

# Memo

To: Docketing Division

From: Jill Henry, Rail Specialist, Rail Division

Cc: PUCO Legal Department

Date: 9/12/2018

Re: PUCO Case No. 18-1417-RR-FED- In the Matter of a Request for an Upgrade at the Ohio Central Railroad Crossing, DOT# 474-271P, Dover Road/SR 39 Road in Tuscarawas County, Ohio.

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On December 15, 2017, the Ohio Rail Development Commission (ORDC) authorized funding for Ohio Central Railroad (OHCR) to install upgrade circuitry for traffic signal interconnect at Dover Road/SR 39 (DOT#474-271P) in Tuscarawas County, Ohio. The crossing was surveyed on April 21, 2016 and was found to warrant the upgrade. The electric utility provider for this crossing is AEP-Ohio.

The project will be paid for with federal funds and is actual cost. The plans and estimates for the project in the amount of \$47,065.60 have been approved. Construction may commence at once. **Staff requests a Finding & Order with completion of the project in nine months.** Staff requests that the following language be incorporated in the Finding & Order:

**It is expected that all work necessary for FHWA acceptance of the warning devices will be completed by the in-service due date and that the railroad will be responsible for this work. This work includes, but is not limited to:**

- Any ancillary work to make the warning devices function as designed and visible to the roadway user, and
- MUTCD compliance, including minor roadway work if necessary.

**Please serve the following parties of record:**

Ohio Central Railroad  
Genesee & Wyoming  
Johnny Varner  
Assistant VP- Regional Engineering  
201 N. Penn Street  
Punxsutawney, PA 15767


Ohio Central Railroad  
Gene Hensley  
Signals Supervisor  
47849 Papermill Road  
Coshocton, OH 43812

Ohio Rail Development Commission  
Cathy Stout  
Manager, Grade Crossing Safety Section  
1980 West Broad Street  
Mail Stop #3140  
Columbus, OH 43223

Village of Sugarcreek  
Clayton Weller  
Mayor  
410 S. Broadway  
Sugarcreek, OH 44681

Dayton Power and Light

**OHIO RAIL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION  
INTER-OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

**TO:** Randall Schumacher, Supervisor, Rail Division, PUCO  
**FROM:** Cathy Stout, Manager, Safety Section, ORDC  
**BY:** James Tucker, Project Manager, ORDC   
**SUBJECT:** Tuscarawas County, SR 39/Dover Rd, Ohio Central Railroad  
DOT#474271P, PID#103224  
**DATE:** August 6, 2018

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The Ohio Rail Development Commission (ORDC) established a diagnostic survey at the subject location on April 21, 2016. The Diagnostic Team recommended that the crossing receive circuitry upgrades to interconnect with the new traffic signal to be installed by the Village of Sugarcreek. Copies of the diagnostic review form and the plan and estimate are attached.

PE has already been provided by the railroad. ORDC approves the site plans and estimates as provided. Please issue a construction-only order for the project outlined above for nine months. This construction authorization is made with the stipulation and understanding that any field work needs prior approval before work begins. This authorization is made with the stipulation and understanding that an approved estimate may contain entries for items or activities that may be cited and found to be ineligible for federal participation during the project audit.

It is expected that all work necessary for FHWA acceptance of the warning devices will be completed by the in-service due date and that the railroad will be responsible for this work. This work includes, but is not limited to:

- Any ancillary work to make warning devices function as designed and visible to the roadway user, and
- MUTCD compliance – including minor roadway work if necessary.

Thank you for your assistance with these matters.

Attachment: Diagnostic Review  
Plan & Estimate

c: Jill Henry, PUCO  
Susan Arduni, ORDC  
ORDC Project Manager (file)



# OHIO RAIL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Mail Stop #3140, 1980 West Broad Street, Columbus OH 43223

John R. Kasich, Governor • Mark Policinski, ORDC Chairman

August 6, 2018

Mr. Johnny Varner  
Assistant Vice President- Regional Engineering  
Genesee & Wyoming/OHCR  
201 N. Penn Street  
Punxsutawney, PA 15767

RE: Tuscarawas County, SR 39/Dover Rd, DOT#474271P, PID#103224

Dear Mr. Varner:

The bid process for the referenced project has been reviewed and is acceptable. Ohio Central Railroad (OHCR) may proceed with the proposed circuitry upgrade, for the purposes of an interconnect with the new traffic signal being installed by the Village of Sugarcreek, in accordance with the abbreviated plan. This authorization is made with the stipulation and understanding that the approved estimate may contain entries for items or activities that may be cited and found to be ineligible for federal participation during the project audit. Reimbursement of eligible actual cost is limited to \$47,065.60. Additional costs must be approved in writing by the Ohio Rail Development Commission (ORDC) prior to being incurred. Emergency verbal authorizations by ORDC may be permitted but must be confirmed in writing within ten (10) business days of the verbal approval.

This authorization is contingent upon OHCR accepting the following instructions:

1. OHCR's project foreman will furnish written notification five (5) working days prior to the date work will start at the project site to James Tucker, ORDC, email [james.tucker@dot.ohio.gov](mailto:james.tucker@dot.ohio.gov), and to the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, email [jill.henry@puco.ohio.gov](mailto:jill.henry@puco.ohio.gov). OHCR's project foreman will also notify the same of any stops and re-starts of the work activity and of the date work was completed for the project.
2. OHCR will arrange for utilities to be located at the project site by the Ohio Utilities Protection Service (OUPS) prior to any construction activities at the site. Utilities that are not participating members of the service must be contacted directly by OHCR.
3. OHCR's project foremen will notify James Tucker at 614-398-6897 (telephone) or [james.tucker@dot.ohio.gov](mailto:james.tucker@dot.ohio.gov) (email) of any changes in the scope of work, cost overruns, material changes, etc. which are not included in the approved plan and estimate and secure approval of same before the work is performed.



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4. Open cut of roadways is *not permitted* except in unusual circumstances and must be coordinated with the local highway authority and preapproved by ORDC.
5. OHCR will furnish two (2) copies of each partial bill to ORDC. Please find the enclosed Purchase Order to reference when billing.
6. OHCR will furnish two (2) copies of the final all-inclusive bill to ORDC stating the exact dates of starting and completing work, the initial and final dates of construction and location where the accounts may be audited.
7. This installation will include any ancillary work to make the warning devices function as designed and meet MUTCD.

Thank you for your assistance with these matters.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'J. Tucker', with a horizontal line extending to the right.

James Tucker,  
Project Manager

Attachment: ODOT P.O.

C: Randall Schumacher, Supervisor, Rail Division, PUCO  
Jill Henry, Grade Crossing Planner, PUCO  
ORDC (file)

SR39 Dover Rd 141271P estimate

Contractor cost including all field material &labor	\$75,000.00
4 channel NVR camera system with battery backup	\$1,700.00
Engineering services including plans	\$5,000.00
 Total	 \$81,700.00

SR39 Dover Rd Material List. 474271P

6 Safetran 400000 relays or equivalent

Wiring associated with preemption circuits

Alstom 2TC and choke for shunt enhancing

Track shunts

10 NiCad 255AH cells B12 bank

9 NiCad 350AH cells OL bank

PMD-4R 300911-031 and associated wiring

NASS data recorder with DTMF control

4 channel NVR camera system with battery backup

100 amp power service

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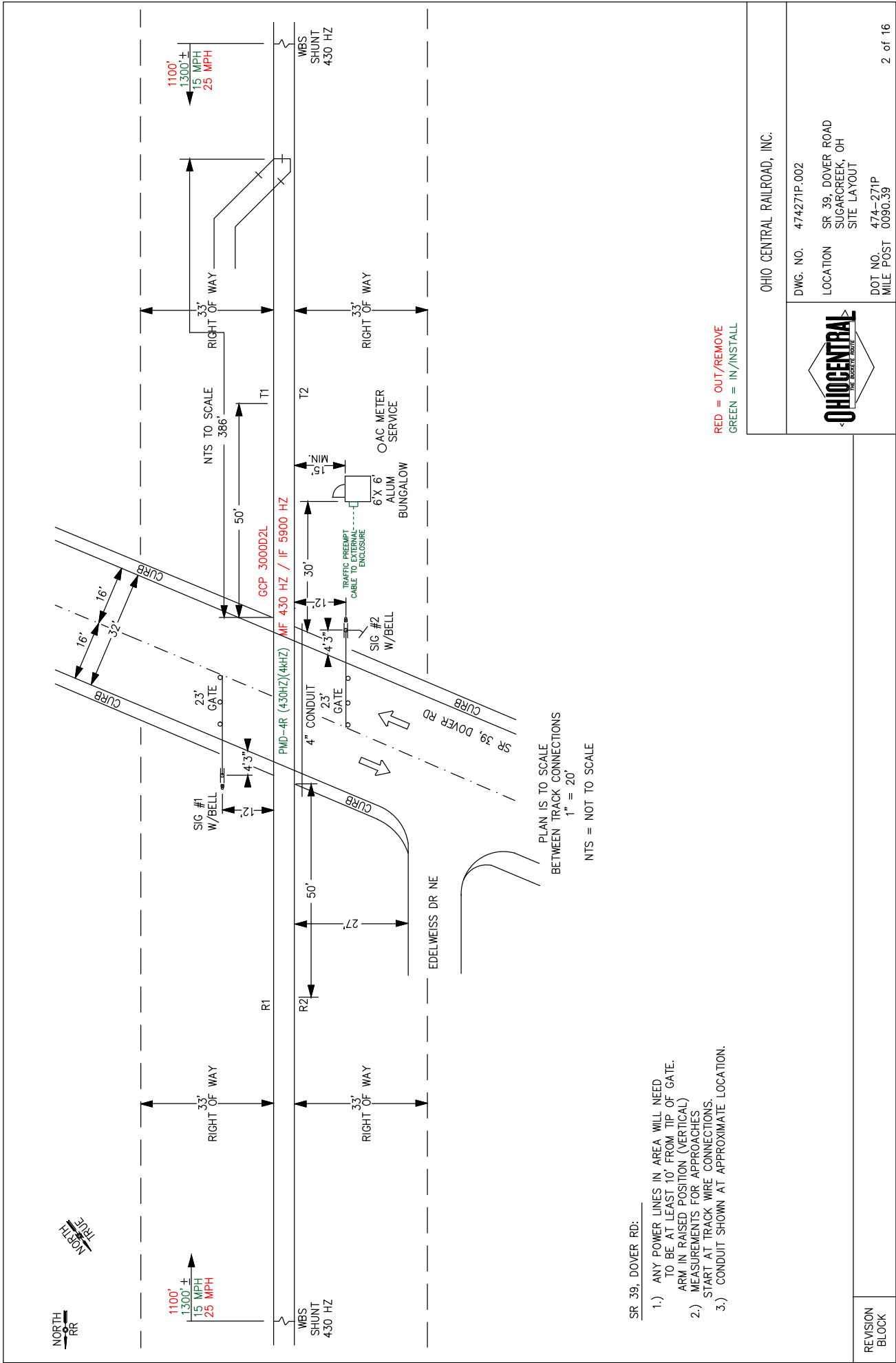
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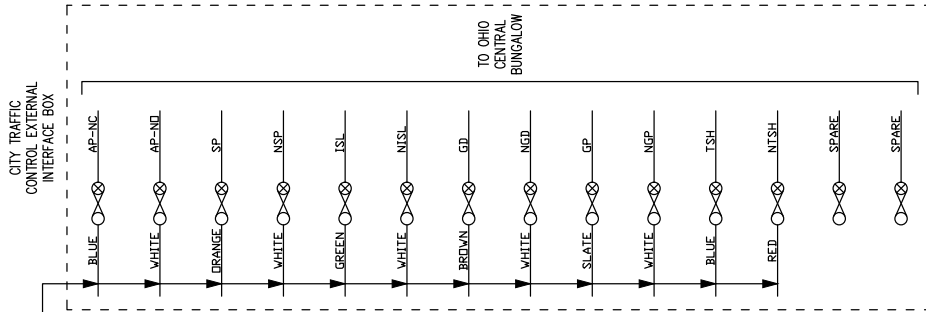
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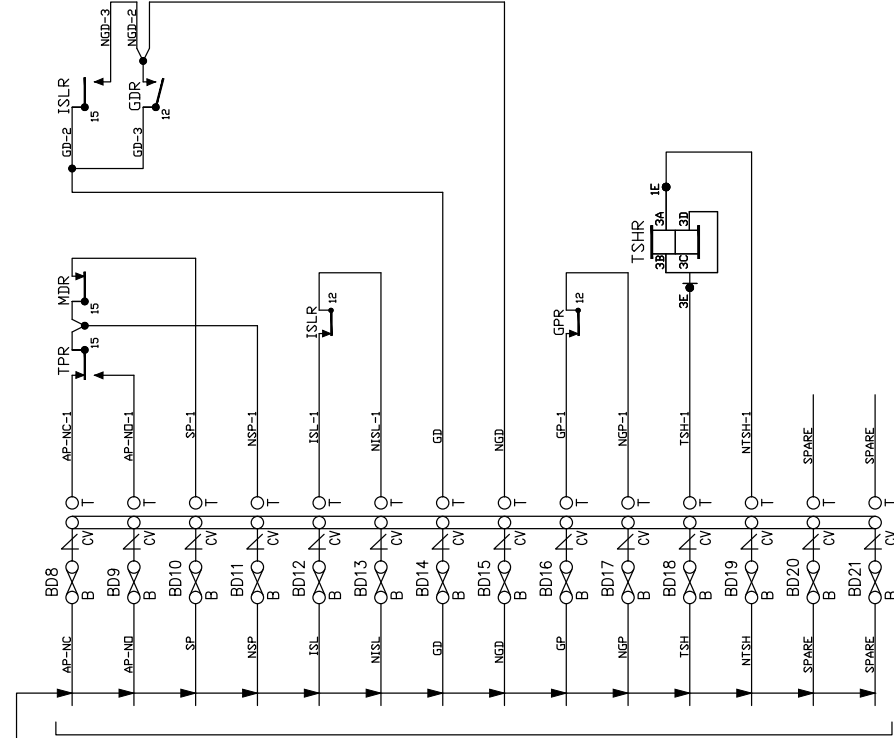
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PROGRAM INFORMATION  
PMD-4R

Parameter Name	Track 1
Approach Length	1300 ft
Approach Frequency	430Hz
Transmitter Check Value (-7.0 to 13.0 Ohms)**	
Master/Slave Option	Master
Approach Direction Mode Uni/Bi	ADL(Bi)
Lumped Impedance Adjustment Value (-9 to +9)**	
LOS Time (seconds)	ADL(16 sec)
False Shunt Detection Enable/Disable	ADL(Disable)
False Shunt Detection RX Level	ADL(80 RX)
False Shunt Detection Delay Time	ADL(0 min)
Approach Release Enable/Disable	ADL(Disable)
Approach Release RX Level	ADL(80 RX)
Approach Release Delay Time	ADL(0 min)
Constant Warning/Motion Detector Mode	(CW)
Requested Warning Time*	28 sec
Advance Preempt Time*	24 sec
AUX Recovery Delay	ADL(5 sec)
Parameter Name	
Site ID	FDL(US113)
Approach Track Circuit Enable/Disable	FDL(Enabled)
Maximum Approach Track Disable Time	FDL(2 hours)
Approach Transmitter Gain	FDL(Zero (0))
Normal, Short, and Very Short Approach	FDL(Normal)
Transmitter Check Adjustment	FDL(Zero (0))
Ballast Compensation Value	145
Phase Compensation Value	FDL(Zero (0) Degrees)
Auto RX	FDL(Enabled)
Island Type	FDL(Internal)
Island Track Circuit Enable/Disable	FDL(Enabled)
Island Frequency (kHz)	4kHz
Island Transmitter Gain	FDL(0)
Island LOS (seconds)	FDL(2 sec)
Island Fault Setting	FDL(2)

Note: ADL = Application Default Setting  
FDL = Factory Default Setting  
NA = Non Applicable  
\* = Limited Predict Mode Only  
\*\* = Field Adjustment to be made according to the  
PMD-4R Instruction Manual and supplements

CONFIGURATION NOTES:

- MDR2 TO BE CONFIGURED AS CW. MDR2  
WARNING TIME TO BE 54 SEC.

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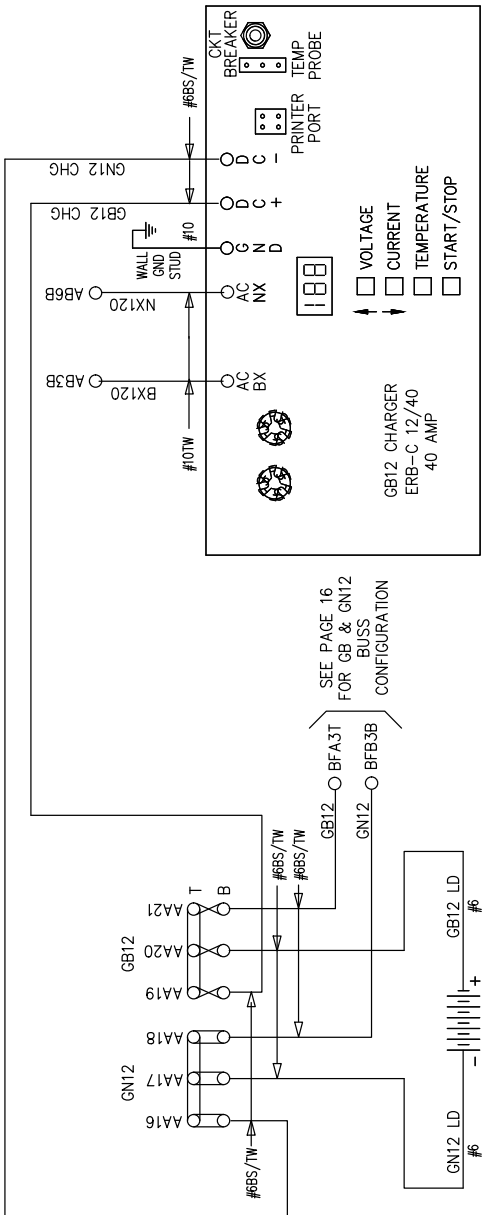
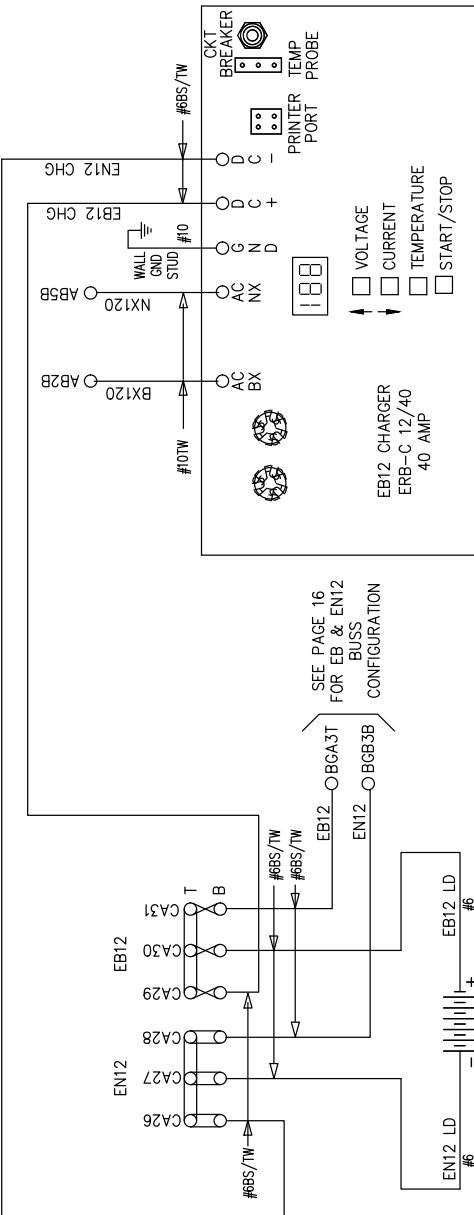
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NO.	ABBREVIATION	DEFAULT SETTING	DESIRED SETTING
1	DATE CODE		
2	DAYS FROM LAST POWER FAULT	-	-
3	POWER FAULT COUNTER	-	-
4	MIN. INT. CHARGER TEMP.	-	-
5	MAX. INT. CHARGER TEMP.	-	-
6	MIN. BATTERY TEMP.	-	-
7	MAX. BATTERY TEMP.	-	-
8	CELLS IN THE BATTERY	1	6
9	FLOAT VOLTAGE PER CELL	2.21	2.21
10	TEMPERATURE COMPENSATION	-3.0	-3.0
11	MAXIMUM CURRENT	1.0	40.0
12	ERROR CODES	0	-
13	EXT. TEMPERATURE PROBE	1	1
14	DISPLAY TIME OUT	1	1
15	TEMPERATURE SCALE	0	0
16	RESET STATISTICAL DATA	-	-
17	CLEAR ALL ERRORS	0	-
18	STOP SWITCH DISABLE	0	1
19	PRINT INTERVAL	0	0
20	LOG INTERVAL	0	0
21	DATA LOG DUMP	-	-
22	BAUD RATE	0	0
23	SAMPLE HOLD	0	0
24	SET PASSWORD	0	0

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6	MIN. BATTERY TEMP.	-	-
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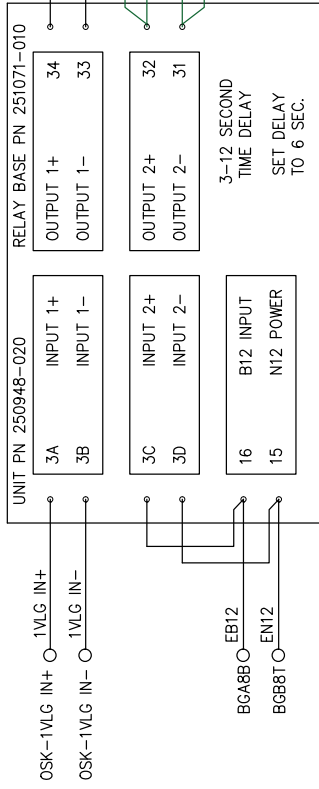
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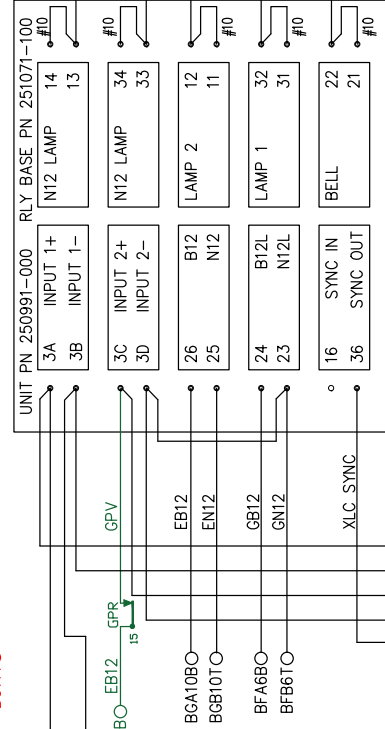
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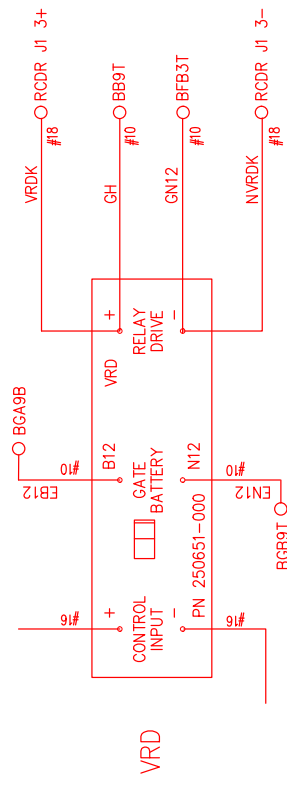
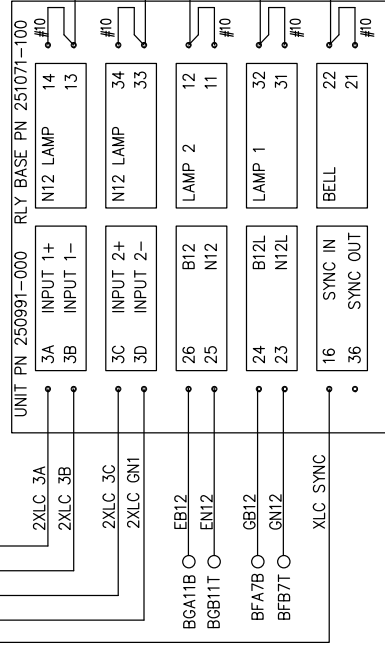
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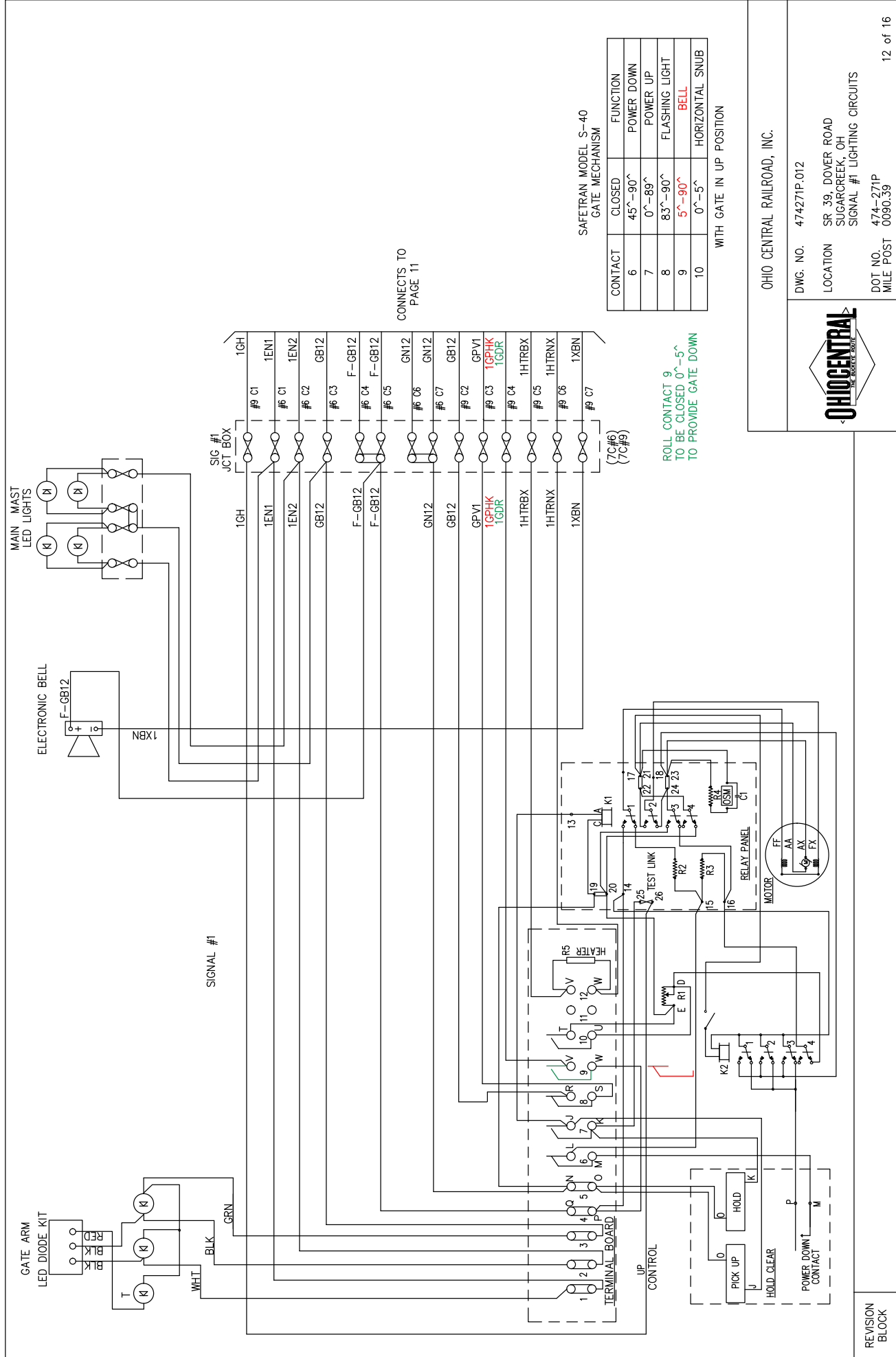
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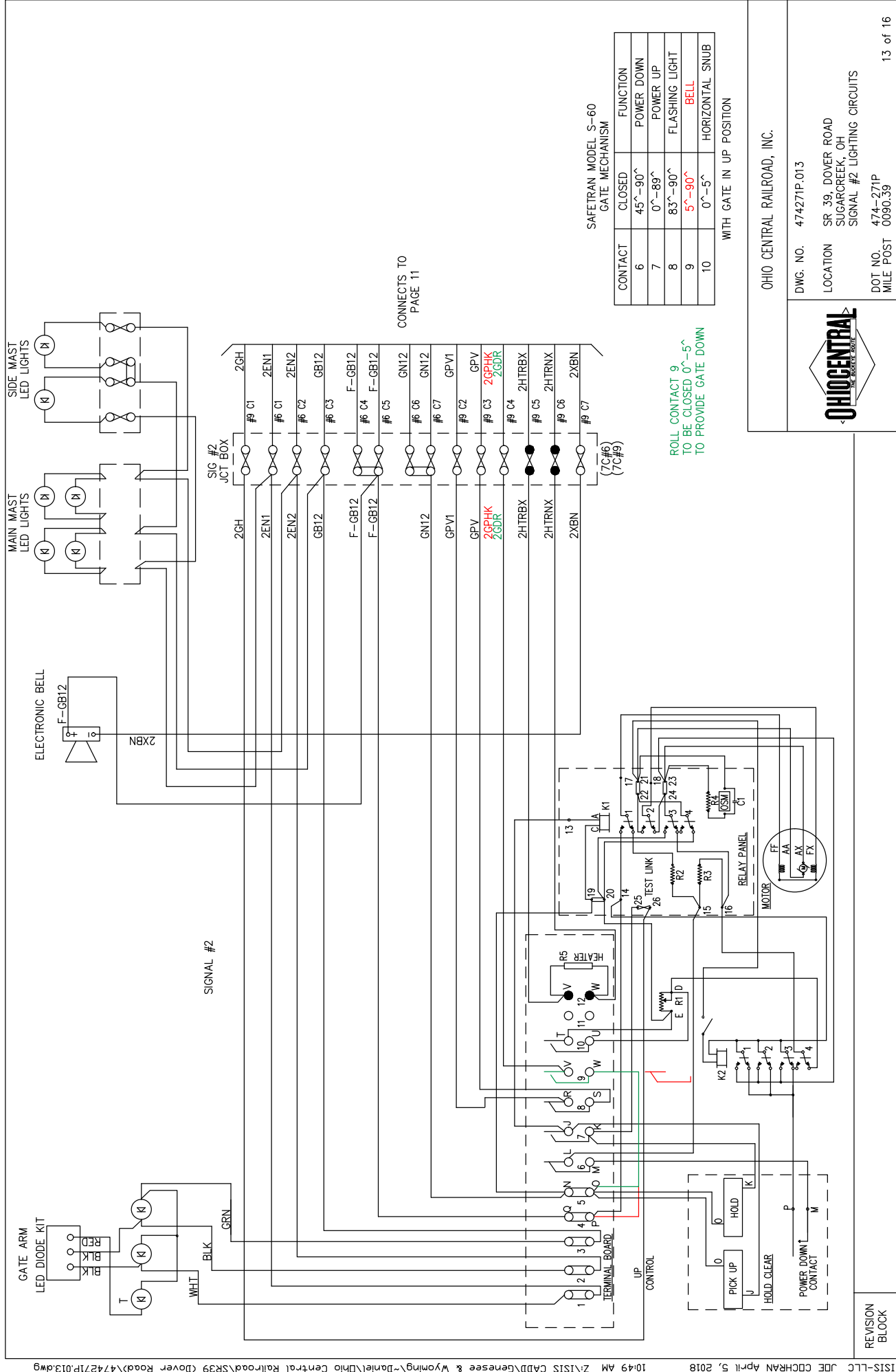
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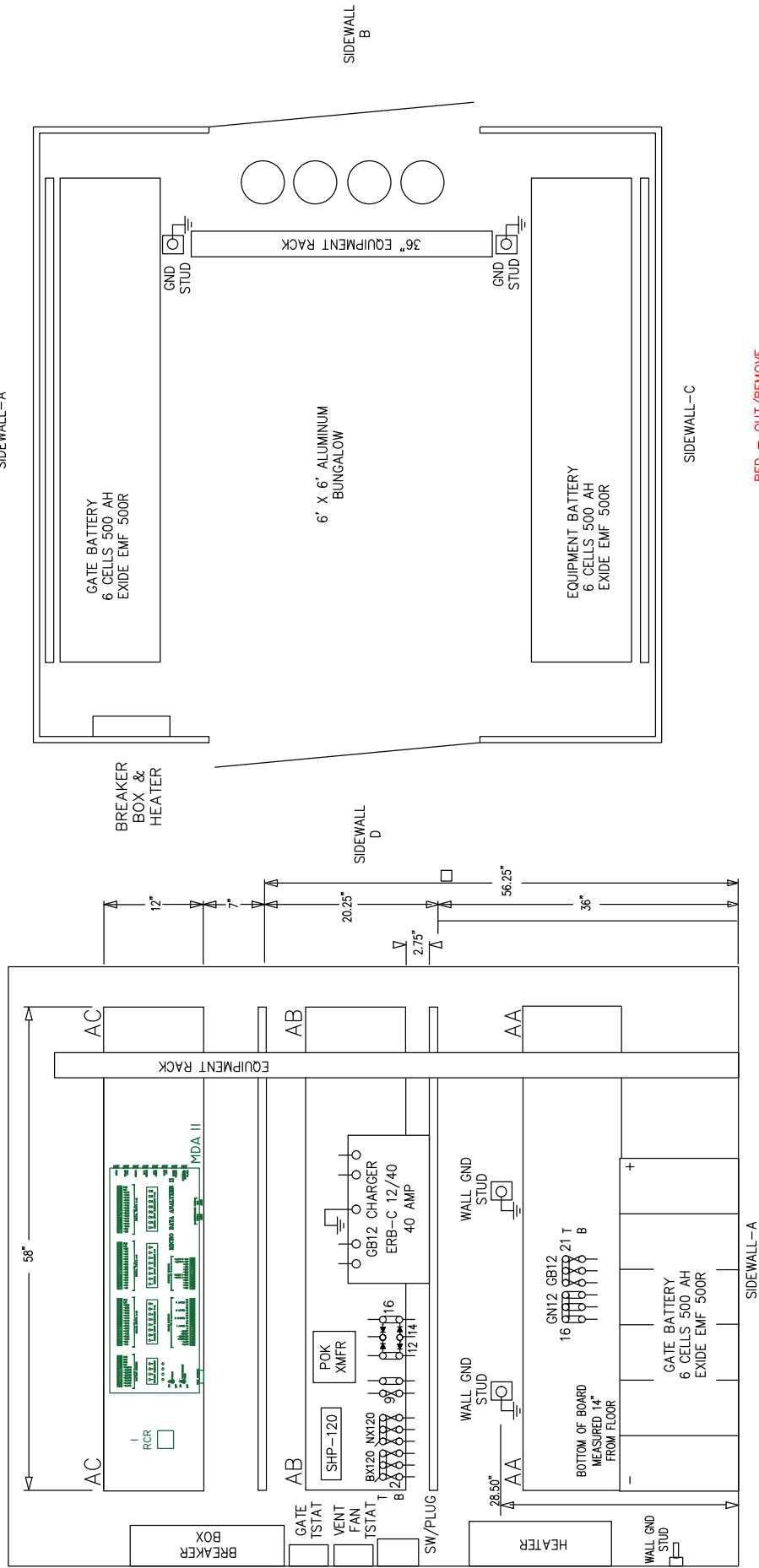
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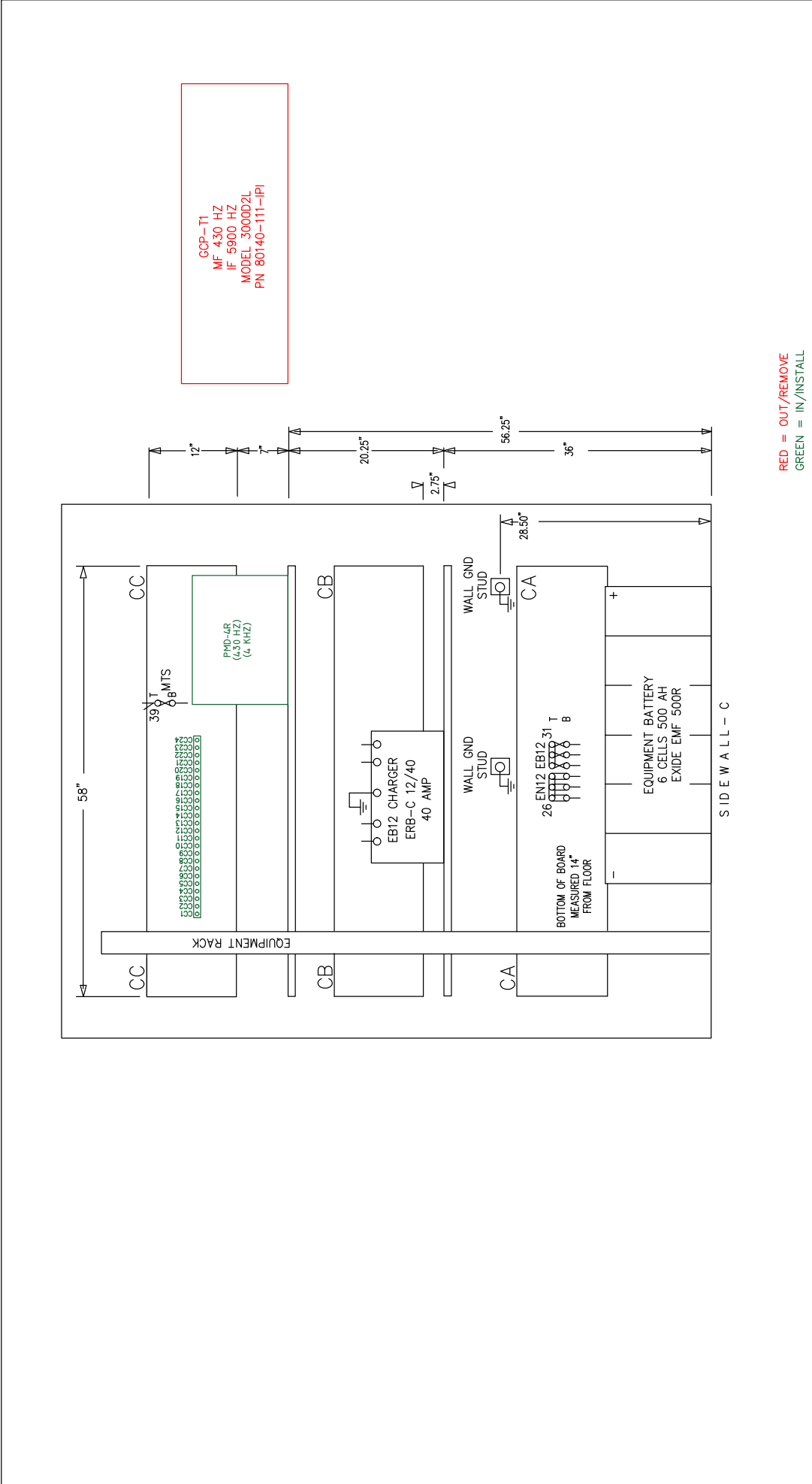
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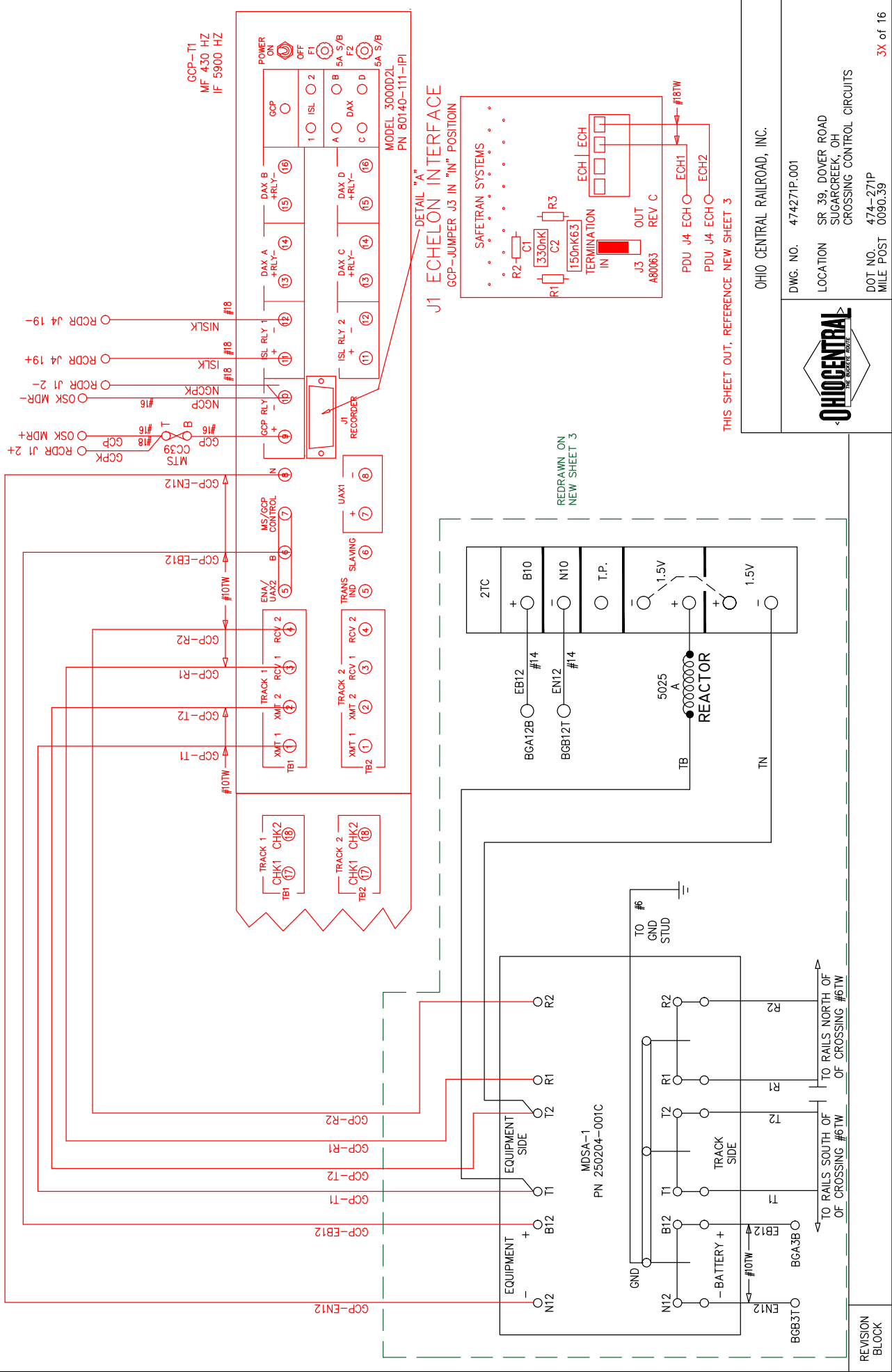


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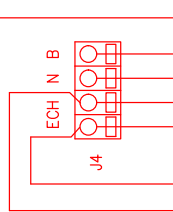


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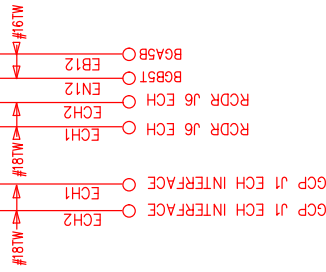
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# OHIO RAIL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

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December 15, 2017

Mr. Dan Birrell  
Ohio Central Railroad (OHCR)  
Supervisor- Signals & Technical Maintenance  
51720 CR 16  
West Lafayette, OH 43845

RE: Tuscarawas County, Village of Sugarcreek, SR 39, Dover Road, DOT#474271P, PID# 103224

Dear Mr. Birrell:

A diagnostic review was held at the above grade crossing on April 21, 2016. The crossing has been recommended for modifications to receive improvements for the purposes of interconnecting with a new traffic signal being installed by the Village of Sugarcreek.

The grade crossing warning devices will be interconnected with traffic signals at the intersection of SR 39/Dover Rd and Edelweiss Drive. The amount of advance preemption time and interface functions required is provided on the attached Railroad Configuration and Timing Requirements form. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this requirement.

OHCR is authorized to proceed with the site plans and cost estimates or bid package for this project. This authorization is made with the stipulation and understanding that any field work needs prior approval before work begins. This authorization is made with the stipulation and understanding that an approved estimate may contain entries for items or activities that may be cited and found to be ineligible for federal participation during the project audit. Please note that the railroad must provide ORDC with a plan stamped by a professional engineer licensed in the State of Ohio prior to acceptance and close out of the project.

The diagnostic review form is attached. Please note any recommendations (page 5), if any, made by the team with regard to requirements for this location. Any minor roadway work necessary for MUTCD compliance should be incorporated into the PE and such costs will flow through the railroad reimbursement process.

The Project Manager for this project is James Tucker. James can be reached at (614) 398-6897, or [james.tucker@dot.ohio.gov](mailto:james.tucker@dot.ohio.gov), if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Project Manager

C: Randall Schumacher, Supervisor, Rail Division, PUCO  
Jill Henry, Rail Division Specialist, PUCO  
Susan Arduini, ORDC



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Attachment: 1 (diagnostic review form)



**OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
OHIO RAIL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION  
HIGHWAY-RAIL GRADE CROSSING WARNING SYSTEM INTERCONNECTION  
RAILROAD CONFIGURATION AND TIMING REQUIREMENTS**

Railroad: OHCR

Date: 11/16/2017

DOT: 474271P

Crossing Name: TUS SR 39/Dover Road

Issued By: Cathy Stout, ORDC

**This crossing warning system is proposed to be interconnected with an adjacent highway traffic control signal.** In some cases, the warning system may be interconnected with two highway traffic control signals, usually one on each side of the grade crossing. The #2 interconnection circuits are only required if indicated below.

The purpose of this document is to advise the railroad of the number of interconnection circuits required and the type and timing requirements of each circuit. The railroad should refer to the OHIO DOT HIGHWAY-RAIL GRADE CROSSING WARNING SYSTEM INTERCONNECTION STANDARD Part 5 for details concerning the requirements of the interface to be provided by the railroad.

TYPE OF INTERCONNECTION	INTERCONNECTION #1
ADVANCED	X
SIMULTANEOUS	
NOT REQUIRED	
ADVANCED PREEMPTION TIME PER AREMA 3.3.10	20
Interface Functions (804-4.2):	
Advanced Preemption Circuit with Supervision	Required
Simultaneous Preemption Circuit	Required
Island Occupied	Optional
Gate Down Circuit	Required
Gate Up Circuit	Optional
Traffic Signal Health (Agency will make this circuit available to railroad)	Optional





## Diagnostic Review Team Survey

## Reason for Survey:

(e.g. formula, accident, constituent, etc.)

Preemption

Date: 4/21/2016

## Location Data

Street or Road Name: Dover Road	
Route/Road Number (i.e. Twp., Co., SR or US) SR 39-2.04	US DOT No.: 474271P
County: TUS	Township: Village of Sugar Creek
Railroad Name: Ohio Central Railroad	Railroad Division: Western
Branch/Line Name: Zanesville Dist.	
Nearest RR Timetable Station: Sugar Creek	RR Milepost: 90.39

## On-Site Review Team

(Include: Name - Organization - Phone Number - Email)

- Cathy Stout ORDC 614 644 0313 Catherine.Stout@dot.ohio.gov
- Tim Oster CTC 817 713 5899 toster@ctcinc.com
- Susan Kirkland ORDC 614 644 0286 SUSAN.KIRKLAND@DOT.STATE.OH.US
- Bill Theiss Village Administrator 330 852 4112 Bill.Theiss@VillageofSugarCreek.com
- Kevin Westbrooks AECOM 330-800-2761 kevin.westbrooks@aecom.com
- Chayton Weller ~~Mayor~~ 330-852-4112 Chayton.Weller@VillageofSugarCreek.com
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- SHAWN ZURFEN 614-466-1150
- RICK CAMPBELL 817-564-1806 rcampbell@ctcinc.com

## Existing Traffic Control Devices

Type of Warning Devices	Installed?		Quantity/Comments
Advance Warning Signs (condition?)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
'Stop' Signs	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
'Stop Ahead' Signs	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Pavement Markings (condition?)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	need to be refreshed
Crossbucks	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Number of Tracks Signs	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Inventory Tags	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
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'No Turn' Signs	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Illumination	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Is crossing flagged by train crew?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	ENS

**Safety Data (Obtain crash reports, if possible, prior to review)**

	Initial Information (from database)	Revised
Number & dates of crashes in previous 5 years	0 (10/7/02)	
Hazard Ranking	1372 Date Run: 2/24/2016	

**Railroad Data**

Railroad Characteristics	Initial Information (from database)	Revised
Total trains per day	6	4
< 1 per day		
Day thru trains	4	2
Night thru trains	2	
Daytime switching movements		2
Nighttime switching movements		
Total number of tracks	1 ✓	
Number of main tracks	1	
Number of other tracks		
Maximum train speed	30	25
Typical train speed	30	25
Amtrak		

If non-gated crossing, is clearing sight distance adequate in all quadrants? (See Table I) ☐ Yes ☐ No n/r

If multiple tracks, can two trains occupy crossing at the same time? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Can one train block the motorists' view of another train at crossing? ☐ Yes (Explain below) ☐ No

Can one or more tracks be eliminated through the crossing? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Are there other track(s) crossing this same roadway within 100 ft of this crossing? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, Crossing DOT #(if different) \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, distance \_\_\_\_\_ (take measurement between track centerlines at closest point along roadway)

**Roadway Data**

Local Highway Authority: Village of Sugar Creek

Roadway Characteristics	Initial Information (from database)	Revised
Average daily traffic	9128 (2010) ✓	
Highway paved	X Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Roadway Surface: <input type="checkbox"/> Blacktop <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel <input type="checkbox"/> Concrete <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
Roadway width: 26 ft.		
Number of highway lanes	2	
Urban or Rural	Rural	
Vehicle Speed: 35 MPH		
School Bus Operation: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes 12 Amount		
Hazardous Materials Trucks: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes .09 Amount		
Shoulders: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes		
Is the shoulder surfaced? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes		
Is there existing guardrail along roadway in crossing vicinity? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes		
Is stopping site distance adequate? (See Table 2) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, deficient approach(es) _____		



Quadrant _____ Curb and Gutter: <input type="checkbox"/> Functional (Curb height = 4" or more) <input type="checkbox"/> Non-functional (Curb height = Less than 4") <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None	Quadrant _____ Curb and Gutter: <input type="checkbox"/> Functional (Curb height = 4" or more) <input type="checkbox"/> Non-functional (Curb height = Less than 4") <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None
Pedestrians: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	
Is sidewalk present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	
Is there a nearby intersection that could cause queuing over the crossing? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, Distance _____ Is this intersection signalized? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Are the signals currently interconnected with the existing crossing warning devices? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Is there a 'Do not Stop on Track' sign? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	
Is a roadway improvement project (e.g. widening, turn lanes, nearby new or upgraded traffic signal, sidewalk) planned at or near this location in the foreseeable future? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes If yes, Improvement type <u>traffic signal + widening</u> Lead Agency <u>Village Square Creek</u> Timeline/completion - _____	
Is it the consensus of the Diagnostic Review Team that this is a potential closure project? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Explain reasons: _____	
Type of Development	
<input type="checkbox"/> Open Space <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Residential	<input type="checkbox"/> Institutional <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Location of nearby schools: _____
Utility Information	
Is commercial power available? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Utility Provider (Company Name) <u>AEP</u> Phone Number _____ Nearest Available Power Source _____	
What other utilities are present? (add locations to sketch) <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Gas  <input type="checkbox"/> Petroleum  <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____         </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Cable  <input type="checkbox"/> Water         </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone  <input type="checkbox"/> Sanitary Sewer         </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Fiber Optic Cable         </div> </div>	
Is(are) there potential utility conflict(s) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
Comments: <u>Sewer gas.</u>	

## Potential Red Flags / Project Challenges

Traffic Signal Preemption (include traffic signal intersection name and LHA with jurisdiction over traffic signal, if known):

traffic signal project

Crossing Consolidation or Closure:

Real Estate or ROW:

Culverts / Drainage / Ballast Conditions:

Roadway and/or Sidewalks:

Circuitry (e.g. reaches out to other crossings, specific needs, etc.):






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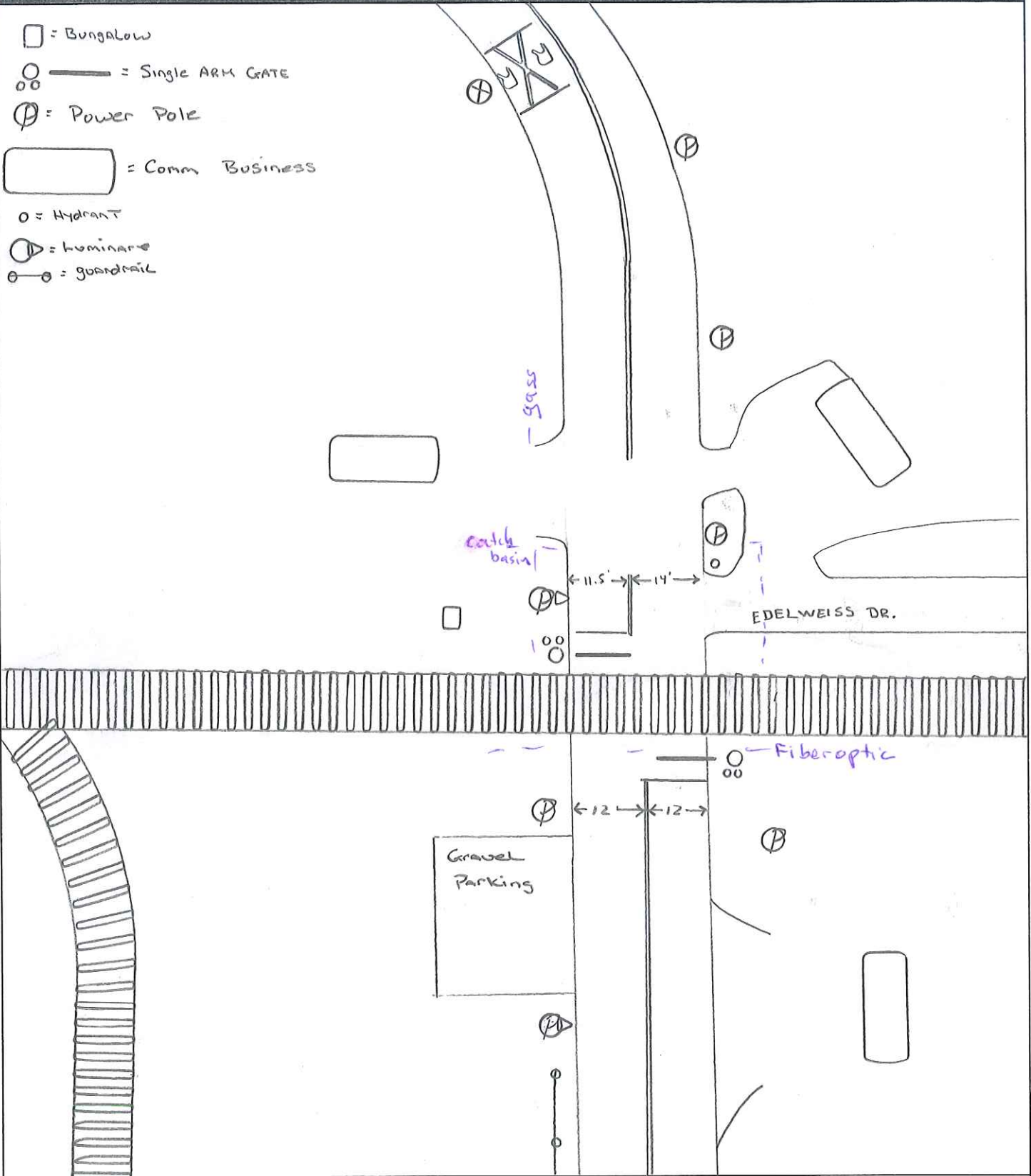
Other:

SIGNAL Service is the contractor the City uses FOR EXISTING 2 SIGNALS ON 39R

Diagnostic Team Recommendations	
	Quadrants Needed
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Install/upgrade active devices	
<input type="checkbox"/> Automatic Flashing Lights (AFLS)	
<input type="checkbox"/> AFLS / Cants	
<input type="checkbox"/> AFLS / Gates	
<input type="checkbox"/> AFLS / Gates / Cants	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bells / number	
<input type="checkbox"/> Upgrade circuitry / type	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sidelights	
<input type="checkbox"/> Guardrail Needed	
<input type="checkbox"/> Install/Replace curb	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bungalow placement & offset from rail & highway	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (define)	
<b>Comments:</b> traffic signal preemption Subject to progression of highway project. Junction box on bungalow. Pavement markings refreshed by village; Village consider AWS on Edelweiss.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Install/upgrade traffic signal preemption	
<input type="checkbox"/> No improvements needed	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (define)	
<b>Acknowledgement of Recommendations</b> (each entity represented at the diagnostic must have at least one signature acknowledgement): <div><div>Phyllis Weller Mayor</div><div>_____</div><div>_____</div><div>CMS</div></div>	
Field Dimensions	
<div><div><div>Sidewalk</div><div>Parkway</div><div>Roadway</div><div>Roadway</div><div>Parkway</div><div>Sidewalk</div></div><div><div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div><div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div></div><div>Show North Direction</div></div>	<div>3000 GCP. Highway project - left bound Dover to NB Edelweiss add turn lane. SW gate will be relocated in roadway project.</div>

# Field Sketch

- ☐ = Bungalow
-  = Single ARM GATE
-  = Power Pole
- ☐ = Comm Business
-  = Hydrant
-  = luminaire
-  = guardrail



Crossing Angle ☐ 0-29° ☐ 30-59° ☐ 60-90° Measured in \_\_\_\_\_ Quadrant?

Sketch by: \_\_\_\_\_

**TABLE I****Clearing Sight Distances**

Maximum Authorized Train Speed	Distance (dT) Along Railroad from Crossing (ft)
1 - 10	240
15	360
20	480
25	600
30	720
35	840
40	960
45	1080
50	1200
55	1320
60	1440
65	1560
70	1680
75	1800
80	1920
85	2040
90	2160

Source: R-H Grade Crossing Handbook Table 36 (pp. 132-133)

**Notes:**

All calculated distances are rounded up to the next higher 5-foot increment.

Distances indicated are for 65-ft double bottom semi-tractor trailers and level single track 90 degree crossings; and may need to be adjusted for multiple tracks, skewed crossings or approaches on grades.

Clearing Sight Distance is to be measured in each vehicle travel direction at non-gated crossings as viewed from a point 25 feet from centerline of nearest track in the center of whichever travel lane is nearest the direction along track being measured.

**Table 2****Stopping Sight Distances**

Highway Vehicle Speed	Distance (dH) Along Roadway from Crossing (ft)
0	n/a
5	50
10	70
15	105
20	135
25	180
30	225
35	280
40	340
45	410
50	490
55	570
60	660
65	760
70	865

Source: R-H Grade Crossing Handbook Table 36 (pp. 132-133)

**Notes:**

All calculated distances are rounded up to the next higher 5-foot increment.

Distances indicated are for 65-ft double bottom semi-tractor trailers on dry level pavements.

Stopping Sight Distance is to be measured on each roadway approach to crossing from stop bar.

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