-3	35.4 - 35.7	Phyllite	97	71	25	25-30	173.5	9310	0.32	1380
B-61A	NQ-3	37.5 - 37.8	Phyllite	97	71	36	25-30	176.7	10800	0.38	16260
B-61A	NQ-4	40.6 - 40.9	Phyllite	100	78	40	10-25	193.8	13600	0.23	15260
B-61A	NQ-5	45.1 - 45.4	Phyllite	91	65	31	15-25	200.1	14400	0.21	14800
B-61A	NQ-6	52.7 - 53.0	Phyllite	88	57	28	15-25	175.1	2040	0.27	5650



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/1	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.864	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.986	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	162.7	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-2.1 / 20-3021A	L/D Ratio	2.14	Recovery	94%
Depth	10.0' - 10.3'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	35	RQD	75%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

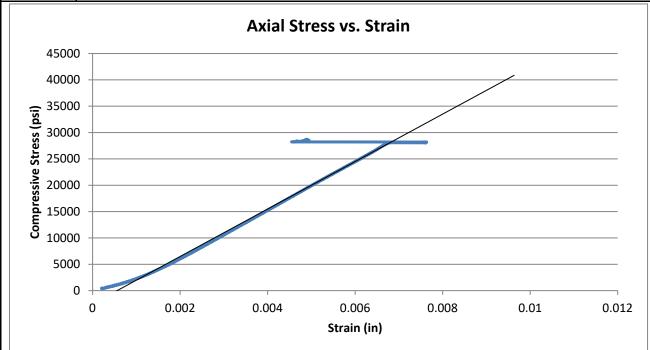
	Test Data									
Percent of	Strain	Strain (10 <sup>-6</sup> )		Strain (10 <sup>-6</sup> ) Loa		Load Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's		
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio				
10%	-1190	0	7,815	2,864	4.81	N/A				
20%	-1922	0	15,595	5,715	5.95	N/A				
30%	-2573	0	23,554	8,632	6.71	N/A				
40%	-3191	0	31,312	11,475	7.19	N/A				
50%	-3808	0	39,176	14,356	7.54	N/A				
60%	-4433	0	47,121	17,268	7.79	N/A				
70%	-5039	0	54,865	20,105	7.98	N/A				
80%	-5672	0	62,738	22,990	8.11	N/A				
90%	-6306	0	70,585	25,866	8.20	N/A				
100%	-4893	0	78,409	28,733						

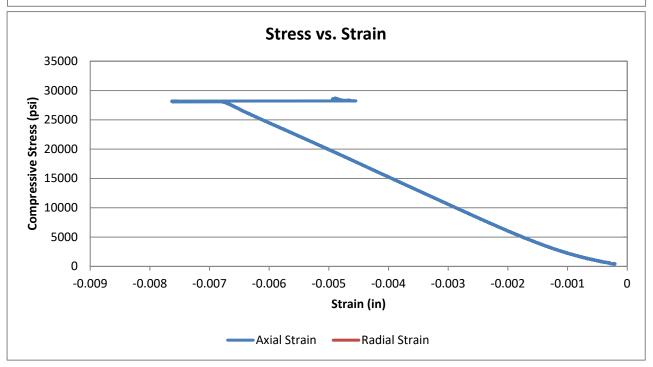


		Test Results		
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		28,730	Elastic Modulus (psi)	7.27E+06
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	N/A
Comments	any non-linear behavior from the i	nitial loading and the	hes of axial strain. This range was cho inflection point at the end of the elas function. As such, no Poisson Ratio da	stic range.



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/12	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.864	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.986	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	162.7	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-2.1 / 20-3021A	L/D Ratio	2.14	Recovery	94%
Depth	10.0' - 10.3'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	35	RQD	75%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

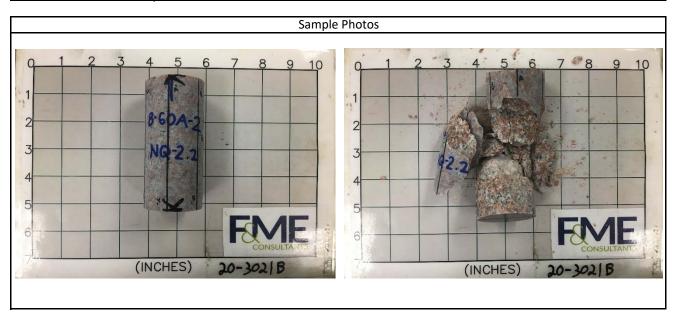






Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/12	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.867	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.101	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	163.6	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-2.2 / 20-3021B	L/D Ratio	2.20	Recovery	94%
Depth	14.7' - 15.0'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	50	RQD	75%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

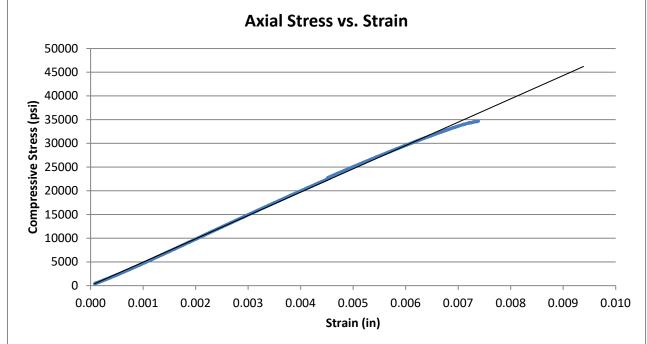
	Test Data									
Percent of	Strain	(10 <sup>-6</sup> )	Load	Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's				
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio				
10%	-759	132	9,586	3,502	9.23	0.17				
20%	-1442	294	19,003	6,941	9.63	0.20				
30%	-2117	454	28,541	10,425	9.85	0.21				
40%	-2791	604	38,008	13,883	9.95	0.22				
50%	-3478	741	47,505	17,352	9.98	0.21				
60%	-4177	890	57,031	20,832	9.98	0.21				
70%	-4851	1094	66,593	24,325	10.03	0.23				
80%	-5593	1393	76,022	27,769	9.93	0.25				
90%	-6396	1845	85,535	31,244	9.77	0.29				
100%	-7387	1854	95,039	34,715						

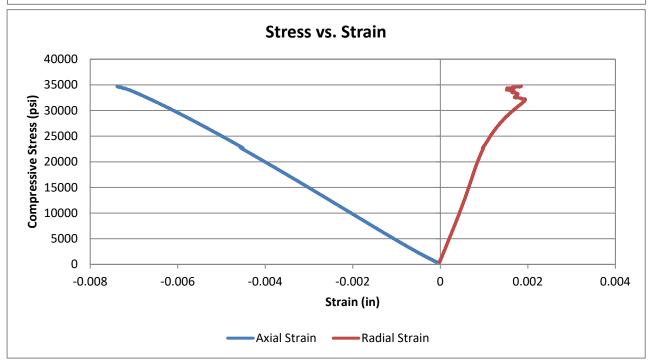


		Test Results		
Unconfined (	Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		Elastic Modulus (psi)	9.96E+06
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.22
Comments	1		thes of axial strain. This range was che inflection point at the end of the elast	



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Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.867	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.101	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	163.6	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-2.2 / 20-3021B	L/D Ratio	2.20	Recovery	94%
Depth	14.7' - 15.0'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	50	RQD	75%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

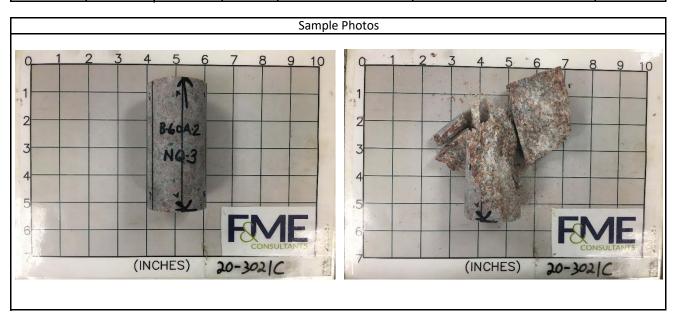






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Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.869	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.993	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	163.4	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-3 / 20-3021C	L/D Ratio	2.14	Recovery	93%
Depth	15.7' - 16.0'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	70	RQD	65%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

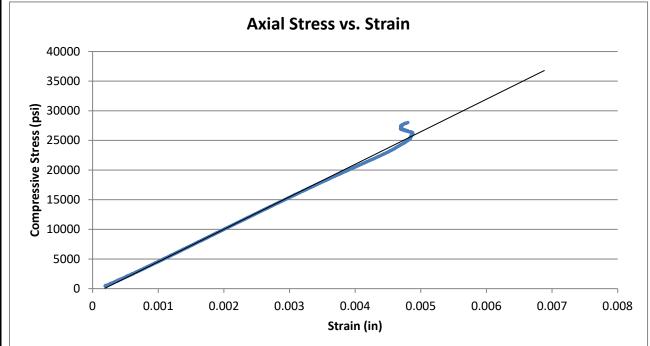
	Test Data									
Percent of	Strain	(10 <sup>-6</sup> )	Load	Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's				
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio				
10%	-670	132	7,618	2,777	8.29	0.20				
20%	-1201	229	15,377	5,605	9.34	0.19				
30%	-1709	323	23,082	8,413	9.85	0.19				
40%	-2226	418	30,773	11,217	10.08	0.19				
50%	-2748	511	38,478	14,025	10.21	0.19				
60%	-3272	602	46,165	16,827	10.28	0.18				
70%	-3810	690	53,710	19,577	10.28	0.18				
80%	-4390	811	61,578	22,445	10.23	0.18				
90%	-4827	1102	69,246	25,240	10.46	0.23				
100%	-4804	397	76,946	28,047						

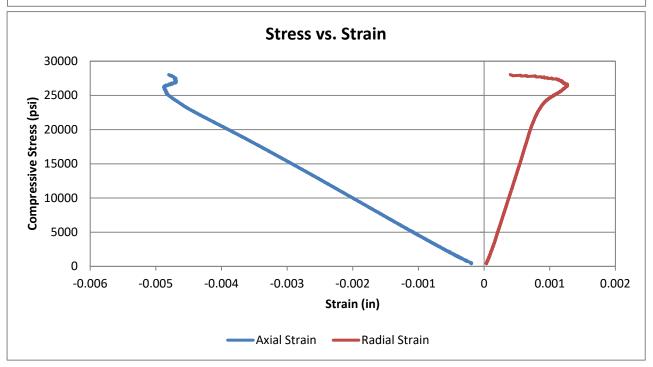


		Test Results		
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		28,050	Elastic Modulus (psi)	1.00E+07
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.19
Comments	1		thes of axial strain. This range was che inflection point at the end of the elast	



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			Date	11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.869	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.993	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	163.4	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-3 / 20-3021C	L/D Ratio	2.14	Recovery	93%
Depth	15.7' - 16.0'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	70	RQD	65%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

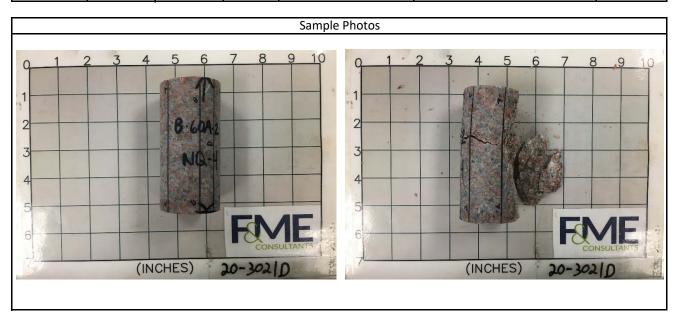






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Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.869	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.021	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	163.4	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-4 / 20-3021D	L/D Ratio	2.15	Recovery	100%
Depth	22.3' - 22.6'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	50	RQD	90%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

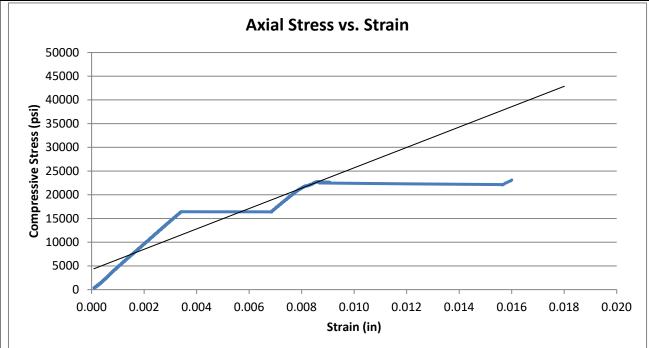
Test Data							
Percent of	of Strain (10 <sup>-6</sup> )		Load	Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's	
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio	
10%	-527	228	6,365	2,320	8.81	0.43	
20%	-967	333	12,686	4,624	9.56	0.34	
30%	-1434	451	19,027	6,935	9.67	0.31	
40%	-1924	579	25,367	9,246	9.61	0.30	
50%	-2401	709	31,793	11,588	9.65	0.30	
60%	-2869	845	38,007	13,854	9.66	0.29	
70%	-3359	998	44,367	16,171	9.63	0.30	
80%	-7292	1163	50,750	18,498	5.07	0.16	
90%	-7819	1407	57,070	20,802	5.32	0.18	
100%	-16004	1761	63,435	23,122			

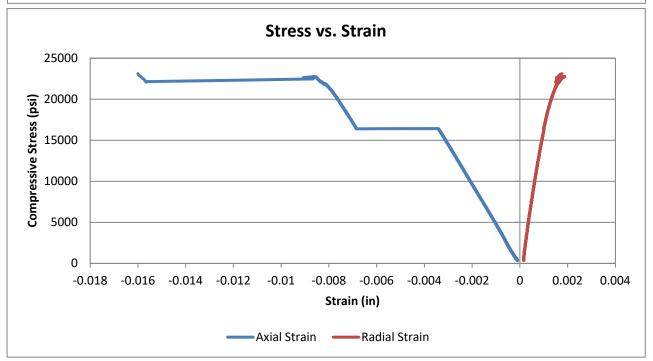


	Test Results							
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		Strength (psi) 23,121 Elastic Modulus (psi) 9		9.63E+06				
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.31				
Comments	Elastic range was taken as between 0.001 and 0.003 inches of axial strain. This range was chosen to avoid any non-linear behavior from the initial loading and the inflection point at the end of the elastic range. Sample exhibited a partial failure at 16,400 psi.							



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			Date	11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.869	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.021	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-60A.2	Unit Weight (pcf)	163.4	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-4 / 20-3021D	L/D Ratio	2.15	Recovery	100%
Depth	22.3' - 22.6'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	50	RQD	90%
Description	Pink/Brown/Black Granite				

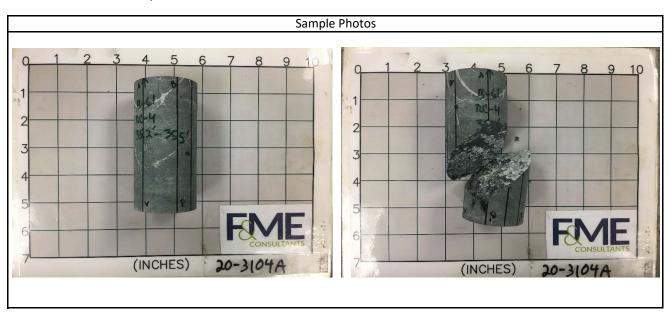






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Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.977	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.07	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61	Unit Weight (pcf)	237.1	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	RC-4 / 20-3104A	L/D Ratio	1.55	Recovery	100%
Depth	35.2' - 35.5'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	14%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Schist				

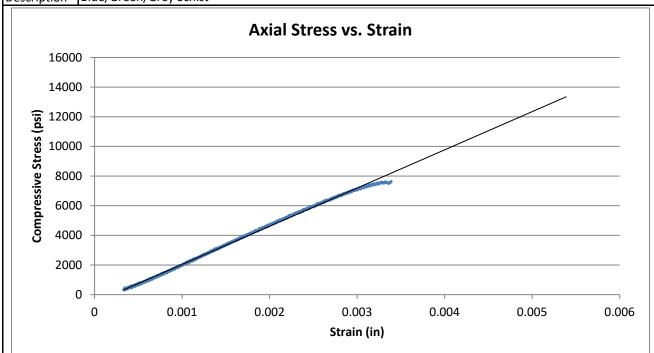
Test Data							
Percent of Strain (10 <sup>-6</sup> )		(10 <sup>-6</sup> )	Load	Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's	
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio	
10%	-527	717	2,342	763	2.89	1.36	
20%	-826	1216	4,672	1,522	3.69	1.47	
30%	-1109	1465	7,025	2,288	4.13	1.32	
40%	-1391	1640	9,369	3,052	4.39	1.18	
50%	-1669	1770	11,718	3,817	4.57	1.06	
60%	-1949	1887	14,044	4,575	4.69	0.97	
70%	-2252	2024	16,374	5,334	4.74	0.90	
80%	-2576	2195	18,794	6,122	4.75	0.85	
90%	-2874	2439	21,060	6,860	4.77	0.85	
100%	-3388	3534	23,429	7,632			

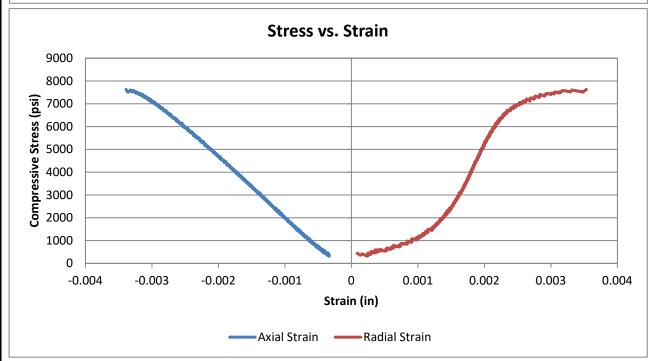


	Test Results							
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		(psi) 7,630 Elastic Modulus (psi) 4		4.44E+06				
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	1.14				
Elastic range was taken as between 0.001 and 0.002 inches of axial strain. This range was chosen to avoing any non-linear behavior from the initial loading and the inflection point at the end of the elastic range. High Poisson Ratio is attributed to displacement of a healed fracture and does not necessarily represent the Poisson Ratio of the intact rock								



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			Date	11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.977	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.07	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61	Unit Weight (pcf)	237.1	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	RC-4 / 20-3104A	L/D Ratio	1.55	Recovery	100%
Depth	35.2' - 35.5'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	14%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Schist				

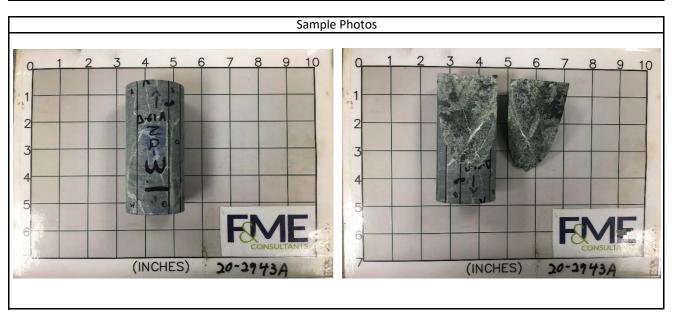






Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/1	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.861	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.065	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	173.5	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-3.1 / 20-2943A	L/D Ratio	2.18	Recovery	97%
Depth	35.4' - 35.7'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	71%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Phyllite				

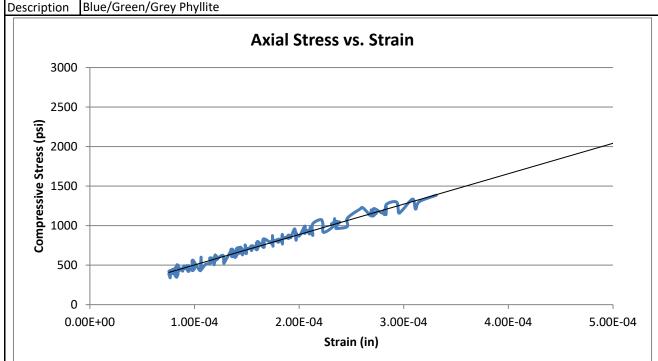
				Test Data				
Percent of	Strain	ı (10 <sup>-6</sup> )	Load	ad Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's		
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio		
10%		Sample Preload Range						
20%				Jampie i reload na	inge			
30%	-77	-2	1,103	405	10.56	0.02		
40%	-98	10	1,531	563	11.44	0.10		
50%	-149	47	1,863	685	9.20	0.32		
60%	-181	79	2,247	826	9.15	0.44		
70%	-211	121	2,684	987	9.35	0.57		
80%	-269	189	3,050	1,121	8.33	0.70		
90%	-281	223	3,203	1,178	8.39	0.79		
100%	-331	296	3,763	1,383				

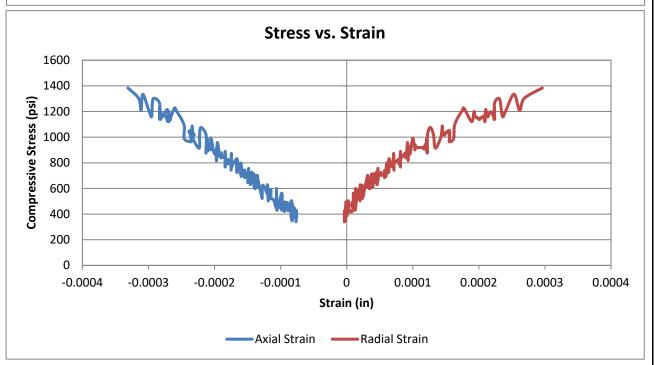


Test Results								
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		1,380	Elastic Modulus (psi)	9.31E+06				
	-		Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.32				
Comments	avoid any non-linear behavior from range. Rock sample failed along a l	the initial loading a	inches of axial strain. This range was nd the inflection point at the end of the condition					



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/12	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.861	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.065	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	173.5	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-3.1 / 20-2943A	L/D Ratio	2.18	Recovery	97%
Depth	35.4' - 35.7'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	71%
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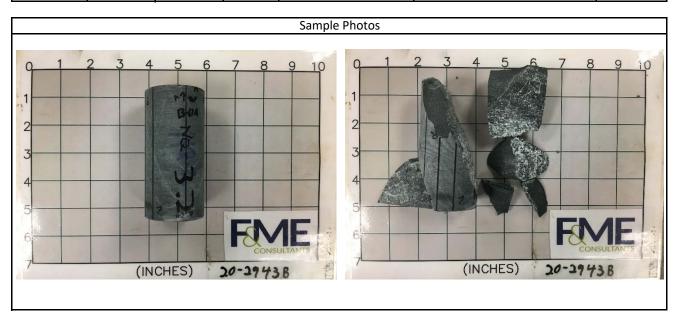






Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			Date	11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.862	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.039	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	176.7	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-3.2 / 20-2943B	L/D Ratio	2.17	Recovery	97%
Depth	37.5' - 37.8'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	71%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Phyllite				

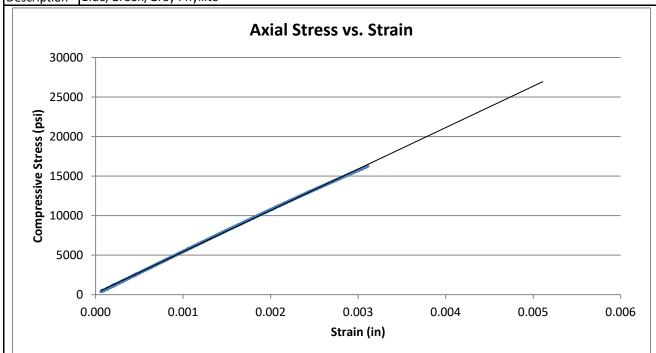
	Test Data									
Percent of	Strain	Strain (10 <sup>-6</sup> ) Load Compressive Stress		Secant Modulus	Poisson's					
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio				
10%	-294	112	4,447	1,633	11.12	0.38				
20%	-593	233	8,853	3,251	10.97	0.39				
30%	-885	344	13,187	4,843	10.95	0.39				
40%	-1197	457	17,699	6,500	10.86	0.38				
50%	-1499	569	22,136	8,129	10.84	0.38				
60%	-1810	680	26,571	9,758	10.78	0.38				
70%	-2120	791	30,940	11,362	10.72	0.37				
80%	-2449	906	35,479	13,029	10.64	0.37				
90%	-2775	1017	39,843	14,632	10.55	0.37				
100%	-3110	1132	44,270	16,258						

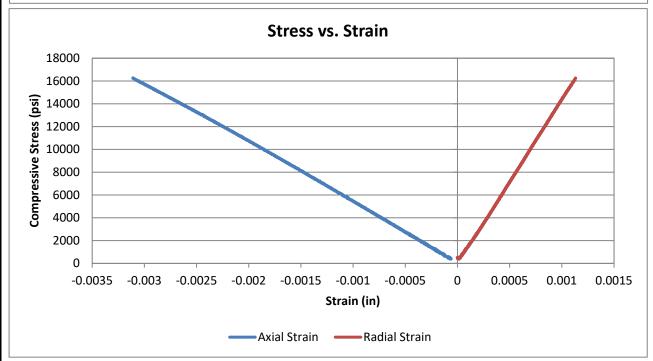


	Test Results								
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		16,260	Elastic Modulus (psi)	1.08E+07					
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.38					
Comments	_		ches of axial strain. This range was c nd the inflection point at the end of t						



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			Date	11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.862	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.039	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	176.7	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-3.2 / 20-2943B	L/D Ratio	2.17	Recovery	97%
Depth	37.5' - 37.8'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	71%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Phyllite				

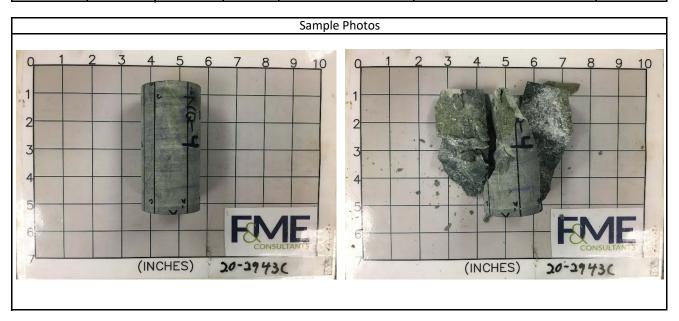






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Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.862	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.978	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	193.8	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-4 / 20-2943A	L/D Ratio	2.14	Recovery	100%
Depth	40.6' - 40.9'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	78%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Phyllite				

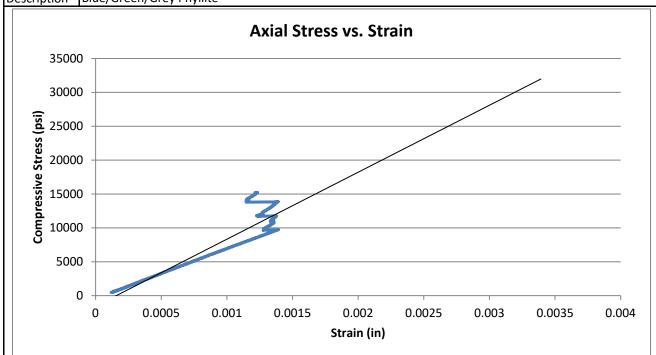
	Test Data									
Percent of	Strain (10 <sup>-6</sup> )		Strain (10 <sup>-6</sup> ) Load Compressiv		Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's			
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio				
10%	-266	39	4,157	1,527	11.46	0.15				
20%	-473	100	8,360	3,070	12.98	0.21				
30%	-678	156	12,504	4,592	13.55	0.23				
40%	-884	211	16,637	6,110	13.82	0.24				
50%	-1088	260	20,710	7,605	13.98	0.24				
60%	-1303	310	24,975	9,172	14.07	0.24				
70%	-1353	416	29,087	10,682	15.79	0.31				
80%	-1271	259	33,290	12,225	19.23	0.20				
90%	-1375	344	37,334	13,711	19.94	0.25				
100%	-1219	-8031	41,544	15,257						

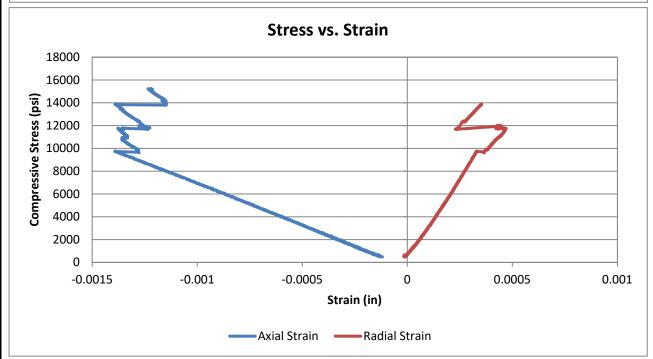


	Test Results									
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		15,260	Elastic Modulus (psi)	1.36E+07						
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.23						
Comments	avoid any non-linear behavior fron range. Sample exhibited a partial	n the initial loading a	nches of axial strain. This range was condition the inflection point at the end of the task of the tas	he elastic						



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			Date	11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.862	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.978	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	193.8	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-4 / 20-2943A	L/D Ratio	2.14	Recovery	100%
Depth	40.6' - 40.9'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	78%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Phyllite				

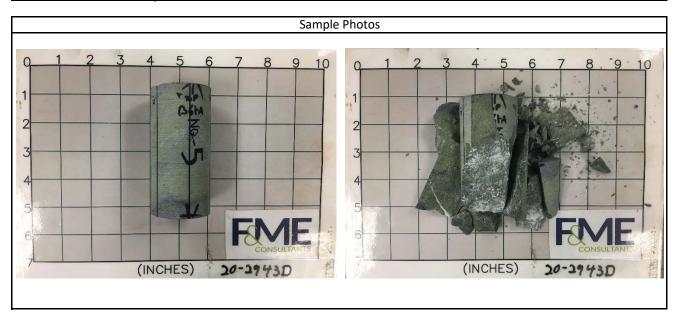






Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/12	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.863	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.966	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	200.1	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-5 / 20-2943D	L/D Ratio	2.13	Recovery	91%
Depth	45.1' - 45.4'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	65%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Phyllite				

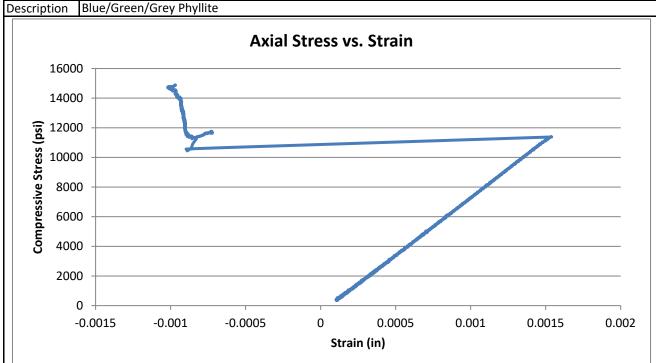
				Test Data		
Percent of	Strain	(10 <sup>-6</sup> )	Load	Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio
10%	-251	72	4,083	1,498	11.94	0.29
20%	-446	109	8,102	2,972	13.32	0.24
30%	-638	144	12,171	4,465	13.99	0.23
40%	-826	176	16,234	5,955	14.42	0.21
50%	-1023	208	20,284	7,441	14.55	0.20
60%	-1208	238	24,348	8,932	14.79	0.20
70%	-1397	269	28,333	10,394	14.89	0.19
80%	901	3077	32,449	11,904	26.42	3.41
90%	930	3741	36,531	13,401	28.81	4.02
100%	969	4400	40,569	14,883		

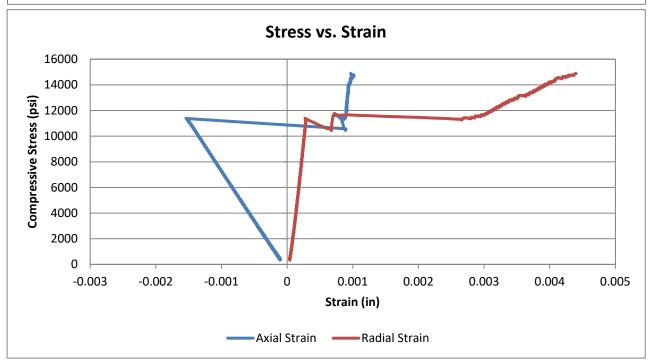


		Test Results		
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		14,800	Elastic Modulus (psi)	1.44E+07
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.21
Comments	avoid any non-linear behavior from range. Sample experienced a parti	n the initial loading a	inches of axial strain. This range was nd the inflection point at the end of th si which displaced the axial strain gau	he elastic



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.863	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	3.966	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	200.1	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-5 / 20-2943D	L/D Ratio	2.13	Recovery	91%
Depth	45.1' - 45.4'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	65%
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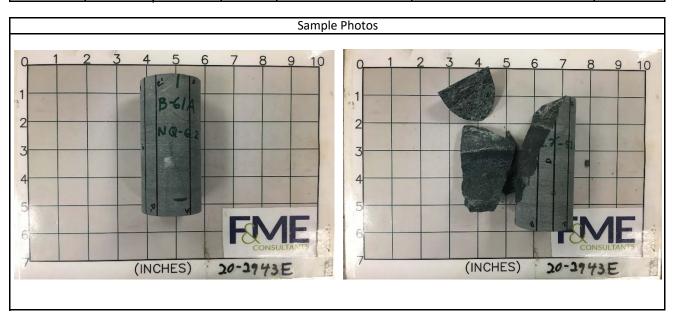






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Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.861	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.139	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	175.1	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-6 / 20-2943E	L/D Ratio	2.22	Recovery	88%
Depth	52.7 - 53.0'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	57%
Description	Blue/Green/Grey Phyllite				

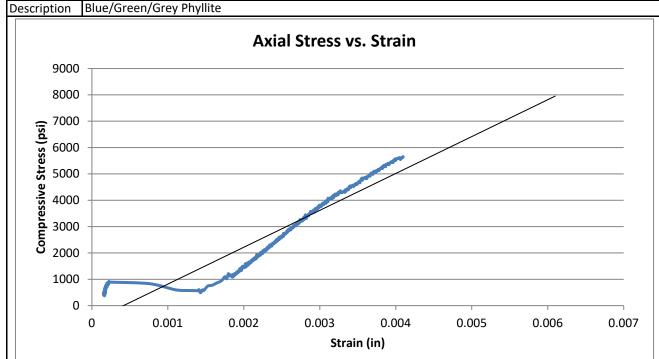
				Test Data		
Percent of	Strain	(10 <sup>-6</sup> )	Load	Compressive Stress	Secant Modulus	Poisson's
Failure Load	Axial	Radial	(lbs)	(psi)	x10 <sup>6</sup> (psi)	Ratio
10%	-172	181	1,535	564	6.56	1.05
20%	-1864	518	3,040	1,118	1.20	0.28
30%	-2112	590	4,632	1,703	1.61	0.28
40%	-2347	650	6,139	2,257	1.92	0.28
50%	-2572	687	7,623	2,802	2.18	0.27
60%	-2821	724	9,228	3,392	2.41	0.26
70%	-3080	726	10,724	3,942	2.56	0.24
80%	-3421	705	12,333	4,534	2.65	0.21
90%	-3713	675	13,877	5,102	2.75	0.18
100%	-4098	723	15,381	5,655		

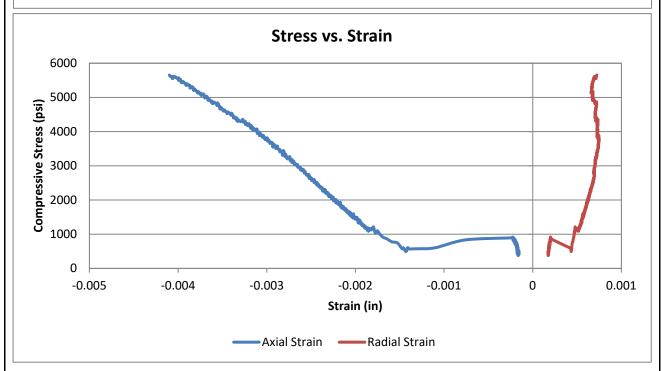


		Test Results		
Unconfined Compressive Strength (psi)		5,650	Elastic Modulus (psi)	2.04E+06
			Poisson's Ratio in Elastic Range	0.27
Comments	<u> </u>		ches of axial strain. This range was che inflection point at the end of the elas	



Project	Carolina Crossroads - I-20,	Carolina Crossroads - I-20/26/126 Corridor Improvements			11/18/2020
Project No.	G5662.01	Sample Diameter (in.)	1.861	Tested By	WJG
SCDOT ID	P039718	Sample Length (in.)	4.139	Reviewed By	JSF
Boring	B-61A	Unit Weight (pcf)	175.1	Core Size	NQ
Sample No.	NQ-6 / 20-2943E	L/D Ratio	2.22	Recovery	88%
Depth	52.7 - 53.0'	Load Rate (psi/sec)	20	RQD	57%
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### Carolina Crossroads – Phase 1 Geotechnical Subsurface Data Report

# **APPENDIX**

SECTION 6 SPT HAMMER ENERGY REPORTS































Job No. 209021-1 April 1, 2020

Project: Standard Penetration Test Energy Measurements CME 550X S/N 269553 Chester, South Carolina

**Prepared For: F&ME Consultants** 

By: Joel S. Webster, E.I. & Thomas G. Hyatt, P.E.



April 1, 2020

Mr. Jarod Ford F&ME Consultants 3112 Devine St Columbia, SC 29205

Re: Standard Penetration Test Energy Measurements

Chester, South Carolina

GRL Job No. 209021-1

Dear Mr. Ford;

This report presents results of energy measurements obtained on March 13, 2020 during Standard Penetration Test (SPT) sampling. One automatic hammer mounted on a drill rig owned by F&ME Consultants was tested. The drill rig was an ATV mounted CME 550X. All dynamic tests were performed on AW drill rods having J threads. GRL Engineers, Inc. obtained the dynamic measurements using an 8G Model Pile Driving Analyzer® and an instrumented AW-J rod subsection. This report describes the testing procedures and summarizes the test results. Appendix A describes our measurement and analysis methods, Appendix B contains the instrumentation calibrations and certificates, and Appendix C contains a summary of the field data.

#### **PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF WORK**

At the request of F&ME Consultants, GRL Engineers conducted SPT energy measurements in general accordance with ASTM D4633-16 during SPT sampling at a site near the intersection of Lowry's Highway and Hardin Strait Rd in Chester County, South Carolina. SPT energy measurements were made on an automatic hammer mounted on a CME 550X drill rig (S/N 269553). The drilling method used to advance the boring was hollow stem auger. SPT energy measurements were performed at 5-foot sampling intervals between 23.5 and 45 feet. A total of five energy measurement events were performed for this drill rig. The SPT samples were driven for a total of three, 6 inch increments, or 1.5 feet, and the blow counts for each increment were recorded.

#### Instrumentation

An 8G Model Pile Driving Analyzer (PDA) (S/N 4763 LE) data acquisition system manufactured by Pile Dynamics, Inc. was used to collect and process the dynamic measurements of force and velocity. A two-foot long subsection of standard AW rod with J tapered threads (S/N 486AWJ) was instrumented with two full bridge foil resistance strain gages (S/N 486AWJ1 and 486AWJ2) and two piezoresistive accelerometers (S/N K4998 and K5001) mounted in the midpoint of the instrumented rod. The calibration records for all instrumentation used for this testing are included in Appendix B.

#### **RESULTS**

Upon return to the office, the records collected by the PDA were checked for consistency and accuracy. For example, records from very weak startup or final impacts were not included in average results. The results include the EFV (transferred energy by the FV method, as

recommended by ASTM D4633-16), ETR (energy transfer efficiency for the EFV method), BLC (increment blow count), BPM (hammer operating rate), FMX (maximum rod top force) and VMX (maximum rod top velocity). Appendix C contains summary plots of the ETR with respect to rod length, summary plots of sampling results (BLC, BPM, FMX, VMX, EFV, ETR) with respect to depth below grade, a representative plot of force and normalized velocity versus time, as well as tables of results for all hammer blows at each dynamically monitored sampling depth. The tables show statistical summaries for the last two 6 inch increments over which the SPT N value is calculated. At the end of each table is a statistical evaluation of these results which include the average and standard deviation.

The table below summarizes the average transferred energy values calculated by the EFV method. The Energy Transfer Ratio (ETR) is defined as the ratio of maximum transferred energy EFV divided by the theoretical hammer potential energy of 350 foot-pounds (i.e., computed from the 140 pound SPT hammer and the standard 30 inch drop as specified by ASTM D1586-99).

Drill Rig	Avg. EFV	Avg. ETR	Range of EFV	Range of ETR
	(ft-lbs)	(%)	(ft-lbs)	(%)
CME 550X S/N 269553	301	86	287 – 315	82 – 90

Please review both ASTM D4633-16 and ASTM D1586-99 prior to applying these test results. The energy calibrations reported herein are valid for the same hammer/drill rig, with the same drill operator, same anvil dimensions, and same drilling methods.

We appreciate the opportunity to be of assistance to you on this project. Please contact our office should you have any questions regarding this submittal, require additional information, or if we may be of further service.

Sincerely,

GRL Engineers, Inc.

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# Appendix A An Introduction into SPT Pile Testing

# APPENDIX A AN INTRODUCTION INTO SPT DYNAMIC PILE TESTING

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#### 1. BACKGROUND

The Standard Penetration Test is frequently conducted as an in-situ assessment of soil strength. This test requires that a 140 lb weight is dropped 30 inches onto a drive rod at whose bottom a sampler is usually installed. The sampler is driven for 18 inches; the number of blows required for the last 12 inches of driving is the so-called N-value. The N-value may be used as a strength indicator for foundation design or as a means of assessing the liquefaction potential of soils.

Obviously, the SPT hammer efficiency is an important consideration when using the N-values for design purposes. Measurements have indicated that the energy in the drive rod is sometimes only 30% and and may reach 90% of the potential or rated energy of the SPT hammer (E-rated = 0.35 kip-ft or 0.475 kJ). The type of hammer used to drive the rod is the main reason for these variations. On the average, the energy in the drive rod is 60% of the standard rated energy.

Because of the variability of energy, methods based on N-values are considered unreliable. However, measurements during SPT testing using the Case Method can be done on a routine basis and these measurements yield the transferred energy values. With measured energy, EMX, known, an adjustment of the measured N-value, N<sub>m</sub>, can be made as follows.

$$N_{60} = N_m [E_m / (0.6E_r)]$$
 (1)

Thus, if the measured energy value is equal to the normally expected transferred energy of 60% of Erated then the adjusted and measured N-values are identical. On the other hand, if the measured energy is only 30% then the adjusted blow count will be reduced by 50%.

### 2. DYNAMIC TESTING AND ANALYSIS METHODS APPLIED TO SPT

The Case Method of dynamic pile testing, named after the Case Institute of Technology where it was developed between 1964 and 1975, requires that a substantial ram mass (e.g. a pile driving hammer) impacts the pile top such that the pile undergoes at least a small permanent set. Thus, the method is also referred to as a "High Strain Method". The Case Method requires dynamic measurements on the pile or shaft under the ram impact and then a calculation of various quantities. Conveniently, for SPT applications, the measurements and analyses are done by a single piece of equipment: the SPT Analyzer. The Pile Driving Analyzer® (PDA) is also suitable to perform these measurements and data processing.

A related analysis method is the "Wave Equation Analysis" which calculates a relationship between bearing capacity, pile stresses, transferred energy and field blow count. The GRLWEAP™ program performs this analysis and provides a complete set of helpful information and input data. This program can be used very effectively to simulate the SPT driving process.

#### 3. MEASUREMENTS

GRL uses equipment manufactured by Pile Dynamics, Inc. The system includes either an SPT-Analyzer™ (SPTA) or a Pile Driving Analyzer® (PDA), an instrumented rod section and two accelerometers. SPT energy testing is very closely related to and borrows procedures from dynamic pile testing. Those interested in the basis of the SPT energy testing method may obtain extensive literature on dynamic pile testing from GRL Engineers, Inc.

#### 3.1 SPT Analyzer or Pile Driving Analyzer

The basis for the results calculated by the SPTA or PDA are strain and acceleration measured in an instrumented rod section. These signals are converted to rod top force, F(t), and rod top velocity, v(t). The SPTA or PDA conditions, calibrates and displays these signals and immediately computes average pile force and velocity thereby eliminating bending effects. The product of these two

measurements is then integrated over time which yields the energy transferred to the instrumented section as a function of time (see Section 4.1).

For convenience and accuracy, strain measurements are usually taken on an instrumented section of SPT drive rod. Ideally, the section properties of the instrumented rod and those of the drive rod are the same, however, using subs, other sections can also be utilized.

For the instrumented section, PDI provides a force calibration in such a way that the output of the instrumented rod is directly calculated without the need for an accurate elastic modulus or cross sectional area of the rod section.

The acceleration measurements are often demanding in the SPT environment, because of high frequency and high acceleration motion components. An experienced measurement engineer, therefore, has to evaluate the quality of this data before final conclusions are drawn from the numerical results calculated by SPTA or PDA.

SPTA or PDA records are taken while the standard N-value is acquired in the conventional manner. This then allows a direct correlation between N-value and average transferred energy.

#### 3.2 HPA

The SPT hammer's ram velocity may be directly obtained using radar technology in the Hammer Performance Analyzer™. The impact velocity results can be automatically processed with a PC or recorded on a strip chart. HPA measurements yield a hammer kinetic energy, but not the energy transferred to the drive rod.

#### **4 RECORD EVALUATION BY SPTA OR PDA**

#### 4.1 HAMMER PERFORMANCE

The PDA calculates the energy transferred to the pile top from:

$$E(t) = \int_{0}^{t} F(\tau)v(\tau) d\tau$$
 (2)

The maximum of the E(t) curve is often called **ENTHRU** or **EMX**; it is the most important quantity for an overall evaluation of the performance of a hammer

and driving system. **EMX** allows for a classification of the hammer's performance when presented as,  $e_T$ , the rated transfer efficiency, also called energy transfer ratio (**ETR**) or global efficiency.

$$e_{T} = EMX/E_{R} \tag{3}$$

where  $E_{\rm R}$  is the hammer manufacturer's rated energy value or 0.35 kip-ft (0.475 kJ) in the case of the SPT hammer.

Often in the SPT literature one finds also reference to the EF2 energy. This evaluation is based on assumed proportionality between force and velocity (see also Section 5):

$$v(t) = F(t) / Z \tag{4}$$

where Z = EA/c is the pile impedance, E is the elastic modulus, A is the cross sectional area and c is the speed of the stress wave in the pile material.

Combining equations 2 and 4 leads to

$$\mathsf{EF}(\mathsf{t}) = \int_{\mathsf{O}}^{\mathsf{t}} \mathsf{F}(\mathsf{T})^2 / \mathsf{Z} \, \mathsf{d}\mathsf{T} \tag{5}$$

The EF2 transferred energy value is the EF-value at the time t = 2L/c, where L is the drive rod length and c is the stress wave speed in steel (16,800 ft/s or 5,124 m/s). Since the force is easier to measure than both force and velocity, Equation 5 is preferred by some test engineers. However, the EF method is fraught with errors and certain correction factors have to be applied to make it approximately correct. Among the error sources are the following:

- Proportionality is often violated prior to time 2L/c. The proportionality between force and velocity in a downward traveling wave only holds if the wave does not encounter a disturbance prior to reflecting off the pile toe. Such disturbances include a change in cross sectional area, an open or loose splice or joint, or resistance along the shaft.
- Using only one force measurement precludes a data quality check based on the proportionality between force and velocity. Thus, a force measurement that is for some reason in error may not be detectable, which will lead to errors in the EF2 value. Data quality checks will be discussed further in Section 5.

The use if EF2 is therefore not recommended but it is often included in result presentations for the sake of completeness.

#### 4.2 STRESSES

During SPT monitoring, it is also of interest to monitor compressive stresses at both the top of the drive rod and at its bottom.

At the pile top (location of sensors) the maximum compression stress averaged over the rod's cross section, **CSX**, is directly obtained from the measurements. Note that this stress value refers to the instrumented section. If the rod has a different cross sectional area then the stress in the rod will be different from CSX.

The SPTA or PDA can also calculate, in an approximate manner, the force at the rod bottom, **CFB**. To obtain the corresponding stress, this force value should be divided by the appropriate cross sectional area, e.g. by the rod area just above the sampler or by the sampler area itself. Of course, non-uniform stress components as they might occur at the sampler tip due to a sloping rock are not considered in this calculation.

#### 5. DATA QUALITY CHECKS

Quality data is the first and foremost requirement for accurate dynamic testing results. It is therefore important that the measurement engineer performing SPTA or PDA tests has the experience necessary to recognize measurement problems and take appropriate corrective action should problems develop. Fortunately, dynamic pile testing allows for certain data quality checks because two independent measurements are taken that have to conform to the so-called proportionality relationship.

As long as there is only a wave traveling in one direction, as is the case during impact when only a downward traveling wave exists in the rod, force and velocity measured at its top are proportional

$$F = V Z \tag{5}$$

where Z is again the pile impedance, Z = EA/c. This relationship can also be expressed in terms of stress

$$\sigma = F/A = v (E/c) \tag{6}$$

or strain

$$\varepsilon = \sigma/E = v / c$$
 (7)

This means that the early portion of strain times wave speed must be equal to the velocity unless the proportionality is affected by high friction near the pile top or by a pile cross sectional change not far below the sensors. Checking the proportionality is an excellent means of assuring meaningful measurements but is only truly meaningful for perfectly uniform rods. Open or loose splices, for example, will lead to a non-proportionality. For SPT rods it is fortunate that usually no soil resistance acts along the shaft and for that reason, proportionality can exist until the stress wave returns from sampler top or rod bottom unless connectors are not sufficiently tightened or have a significant mass.

Velocity data quality can also be checked by looking at the final displacement, DFN, which is calculated from the acceleration by double integration. If the calculated final displacement is much higher or lower than indicated by the N-value, the accelerometer attachment may be loose or the sensor may be faulty. If major drift in the velocity is observed, the EMX value may be in error, even though proportionality from impact to time 2L/c exists. In this case, it may be useful to evaluate the energy transferred to the drill rod at time 2L/c, which is calculated by the PDA or SPTA as the E2E quantity.

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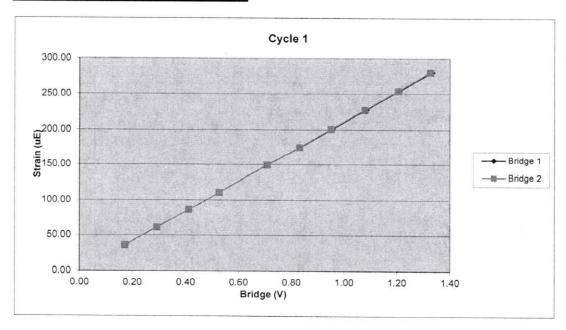
### **APPENDIX B**

**Instrumentation Calibration Information** 

486AWJ	Cy	cle 1		
Sample	Force (lb)	Strain (µE)	Bridge 1 (V)	Bridge 2 (V)
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	1278.86	35.92	0.17	0.17
3	2168.60	61.34	0.29	0.29
4	3069.46	86.20	0.41	0.41
5	3937.33	110.67	0.53	0.53
6	5292.73	149.53	0.71	0.71
7	6220.93	174.88	0.83	0.83
8	7117.70	200.77	0.95	0.95
9	8072.65	227.79	1.08	1.08
10	9021.35	253.71	1.21	1.20
11	9942.13	280.21	1.33	1.33

Bridge 1		Bridge 2	
Force Calibration (lb/V)	7477.85	Force Calibration (lb/V)	7504.74
Offset	-5.58	Offset	-12.71
Correlation	0.999998	Correlation	0.999999
Strain Calibration (µE/V)	210.73	Strain Calibration (µE/V)	211.48
Offset	-0.21	Offset	-0.41
Correlation	0.999995	Correlation	0.999993

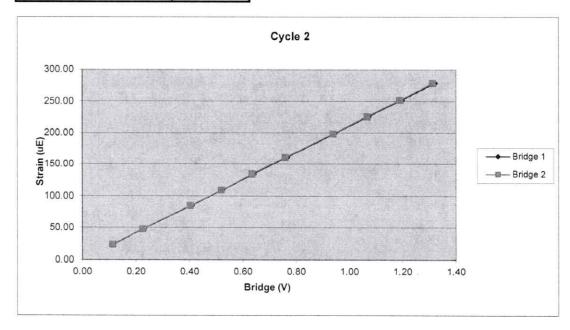
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Offset	1.86
Correlation	0.999993



486AWJ	C	ycle 2		
Sample	Force (lb)	Strain (µE)	Bridge 1 (V)	Bridge 2 (V)
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	857.52	23.79	0.12	0.11
3	1698.64	47.94	0.23	0.23
4	3027.88	85.21	0.41	0.40
5	3889.89	109.21	0.52	0.52
6	4762.05	134.36	0.64	0.63
7	5693.77	160.38	0.76	0.76
8	7038.23	198.52	0.94	0.94
9	7993.57	225.63	1.07	1.07
10	8932.90	251.73	1.20	1.19
11	9856.61	278.11	1.32	1.31

Bridge 1		Bridge 2	
Force Calibration (lb/V)	7475.96	Force Calibration (lb/V)	7504.10
Offset	-6.95	Offset	0.64
Correlation	0.999999	Correlation	0.999998
Strain Calibration (µE/V)	211.12	Strain Calibration (µE/V)	211.91
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Correlation	0.999997	Correlation	0.999996

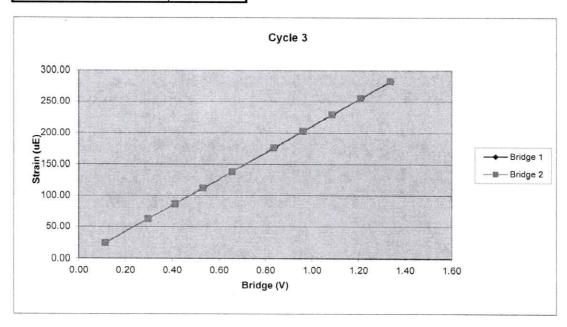
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Correlation	0.999997



486AWJ		Cycle 3		
Sample	Force (lb)	Strain (µE)	Bridge 1 (V)	Bridge 2 (V)
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	862.99	24.53	0.11	0.11
3	2219.75	62.30	0.30	0.30
4	3088.60	86.68	0.41	0.41
5	3980.48	112.26	0.53	0.53
6	4903.80	138.19	0.66	0.66
7	6256.27	176.45	0.84	0.83
8	7193.06	203.18	0.96	0.96
9	8152.31	229.19	1.09	1.09
10	9051.42	255.15	1.21	1.21
11	10021.99	282.47	1.34	1.34

Bridge 1		Bridge 2	
Force Calibration (lb/V)	7471.12	Force Calibration (lb/V)	7487.98
Offset	5.63	Offset	7.27
Correlation	0.999998	Correlation	0.999997
Strain Calibration (µE/V)	210.59	Strain Calibration (µE/V)	211.06
Offset	0.11	Offset	0.16
Correlation	0.999997	Correlation	0.999995

Force Strain Calibration	
EA (Kips)	35477.05
Offset	1.74
Correlation	0.999994



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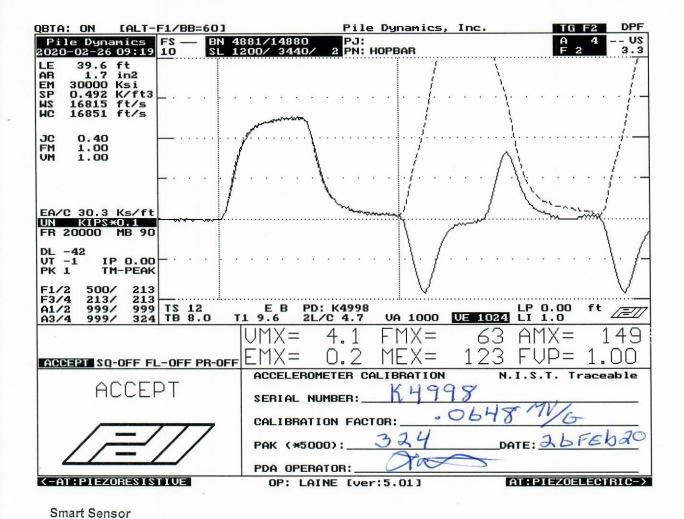
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Calibration Factors	486AWJ		
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EA Factor (Kips)	35458.03	Area (in^2)	1.18

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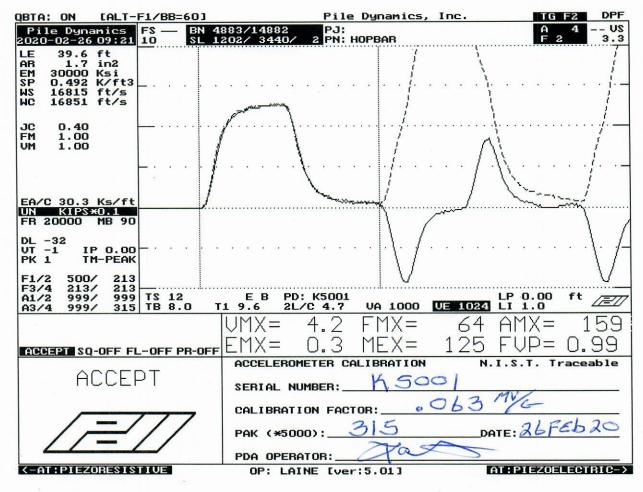
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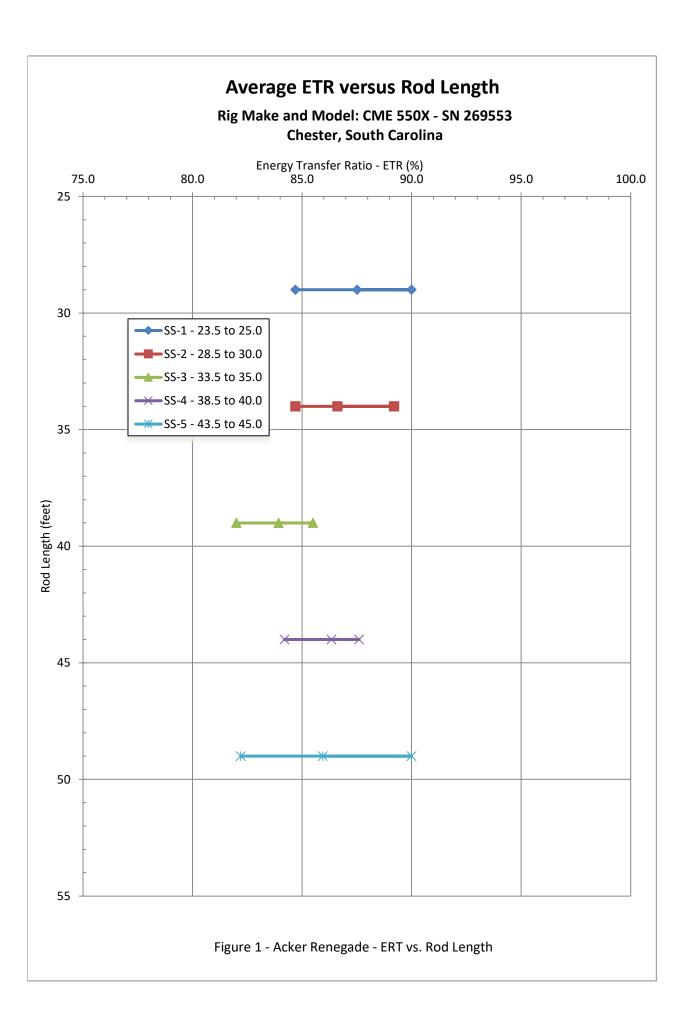
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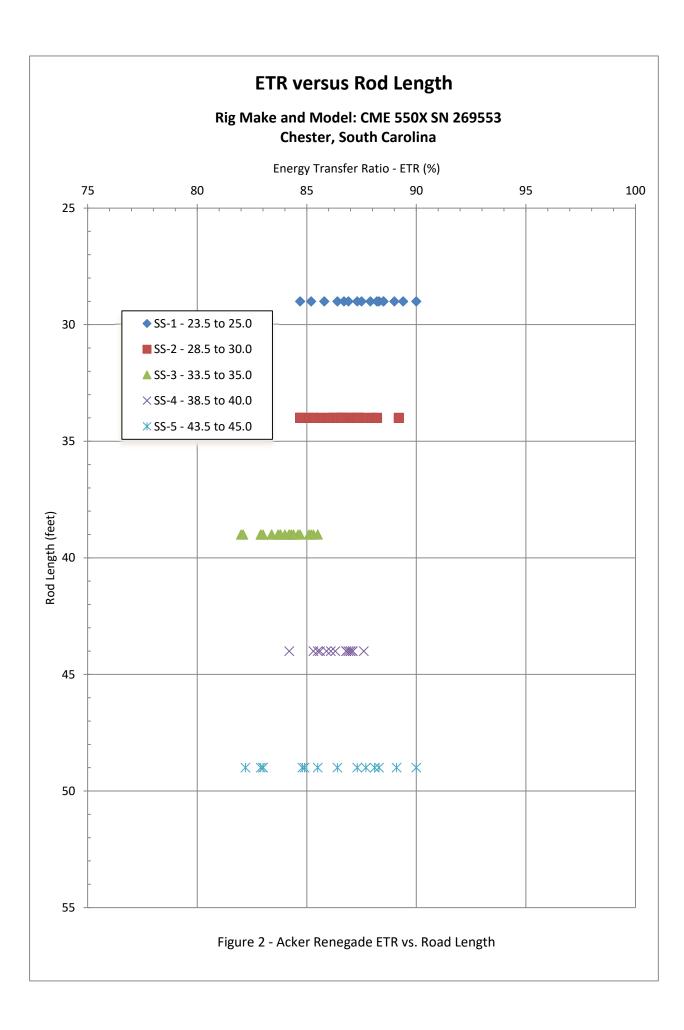
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# **Appendix C**

SPT Calibration Results





#### **Summary of SPT Test Results**

Project: F&ME - CME 550X - SN 269553, Test Date: 3/13/2020

FMX: Maximum Force

VMX: Maximum Velocity BPM: Blows/Minute

ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio - Rated

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DFN: Final Displacement
FVP: Force/Velocity Proportionality

EFV: Maximum	Energy											•
Instr.	Blows	Start	Final	N	N60	Average						
Length	Applied	Depth	Depth	Value	Value	FMX	VMX	BPM	EFV	ETR	DFN	FVP
ft	/6"	ft	ft			kips	ft/s	bpm	ft-lb	%	in	
28.50	3-7-9	23.50	25.00	16	22	29	16.5	57.8	306	87.5	0.75	0.84
33.50	6-9-10	28.50	30.00	19	27	28	16.2	57.3	303	86.6	0.63	0.82
38.50	7-11-12	33.50	35.00	23	32	28	15.9	56.8	294	83.9	0.52	0.83
43.50	5-6-9	38.50	40.00	15	21	29	16.1	56.5	302	86.3	0.80	0.87
48.50	4-5-9	43.50	45.00	14	20	29	16.0	57.0	301	85.9	0.85	0.86
			C	verall Averag	e Values:	28	16.2	57.1	301	85.9	0.69	0.84
				Standard D	Deviation:	1	0.4	0.5	7	1.9	0.18	0.02
			0	verall Maximu	ım Value:	30	17.3	58.3	315	90.0	1.20	0.89
			O	verall Minimu	ım Value:	27	15.3	56.0	287	82.0	0.49	0.81

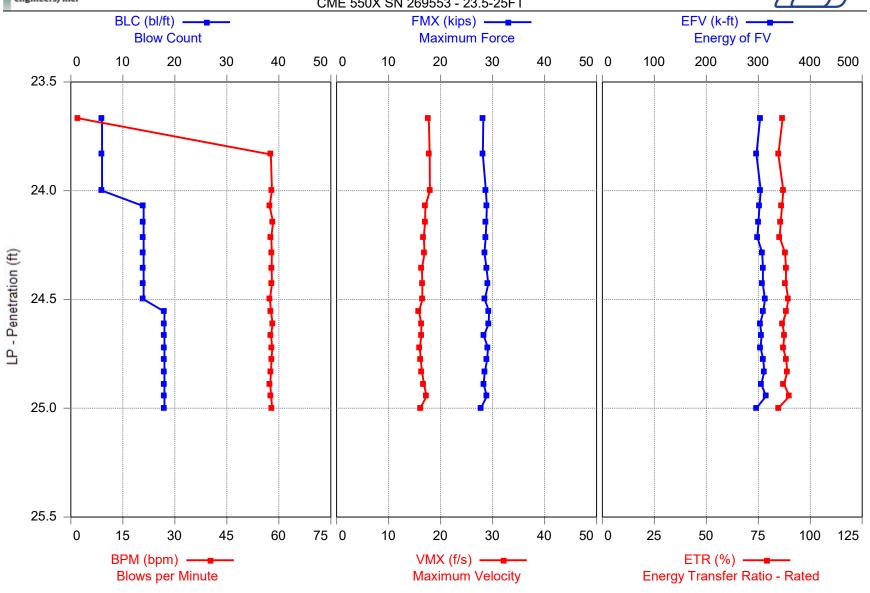


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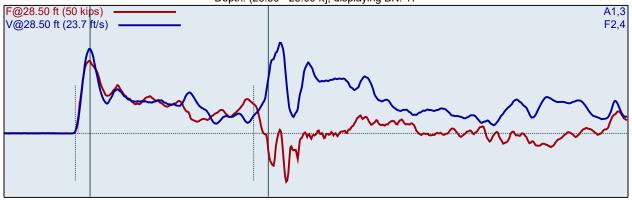
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SN 269553 TGH Test date: 3/13/2020

**TEST** 

AR: 1.18 SP: 0.492 k/ft3 in^2 LE: 28.50 ft EM: 30000 ksi WS: 16807.9 ft/s

Depth: (23.50 - 25.00 ft], displaying BN: 17



A1 (PR): [K4998] 324 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1 F2: [486AWJ1] 210.81 PDICAL (1) FF1 F4: [486AWJ2] 211.49 PDICAL (1) FF1 A3 (PR): [K5001] 315 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1

FMX: Maximum Force VMX: Maximum Velocity

BPM: Blows/Minute

ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio - Rated

DFN: Final Displacement

FVP: Force/Velocity Proportionality

EFV: Maximum I	Energy								•
BL#	BC	LP	FMX	VMX	BPM	EFV	ETR	DFN	FVP
	/6"	ft	kips	ft/s	bpm	ft-lb	%	in	
1	3	23.67	28	17.7	1.9	304	86.7	2.00	0.80
2	3	23.83	28	17.9	57.7	296	84.7	2.00	0.80
3	3	24.00	29	17.9	58.0	305	87.0	2.00	0.84
4	7	24.07	29	17.1	57.3	302	86.4	0.86	0.83
5	7	24.14	29	17.0	58.3	300	85.8	0.86	0.83
6	7	24.21	29	16.8	57.8	298	85.2	0.86	0.83
7	7	24.29	28	16.9	58.0	308	87.9	0.86	0.84
8	7	24.36	29	16.4	57.9	309	88.3	0.86	0.84
9	7	24.43	29	16.5	58.0	309	88.2	0.86	0.83
10	7	24.50	28	16.5	57.4	313	89.4	0.86	0.85
11	9	24.56	29	15.9	57.7	310	88.5	0.67	0.84
12	9	24.61	29	16.3	58.2	303	86.7	0.67	0.88
13	9	24.67	28	16.3	57.7	306	87.5	0.67	0.85
14	9	24.72	29	16.0	58.1	304	86.9	0.67	0.85
15	9	24.78	29	16.2	57.9	310	88.5	0.67	0.86
16	9	24.83	28	16.4	57.7	311	89.0	0.67	0.85
17	9	24.89	28	16.8	57.5	306	87.3	0.67	0.86
18	9	24.94	29	17.3	57.8	315	90.0	0.67	0.85
19	9	25.00	28	16.1	58.1	296	84.7	0.67	0.82
		Average	29	16.5	57.8	306	87.5	0.75	0.84
		Std Dev	0	0.4	0.3	5	1.4	0.09	0.01
		Maximum	29	17.3	58.3	315	90.0	0.86	0.88
		Minimum	28	15.9	57.3	296	84.7	0.67	0.82

N-value: 16

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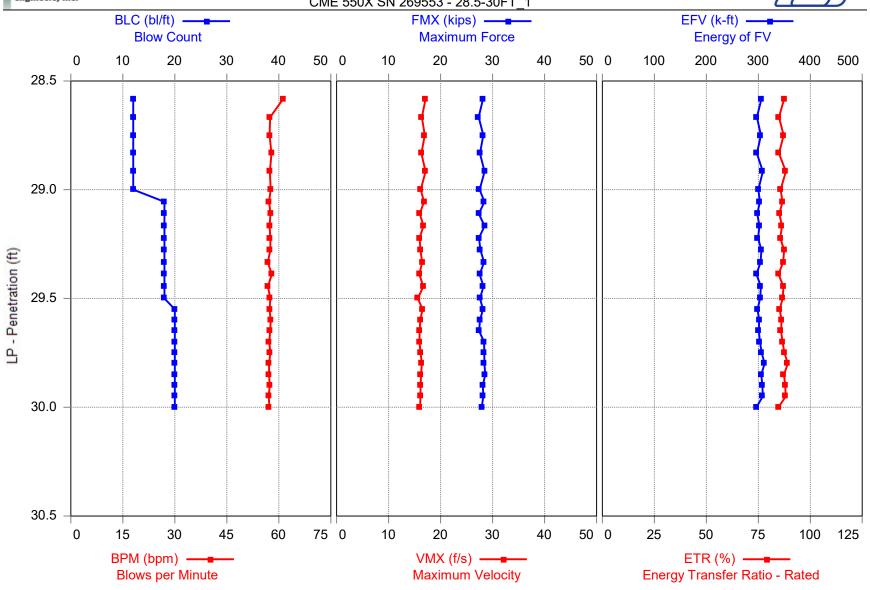


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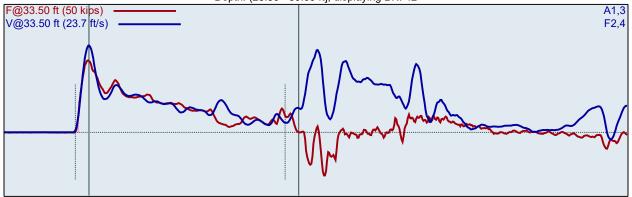
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**TEST** 

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Depth: (28.50 - 30.00 ft], displaying BN: 42



F2 : [486AWJ1] 210.81 PDICAL (1) FF1 F4 : [486AWJ2] 211.49 PDICAL (1) FF1 A1 (PR): [K4998] 324 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1 A3 (PR): [K5001] 315 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1

BL#	ВС	LP	FMX	VMX	BPM	EFV	ETR	DFN	FVP
	/6"	ft	kips	ft/s	bpm	ft-lb	%	in	
20	6	28.58	28	17.1	61.2	306	87.4	1.00	0.78
21	6	28.67	27	16.4	57.5	297	84.9	1.00	0.78
22	6	28.75	28	17.0	57.3	305	87.2	1.00	0.79
23	6	28.83	28	16.3	57.9	297	85.0	1.00	0.79
24	6	28.92	28	17.1	57.4	309	88.2	1.00	0.80
25	6	29.00	28	16.2	57.6	300	85.7	1.00	0.80
26	9	29.06	28	16.8	57.2	303	86.6	0.67	0.81
27	9	29.11	27	16.0	57.6	298	85.1	0.67	0.81
28	9	29.17	28	16.7	57.3	302	86.4	0.67	0.82
29	9	29.22	27	16.0	57.6	300	85.6	0.67	0.81
30	9	29.28	28	16.1	57.6	306	87.4	0.67	0.81
31	9	29.33	28	16.5	56.8	304	87.0	0.67	0.82
32	9	29.39	28	15.9	58.0	297	84.7	0.67	0.83
33	9	29.44	28	16.7	56.8	305	87.1	0.67	0.82
34	9	29.50	28	15.6	57.5	303	86.7	0.67	0.83
35	10	29.55	28	16.5	57.3	298	85.3	0.60	0.82
36	10	29.60	28	16.1	57.6	302	86.2	0.60	0.83
37	10	29.65	27	16.0	57.5	301	86.0	0.60	0.83
38	10	29.70	28	15.9	57.2	303	86.6	0.60	0.84
39	10	29.75	28	16.2	57.5	306	87.6	0.60	0.83
40	10	29.80	28	16.4	57.2	312	89.2	0.60	0.83
41	10	29.85	29	16.2	57.2	306	87.3	0.60	0.83
42	10	29.90	28	16.1	57.4	308	88.0	0.60	0.82
43	10	29.95	28	16.1	57.1	309	88.2	0.60	0.82
44	10	30.00	28	16.1	57.3	297	84.7	0.60	0.82
		Average	28	16.2	57.3	303	86.6	0.63	0.82
		Std Dev	0	0.3	0.3	4	1.2	0.03	0.01
		Maximum	29	16.8	58.0	312	89.2	0.67	0.84
		Minimum	27	15.6	56.8	297	84.7	0.60	0.81

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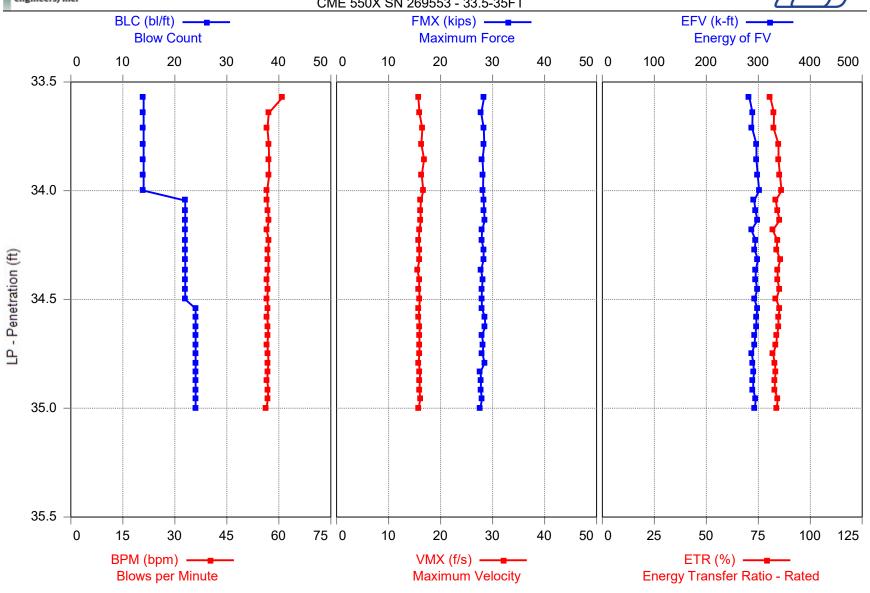


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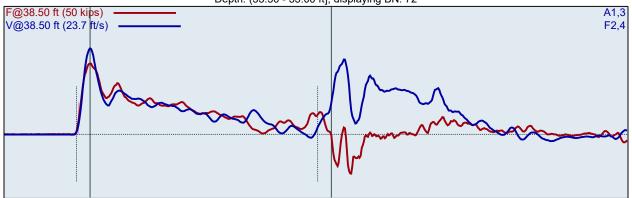
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Depth: (33.50 - 35.00 ft], displaying BN: 72



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A1 (PR): [K4998] 324 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1 A3 (PR): [K5001] 315 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1

BL#	ВС	LP	FMX	VMX	BPM	EFV	ETR	DFN	FVP
	/6"	ft	kips	ft/s	bpm	ft-lb	%	in	
45	7	33.57	28	15.7	61.1	283	80.8	0.85	0.86
46	7	33.64	28	15.9	57.1	289	82.6	0.85	0.83
47	7	33.71	28	16.5	56.7	289	82.4	0.85	0.81
48	7	33.79	28	16.3	57.1	297	84.7	0.85	0.83
49	7	33.86	28	16.8	57.2	296	84.7	0.85	0.81
50	7	33.93	28	16.4	57.2	299	85.4	0.85	0.82
51	7	34.00	28	16.7	56.6	302	86.2	0.86	0.82
52	11	34.05	28	16.2	56.7	292	83.4	0.54	0.83
53	11	34.09	28	16.1	56.8	295	84.2	0.54	0.84
54	11	34.14	28	16.2	57.2	298	85.3	0.54	0.82
55	11	34.18	28	15.9	56.5	287	82.0	0.54	0.84
56	11	34.23	28	15.8	57.1	295	84.2	0.54	0.84
57	11	34.27	28	15.9	56.8	293	83.8	0.54	0.84
58	11	34.32	28	15.9	57.0	299	85.5	0.54	0.84
59	11	34.36	28	15.5	56.9	295	84.3	0.54	0.83
60	11	34.41	28	15.9	56.6	295	84.2	0.54	0.83
61	11	34.45	28	15.8	56.8	298	85.1	0.54	0.83
62	11	34.50	28	16.0	56.6	293	83.7	0.54	0.83
63	12	34.54	28	15.9	57.0	298	85.2	0.50	0.84
64	12	34.58	29	15.8	56.6	296	84.6	0.50	0.86
65	12	34.63	29	16.0	56.9	296	84.7	0.50	0.84
66	12	34.67	28	15.9	56.9	294	84.0	0.50	0.83
67	12	34.71	28	16.0	56.7	293	83.7	0.50	0.84
68	12	34.75	28	15.9	56.9	287	82.1	0.49	0.84
69	12	34.79	28	15.8	57.0	290	82.9	0.50	0.85
70	12	34.83	28	16.1	56.8	292	83.4	0.50	0.82
71	12	34.88	28	16.0	56.7	290	83.0	0.50	0.82
72	12	34.92	28	15.9	56.9	290	82.9	0.50	0.82
73	12	34.96	28	16.1	56.8	295	84.4	0.50	0.82
74	12	35.00	28	15.8	56.4	293	83.8	0.50	0.83

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Average	28	15.9	56.8	294	83.9	0.52	0.83
Std Dev	0	0.1	0.2	3	0.9	0.02	0.01
Maximum	29	16.2	57.2	299	85.5	0.54	0.86
Minimum	28	15.5	56.4	287	82.0	0.49	0.82
		N-value	: 23				

Sample Interval Time: 30.61 seconds.

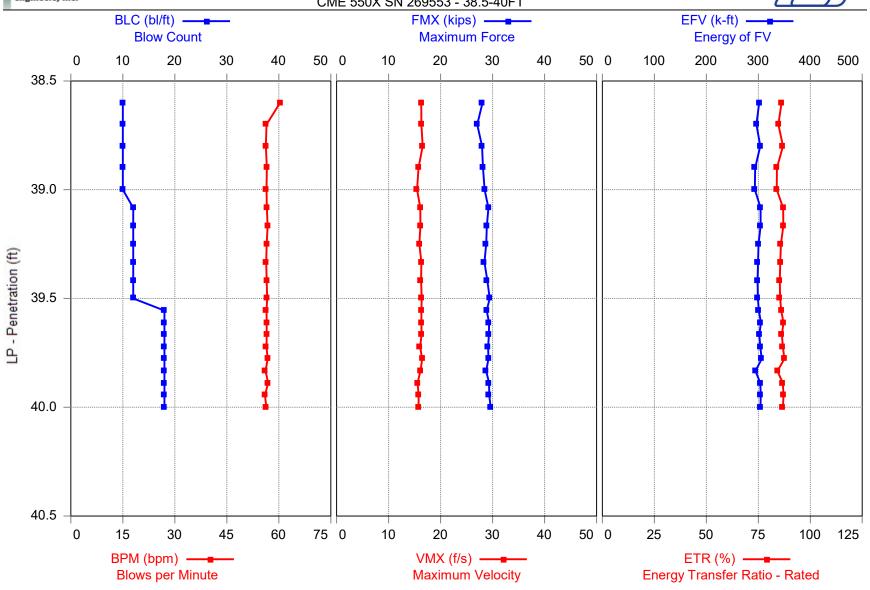


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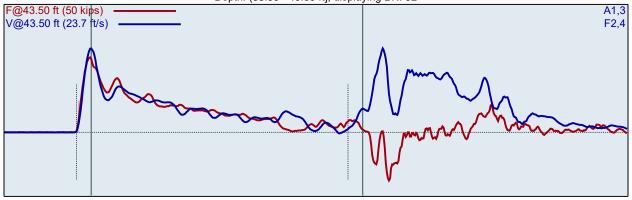
F&ME - CME 550X - SN 269553

SN 269553 TGH Test date: 3/13/2020

**TEST** 

AR: 1.18 in^2 SP: 0.492 k/ft3 LE: 43.50 ft EM: 30000 ksi WS: 16807.9 ft/s

Depth: (38.50 - 40.00 ft], displaying BN: 92



F2 : [486AWJ1] 210.81 PDICAL (1) FF1 F4 : [486AWJ2] 211.49 PDICAL (1) FF1 A1 (PR): [K4998] 324 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1 A3 (PR): [K5001] 315 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1

BL#	BC	LP	FMX	VMX	BPM	EFV	ETR	DFN	FVP
	/6"	ft	kips	ft/s	bpm	ft-lb	%	in	
75	5	38.60	28	16.3	60.4	302	86.2	1.20	0.82
76	5	38.70	27	16.3	56.4	296	84.7	1.20	0.83
77	5	38.80	28	16.5	56.3	304	86.8	1.20	0.81
78	5	38.90	28	15.8	56.5	294	84.0	1.20	0.86
79	5	39.00	28	15.5	56.4	293	83.9	1.20	0.87
80	6	39.08	29	16.1	56.6	304	87.0	1.00	0.87
81	6	39.17	29	16.1	56.7	305	87.0	1.00	0.86
82	6	39.25	29	15.9	56.5	300	85.9	1.00	0.86
83	6	39.33	28	16.3	56.3	299	85.6	1.00	0.85
84	6	39.42	29	16.2	56.5	299	85.3	1.00	0.87
85	6	39.50	29	16.4	56.6	299	85.5	1.00	0.88
86	9	39.56	29	16.3	56.4	301	86.1	0.67	0.87
87	9	39.61	29	16.3	56.5	305	87.1	0.67	0.85
88	9	39.67	29	16.3	56.5	302	86.3	0.67	0.87
89	9	39.72	29	16.1	56.4	304	86.8	0.67	0.86
90	9	39.78	29	16.5	56.7	307	87.6	0.67	0.88
91	9	39.83	29	16.1	56.2	295	84.2	0.67	0.88
92	9	39.89	29	15.6	56.9	304	86.8	0.67	0.88
93	9	39.94	29	15.8	56.0	305	87.1	0.67	0.88
94	9	40.00	30	15.8	56.4	304	86.9	0.67	0.89
		Average	29	16.1	56.5	302	86.3	0.80	0.87
	Std Dev Maximum		0	0.3	0.2	3	0.9	0.16	0.01
			30	16.5	56.9	307	87.6	1.00	0.89
		Minimum	28	15.6	56.0	295	84.2	0.67	0.85
				N-value:	15				

Sample Interval Time: 20.22 seconds.

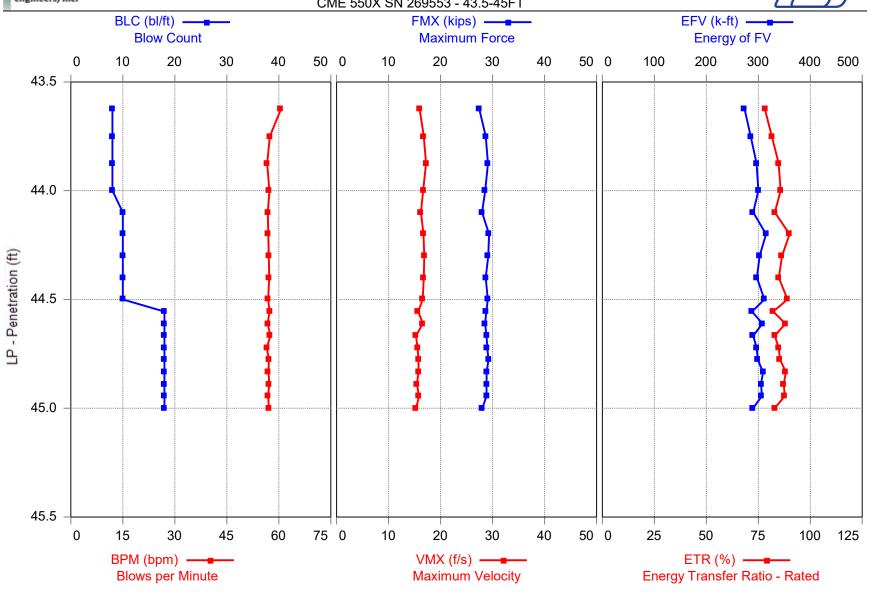


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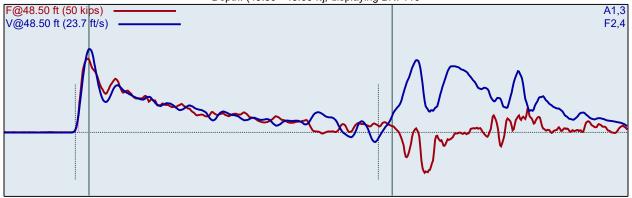
F&ME - CME 550X - SN 269553

SN 269553 TGH Test date: 3/13/2020

**TEST** 

AR: 1.18 SP: 0.492 k/ft3 in^2 LE: 48.50 EM: 30000 ksi ft WS: 16807.9 ft/s

Depth: (43.50 - 45.00 ft], displaying BN: 110



F2 : [486AWJ1] 210.81 PDICAL (1) FF1 F4 : [486AWJ2] 211.49 PDICAL (1) FF1

A1 (PR): [K4998] 324 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1 A3 (PR): [K5001] 315 mv/6.4v/5000g (1) VF1

BL#	ВС	LP	FMX	VMX	BPM	EFV	ETR	DFN	FVP
	/6"	ft	kips	ft/s	bpm	ft-lb	%	in	
95	4	43.63	27	16.0	60.6	274	78.2	1.49	0.83
96	4	43.75	29	16.8	57.4	285	81.5	1.49	0.86
97	4	43.88	29	17.2	56.6	297	84.8	1.49	0.88
98	4	44.00	29	16.6	57.3	300	85.7	1.50	0.85
99	5	44.10	28	16.2	56.8	290	83.0	1.20	0.85
100	5	44.20	29	16.7	57.0	315	90.0	1.20	0.88
101	5	44.30	29	16.9	57.1	302	86.4	1.20	0.86
102	5	44.40	29	16.8	57.2	297	84.9	1.20	0.85
103	5	44.50	29	16.6	56.9	312	89.1	1.20	0.87
104	9	44.56	29	15.7	57.3	288	82.2	0.66	0.85
105	9	44.61	29	16.6	56.8	308	88.1	0.67	0.84
106	9	44.67	29	15.3	57.6	290	83.0	0.66	0.84
107	9	44.72	29	15.6	56.5	297	84.8	0.66	0.87
108	9	44.78	29	15.7	57.1	299	85.5	0.66	0.83
109	9	44.83	29	15.8	57.0	309	88.3	0.67	0.86
110	9	44.89	29	15.5	57.3	305	87.3	0.67	0.87
111	9	44.94	29	15.8	56.9	307	87.7	0.67	0.86
112	9	45.00	28	15.3	57.2	290	82.9	0.66	0.85
		Average	29	16.0	57.0	301	85.9	0.85	0.86
		Std Dev Maximum		0.6	0.3	9	2.5	0.26	0.01
				16.9	57.6	315	90.0	1.20	0.88
		Minimum	28	15.3	56.5	288	82.2	0.66	0.83
				N-value:	14				

Sample Interval Time: 17.91 seconds.

### Carolina Crossroads – Phase 1 Geotechnical Subsurface Data Report

# **APPENDIX**

SECTION 7 SCOPE OF SERVICES



This additional geotechnical scope of services is being requested for the Carolina Crossroads – Phase 1 project. Site soil testing will be required as described below and will consist of soil test borings (STB) with rock coring for the I-126 Ramp C bridge to obtain additional subsurface information at this location. All field and lab testing along with reporting of the results shall be performed and provided in accordance with the 2019 Geotechnical Design Manual Version 2.0 (GDM). Any deviations from this request or the requirements set forth in the GDM shall be approved by the D/B GDS prior to execution of the tasks.

**CONSULTANT** shall perform two soil test borings spaced out evenly between borings B-60 and B-61 that were previously conducted, approximately near Stations 5411+00 and 5414+50 on Ramp C. Borings shall be placed near the proposed centerline where practical, but should be offset to areas that do not require any clearing. Soil test borings shall be performed using mud-rotary drilling techniques and shall be extended to 100 feet each or refusal, which is anticipated to be encountered within 30 feet of the ground surface. If drilling refusal is encountered, a minimum of 20 feet of rock coring shall be performed, not to exceed 30 feet. Borings shall be backfilled at the completion of drilling and measurement of water levels. Test locations shall be located in the field using GPS survey equipment. Once field work has been completed, all test locations shall be surveyed.

Laboratory testing shall consist of performing up to 12 unconfined compressive strength of rock core tests to include rock core samples obtained from these additional borings as well as those obtained from borings B-60 and B-61.

After completion of the field and laboratory testing, the **CONSULTANT** will prepare a standalone supplemental geotechnical subsurface data report for this additional scope of services. The data report shall be completed in accordance with the 2019 GDM Version 2.0. In addition to the supplemental geotechnical report provide in kmz format the surveyed locations of all borings completed for the Carolina Crossroads Program.