



**ROCKFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION
INVITATION FOR BID ON SUPPLIES, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT OR SERVICES
FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 205
ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS**

IFB No. **17-15 Auburn High School Softball Field**

DATE: **Tuesday, October 11, 2016**

RE: **ADDENDUM NO. 1**

To All Bidders:

Attached are modifications, clarifications and/or corrections for the Project Manual and are hereby made a part of the contract documents. Please attach this addendum to the Project Manual(s) in your possession. Please note the receipt of this addendum on the bid form. Bidders shall review changes to all portions of this work as changes to one portion may affect the work of another.

If you plan to hand deliver your IFB submission on the due date, please note you must check in on the 3rd floor prior to coming to the bid opening. Please allow time for this as late submission will not be accepted.

Refer all questions relative to the business aspect, Instructions to Bidders, Special Conditions, and questions concerning the technical aspect of the documents to the Purchasing Process Manager by email at tamara.pugh@rps205.com.

ADDENDUM NO. 1

ROCKFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS 17-15 Auburn High School Softball Field

Items Included:

- A. Pre-Bid Meeting Sign-In Sheet
- B. RPS Pre-Bid Conference Opening Statement
- C. RPS Required Bid Forms Checklist
- D. Meeting Minutes

Jim Dobyms, Capital Project Manager, started the Pre-Bid Conference at 1:00 p.m. and turned the meeting over to Paul Ertmer, Project Engineer who reviewed the Pre-Bid Conference Opening Statement (attached). The information with the Pre-Bid Conference Opening Statement was reviewed in detail, particularly the bulleted items with the attachment and the Required Bid Forms Checklist (attached). Mr. Ertmer then gave an overview and summary of the project and associated design plans. Following discussion of the project, attendees were encouraged to ask any questions and look around the site. The questions received at the pre-bid meeting, along with responses, are provided below:

1. A revision to the fence crown material was suggested to increase the lifespan and the material spec was given to RPS for review.
 - a. RPS will review and any change to the fence crown material type will be addressed prior to bid via formal addendum.
2. Request was made to revise the plan details for the fence post foundations as money could be saved by doing this.
 - a. No change to the plan details regarding the fence post foundations will be made and the foundations are to be installed according to the details shown.
3. Request was made to revise foul pole manufacturer to allow supplier of bases and other amenities to supply the foul poles.
 - a. This will be addressed in the forthcoming addendum.

All contractors will be required to complete and submit **all** forms as noted in the Required Bid Forms Checklist contained within the bid package. These forms will be required even if the contractor is currently working for Rockford Public Schools under a different contract or holds an IDOT prequalification rating.

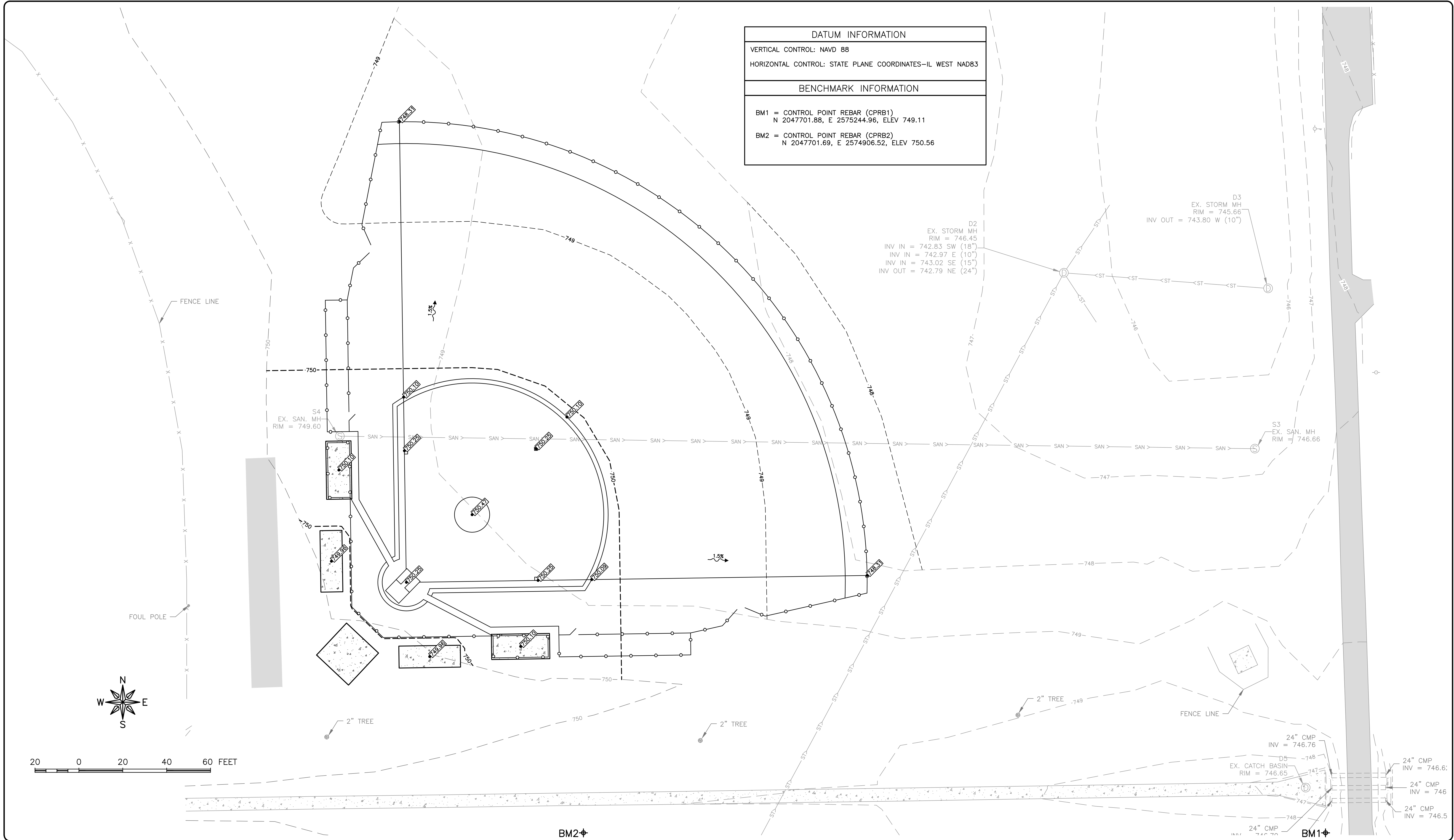
Contractors are reminded that all questions regarding the bid package or bid plans **must** be submitted in writing to the Tamara Pugh, Purchasing Process Manager at tamara.pugh@rps205.com.

The pre-bid conference was then adjourned.

Plan Revisions

1. Sheet 7 of 13 – Grading/slope of outfield has been revised to 1.5%.
2. Sheet 9 of 13 – Clay blocks under infield mix at batter and catcher boxes have been added to the plans and a note regarding material and costs has been added to the plans.
3. Sheet 11 of 13 – Foul pole supplier note has been revised to include additional supplier.

DATUM INFORMATION	
VERTICAL CONTROL:	NAVD 88
HORIZONTAL CONTROL:	STATE PLANE COORDINATES--IL WEST NAD83
BENCHMARK INFORMATION	
BM1 = CONTROL POINT REBAR (CPRB1)	N 2047701.88, E 2575244.96, ELEV 749.11
BM2 = CONTROL POINT REBAR (CPRB2)	N 2047701.69, E 2574906.52, ELEV 750.56



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 ILLINOIS DESIGN FIRM NO. 184-003525
 PLOT DATE: 10/6/16 © 2016 FEHR GRAHAM

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OWNER/DEVELOPER:
 ROCKFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS #205
 501 7TH STREET
 ROCKFORD, IL 61104

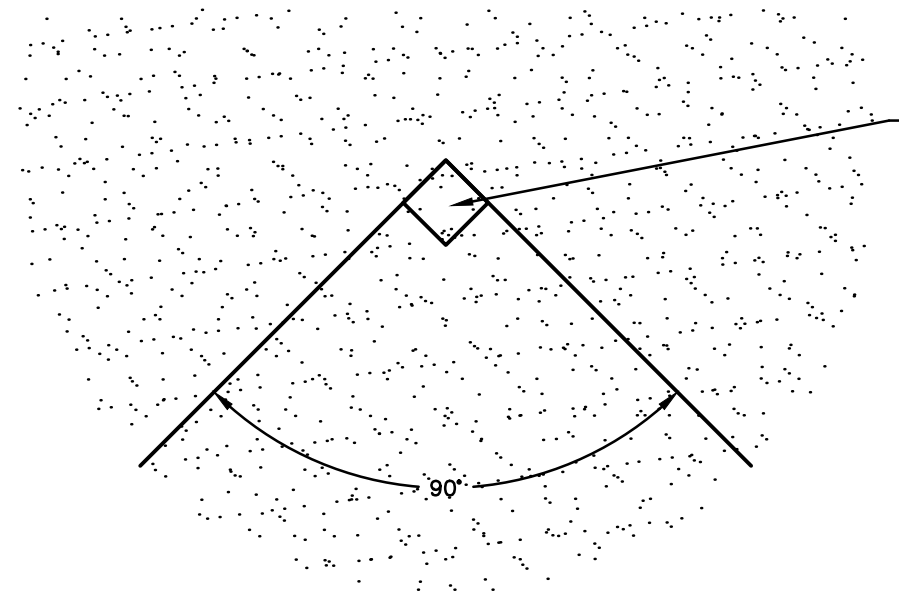
PROJECT AND LOCATION:
 AUBURN HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL
 PLANS
 ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS

DRAWN BY: JW
 APPROVED BY: RTW
 DATE: 9/20/16
 SCALE: AS NOTED

REVISIONS		
REV. NO.	DESCRIPTION	DATE
1	REVISION TO OUTFIELD GRADE	10/6/16

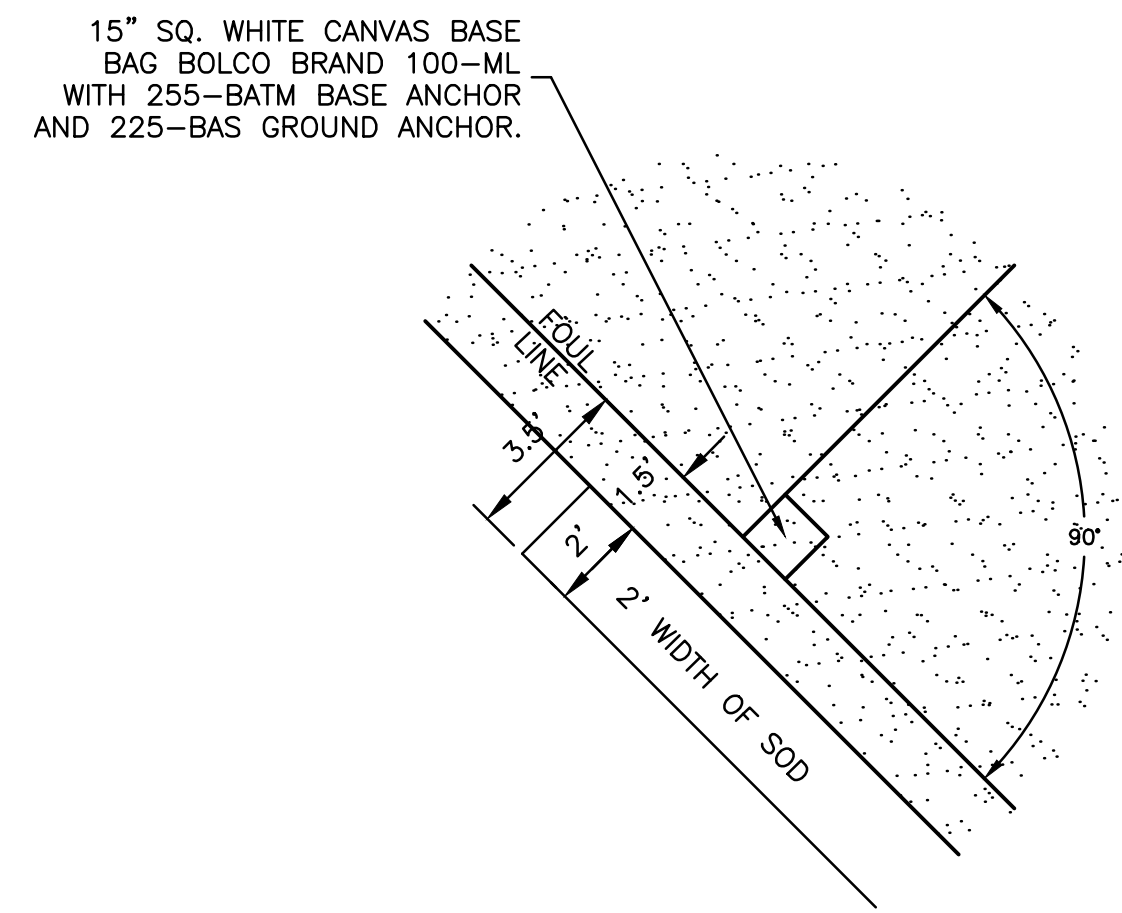
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JOB NUMBER:
 16-727
 SHEET NUMBER:
 7 of 13

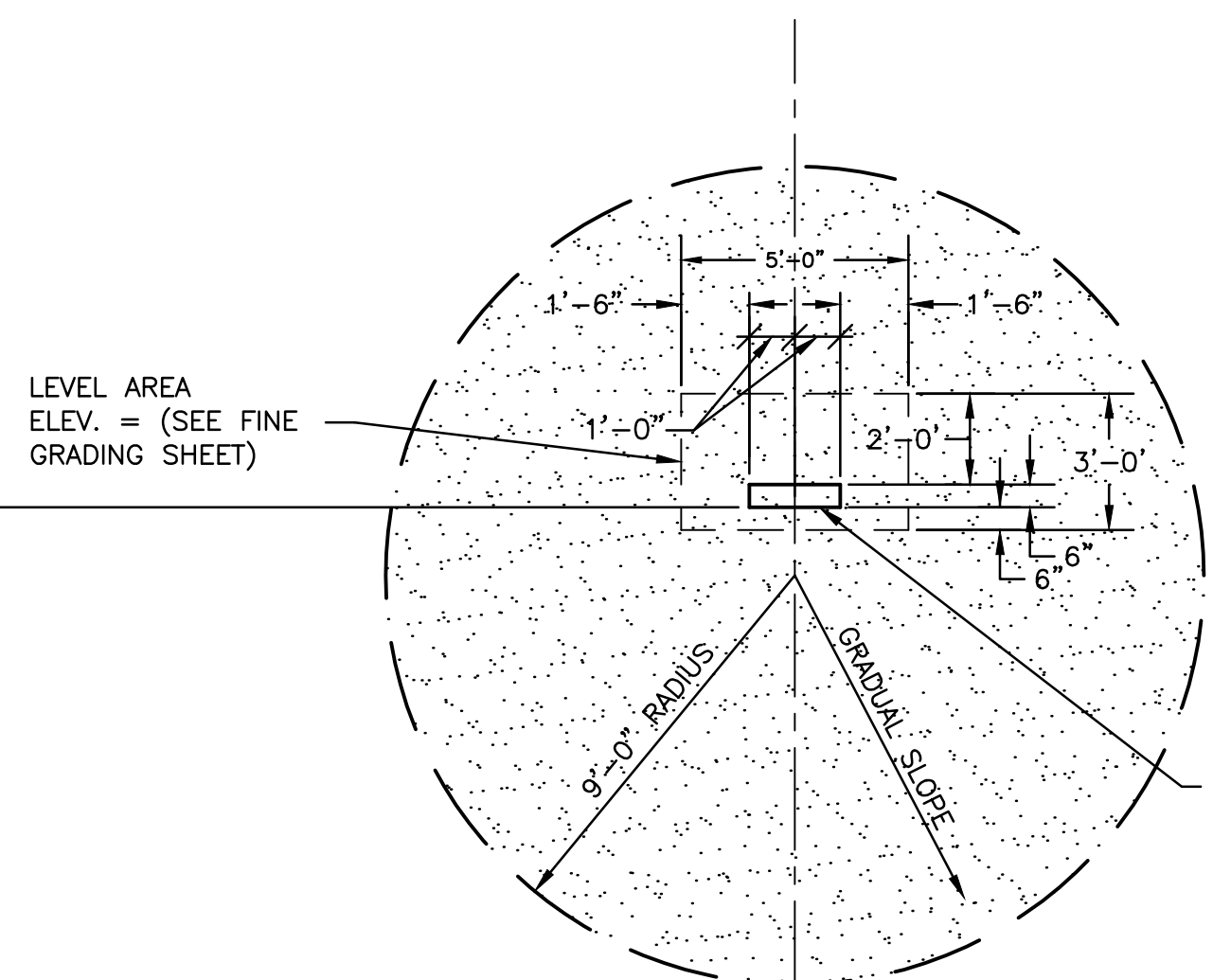


15" SQ. WHITE CANVAS BASE
BAG BOLCO BRAND 100-ML
WITH 255-BATM BASE ANCHOR
AND 225-BAS GROUND ANCHOR.

2nd BASE
SCALE : 1/4" = 1'-0"

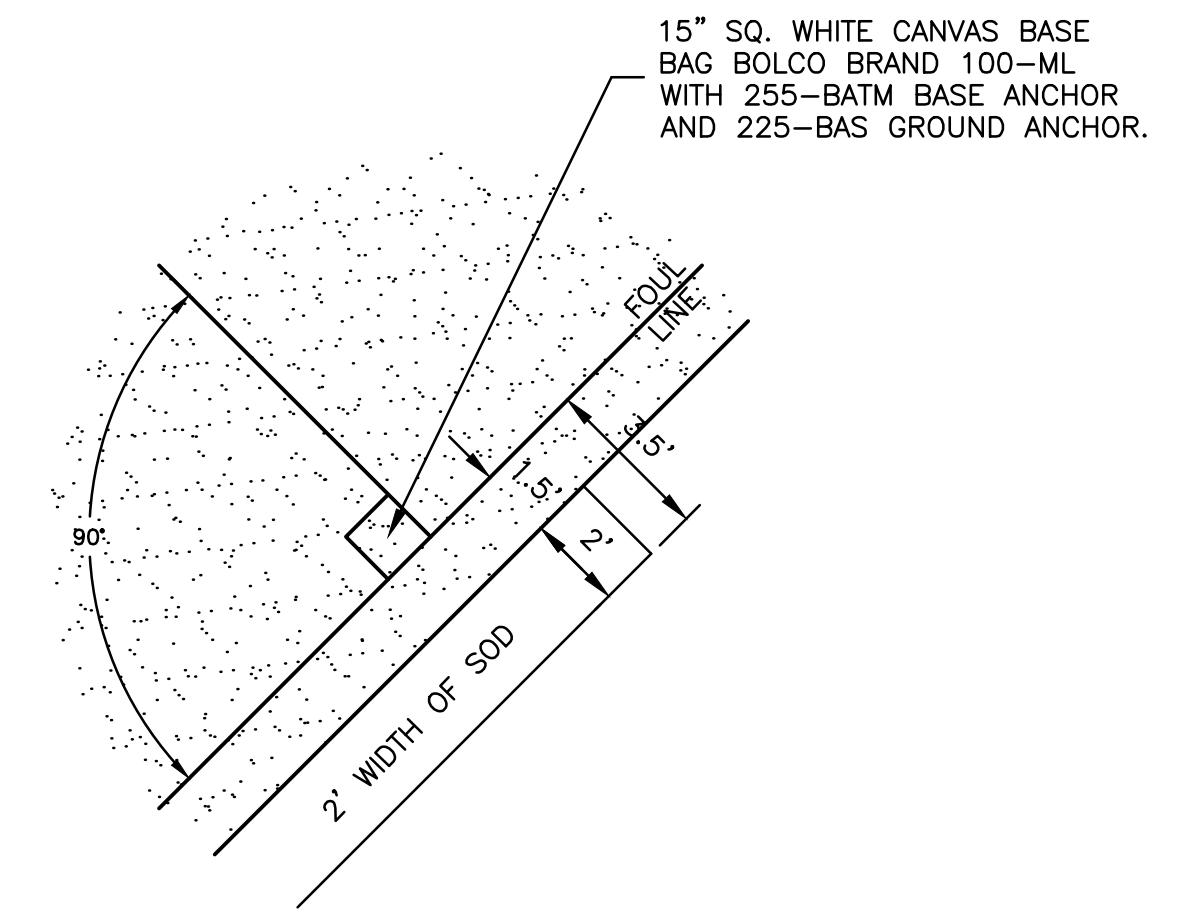


3rd BASE
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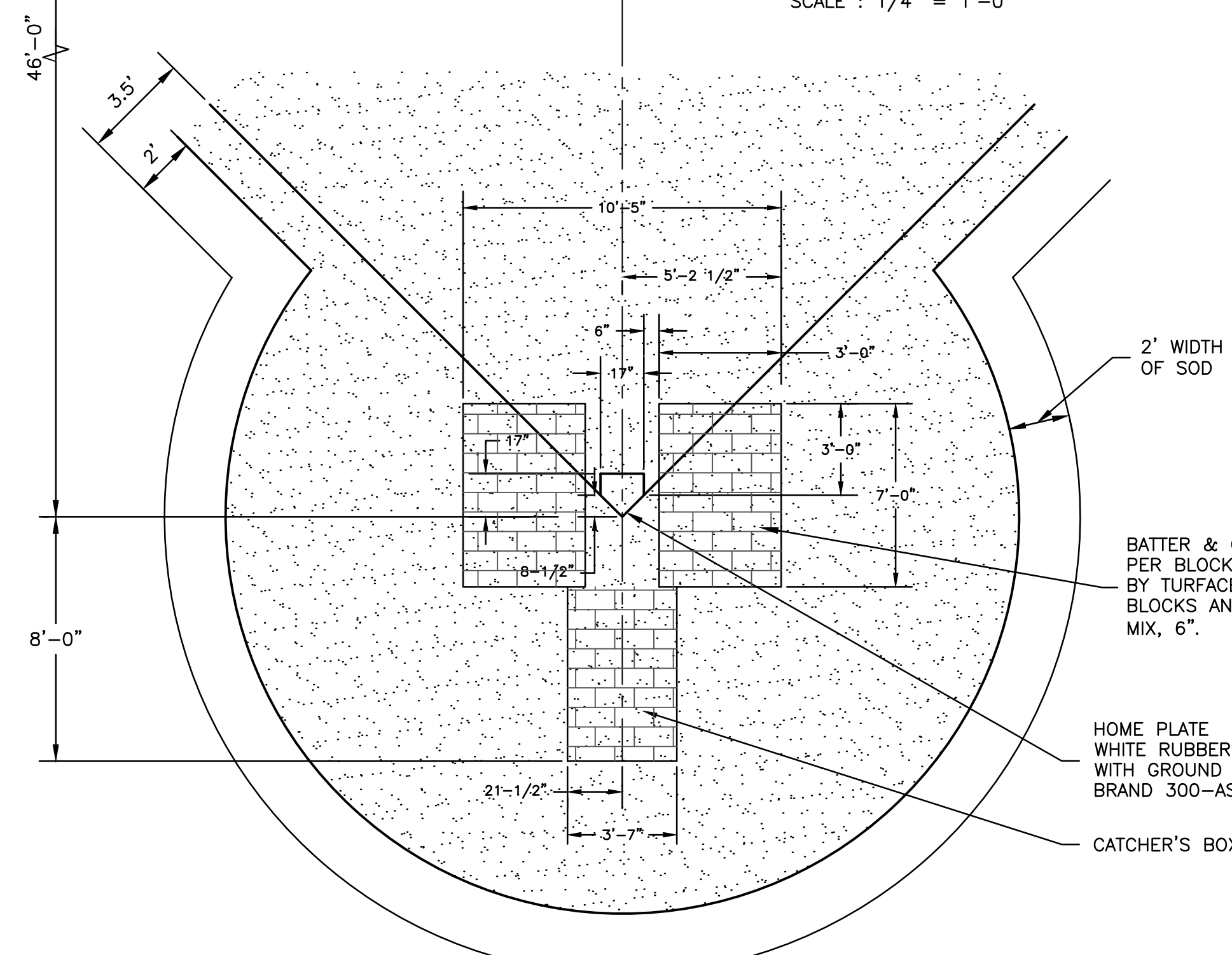


PITCHER'S RUBBER (24" x 6")
BOLCO BRAND 450-C1
WHITE RUBBER SET
FLUSH WITH THE GROUND.

PITCHER'S MOUND
SCALE : 1/4" = 1'-0"



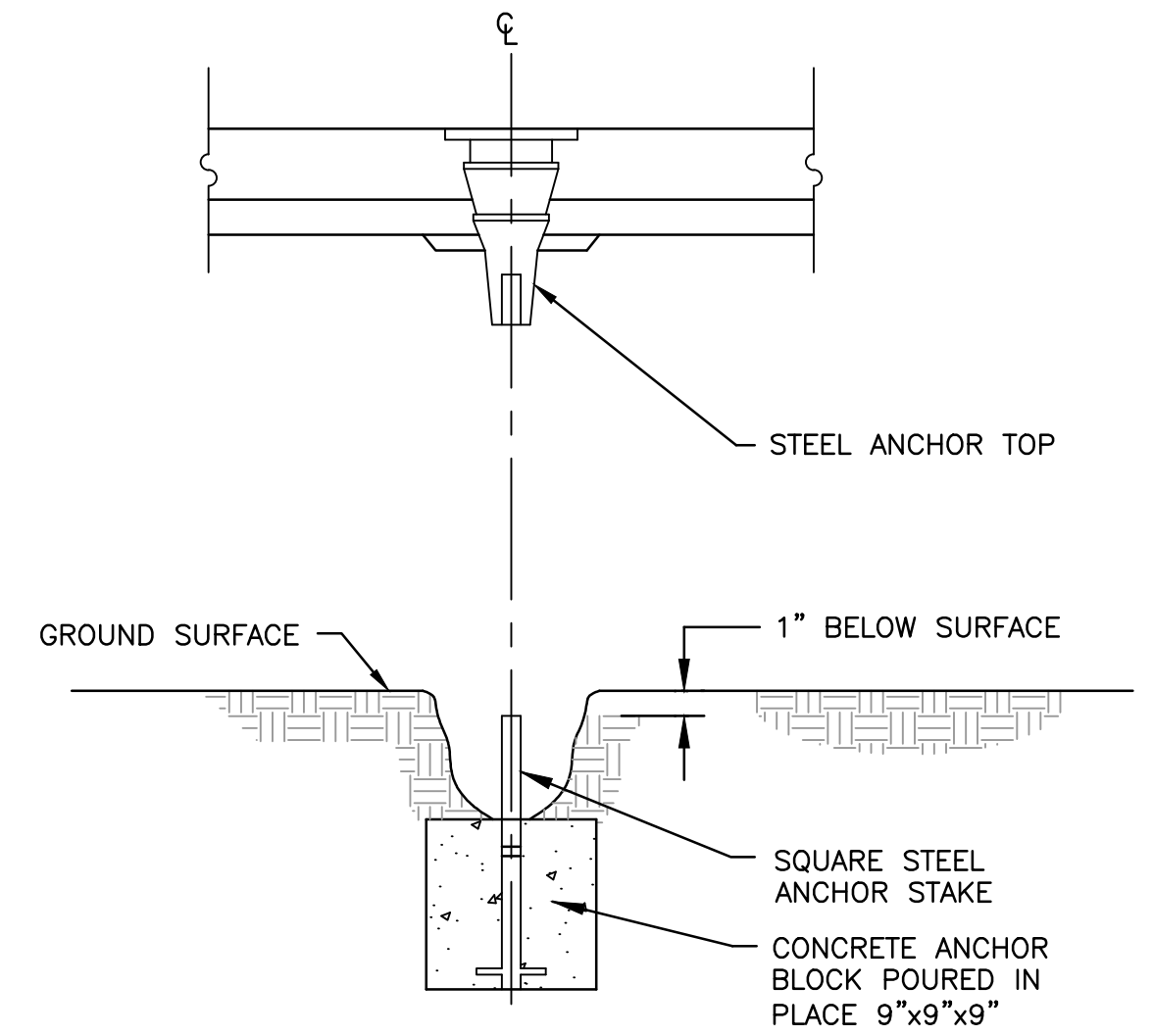
1st BASE
SCALE : 1/4" = 1'-0"



BATTER & CATCHER BOXES TO HAVE CLAY BLOCK INSTALLED BELOW INFIELD MIX SURFACE PER BLOCK MANUFACTURER RECOMMENDATION. MOUND MASTER BLOCKS AS MANUFACTURED BY TURFACE ATHLETICS OR APPROVED EQUAL. COLOR OF BLOCKS TO BE GRAY. COST FOR BLOCKS AND INSTALLATION SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE FOR INFIELD MIX, 6".

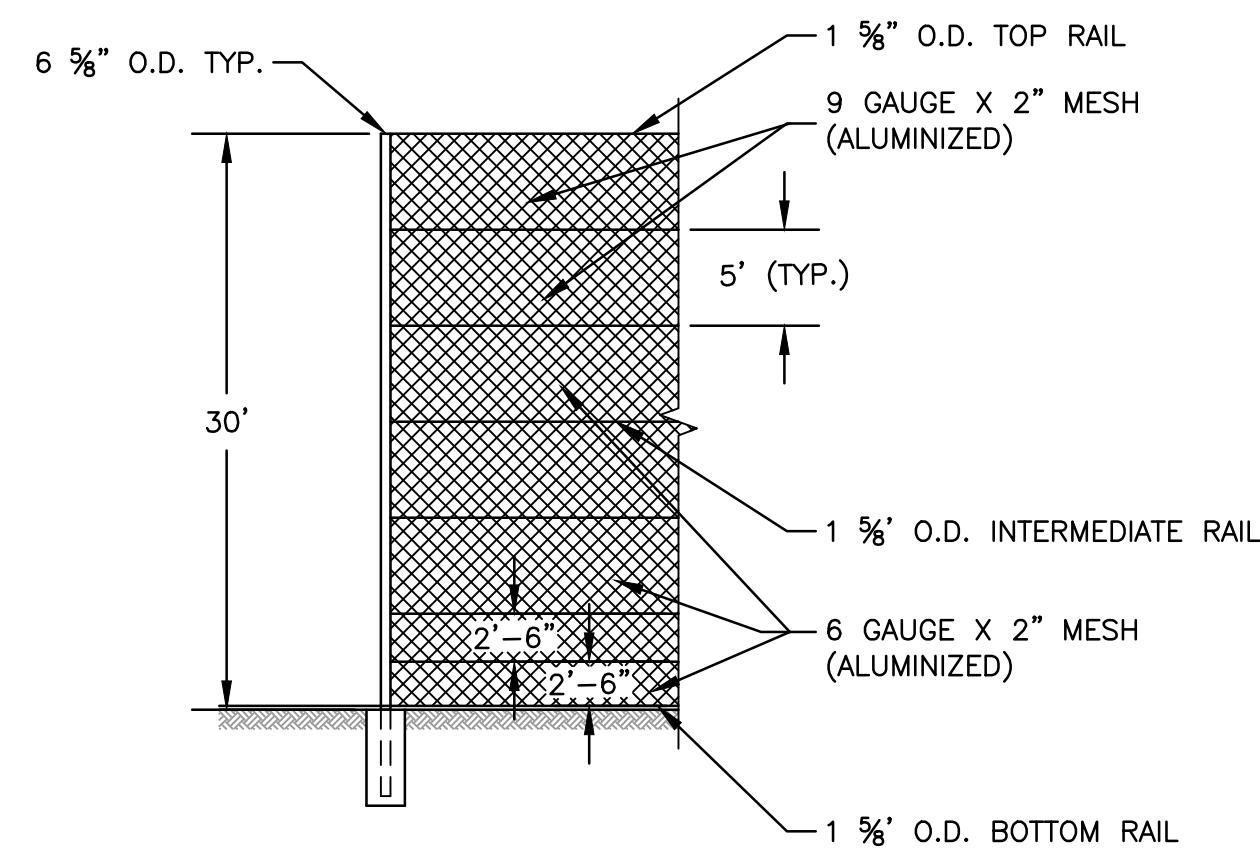
HOME PLATE
WHITE RUBBER BASE PAD SET FLUSH WITH GROUND SURFACE. BOLCO BRAND 300-AS SHALL BE REQUIRED.

HOME PLATE
SCALE : 1/4" = 1'-0"

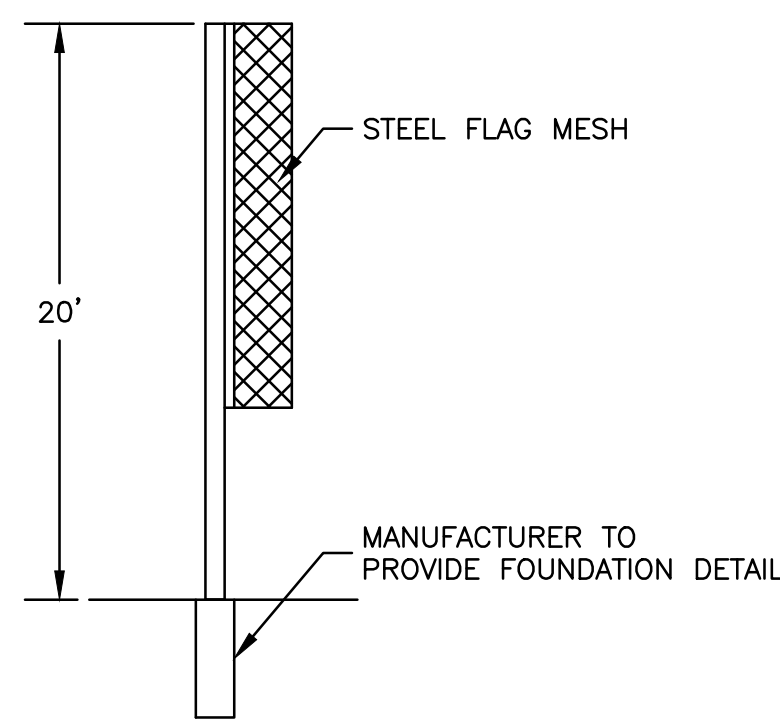


BASE ANCHOR DETAIL
N.T.S.

REVISIONS		
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1	ADDITION OF CLAY BRICK TO BATTER/CATCHER BOX	10/6/16

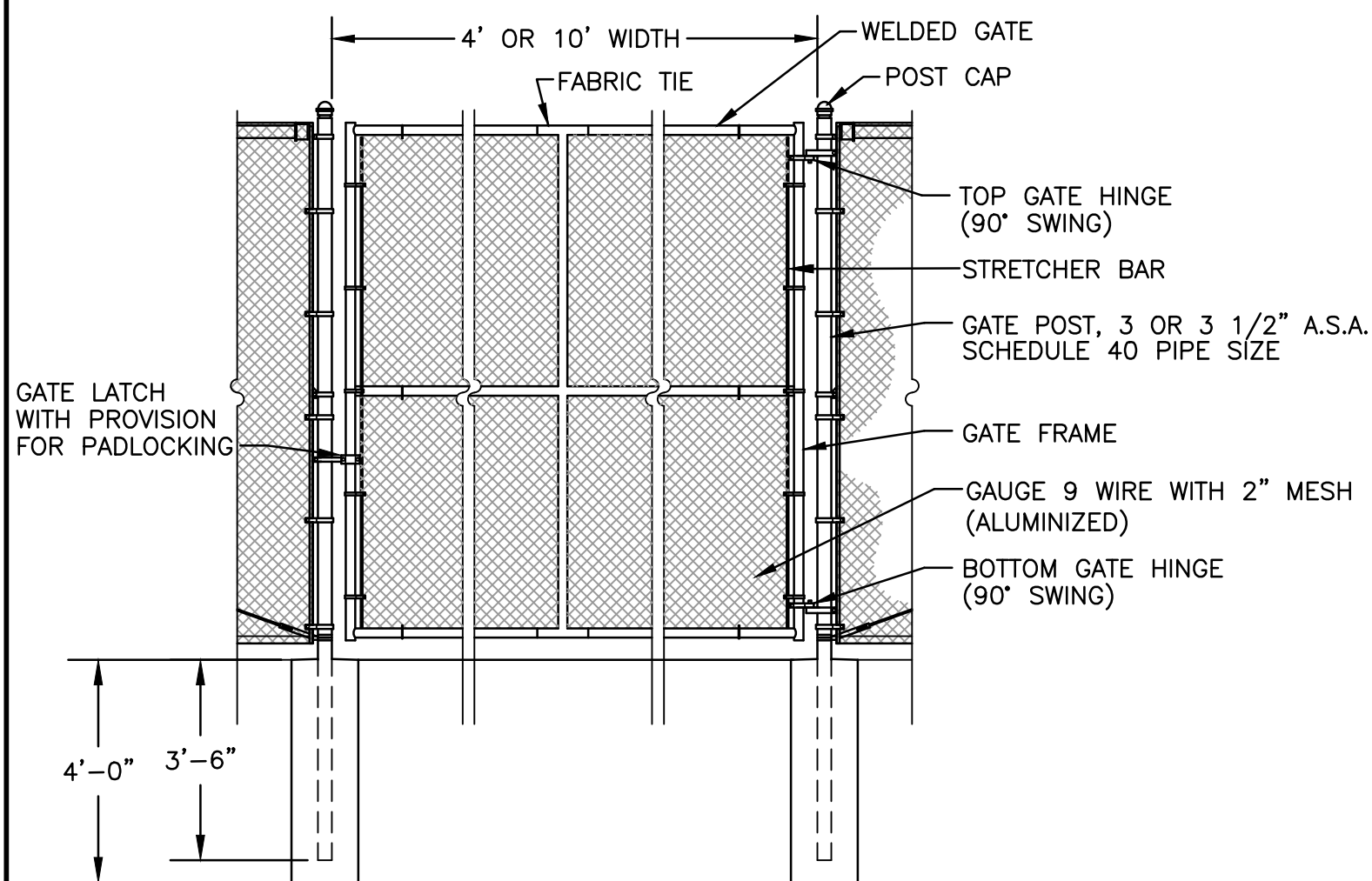


BACKSTOP DETAIL
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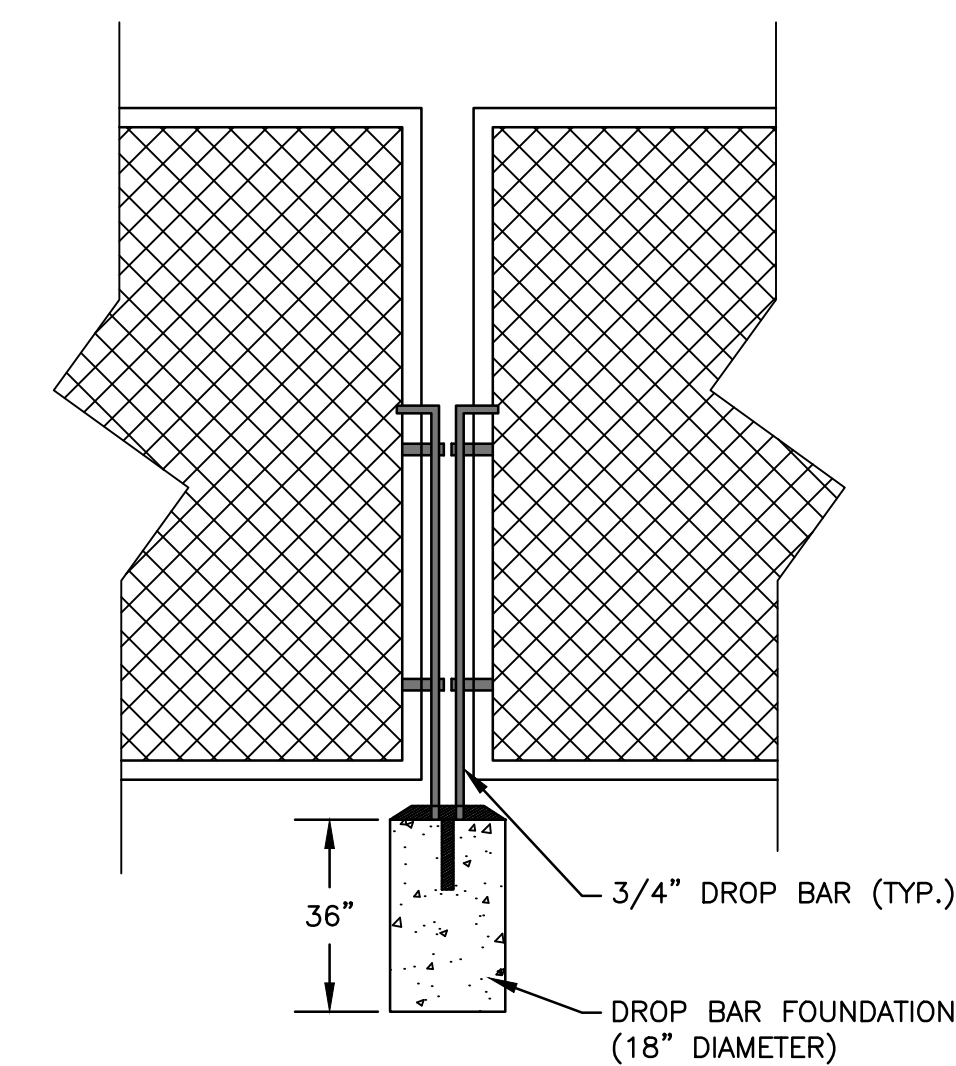


FOUL POST DETAIL
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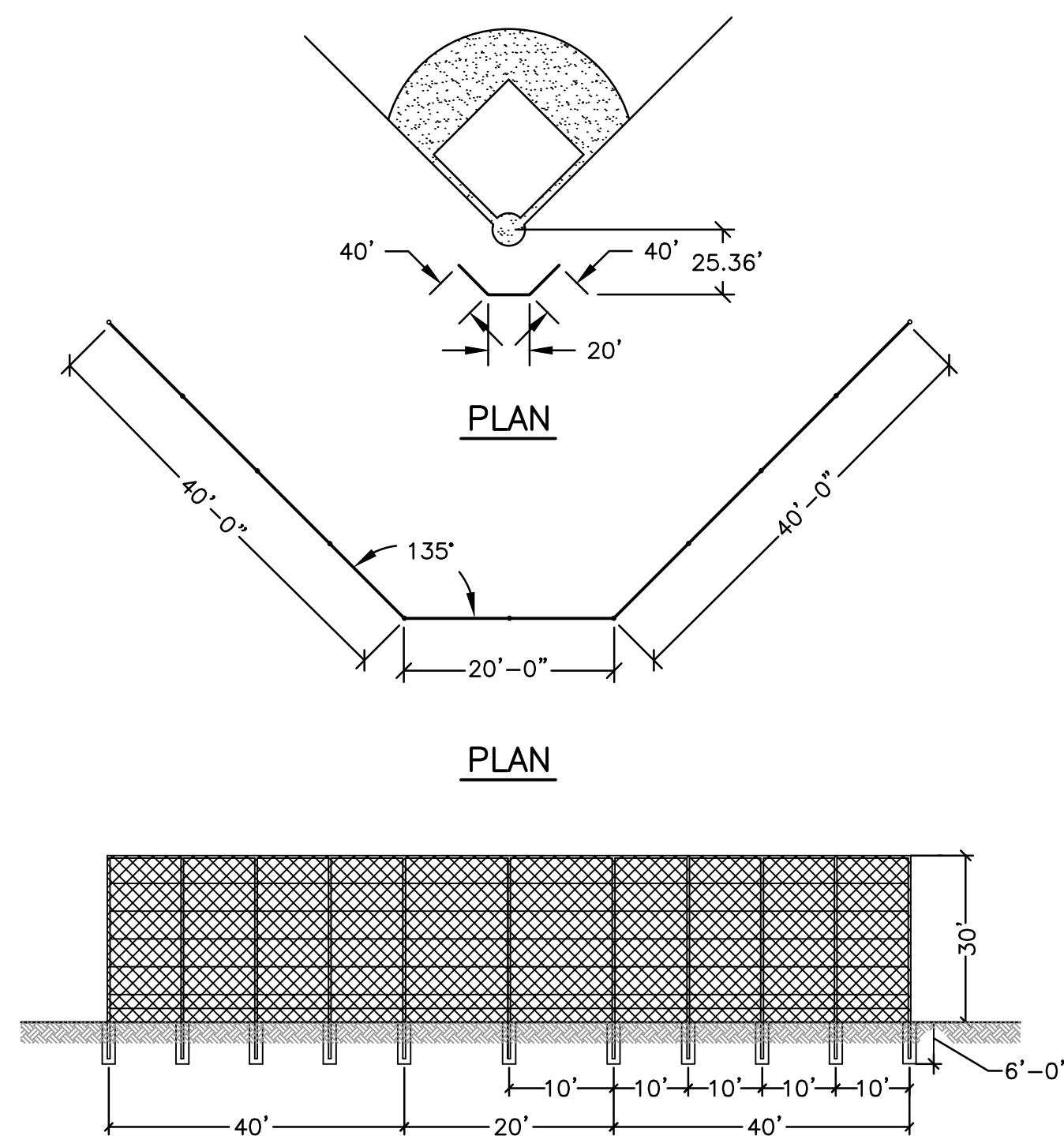
FOOTINGS SHALL BE INCLUDED IN UNIT PRICE FOR FOUL POLE



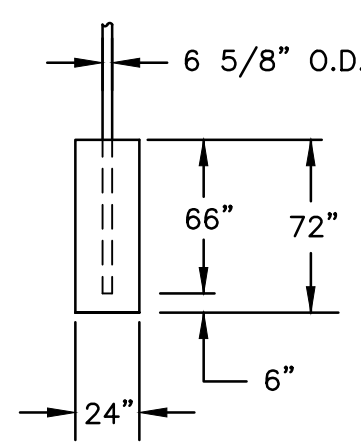
GATE DETAIL
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DOUBLE SWING GATE LATCH DETAIL
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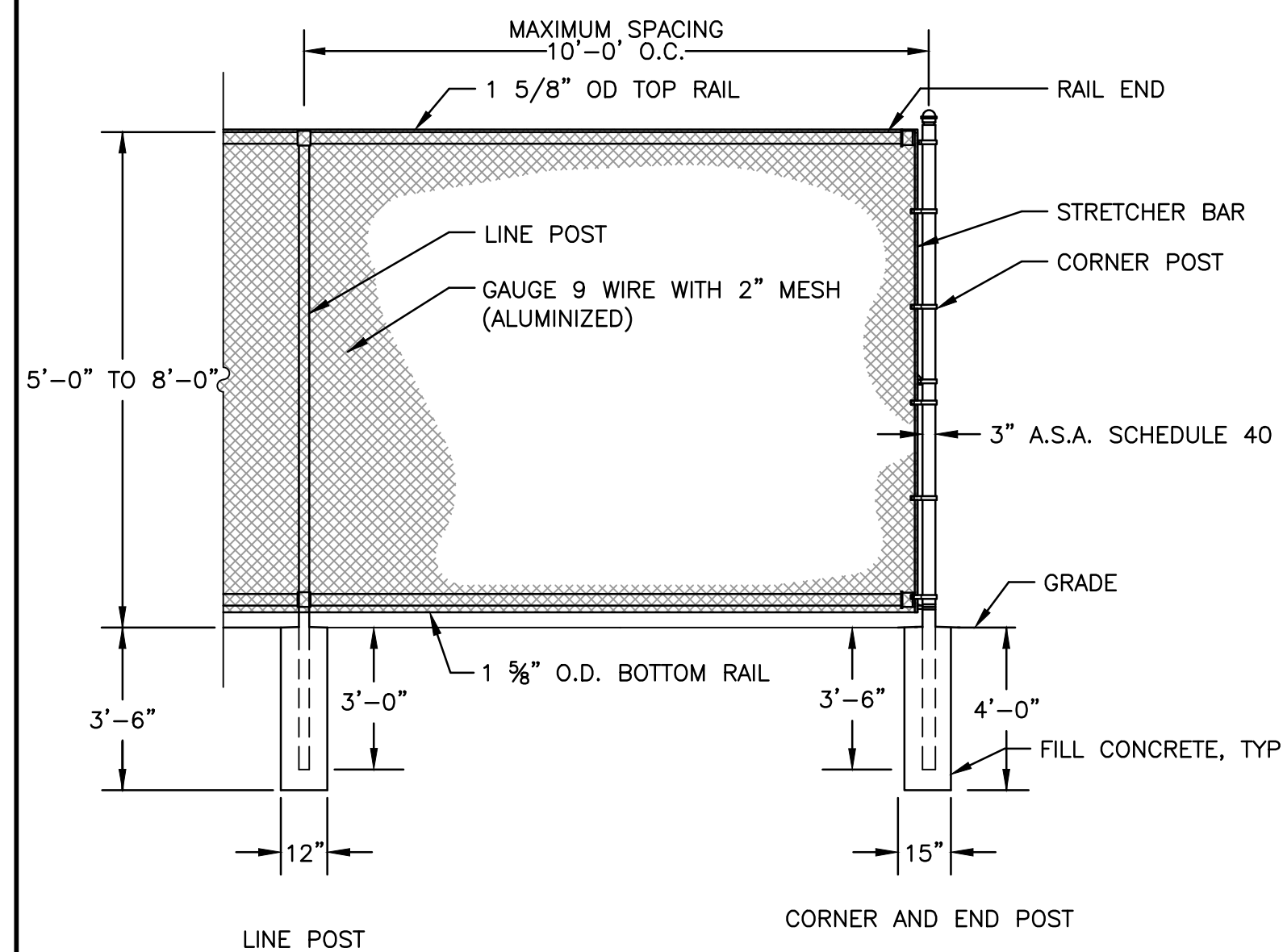


SOFTBALL BACKSTOP
N.T.S.



BACKSTOP CONCRETE FOUNDATION DETAIL
N.T.S.

FOOTINGS SHALL BE INCLUDED IN UNIT PRICE FOR BACKSTOP.



FENCE DETAIL
N.T.S.

GENERAL NOTES

FOUL POLE SUPPLIER
PARK & RECREATION
6701 SEYBOLD ROAD
MADISON, WI 53719
(608) 274-0223

OR

BEACON ATHLETICS
8233 FORSYTHIA ST., STE 120
MIDDLETON, WI 53562
(800) 747-5985

OR APPROVED EQUAL

DUGOUT SUPPLIER
BEACON ATHLETICS
8233 FORSYTHIA ST., STE 120
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* OR APPROVED EQUAL

FENCE MATERIAL
FENCING SHALL BE 2"-9 GAUGE CHAIN LINK WITH ALUMINIZED COATING. LINE FENCE POSTS SHALL BE SPACED 10'-0" O.C. ALL ALUMINIZED COATING SHALL BE APPLIED AT 0.4 OZ./S.F.

POST MATERIAL
ALL POSTS SHALL BE SCHEDULE 40 WITH 2 OZ./S.F. GALVANIZED COATING OR ALLIED SS40. CORNER END POSTS SHALL BE 3" O.D. LINE POSTS SHALL BE 2-1/2" ROUND O.D. GATE POSTS FOR 4' AND 5' LEAVES SHALL BE 3" O.D. AND GATE POSTS FOR 10' LEAVES SHALL BE 3 1/2" O.D.

NOTE: SHOP DRAWINGS OF BACKSTOPS, FENCING, GATES, & FOUL POLES SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO ENGINEER FOR APPROVAL.

NOTE: FENCE INSTALLATION SHALL FOLLOW SECTION 664 OF STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION.

FENCE CROWN
FENCE CROWN SHALL BE BRIGHT YELLOW 4" DIAMETER CORRUGATED PLASTIC TUBING. TUBING SHALL BE ATTACHED TO OUTFIELD FENCE PER MANUFACTURERS INSTRUCTIONS.

REVISIONS		
REV. NO.	DESCRIPTION	DATE
1	ADDITION OF SECOND FOUL POLE SUPPLIER	10/6/16

PRE-BID CONFERENCE OPENING STATEMENT

Welcome to the pre-bid conference for **IFB No. 17-15 Auburn High School Softball Field** for the Rockford Public Schools.

The purpose of this meeting is to receive input, comments, questions, clarifications and suggested changes relative to this solicitation. As a reminder, the only acceptable changes to the Bid/RFP are formal Addendums published by the RPS Purchasing department. Additionally, the Addendum may address other issues identified by the School District.

The goal of today's meeting is to increase your knowledge of the solicitation as it is written and provide an information mechanism in which you may advise the School District of any changes it should make. Consequently, any changes you wish the Rockford Public Schools to consider must be submitted in writing to the Purchasing department before the deadline as expressed in the solicitation.

We will try to answer as many of the questions as possible. If we cannot answer a question today, we will defer that answer to the published Addendum. Additionally, minutes from this pre-bid conference will be published in the Addendum.

- Bid Opening is scheduled for **Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at 2:00 p.m., Rockford Board of Education, 6th Floor Conference Room, 501 Seventh St., Rockford, IL 61104**. Late bids will not be accepted. Faxed or emailed bids will not be accepted.
- Board Approval October 25, 2016
- Bid RFI Procedures - Email Only - All correspondence during the bid process **MUST** be sent to Tamara Pugh, Purchasing Process Manager at tamara.pugh@rps205.com Last RFI will be accepted until October 13, 2016 by 12:00 pm, (CDST). Last addendum will be issued by October 14, 2016 by 12:00 pm.
- Addendums will be emailed to all attendees at the pre-bid conference, posted on the RPS website, Demand Star and the 3 printing companies.
- PLEASE reference the **REQUIRED FORMS CHECK LIST** for all documents that must be submitted with your bid offer form. All forms must be properly completed, signed and submitted or your bid will be deemed non-responsive. 5% Bid bond for the Base bid to be included.

I will turn it over to the Project Manager for summary of the project.



PRE-BID MEETING SIGN-IN SHEET

IFB No. 17-15 Auburn High School Softball Field

Wednesday, October 5, 2016, 1:00 pm (CDST)

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6	BEIRN AMLING	NORRIS ILLINOIS SERVICES	4781 SANDY HOLLOW RD ROCKFORD IL 61109	815-874-4422	ESTIMATION@NORRISILLINOISSERVICES.COM
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