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THE FAA REIMBURSABLE

THE WHO WHAT WHEN WHERE AND WHY!

FAA REIMBURSABLE

- What is a Reimbursable agreement with FAA?
- What will trigger a reimbursable?
- How the reimbursable works
- The FAA groups that you will be working with
- Types of systems that you will encounter
- Design Criteria and Specifications for these systems



RECENT REIMBURSABLES

- SFO – Airport was upgrading its safety by shortening RW and installing EMAS. NavAids adjusted to new RW length.
- DFW – End Around TW Project. Localizer Shelter and ALSF-2 in the way.
- FSM – Extending RW for new Aircraft class. NAVAIDs adjusted to new RW length.
- JAC - Complete RW rebuild. NAVAIDs updated with RW.
- Little Rock VORTAC – Moving for more real-estate
- Corona VORTAC – In the way of new wind farm.

WHAT DO I MEAN BY REIMBURSABLE?



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FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION
Washington Headquarters National Policy

ORDER
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SUBJ: Reimbursable Agreements Covering Goods and Services Provided by the FAA

1. Purpose of This Order. This order sets policy related to the preparation, approval, and management of reimbursable agreements in which the FAA provides goods or services and where the recipient or project sponsor pays the associated costs. The standard operating procedures related to the reimbursable agreements can be found in the FAA Financial Manual – Volume 4: Accounting, Chapter 6: Reimbursable Agreements:

https://employees.faa.gov/org/staffoffices/aba/financial_manual/vol_4/

2. Audience. This order is for all FAA headquarters, regions, centers, service areas, and field office personnel.

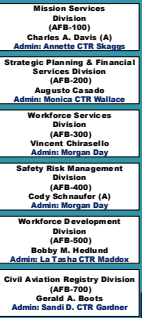
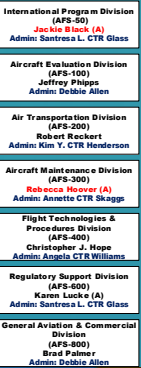
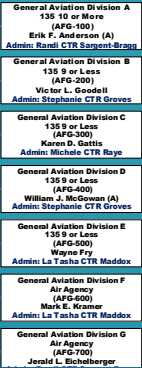
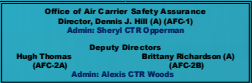
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WHERE DO YOU START?
WHO IS THE FAA?



Flight Standards Service Organizational Chart



- Eastern Service Area
- Central Service Area
- Western Service Area

FAA Services Hierarchy

FAA Services



(A) - Acting



WHAT IS A COMMON ISSUE THAT ARISES FROM THESE PROJECTS?

- The first is that NPT (**FAA NAS Planning Team**) is often informed late about a project's potential impact to an FAA facility. We have little to no visibility on upcoming airport sponsored projects unless the sponsor tells us directly. We don't see 7460s in the engineering group and our operations group that reviews 7460s often can overlook impacts to facilities. Quite commonly, we'll be informed about a project in the early Fall of the year prior to construction. This is typically the time where the Sponsor's engineer has just started design work but this is already way too late for us to incorporate the work into our work plan. We really need to know about the work at least **18 months in advance** of construction start and ideally even further out than that. It is much easier for us to stand down from a project that is determined to have no impacts than it is for us to start late.

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- Ideally you want to contact the NAS Planning Team.
- I also recommend contacting the local SSC at that specific airport.
- Do not depend on SSC to drive the ship. They are busy with their normal activities and you will need to be lead in moving things along.
- 18 months in advance is ideal!!!!

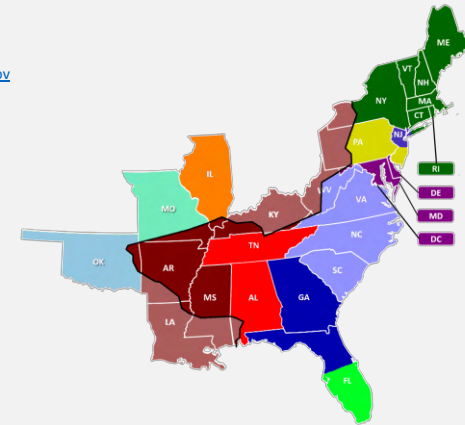
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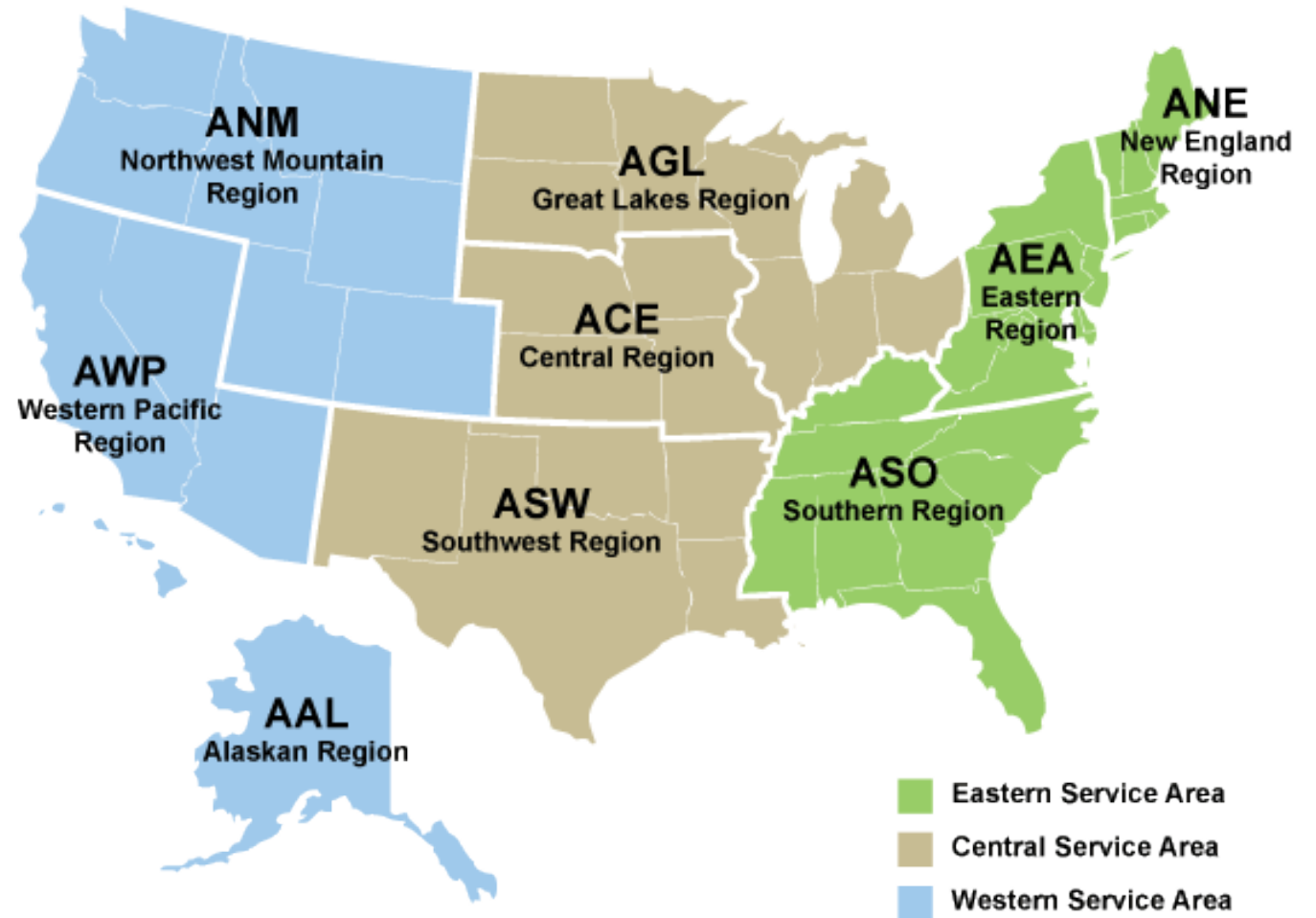
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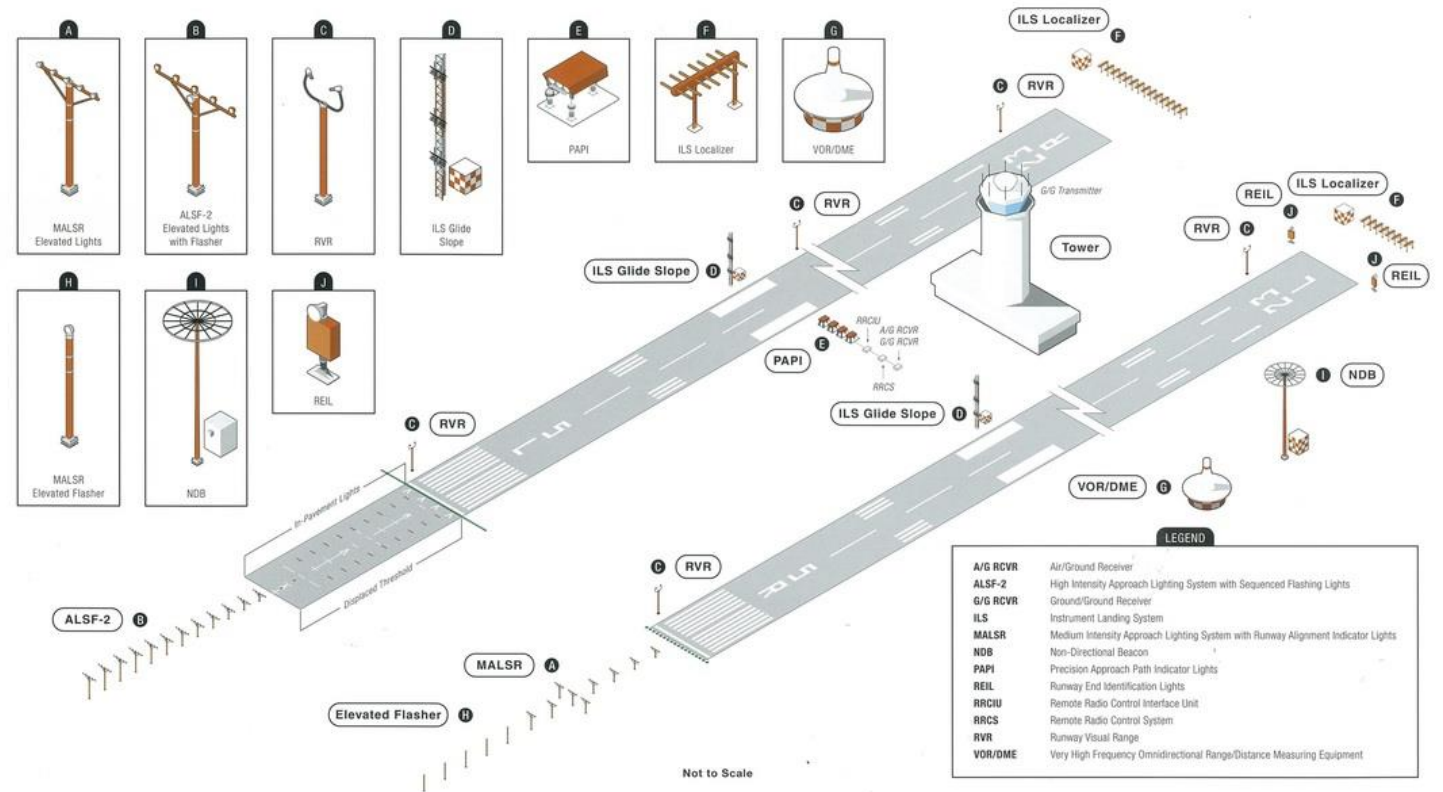
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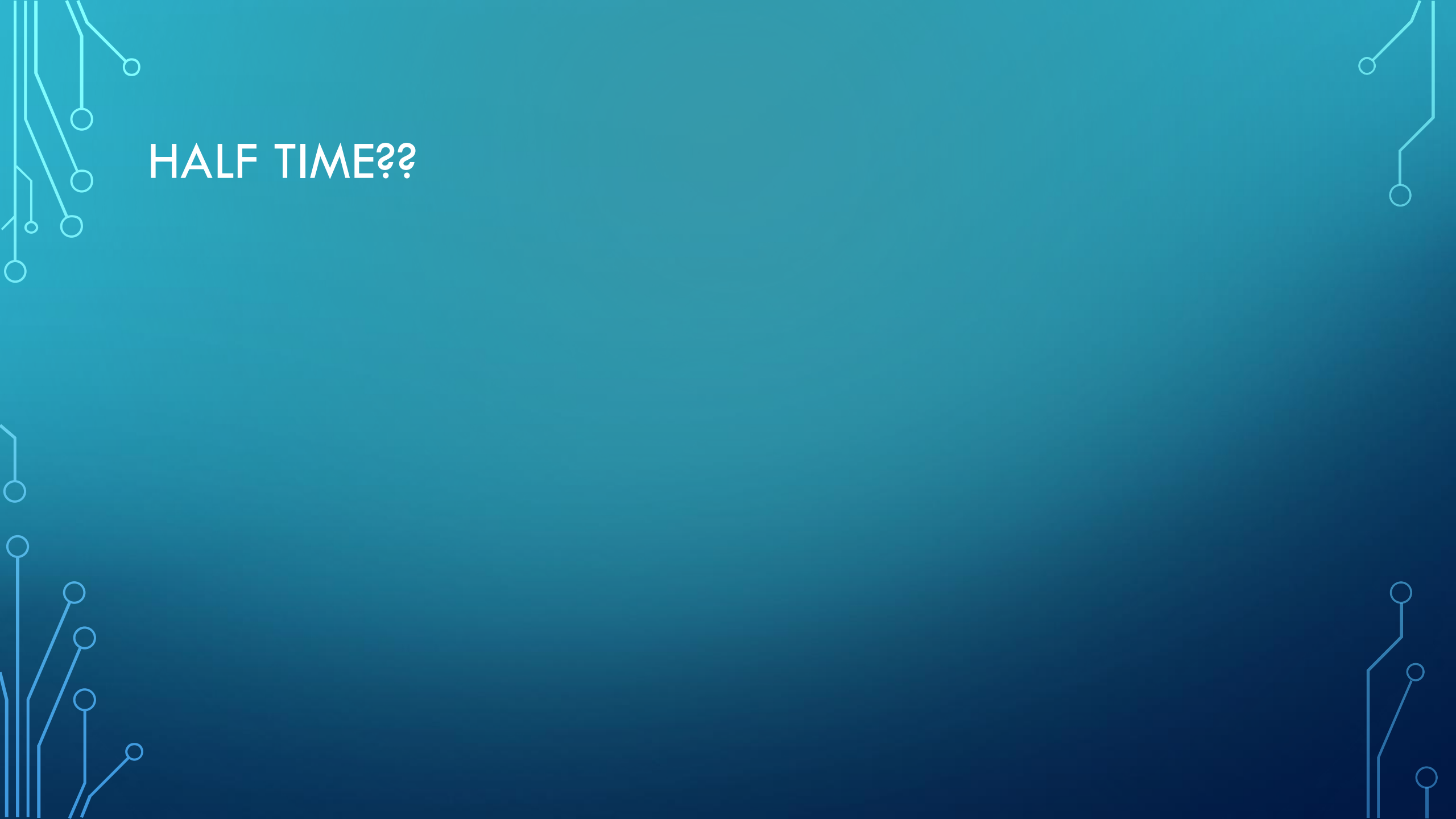
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FAA SYSTEMS

Navigation and Landing Equipment



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HALF TIME??



SITING CRITERIA

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INSTALLATION CRITERIA

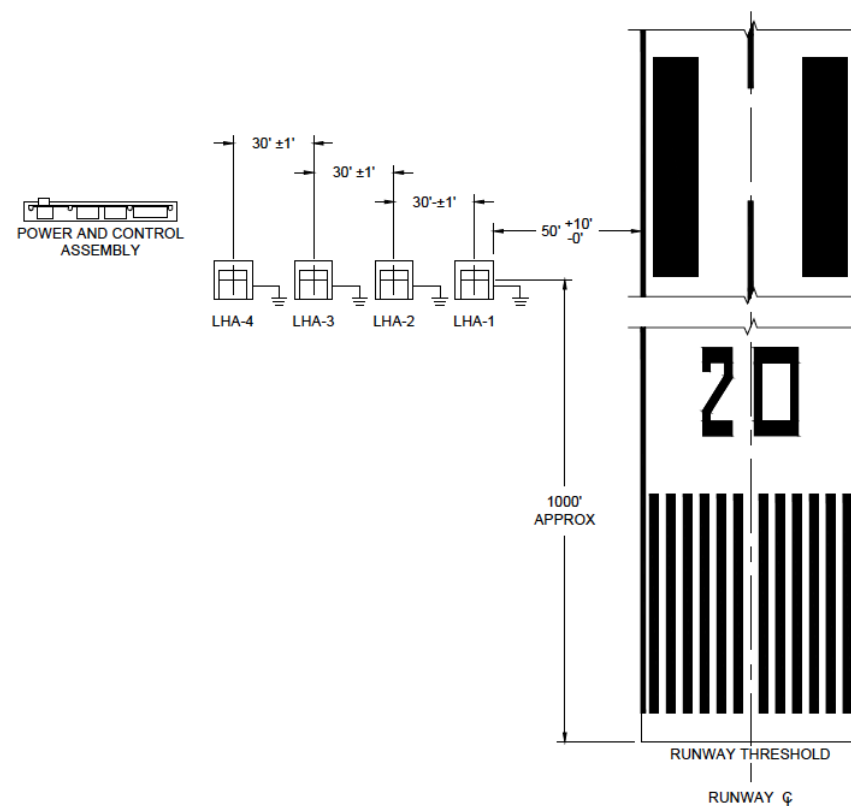
- FAA Job Orders tell you how to site your system. There are a bunch of them!
- Approach Lighting – Job Order 6850.2
 - PAPI
 - MALSR
 - ALSF I or II
- Ground Based Navigation – JO6750.16
 - Glide Slope
 - FFM
 - Localizer
 - Inner Marker / Outer Marker
 - VOR / TAC / DME (JO 6820.10)
- Remote Comm. Facilities – JO 6850.6
 - RTR, RCAG, Air To Ground, BUEC

6850.2 – COMMON MISTAKES

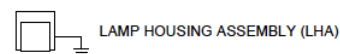
- The PAPI can move along runway.
- Must be in line with Glide Slope if it exist.
- Edge of RW Clearance. Must Be 50'
- Legs must not be longer than 6 feet.
- Watch your Part 139 Slopes and beware of the concrete sidewalk.

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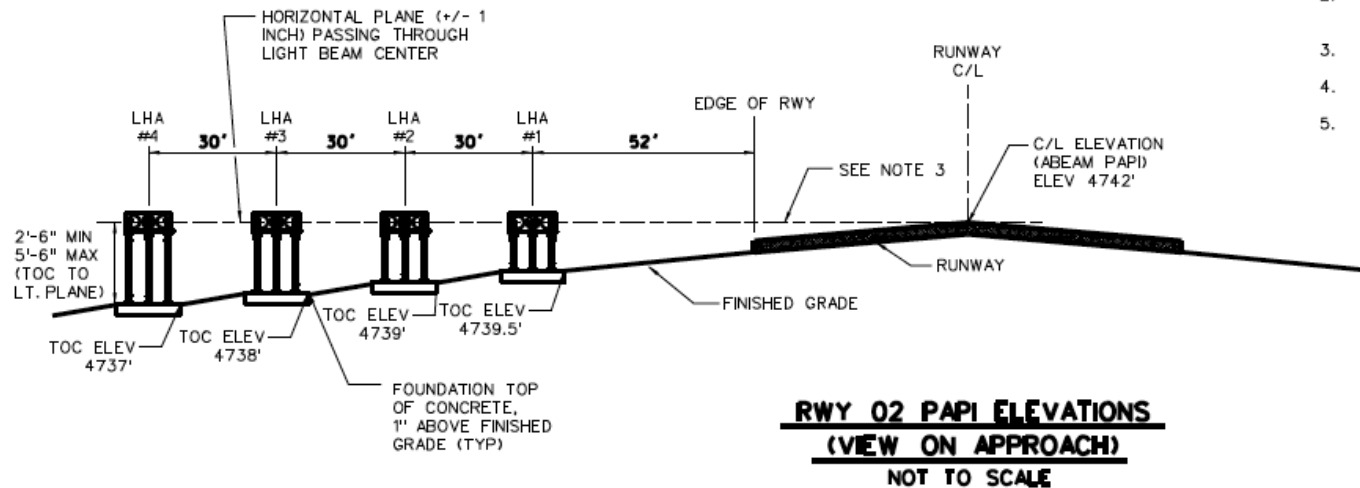
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NOTE:

LHAs ARE NUMBERED SEQUENTIALLY OUTWARD FROM RUNWAY CENTERLINE

PAPI EDGE DISTANCE AND HEIGHT



NOTES:

1. INSTALLATION TOLERANCES FOR SEPARATION BETWEEN LHA'S AND DISTANCE BETWEEN LHA #1 AND EDGE OF RUNWAY IS ± 2 INCHES.
2. THE FRONT FACE OF EACH LHA IS IN A LINE PERPENDICULAR TO THE RUNWAY CENTERLINE, ± 1 INCH.
3. CENTER OF LHA LIGHT BEAM IS LEVEL WITH PAPI ABEAM CENTERLINE ± 1 INCH.
4. VERIFY LHA HEIGHTS WITH THE RESIDENT ENGINEER BEFORE CUTTING EMT LEGS.
5. CENTER OF LHA LIGHT BEAM SHALL BE 1' ABOVE THE INTERCEPT OF THE VISUAL GLIDE PATH AT THE RUNWAY CENTERLINE WITHIN $\pm 1'$.

GLIDE PATH: 3.0°	
TCH: 50'	
LHA	AIMING ANGLE
#1	3° 30' 00"
#2	3° 10' 00"
#3	2° 50' 00"
#4	2° 30' 00"



PART 139

- If you are required to have sidewalk pay attention to grade.
- Legs have min and max height.
- Part 139 requires specific slopes.

6850.2 – COMMON MISTAKES

- Max spacing of threshold bar is 10' from declared threshold.
- Line up side row bars with TDZ Lights!!!
- The first 9 stations will most likely be in pavement.
- PAR 38 Lamps for MALS are currently out of stock in the USA. So don't throw anything away until your flight checked and published.

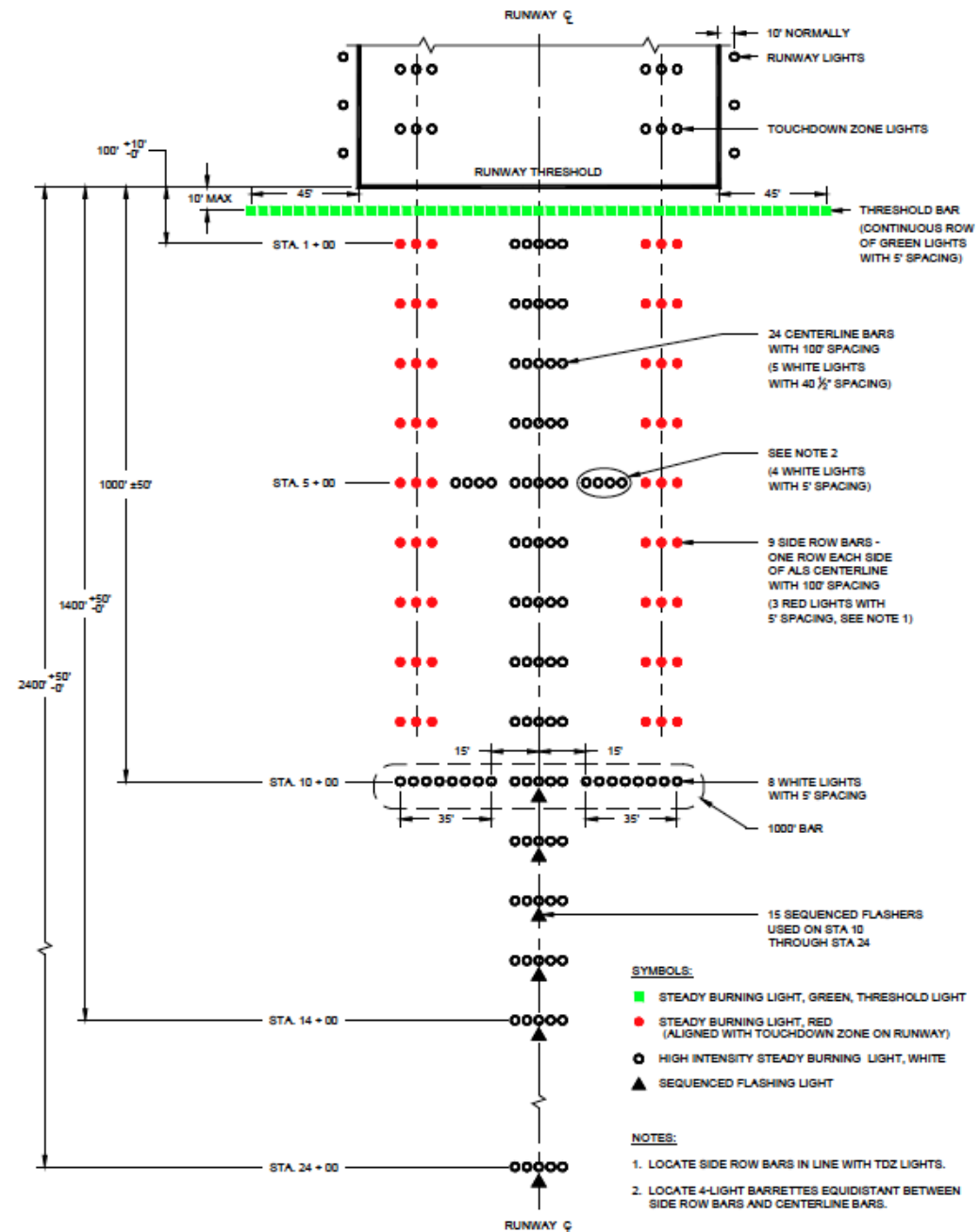


FIGURE 2-1. ALSF-2 CONFIGURATION



DON'T FORGET
SPECIFICATION

6750.16 – COMMON MISTAKES

- Know your ILS Types!!!
- Some ILS equipment is obsolete. So If you break it then you buy a new version.
- If you move ILS and new location wont work with that type then you need different type. FAA should guide you on this. Don't Assume
- Who Will tune ILS when its done being moved? Does FAA have personnel available for your schedule?

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ILS will provide. Siting within restricted areas should only be considered when standard installations are not practical.

d. Back-Course Coverage Considerations. Current localizer antenna systems utilize unidirectional antennas and will not provide a useable back-course. If an instrument approach is required for the opposing approach, a facing localizer on the opposite end of the runway is necessary. New localizer establishments using bi-directional antenna arrays are no longer authorized.

e. Equipment Type and Configuration Considerations. Equipment type and configuration used in ILS establishments should be carefully chosen for the environment in which it is installed. Consideration should be given not only to siting ILS equipment to account for current terrain, obstructions, etc., but also for future airport expansion and other development around the airport environment. Type and configuration include single versus dual frequency equipment, narrow versus wide aperture antenna arrays, capture-effect versus null-reference, etc. An example is the airport where a single frequency, narrow aperture, localizer will function satisfactorily, but the airport plans indicate a large hangar construction project. In this example, the siting engineer should consider siting a more complex localizer system to protect future facility performance. The glide slope example can be more demanding. If a null-reference glide slope is sited and subsequent changes to the airport environment require change to a capture-effect configuration, the modification to capture-effect would involve more than simply reconfiguring the transmitting equipment. Since a capture-effect configuration requires an additional antenna and mast height, the modification could actually require moving the glide slope site to allow adequate clearance of the Obstacle-Free Zone (OFZ). In this example, major issues in the future can be avoided with prudent siting. New ILS equipment consists primarily of dual frequency localizer and capture effect glide slope systems in dual equipment configurations. Redeployment of existing systems, particularly Mark I series single frequency localizers with eight or fourteen element narrow aperture antenna arrays, may result in unacceptable signal-in-space performance. The discussion in paragraph 2-7b(4) regarding the limitations of single frequency narrow aperture localizer antenna arrays is particularly germane.

11. ILS Components as Obstructions. The siting engineer considers the effects of the ILS components themselves as obstructions. These considerations should include guidance given in FAA Order 8260.3, 14 CFR Part 77, and applicable Advisory Circulars such as AC 150/5300-13, 70/7460-1. Both the Airport division office and Flight Procedures Team should be consulted and provide approval and/or waiver for any penetrations as part of the required airspace review. Failure to obtain approval or a waiver will preclude installation of that component.

6750.16 – COMMON MISTAKES

- Terrain matters.
- If you move it then you need to see what the terrain is going to look like.
- If you don't move one but you destroy the terrain in front of one, then you may have some issues. So even if you don't have a reason to move ILS you may still need to discuss plans with FAA.

monitoring are discussed in detail in Chapter 5.

(3) Connectivity. ILS systems have inputs and outputs that may require telecommunication circuits which must be established prior to commissioning. In addition to FAA owned and maintained multi-pair copper cable, connectivity options include fiber optics, multiplexing networks, and connectivity through airport or commercially provided cabling or systems. These telecommunication input/outputs provide connectivity to ancillary aids and other ILS components that provide identification, signaling, and status to and from the ILS.

14. Siting Effects on ILS Operations. The ability of each ILS subsystem to provide reliable and accurate guidance information depends primarily upon the proper formation of its respective radiation patterns. The greatest detriment to the formation of the desirable patterns is the presence of reflecting objects such as uneven terrain, power lines, buildings, dense vegetation, ground vehicles, water, snow and/or ice conditions, and aircraft moving in the vicinity of the sites. The following siting requirements for each type of facility should enable the responsible engineer to choose the optimum site. Math modeling techniques can be employed to predict the probable location, magnitude, and duration of ILS disturbances caused by multipath conditions,

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whether from structures or from aircraft of various sizes and orientation at different locations. Issues involved with these techniques are outlined below.

a. Computerized Math Models. Computerized math models are widely available and usable by personnel with a wide variety of experience levels; however, engineering knowledge of and judgment about the appropriate assumptions and limitations of the various models are required when applying such models to specific multipath environments. It should be noted that modeling results do not consider other operational issues such as snow banks, aircraft or vehicular movement, aircraft hold areas, or increase to aircraft taxi times due to ILS critical areas. Additionally, the modeling tends to simplify the topography and surrounding environment.

WHAT IS THE MOST MISUNDERSTOOD DESIGN PORTION FOR AN FAA SYSTEM?

- Hands down the most misunderstood item I see over and over again is the application of critical areas for LOC, GS, VOR, and ASOS/AWOS. VORs and ASOS/AWOS or other weather equipment do not have critical areas. They have areas that need to be protected from development but there is no such thing as a VOR critical area. Excavations and stockpiling within the VOR “protection area” need to be avoided with the system still in service, but haul routes (provided they are not immediately adjacent to the VOR) are perfectly fine. Aircraft taxi through VOR protection areas all the time and are not controlled in any way. Similarly ASOS and AWOS do not have “critical areas”. They do have a protected zone in which equipment needs to be kept lower than the wind speed instrument and dust needs to be kept down for visibility readings but you could park twenty scrapers right next to a ASOS and it wouldn’t do anything to the reliability of the system.
- Most engineers understand the application of the critical area for the LOC and GS well enough, but one thing that often gets overlooked is that we need to be concerned with grading and site development work which occurs outside of the critical area as well. I can’t tell you how many times I’ve had an engineer say oh we’re not doing any grading in the GS critical area so we are okay when they are building a huge swale 1400’ from the antenna. There is expansive grading criteria given in 6750.16E for Glide Slopes that extend well beyond just the critical area.

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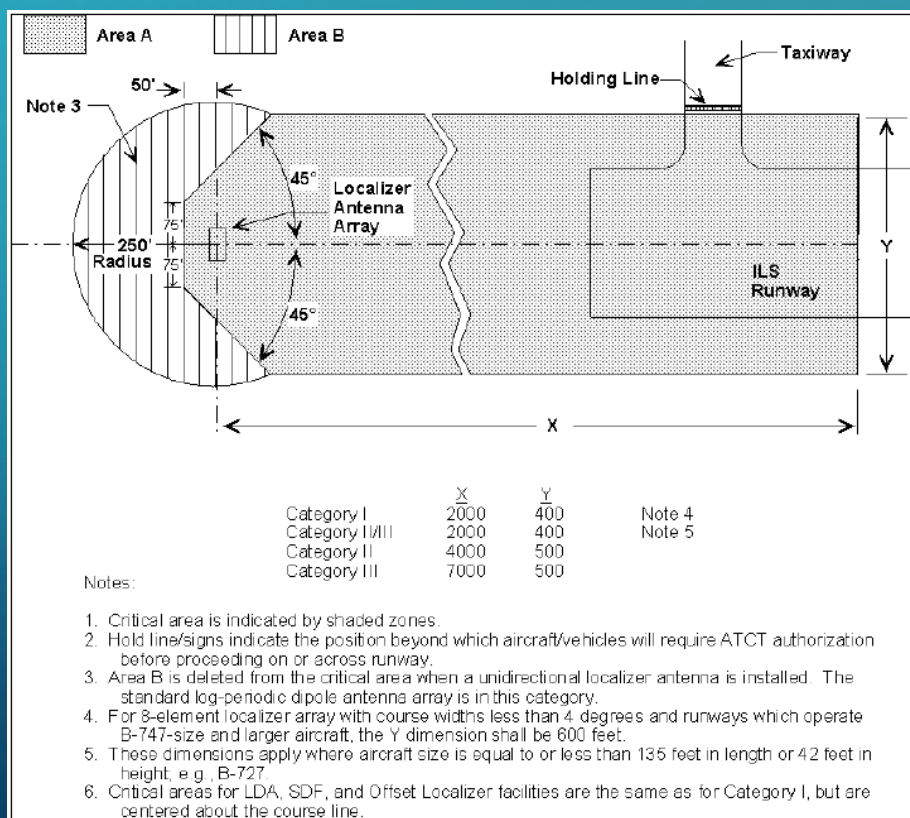


Figure 1-2. Category I, II, & III Localizer Critical Area

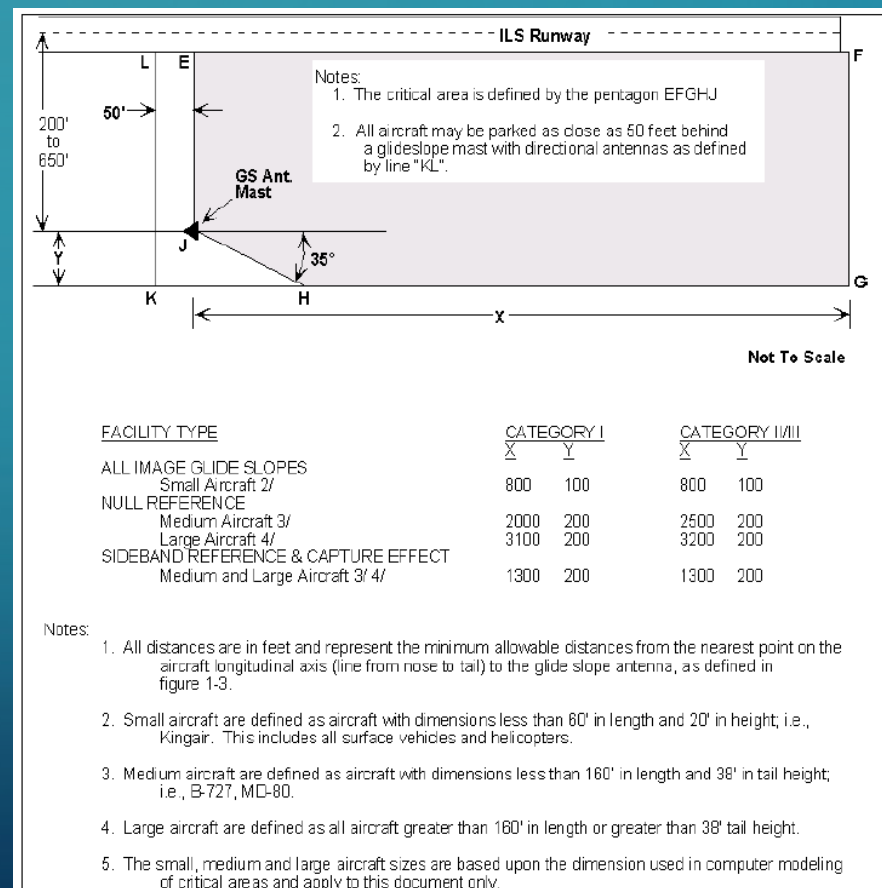


Figure 1-3. Image Glide Slope Critical Area

GLIDE SLOPE GRADE

- The grade in front of Glide Slope matters.
- Watch out what grading you do in front of Glide Slope.

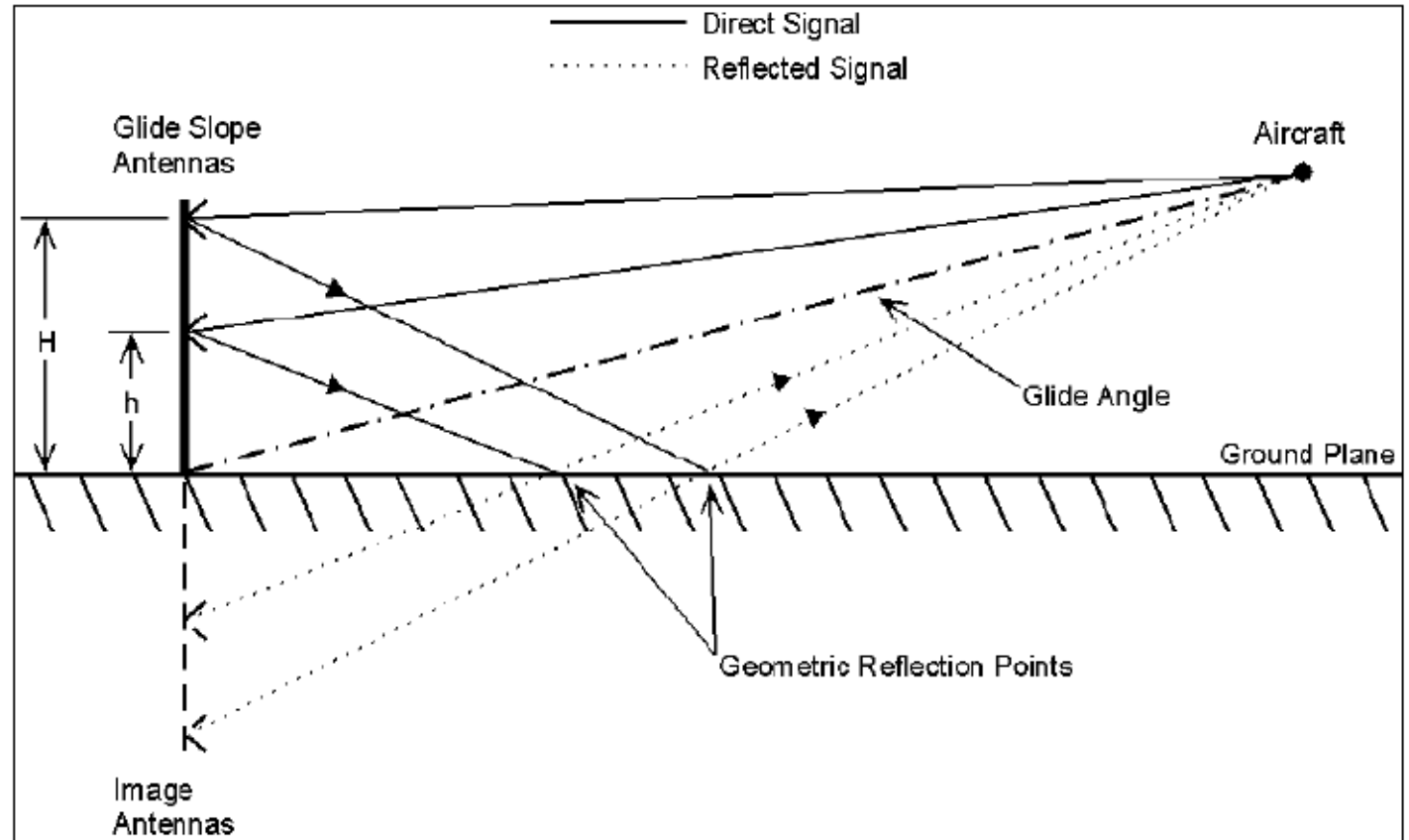


Figure 3-1. Image Antenna Concept

GLIDE SLOPE LOCATION

- Since Terrain Matters put it where it makes the best sense.
- Remember that PAPIs usually get power from Glide Slope so if GS is on one side of RW and PAPIs on other. You will need a bore the RW or bring commercial power to that site.

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d. Glide Slope Location. The glide slope may be located on either side of the runway; therefore, all other siting factors (terrain, accessibility, etc.) being equal, the glide slope should be located on that side of the runway which is free of taxiways, runways, helicopter pads, and other potential sources of traffic interference (see Paragraph 1-15). To preclude relocations necessitated by new construction, future airport expansion plans should also be considered when determining the site selection.

e. Exclusion. If the siting conditions offer no satisfactory alternatives, exclusion of the glide slope and the establishment of a partial ILS should be considered. Every effort, however, should be made to site a glide slope because the presence of the vertical guidance provides a stabilized descent. The partial ILS consisting of a localizer and outer marker beacon may provide sufficient improvement in the landing minimums or the safety factor to justify omission of the vertical guidance information provided by the glide slope.

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requirement. Although a ground-mounted array is usually adequate at most facilities, at some locations an elevated array may be necessary to provide the required minimum signal coverage and performance. This may occur where runway discontinuities exist (humps, elevation changes, or runway safety area grading) or the presence of hills, trees, buildings, or other obstructions in the vicinity cause a shadow effect. As an elevated antenna structure on the extended runway centerline is quite massive, other options should be considered to include placing the antenna on additional fill or moving the antenna array to a higher elevation within the runway safety area.

(1) Antenna Height. The array should be mounted so that the antenna-radiating element is in line of sight with threshold crossing height (TCH) at the approach end of the runway. With the lower minimums and more stringent tolerances associated with Category II/III sites it is more essential to satisfy these criteria. In addition, Category III approaches must provide rollout guidance in ILS Zones 4 and 5. Rollout guidance can be compromised if the runway profile has a low spot in the middle and aircraft drop below the line of sight, reducing Course energy and possibly allowing reflected Clearance energy to capture the receiver. Siting of Category III localizers must provide adequate Course signal strength during rollout. Options available to improve line of sight coverage include use of a more highly focused antenna array or installation of the antenna array on a berm or an elevated platform. At those locations where future upgrading to Category II/III is not programmed or considered feasible, i.e., runway length/width, presence of obstructions, annual instrument approaches, etc., the array may be mounted to



HEIGHT OF THE LOCALIZER

- CAT 1 – Can be on the ground.
- CAT 2&3 – Need to have line of sight to TCH.

FAA SPECIFICATION – WHAT TO KNOW

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**LIGHTNING AND SURGE PROTECTION,
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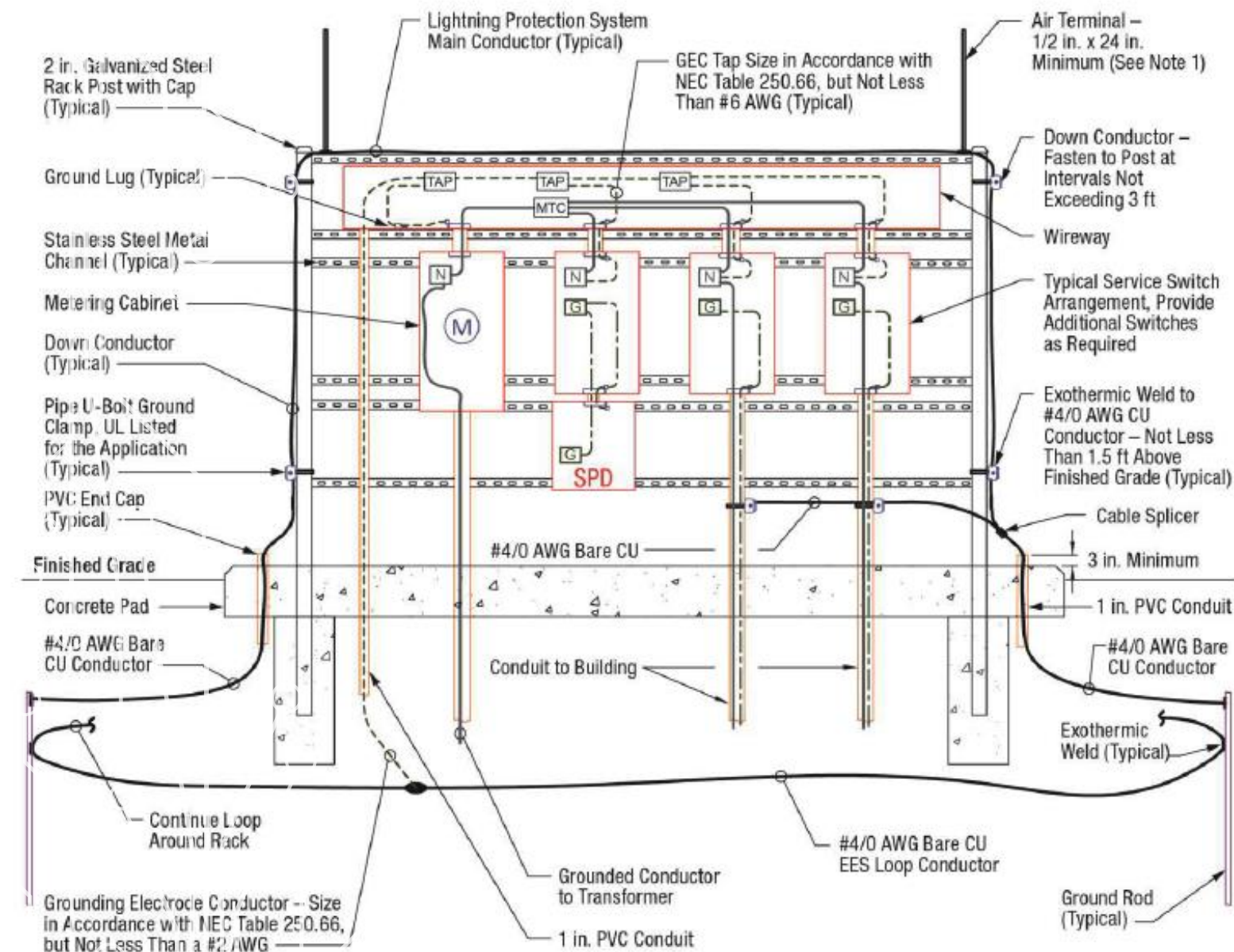
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SPECIFICATION

**INSTALLATION, TERMINATION, SPlicing, AND
TRANSIENT/SURGE PROTECTION OF UNDERGROUND
ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM POWER CABLES**

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Racks illustrated in Figure 4, an alternative EES design consisting of a minimum of two ground rods with a 4/0 AWG interconnecting ground wire is permitted.

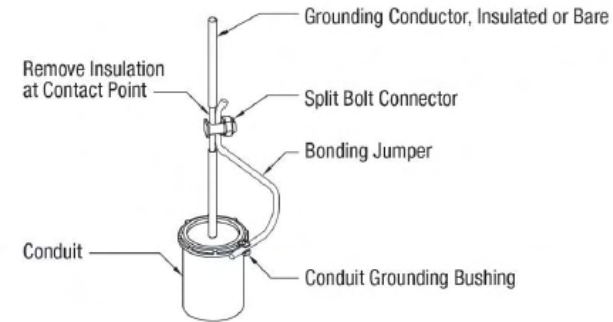


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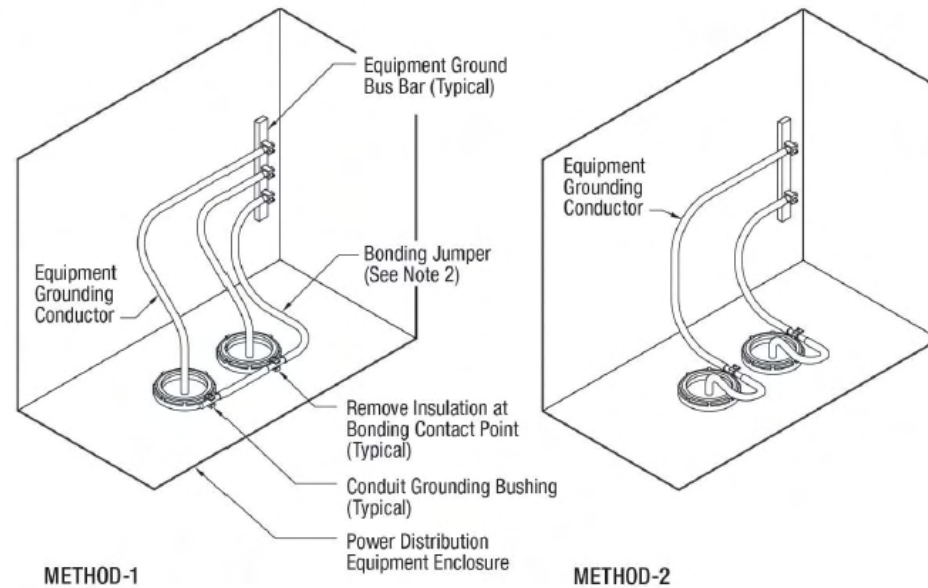
- 4/0 Bare Copper Counterpoise.
- #2 Green Ground to every enclosure.
- #2 Green Ground to every metallic conduit.
- 28R Lighting protection halo.
- Ground Metallic conduit when it crosses counterpoise.
- This will cost more than normal.

CABINET GROUNDS

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ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLE: CONDUIT RACEWAY



METHOD-1

METHOD-2

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES: POWER DISTRIBUTION EQUIPMENT

SURGE PROTECTION

- Basic rule is
- If its an outside circuit, then it will need SPD.
- If several inside circuits, they can share SPD.

4.6.1 General

SPDs shall be provided at locations where electrical power systems are susceptible to conducted power line surges. SPD equipment functional performance requirements are detailed in section 5.7. Selection of appropriate SPD depends on location and application. The SPDs and transient suppression provided at electronic equipment power line entrances shall be coordinated as required herein and paragraph 5.6.4.

4.6.2 SPD for Power Distribution System

SPDs shall be provided at the following locations:

- a. Service Disconnecting Means. Provide SPD on the load side of the SDM.
- b. Facility Entrance Point. Provide SPD on the load side of a facility entrance point. For example, if the facility entrance point is within a NAS electronic equipment room, the SPD is required at the first distribution panelboard that supplies the branch panelboards within the room.
- c. Transfer Switch, Switchboard, or Panelboard. Provide SPD either on the load side of an engine generator transfer switch, or on the first switchboard or distribution panelboard located downstream of the transfer switch.
- d. Panelboards Feeding Building Exterior Loads. Provide SPDs at panelboards that supply branch circuit wiring exiting the building to serve exterior equipment.
- e. Secondary Transformer. Provide SPD at separately derived power source that feeds NAS electronic equipment.

A lightning arrester shall be installed on the primary side of FAA-owned distribution transformers. Lightning arresters and SPDs shall be approved by the OPR.

4.6.2.1 SPD for Facility Entrance Equipment

SPDs shall be provided at the SDM, at all facility entrance penetrations, and at feeder and branch panelboards as specified in paragraph 4.6.2.2. Additional SPDs shall be provided at the power line entrances to operational electronic equipment.

4.6.2.2 SPD for Power Distribution Feeders and Panelboards

SPDs shall be installed on switchgear, panelboards, and disconnect switches providing service to NAS operational equipment or supplying exterior circuits.

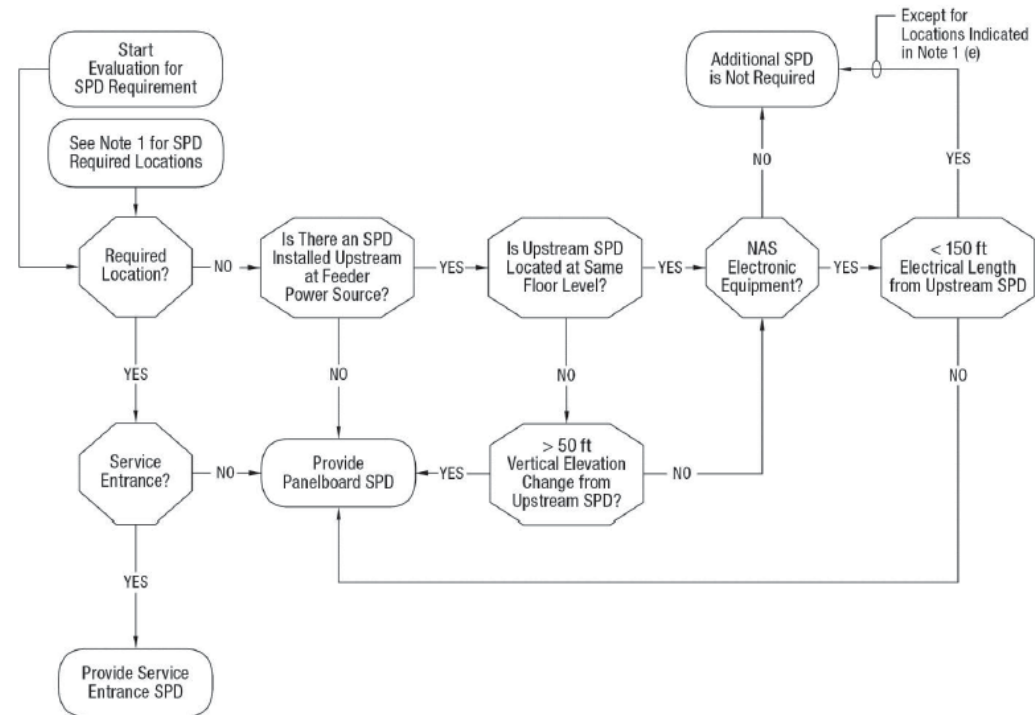
Examples of exterior circuits include obstruction lights, convenience outlets, guard houses, security systems, electric gates, and feeds to other facilities.

Where feeder and branch panelboards are located close together and their panelboards do not serve exterior circuits, use the SPD location decision tree diagram, Figure 8, to determine if an SPD is required for branch panelboards. SPDs for panelboards that provide service to exterior circuits shall meet requirements of paragraphs 5.7.2.1.1, 5.7.2.1.2, and 5.7.2.1.3 for facility entrance SPDs.

SPD FLOW CHART

- This chart might help.

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Notes:

1. Provide SPDs in accordance with paragraph 4.6.2 and for the following locations.
 - a. Power service disconnecting means (SDM).
 - b. Load side of automatic transfer switch (ATS).
 - c. Transformer, secondary of separately derived power source.
 - d. Panelboards with branch circuits that feed building exterior loads.
 - e. Power feeder that supplies the panelboards for NAS electronic equipment room. SPD is required at the first panelboard located within the room.

FACILITY GROUNDING

- Dedicated #2 taps from 4/0 counterpoise to each box.
- Ground plates are required. Only one for less than 200SF.

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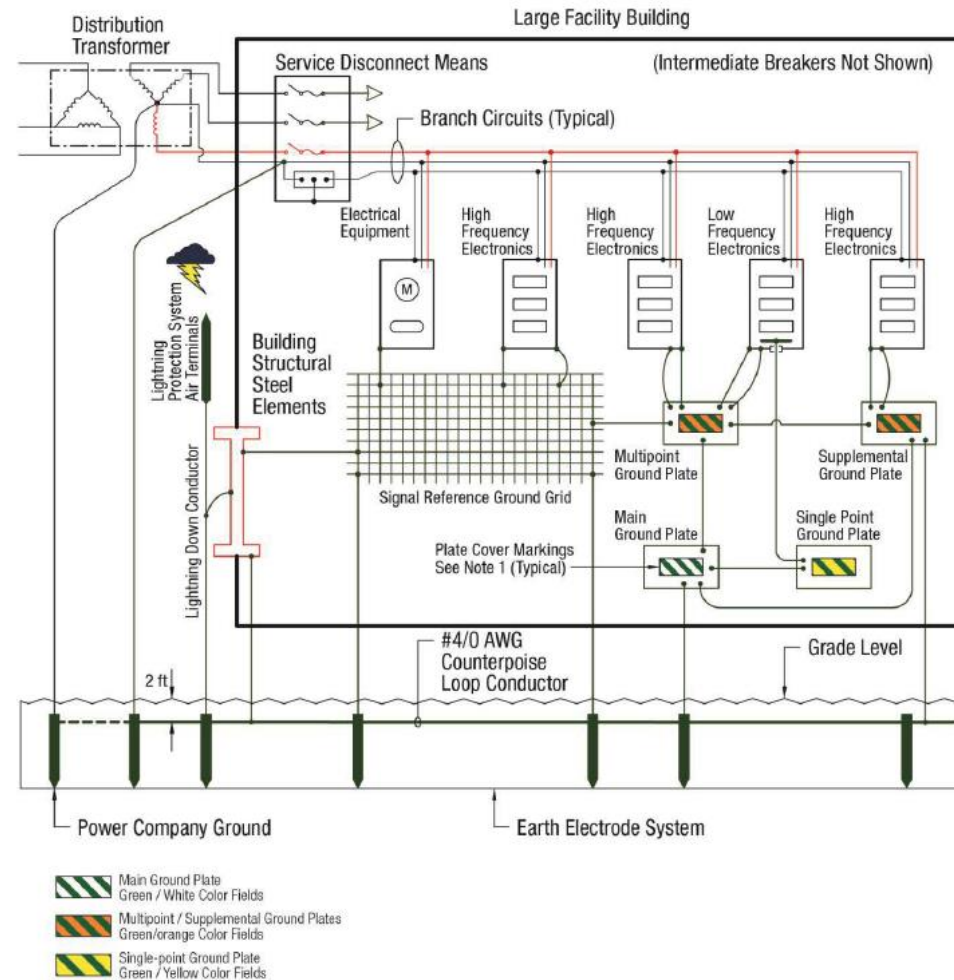
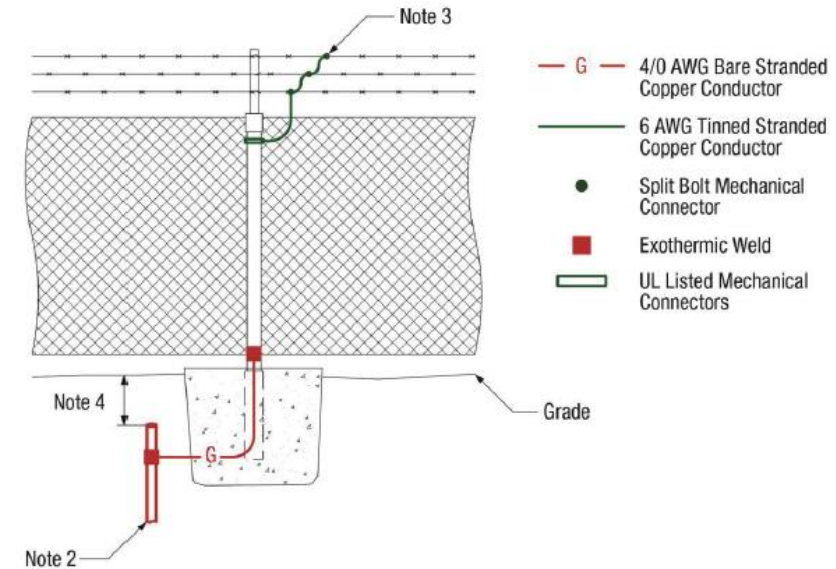


Figure 9. Typical Facility Grounding System

FENCE GROUNDING

- Do this every 100 feet and all corners and gates.

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Illustrative Example: Chain Link Fence

Notes:

1. Diagram depicts elemental parts of a typical fencing grounding and bonding installation. Other architectural style fence configurations are possible.
2. Install 10 ft long by 3/4 in. diameter copper clad ground rods at all corners, gate posts, and at intervals not to exceed 100 feet. Exothermically weld each ground rod to the post.
3. Mechanically bond each strand of security wire to the fence post at all corners, gate posts, and at intervals not to exceed 100 feet.
4. 12 in. minimum below grade, but not less than frost depth.

Figure 18. Fence Grounding

GROUND METALLIC CONDUIT

- FAA requires conduit that enters a facility to be grounded.
- All below grade connections must be exothermic welds.
- If conduit enters building underground then it will be grounded with #2 exothermic weld at counterpoise.

5.4.3 Electromagnetic Shielding for Lines, Conductors, and Cables

5.4.3.1 Facility Entrance Conduit

Direct routed conductors and cables, both buried or above ground, shall enter the facility through a minimum of 10-ft ferrous RGS conduit at the exterior face of the building. For above-ground conditions, provide a minimum 10-ft ferrous RGS conduit on the exterior face of the facility at the entrance point. Entrance conduits shall be bonded to the EES with a bare copper stranded conductor, 2 AWG minimum. This entrance conduit, if buried, shall extend a minimum of 5 ft beyond the EES. Entrance conduits can be bonded below or above grade.

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Exception. *Power feeders maintained by and installed to the requirements of the electric utility provider are exempt from the facility entrance RGS requirement.*

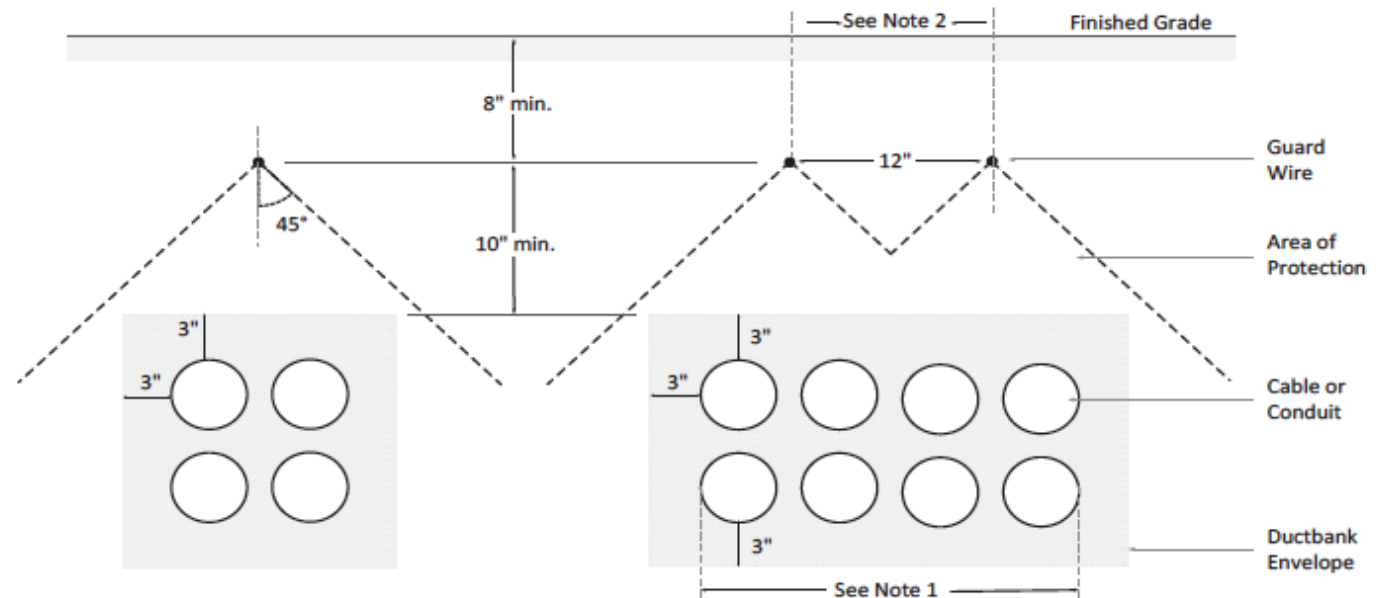
5.4.3.1.1 Above-Ground Conduit Entrance to Facility

At the conduit entrance point, a bonding connection shall be made either to the EES or to a bulkhead connector plate that is bonded to the EES in accordance with paragraph 5.4.3.2. If neither of these bonds is feasible, the bond shall be made to the main or supplemental multipoint ground plate. Provide a minimum 2 AWG stranded copper conductor using exothermic welds or UL-listed pressure connectors for this connection.

DUCT BANKS

- Requires 1/0 bare copper guard wire over trench.
- Ground Rod every 90 feet tied to 1/0 guard wire.

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Notes:

1. Provide additional parallel guard wire runs for cables or cable ductbanks wider than 3 ft.
2. The spacing intervals between the center lines of the guard wires should not exceed twice the height distance between the guard wire and ductbank.

Figure 19. Buried Guard Wire Detail for Underground Cables or Cable Ductbanks

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- PVC Coated Rigid conduit within Counterpoise. Then transition to sand encased SCH 80 PVC.
- H20 or AC rated handholes every 500LF.
- Ground Bars in Handholes
- Detectable Warning tape
- Cable Tags
- No Splices !!!!

WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE

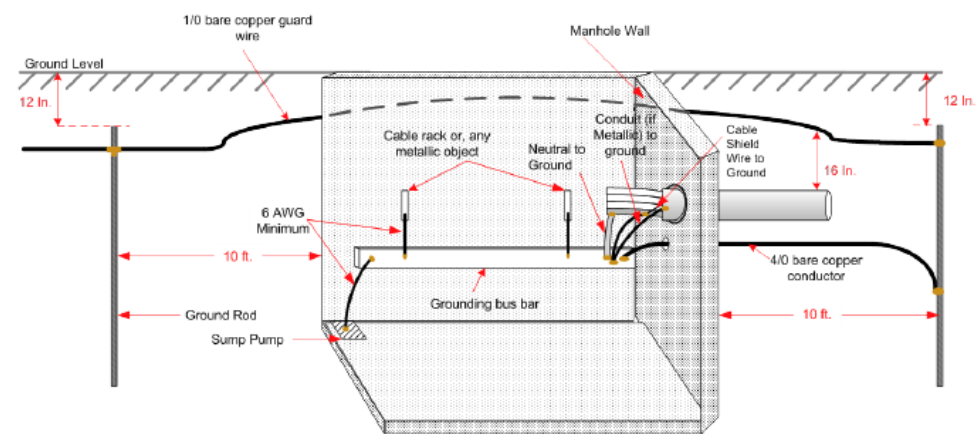


FIGURE 5.11.3-1. Grounding and guard wire installation detail at a manhole.

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SUMMARY

- Moving or disturbing and FAA system will require a reimbursable agreement.
- FAA NAS Planning Team should be notified right away.
- Read applicable Siting criteria for your system.
- Know the FAA specifications front to back.
- Questions?