BYPASS?! We don't need no stinkin' BYPASS!



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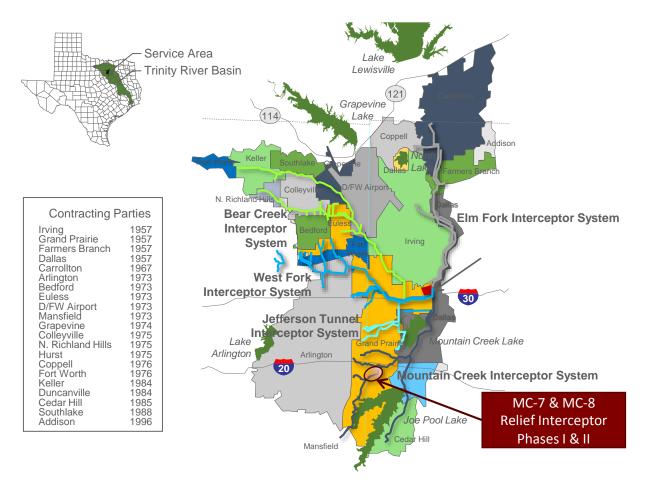


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MC-7 & MC-8 Relief Interceptor, Phases I & II Improvements



- 15,800 LF of relief interceptor
 - Capacity and condition improvement
- Constructed in two phases to accommodate TxDOT IH-20 frontage roads project
- Phase I 7,700LF of 72- to 78-inch pipeline
 - Substantially complete site restoration remains
 - Two locations with bypass free flow diversion
- Phase II 8,100 LF of 72-inch pipeline
 - 7,000 LF by open-cut
 - 1,100 LF by bore / tunnel
 - Awarded \$13.9M construction contract to Circle C Construction Company in October 2019
 - Two locations with bypass free flow diversion

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MC-7 & MC-8 Relief Interceptor, Phases I & II



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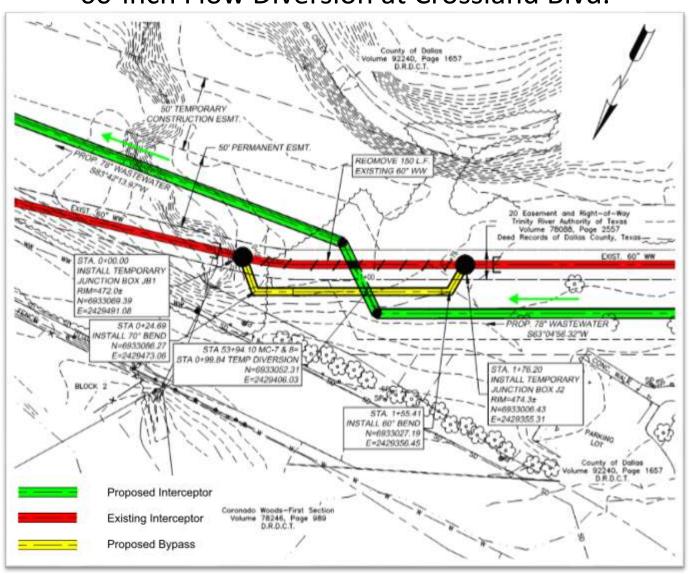
Gravity Flow Diversion Compared to Traditional Bypass

Pros	Cons
 Reduces risk of surface spills and contamination Reduces the requirement of a large staging area to be used for pumping Removes the requirement for 24/7 monitoring of pumps Accommodates all forecasted flows Removes the potential of mechanical or pipe failure caused by long term pumping In large diameter applications, results in significant cost savings when compared to traditional bypass pumping 	 Requires installation of expensive piping that will ultimately be abandoned Bypass pumping is still required during installation of some gravity flow diversion approaches Potential for clogging if left in place for too long

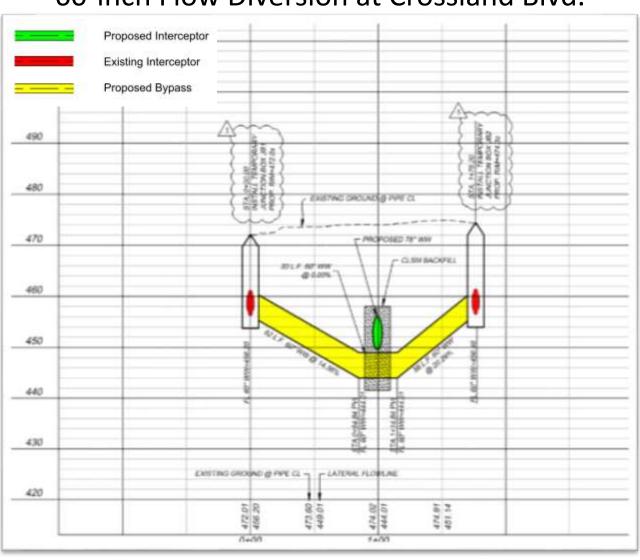
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- A conflict in elevation between the existing 60-inch interceptor and the proposed 78-inch interceptor necessitated the need for this bypass.
- A 60-inch siphon, 180 linear feet long was constructed to provide temporary, gravity flow diversion.
- This flow diversion needed to accommodate 110 MGD of flow, at peak wet weather.
- Initial estimates of bypass pumping the existing flow were \$200,000 per month with an additional \$100,000 set up cost.
 - This high cost and client concerns with the safety and operation of this bypass pumping resulted in LAN researching the cost, constructability, and safety of a gravity flow diversion at this location.
- The average bid for the construction, installation and removal of the gravity flow diversion was \$93,000.

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Upstream View of the Bypass Installed at Crossland Blvd.

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Downstream View of the Bypass Installed at Crossland Blvd.

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Tinhorn Manhole Installed at Both Ends of Bypass



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View of Plug Installed in Interceptor

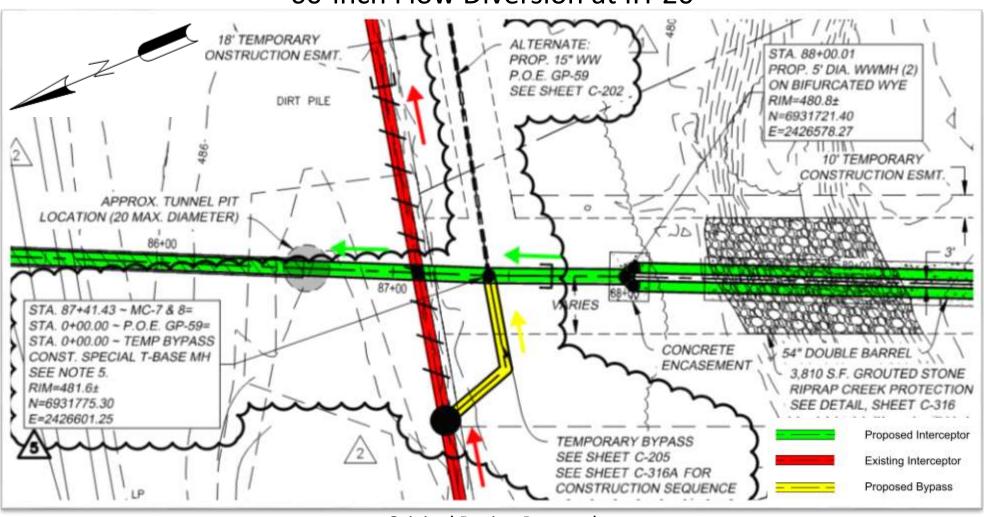
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View of Installation Between the Ends of the Bypass

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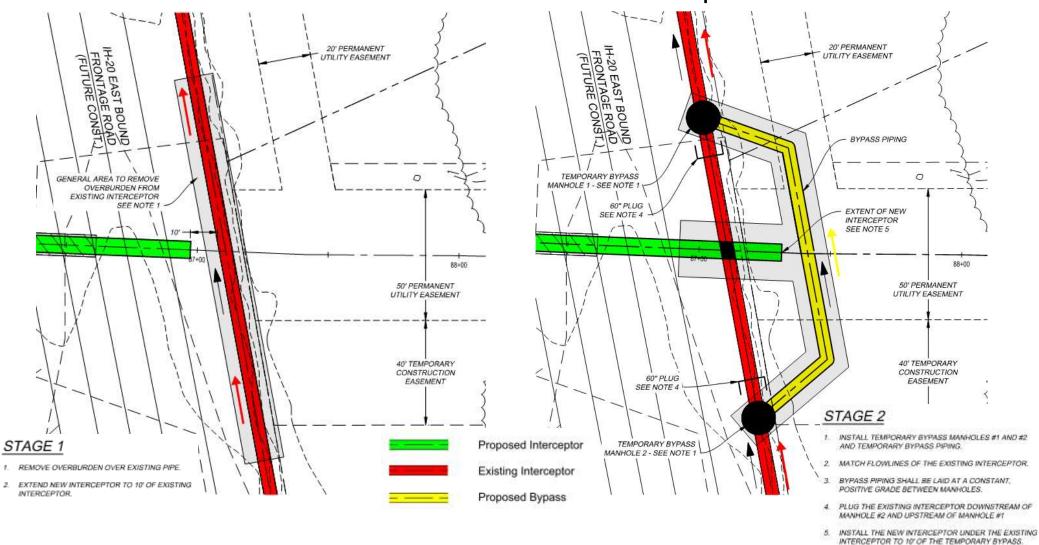
60-inch Flow Diversion at IH-20



Original Design Proposal

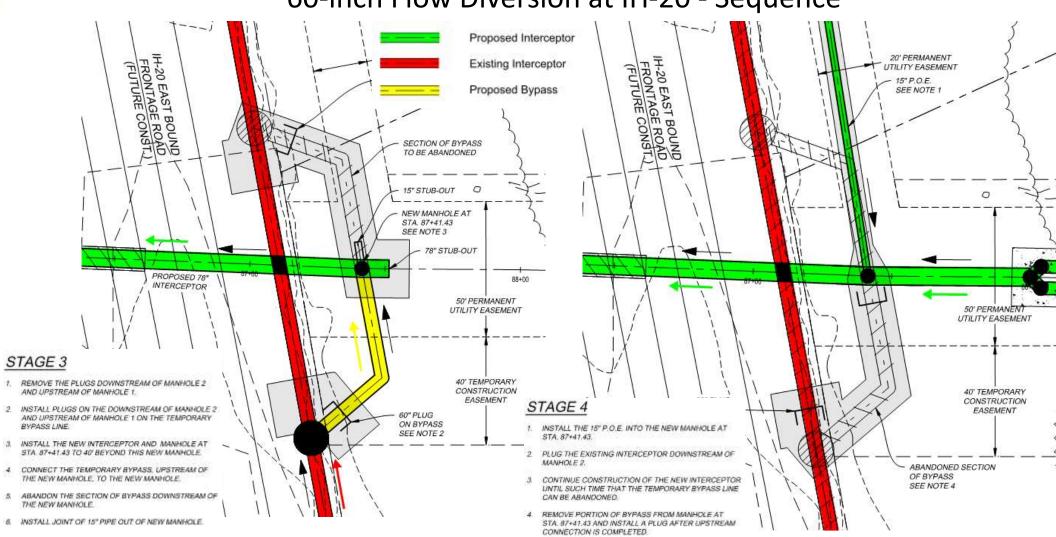
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60-inch Flow Diversion at IH-20 - Sequence



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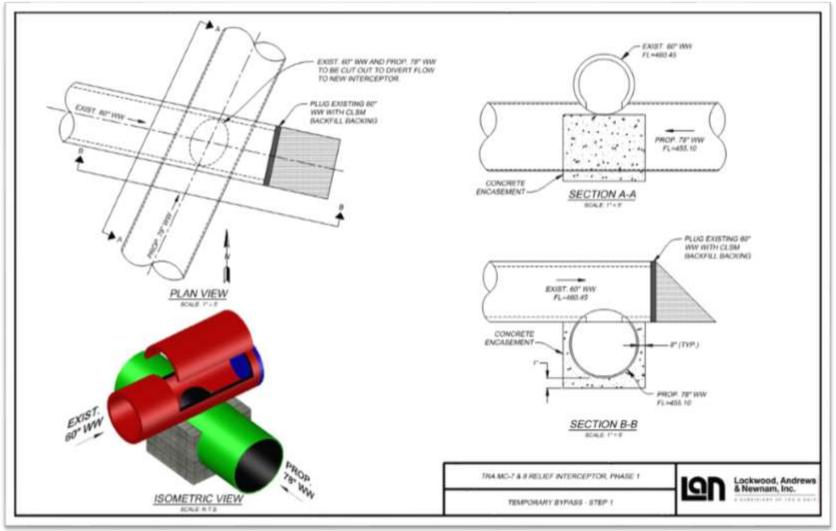
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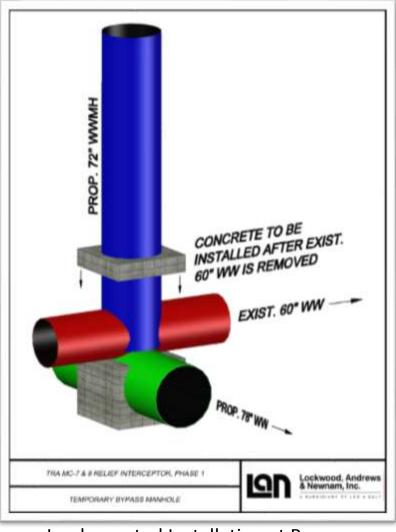
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- A conflict in elevation between the existing 60-inch interceptor and the proposed 78-inch interceptor necessitated the need for this bypass.
- A 60-inch siphon, 300 linear feet long was constructed to provide temporary, gravity flow diversion.
- This flow diversion needed to accommodate 110 MGD of flow, at peak wet weather.
- Initial estimates of bypass pumping the existing flow were \$200,000 per month with an additional \$100,000 set up cost.
 - This high cost and client concerns with the safety and operation of this bypass pumping resulted in LAN researching the cost, constructability, and safety of a gravity flow diversion at this location.
- The average bid for the construction, installation and removal of the gravity flow diversion was \$93,300.
- Changes due to field conditions required changes to the flow diversion design, resulting in a final cost of \$135,000.

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Implemented Installation at Bypass

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60-inch Flow Diversion at IH-20

Manhole



60" Interceptor

View of 78" WWMH From Above

78" Interceptor

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60-inch Flow Diversion at IH-20



Manhole

60" Interceptor -

View of 78" WWMH From Above



78" Interceptor

15" Lateral

The Underground Utilities Event

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View of 78" WWMH From Above

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Entrance for 60" Flow

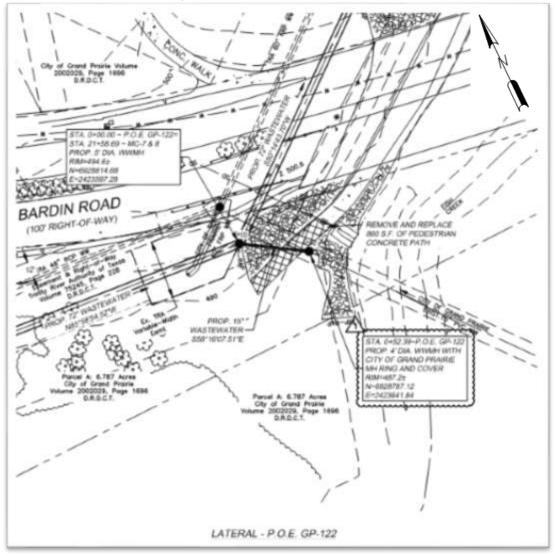
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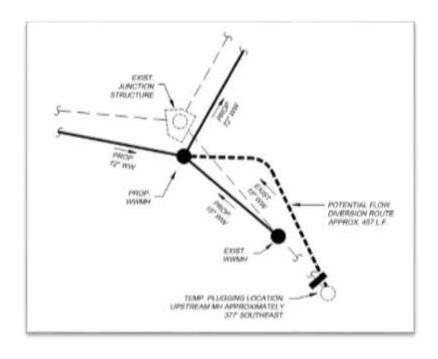


Connection to Existing 60" Interceptor

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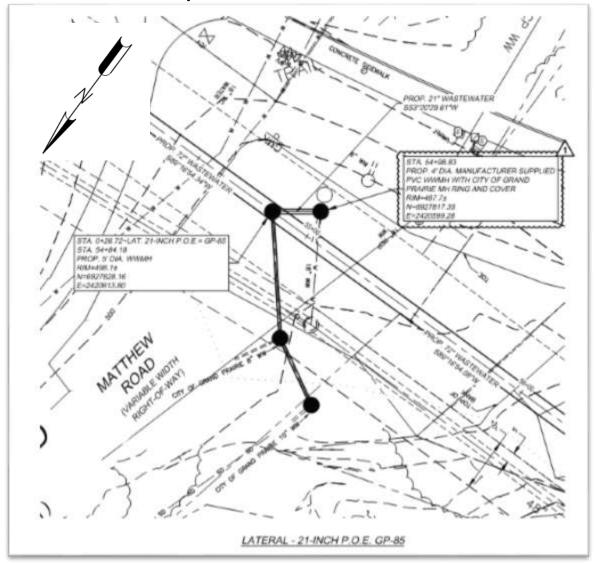
Proposed 15-inch Flow Diversion at Bardin Road (Phase II, 2021)

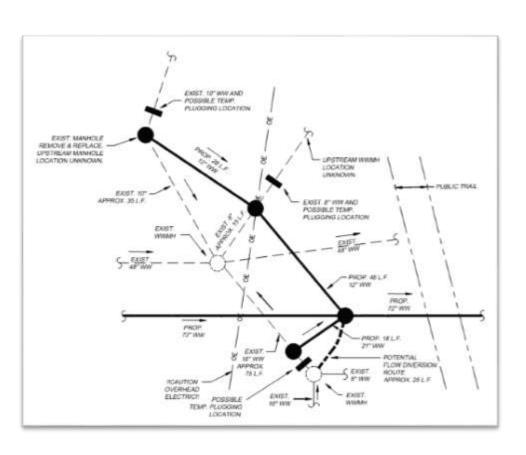




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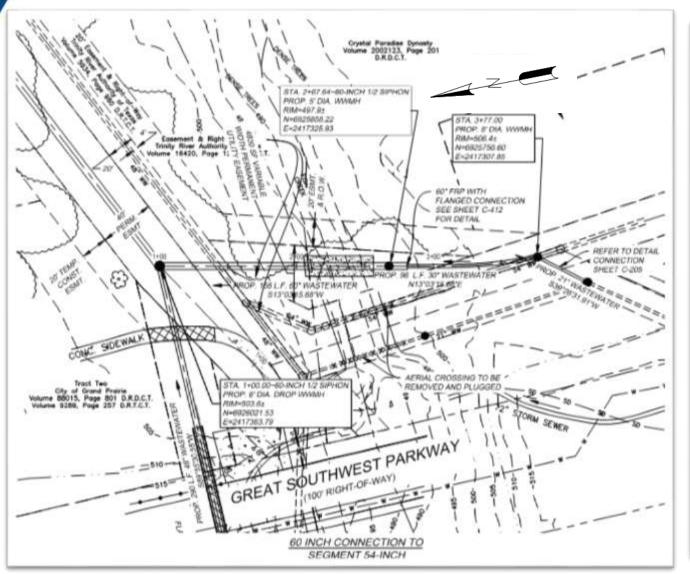
Proposed 18-inch Flow Diversion at Matthew Road (Phase II, 2021)

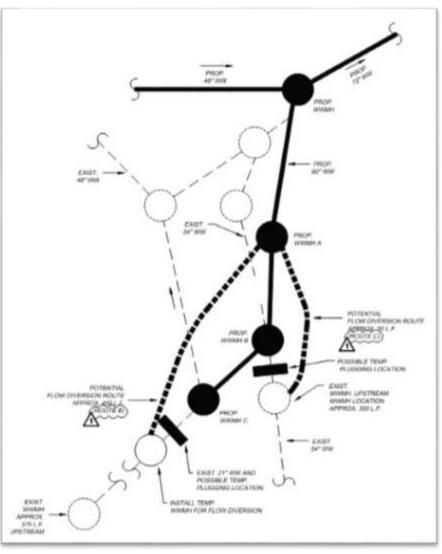




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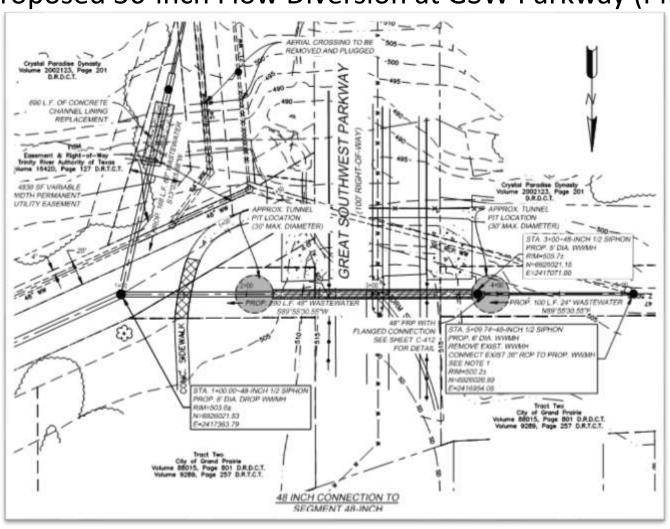
Proposed 54-inch and 21-inch Flow Diversion at GSW Parkway (Phase II)





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Proposed 36-inch Flow Diversion at GSW Parkway (Phase II)



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