

STRUCTURAL NOTES

1. BUILDING CODES

- A. THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE (IBC) AND ALL SUBSEQUENT SUPPLEMENTS SHALL APPLY TO THIS PROJECT.
B. THE BUILDING CODE APPLICABLE TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK SHALL APPLY.
C. THE BUILDING CODE APPLICABLE TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK SHALL APPLY.
D. GOVERNING LOCAL BUILDING CODE

2. DESIGN LOADS

- A. IN ADDITION TO SELF-WEIGHT, THE BUILDING IS DESIGNED FOR THE FOLLOWING LOADS:
TYPICAL FLOOR ROOF: LIVE LOAD 50 PSF, SUPERIMPOSED DEAD LOAD 20 PSF
B. ROOF SNOW LOAD DESIGN CRITERIA: GROUND SNOW LOAD (P\_g) 30 PSF, FLAT ROOF SNOW LOAD (P\_f) 23.1 PSF

- C. WIND LOAD DESIGN CRITERIA: ULTIMATE WIND SPEED (V\_u) 112 MPH, RISK CATEGORY B, WIND EXPOSURE CATEGORY B, INTERNAL PRESSURE COEFFICIENT (GC\_p) +/-0.18
D. SEISMIC LOAD DESIGN CRITERIA: RISK CATEGORY II, SEISMIC IMPORTANCE FACTOR (I\_s) 1.0, MAPPED SPECTRAL RESPONSE ACCELERATIONS S\_s = 0.199, S\_1 = 0.066

- E. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT STORE ANY CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS OR UNDERTAKE ANY CONSTRUCTION OPERATION WHICH WILL EXCEED THE DESIGN LIVE LOADINGS NOTED.
F. THE STABILITY OF THE STRUCTURE IS DEPENDENT UPON THE DIAPHRAGM ACTION OF THE FLOORS AND ROOF AND COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF ALL SHEAR WALLS.

- G. THE FRAMING HAS BEEN DESIGNED FOR THE WEIGHT OF EQUIPMENT SHOWN ON THE STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS. IF ACTUAL WEIGHT OF EQUIPMENT EXCEEDS THAT SHOWN OR IF EQUIPMENT NOT SHOWN EXCEEDS 500 POUNDS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE ENGINEER.
H. ALL STAIRS, RAILINGS, STUD WALLS, GLASS STORE FRONT, AND EXTERIOR CEILINGS AND SOFFITS SHALL BE DESIGNED FOR THE LOADS INDICATED OR SPECIFIED BY THE BUILDING CODE.

- 3. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS
A. NOTES, TYPICAL DETAILS, AND SCHEDULES APPLY TO ALL STRUCTURAL WORK UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE. TYPICAL DETAILS ARE TO BE USED FOR THE CONDITIONS WHERE THE DETAIL IS APPLICABLE.

- B. ALL DIMENSIONS AND ELEVATIONS SHOWN ON STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF STRUCTURAL MEMBER SIZES, ARE GENERATED BY OTHER DISCIPLINES. ANY DIMENSIONS OR ELEVATIONS OMITTED OR NOT SHOWN ON THE STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS SHOULD BE OBTAINED FROM THE DRAWINGS OF THE OTHER DISCIPLINES.
C. IF DIFFERENCES OCCUR WITHIN OR BETWEEN DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS REGARDING MATERIALS, STRENGTHS OR QUANTITIES, THE BETTER MATERIAL, HIGHER STRENGTH, AND GREATER QUANTITY INDICATED, SPECIFIED OR NOTED SHALL BE PROVIDED.

- D. THESE DRAWINGS DO NOT DEFINE SCOPE OF CONTRACTOR OR SUBCONTRACTOR CONTRACTS.
E. AT ALL TIMES, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONDITIONS OF THE JOBSITE INCLUDING MEANS AND METHODS OF CONSTRUCTION AND SAFETY OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY.

- F. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR DETERMINING ALLOWABLE CONSTRUCTION LOADS AND FOR PROTECTING THE COMPLETED OR INCOMPLETE STRUCTURAL FRAMING FROM DAMAGE DUE TO TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION LOADINGS.
G. COSTS OF INVESTIGATION AND/OR REDESIGN DUE TO CONTRACTOR ERRORS WILL BE AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.

- H. ANY APPROVED CONTRACTOR REQUESTED CHANGES TO THESE DRAWINGS WILL BE DONE AT NO COST TO THE OWNER. APPROVAL OF CONTRACTOR REQUESTED CHANGES IN NO WAY STATES OR IMPLIES APPROVAL OF A CHANGE IN SCOPE OR CHANGE IN CONTRACT COST.
I. UNLESS EXPLICITLY NOTED AS 'ISSUED FOR BID', THESE DRAWINGS ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR OBTAINING BIDS FROM GENERAL OR SUBCONTRACTORS.

- J. ALL REFERENCES TO WATERDAMP-PROOFING, FIREPROOFING, AND UTILITIES ON THE STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS ARE FOR REFERENCE ONLY. SEE ARCHITECTURAL DRAWINGS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND OTHER DOCUMENTS FOR ALL WATERDAMP-PROOFING, FIREPROOFING AND UTILITIES DETAILS AND REQUIREMENTS.
K. IF THE EXISTING FIELD CONDITIONS DO NOT PERMIT THE INSTALLATION OF THE WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DETAILS SHOWN, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER IMMEDIATELY.

- L. SUBMIT SHOP DRAWINGS SUCH THAT BY THE TIME THEY ARE RECEIVED BY KCI TECHNOLOGIES, THERE WILL BE AT LEAST 14 DAYS BEFORE REVIEWED SUBMITTALS WILL BE NEEDED. ANY REVIEW THAT IS REQUIRED MORE EXPEDITIOUSLY WILL BE AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.
M. IN NO CASE SHALL HEAVY EQUIPMENT BE PERMITTED CLOSER THAN 8'-0" FROM ANY FOUNDATION/BASEMENT WALL.

- N. SIZE AND/OR LOCATION OF OPENINGS, SLEEVES, CONCRETE HOUSEKEEPING PADS, INSERTS, DEPRESSIONS, ETC. SHOWN ON THE STRUCTURAL DOCUMENTS ARE FOR THE CONTRACTOR'S CONVENIENCE ONLY. THE CONTRACTOR IS SOLELY RESPONSIBLE TO COORDINATE ALL CONTRACT DOCUMENTS TO DETERMINE THE SIZE AND/OR LOCATION OF OPENINGS, SLEEVES, CONCRETE HOUSEKEEPING PADS, INSERTS, DEPRESSIONS, ETC.
O. SIZE AND/OR LOCATION OF EXISTING STRUCTURES AND UTILITIES SHOWN ON THE STRUCTURAL DOCUMENTS ARE FOR THE CONTRACTOR'S CONVENIENCE ONLY.

- P. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT SIGNED AND SEALED CALCULATIONS AND SHOP DRAWINGS BY A STRUCTURAL ENGINEER REGISTERED IN THE STATE IN WHICH THE PROJECT IS LOCATED SHOWING DESIGN DETAILS, METALLINGS AND CONNECTIONS REQUIRED TO SUPPORT STRUCTURE TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE VERTICAL AND LATERAL LOADS STATED IN THE DESIGNING CODES.
Q. STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS ARE NOT DESIGNED FOR VIBRATING EQUIPMENT. MOUNT VIBRATING EQUIPMENT ON VIBRATION ISOLATORS, INERTIA PADS, ETC.

- R. EXACT LOCATIONS OF ROOF PENETRATIONS TO BE COORDINATED BY THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR BETWEEN STEEL/JOIST/DECK/HVAC SUBCONTRACTORS. SEE DETAIL FOR ROOF FRAME REQUIREMENTS.

- S. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL LOCATE ALL UTILITIES IN THE AREA OF CONSTRUCTION AND PREVENT DAMAGE TO THEM. SHOULD DAMAGE OCCUR TO UTILITIES, THE CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO REPAIR THE DAMAGE TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE OWNER AT HIS OWN EXPENSE.
T. SHOP DRAWINGS FOR ALL STRUCTURAL ELEMENTS SHOWN ON THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THE CONTRACTOR OR OWNER FOR REVIEW BY THE ENGINEER.

- U. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REVIEW THE ARCHITECTURAL, CIVIL, MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL DRAWINGS FOR LOCATION AND DIMENSION OF CHASES, INSERTS, OPENINGS, SLEEVES, DEPRESSIONS AND OTHER PROJECT REQUIREMENTS WHICH IMPACT THE STRUCTURAL COMPONENTS.
V. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CHECK AND VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN ON THE CONTRACT DRAWINGS BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH CONSTRUCTION.

- W. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT SUBMIT REPRODUCTIONS OF THE STRUCTURAL CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AS SHOP DRAWINGS.
X. SCALES SHOWN ON THE STRUCTURAL CONTRACT DRAWINGS ARE FOR GENERAL INFORMATION ONLY. DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION SHALL NOT BE OBTAINED BY SCALING THE DRAWINGS.

- 4. SPREAD FOOTING FOUNDATIONS
A. REFER TO "CAST IN PLACE CONCRETE" FOR APPLICABLE CODES AND STANDARDS.
B. REFER TO GEOTECHNICAL SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION AND REPORT BY LABELLA ASSOCIATES, P.C. AND DATED 04/12/2022 FOR SITE PREPARATION AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. MINIMUM DEPTH TO BOTTOM OF EXTERIOR FOOTINGS FOR FROST PROTECTION = 48 INCHES BELOW GRADE
2. NET ALLOWABLE BEARING CAPACITY = 4000 PSF
C. THE ALLOWABLE SOIL BEARING PRESSURE SHALL BE FIELD VERIFIED BY A REGISTERED GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER AND APPROVED PRIOR TO PLACING FOUNDATIONS.

- D. ALL EXCAVATION AND BACKFILLING OPERATIONS WITHIN THE BUILDING FOOTPRINT, INCLUDING ALL COMPACTION TESTS AND INSPECTIONS, SHALL BE DONE UNDER THE DIRECTION AND SUPERVISION OF A REGISTERED GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER. PREPARE SUBGRADE FOR SLAB/ FOOTING CONSTRUCTION PER GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS AS FOLLOWS:
INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR FOOTINGS FOR THE PROPOSED BUILDING ARE PREPARED USING AN ALLOWABLE BEARING PRESSURE OF 4000 PSF.

- 1. AFTER GENERAL SITE PREPARATION TO APPROXIMATE GROUND FLOOR ELEVATION, INCLUDING REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURE, FOUNDATIONS IN THEIR ENTIRETY, SELECTIVE REMOVAL OF PAVEMENT AREAS, AND COMPLETION OF GENERAL REGRADING AND ROCK REMOVAL ACTIVITIES AT THE PROJECT SITE, THE AREA SHOULD BE RESTORED TO AN ACCEPTABLE BASELINE CONDITION.
2. EXCAVATE TO ELEVATION REQUIRED FOR PLACEMENT OF FOOTINGS AND FOR PLACEMENT OF 12" THICK LAYER OF STONE FILL CONSISTING OF EITHER COMPACTED GRAVEL OR COMPACTED CRUSHED STONE BELOW SLAB-ON-GRADE.

- 3. OVER EXCAVATE A MINIMUM OF 12" BELOW BOTTOM OF FOOTING ELEVATION FOR FOOTING LOCATIONS THAT WOULD OTHERWISE BEAR ON BEDROCK. PLACE AND COMPACT 12" OF STONE FILL FOR SUPPORT OF FOOTINGS.
PROTECTION OF FOOTING EXCAVATION SHOULD CONSIST OF DIVERTING SURFACE WATER FROM EXCAVATION TRENCHES AND MINIMIZING THE TIME THAT THE SUBGRADE SOIL IS EXPOSED TO WEATHER CONDITIONS. AREAS THAT BECOME SOFT AND WET SHALL BE OVER EXCAVATED AND REPLACED WITH 3/4" CS UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE REGISTERED GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER SUPERVISING THE EXCAVATION.

- E. ALL EXISTING SOIL CONTAINING GRAVEL, CONSTRUCTION OR DEMOLITION DEBRIS, ORGANIC SUBSTANCES, OR OTHER FOREIGN OBJECTS SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE REGION WITHIN THE FOOTPRINT OF THE STRUCTURE.
5. STRUCTURAL SPECIAL INSPECTIONS
A. THE QUALIFIED AGENCY RETAINED BY THE OWNER FOR THESE SPECIAL INSPECTION SERVICES SHALL BE APPROVED BY THE OWNER, THE ARCHITECT, AND THE ENGINEER OF RECORD PRIOR TO START OF CONSTRUCTION.

- B. IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1704 OF THE INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE, AND ALL APPLICABLE STATE AND LOCAL REQUIREMENTS, AN INDEPENDENT APPROVED AGENCY SHALL MAKE PERIODIC AND/OR CONTINUOUS INSPECTIONS OF THE CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:
STEEL CONSTRUCTION SECTION 1704.3, TABLE 1704.3
CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION SECTION 1704.4, TABLE 1704.4
MASONRY CONSTRUCTION SECTION 1704.5.1, TABLE 1704.5.1-3
SOILS SECTION 1704.7, TABLE 1704.7

- C. IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTIONS 1707.1 THROUGH 1707.5 (1705.12.1 THROUGH 1705.12.9 FOR IBC 2015) OF THE INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE AND ALL APPLICABLE STATE AND LOCAL REQUIREMENTS, AN INDEPENDENT APPROVED AGENCY SHALL MAKE PERIODIC AND/OR CONTINUOUS SPECIAL INSPECTIONS FOR SEISMIC RESISTANCE OF THE CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS.
6. CAST IN PLACE CONCRETE
A. CODES AND STANDARDS:
1. ACI 301 "SPECIFICATIONS FOR STRUCTURAL CONCRETE FOR BUILDINGS"
2. ACI 318 "BUILDING CODE REQUIREMENTS FOR REINFORCED CONCRETE STRUCTURES"
3. ACI 117 "SPECIFICATIONS FOR TOLERANCES FOR CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION AND MATERIALS"
4. ACI 308 "RECOMMENDED PRACTICE FOR HOT WEATHER CONCRETING"
5. ACI 308 "RECOMMENDED PRACTICE FOR COLD WEATHER CONCRETING"
6. ACI 347 "RECOMMENDED PRACTICE FOR CONCRETE FORM WORK"
7. ACI 315 "DETAILS AND DETAILING OF CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT"
8. CRSI "MANUAL OF STANDARD PRACTICE"

- B. REINFORCING MATERIALS:
1. STEEL REINFORCEMENT: ASTM A 615, GRADE 60, DEFORMED
2. PLAIN-STEEL WELDED WIRE REINFORCEMENT: ASTM A 185
C. CONCRETE MATERIALS:
1. PORTLAND CEMENT: ASTM C 150, TYPE III
2. FLY ASH: ASTM C 618, CLASS F
3. GROUND GRANULATED BLAST FURNACE SLAG: ASTM C 989, GRADE 120
4. NORMAL WEIGHT AGGREGATES: ASTM C 33
a. MAXIMUM COARSE AGGREGATE SIZE: 1 INCH NOMINAL
b. FINE AGGREGATE SHALL BE FREE OF MATERIAL WITH DELETERIOUS REACTIVITY TO ALKALI IN CEMENT.
5. LIGHT WEIGHT AGGREGATES: ASTM C 330, 1 INCH NOMINAL MAXIMUM AGGREGATE SIZE
6. WATER: ASTM C 94, POTABLE

- D. ADMIXTURES:
1. AIR ENTRAINMENT: ASTM C 260
2. WATER-REDUCER: ASTM C 494
3. SILICA FUME: ASTM C 143
4. NO ADMIXTURES CONTAINING CALCIUM CHLORIDE SHALL BE PERMITTED.
E. CONCRETE MIXTURES:
1. FLY ASH, POZZOLAN, GROUND GRANULATED BLAST FURNACE SLAG, AND SILICA FUME MAY BE USED AS NEEDED TO REDUCE THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PORTLAND CEMENT WHICH WOULD OTHERWISE BE USED BY NOT MORE THAN 40 PERCENT.
a. MAXIMUM SUBSTITUTION OF FLY ASH SHALL BE 20 PERCENT.
b. MAXIMUM SUBSTITUTION OF SILICA FUME SHALL BE 10 PERCENT.

- F. PROPORTION NORMAL WEIGHT CONCRETE MIXES AS FOLLOWS:
LOCATION STRENGTH (f\_c) WATER-CEMENTIOUS RATIO SLUMP LIMIT AIR CONTENT
FOUNDATIONS, WALLS BELOW GRADE 4000 PSI 0.50 4" ± 1" 6.0% ± 1.5%
SLABS ON GRADE 4000 PSI 0.50 4" ± 1" 4.5% ± 1.5%
FRAMED SLABS 3000 PSI 0.50 4" ± 1" 3.0% ± 1.5% (INTERIOR)

- G. ALL CONCRETE MIX DESIGNS, INCLUDING CEMENT CONTENT, WATER CEMENT RATIO, FINE AND COARSE AGGREGATE CONTENT AND ALL ADMIXTURES, SHALL BE REVIEWED BY ENGINEER PRIOR TO PLACING FIRST CONCRETE.
H. ALL CONCRETE SHALL BE SAMPLED AND TESTED BY THE TESTING AGENCY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE TESTING AGENCY 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE PLACING OF ANY CONCRETE.

- I. THE CONCRETE STRUCTURE SHALL NOT SUPPORT THE DESIGN LIVE LOAD FOR A MINIMUM OF 28 DAYS AND ALL SHORING AND RESHORING REQUIRED TO SUPPORT STRUCTURE DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DESIGNED AND PROVIDED BY THE CONTRACTOR. SHOP DRAWINGS, SIGNED AND SEALED BY A REGISTERED ENGINEER IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, SHALL BE SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW. SHOP DRAWINGS SHALL INDICATE THE TYPE, EXTENT, SIZE, AND LOCATION OF ALL SHORING AND RESHORING AS WELL AS THE SEQUENCE OF CONSTRUCTION.
J. MINIMUM COVER FOR ALL REINFORCING SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED:
FOUNDATIONS 3 INCHES
SLABS ON GRADE 2 INCHES (TOP)
COLUMNS AND BEAMS 1 1/2 INCHES
FRAMED SLABS 3/4 INCHES
WALLS 3/4 INCHES
WALLS BELOW GRADE 2 INCHES

- K. THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT PLANS SHOWING ALL PENETRATIONS THROUGH THE FRAMED CONCRETE SLABS. THE OPENINGS SHALL BE ACCURATELY LOCATED AND DIMENSIONED.

- L. ALL INSERTS AND SLEEVES SHALL BE CAST-IN-PLACE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THE DIMENSIONS AND LOCATIONS OF ALL OPENINGS, PIPE SLEEVES, ETC. AS REQUIRED BY ALL TRADES BEFORE THE CONCRETE IS POURED. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONSULT THE ARCHITECTURAL, MECHANICAL, AND ELECTRICAL DRAWINGS, AS WELL AS THE STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS FOR THE LOCATION, NUMBER, AND SIZE OF ALL OPENINGS, SLEEVES, ETC. HOWEVER, OPENINGS NOT SHOWN ON THE STRUCTURAL DRAWINGS SHALL BE INSTALLED ONLY AFTER APPROVAL BY THE STRUCTURAL ENGINEER IS OBTAINED.
M. LOCATION OF CONSTRUCTION JOINTS IN THE STRUCTURAL SLAB SHALL BE SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL BY THE STRUCTURAL ENGINEER. CONSTRUCTION JOINTS IN STRUCTURAL SLABS AND GRADE BEAMS SHALL BE AT MID-SPAN AND KEY JOINTS WITH REINFORCING CONTINUOUS ACROSS JOINT. CONSTRUCTION JOINTS IN SLABS ON METAL DECK SHALL OCCUR MIDWAY BETWEEN BEAMS AT END THIRD OF GIRDER SPAN.

- N. SUBMIT ALL REINFORCING SHOP DRAWINGS FOR REVIEW PRIOR TO ANY FABRICATION.
O. FOR CONCRETE SLABS ON METAL DECK, FLOORS SHALL BE POURED TO THE THICKNESS SHOWN ON DOCUMENTS, NOT TO A LEVEL LINE.
P. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INSTALL FLOOR LEVELING MATERIAL AND PERFORM OTHER CORRECTIVE MEASURES IN ALL AREAS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, AREAS WHERE FLOOR FINISH PROVISIONS DO NOT COMPLY WITH THE FLATNESS AND LEVELNESS REQUIREMENTS. NOTE: UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE, THE CALCULATED CENTER OF BAY DEFLECTION DUE TO DEAD LOADS ONLY, MEASURED ON A DIAGONAL DIMENSION BETWEEN COLUMNS, IS APPROXIMATELY 1/16" PER 10'-0" LENGTH.

- Q. EMBEDDED CONDUIT WITHIN CONCRETE SLAB ON METAL DECK IS NOT ALLOWED.
7. CONCRETE MASONRY
A. CODES AND STANDARDS:
1. ACI 530/ASCE 5/TMS 402/1 "BUILDING CODE REQUIREMENTS FOR MASONRY STRUCTURES"
2. ACI 530.1/ASCE 5/TMS 602 "SPECIFICATION FOR MASONRY STRUCTURES"
3. ACI 315 "DETAILS AND DETAILING OF CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT"
B. SUBMITTALS:
1. MATERIAL CERTIFICATES FOR MASONRY UNITS, GROUT MIXES, MORTAR MIXES, REINFORCEMENT, AND ANCHORS, IFIES
2. SHOP DRAWINGS INCLUDING DETAIL BENDING AND PLACEMENT OF UNIT MASONRY REINFORCING
3. ADDITIONAL SAMPLE SUBMITTALS MAY BE REQUIRED BY ARCHITECT/OWNER. REFER TO ARCHITECTURAL DRAWINGS.

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3. FOLLOWING ARE THE BLOCK STRENGTHS REQUIRED: ASTM C90 SOLID 2000 PSI ON GROSS AREA OF INDIVIDUAL UNITS, ASTM C90 HOLLOW 2000 PSI ON NET AREA OF INDIVIDUAL UNITS.
4. ALL MORTAR SHALL BE ASTM C270 TYPE S WITH A MINIMUM COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF 1800 PSI AT 28 DAYS EXCEPT VANY BLOCK WHICH SHALL BE LAID USING ASTM C270 TYPE M MORTAR WITH A MINIMUM COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF 2600 PSI AT 28 DAYS FROM FIELD OBTAINED TEST CYLINDERS.
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D. INSTALLATION:
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