

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION

STATE JOB NO. 050344

FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO. NHPP-0025(18)

ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)

STATE HIGHWAY 289 SECTION 4

IN FULTON COUNTY

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TO: Mr. Rick Ellis, Bridge Engineer

SUBJECT: Job No. 050344
English Creek Str. & Apprs. (S)
Fulton County
Route 289 Section 4

Transmitted herewith are a brief summary of the geology and site conditions, rock core unconfined compression test summary, RMR, D50 scour analysis, and the logs of the borings conducted for the structures and approaches of the above referenced project.

This project consists of replacing the Highway 289 Bridge crossing English Creek, south of Mammoth Spring. The new bridge will be constructed downstream from the existing. A total of five borings were performed for this project.

Based on plans provided by Bridge Division and the depth at which bedrock was encountered, it is anticipated that both end bents will be founded on steel h-piles bearing on rock and all intermediate bents will be founded on spread footings.

TABLE 1 – Bearing Capacity Recommendations for Spread Footings

Table with 2 columns: Nominal Bearing Resistance (KSF) and Factored Bearing Resistance (KSF). Values: 123 and 55.

It is acceptable to utilize 2H:1V end slopes for the proposed embankments. This embankment geometry provides a satisfactory Factor of Safety for static conditions. If you have any questions concerning these recommendations, please contact the Geotechnical Section.

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District 5 Engineer
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GEOLOGY AND SITE CONDITIONS

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Site Conditions

This job consists of replacing the existing bridge over English Creek. The existing bridge has two spans and consists of a steel truss bridge combined with a concrete pre-cast channel beam bridge. The steel truss is approximately 120 feet in length and supports the north span of the bridge and the beam bridge is approximately 30 feet in length and supports the south bridge span. The superstructure of the beam bridge consists of six pre-cast concrete beams with concrete decking supported by the same concrete spread footing as the truss. Concrete wing walls support both bridge ends. The guardrail on the beam bridge is composed of steel supported by concrete posts and the guardrail on the truss is composed of steel supported by steel posts. There is concrete curb lining the bridge edges and some of the curb is missing and falling apart. There is a ditch that drains into English Creek paralleling the right side of Route 289 up station from the bridge.

At the project location, English Creek flows northwest to southeast before reaching its confluence with the Spring River. The remnants of an older bridge are exposed upstream from the existing structure. There is dolostone in the creek dipping slightly towards the southwest and a dolostone outcrop down station from the bridge on the left side of the road. The land surrounding the bridge is primarily pasture to the north and to the east of the bridge, and woodlands to the southwest of the bridge. Overhead powerlines cross Route 289 up station from the bridge. A telecommunication line parallels the right side of Route 289, crossing overhead at the channel.

Site Geology

The project alignment is located in the mapped outcrop of the Cotter/Jefferson City Formation undifferentiated (Ocj). The Cotter Dolomite is composed of dolostone of predominantly two types: a fine-grained, argillaceous, earthy textured, relatively soft, white to buff or gray dolostone locally called "cotton rock", and a more massive, medium-grained, gray dolostone that weathers to a somewhat hackly surface texture and becomes dark on exposure. The rock encountered at the project locality better fits the second description of the Cotter noted above. The formation contains chert, some minor beds of greenish shale, and occasional thin interbedded sandstone. Due to similarities in composition, there has been no success in differentiating the Cotter Formation from the Jefferson City Formation in Arkansas, although the contact is considered disconformable. The thickness is about 340 feet in the vicinity of Cotter, but the interval may range up to 500 feet thick in places. The Cotter Formation at the project locality was highly fractured with occasional layers being brecciated. The fractures tended to increase with depth in the majority of the borings. The formation was fairly vuggy and occasional cavities were encountered with the largest being 1.2 feet thick at approximately 35.4 feet below ground level at station 114+77. There are no known major faults in the area but unmapped faults are possible.

Scour Potential

Bedded dolostone was identified in both the base of the channel and on the west side of route 289, down-station from the bridge. Therefore, it is likely that the bridge footings and the bridge ends are founded in solid rock and not likely susceptible to scour. There is wood and other debris resting on the beams of the truss bridge, suggesting periods of high water levels. As can be seen in the images below, a significant amount of gravel has been deposited in front of the middle spread footing of the existing bridge. This accumulation is most likely due to the skewed orientation of this footing in relation to the direction of channel flow. As can be seen in (Fig 1), there is some scour of this accumulation around the middle spread footing. The footing itself is founded in solid, horizontally bedded dolostone. Analysis of D50 particle size yielded a median value of 0.25 in or 6.35 mm, which is not considered a highly scourable sediment size (Fig 2). Based on grain size analysis and visual observation, significant scour is not anticipated at the new bridge with proper bent alignment.



Fig. 1

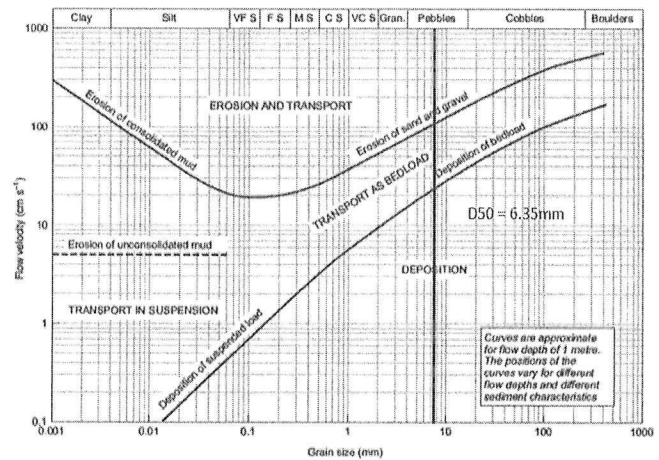


Fig. 2

Subsurface Conditions

Based on the results of the Borings, the subsurface stratigraphy may be generalized as follows:

- 0 to 9.0 Feet: Varies from wet, loose to medium dense, brown **clayey sand with gravel (dolostone fragments)** to wet, stiff, dark brown **clay**.
- 9.0 to 63.5 Feet: Consists of slightly weathered, hard, frequently fractured, **dolostone with frequent to occasional vuggs, dolomite veins, brecciated layers and interbedded chert**.

* A 1.2 feet thick cavity was encountered at approximately 35.4 feet below the surface at station 114+77.

ROCK MASS RATING SUMMARY

JOB # **050344**

SAMPLE #1

Station/Location	113+38 CL
Depth (ft.)	43.9
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	1
RQD	13
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	51
Class Number	III
Description	FAIR ROCK

SAMPLE #2

Station/Location	114+71.4' LT CL
Depth (ft.)	9
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	8
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	57
Class Number	III
Description	FAIR ROCK

SAMPLE #3

Station/Location	114+71.4' LT CL
Depth (ft.)	22
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	13
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	62
Class Number	II
Description	GOOD ROCK

SAMPLE #4

Station/Location	114+71.4' LT CL
Depth (ft.)	22.7
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	13
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	62
Class Number	II
Description	GOOD ROCK

SAMPLE #5

Station/Location	114+71.4' LT CL
Depth (ft.)	25.4
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	13
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	62
Class Number	II
Description	GOOD ROCK

SAMPLE #6

Station/Location	114+71.4' LT CL
Depth (ft.)	30
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	3
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	52
Class Number	III
Description	FAIR ROCK

SAMPLE #7

Station/Location	114+71.4' LT CL
Depth (ft.)	30.5
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	3
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	52
Class Number	III
Description	FAIR ROCK

SAMPLE #8

Station/Location	115+33 CL
Depth (ft.)	10
Relative Rating	
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	13
Spacing of Joints	20
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	72
Class Number	II
Description	GOOD ROCK

SAMPLE #9

Station/Location	115+33 CL
Depth (ft.)	11.8
	Relative Rating
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	17
Spacing of Joints	20
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	76
Class Number	II
Description	GOOD ROCK

SAMPLE #10

Station/Location	115+33 CL
Depth (ft.)	20.8
	Relative Rating
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	8
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	57
Class Number	III
Description	FAIR ROCK

SAMPLE #11

Station/Location	115+33 CL
Depth (ft.)	27.6
	Relative Rating
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	7
RQD	13
Spacing of Joints	20
Condition of Joints	25
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	72
Class Number	II
Description	GOOD ROCK

SAMPLE #12

Station/Location	115+33 CL
Depth (ft.)	31.2
	Relative Rating
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	12
RQD	8
Spacing of Joints	10
Condition of Joints	20
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	57
Class Number	III
Description	FAIR ROCK

SAMPLE #13

Station/Location	115+33 CL
Depth (ft.)	32.7
	Relative Rating
Uniaxial Compressive Strength	2
RQD	3
Spacing of Joints	5
Condition of Joints	12
Groundwater Conditions	7
Sum	29
Class Number	IV
Description	POOR ROCK

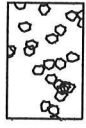
**D₅₀ AGGREGATE ANALYSIS
FOR SCOUR CALCULATIONS**

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Creek Name	Station	Sampled From	Location	Depth (ft.)	Aggregate Size (D50) (in.)
English Creek	115+93	Creek Bank	140' Rt. of Const. C.L.	N/A	0.250

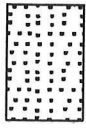
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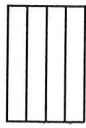
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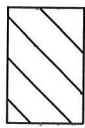
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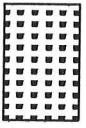
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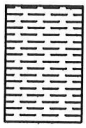
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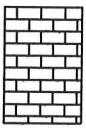
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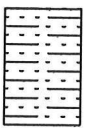
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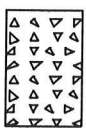
SHALE
or
SILTSTONE



LIMESTONE
or
DOLOMITE



ALTERNATING
LAYERS of
SHALE and
SANDSTONE

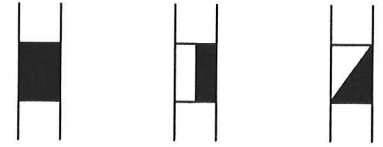


OTHER

SAMPLER TYPES

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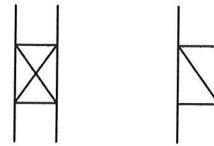


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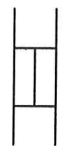
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SAMPLE
RECOVERY

NO
RECOVERY

ROCK CORING



% RECOVERY
INDICATED ON LOGS

TERMS DESCRIBING CONSISTENCY OR CONDITION

GRANULAR SOIL		CLAY		CLAY-SHALE		SHALE	
*N ^o Value	Density	*N ^o Value	Consistency	*N ^o Value	Consistency	*N ^o Value	Consistency
0-4	Very Loose	0-1	Very Soft	0-1	Very Soft		
5-10	Loose	2-4	Soft	2-4	Soft	31-60	Soft
11-30	Medium Dense	5-8	Medium Stiff	5-8	Medium Stiff	Over 60	
31-50	Dense	9-15	Stiff	9-15	Stiff	More than 2'	
Over 50	Very Dense	16-30	Very Stiff	16-30	Very Stiff	Penetration	
		31-60	Hard	31-60	Hard	in 60 Blows	Medium Hard
		Over 60	Very Hard	Over 60	Very Hard	Less than 2'	
						Penetration	
						in 60 Blows	Hard

1. Ground water elevations indicated on boring logs represent ground water elevations at date or time shown on boring log. Absence of water surface implies that no ground water data is available but does not necessarily mean that ground water will not be encountered at locations or within the vertical reaches of these borings.
2. Borings represent subsurface conditions at their respective locations for their respective depths. Variations in conditions between or adjacent to boring locations may be encountered.
3. Terms used for describing soils according to their texture or grain size distribution are in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System.

Standard Penetration Test – Driving a 2.0” O.D., 1-3/8” I.D. sampler a distance of 1.0 foot into undisturbed soil with a 140-pound hammer free falling a distance of 30 inches. It is customary to drive the spoon 6.0 inches to seat into undisturbed soil, and then perform the test. The number of hammer blows for seating the spoon and performing the test are recorded for each 6 inches of penetration on the drill log. The field “N” Value (N_f) can be obtained by

adding the bottom two numbers for example: $\frac{6}{8-9} \Rightarrow 8+9 = 17 \text{ blows/ft}$. The “N” Value corrected to 60% efficiency (N₆₀) can be obtained by multiplying N_f by the hammer correction factor published on the boring log.

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JOB NO. 050344 Fulton County
JOB NAME: English Creek Str. & Apprs. (S)
Route 289 Section 4
STATION: 113+38
LOCATION: Construction Centerline
LOGGED BY: Connor Bunton

DATE: February 4, 2019
TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779
HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR: N/A

COMPLETION DEPTH: 48.6

DEPTH FT.	SYMBOL	SAMPLES	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	SOIL GROUP	PLASTIC LIMIT	% MOIST.	LIQUID LIMIT	DRY WEIGHT	LBS PER CU.FT.	NO. OF BLOWS PER 6-IN.	% T C R	% R Q D
			SURFACE ELEVATION: 483.6									
5		X	Wet, Medium Dense, Dark Brown Clayey Sand with Gravel							5 7-5		
10		X	Wet, Medium Stiff, Dark Brown Clay with Sand and Gravel							1 2-5		
15			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Brown								58	0
20											64	0
25											86	20
30											88	34
35												

REMARKS:

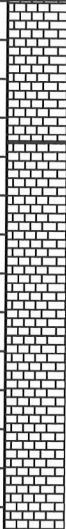
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			SURFACE ELEVATION: 483.6									
			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Occasional Fractures, Chert Layers, and Dolomite Partings, Light Brown								100	74
40			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Brown								75	0
45			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Chert Layers, Gray									100
50			Boring Terminated									
55												
60												
65												
70												

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Route 289 Section 4
STATION: 113+93
LOCATION: 6' Left of Construction Centerline
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DATE: February 5, 2019
TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779
HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR: N/A

COMPLETION DEPTH: 43.4

DEPTH FT.	SYMBOL	SAMPLES	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	SOIL GROUP	PLASTIC LIMIT	% MOIST.	LIQUID LIMIT	DRY WEIGHT	LBS PER CU.FT.	NO. OF BLOWS PER 6-IN.	% T C R	% R Q D
			SURFACE ELEVATION: 482.5									
5			Wet, Medium Dense, Dark Brown Clayey Sand and Gravel							9 6-6		
10			Wet, Dense, Dark Brown Clayey Sand with Gravel (Dolostone Fragments)							5 5-30		
			DOLOSTONE - Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Gray								43	0
15			CHERT WITH INTERBEDDED DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Gray								86	0
20			DOLOSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED CHERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Brown								100	16
25			CHERT WITH INTERBEDDED DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Gray								76	0
30			DOLOSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED CHERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Brown								38	0
35			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Gray									

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HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR: N/A

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			SURFACE ELEVATION: 482.5									
			CHERT INTERBEDDED WITH DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Gray								74	0
			CHERT AND DOLOSTONE BRECCIA									
40			CHERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Gray									
			DOLOSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED CHERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Gray									92
			CHERT DOLOSTONE BRECCIA									
45			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Gray									
			Boring Terminated									
50												
55												
60												
65												
70												

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JOB NAME: English Creek Str. & Apprs. (S)
Route 289 Section 4
STATION: 114+71
LOCATION: 4' Left of Construction Centerline
LOGGED BY: Connor Bunton

DATE: February 5 and 12, 2019
TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779
HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR: N/A

COMPLETION DEPTH: 63.5

DEPTH FT.	SYMBOL	SAMPLES	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	SOIL GROUP	PLASTIC LIMIT	% MOIST.	LIQUID LIMIT	DRY WEIGHT	LBS PER CU.FT.	NO. OF BLOWS PER 6-IN.	% T C R	% R Q D
			SURFACE ELEVATION: 481.8									
5		X	Wet, Loose, Brown Clayey Sand with Gravel							15 6-4		
10			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Brown								92	44
15			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Chert Layers and Seams, Light Brown								82	26
20			DOLOSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED CERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Light Brown								92	34
25			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Occasional Fractures, Occasional Chert Layers and Seams, Light Gray								100	64
30			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Occasional Fractures, Light Gray								94	50
			CHERT DOLOSTONE BRECCIA									
35												

REMARKS: * Cavity at 35.4 to 36.6

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STATION: 114+71
LOCATION: 4' Left of Construction Centerline
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TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779
HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR: N/A

COMPLETION DEPTH: 63.5

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			SURFACE ELEVATION: 481.8									
			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Voids, Light Gray*								30	12
			CHERT DOLOSTONE BRECCIA									
40			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Vugs, Gray								40	0
45			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures and Vugs, Gray								40	0
50			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Chert Layers, Gray								76	0
55			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Gray								100	0
60			BRECCIATED DOLOSTONE								94	46
65			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Gray Boring Terminated									
70												

REMARKS: * Cavity at 35.4 to 36.6

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LOCATION: Construction Centerline
LOGGED BY: Connor Bunton

DATE: February 12 and 13, 2019
TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779
HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR: N/A

COMPLETION DEPTH: 59.2

DEPTH FT.	SYMBOL	SAMPLES	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	SOIL GROUP	PLASTIC LIMIT	% MOIST.	LIQUID LIMIT	DRY WEIGHT	LBS PER CU.FT.	NO. OF BLOWS PER 6-IN.	% T C R	% R Q D
			SURFACE ELEVATION: 481.0									
5			Wet, Loose, Dark Brown Clayey Sand with Gravel (Dolostone Fragments)							5 4-1		
10			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Gray							10 (0")	100	87
15			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Occasional Fractures and Vugs, Gray								100	70
20			DOLOSTONE WITH OCCASIONAL CHERT LAYERS AND SEAMS - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Occasional Fractures, Gray								93	78
25			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent to Occasional Fractures, Occasional Chert Layers and Seams, Gray								90	40
30			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Gray*								85	78
35												

REMARKS: *Total water loss at approximately 29.2 feet below ground level.

**ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
MATERIALS DIVISION - GEOTECHNICAL SEC.**

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JOB NO. 050344 Fulton County
JOB NAME: English Creek Str. & Apprs. (S)
Route 289 Section 4
STATION: 115+33
LOCATION: Construction Centerline
LOGGED BY: Connor Bunton

DATE: February 12 and 13, 2019
TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779
HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR: N/A

COMPLETION DEPTH: 59.2

DEPTH FT.	SYMBOL	SAMPLES	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	SOIL GROUP	PLASTIC LIMIT	% MOIST.	LIQUID LIMIT	DRY WEIGHT	LBS PER CU.FT.	NO. OF BLOWS PER 6-IN.	% T C R	% R Q D
			SURFACE ELEVATION: 481.0									
			CHERT WITH INTERBEDDED DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Brecciated, Gray								36	0
40			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Gray								58	0
45			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Interbedded Chert, Gray								78	8
50			DOLOSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED CHERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Vugs, Gray								80	22
55			DOLOSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED CHERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Dolomite Veins, Gray								82	40
60			Boring Terminated									
65												
70												

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
**ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
MATERIALS DIVISION - GEOTECHNICAL SEC.**

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JOB NO. 050344 Fulton County
JOB NAME: English Creek Str. & Apprs. (S)
Route 289 Section 4
STATION: 115+78
LOCATION: Construction Centerline
LOGGED BY: Connor Bunton

DATE: February 19, 2019
TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779
HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR:

COMPLETION DEPTH: 42.1

DEPTH FT.	SYMBOL	SAMPLES	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	SOIL GROUP	PLASTIC LIMIT	% MOIST.	LIQUID LIMIT	DRY WEIGHT	LBS PER CU.FT.	NO. OF BLOWS PER 6-IN.	% T C R	% R Q D
			SURFACE ELEVATION: 486.4									
5		X	Wet, Stiff, Dark Brown Clay							3 4-6		
10		X	Wet, Medium Dense, Brown Sand with Gravel (Dolostone Fragments)							6 9-6		
15			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Gray								96	82
20			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Occasional Fractures and Dolomite Veins, Gray								80	60
25			DOLOSTONE WITH INTERBEDDED CHERT - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Occasional Vuggs and Dolomite Veins, Gray								94	16
30			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Chert Layers, Gray								90	30
35			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard,								99	88

REMARKS:

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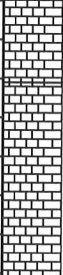
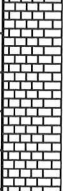
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JOB NO. 050344 Fulton County
JOB NAME: English Creek Str. & Apprs. (S)
Route 289 Section 4
STATION: 115+78
LOCATION: Construction Centerline
LOGGED BY: Connor Bunton

DATE: February 19, 2019
TYPE OF DRILLING:
Hollow Stem Auger - Diamond Core
EQUIPMENT: Acker 1779

HAMMER CORRECTION FACTOR:

COMPLETION DEPTH: 42.1

DEPTH FT.	SYMBOL	SAMPLES	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	SOIL GROUP	PLASTIC LIMIT	% MOIST.	LIQUID LIMIT	DRY WEIGHT	LBS PER CU.FT.	NO. OF BLOWS PER 6-IN.	% T C R	% R Q D
			SURFACE ELEVATION: 486.4									
			Occasional Fractures and Chert Layers, Gray									
40			DOLOSTONE - Slightly Weathered, Hard, Frequent Fractures, Occasional Chert Layers, Gray								72	22
45			Boring Terminated									
50												
55												
60												
65												
70												

REMARKS:



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MATERIALS DIVISION

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August 24, 2017

TO: Mr. Trinity Smith, Engineer of Roadway Design

SUBJECT: Job No. 050344
English Creek Str. & Apprs. (S)
Route 289 Section 4
Fulton County

Transmitted herewith is the requested Soil Survey, strength data and Resilient Modulus test results for the above referenced job. The project consists of replacing the bridge crossing English Creek on Highway 289. Samples were obtained in the existing travel lanes and ditch line. There were no paved shoulders within the project limits.

Based on laboratory results of samples obtained, the subgrade soils consist primarily of moderately plastic cherty clay. Cross sections are not currently available, but it is assumed the construction grade line will closely match that of the existing roadway. The subgrade soils are expected to provide a stable working platform with conventional processing, if the weather is favorable during construction. There were no slide areas observed within the project limits. Between stations 112+00 to 123+00, the alignment traverses open fields and the existing ditch line. All soft unstable organic material in the ditch line will need to be undercut prior to embankment construction, anticipated to be no more than two feet.

Additional earthwork recommendations will be made upon request when plans are further developed and cross sections are available.

Listed below is the additional information requested for use in developing the plans:

- 1. The Qualified Products List (QPL) indicates that Aggregate Base Course (Class CL-7) is available from commercial producers located in the vicinity Pocahontas.

- 2. Asphalt Concrete Hot Mix

Table with 3 columns: Type, Asphalt Cement %, Mineral Aggregate %. Rows include Surface Course, Binder Course, and Base Course.

Handwritten signature of Michael C. Benson, Materials Engineer

MCB:pt:bjj
Attachment

cc: State Constr. Eng. - Master File Copy
District 5 Engineer
System Information and Research Div.
G. C. File

ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS
MATERIALS DIVISION
MICHAEL BENSON, MATERIALS ENGINEER
*** SOIL SURVEY STRENGTH TEST REPORT ***

DATE - 08/15/2017
JOB NUMBER - 050344

SEQUENCE NO. - 1
MATERIAL CODE - SSRV
SPEC. YEAR - 2014
SUPPLIER ID. - 1
COUNTY/STATE - 25
DISTRICT NO. - 05

JOB NAME - ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)

* STATION LIMITS R-VALUE AT 240 psi *

BEGIN JOB - END JOB LESS THAN 5

RESILIENT MODULUS
STA. 110+10 6989

REMARKS -

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AASHTO TESTS : T190

**ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
MATERIALS DIVISION**

**AASHTO T 307-99 - RESILIENT MODULUS OF SUBGRADE SOILS
RECOMPACTED SAMPLES**

Job No.	050344	Material Code	SSRVPS
Date Sampled:	7/6/17	Station No.:	110+10
Date Tested:	July 27, 2017	Location:	24'RT
Name of Project:	ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)		
County:	Code: 25	Name:	FULTON
Sampled By:	THORNTON/BATES		
Lab No.:	20172326	Depth:	0-5
Sample ID:	RV462	AASHTO Class:	A-6(3)
LATITUDE:		Material Type (1 or 2):	2
		LONGITUDE:	

1. Testing Information:

Preconditioning - Permanent Strain > 5% (Y=Yes or N= No)	N
Testing - Permanent Strain > 5% (Y=Yes or N=No)	N
Number of Load Sequences Completed (0-15)	15

2. Specimen Information:

Specimen Diameter (in):	
Top	3.95
Middle	3.96
Bottom	3.95
Average	3.95
Membrane Thickness (in):	0.01
Height of Specimen, Cap and Base (in):	8.02
Height of Cap and Base (in):	0.00
Initial Length, Lo (in):	8.02
Initial Area, Ao (sq. in):	12.20
Initial Volume, AoLo (cu. in):	97.85

3. Soil Specimen Weight:

Weight of Wet Soil Used (g):	3159.70
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4. Soil Properties:

Optimum Moisture Content (%):	14.7
Maximum Dry Density (pcf):	110.4
95% of MDD (pcf):	104.9
In-Situ Moisture Content (%):	N/A

5. Specimen Properties:

Wet Weight (g):	3159.70
Compaction Moisture content (%):	14.2
Compaction Wet Density (pcf):	123.04
Compaction Dry Density (pcf):	107.74
Moisture Content After Mr Test (%):	14.6

6. Quick Shear Test (Y=Yes, N=No, N/A=Not Applicable):

#VALUE!

7. Resilient Modulus, Mr:

10352(Sc)^{-0.28514}(S3)^{0.32253}

8. Comments

9. Tested By:

GW _____

Date: July 27, 2017

**ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
MATERIALS DIVISION**

**AASHTO T 307-99 - RESILIENT MODULUS OF SUBGRADE SOILS
RECOMPACTED SAMPLES**

Job No. 050344 **Material Code** SSRVPS
Date Sampled: 7/6/17 **Station No.:** 110+10
Date Tested: July 27, 2017 **Location:** 24'RT

Name of Project: ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)

County: Code: 25 **Name:** FULTON

Sampled By: THORNTON/BATES

Lab No.: 20172326

Sample ID: RV462

LATITUDE:

Depth: 0-5

AASHTO Class: A-6(3)

Material Type (1 or 2): 2
LONGITUDE:

PARAMETER	Chamber Confining Pressure	Nominal Maximum Axial Stress	Actual Applied Max. Axial Load	Actual Applied Cyclic Load	Actual Applied Contact Load	Actual Applied Max. Axial Stress	Actual Applied Cyclic Stress	Actual Applied Contact Stress	Average Recov Def. LVDT 1 and 2	Resilient Strain	Resilient Modulus
DESIGNATION	S ₃	S _{cyclic}	P _{max}	P _{cyclic}	P _{contact}	S _{max}	S _{cyclic}	S _{contact}	H _{avg}	ε _r	M _r
UNIT	psi	psi	lbs	lbs	lbs	psi	psi	psi	in	in/in	psi
Sequence 1	6.0	2.0	25.2	22.5	2.8	2.1	1.8	0.2	0.00096	0.00012	15,313
Sequence 2	6.0	4.0	47.4	44.6	2.8	3.9	3.7	0.2	0.00206	0.00026	14,218
Sequence 3	6.0	6.0	69.9	66.2	3.6	5.7	5.4	0.3	0.00351	0.00044	12,393
Sequence 4	6.0	8.0	92.4	86.3	6.1	7.6	7.1	0.5	0.00546	0.00068	10,403
Sequence 5	6.0	10.0	114.6	106.1	8.5	9.4	8.7	0.7	0.00769	0.00096	9,069
Sequence 6	4.0	2.0	25.1	22.3	2.8	2.1	1.8	0.2	0.00116	0.00014	12,641
Sequence 7	4.0	4.0	47.0	44.2	2.8	3.9	3.6	0.2	0.00256	0.00032	11,350
Sequence 8	4.0	6.0	68.3	65.5	2.8	5.6	5.4	0.2	0.00423	0.00053	10,166
Sequence 9	4.0	8.0	91.1	85.9	5.2	7.5	7.0	0.4	0.00617	0.00077	9,158
Sequence 10	4.0	10.0	113.2	105.6	7.6	9.3	8.7	0.6	0.00835	0.00104	8,311
Sequence 11	2.0	2.0	25.0	22.2	2.8	2.0	1.8	0.2	0.00139	0.00017	10,516
Sequence 12	2.0	4.0	46.4	43.6	2.8	3.8	3.6	0.2	0.00308	0.00038	9,303
Sequence 13	2.0	6.0	67.0	64.2	2.8	5.5	5.3	0.2	0.00505	0.00063	8,345
Sequence 14	2.0	8.0	88.4	84.1	4.3	7.2	6.9	0.4	0.00727	0.00091	7,610
Sequence 15	2.0	10.0	110.3	103.6	6.7	9.0	8.5	0.5	0.00974	0.00121	6,989

TESTED BY _____ DATE July 27, 2017
 REVIEWED BY _____ DATE _____

**ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
MATERIALS DIVISION**

**AASHTO T 307-99 - RESILIENT MODULUS OF SUBGRADE SOILS
RECOMPACTED / THINWALL TUBE SAMPLES**

Job No.	050344	Material Code	SSRVPS
Date Sampled:	7/6/17	Station No.:	110+10
Date Tested:	July 27, 2017	Location:	24'RT
Name of Project:	ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)		
County:	Code: 25	Name:	FULTON
Sampled By:	THORNTON/BATES	Depth:	0-5
Lab No.:	20172326	AASHTO Class:	A-6(3)
Sample ID:	RV462	Material Type (1 or 2):	2
LATITUDE:		LONGITUDE:	

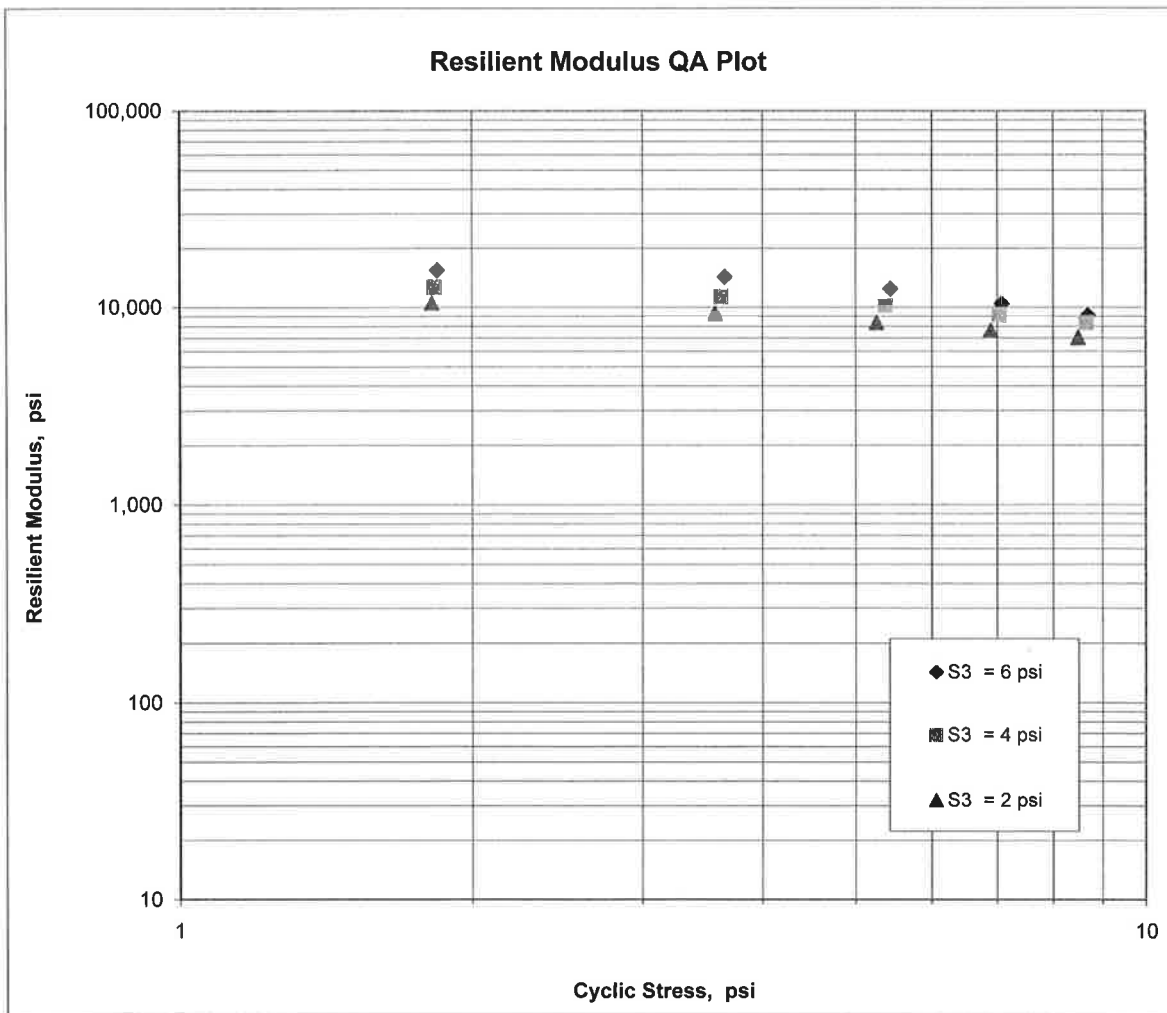
$$M_R = K_1 (S_c)^{K_2} (S_3)^{K_5}$$

$$K_1 = \underline{10,352}$$

$$K_2 = \underline{-0.28514}$$

$$K_5 = \underline{0.32253}$$

$$R^2 = \underline{0.94}$$



JOB: 050344

Arkansas State Highway Transportation Department

DATE TESTED

JOB NAME: ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)

Materials Division

7/27/2017

COUNTY NO. 25

Michael Benson, Materials Engineer

STA.# LOC.

PAVEMENT SOUNDINGS

110+00	06 RT	BST	ACHMSC	ACHMBC	AGG:BASE CRS CL-7
		1.0	2.5W	3.5	8.0
110+00	18 RT	BST	ACHMSC	ACHMBC	AGG:BASE CRS CL-7
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130+00	06 LT	BST	ACHMSC	ACHMBC	AGG:BASE CRS CL-7
		0.5W	2.5	2.5X	12.0

Comments: W=MULTIPLE LAYERS, X=STRIPPED

Tuesday, August 22, 2017

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JOB: 050344

Arkansas State Highway Transportation Department

JOB NAME: ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)

Materials Division

COUNTY NO. 25 DATE TESTED 7/27/2017

Michael Benson, Materials Engineer

STA.#	LOC.	DEPTH	COLOR						L.L.	P.I.	SOIL CLASS	LAB #:	%MOISTURE
				#4	#10	#40	#80	#200					
				S	I	E	V	E	S				
110+10	24 RT	0-5	BROWN	70	60	50	42	38	37	21	A-6(3)	RV462	
110+00	06 RT	0-5	GRAY	83	76	69	61	55	31	19	A-6(7)	S458	20.4
110+00	18 RT	0-5	BROWN	68	58	51	44	41	38	25	A-6(5)	S459	15.9
130+00	06 LT	0-5	BROWN	74	66	53	39	33	23	11	A-2-6(0)	S460	13.7
130+00	18 LT	0-5	BROWN	74	60	43	30	26	27	12	A-2-6(0)	S461	13.7

ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS
MATERIALS DIVISION

MICHAEL BENSON, MATERIALS ENGINEER

*** SOIL SURVEY / PAVEMENT SOUNDING TEST REPORT ***

DATE	- 07/27/17	SEQUENCE NO.	- 1
JOB NUMBER	- 050344	MATERIAL CODE	- SSRVPS
FEDERAL AID NO.	- TO BE ASSIGNED	SPEC. YEAR	- 2014
PURPOSE	- SOIL SURVEY SAMPLE	SUPPLIER ID.	- 1
SPEC. REMARKS	- NO SPECIFICATION CHECK	COUNTY/STATE	- 25
SUPPLIER NAME	- STATE	DISTRICT NO.	- 05
NAME OF PROJECT	- ENGLISH CREEK STR. & APPRS. (S)		
PROJECT ENGINEER	- NOT APPLICABLE		
PIT/QUARRY	- ARKANSAS		
LOCATION	- FULTON, COUNTY	DATE SAMPLED	- 07/06/17
SAMPLED BY	- THORNTON/BATES	DATE RECEIVED	- 07/11/17
SAMPLE FROM	- TEST HOLE	DATE TESTED	- 07/27/17
MATERIAL DESC.	- SOIL SURVEY - R VALUE- PAVEMENT SOUNDINGS		

LAB NUMBER	-	20172322	-	20172323	-	20172324
SAMPLE ID	-	S458	-	S459	-	S460
TEST STATUS	-	INFORMATION ONLY	-	INFORMATION ONLY	-	INFORMATION ONLY
STATION	-	110+00	-	110+00	-	130+00
LOCATION	-	06 RT	-	18 RT	-	06 LT
DEPTH IN FEET	-	0-5	-	0-5	-	0-5
MAT'L COLOR	-	GRAY	-	BROWN	-	BROWN
MAT'L TYPE	-		-		-	
LATITUDE DEG-MIN-SEC	-	36 26 35.90	-	36 26 36.00	-	36 26 54.50
LONGITUDE DEG-MIN-SEC	-	91 33 57.90	-	91 33 57.90	-	91 33 58.80
% PASSING						
	2	IN.	-		-	
	1 1/2	IN.	-		-	
	3/4	IN.	-	100	-	100
	3/8	IN.	-	92	-	89
	NO. 4		-	83	-	74
	NO. 10		-	76	-	66
	NO. 40		-	69	-	53
	NO. 80		-	61	-	39
	NO. 200		-	55	-	33
LIQUID LIMIT	-	31	-	38	-	23
PLASTICITY INDEX	-	19	-	25	-	11
AASHTO SOIL	-	A-6(7)	-	A-6(5)	-	A-2-6(0)
UNIFIED SOIL	-		-		-	
% MOISTURE CONTENT	-	20.4	-	15.9	-	13.7
BST	(IN)	-	-	1.0	-	0.5W
ACHMSC	(IN)	-	-	2.5W	-	2.5
ACHMBC	(IN)	-	-	3.5	-	2.5X
AGG.BASE CRS CL-7	(IN)	-	-	8.0	-	12.0
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