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Sincerely,

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Assistant Director, Transportation Safety

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cc: Kevin Jeffers, WSDOT (without attachment)

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Washington State Department of Transportation Petitioner, vs. **Central Puget Sound Regional Transportation Authority and the City of Lakewood** Respondent	)	DOCKET NO. TR- 100129 PETITION TO MODIFY A HIGHWAY-RAIL GRADE CROSSING **North Thorne Lane SW** USDOT CROSSING # **085828M** UTC CROSSING #

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The Petitioner asks the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission to approve modification of a highway-rail grade crossing.

Section 1 – Petitioner's Information

Washington State Department of Transportation

Petitioner

310 North Maple Park Ave SE

Street Address

Olympia, WA 98504

City, State and Zip Code

PO Box 47307, Olympia, WA 98504-7407

Mailing Address, if different than the street address

Kevin Jeffers

Contact Person Name

360-705-7982; JefferK@wsdot.wa.gov

Contact Phone Number and E-mail Address

Section 2 – Respondent's Information

Central Puget Sound Regional Transportation Authority ("Sound Transit")

Respondent

401 South Jackson Street

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Seattle, WA 98104-2826

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Jodi Mitchell

Contact Person Name

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City of Lakewood

Respondent

6000 Main Street

Street Address

Lakewood, WA 98499-5027

City, State and Zip Code

Mailing Address, if different than the street address

Desirée Winkler

Contact Person Name

(253) 983-7818; dwinkler@CityofLakewood.us

Contact Phone Number and E-mail Address

Section 3 – Current Crossing Information

1. Railroad company(ies) _____
   - Tracks owned by: **Sound Transit**
   - Operating railroad: **Tacoma Rail, BNSF, Amtrak**

2. Type of railroad at crossing ☑ Common Carrier ☐ Logging ☐ Industrial

   ☐ Passenger ☐ Excursion

3. Type of tracks at crossing ☑ Main Line, number of tracks **1**
   ☐ Siding or Spur, number of tracks ____

4. Average daily train traffic, freight **2 per day (trains typically operate 4-5 days/week)**

   Authorized freight train speed **10 mph** Operated freight train speed **10 mph**

5. Average daily train traffic, passenger **0**

   Authorized passenger train speed **N/A** Operated passenger train speed **N/A**

6. Describe current crossing configuration including type of train detection, active warning devices, preemption, etc.:

This is currently a single track crossing with cantilever-mounted flashing lights (no gates).

The existing detection circuitry is either a "C Style" or "Ring 10" relay-based track circuit.

There are no existing medians or crossing gates.

The existing interconnection with the traffic signal at the Interstate 5 off-ramp is simultaneous pre-emption. When activated, the traffic lights go into an "all-way-flashing red" mode.

There is currently no traffic signal at the intersection of North Thorne Lane and Union Avenue.

Section 4 – Expected Crossing Characteristics After Modification

1. Type of railroad operations at crossing ☑ Common Carrier ☐ Logging ☐ Industrial

☑Passenger ☐ Excursion

2. Type of tracks at crossing ☑ Main Line, number of tracks **1**
☐ Siding or Spur, number of tracks _____

3. Average daily train traffic, freight **2**

Authorized freight train speed **40 mph** Operated freight train speed **40 mph**

4. Average daily train traffic, passenger **16**

Authorized passenger train speed **79 mph** Operated passenger train speed **79 mph**

5. Will the modified crossing eliminate the need for one or more existing crossings?
Yes ____ No **X**

6. If so, state the distance and direction from the modified crossing.

_____

_____

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7. Does the petitioner propose to close any existing crossings and if yes, which crossings?
Yes ____ No **X**

_____

Section 5 – Proposed Temporary Crossing

1. Will a temporary crossing be installed? Yes ____ No __X__

2. If so, describe the purpose of the crossing and the estimated time it will be needed

_____

_____

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3. Will the petitioner remove the crossing at completion of the activity requiring the temporary crossing? Yes ____ No ____ **N/A**

Approximate date of removal _____

Section 6 – Current Highway Traffic Information

1. Name of roadway/highway **North Thorne Lane SW**

2. Roadway classification **Arterial**

3. Road authority **City of Lakewood / WSDOT**

4. Average annual daily traffic (AADT) **7420 (in year 2006)**

5. Number of lanes **1 NB lane, 2 SB lanes. Note that one of the existing SB lanes is 8' or less in width where the existing flashing lights encroach on the roadway.**

6. Roadway speed **35mph**

7. Is the crossing part of an established truck route? Yes **X** No ____

8. If so, trucks are what percent of total daily traffic? **3% (PM peak)**

9. Is the crossing part of an established school bus route? Yes **X** No ____

10. If so, how many school buses travel over the crossing each day? **39**

11. Describe any changes to the information in 1 through 7, above, expected within ten years:
AADT estimated to grow to 13,950 (in year 2020); as part of the project, a new 1' wide median will be installed on the north side of crossing, a short section of C-curb may be installed on the south side of crossing (though this would place the C-curb in the intersection of the Interstate 5 Ramps). The median on the north side of the crossing will help discourage motorists from evading the crossing gates.

In addition, the roadway is being widened to accommodate truck turning movements from

the I-5 off ramp onto northbound North Thorne Lane. The southbound lanes of North Thorne Lane SW will also be widened to provide an 11' wide center lane and a 12' wide curb lane. Currently, the curb lane is extremely narrow, with the railroad flashing light assemblies encroaching into the lane, leaving an effective lane width of approximately 8'. A new traffic signal, intended to help regulate the flow of traffic toward the crossing, will be installed at the intersection of North Thorne Lane SW and Union Avenue SW.

Section 7 – Alternatives to the Proposed Modifications

1. Does a safer location for a crossing exist within a reasonable distance of the current or proposed location? Yes ____ No **X**

2. If a safer location exists, explain why the crossing should not be located at that site.

3. Are there any hillsides, embankments, buildings, trees, railroad loading platforms or other barriers in the vicinity which may obstruct a motorist's view of the crossing?
Yes **X** No ____

4. If a barrier exists, describe:
- ♦ Whether petitioner can relocate the crossing to avoid the obstruction and if not, why not.
- ♦ How the barrier can be removed.
- ♦ How the petitioner or another party can mitigate the hazard caused by the barrier.

Views are obstructed a line of trees on an adjacent golf course in the Northeast quadrant, and by trees growing in a wetland area in the Northwest quadrant. However, both areas of trees are approximately 50' away from the track.

5. Is it feasible to construct an over-crossing or under-crossing at the proposed location as an alternative to an at-grade crossing?
Yes ____ No **X**

6. If an over-crossing or under-crossing is not feasible, explain why.
The existing site is surrounded by a golf course and a wetland. WSDOT has investigated an overpass in the area, but these investigations determined that an overpass would require significant R/W takes and reconfiguration of the roadway network as far east as Gravelly Lake Drive SW.

7. Does the railway line, at any point in the vicinity of the modified crossing, pass over a fill area or trestle or through a cut where it is feasible to construct an over-crossing or an under-crossing, even though it may be necessary to relocate a portion of the roadway to reach that point?

Yes ____ No X

8. If such a location exists, state:

- ♦ The distance and direction from the proposed crossing.
- ♦ The approximate cost of construction.
- ♦ Any reasons that exist to prevent locating the crossing at this site.

The railroad is at the same elevation as the roadway. Constructing an over/undercrossing would require reconfiguring the entire roadway network in this area. An adjacent fill on the railroad crosses a small stream, however the depression for that stream is not large enough to accommodate a roadway and its approaches and, if a roadway were placed in the depression, it would also have to be located below Interstate 5.

9. Is there an existing public or private crossing in the vicinity of the proposed modified crossing?

Yes ____ No X

10. If a crossing exists, state:

- ♦ The distance and direction from the proposed crossing.
- ♦ Whether it is feasible to divert traffic from the proposed to the existing crossing.

Section 8 – Sight Distance

1. Complete the following table, describing the sight distance for motorists when approaching the tracks from either direction after modification. "**Number of feet from proposed crossing" is measured from the crossing gate along the centerline of the "outside" lane. Sight distance is measured from the edge of traveled way (edge of fog line or curb line) along the CL of track at the crossing. NOTE - for "Left" sight distances, the edge of traveled way is on the *opposite* side of the roadway.**

Note that sight distances from the I-5 Southbound Off Ramp are NOT reflected in the tables below. The I-5 Off Ramp is both parallel and very close to the tracks. Motorists on the Off-Ramp may have their forward visibility along the track, at certain angles, obstructed somewhat by the railroad crossing cantilever mast and gate mechanism. Since the tracks also extend behind motorists on the Off-Ramp, rearward visibility, though unlimited by obstacles, is likely to be zero, based on motorists' tendency to not look behind them.

a. Approaching the crossing from **SOUTH** (North, South, East, West), the current approach provides an unobstructed view as follows:

Direction of sight (left or right)	Number of feet from proposed crossing	Provides an unobstructed view for how many feet
Right	300	**0 (obscured by bridge railing)**
Right	200	**5 (obscured by bridge railing)**
Right	100	**370**
Right	50	**545**
Right	25	**585**
Left	300	**0 (obscured by bridge railing)**
Left	200	**5 (obscured by bridge railing)**
Left	100	**300**
Left	50	**570**
Left	25	**570**

b. Approaching the crossing from **NORTH**, the current approach provides an unobstructed view as follows: (Opposite direction-North, South, East, West)

Direction of sight (left or right)	Number of feet from proposed crossing	Provides an unobstructed view for how many feet
Right	300	**10 (obscured by trees)**
Right	200	**15 (obscured by trees)**
Right	100	**15 (obscured by trees)**
Right	50	**320**
Right	25	**570**
Left	300	**30 (obscured by trees)**
Left	200	**40 (obscured by trees)**
Left	100	**300**
Left	50	**585**
Left	25	**585**

2. Will the modified crossing provide a level approach measuring 25 feet from the center of the railway on both approaches to the crossing?

Yes ____ No **X**

3. If not, state in feet the length of level grade from the center of the railway on both approaches to the crossing.

At the North side of the crossing, the roadway slopes down from the crossing at approximately 1%. The 1% slope begins approximately 4' from the edge of the crossing panels. The roadway grade to the South of the crossing slopes upward away from the crossing at 0.66% for approximately 15', then matches the existing roadway, which is sloping upward from the crossing at a grade in excess of 1%.

4. Will the modified crossing provide an approach grade of not more than five percent prior to the level grade?

Yes X No ____

3. If not, state the percentage of grade prior to the level grade and explain why the grade exceeds five percent.

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Section 9 – Illustration of Modified Crossing Configuration

Attach a detailed diagram, drawing, map or other illustration showing the following:

- ♦ The vicinity of the modified crossing.
- ♦ Layout of the railway and highway 500 feet adjacent to the crossing in all directions.
- ♦ Percent of grade.
- ♦ Obstructions of view as described in Section 7 or identified in Section 8.
- ♦ Traffic control layout showing the location of the existing and proposed signage.

Existing features (buildings, trees, etc) that are obstructions are shown on the accompanying plan in "screened" or "grayscale" lines.

Section 10 – Proposed Warning Signals or Devices

1. Explain in detail the number and type of proposed automatic signals or other warning devices planned at the crossing, including a cost estimate for each. If the proposed medications include adding or modifying preemption, contact UTC for the additional worksheets.

Modifications to the existing warning devices include replacement of the existing cantilevers with new "walk-out" style cantilevers and flashing lights, placed in new locations to accommodate the roadway widening. New crossing gates will also be provided.

The control equipment for the railroad warning devices will be upgraded to modern constant warning time units, replacing the existing case and hardware. The new circuitry will allow for additional advanced pre-emption time. The interconnection between the grade crossing control equipment and the roadway signal traffic controller will be upgraded to a 6-wire supervisory configuration. The roadway authority can use 2 or 6 of these wires, depending upon their interconnection wiring preferences.

A new traffic signal would be installed at the intersection of North Thorne Lane SW and Union Avenue SW. This new signal would be timed in conjunction with reconstructed traffic signals at the Interstate 5 off-ramp in a manner that discourages motorists from queuing on the tracks. Effectively, the downstream signal (in either direction of travel) would have a "green extension."

An activated blank-out sign with the message or symbol "No Right Turn" is proposed at the intersection of North Thorne Lane SW and the Southbound Off-Ramp from Interstate 5. Another activated blank-out sign with the message or symbol "No Right Turn" is proposed at the intersection of North Thorne Lane SW and Union Avenue SW. These signs will illuminate when advance pre-emption becomes effective and thus help deter vehicles from making movements toward the tracks.

Pedestrian movements conflicting with the pre-emption call would be terminated immediately, with the walk symbol immediately changing to "Don't Walk" or going blank, depending upon the roadway authority's preference.

When a train approaches, after the railroad advance pre-emption is in effect, and after the crossing gates have had sufficient time to descend, the green phase on North/Southbound North Thorne Lane SW will end at both the Interstate 5 Ramp terminal intersection and at the Union Avenue SW intersection. Movements which do not conflict with the railroad tracks will be permitted.

The approximate cost for railroad crossing signal improvements at North Thorne Lane SW is $550,000.

Section 11 – Justification of Installation of Wayside Horn (if applicable)

1. Describe in detail why this crossing should have a wayside horn installed. Also include a description of where the wayside horns and indicator lights will be installed at the crossing.

With higher speed operations, wayside horns are being installed to help avoid creating noise for residents adjacent to the track. With higher speed trains, the train horn would begin sounding farther from the crossing, near residential areas. The indicator lights will be installed on separate masts, mounted high so that engineers can see them from a distance. The mast for the wayside horns will be installed in the southwest quadrant of the crossing.

Section 12 – Additional Information

Provide any additional information supporting the proposal, including information such as the public benefits that would be derived from modifying the crossing as proposed.

New concrete crossing panel crossing surfaces will be installed, and the roadway repaved to match the elevation of the panels.

The lane for Southbound traffic turning right off the SB Interstate 5 off-ramp onto Northbound North Thorne Lane SW will be widened to accommodate truck turning movements. New sidewalks will be added to the (railroad) North side of the crossing. (Please see section 7 for additional information).

Section 13 – Waiver of Hearing by Respondent TR-100129

Waiver of Hearing - Sound Transit

The undersigned represents the Respondent in the petition to modify a highway-railroad grade crossing.

We have investigated the conditions at the crossing proposed for modification. We are satisfied the conditions are the same as described by the Petitioner in this docket. We agree the crossing be modified and consent to a decision by the commission without a hearing.

Dated at _____ , Washington, on the _____ day of

_____, 20 ____.

_____

Printed name of Respondent

_____

Signature of Respondent's Representative

_____

Title

_____

Phone number and e-mail address

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Mailing address

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Dated at Tacoma, Washington, on the 12th day of February, 20 10.

Tacoma Rail

Printed name of Respondent

Dale W. King

Signature of Respondent's Representative

Superintendent

Title

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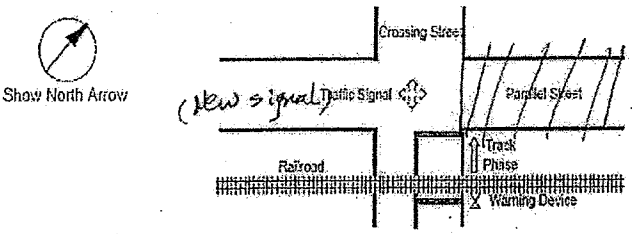
County Pierce
District

Date 6/3/2008
Completed by Tony Wang
District Approval



Show North Arrow

Parallel Street Name: Union Ave SW / I-5 Ramp
Crossing Street Name: N Thorne Ln SW

Railroad: Sound Transit (owner)
Crossing DOT#: 085828 M

Railroad Contact: Jodi Mitchell
Phone: 206-398-5000

SECTION 1: RIGHT-OF-WAY TRANSFER TIME CALCULATION

Preempt verification and response time

			Remarks
1. Preempt delay time (seconds)	1.	0	to be installed
2. Controller response time to preempt (seconds)	2.	0	Controller type: 2070 - New controller
3. Preempt verification and response time (seconds): add lines 1 and 2	3.	0	This calculation also is applicable to TSP also

Worst-case conflicting vehicle time

			Remarks
4. Worst-case conflicting vehicle phase number	4.	3	
5. Minimum green time during right-of-way transfer (seconds)	5.	6.0	
6. Other green time during right-of-way transfer (seconds)	6.	0	
7. Yellow change time (seconds)	7.	3.5	
8. Red clearance time (seconds)	8.	1	
9. Worst-case conflicting vehicle time (seconds): add lines 5 through 8	9.	10.5	

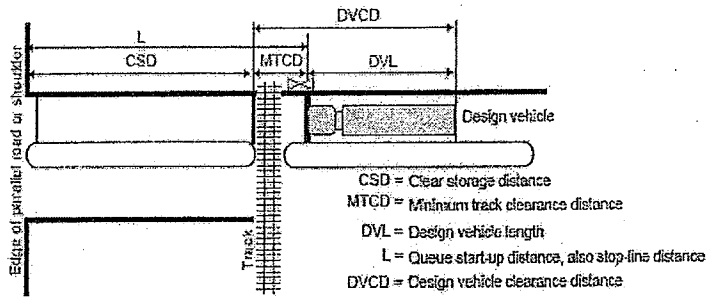
Worst-case conflicting pedestrian time

			Remarks
10. Worst-case conflicting pedestrian phase number	10.	3	
11. Minimum walk time during right-of-way transfer (seconds)	11.	0	omitted
12. Pedestrian clearance time during right-of-way transfer (seconds)	12.	0	
13. Vehicle yellow change time, if not included on line 12 (seconds)	13.	3.5	
14. Vehicle red clearance time, if not included on line 12 (seconds)	14.	1.0	
15. Worst-case conflicting pedestrian time (seconds): add lines 11 through 14	15.	4.5	

Worst-case conflicting vehicle or pedestrian time

16. Worst-case conflicting vehicle or pedestrian time (seconds): maximum of lines 9 and 15	16.	10.5
17. Right-of-way transfer time (seconds): add lines 3 and 16	17.	10.5

SECTION 2: QUEUE CLEARANCE TIME CALCULATION



			Remarks
18. Clear storage distance (CSD, feet)	18.	140	
19. Minimum track clearance distance (MTCD, feet)	19.	30	
20. Design vehicle length (DVL, feet)	20.	67	Design vehicle type:
21. Queue start-up distance, L (feet): add lines 18 and 19	21.	170	
22. Time required for design vehicle to start moving (seconds): calculate as 2+(L÷20)	22.	10.5	Remarks
23. Design vehicle clearance distance, DVCD (feet): add lines 19 and 20	23.	97	
24. Time for design vehicle to accelerate through the DVCD (seconds)	24.	13.5	Read from Figure 2 in Instructions.
25. Queue clearance time (seconds): add lines 22 and 24	25.	24	

SECTION 3: MAXIMUM PREEMPTION TIME CALCULATION

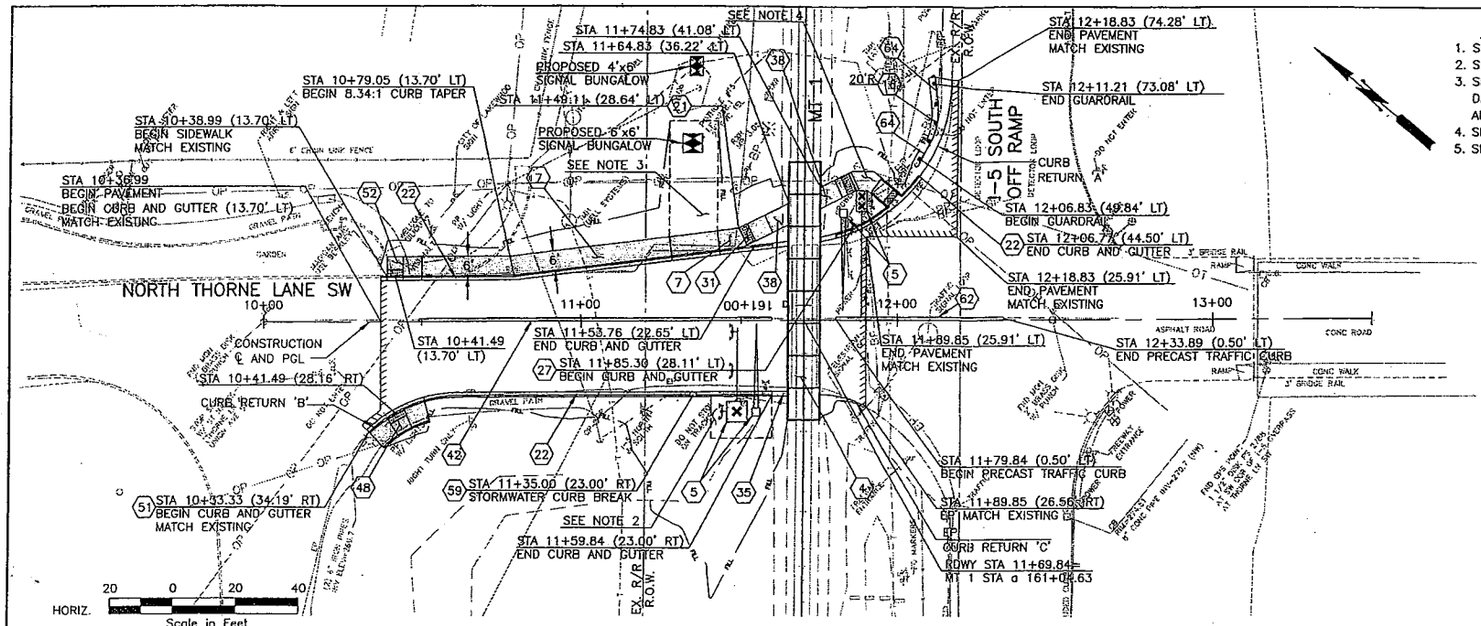
			Remarks
26. Right-of-way transfer time (seconds): line 17	26.	10.5	
27. Queue clearance time (seconds): line 25	27.	24	
28. Desired minimum separation time (seconds)	28.	4.0	
29. Maximum preemption time (seconds): add lines 26 through 28	29.	38.5	

SECTION 4: SUFFICIENT WARNING TIME CHECK

			Remarks
30. Required minimum time, MT (seconds): per regulations	30.	20	
31. Clearance time, CT (seconds): get from railroad	31.	0.0	rail signal design
32. Minimum warning time, MWT (seconds): add lines 30 and 31	32.	20.0	Excludes buffer time (BT)
33. Advance preemption time, APT, if provided (seconds): get from railroad	33.	18.5	
34. Warning time provided by the railroad (seconds): add lines 32 and 33	34.	38.5	
35. Additional warning time required from railroad (seconds): subtract line 34 from line 29, round up to nearest full second, enter 0 if less than 0	35.	0	

If the additional warning time required (line 35) is greater than zero, additional warning time has to be requested from the railroad. Alternatively, the maximum preemption time (line 29) may be decreased after performing an engineering study to investigate the possibility of reducing the values on lines 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13 and 14.

Remarks: _____



GENERAL NOTES:

1. SEE DRAWING RDCN FOR CONSTRUCTION NOTES AND ADDITIONAL GENERAL NOTES.
2. SEE DETAILS ON DRAWING RD132 FOR SIGNAL BERM.
3. SEE DETAILS ON DRAWING RD132 FOR ACCESS PAD, MODIFIED CEMENT CONC. DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE, AND MOUNTABLE CEMENT CONCRETE TRAFFIC CURB AND GUTTER.
4. SEE DETAILS ON DRAWING RD132 FOR SIDEWALK AND SIDEWALK RAMP.
5. SEE GUARDRAIL DETAIL ON DRAWING RDDET19.

CURB RETURN 'A'

FLOWLINE ELEVATIONS		
BEG.	STA. 11+74.83 (25.22'LT)	273.68
1/4	STA. 11+91.32 (30.98'LT)	273.80
1/2	STA. 12+04.81 (42.06'LT)	274.10
3/4	STA. 12+13.68 (57.11'LT)	274.41 *
END	STA. 12+16.83 (74.28'LT)	274.71 *

Δ= 80°27'16.49"
R= 50.00'
T= 42.29'
L= 70.21

* EDGE OF PAVEMENT

CURB RETURN 'B'

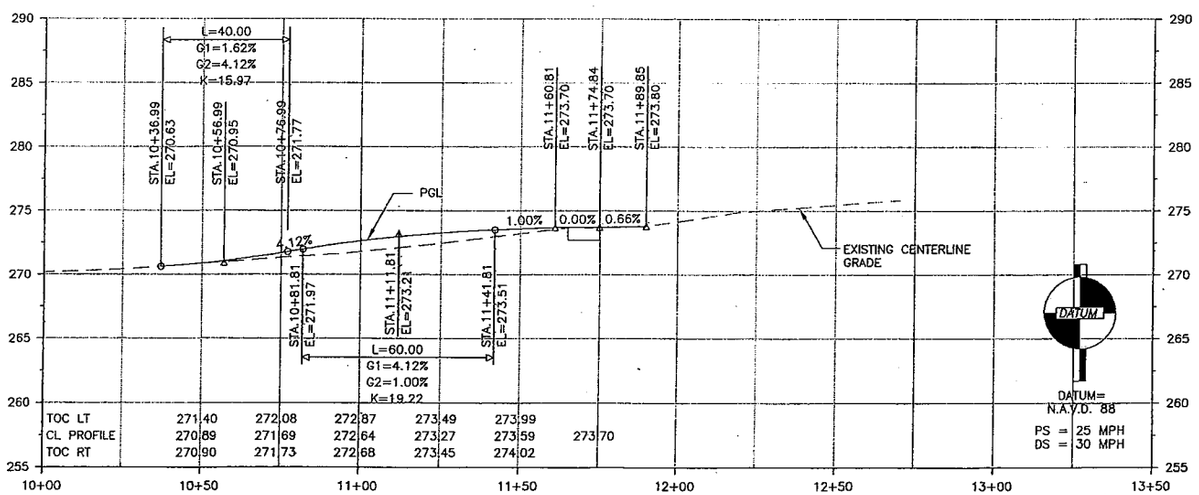
TOP/CURB ELEVATIONS		
BEG.	STA. 10+33.33 (34.19'RT)	270.41
1/4	STA. 10+39.39 (29.43'RT)	270.58
1/2	STA. 10+46.23 (25.90'RT)	270.79
3/4	STA. 10+53.62 (23.73'RT)	271.01
END	STA. 10+61.28 (23.00'RT)	271.24

Δ= 43°38'17.51"
R= 40.50'
T= 16.21'
L= 30.85'

CURB RETURN 'C'

EDGE/PVMT ELEVATIONS		
BEG.	STA. 11+74.85 (23.00'RT)	273.72
1/4	STA. 11+78.72 (23.26'RT)	273.72
1/2	STA. 11+82.55 (23.94'RT)	273.73
3/4	STA. 11+86.27 (25.05'RT)	273.73
END	STA. 11+89.85 (26.56'RT)	273.73

Δ= 25°26'53.73"
R= 35.00'
T= 7.90'
L= 15.55'



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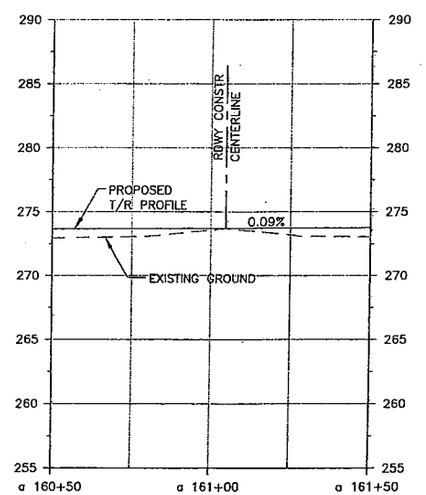

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⟨X⟩ ROADWAY CONSTRUCTION NOTES

1. CEMENT CONCRETE TRAFFIC CURB AND GUTTER PER C.O.T. STD. PLAN NO. SU-03.
2. MODIFIED WSDOT CEMENT CONC. SIDEWALK FOR MEDIAN (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET113).
3. CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK (PER C.O.T. STD. PLAN SU-04).
4. CONCRETE CROSSING PANELS WITH ELASTOMERIC FLANGE FILLER. SEE TRACK PLAN AND PROFILE DRAWINGS.
5. CROSSING SIGNAL EQUIPMENT. SEE GRADE CROSSING SIGNAL PLANS.
6. CEMENT CONCRETE TRAFFIC BARRIER CURB PER CITY OF LAKEWOOD STD. PLAN S-2F.
7. CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK (PER CITY OF LAKEWOOD STD. PLAN S-2A).
8. TYPE D MOUNTABLE CEMENT CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER PER C.O.T. STD. PLAN NO. SU-03. (NOT USED)
9. CEMENT CONCRETE DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE TYPE 2 PER C.O.T. STD. PLAN SU-08 MODIFIED WITH CURB AT BACK OF S/W. (SEE TYPICAL SECTIONS.)
10. CRUSHED SURFACING BASE COURSE (ACCESS PAD TO RAILROAD SIGNAL EQUIPMENT: 6" CSBC COMPACTED DEPTH OVER GRAVEL BORROW SUBGRADE).
11. 8" REINFORCED HEAVY DUTY SIDEWALK AND / OR DRIVEWAY PER DRAWING NO. RDDET01. (NOT USED)
12. REPLACE EXISTING CROSSING WITH 115# WOOD TIES. (NOT USED)
13. TYPE C PRECAST TRAFFIC CURB (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-2).
14. CEMENT CONCRETE TRAFFIC CURB PER C.O.T. STD. PLAN NO. SU-03.
15. CHAINLINK FENCE TYPE 3 (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN L-20.10-00). (NOT USED)
16. BEAM GUARDRAIL TYPE 1 PER WSDOT STD. PLAN NO. C-1.
17. (NOT USED)
18. (NOT USED)
19. (NOT USED)
20. CEMENT CONC. DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE-MODIFIED (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET114).
21. STATION/OFFSET LOCATION FOR DETECTABLE WARNING PATTERN. SEE DRAWINGS RDDET110 AND RDDET111.
22. CEMENT CONCRETE TRAFFIC CURB AND GUTTER PER CITY OF LAKEWOOD STD. PLAN S-2F.
23. ADJUST UTILITY TO GRADE.
24. TYPICAL CURB AND GUTTER/SIDEWALK TRANSITION AT RAIL CROSSING (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET110).
25. CONSTRUCT A 3' WIDE DETECTABLE WARNING STRIP WITH TRUNCATED DOMES PER C.O.T. DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS STANDARD PLAN SU-05A. SEE DRAWING NO. RDDET01. (NOT USED)
26. CONSTRUCT SIDEWALK RAMP TYPE 2 PER C.O.T. STD. PLAN SU-05. (NOT USED)
27. CEMENT CONC. TRAFFIC CURB AND GUTTER PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-10.12-00.
28. CEMENT CONC. SIDEWALK (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-30.10-00).
29. (NOT USED)
30. RECONSTRUCT DRIVEWAY IN KIND AS NOTED TO MATCH EXISTING. (NOT USED)
31. CEMENT CONC. SIDEWALK (PER CITY OF LAKEWOOD STD. PLAN S-2B).
32. CEMENT CONC. SIDEWALK RAMP TYPE 5 PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-42.10-00.
33. (NOT USED)
34. (NOT USED)
35. TYPICAL CURB AND GUTTER TRANSITION AT RAIL CROSSING (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET110).
36. (NOT USED)
37. (NOT USED)
38. TYPICAL CURB AND GUTTER/PLANTER/SIDEWALK TRANSITION AT RAIL CROSSING (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET111).
39. REPLACE CONCENTRIC CONE WITH ECCENTRIC CONE, ADJUST TO GRADE AND ORIENT LID AWAY FROM CURB. (NOT USED)
40. TYPICAL DEPRESSED SIDEWALK AT RAIL CROSSING (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET111).
41. CONCRETE PAD FOR BUS STOP (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET112).

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42. DUAL FACED CEMENT CONC. TRAFFIC CURB (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-10.12-00).
43. (NOT USED)
44. (NOT USED)
45. (NOT USED)
46. HMA CURB (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET113).
47. (NOT USED)
48. SIDEWALK RAMP TYPE 2 PER CITY OF LAKEWOOD STD. PLAN S-3B.
49. (NOT USED)
50. HMA SIDEWALK RAMP (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET113).
51. CURB AND GUTTER TRANSITION TO HMA CURB (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET113).
52. CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK RAMP TYPE 2 MODIFIED (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET110).
53. (NOT USED)
54. MOUNTABLE CEMENT CONCRETE TRAFFIC CURB AND GUTTER (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET114).
55. (NOT USED)
56. CEMENT CONCRETE DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE TYPE 1 (PER C.O.T. STD. PLAN NO. SU-07).
57. (NOT USED)
58. CEMENT CONC. SIDEWALK RAMP TYPE 3R PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-40.15-00.
59. STORMWATER CURB BREAK (PER DETAIL DRAWING RDDET112).
60. (NOT USED)
61. CEMENT CONC. TRAFFIC CURB (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-10.12-00).
62. PRECAST DUAL FACED SLOPED MOUNTABLE CURB (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN F-10.64-01).
63. (NOT USED)
64. BEAM GUARDRAIL ANCHOR TYPE 1 (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN C-6 WITH END SECTION DESIGN C PER WSDOT STD. PLAN C-7).
65. CHAIN LINK FENCE TYPE 4 (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN L-20.10-00) WITH VINYL COATING.

GENERAL NOTES – ROADWAY CONSTRUCTION

1. SEE UTILITY RELOCATION AND PROTECTION PLANS FOR STORM DRAINAGE, MISC. CONDUIT AND CASING INSTALLATION.
2. SEE SHEETS RDAL121-RDAL125 FOR ROADWAY MEDIAN DETAILS.
3. SEE SHEETS RDTS110-RDTS128 FOR PAVEMENT SECTIONS.
4. CURB AND CURB AND GUTTER DEFINED BY FACE OF CURB UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. ALL ELEVATIONS ARE PROVIDED AT TOP OF CURB UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED AND DO NOT REFLECT CURB CUTS OR SIDEWALK RAMPS.
5. ALL CURB RETURN ELEVATIONS ARE TO TOP OF CURB UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. AT CURB CUT RAMPS, CURB RETURN ELEVATIONS ARE INDICATED AT A POINT 6" ABOVE GUTTER FLOWLINE UNLESS OTHER WISE NOTED.
6. ALL UNITS ARE IN FEET UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.
7. DRIVEWAYS ARE STATIONED AT CENTERLINE OF DRIVEWAY.
8. STORMWATER CURB BREAKS ARE STATIONED AT CENTERLINE OF STORMWATER CURB BREAK.

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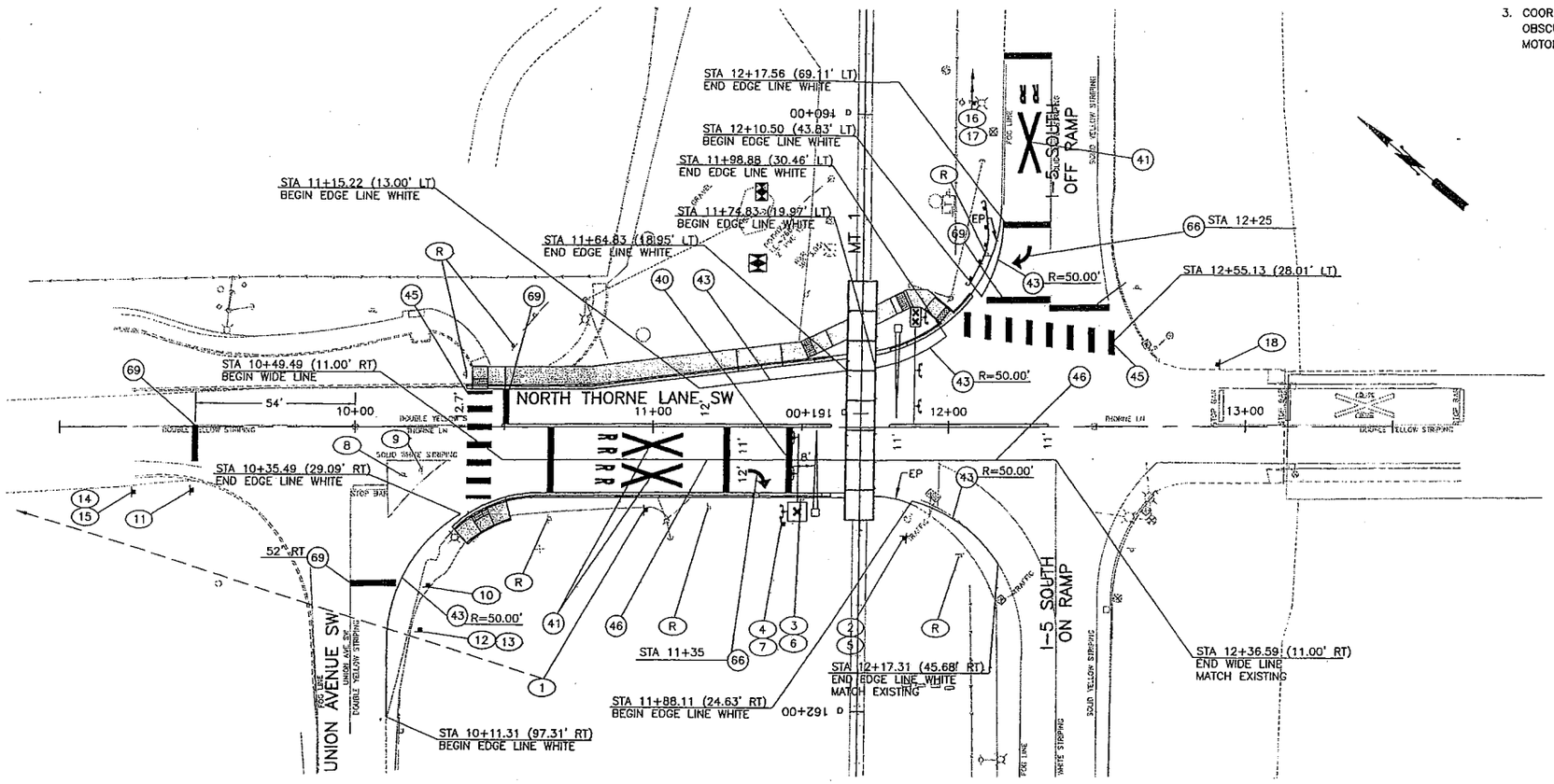
1. SEE DRAWING RDCHCN FOR CHANNELIZATION NOTES AND ADDITIONAL GENERAL NOTES.
2. SEE DRAWING RDS113B FOR SIGN SCHEDULE AND RDS110A FOR NOTES.
3. COORDINATE SIGN LOCATIONS IN FIELD TO AVOID OBSCURING RAILROAD WARNING LIGHTS FROM MOTORISTS' VIEW.



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14. PAINTED TWO WAY LEFT TURN STRIP WITH RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS PER C.O.T. CHANNELIZATION DETAILS, RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS AND PAINT STRIPING STD. PLAN.
15. PAINTED 4" LANE STRIPE WITH RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS PER C.O.T. CHANNELIZATION DETAILS, RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS AND PAVEMENT STRIPING STD. PLAN.
21. PLASTIC PAVEMENT "ONLY" PER C.O.T. PLASTIC PAVEMENT "ONLY" STD. PLAN.
22. THERMOPLASTIC TRAFFIC ARROW PER C.O.T. TYPICAL THERMOPLASTIC TRAFFIC ARROW STD. PLAN.
40. PLASTIC TYPE D STOP BAR PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-11.10-01.
41. PLASTIC TYPE D RAILROAD CROSSING SYMBOL PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-11.10-01, WITH EXCEPTIONS TO STANDARD LAYOUT DIMENSIONS AS NOTED IN PLAN VIEW.
42. PLASTIC TYPE D EDGE LINE YELLOW PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
43. PLASTIC TYPE D EDGE LINE WHITE PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
44. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING TRAFFIC ARROW TYPE 2SR PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-24.40-01.
45. PLASTIC TYPE D CROSSWALK LINE PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-15.10-01.
46. PLASTIC TYPE D WIDE LINE PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
47. PLASTIC TYPE D DOUBLE YELLOW CENTER LINE PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
48. PLASTIC TYPE D LANE LINE PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
49. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING RAILROAD CROSSING SYMBOL PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-11.10-01, WITH EXCEPTIONS TO STANDARD LAYOUT DIMENSIONS AS NOTED IN PLAN VIEW.
50. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING STOP BAR PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-11.10-01.
51. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING TRAFFIC ARROW TYPE 2SL PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-24.40-01.
52. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING TRAFFIC LETTTERS "ONLY", DIMENSIONS PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
53. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING EDGE LINE YELLOW, DIMENSIONS PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
54. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING 24" STOP BAR PER CITY OF LAKEWOOD STD. PLAN CH-1.
55. (NOT USED)
56. PLASTIC TYPE D TRAFFIC LETTERS "ONLY" PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
57. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING BICYCLE LANE SYMBOL PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-9.50-01.
58. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING EDGE LINE WHITE, DIMENSIONS PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
59. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING WIDE LINE, DIMENSIONS PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
60. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING DOUBLE YELLOW CENTER LINE, DIMENSIONS PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
61. (NOT USED)
62. RAISED PAVEMENT MARKER TYPE 1Y DOUBLE YELLOW CENTER LINE PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-20.50-01.
63. RAISED PAVEMENT MARKER TYPE 1W AND LANE LINE PER DETAIL SHEET RDDET112.
64. RAISED PAVEMENT MARKER TYPE 1Y AND TWO WAY LEFT TURN LINE PER DETAIL SHEET RDDET112.
65. PLASTIC TYPE D TRAFFIC ARROW TYPE 6SL. DIMENSIONS PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-24.40.01.
66. PLASTIC TYPE D TRAFFIC ARROW TYPE 2SR PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-24.40-01.
67. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING CROSSWALK PER CITY OF LAKEWOOD STD. PLAN CH-1.
68. CITY OF LAKEWOOD DURABLE MARKING LANE LINE PER SPECIFICATION SECTION 01900, REVISIONS TO WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATION 8-22 AND 9-34. DIMENSIONS PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
69. PLASTIC TYPE D STOP LINE PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-15.10-01.
70. PAINT TOP AND EXPOSED SIDES CURB YELLOW, WITH GLASS BEADS, PER SPECIFICATION SECTION 01900.
71. PAINTED ACCESS PARKING SPACE SYMBOL PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
72. PAINT LINE EDGE LINE WHITE PER WSDOT STD. SPECIFICATIONS.
73. WHEEL STOP (PER WSDOT STD. PLAN M-17.10-00).

GENERAL NOTES – ROADWAY CHANNELIZATION

1. ALL UNITS ARE IN FEET UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.

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