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To All Bidders:

Subject: **Bid No. 8568-J6 – Water Tank Cleaning and Repairs / DPW**

ADDENDUM NO. 1

To Whom It May Concern:

With reference to our bid request relative to the above subject, please refer to the changes/modifications/clarifications to the original proposal request.

General Bid Clarification

The following revisions and/or additions shall be made to the Contract Documents:

SPECIFICATIONS:

1. Reference Specification Section 13200 CONCRETE WATER TANK REHABILITATION, 1.03.A.1:

“The Contractor shall be a specialist tank contractor experienced in the rehabilitation of AWWA D-110 Type **II and III** tanks, having rehabilitated, in their own name, at least 10 tanks in the last 10 years of equal size or greater, which have been in successful service for a minimum of five (5) years, and shall have restored at least five (5) tanks with deteriorated concrete / shotcrete walls and or domes within the last five (5) years at least five (5) of which required the re-tensioning of and or replacement of damaged prestress wire.”

Delete “II and ”.

2. Reference Specification Section 13200 CONCRETE WATER TANK REHABILITATION, 1.01.B.3:

“The Millstone Concrete Tank, located off Skyline Drive, Worcester, MA adjacent to the Millstone Steel Tank. It is a 2.12 mg precast prestressed concrete tank constructed in 1995 with a **diameter of 38 feet and a height of 34 feet**.”

Replace “diameter of 38 feet and a height of 34 feet” with “**diameter of 95 feet and a height of 40 feet**”.

3. Reference Specification Section 13200 CONCRETE WATER TANK REHABILITATION, 1.01.B.4:

“The Washwater Tank, located at the Worcester Water Filtration Plant, 71 Stonehouse Hill Road, Holden, MA is a 0.32 mg prestressed precast concrete tank and was constructed in 1994 with a **diameter of 38 feet and a height of 31 feet.**”

Replace “diameter of 38 feet and a height of 31 feet” with “**diameter of 40 feet and a height of 34 feet**”

4. Reference Specification Section 09900 PAINTING 2.02. Delete in its entirety and replace with the following:
 - A. Surface Preparation: Spot clean as required to remove all oil and grease from the surface prior to power tool cleaning. All surfaces shall be power tool cleaned in accordance with the recommended methods outlined in SSPC-SP 3 Power Tool Cleaning.
 - B. Exterior Primer Coat: Immediately after power tool cleaning and before any rusting occurs (within 8 hour maximum) apply one coat of TNEMEC Series 135 Chembuild or equal, to a dry film thickness (DFT) range of 5.0 to 6.0 mils.
 - C. Exterior Intermediate Coat: Apply one coat of TNEMEC Series 135 Chembuild to a DFT range of 5.0 to 6.0 mils.
 - D. Exterior Finish Coat: Apply one coat of Tnemec Series 1095 Endurashield to a DFT range of 2.5-3.5 mils.
 - E. The total DFT range of the three coat Exterior Paint System shall be 12.5-15.5 dry mils.
 - F. Interior Spot Prime: Apply spot prime coat of TNEMEC Series 1 or equal, to a DFT range of 2.5 to 3.0 mils to any areas of bare metal after surface preparation. Spot prime is not needed in areas of existing intact coating.
 - G. Interior Primer Coat: Immediately after power tool cleaning and before any rusting occurs (within 8 hour maximum) apply one coat of TNEMEC Series 21 or equal, to a DFT range of 4.0 to 5.0 mils.
 - H. Interior Top Coat: Apply one coat of TNEMEC Series 21 or equal, to a DFT range of 4.0 to 5.0 mils.”
 - I. The total DFT range of the two coat Interior Paint System shall be 8.0-10.0 dry mils.”



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QUESTIONS/CLARIFICATIONS:

Q1. The dimensions in the specification state that the Millstone Concrete Tank is a 2.12 million gallon (mg) tank with the dimensions 38 feet diameter and 34 feet height. The dimensions do not match the capacity.
A1. The Millstone Concrete Tank has a height of 40 feet and a diameter of approximately 95 feet.

Q2. The dimensions in the specification state that the Washwater Tank is a 0.32 mg tank with the dimensions 38 feet diameter and 31 feet height. The dimensions do not match the capacity.
A2. The Washwater Tank has a height of 34 feet and a diameter of approximately 40 feet.

Q3. For the vent neck penetration and painting only the exterior coating system was provided. Can you please provide a coating system for the interior of the vent neck?
A3. The interior coating system has been updated as part of this addendum.

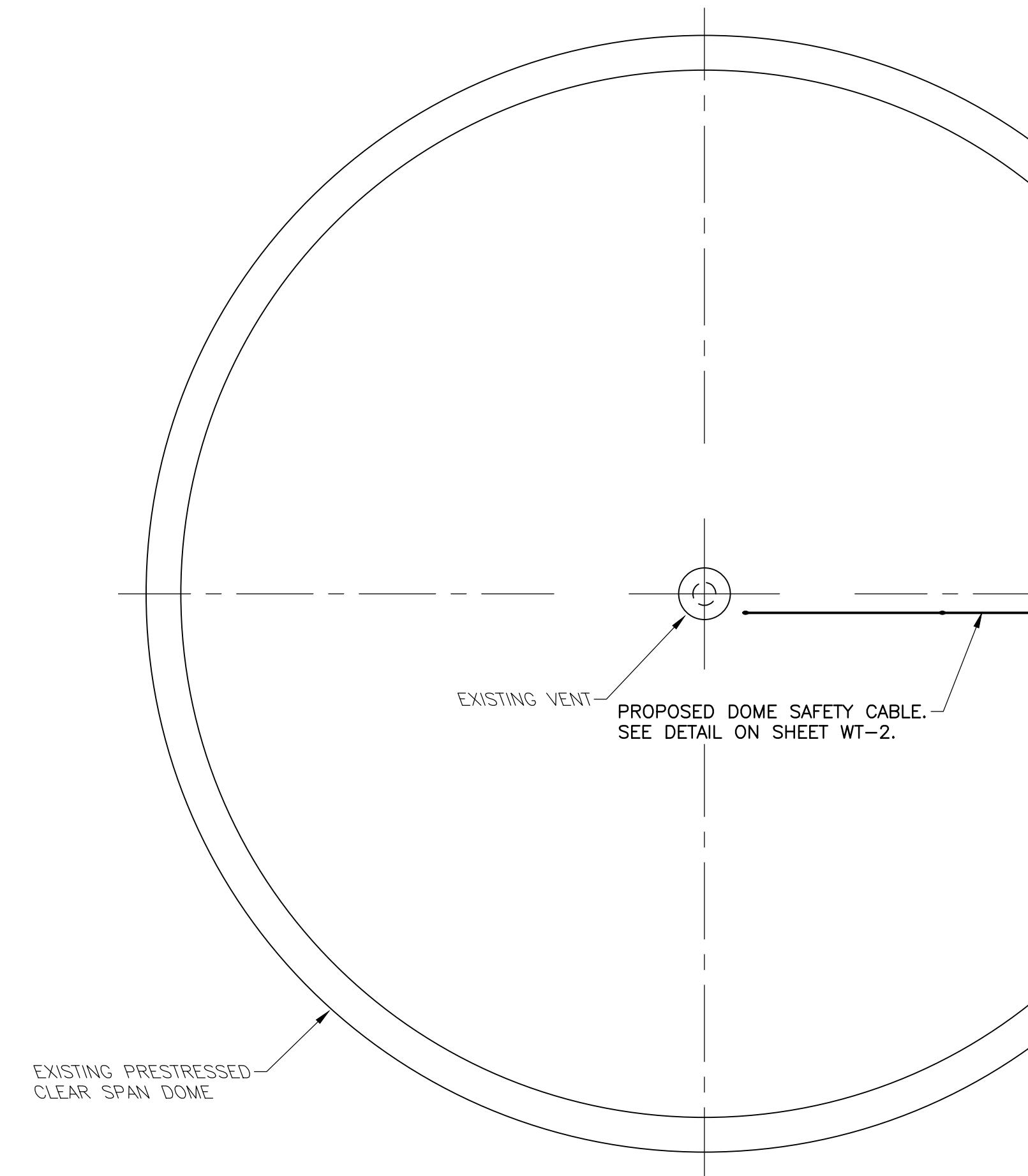
Q4. Can you please provide the dimensions of the Milestone Steel Tank and the Airport Tank?
A4. The Millstone Steel Tank has a height of 40 feet and a diameter of 80 feet. The Airport Tank has a height of 103 feet and a diameter of 60 feet.

Q5. What are the dimensions for the handrail corral?
A5. See attached drawing for handrail corral dimensions at the concrete water storage tanks.

Bidders are requested to acknowledge and/or include this addendum with submission. All other terms, conditions and specifications remain unchanged.

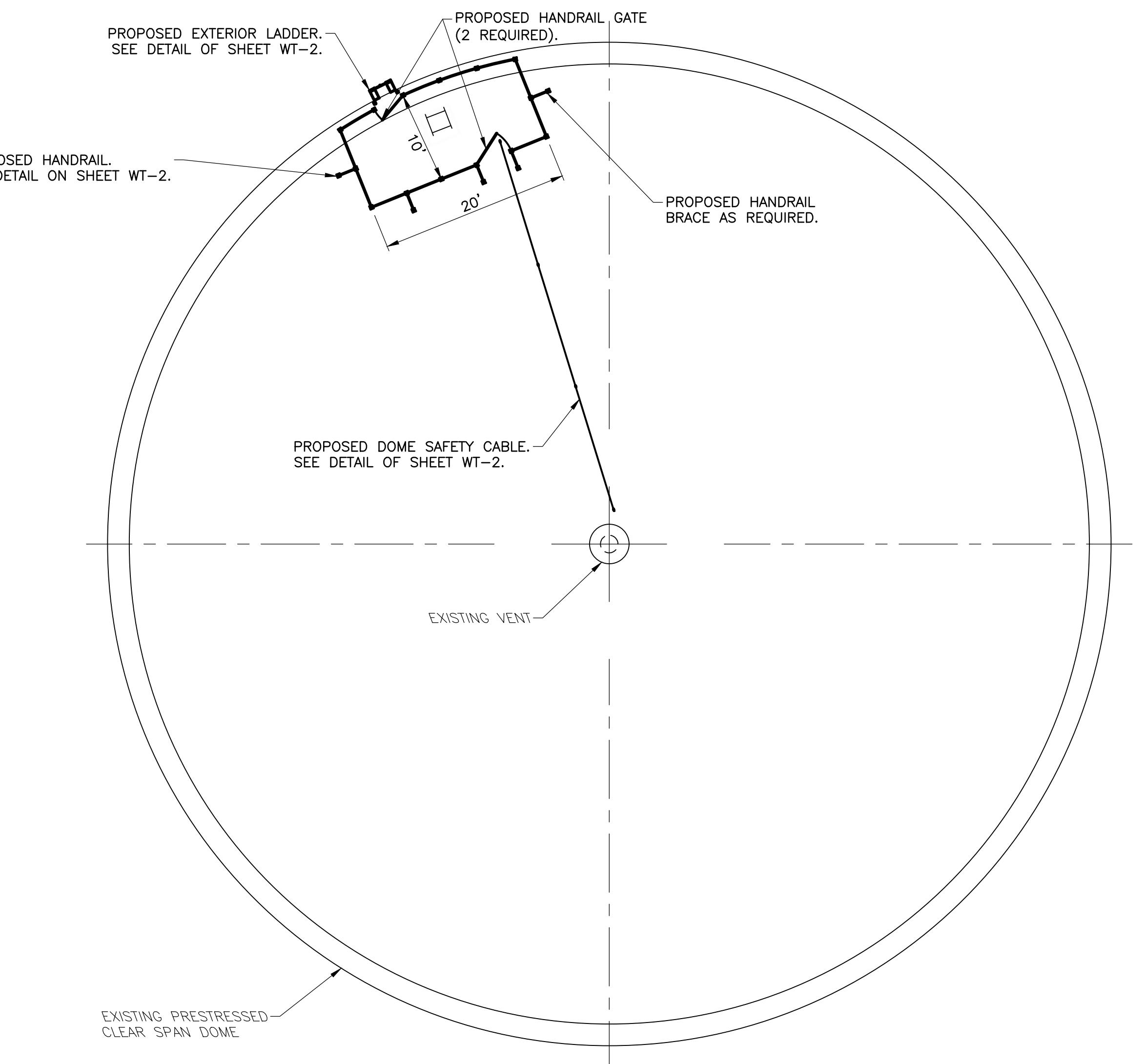
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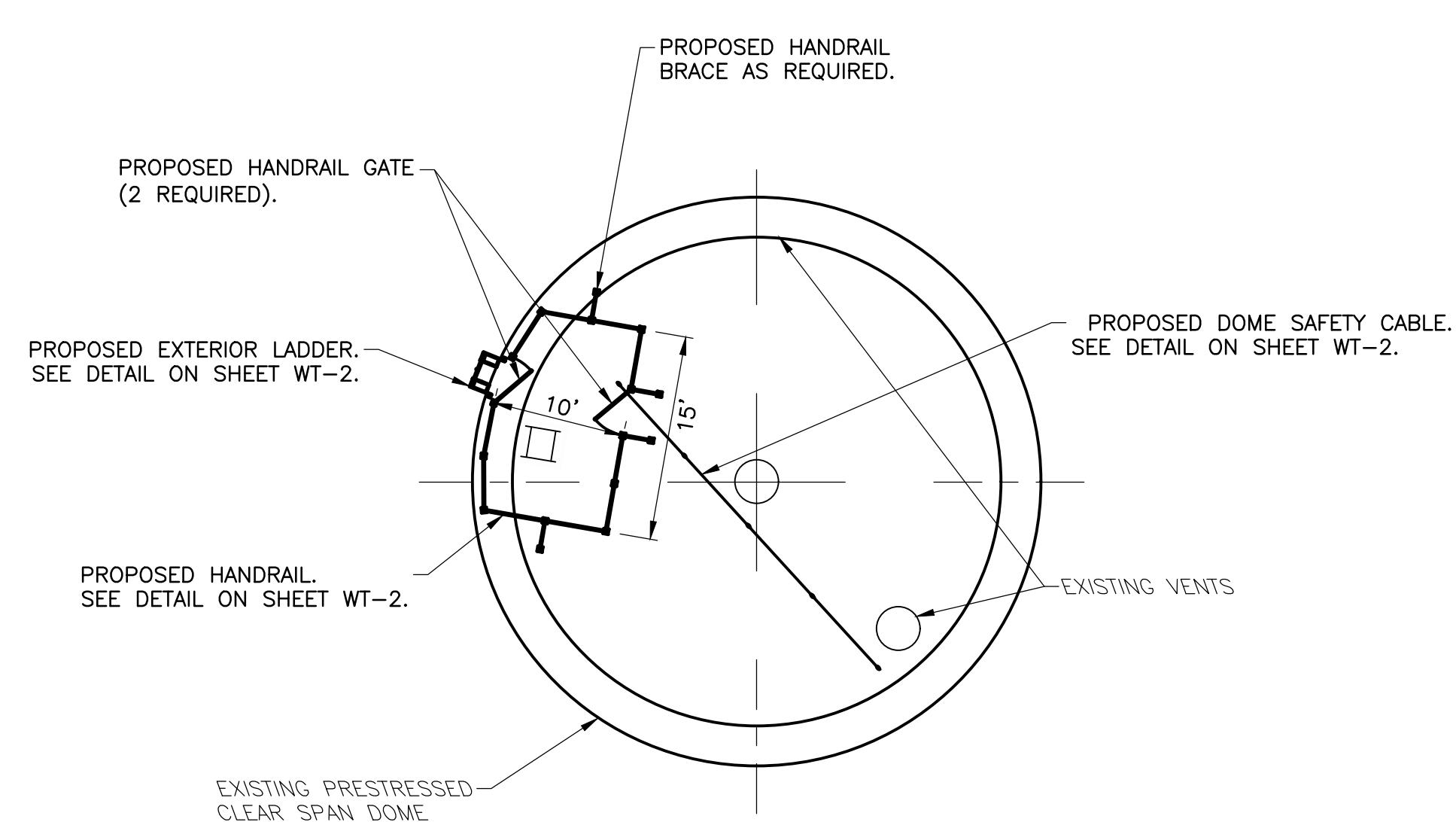
MILLSTONE CONCRETE DOME PLAN

NOT TO SCALE



NORTH CLEARWELL AND SOUTH CLEARWELL DOME PLAN

NOT TO SCALE



WASHWATER TANK DOME PLAN

NOT TO SCALE



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DATE: OCTOBER 2025

SCALE: AS NOTED

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