

Commonwealth Transportation Board

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Agenda item # 10

### RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

#### February 21, 2023

#### **MOTION**

Made By: Mr. Stant, Seconded By: Mr. Coleman,

Action: Motion Carried, Unanimously

#### <u>Title: Limited Access Control Changes (LACCs) #2 for the I-564 and the</u> <u>Intermodal Connector</u> <u>City of Norfolk</u>

WHEREAS, on October 4, 1956, the State Highway Commission, predecessor to the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB), designated the Interstate Highway System to be Limited Access Highways and in accordance with then Article 3, Chapter 1, Title 33 of the 1950 *Code of Virginia*, as amended, and established that the limited access line locations and limits as "the final locations of said routers, including all necessary grade separations, interchanges, ramps, etc."; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 9, 2015, the CTB approved modifications to the Limited Access Control Lines along I-564 and designated the Intermodal Connector between I-564 and Hampton Boulevard to be a Limited Access Highway in accordance with then Article 4, Chapter 1, Title 33.1, Section 33.1-34 of the 1950 *Code of Virginia,* as amended; and

WHEREAS, State Highway Projects R000-122-108, P101, R201, C501, B601, B602, B603, B604, B605, B606 (UPC# 18968) and 0564-122-284, R201, C501, B607, B608, B609, B610, B611, B612 (UPC# 104000), provided a four-lane, divided connector from I-564 to Naval Station Norfolk and to Norfolk International Terminals in order to improve traffic flow in the Hampton Roads region (the "Project"); and

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WHEREAS, these modifications to the Limited Access Control Lines were requested by the U.S. Navy during construction to improve security conditions along with creating improved access to their security fencing which was the basis of the Virginia Department of Transportation's (VDOT) maintenance responsibility limits as shown on the Limited Access Line Exhibits and the Limited Access Control Point Stations and Offsets Table (attached); and

WHEREAS, VDOT posted a Notice of Willingness for Public Comment ("Willingness") on August 2, 2022, and August 10, 2022, in *The Virginia-Pilot*, and on August 3, 2022, and August 10, 2022, in *The Legacy Newspaper* for the proposed LACCs for the Project, including the current and proposed locations of the limited access lines, and allowed public input to be collected concerning the request. The Willingness expired on August 17, 2022, with no comments or other input from the public; and

WHEREAS, the economic, social and environmental effects of the Project have been duly examined and given proper consideration and this evidence, along with all other relevant evidence, has been carefully reviewed; and

**WHEREAS**, the Interchange Justification Report was reviewed during the design process by VDOT's Hampton Roads District Office and the U.S. Navy, and was approved by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)-Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division (EFLHD) on August 14, 2013. All parties found that it adequately addresses the impacts from the Project and the proposed LACCs; and

WHEREAS, the Project is in compliance with National Environmental Policy Act requirements and the Environmental Assessment for the Project was approved by the U.S. Navy on February 20, 2013, and the FHWA-EFLHD on February 28, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the Project is located within a non-attainment area. FHWA-EFLHD approved the Air Quality Analysis on February 28, 2013, concluded that the Project impacts are below the de minimis levels of the Clean Air Act's General Conformity Rule, and determined that the Project will meet all applicable air quality analysis and conformity requirements and will not cause or contribute to a violation of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards as established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; and

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**WHEREAS,** the Project is in the City of Norfolk located on property owned by the U.S. Navy and the U.S. Navy Senior Project Manager has provided support for the proposed LACCs by email dated May 31, 2022 (attached); and

**WHEREAS,** FHWA provided the approval for State Highway Projects R000-122-108, P101, R201, C501, B601, B602, B603, B604, B605, B606, and 0564-122-284, R201, C501, B607, B608, B609, B610, B611, B612 and the proposed LACCs on January, 20, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, VDOT's Chief Engineer has determined that the proposed LACCs will not adversely affect the safety or operation of the highways; and

WHEREAS, VDOT has reviewed the requested LACCs and determined that all are in compliance with § 33.2-401 of the *Code of Virginia* and that the requirements of 24 VAC 30-401-20 have been met; and

WHEREAS, VDOT recommends approval of the LACCs as shown on the Limited Access Line Exhibits and the Limited Access Control Point Stations and Offsets Table (attached).

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** in accordance with § 33.2-401 of the *Code* of Virginia and 24 VAC 30-401-10 et seq., that the CTB hereby finds and concurs in the determinations and recommendations of VDOT made herein, and directs that I-564 and the Intermodal Connector continue to be designated as a limited access control area, with the boundaries of limited access control being modified from the current locations as shown on the Limited Access Control Point Stations and Offsets Table (attached).

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Commissioner of Highways is authorized to take all actions and execute any and all documents necessary to implement the LACCs described herein.

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### CTB Decision Brief <u>Proposed Limited Access Control Changes (LACCs) #2</u> <u>I-564 and the Intermodal Connector</u> <u>Projects R000-122-108, P101, R201, C501, B601, B602, B603, B604, B605, B606 and 0564-122-284, R201, C501, B607, B608, B609, B610, B611, B612</u> <u>UPC# 18968 and 104000</u> <u>City of Norfolk</u>

**Issues:** The area designated as limited access previously approved for the I-564 and the Intermodal Connector needs to be modified to accommodate a request from the U.S. Navy during construction. The proposed LACCs will improve security conditions at the Naval Station Norfolk and will allow easier access to Virginia Department of Transportation's (VDOT) forces for maintenance. These changes require the approval of the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) pursuant to § 33.2-401 of the *Code of Virginia*, and 24 VAC 30-401-10 *et seq*.

#### Facts:

- Limited access control for I-564 was previously established on October 4, 1956, by the State Highway Commission, predecessor to the CTB, which designated the Interstate Highway System to be Limited Access Highways and in accordance with then Article 3, Chapter 1, Title 33 of the 1950 *Code of Virginia*, as amended, and established that the limited access line locations and limits as "the final locations of said routers, including all necessary grade separations, interchanges, ramps, etc."
- Limited Access Control for the Intermodal Connector was previously established by the CTB on December 9, 2015 in accordance with then Article 4, Chapter 1, Title 33.1, Section 33.1-34 of the 1950 *Code of Virginia,* as amended.
- State Highway Projects R000-122-108, P101, R201, C501, B601, B602, B603, B604, B605, B606 (UPC# 18968) and 0564-122-284, R201, C501, B607, B608, B609, B610, B611, B612 (UPC# 104000), provided a four-lane, divided connector from Route 564 to Naval Station Norfolk and Norfolk International Terminals in order to improve traffic flow in the Hampton Roads region.
- These improvements will impact the existing limited access control lines, as shown on the Limited Access Line Exhibits and the Limited Access Control Point Stations and Offsets Table (attached).
- VDOT posted a Notice of Willingness for Public Comment ("Willingness") on August 2, 2022, and August 10, 2022, in *The Virginia-Pilot*, and on August 3, 2022, and August 10, 2022, in *The Legacy Newspaper* for the proposed LACCs for the Project, including the current and proposed locations of the limited access lines, and allowed public input to be collected concerning the request. The Willingness expired on August 17, 2022, with no comments or other input from the public.
- The economic, social, and environmental effects of the Project have been duly examined and given proper consideration and this evidence, along with all other relevant evidence, has been carefully reviewed.

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- The Interchange Justification Report was reviewed during the design process by VDOT's Hampton Roads District Office and the U.S. Navy and was approved by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)-Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division (EFLHD) on August 14, 2013. All parties found that it adequately addresses the impacts from the Project and the proposed LACCs.
- The Project is in compliance with National Environmental Policy Act requirements and the Environmental Assessment for the Project was approved by the U.S. Navy on February 20, 2013, and the FHWA–EFLHD on February 28, 2013.
- The Project is located within a non-attainment area. FHWA-EFLHD approved the Air Quality Analysis on February 28, 2013, concluded that the Project impacts are below the de minimis levels of the Clean Air Act's General Conformity Rule, and determined that the Project will meet all applicable air quality analysis and conformity requirements, and will not cause or contribute to a violation of the National Ambient Air Quality Standards as established by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.
- The Project is in the City of Norfolk located on property owned by the U.S. Navy and the U.S. Navy Senior Project Manager has provided support for the proposed LACCs by email dated May 31, 2022 (attached).
- FHWA provided the approval for State Highway Projects R000-122-108, P101, R201, C501, B601, B602, B603, B604, B605, B606, and 0564-122-284, R201, C501, B607, B608, B609, B610, B611, B612 and the proposed LACCs on January, 20, 2023.
- VDOT's Chief Engineer has determined that the proposed LACCs will not adversely affect the safety or operation of the highways.
- The proposed LACCs are in compliance with § 33.2-401 of the *Code of Virginia* and with the policies and requirements of the CTB contained in 24 VAC 30-401-10 *et seq.*

**Recommendations:** It is recommended, pursuant to § 33.2-401 of the *Code of Virginia*, and 24 VAC 30-401-10 *et seq.*, that I-564 and the Intermodal Connector continue to be designated as Limited Access Highways with the LACCs modified and/or established as shown on the attached exhibits. This action will modify the limited access line and right of way previously approved by the CTB on December 9, 2015.

Action Required by CTB: The *Code of Virginia* § 33.2-401 and 24 VAC 30-401-10 *et seq.* require a majority vote of the CTB to approve the recommended LACCs. The CTB will be presented with a resolution for a formal vote to approve the LACCs for the Project and to provide the Commissioner of Highways the requisite authority to execute all documents necessary to implement the LACCs as described in the resolution.

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**Result, if Approved:** The Commissioner of Highways will be authorized to execute any and all documents needed to comply with the resolution, and implement the described LACCs.

**Options:** Approve, Deny, or Defer.

**Public Comments/Reactions:** The Willingness expired on August 17, 2022, with no comments or other input from the public.

#### Minutes of the Neeting of the State Highway Commission of Virginia, held in Richmond Optober 4, 1955

The Coundsalon met in the Central Office Brilding, Hickmond, Virginia, at 9:00 A.K., Thursday, October 4, 1956. The following members were presents Nessrs. E. P. Barrow, S. S. Flythe, S. D. Nay, Bargess E. Welson, We. A. Wright and J. A. Anderson.

The mosting was called to order by the Chairman,

The Chairman read a letter from Mr. Howard C. Regars stating that he would not be able to attend because of illness.

On motion made and seconded, the minutes of the August 9-10 moting were approved.

Noved by Mr. May, seconded by Mr. Barrow, that the permits issued from the August 9-10 meeting to date, inclusive, as recorded in the Auditing Division, be approved. Motion carried.

Noved by Mr. May, accorded by Mr. Barrow, that the permits cancelled by the Commissioner from the August 9-10 meeting to date, inclusive, as authorized June 25, 1947, and recorded in the Auditing Division, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Senator Welson, accorded by Senator Wright, that the Consistion confirm sward of contract on bids received August 15 for the construction of Project 1587-15-16, Route 615, Bridge and Approaches Three Greek, Southampton County, to the low hidder, Morfolk Contracting Co., Morfolk, Ve., at the bid of \$102,949.41, that 105 additional be set aside to cover the cost of engineering and additional work and \$1,054.54 for work by the A. & D. Railroad, making a total of approximately \$114,500,00 chargeable to this project; to be financed 50/50 State and Federal. Notion carried.

Noved by Senator Wright, seconded by Mr. Barrow, that the Countersion confirm award of contract on bids received August 15 for the construction of Project 1307-24, Route 600, S. End of Bridge over Claybons Mill Creak-0.664 Mile N. Rockbridge County Line, Augusta County, to the low bidler, Echols Brothers, Inc., Staunton, Va., at the bid of \$67,455.15 and that 105 additional be set aside to cover the cost of engineering and additional work, making a total of approximately \$74,180.00 chargeable to this project; to be financed 50/50 State and Federal. Notion carried.

Noved by Mr. Berrow, seconded by Mr. Flythe, that the Cosmission confirm award of contract on bids received August 15 for the construction of Project 1551-10, Routes 651; 640, 0.01 Mile E. of W. Int. Route 661, (E. of Pissaro)-Franklin County Mane, Floyd County, to the low bidder, D. E. Worlay Construction Co., Rocky Nount, Va., at the bid of \$127,855.70, that 105 additional be set askis to cover the cost of engineering and additional work and 31,225.60 for work by State Forces (not included in contract), making a total of approximately \$141,960.00 chargeable to this project; to be financed with \$71,580.00 State and \$70,520.00 Federal Funds.

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Moved by Mr. Flythe, seconded by Sanator Welson, that, Whereas, under suthority of Section 55-115.2 of the 1950 Code of Virginis, as anomaled, request is made by City of Warwick for payment at the base rate of '500 per Hile annually on additional streets meeting the required standards; Now, Therefore, be it resolved, that quarterly payments at the base rate of \$500 Per Hile annually be made to the City of Warwick on additional streets totaling 11.20 miles, effective beginning the second quarter, October 1, 1956. Motion carried,

Hoved by Mr. Flythis, seconded by Senator Nelson, that, Whereas, under authority of Section 35-115.2 of the 1950 Code of Virginia, as anended, request is made by City of Maynemboro for payment at the base rate of 9500 per Mile annually on additional streets meeting the required standards; Now, Therefore, be it resolved, that quarterly payments at the base rate of \$500 Per Mile annually be made to the City of Waynesboro on additional streets totaling 10.512 miles, effective beginning the second quarter, October 1, 1956. Notion carried.

Noved by Mr. Flythe, seconded by Senator Melson, that, Whereas, under authority of Section 55-115.2 of the 1950 Code of Virginia, as sneeded, request is made by the Town of Wytheville for payment at the base rate of \$500 Per Mile annually on additional streets meeting the required standards; Now, Therefore, be it resolved, that quarterly payments at the base rate of \$500 Per Mile annually be made to the Town of Wytheville on additional streets totaling 0.984 Mile, affective beginning the second quarter, October 1, 1956. Motion carried.

Noved by Mr. Flythe, seconded by Senator Melson, that, it so be declared that, Whereas, by action of the Congress of the United States, whereby all routes on the Mational System of Interstate and Dafaness Highways are to be constructed to interstate standards and whereas, one of the requirements of interstate standards is the control of access to these routes; Therefore, be it resolved that all routes on the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways within the confines of the Commonwealth of Virginia, upon determining the final location of and routes, including all necessary grade separations, interchanges, ramps, etc., are here and now designated Manited Access Highways, pursuant to Article 5, Chapter 1, Title 35, of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amanded, Notion parried.

On motion made by Senator Welson, seconded by Mr. Barrow, the Chairman was instructed to report to the Burean of Public Roads, at a meeting called for October 9, that the Virginia Department of Highways will undertake one-third of the cost of operation and maintenance of the proposed bridge over the Potomac River at Jones Point, with the thought that the other two-thirds shall be borne by the State of Maryland and the District of Columbia. This could be handled by written agreement looking to appropriate Federal Legislation.



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 1401 EAST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23219 2000

Charles A. Kilpatrick, P.E. Commissioner

December 1, 2015

The Honorable Aubrey L. Layne, Jr. The Honorable Charles A. Kilpatrick, P. E. The Honorable John F. Reinhart The Honorable Jennifer Mitchell The Honorable John K. Matney The Honorable Henry "Hap" Conners, Jr. The Honorable Alison DeTunca The Honorable Shannon Valentine The Honorable Gary Garczynski The Honorable Carlos M. Brown The Honorable William H. Fralin, Jr. The Honorable F. Dixon Whitworth, Jr. The Honorable E. Scott Kasprowicz The Honorable James W. Dyke, Jr. The Honorable Court G. Rosen The Honorable Marty Williams The Honorable John Malbon

Subject: Approval of Limited Access Control Change (LACC) for I-564 Intermodal Connector Project in the City of Norfolk.

Dear Commonwealth Transportation Board Members:

The Department initiated the above request for a limited access control for your consideration. The proposed limited access control changes shown above on the plans for State Project 0564-122-284, R201, C501, B609, B610, B612, B611, B608, B607 and State Project R000-122-108, P101, R201 have been determined as a necessary design feature and approved by the Department's staff in conjunction with the proposed improvements at Naval Station Norfolk to improve traffic flow in the Hampton Roads region.

I have reviewed the staff's recommendations and determined that approving this modification of the limited access control will not adversely affect the safety or operation of the affected highway network. I have determined that this request should be considered by the Board.

Sincerely,

Garrett W. Moore, P.E. Chief Engineer

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#### RESOLUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD

#### **December 9, 2015**

#### **MOTION**

#### <u>Made By:</u> Mr. Malbon, <u>Seconded By:</u> Ms. Valentine <u>Action:</u> Motion Carried, Unanimously

#### <u>Title: Approval of Proposed Limited Access Control Changes</u> (LACCs) for Interstate 564 Intermodal Connector Project City of Norfolk

WHEREAS, a Design Public Hearing was held at Sewells Point Elementary School in Norfolk, Virginia on August 25, 2015, between 5:00 pm and 7:00 pm for the purpose of considering the proposed State Highway Project 0564-122-284, R201, C-501, B609, B610, B612, B611, B608, B607, UPC 104000 and State Project R000-122-108, P101, R201, UPC 18968 ("I-564 Intermodal Connector Project" or "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the proposed Project involves design and construction of a new 2.82-mile, four-lane limited access highway in the City of Norfolk, from Interstate 564 (I-564) to Virginia Avenue; and

WHEREAS, on October 4, 1956, the State Highway Commission, predecessor to the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB), designated the Interstate Highway System to be Limited Access Highways and in accordance with §33.2-401 of the *Code of Virginia*, established that the limited access line locations and limits shall be as shown on the final engineering plans for the original highway project construction on the interstates, including I-564.

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WHEREAS, the Project consists of the design and construction of a divided connector from I-564 to Naval Station Norfolk (NSN) and to Norfolk International Terminals (NIT) in order to improve traffic flow in the Hampton roads region, including new bridges and local connectors and reconfiguring a Commercial Vehicle Inspection Station (CVIS) for Naval Station Norfolk (NSN), relocating the NSN Gate 6 (entry control point) and the NSN Patrol Road, constructing a new access road to the Virginia Port Authority's North Gate Terminal, and to shift the existing limited access control of I-564 and to establish new limited access control along the Intermodal Connector as part of the design features of the project (collectively, the Limited Access Control Changes or LACCs); and

WHEREAS, proper notice of the Design Public Hearing was given in advance, and all those present were given a full opportunity to express their opinions and recommendations for or against the proposed project as presented, and their statements being duly recorded; and

WHEREAS, the economic, social and environmental effects of the proposed project have been duly examined and given proper consideration, and this evidence, along with all other, including the traffic analysis supported by the Interchange Justification Report, approved by the FHWA on August 14, 2013, has been carefully reviewed; and

WHEREAS, this project is in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requirements and an Environmental Assessment has been developed in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and in accordance with federal guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the City of Norfolk's Director of Public Works has, by letter dated October 7, 2015, endorsed the project and the proposed LACCs as presented at the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, the FHWA and Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division (EFLHD) have provided the requisite approval for State Highway Projects 0564-122-284, R201, C-501, B609, B610, B612, B611, B608, B607, UPC 104000 and State Highway Project R000-122-108, P101, R201, UPC 18968 and the proposed LACCs; and

WHEREAS, VDOT recommends approval of the modification of the Limited Access Control along I-564 and the establishment of Limited Access Control along the Intermodal Connector, as shown on the Design Public Hearing Plans and the attached displays and the limited access control point table.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, in accordance with the statutes of the Commonwealth of Virginia and policies of the CTB, that the CTB hereby finds and concurs in the determinations and recommendations of VDOT made herein and directs that the I-564 corridor continue to be designated as a Limited Access Highway and designates the Intermodal Connector as a Limited Access Highway with the Limited Access Control being modified and/or

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established as proposed and presented at the public hearing and shown on the attached limited access control point table.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, the Commissioner of Highways is authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to implement such changes.

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Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2022 1:33 PM
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Cc: Clark, Aaron M CIV USN NAVFAC MIDLANT NOR (USA) <a href="mailto:aaron.m.clark62.civ@us.navy.mil">aaron.m.clark62.civ@us.navy.mil</a>; Brewster,
Deborah L (Deb) CIV USN NAVFAC MIDLANT NOR (USA) <<u>deborah.l.brewster3.civ@us.navy.mil</u>>; Brewster,
Subject: RE: [Non-DoD Source] UPC 18968 - I-564 IMC Easement Plats

#### Frank,

The Navy comments have been incorporated into I564 Easement Plats, therefore the Navy accepts the Plats.

#### Chris

v/r Chris Ceniccola, PMP NAVFAC MIDLANT Design and Construction Core DC22, Senior Project Manager Telephone: (757) 619-4913 E-mail <u>christopher.ceniccola.civ@us.navy.mil</u>

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### LIMITED ACCESS CONTROL POINT I-564 INTERMODAL CONNECTOR CITY OF NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

PLAN SHEET	BASELINE	STATION	OFFSET (FT)	LEFT/RIGHT
2 of 30	GATE 6 / RAMP A	312+90.23	57.59	LT
7 of 30	CVIS B	200+25.00	8.00	LT
12 of 30	GATE 6 / RAMP A	320+96.92	97.41	LT
14 of 30	PUBLIC CONNECTOR ROAD	715+98.78	45.00	RT
14 of 30	PUBLIC CONNECTOR ROAD	715+25.00	61.86	LT
23 of 30	GATE 6 / RAMP A	332+05.60	133.75	LT
26 of 30	GATE 6 / RAMP A	342+89.66	93.63	LT
27 of 30	RAMP C	359+50.00	70.14	LT
28 of 30	RAMP C	365+16.79	67.63	LT
29 of 30	I-564	1101+43.73	185.19	LT
29 of 30	I-564	1102+38.32	155.02	LT
30 of 30	I-564	1113+61.33	120.57	LT
30 of 30	I-564	1115+54.64	182.83	LT

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January 3, 2023

Mr. Thomas Nelson, Jr. P.E. Division Administrator Federal Highway Administration P.O. Box 10249 400 N. 8<sup>th</sup> Street Room 750 Richmond, Virginia 23240-0249

Attention Ms. Janice L. Williams

Interstate I-564 I-564 Intermodal Connector Project: 0564-122-284, P101, R201, C501, B607-612 Federal Project Number NH-564-4(022) RW and NH-564-4(023) CN UPC 104000 City of Norfolk Request for Modified Limited Access Line

Dear Mr. Nelson,

As you are aware, the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) in conjunction with the Federal Highway Administration Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division (FHWA EFLHD) developed plans for the construction of the Intermodal Connector, which provided connectivity between Interstate I-564, Naval Station Norfolk (NSN) and the Port of Virginia (POV) in Norfolk Virginia. This Design-Build project was administered by FHWA EFLHD after preliminary development by VDOT. The project provided a new 2.82-mile four lane limited access facility between I-564 and Hampton Boulevard, as well as, various gates to NSN and POV, including an interchange with I-564. This highway is included in the National Highway System.

The Limited Access designation and limits were originally approved by the FHWA on November 18, 2015 and subsequently approved by the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB) on December 9, 2015. I-564 was designated as a Limited Access Highway by the State Highway Commission, predecessor to the Commonwealth Transportation Board (CTB), on October 4, 1956.

Mr. Thomas Nelson, Jr. P.E.. Project 0564-122-284, P101, R201, C501, B607-612 Federal Project: NH-564-4(0220 RW and NH-564-4(023) CN UPC 104000 City of Norfolk December 29, 2022 Page 2

Following construction of the project, modifications to the Limited Access Control Lines were requested by the United States Navy to improve security conditions along with creating improved access to their security fencing which was the basis of the Virginia Department of Transportation's (VDOT) maintenance responsibility limits. FHWA EFLHD and the Navy coordinated the new locations of the Limited Access Lines.

The proposed Project is in compliance with National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requirements. The Environmental Assessment for the Project was approved by the United States Navy on February 20, 2013, and the FHWA-EFLHD on February 28, 2013.

Therefore, VDOT is requesting your concurrence in modifications to the existing limited access lines along I-564 and the Intermodal Connector as shown on the attached exhibit and the control point table.

Attached please find a copy of the Title Sheet, a Location Map, exhibits showing each of the individual areas of LACC, and the Limited Access Point Table.

VDOT approves of the Limited Access Control Changes as shown on the exhibits and point control table. We are requesting your review and approval of these limited access changes so that the Commonwealth Transportation Board can approve the changes at their meeting on February 22, 2023.

If additional information is needed, please contact Mr. Richard C. Worssam, P.E. at 804.840.7059 or richard.worssam@vdot.virginia.gov.

Sincerely,

For Emmett R. Heltzel, PE

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Emmett R. Heltzel, P.E. State Location and Design Engineer

Enclosure Exhibits



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February 1, 2023

The Honorable W. Sheppard Miller, III The Honorable Stephen C. Brich, P. E. The Honorable Jennifer DeBruhl The Honorable Darrell Byers The Honorable Burwell W. Coleman The Honorable Tom Fowlkes The Honorable Mary Hughes Hynes The Honorable Bert Dodson, Jr. The Honorable Carlos M. Brown The Honorable H. Randolph Laird The Honorable Thomas Lawson The Honorable Mark H. Merrill The Honorable E. Scott Kasprowicz The Honorable Laura Sellers The Honorable Raymond D. Smoot, Jr. The Honorable Frederick T. Stant, III The Honorable Greg Yates

Subject: Approval of Limited Access Control Changes (LACCs) #2 for the I-564 and the Intermodal Connector in the City of Norfolk.

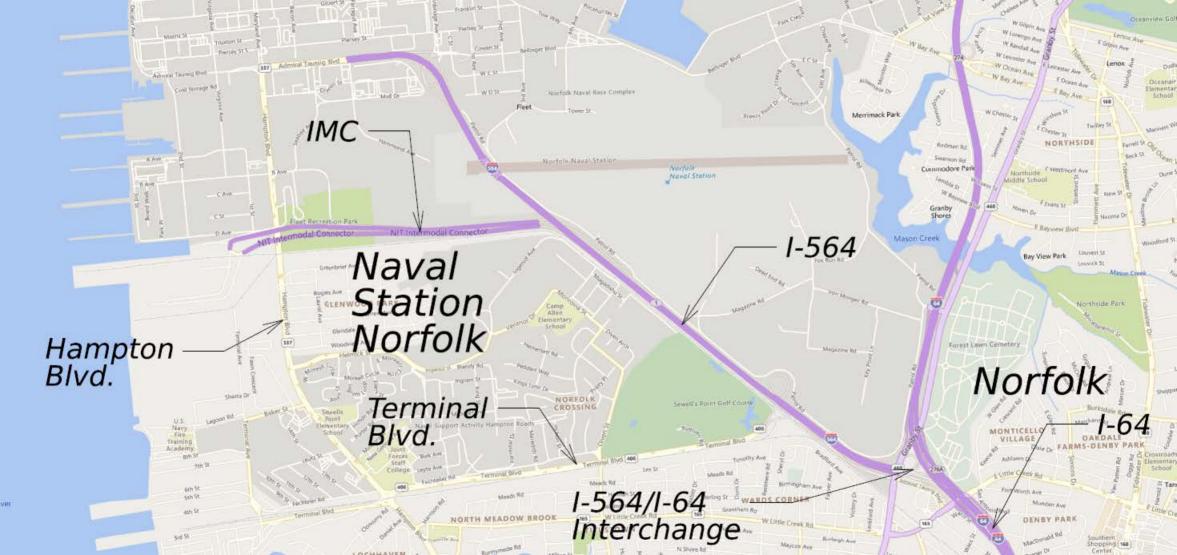
Dear Commonwealth Transportation Board Members:

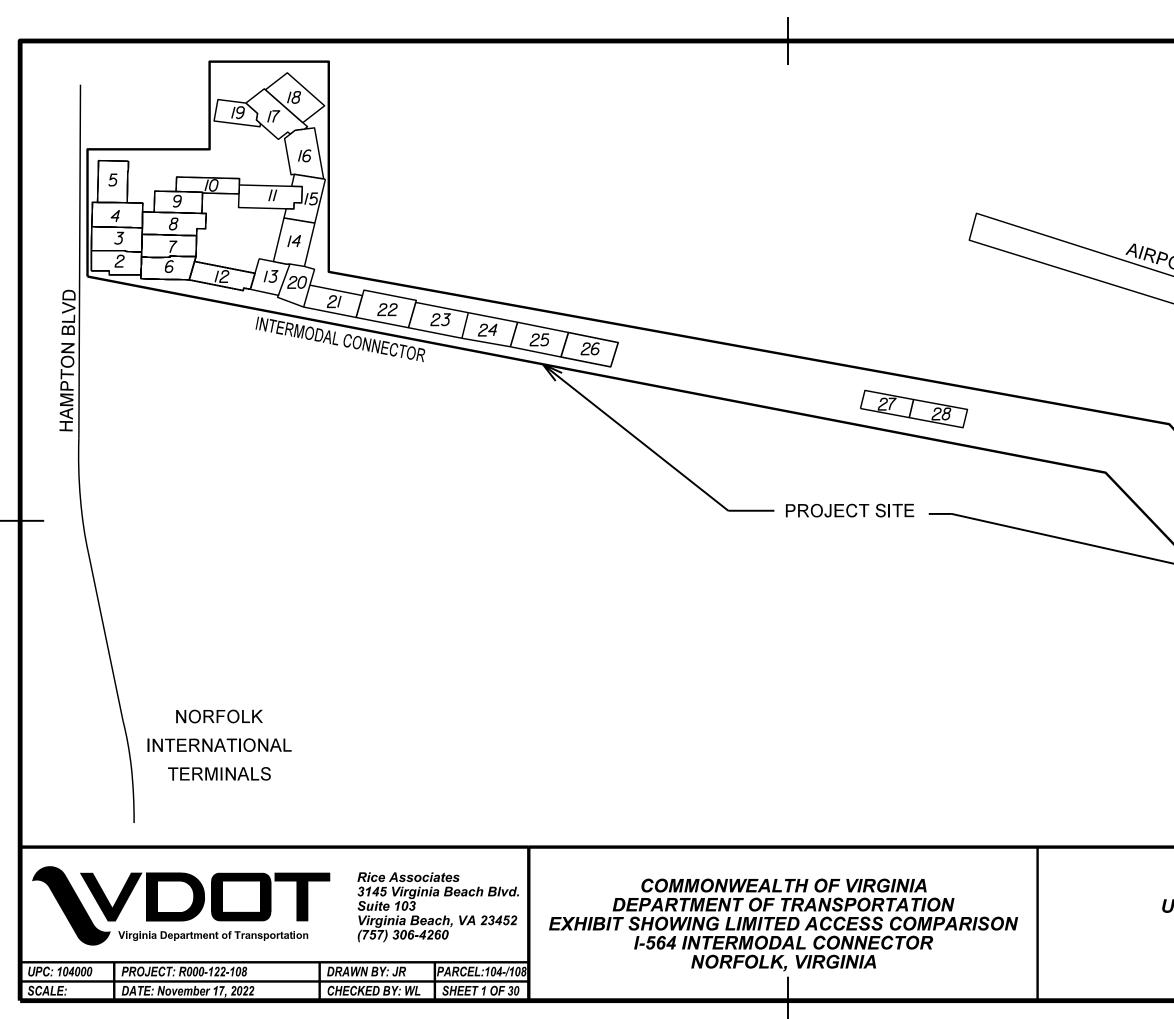
The Department has initiated the above request for LACCs for your consideration. The proposed LACCs on State Highway Projects R000-122-108, P101, R201, C501, B601, B602, B603, B604, B605, B606 (UPC# 18968) and 0564-122-284, R201, C501, B607, B608, B609, B610, B611, B612 (UPC# 104000), have been determined as a necessary design feature and recommended for approval by the Department's staff.

I have reviewed the staff's recommendations and determined that approving these LACCs will not adversely affect the safety or operation of the affected highway network. I have determined that this request should be considered by the Board.

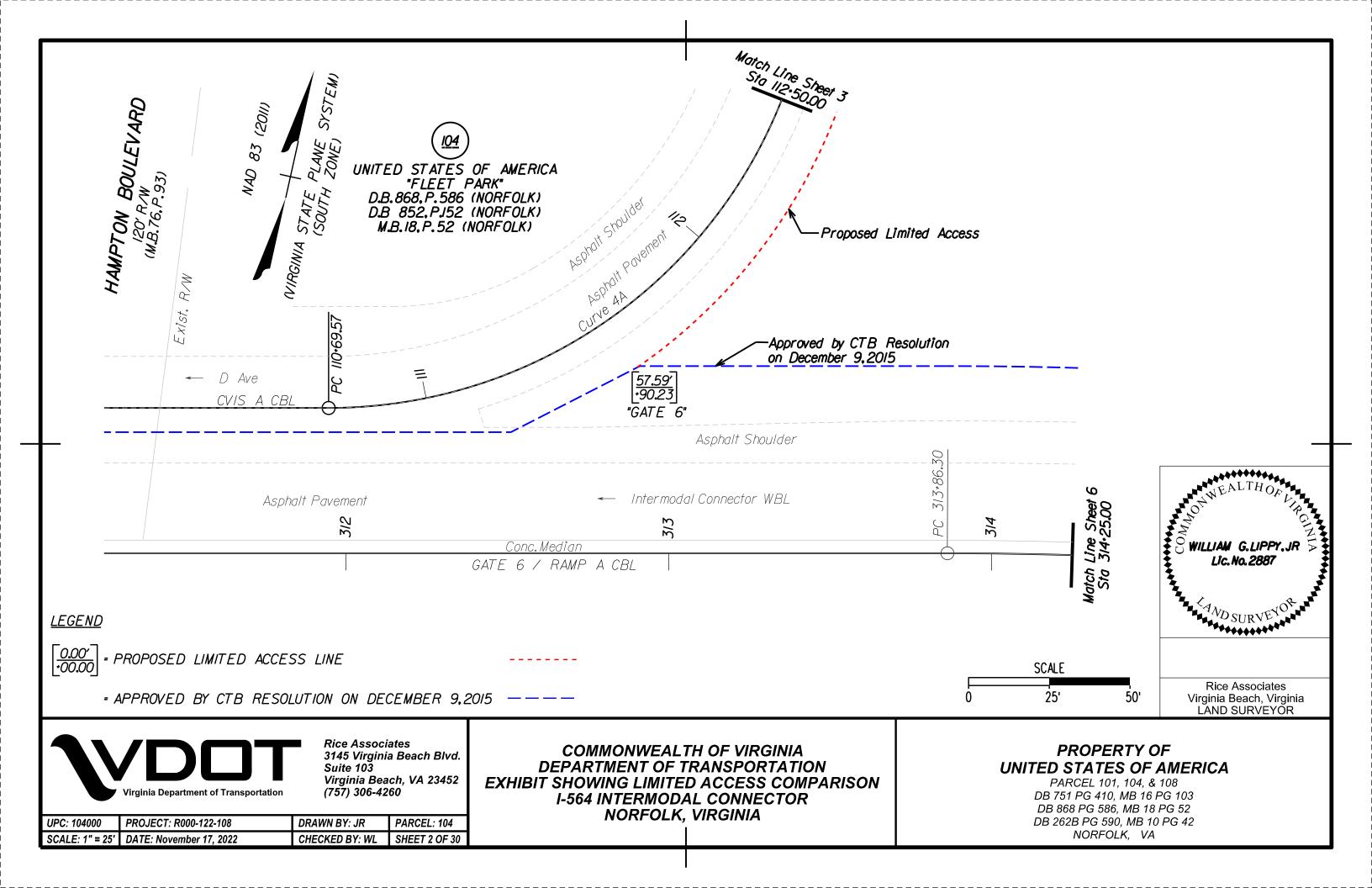
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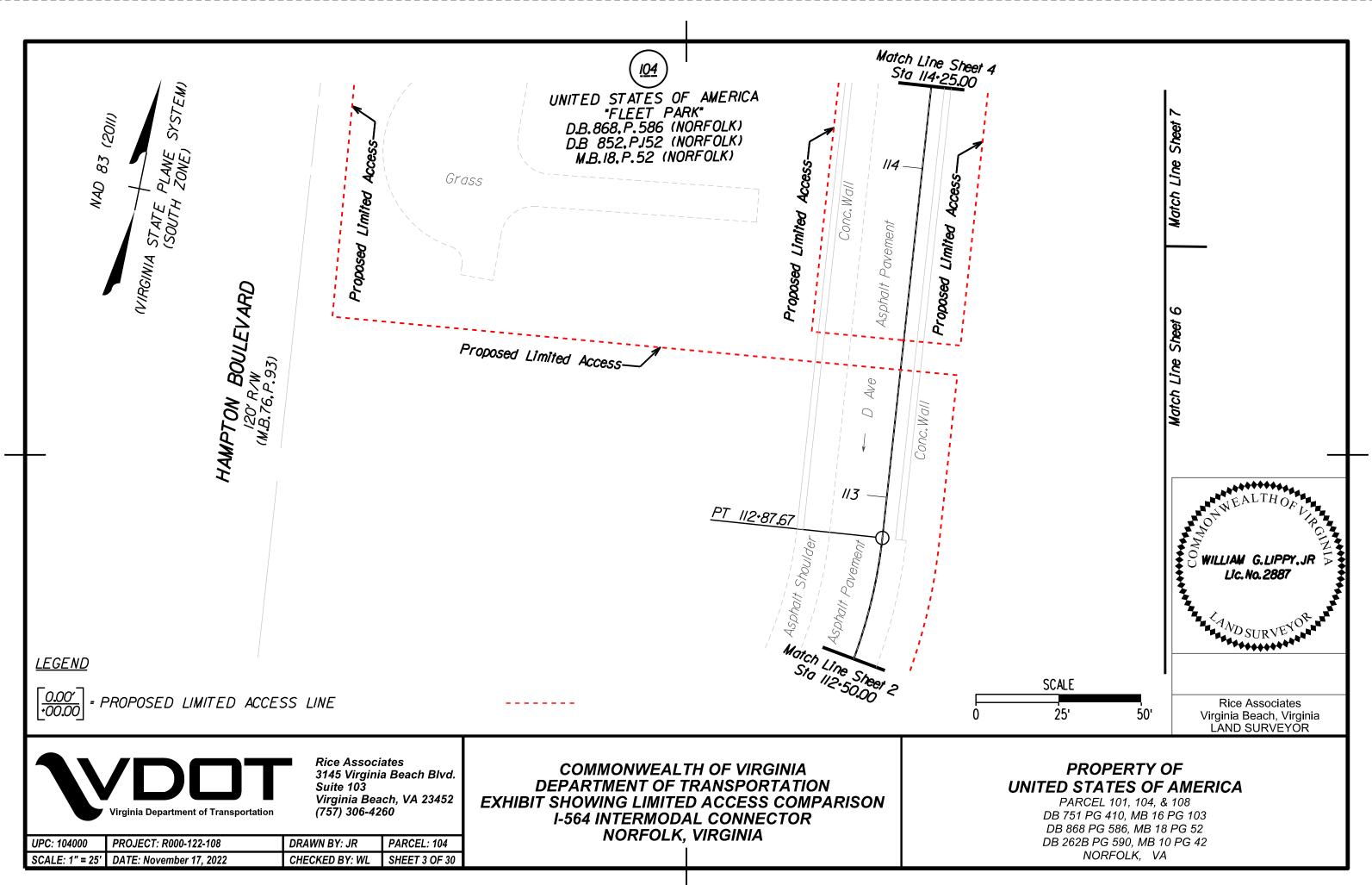
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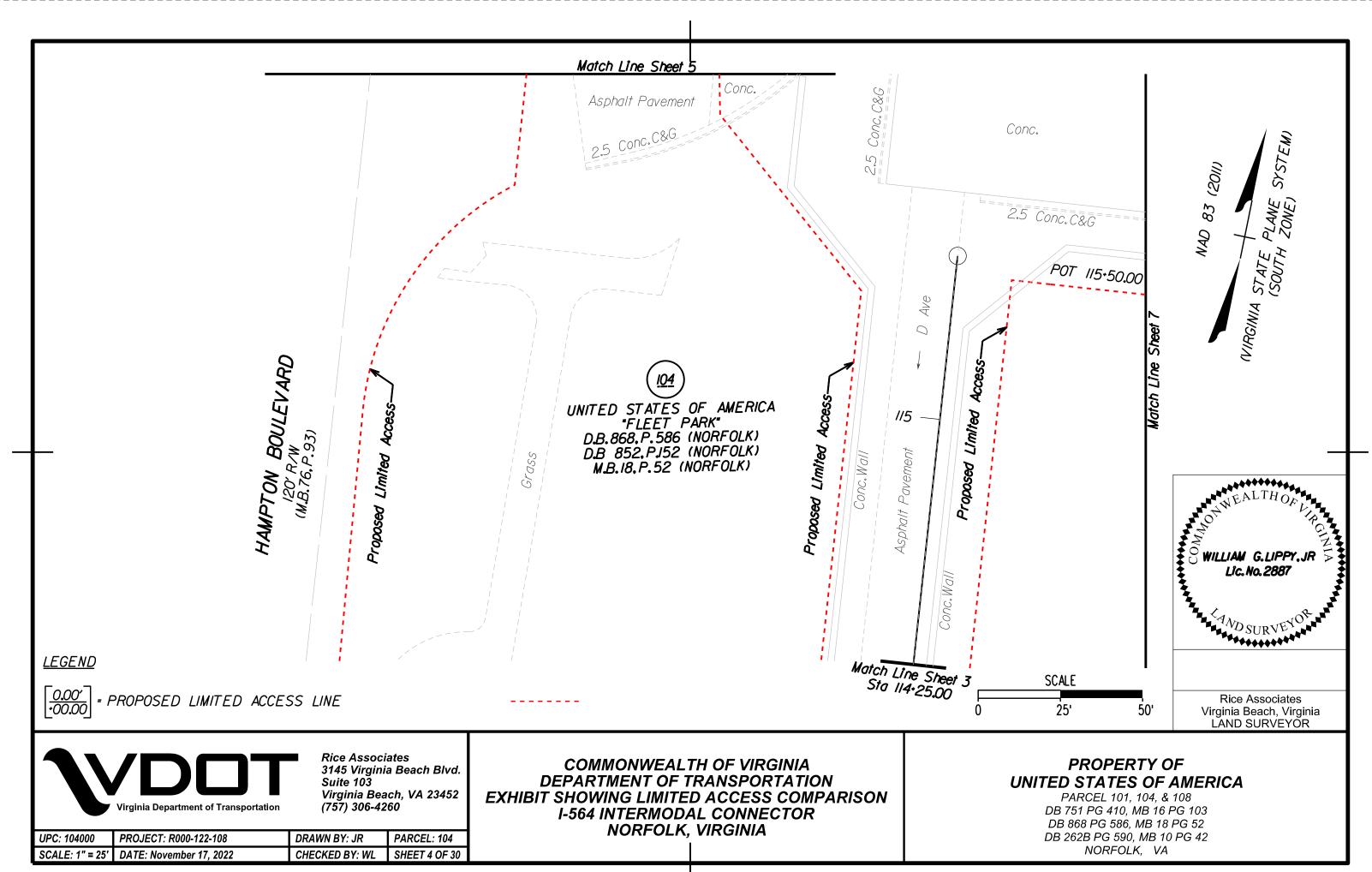


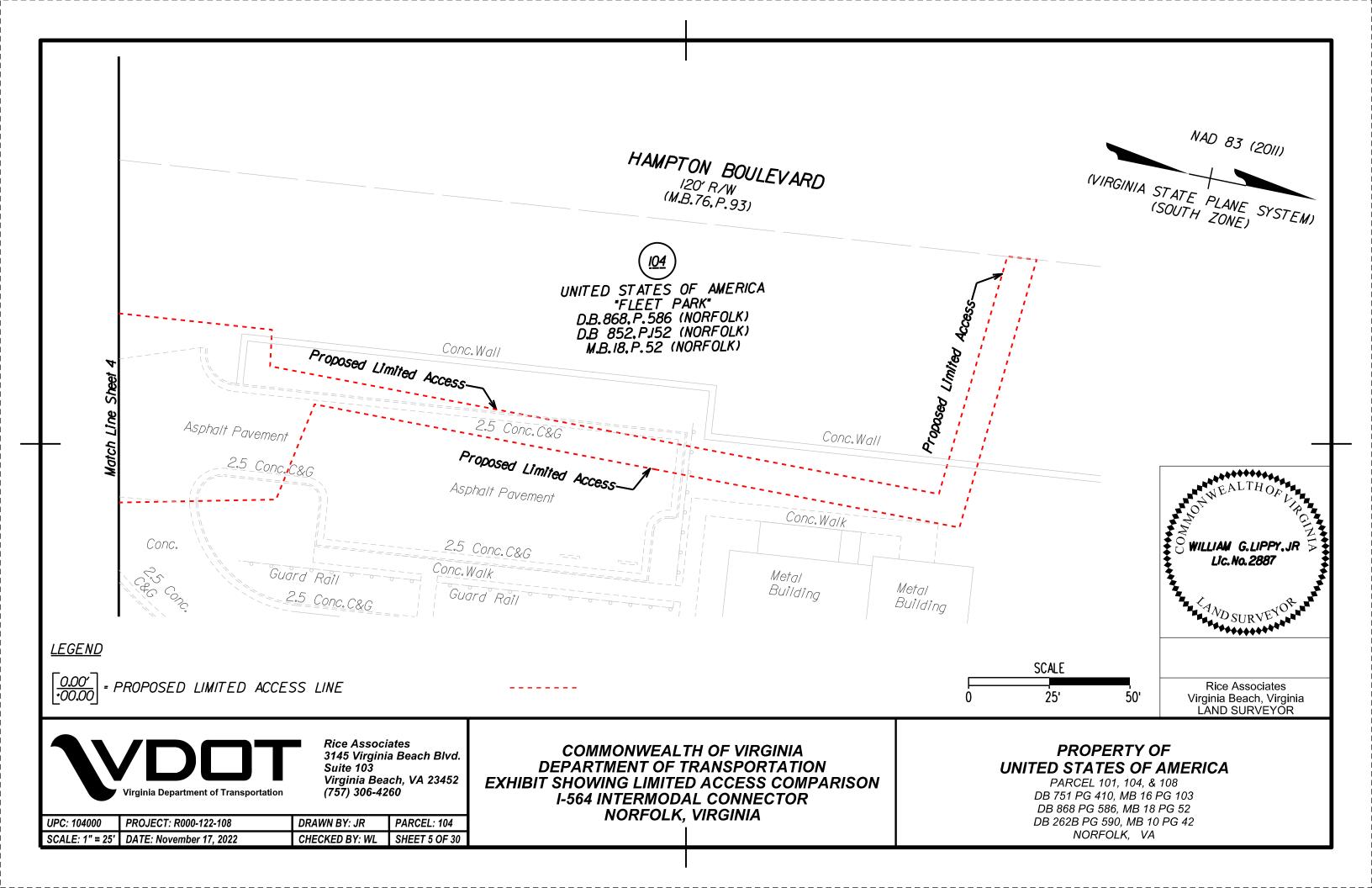


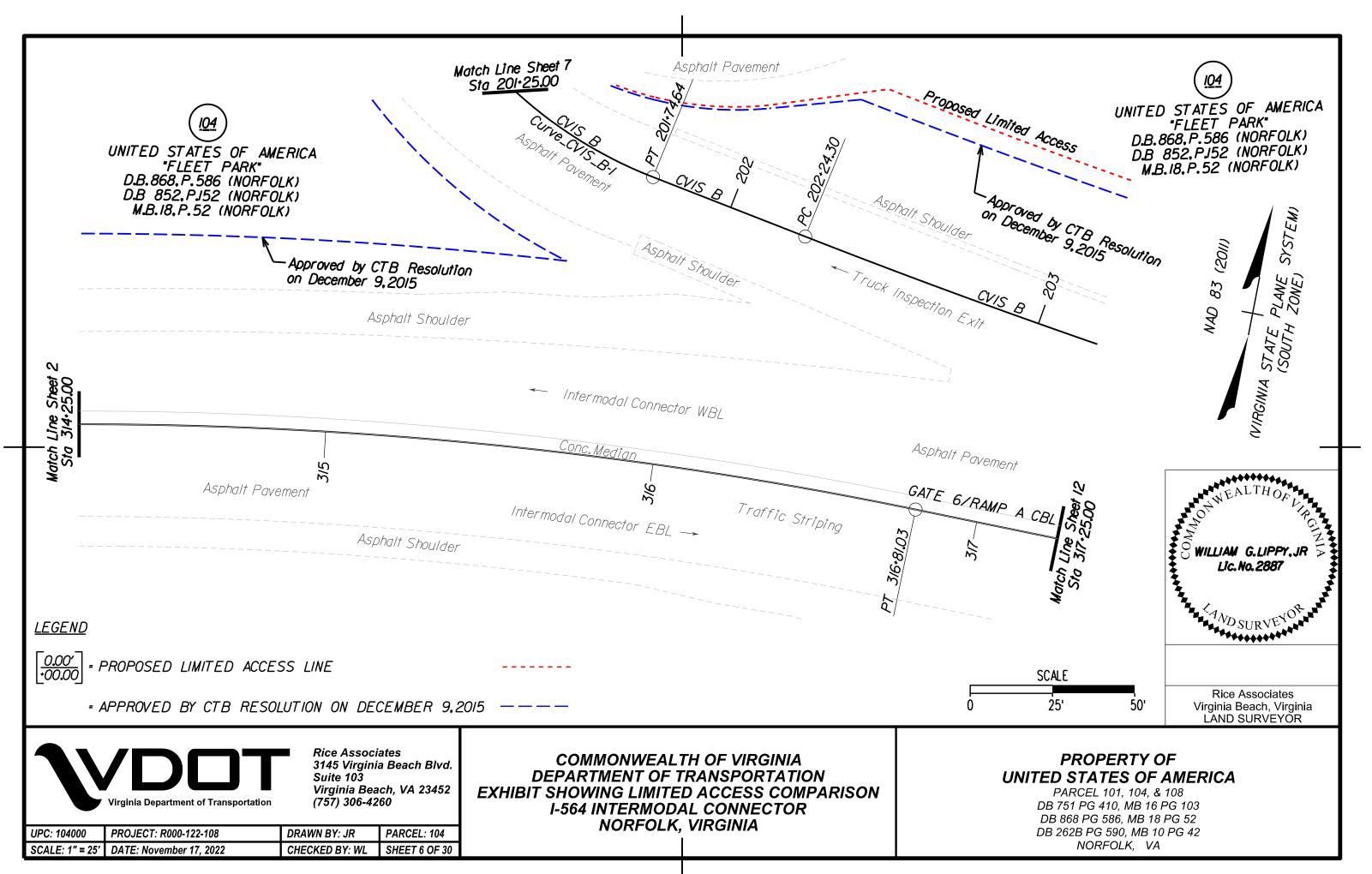
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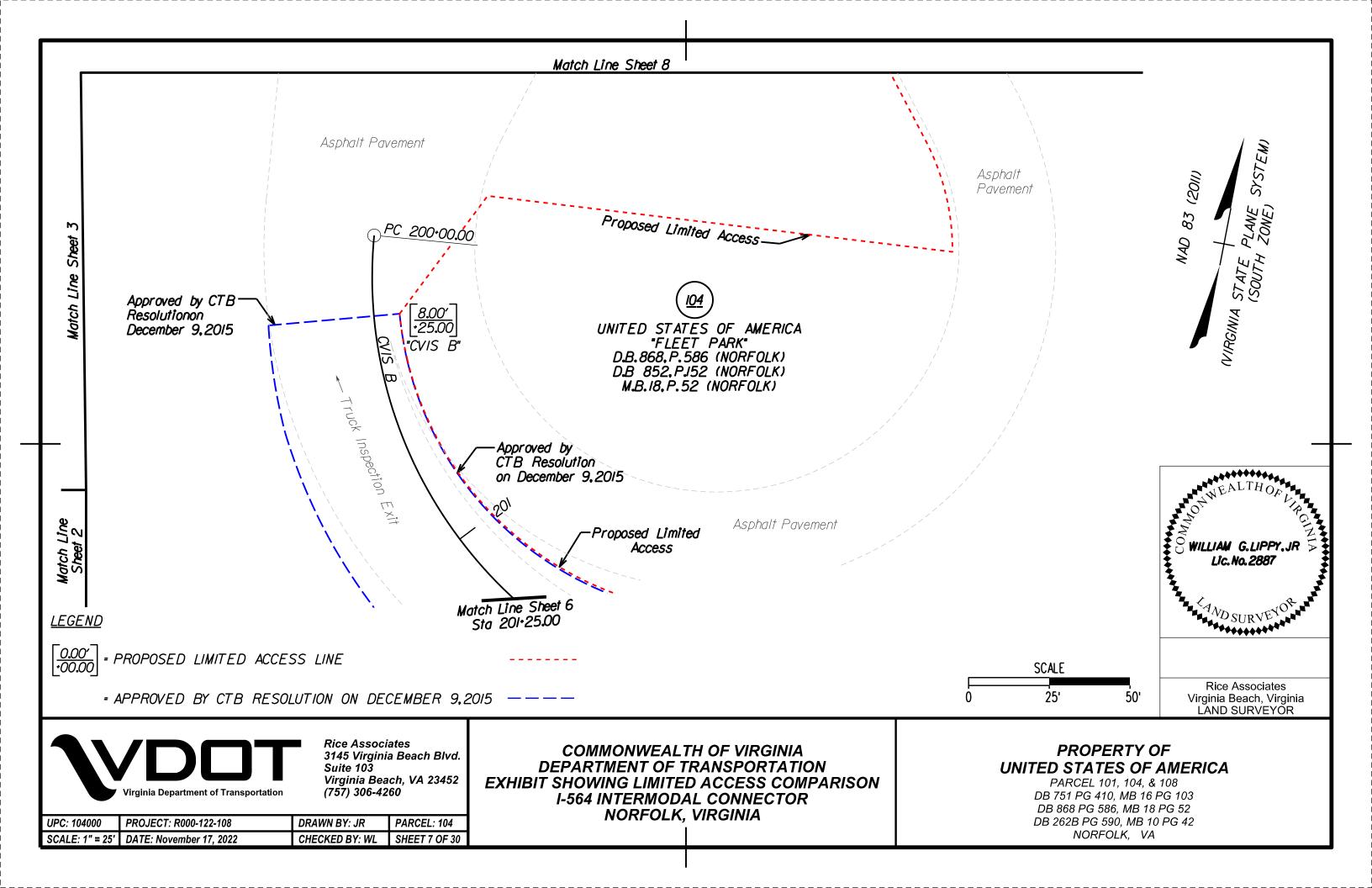


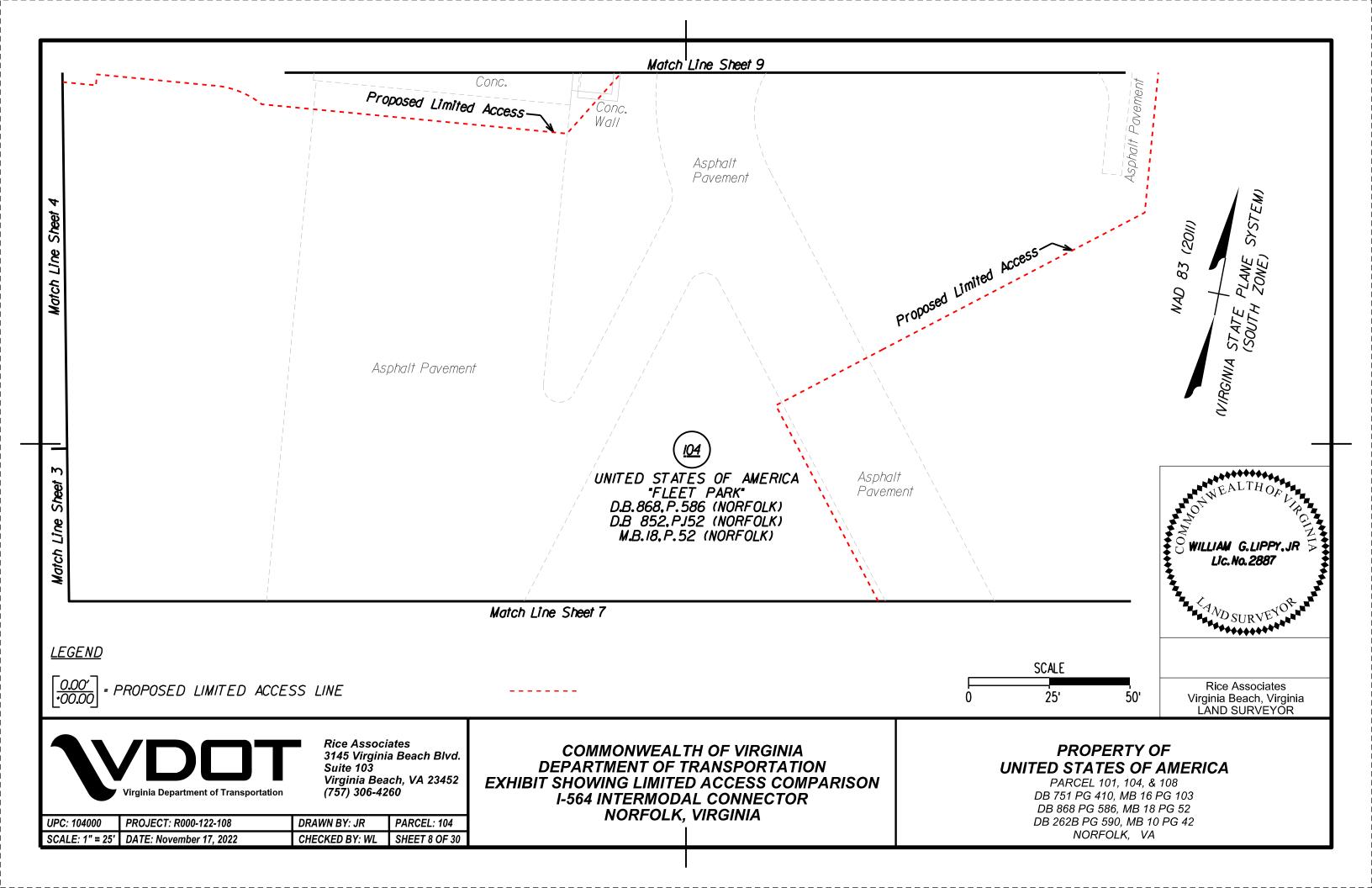


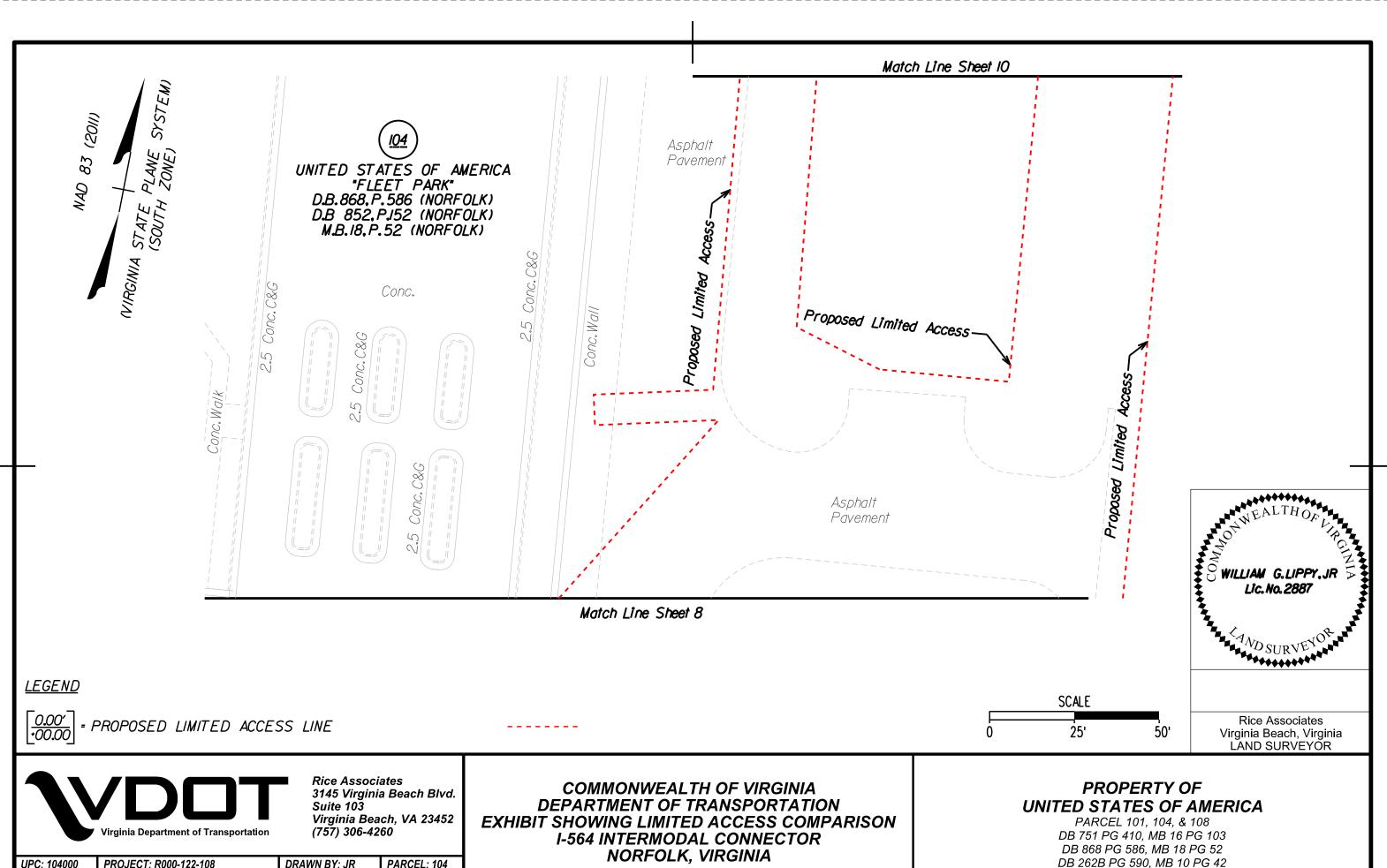








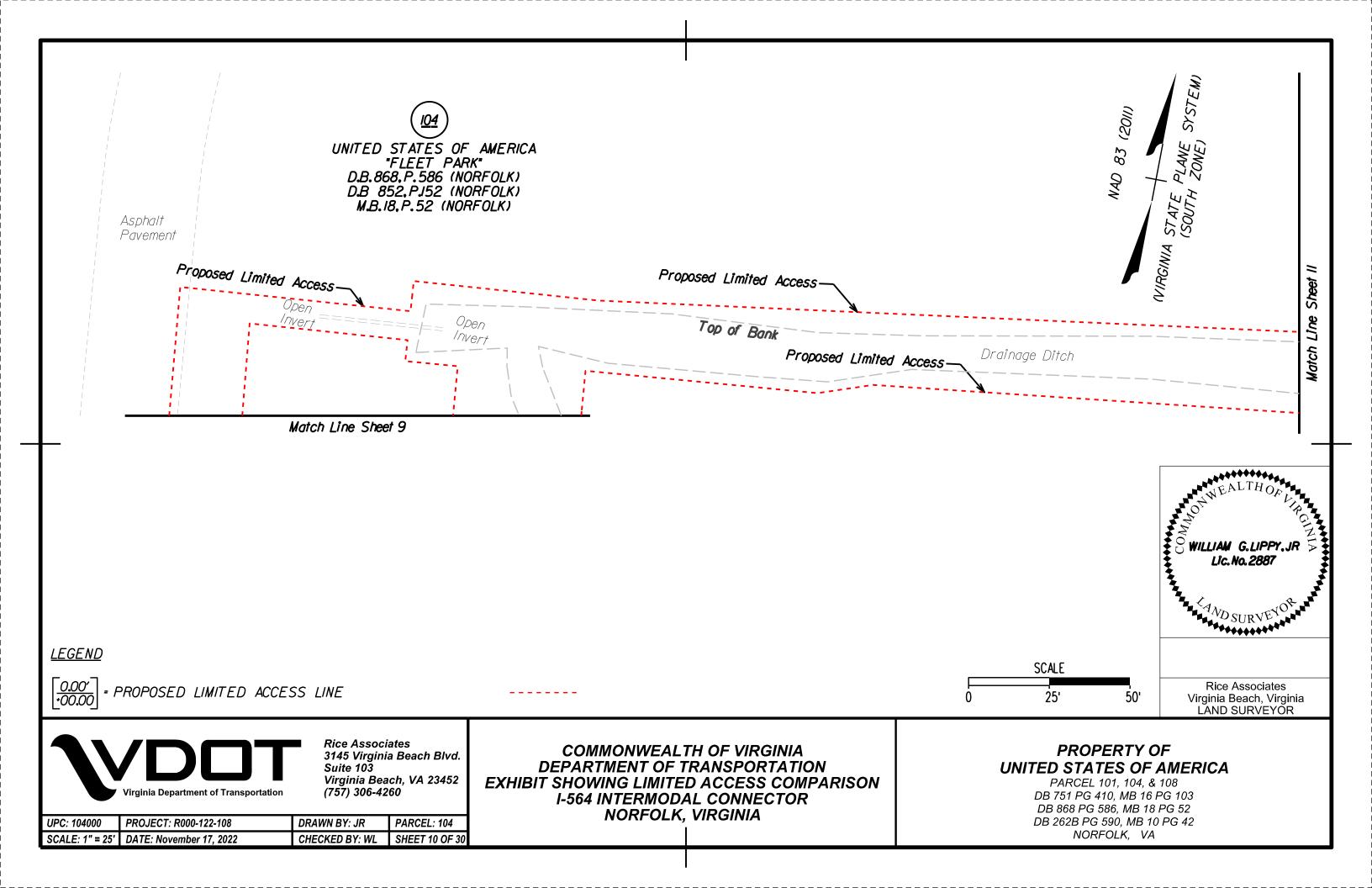


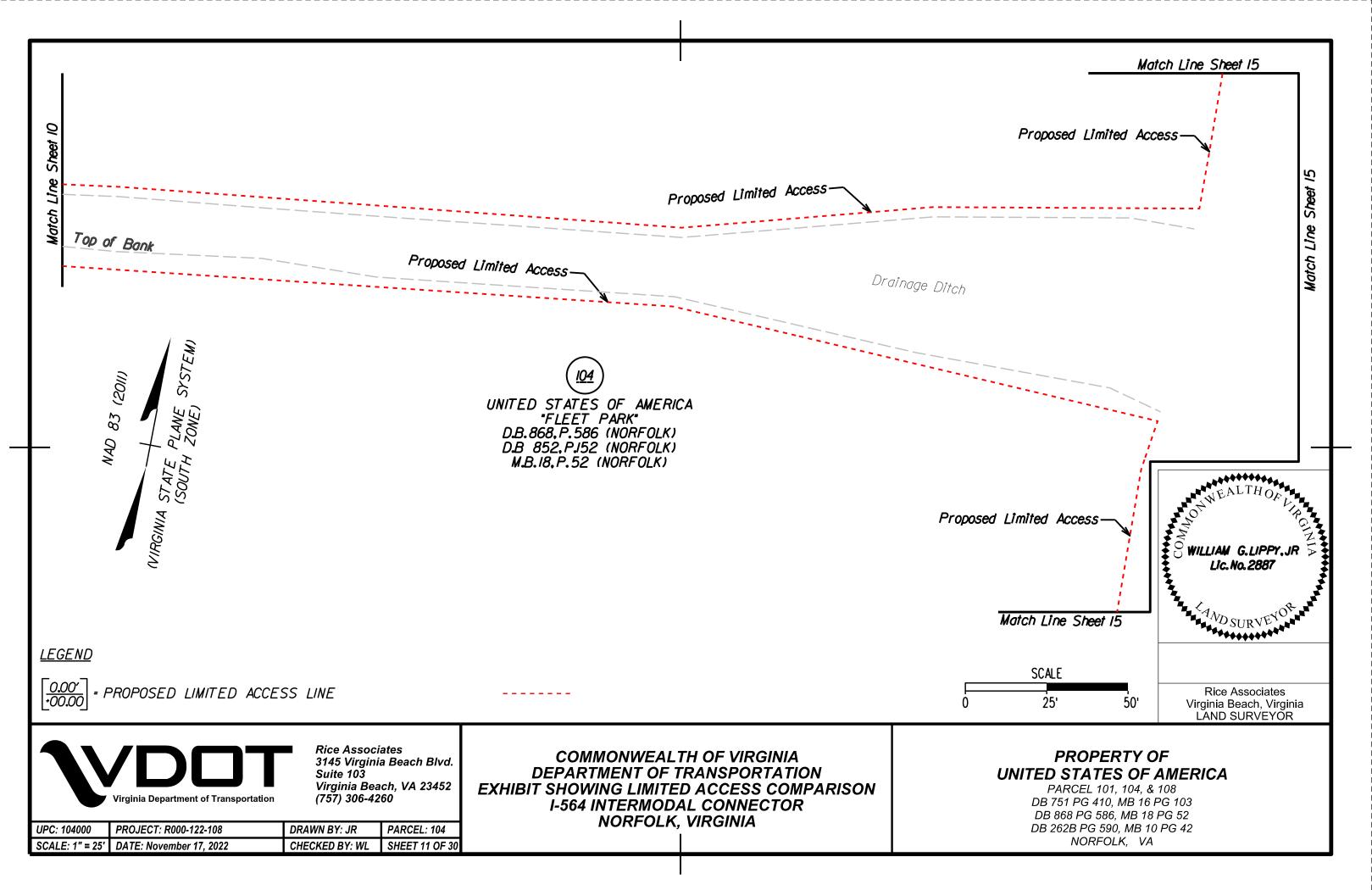


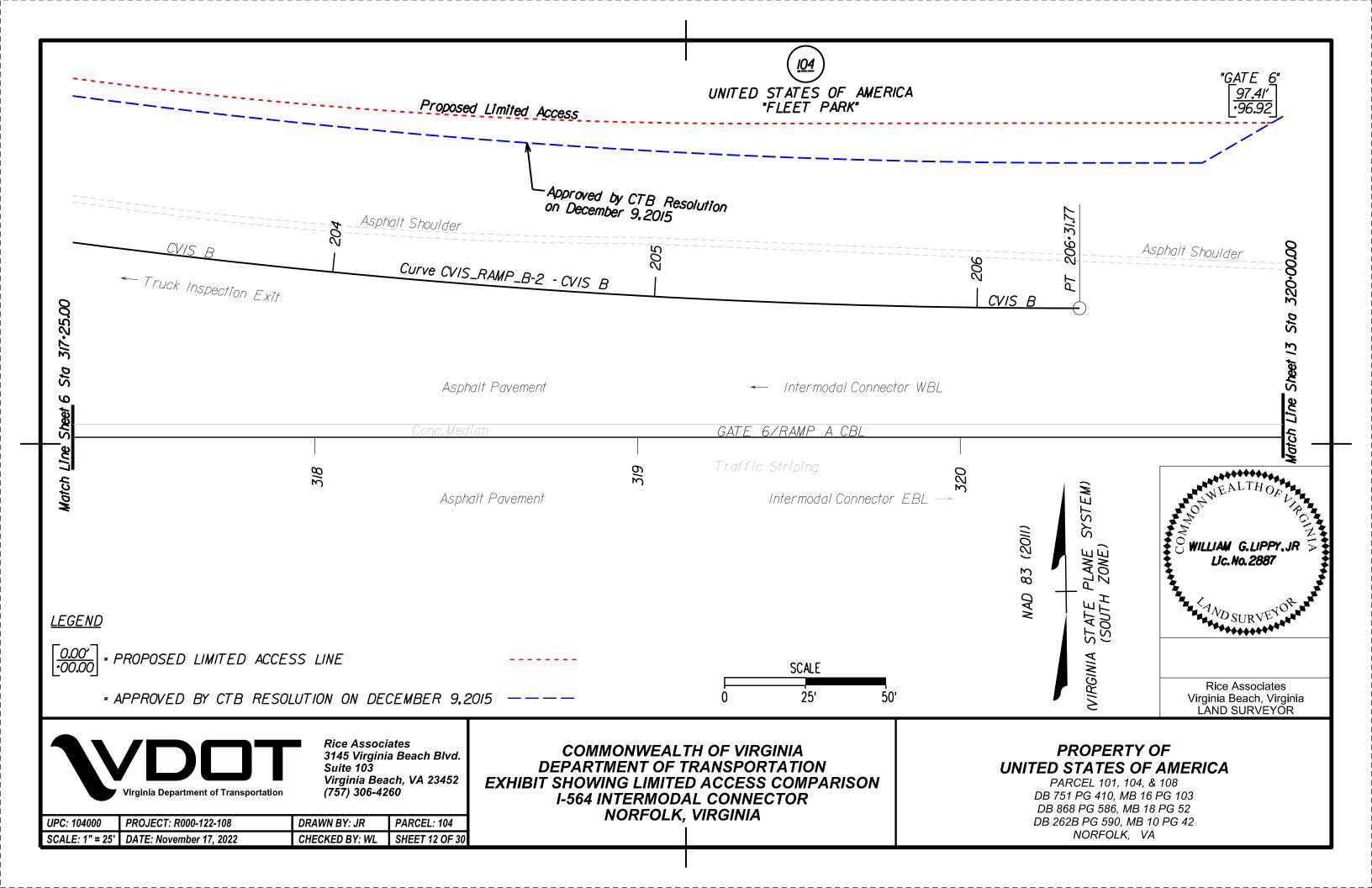
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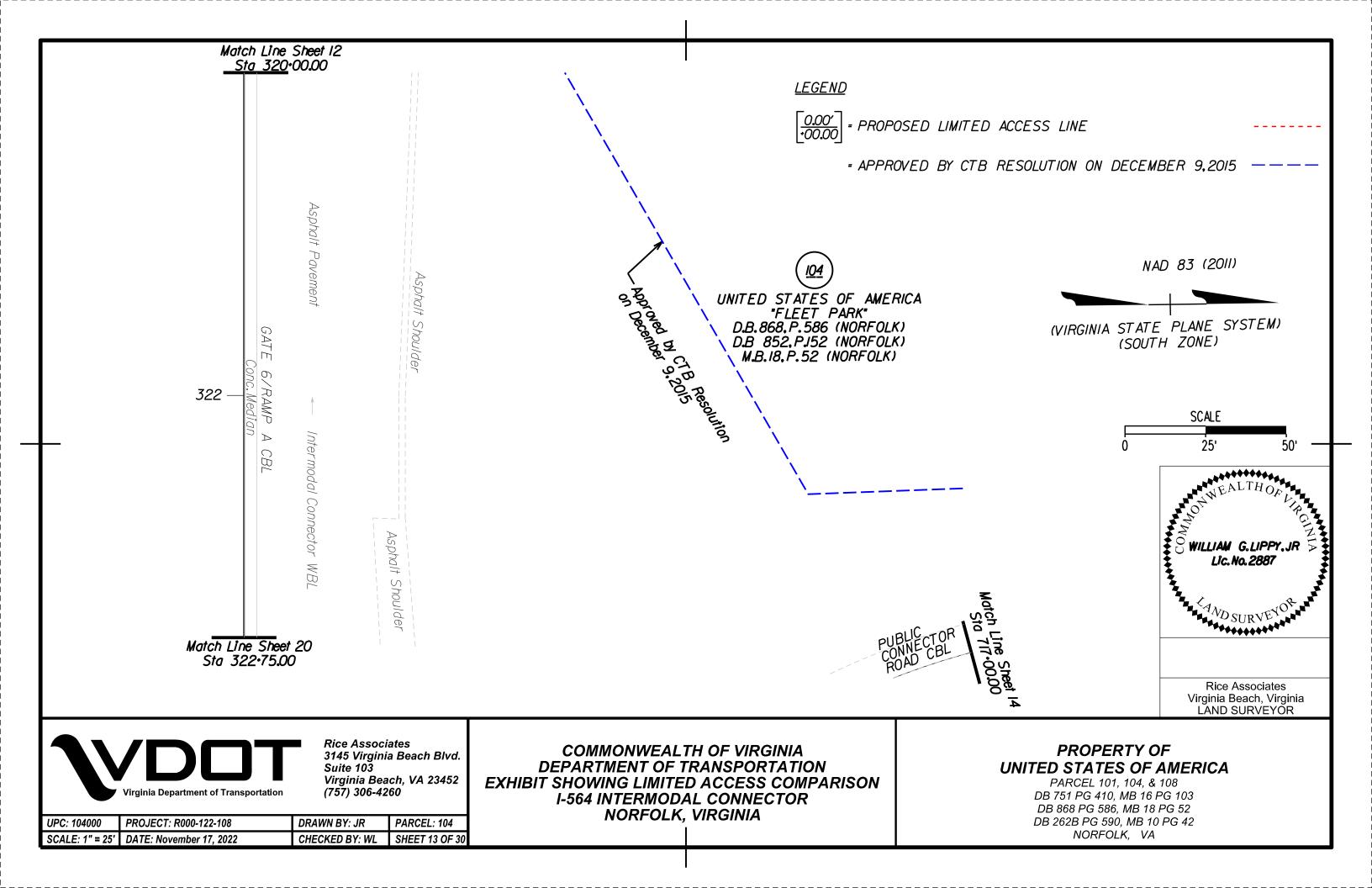
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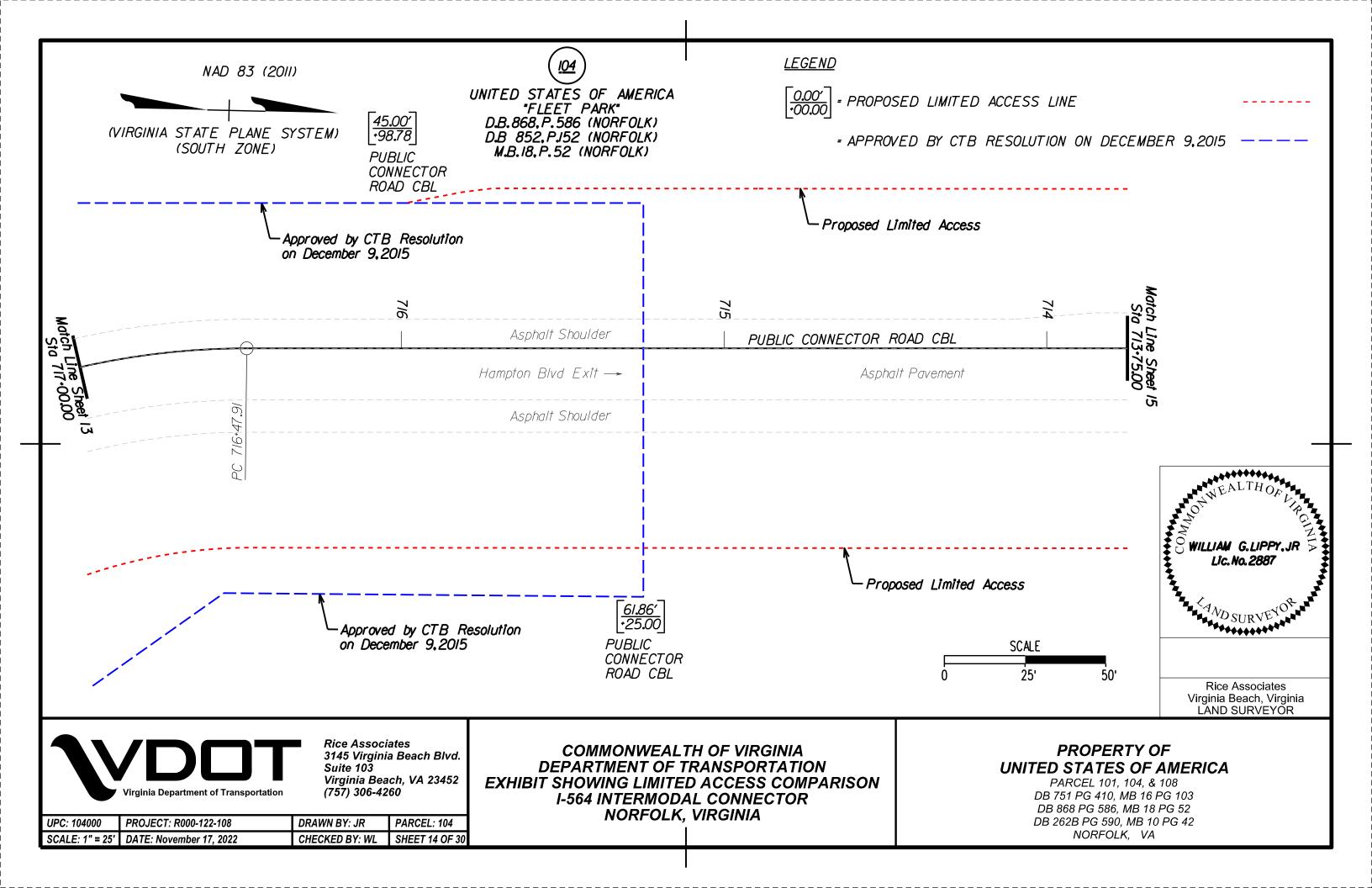
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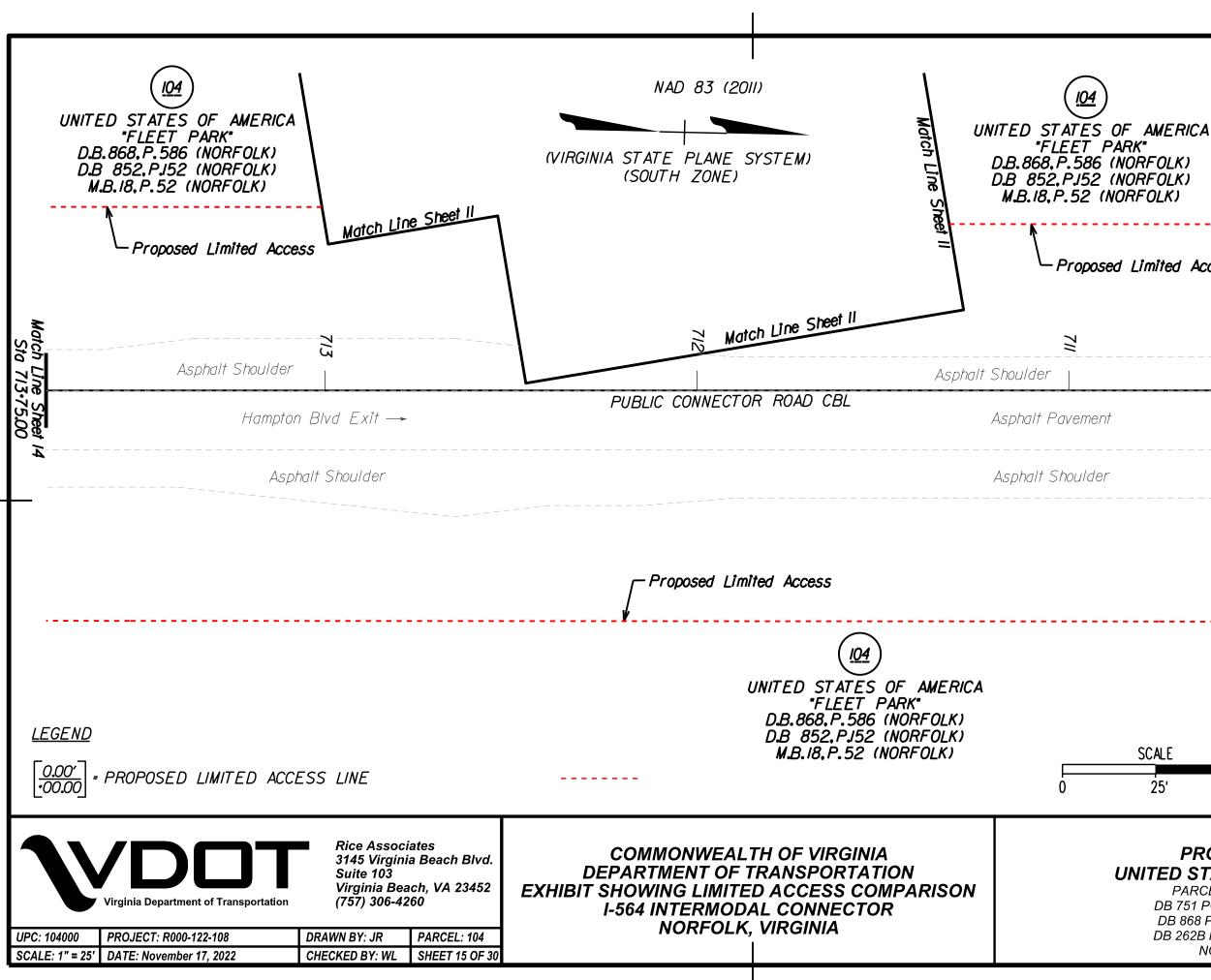






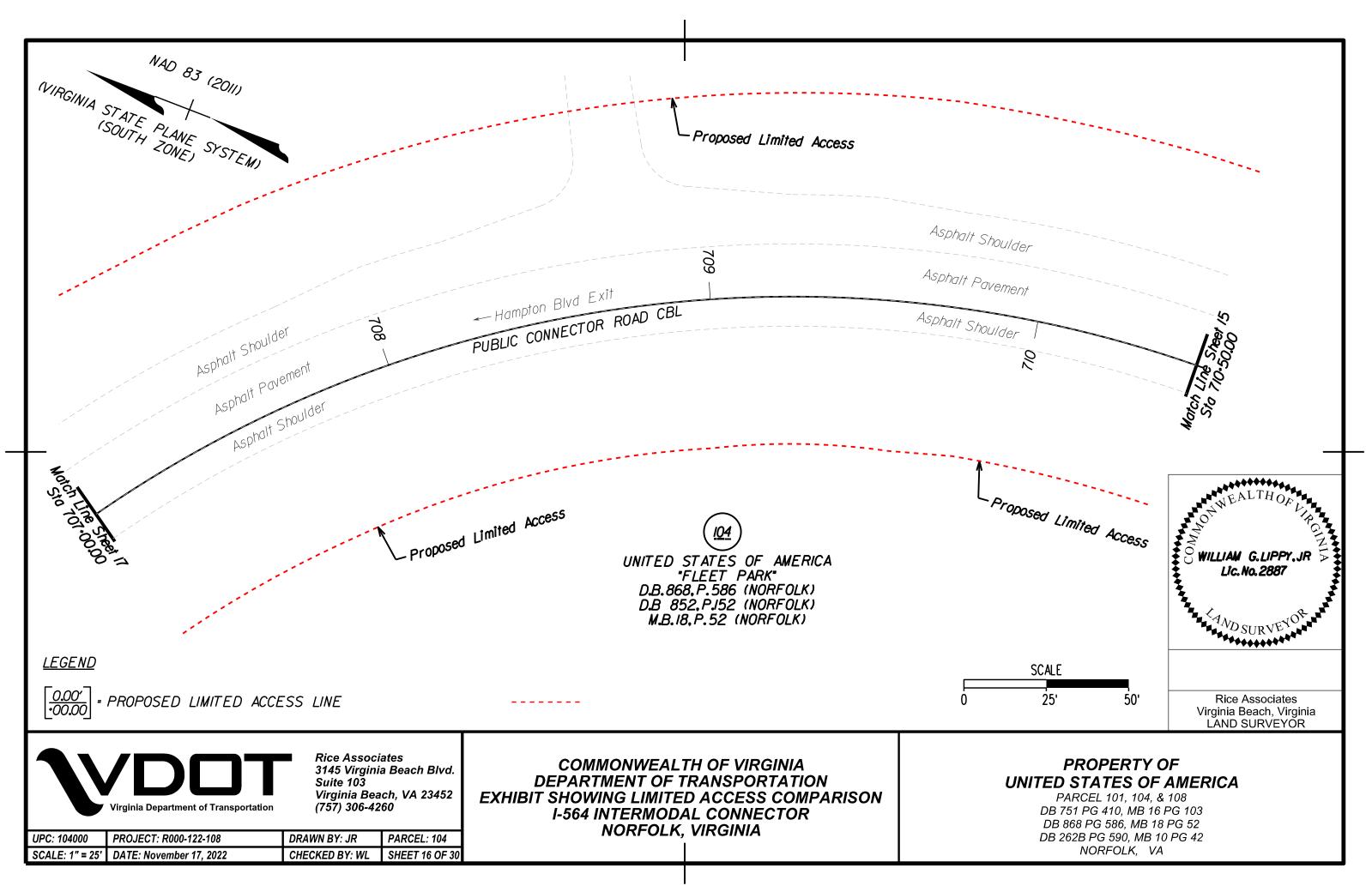


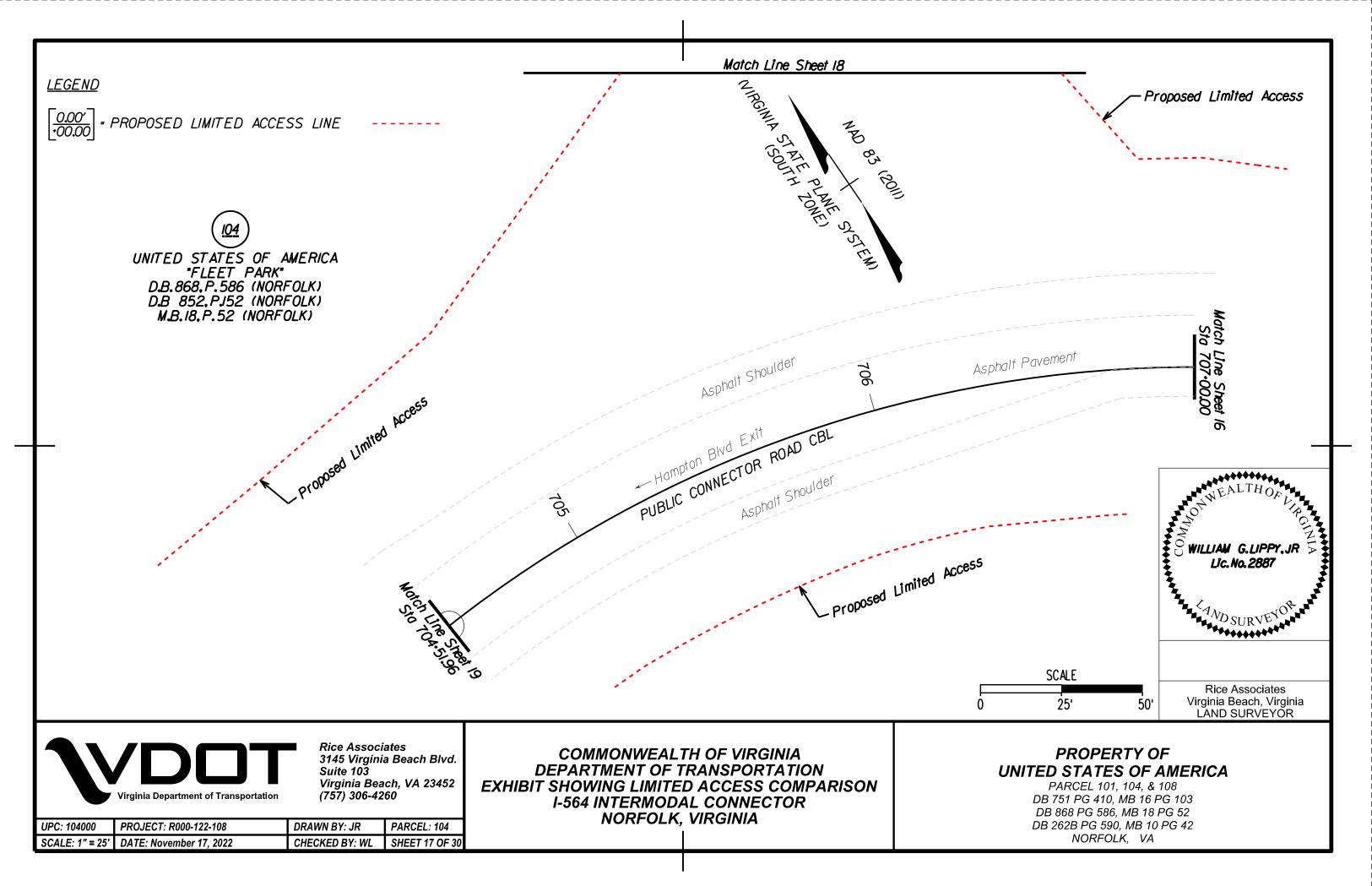


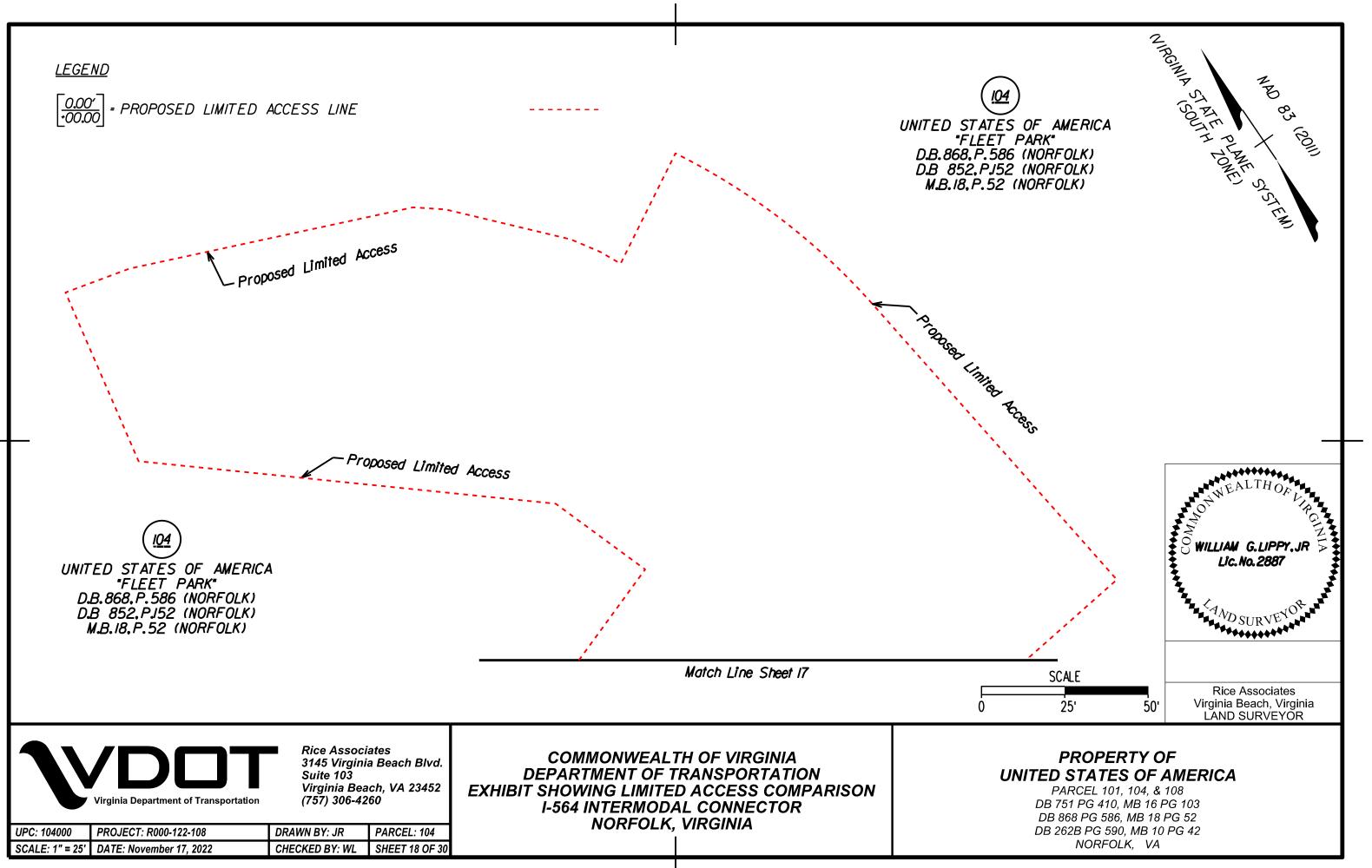


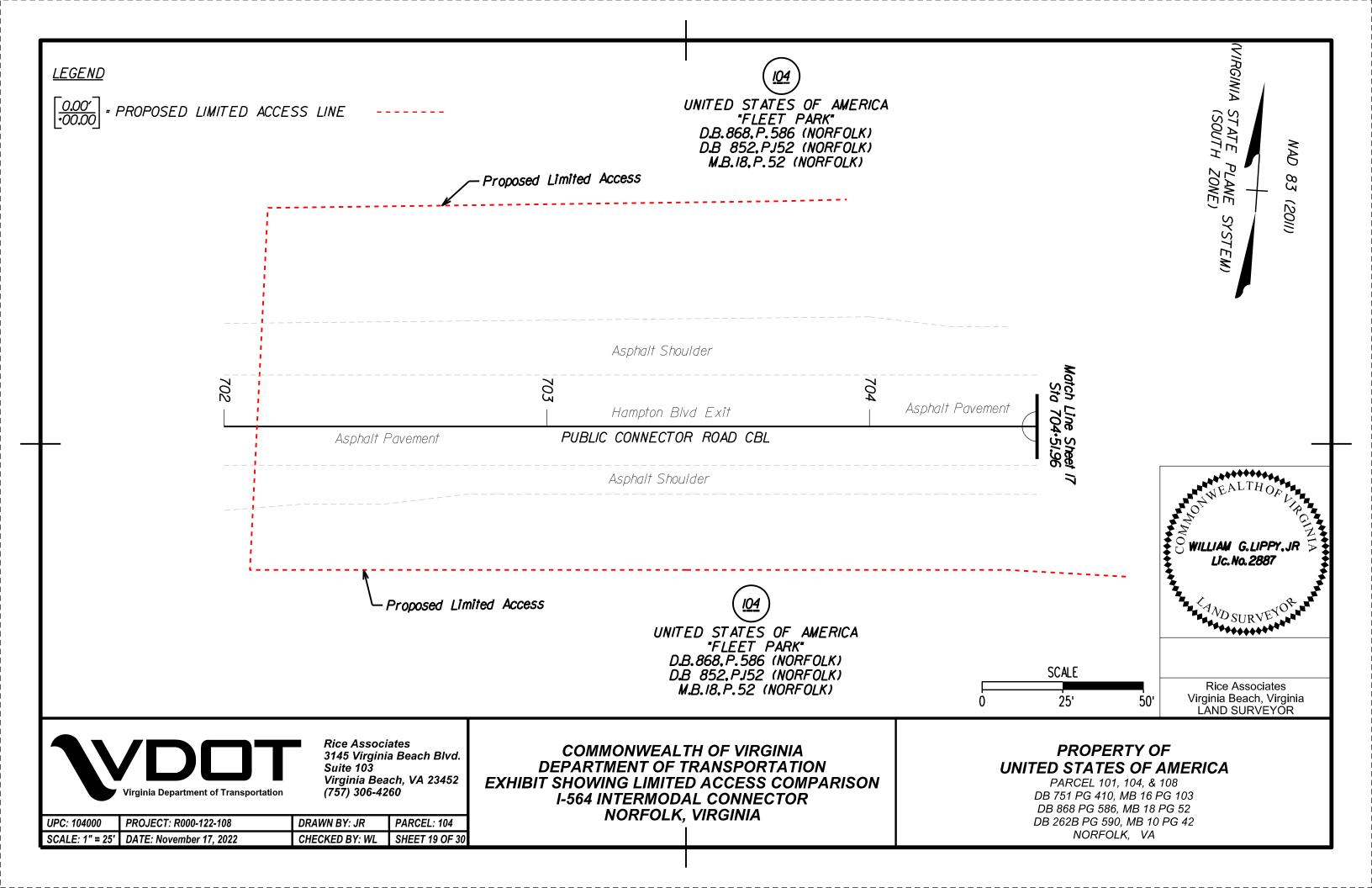
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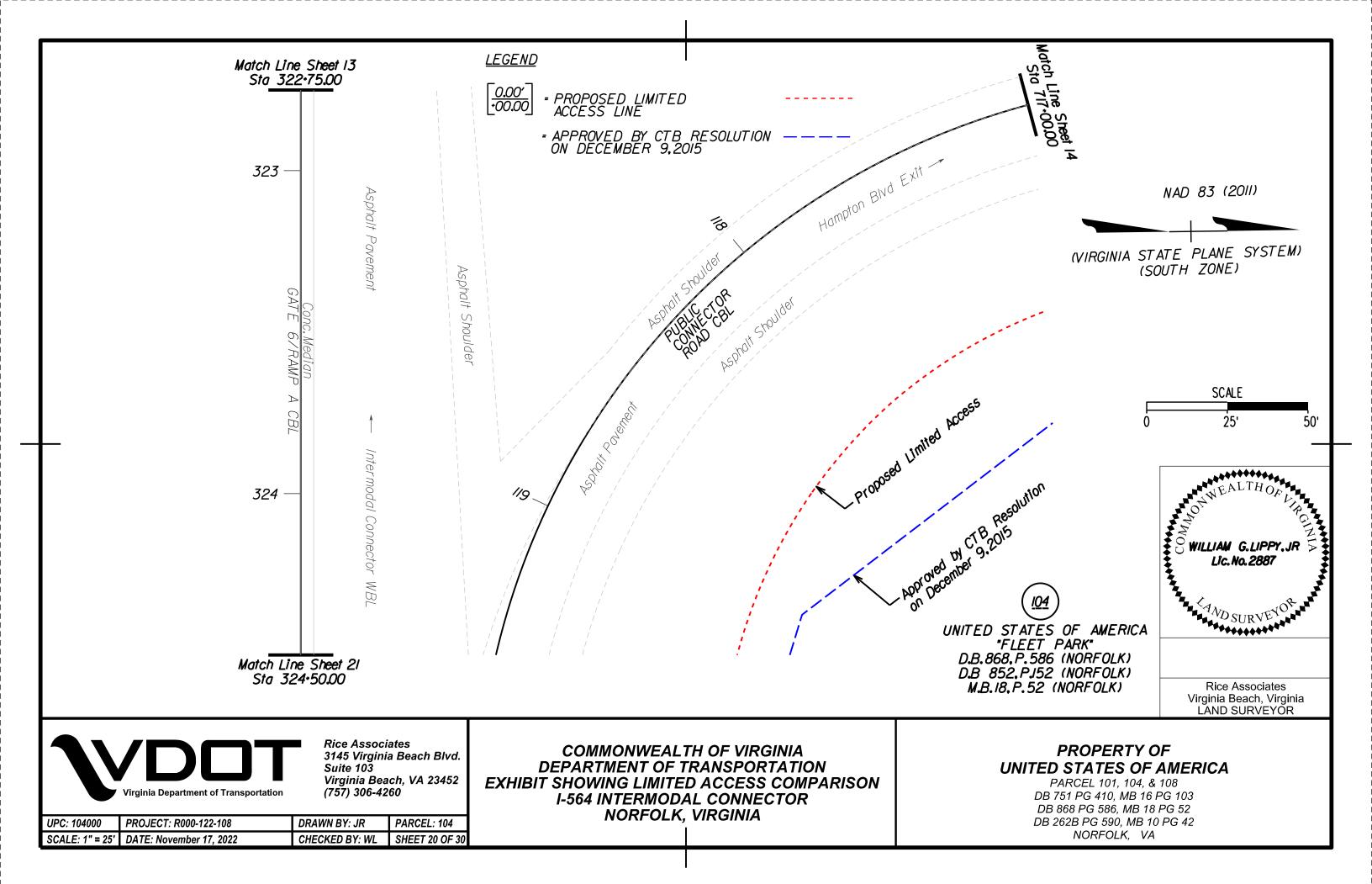
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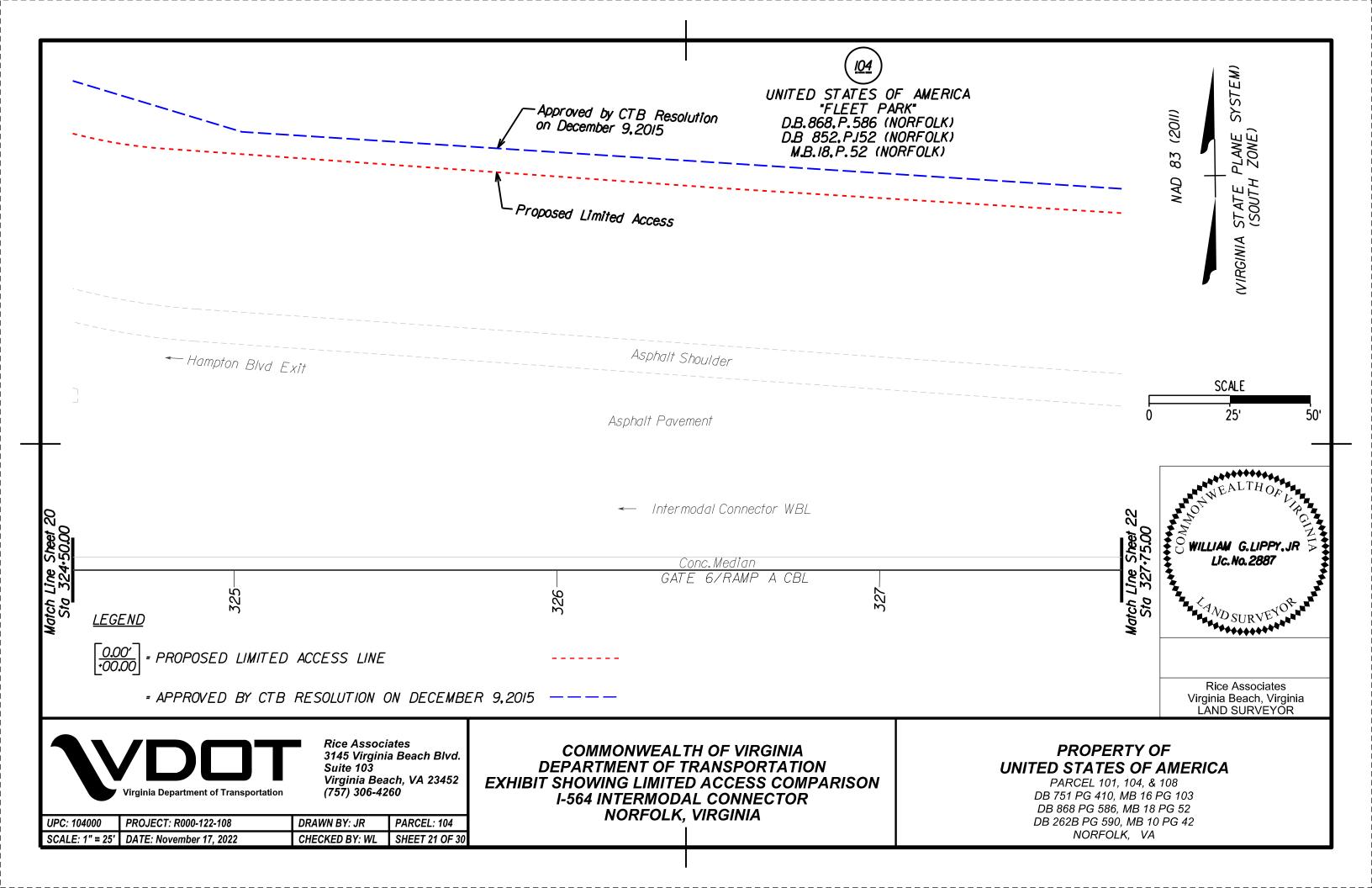












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