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Urban Construction of Large-Diameter Water Lines







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Overview

Project Alignment & Background Design Challenges Construction Challenges Large Diameter Interconnects US-59 Tunnel Crossing 60-inch PCCP Internal Repairs

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Project Alignment & Background

8,000 LF 72-inch Water Line 8,000 LF Storm Sewers up to 66-inch 55,500 SFT Concrete Pavement 10,000 LF Water Lines up to 24-inch

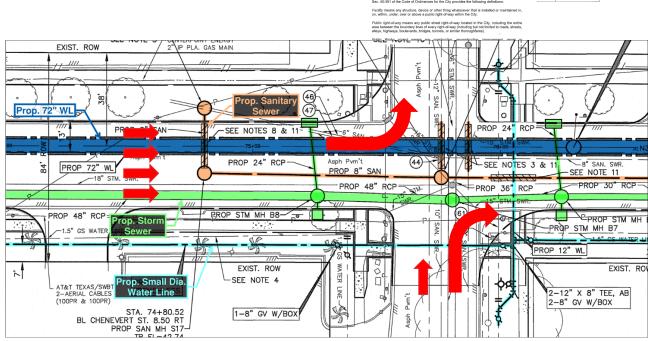


36,700 SFT Driveways 18,500 SFT Wheelchair Ramps 65,000 SFT Sidewalks

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Design Challenges

- Coordination
 - Local Agencies & Authorities
 - Private Utilities
 - Private Properties
- Utility Spacing & Conflicts



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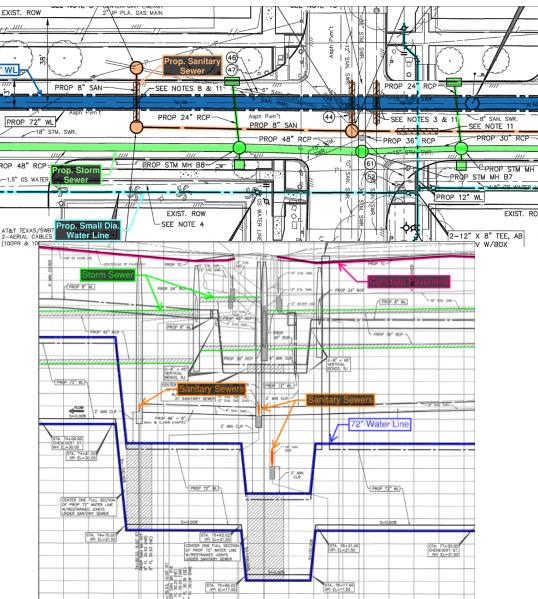
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 - Parallel Proposed Work
 - Crossing Gravity Lines



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Construction Challenges

- ROW Constraints
- Staging Materials
- Community Impact
 - Lane Closures/Detours
 - Maintain Access to Public
 - Maintain Access to Residents



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Construction Challenges

- Subsurface Challenges
- Underground Utilities
- Unknown Unmarked Utility
 - Work Around or Shut Down
 - Project Schedule Impact
 - Avoid Shutdown to Progress

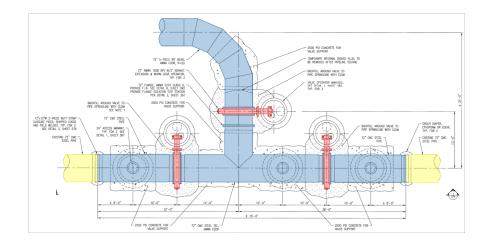


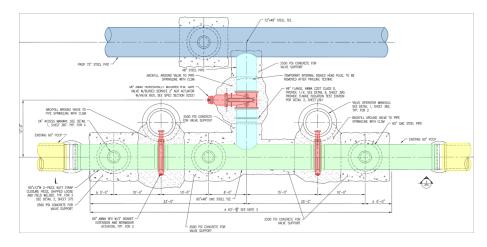


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Large Diameter Interconnects

- 72-inch Steel Interconnect
 - 3 72-inch Butterfly Valves
- 60-inch PCCP Interconnect
 - 2 60-inch Butterfly Valves
 - 1 48-inch Gate Valve





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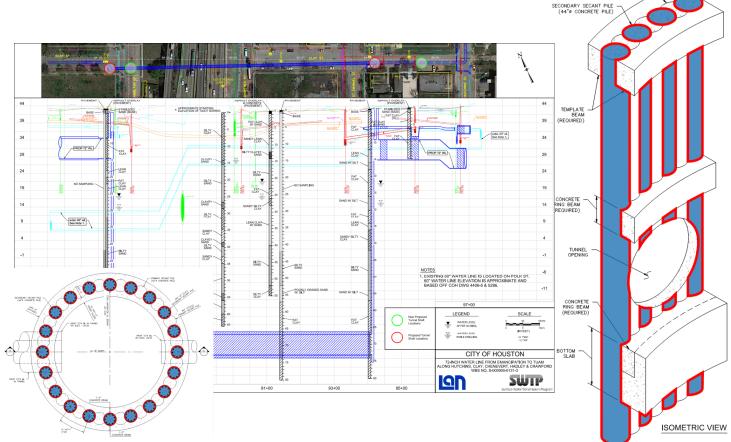
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US-59 Tunnel Crossing

- TxDOT Freeway Upgrades
 - Tunnel Depth and Length
- Construction Modification
 - Secant Pile Shafts
- EPBM



PRIMARY SECANT PILE (42"¢ CONCRETE PILE)

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US-59 Tunnel Crossing

- Construction of Shafts
- Construction Modification
 - Secant Pile Shafts
- Revised Location & Challenges





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US-59 Tunnel Crossing

- Proximity to Buildings
 - Monitoring Plans
- Noise & Settlement
 - Secant Pile Shaft Installation
- Maintain Access



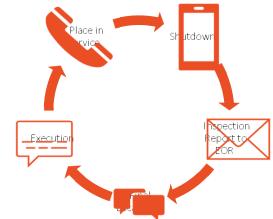


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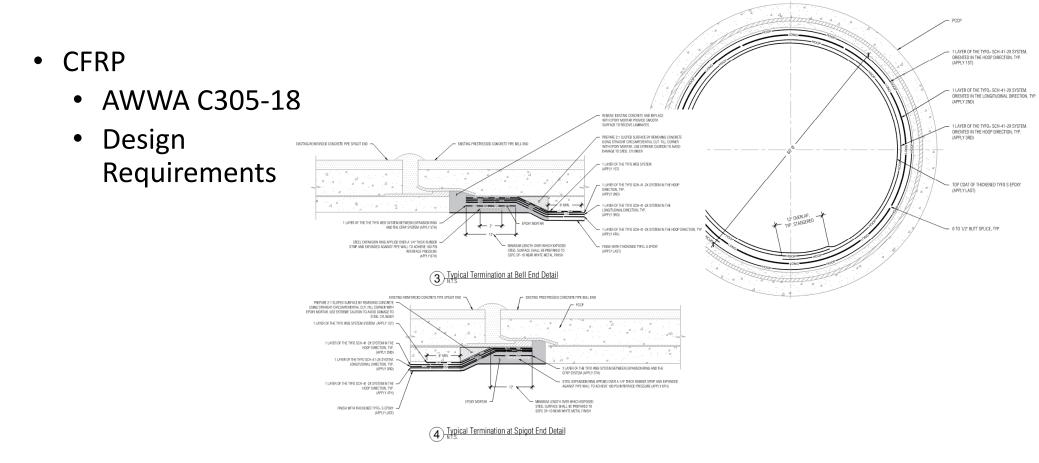
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- Coordination
 - COH Maintenance
 - Harper Bros
 - Fiberwrap
 - LAN
 - Electromagnetic Testing Subcontractor (EMT)
- 2021 Assessment
 - 12 Pipe Sections with Distress
 - Pipes Scattered along Alignment
- Shutdown Schedule



Rank	Pure Reference Number	Internal Pipe Marking	Piece Number	Low Station	Pipe Length (feet)	Pipe Class	Break Position (feet)	Number of Broken Wire Wraps by Region	Total Number of Broken Wire Wraps
1	11138*	14-5	432	83+21	16	125-18	2,5;4.5;6.5; 9.5;11.5;14.0	10;10;10; 5;15;15	65
2	11154*	14-24	448	85+77	16	125-9	4.5;7.0;12.5	10;15;5	30
3	11095*	13-2	389	76+30	16	125-9	4.5;7.5;13.0	5;15;5	25
4	10118*	3-38	98	27+89	16	125-9	3.0	15	15
5	11171	14-42	465	88+48	16	125-9	9.5	5	5

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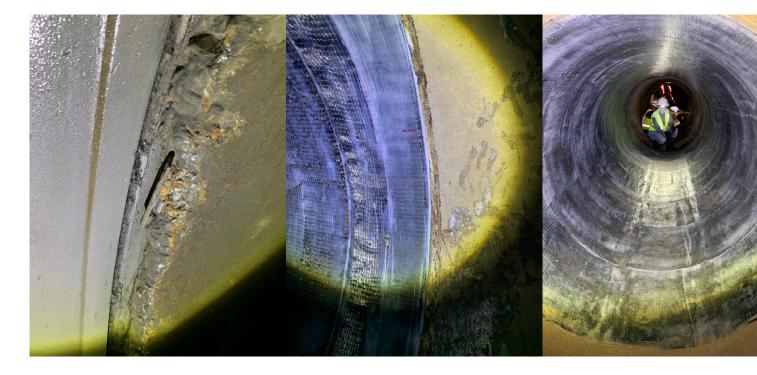
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- CFRP
 - AWWA C305-18
 - Design Requirements
- Access & Safety Plan
- Surface Work Area Challenges



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- Installation
 - Surface • Preparation
 - Environmental • Preparation
 - **Joint Termination** •



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