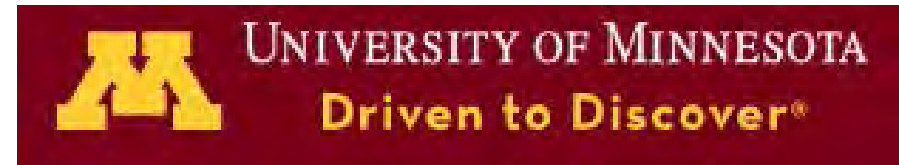


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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

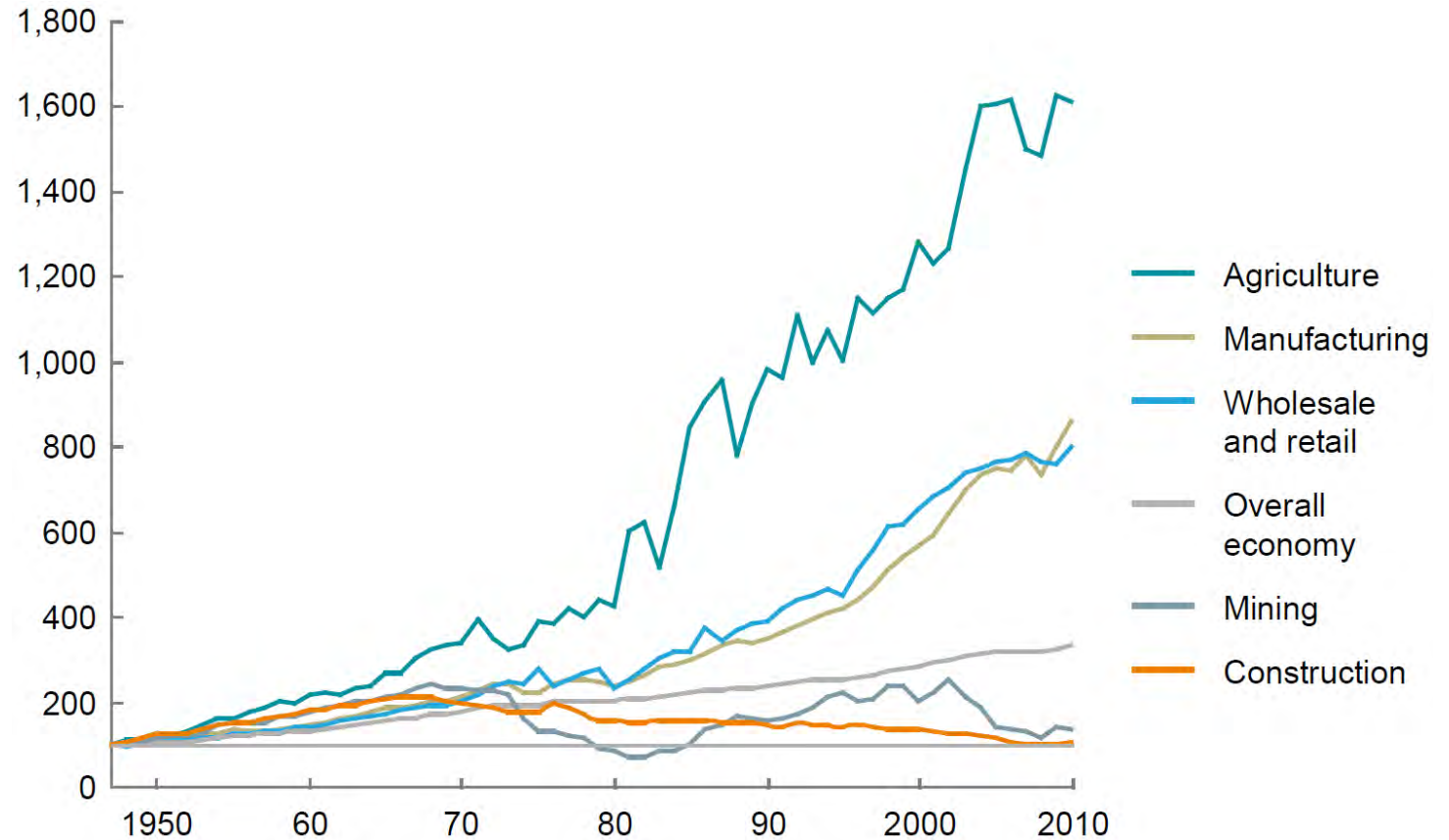


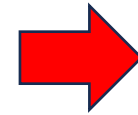
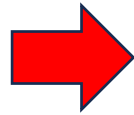
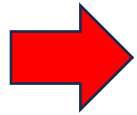
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## The Main Issue

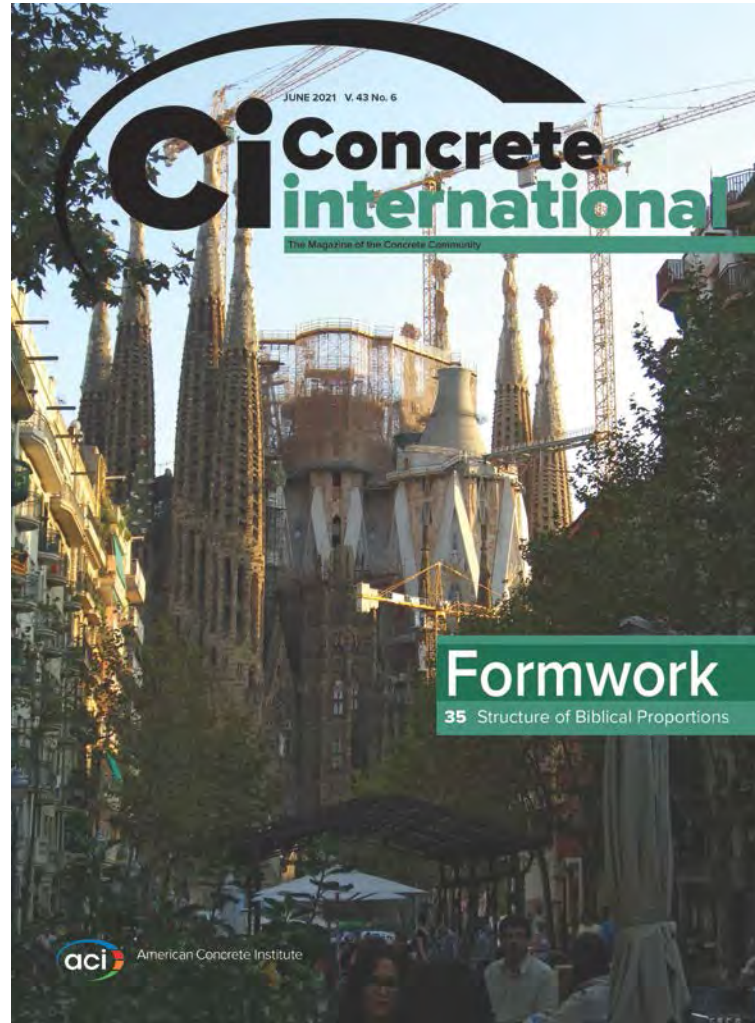
- Volume change

## Location Matters

- Inflection point
- Mid-span

## Slab-to-Slab Connectors

- Concrete anchors
- Mechanical couplers



# WHAT IS A POUR STRIP?

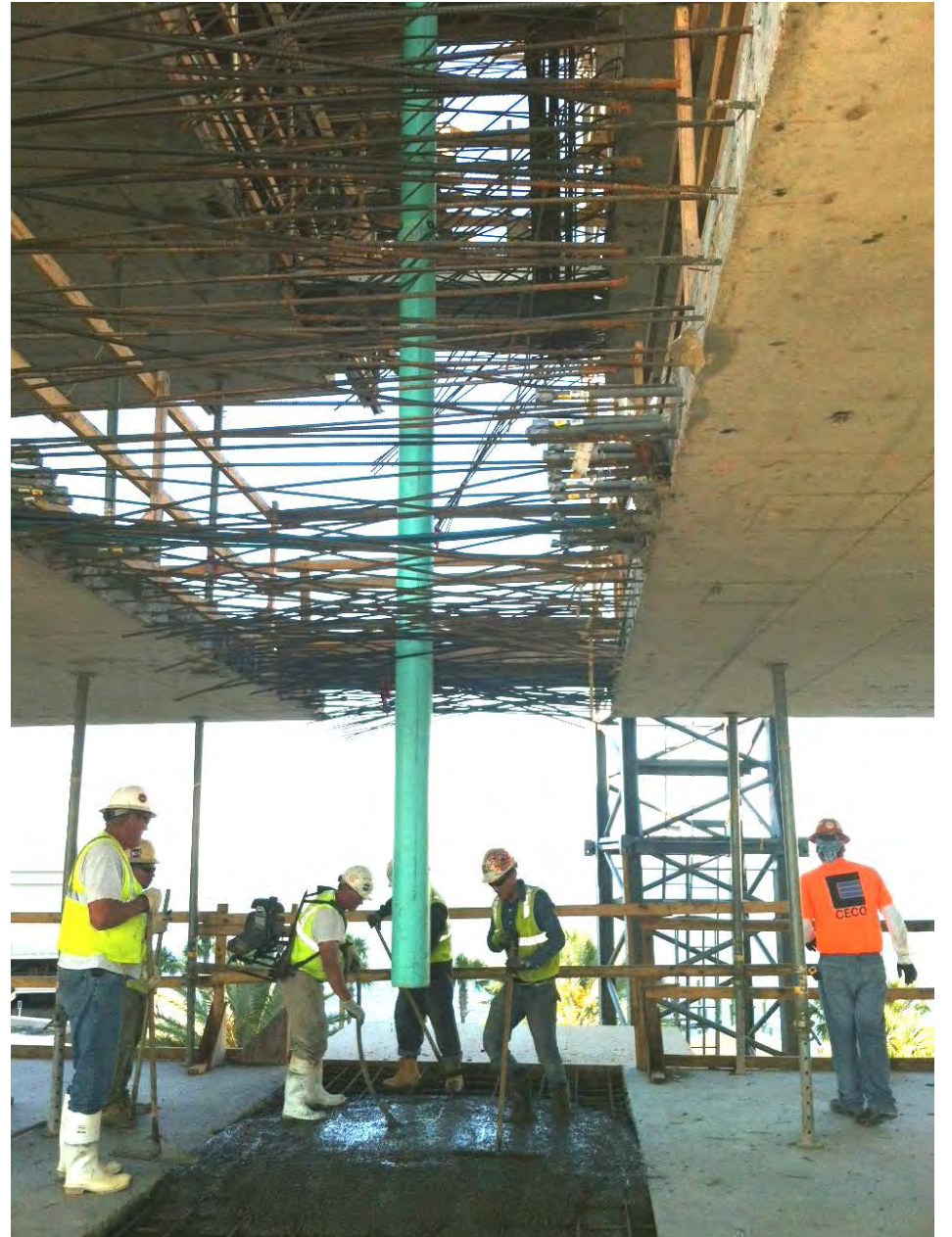
- A temporary leave-out
- Post-tensioned separately
- Allows for volume change
- A complete break in the structure
- 3-ft to 4-ft wide, or wider
- Poured back later
- 28-days to 120-days, or more
- Used in PT and RC



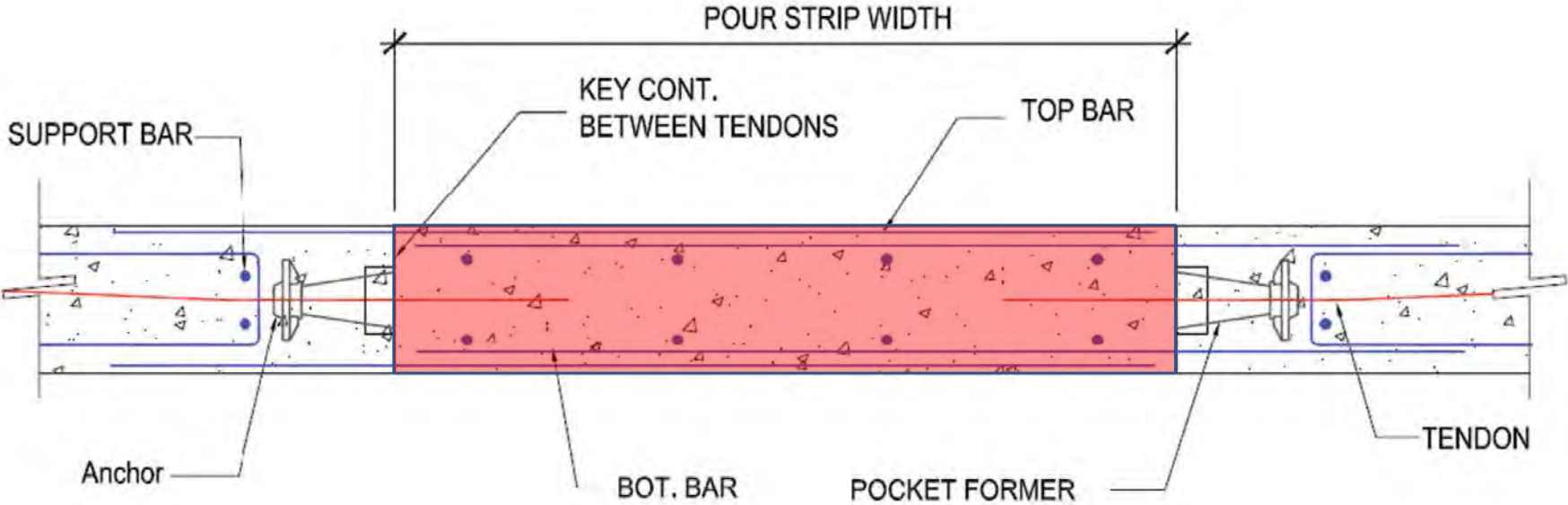


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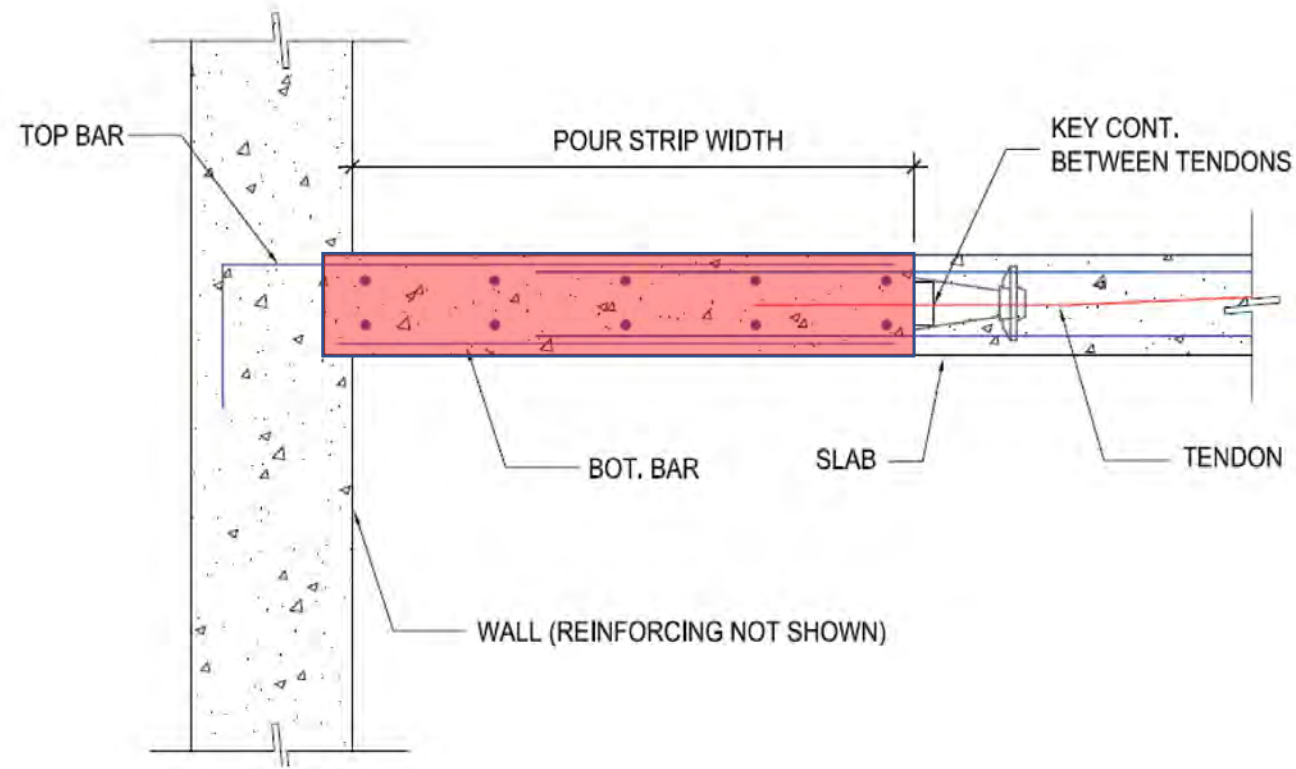
- Formwork left in place or reformed
- ACI lap splice
- Provides load transfer
- Provides diaphragm continuity
- Provides ACI integrity
- Safety hazard
- Critical path
- Delays other trades
- Most expensive concrete



# WHAT IS A POUR STRIP?



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# THE MAIN ISSUE

## Volume change

- Shrinkage
- Temperature
- Elastic shortening – PT
- Creep – PT

## Restraint to shortening (RTS)



# ACI 209 – CREEP AND SHRINKAGE IN CONCRETE

- 8-in PT slab
- 100-ft long
- No restraint
- RH = 75%
- P/A = 200 psi
- $f'_c = 3,000$  psi (release)
- $f'_c = 5,000$  psi
- Temperature change = 70 F

## Estimated Long-Term Shortening (25-yrs)

- ES (Elastic Shortening) = 0.07-in
- SH (Shrinkage shortening) = 0.5-in
- CR (Creep Shortening) = 0.11-in
- T (Temperature shortening) = 0.5-in
- Total without T = 0.68-in
- Total with T = 1.18-in

## Estimated Short-Term Shortening (28-days)

- 40% of long-term
- Total without T = 0.26-in
- Total with T = 0.46-in

# VOLUME CHANGE – PTI DC20.2-22

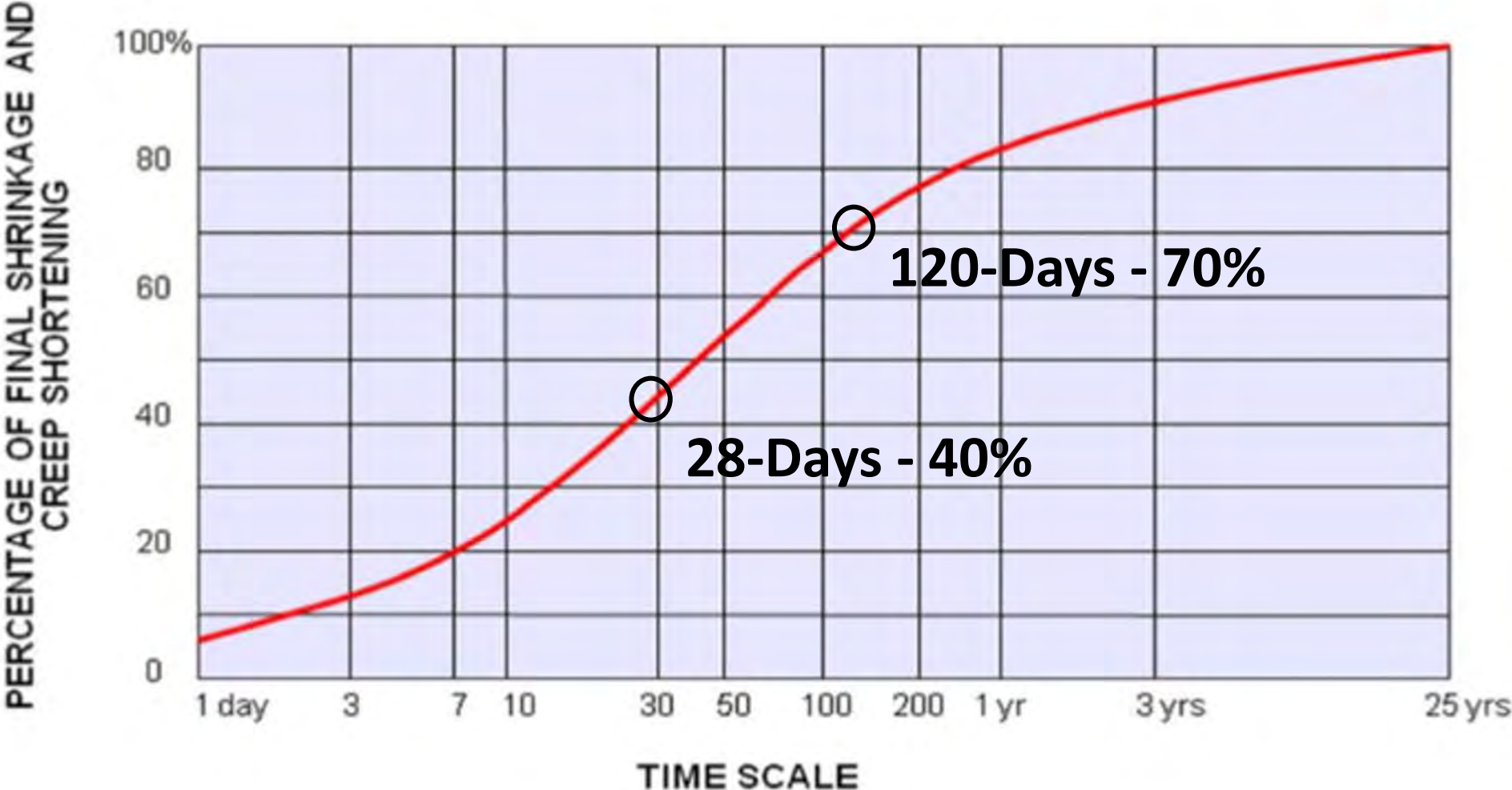
## 4.1.1 – Pour Strips

The separation allows each region to independently undergo its shortening. After a time period ranging anywhere from 14 to 60 days, the gap between the two post-tensioned slab regions (the pour strip) is closed by placing non-shrink concrete.

### Time to casting of pour strip

The time necessary to keep a pour strip open is determined by the extent of shortening deemed necessary before the two slab regions are tied together. Many practicing engineers use 0.25 in. (6 mm) as the hypothetical displacement which can be accommodated in a post-tensioned structure without significant impairment to its serviceability. For example, the casting of the pour strip concrete should be placed at a time when the remaining calculated displacement of the slabs at each side of the pour strip is 0.25 in. (6 mm). Obviously, once the two slab regions are tied through the pour strip, the deferred displacement cannot take place. It is recognized that this is an empirical procedure backed by the satisfactory performance of pour strips in place. Section 3.2.1 discusses a simple method for estimating the closing time of a pour strip and Section 6 presents a detailed approach.

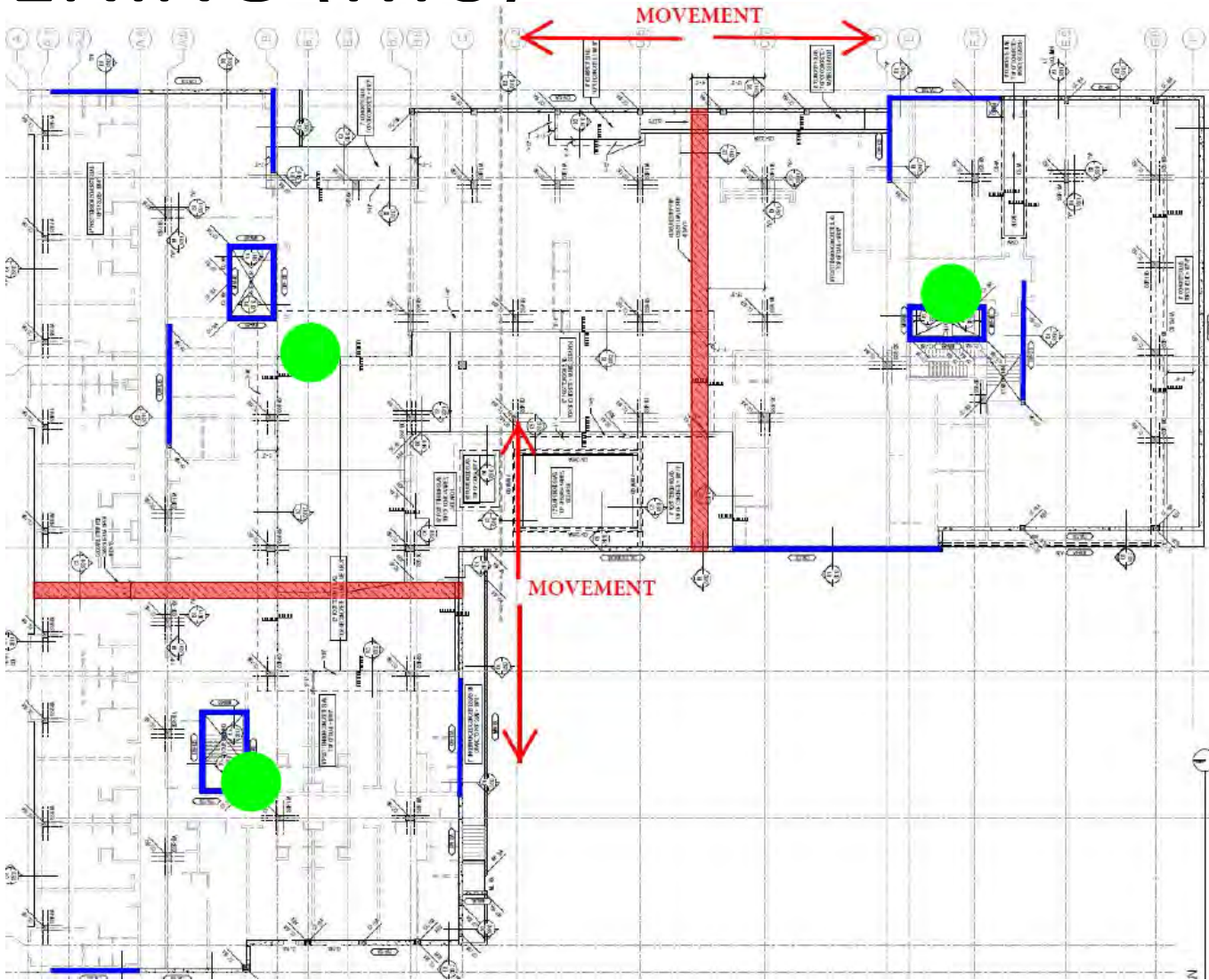
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# RESTRAINT TO SHORTENING (RTS)

- Stiff elements
- Building geometry

It gets complicated!





# FORMING, SHORING, RESHORING, AND BACKSHORING

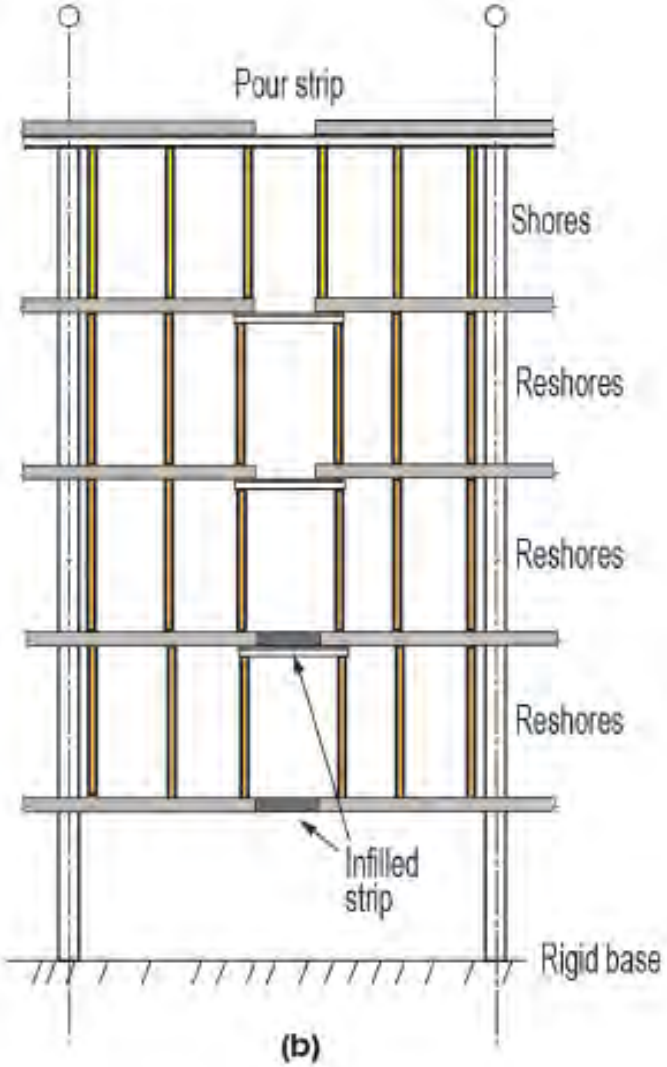
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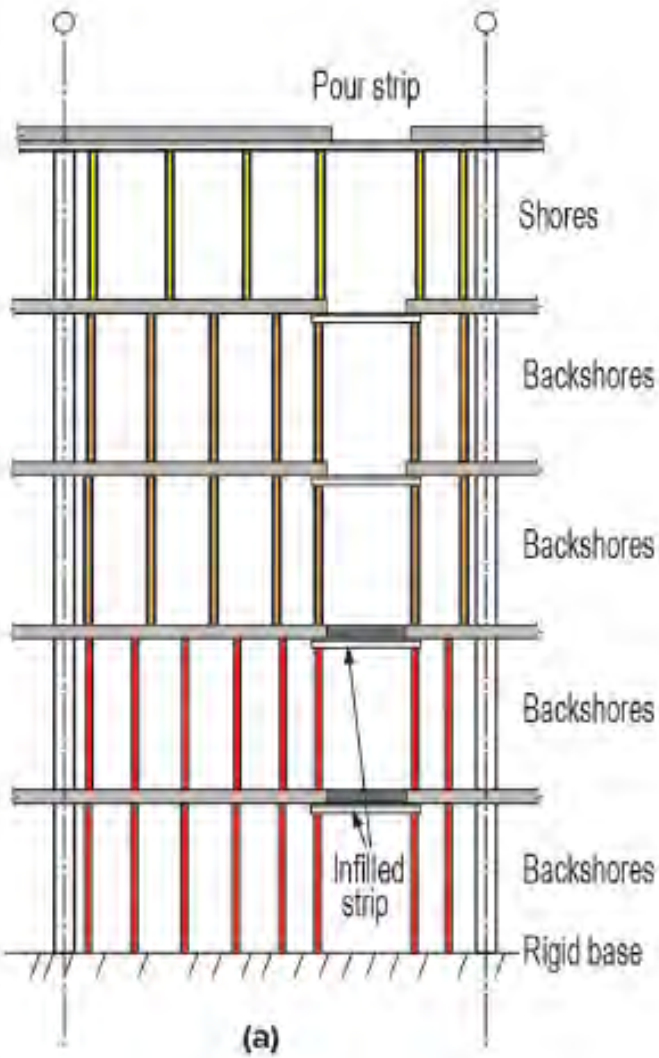
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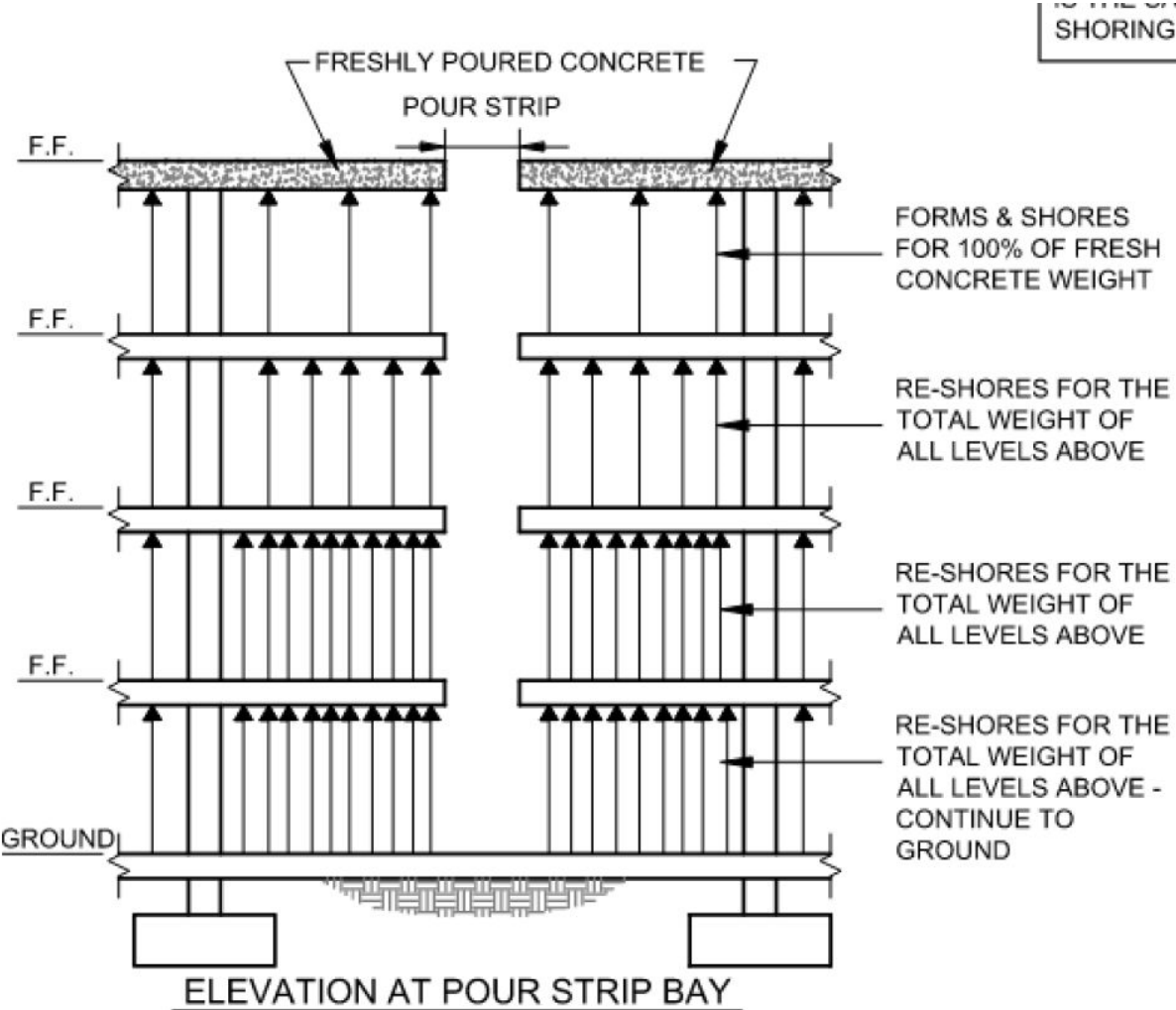
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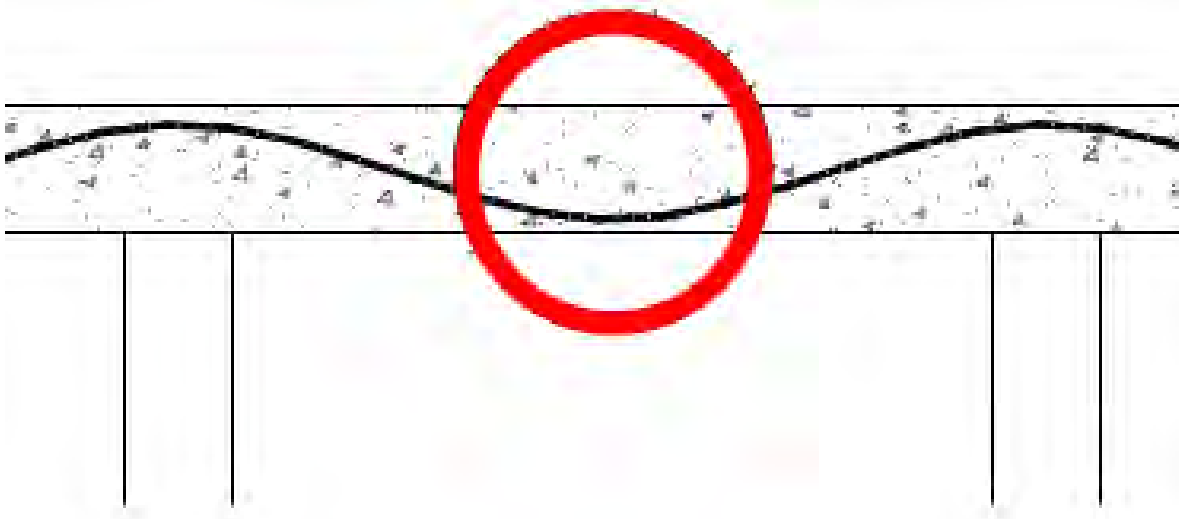
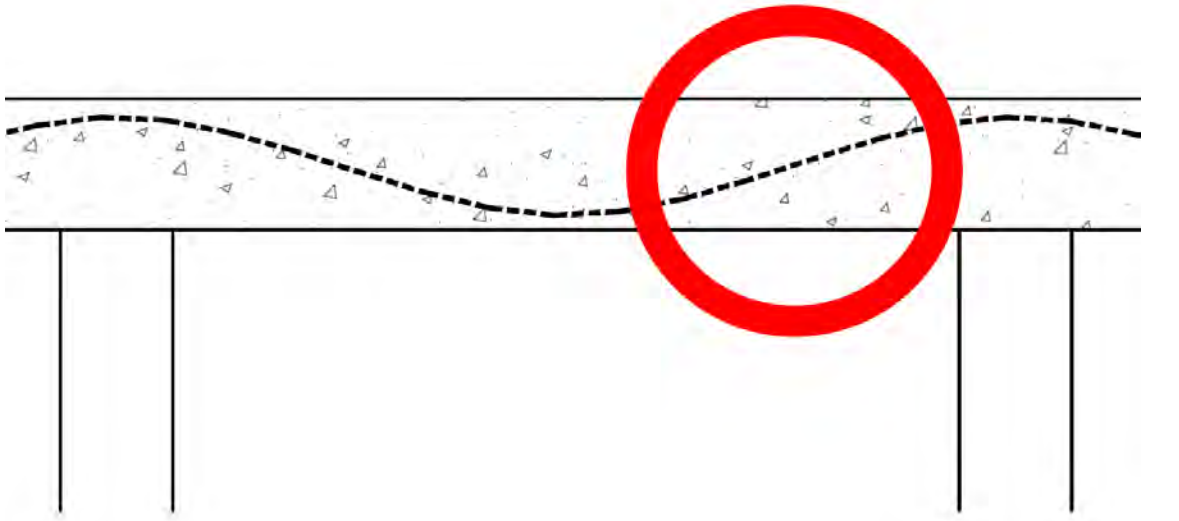


# LOCATION MATTERS

Inflection Point

OR

Mid-Span



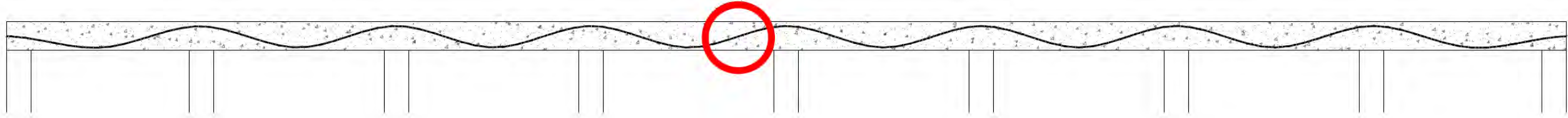
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## 4.1.1 – Pour Strips: Location

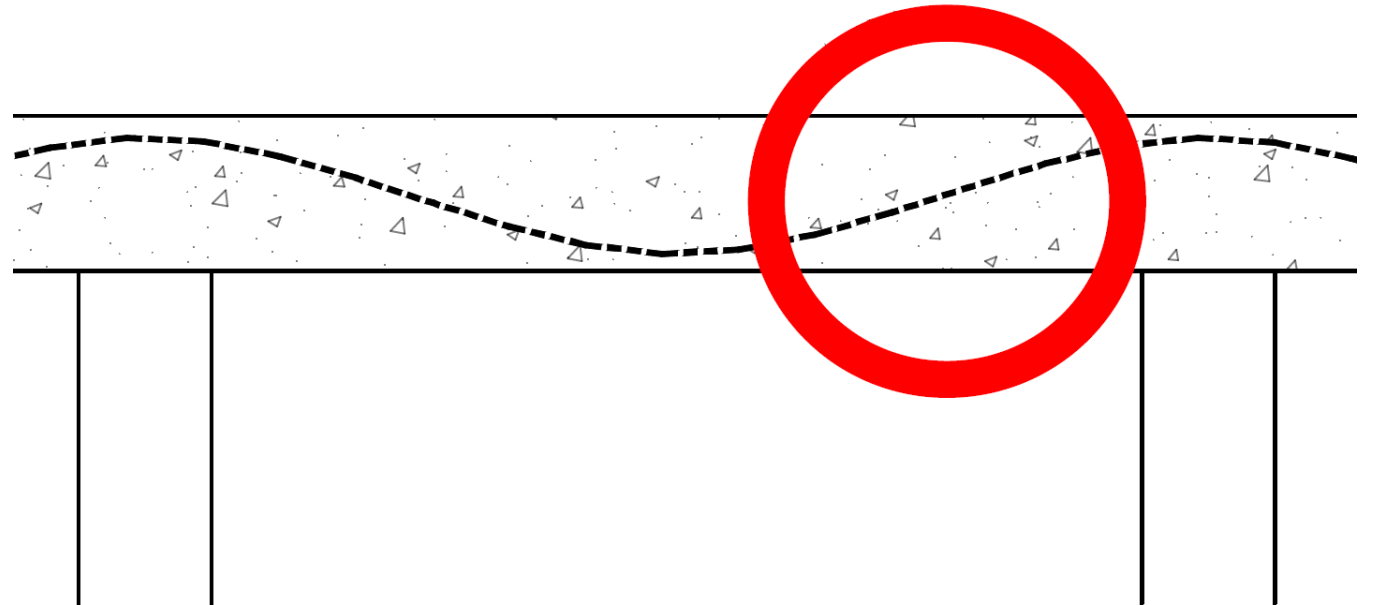
Location within a span and shoring

Between two adjacent supports, for regular conditions, the preferred location of a pour strip within a span is at midspan. For long spans, an alternate approach is to place the pour strip at the quarter span where the moments are typically small. It is important to carefully review predicted deflection at the end of the two cantilevers at the time the closure will be poured to ensure the closure is level and flat. **The cumulative shoring requirements at all pour strip bays should be carefully reviewed.** Other considerations, however, may dictate the location of the pour strip.

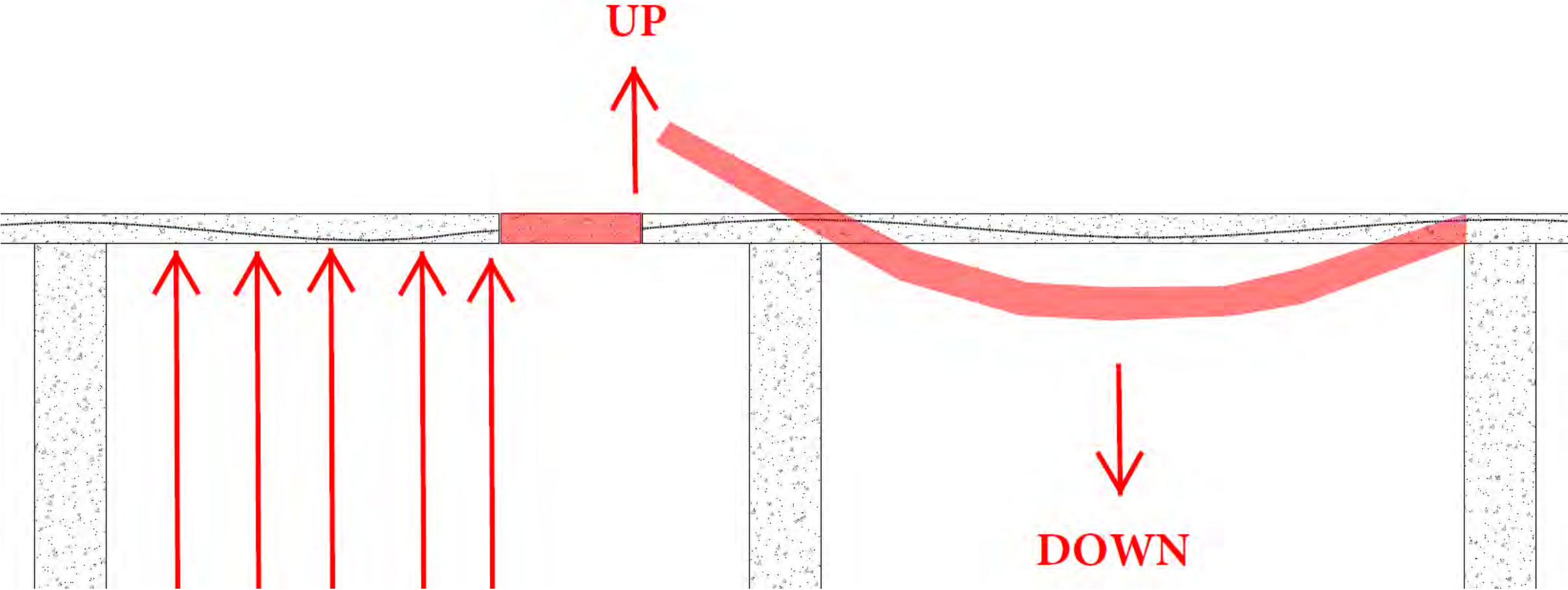
# INFLECTION POINT



- Low bending moment
- High shear
- Tendons at mid depth
- PT/rebar most economical
- Not self-supporting
- Cannot be fully released
- Requires backshores
- Short cantilever lifts up



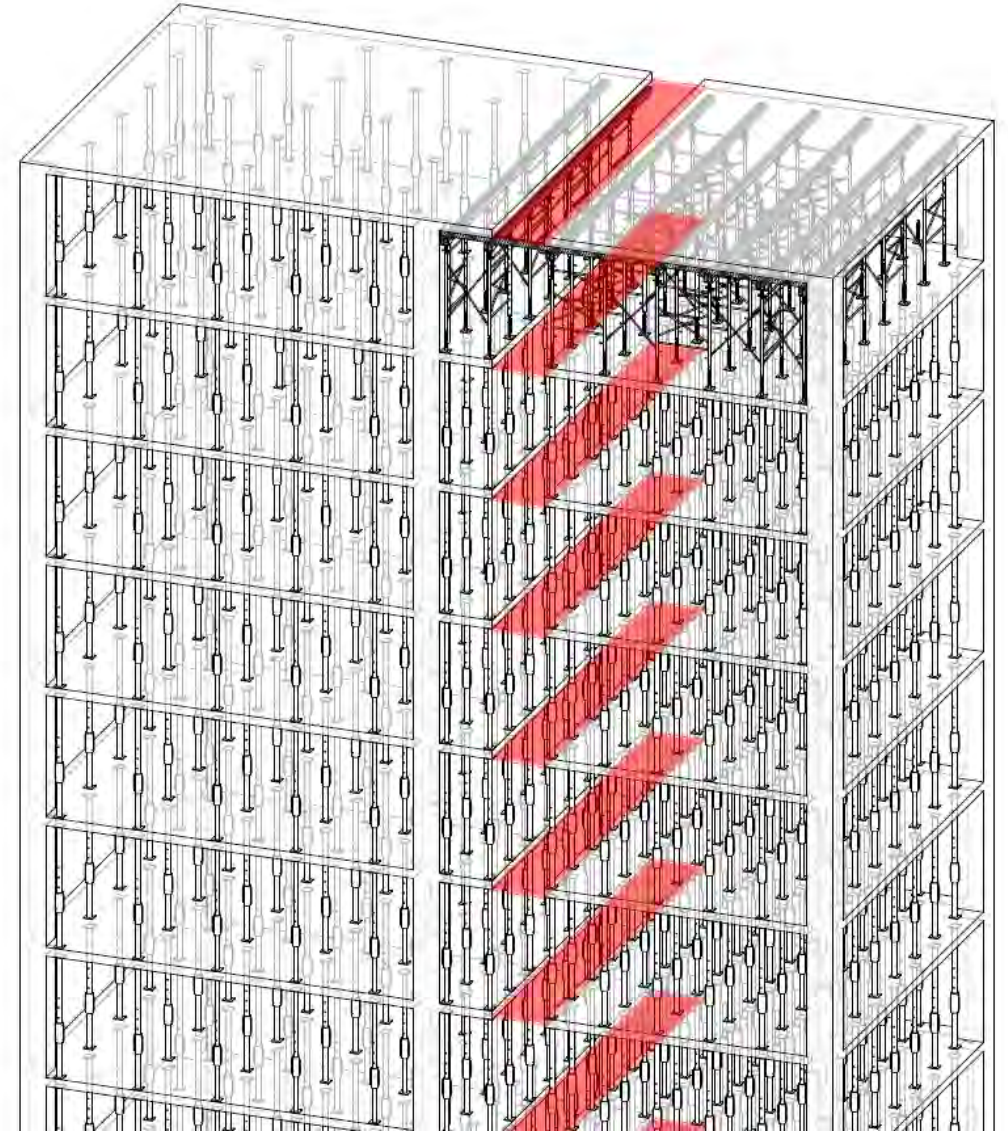
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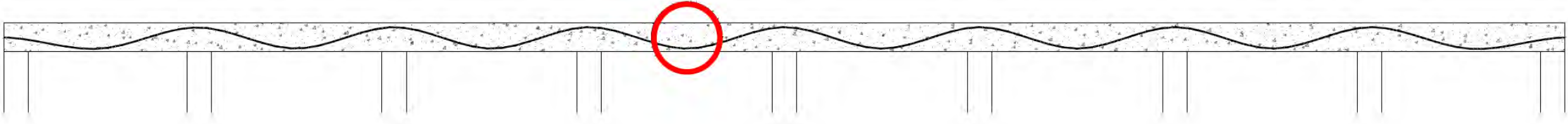
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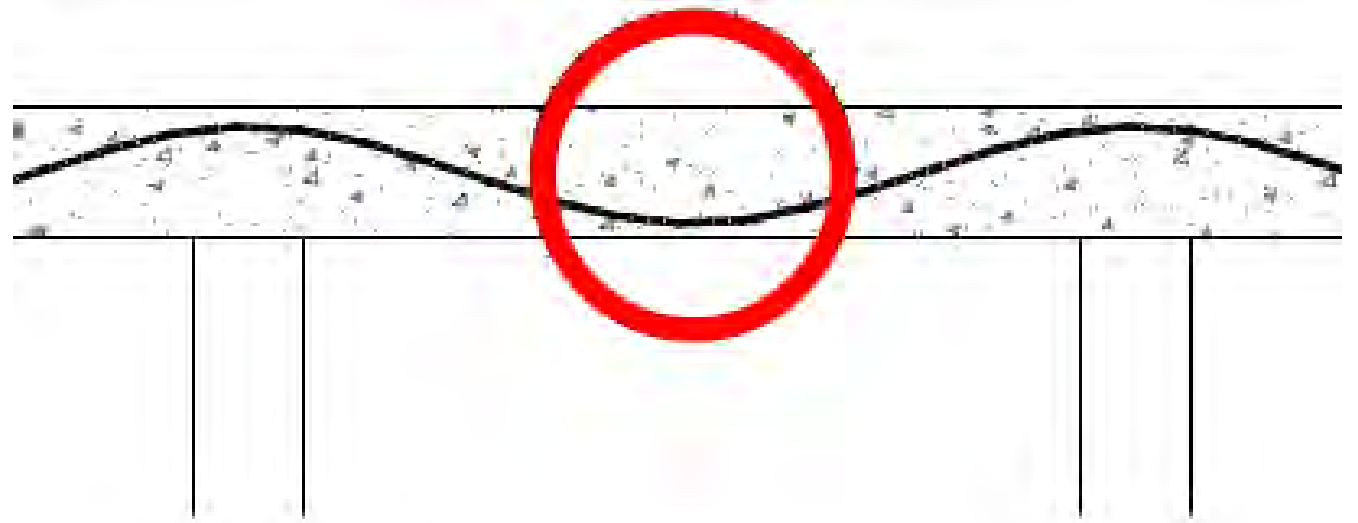




# MID-SPAN – NOT SELF-SUPPORTING



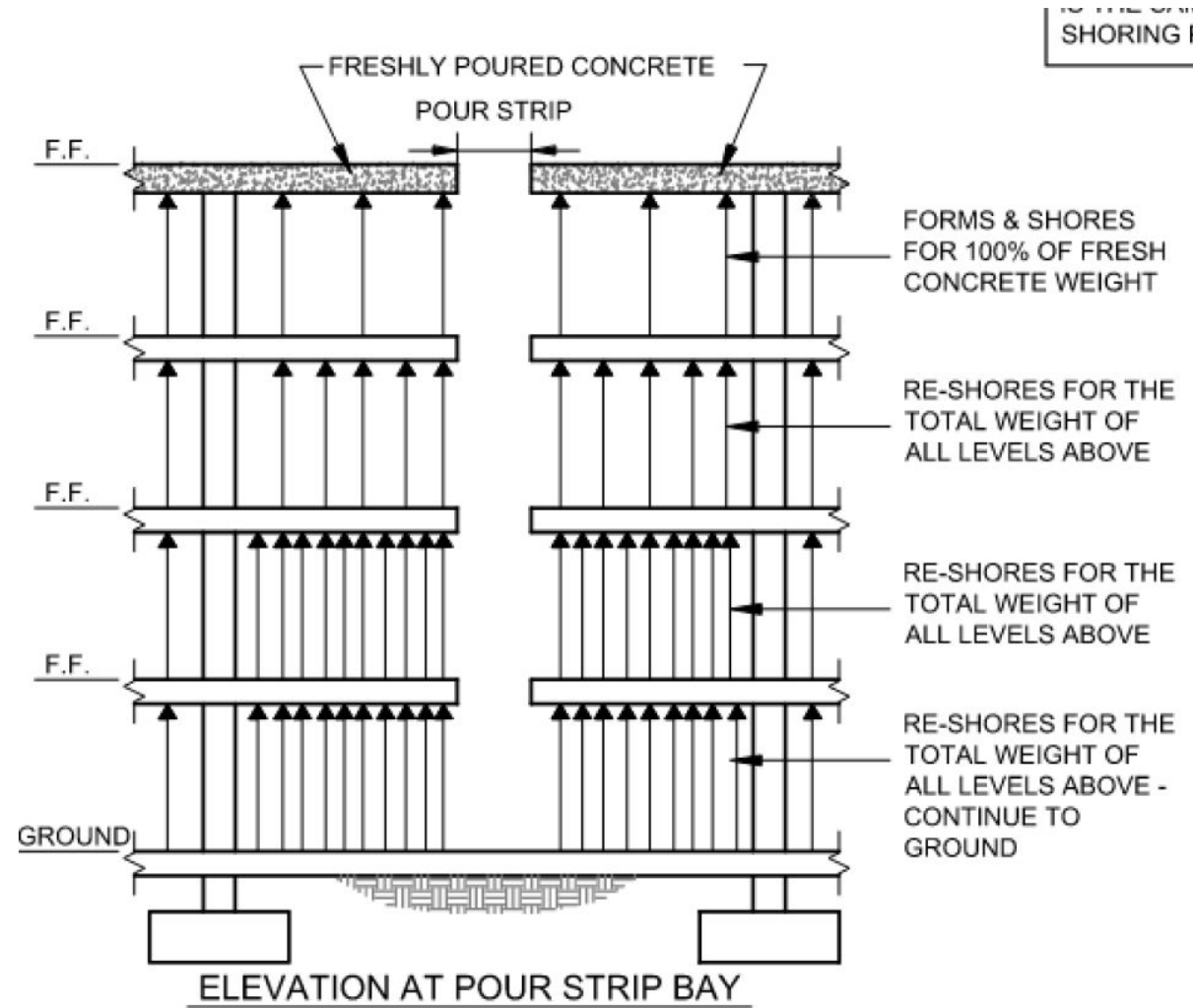
- High bending moment
- Low shear
- Tendons at bottom
- PT/rebar less economical
- Slabs cannot self-support
- Cannot be fully released
- Requires backshores



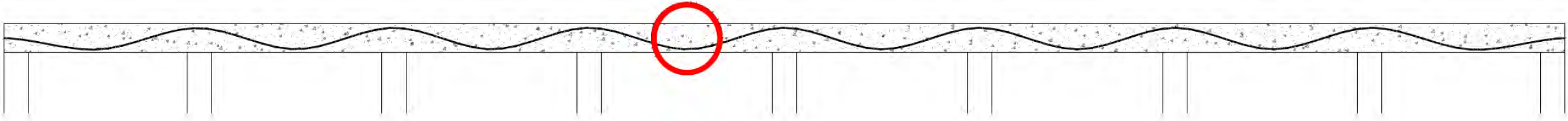
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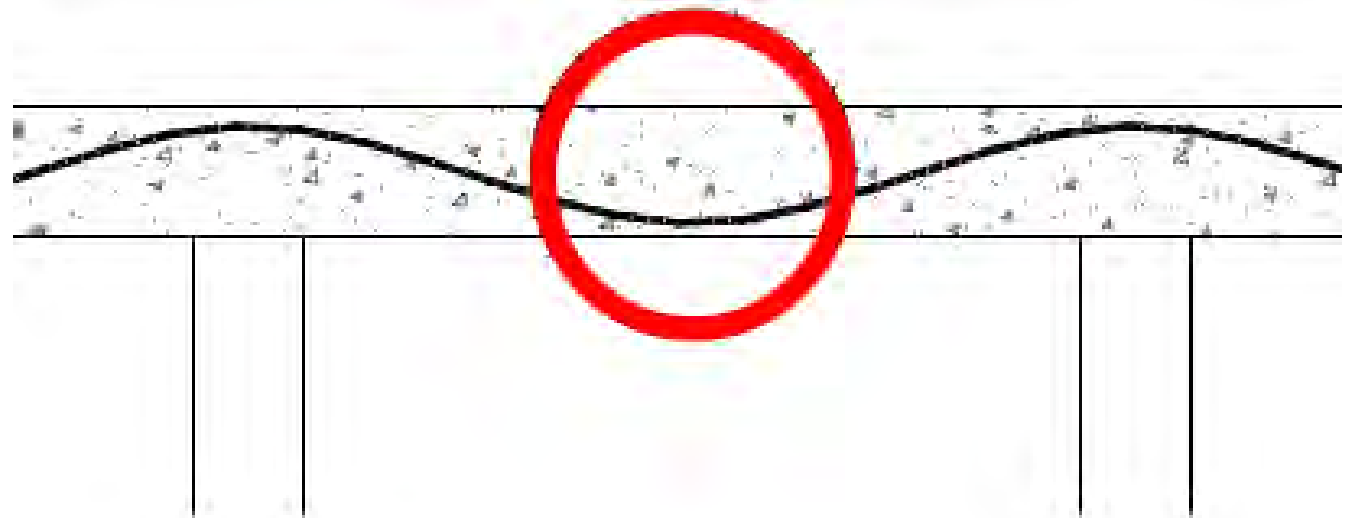
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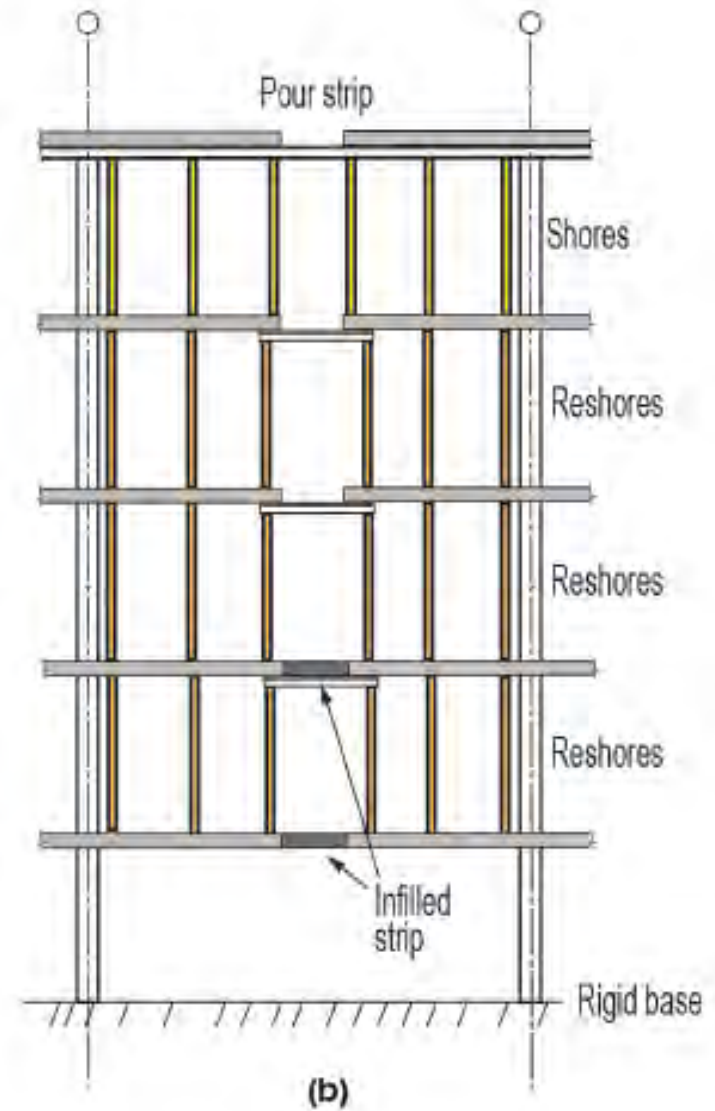
- High bending moment
- Low shear
- Tendons at bottom
- Added PT – higher stress
- PT/rebar least economical
- Slabs can self-support
- Slabs can be fully released
- No backshores

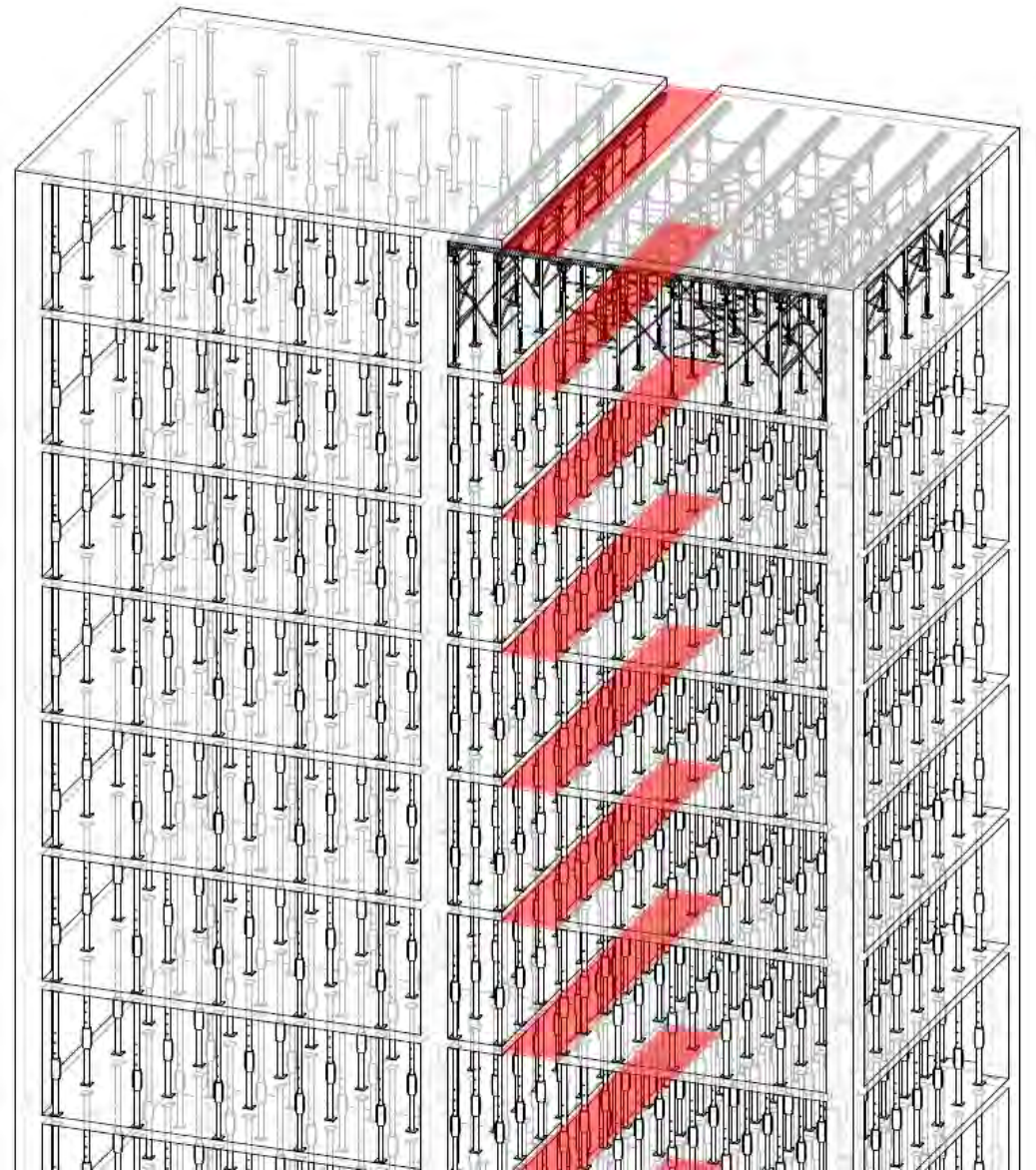
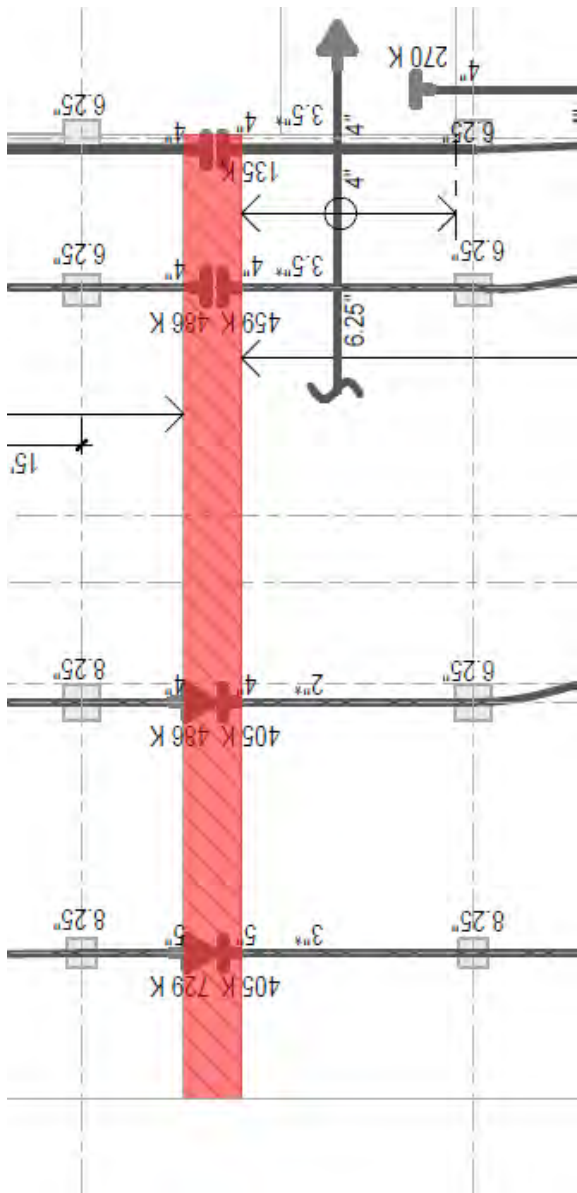


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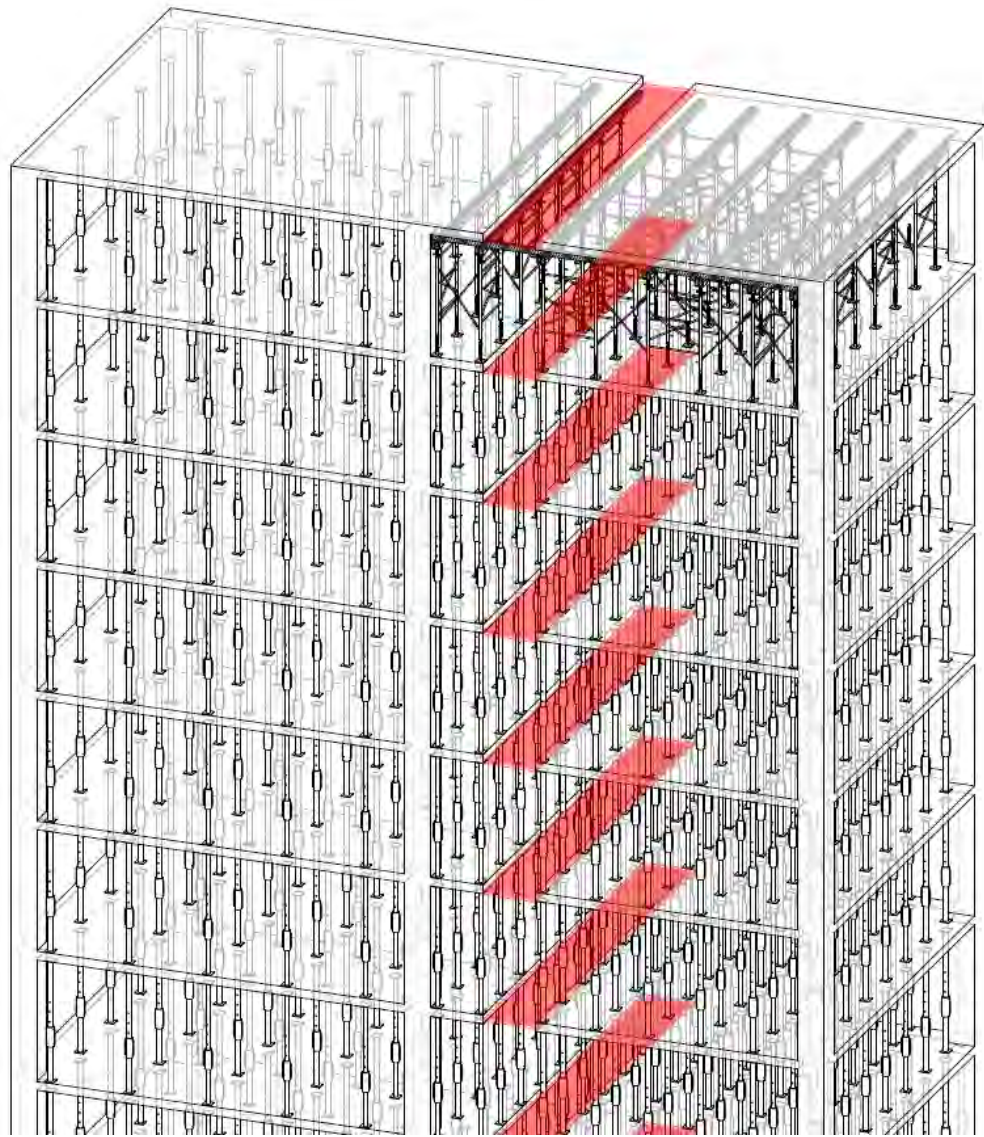


# SLAB-TO-SLAB CONNECTORS

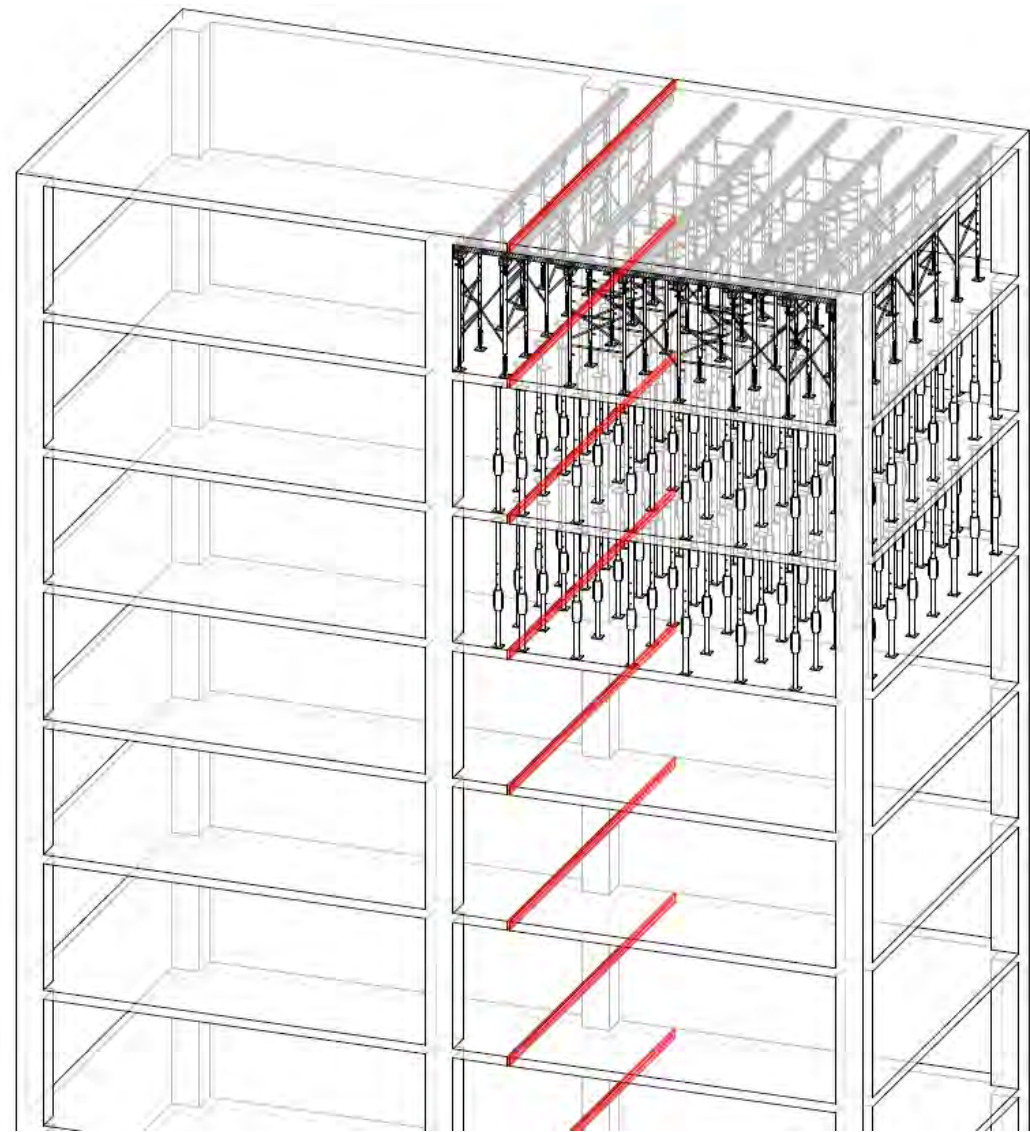
## Embedded Release Devices (PTI DC20.2-22)

- Concrete anchors
- Mechanical splices - PS=Ø<sup>®</sup>



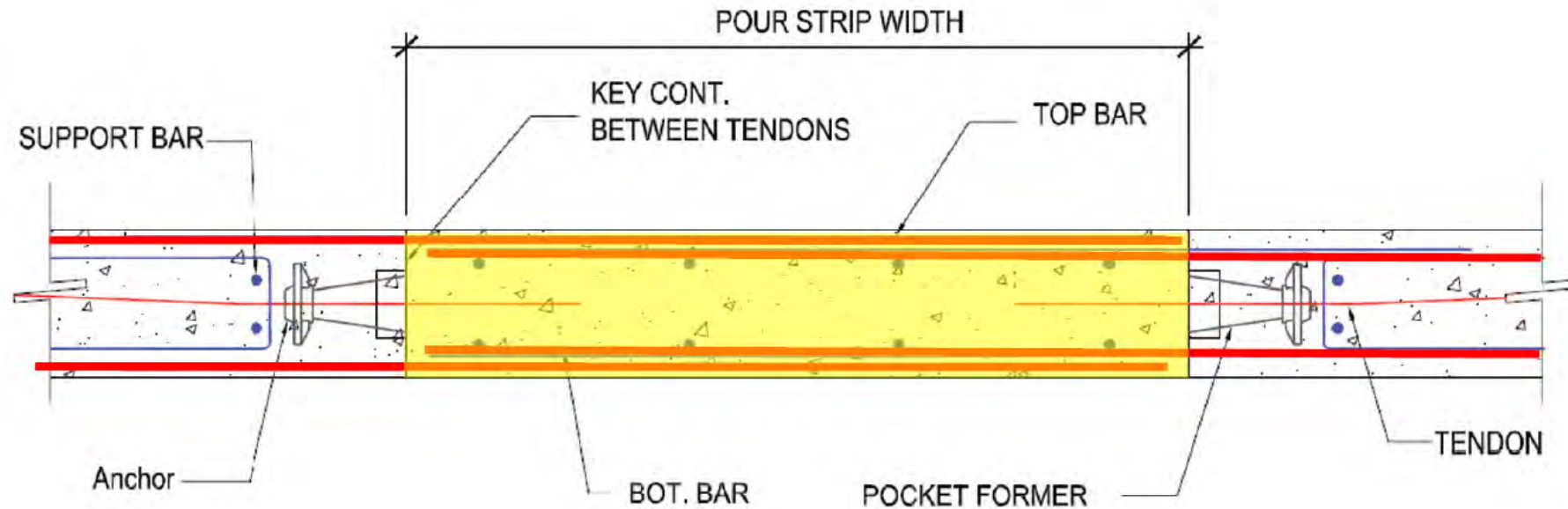


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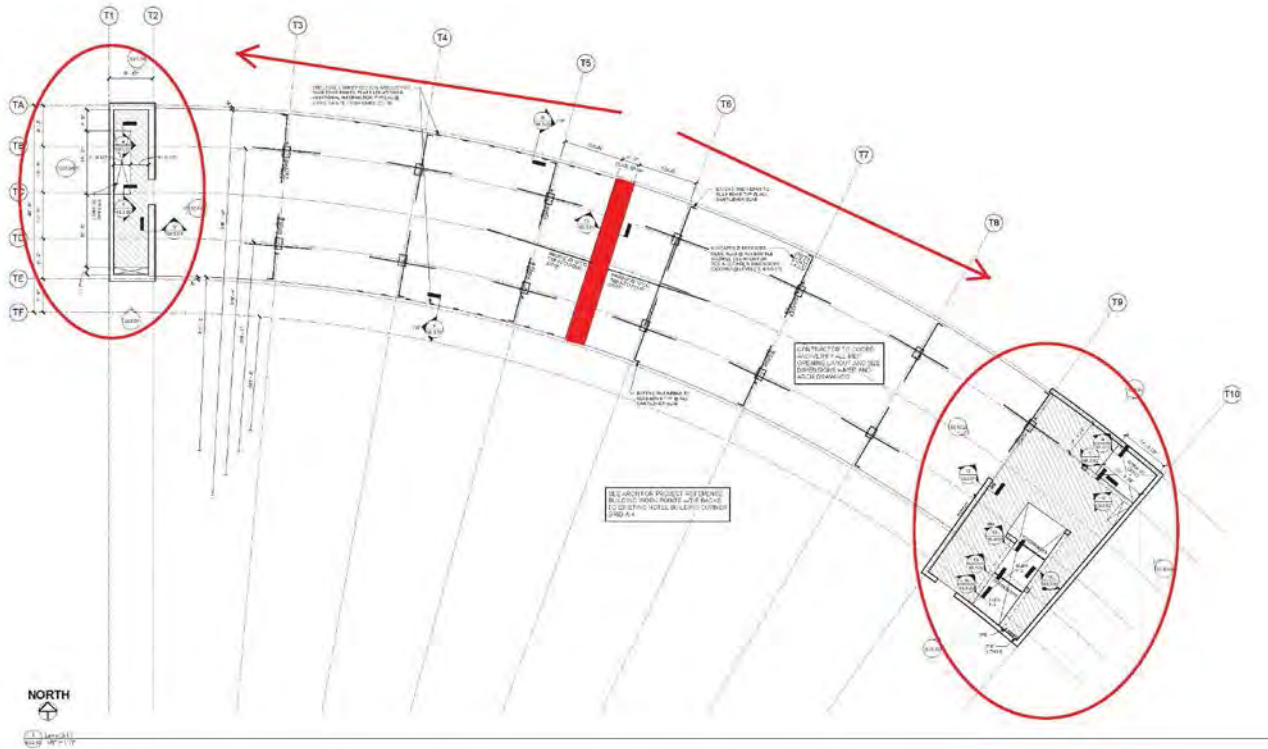


# POUR STRIP LAP SPLICE



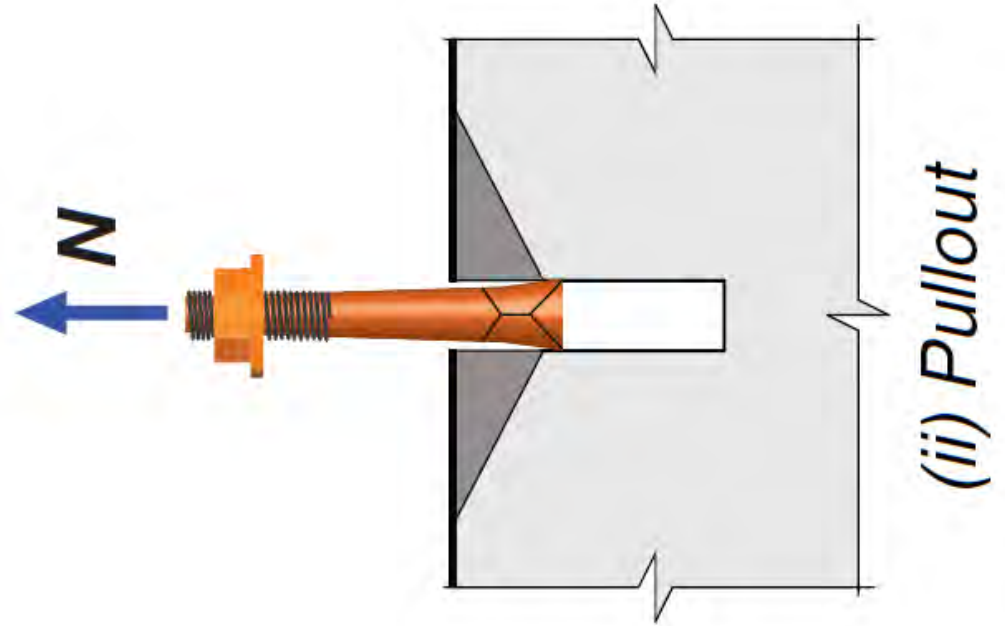
- ACI-permitted splice
- Meets ACI integrity
- Shear friction
- Continuous rebar
- Yielding
- Ductility
- Fixed
- Fire rated

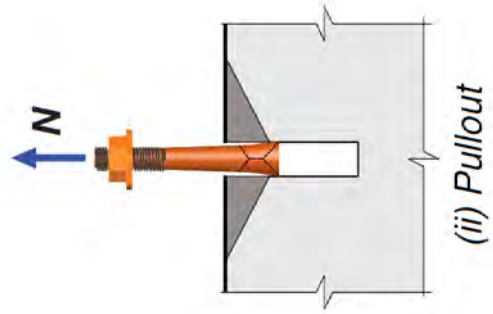
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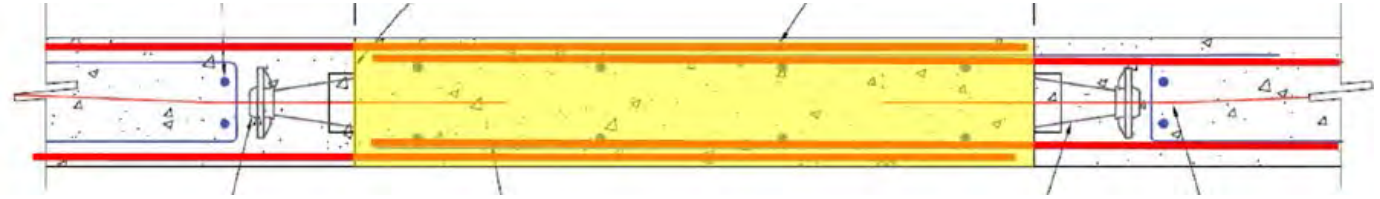
- Met local shear
- Did not meet local moment
- Did not transfer forces like a lap splice
- Did not meet ACI integrity
- Rebar not continuous
- Permanent hinge – expansion joint
- Required redesign of the slab and lateral system
- Uses epoxy grout – No fire rating
- Not ICC-approved
- Not an ACI-permitted splice
- Needed additional confinement steel





- Not ACI-permitted splice
- Does not meet ACI integrity
- No shear friction
- No continuous rebar
- No yielding
- No ductility
- Hinge
- Not fire rated

VS.



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# CONCRETE ANCHORS – COULD THEY WORK?

- Non seismic
- Non high wind
- Don't need ACI integrity
- Don't need ICC
- Don't need continuous rebar
- Don't need yielding
- Don't need ductility
- Hinge – OK
- Don't need tension like rebar splice
- Two separate lateral systems
- Cantilever column
- Shear only
- Don't need a fire rating
  - See PTI DC20.2-22, 4.4 – Embedded Release Devices

# ACI 318 REVIEW – NOT A PERMITTED SPLICE

## 318 Sub D – Members

ACI 318 Spring Convention  
Quebec City Convention Center  
Quebec City

Tuesday, March 26, 2019

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1:30 PM – 6:00 PM

## Minutes

### 4. Lockable Dowels

Dan Mullins provided a short presentation on the practical code implications of using “lockable dowels” for pour strips. Dan made the argument that although lockable dowels may meet localized shear and moment force transfer requirements, they do not meet continuity requirements. The committee agreed with Dan’s assessment, and the committee indicated that this topic should be considered for new business in the next code cycle.

# ACI 318-19: STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY

**structural integrity**—ability of a structure through strength, redundancy, ductility, and detailing of reinforcement to redistribute stresses and maintain overall stability if localized damage or significant overstress occurs.

**Table 4.10.2.1—Minimum requirements for structural integrity**

Member type	Section
Nonprestressed one-way cast-in-place slabs	7.7.7
Nonprestressed two-way slabs	8.7.4.2
Prestressed two-way slabs	8.7.5.6
Nonprestressed two-way joist systems	8.8.1.6
Cast-in-place beam	9.7.7
Nonprestressed one-way joist system	9.8.1.6
Precast joints and connections	16.2.1.8

# ACI 318-19: DIAPHRAGMS – SPLICES

**12.7.3.1** Except for slabs-on-ground, diaphragms that are part of floor or roof construction shall satisfy reinforcement detailing of one-way slabs in accordance with **7.7** or two-way slabs in accordance with **8.7**, as applicable.

**12.7.1.3** Splices of deformed reinforcement shall be in accordance with **25.5**.



# SPLICES – WHAT DOES ACI PERMIT?



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## 25.5—Splices

### 25.5.1 *General*

- Lap splice
- End-bearing splice
- Mechanical splice
- Welded splice

# ACI 318-19: MECHANICAL SPLICES

**18.2.7.1** Mechanical splices shall be classified as (a) or (b):

(a) Type 1 – Mechanical splice conforming to **25.5.7**

(b) Type 2 – Mechanical splice conforming to 25.5.7 and capable of developing the specified tensile strength of the spliced bars

**25.5.7.1** A mechanical or welded splice shall develop in tension or compression, as required, at least  **$1.25f_y$**  of the bar.

**R25.5.7.1** To ensure sufficient strength in splices so that yielding can be achieved in a member and thus brittle failure avoided, the 25 percent increase above the specified yield strength was selected as both an adequate minimum for safety and a practicable maximum for economy.

# MECHANICAL SPLICES

- Coupler for Thread-Deformed Bar
- Upset Straight Thread Coupler
- Non-Upset Straight Thread Coupler
- Cold-Swaged Threaded Coupler
- Taper-Threaded Coupler
- Straight Threaded Coupler with Upset Rebar Ends
- Grout-Filled Coupling Sleeve
- **Combo Grout-Filled/Threaded Sleeve**
- Steel-Filled Coupling Sleeve
- Cold-Swaged Coupling Sleeve
- Shear Screw Coupling Sleeve
- Extruded Coupling Sleeve
- Coupling Sleeve with Double Wedge
- Coupling Sleeve with Shear Bolt/Wedge
- Dowel Bar Mechanical Splice
- Compression-Only Mechanical Splices



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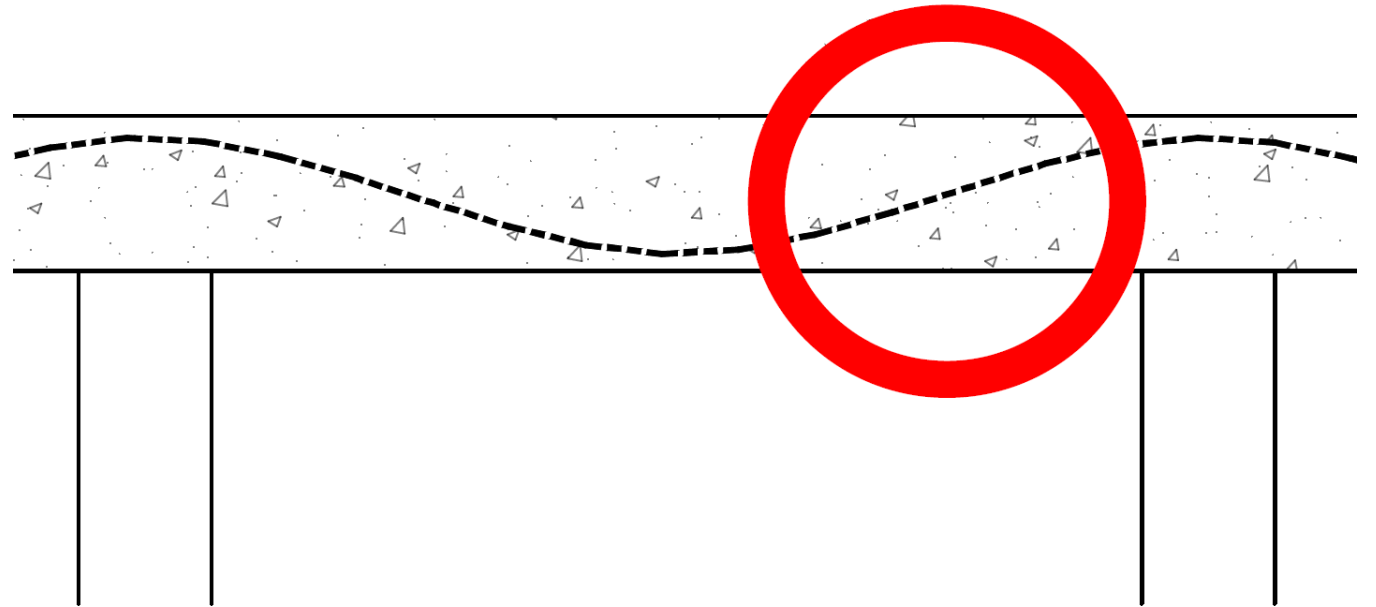
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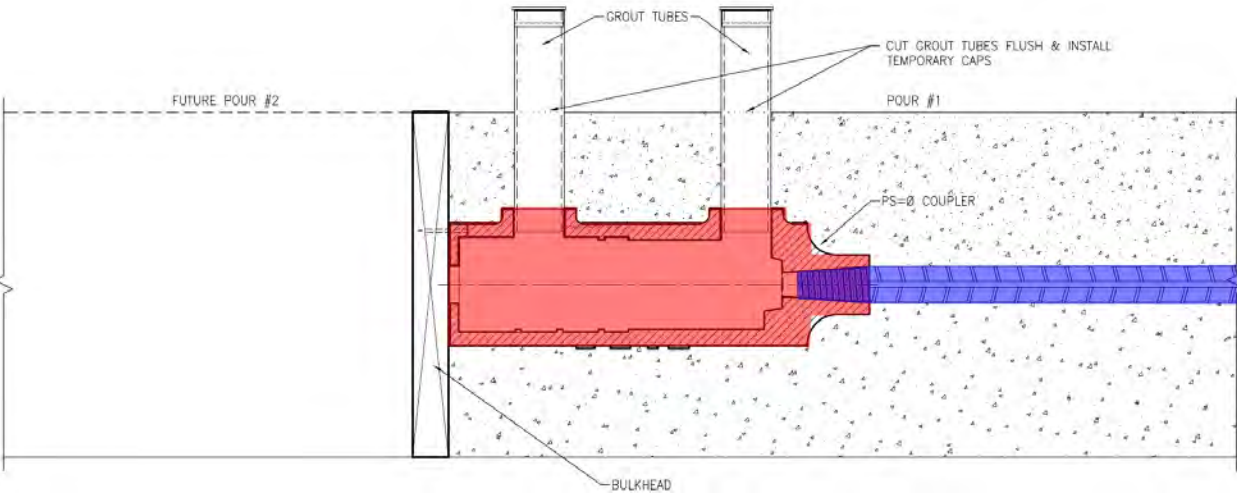
# HOW IT WORKS - INFLECTION POINT



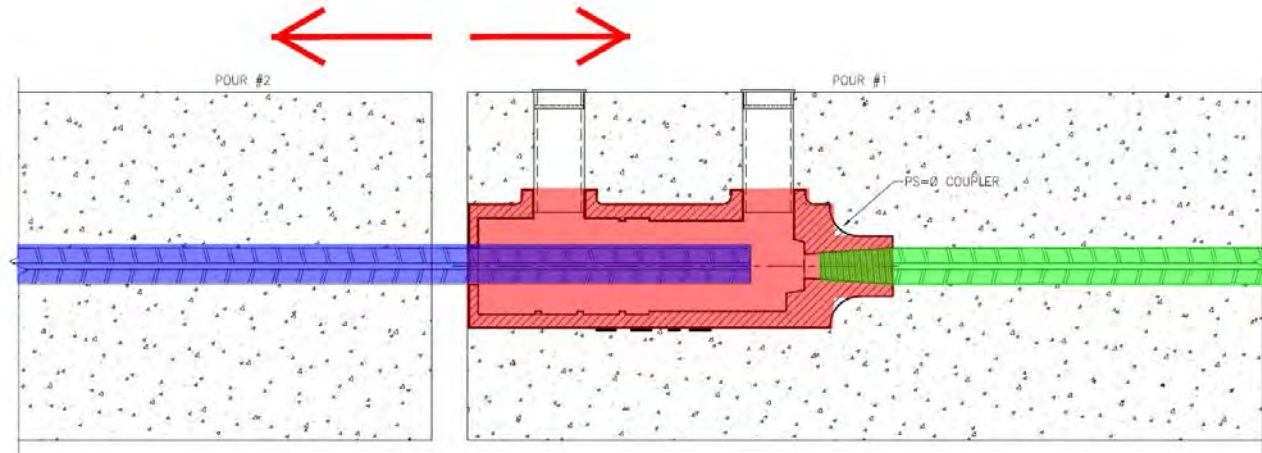
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- Self-supporting
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- $PS=\emptyset^{\circledR}$  at mid-depth



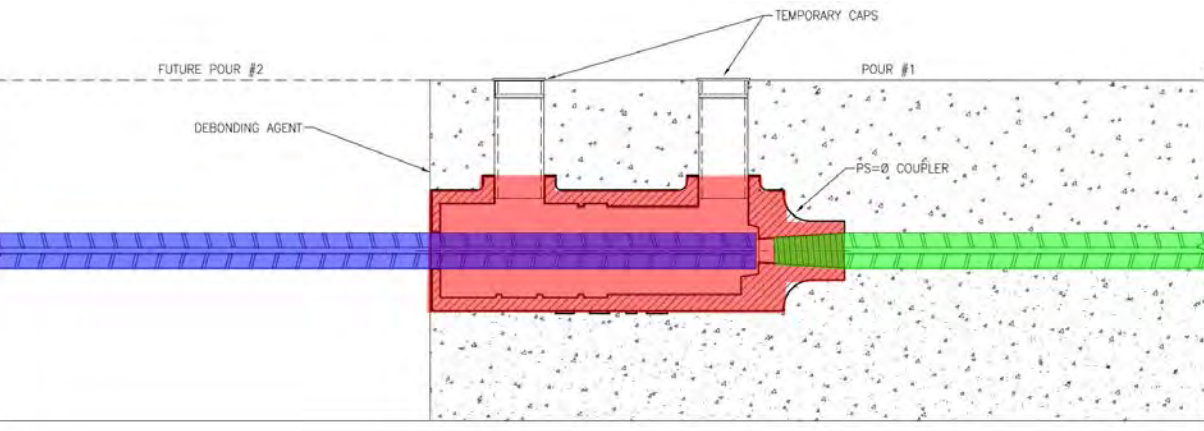
# STEP 1



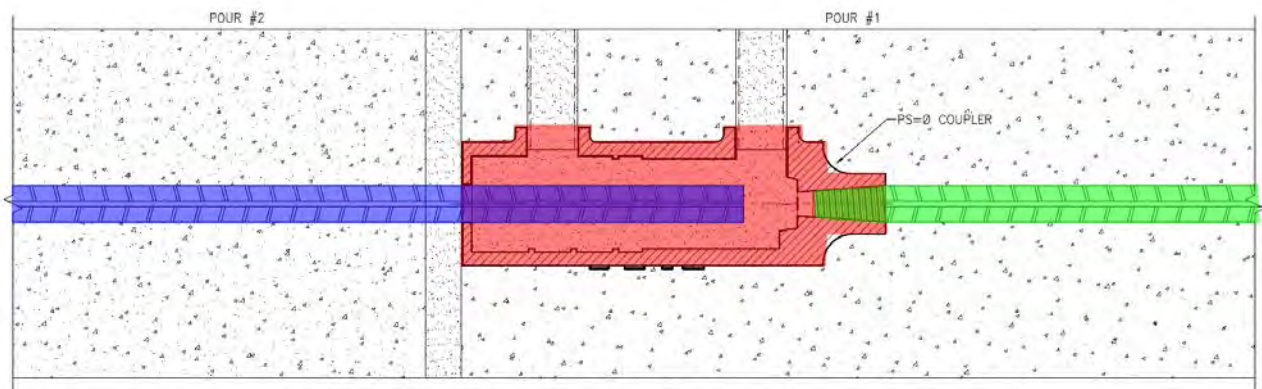
# STEP 3



# STEP 2



# STEP 4

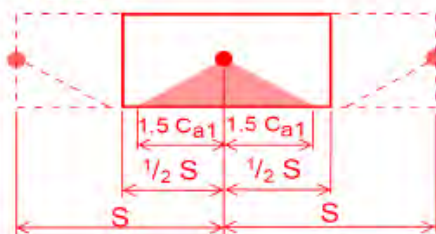




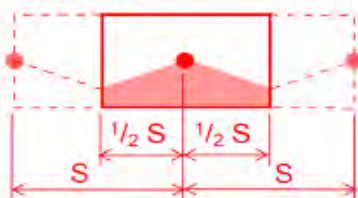
## SHEAR CAPACITY BASED ON CONCRETE BREAK OUT

ACI 318-19 Chapter 17

### CASE 1



### CASE 2



#### Anchor is at Mid. Depth

Slab thickness,  $t = 10.38$  in  
Concrete strength,  $f'_c = 3,000$  psi  
rebar size, # 7  
Rebar diameter,  $d_s = 0.875$  in

Supplement rebars = No  
 $\phi = 0.7$  ACI T 17.5.3(b)  
Rebar spacing,  $S = 18$  in

#### CASE 1

$$V_{b1} = \left( 7 \left( \frac{l_e}{d_a} \right)^{0.2} \sqrt{d_a} \right) \lambda_a \sqrt{f'_c} (c_{a1})^{1.5}$$

ACI 17.7.2.2.1a

$\lambda_s = 1.0 \lambda$  for cast-in anchors = 1  
 $l_e = \text{hef} = \min. (1.5 Ca1, 8d_a) = 7$  in  
Rebar location,  $C_{a1} = 5.19$  in

$V_{b1} = 6,423$  lbs

$$V_{b2} = 9 \lambda_a \sqrt{f'_c} (c_{a1})^{1.5}$$

ACI 17.7.2.2.1b  
n/w conc. ACI - T 17.2.4.1

$V_{b2} = 5,824$  lbs

$$A_{VC} = 4.5 (c_{a1})^2 - \text{Case 1 or } 1.5 S (c_{a1}) = 121.0957 \text{ in}^2$$

$$A_{VCO} = 4.5 (c_{a1})^2 = 121.10 \text{ in}^2$$

#### Reduction factor

Edge factor for the slab  
if  $1/2 S < 1.5 ca1$

$$\psi_{ed,v} = 0.7 + 0.3 \frac{c_{a1}}{1.5c_{a1}}$$

ACI 17.7.2.4.1

Breakout cracking factor

$$\psi_{c,v} = 1$$

ACI 17.7.2.5.1

Breakout thickness factor

$$\psi_{h,v} = \sqrt{\frac{1.5 c_{a1}}{h_a}}$$

$$\psi_{h,v} = 1$$

ACI 17.7.2.6.1

$$\phi V_n = \phi \frac{A_{VC}}{A_{VCO}} \psi_{ed,v} \psi_{c,v} \psi_{h,v} V_b$$

ACI Eq. 17.7.2.1a

$\phi V_n = 4,077$  lbs



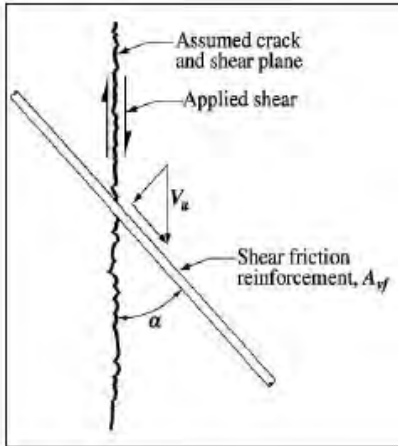
## SHEAR CAPACITY BASED ON CONCRETE BREAK OUT

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t slab	(in)	14	8	9	10.375	11	13
f'c	psi	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000	3,000
$\phi$		0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
$\alpha_a = 1.0 \alpha$		1	1	1	1	1	1
spacing	(in)	18	18	18	18	18	18
$C_{a1}$	(in)	7	4	4.5	5.1875	5.5	6.5
$A_{VCO}$	in <sup>2</sup>	220.5	72	91.125	121.095703	136.125	190.125
$A_{VC}$	in <sup>2</sup>	189	72	91.125	121.095703	136.125	175.5
bar size	#	7	7	7	7	7	7
da	in	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875
le	in	7	6	6.75	7	7	7
$V_{b1}$	lbs	10068	4217	5152	6423	7012	9008
$V_{b2}$	lbs	9130	3944	4706	5824	6358	8169
$\psi_{ed,v}$		0.96	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.98
$\psi_{c,v}$		1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
$\psi_{h,v} = (1.5 c_{a1}/h_a)^{0.5}$		1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
$\phi V_n$	lbs	5,243	2,761	3,294	4,077	4,451	5,157

## Shear Friction Design Method

ACI 318-19, Sec 22.9



$$\phi V_n = \phi A_{vf} f_y (\mu \sin \alpha_r + \cos \alpha_r) \quad [22.9.4.3]$$

$$\phi V_n = \phi \mu A_{vf} f_y \quad \text{where } \alpha_r = 90^\circ \quad [22.9.4]$$

$$\phi = 0.75 \quad [T 21.2.1]$$

Coeff. of friction,  $\mu =$  Against NOT intentionally roughened surface  
 $\mu = 0.6 \lambda \quad [T22.9.4.2]$

Concrete Type,  $\lambda =$  Normalweight  
 $\lambda = 1 \quad [T19.2.4.1]$

$f_y = 60$  ksi  
 $\alpha_r = 90^\circ$   
 bar # 7  
 $A_{vf} = 0.60$  in<sup>2</sup>  
 $n$ , number of bars = 1  
 $\Sigma A_{vf} = 0.6$  in<sup>2</sup>

$\phi V_n = 16.20$  kips / bars  
 Total  $\phi V_n = 16.20$  kips

### Shear Plan, Limit Based on Concrete :

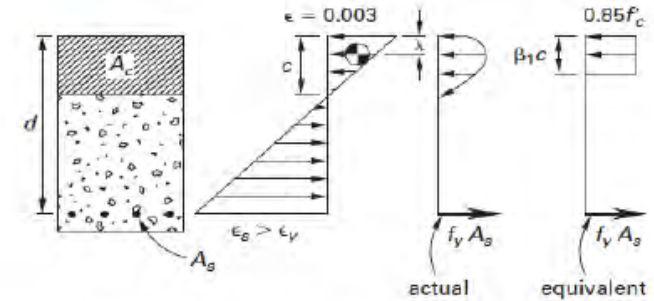
$f_c = 6,000$  psi  
 $t = 11$  in  
 Spacing,  $L = 18$  in  
 $A_c = tL = 198$  in<sup>2</sup>       $A_c =$  Area of concrete section resisting shear transfer

If  $\mu = 1.4$  or 1  $\phi V_{n2} = \phi \mu \min(0.2 f_c A_c, (480+0.08 f_c) A_c, 1600 A_c)$       85.5 kips  
 If  $\mu = 0.6$  or 0.7  $\phi V_{n2} = \phi \mu \min(0.2 f_c A_c, 800 A_c)$       71.3 kips

$\phi V_{n2} = 71.28$  kips

Use  $\phi V_n = 16.20$  kips

Note: P2,P1

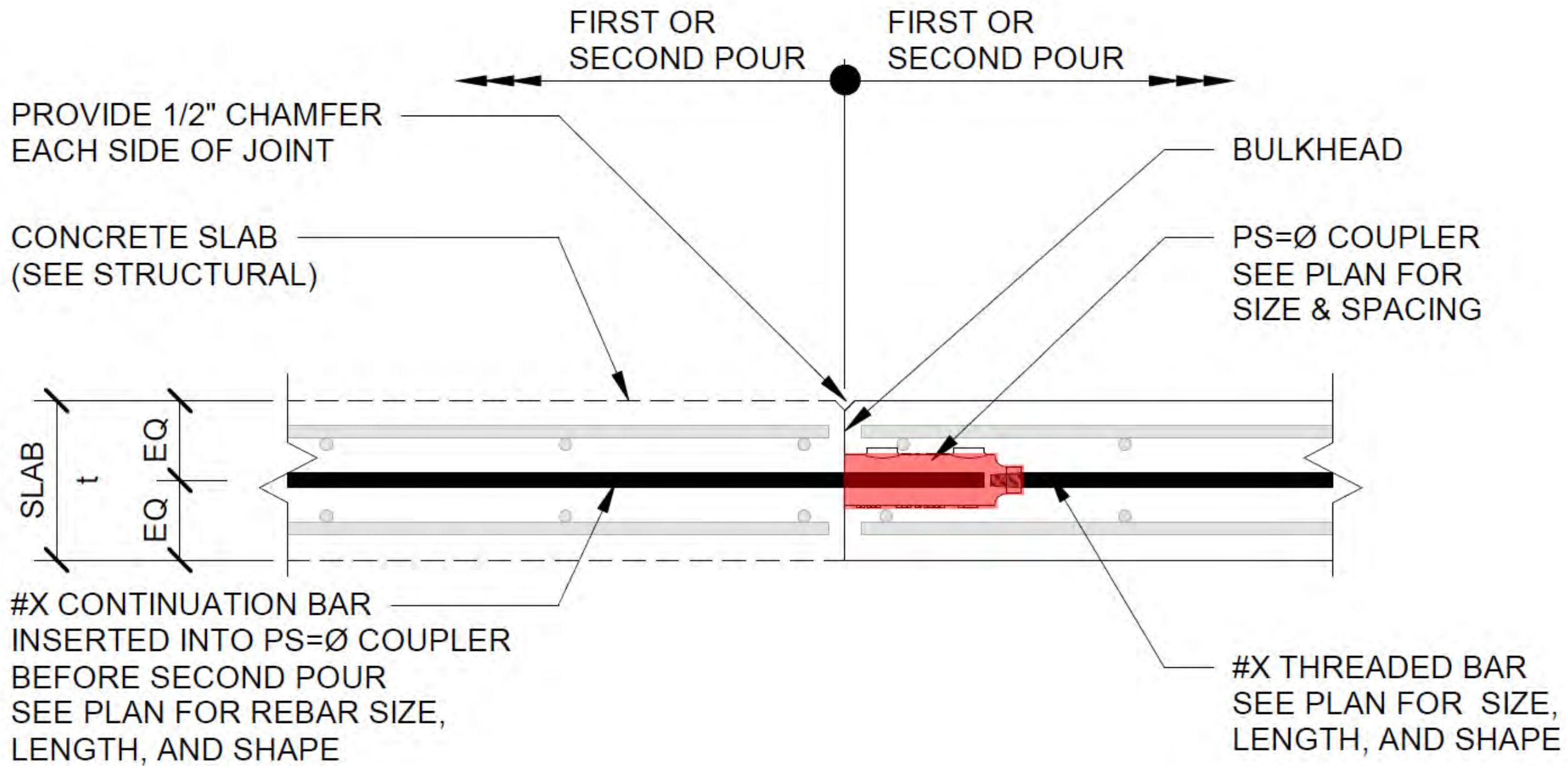


(a) strain distribution    (b) compressive stress distribution    (c) equivalent rectangular compressive stress block

$s =$	18 in	Coupler spacing
$d =$	5.1875 in	depth of reinforcement
$f_y =$	60,000 psi	Tension steel yield strength
$A_s =$	0.6 in <sup>2</sup>	Area of rebar being coupled
$F_c' =$	6,000 psi	Concrete compressive strength
$T_u =$	21 k/ft	Tension Demand per foot
$M_u =$	2 k-ft/ft	Moment demand Per foot
$A_c =$	7.06 in <sup>2</sup>	Area of concrete in compression
$\lambda =$	0.20 in	Distance from centroid of compression to extreme compression fiber
$\phi T_n =$	21.60 k/ft	Tension Capacity per foot
$\phi M_n =$	8.98 k-ft/ft	Flexural capacity of slab per linear ft across joint
Combined interaction	0.99 < 1	$(T_u/\phi T_n)^2 + (M_u/\phi M_n)^2$ - Combined capacity of slab per linear ft across joint

s	d	f <sub>y</sub>	Bar	A <sub>s</sub>	P <sub>c</sub>	A <sub>c</sub>	λ	T <sub>u</sub>	M <sub>u</sub>	φ T <sub>n</sub>	φ M <sub>n</sub>	Combined
in	in	psi	Size	in <sup>2</sup>	psi	in <sup>2</sup>	in	k/ft	k-ft/ft	k/ft	k-ft/ft	Interaction
18	6.5	60,000	# 7	0.60	6,000	7.06	0.20	21.00	2.50	21.60	11.35	0.994
18	5.1875	60,000	# 7	0.60	6,000	7.06	0.20	21.00	2.00	21.60	8.98	0.995
18	8	60,000	# 7	0.60	6,000	7.06	0.20	15.00	9.80	21.60	14.05	0.969
16	5.1875	60,000	# 7	0.60	6,000	7.06	0.22	0.00	9.80	24.30	10.06	0.949
0	0	60,000	# 7	0.60	6,000	7.06	#DIV/0!	12.50	6.00	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!





FIRST OR  
SECOND POUR

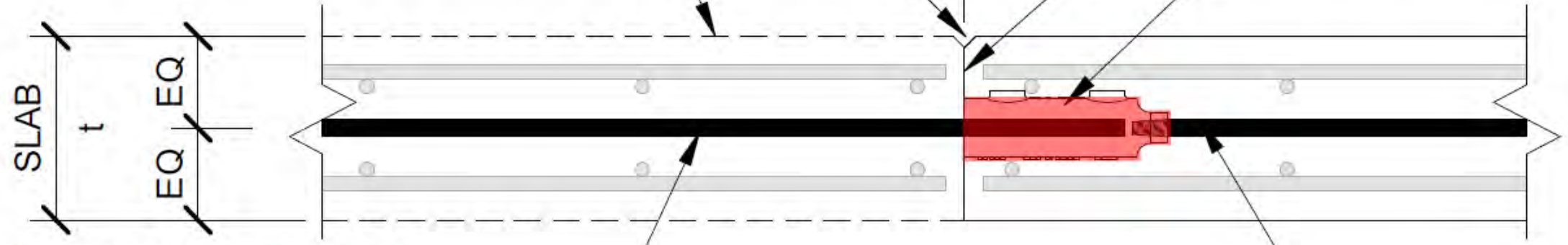
FIRST OR  
SECOND POUR

PROVIDE 1/2" CHAMFER  
EACH SIDE OF JOINT

BULKHEAD

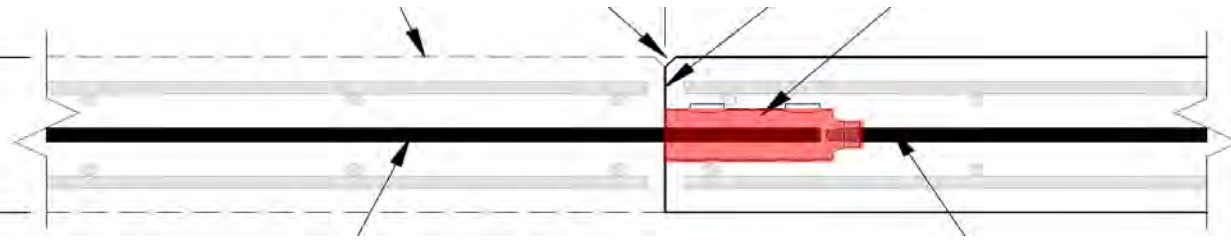
CONCRETE SLAB  
(SEE STRUCTURAL)

PS=Ø COUPLER  
SEE PLAN FOR  
SIZE & SPACING



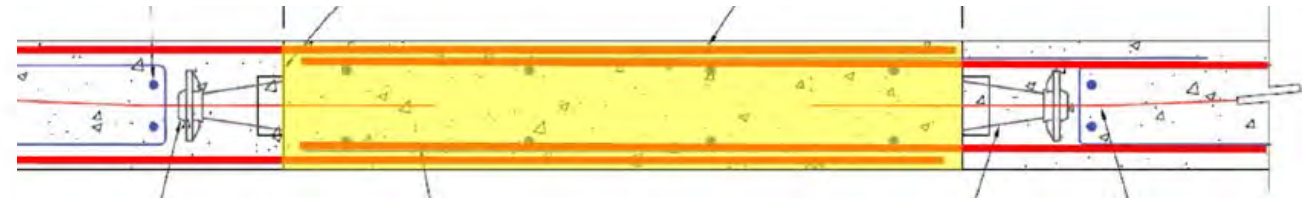
#X CONTINUATION BAR  
INSERTED INTO PS=Ø COUPLER  
BEFORE SECOND POUR  
SEE PLAN FOR REBAR SIZE,  
LENGTH, AND SHAPE

#X THREADED BAR  
SEE PLAN FOR SIZE,  
LENGTH, AND SHAPE



- ACI-permitted splice
- Meets ACI integrity
- Shear friction
- Continuous rebar
- Yielding
- Ductility
- Fixed
- Fire rated

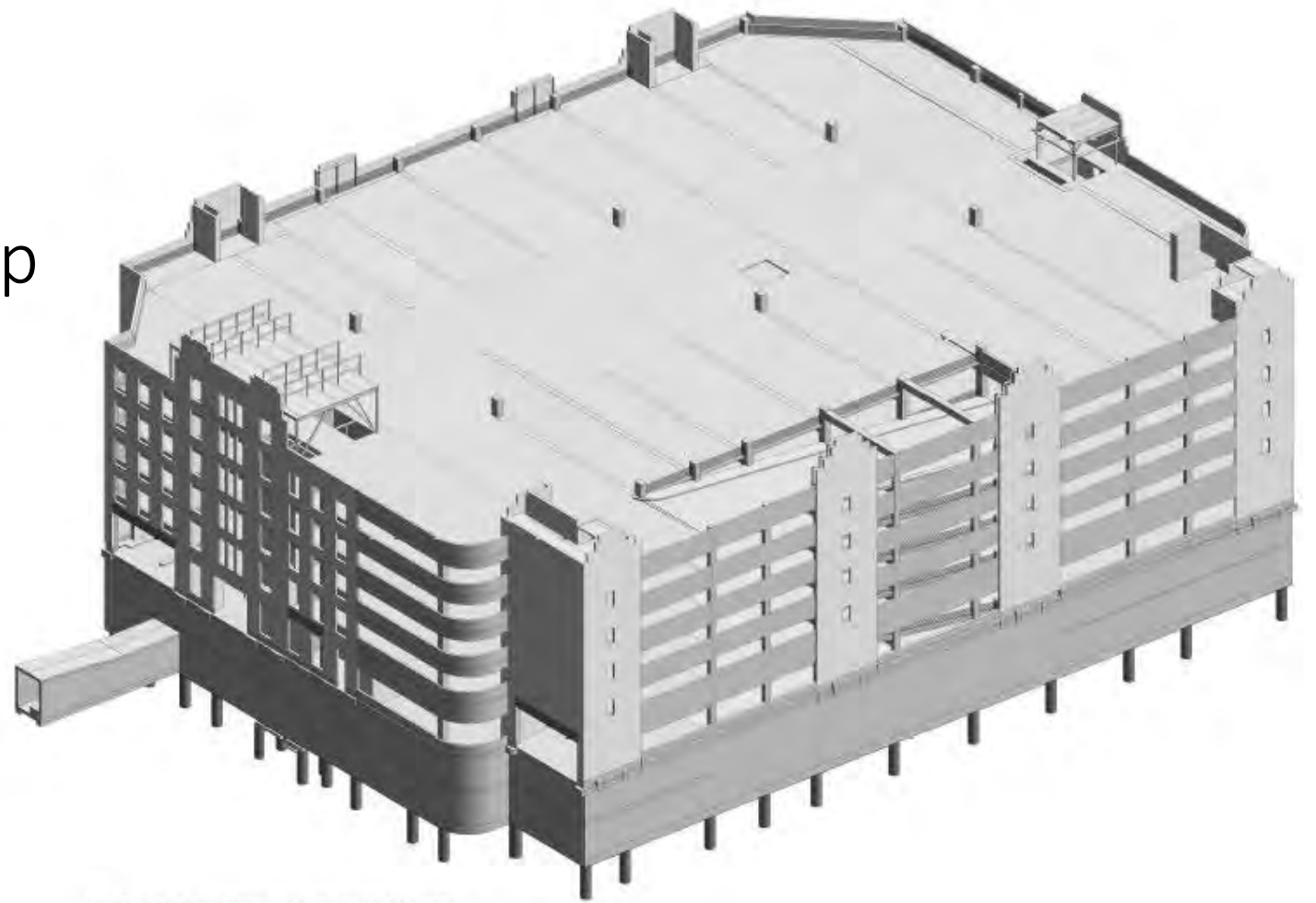
VS.



- ACI-permitted splice
- Meets ACI integrity
- Shear friction
- Continuous rebar
- Yielding
- Ductility
- Fixed
- Fire rated

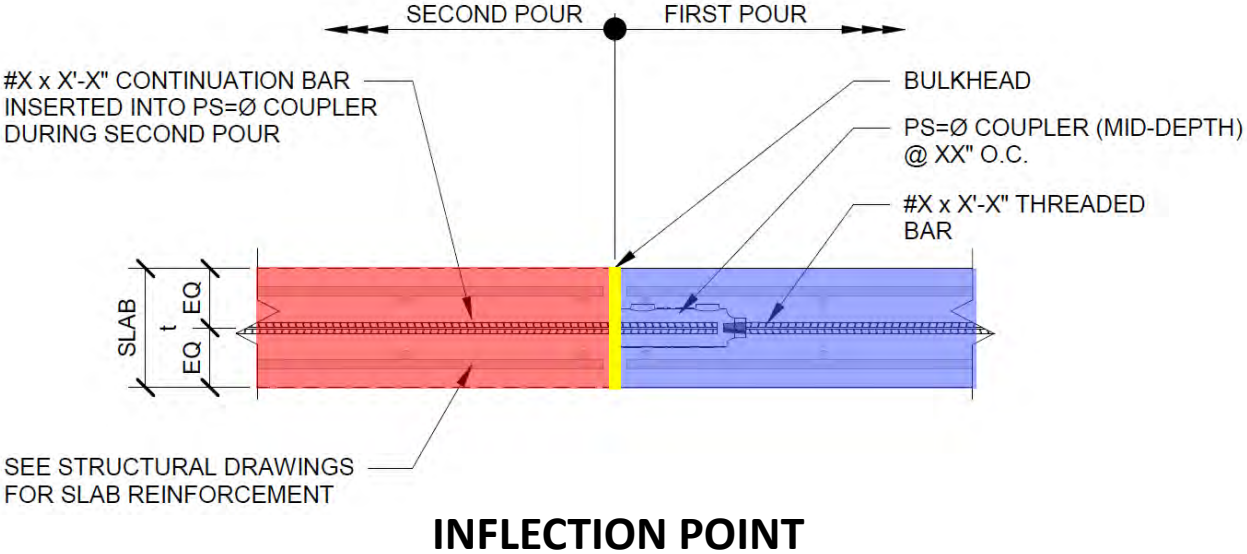
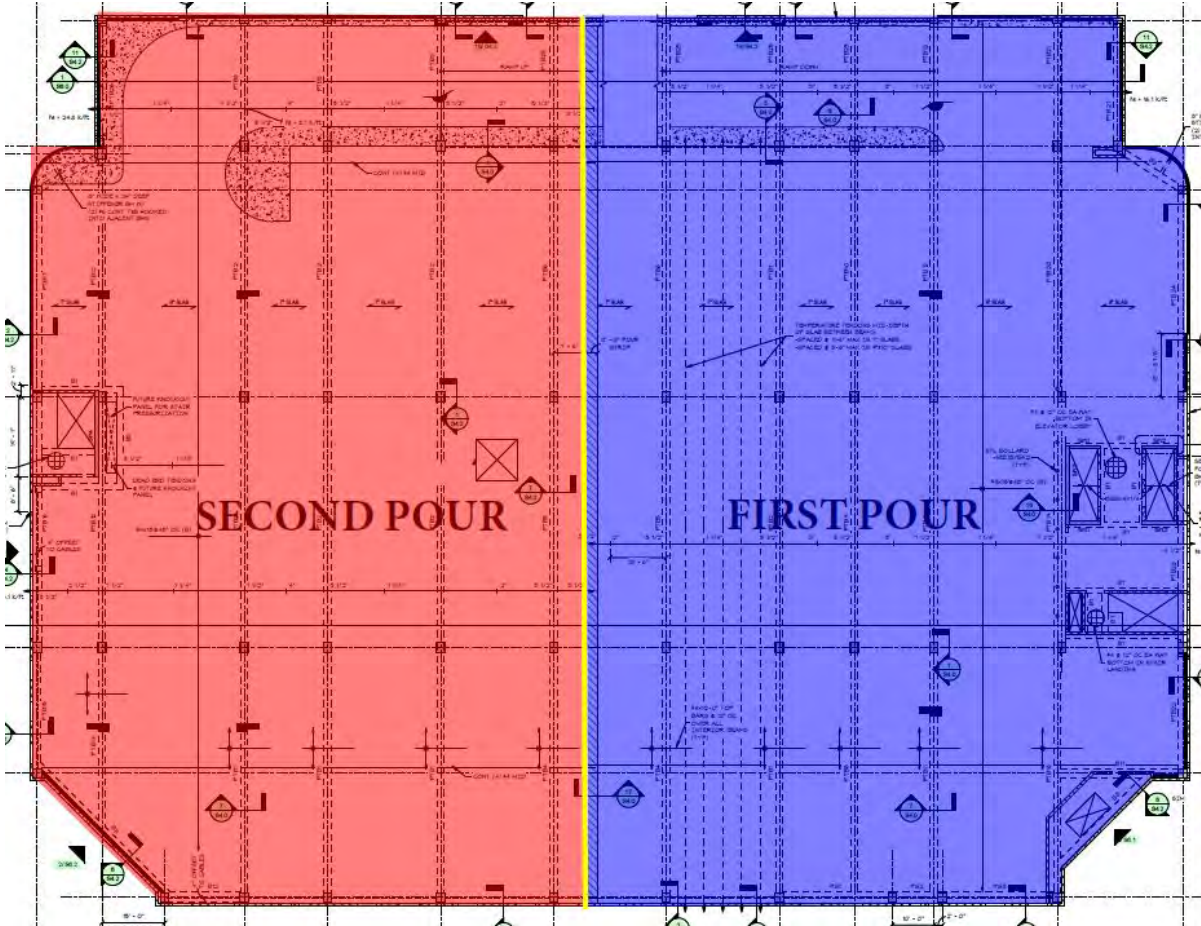
# HOW IT WORKS

1. Slab to Slab
2. Temporary Stressing Strip
3. Slab to Wall
4. Sequencing
5. Expansion Joints

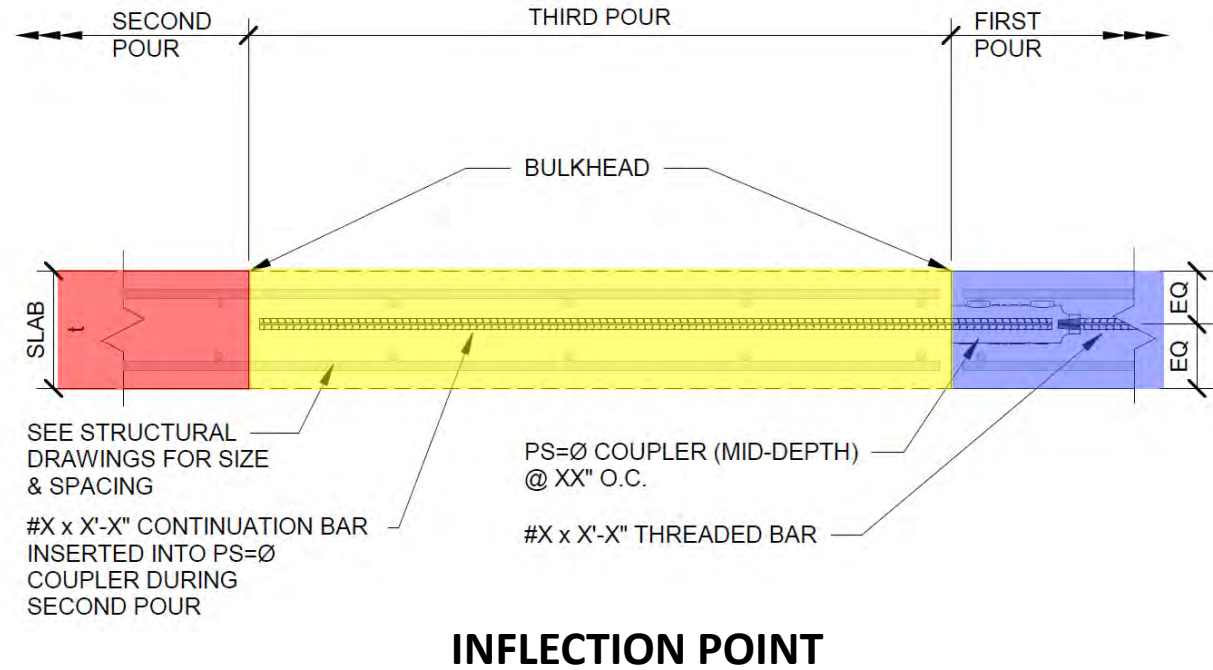
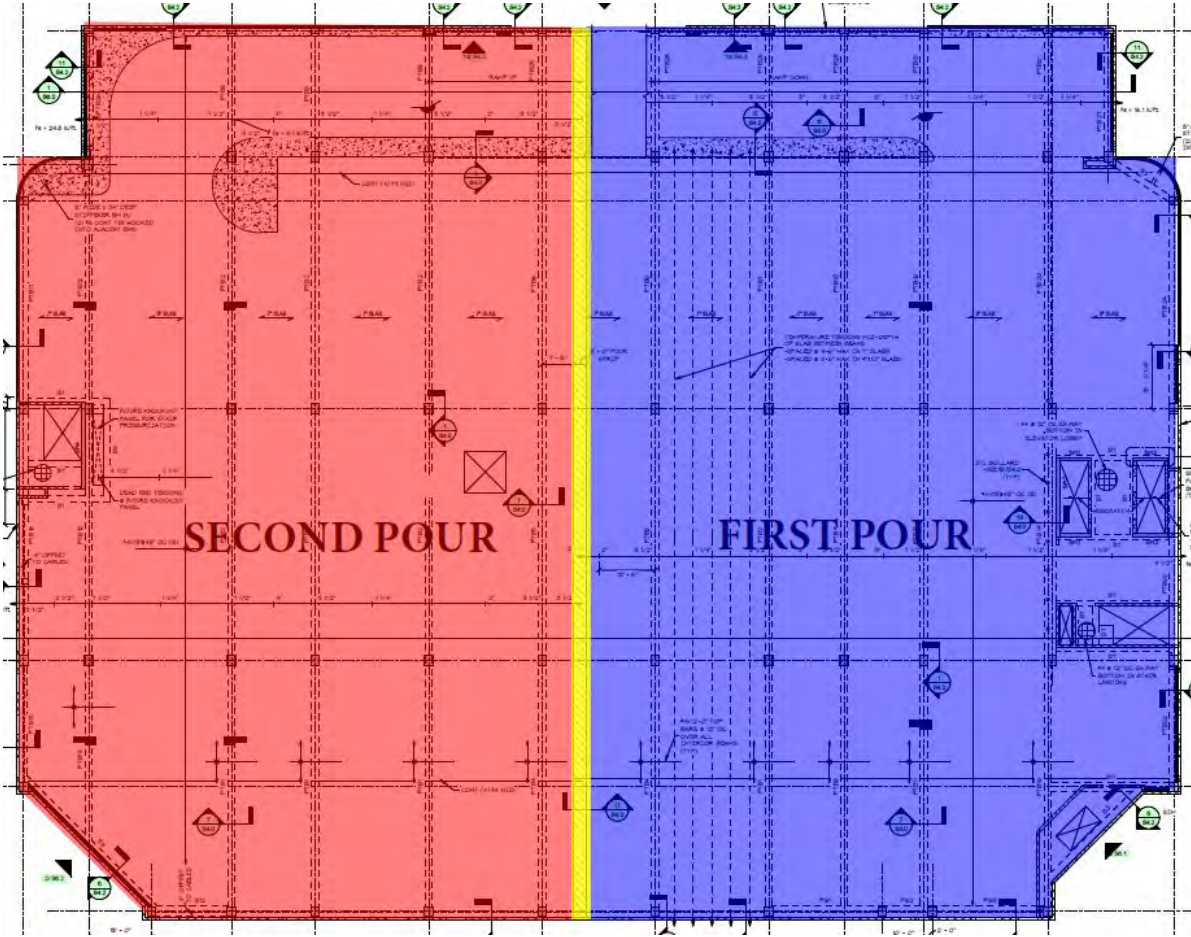


2 ISOMETRIC VIEW - SOUTHEAST CORNER  
SCALE

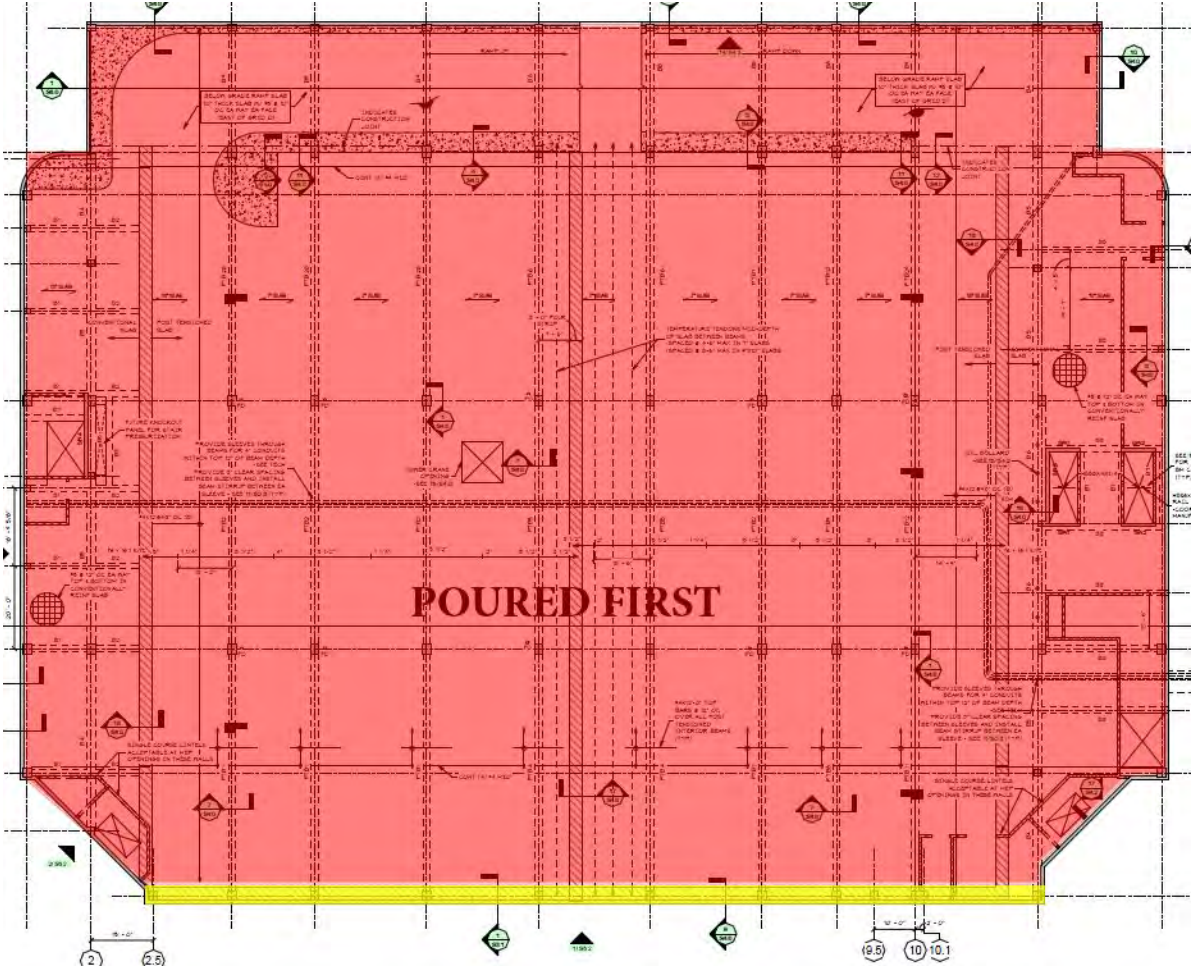
# SLAB TO SLAB



# TEMPORARY STRESSING STRIP

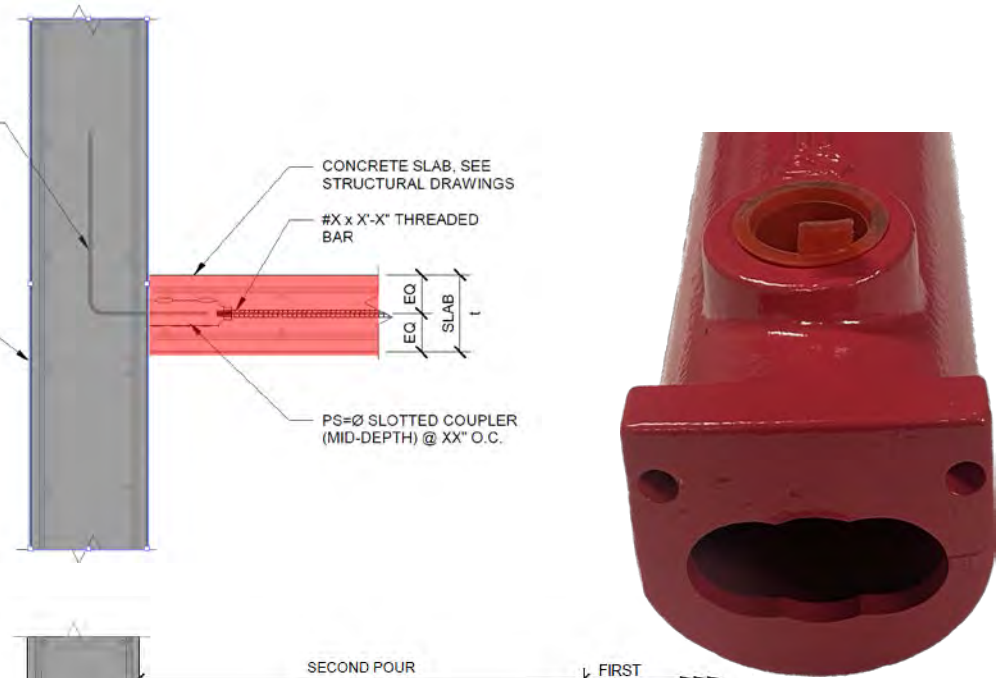


# SLAB TO WALL

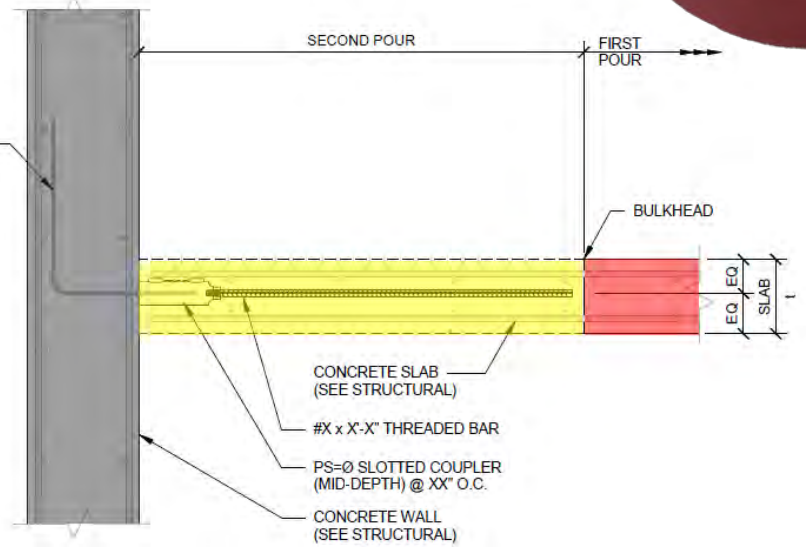


#X HOOK BAR (BY OTHERS) INSERTED INTO PS=Ø COUPLER @ XX" O.C. DURING SECOND POUR (SEE STRUCTURAL)

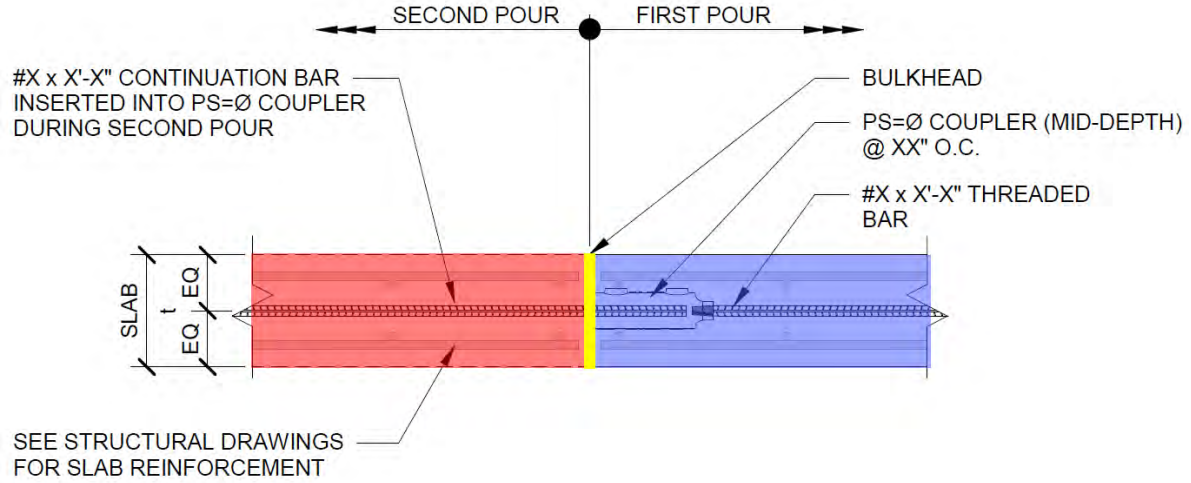
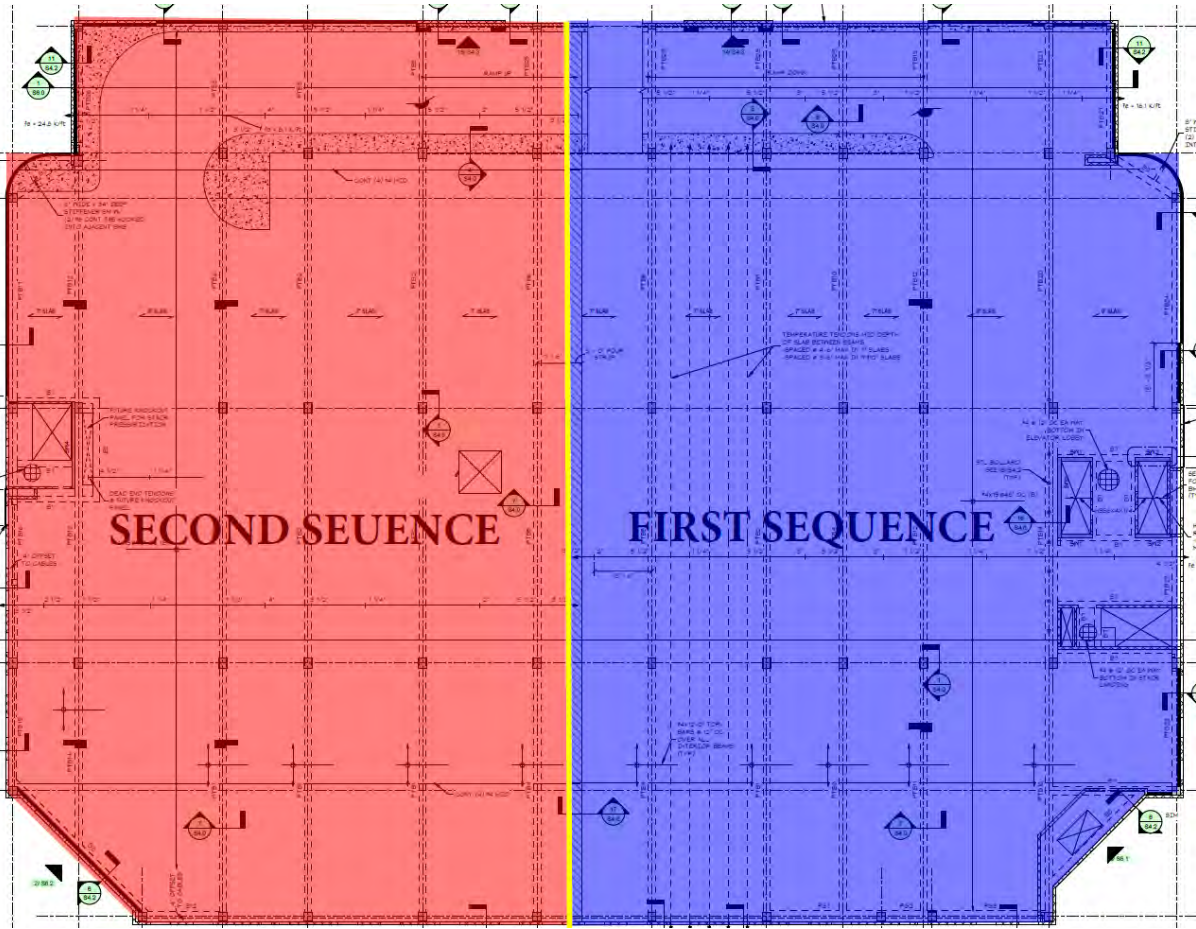
CONCRETE WALL SEE STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS FOR REINFORCEMENT



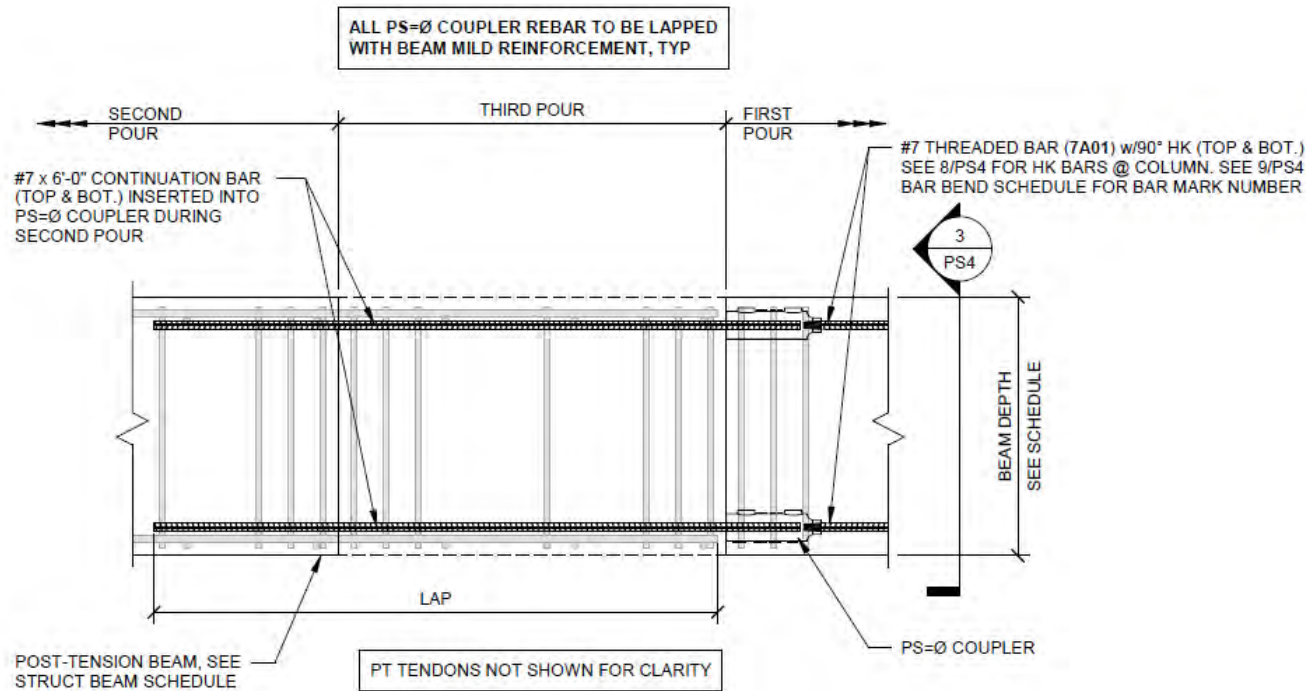
#X HOOKED BAR OR FORM SAVER



# SEQUENCING



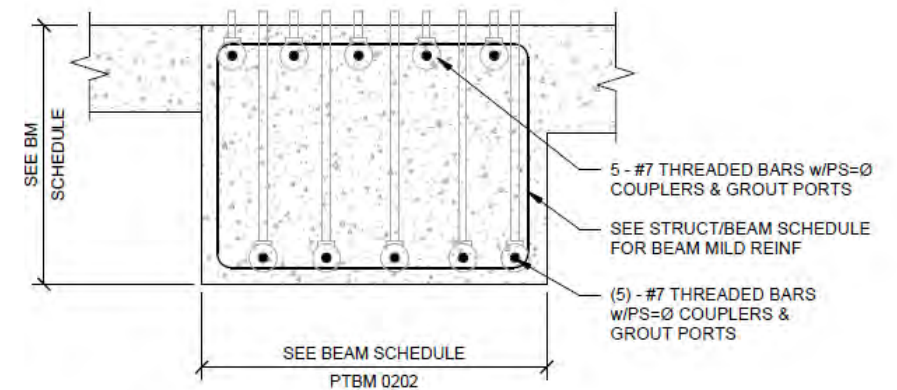
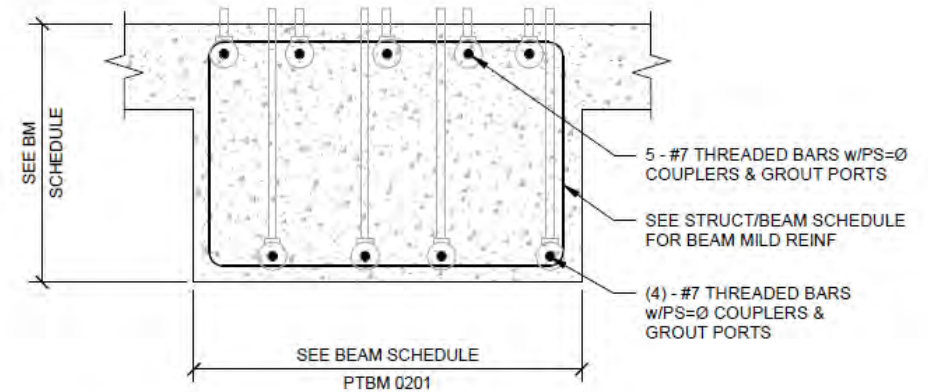
# BEAMS: PT and RC



NOTES:

1. APPLY NOX-CRETE SILCOSEAL CLASSIC BOND-BREAKER BETWEEN FIRST AND THIRD POUR. THE PS=Ø RELIEF JOINT TO REMAIN OPEN FOR XX DAYS (E.O.R. TO SPECIFY).
2. THE PS=Ø RELIEF JOINT TO REMAIN OPEN FOR XX DAYS (E.O.R. TO SPECIFY).
3. AFTER THE TIME PERIOD SPECIFIED ABOVE, THE PS=Ø COUPLERS AND JOINT TO BE GROUTED WITH BASF MASTERFLOW 885 HIGH-PRECISION, NONSHRINK METALLIC-AGGERATE GROUT.
4. SEE PS=Ø MANUFACTURE DATA FOR MORE INFORMATION.

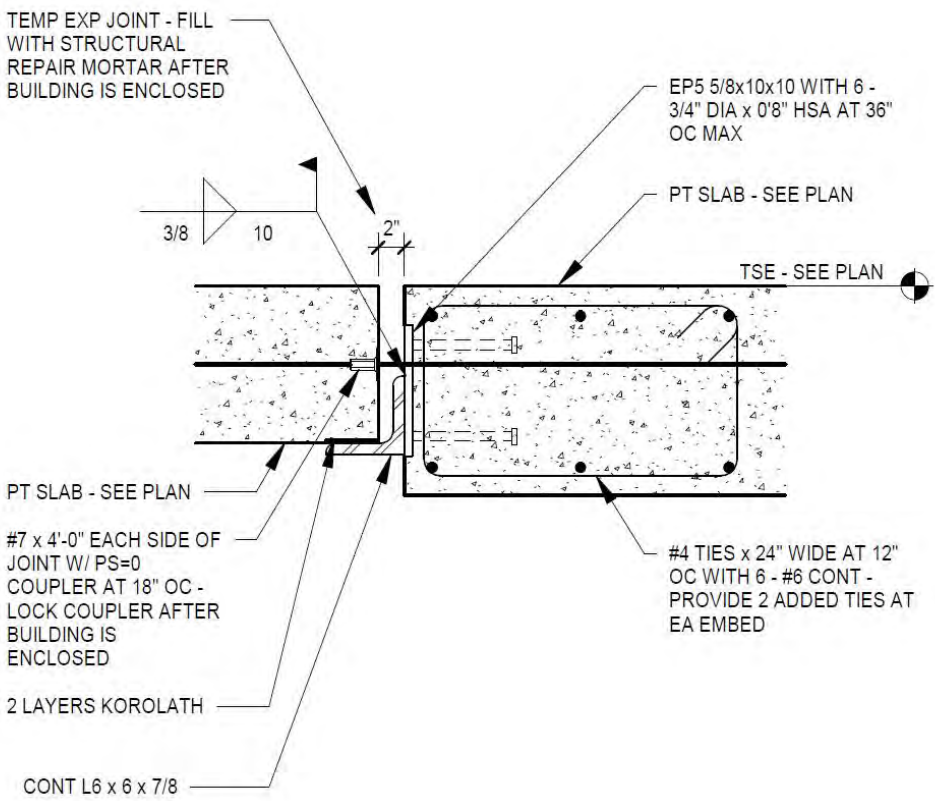
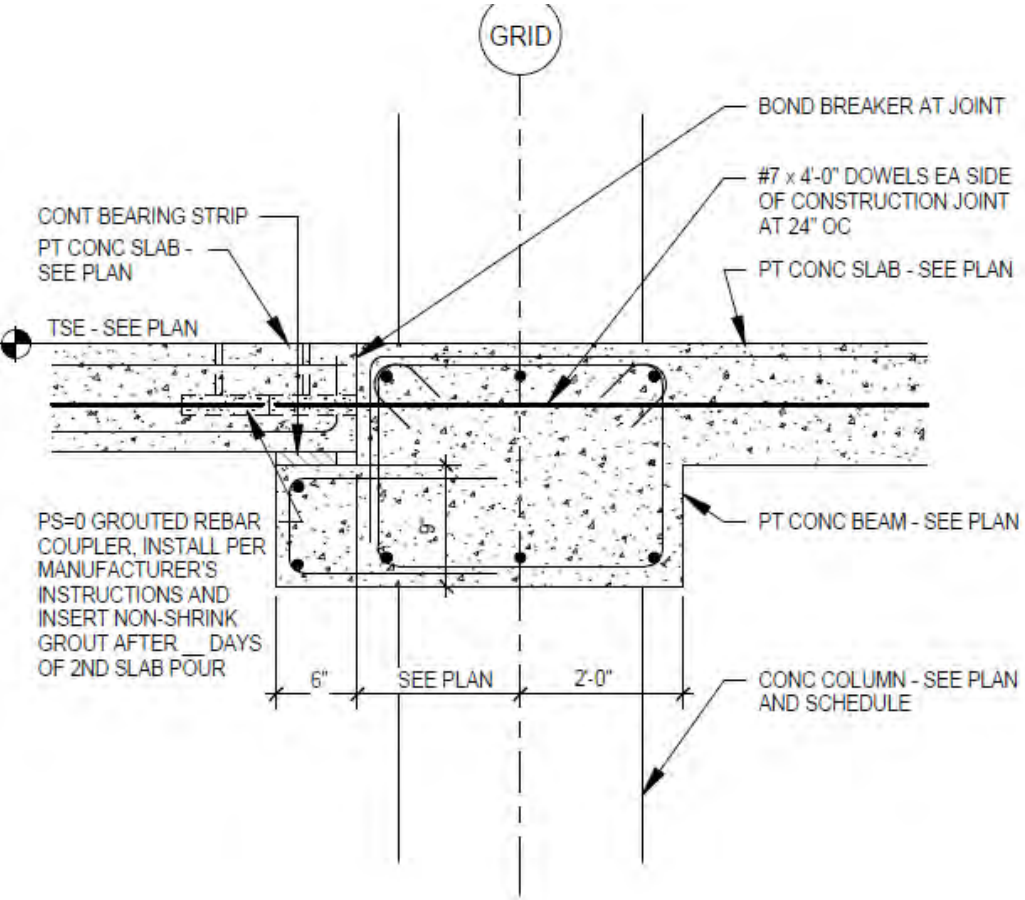
2  
PS4  
DETAIL - PS=Ø STRESSING STRIP @ POST-TENSION BEAM  
1" = 1'-0"



3  
PS4  
DETAIL - POST TENSION BEAM PROFILES w/PS=Ø COUPLERS  
1" = 1'-0"



# EXPANSION JOINTS



# WHAT'S OFFERED

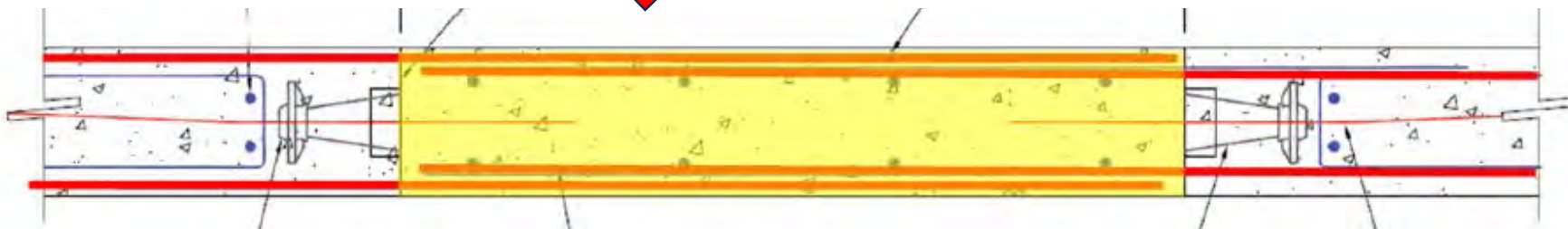
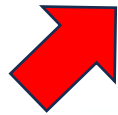
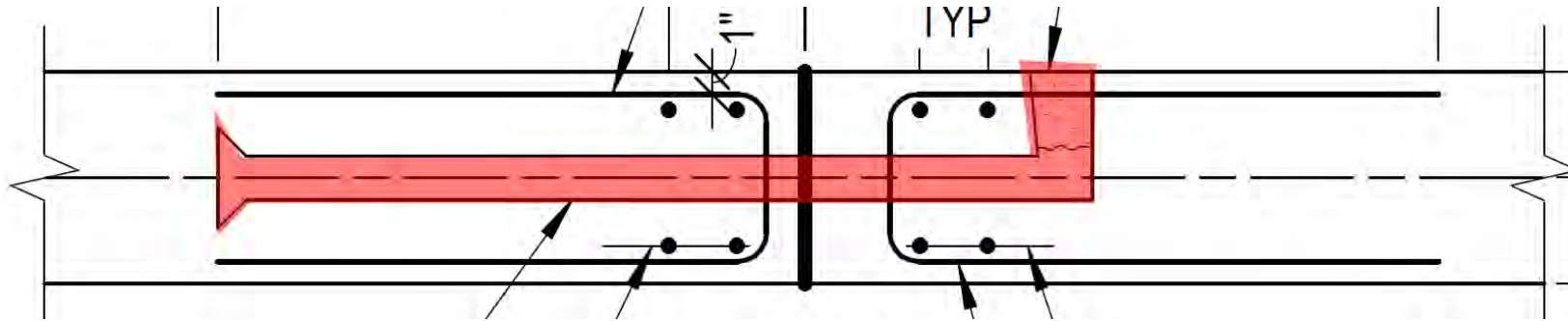
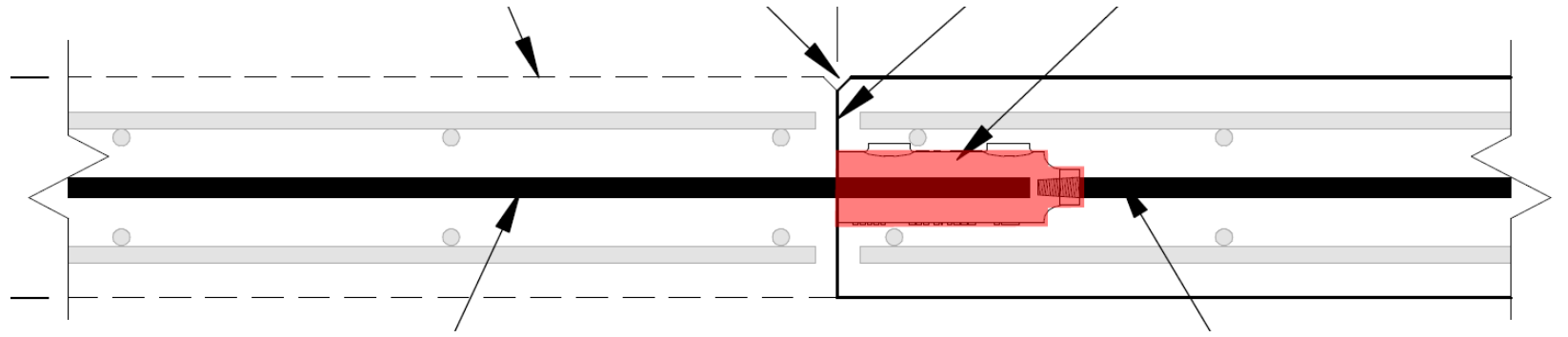
- Full tension mechanical splice
  - Type 1 & Type 2
  - #6 (Gr.60)
  - #7(Gr.60)
  - #8(Gr.60, Gr.80)
  - Epoxy coated
- Movement
  - Longitudinal
  - Transverse



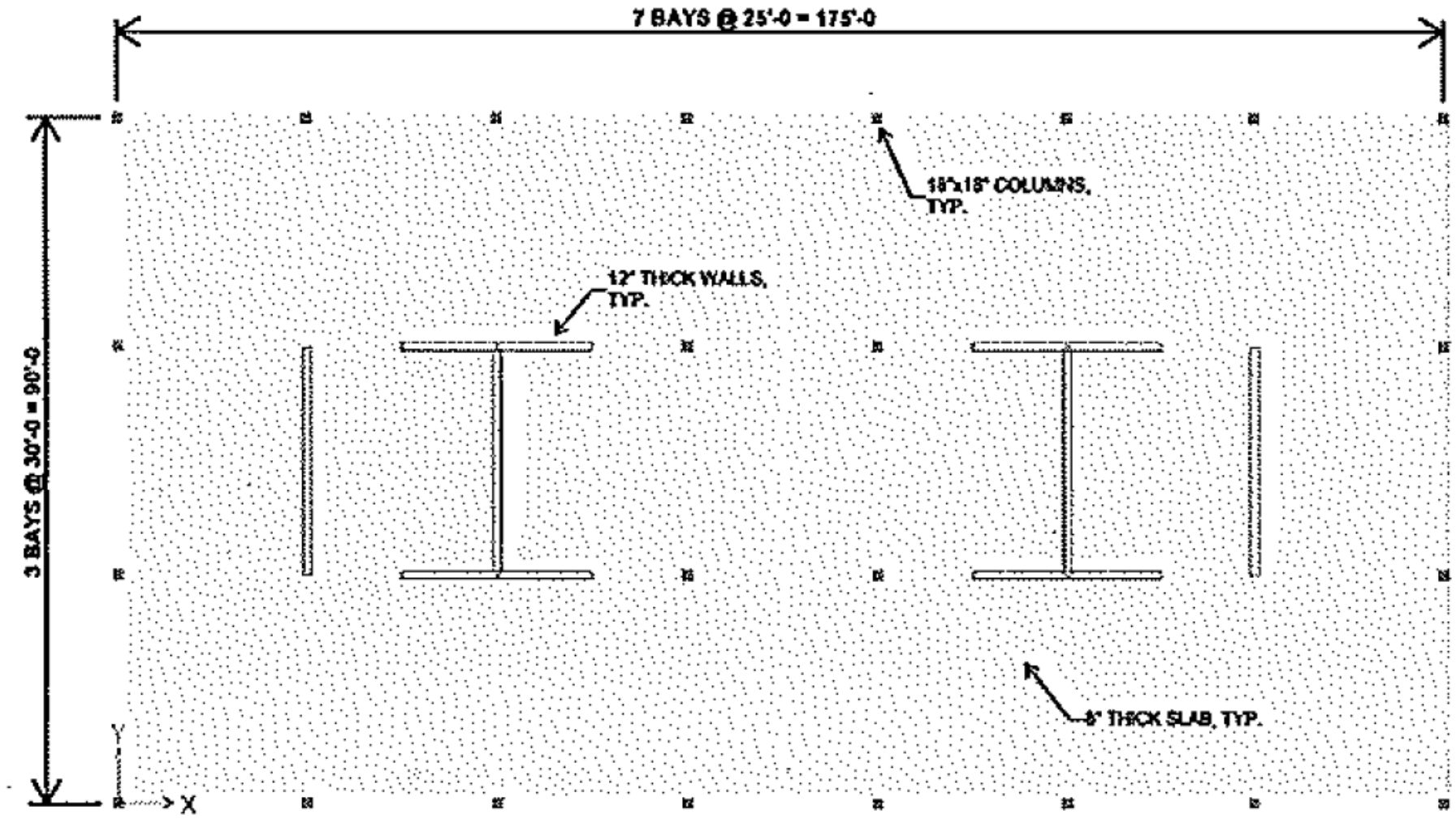
# WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Full package
  - Mechanical coupler
  - Torque wrench
  - Grout tubes with caps
  - Bond breaker
  - Sprayer for bond breaker
  - Non-shrink grout
- Full support
  - Technical
  - Shop drawings
  - On-site assistance



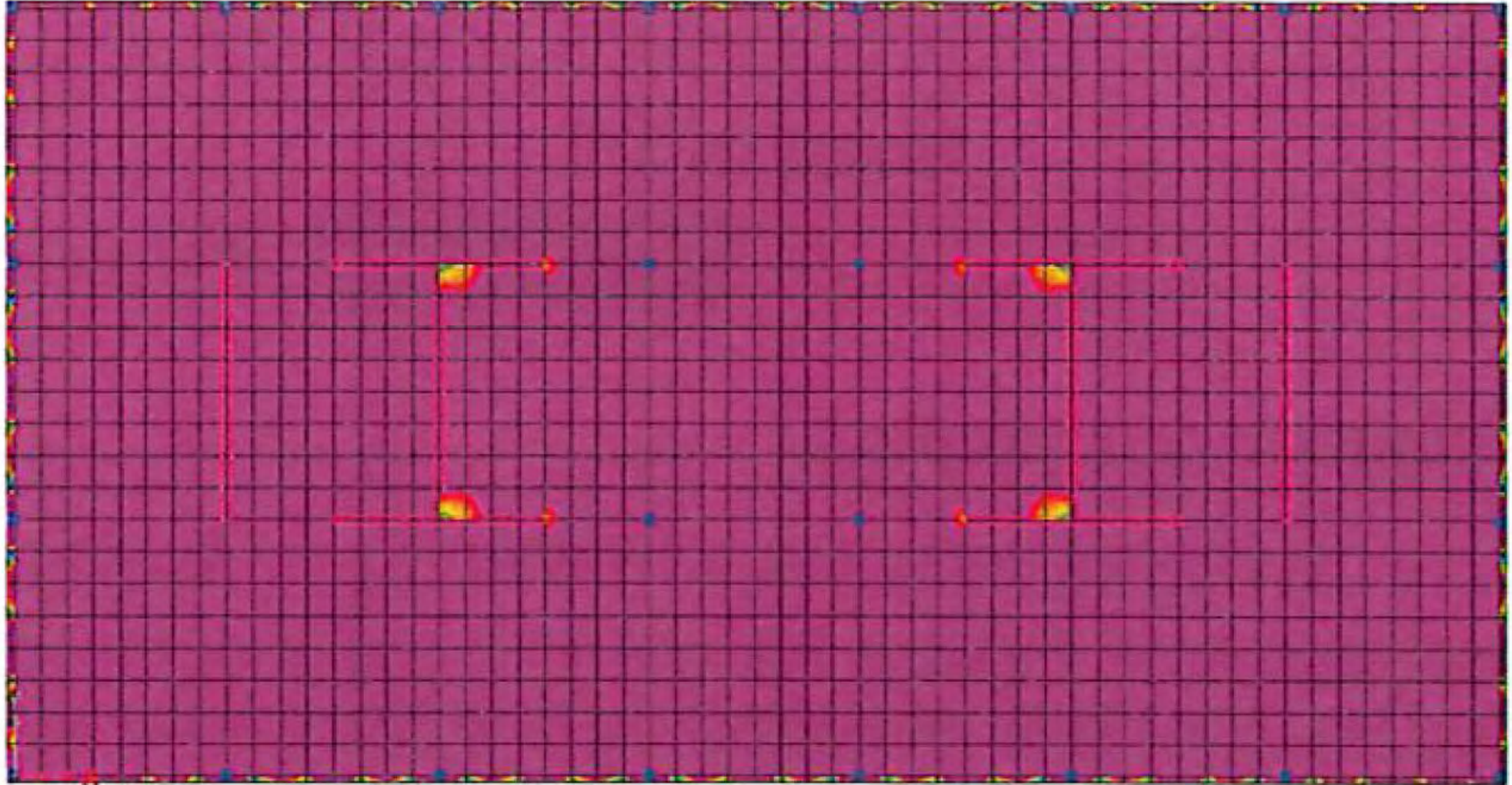


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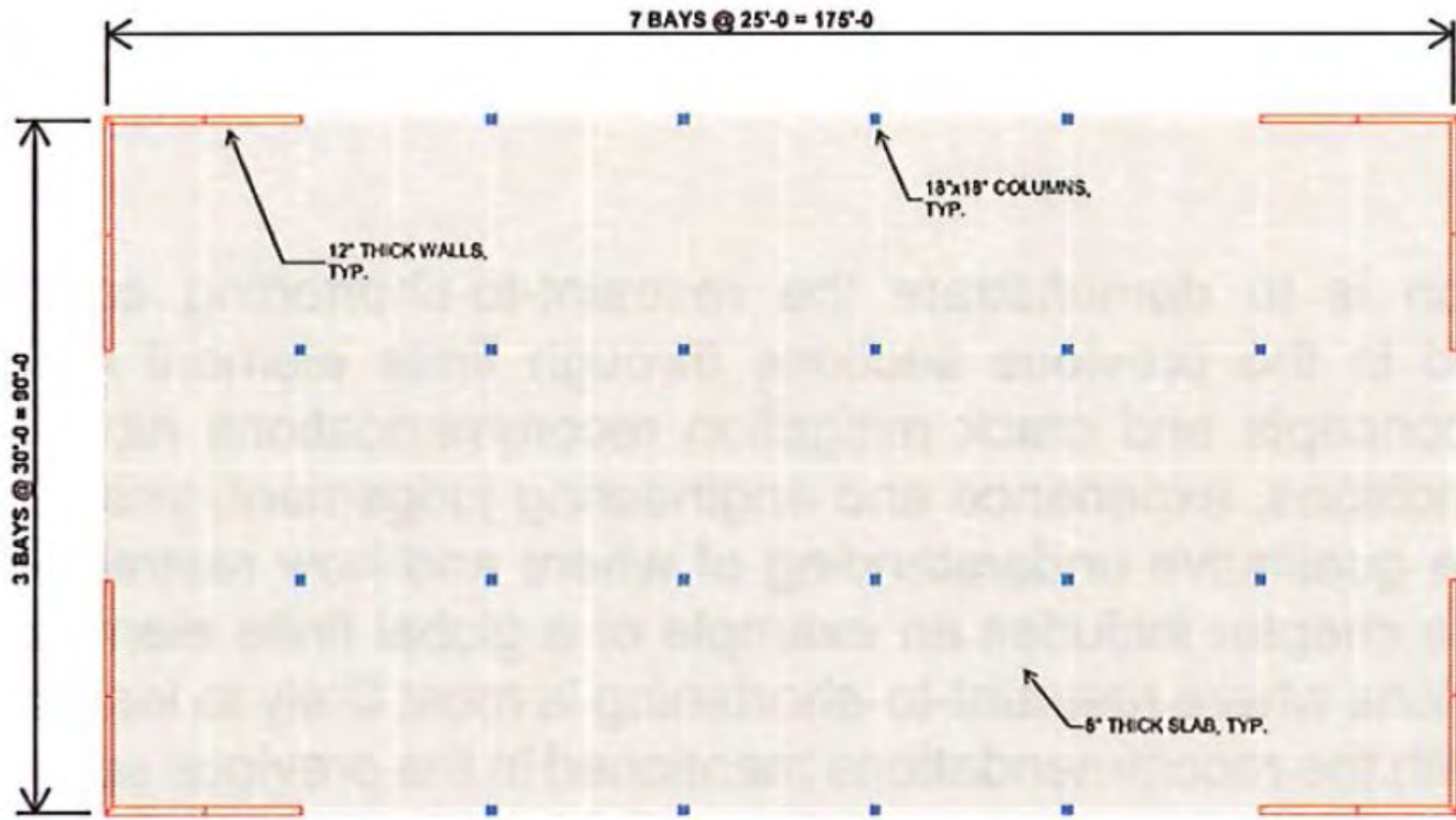
25 ft x 30 ft bays, 8 in. slab, 12 in. walls

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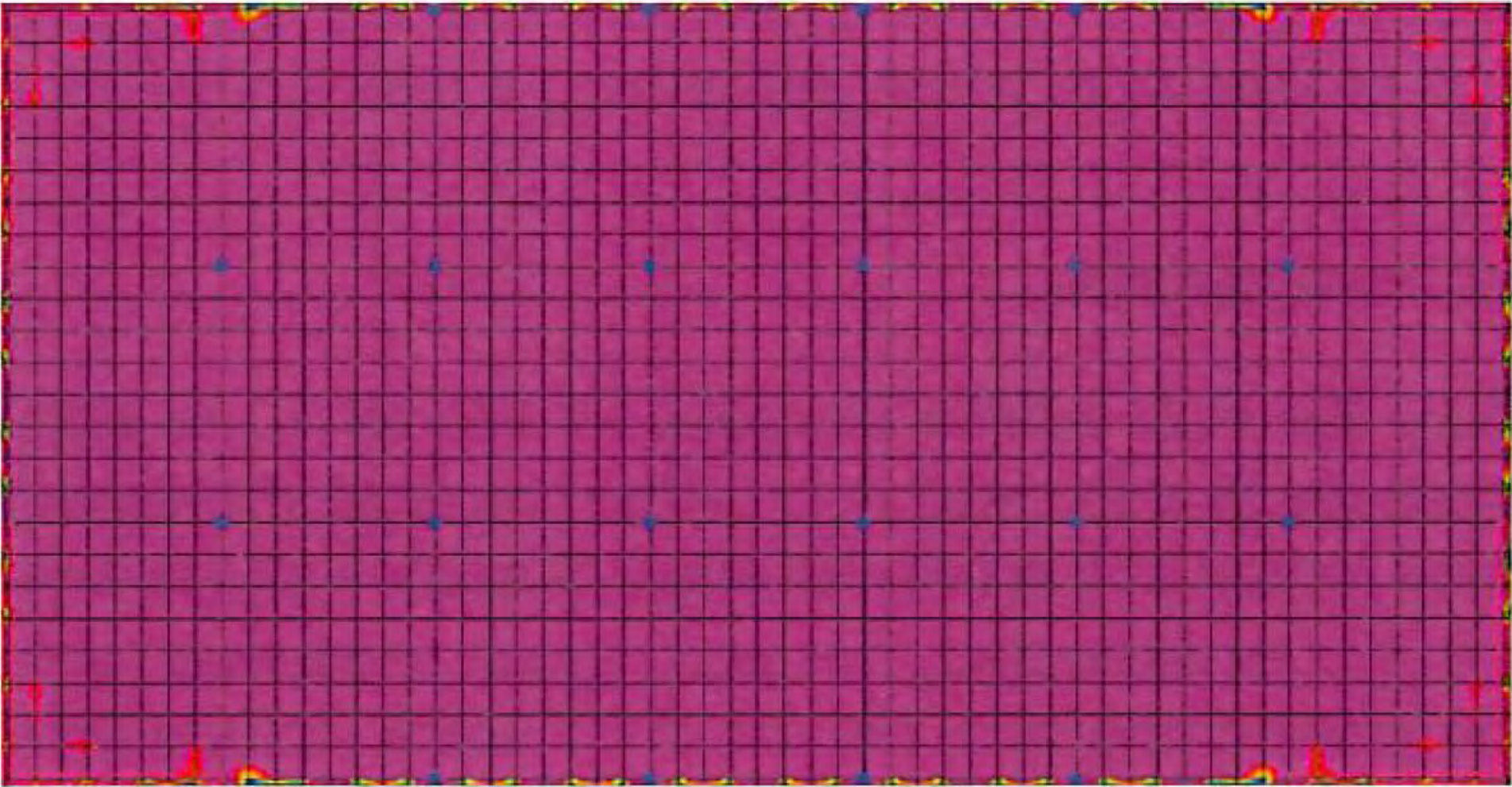
Fully Connected at Final

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25 ft x 30 ft bays, 8 in. slab, 12 in. walls

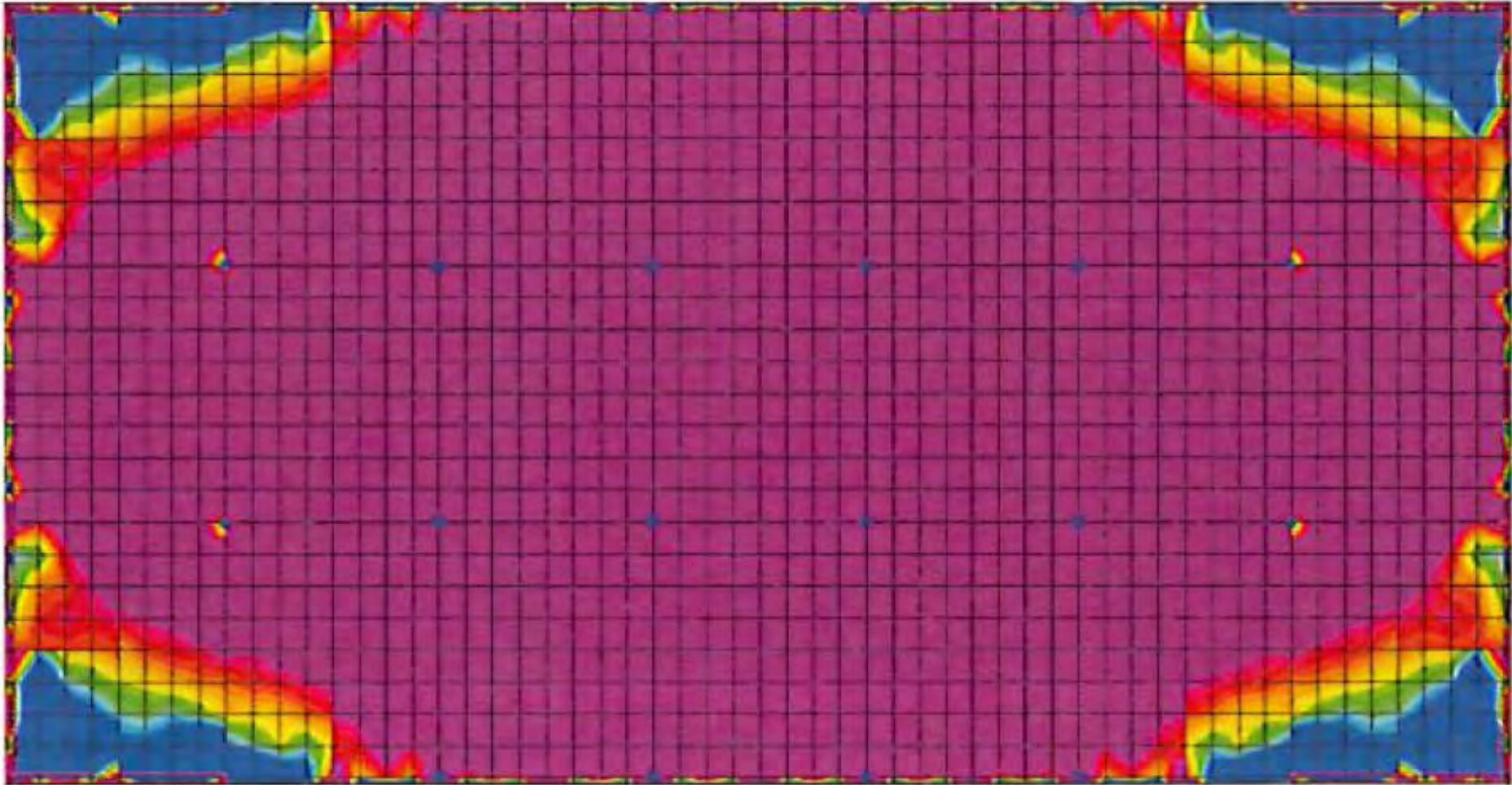
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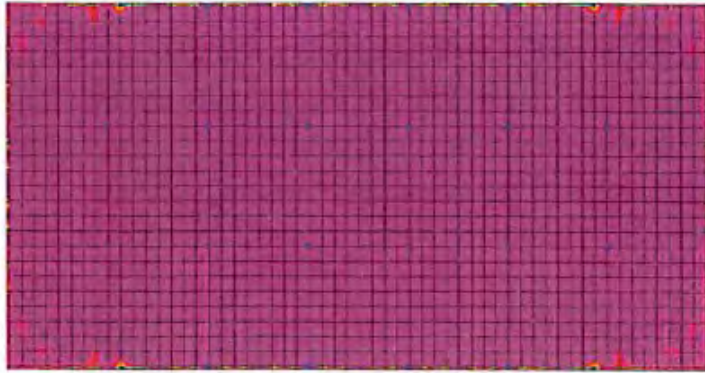


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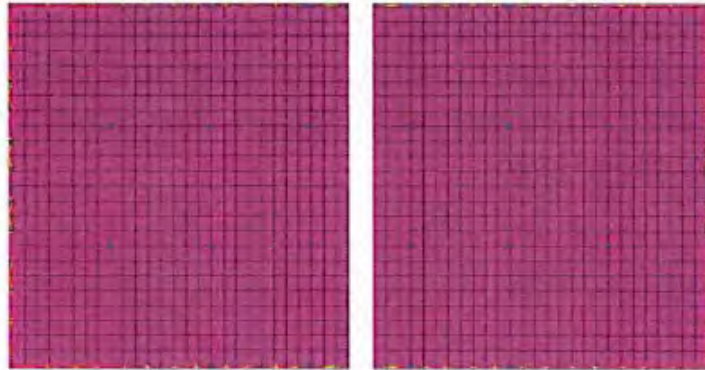


Fully Connected at Final

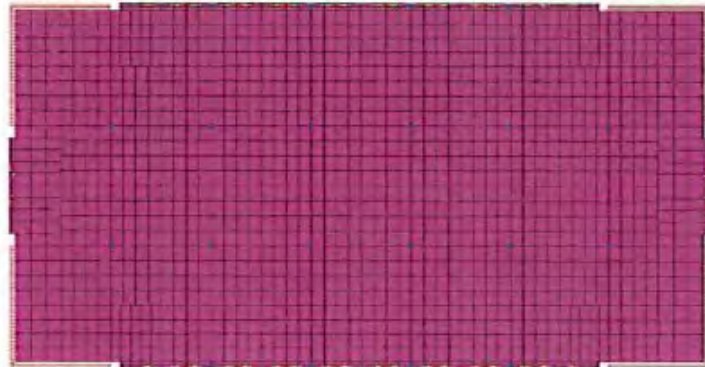
MODEL 2 - UNFAVORABLE WALL POSITIONS



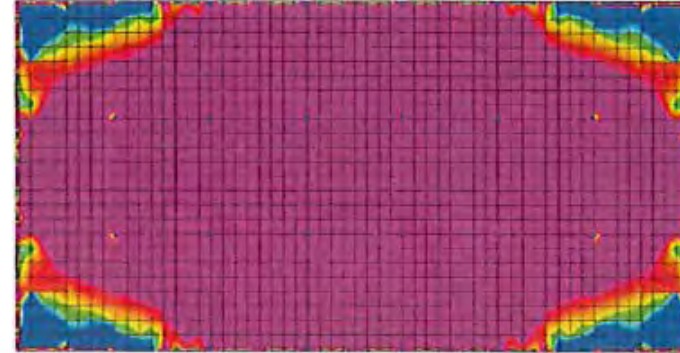
MODEL 2A - UNFAVORABLE WALL POSITIONS - POUR STRIP



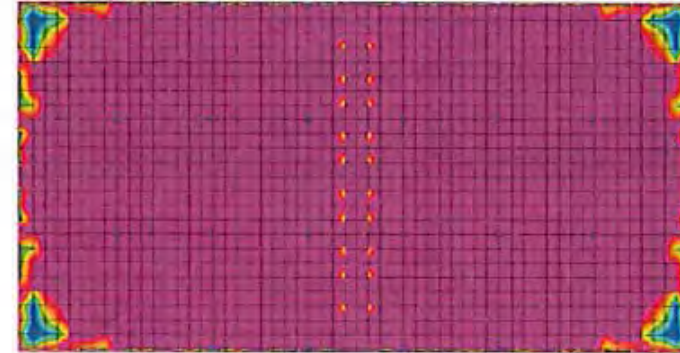
MODEL 2B - UNFAVORABLE WALL POSITIONS - WALL RELEASES



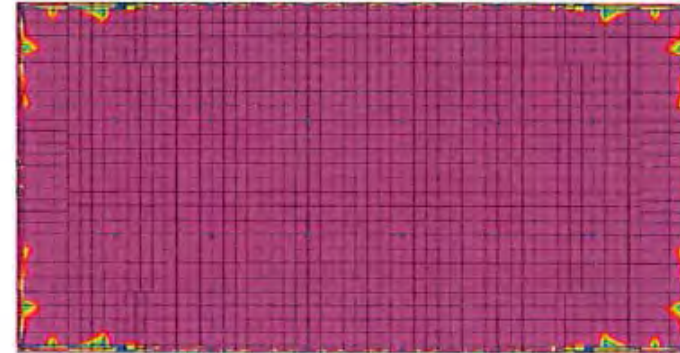
MODEL 2 - UNFAVORABLE WALL POSITIONS



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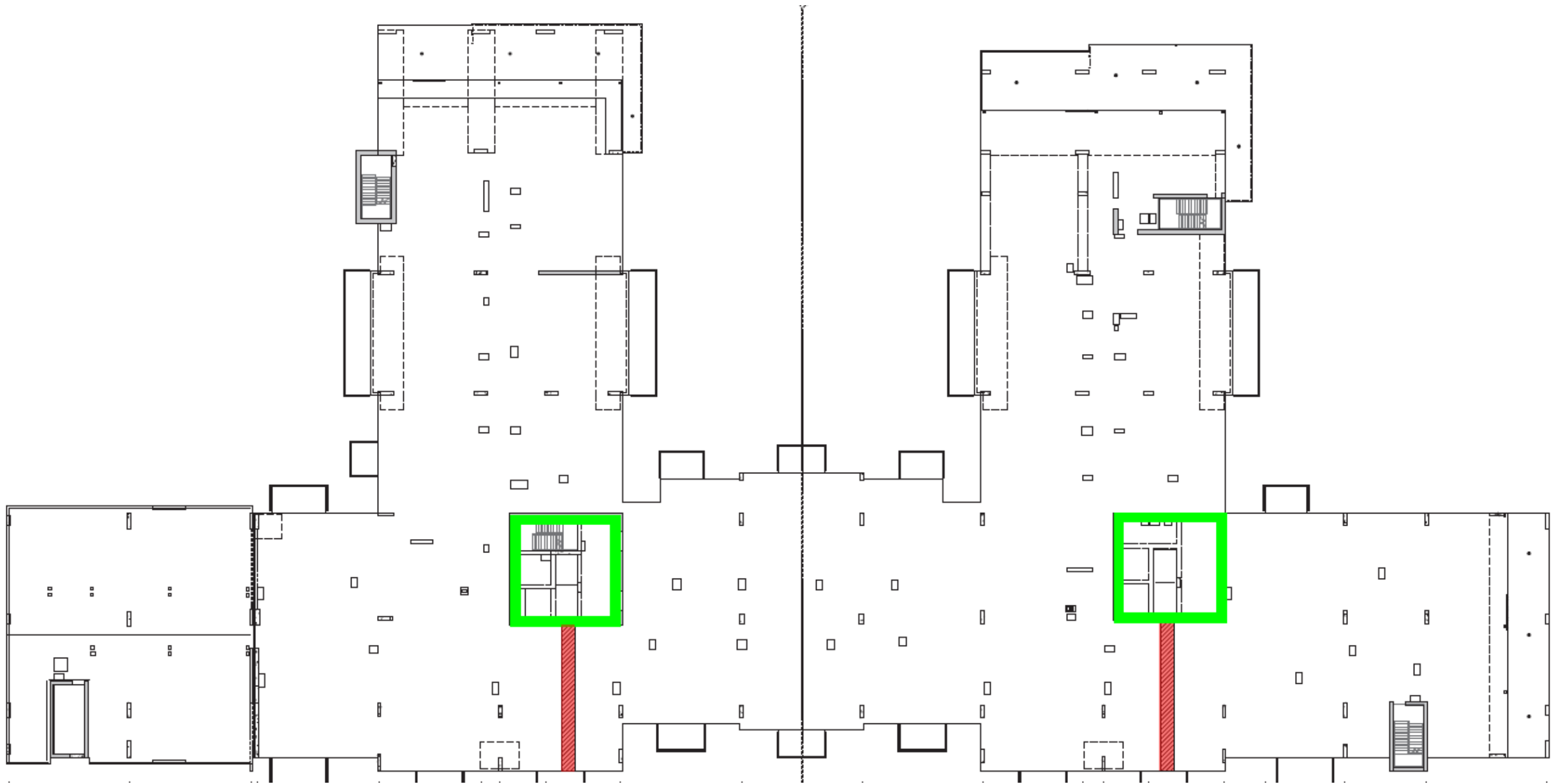


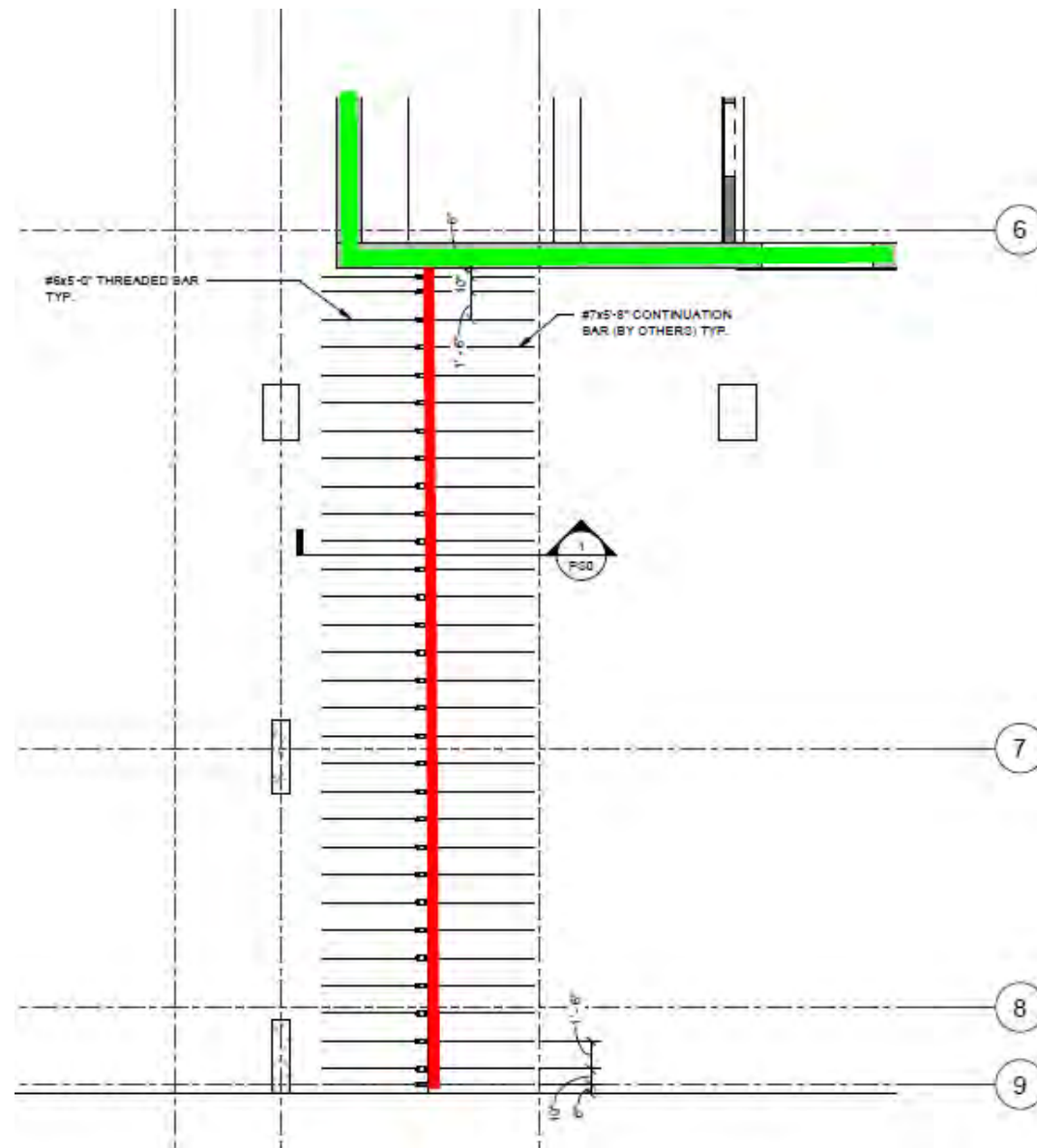
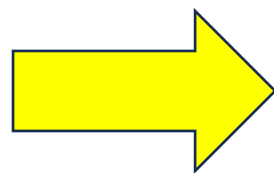
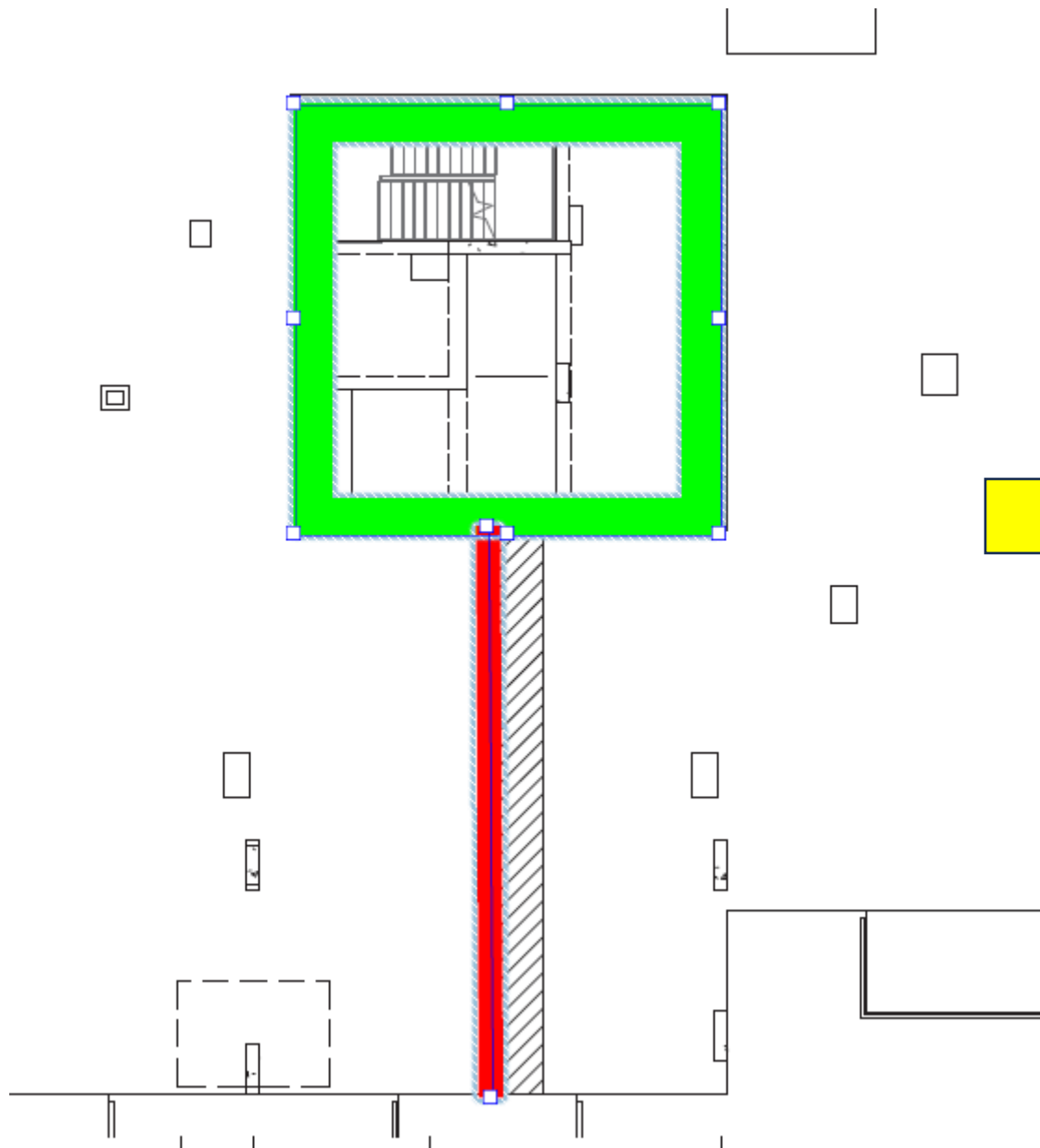
30 Days

Final

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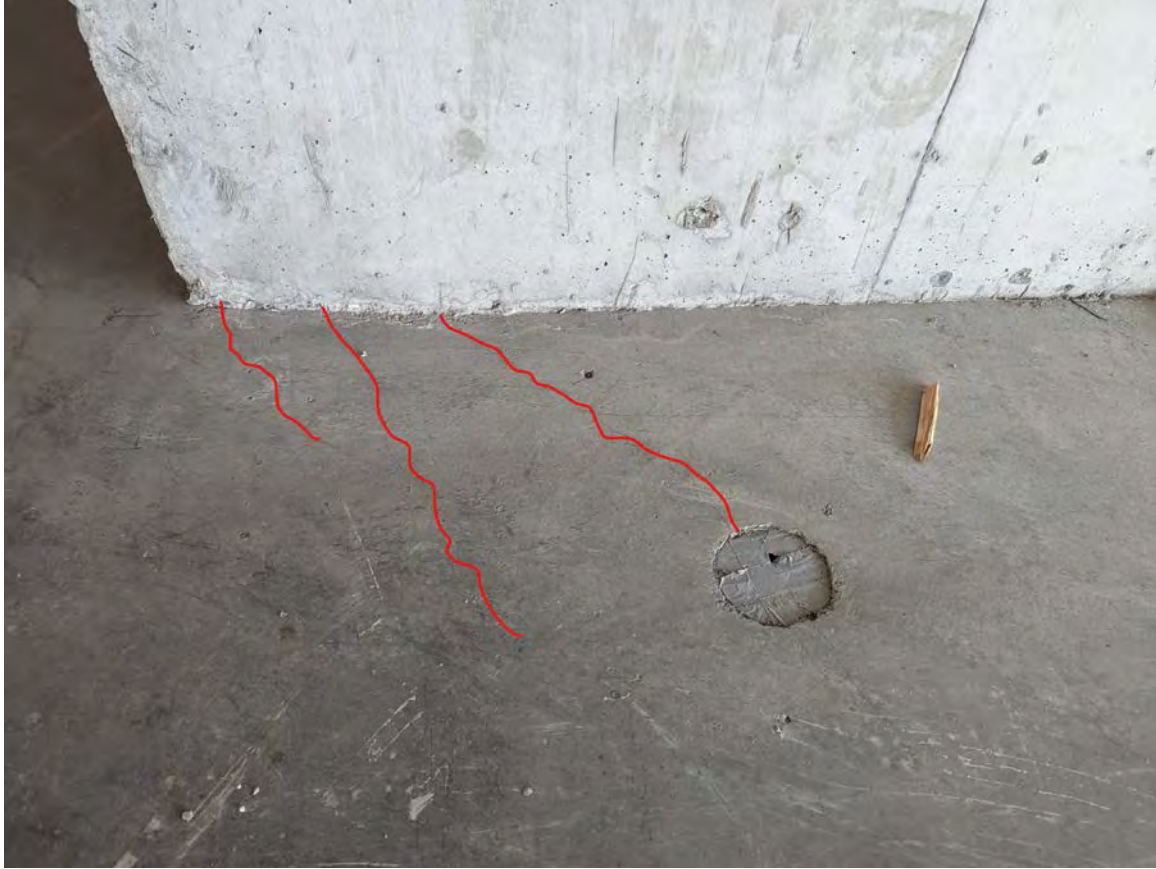








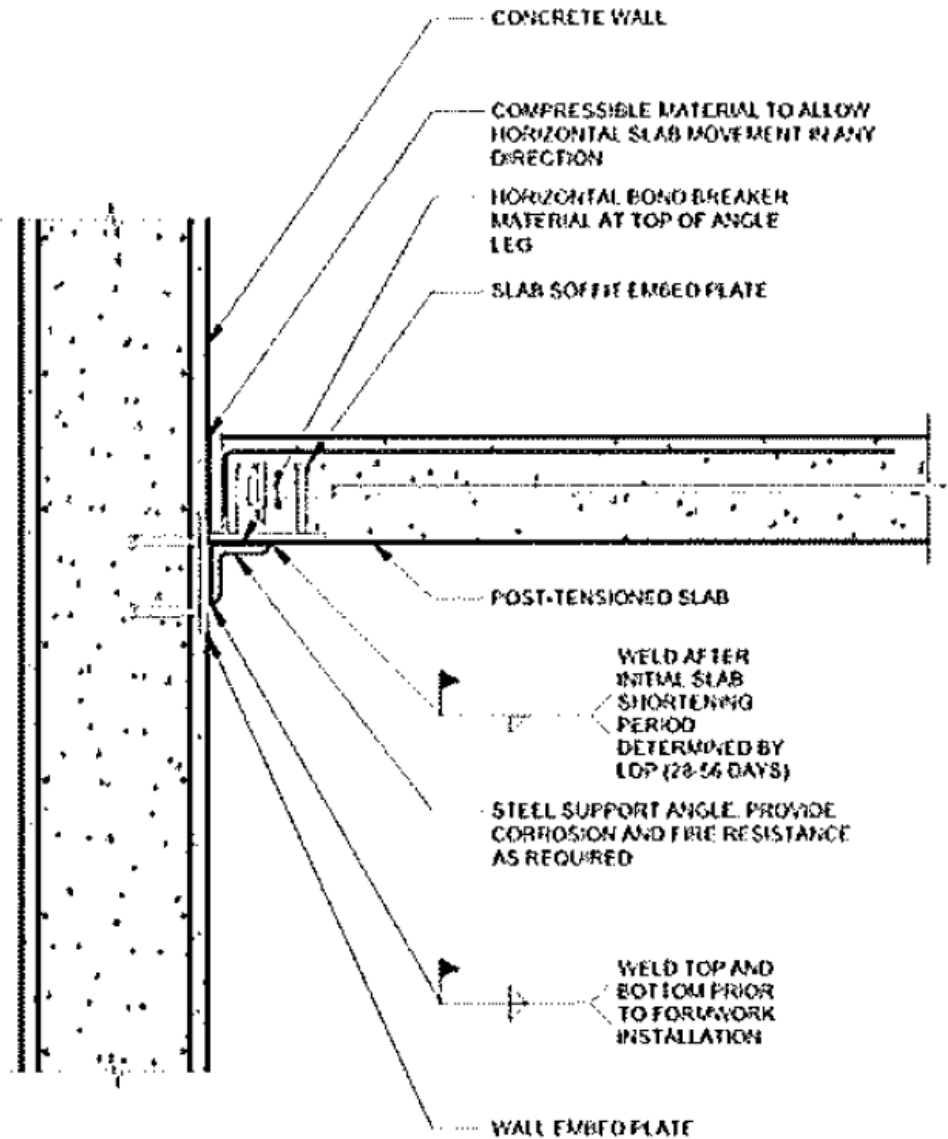
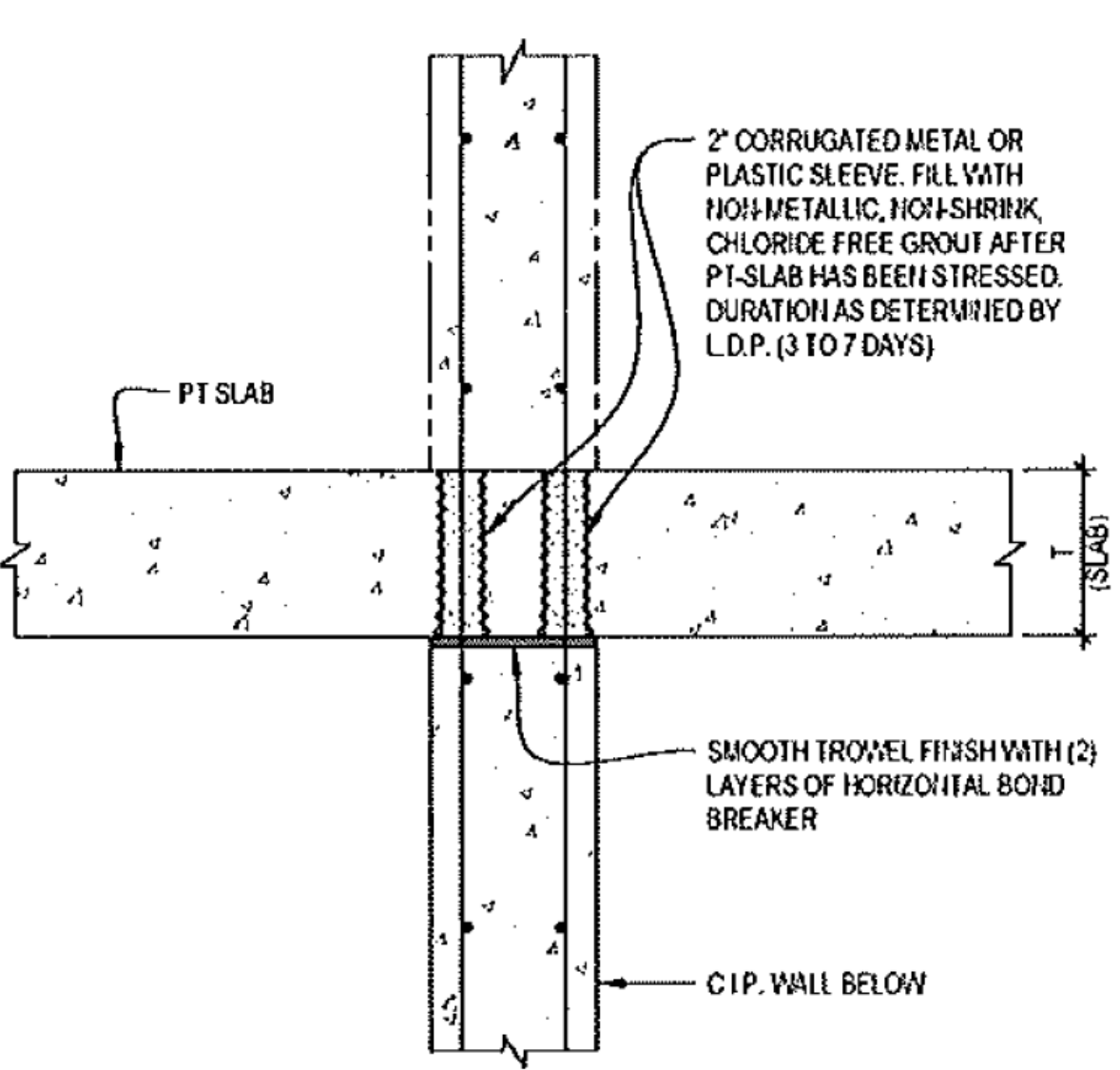




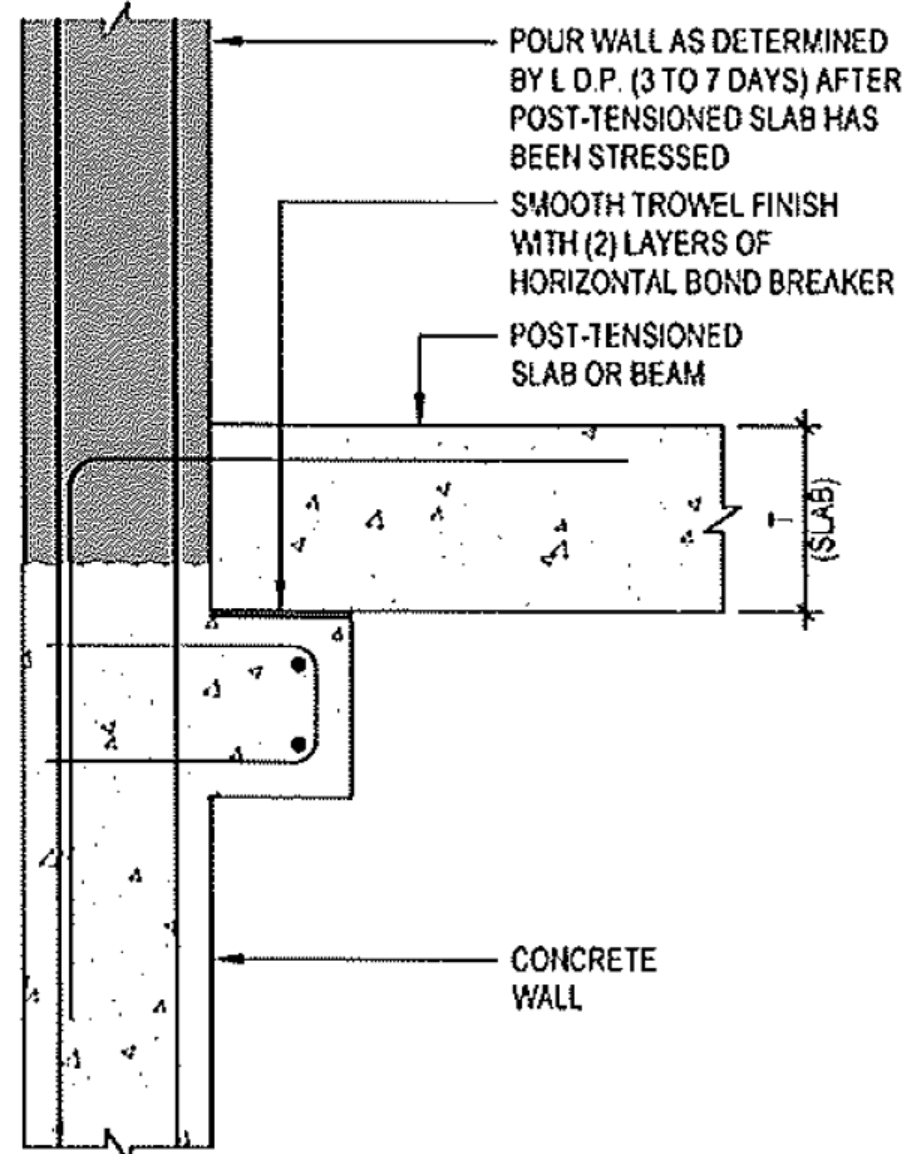
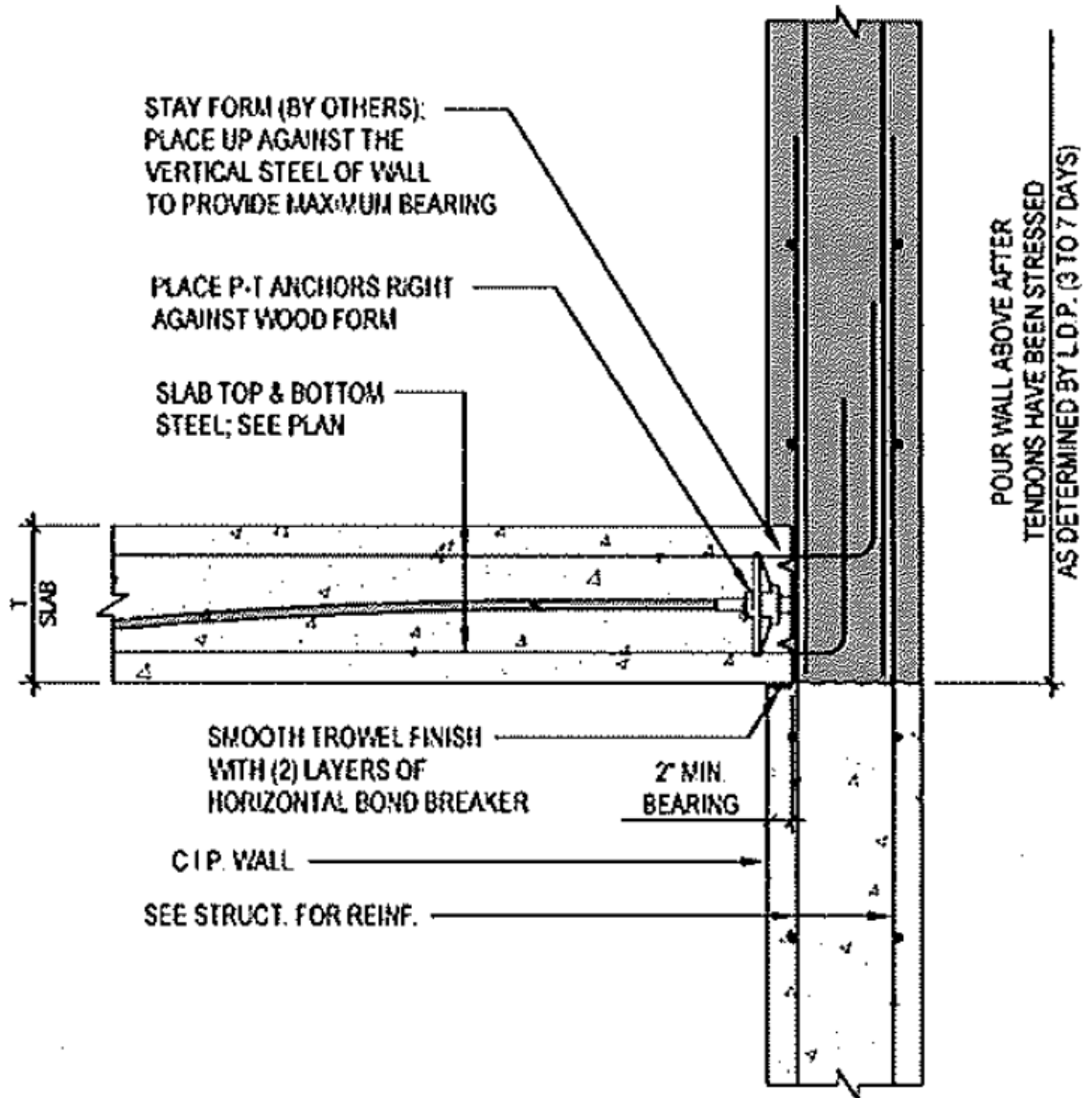




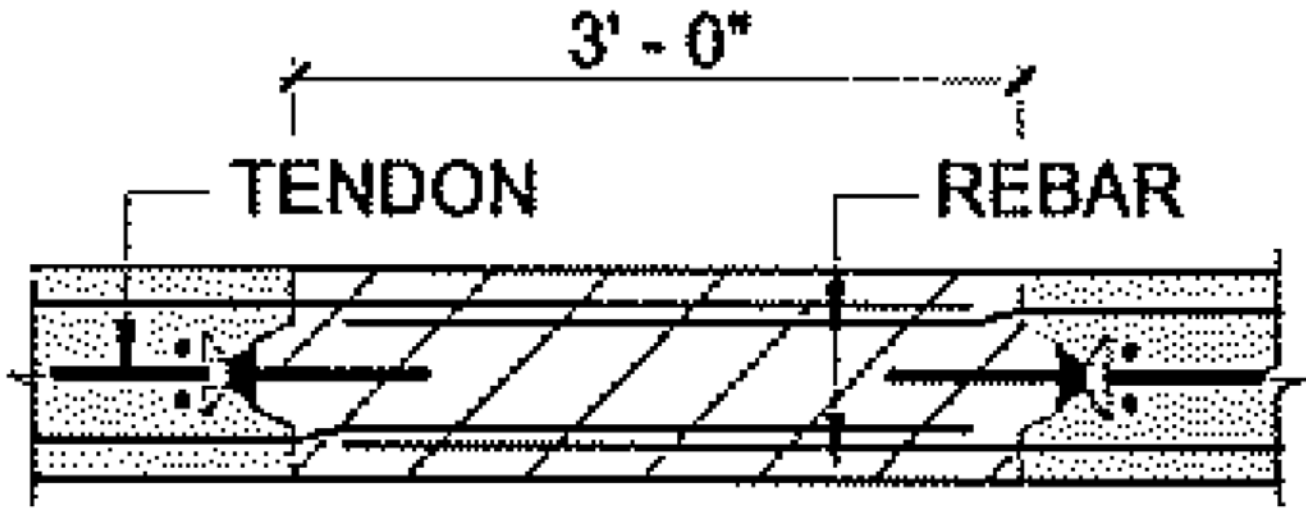
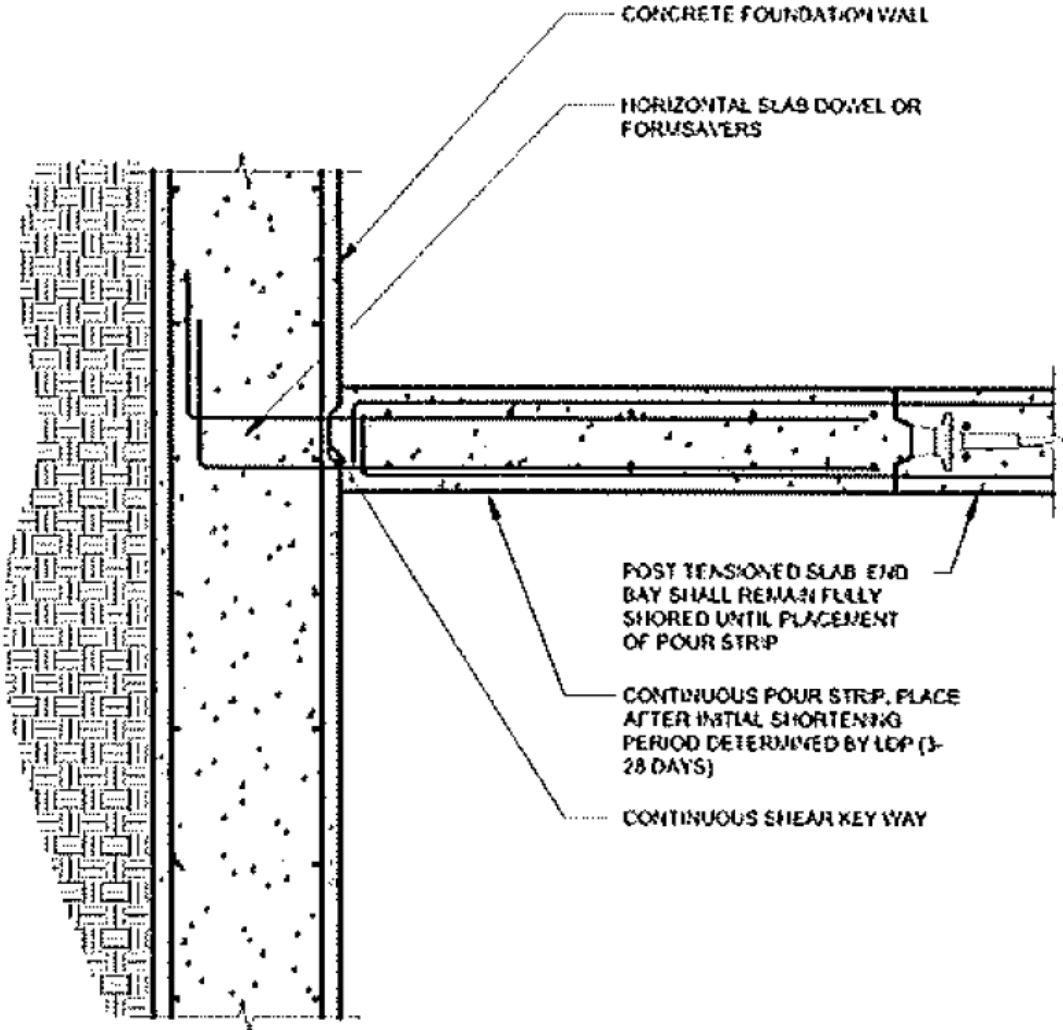
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# THE SMITH – BOSTON, MA

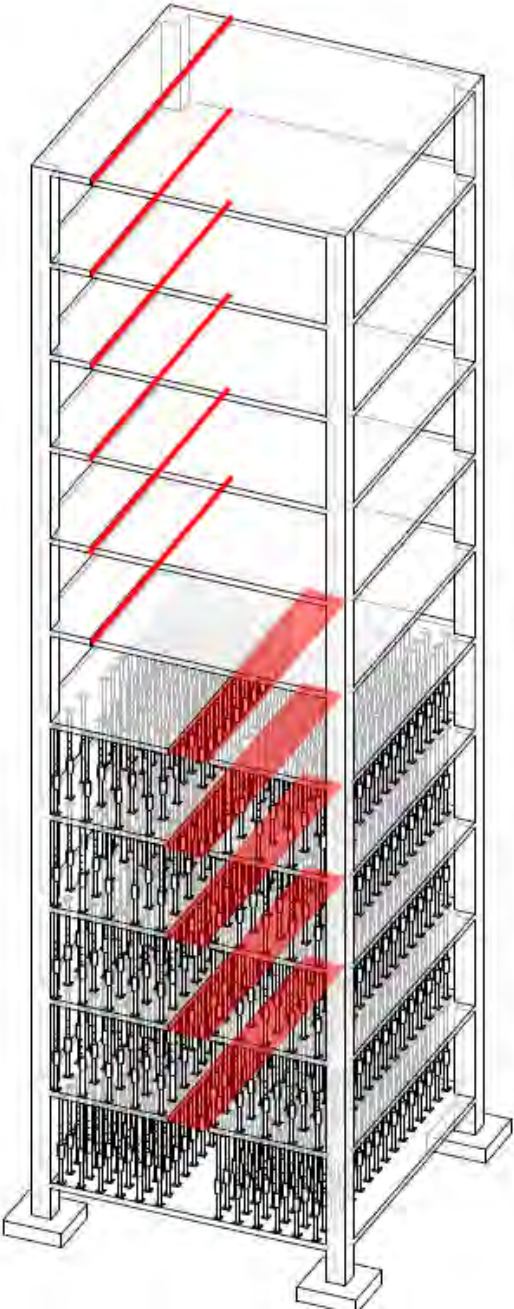
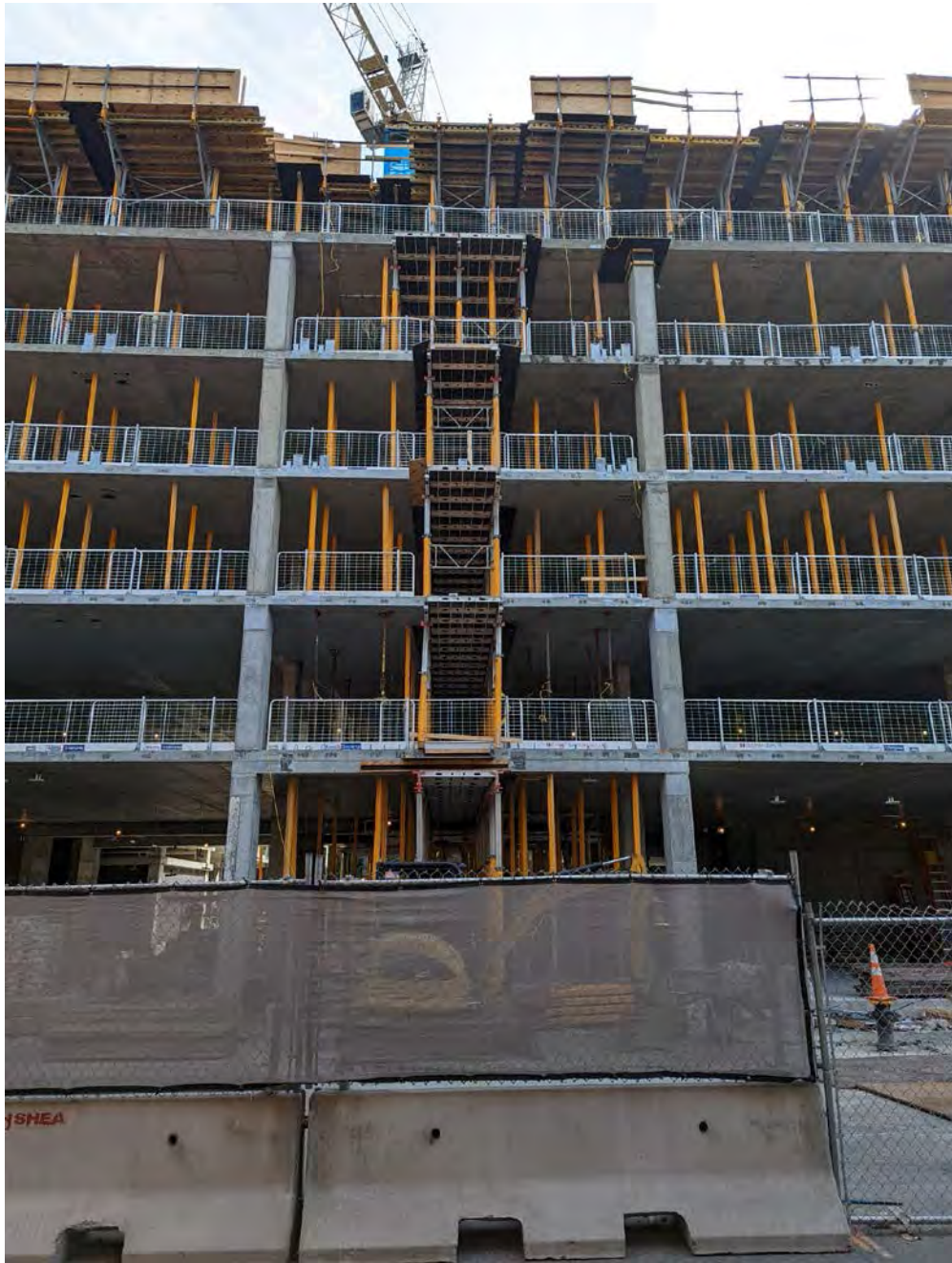
- 12-Story two-way PT
- Mid-span not self-supporting
- 45-day leave-out
- 2-Month schedule delay
- \$1M liquidated damages
  
- PS=Ø<sup>®</sup> last 6 floors
- Savings
  - \$160K/floor
  - 2-Months



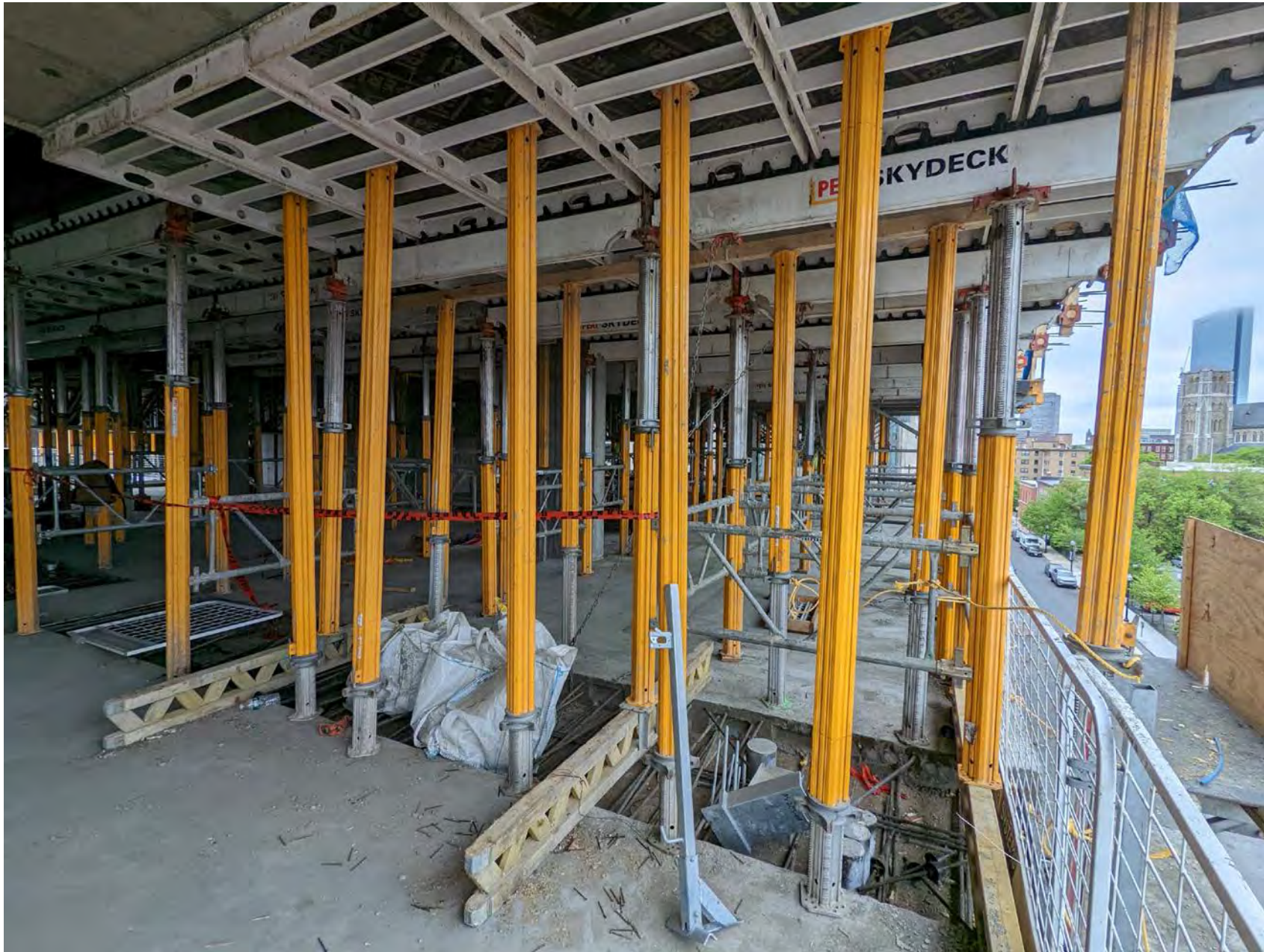




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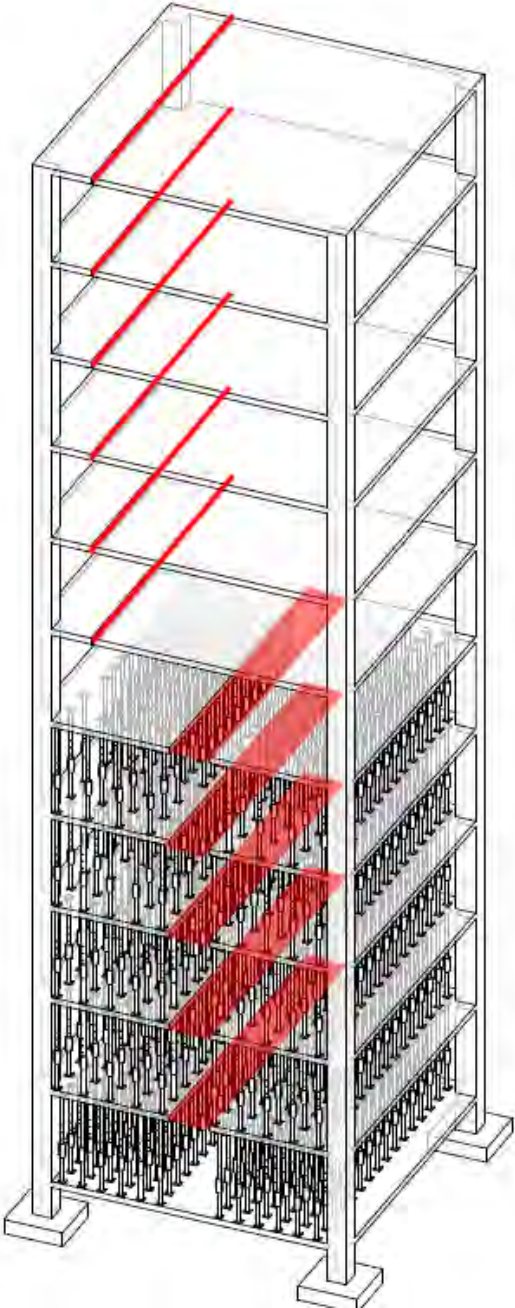




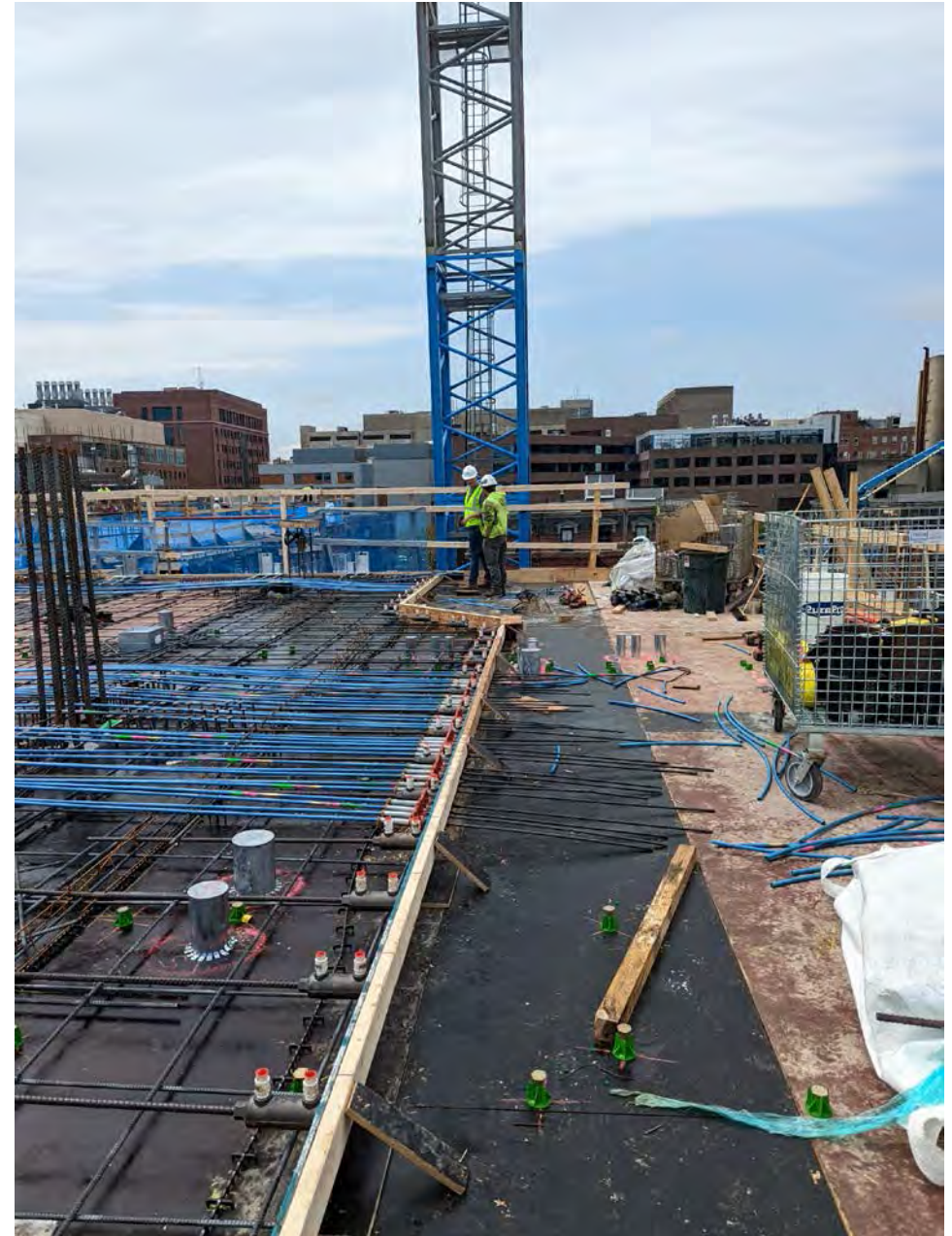


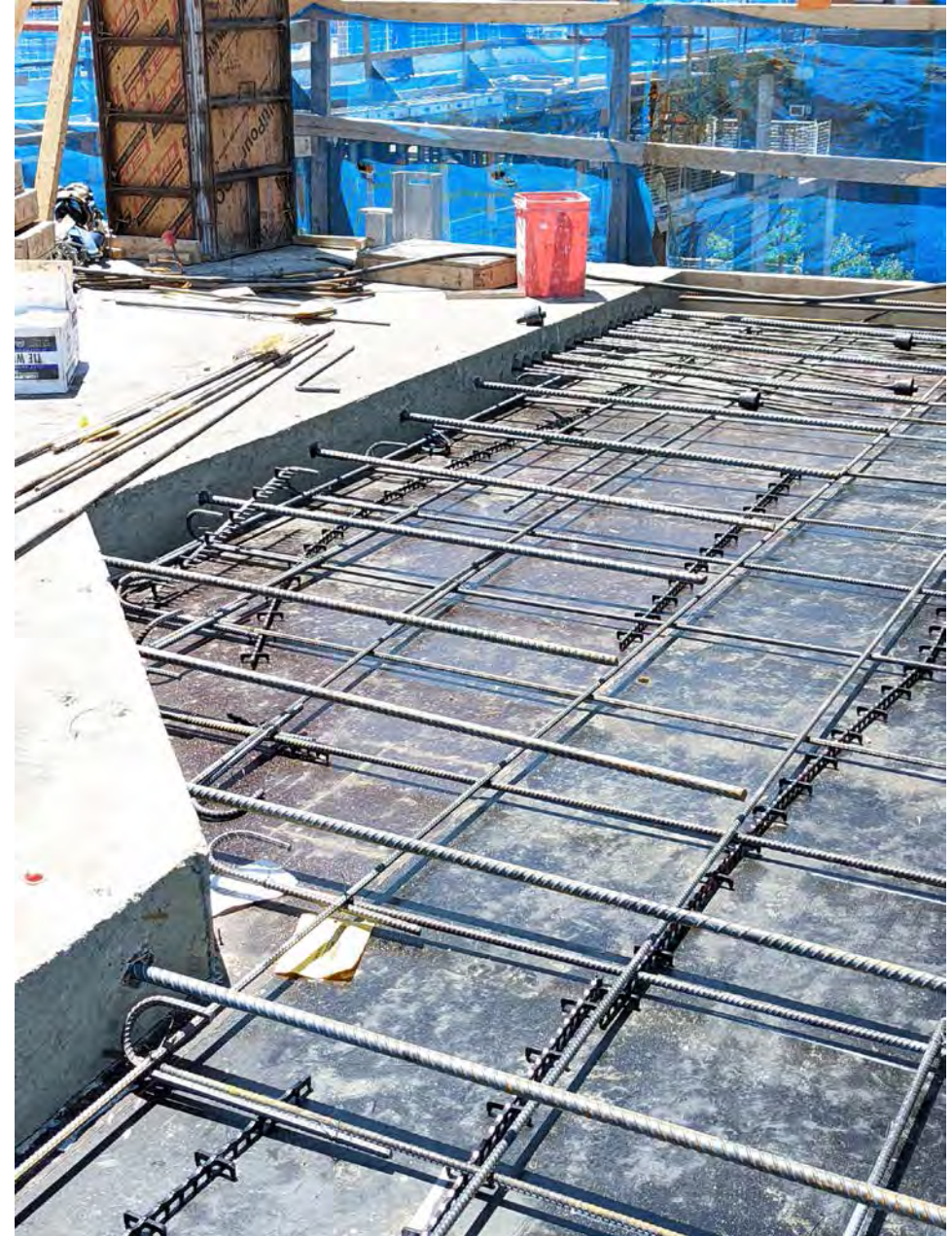


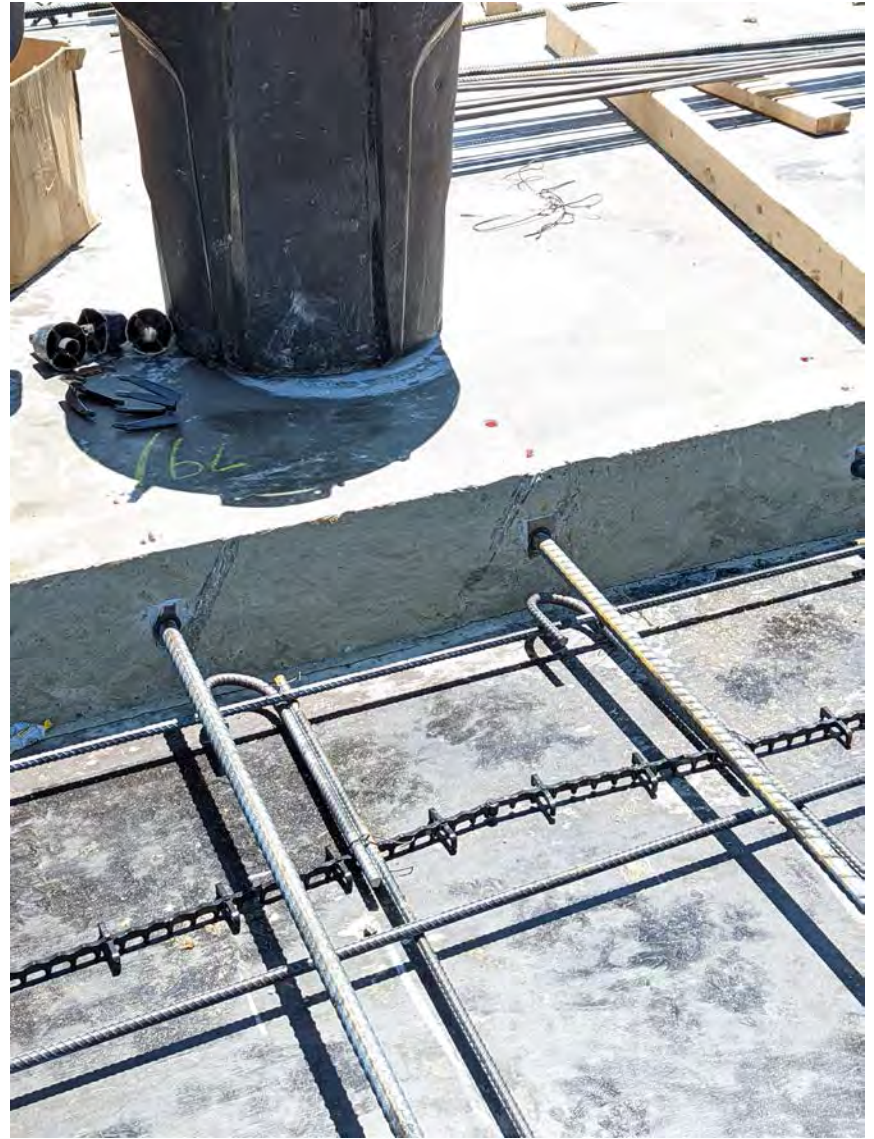
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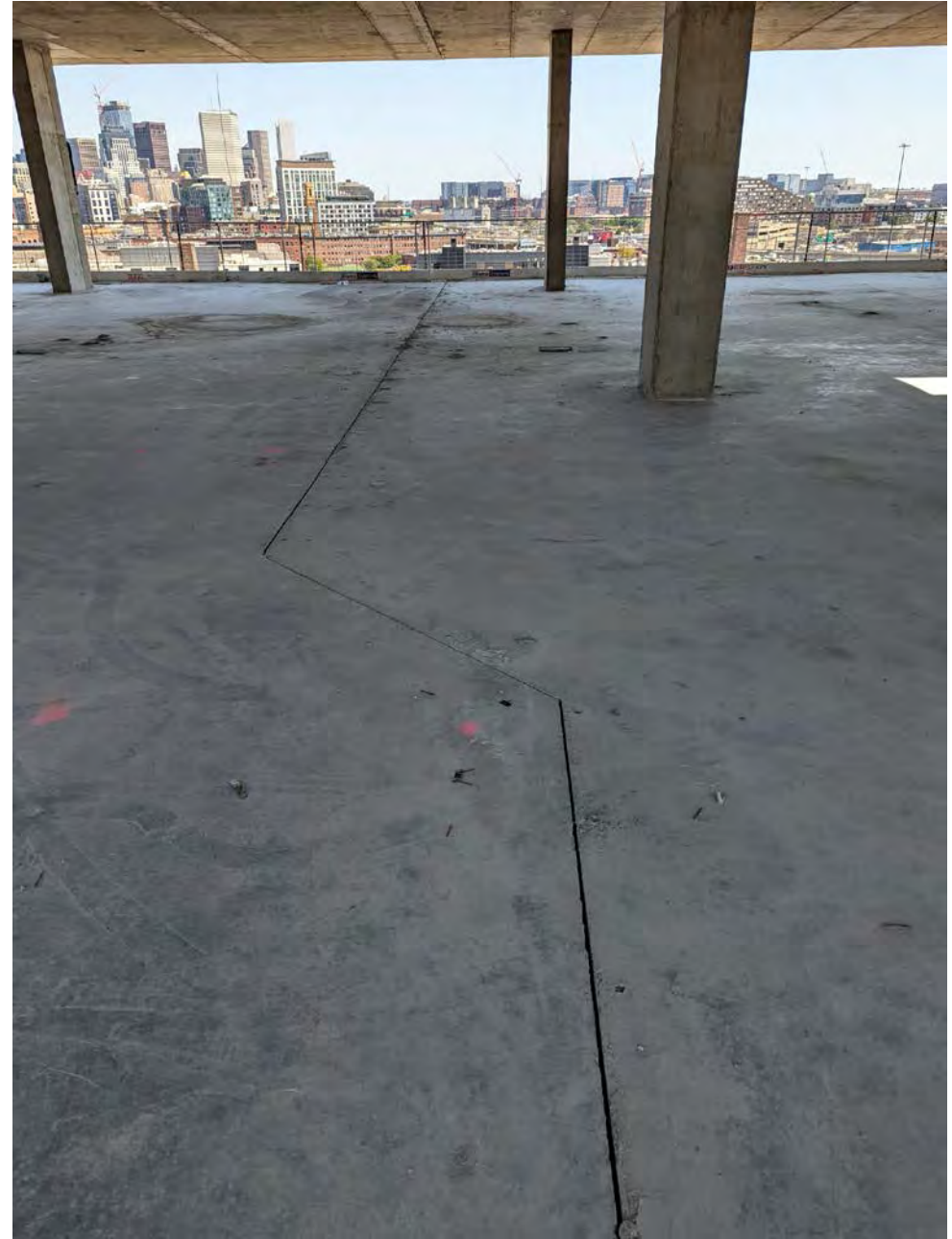


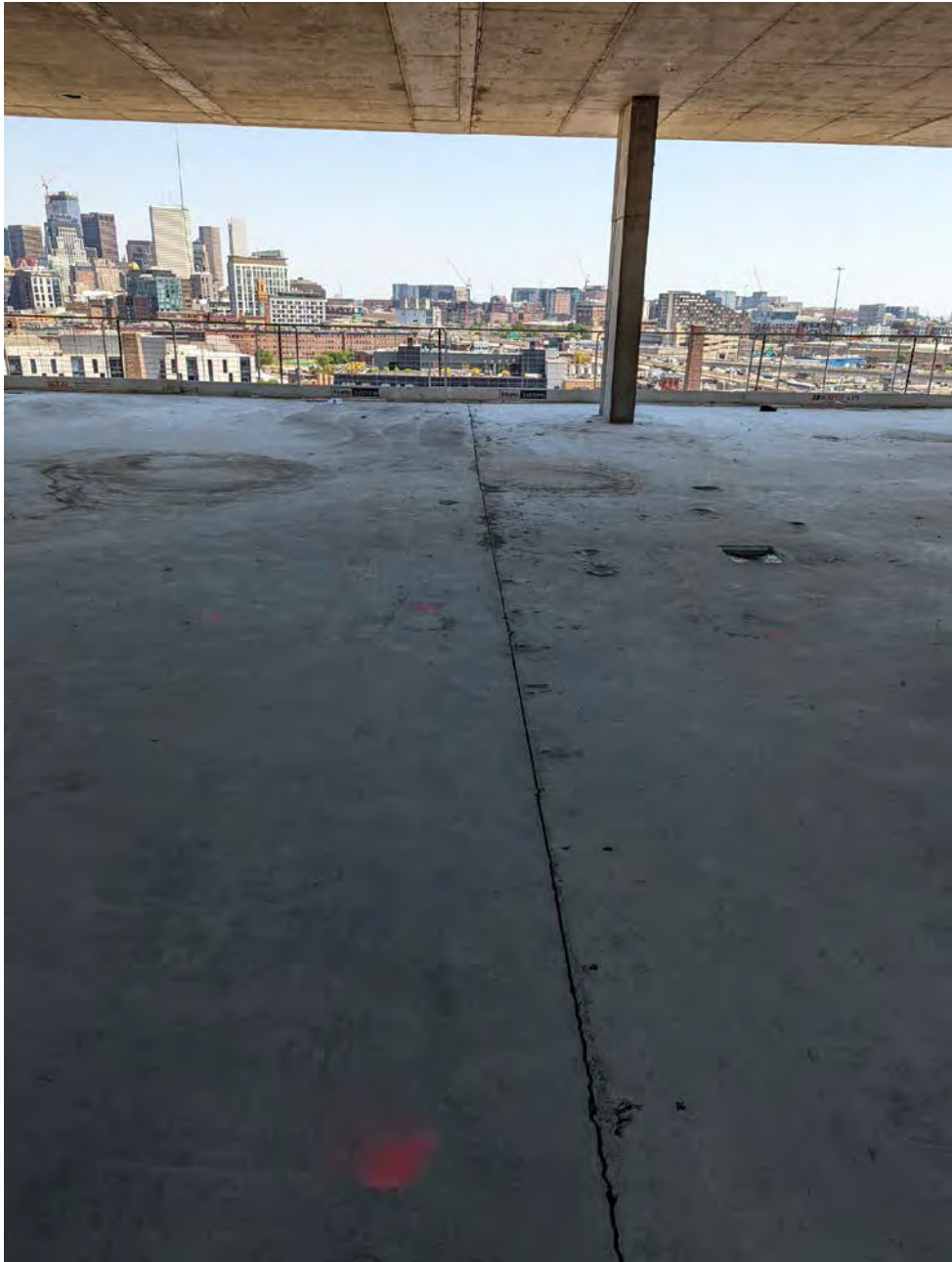




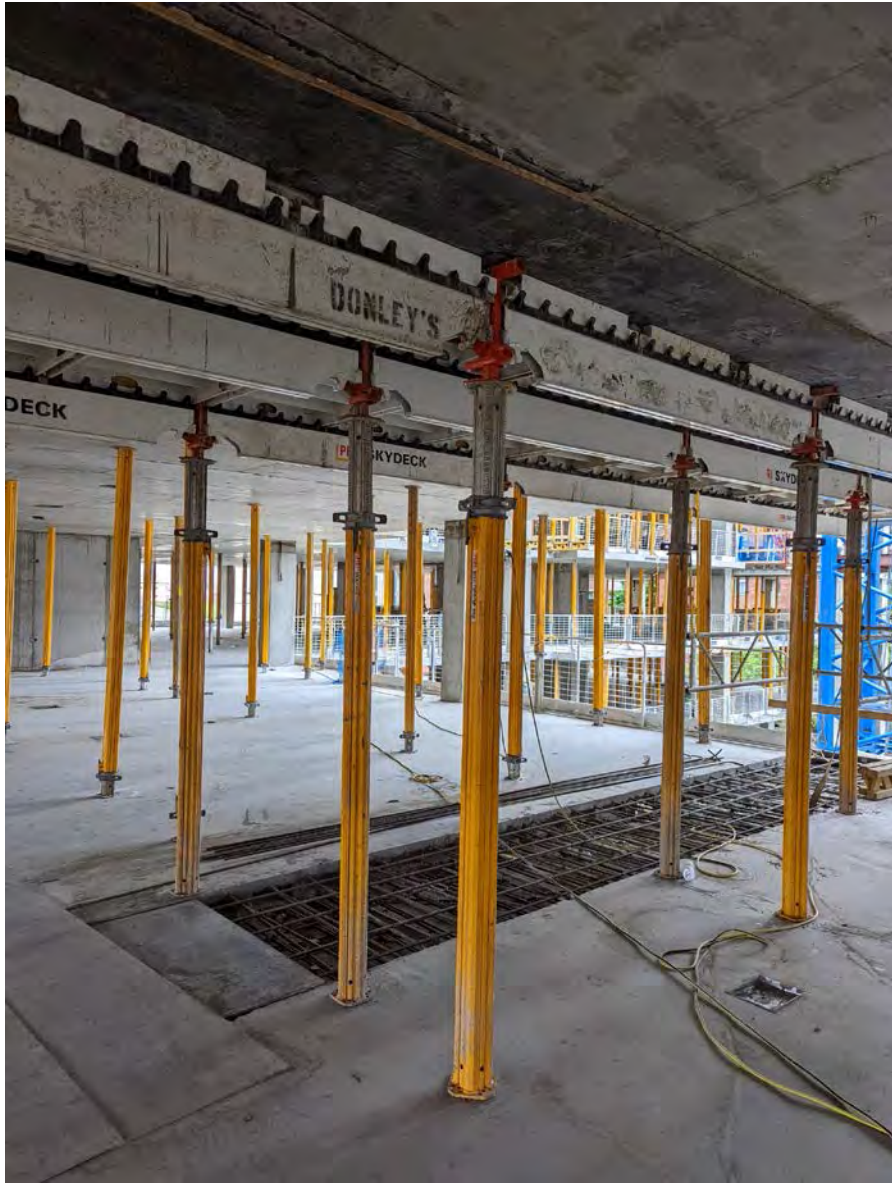






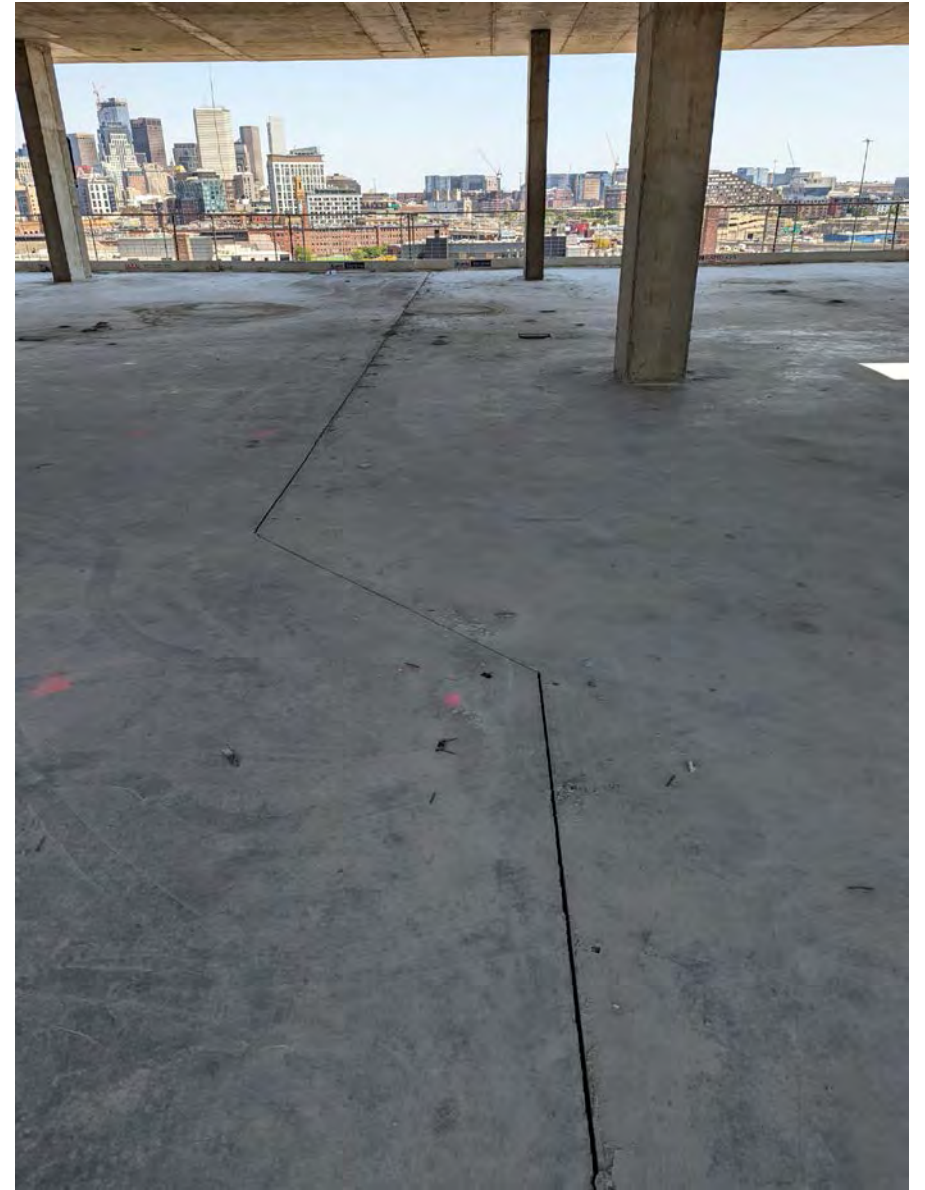






Cost: \$150 - \$200/SF

VS.



Cost: \$130/SF



- Mid-span not self-supporting
- 2-Month schedule delay
- \$1M liquidated damages



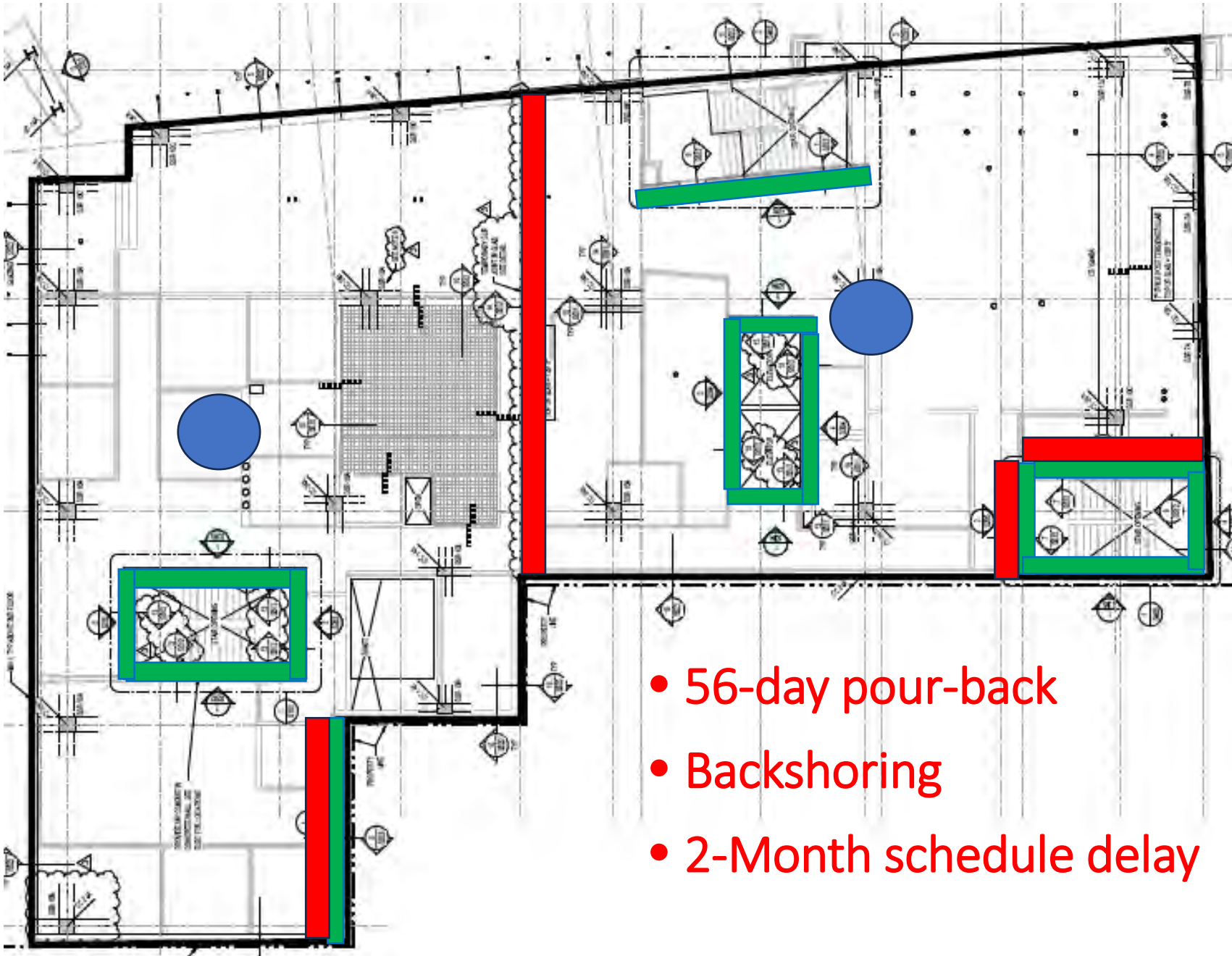
- 1/5-span self-supporting
- 2-Month schedule saving
- \$1M saved

# MILL CREEK CITY HALL – MILL CREEK, UT

- 6-Levels two-way PT
- Inflection point
- 56-day leave-out
- Wall releases
  
- Savings
  - 2-Months
  - \$1.2M
  - \$200K/floor



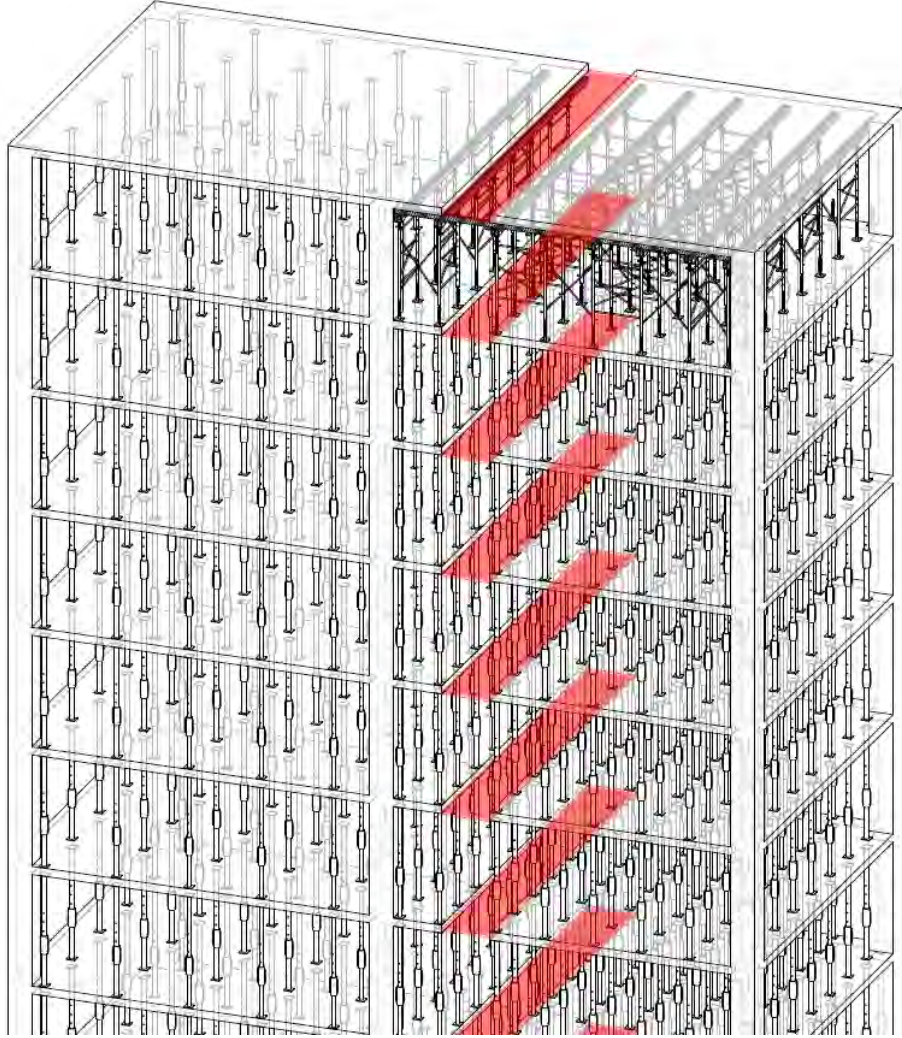
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- 56-day pour-back
- Backshoring
- 2-Month schedule delay

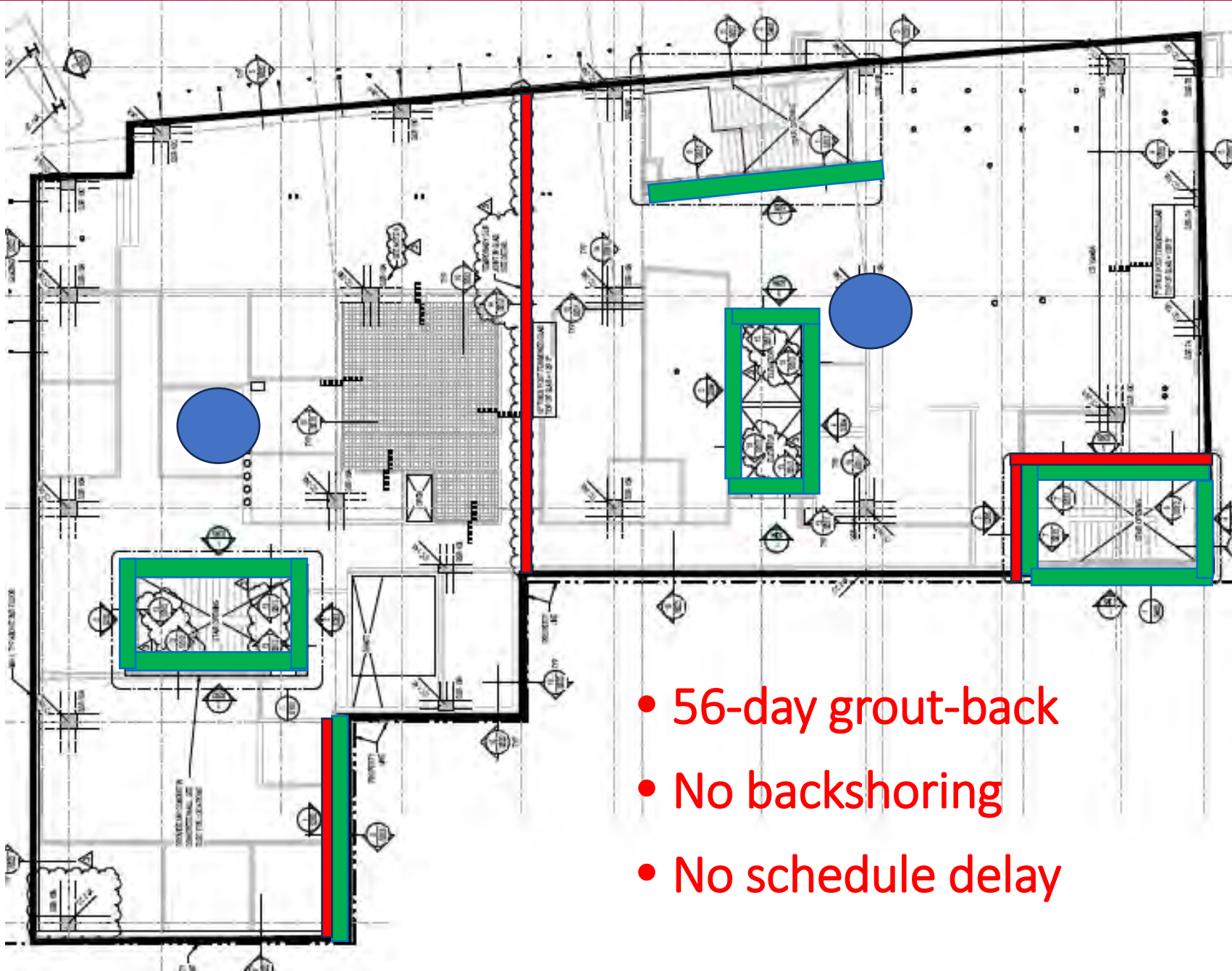
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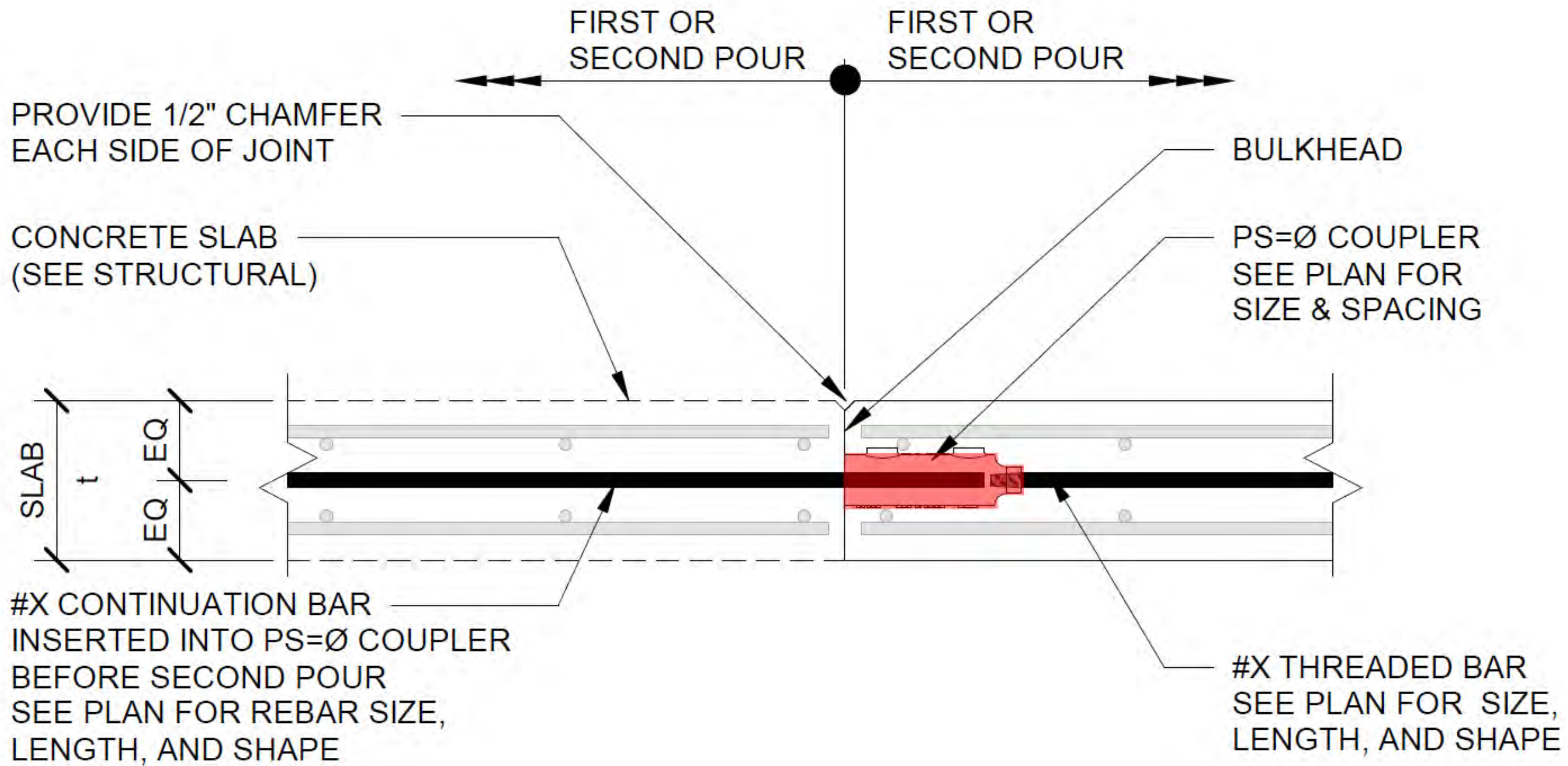
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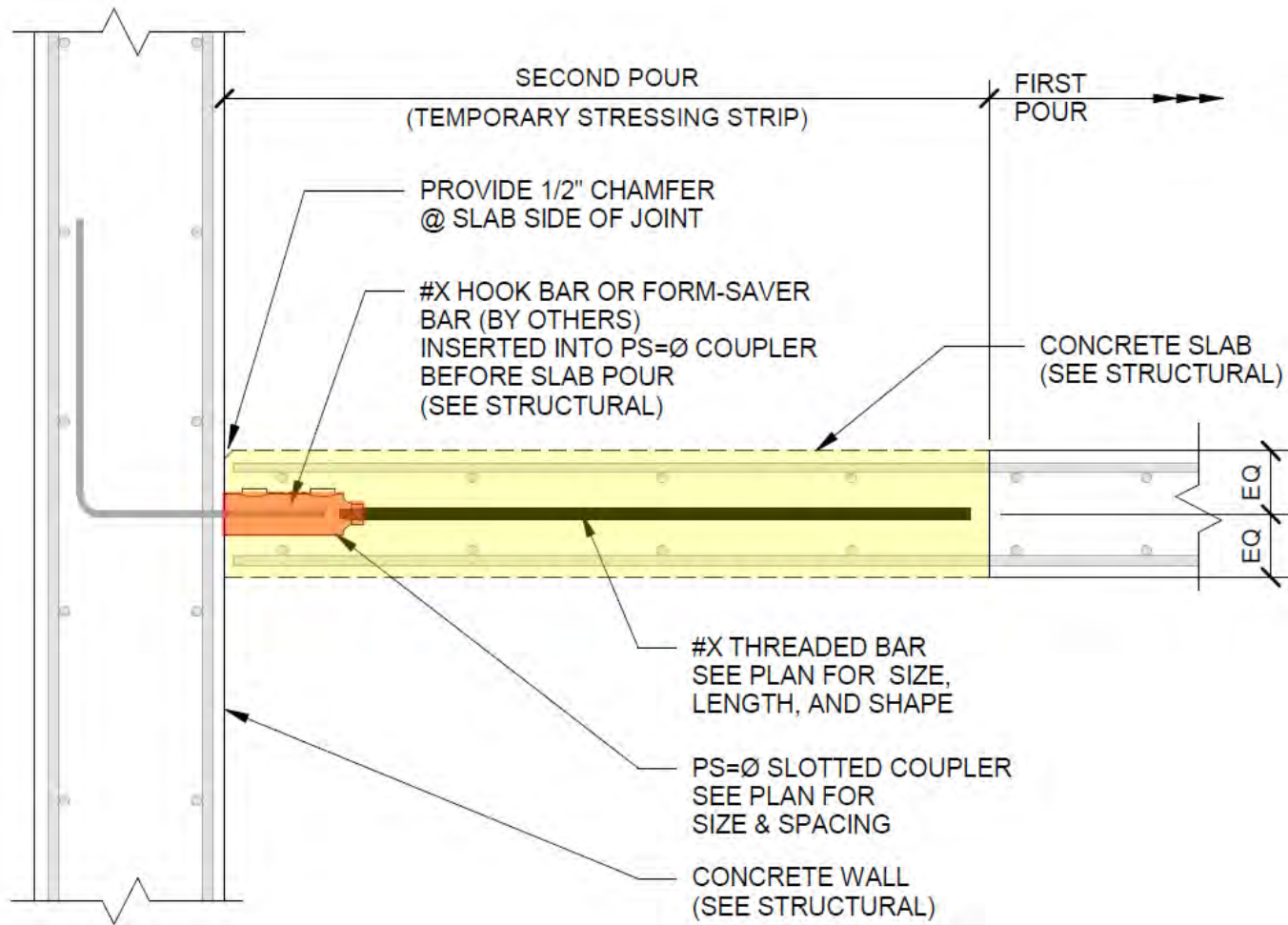
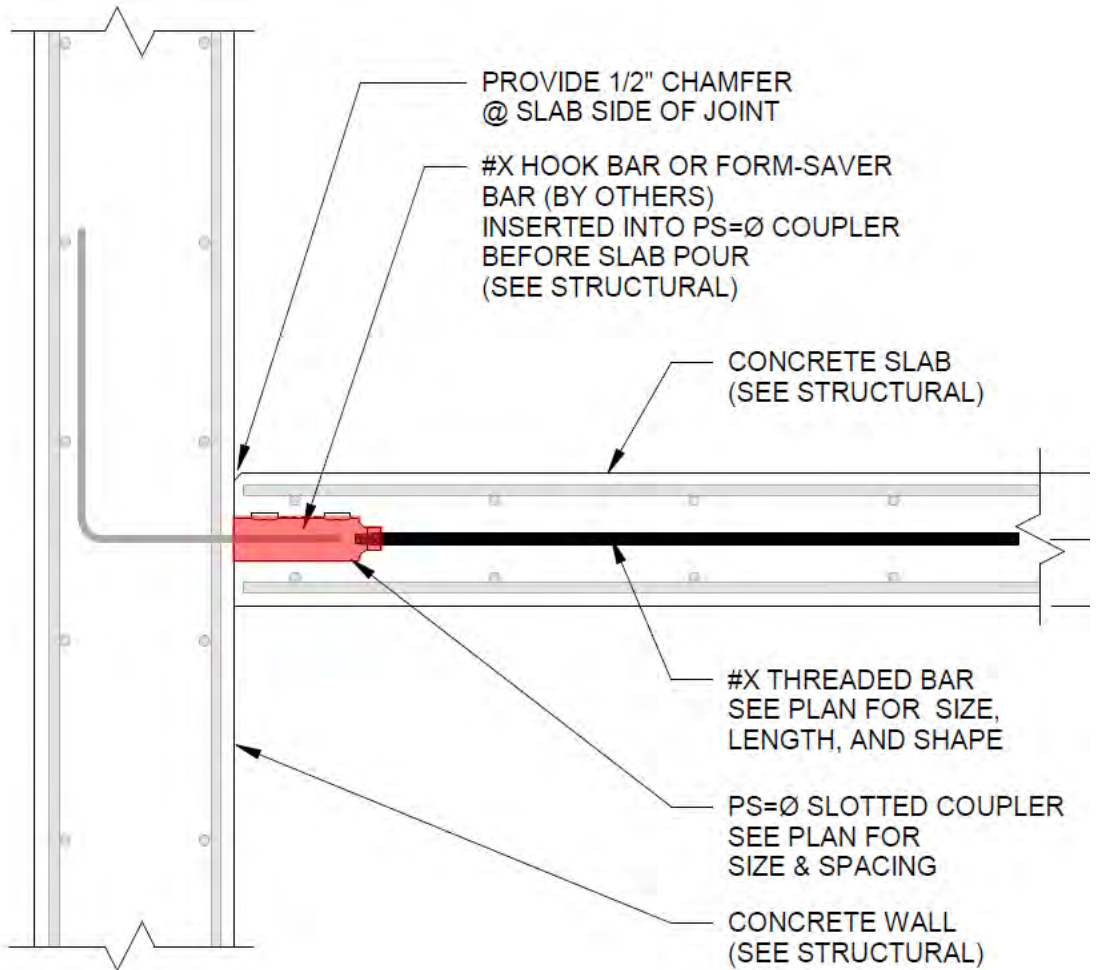
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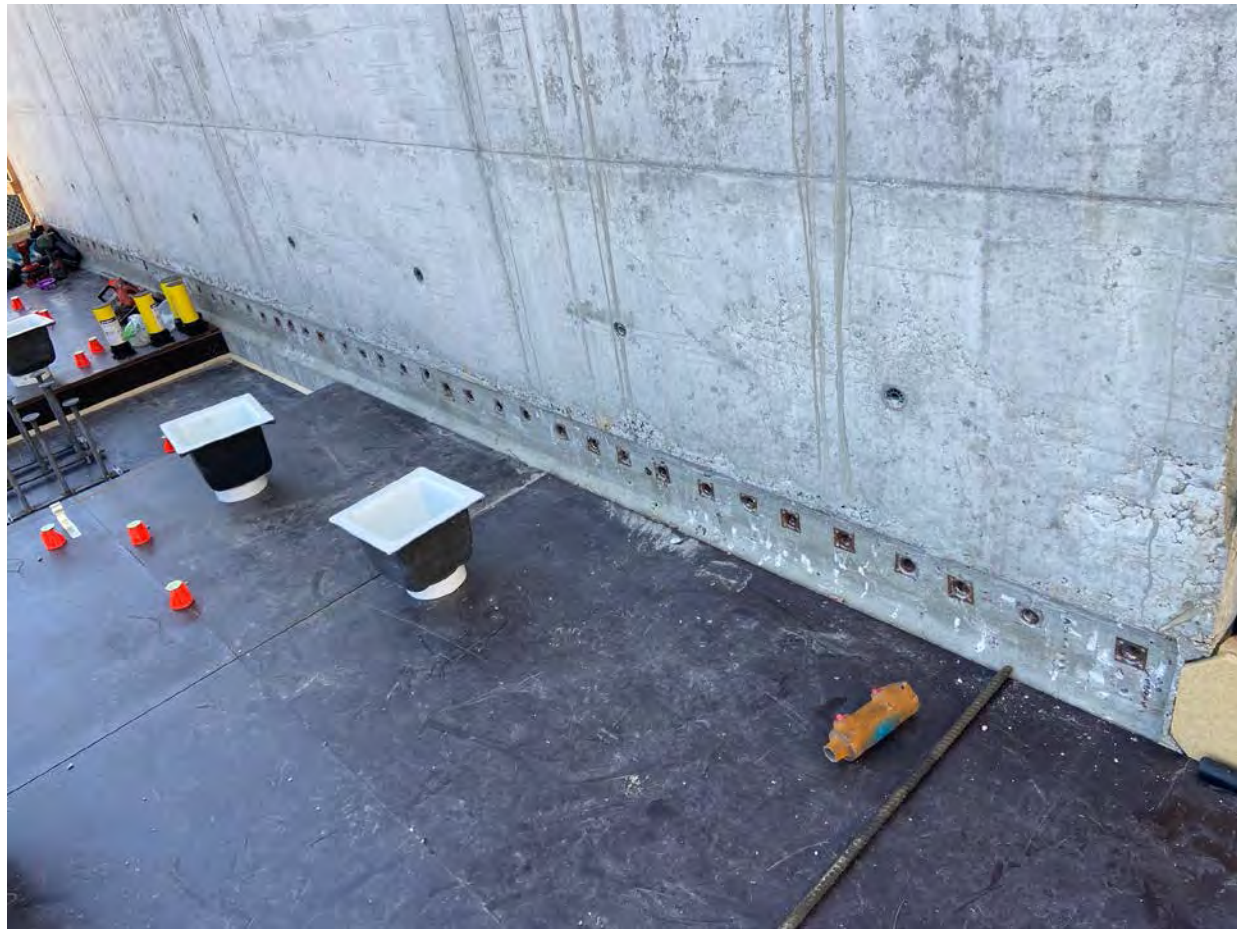


- 56-day grout-back
- No backshoring
- No schedule delay









# HISTORICAL DATA - SAVINGS

## Schedule Savings Range

- 2 to 4-Months

## Cost Savings Range

- \$100k/floor to \$350k/floor



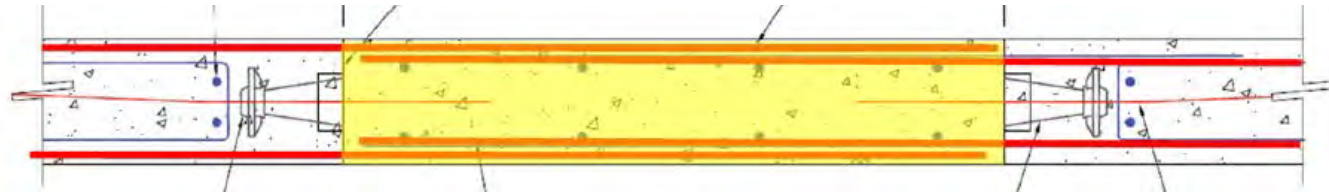
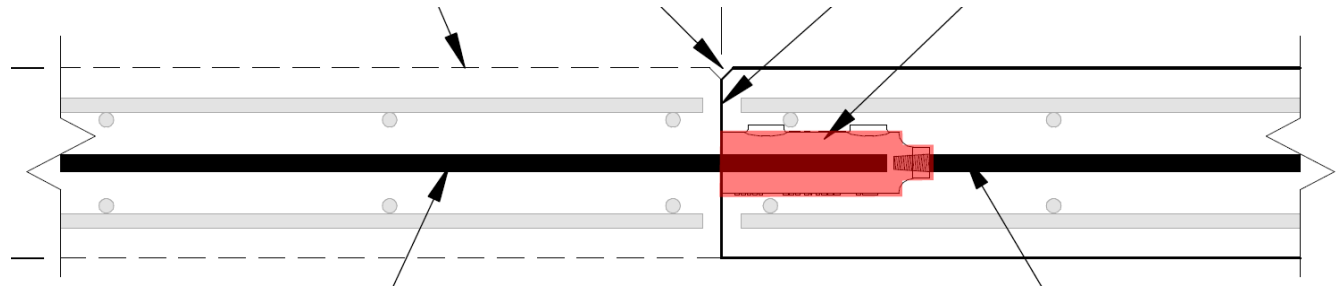
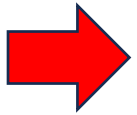
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# Questions?

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