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Addendum No. 2

Your reference is directed to the Request for Quotation for 2023-SWB-79 – Saltwater Intrusion Emergency 2023 - Algiers Intake Mitigation (Rebid) for the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans proposals that are due on October 16, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. (CST).

This addendum provides for the following:

1. **Answers to questions.** (Pages 2-6)

2. Clarifications:

Algiers Pumping Station #1 is comprised of 3 pumps capable of 15 MGD each. Current operations use 1 pump to provide the required raw water supply to the water treatment plant. In the additional information section of this addendum, the pump curve for one pump is included as attachment.

3. Specifications:

REPLACE PROPOSAL PRICING FORM – with PROPOSAL PRICING FORM v2. Failure to submit revised pricing form will deem your bid submission non-responsive. (Page 7)

ADD Section 00 52 13 – Agreement. 4.2 **REPLACE** paragraph 4.2 with the following:

- 4.2 Days to Achieve Substantial Completion and Final Payment
- 4.2.1. The Work will be substantially completed operational by November 30th and remain operational for 90 days. The removal of sheet piling and project ready for final payment in accordance with

Paragraph 14.07 of the General Conditions within 120 calendar days after the date when the Contract Times commence to run.

Remove "DRAFT" watermark from SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR FEMA COMPLIANCE (2023)

Replace "Special and Technical Provisions – Algiers Intake #1 Emergency Water Supply" Section - in its entirety with the one included. (Pages 8-20)

4. Drawings:

Revise Sheet 1 – Title Sheet: **ADD** "Sheet 13 - Algiers Temporary Laydown Yard" to the index. (Page 21)

ADD Sheet 2 – Sheet 12: Replace these sheets in their entirety with Sheets 2 - 12 included as an attachment. (Pages 22-32)

ADD Sheet 13 - Algiers Temporary Laydown Yard (Page 33)

5. Record drawings:

Algiers Intake #1 Cofferdam and Pumping Operations record drawings are included. (Pages 34-81)

6. Additional Information:

- Existing Algiers Intake #1 pump curves Included (Page 82).
- LA20230005 Included (Pages 83-88).

Questions

1. What is the contract duration?

USACE projects November 30th as the date Algiers will be impacted and bypass pumping operations must be operational by this date. The Contractor can anticipate a Notice to Proceed on or by October 18th. The duration of construction and bypass pumping will be 90 calendar days.

- 2. Will Builder's Risk Insurance be required?

 No see Section 0073 00 Supplementary Conditions SC-5.06.
- 3. What is the material specification for the proposed 24" by-pass line?

- HDPE See TECHNICAL PROVISION for WATERLINE. The S&WB will allow a substitute piping material provided it meets the project objectives and the hydraulic requirements are met.
- 4. Will the cofferdam be a permanent structure or will it have to be removed? If it is to be removed, when will this removal take place?

 The steel pipe piles will remain in place. The steel sheet piles will be removed at the end of the 90 calendar days.
- 5. If the sheet pile and pipe pile get removed, who does the material belong to? If the Board retains possession, where will it be stored? *SWBNO. The sheet piles will be stored in the laydown yard.*
- 6. Can the steel sheet piles be used material? In accordance with Section EJCDC C-700, paragraph 6.03.B. The pipe piles shall be good quality and new. The S&WB will allow the sheet piles to be used provided they are good quality material.
- 7. Are there any soil borings that we can review prior to bid? *Not at this location.*
- 8. Please provide a complete set of record drawings per note on plan sheet 12. *Included as an attachment with this addendum*.
- 9. Are there any prevailing wages (Davis-Bacon) on this project?

 See SPECIAL CONDITIONS FOR FEMA COMPLIANCE (2023) DAVIS
 BACON ACT terms and conditions.
- 10. How wide is the 6" concrete pavement section on the levee that goes under the 24" bypass line?
 - The 6" concrete pavement is existing and is 14 feet wide, centered on the existing 42" intake pipe. The proposed 24" bypass line will be adjacent to the existing 6" concrete on the adjacent grassed area.
- 11. What is the material specification for the pipe floats as required on sheet 11? *DAE 24" or Nautilus 24" Pipe Floats or approved equal.*
- 12. What is the temporary material to maintain bike path and driveway access? *See detail included as part of this addendum.*

- 13. Are there any DBE requirements on this project?

 See Section 00 47 17 DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

 PROGRAM. All vendors/contractors are encouraged to identify and use

 SWBNO'S certified DBE Vendors to the fullest extent possible in major as

 well as minor purchases of heavy equipment, hardware supplies, etc.
- 14. Will the 24" bypass be removed once normal freshwater levels are restored? Yes, it will be removed at the end of the operational period of 90 days.
- 15. Is there a take off available here?
 - 4,110 linear feet of 48" pipe piles
 - 3,920 linear feet of E22 connectors
 - 10,098 square feet of NZ19 sheet piles
- 16. Is used material still acceptable here? *See question 6 above.*
- 17. When would this job need to be completed? *See question 1 above.*
- 18. Is coating needed if the material is temporary?

 This will be addressed by addendum. The pipe piles require a coating. The sheet piles do not.
- 19. The note says it's to remain (the line stop) in the line for the duration of the project, is that accurate and if so how long should we expect to keep it in the line?
 - *Yes See question 1 above.*
- 20. The note also says stainless steel shop coated half saddle line stop fittings with alloy hardware. This doesn't make sense, you wouldn't likely use a stainless steel saddle to weld onto a carbon steel pipe. You also wouldn't spec alloy hardware on a stainless steel sleeve. I believe they would want a carbon steel shop coated sleeve with alloy hardware

 See Technical Provisions Large Diameter Line Stops Materials Sleeve.

 The intent is to use a carbon steel, A-36 or equal sleeve. Bolts and nuts to be high strength, low alloy steel conforming to AWWA C111. Stainless steel hardware, type 304 may be used as described in this section. Sheet 10, Note 5, has been removed for clarity as part of this Addendum.

- 21. Are the line contents process water? *River water*
- 22. What is the line pressure for the line stop?

 Design line stop system to withstand a minimum of 150 psi.
- 23. Is domestic material required?

 See Section 00 73 00 SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS, SC-6.03.E. See

 SPECIAL CONDITIONS FRO FEMA COMPLIANCE (2023) DOMESTIC

 PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS.
- 24. Is the material taxable?

 All materials purchased will be exempt from Louisiana State taxes and Orleans local taxes.
- 25. We would like to clarify if the demobilization line item needs to include the removal of the cofferdam, pipeline, and any other installed structures. We have reviewed the bid schedule and drawings, but there is no reference to the removal of the cofferdam and pipeline. We want to confirm whether the demobilization line item includes or excludes the removal of structures.

 Item 5 ALGIERS INTAKE #1 COFFERDAM includes removal or the cofferdam and Item 8 36" LINE STOP W 24" BYPASS includes removal of the pipeline.
- 26. How many days does the contractor have to complete the contract from Notice to Proceed to when liquidated damages are assessed?

 Addressed in this addendum.
- 27. What is the design pressure for this system?

 The pump curve for the Algiers pumping station is included with this addendum. The design flow is 15 MGD and the total static head is estimated at 30 feet.
- 28. I didn't see the DBE goal. Will there be a goal for DBE participation? If not, why?

 See question 13.
- 29. What are the funding sources? Any Federal monies? They have requirements. *Federal (FEMA) with a local match.*

- 30. Is everything that is being built also being removed, including line stop that is added to the 36-inch line, and if so, what is the time frame for the removal of all materials once we are given notice to remove? Are we supposed to haul materials that are removed off-site? If so, where are we to haul to? *These questions are answered in the addendum.*
- 31. How do we moor barges that are being supplied to hold water?

 The USACE barges will have tug boats, the spud barges should not require mooring and the water supply barge can be moored to the fender protection system in place.
- 32. Bid docs say 14 mgd and Drawings say 12 mgd. What amount of water are we supposed to be supplying? *The range is 12 MGD to 15MGD*.
- 33. The specified connector E22 is not available. Please see the attached specifications for L8 Connectors (alternate to the E22). Can you please advise if the alternate L8 is acceptable?

 L8 connectors are acceptable only if they meet or exceed ASTM A572, Grade 60.
- 34. The specified sealant is not available. Please see the attached data sheets on the Adeka A30 (Alternate to Sealant). Please advise if the alternate is acceptable.

 Yes
- 35. Will you please provide a spec for the exterior surface coating for pipe and sheet piling? Please see the highlights on the attached image from the plans. *The coating is addressed in this addendum.*
- 36. I need the Flow rate of the Existing 36"....I need to know what the Line Stop may see ...as far as Pressure and Flow Rate????

 Addressed in this addendum.

The changes, additions, and/or deletions included herein are hereby made part of the solicitation documents for 2023-SWB-79 for Request for Quotation for Saltwater Intrusion Emergency 2023 - Algiers Intake Mitigation (Rebid), as fully and completely as if the same were set forth therein. The proposer shall be responsible for having knowledge of all addendums issued for this RFQ. Failure to comply with the revisions in this and all addendums may deem your bid submission non-responsive.

This addendum consists of 89 pages.

End of Addendum

Algiers Intake #1 Cofferdam and Pumping Operations PROPOSAL PRICING FORM - ADDENDUM #2

TO:	Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans	From:	
	8800 S. Claiborne Ave.	_	
	New Orleans, LA 70118		

BASE SCOPE OF WORK								
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE					
1	MOBILIZATION AND DEMOBILIZATION	LUMP SUM	1					
2	SURVEY	LUMP SUM	1					
3	FURNISH 48-INCH DIAMETER PIPE PILES WITH E22 CONNECTORS	LINEAR FOOT	4,110					
4	FURNISH NZ19 OR EQUIVALENT SHEET PILES	SQUARE FEET	10,098					
5	ALGIERS INTAKE #1 COFFERDAM	LUMP SUM	1					
6	FURNISHING, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF SPUD BARGE PUMPING AND STANDBY CREW	DAYS	90					
7 CLEARING & GRUBBING (AS NEEDED) 8 LAYDOWN YARD AND FENCING		ACRE	1					
		LUMP SUM	1					
	TOTAL AMOUNT	OF SCOPE OF	WORK:					

ALTERNATE 1											
9	36" LINESTOP W 24" BYPASS	LUMP SUM	1								
10	FURNISHING, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF RESERVIOR BARGE PUMPING FOR BYPASS PUMPING OPERATIONS	DAY	90								
	TOTAL AMO										

Special and Technical Provisions

Algiers Intake #1 Emergency Water Supply

Due to low river conditions associated with the Mississippi River, saltwater is expected to affect the Algiers Freshwater intake by November 30, 2023. The New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board (SWB) is soliciting proposals to assist the SWB in maintaining a sufficient supply of freshwater to the Algiers #1 intake as salinity within the Mississippi River increases. As such, the SWB has developed a scope of work for a cofferdam around intake #1 with pumping operations to receive fresh water from the United States Army Corps of Engineers supplied barges. This project also includes an alternate to add a 36" line stop downstream of pump station #1 with a 24" bypass connected to pumping operations to receive fresh water from the United States Army Corps of Engineers supplied barges.

The work is generally described as constructing a cofferdam with the storage capacity of approximately 3.6 million gallons; and providing a spud barge with pumps to move 12 to 15 million gallons of fresh water per day from USACE barges and discharge directly into the constructed cofferdam at the intake. The pumping operations will be on a 24-hour/ 7 days per week schedule.

The alternate is generally described as providing a reservoir barge with storage capacity of 1-2 Million Gallons to receive freshwater from USACE barges, a spud barge for the required pumping operations, pumping operations of skid mounted diesel pump(s) with capacity to pump 12 to 15 MGD under normal operating conditions. This pumping operation will suction freshwater from a contractor provided reservoir barge through the (3)12"x8" or (1)30"x24" Pump(s) (or contractor equivalent) to 24" pipe over the levee and to the tie in (Line Stop/Hot Tap) location beyond pump station #1 and then through the existing system to the plant. The line stop operation includes excavation and exposing the 36" Steel Pipe (2" concrete coating), removal of the concrete coating for saddle sizing, seating the saddle, performing the line stop and bypass connection, completion flange and access manhole at end of job. The pumping operations will be on a 24-hour/ 7 days per week schedule.

Algiers Intake #1 must remain in operation at all times. Changes to the existing operation to the full cofferdam must be done in conjunction with West Bank Operations. The Algiers intake facility cannot be out of service for more than 6-8 hours.

The Contractor shall provide complete construction as required to construct all details of the Project in accordance with good practice, applicable codes, S&WB guidelines, and this Proposal. Contractor's attention is called to the requirement to complete the necessary verification of all field elevations and dimensions and notify the Engineer of Record immediately of any discrepancies. The contractor is required to verify the proposed cofferdam layout prior to the start of construction, including identifying underground obstructions that may impact the general layout. The contractor shall account for additional construction material (pipe pile, sheet pipe, structural steel, etc.) that may be required for field adjustments to the general layout. The Contractor shall follow all necessary codes, standards, and requirements used for the development of the pricing for the Proposal.

The Contractor shall include with its proposal all anticipated requested design changes such as substitute material sizes based on availability and lead time. The contractor is required for means and methods of cofferdam construction to complete the highest quality project within the budget and schedule.

The Contractor shall develop and provide a quality control program and an implementation plan to ensure that the completed Project complies with the approved Project criteria.

The Contractor shall specify all tests that are required by the necessary codes and those that are appropriate to achieve compliance with the Contract. The Contractor shall provide timely shop drawing submittal and any required response to requests for additional information regarding the Construction Documents.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

1.01. PRICING

Provide all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to perform the Work. The Work shall be performed in accordance with these provisions and the Conceptual Drawings or as directed by the Engineer. Quantity calculations, layouts, shop drawings, and construction sequencing of these items shall be provided in the Work Plan. Where the quantity of Work with respect to any item is covered by a unit price, such quantities are estimated quantities to be used when comparing pricing and the right is reserved by the Owner to increase/decrease such quantities as may be necessary to complete the Work and/or remain within the funding limits. In the event of material underruns/overruns, the unit costs will be used to determine payment to the Contractor.

The Work associated with the Pricing Form included herein include the following tasks of the Work:

- 1. Mobilization and Demobilization of personnel and equipment at or to the Project Site;
- 2. Performance and administration of Pre & Post Construction Surveys;
- 3. Furnish 48-Inch Diameter Pipe Piles with E22 Connectors;
- 4. Furnish NZ19 or Equivalent Sheet Piles;
- 5. Construction of Cofferdam at Algiers #1 Intake, combination of the following:
 - Pipe piles (48", 0.625" wall thickness) ASTM A572 Gr. 60
 - Sheet piles (NZ19) ASTM A572 Gr. 60
 - Sheet pipe connectors (E22) ASTM A572 Gr. 60
 - Sheet pile interlock sealant
 - Cold tar epoxy-polyamide paint
- 6. Furnishing, Maintenance and Operation of Standby Crew for Barge Pumping;
- 7. Clearing & Grubbing (as needed);
- 8. Laydown yard leveling and fencing;
- 9. 36" Line stop with 24" Bypass;
- 10. Furnishing, Maintenance and Operation of Barge Pumping

1.02. PRESERVATION AND RESTORATION OF PROPERTY, MONUMENTS, ETC.

The Contractor shall comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations of any government agency having jurisdiction over the preservation and protection of public and private property. The Contractor shall install and maintain suitable safeguards and safety precautions during the Work as necessary to prevent damage, injury, or loss to property. This responsibility shall remain with the Contractor until the Work has been completed and accepted. Any damage, injury, or loss to property which is caused by the Contractor or Subcontractors shall be repaired or replaced at the expense of the Contractor.

The Contractor shall protect all land monuments, State and United States benchmarks, geodetic and geological survey monuments, and property markers from disturbance or damage until an authorized agent has witnessed or otherwise referenced their location. The Contractor shall also provide protection for all public and private property including trees, utilities, pipes, conduits, structures, etc. These items shall not be removed unless directed by the Engineer.

The Contractor shall be responsible to completely repair all damages to public or private property due to any act, omission, neglect, or misconduct in the execution of the Work unless it is due to unforeseeable causes beyond the control of and without the fault or negligence of the Contractor, including but not restricted to acts of God, public enemies, or governmental authorities. The damage must be repaired at the expense of the

Contractor before final acceptance of the Work can be granted by the Engineer. If the Contractor fails to repair the damage within forty-eight (48) hours, the Owner may independently proceed with the repairs at the expense of the Contractor by deducting the cost from the Contract. If the Contractor cannot provide for the cost of repairs, the Surety of the Contractor shall be held until all damages, suits, or claims have been settled.

1.03. NOTICE TO MARINERS/AIDS TO NAVIGATION

The Work shall be performed in accordance with the Navigable Waters and Wetlands Subsection 107.09 of the latest edition of the Louisiana Standard Specification for Roads and Bridges and all United States Coast Guard regulations. Navigable waterways shall not be impaired except as allowed by applicable laws or regulations. Excavation of access channels shall not be permitted unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to select equipment that can navigate from a maintained navigation channel to the Project Site without excavation existing water bottoms unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents. Should excavation be required for access to the Project Site, the Contractor should perform the minimal amount of excavation to allow for safe passage of the Contractor's equipment during the performance of the Work. All equipment shall remain floating at all times during transit to the Project Site. The Contractor shall obtain NOAA Nautical Charts and/or other charts to become familiar with the water bottom depths in the vicinity of the Project Site.

If Contractor utilizes water-based equipment within the Mississippi River, Aids to Navigation shall be installed according to United States Coast Guard instructions and USCG regulations 33 CFR Part 66. All temporary aids to navigation shall be surveyed after installation. Contractor to maintain record of temporary aids to navigation and shall provide it to Owner if requested.

The Contractor shall contact the Eighth Coastal Region District of the United States Coast Guard at the contact information as soon as practicable prior to placement of any pipe or equipment into the Mississippi River, to provide all necessary information regarding the layout and schedule for the entire dredging operation and to request a Broadcast Notice to Mariners (BNM). The United States Coast Guard shall publish this information in the local notice to mariners. A copy of the original notice and all updates shall be provided to the Engineer and Owner.

U.S. Coast Guard—Eighth District Marine Information Section Telephone: 504-671-2118 Email: D8MarineInfo@uscg.mil

The Contractor shall not otherwise remove, modify, obstruct, willfully damage, make fast to or interfere with any existing Aids to Navigation.

1.04. OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION

The Contractor shall minimize all obstructions to navigation in compliance with pertinent U.S. Coast Guard regulations while conducting the Work. The Contractor shall promptly move any floating equipment or marine vessels which obstruct safe passage of other marine vessels. Upon completion of the Work, the Contractor shall remove all marine vessels and other floating equipment such as temporary ranges, buoys, piles, and other marks or objects that are not permanent features of the Work.

1.05. MARINE VESSELS AND MARINE ACTIVITIES

All marine vessels regulated by the USCG shall have the required USCG documentation that is current before

being placed in service. A copy of any USCG Form 835 issued to the vessel in the preceding year shall be made available to the Owner and Engineer and a copy shall be on board the vessel. All officers and crew shall possess valid USCG licenses as required by USCG regulations. These certificates, classifications, and licenses shall be posted in a public area on board each vessel.

All tugboats or other contractor vessels not subject to USCG inspection and certification or not having a current ABS classification shall be inspected in the working mode annually by a marine surveyor accredited by the National Association of Marine Surveyors (NAMS) or the Society of Accredited Marine Surveyors (SAMS) and having at least 5 years' experience in commercial marine plant and equipment. The inspection certificate shall be posted in a public area on board each vessel.

All other plant and support vessels shall be inspected before being placed in service and at least annually by a qualified person. The inspection certificate shall be posted in a public area on board each plant and/or vessel.

1.06. NOTIFICATION OF DISCOVERY OF HISTORICAL OR CULTURAL SITES

If during construction activities the Contractor observes items that may have prehistoric, historical, archeological, or cultural value, the Contractor shall immediately cease all activities that may result in the destruction of these resources and shall prevent its employees from trespassing on, removing, or otherwise damaging such resources. Such observations shall be reported immediately to the Owner and Engineer so that the appropriate authorities may be notified, and a determination made as to their significance and what, if any, special dispositions of the finds should be made. The Contractor shall report any observed unauthorized removal or destruction of such resources by any person to the Owner and Engineer, so the appropriate State of Louisiana authorities can be notified. The Contractor shall not resume Work at the site in question until State authorities have rendered judgment concerning the artifacts of interest.

1.07. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION MEASURES

This section covers prevention of environmental pollution and damage as the result of construction operations under this Contract and for those measures set forth in other technical provisions. Environmental pollution and damage is defined as the presence of chemical, physical, or biological elements or agents which adversely affect human health or welfare, unfavorably alter ecological balances of importance to human life, affect other species of importance to man, or degrade the utility of the environment for aesthetic, cultural and/or historical purposes. The control of environmental pollution and damage requires consideration of air, water, and land, and includes management of visual aesthetics, noise, solid waste, radiant energy and radioactive materials, as well as other pollutants. The environment shall be protected and all natural resources shall be preserved during construction. All Federal, State, and Local laws and regulations shall be complied with during construction.

1.08. ACCIDENT PREVENTION, INVESTIGATIONS, AND REPORTING

The Contractor shall be responsible to develop and maintain all safeguards and safety precautions necessary to prevent damage, injury, or loss throughout the performance of the Work. All accidents at the Project Site shall be investigated by the immediate supervisor of employee(s) involved and reported to the Engineer or Resident Project Representative within one (1) working day. A complete and accurate written report of the accident including estimated lost time days shall be submitted to the Engineer within four (4) calendar days. A follow-up report shall be submitted to the Engineer if the estimated lost time days differ from the actual lost time days.

1.09. PROJECT SITE CLEAN-UP

The Contractor shall keep the Project Site free from accumulations of waste material or trash at all times. All

trash and waste materials shall be removed by the Contractor and disposed off-site in an approved waste disposal facility. In addition, all equipment, tools, and non-conforming work shall also be removed prior to the Work being accepted. No materials shall be placed outside of the Project Site.

1.10. CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR WORK

The Contractor shall execute all items covered by the Contract, and shall furnish, unless otherwise definitely provided in the Contract, all materials, implements, machinery, equipment, tools, supplies, transportation, and labor necessary to complete the Work. The Contractor shall pay constant attention to the progress of the Work and shall cooperate with the Engineer in every way possible.

1.11 SCHEDULE OF VALUES

Submit a schedule on EJCDC C-620 within 10 calendar days of notice to proceed. Schedule to include a detailed breakdown of each pricing item.

TECHNICAL PROVISIONS

2.01. GENERAL

A. Except as superseded by these provisions and Documents, the specifications for this project are the Louisiana Standard Specifications for Roads and Bridges, 2016 edition, as adopted by the State of Louisiana, Department of Transportation and Development, Office of Highways (LA DOTD). The following is a list of the specification sections from the LA DOTD Standard Specifications, which apply to this project, as amended by the Conceptual Drawings and specifications.

<u>Item</u>	LA DOTD Spec. Section No.
Removal or Relocating Structures and Obstructions	202
Excavation and Embankment	203
Temporary Erosion Control	204
Traffic Maintenance Surfacing	402
Fences	705
General Requirements for Structures	801
Structural Excavation, Backfill and Earth Retaining System	ns 802
Piles	804
Structural Metals	807
Painting and Protective Coatings	811
Temporary Works	817
Aggregates	1003
Paints	1008
Signs and Pavement Markings	1015

B. The Basis of Payment under the referenced LA DOTD specifications does not apply on this project. All payment will be on a lump sum or unit price basis, as defined on the proposal form within the following sections.

2.02. LARGE DIAMETER LINE STOPS

A. SUMMARY. Large Diameter Line Stops for isolating existing water mains ranging from 24-inch to 96-inch in diameter. The Contractor shall execute A line stop on 36" steel water transmission main with 2" concrete coating as required by the Contract Documents. The line stop procedure shall be intended as a means of temporarily plugging a pressurized pipeline without disrupting pressure or service upstream of the line stop device. The line stop shall be installed by means of a pressure tap. The entire line stop procedure shall be accomplished without the reduction of pressure in the pipeline below the standard operating pressures. Shutdowns accomplished by line stop procedures may not be drip tight. A satisfactory shut off will be defined as one which allows the work to be accomplished using drainage pumps to dewater excavations if necessary.

B. REFERENCES

- 1. ASTM A36 Standard Specification for Carbon Structural Steel.
- 2. ASTM A105 Standard Specification for Carbon Steel Forgings for Piping Applications.
- 3. ASTM A181 Standard Specification for Carbon Steel Forgings, for General-Purpose Piping.
- 4. ASTM A283 Standard Specification for Low and Intermediate Tensile Strength Carbon Steel Plates.
- 5. AWWA C111 American National Standard for Rubber Gasket Joints for Ductile- Iron Pipe and Fittings for Water.
- 6. ASME B16.5 Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings.

C. DEFINITIONS

- 1. Large Diameter Line Stop Plugging mechanism used for isolating sections of existing water line temporarily.
- 2. Pivot Head To be used on a size-on-size tap. Plug head is turned once inside existing pipe.
- 3. Folding Head To be used for a reduced size tap. Plug head is unfolded within existing pipe after being inserted.
- 4. Plugged Adequate flow stoppage to permit the completion of required work.
- 5. Completion Plug After Line Stop is removed completion plug seals outlet and a blind flange is installed.
- 6. Line Stop Sleeve Fitting that goes around existing pipe and to be used to hot tap existing pipe. Line Stop Sleeve to be left in place after removal of Line Stop.
- D. SUBMITTALS. Submit qualifications and certificate from manufacturer certifying operators are qualified to operate manufacturer's tapping and Line Stop equipment. Submit qualifications verifying recent successful completion of line stopping operations on large diameter water lines, including diameters and pipe materials required to complete work. Include list of references. Submit shop drawings for approval prior to start of fabrication. Identify procedures required during and/or after tapping procedure for the specified pipe material being tapped. Submit detailed work plan including flow requirements for Line Stop installation and removal. Provide contingency plan for unsuccessful line stop operation and completion, including typical causes and proposed solutions. Submit foundation design for support of Line Stop, signed and sealed by a Professional Engineer registered in State of Louisiana. Submit requirements for flow and pressure in line during tapping, Line Stop installation, line stopping, reduced bypass and Line Stop removal stages of the work. Include anticipated durations of each step. Provide survey coordinates of Line Stop and show on record drawings.
- E. QUALITY ASSURANCE. Line stopping shall be completed by a tapping supplier with a substantial record of successful line stop installations. Supplier shall have a minimum of ten years verifiable experience in the installation of line stops. The installation shall be accomplished by personnel skilled and experienced in the required procedures. Prior to ordering materials, the Contractor shall review the Owner's pipe manufacturer's records which will include the make, specification, and age of the pipeline to be stopped.
- F. MATERIALS. Selection of Line Stop Sleeve and Line Stop must take into consideration pipe material and existing conditions for project. Conduct welding in accordance with applicable codes and standards. Stress relieve all welds. Clearly mark Line Stop Sleeve and attachments to permit proper alignment in field and to ensure ends are properly matched when installed around pipe.
 - 1. Line Stop Sleeve:

- a. Provide as a minimum sleeve and attachments fabricated in accordance with ASTM A36 or ASTM A283 standards. Provide sleeve which conforms to and adequately reinforces existing pipe to prevent distortion or failure of pipe. Line Stop Sleeve to have fusion bonded epoxy or approved equal. Sleeve and attachments used in hot tapping procedure are to be in compliance with maximum working pressure of system as specified and/or shown on Drawings. Provide flanges manufactured in accordance with ASTM A181, ASTM A105 grade steel, ASME B16.5 in sizes up to 24-inches and MSS-SP 44 in sizes 26-inches and larger.
- b. Provide external bolting, studs and nuts consisting of corrosion resistant, high strength, low alloy (AWWA C 111). Denso or approved equal petroleum-based tape coating. As an option, stainless steel 18-8 type 304 bolts, studs and nuts may be used.
- 2. Pivot Head Line Stop: Pivot Head Line Stop is allowed on steel pipe only.
 - a. Plugging machine provided by a size-on-size tapping fitting for 36-inch diameter and below. Tapping Sleeves for Steel Pipe shall be in accordance with AWWA Manual M9. They shall also meet AWWA C301 and C303 Standards pertaining to design, manufacturing quality tests and welders qualifications. Pivot head to include a nitrile or Buna-N O-ring for plugging.
 - b. Design Line Stop system to withstand a minimum of 150 psi.
- Folding Head Line Stop: Plugging machine provided by a reduced size of tapping fitting for 42-inch diameter and larger, in accordance with the ANSI/AWWA C-223 and MSS-SP 124 Standards as applicable. Folding head to include a nitrile or Buna-N O-ring for plugging. Tapping sleeves shall be ANSI/NSF Standard 61 Certified
 - a. Design Line Stop system to withstand a minimum of 150 psi.
- G. INSTALLATION. Plan Line Stop procedure to minimize impact to the public. Notify Project Manager at least 24 hours in advance of line stopping procedure, including excavation. Do not operate valves. Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans will handle, at no cost to Contractor/subcontractors, operations involving opening and closing valves. Provide at a minimum 72 hour notice for valve operations. Indicate the required flow needed for proper Line Stop insertion. Conduct Line Stop operations in presence of Project Manager and/or Construction Manager. Continue line stopping work without interruption until Line Stop operation is complete and pipe is plugged.
 - 1. Pipe Preparation: Thoroughly clean pipe down to factory supplied outside diameter. Carefully inspect pipe, especially at point where tap will take place. Confirm roundness of existing pipe. Do not tap within 4 feet of an existing joint. For a Folding Head Line Stop the diameter of tap should be no greater than 75% of pipe diameter. Cement mortar coating shall be carefully removed within the limits of tapping assembly prior to installing Line Stop Sleeve.
 - 2. Line Stop Sleeve Installation: Place top half of sleeve with flanged outlet at the 12 o'clock position on pipe. Install sleeve and attachments in accordance with manufacturer's recommendation. Torque bolts in accordance with the manufacturer. Any misalignment in sleeve installation will require removal of sleeve from pipe. Pour concrete foundation around Line Stop Sleeve. Foundation dimensions and materials to be designed by contractor. If existing pipe has concrete mortar coating remove the outer concrete core within opening of Line Stop Sleeve. For PCCP, carefully cut and remove the prestressed wires within the limits of Line Stop Sleeve once concrete foundation is in place. Record type of coating and measured outside diameter of existing pipe on plan sheet of record drawings where line stop is shown. Install gland with Oring and tighten bolts to provide compression seal between O-ring and steel cylinder.
 - 3. Pressure Testing: After sleeve is attached and before line tapping procedure begins, pressure test sleeve.
 - 4. Tap through cylinder and inner mortar lining and retrieve pipe coupon. Remove tapping assembly and mount Line Stop assembly.
 - 5. If reduced bypass is required per contract drawings, include bypass assembly with Line Stop assembly and connect.
 - 6. If Line Stop is unsuccessful in adequately reducing existing water flow for purposes of successfully completing proposed work, mechanically clean interior of pipe with line stop head as approved by Project Manager. Do not damage pipe's interior lining during mechanical cleaning.

- 7. Anticipate water leakage from Line Stop and include cost of water removal in unit price bid for Large Diameter Line Stop work. Coordinate with Construction Manager to reduce pressure, if needed.
- 8. After connection to pipe or associated work requiring installation of an isolation valve is complete, remove Line Stop equipment from pipe and seal Line Stop Sleeve with Completion Plug and blind flange.
- Apply external coating to sleeve, flange and water main in accordance with applicable specification for the
 host pipe material. Unless otherwise directed by Project Manager, provide similar coating to existing pipe's
 coating.

2.03. WATERLINE

- A. References: The standards and documents listed below apply to the materials and practices of these provisions. In the event of a conflict, the requirements of these prevail. Unless otherwise noted, references to documents shall mean the latest published edition of the referenced document in effect at the project pricing receipt date.
 - 1. ANSI/AWWA C906 Polyethylene (PE) Pressure Pipe and Fittings, 4 In. (100mm) Through 63 In. (1,600), for Water Distribution and Transmission.
 - 2. PPI Handbook of Polyethylene Pipe 2009 (2nd edition)
 - 3. PPI Material Handling Guide for HDPE Pipe and Fittings
 - 4. PPI TN-38 Bolt Torque for Polyethylene Flanged Joints.
 - 5. PPI TN-42 Recommended Minimum Training Guidelines for PE Pipe Butt Fusion Joining Operators for Municipal and Industrial Projects
 - 6. ASTM F714 Standard Specification for Polyethylene (PE) Plastic Pipe (SOR-PR) Based on Outside Diameter
 - 7. ASTM F905 Standard Practice for Qualification of Polyethylene Saddle-Fused Joints
 - 8. ASTM F2164 Standard Practice for Field Leak Testing of Polyethylene (PE) Pressure Piping Systems Using Hydrostatic Pressure
 - 9. ASTM F2206 Standard Specification for Fabricated Fittings of Butt-Fused Polyethylene (PE) Plastic Pipe, Fittings, Sheet Stock, Plate Stock, or Block Stock
 - 10. ASTM F2620 Standard Practice for Heat Fusion Joining of Polyethylene Pipe and Fittings
 - 11. ASTM F2880 Standard Specification for Lap-Joint Type Flange Adapters for Polyethylene Pressure Pipe in Nominal Pipe Sizes 314 in. to 65 in.
 - 12. ASTM F3124 Standard Practice for Data Recording the Procedure Used to Produce Heat Butt Fusion Joints
 - 13. ASTM D3261 Standard Specification for Butt Heat Fusion Polyethylene (PE) Plastic Fittings for Polyethylene (PE) Plastic Pipe and Tubing

B. Materials

- Resin and Material Requirements. All material shall be manufactured from a PE 4710 resin listed with the
 Plastic Pipe Institute (PPI) as TR-4. The resin material shall meet the specifications of ASTM 03035 with a
 minimum cell classification of 445474C. HDPE pipe and fittings shall contain no recycled compounds except
 that generated in the manufacturer's own plant from resin of the same specification from the same raw
 material. HDPE products shall be homogeneous throughout and free of visible cracks, holes, foreign
 inclusions, voids, or other injurious defects.
- 2. HDPE Pipe. Pipe shall be made of HDPE material with a minimum material designation code of PE4710 and with a minimum Cell Classification as noted in A. "Resin and Material Requirements". The polyethylene compound shall be suitably protected against degradation by ultraviolet light by means of carbon black of not less than 2 percent. The manufacture of the HDPE resin shall certify the cell classification indicated.
- 3. Pipe sizes 3" and large shall have a manufacturing standard of ASTM F714. Dimension Ratio (DR) and Outside Diameter (IPS/DIPS) shall be Ductile Iron equivalent.
- 4. Pipe shall meet AWWA C901 (1/2" to 3") or AWWA C906 (4" to 63") and shall be listed as meeting NSF-61.
- 5. When required by the owner, pipe shall be color coded for the intended service. The color coding shall be permanently co-extruded stripes on the pipe outside surface as part of the pipe's manufacturing process. Color coding shall be as follows:

- a. Sewer green
- b. Water blue
- c. Reclaim purple
- 6. HDPE Fittings. Butt Fusion Fittings Fittings shall be made of HDPE material with a minimum material designation code of PE4710 and with a minimum Cell Classification as noted in 2.01.A. Fittings shall have a minimum pressure rating equal to or greater than the pipe to which they are joined unless otherwise specified on the Conceptual Drawings or accepted by owner/engineer. All fittings shall meet the requirements of AWWA C90 I or C906.
 - a. Molded fittings shall comply with the requirements of ASTM D3261.
 - b. All fabricated elbows, tees, reducing tees and end caps shall be produced and meet the requirements of ASTM F2206, as manufactured by ISCO Industries, Inc or other approved manufacturer holding an ISO 900 I quality system certificate. Each fitting will be marked per ASTM F2206 section 10 including the nominal size and fitting EDR, which will meet or exceed the pipe DR identified for the project. Fabricated fittings shall be manufactured using the manufacturer's dataLogger to record fusion pressure and temperature, and shall be stamped with unique joint number that corresponds to the joint report. A graphic representation of the temperature and pressure data for all fusion joints made producing fittings shall be maintained for a minimum of 5 years as part of the quality control and will be available upon request of owner. Test results to validate ASTM F2206 section 7.3 and 9 shall be provided to owner or owner's representative upon request.
 - c. Socket fittings shall meet ASTM D2683.
- 7. Electrofusion Fittings Fittings shall be made of HDPE material with a minimum material designation code of PE4710 and with a minimum Cell Classification as noted in 2.01.A. Electrofusion Fittings shall have a manufacturing standard of ASTM FI 055. Fittings shall have a minimum pressure rating equal to or greater than the pipe to which they are joined unless otherwise specified on the Conceptual Drawings. For potable water systems, all electrofusion fittings shall have AWWA approval.
- 8. Bolted Connections Flanges and MJ Adapters shall be fused onto the pipe and have a minimum pressure rating equal to or greater than the pipe unless otherwise specified on the Conceptual Drawings.
 - a. Metallic back-up rings (Van-Stone style lap joint flanges), shall have a radius on the inside diameter of the bore so as to be compatible with HDPE Flanges. Back up rings shall have bolt pattern that will mate with AWWA C207 Class D (generically known as 150 pound patterns).
 - b. Flange assemblies shall be assembled and torqued according to PPI TN-38, "Bolt Torque for Polyethylene Flanged Joints."
 - c. Where shown on the drawings, 4" and larger transitions to mechanical joint fittings and valves shall be accomplished using a MJ Adapter with kit. The O.1./HDPE mechanical joint adaptor shall consist of an HDPE mechanical joint transition fitting, rubber gasket, a mechanical joint backup drive ring, and Cotten mechanical joint tee bolts.
- 9. Mechanical Fittings. The use of mechanical coupling and saddles shall be approved by the owner or engineer prior to installation. Mechanical Fittings shall be designed for use and compatible with HDPE pipe, including SS stiffeners when required by manufacturer. Mechanical fittings shall have a pressure rating equal to or greater than the pipe.
- 10. Fusion Equipment Requirements
 - a. Butt fusion equipment must be in satisfactory working order and the hydraulic system must be leak free. Heater plates shall be free from scrapes, gouges, and have a consistent clean coated surface. The pressure gage and thermometer should be checked for accuracy. When requested by the owner, records showing a maintenance service/inspection within 3 months prior to use for this project shall be provided.
 - b. Rental Butt Fusion Equipment must be maintained by an Authorized Service and Repair Center.
 - c. Electrofusion Processors shall be maintained and calibrated per manufacturer's requirements and recommendations.

- 11. Approved Suppliers. All Pipe, Fittings, and Fusion Equipment shall be provided by one supplier. Approved suppliers are ISCO Industries, Inc. or approved equal.
- 12. Pipeline Leaks: The Contractor shall maintain a tight discharge pipeline at all times. The joints shall be so constructed as to preclude spillage and leakage. If leaks occur, they shall be promptly repaired. The Contractor shall notify the Engineer of the leak immediately and provide notice of the leak repair site for visual inspection.

2.04. MOBILIZATION AND DEMOBILIZATION

- A. Scope/Description: Mobilization and Demobilization includes all costs necessary to transport personnel, equipment, supplies and incidentals to and from the Project Site, establish offices, buildings, and other facilities necessary for the Work, required insurance, Payment and Performance Bonds, improve and maintain the Staging Area(s) as deemed necessary by Contractor (including coordination with property owner), excavation and backfill of temporary Equipment Access Corridors, and any other pre- construction expenses necessary to perform the Work. Material costs for items listed or subsidiary to the major work items listed on the Pricing Form shall not be included under Mobilization and Demobilization.
- B. Measurement and Payment: This item is a Lump Sum Pricing Item therefore does not require specific measurement for payment. Sixty percent (60%) of the Mobilization and Demobilization lump sum price will be paid to Contractor upon complete mobilization to the Project Site. Mobilization will be considered complete upon written notification by the Engineer that one (1) pipe pile or sheet pile section is successfully installed and placed for the cofferdam indicated by the Conceptual Drawings. Contractor may propose an alternate method of determining completion of Mobilization in the Work Plan, but the alternate method must be approved, in writing, by the Engineer. The remaining forty percent (40%) will be paid to Contractor upon final acceptance of the Work and removal of cofferdam, all equipment and unused materials from the project site. Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the material, labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

2.05. SURVEY

- A. Scope/Description: Contractor shall provide Pre-construction, Post Constructions Surveys along the proposed cofferdam for locations of clearing and grubbing, driveway and utility conflicts, any fenders, temporary Aids to Navigation. A topographic survey shall be performed along the centerlines of the equipment access to the site prior to mobilization of equipment.
 - 1. Topographic survey equipment shall have a minimum vertical and positional accuracy of two-tenths (0.2) of a foot. A six (6) inch diameter or 4-in. by 4-.in square metal plate shall be attached to the bottom of the survey rod to prevent the rod from sinking below ground level for areas that are wet. In vegetated areas, the survey plate shall rest among living vegetative stems and be supported by soil containing living vegetative roots.
 - 2. A topographic survey shall be performed along the proposed Cofferdam shown on the Conceptual Drawings prior to mobilization of equipment. Perpendicular transects shall be surveyed at three equal spacing of the proposed cofferdam. Elevations and coordinates shall be recorded along the perpendicular transects at ten (10) foot intervals and at all points of inflection. The surveys should demonstrate the elevations of the pre-construction ground surface.
 - 3. The Post Construction Surveys shall be used to confirm restoration of ground surface conditions along the Mississippi River and Flood Protection Levee and inclusion of relevant Change Orders, and indicate the AsBuilt structures and conditions of the Work upon completion of the project. The Post Construction Survey shall show the constructed Bid Items in plan and profile using elevations, coordinates, lines and grades consistent with the Pre- Construction Survey unless stated otherwise. The Post Construction Survey shall also include all pre-construction surveys as well as any field condition and/or formal change order items

- properly indicated in red. The Post Construction Survey must document the removal/backfilling of any temporary material dug for equipment access.
- 4. Horizontal and Vertical Control: Survey data shall reference the North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), Louisiana South Zone, U. S. Survey Feet, and the North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD 88), U. S. Survey Feet Geoid 12B Epoch 2010.00. Horizontal and vertical control shall be established by using the Louisiana State Primary or Secondary monument provided in Appendix C Survey Control Monuments shall be installed as deemed necessary by the Contractor to perform all surveys.
- B. Measurement and Payment: This item is a Lump Sum Pricing Item therefore does not require specific measurement for payment. The Contractor shall submit surveys for payment after gaining Acceptance. Sixty percent (60%) of the Contract Price Item will be paid to the Contractor upon Acceptance of the Pre-Construction Survey. The remaining forty percent (40%) will be paid to the Contractor upon Acceptance of the Post Construction Survey. Payment shall be made at the Contract lump sum price for Item No. 2 "Survey" per the schedule listed. Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the material, labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

2.06. FURNISH 48 INCH DIAMETER PIPE PILES WITH E22 CONNECTORS

- A. Scope of Work: This Work includes fabricate and deliver the necessary 48-inch diameter pipe piles for use in the Algiers Intake #1 Cofferdam. The cofferdam system includes 48"Ø (0.625" wall thickness) pipe piles with intermediary NZ19 sheet piles joined with E22 connectors. Pipe pile and sheet pile connections shall include interlock sealant. Pipe piles shall include coating. All structural pile items shall conform to ASTM A572 Gr. 60.
- B. Materials: The materials for the cofferdam shall conform with LADOTD Standard Specifications section 817.02 and 811.03 as indicated on the project drawings.
- C. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated to furnish and deliver for the 48-inch diameter pipe piles with the E22 connectors, interlock sealant and coating shall be paid for at the Contract unit prices stated on the Pricing Form for the following items: Item No. 3 "FURNISH 48-INCH DIAMETER PIPE PILES WITH E22 CONNECTORS". Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the material, labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

2.07. FURNISH NZ19 OR EQUIVALENT SHEET PILES

- A. Scope of Work: This Work includes fabricate and deliver the necessary NZ19 sheet piles for use in the Algiers Intake #1 Cofferdam. The cofferdam system includes 48"Ø (0.625" wall thickness) pipe piles with intermediary NZ19 sheet piles joined with E22 connectors. Pipe pile and sheet pile connections shall include interlock sealant. Pipe piles shall include coating. All structural pile items shall conform to ASTM A572 Gr. 60.
- B. Materials: The materials for the cofferdam shall conform with LADOTD Standard Specifications section 817.02 and as indicated on the project drawings.
- C. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated to furnish and deliver for the NZ19 or equivalent sheet piles and interlock sealant shall be paid for at the Contract unit prices stated on the Pricing Form for the following items: Item No. 4 "FURNISH NZ19 OR EQUIVALENT SHEET PILES". Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the material, labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

2.08. ALGIERS INTAKE #1 COFFERDAM

A. Scope of Work: This Work includes design, fabricate, deliver, install, maintain, remove and store the cofferdam system. The cofferdam system includes 48"Ø (0.625" wall thickness) pipe piles with intermediary NZ19 sheet piles joined with E22 connectors. Pipe pile and sheet pile connections shall include interlock

sealant. Pipe piles shall include coating. All structural pile items shall conform to ASTM A572 Gr. 60. The cofferdam shall provide an approximate storage capacity of 3.6 million gallons. The cofferdam must be designed to allow for removal of sheet piles at the intake within a 8-hour notice to allow river flow to the intake. The cofferdam system consists of temporary elements such as walls, supporting structural elements, and water control system.

- B. Materials: The materials for the cofferdam shall conform with LADOTD Standard Specifications section 817.02 and 811.03 as indicated on the project drawings.
- C. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated with the installation of the cofferdam shall be paid for at the Contract unit prices stated on the Pricing Form for the following items: Item No. 5 "ALGIERS INTAKE #1 COFFERDAM". Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the all other material not otherwise identified in Bid Item No. 3 "FURNISH 48 INCH DIAMETER PIPE PILES WITH E22 CONNECTORS" or Bid Item No. 4 "FURNISH NZ19 OR EQUIVALENT SHEET PILES", as well as labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

2.09. FURNISHING, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF SPUD BARGE PUMPING AND STANDBY CREW

- A. Scope of Work: This Work consists of furnishing and assembling the necessary equipment to receive 12 to 15 million gallons of freshwater from the USACE barges, including the rental of an appropriately sized spud barge as indicated on the Conceptual Drawings. The contractor provided spud barge will act as an intermediate between the USACE freshwater barges and the contractor constructed cofferdam at the intake. Contractor shall assist the USACE Freshwater Supply Contractor as necessary to facilitate the emptying of the USACE supply barges into the Cofferdam. Contractor shall also have the necessary crew and equipment on standby to remove NZ19 sheet piles, as necessary, should low water conditions occur. Contractor shall also supply all necessary fuel, labor, light plants, and backup pumps as necessary to operate and maintain the required flows to the Algiers Water Treatment Plant on a 24-hour/ 7 days per week schedule.
- B. Materials: Contractor shall supply pumps and screens as necessary to provide the required freshwater supply to the Algiers Water Treatment Plant.
- C. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated with the Maintenance and Operation of Barge Pumping shall be paid for at the Contract unit prices stated on the Pricing Form for the following items: Item No. 6, "Maintenance and Operation of Barge Pumping and Standby Crew". Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the material, labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

2.10. CLEARING AND GRUBBING (AS NEEDED)

- A. Scope of Work: Some Clearing and Grubbing of vegetative material may be required for the placement of the cofferdam or necessary barges along the Mississippi River and Flood Protection Levee. This item is as necessary to complete the facilitate the cofferdam installation or the bypass system. Owner or Owner's representative shall be present during the survey of the area to be Clear and Grubbed for payment quantities.
- B. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated with Clearing and Grubbing shall be paid for at the Contract unit prices stated on the Pricing Form for the following items: Item No. 7, "Clearing and Grubbing As Needed".

2.11. 36" LINE STOP W 24" BYPASS

A. Scope of Work: This Work includes furnishing and installing the line stop, completion plug, waterline including all bends, fittings and accessories. This includes any necessary signs, temporary ramps or other items that may be required to maintain operations of the bicycle pathway or drives the waterline crosses. It also includes removal of the bypass at the completion of operations.

- B. Materials: The materials for the line stop and waterline shall conform with the technical provisions herein and as indicated on the project drawings.
- C. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated with the installation of the 36" Line Stop and waterline shall be paid for at the Contract unit price stated on the Pricing Form for the following item: Item No. 9 "36" LINE STOP W 24" BYPASS". Payment for this item will constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing the line stop, completion plug, waterline including all equipment, tools, labor, excavation, backfill and incidentals.

2.12. FURNISHING, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF RESERVOIR BARGE PUMPING

- A. Scope of Work: This Work consists of furnishing a reservoir barge with a minimum volume of 1 million gallons to receive and discharge 12 to 15 million gallons of freshwater from the USACE barges, including the rental of an appropriately sized spud barge as indicated on the Conceptual Drawings. The pumping shall take place on a contractor provided spud barge from the reservoir barge through the 24" Bypass line to the line stop per the drawings. Multiple pumps will be required to pump fresh water from reservoir barge and water from river into the reservoir barge depending on mixing plan furnished by Sewerage and Water Board. Contractor shall also supply all necessary fuel, labor, light plants, and backup pumps as necessary to operate and maintain the required flows to the Algiers Water Treatment Plant on a 24-hour/ 7 days per week schedule.
- B. Materials: Contractor shall supply pumps and screens as necessary to provide the required freshwater supply to the Algiers Water Treatment Plant.
- C. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated with the Maintenance and Operation of Reservoir Barge Pumping shall be paid for at the Contract unit prices stated on the Pricing Form for the following items: Item No. 10, "Furnishing, Maintenance and Operation of Reservoir Barge Pumping". Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the material, labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

2.13. LAYDOWN YARD AND FENCING

- A. Scope of Work: The Work should include the clearing and leveling of site with the installation of 8 inches leveling sand as needed for leveling and rut repair at the Laydown Area as shown on Conceptual Drawings. Work is also to installation of 9-foot tall chain link fence along with chain link gates as shown on Project Drawings. Material such as fencing and leveling sand should remain onsite after completion of Project. Contractor shall refer to LADOTD Standard Specifications section 705 Fences for additional details.
- B. Materials: The materials for the chain link fence shall conform with LADOTD Standard Specifications section 705.02 and as indicated on the project drawings.
- C. Measurement and Payment: All costs associated with the construction of Laydown Yard and Fencing shall be paid at the Contract unit prices stated on the Pricing Form for the following items: Item No. 8, "Laydown Yard and Fencing". Payments shall constitute full compensation for furnishing the material, labor, equipment and other incidentals related to this item of the work.

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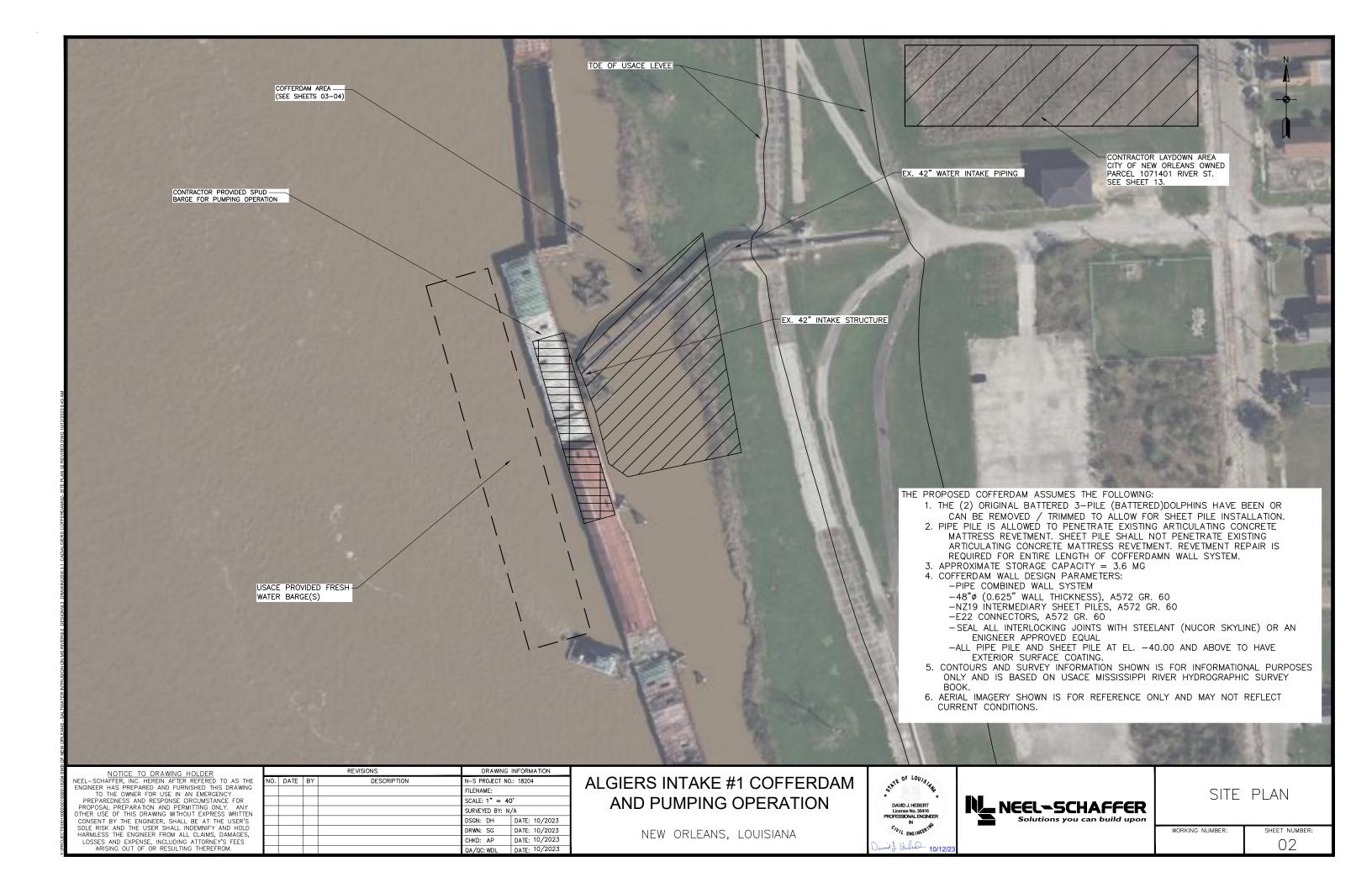
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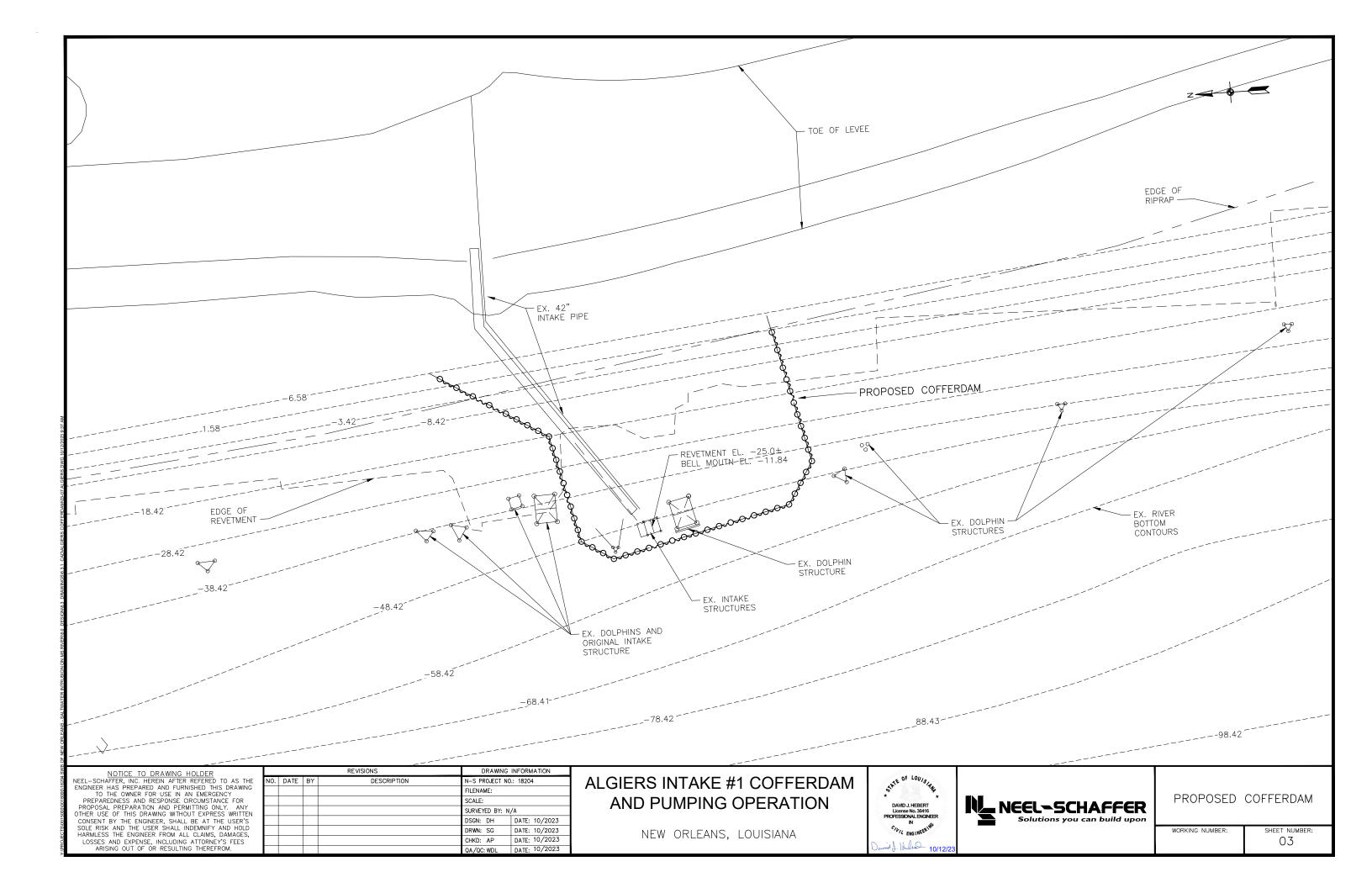
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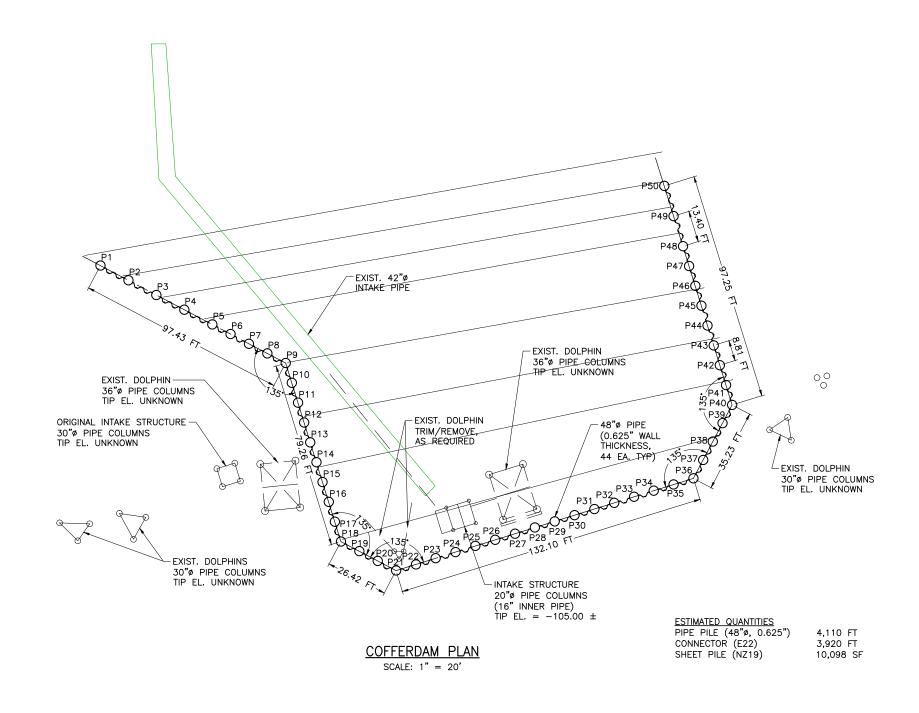
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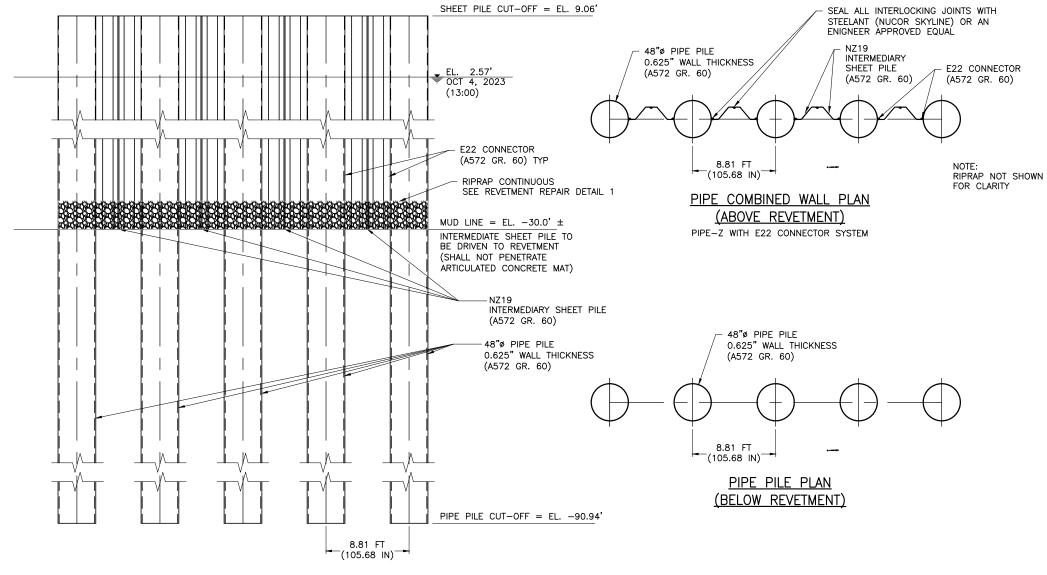




PROPOSED COFFERDAM ALIGNMENT

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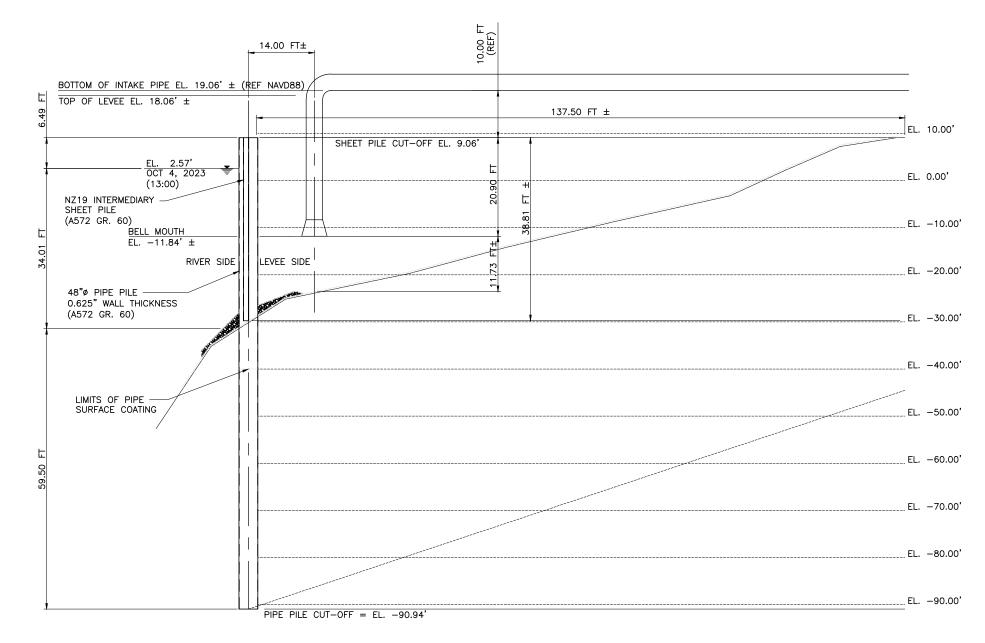




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1. ALL INTERMEDIARY SHEET PILE TO BE DRIVEN TO REVETMENT.
2. INTERMEDIARY SHEET PILE SHALL NOT PENETRATE ARTICULATED CONCRETE MAT.

3. FOR PIPE PILE PENETRATION, SEE REVETMENT REPAIR DETAIL 1.

4. ALL PIPE PILE SHALL INCLUDE EXTERIOR SURFACE COATING
(EL. -40.0 OR 10 FEET BELOW MUDLINE/REVETMENT).
5. ALL PIPE PILE AND SHEET PILE CONNECTIONS SHALL INCLUDE INTERLOCK SEALANT.

SCALE: 1" - 5'

STONE RIPRAP CONTIUOUS ALONG WALL 8.00 FT STONE RIPRAP ARTICULATING CONCRETE MATTRESS RIVER BANK 48"ø PIPE PILE 0.625" WALL THICKNESS REVETMENT REPAIR DETAIL 1 (A572 GR. 60) SCALE: 1" - 10'

20.00 FT

NOTES:

- 1. SIZE OF RIPRAP TO VARY BETWEEN 6 POUNDS AND 125 POUNDS WITH 40% TO 60% OF THE STONE WITHIN THE RANGE OF 25 POUNDS
- 2. WHEN PENETRATING THE UPPER BANK PAVING IN A REVEMENT AREA WITH PILES, CAISONS AND/OR PILE CLUSTERS, A 10-INCH THICK RIPRAP STONE LAYER SHALL BE PLACED OVER ALL AREAS WHERE THE BANK IS DISTURBED BY DRIVING OPERATIONS.
- 3. WHEN USING AN ANCHOR CHAIN BUOY SYSTEM, THE ANCHOR CHAIN MUST BE ATTACHED AT THE TOP OF THE PILE TO MINIMIZE REVETMENT DAMAGE.

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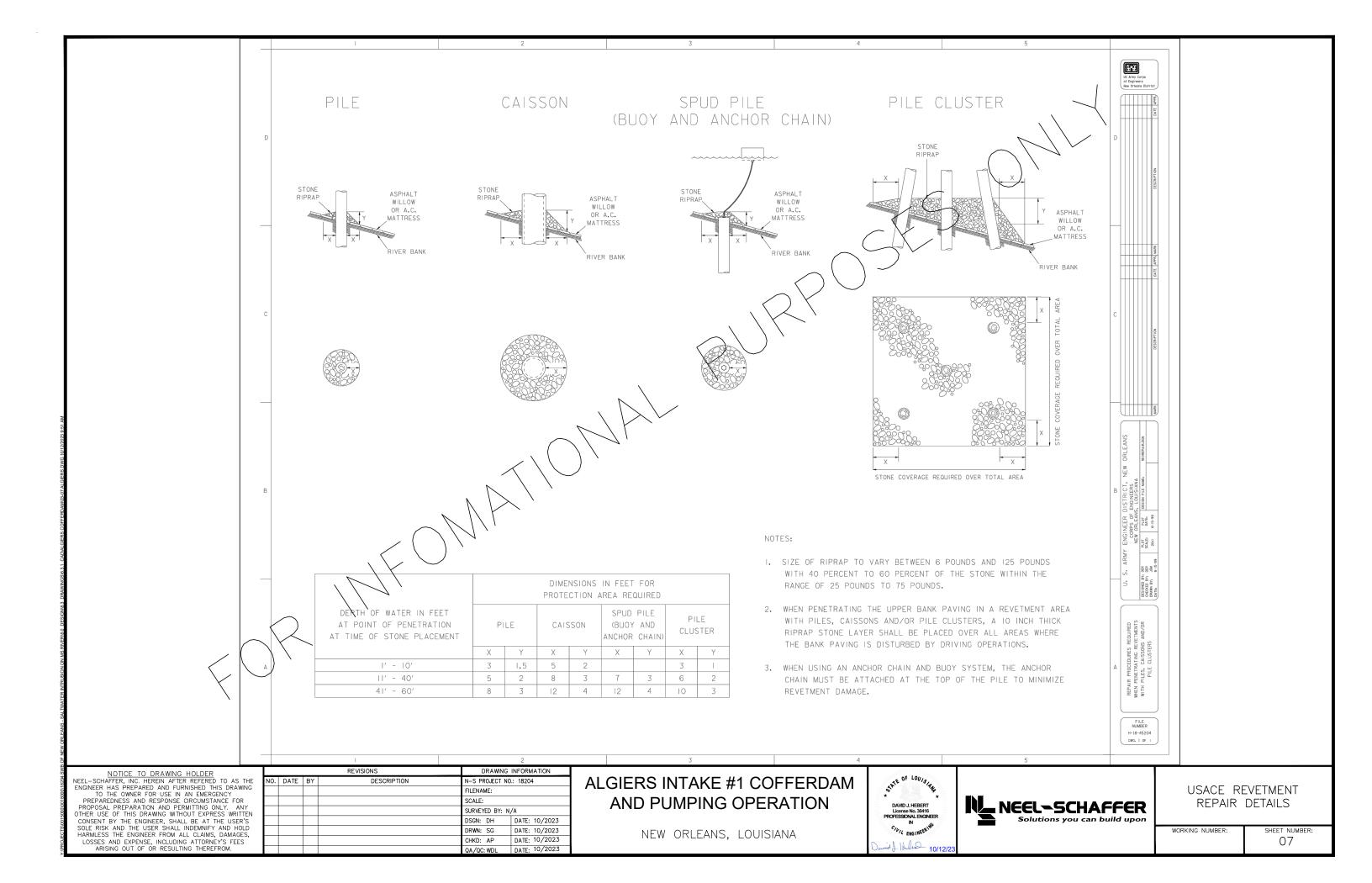


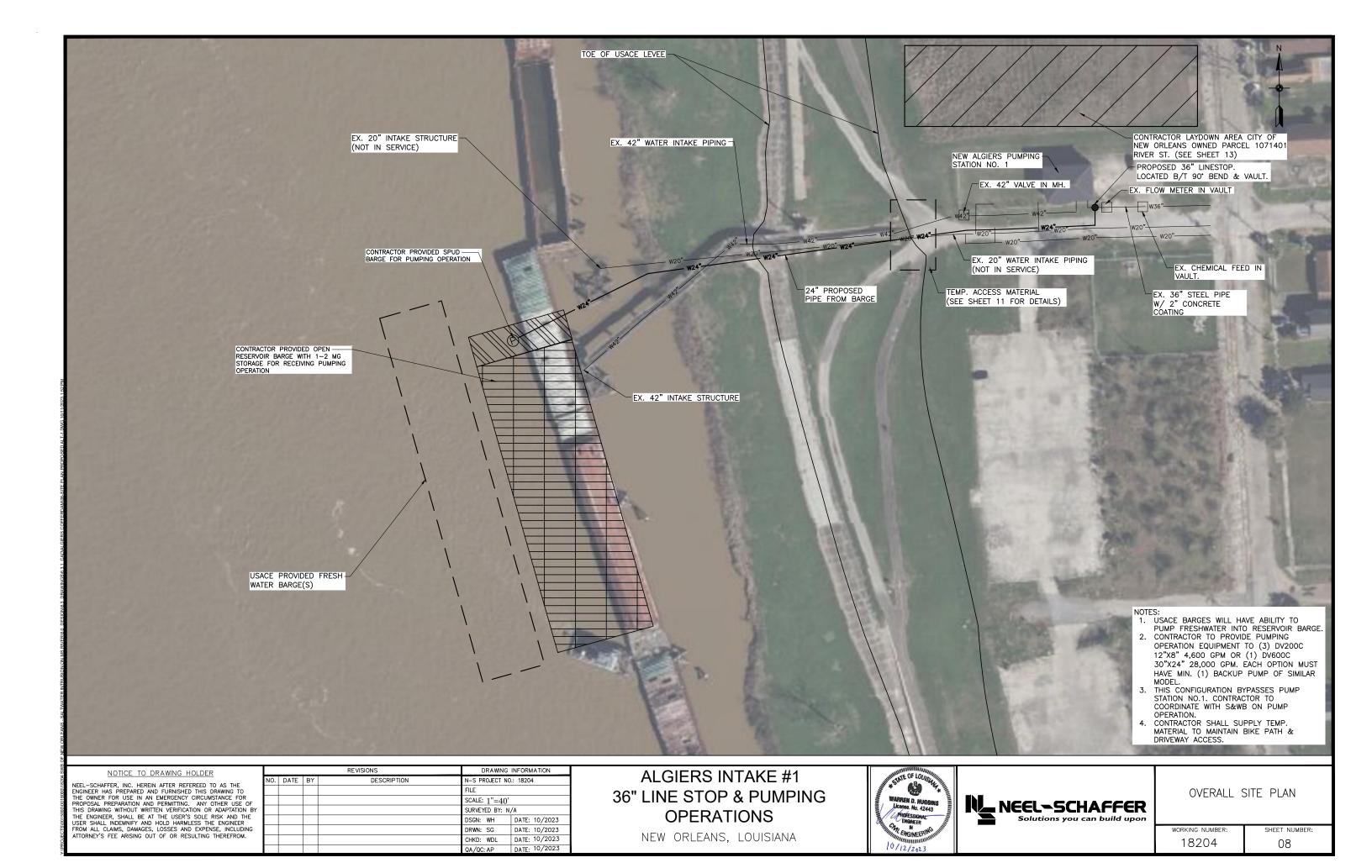


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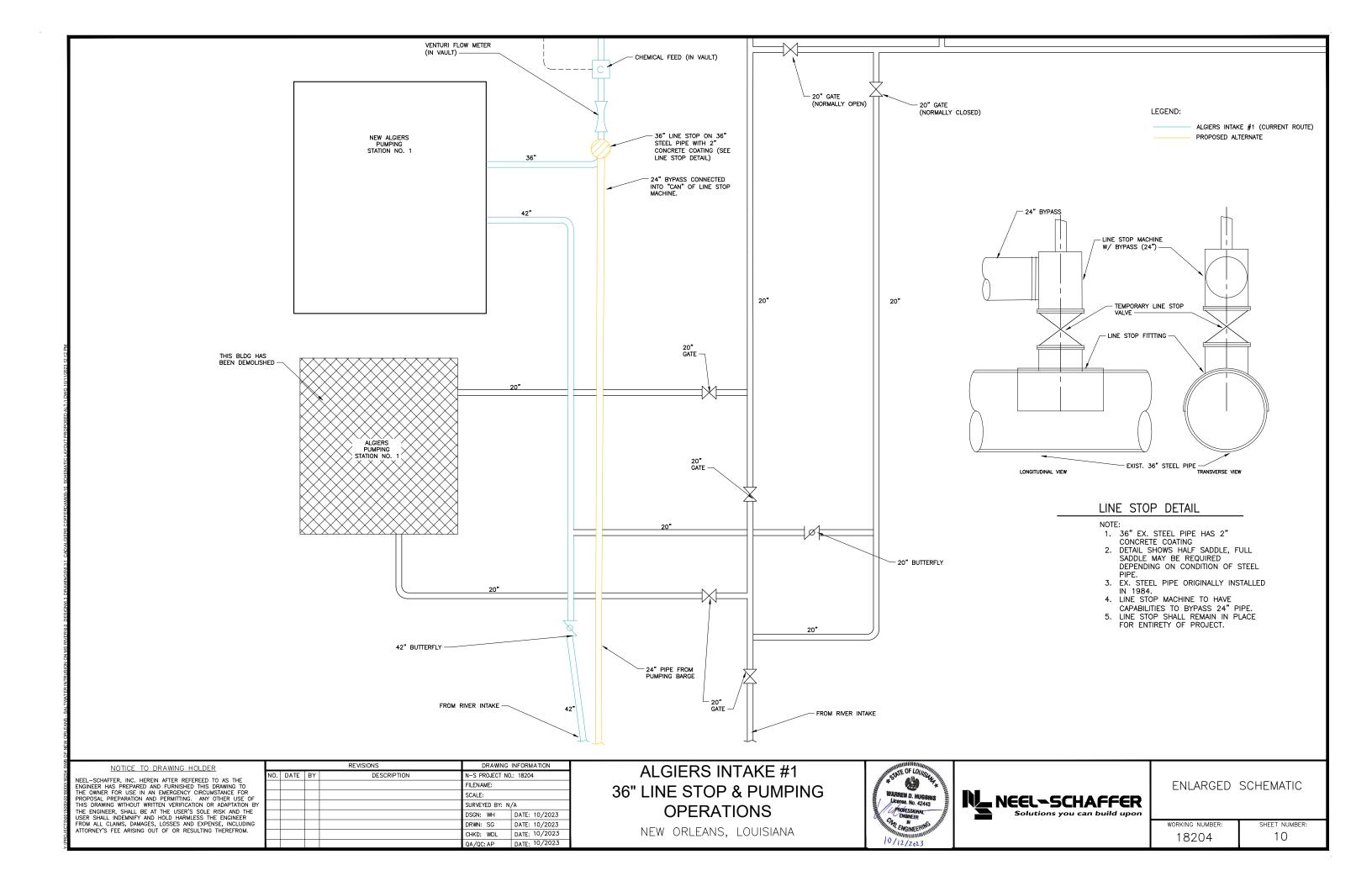
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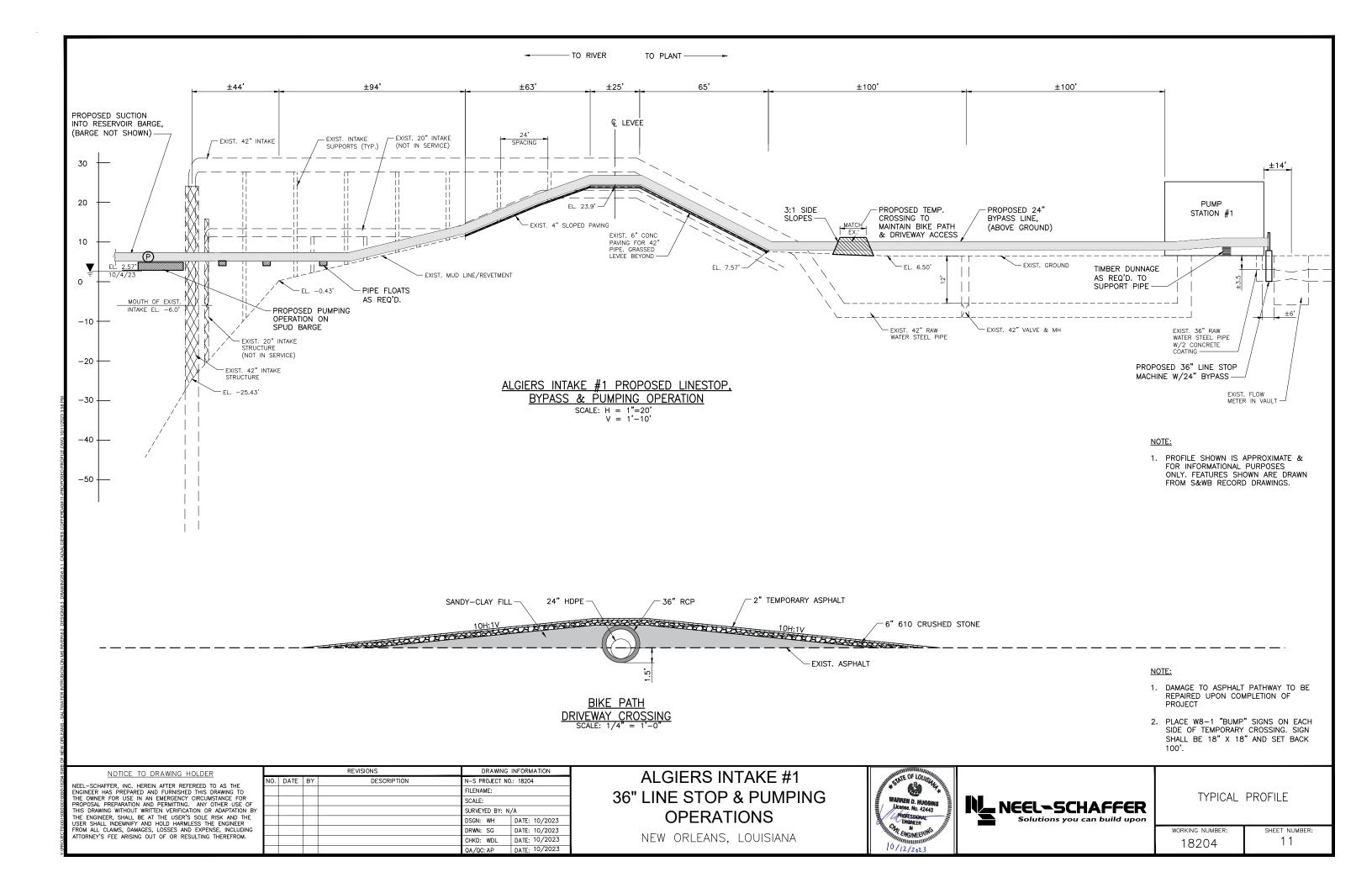


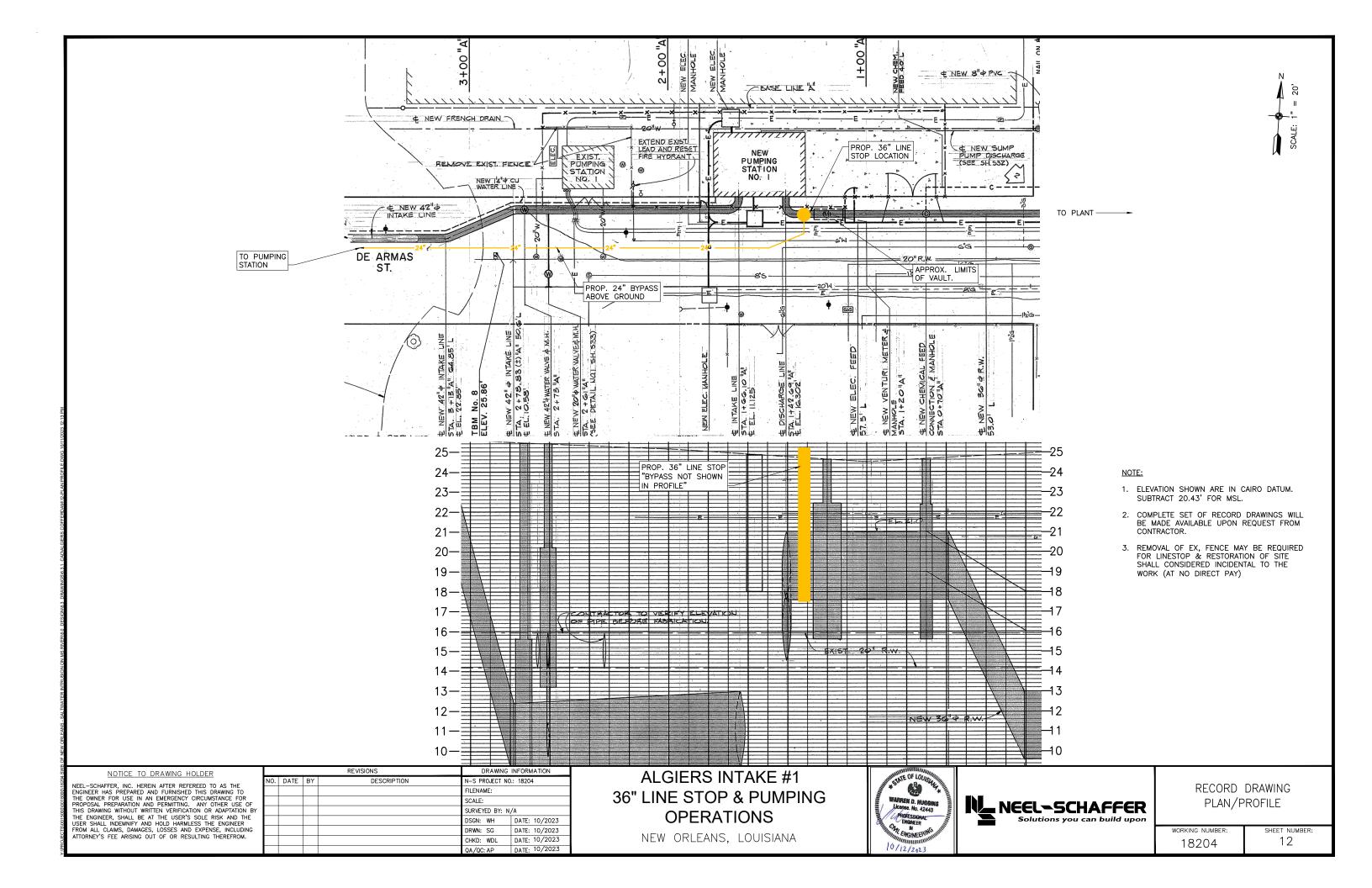


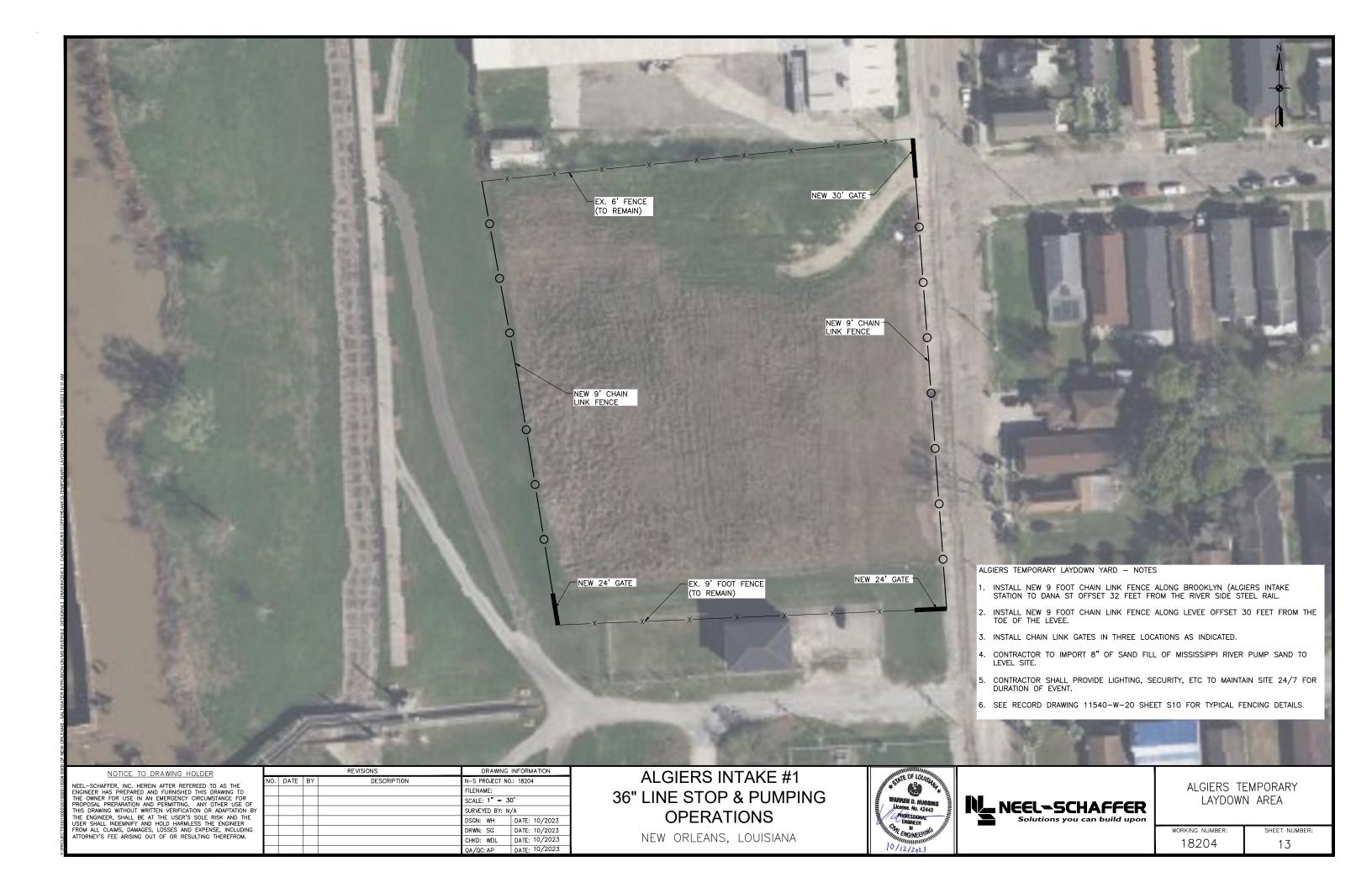
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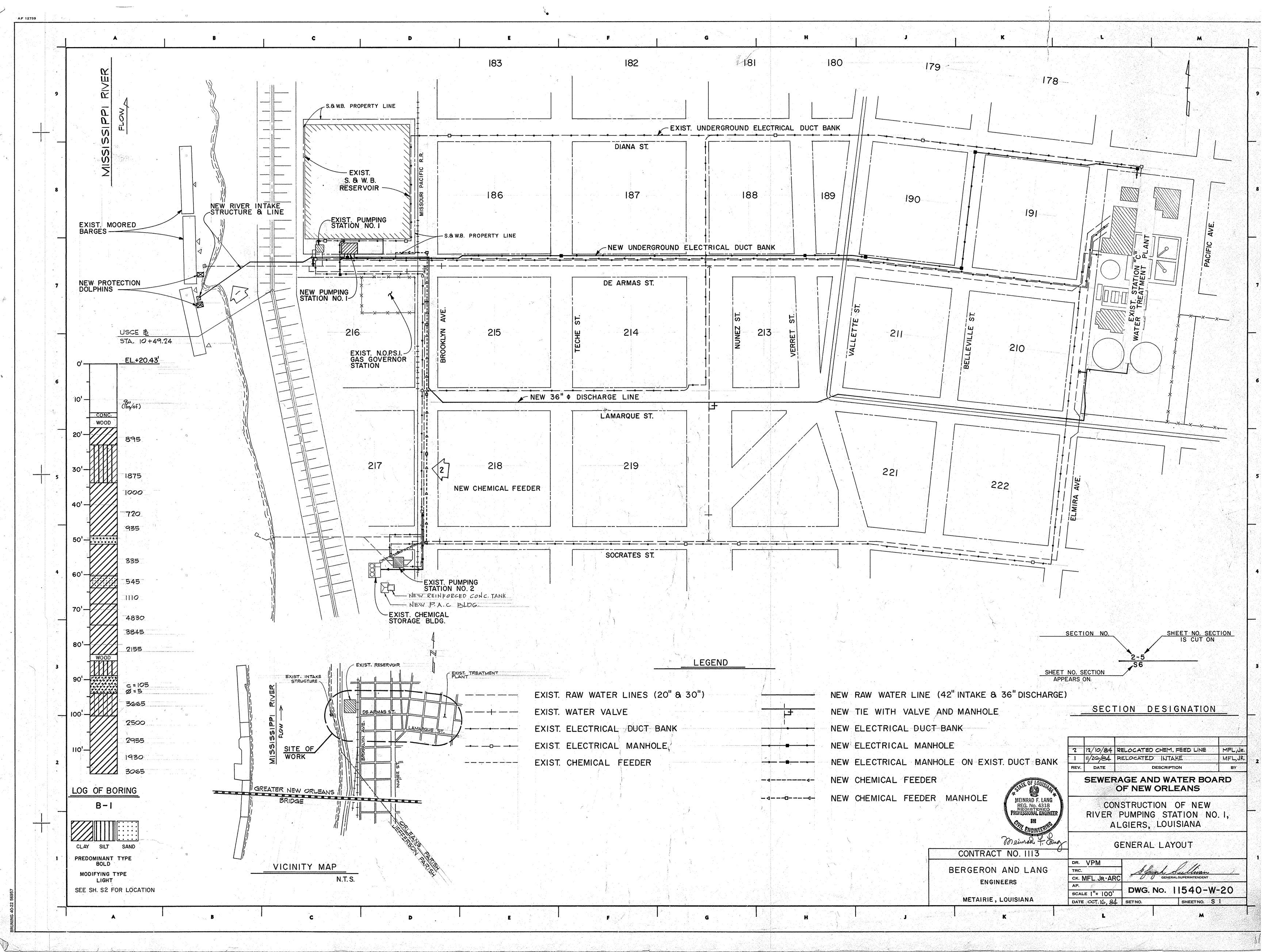
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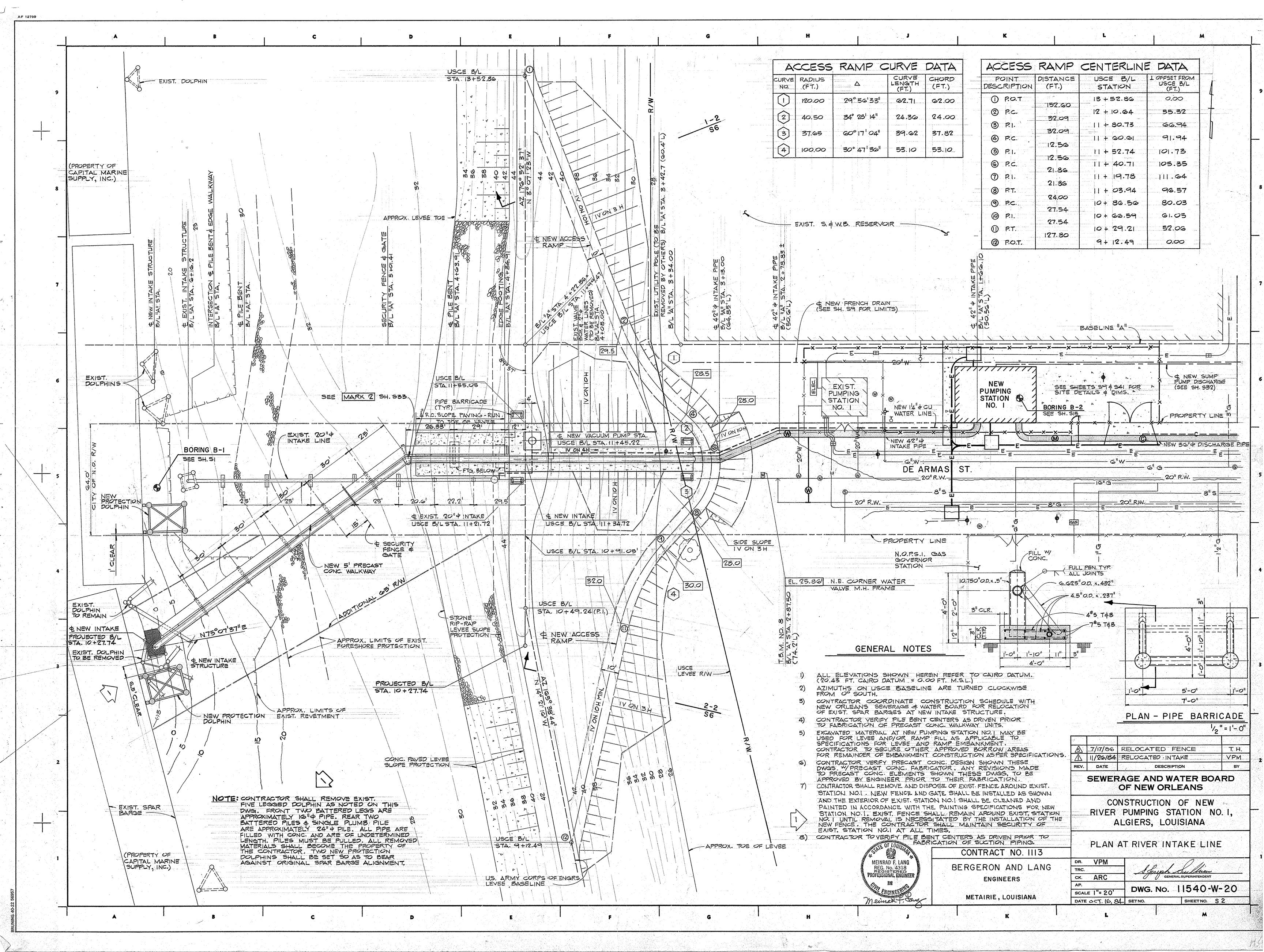


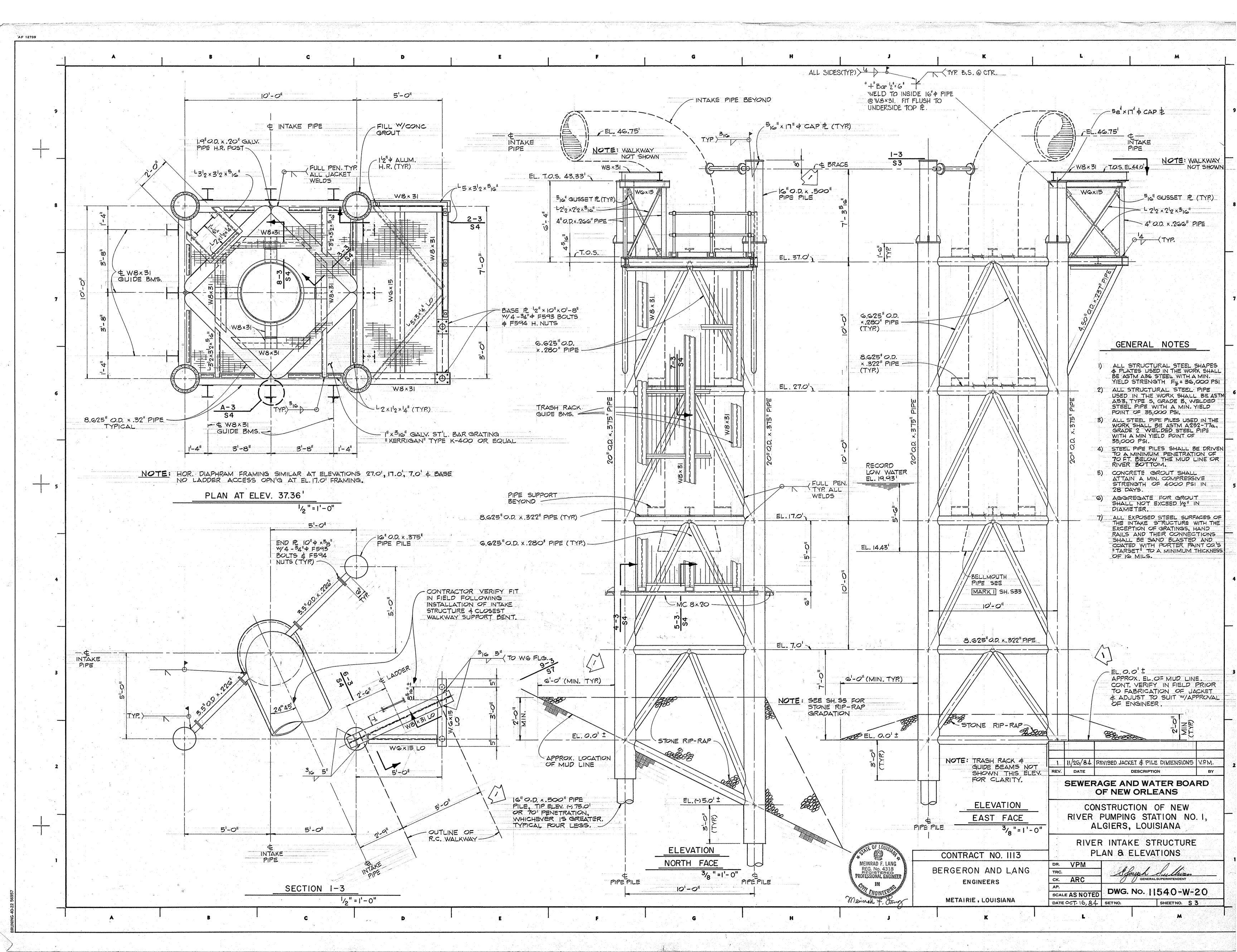


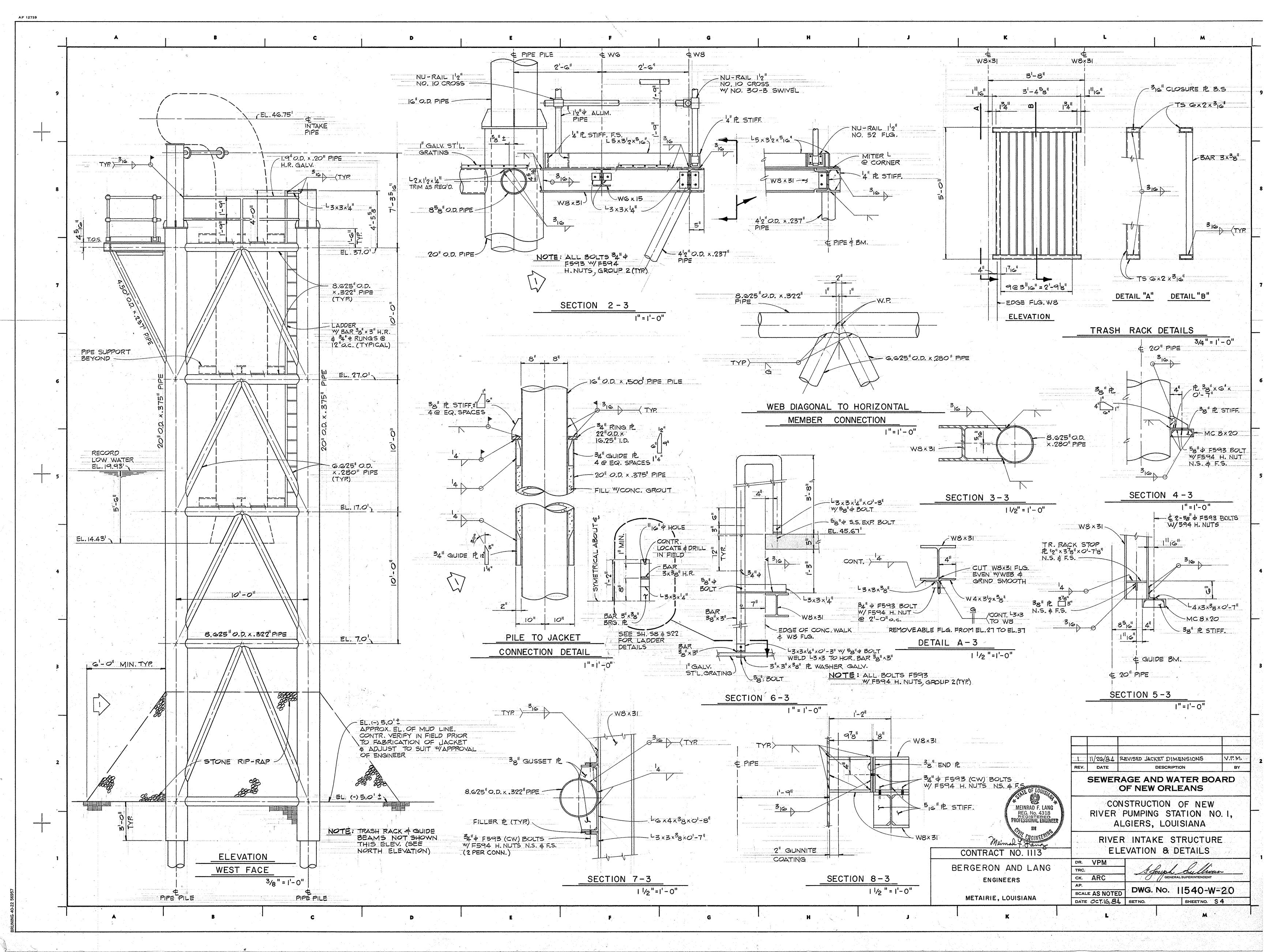


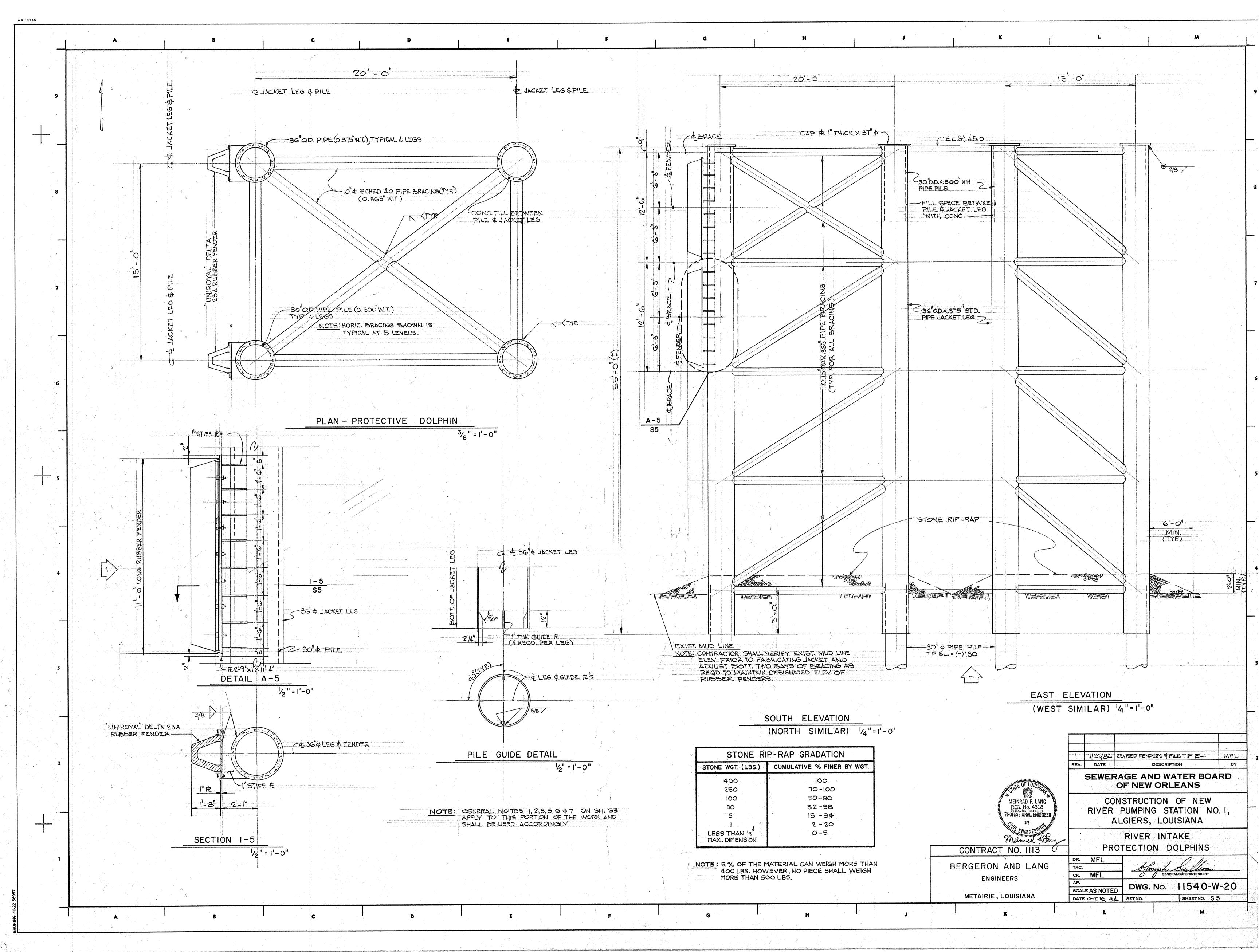


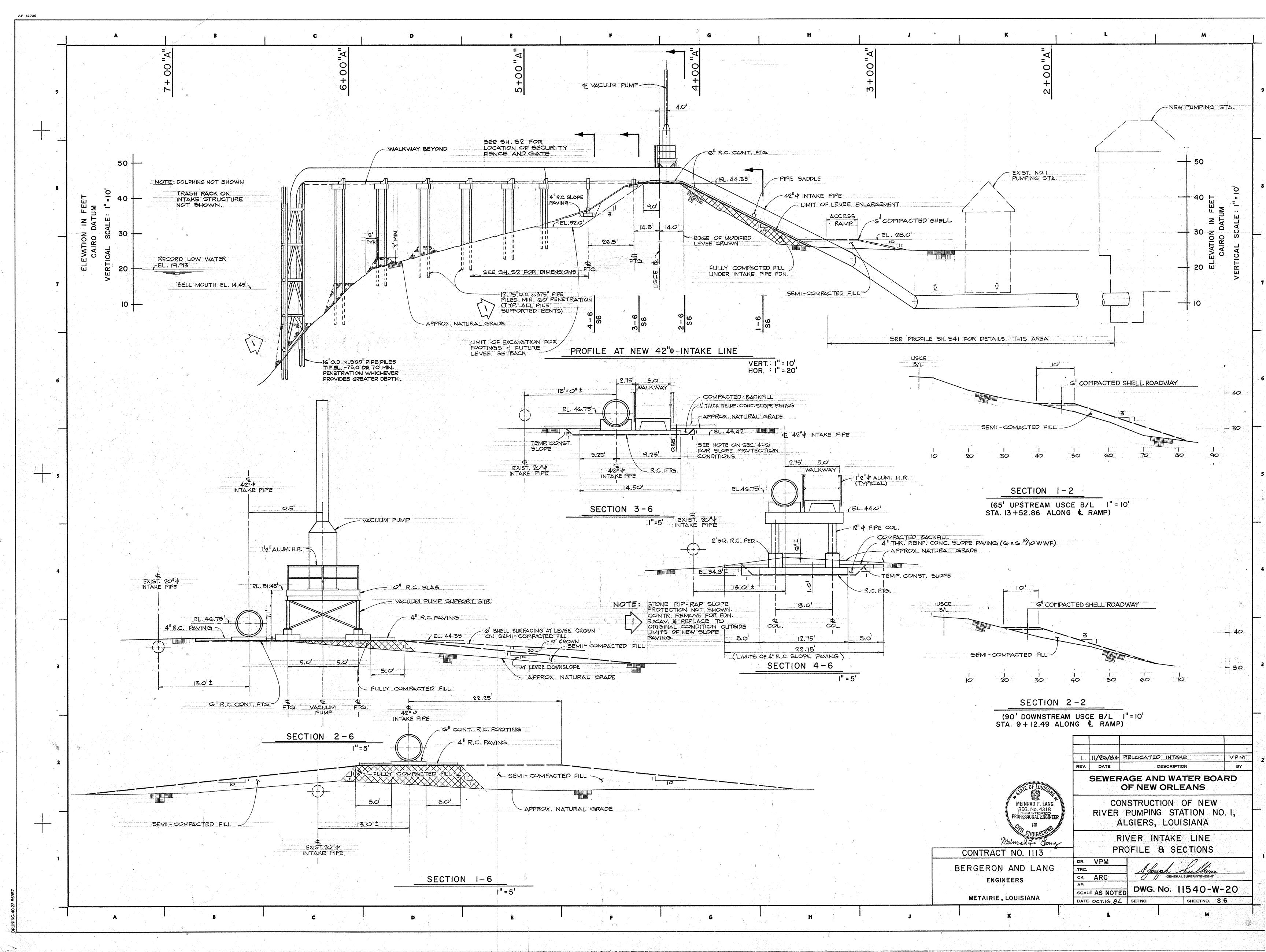


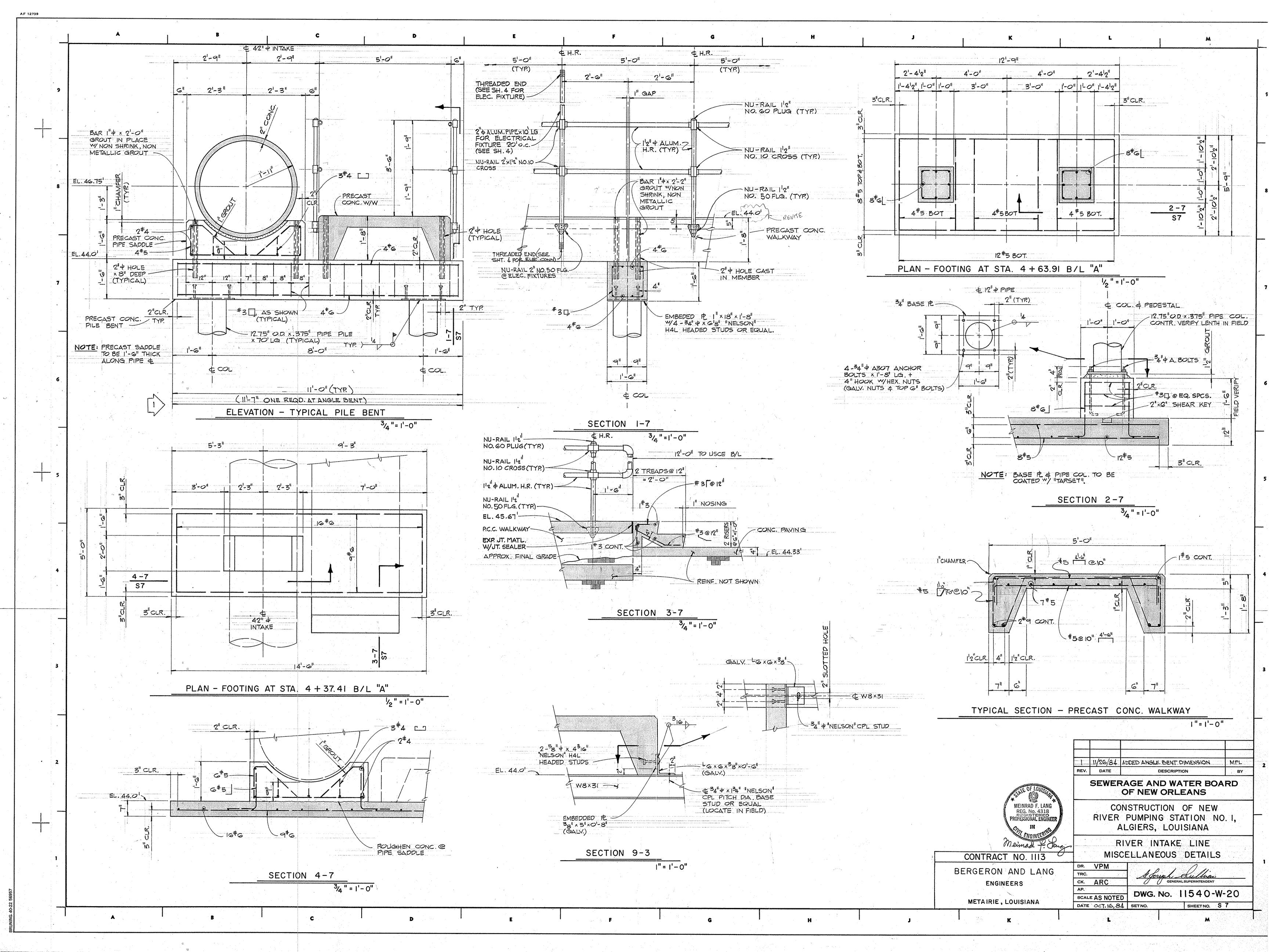


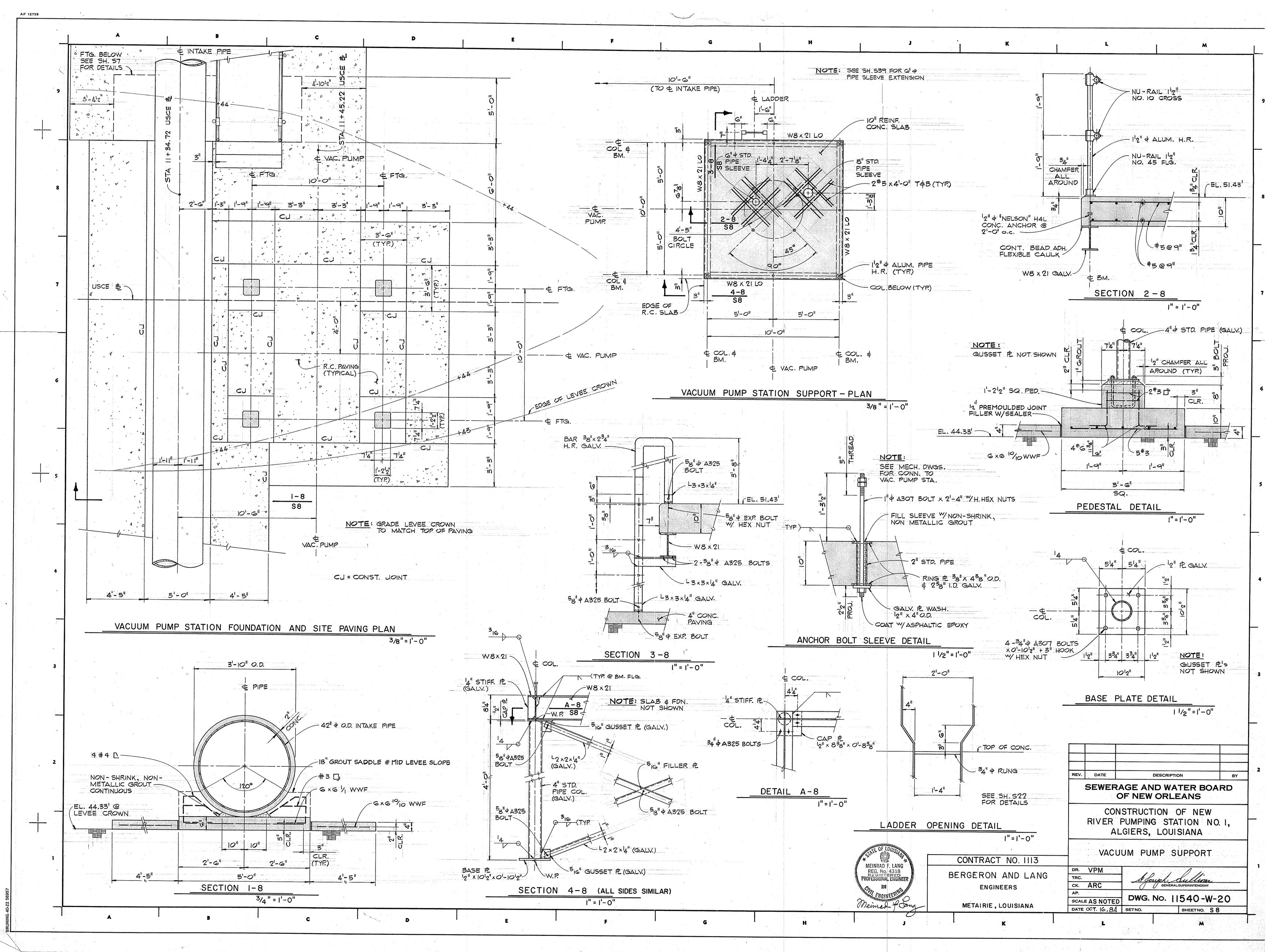


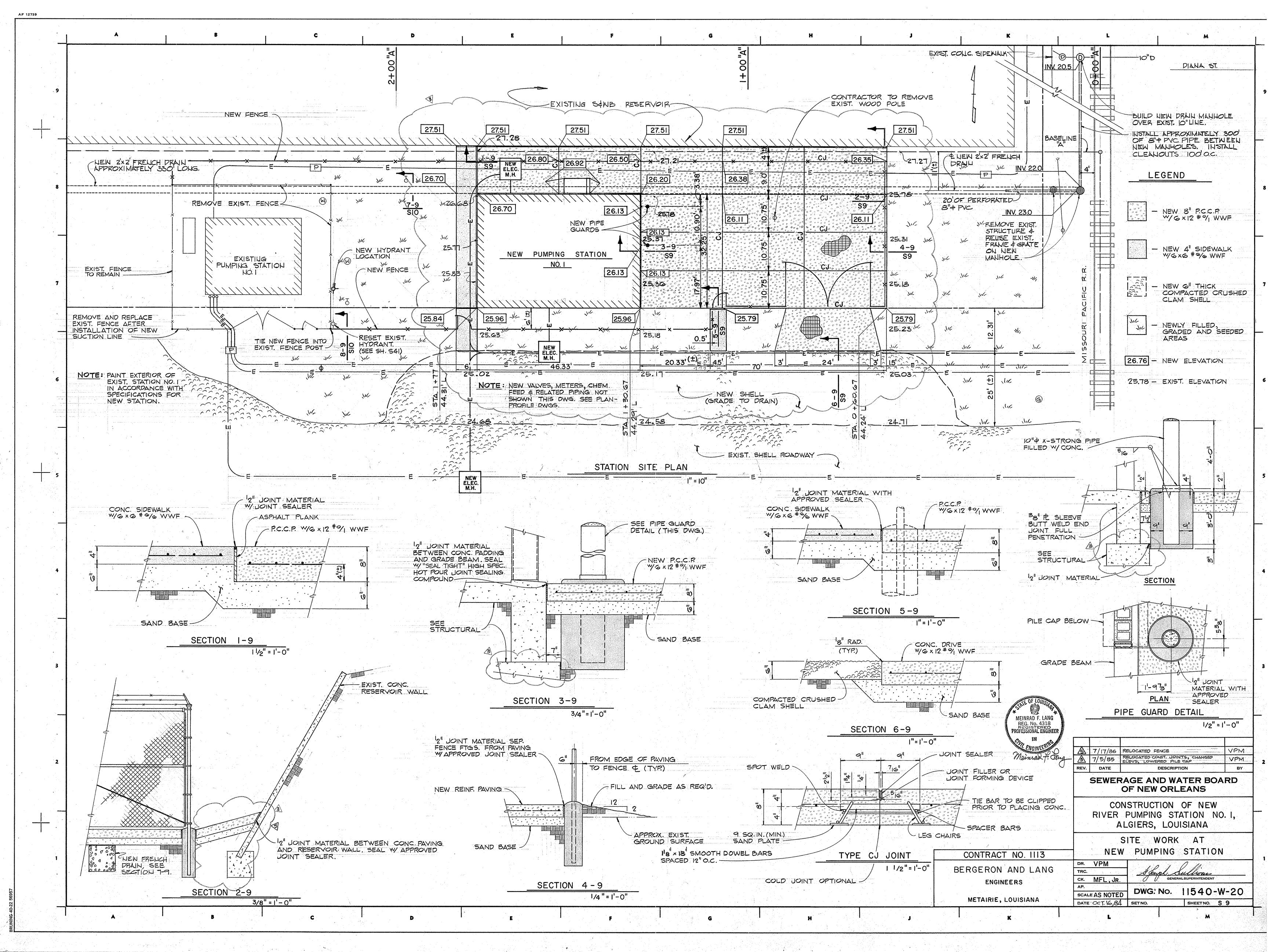


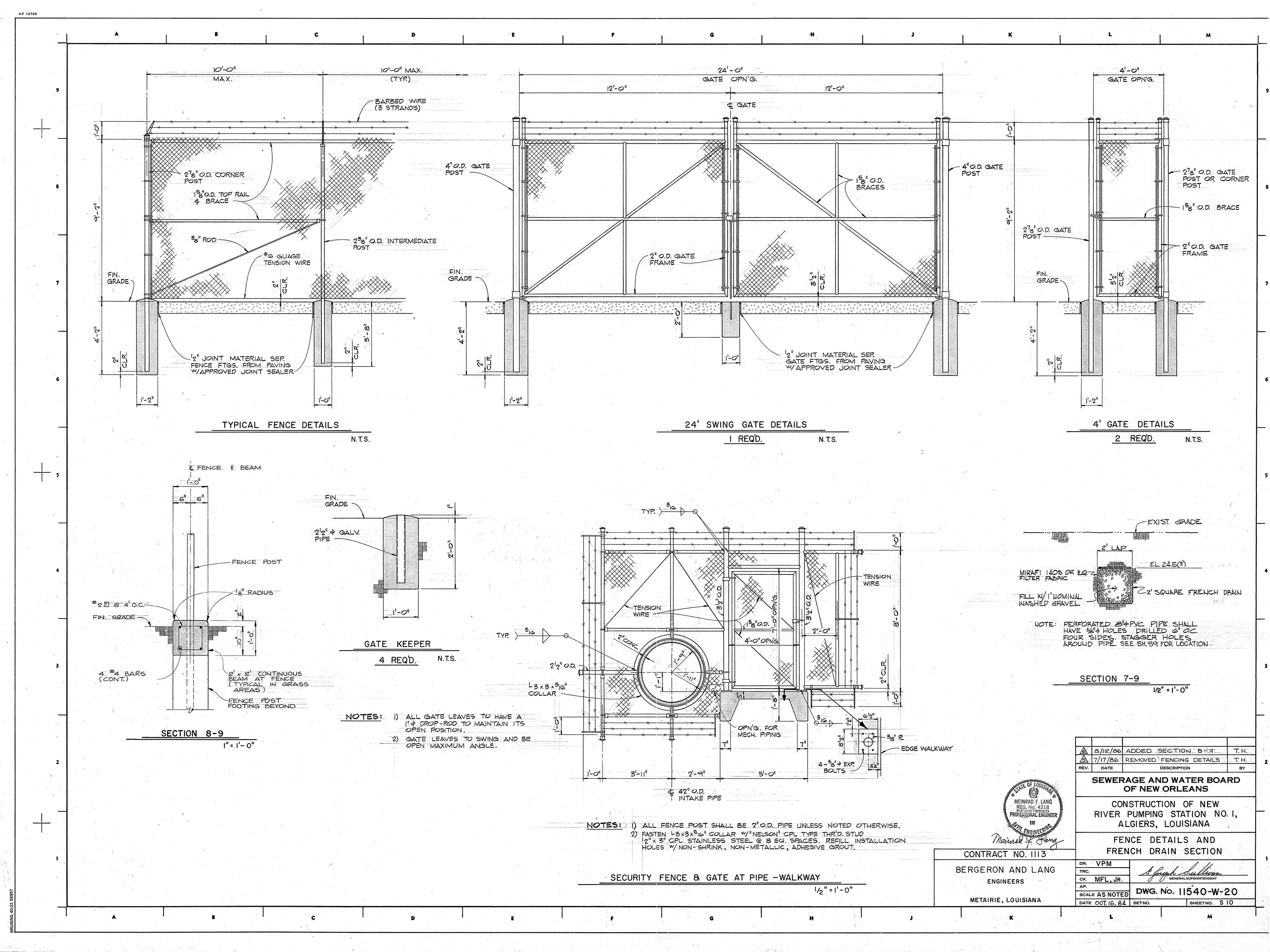


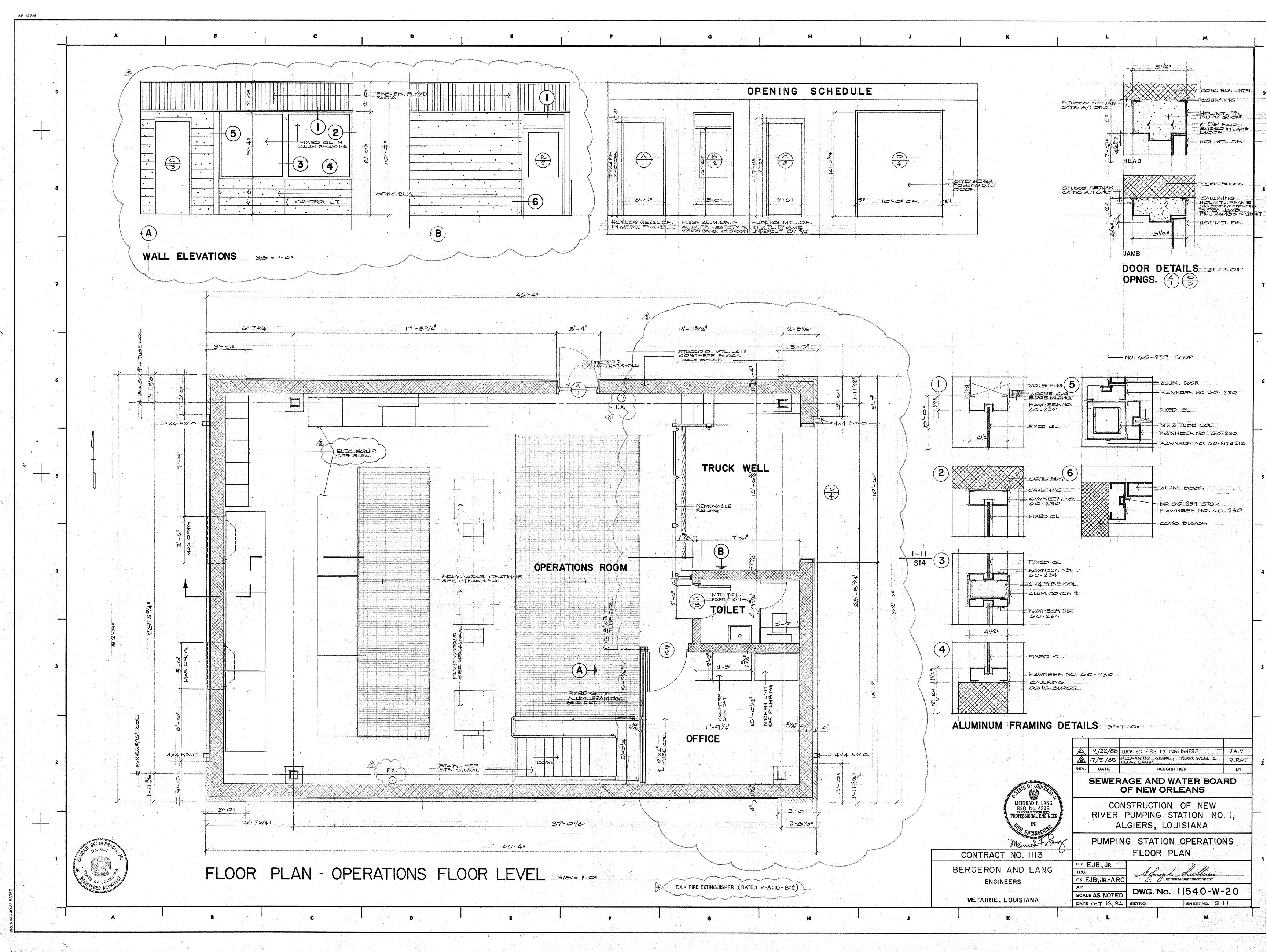


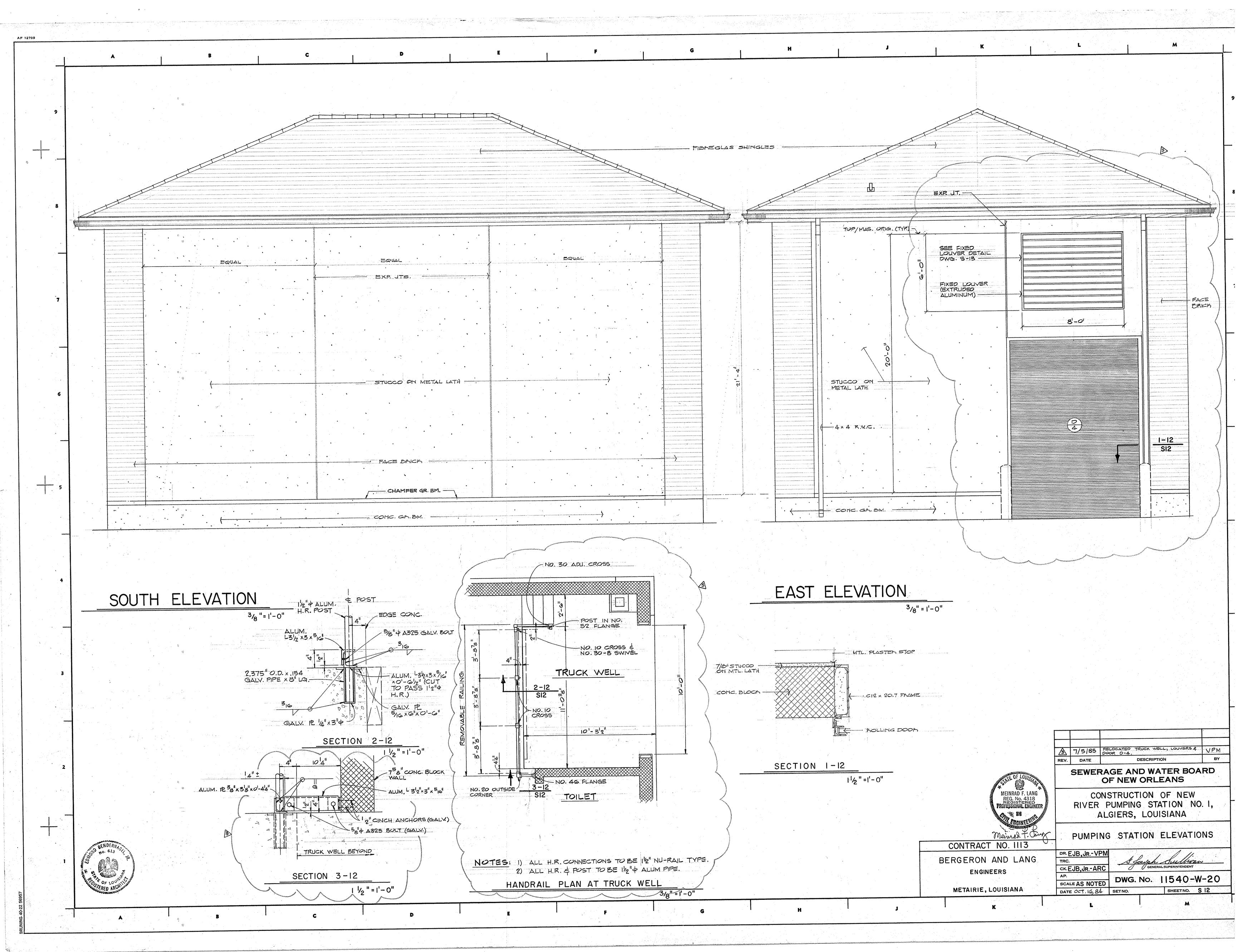


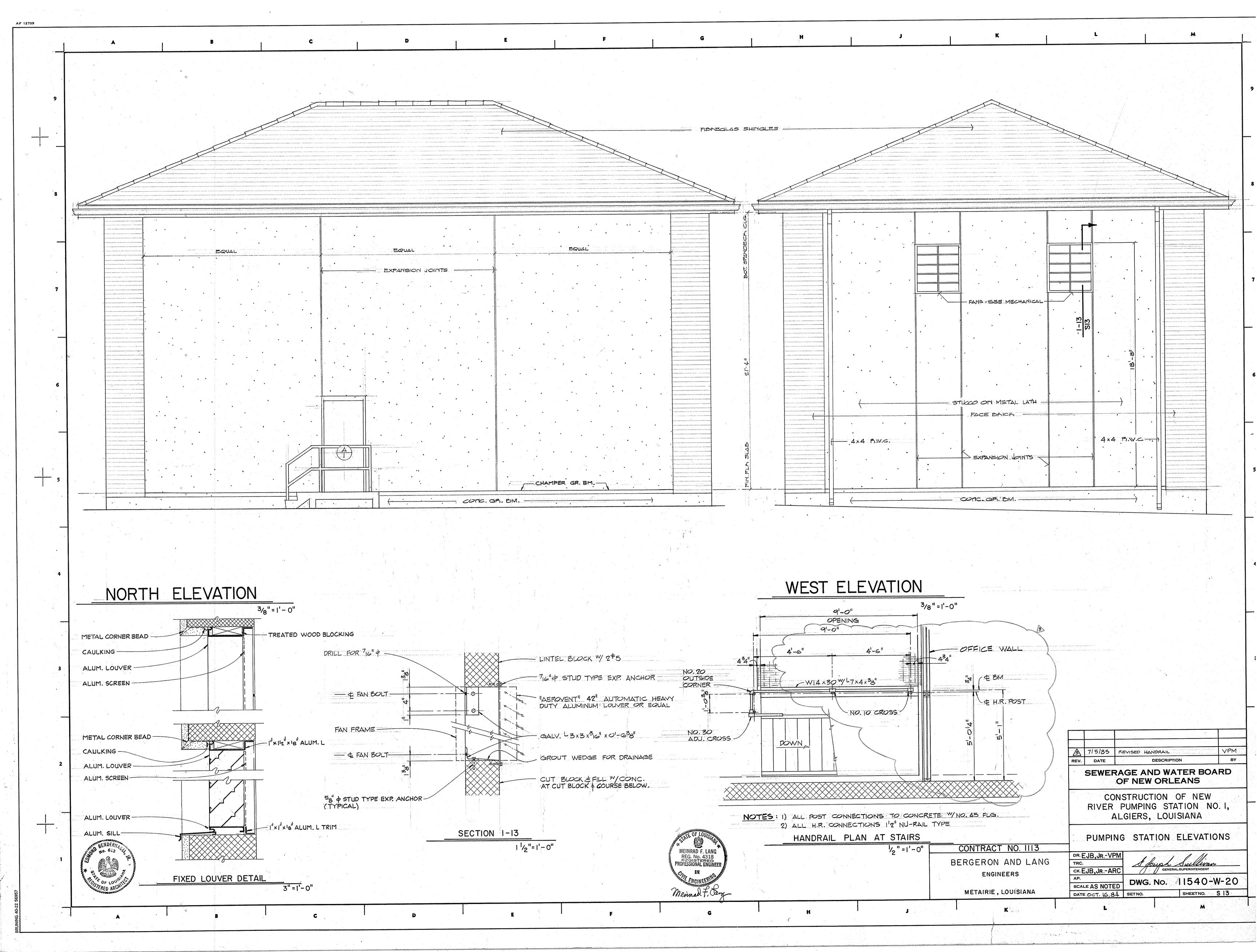


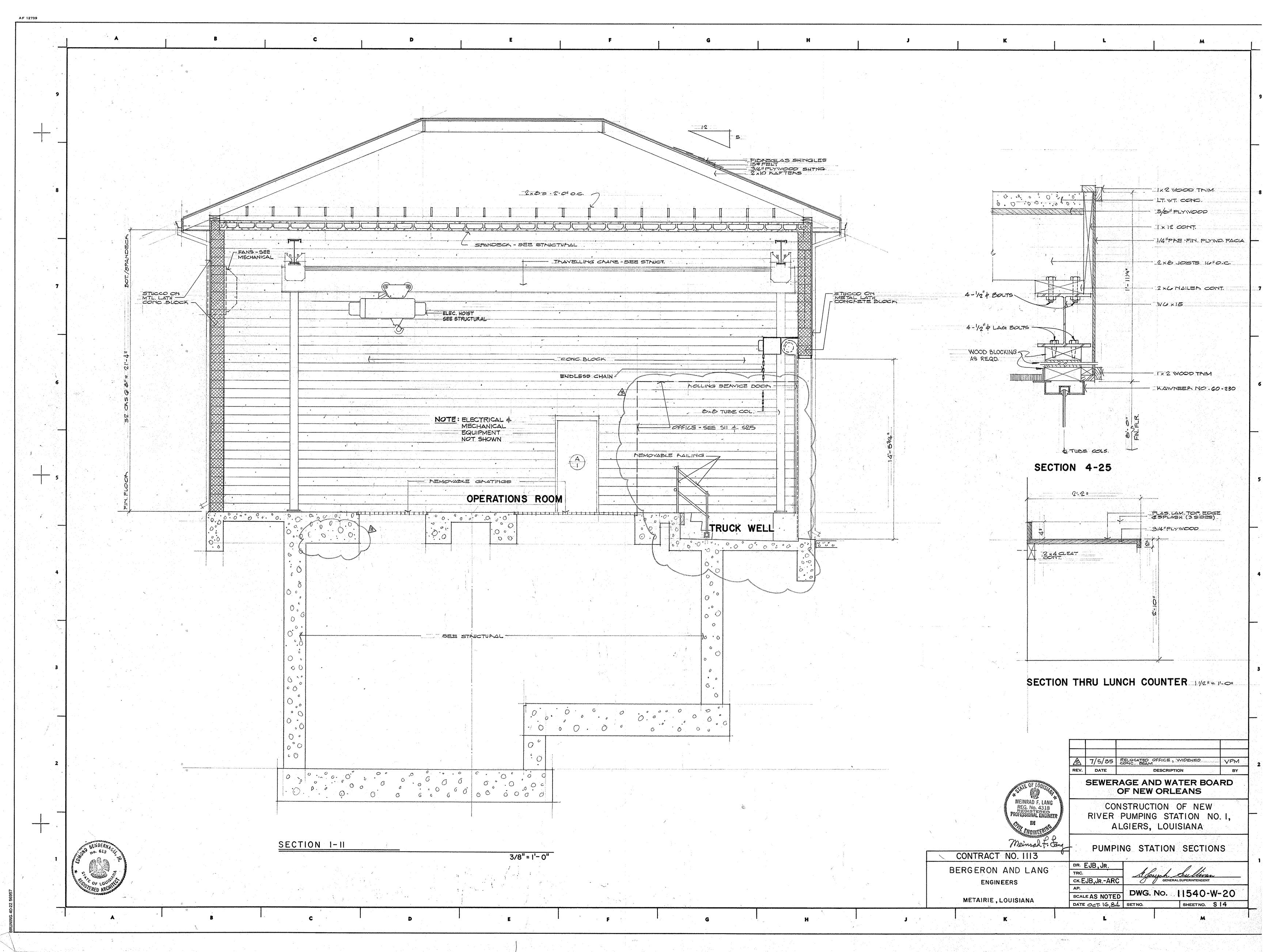


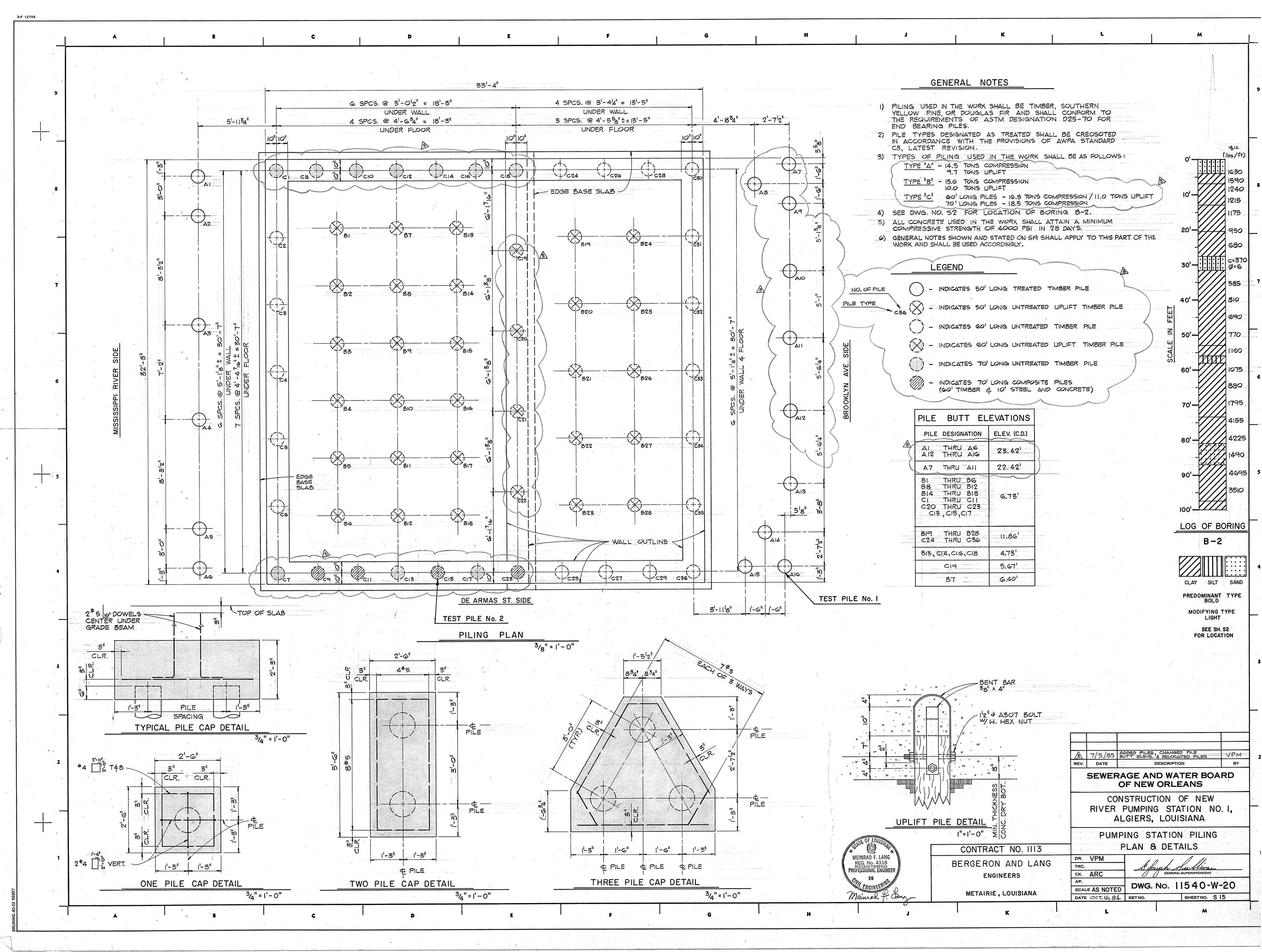


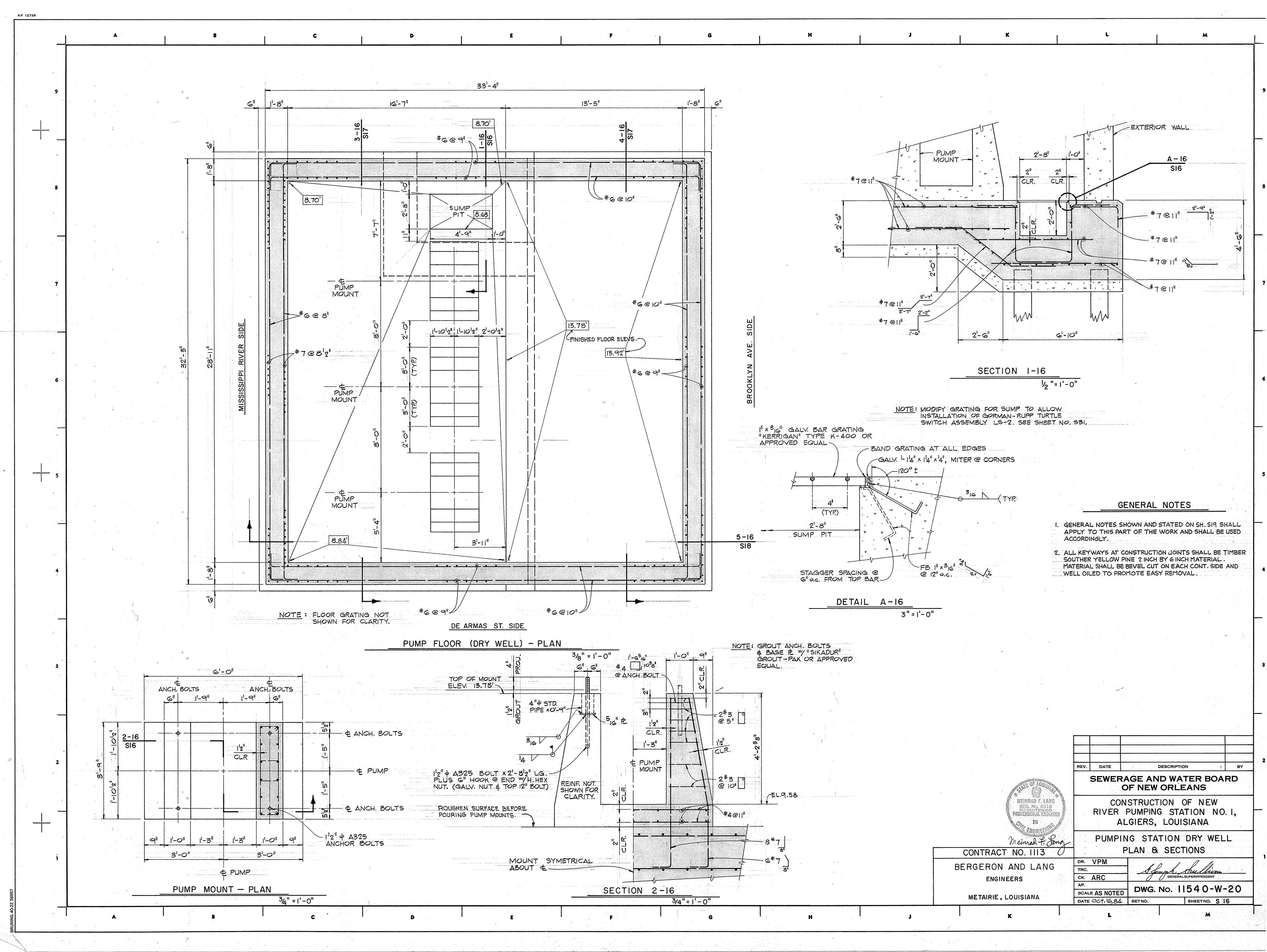


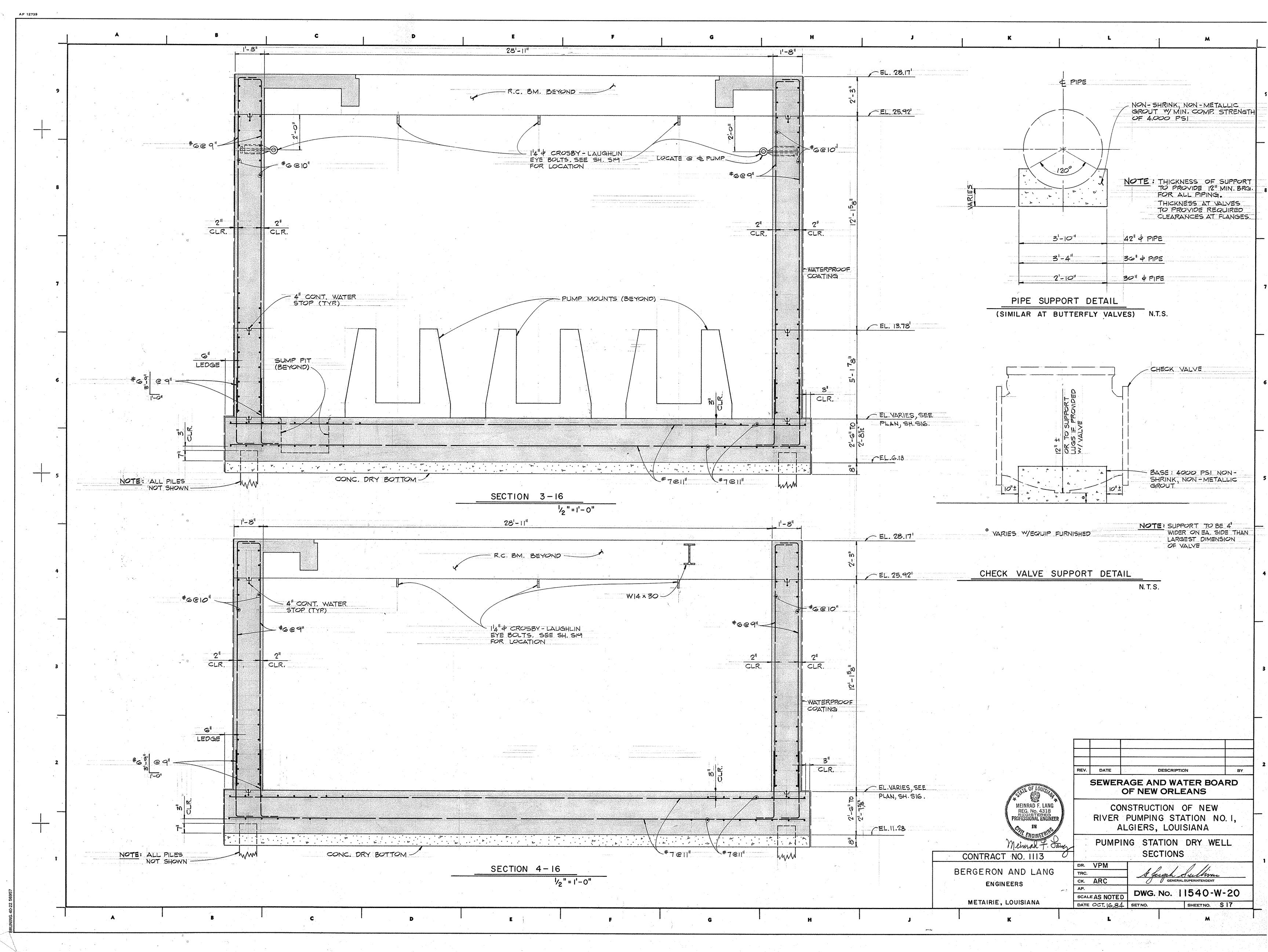


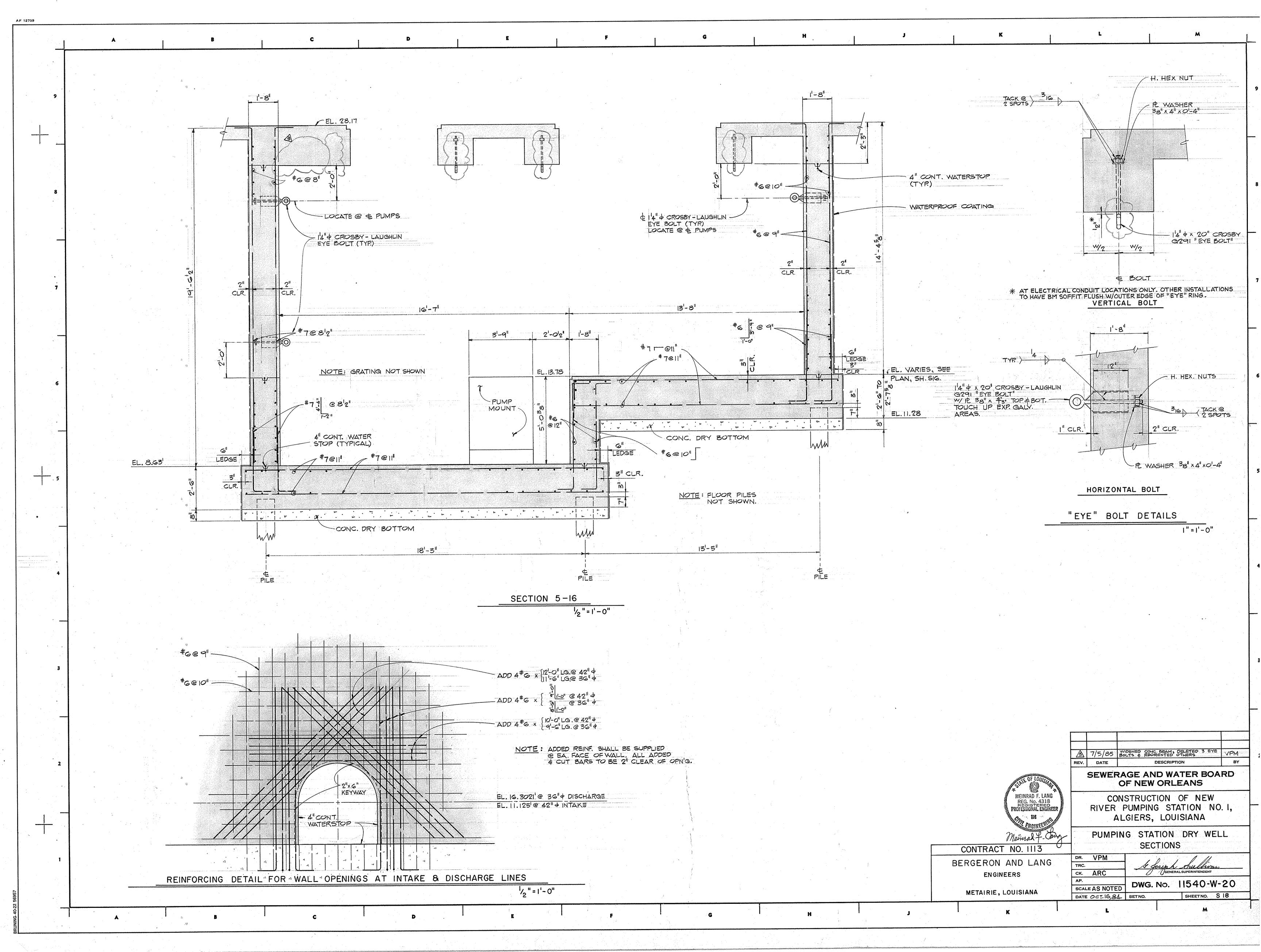


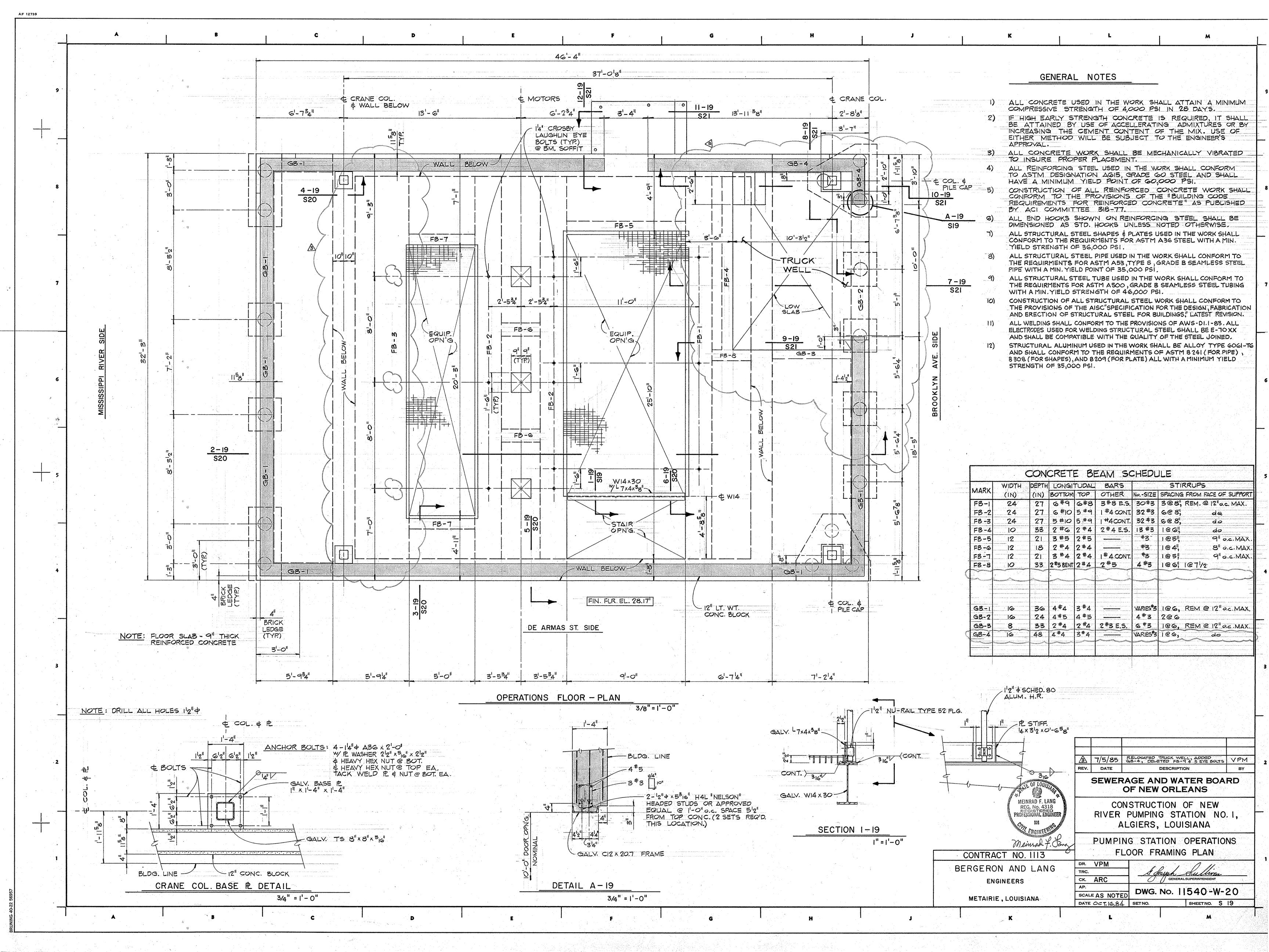


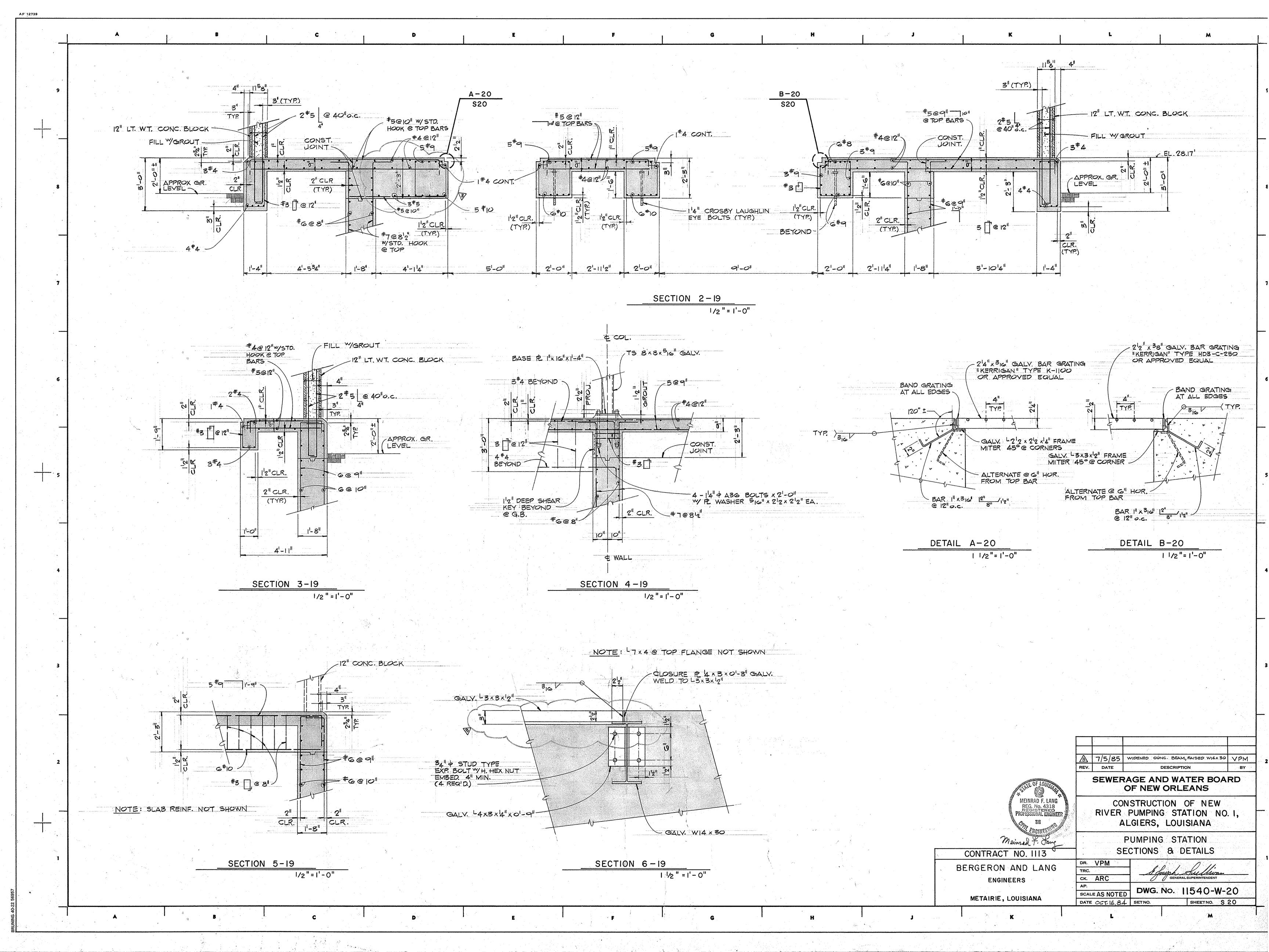


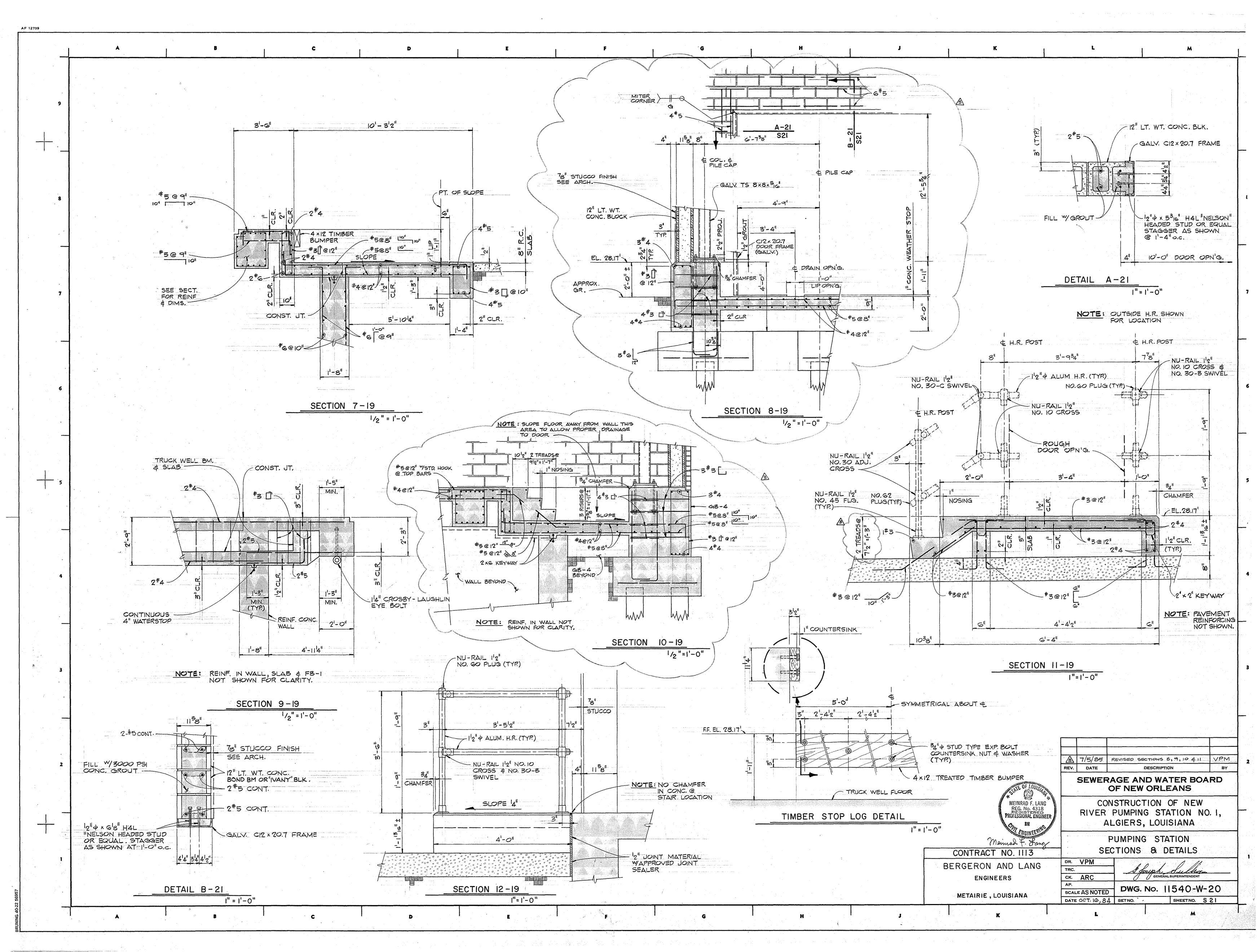


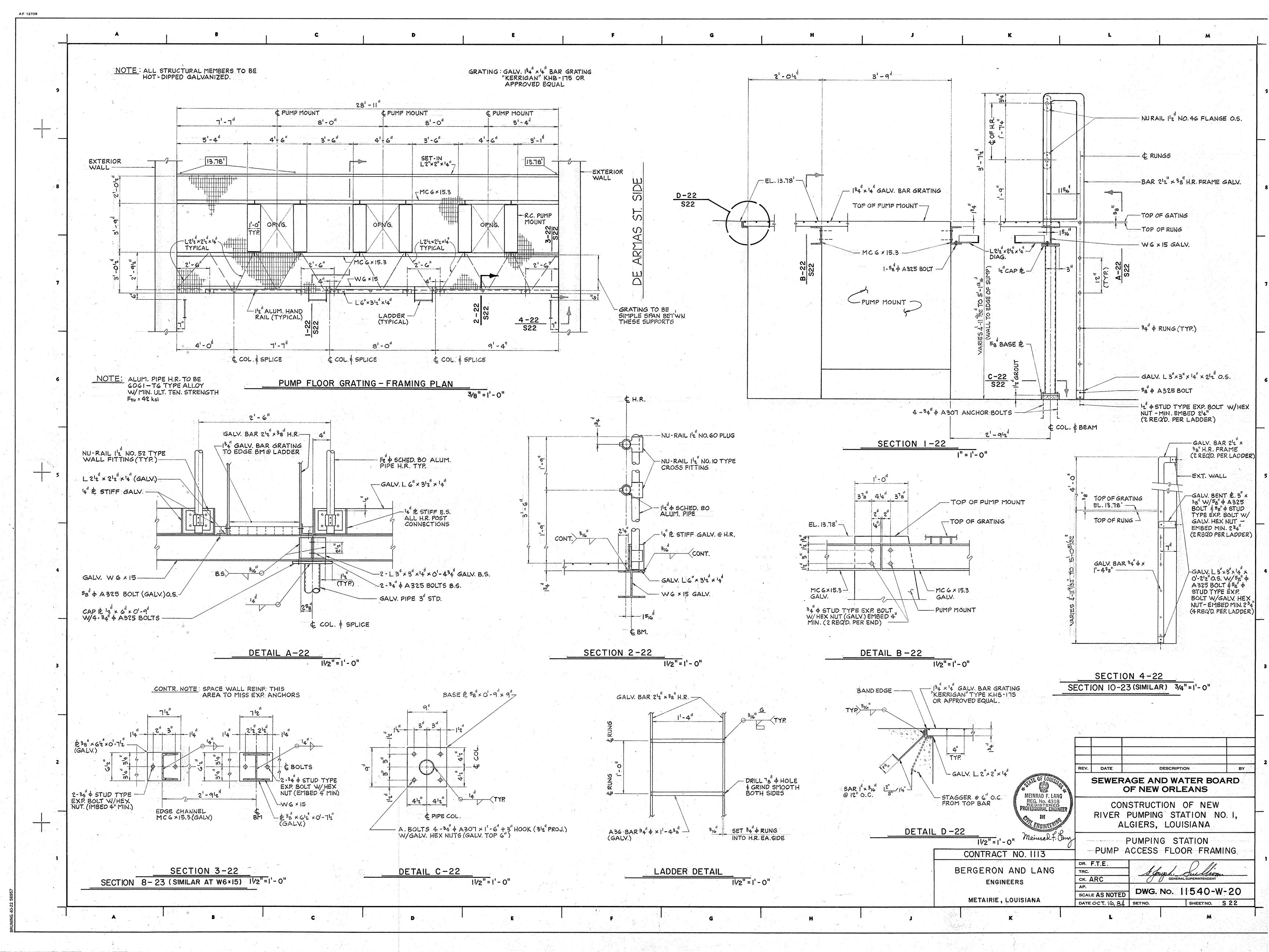


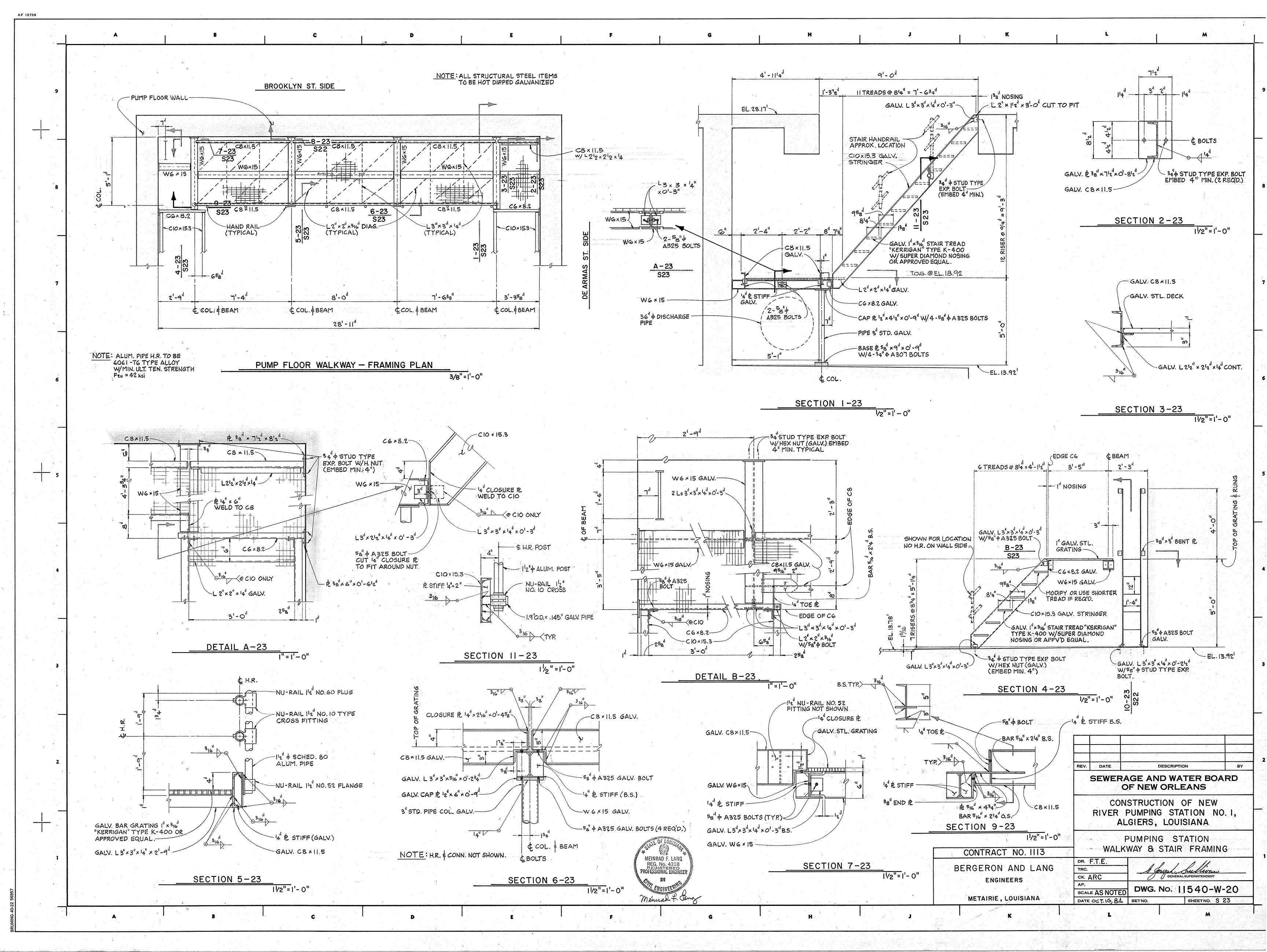


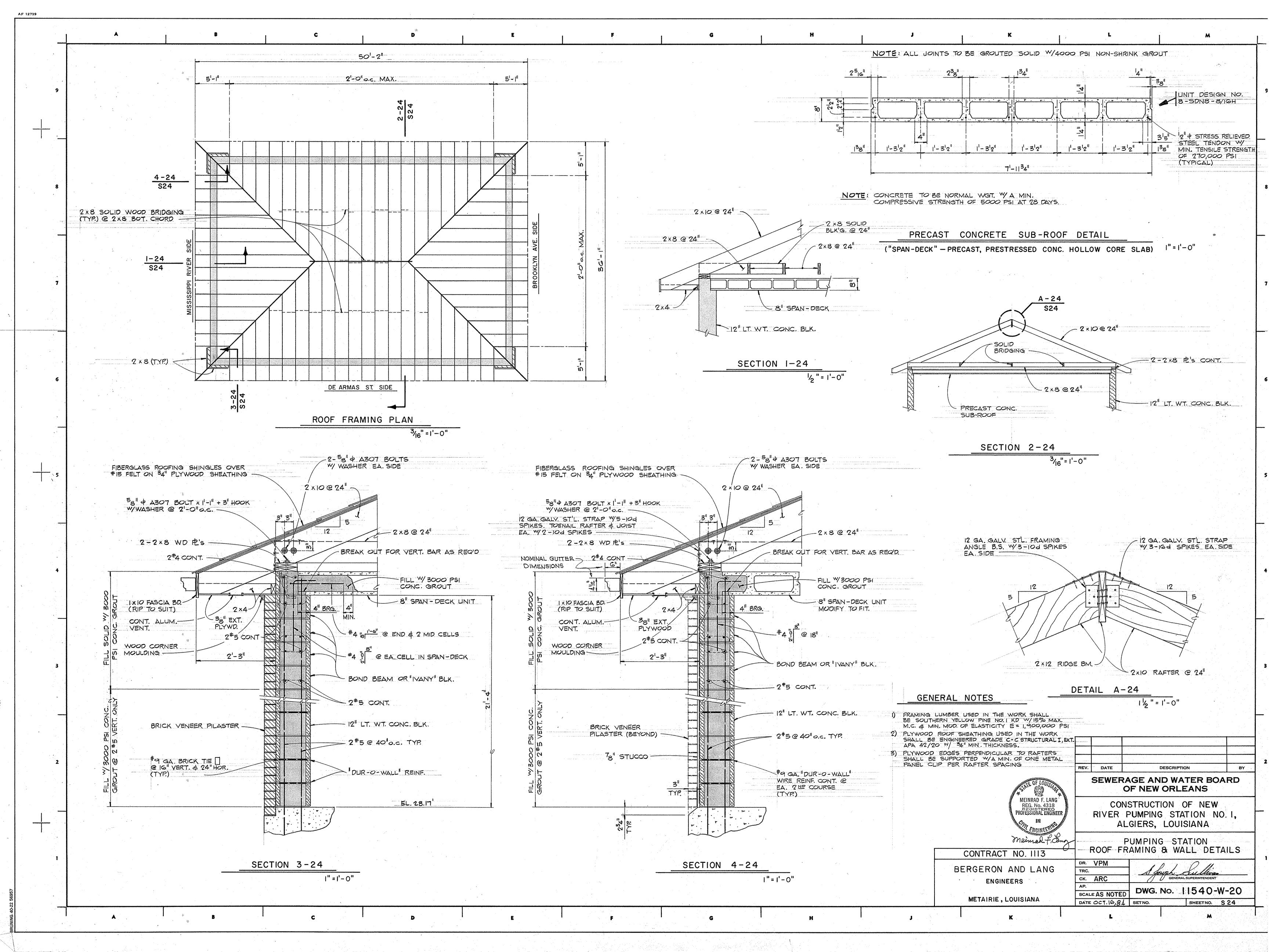


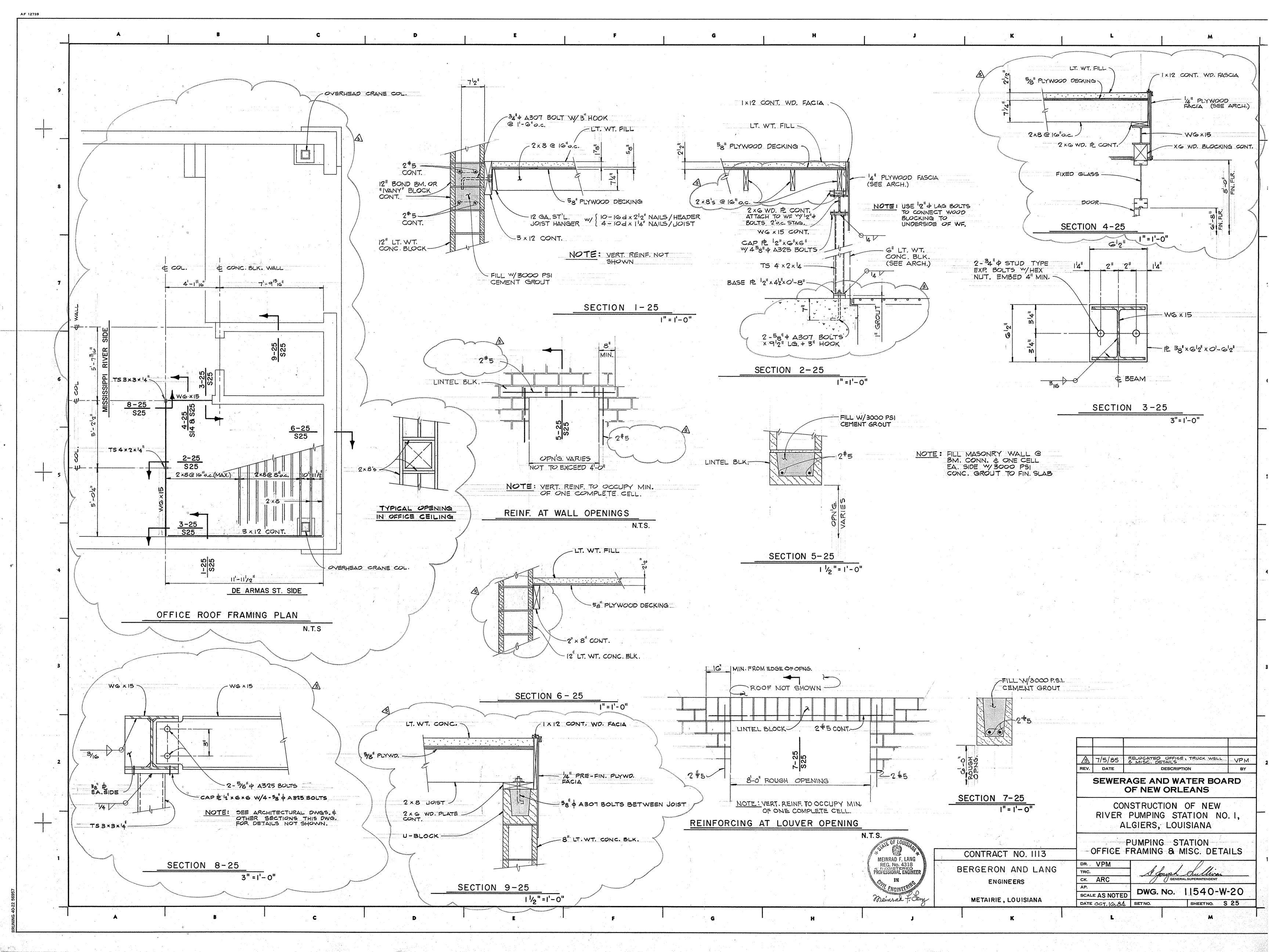


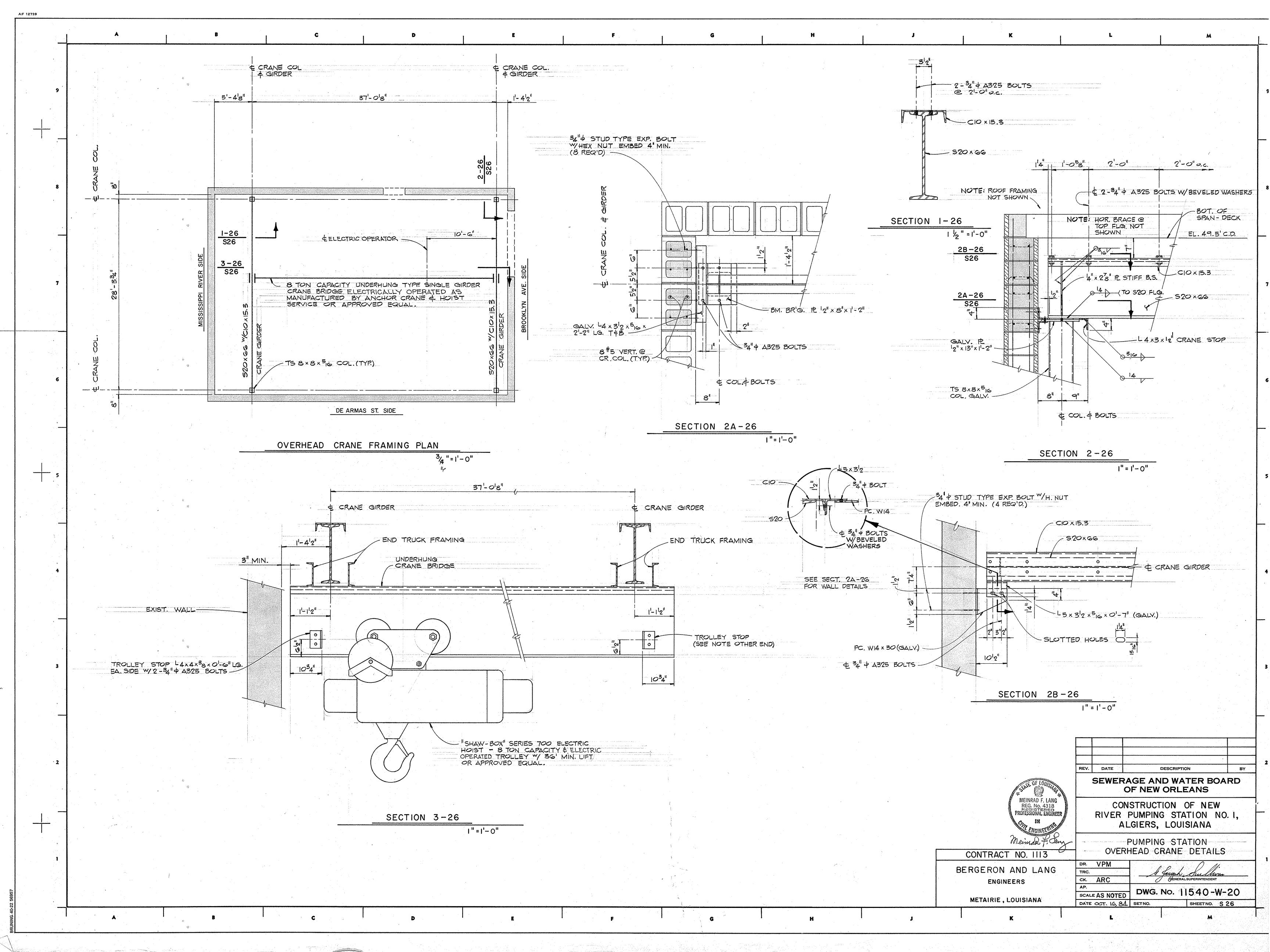


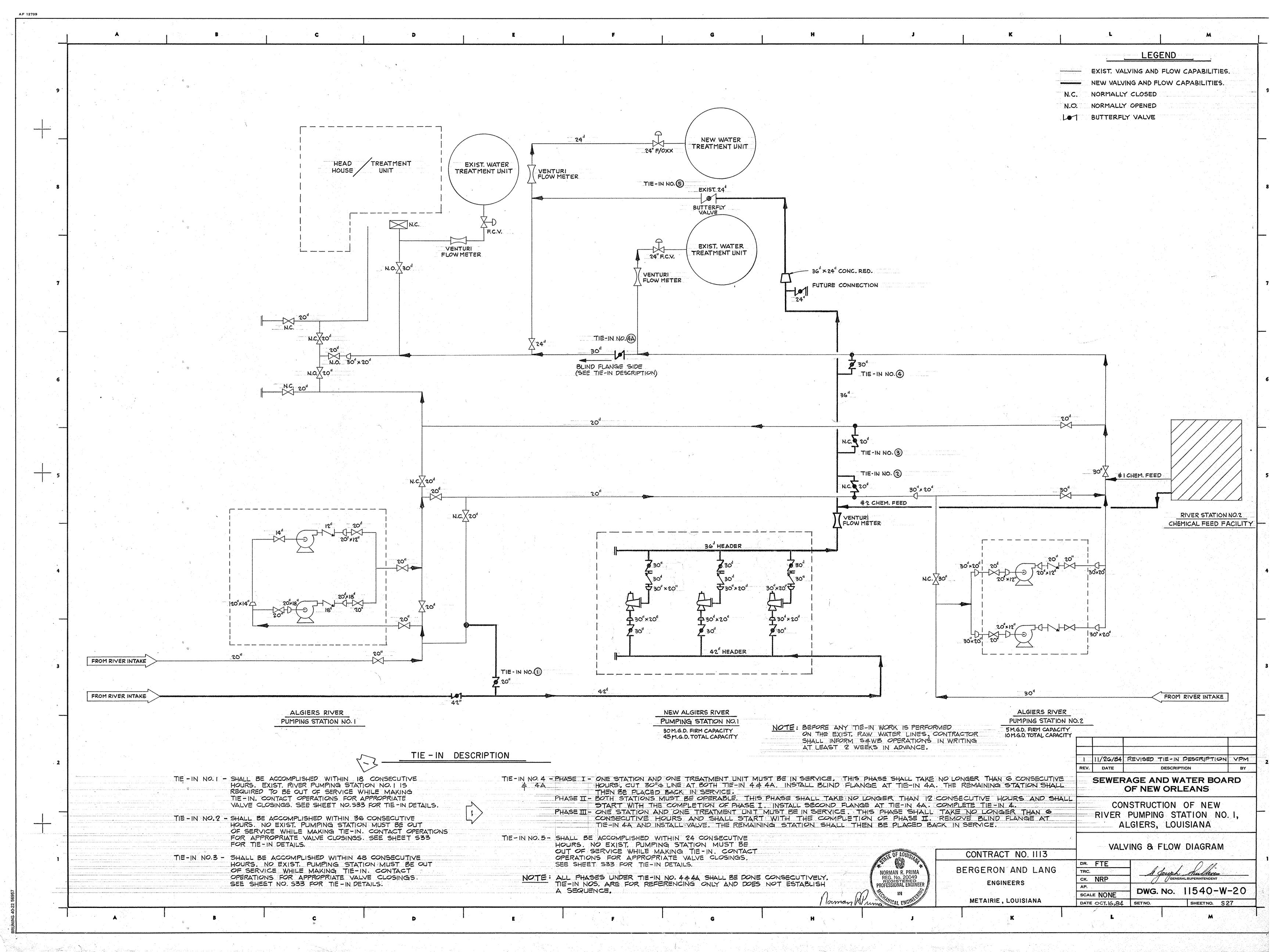


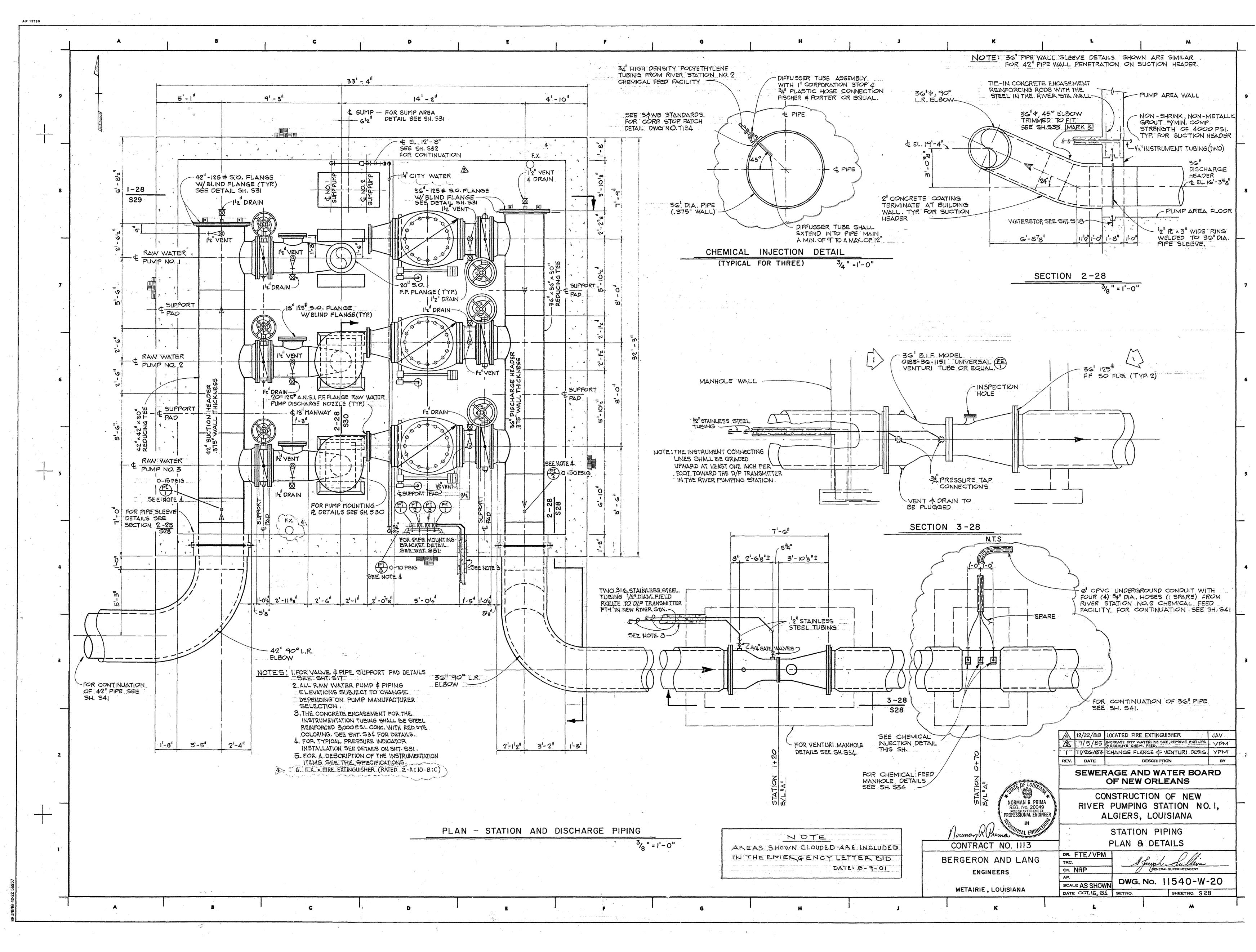


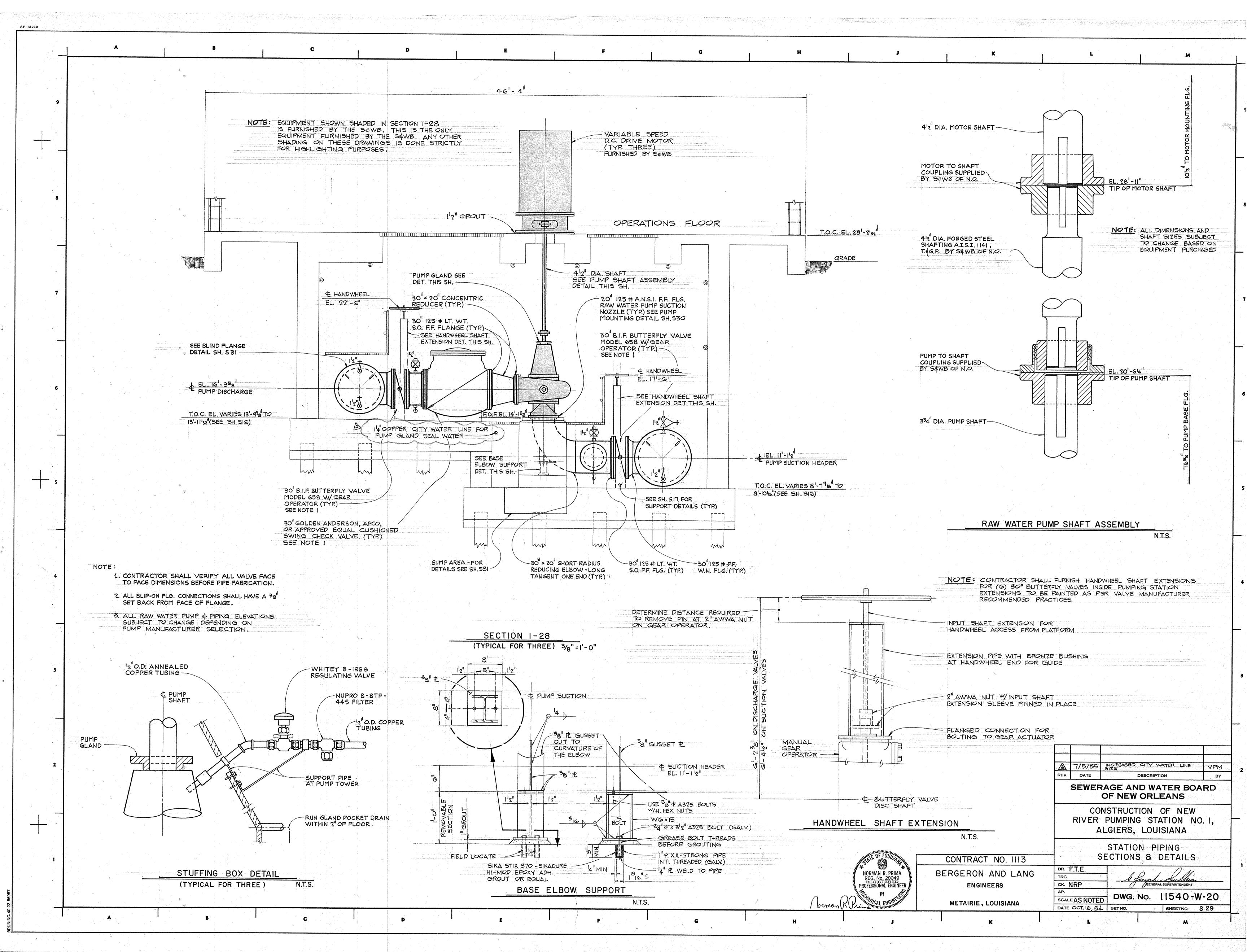


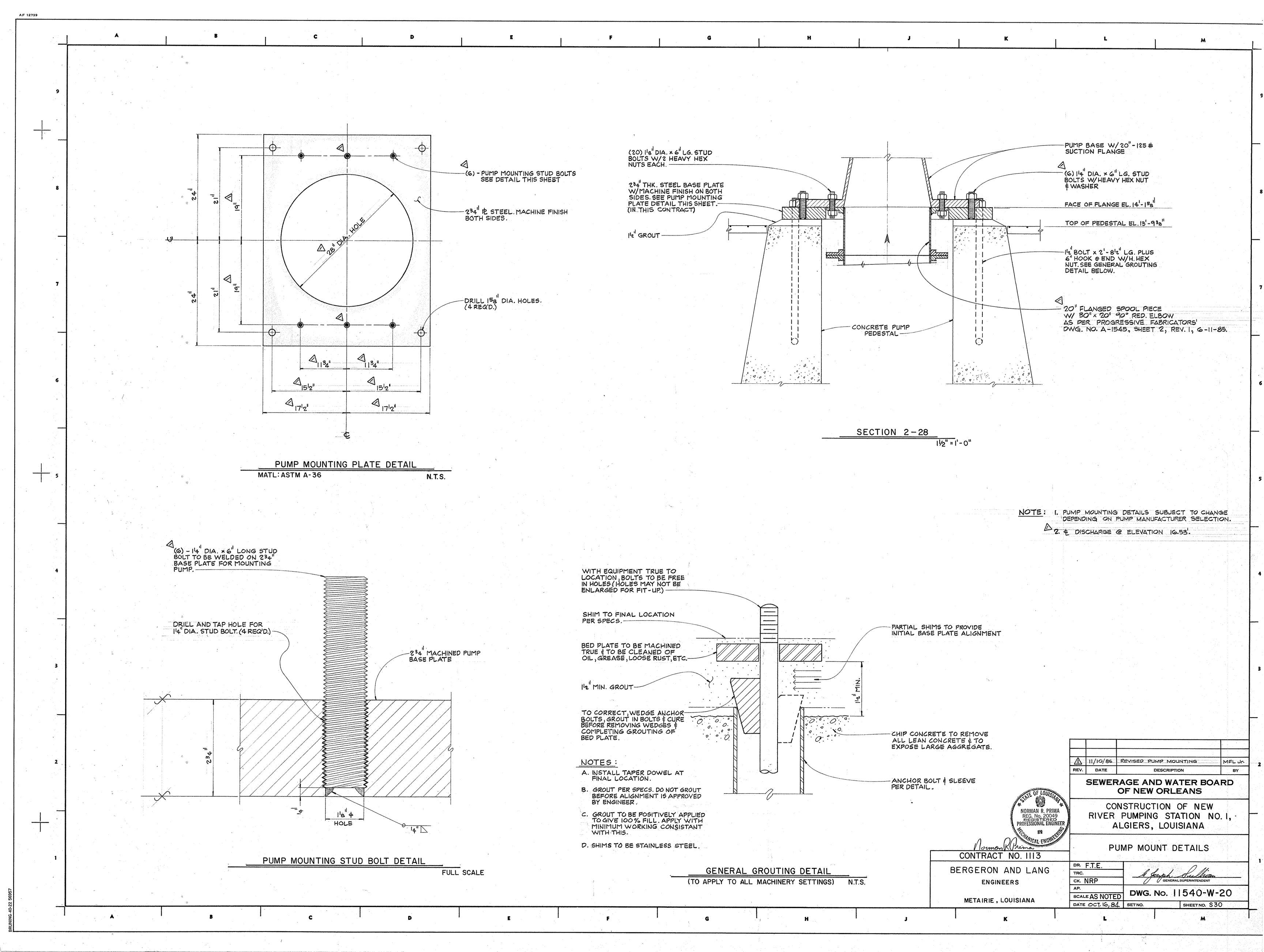


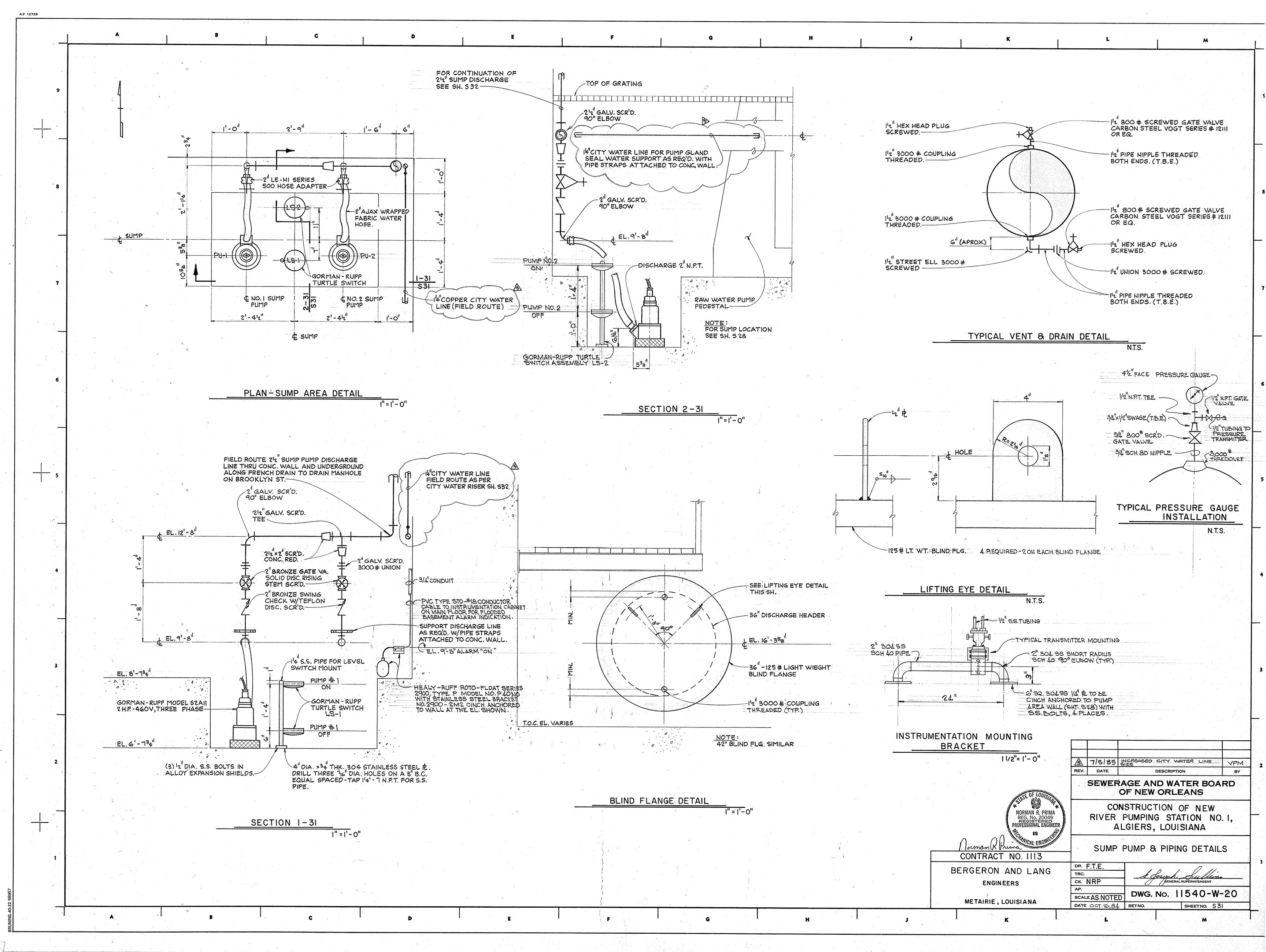


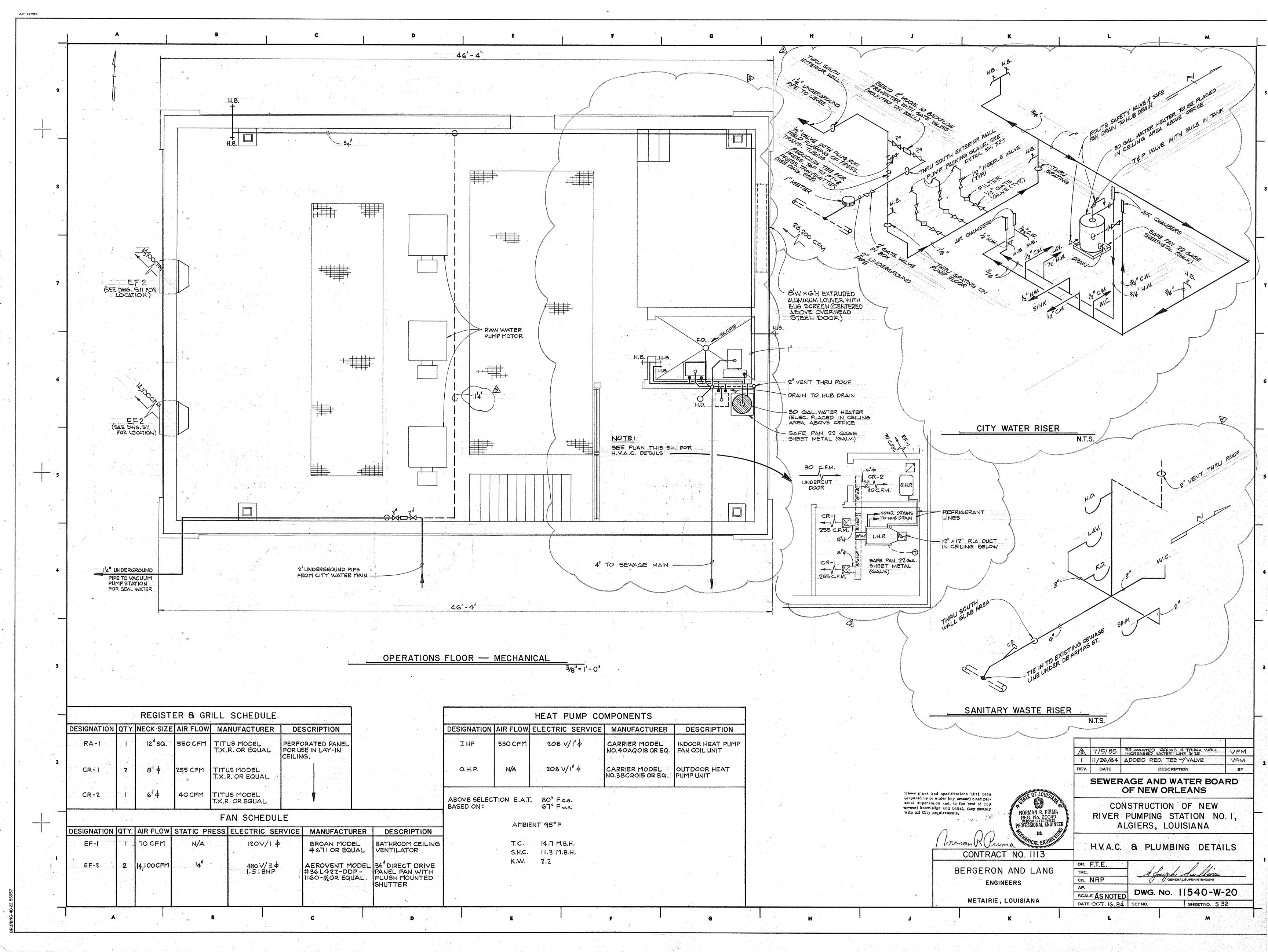


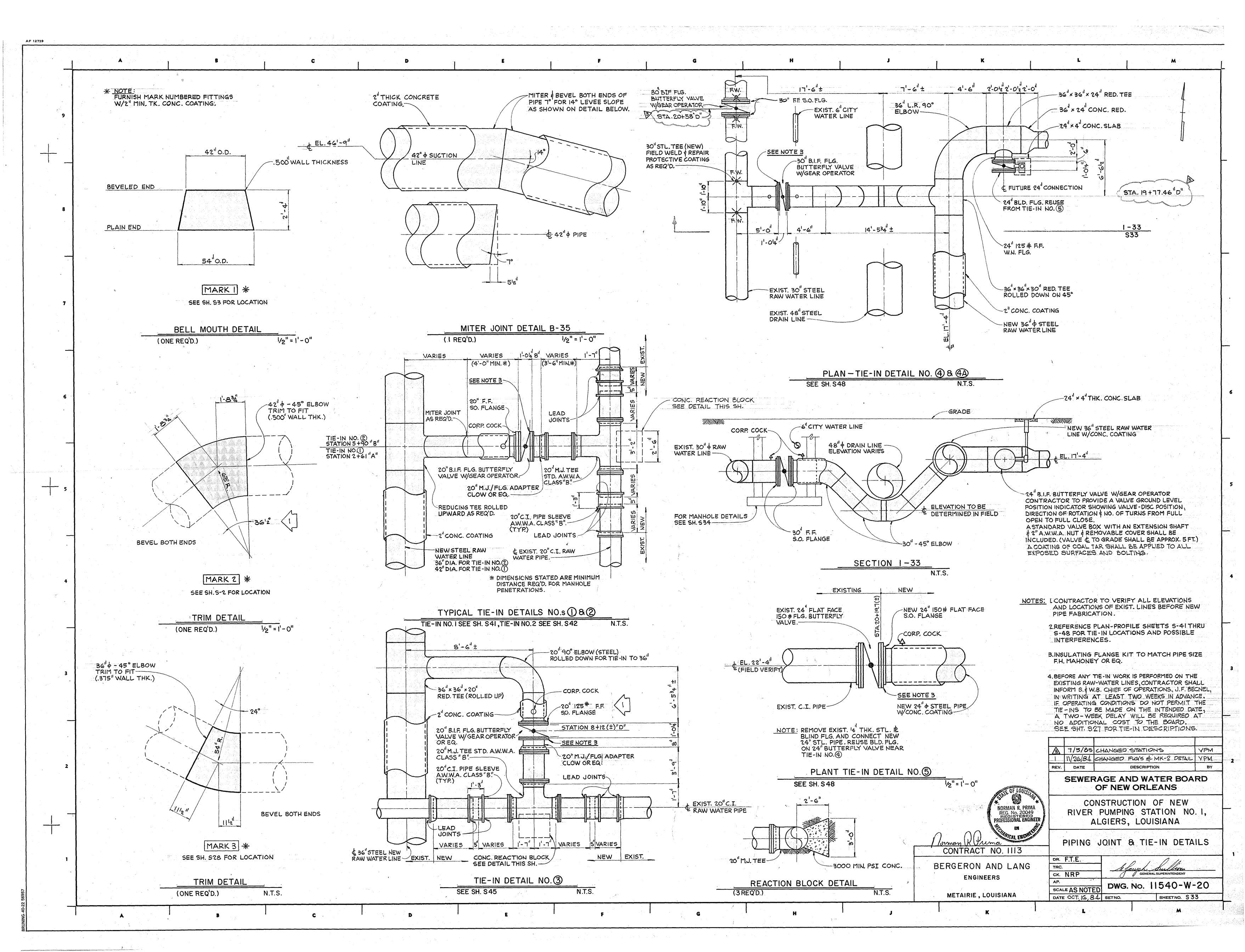


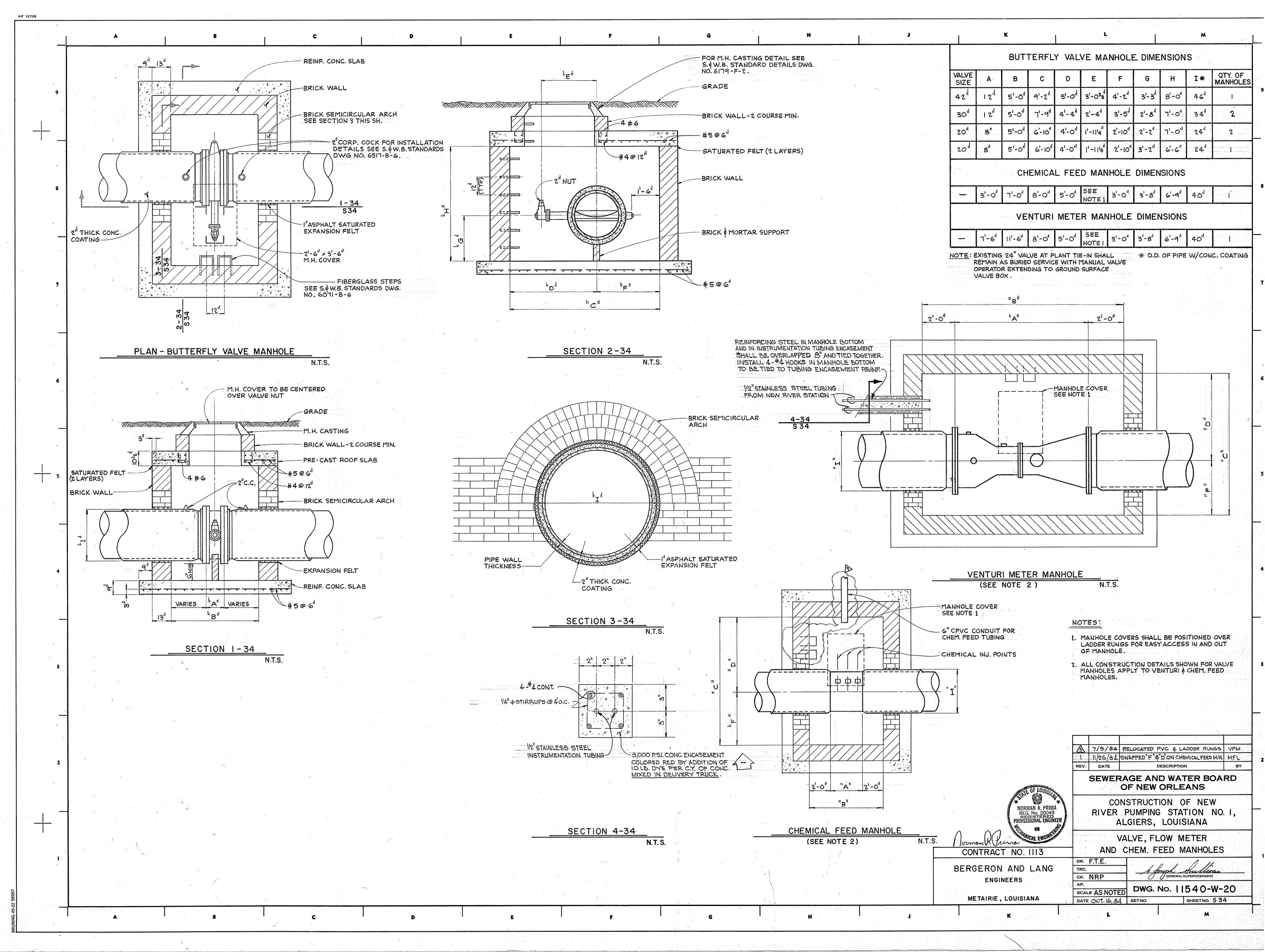


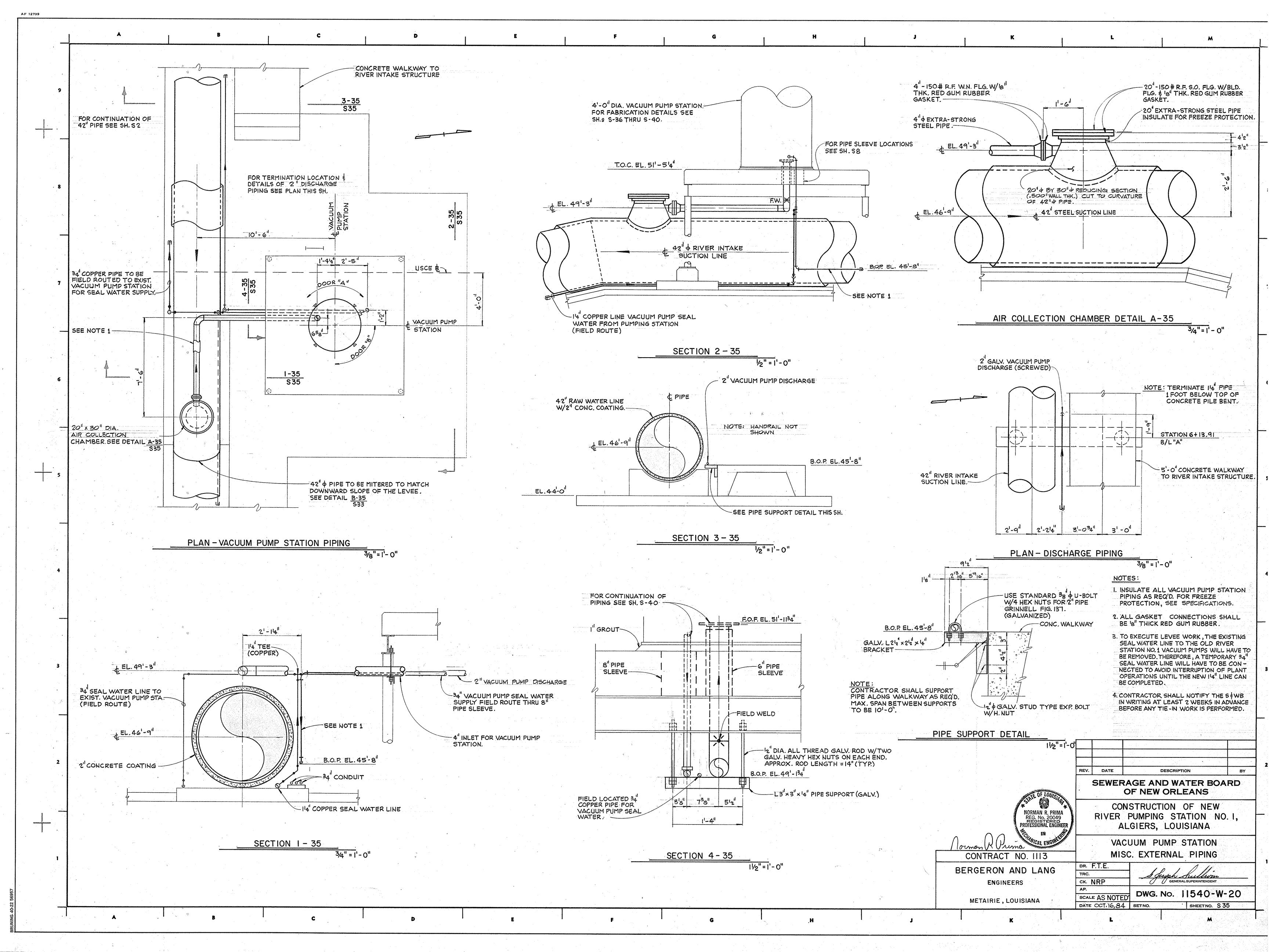


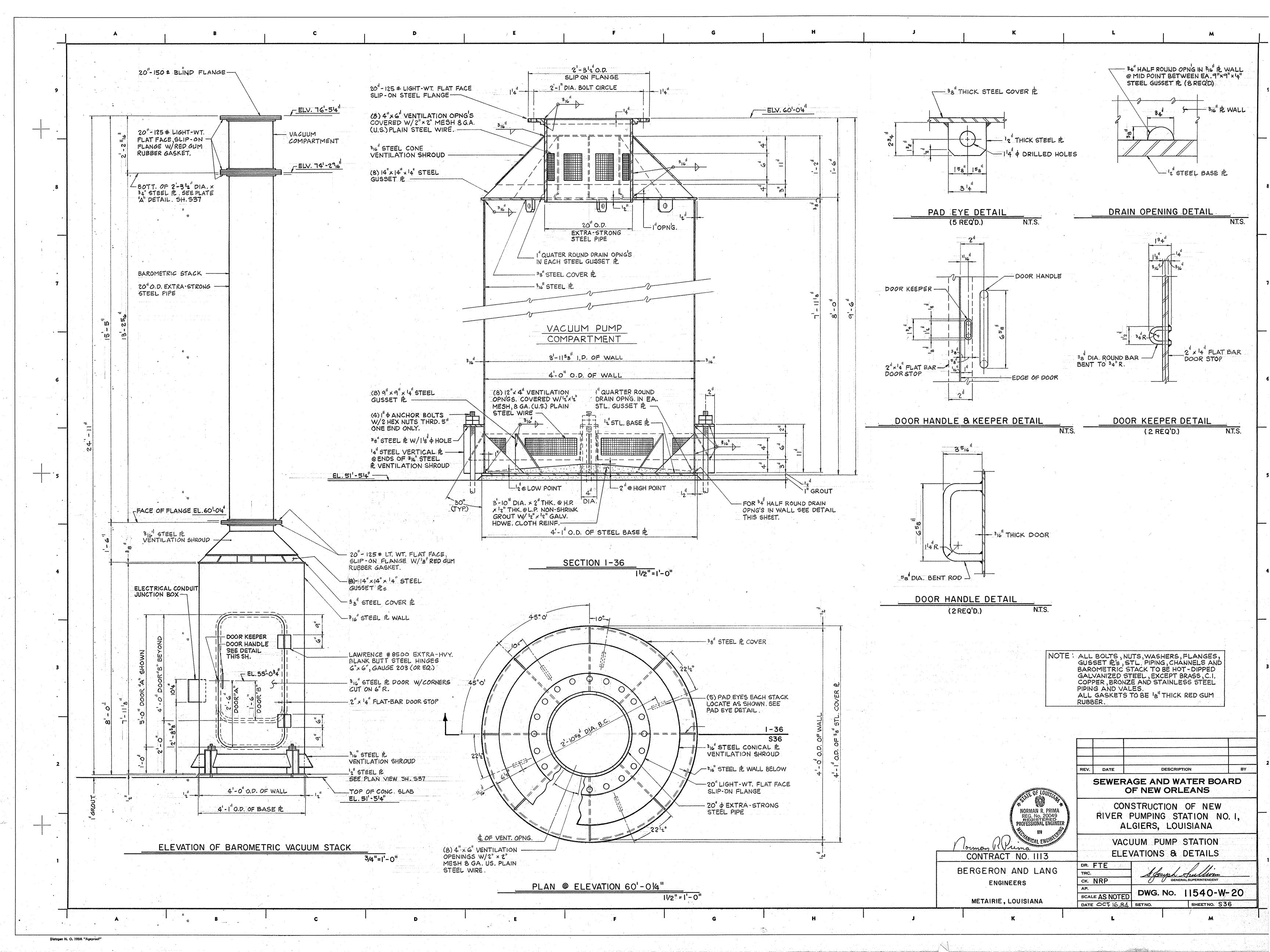


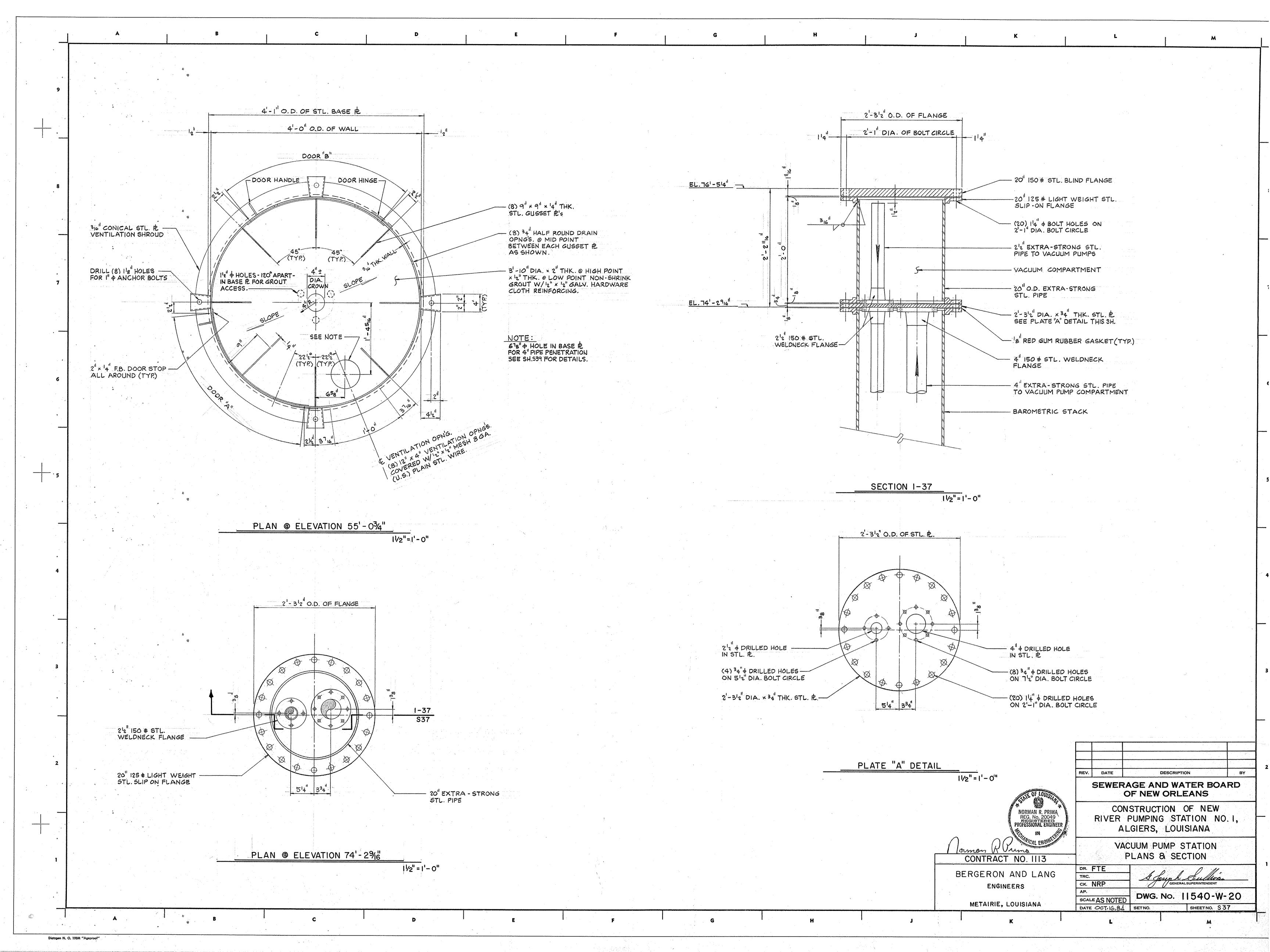


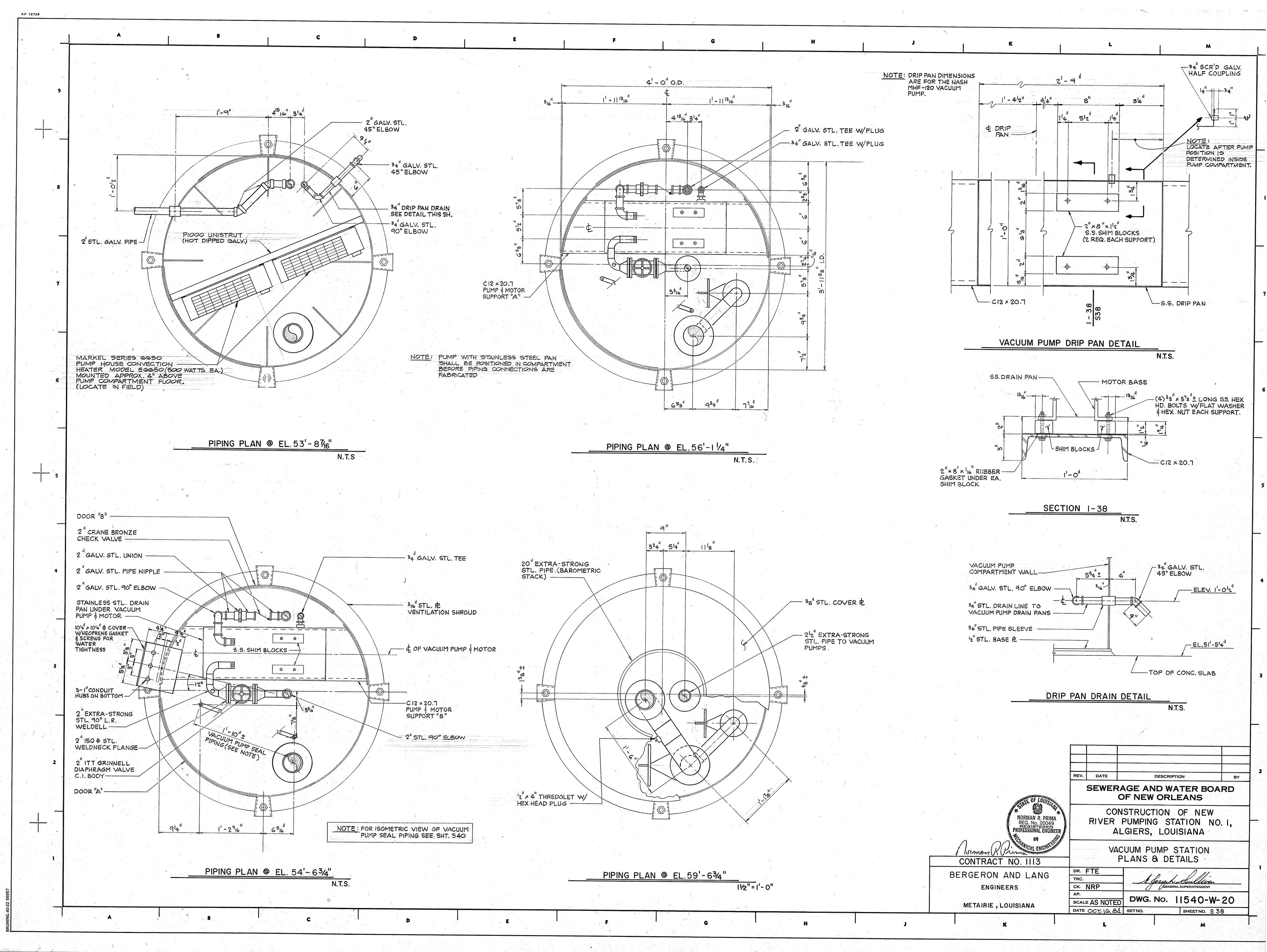


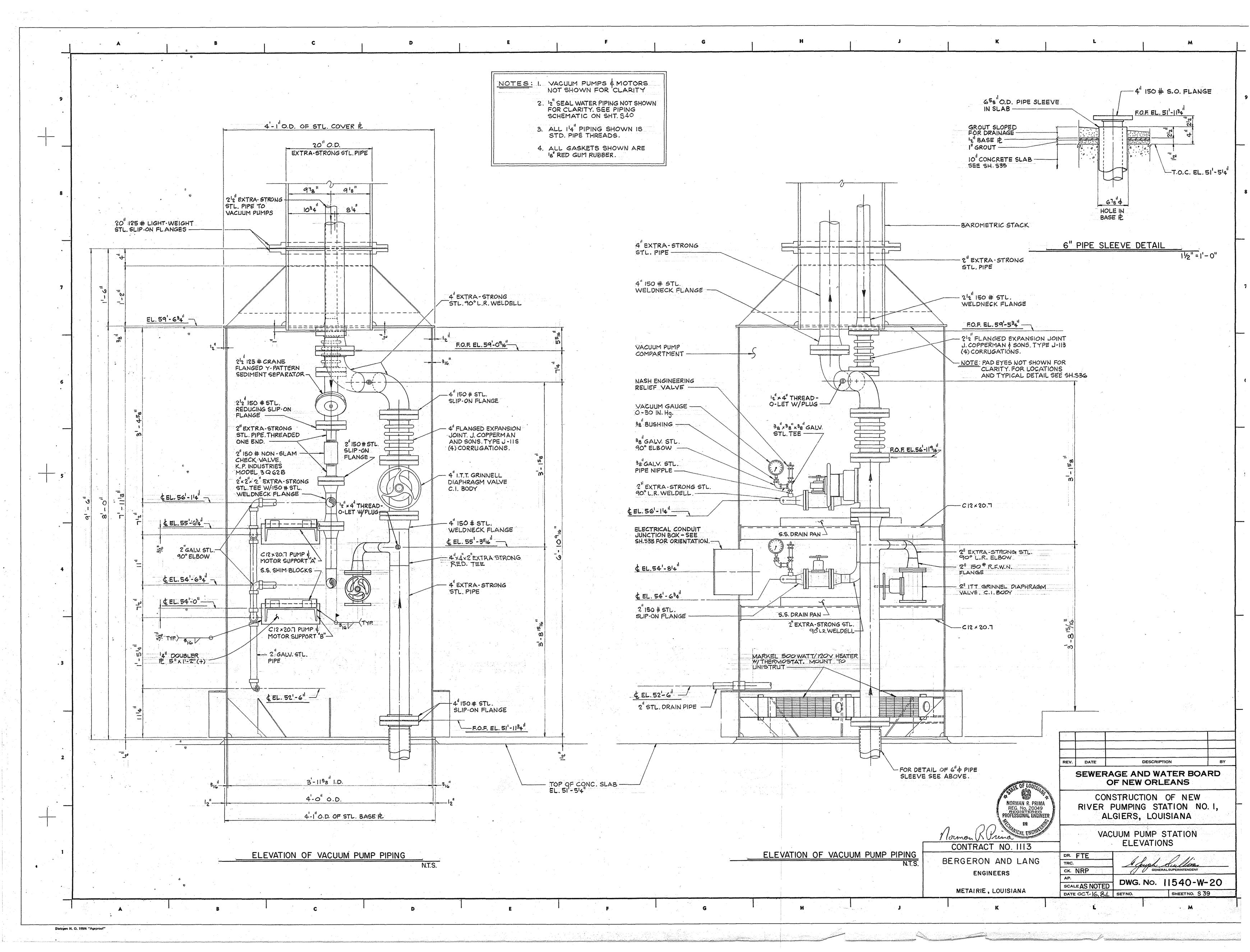


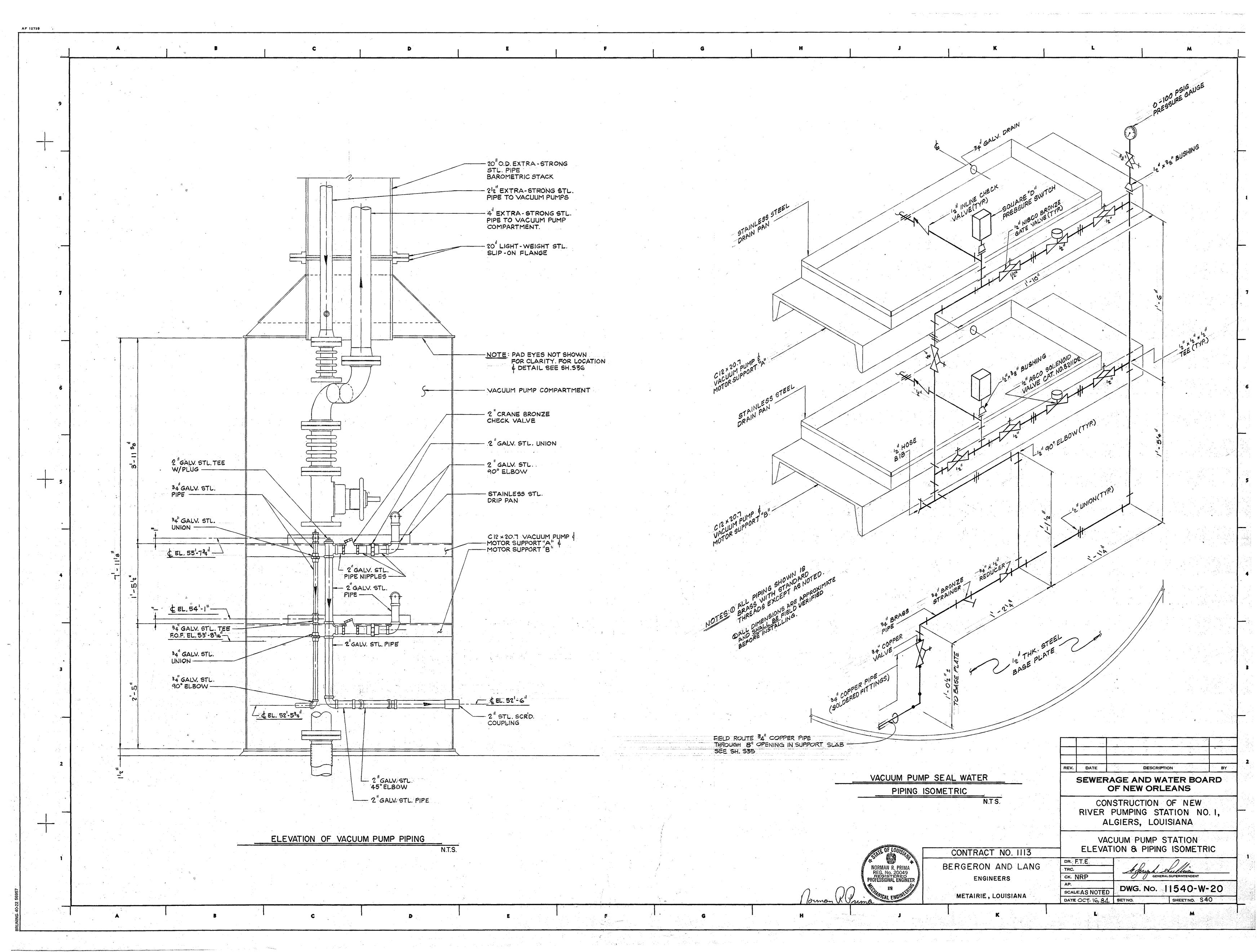


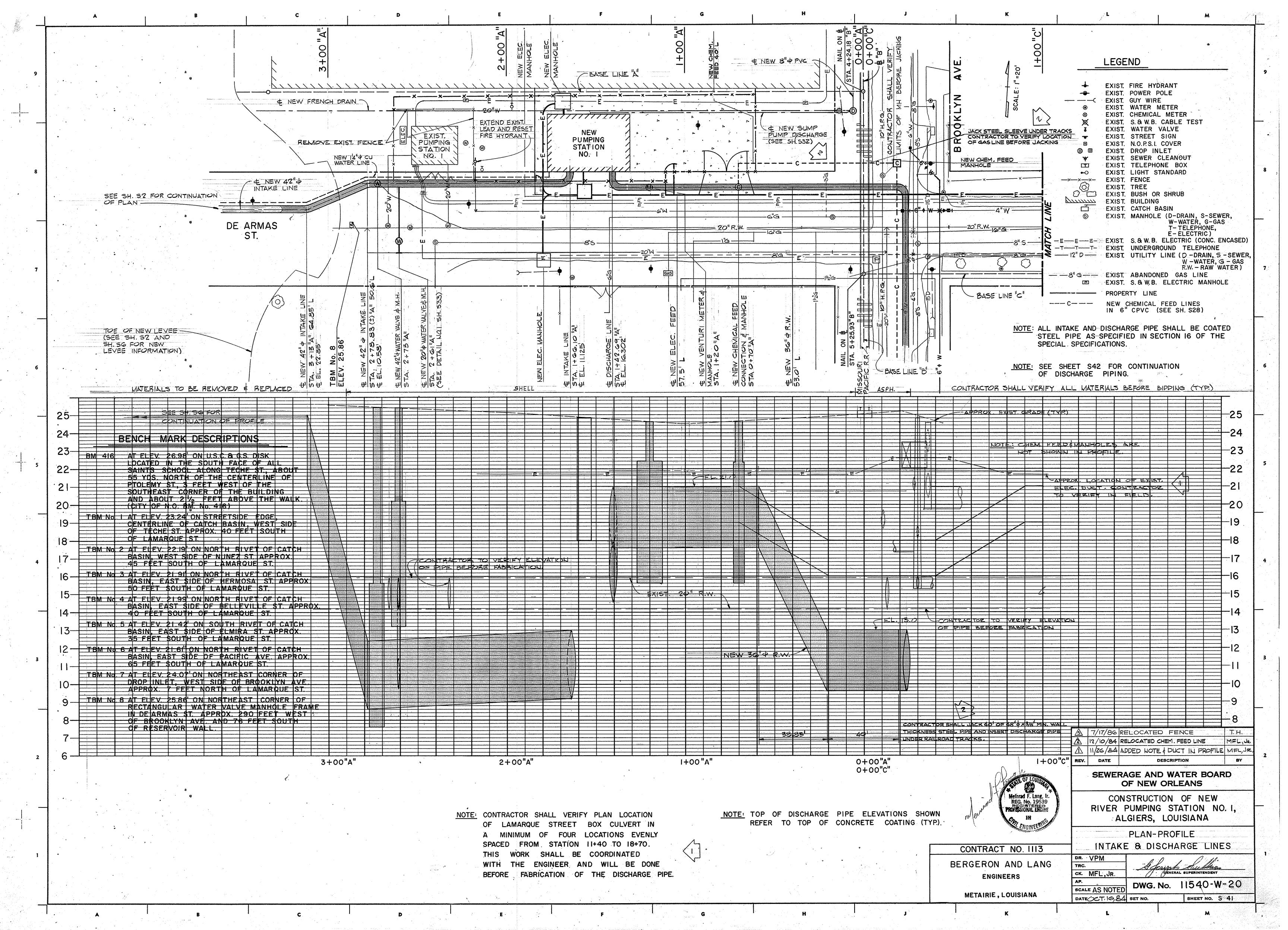


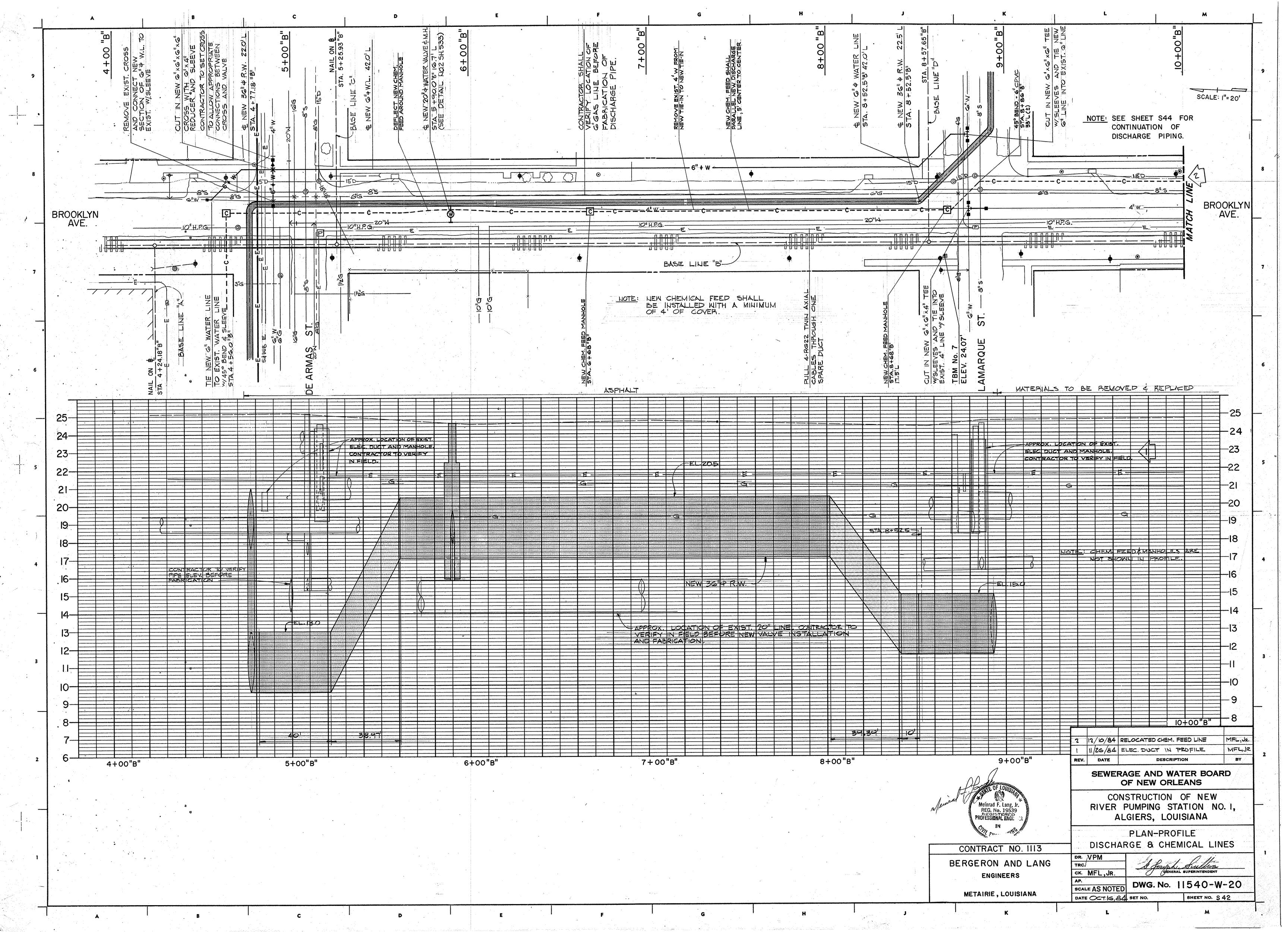


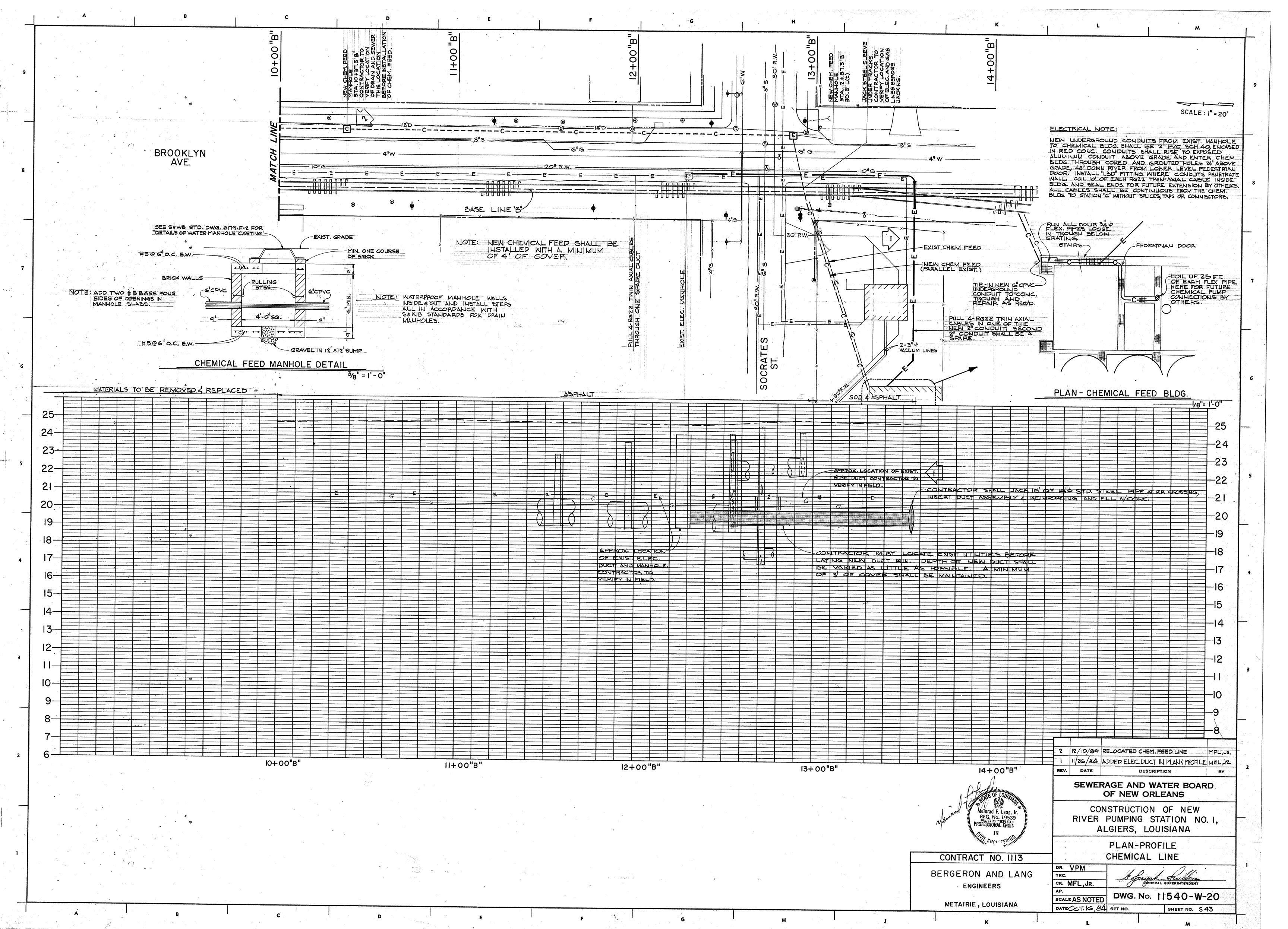


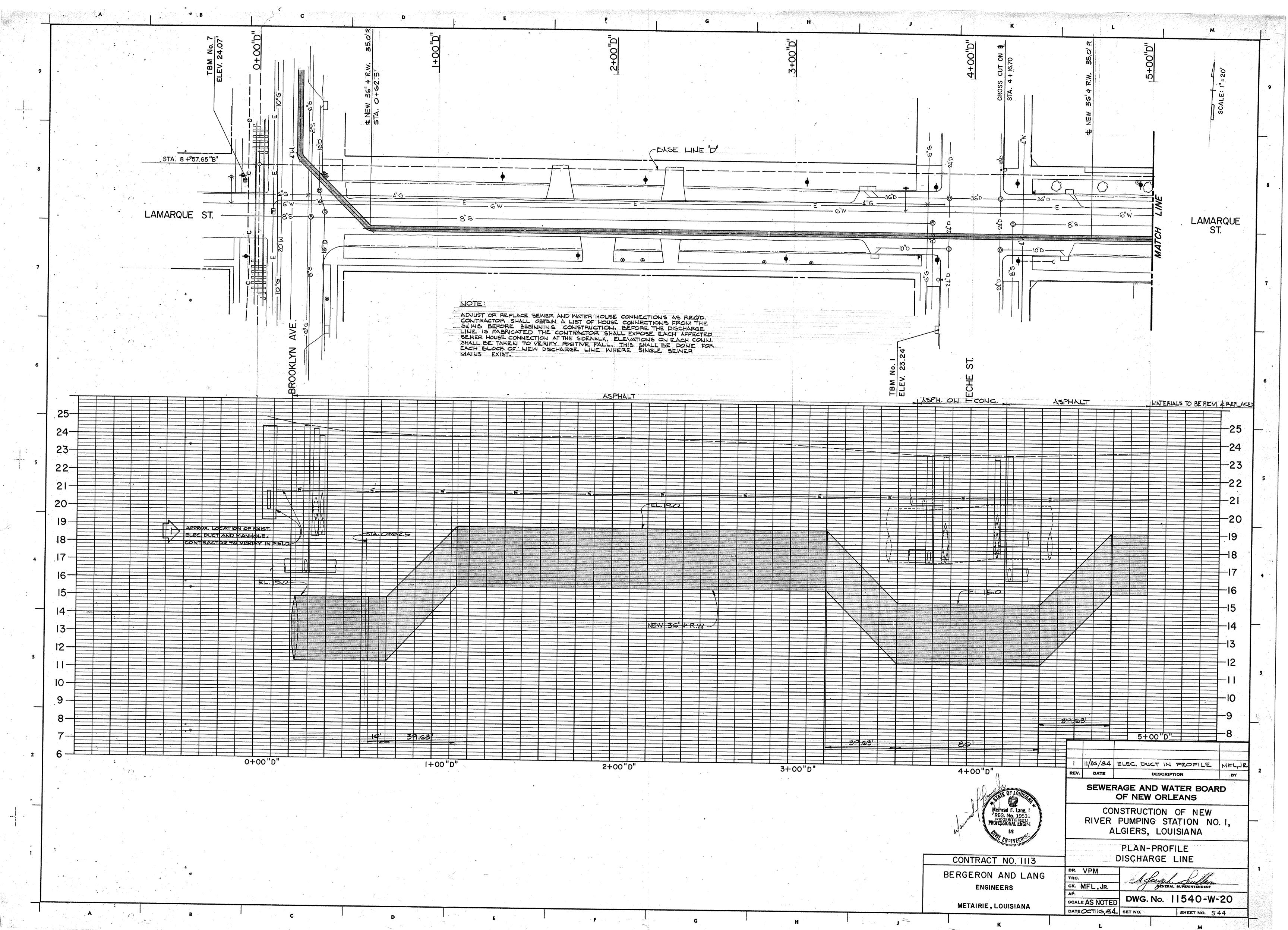


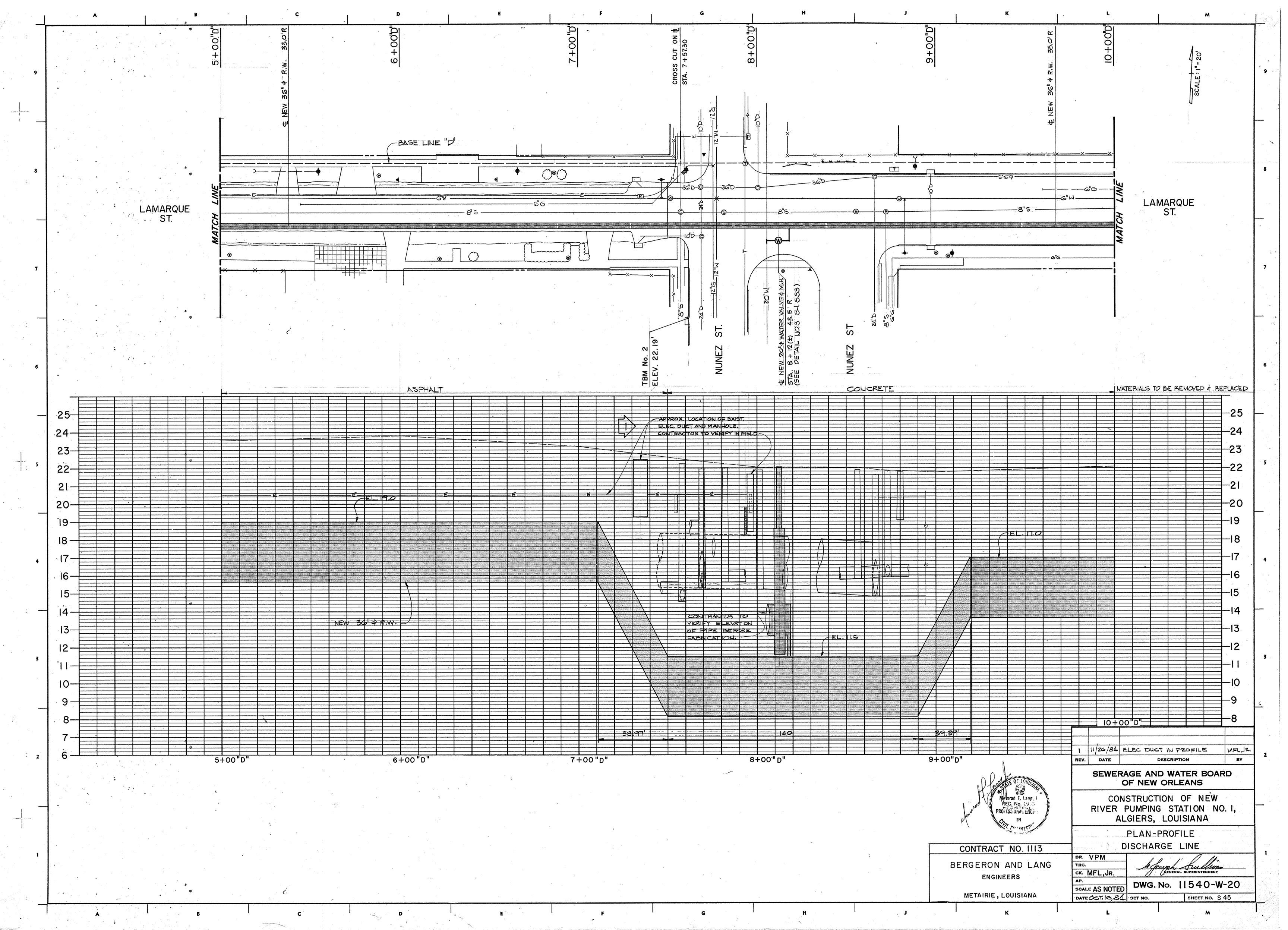


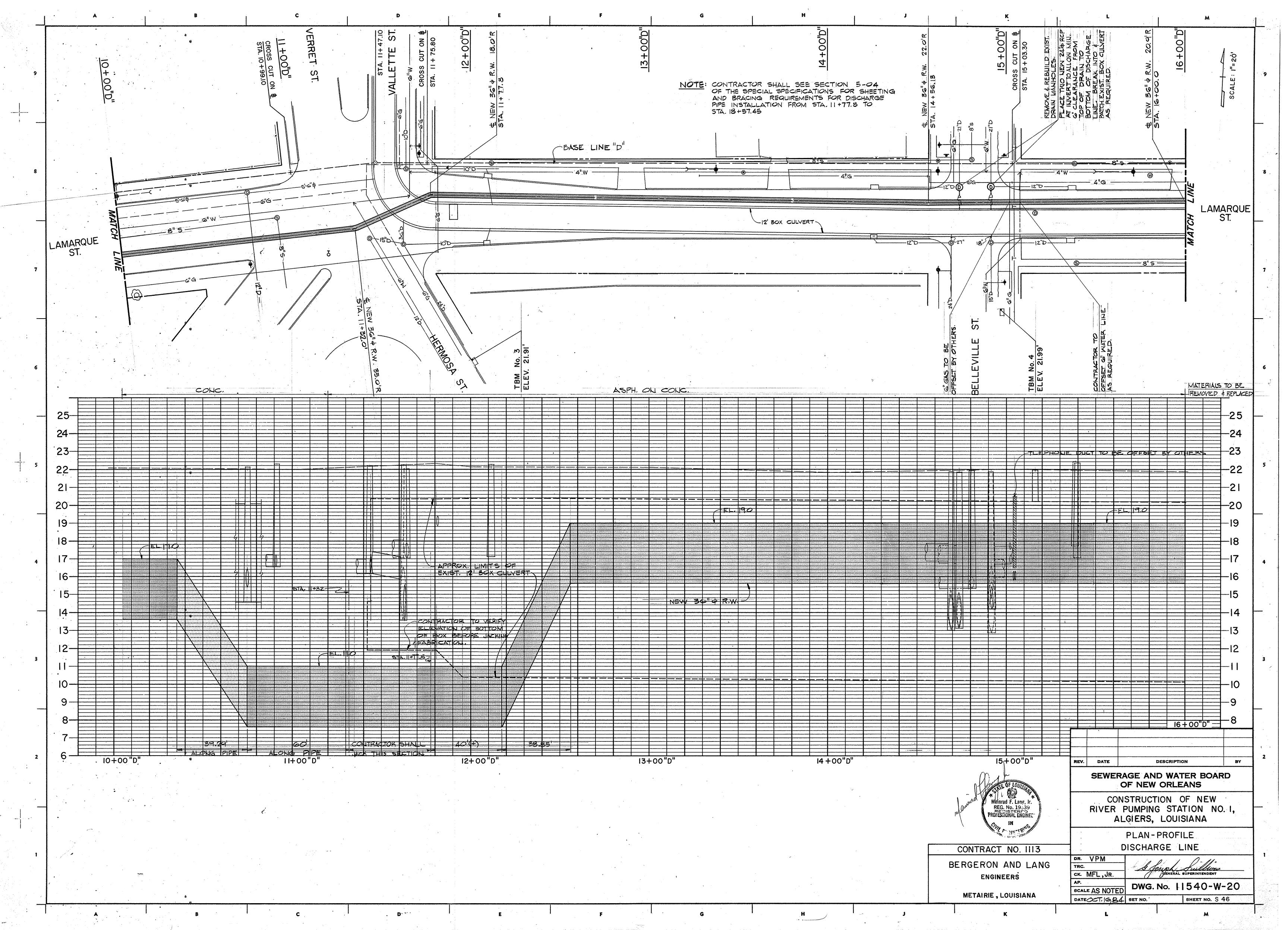


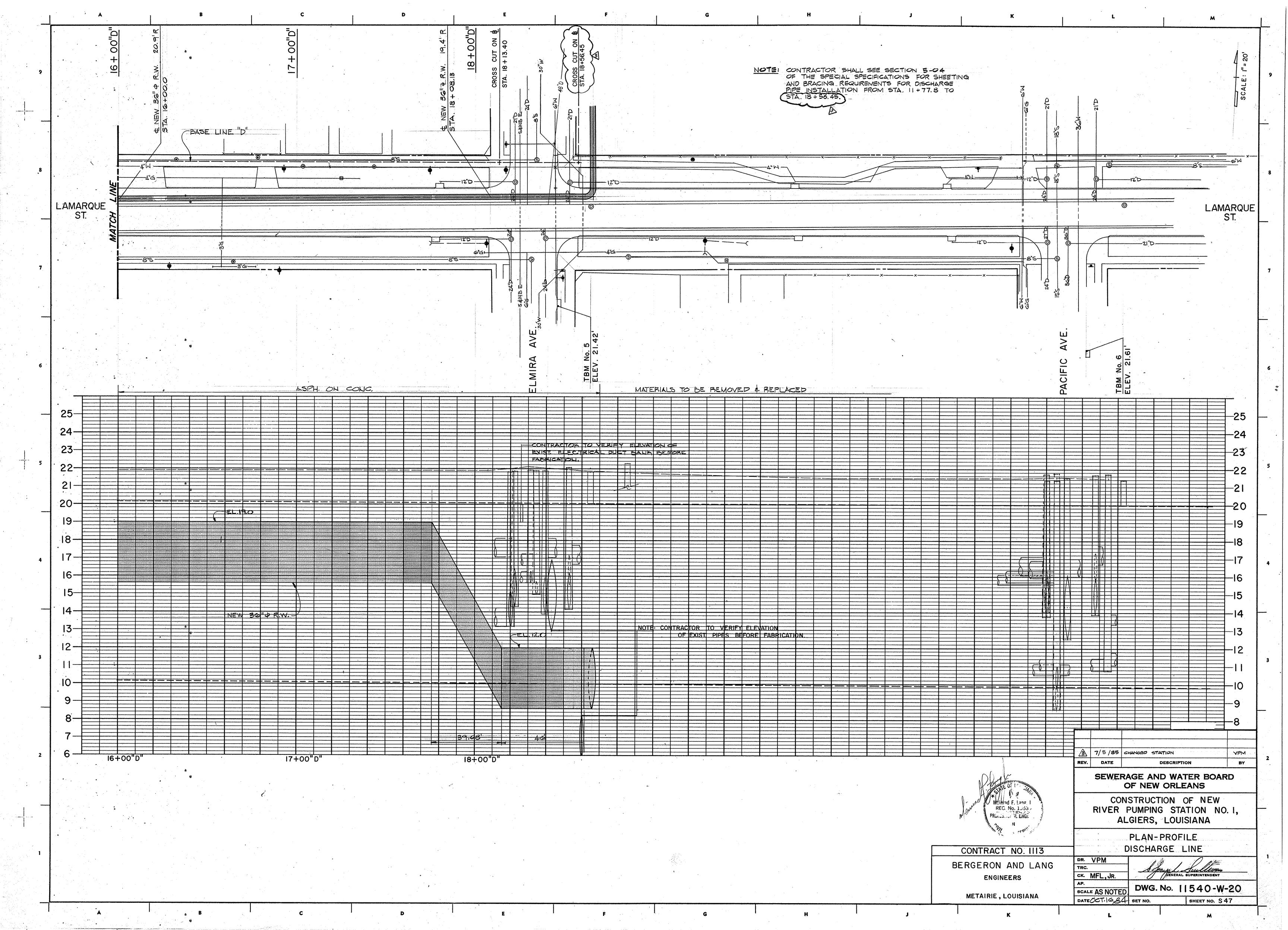


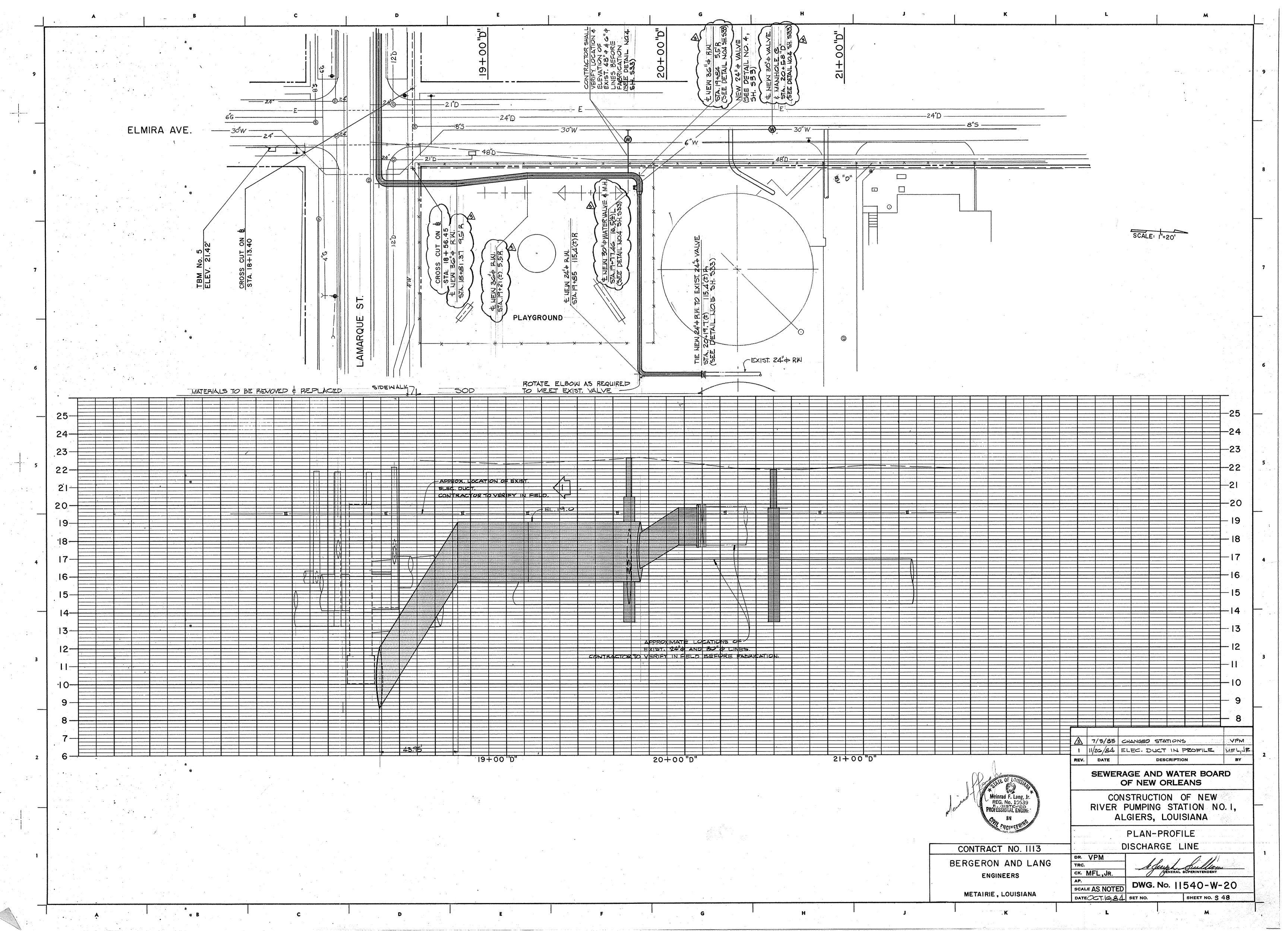




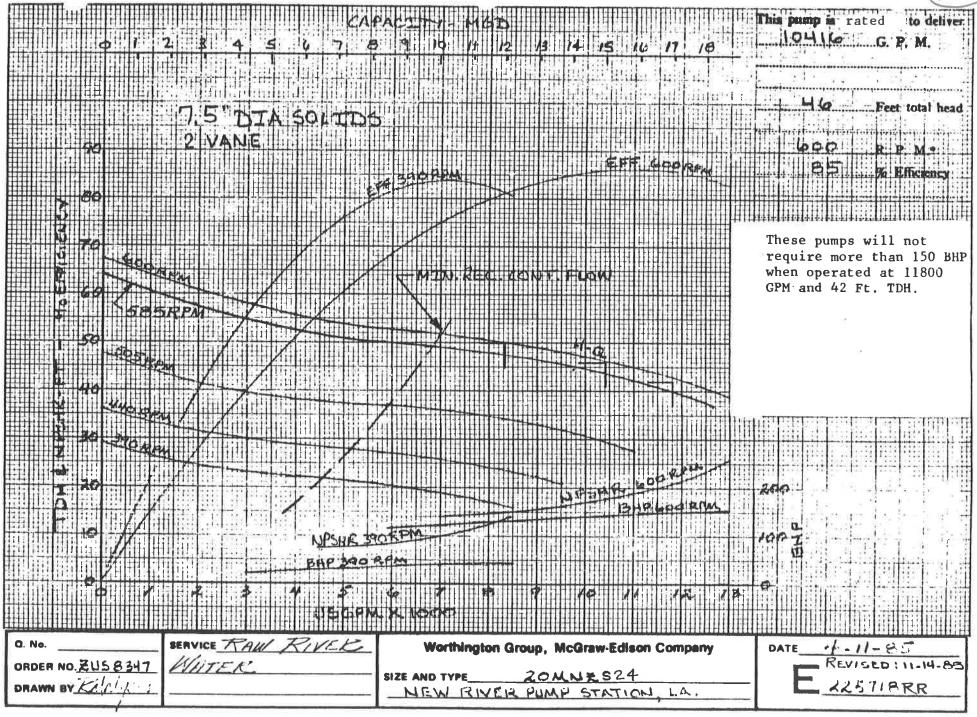








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"General Decision Number: LA20230005 06/30/2023

Superseded General Decision Number: LA20220005

State: Louisiana

Construction Type: Heavy

Counties: Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St Bernard, St Charles, St James, St John the Baptist and St Tammany Counties

in Louisiana.

HEAVY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (Includes flood control, water & sewer lines, and water wells. Also includes elevated storage tanks in all listed parishes except Plaguemines and St. James. Excludes industrial construction-chemical processing, power plants, and refineries.)

Note: Contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act are generally required to pay at least the applicable minimum wage rate required under Executive Order 14026 or Executive Order 13658. Please note that these Executive Orders apply to covered contracts entered into by the federal government that are subject to the Davis-Bacon Act itself, but do not apply to contracts subject only to the Davis-Bacon Related Acts, including those set forth at 29 CFR 5.1(a)(2)-(60).

If the contract is entered into on or after January 30, 2022, or the contract is renewed or extended (e.g., an |. The contractor must pay option is exercised) on or after January 30, 2022:

- Executive Order 14026 generally applies to the contract.
- all covered workers at least \$16.20 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in 2023.

If the contract was awarded on . Executive Order 13658 or between January 1, 2015 and January 29, 2022, and the contract is not renewed or extended on or after January 30, 2022:

- generally applies to the contract.
- The contractor must pay all covered workers at least \$12.15 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on that contract in 2023.

The applicable Executive Order minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. If this contract is covered by one of the Executive Orders and a classification considered necessary for performance of work on the contract does not appear on this wage determination, the contractor must still submit a conformance request.

Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the Executive Orders is available at

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CARP0729-001 01/01/2023		
	Rates	Fringes
MILLWRIGHT		13.30
CARP1846-006 07/01/2022		
	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER		
(formbuilding/formsetting and Piledrivers)	\$ 29.09	10.27
ELEC0130-005 12/05/2022		
JEFFERSON, ORLEANS, PLAQUEMIN JAMES, AND ST. JOHN THE BAPTIS), ST. CHARLES, ST.
	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN (including low voltage wiring)		14.51
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ST. TAMMANY PARISH		
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	Rates	Fringes
OPERATOR: Power Equipment		
Bulldozer Mechanic	\$ 23.31	6.70 6.70
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JEFFERSON, ORLEANS, PLAQUEMIN JOHN THE BAPTIST, and ST. TAM		O, ST. CHARLES, ST.
	Rates	Fringes
Cement Mason/Concrete Finishe		7.97
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	Rates	Fringes		
Cement Mason/Concrete Finisher	.\$ 31.83	5.90		
PLUM0060-002 06/05/2023				
JEFFERSON, ORLEANS, PLAQUEMINES, ST. BERNARD, ST. CHARLES, ST. JAMES (Southeastern Portion), ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, and ST. TAMMANY PARISHES				
	Rates	Fringes		
Plumbers (excluding pipe laying)		13.85		
PLUM0198-005 12/08/2022				
ST. JAMES PARISH (Northwestern Portion)				
	Rates	Fringes		
PLUMBER (excluding pipe laying)	.\$ 32.42 	16.50		
* SULA2004-007 05/13/2004				
	Rates	Fringes		
CARPENTER (all other work)	.\$ 13.75 **	2.60		
Laborers: Common/Landscape Fence Flagger Mason Tender Pipelayer.	.\$ 11.24 ** .\$ 8.58 ** .\$ 7.25 **	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00		
PIPEFITTER (excluding pipelaying)	.\$ 17.52	4.51		
Power equipment operators: Backhoe/Excavator Crane Dragline Front End Loader Oiler	.\$ 16.34 .\$ 16.50 .\$ 13.89 **	0.00 3.30 0.00 0.00 0.00		
Truck drivers: Dump Pickup	.\$ 12.25 **	0.00 0.00		
WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.				

^{**} Workers in this classification may be entitled to a higher minimum wage under Executive Order 14026 (\$16.20) or 13658 (\$12.15). Please see the Note at the top of the wage determination for more information.

Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2017. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work, up to 56 hours of paid sick leave each year. Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness, injury or other health-related needs, including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill, injured, or has other health-related needs, including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from, or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is a victim of, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at

https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/government-contracts.

Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clauses (29CFR 5.5 (a) (1) (ii)).

The body of each wage determination lists the classification and wage rates that have been found to be prevailing for the cited type(s) of construction in the area covered by the wage determination. The classifications are listed in alphabetical order of ""identifiers" that indicate whether the particular rate is a union rate (current union negotiated rate for local), a survey rate (weighted average rate) or a union average rate (weighted union average rate).

Union Rate Identifiers

A four letter classification abbreviation identifier enclosed in dotted lines beginning with characters other than ""SU"" or ""UAVG"" denotes that the union classification and rate were prevailing for that classification in the survey. Example: PLUM0198-005 07/01/2014. PLUM is an abbreviation identifier of the union which prevailed in the survey for this classification, which in this example would be Plumbers. 0198 indicates the local union number or district council number where applicable, i.e., Plumbers Local 0198. The next number, 005 in the example, is an internal number used in processing the wage determination. 07/01/2014 is the effective date of the most current negotiated rate, which in this example is July 1, 2014.

Union prevailing wage rates are updated to reflect all rate changes in the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) governing this classification and rate.

Survey Rate Identifiers

Classifications listed under the ""SU"" identifier indicate that no one rate prevailed for this classification in the survey and the published rate is derived by computing a weighted average rate based on all the rates reported in the survey for that classification. As this weighted average rate includes all rates reported in the survey, it may include both union and

non-union rates. Example: SULA2012-007 5/13/2014. SU indicates the rates are survey rates based on a weighted average calculation of rates and are not majority rates. LA indicates the State of Louisiana. 2012 is the year of survey on which these classifications and rates are based. The next number, 007 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 5/13/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

Survey wage rates are not updated and remain in effect until a new survey is conducted.

Union Average Rate Identifiers

Classification(s) listed under the UAVG identifier indicate that no single majority rate prevailed for those classifications; however, 100% of the data reported for the classifications was union data. EXAMPLE: UAVG-OH-0010 08/29/2014. UAVG indicates that the rate is a weighted union average rate. OH indicates the state. The next number, 0010 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 08/29/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

A UAVG rate will be updated once a year, usually in January of each year, to reflect a weighted average of the current negotiated/CBA rate of the union locals from which the rate is based.

WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

- 1.) Has there been an initial decision in the matter? This can be:
- * an existing published wage determination
- * a survey underlying a wage determination
- * a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter
- * a conformance (additional classification and rate) ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour National Office because National Office has responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write to:

Branch of Construction Wage Determinations Wage and Hour Division U.S. Department of Labor 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20210

2.) If the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Write to:

Wage and Hour Administrator U.S. Department of Labor 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20210

The request should be accompanied by a full statement of the interested party's position and by any information (wage payment data, project description, area practice material, etc.) that the requestor considers relevant to the issue.

3.) If the decision of the Administrator is not favorable, an interested party may appeal directly to the Administrative Review Board (formerly the Wage Appeals Board). Write to:

Administrative Review Board U.S. Department of Labor 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20210

END OF GENERAL DECISIO"