

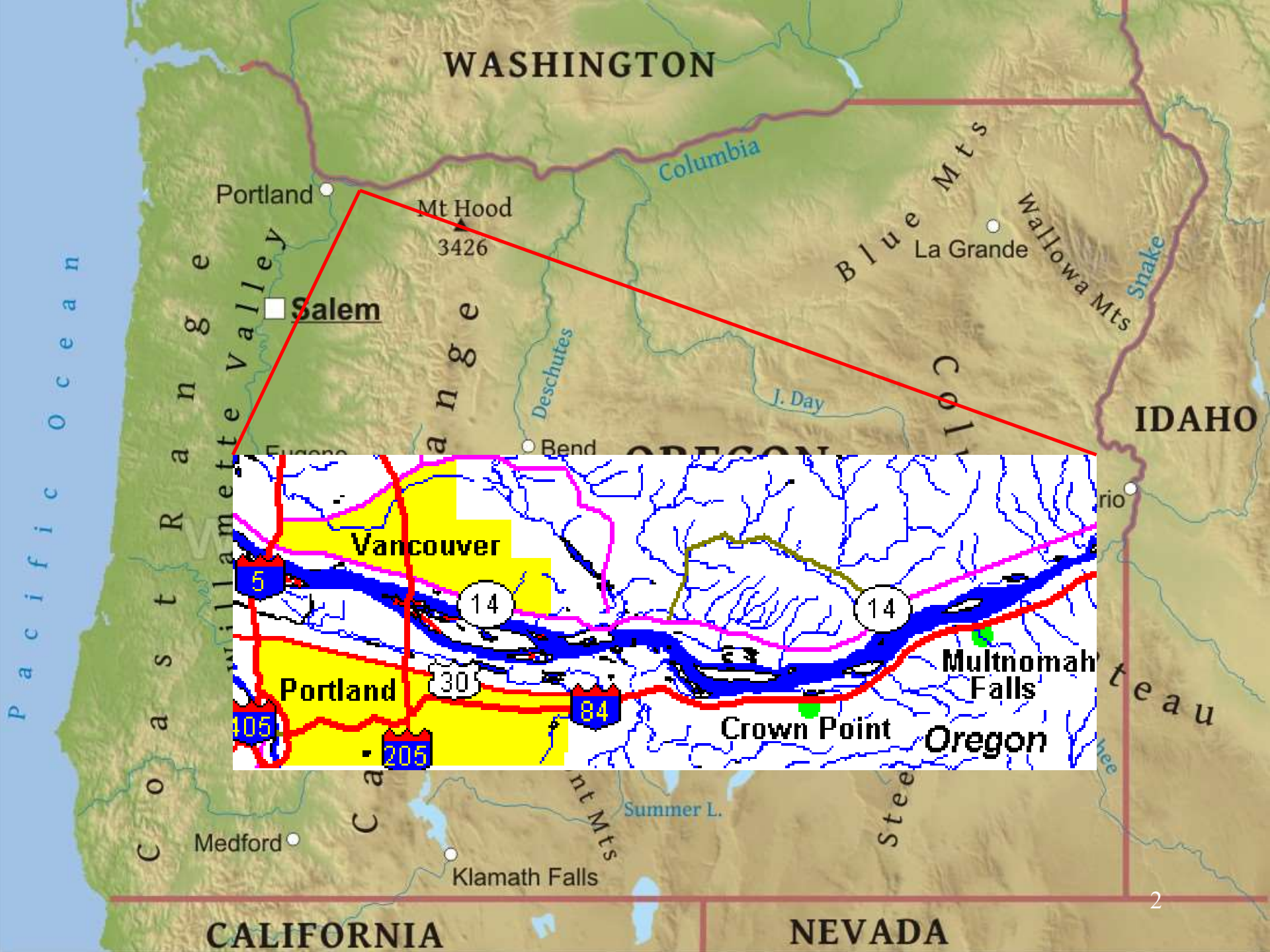
# Multnomah Falls Parking Management System

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# Background

- No. 1 tourist destination in the state
  - 2 million visitors per year
- Columbia Gorge National Scenic Area
- ODOT – Interstate freeway and parking lot
- Forest Service – Falls Area
- Vendor - Lodge





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# Problem

- Vehicles queuing on exit ramp extending onto Interstate freeway
- Dispatching ODOT maintenance to close ramp (delayed response)
- Capacity of parking both freeway and old highway
  - Demand greatly exceeds capacity
  - Unfamiliar drivers



# Contributing Factors

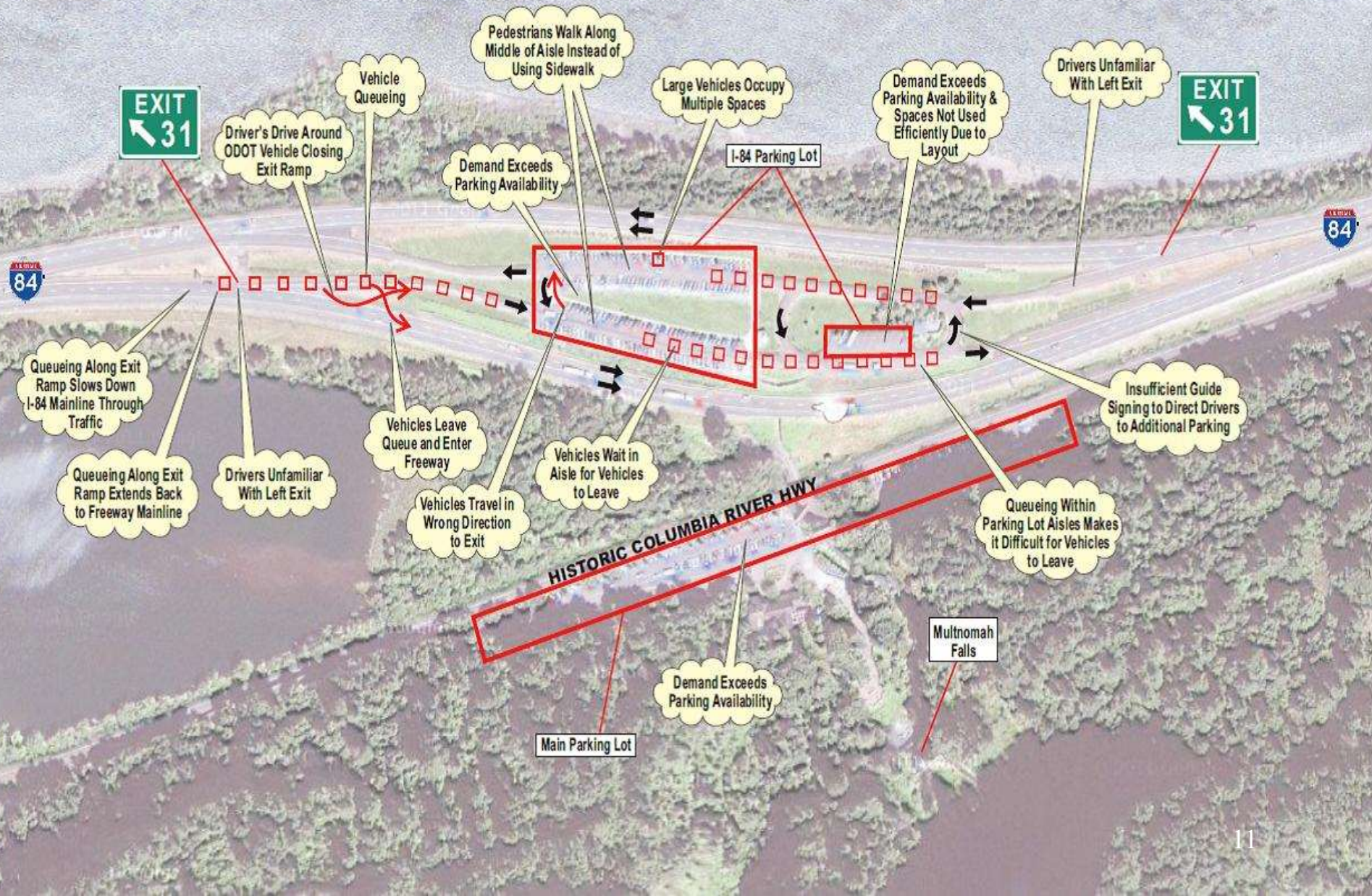
- Direct freeway access to/from parking lot
- Parking lot over capacity
  - Limited to 186 spaces
- Left side exit/entrance
- Substandard left shoulder (4 feet)
- Short off ramp eastbound
- High speed
  - Posted speed 65 mph

# Crash information

- Last 10 years 47 crashes
  - 70% eastbound
- 14 Injury crashes eastbound
  - 16 separate injuries
- 3 Injury crashes westbound



## Columbia River



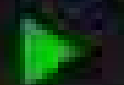


# Previous Operations

- State Police
  - Observes back up onto freeway and notifies ODOT
- ODOT
  - Maintenance forces (13 miles away) respond and close exit ramp



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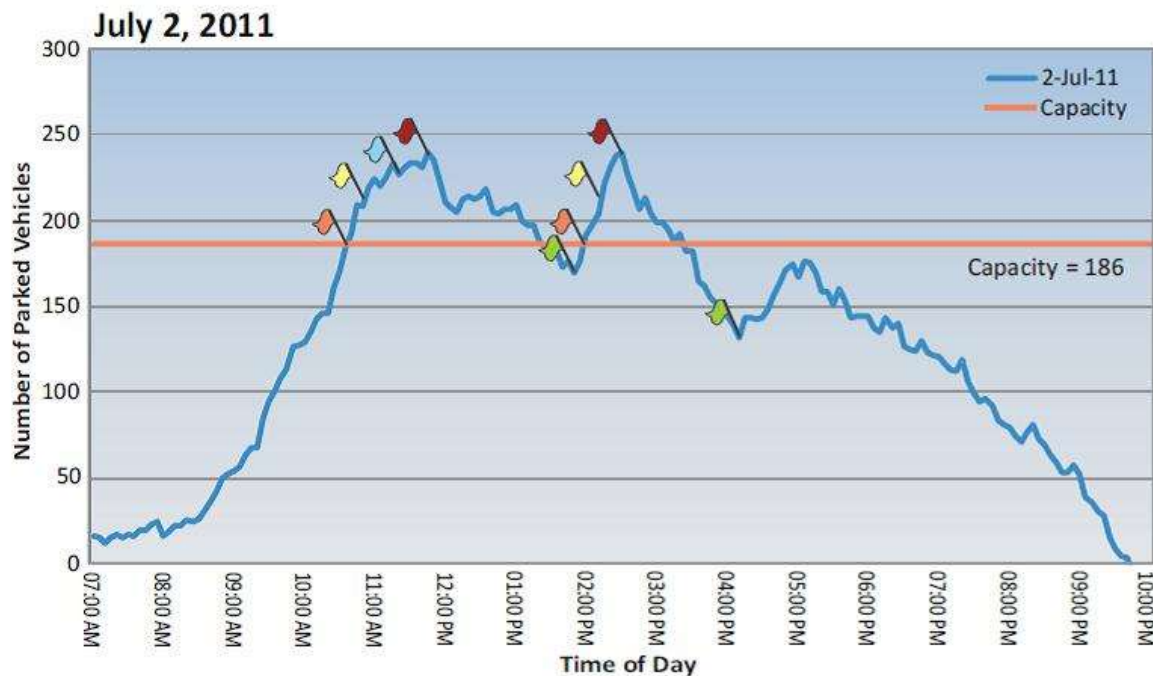




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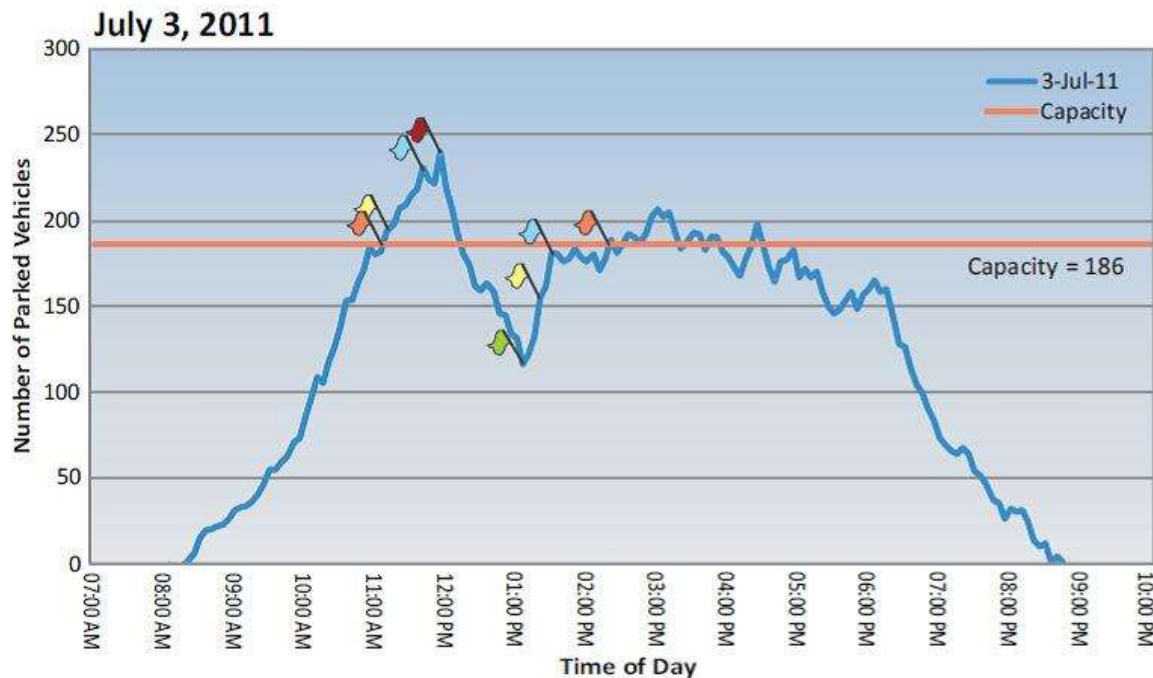


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#### LEGEND

- Parking Lot Reaches Capacity
- Queue Forms on Exit Ramp but not onto I-84
- Queue Reaches I-84
- ODOT Closes Exit Ramp
- ODOT Opens Exit Ramp



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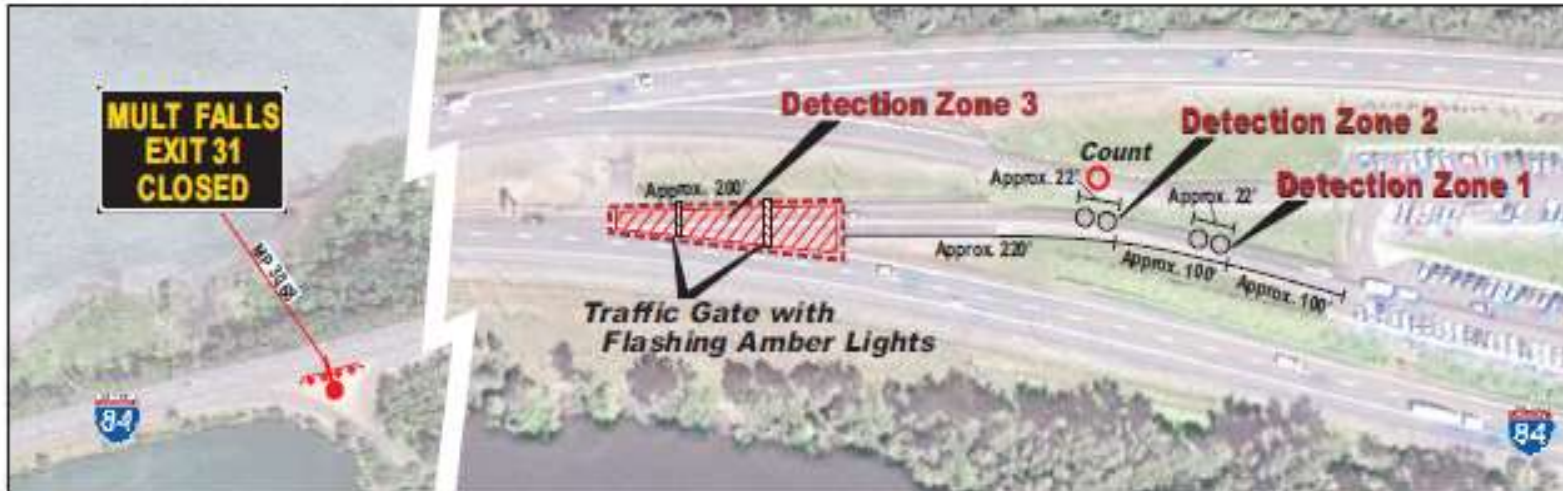
**Figure 10**

**Multnomah Falls Traffic/  
Parking Management System  
RELATIONSHIP OF PARKING  
OCCUPANCY TO RAMP QUEUE  
AND CLOSURES**

Source: Data from 24-hour tube count on July 2 & July 3, 2011, Quality Counts

# Concept of Operations

## Site Detection Zones



Detection Zone 1 is used to identify initial vehicle queuing along the exit ramp.  
Detection Zone 2 is used to confirm vehicle queuing along the exit ramp and count vehicles entering the parking lot.  
Detection Zone 3 is used to ensure that the gate closure zone is not occupied so that the gates can safely close.  
Count Detectors are used to count vehicles entering and exiting the parking lot.



# Concept of Operations

## Criteria for Closing the Gate System

Logical Test	Test Result										
Scenario	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
Does parking occupancy exceed minimum threshold?	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Does parking occupancy exceed maximum threshold?	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Is detection zone 1 occupied?	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes
Is detection zone 2 occupied?	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
Gate Closure System Response	Do Nothing	Do Nothing	Do Nothing	Do Nothing	Do Nothing	Do Nothing	Activate System	Activate System	Activate System	Activate System	Activate System

**Scenarios A, B, C:** typical off-season or off-peak conditions; low volume, low parking occupancy. Queuing on ramp indicates stuck detector or stalled/parked vehicle in one of the ramp detection zones. System will not be activated for any scenario that does not meet the minimum parking occupancy threshold.

**Scenarios D, E, F, G:** parking occupancy is above minimum threshold, but below maximum threshold. Indicates mid-level volumes and occupancy is nearing the threshold. Queuing on ramps within this threshold indicates vehicles are likely waiting for stalls to open in the south parking lot.

**Scenarios H, I, J, K:** typical busy season, high volume, high parking occupancy, queuing on the ramp and I-84 is imminent.

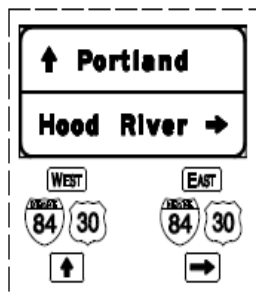
# Proposed Project



# Physical Improvements

- *Improved parking lot signing*
- Illumination upgrade
- Parking management system
  - Vehicle counters
    - Entrance and exit loops, reset daily
  - CCTV cameras
  - Advance automated signing
  - Gate system





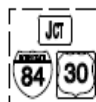
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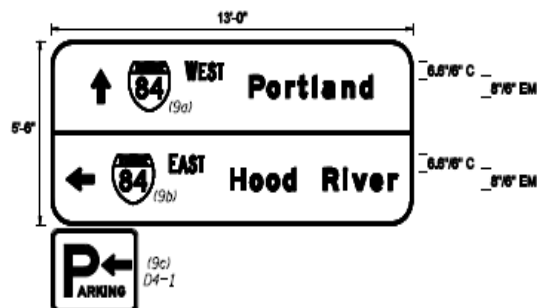
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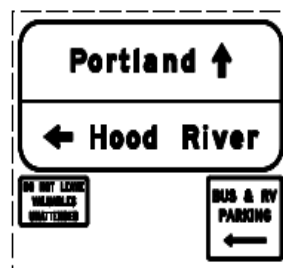
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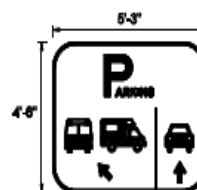
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Sign No. 14



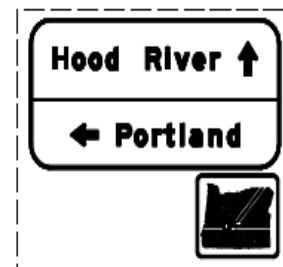
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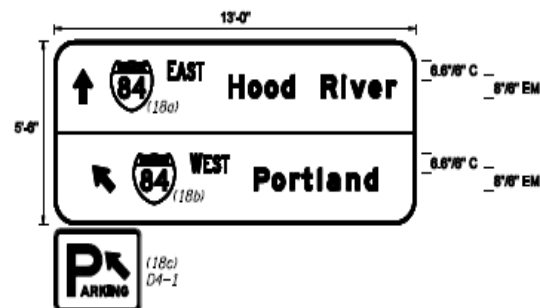
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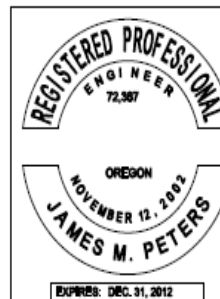


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**2011 RURAL & URBAN CORRIDOR ITS**  
COLUMBIA RIVER HWY  
MULTNOMAH COUNTY

DESIGNED BY: R. Hurtado  
REVIEWED BY: J. Peters  
DRAWN BY: DKS CAD  
PC: 002 MP: 31.14 to 31.47

PERMANENT SIGNING



# Physical Improvements

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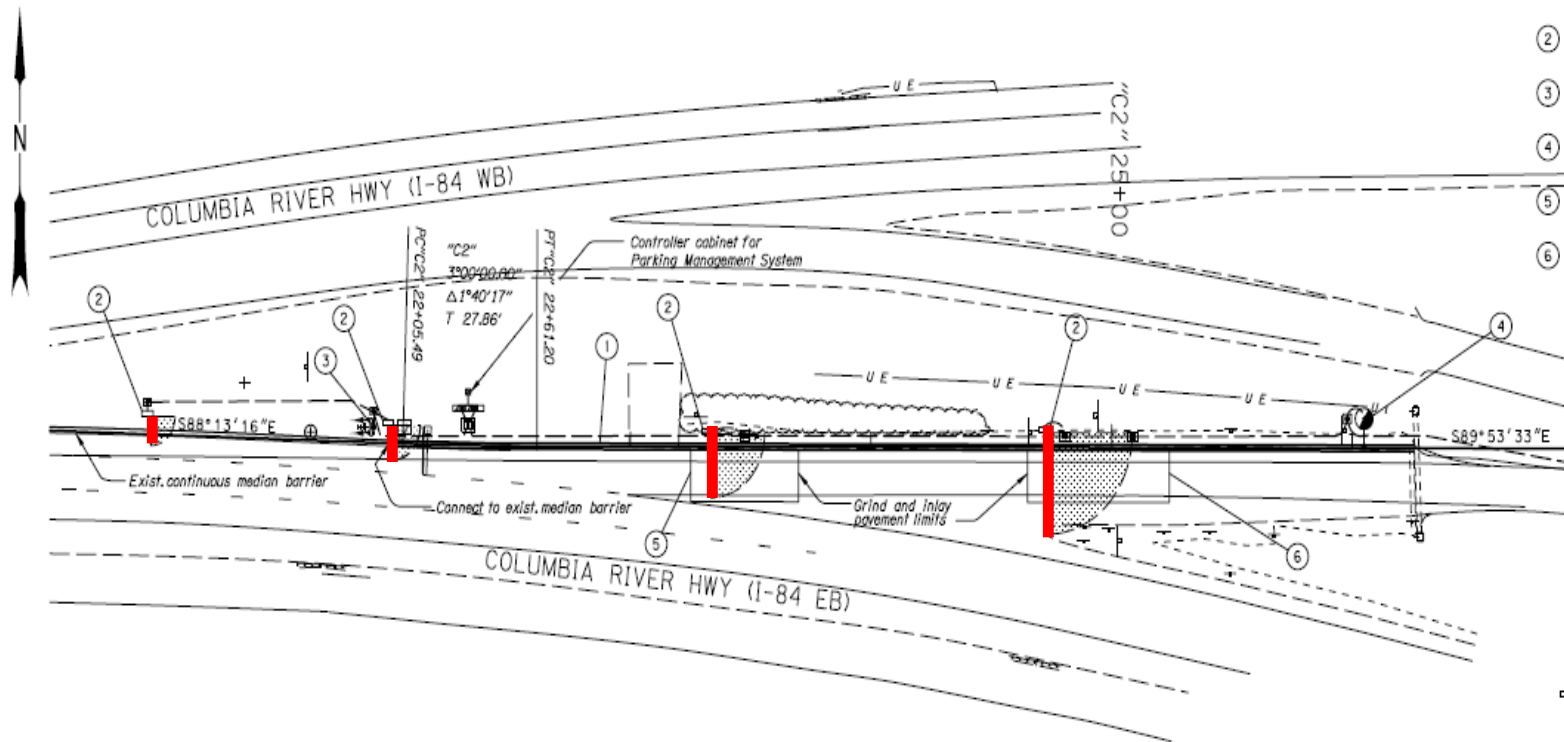
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  - *Advance automated signing*
  - *Gate system*



# Camera Images





- ① Const. conc. barrier - 375'  
Connect to extg. barrier  
(See drg. no. RD500)
- ② Inst. gate and gate footing  
(For drg. nos. see sht 1A)
- ③ Inst. blank out sign (BOS) and sign post  
(For drg. nos. see sht 1A)
- ④ Inst. CCTV camera and post  
(For drg. nos. see sht 1A)
- ⑤ Sta. "C2" 23+25 to Sta. "C2" 23+70 Rt.  
Grind and inlay existing pavement
- ⑥ Sta. "C2" 24+65 to Sta. "C2" 25+24 Rt.  
Grind and inlay existing pavement

LEGEND

- Proposed conduit  
(See ITS plans)
- Gate, gate footing, and gate arm swing path

Note:  
Hand seed all disturbed areas at finished grade.

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**2011 RURAL & URBAN CORRIDOR ITS**  
VARIOUS HIGHWAYS  
MULTNOMAH COUNTY

Reviewed By - Brian Blawegen  
Designed By - Jim Phillips  
Drafted By - Ron Blake

**FINAL PLANS**

08-01-12

DO NOT SCALE  
DO NOT USE FOR CONSTRUCTION

**GENERAL CONSTRUCTION**

SHEET  
NO.  
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# Central Software

- Informational signing leaving Portland
  - 14 miles prior to exit
- Notifications on TripCheck



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**I-84 at Multnomah Falls Parking**

Updated: Mar 20 2015 9:05 AM Looking East



ODOT

Elevation 0 TripCheck.com Milepost

**TripCheck - Detailed Information**

**Multnomah Falls Parking**

**Parking:** Parking lot 15% full

**Last Updated:** 03/20/2015 09:12 am

# Design

- ITS Cabinet
- Gate Design
- ATC and Firmware
- System Software

# Cabinet – Front View





# Cabinet Layout

- Left Side – Pushbutton panel, relays, terminal blocks, and circuit breaker panel. Manual control of gates for use by maintenance staff and electricians.
- Right Side – Controller, detection, etc.

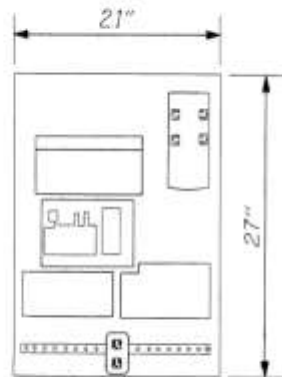
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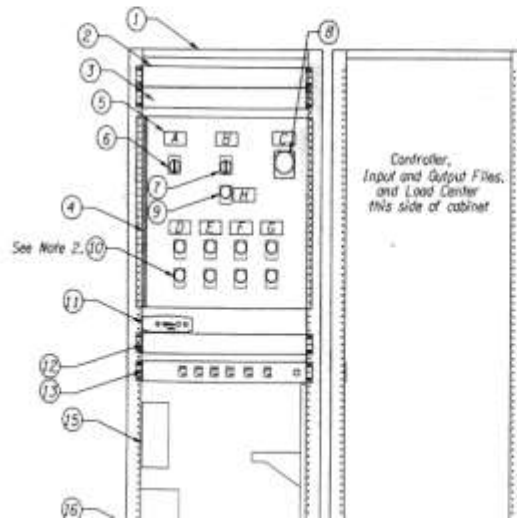
# Cabinet – ITS Side

NAMEPLATE SCHEDULE

LETTER	ENGRAVING
A	AUTO/MANUAL/OFF
B	SIGNS ON/OFF
C	E-STOP
D	GATE 1
E	GATE 2
F	GATE 3
G	GATE 4
H	BENSON SIGN ON



Remote Processing Unit (RPU)



MATERIAL/PARTS LIST

ITEM	QTY	NOMENCLATURE	MATERIAL DESCRIPTION
1	As Req.	EIA Rack	See Special Provisions.
2	1	Network Router	State furnished and installed. Leave 2" of rack height available.
3	1	Network Switch	State furnished and installed. Leave 2" of rack height available.
4	2	Backplane	Aluminum. Continuous piano hinge left side. Swings forward.
5	8	Nameplate	1/16" thick laminated plastic stock with white surface and black lettering.
6	1	Switch	Three position selector switch, 30mm, with legend plate, 120V.
7	1	Switch	Two position selector switch, 30mm, with legend plate, 120V.
8	1	Emergency Stop Pushbutton	Two position push pull button, 30mm, red, with legend plate, 120V.
9	1	Pilot Light	30mm, all light, 120V, green
10	8	Pushbutton	30mm, all light, spring return, with legend plate, 120V
11	1	Video Encoder	See Special Provisions.
12	1	Shelf/Tray	19" rack slide out tray.
13	1	Power Strip	19" rack mountable, 12 NEMA 5-20R outlets, 120VAC, 1U height.
14	1	Remote Processing Unit (RPU)	State furnished. Contractor to mount in cabinet, 000T with wire inputs.
15	1	DSL Demarcation	Provided by Telco, Contractor to coordinate mounting.
16	1	Camera Power Supply	See Special Provisions
17	1	Receptacle	General purpose, 5-20R, duplex, ivory, 120V, UL 498, 3 wire
18	As Req.	Terminal Blocks	600V, block, barrier, rail, end clamp, UL 1059.
19	20	Relay	120V AC coil, SPDT, DIN rail mount, 10A contact rating, UL listing.
20	8	Motor Contactor	Magnetic contractor, NEMA 4X, sized per gate motor supplied
21	As Req.	Cable Management	Plastic, flexible fingers, dual hinged cover, wall mount.

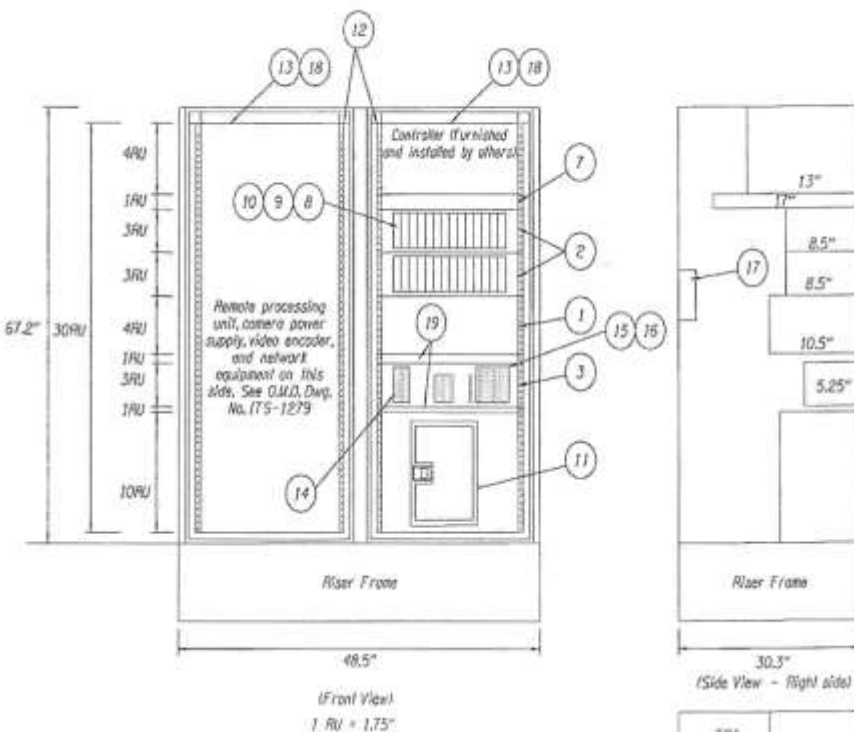
## Notes:

1. Nameplate text height shall be 1/4" minimum on plastic engraving.
2. Text shall be "OPEN" and "CLOSE" for pushbutton legend plate.
3. Mount RPU backplane to EIA rack with stainless steel hardware.
4. "Open" pushbuttons shall be directly above "Close" pushbuttons.
5. The entire cabinet assembly shall be UL 508A listed. Submit to the Engineer product cutsheets, panel layout drawings, and wiring diagrams for approval prior to fabrication.
6. Cabinet layout may change due to dimensions of the parts supplied by the Contractor.
7. UL panel shop shall demonstrate manual functionality of the cabinet to the Engineer prior to installation in the field. Contractor shall coordinate with the Engineer on a time at least 2 weeks in advance of testing.
8. All conductors shall be clearly marked with heat shrink type tags. Label on the conductors shall match the wiring diagram provided by the UL panel shop.
9. Label all terminal blocks, relays, and motor contactors with permanent means. Labeling shall match the construction drawings and the drawings submitted by the UL panel shop.

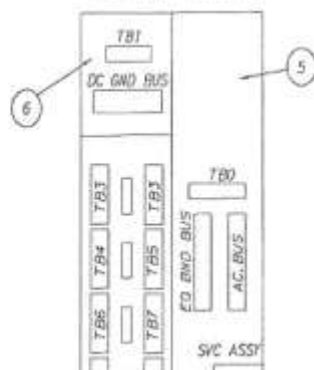


# Cabinet – Traffic Side

ITS DETAILS



Item No.	Qty.	Appellation	Material Description
1	1	PDA #2	Model PDA #2 Power supply and power distribution assembly
2	2	Input File	Input File (14 position)
3	1	Rack Mount (in Bracket)	See O.M.D. Dwg. No. ITS-1276
4	1	C1 Harness	See Special Provisions
5	1	Service Panel	See detail this sheet
6	1	Input Panel	See detail this sheet
7	1	Pull Out Drawer Assembly	19" rack slide out tray
8	8	Loop Amplifier	Two Channel Loop Detector Amplifier (See OPL list)
9	1	VIP 3.2 Module	VIP 3.2 Video Detection Board (See OPL list)
10	4	AC Isolator	Two Channel AC Isolator (See OPL list)
11	1	Load Center	100 amp Load center. See O.M.D. Dwg. No. ITS-1280 for service diagram
12	2	19 Inch Rack	Removable 19 inch EIA rack
13	4	Fan	Thermostatically controlled 100CFM fan
14	9	Relay	4-32VDC SSR, SPDT, 10 amp, NS 35-15, UL listing
15	23	Terminal Block	300 V, Screw connection, 20 amp, NS 35-15, UL 1059
16	1	PE Terminal Block	DIN rail grounding block, green or green-yellow, NS 35-15
17	1	Flasher	Model 204 dual circuit solid state flasher
18	2	Light	Self starting fluorescent cabinet light
19	1	-	Leave 1 unit of rack height available

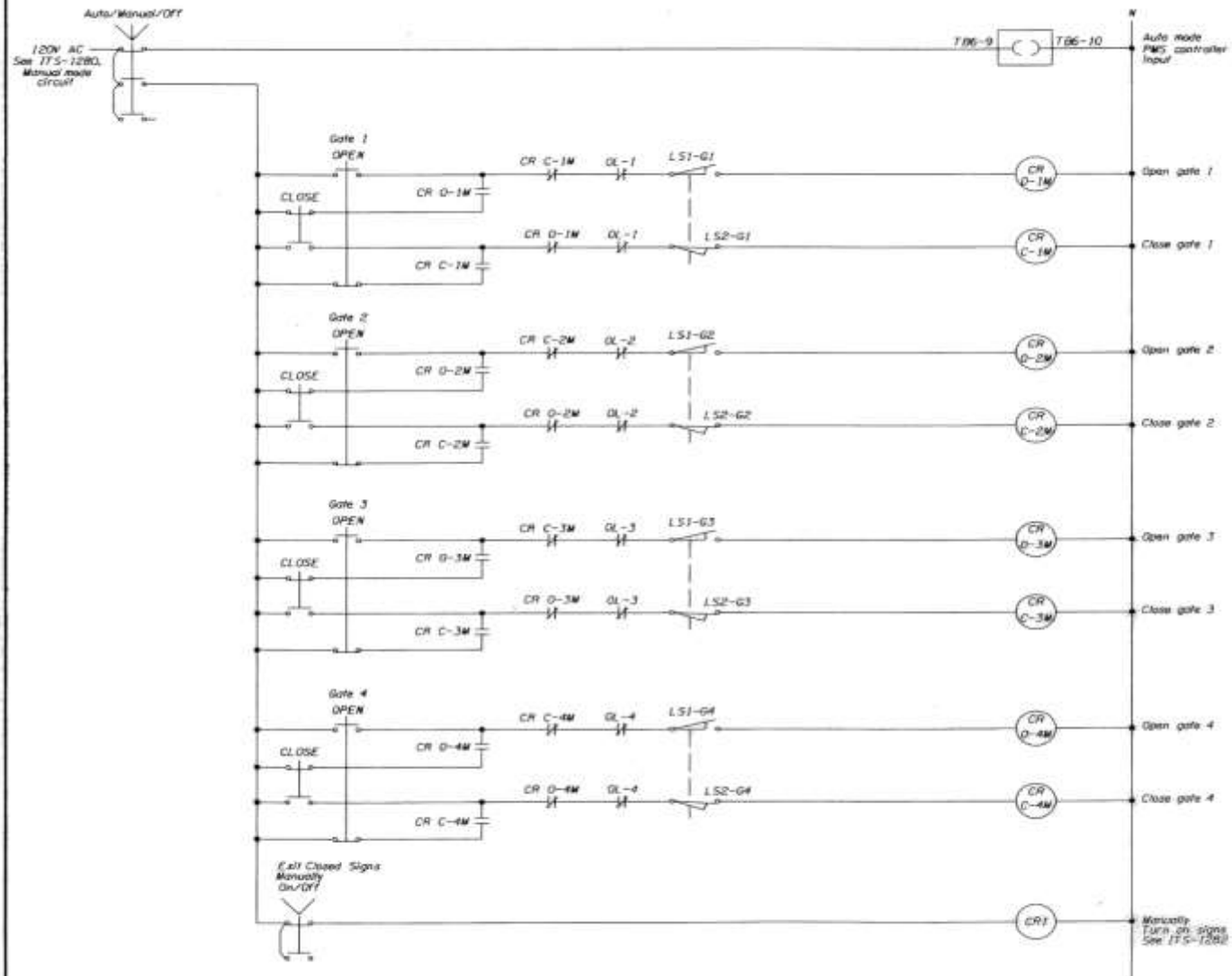


## General notes:

1. Mount load center to EIA rack with stainless steel hardware.
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# Wiring Diagrams

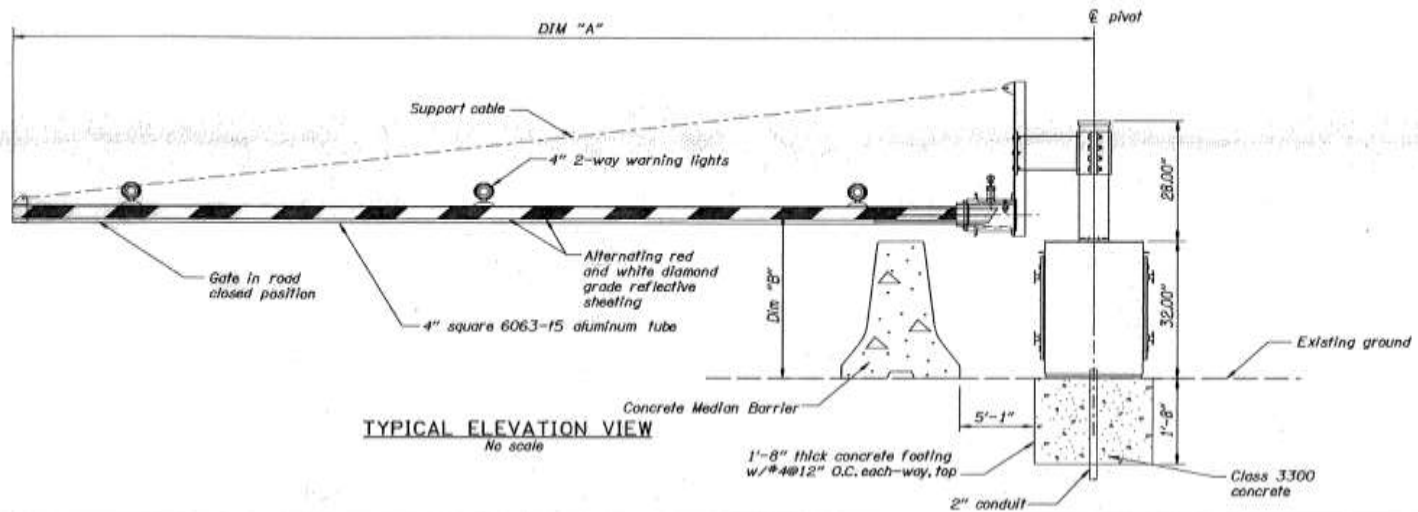
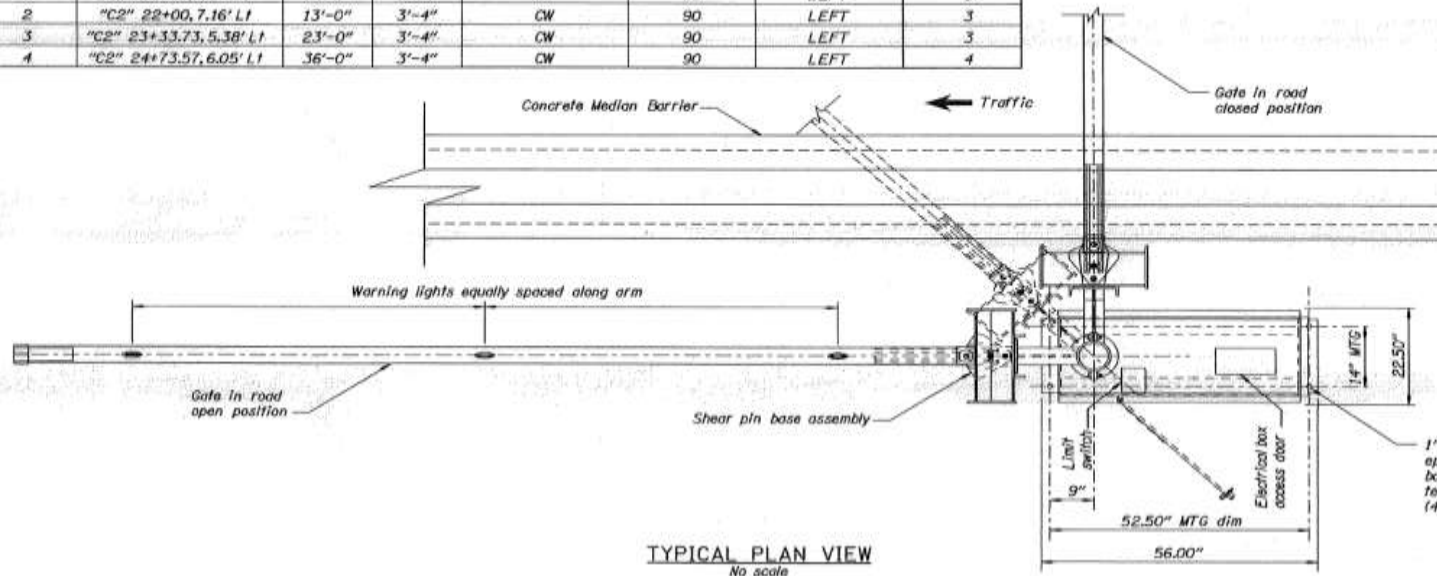




# Gate Design

**TYPICAL INFORMATION CHART**

GATE I.D.	LOCATION OF PIVOT	DIM "A"	DIM "B"	CLOSE DIRECTION	SWING ANGLE	SERVICE SIDE	NO. LIGHTS
1	"C2" 21+00, 7.17' L1	11'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	3
2	"C2" 22+00, 7.16' L1	13'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	3
3	"C2" 23+33.73, 5.38' L1	23'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	3
4	"C2" 24+73.57, 6.05' L1	36'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	4



# ATC Firmware

## General Status Screen



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Front Panel Emulator

Status

General Status

Object Status and Alarms

Manual Control

Input & Output Status

Controller

Administration

### Main Status

Operational Mode	Capacity	Percent Full	Cars in Lot	Lock Time	Lock Time Remaining	Status	Close Threshold	Open Threshold
Cabinet	150	0	0	300	0	Unknown	90	70

### Gate Status

Gate ID	Description	Status	Open Fail Time	Close Fail Time	Detection	Open Switch	Closed Switch
1	Gate 1 - upstream	Unknown	20	20			
2	Gate 2	Unknown	20	20			
3	Gate 3	Unknown	20	20			
4	Gate 4 - downstream	Unknown	20	20			

### Exit Sign Status

Exit Sign ID	Description	Position	Lag Time	Lag Time Left
1	Blank Out Exit Sign	Off	30	0

### Queue Status

Queue ID	Description	Status	Time to Queue	Queued Duration	Detection
1	Zone 1	Not Queued	10.0	0	
2	Zone 2	Not Queued	10.0	0	

### Detector Status

Detector	1								2								3							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Occupied																								
Alarms	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●										

Figure 2: ATC Web Interface General Status



# Input Screen



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## Input Points

IO Module: 1 ▼

Input Point	Description	Input Control Type	Index
1	C1-39	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	1
2	C1-40	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	11
3	C1-41	gateOpenStatus ▼	1
4	C1-42	gateOpenStatus ▼	3
5	C1-43	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	2
6	C1-44	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	12
7	C1-45	gateClosedStatus ▼	1
8	C1-46	gateClosedStatus ▼	3
9	C1-47	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	5
10	C1-48	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	7
11	C1-49	notActive ▼	0
12	C1-50	notActive ▼	0
13	C1-51	notActive ▼	0
14	C1-52	notActive ▼	0
15	C1-53	notActive ▼	0
16	C1-54	notActive ▼	0
17	C1-55	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	10
18	C1-56	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	9
19	C1-57	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	8
20	C1-58	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	6
21	C1-59	notActive ▼	0
22	C1-60	modeAutoSwitch ▼	1
23	C1-61	notActive ▼	0
24	C1-62	blankOutSignStatus ▼	1
25	C11-10	notActive ▼	0
26	C11-11	notActive ▼	0
27	C11-12	notActive ▼	0
28	C11-13	notActive ▼	0
29	C1-63	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	3
30	C1-64	vehicleDetectorCall ▼	13
31	C1-65	gateOpenStatus ▼	2
32	C1-66	gateOpenStatus ▼	4

Apply

Next

# Main Control Screen



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## Main Control

Operational Mode	Manual	▼
Lot Capacity	186	
Min Closed Time	300	
Lot Close Threshold	90	
Lot Open Threshold	70	

Apply

# Manual Control Screen



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## Main Status

Operational Mode	System Override Status
Cabinet	No Request Made

## System Open Override

System Number	1
Open Status	<input type="checkbox"/>
Force Open	<input type="checkbox"/>

Apply

## System Close Override

System Number	1
Close Status	<input type="checkbox"/>
Force Close	<input type="checkbox"/>

Apply

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## Gate Open Override

	1			
Gate ID	1	2	3	4
Open Status	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Force Open	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Apply

## Gate Close Override

	1			
Gate ID	1	2	3	4
Close Status	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Force Close	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Apply

## Exit Sign On Override

	1
Exit Sign ID	1
On Status	<input type="checkbox"/>
Force On	<input type="checkbox"/>

Apply

## Exit Sign Off Override

	1
Exit Sign ID	1
Off Status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Force Off	<input type="checkbox"/>

Apply

# Output Screen



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  - ☐ General Status
  - ☒ Object Status and Alarms
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## Output Points

IO Module:

Output Point	Description	Output Control Type	Index
1	C1-2	closeGate	1
2	C1-3	openGate	1
3	C1-4	closeGate	2
4	C1-5	switchBlankOutSign	1
5	C1-6	openGate	2
6	C1-7	closeGate	3
7	C1-8	openGate	4
8	C1-9	openGate	3
9	C1-10	notActive	0
10	C1-11	notActive	0
11	C1-12	notActive	0
12	C1-13	notActive	0
13	C1-15	notActive	0
14	C1-16	notActive	0
15	C1-17	notActive	0
16	C1-18	notActive	0
17	C1-19	notActive	0
18	C1-20	notActive	0
19	C1-21	notActive	0
20	C1-22	notActive	0
21	C1-23	notActive	0
22	C1-24	notActive	0
23	C1-25	notActive	0
24	C1-26	notActive	0
25	C1-27	notActive	0
26	C1-28	notActive	0
27	C1-29	notActive	0
28	C1-30	notActive	0
29	C1-31	notActive	0
30	C1-32	notActive	0
31	C1-33	notActive	0
32	C1-34	notActive	0

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# System Software - Central

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## Current Gate Conditions Dashboard

### Lot Information

Lot Percentage Filled: 34

Car count for today: 194  
Current car count: 9

### Gate Information

Gate System Status: Unknown

Gate Status Close Threshold: 95  
Gate Status Open Threshold: 85

Gate 1 Status Position: Open  
Gate 2 Status Position: Open  
Gate 3 Status Position: Open  
Gate 4 Status Position: Open

Gate 1 Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 2 Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 3 Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 4 Alarm: Not Set

### Blankout Signs

Blankout Sign Position: Off

Gate 1 Blankout Sign Status Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 2 Blankout Sign Status Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 3 Blankout Sign Status Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 4 Blankout Sign Status Alarm: Not Set

### Detectors

Gate 1 Detection Failure Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 2 Detection Failure Alarm: 60  
Gate 3 Detection Failure Alarm: Not Set  
Gate 4 Detection Failure Alarm: Not Set

Gate 1 Detector Failure Code: Not Set  
Gate 2 Detector Failure Code: Not Set  
Gate 3 Detector Failure Code: Not Set  
Gate 4 Detector Failure Code: Not Set

# Camera Images



# Maintenance Manuals

## 1 ITS General Information

Quick references can be found here in order to find necessary information in the Maintenance and Electrician manuals for the Traffic/Parking Management System.

### 1.1 Reference Material

The following is a description of where specific information can be located within the Maintenance and Electrical Manuals.

**Maintenance Manual:** This is a description of maintenance staff specific system components, and how to sustain them. Included in the manual are the following features:

*Concept of Operations:* General description of how the overall system operates.

*Button Layout Description:* Full manual control button explanation and use.

*Main Circuit Breaker:* Breaker box layout with descriptions of each breaker.

*Procedure for Replacing Shear Pins:* How to properly replace shear pins internally and externally.

*Procedure for Replacing Gate Arms:* How to replace the gate arms when damaged, it requires electrician assistance for final connection.

*Procedure to turn off Blank Out Signs:* How to cut power to signs when they are not responsive.

*Maintenance Routine and Checklist:* What maintenance staff needs to do in order to keep the system operational.

*Maintenance Parts List:* Part numbers and supplier contact for maintenance staff specific components.

*Gate Manual:* OEM manual for gates

**Electrician Manual:** Provides information for electricians to service the Parking/Traffic Management System. Procedures require input from maintenance staff, so maintenance manual is accessible to electricians. Included in the manual are the following features:

*Primary Components:* General descriptions of primary electrical components and their uses.

*Camera Operations and Access:* Links for camera access.

*Detector Layout:* Portrayal of how the detectors are placed and their concept of operation.

*Procedure to Connect Gate Arm Light Cable:* How to connect the lights after the maintenance staff replaces a gate arm.

*Procedure to Reset Gate Position after Lockup:* When the manual control buttons lock up the system, this procedure describes how to correct the unresponsive gate position.

*Electrician Parts List:* Part numbers and supplier contact for electrician specific components.

*Electrical Drawings:* Wiring Diagrams, As-Build Construction Drawing, and control schemes specific to the Multnomah Falls Parking/Traffic Management System.

# Operational Experience

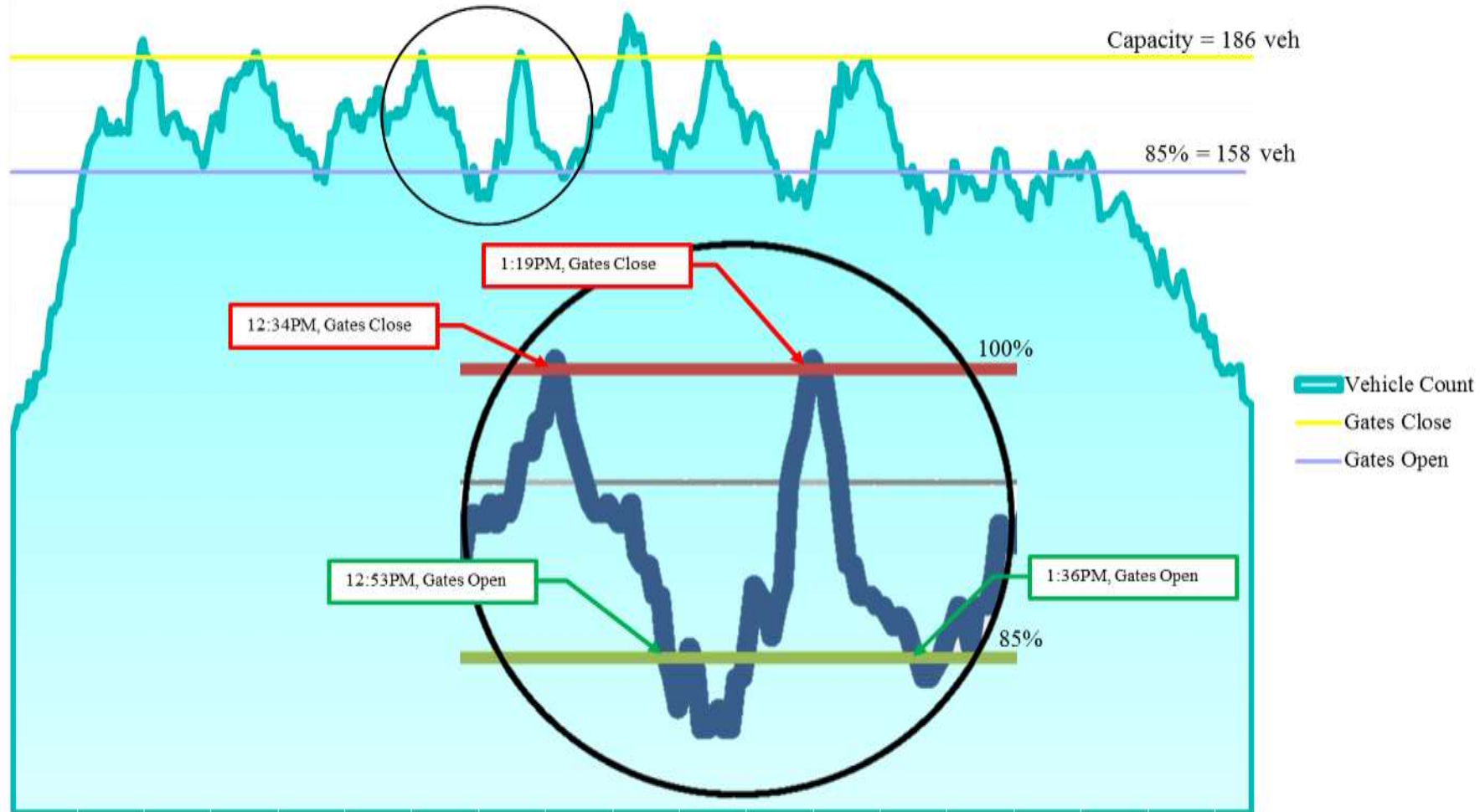
- Configuration
  - What percent lot full before closing and opening
- Multnomah Falls vendor concerns
- Observation of driver actions
- Gate damage



# Parking Occupancy vs Gate Activations - Saturday, 8/9/2014

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Number of Parked Vehicles



# Operational Experience

- Configuration
  - What percent lot full before closing and opening
- Multnomah Falls vendor concerns
- Observation of driver actions
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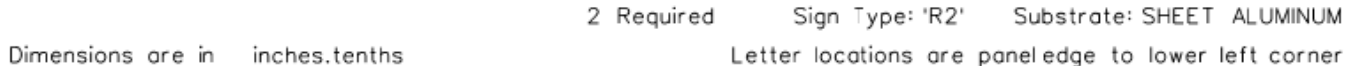


# Upgrades made

- Bigger lights on gate arm
- Added no stopping signs on gate arms
- Cable bracket



HIGHWAY	HIGHWAY		ROUTE	XXXXX	EXP. ACCOUNT	X
DATE	XX-XX-02	S.O.I.*	XXXXX	DATE		S.O.I.*



MILEPOINT	I-84EB EXIT 31
WIDTH x HCHT.	3'-6" x 1'-0"
BORDER WIDTH	0.38"
CORNER RADIUS	1.5"
MOUNTING	on gate
BACKGROUND	TYPE: ASTM TYPE III or IV
	COLOR: White / White
LEGEND/BORDER	TYPE: ASTM TYPE III or IV
	COLOR: Red

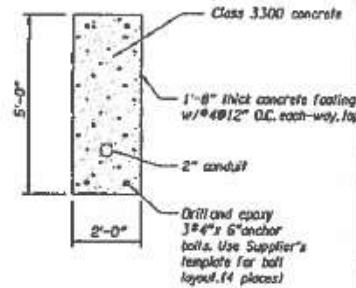
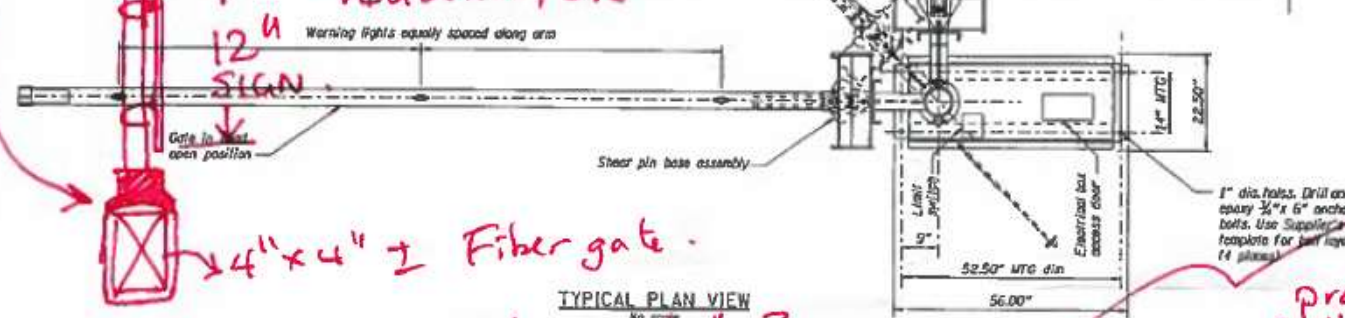
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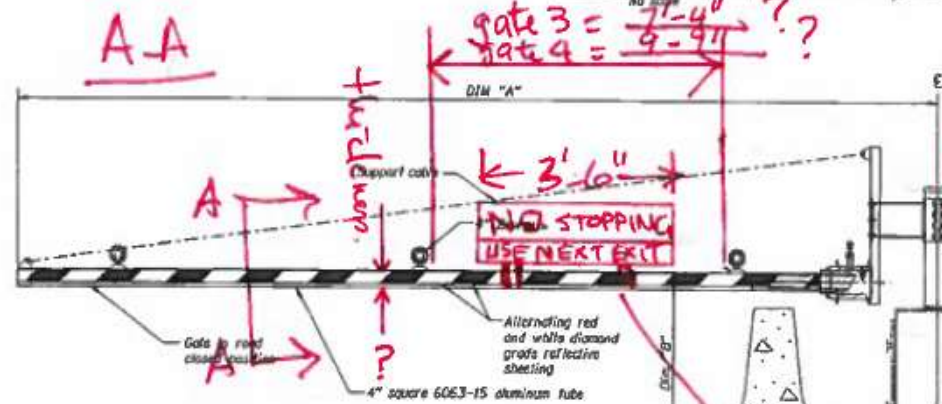
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1	"C2" 21+00.7, 17' L1	11'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	3
2	"C2" 22+00.7, 16' L1	13'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	3
3	"C2" 23+33.73, 5.36' L1	23'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	3
4	"C2" 24+73.57, 6.05' L1	36'-0"	3'-4"	CW	90	LEFT	4

COLUMBIA RIVER HWY  
I-84 MP 31.20  
(SITE 12)

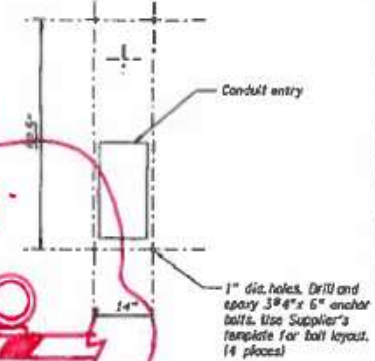
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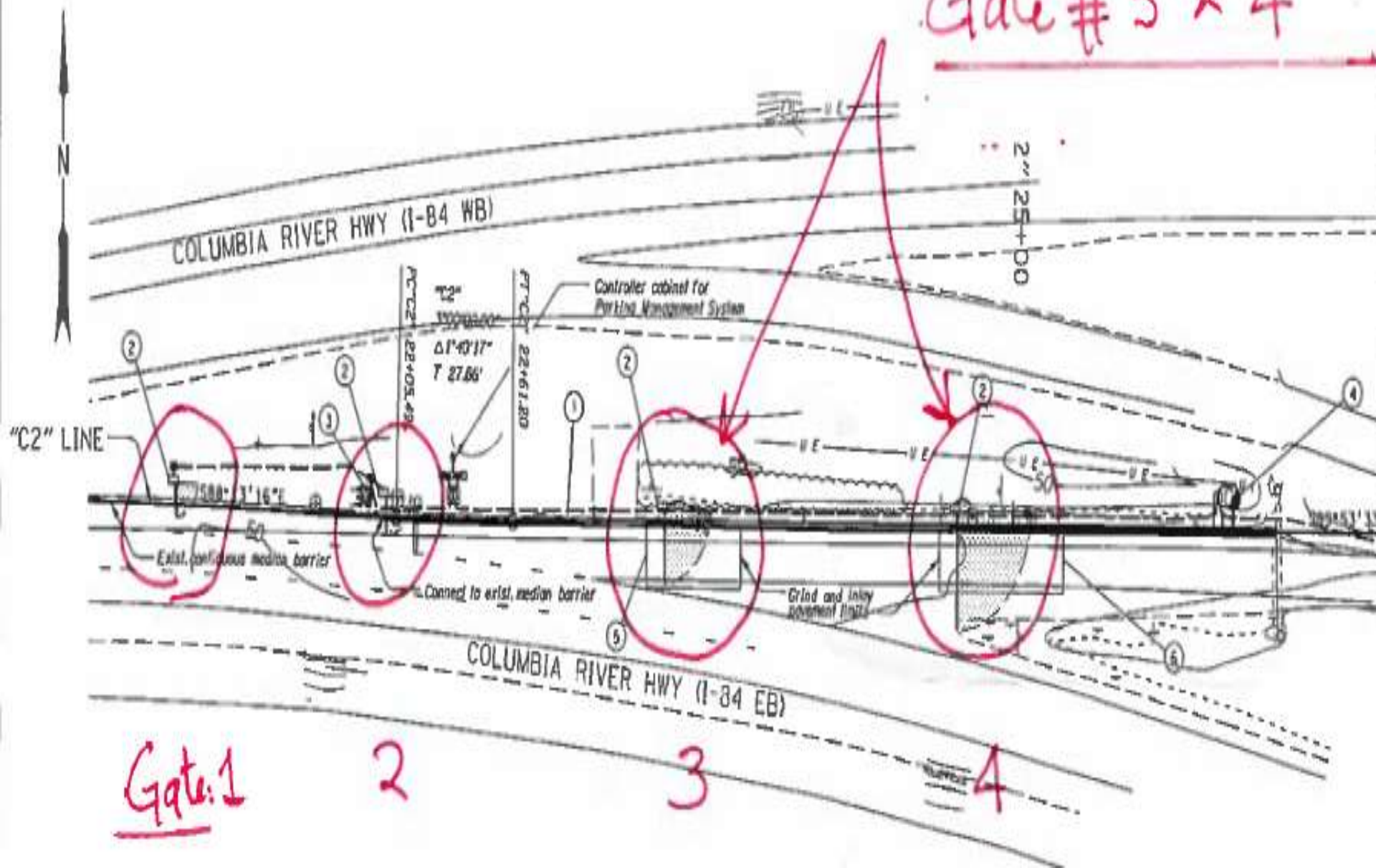
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<b>Parametrix</b>	
2011 RURAL & URBAN CORRIDOR ITS VARIOUS HIGHWAYS MULTI-MODAL COUNTY	
DESIGNED BY: J. PHILLIPS REVIEWED BY: A. RICE P.C. 000 M.P. 12.0	APPROVED BY: _____ DATE: _____
<b>GATE DETAILS (SITE 12)</b>	
ITS-1292	



*Install sign above gate  
(not to cover red/white stripes)*

COLUMBIA RIVER HWY  
I-84 MP 31.20  
(SITE 12)

Install sign on  
Gate #3 & 4



# Upgrades made

- Bigger lights on gate arm
- Added no stopping signs on gate arms
- Cable bracket



# Cable Bracket

- Moved arm upward to clear barrier.
- Custom design and fabricated bracket to relocate cable attachment.
- To align with arm pivot and release pin in order to reduce arm twisting.



# Continuing Issues

- Gate Damage
- Claims









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# Potential next steps

- Brighter lights on gates
- Upgrade advance signs to VMS rather than blank out – can be used for other events in corridor
- Upgrade exit sign to VMS to make more visible







EXIT 31



Multnomah  
Falls

EXIT  
CLOSED

EXIT  
31



# Summary

- We recognize this as a new treatment for a rather unique safety and operational issue
  - Queuing on exit ramp
  - Dispatch ODOT to close ramp
- While we continue to improve the solution to the immediate problem, we did not address the root problem
  - Demand greatly exceeds capacity
  - Unfamiliar drivers

# Summary

- Human Factors contribute to some of the ongoing problems we are experiencing
  - Tourists unfamiliar with area exits and options
  - Intent to try to wait until gate opens - parking on closed ramp
  - Not knowing what to do/where to go
  - Unwillingness to conform to traffic messages - driving around gates.

# Summary

- We do not yet have the necessary data to determine the effectiveness
  - B/C cannot be calculated at this time
- Takeaways
  - Software and Hardware installed and operating
  - Real time data collection and cameras have proven to be beneficial

# Summary

- Takeaways (cont.)
  - Backups on the freeway have been reduced through a mechanical interface, drastically reducing involvement by ODOT and Police personnel and improving responsiveness
  - However, more time needed to be spent on anticipating driver reactions to the new system.