

**City of Portland, Maine - Building or Use Permit Application**

389 Congress Street, 04101 Tel: (207) 874-8703, Fax: (207) 874-8716

Permit No: 04-1179	Issue Date:	CBL: 425 I004001
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Location of Construction: 142 Presumpscot St	Owner Name: 142 Presumpscot Limited	Owner Address: 142 Presumpscot St	Phone: 775 1100
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Business Name:	Contractor Name: SME Corporation	Contractor Address: 1112 Litchfield Rd Bowdoin	Phone: 2077751100
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Lessee/Buyer's Name	Phone:	Permit Type: Foundation Only/Commercial	Zone:
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Past Use: Warehouse	Proposed Use: Warehouse Addition	Permit Fee:	Cost of Work: \$0.00	CEO District: 4
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Proposed Project Description: FOUNDATION ONLY for a 9865 sq.ft. Addition	FIRE DEPT: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied	INSPECTION: Use Group: <i>SI</i> Type: <i>JK</i> <i>8/17/04</i>
	Signature:	Signature: <i>[Signature]</i>

PEDESTRIAN ACTIVITIES DISTRICT (P.A.D.)		
Action: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved w/Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Denied	Signature	Date

Permit Taken By: <i>min</i>	Date Applied For: 08/17/2004	<b>Zoning Approval</b>	
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<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This permit application does not preclude the Applicant(s) from meeting applicable State and Federal Rules.</li> <li>Building permits do not include plumbing, septic or electrical work.</li> <li>Building permits are void if work is not started within six (6) months of the date of issuance. False information may invalidate a building permit and stop all work..</li> </ol>	<b>Special Zone or Reviews</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Shoreland <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland <input type="checkbox"/> Flood Zone <input type="checkbox"/> Subdivision <input type="checkbox"/> Site Plan Maj <input type="checkbox"/> Minor <input type="checkbox"/> MM <input type="checkbox"/> late:	<b>Zoning Appeal</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Variance <input type="checkbox"/> Miscellaneous <input type="checkbox"/> Conditional Use <input type="checkbox"/> Interpretation <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied late:	<b>Historic Preservation</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Not in District or Landmark <input type="checkbox"/> Does Not Require Review <input type="checkbox"/> Requires Review <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Approved w/Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Denied late:
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**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that I am the owner of record of the named property, or that the proposed work is authorized by the owner of record and that I have been authorized by the owner to make this application as his authorized agent and I agree to conform to all applicable laws of this jurisdiction. In addition, if a permit for work described in the application is issued, I certify that the code official's authorized representative shall have the authority to enter all areas covered by such permit at any reasonable hour to enforce the provision of the code(s) applicable to such permit.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT ADDRESS DATE PHONE

RESPONSIBLE PERSON IN CHARGE OF WORK. TITLE DATE PHONE

7-304  
Checked set bracks  
and footing forms  
& rebar MW

9/16/04  
Checked footing rebar  
& walls rebar starting to  
Get up rebar for walls +  
forms  
MW

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<b>Permit No:</b> 04-0866	<b>Date Applied For:</b> 06/24/2004	<b>CBL:</b> 425 I004001
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<b>Location of Construction:</b> 142 Presumpscot St	<b>Owner Name:</b> 142 Presumpscot Limited	<b>Owner Address:</b> 142 Presumpscot St	<b>Phone:</b> ( ) 775-1100
<b>Business Name:</b>	<b>Contractor Name:</b> SME Corporation	<b>Contractor Address:</b> 1112 Litchfield Rd Bowdoin	<b>Phone:</b> (207) 775-1100
<b>Lessee/Buyer's Name</b>	<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Permit Type:</b> Additions - Commercial	

<b>Proposed Use:</b> warehouse with 9865 sq ft addition	<b>Proposed Project Description:</b> build 9865 sq ft addition to warehouse. Metal roof & walls, fencing, landscaping
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**Dept:** Zoning      **Status:** Approved with Conditions      **Reviewer:** Marge Schmuckal      **Approval Date:** 08/05/2004

**Note:** 8/5/04 received the latest site plan revisions      **Ok to Issue:**

- 1) Your plans are now showing only one loading dock in the rear of the building. That loading dock shall be no less than 14' x 50'. This area shall only accommodate one truck at any time. Any additional loading dock shall meet the same dimensional requirements as outlined under section 14-353. Please note that this office recognizes the delivery door off Grafton Street not to meet the definition of a loading bay. This door shall not be altered to allow tractor trailers or a permanent loading dock without further review by this office.
- 2) Please note that there shall be verification of the side setback line on the south-east corner. The Code Enforcement Office shall require a verification by a surveyor as to wall placement prior to the final wall placement.
- 3) Separate permits shall be required for any new signage.
- 4) This permit is being approved on the basis of plans submitted on 8/5/04. Any deviations shall require a separate approval before starting that work.

**Dept:** Building      **Status:** Pending      **Reviewer:** Mike Nugent      **Approval Date:**

**Note:**      **Ok to Issue:**

**Dept:** Fire      **Status:** Approved with Conditions      **Reviewer:** Lt. MacDougal      **Approval Date:** 08/09/2004

**Note:**      **Ok to Issue:**

- 1) the sprinkler system shall be installed in accordance with NFPA 13 standards

**Dept:** Engineering      **Status:** Approved      **Reviewer:** Tony      **Approval Date:** 02/11/2004

**Note:** PUBLIC WORKS ENGINEERING REVIEW...7/03/03      **Ok to Issue:**

I have reviewed the submittal dated 5/27/03 and offer the following comments:

1. Public Works is requesting the applicant install granite curbing and building a 5 feet wide paved sidewalk along the site frontage on Grafton Street.
2. The plans must identify the proposed trench excavation limits within Grafton Street.
3. The applicant is advised to contact Carol Merrit, at Public Works, regarding the permits and fees associated with this development.
4. The abutting residential properties on Providence Street, currently experience significant rear yard flooding problems. Therefore, we are requesting the applicant divert all rear site runoff to a site drainage collection system that is piped to Grafton Street. The existing site catch basin will need to be connected to the proposed catch basin, proposed at the westerly side of the new building. In addition, the outlet to Providence Street, within the existing catch basin, must be sealed permanently.

PUBLIC WORKS ENGINEERING REVIEW...2/11/04

The submittal dated 1/27/04 has addressed all of Public Works issues.

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<b>Lessee/Buyer's Name</b>	<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Permit Type:</b> Additions - Commercial	

**Dept:** Fire

**Status:** Approved

**Reviewer:** Lt. MacDougal

**Approval Date:** 06/11/2003

**Note:**

**Ok to Issue:**

# DISPLAY THIS CARD ON PRINCIPAL FRONTAGE OF WORK CITY OF PORTLAND

## BUILDING INSPECTION

### PERMIT

Permit Number: 041179

Please Read Application And Notes, If Any, Attached

PERMIT ISSUED  
AUG 17 2004  
CITY OF PORTLAND

This is to certify that 142 Presumpscot Limited/Service Corporation  
has permission to FOUNDATION ONLY for 365 sq. ft.  
AT 142 Presumpscot St PORTLAND, OR 97201 425 1004001

provided that the person or persons who perform or supervise the construction accepting this permit shall comply with all of the provisions of the Statutes of the State of Oregon and of the Ordinances of the City of Portland regulating the construction, maintenance and use of buildings and structures, and of the application on file in this department.

Apply to Public Works for street line and grade if nature of work requires such information.

Inspection or inspection must be obtained and when permission is procured before this building or part thereof is occupied or otherwise closed-in. INSURANCE REQUIRED.

A certificate of occupancy must be procured by owner before this building or part thereof is occupied.

#### OTHER REQUIRED APPROVALS

Fire Dept. \_\_\_\_\_  
Health Dept. \_\_\_\_\_  
Appeal Board \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Department Name

*[Signature]* 8/17/04  
Director - Building & Inspection Services

**PENALTY FOR REMOVING THIS CARD**

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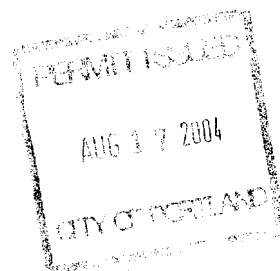
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Lessee/Buyer's Name	Phone:	Permit Type: <b>Foundation Only/Commercial</b>	

Proposed Use: <b>Warehouse Addition</b>	Proposed Project Description: <b>FOUNDATION ONLY for a 9865 sq.ft. Addition</b>
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**Dept:** Building      **Status:** Approved with Conditions      **Reviewer:** Mike Nugent      **Approval Date:** 08/17/2004  
**Note:**      **Ok to Issue:**

2) This building must be protected with an automatic fire supression in accordance with Section 906.2..1 unless the fire areas bewteen the existing building and proposed addition can be separated in to separate fire areas in accordance with section 707 and rated as required by Table 602.

**Comments:**  
08/17/2004-mjn: Fire and Zoning Sign offs are on Permit #040866





## **Geotechnical Report**

### **Proposed Costal Equipment Building Expansion Presumpscot Street Portland, Maine**

Prepared for:

Costal Equipment Corp.

Prepared by:

Summit Geoengineering Services  
Project #7808  
May 2004



May 3, 2004  
Summit #7808

Mark Goldstein  
Coastal Equipment Corp  
P.O. Box 1118  
Portland, Maine 04104

Reference: Geotechnical Services  
Building Addition, Presumpscot Street, Portland, Maine

Dear **Mark**:

We have completed the geotechnical investigation in connection with the design and construction of a 10,000 square foot addition to your facility at 142 Presumpscot Street. Our scope of services included performing **3 borings** at the proposed site and preparing this letter summarizing our findings and geotechnical recommendations.


Our work, in general, consisted of drilling **3 borings** in the vicinity of the proposed building expansion. The borings were all drilled to depths of refusal encountered at 41 to **44** feet. At B-3a through B-3d, foundation construction debris was encountered at a depth of 2 to 2.5 feet within the fill layer along the western portion of the proposed building with.

In general, the soil at the site consisted of topsoil, fill, glacial marine, and glacial till soils. Bedrock was encountered in all three borings. Moisture changes from damp to wet conditions indicate that the groundwater level ranges from a depth of **14** feet to **18** feet. Perched surface water was also present at the site.


With proper preparation, the soils at the site are suitable for support of the proposed building on conventional spread footing foundation. Specific foundation and earthwork design and construction recommendations are contained in this report.

We appreciate the opportunity to serve **you** during this phase of your project. If there are any questions or additional information is required, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely yours,  
**Summit Geoengineering Services,**

  
Craig W. Coolidge, E.I.T.  
Geotechnical Engineer



  
William M. Peterlein, P.E.  
Principal Geotechnical Engineer



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## SECTION 1 INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 Introduction

Costal Equipment is planning to construct a new 10,000 square foot addition to their existing facility at 142 Presumpscot Street in Portland, Maine. ~~As~~ part of this planning, Summit Geoengineering Services (Summit) was asked ~~to~~ perform a geotechnical investigation and prepare this report with foundation design and recommendations. This ~~work was~~ completed in accordance with our proposal dated April ~~4,2004~~.

### 1.2 Scope of Services

Our scope of services for the proposed expansion building, in general, was to consist of drilling ~~3~~ soil borings in the vicinity of the proposed building, perform laboratory testing (~~as~~ required), perform analyses, and prepare a geotechnical report. All work was performed in its entirety ~~as~~ proposed.

## SECTION 2 PROJECT AND SITE DESCRIPTION

The project consists of the construction ~~of~~ a 10,000 square foot warehouse-type building, attached to the existing building. We understand that the floor of the new addition will be ~~4~~ feet above the existing ground surface with a finish floor elevation at 32.13 feet. Construction of the slab on grade will require up to ~~4~~ feet of fill.

The site is generally flat grading upward from elevations ~~28~~ feet at the northeast corner of the existing building to 30 feet at the western edge of the site. The eastern portion of the site adjacent to the existing building is currently cleared with a gravel surface enclosed by a chain-linked fence. The western portion is lightly wooded with small Poplar trees. Currently water and muddy conditions were observed after a recent rain event.

## SECTION 3 EXPLORATION AND LABORATORY TESTING

### 3.1 Exploration

The subsurface conditions at the proposed site were explored by drilling ~~3~~ borings. Northeast Diamond Drilling drilled borings B-1 through B-3, on April ~~16,2004~~ under contract to Summit. The borings were drilled to refusal encountered at depths of 41 to ~~44~~ feet using ~~4~~ inch casing with rotary wash. Standard 24-inch long split spoon samples were obtained at 5-foot intervals. Seven field vane shear tests were conducted and *two* undisturbed shelby tube samples were taken for soft underlying glacial marine deposits encountered at the site. Pocket penetrometer tests were also conducted for cohesive split spoon samples. Summit was on site to coordinate and

observe the exploration. The location of the borings is shown on Figure 1 in Appendix A. Logs of the borings are included in Appendix B.

### 3.2 Laboratory Testing

Five samples #7808-1 through #7808-5 from borings B-1 to B-3 were collected and tested for Moisture Contents in accordance with ASTM D2216 for the **soft** glacial marine deposits at depths ranging from 14.5 to 26.5 feet. Atterberg **Limits** were also conducted for samples #7808-2, #7808-4, and #7808-5 in accordance with ASTM **D43** 18 at depths ranging from 15 to 22 feet. The lab results are attached at the end of this report in Appendix C. Below is a table summarizing the tests results for each sample:

LABORATORY RESULTS SUMMARY TABLE				
Sample Number	Sample Location	Liquid Limit	Plastic Index	Moisture Content
7808-1	B-1, 14.5' to 16.5'	NA	NA	40.8%
7808-2	B-1, 19.5' to 21.5'	44	23	41.0%
7808-3	B-1, 24.5' to 26.5'	NA	NA	33.3%
7808-4	B-2, 15.0' to 17.0'	44	22	43.3%
7808-5	B-3, 20.0' to 22.0'	43	22	43.8%

Moisture contents for the four samples #7808-1, #7808-2, #7808-4, and #7808-5 collected at depths ranging from 14.5 to 22.0 feet ranged from 40.8 to 43.8 percent. Sample #7808-3 collected at a depth of 24.5 to 26.5 feet contained moisture content of 33.3 percent. Atterberg limit tests performed contained a plastic index range of 22 to 23 and a liquid limit range of 43 to 44. The moisture contents indicate that the soil is saturated.

Two undisturbed 30-inch Shelby tube samples were collected from boring ~~62~~ at depths of 20.0 and 25.0 feet. Further testing of the Shelby tube samples were not performed due to sufficient test data collected from field and laboratory test results obtained from split spoon samples.

## SECTION 4 SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS

### 4.1 Soil

The soil at the site consists of approximately 2 to 2.5 feet of *fill* overlying *glacial murine deposits*, overlying dense *glacial till*, overlying *bedrock*. At boring **B-3a**, approximately 6 inches of *topsoil* overlying a 2.5-foot layer of granular fill with old building foundation debris was encountered. Additional refusals were encountered at depths of 2 to 2.5 feet at locations B-3b B-3c, and B-3d. B-3e was eventually continued approximately 5 feet north of the proposed expansion building where foundation/debris refusal was no longer encountered.

The *topsoil* consisted of dark brown silt with organics and/or rootlets. The topsoil is classified as a ML soil in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System (USCS).

The *fill* encountered at the site generally consisted of dark brown to brown sand with some to little gravel, and some to little silt and classifies as an **SP** soil in accordance to the **USCS**. SPT N-values for the fill ranged from 5 blows per foot (bpf) to 8 bpf and averaged 7 bpf which indicate loose soil conditions. At borings B-3a through **B-3d**, along the western portion of the proposed building as shown on Figure 1 in Appendix A, difficult advancement on potential foundation/construction debris occurred at depths of 2 to 4 feet within the fill layer.

The *glacial marine deposit* consists of two subunits. The upper glacial marine subunit generally consisted of approximately 9.5 to 13.5 feet of olive brown to gray and slightly mottled silty clay with a trace of fine sand. The silty clay is classified as a CL soil in accordance with the USCS. SPT N-values for the upper glacial *marine* deposits ranged from 7 blows per foot (bpf) to 21 bpf and averaged 12 bpf, which indicate stiff soil conditions. Pocket Penetrometer readings were also recorded for split spoon samples taken with results greater than 9000 pounds per square foot (psf) near depths of 5 feet to 7 feet and approximately 4000 psf near depths of 10 feet to 12 feet.

The lower glacial marine subunit generally consists of 16 feet to 28.5 feet of gray silty clay. Atterberg limits performed for the lower glacial marine deposits indicate the soil is classified as a CL (lean clay) soil in accordance with the **USCS**. SPT-N values ranged from 3 bpf to weight of probe sampler. Field vane shear tests were also conducted at depths of 22, and 30.5 feet in boring B-1, at depths of 17.5 feet, 23.5 feet, 28.5 feet, and 35.5 feet in boring B-2, and at a depth of 26 feet in boring B-3. Resulting shear strengths ranged from 650 psf to **1890** psf, which indicate firm to very soft soil conditions.

The *glacial till* was observed during rotary wash starting at depths of 34 feet to 42.5 feet. The glacial till is dense.

#### 4.2 Bedrock

*Bedrock* was encountered in all of the **borings** at depths of 41 feet to **44** feet. Rotary wash advancement indicates that weathered **bedrock** maybe present above more competent bedrock in borings B-1 and **B-3** with a thickness of approximately 2.5 feet and 1 foot, respectively.

#### 4.3 Groundwater

Moisture changes from damp to wet conditions in **SPT** split spoon samples indicate that the groundwater level ranges **from** a depth of **14** feet to **18** feet, elevations **14.5** feet to 11.5 feet. Perched water conditions above the cohesive glacial marine deposits from previous rain were also present at the site.

### SECTION 5 FOUNDATION RECOMMENDATIONS

#### 5.1 General

Based on the proposed finish floor elevation and the anticipated footing depth, a majority of the footings will be constructed on upper glacial marine and existing fill soils. **Up** to **4** feet of fill will also be required at the site. With proper preparation, soils at this site will be suitable to construct the proposed building using conventional spread footing and slab on grade foundations.

Based on **our** exploration, it is **possible** that old foundation or construction debris may be present within the building footprint. In the event that any foundation debris is found it should be removed from within the building footprint **and** disposed of in accordance with local ordinances, and state and federal regulations.

#### 5.2 Allowable Bearing Pressure

We recommend that the footings constructed for the proposed building be proportioned using an allowable bearing pressure of 2,000 psf. Total settlements for this allowable bearing pressure is computed to be less than 1 inch. The proposed building addition and fill will be subjected to both immediate and consolidation settlement. The majority of the settlement will be due to consolidation settlement of the lower soft clay glacial marine subunit **from** the loading placed by the fill.

The *immediate* settlement will occur within 1 to 2 weeks after the load is applied. Practically speaking, the immediate settlement **from** the fill and building will occur during construction and should be complete before the foundation is constructed. Additional immediate settlement that occurs **as** the live loads are realized will be negligible.

The *consolidation* settlement will occur over a longer period of months to years with the rate of settlement decreasing with time. Consolidation settlement for the site is estimated to less than 1 inch based on the following assumptions:

- The base of the exterior footings will be a **minimum 4** feet below the proposed exterior grade, will be proportioned using an allowable bearing pressure of 2,000 psf, and will not exceed a width of 7 feet.
- The fill required beneath the building consist of compacted Granular Borrow, Structural Fill, and/or Foundation Backfill having a maximum dry density less than 130 pcf.
- Thickness of the fill will not exceed **4** feet.
- All soil with potential old foundation or construction debris (as encountered in **B3**) is removed from beneath the proposed footings and replaced with Granular Borrow, Structural Fill, or Foundation Backfill.

We also recommend that the native glacial marine or existing fill soils within the building footprint are proof-rolled prior to constructing footings or prior to placing fill. Proof rolling should consist of a **minimum** of three passes in a north-south direction and then three passes in an east-west direction using a large (5 ton at drum static weight) vibratory roller.

### 5.3 Frost Protection

Based on the required frost protection depth, the frost walls for the building should be constructed at a minimum depth of **4** feet. This frost penetration depth is based on a design air-freezing index of 1,250 degree days for the Portland area. We recommend that the exterior of the foundation walls be backfilled with soil meeting the following gradation specification:

<b>FOUNDATION BACKFILL</b>	
<b>Sieve Size</b>	<b>Percent finer</b>
<b>3 inch</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>No. 40</b>	<b>0 to 70</b>
<b>No. 200</b>	<b>0 to 7</b>

The Foundation Backfill should be compacted to a **minimum** of **95** percent of its maximum dry density, determined in accordance with **ASTM D 1557**.

### 5.4 Building Slab

We recommend that soil required beneath the slab consist of Foundation Backfill. The **maximum** particle size should be limited to **6** inches. The Foundation Backfill should be placed in **8** to 12-inch lifts and should be compacted to **95** percent of its maximum *dry* density determined in accordance with **ASTM D1557**.

Existing fill or glacial marine soils should be proofrolled prior to placing Foundation Backfill. Proofrolling should consist **of a minimum of three passes** in one direction and three passes in a perpendicular direction using a ride on vibratory **roller**.

For the conditions described above, the slab **can** be designed **using a** subgrade modulus of 225 pci.

We recommend that control joints be placed **at a maximum** spacing of 2 to 3 times the thickness of the slab in feet (joints in a 6 inch slab would be spaced at **a maximum** of 18 feet).

### **5.5 Groundwater Control**

Based on the proposed footing elevations, groundwater is expected to be below the base of the footings. Based on this, perimeter foundation underdrains are not strictly necessary. Exterior grades should slope away from the building to reduce runoff water from infiltrating the foundation backfill. Due to the potential for surface runoff ponding in excavations and due to potential changes in local and regional hydrogeology it may be desirable to install a perimeter foundation drain.

If selected, the perimeter underdrain **should** consist of **4 inch** rigid perforated PVC surrounded by a minimum of 6 inches of crushed stone wrapped in filter fabric to prevent clogging from the migration of the fine soil particles in the foundation backfill soils. The underdrain pipe should be outlet to a location where it will be free flowing. Where exposed at the ground surface, the ends of pipes should be screened or otherwise protected **from** entry and nesting of wildlife, which could cause clogging. We recommend that the ground surface slope away from the building

### **5.6 Seismic Design**

The soils at the site are categorized **as** site classification E in accordance with the 2003 International Building Code.

## **SECTION 6 EARTHWORK CONSIDERATIONS**

Excavation into the existing soil at the site will be relatively easy. Surface water during wet periods could potentially become ponded above native glacial marine subgrade soils. We recommend that surface water be directed away **from** excavations to prevent potential softening of native marine soils **from** ponding water.

All existing fill or glacial marine soil **within** the building expansion areas should be proofrolled prior to placing Backfill soils. Existing soil reused onsite should be compacted to a minimum of 95 percent **of** its maximum *dry* density, determined in accordance with ASTM D 1557.

Subgrade disturbance due to hydrostatic pumping **from** vibratory proof rolling for glacial marine subgrade soils could occur if the soil **is** wet **from** prolonged **rainy periods**. **An** alternative to proof rolling is to place a 12-inch thick layer of **crushed** stone overlying geotextile **filter fabric** beneath foundation footings to provide **stable** subgrade conditions. The base of the excavation should also be smooth prior to placing the geotextile to avoid **rips** and tears in the fabric. High or low spots can be filled **with** crushed stone.

Excavations below **4** feet and above any groundwater should be sloped no greater **than** 1H to 1V. These slopes are based on the current OSHA Excavation Guidelines.

## **SECTION 8 CLOSURE**

Our recommendations are based on professional judgment and generally accepted principles of geotechnical engineering. Some changes in subsurface conditions **from** those presented in this report may occur. Should these conditions differ materially from those described in this report, Summit should be notified so that we **can** re-evaluate our recommendations.



**APPENDIX A**  
**EXPLORATION LOCATION PLAN**

**APPENDIX B**  
**BORINGS LOGS**

## EXPLORATION REPORT COVER SHEET

The exploration report has been prepared by the geotechnical engineer from both field and laboratory data. Differences between field logs and exploration reports may exist.

It is common practice in the soil and foundation engineering profession that field logs and laboratory data sheets not be included in engineering reports, because they do not represent the engineer's final opinion as to appropriate descriptions for conditions encountered in the exploration and testing work. The field logs will be retained in our office for review. Results of laboratory tests are generally shown on the borings logs or are described in the text of the report as appropriate.

### Drilling and Sampling Symbols:

SS = Split Spoon	Hyd = Hydraulic advance of probes
ST = Shelby Tube – 2” OD, disturbed	WOH = Weight of Hammer
UT = Shelby Tube – 3” OD, undisturbed	WOR = Weight of Rod
HSA = Hollow Stem Auger	GS = Grain Size Data
CS = Casing – size as noted	PI = Plasticity Index
Sv = Vane Shear	LL = Liquid Limit
PP = Pocket Penetrometer	w = Natural Water Content
RX = Rock Core – size as noted	USCS = unified Soil Classification System

### Water Level Measurements:

Water levels indicated on the boring logs are the levels measured in the boring at the times indicated. In pervious soils, the indicated elevations are considered reliable groundwater levels. In impervious soils, the accurate determination of groundwater elevations may not be possible, even after several days of observations; additional evidence of groundwater elevations via observation or monitoring wells must be sought.

### Gradation Description and Terminology:

Boulders:	Over 8 inches	Trace:	Less than 5%
Cobbles:	8 inches to 3 inches	Little:	5% to 15%
Gravel:	3 inches to No.4 sieve	Some:	15% to 25%
Sand:	No.4 to No. 200 sieve	Silty, Sandy, etc.:	Greater than 25%
Silt:	No. 200 sieve to 0.005 mm		
Clay:	less than 0.005 mm		

### Density of Granular Soils and Consistency of Cohesive Soils:

CONSISTENCY OF COHESIVE SOILS		DENSITY OF GRANULAR SOILS	
SPT N-value blows/ft	Consistency	SPT N-value blows/ft	Relative Density
0 to 2	Very Soft	0 to 3	Very Loose
3 to 4	Soft	4 to 9	Loose
5 to 8	Firm	10 to 29	Compact
9 to 16	Stiff	30 to 49	Dense
17 to 32	Very Stiff	50 to 80	Very Dense
>32	Hard		

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Drilling Co: Northeast Diamond Drilling					Project: Building Expansion			Project #: 7808
Foreman: Chris Palmer					Costal Equipment			Sheet: 1 of 2
Summit: Craig Coolidge, E.I.T.					Portland, ME			Prep by: CWC
Ground Elevation: 28.5 ft.					Reference: Estimated from Site Plan by RTB Enterprises			
Date started: 4/16/2004					Date Comp: 4/16/2004			
DRILLING METHOD		SAMPLER			GROUND WATER DEPTH			
Vehicle: Skidder Mount		Type: 24" SS			Date	Depth	Elevation	comments
Model: Mobile B-50		Hammer: 140 LB			4/16/2004	15 ft.	13.5 ft.	Moisture change in SPT samples
Method: Rotary Wash		Fall: 30"						
Depth (ft.)	SAMPLE DATA				ENGINEERING DESCRIPTION	GEOLOGIC DESCRIPTION		
	No.	Pen/Rec (in.)	Depth (ft)	Blows				
1	S-1	24/3	0 - 2	3	Loose, brown Gravelly SAND, little to trace Silt, wet to damp, SP occasional cobble	FILL		
				5				
2				3				
				2				
3					Very stiff, olive brown and slightly mottled Silty CLAY. trace fine Sand, moist, CL	2.5' GLACIAL MARINE  P > 9000 psf		
4								
5	S-2	24/24	4.5 - 6.5	6				
				10				
6				11				
				14				
7								
8								
9								
10	S-3	24/24	9.5 - 11.5	4			Firm, olive brown and gray Silty CLAY. moist to damp, CL	P = 4000 psf
				3				
11				4				
				4				
12					Change to softer gray Clay during wash	2.0'		
13								
14								
15	S-4	24/24	14.5 - 16.5	1			Soft, gray Silty CLAY, damp to wet, CL	P = 500 psf w c = 40.8%
				1				
16				2				
				2				
17								
18								
19								
20	S-5	24/24	19.5 - 21.5	WOH	Very soft. Silty CLAY, wet. CL	P < 500 psf w c = 41.0% I L = 44 F I = 23		
				WOH				
21				WOH				
				WOH				

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Summit: Craig Coolidge, E.I.T.				Ground Elevation: 28.5 ft.			Prep by:	CWC
Reference: Estimated from Site Plan by RTB Enterprises				Date started: 4/16/2004			Date Comp: 4/16/2004	
DRILLING METHOD		SAMPLER		GROUND WATER DEPTH				
Vehicle: Skidder Mount		Type: 24" SS		Date	Depth	Elevation	Comments	
Model: Mobile B-50		Hammer: 140 LB		4/16/2004	15 ft.	13.5 ft.	Moisture change in SPT samples	
Method: Rotary Wash		Fall: 30"						
Depth (ft.)	SAMPLE DATA				ENGINEERING DESCRIPTION	GEOLOGIC DESCRIPTION		
	No.	Pen/Rec (in.)	Depth (ft)	Blows				
22					Very soft, Silty CLAY . wet, CL Sv = 1180 psf	GLACIAL MARINE		
23								
24					Very soft, Silty CLAY , wet, CL  PP < 500 psf wc = 33.3%			
25	S-6	24/24	24.5 -26.5	WOH				
				WOH				
26				WOH				
27				WOH				
28					Sv = 1480 psf  Possible small Sand seam at 35'			
29								
30								
31								
	ROTARY WASH							
32								
33								
34								
35								
36								
37					Much denser drilling from 37' to 40' in probable Glacial Till	7.0' GLACIAL TILL		
38								
39								
40								
41							Harder drilling in possible weathered bedrock	40.0' WEATHERED BEDROCK
42								
					End of Probe Exploration at 42.5'	BEDROCK		

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Drilling Co: Northeast Diamond Drilling					Project: Building Expansion			Project #: 7808
Foreman: Chris Palmer					Costal Equipment			Sheet: 1 of 2
Summit: Craig Coolidge, E.I.T.					Portland, ME			Prep by: CWC
Ground Elevation: 28.5 ft.					Reference: Estimated from Site Plan by RTB Enterprises			
Date started: 4/16/2004					Date Comp: 4/16/2004			
DRILLING METHOD		SAMPLER			GROUND WATER DEPTH			
Vehicle: Skidder Mount		Type: 24" SS			Date	Depth	Elevation	Comments
Model: Mobile B-50		Hammer: 140 LB			4/16/2004	14 ft.	14.5 ft.	Moisture change in SPT sample:
Method: Rotary Wash		Fall: 30"						
Depth (ft.)	SAMPLE DATA				ENGINEERING DESCRIPTION			GEOLOGIC DESCRIPTION
	No.	Pen/Rec (in.)	Depth (ft)	Blows				
1	S-1	24/10	0 - 2	4	Loose, dark brown and brown fine SAND, some to little Silt, little Gravel, wet, SP			FILL
				4				
				3				
2				3	2.0' GLACIAL MARINE			
3								
4								
5								
6	S-2	24/24	5 - 7	6				
				6				
				9				
				10				
11	S-3	24/24	10 - 12	3	Stiff, olive brown and gray Silty CLAY, damp to wet, CL			PP = 4000 psf
				4				
				5				
				4				
14					-----			14.0'
15					Change to softer gray Clay during wash			
16	S-4	24/24	15 - 17	WOH	Very soft, gray Silty CLAY, wet to very wet, CL			PP < 500 psf wc = 43.3% IL = 44 PI = 22
				WOH				
				WOH				
				WOH				
18					Sv = 810 psf			
21	UT-1	30/22	20 - 22.5	HYD	Very soft, gray Silty CLAY, wet to very wet, CL			
				PUSH				

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Drilling Co: Northeast Diamond Drilling				Project: <b>Building Expansion</b> Coastal Equipment Portland, ME			Project #: 7808 Sheet: 2 of 2 Prep by: <b>CWC</b>	
Foreman: Chris Palmer				Ground Elevation: <b>28.5 ft.</b>			Reference: Estimated from Site Plan by RTB Enterprises	
Summit: Craig Coolidge, E.I.T.				Date started: 4/16/2004 Date Comp: 4/16/2004				
DRILLING METHOD		SAMPLER		GROUND WATER DEPTH				
Vehicle: Skidder Mount Model: Mobile B-50 Method: Rotary Wash		Type: 24" SS Hammer: 140 LB Fall: 30"		Date	Depth	Elevation	comments	
				4/16/2004	14 A.	14.5 A.	Moisture change in SPT sample:	
Depth (ft.)	SAMPLE DATA				ENGINEERING DESCRIPTION	GEOLOGIC DESCRIPTION		
	No.	Pen/Rec (in.)	Depth (ft)	Blows				
22					Very soft, gray Silty CLAY, wet to very wet, CL	GLACIAL MARINE		
23								
24								
25					Sv = 730 psf			
26	UT-2	30/19.5	25 - 27.5	HYD PUSH	Very soft, silty CLAY, wet to very wet, CL			
27								
28								
29					Sv = 650 psf			
30								
31								
32					Possible small Sand seam at 32'			
33								
34								
35								
36					Sv = 1890 psf			
37	ROTARY WASH							
42								
43					Much denser drilling from 42.5' to 44' in probable Glacial Till	2.5' GLACIAL TILL		
44								
45					End of exploration at 44.0'	4.0' EDROCK		

SUMMIT GEOENGINEERING SERVICES 640 Main Street Lewiston, Maine 04240					SOIL BORING LOG			Boring #: <b>B-3a-e</b>								
Drilling Co: Northeast Diamond Drilling					Project: Building Expansion			Project #: 7808								
Foreman: Chris Palmer					Costal Equipment			Sheet: 1 of 2								
Summit: Craig Coolidge, E.I.T.					Portland, ME			Prep by: CWC								
Ground Elevation: 29.5 ft.					Reference: Estimated from Site Plan by RTB Enterprises											
Date started: 4/16/2004					Date Comp: 4/16/2004											
DRILLING METHOD		SAMPLER			GROUND WATER DEPTH											
Vehicle: Skidder Mount		Type: 24" SS			Date	Depth	Elevation	comments								
Model: Mobile B-50		Hammer: 140 LB			4/16/2004	18 ft.	11.5 ft.	Moisture change in SPT samples								
Method: Rotary Wash		Fall: 30"														
Depth (ft.)	SAMPLE DATA				ENGINEERING DESCRIPTION	GEOLOGIC DESCRIPTION										
	No.	Pen/Rec (in.)	Depth (ft)	Blows												
1	S-1	24/5	0 - 2	2	Soft, dark brown Silt, organics, wet, ML	TOPSOIL										
				3	Loose, dark brown grading to brown fine SAND, some to little Silt, wet to damp, SP	C1.5'										
				2		FILL/MARINE										
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B-3a	2.5'															
B-3b	2.0'															
B-3c	2.0'															
B-3d	2.0'															
2					Building foundation debris was found at 2' 2.5' for brings B-3a through B-34 offset approximately 35' northeast to perform B-3e from 4.5' to refusal											
3																
4																
5																
6					Very stiff to stiff, olive brown Silty CLAY, trace fine Sand, moist, CL	4.5'										
7						GLACIAL MARINE										
8																
9																
10																
11	S-2	24/24	10 - 12	4	Stiff, olive brown and gray Silty CLAY, damp to wet, CL											
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20																
21	S-3	24/24	20 - 22	WOH	Very soft, gray Silty CLAY, wet to very wet, CL	PP < 500 psf										
				WOH		wc = 43.8%										
				WOH		LL = 43										
				WOH		PI = 22										



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Project: Building Expansion Costal Equipment Portland, ME					Project #: 7808 Sheet: 2 of 2 Prep by: CWC									
Drilling Co: Northeast Diamond Drilling					Ground Elevation: 29.5 ft.									
Foreman: Chris Palmer					Reference: Estimated from Site Plan by RTB Enterprises									
Summit: Craig Coolidge, E.I.T.					Date started: 4/16/2004    Date Comp: 4/16/2004									
DRILLING METHOD		SAMPLER			GROUND WATER DEPTH									
Vehicle: Skidder Mount Model: Mobile B-50 Method: Rotary Wash		Type: 24" SS Hammer: 140 LB Fall: 30"			Date	Depth	Elevation	Comments						
					4/16/2004	18 ft.	11.5 ft.	Moisture change in SPT samples						
Depth (ft.)	SAMPLE DATA				ENGINEERING DESCRIPTION			GEOLOGIC DESCRIPTION						
	No.	Pen/Rec (in.)	Depth (ft)	Blows										
22					Very soft, gray Silty <i>CLAY</i> , wet to very wet, CL  Sv = 820 psf			GLACIAL MARINE						
23														
24														
25														
26														
27														
27		ROTARY WASH												
28														
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**APPENDIX C**  
**LABORATORY RESULTS**

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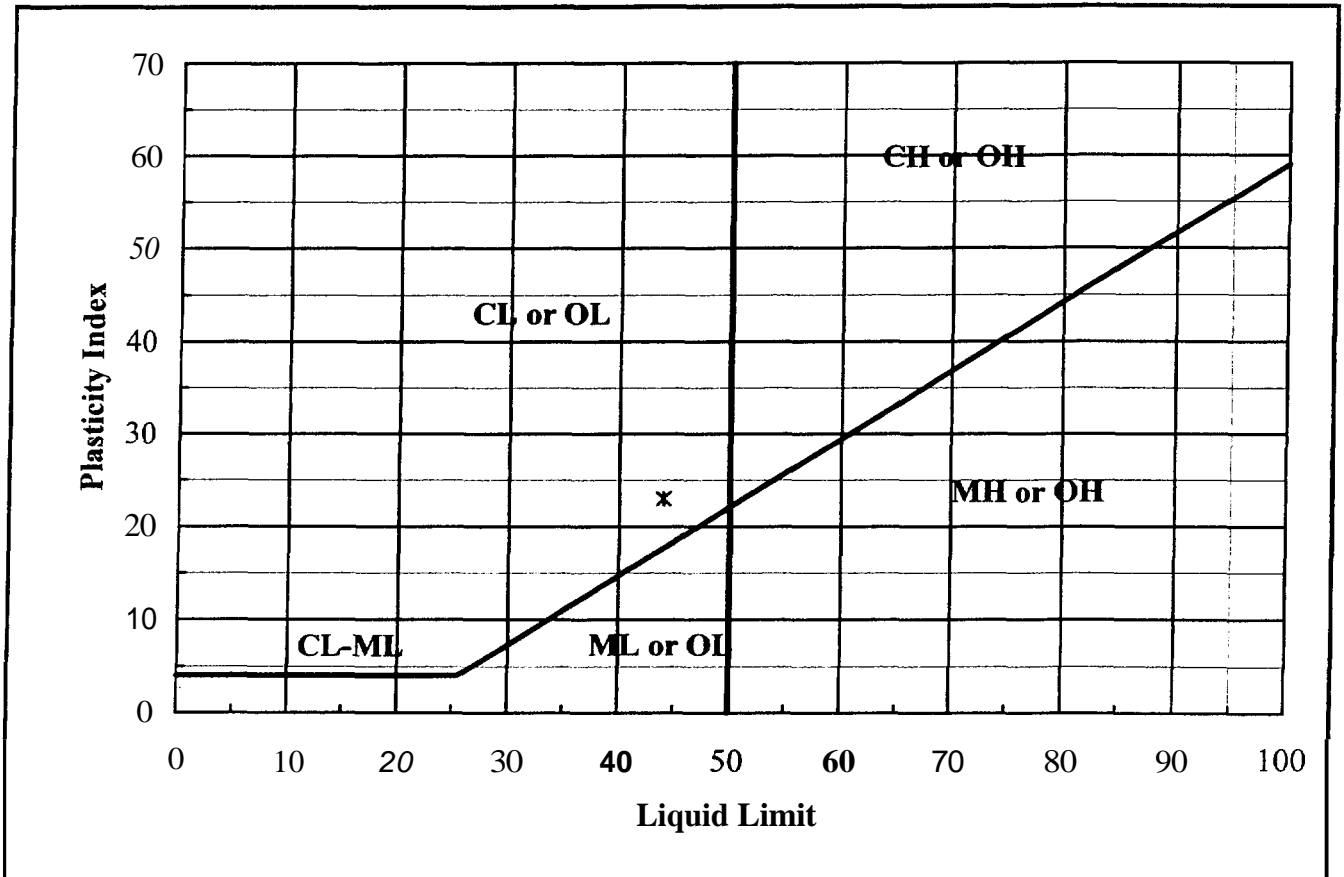
**ATTERBERG LIMIT TEST - ASTM D4318**

PROJECT NAME: Costal Equipment - Portland, ME  
CLIENT: Costal Equipment  
INTENDED USE: Soil Investigation

PROJECT #: 7808  
SAMPLE #: 7808-2  
DATE: 5/5/04

**DATA**

SYMBOL	SAMPLE DATA		LL	PI	CLASSIFICATION
	Source	Depth			
7808-2	Boring 1	19.5'-21.5'	44	23	CL Lean Clay



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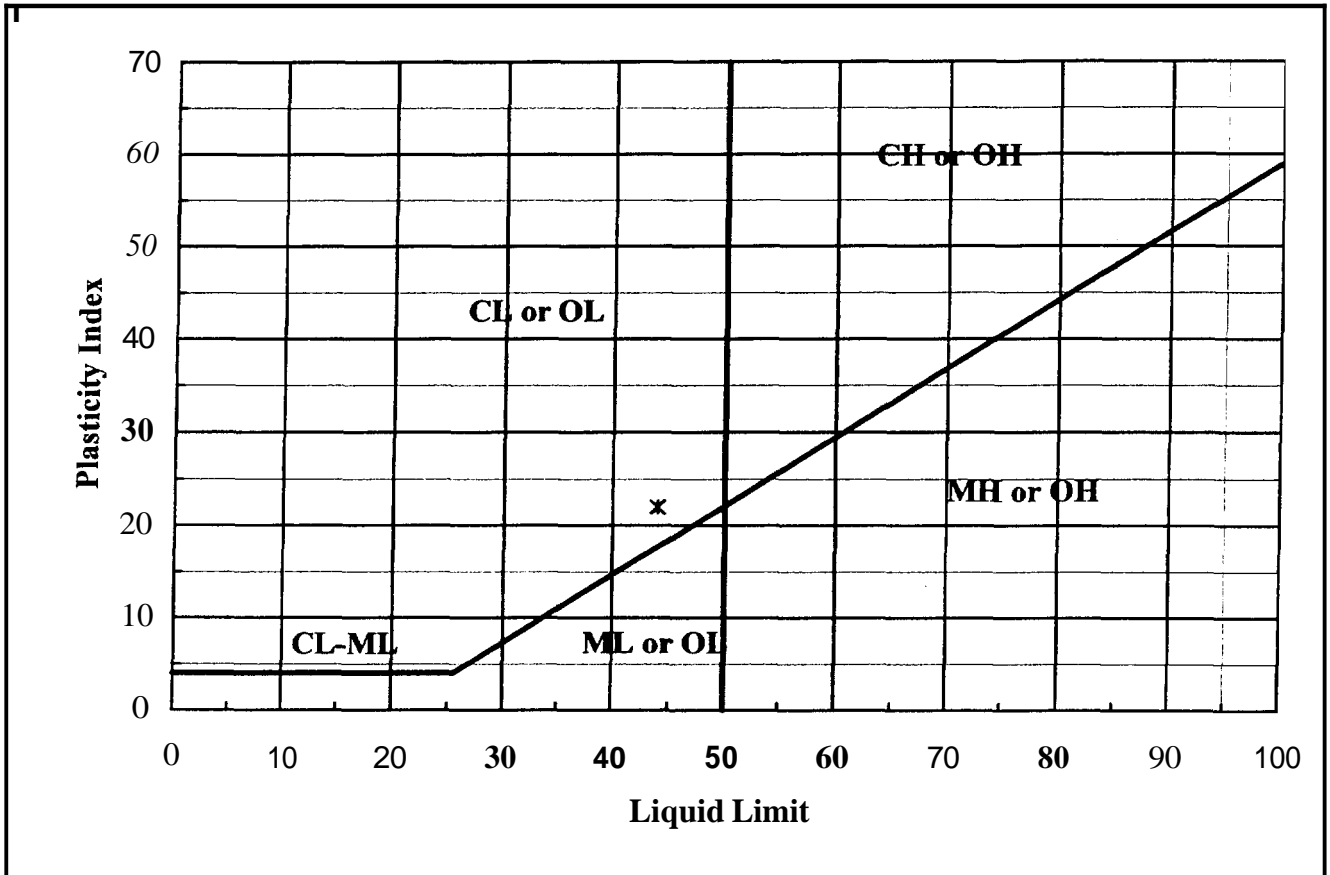
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**PROJECT NAME:** Costal Equipment - Portland, ME  
**CLIENT:** Costal Equipment  
**INTENDED USE:** Soil Investigation

**PROJECT #:** 7808  
**SAMPLE #:** 7808-4  
**DATE:** 5/5/04

**DATA**

SYMBOL	SAMPLE DATA		LL	PI	CLASSIFICATION
	Source	Depth			
7808-4	Boring 2	15'-17'	44	22	CL Lean Clay



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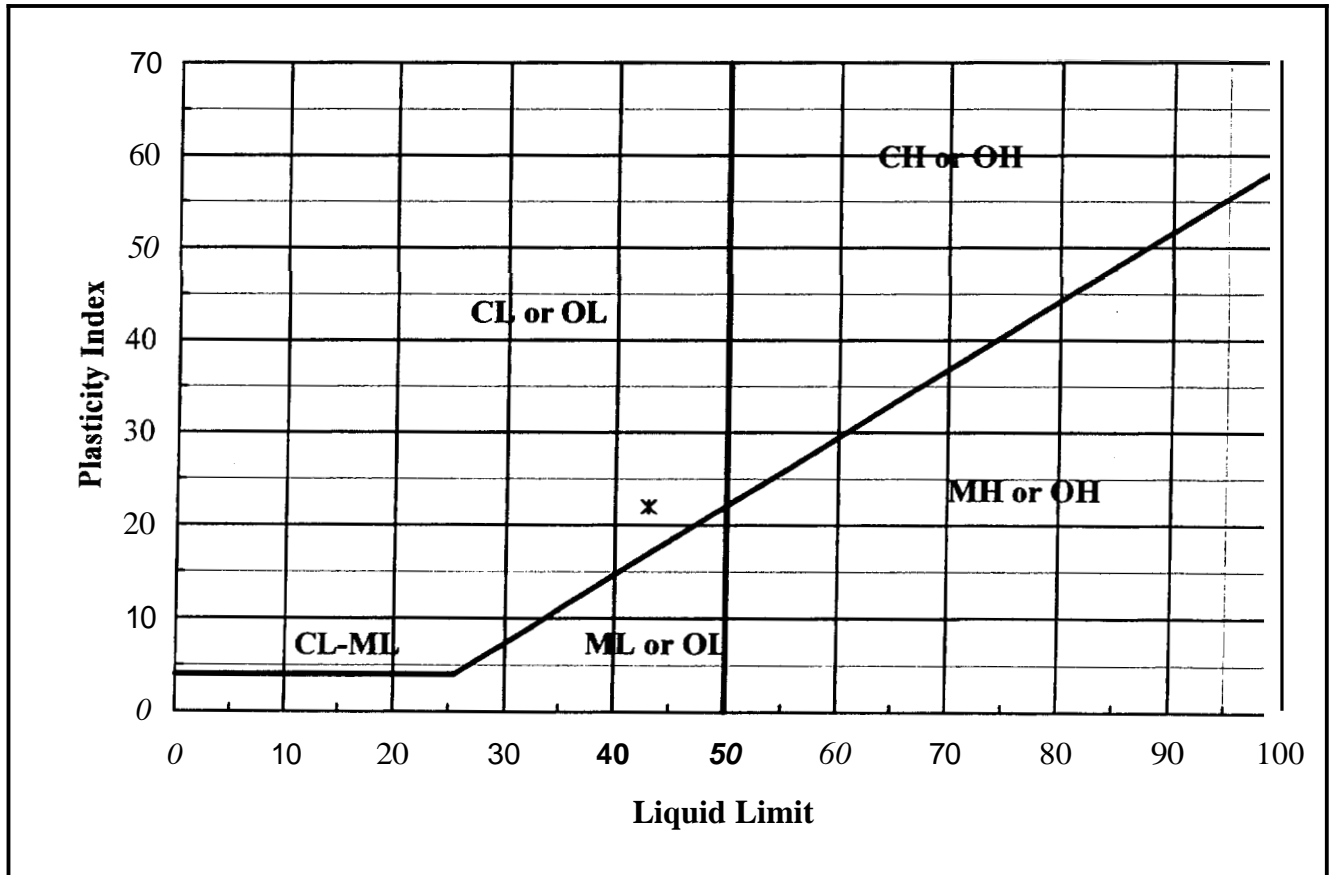
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PROJECT NAME: Costal Equipment - Portland, ME  
CLIENT: Costal Equipment  
INTENDED USE: Soil Investigation

PROJECT#: 7808  
SAMPLE#: 7808-5  
DATE: 5/5/04

**DATA**

SYMBOL	SAMPLE DATA		LL	PI	CLASSIFICATION
	Source	Depth			
7808-5	Boring 3	20'-22'	43	22	CL Lean Clay



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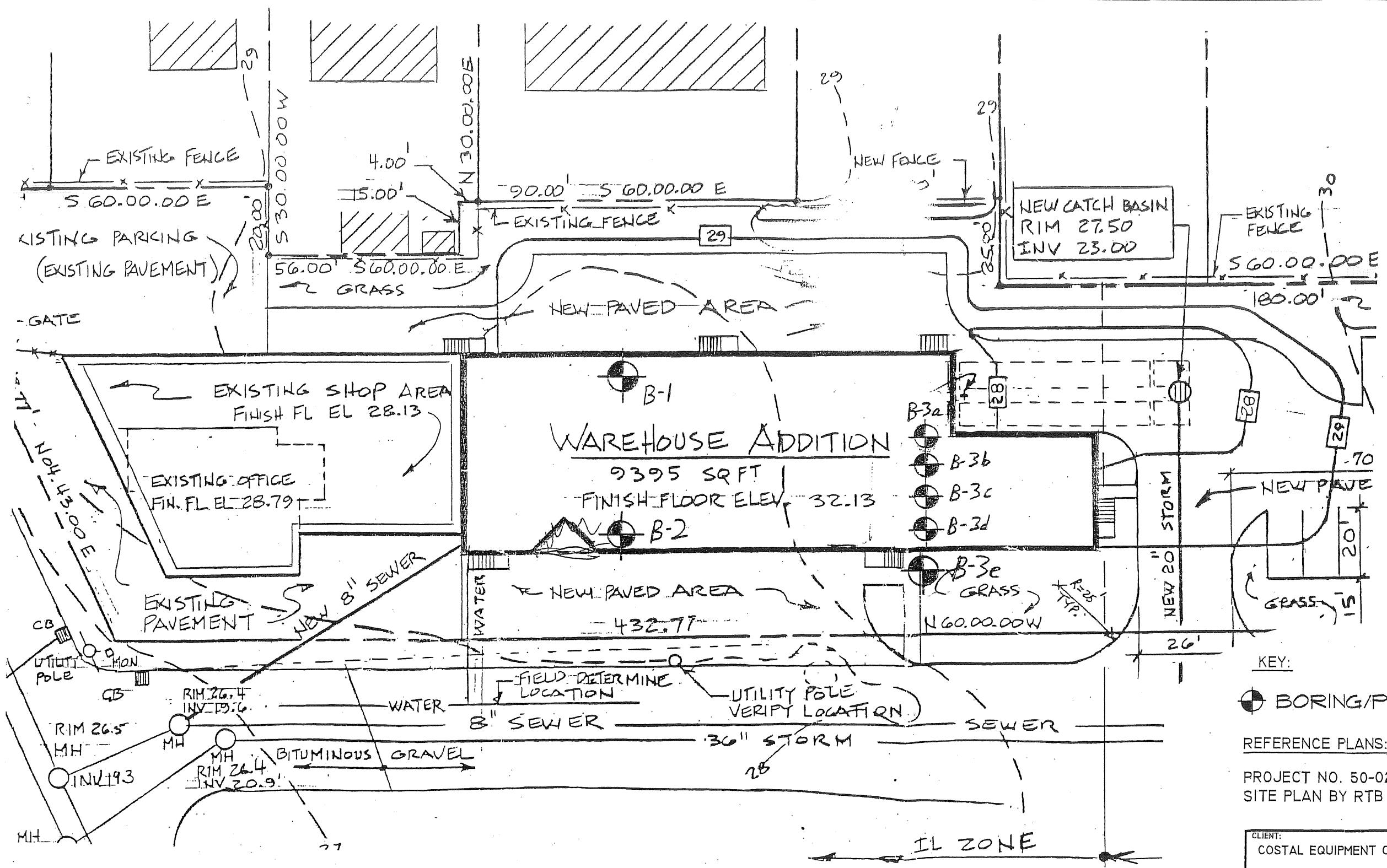
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**Laboratory Determination of Water (Moisture) Content of Soil ASTM D2216**


PROJECT NAME:	Costal Equipment - Portland, <b>Maine</b>	PROJECT #:	7808
CLIENT:	Costal Equipment	SAMPLE #:	7808 - 1 to 5
SOIL DESCRIP:	Silty Clay	DATE:	<b>23-Apr</b>
INTENDED USE:	Soil Investigation	SOURCE:	Boring B1, B-2, and B-3
		TECH:	Craig Coolidge

<u>Sample Number</u>	<u>Sample Source</u>	<u>Percent Moisture</u>
7808-1	B1, 14.5' to 16.5'	40.8
7808-2	B1, 19.5' to 21.5'	41.0
7808-3	B1, 24.5' to 26.5'	33.3
7808-4	B2, 15.0' to 17.0'	43.3
7808-5	<b>B-3, 20.0' to 22.0'</b>	43.8



KEY:  
 BORING/PROBE  


REFERENCE PLANS:  
 PROJECT NO. 50-02, C-1, JUNE 19, 2002  
 SITE PLAN BY RTB ENTERPRISES

CLIENT: COSTAL EQUIPMENT CORP.		PROJECT: BUILDING EXPANSION PORTLAND, MAINE	
 <b>SUMMIT</b> GEOENGINEERING SERVICES 640 Main Street Lewiston, Maine 04240		TITLE: <b>BORING LOCATION PLAN</b>	
		DRAWN: C.W.C.	SCALE: 1" = 30'
DESIGN: ---	DATE: 5/7/04	FIGURE: 1	
APPROVED: W.M.P.	FILE NO.: 7808		