

Board of Adjustment Staff Report

Meeting Date: June, 06, 2019 Agenda Item: 8K

SPECIAL USE PERMIT CASE NUMBER: WSUP19-0003 (Vya Monopole)

BRIEF SUMMARY OF REQUEST: To approve a special use permit for the construction of

a new wireless cellular facility consisting of a 150 foot monopole tower.

STAFF PLANNER: Jacob Parker 775.328.3628

jparker@washoecounty.us

CASE DESCRIPTION

For possible action, hearing, and discussion to approve a special use permit for the installation and operation of a 150-foot tall monopole telecommunication facility with all necessary appurtenances/supporting equipment and facilities and to vary development code requirements for landscaping for a commercial use by waiving them for this project.

Applicant: Commnet of Nevada LLC
Property Owner: United States of America
Location: Immediately north of State

Route 8A, ±2 miles west of

Fortynine Lake APN: 061-010-49
Parcel Size: 773.89 acres
Master Plan: Rural (R)

Regulatory Zone: General Rural (GR)

Area Plan: High Desert
Citizen Advisory Board: Gerlach/Empire

Development Code: Authorized in Article 324,

Communication Facilities and Article 810 Special

Use Permits

Commission District: 5 – Commissioner Herman



STAFF RECOMMENDATION

APPROVE



DENY

POSSIBLE MOTION

I move that, after giving reasoned consideration to the information contained in the staff report and information received during the public hearing, the Washoe County Board of Adjustment approve with conditions Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003 for Commnet of Nevada LLC, having made all five findings in accordance with Washoe County Code Section 110.810.30.

(Motion with Findings on Page 12)

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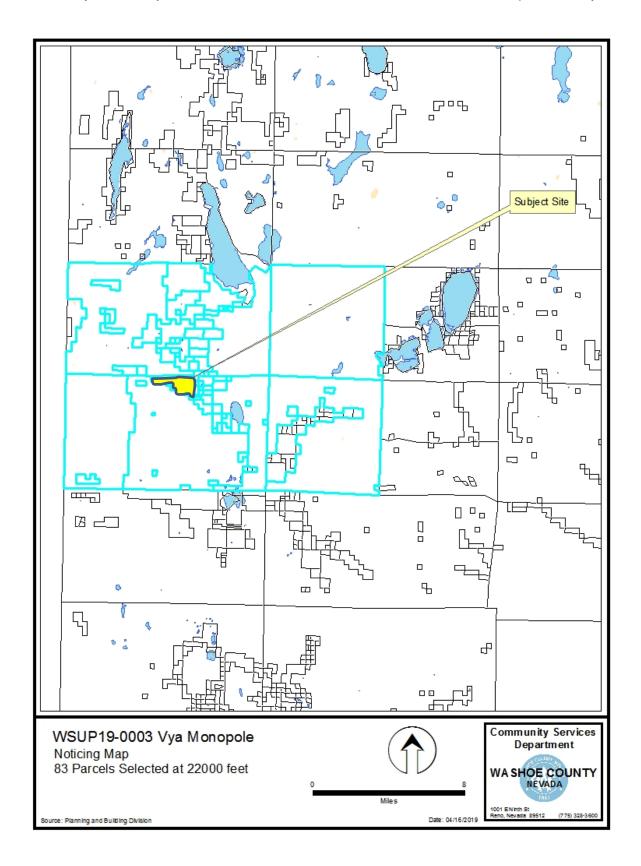
Special Use Permit

The purpose of a Special Use Permit is to allow a method of review to identify any potential harmful impacts on adjacent properties or surrounding areas for uses that may be appropriate within a regulatory zone; and to provide for a procedure whereby such uses might be permitted by further restricting or conditioning them so as to mitigate or eliminate possible adverse impacts. If the Board of Adjustment grants an approval of the Special Use Permit, that approval is subject to Conditions of Approval. Conditions of Approval are requirements that need to be completed during different stages of the proposed project. Those stages are typically:

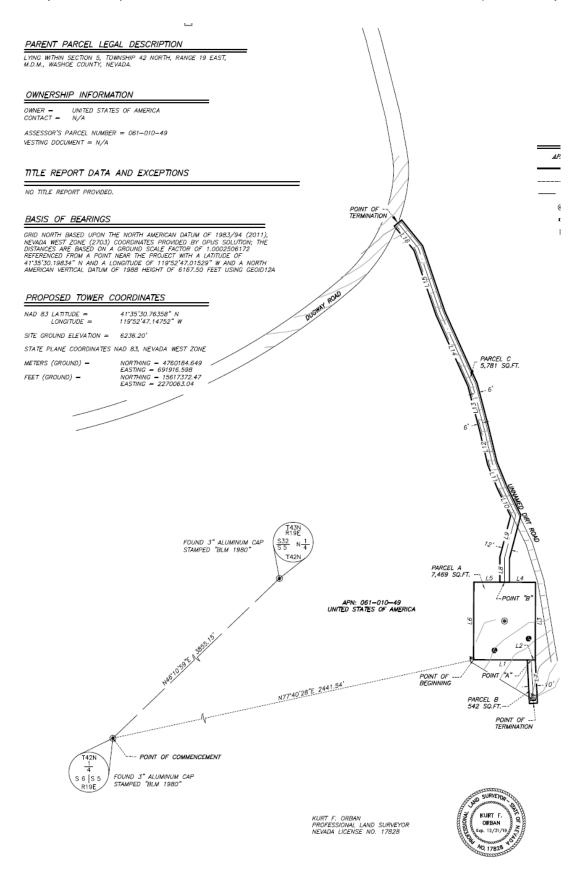
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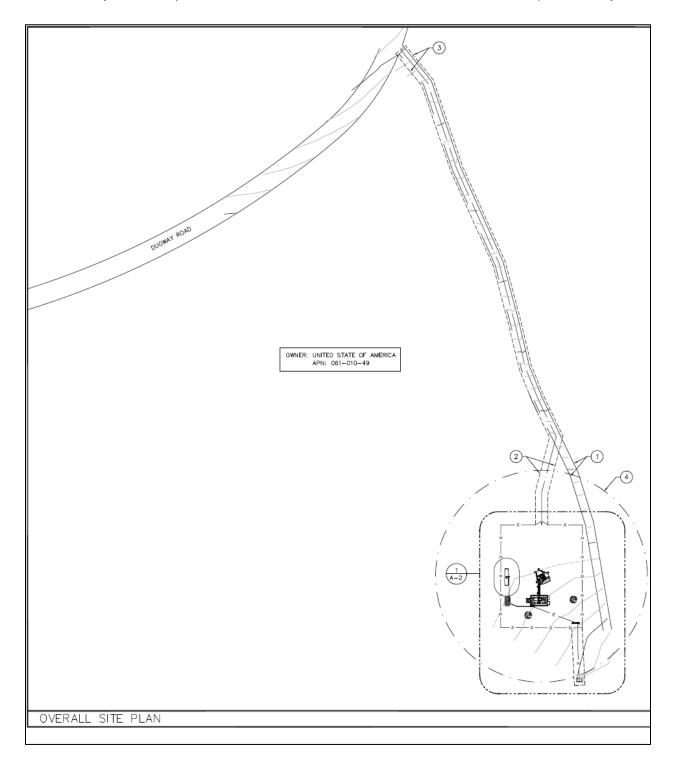
The Conditions of Approval for Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003 are attached to this staff report and will be included with the Action Order.

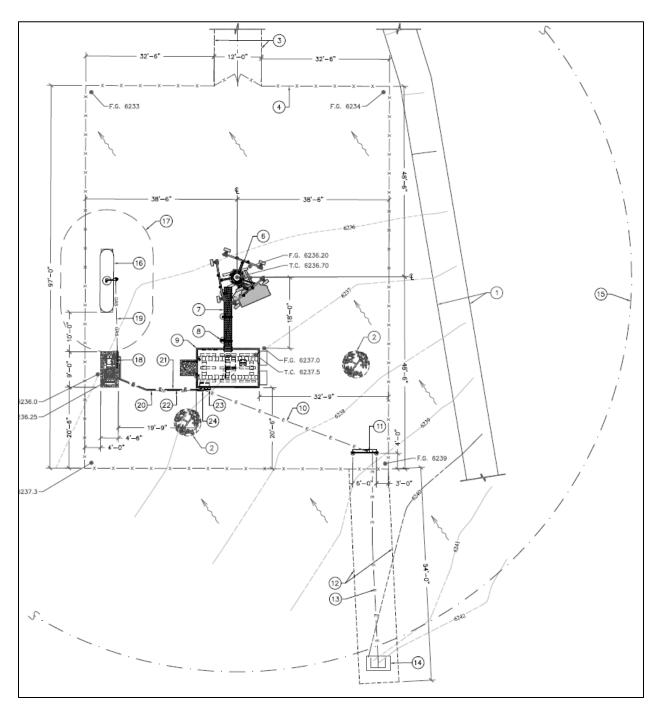
The subject property is designated as General Rural (GR). The proposed use of a 150 foot tall monopole which is classified as a Wireless Communication Facility per Article 324 of the Washoe County Development Code is permitted in GR with a Special Use Permit (SUP) per WCC Section 110.324.50(e)(2). Therefore, the applicant is seeking approval of this SUP from the Board of Adjustment.



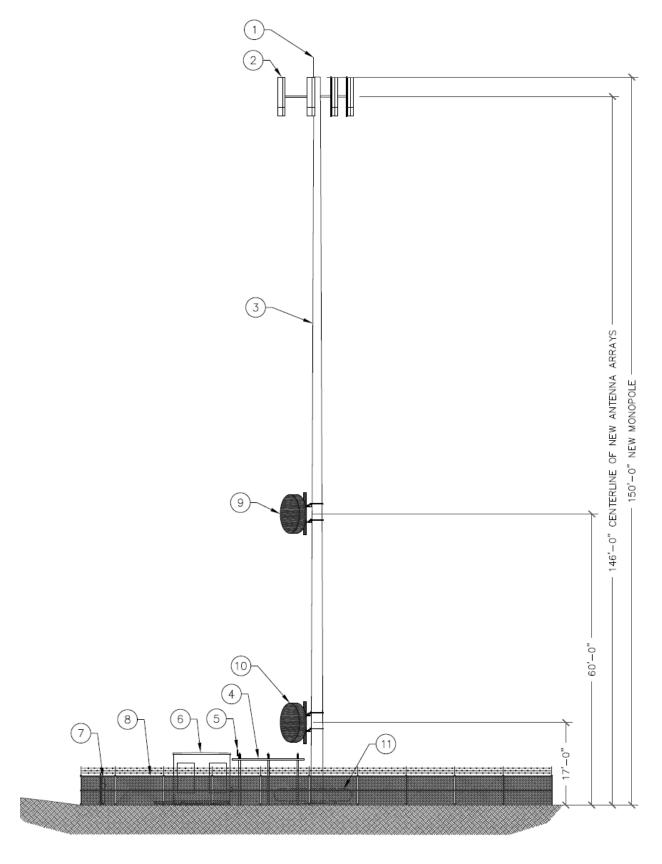
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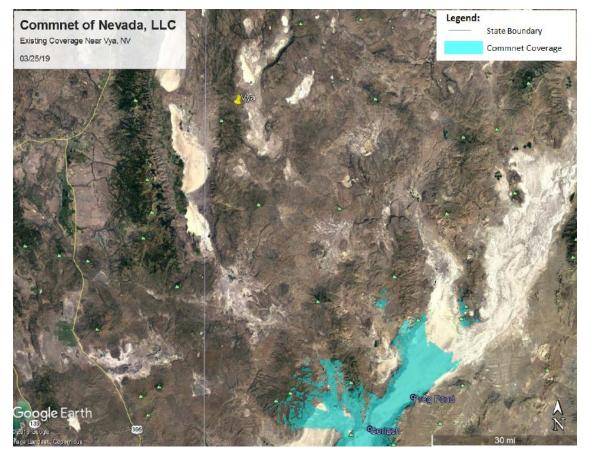


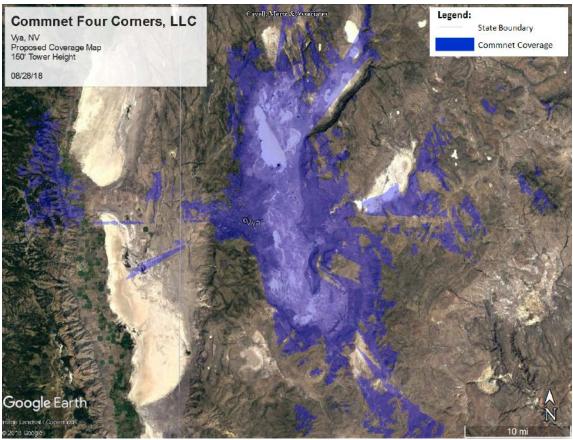


Site Plan



Proposed Elevations





Coverage Map

Project Evaluation

Commnet of Nevada has requested this special use permit in order to place an unmanned wireless telecommunications monopole with all necessary appurtenances upon the subject property. The project site is located ±70 miles northwest of Gerlach at 8900A Dugway Road, within the High Desert planning area. The 150-foot tall monopole will be equipped with 6 antennas and will be able to accommodate future collocations. Proposed are two (2) sectors, each accommodating two (2) antennas; six (6) remote radio heads (RRU), two (2) microwave dishes, a 10' x 16' prefabricated equipment shelter on a 10' x 16' concrete pad, and a 45kw stand-by backup diesel generator; and all necessary ancillary equipment thereto.

The applicant worked with the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) and explored the possibility of locating at three alternate sites as well as collocating existing sites. All alternate sites proved not to be viable.

The project area will encompass roughly 7,469 square feet with the monopole and all equipment placed within the enclosed/fenced project area. The enclosure will be screened with a chain link 6-foot fence with a 1-foot barbed wire topper. The project site is ±2,000 feet from the State Route 8A, ±450 feet from the nearest road and more than a mile from the nearest residence. The applicant states there are minimal effects to aesthetics for the area. The pole will be constructed of a non-reflective galvanized steel pole. The applicant is requesting to vary development code requirements to waive all landscaping requirements per Article 412 requires landscaping for commercial uses. Due to the remoteness of the project, water supply being difficult to attain and limited development in the area, the requirement for safety and aesthetic design are not reasonable.

The monopole overall height is proposed to be ±150.0 feet tall to top of pole. Section 110.324.40 through 110.324.75 of the Washoe County Code (Table 110.324.50.1) allows heights of over 100 feet when the monopole is located over 2,000 feet from a residentially zoned property or public paved right of way.

Gerlach/Empire Citizen Advisory Board (GECAB)

The proposed project was presented at the regularly scheduled Citizen Advisory Board meeting on May 09, 2019. The comment below reflects discussion on this item:

- The project received supporting comments.
- Commenters called for an increase to the proposed coverage

Reviewing Agencies

The following agencies received a copy of the project application for review and evaluation.

- Washoe County Community Services Department
 - o Planning and Building Division
 - o Engineering and Capital Projects Division
 - Operations
- Washoe County Health District
 - Air Quality
 - Environmental Health Services Division
 - Emergency Medical Services
- Washoe County Regional Animal Services
- Washoe County Sheriff
- Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District
- Regional Transportation Commission
- Nevada Department of Wildlife

- Nevada Department of Environmental Protection
- Nevada Historic Preservation
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife

Five out of the ten above listed agencies/departments provided comments and/or recommended conditions of approval in response to their evaluation of the project application. A **summary** of each agency's comments and/or recommended conditions of approval and their contact information is provided. The Conditions of Approval document is attached to this staff report and will be included with the Action Order.

 Washoe County Planning and Building Division imposed operational conditions that will be in effect for the life of the project.

Contact: Jacob Parker, 775.328.3628, jparker@washoecounty.us

• <u>Washoe County Engineering and Capital Projects</u> addressed the general requirements of building on the site and observing the easements on the parcel when placing the dwelling.

Contact: Leo Vesely, 775.328.2313, Ivesely@washoecounty.us

 Washoe County Planning and Building Division: Parks and Open Space addressed revegetation of the developed site.

Contact: Sophia Kirschenman, 775.328.3623, skirschenman@washoecounty.us

 Nevada Department of Wildlife expressed concerns about Sage Grouse in the area and avenues to address those concerns.

Contact: Mark Freese, 775.688.1145, markfreese@ndow.org

 <u>United States Bureau of Land Management</u> stated the agency would be coordinating with NDOW on monitoring plans for local wildlife, specifically Sage Grouse.

Contact: Craig Drake, 530.233.7904, cdrake@blm.gov

Staff Comment on Required Findings

WCC Section 110.810.30, Article 810, *Special Use Permits*, requires that all of the following findings be made to the satisfaction of the Washoe County Board of Adjustment before granting approval of the request. Staff has completed an analysis of the special use permit application and has determined that the proposal is in compliance with the required findings as follows.

- 1. <u>Consistency.</u> That the proposed use is consistent with the action programs, policies, standards and maps of the Master Plan and the High Desert Area Plan.
 - <u>Staff Comment:</u> Staff has reviewed the Master Plan and the Forest Area Plan and has not identified any provisions that are offended by the project.
- 2. <u>Improvements.</u> That adequate utilities, roadway improvements, sanitation, water supply, drainage, and other necessary facilities have been provided, the proposed improvements are properly related to existing and proposed roadways, and an adequate public facilities determination has been made in accordance with Division Seven.
 - Staff Comment: The proposed project is in compliance with Division Seven.
- 3. <u>Site Suitability.</u> That the site is physically suitable for a telecommunications facility (monopole), and for the intensity of such a development.
 - Staff Comment: The site is suitable for a telecommunications facility.
- 4. <u>Issuance Not Detrimental.</u> That issuance of the permit will not be significantly detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare; injurious to the property or improvements of adjacent properties; or detrimental to the character of the surrounding area.

- <u>Staff Comment</u>: Based on the requirements of the FCC, the "Electromagnetic Frequency (RF) exposure level due to the proposed site is well below the maximum allowable by FCC Regulations. The site fully complies with FCC rules and regulations.
- 5. <u>Effect on a Military Installation.</u> Issuance of the permit will not have a detrimental effect on the location, purpose or mission of the military installation.

Staff Comment: There is no military installation nearby.

Recommendation

Those agencies which reviewed the application recommended conditions in support of approval of the project. Therefore, after a thorough analysis and review, Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003 is being recommended for approval with conditions. Staff offers the following motion for the Board's consideration.

Motion

I move that, after giving reasoned consideration to the information contained in the staff report and information received during the public hearing, the Washoe County Board of Adjustment approve with conditions Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003 for Commnet of Nevada LLC, having made all five findings in accordance with Washoe County Code Section 110.810.30:

- 1. <u>Consistency.</u> That the proposed use is consistent with the action programs, policies, standards and maps of the Master Plan and the High Desert Area Plan;
- 2. <u>Improvements.</u> That adequate utilities, roadway improvements, sanitation, water supply, drainage, and other necessary facilities have been provided, the proposed improvements are properly related to existing and proposed roadways, and an adequate public facilities determination has been made in accordance with Division Seven;
- 3. <u>Site Suitability.</u> That the site is physically suitable for a telecommunications facility (monopole), and for the intensity of such a development;
- 4. <u>Issuance Not Detrimental.</u> That issuance of the permit will not be significantly detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare; injurious to the property or improvements of adjacent properties; or detrimental to the character of the surrounding area:
- 5. <u>Effect on a Military Installation.</u> Issuance of the permit will not have a detrimental effect on the location, purpose or mission of the military installation.

Appeal Process

Board of Adjustment action will be effective 10 calendar days after the written decision is filed with the Secretary to the Board of Adjustment and mailed to the applicant, unless the action is appealed to the Washoe County Board of County Commissioners, in which case the outcome of the appeal shall be determined by the Washoe County Board of County Commissioners. Any appeal must be filed in writing with the Planning and Building Division within 10 calendar days from the date the written decision is filed with the Secretary to the Board of Adjustment and mailed to the applicant.

Applicant: Commnet of Nevada LLC

1562 North Park St. Castle Rock, CO 80109

Owner: United States of America – BLM

2550 Riverside Dr. Susanville, CA 96130



Conditions of Approval

Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003

The project approved under Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003 shall be carried out in accordance with the Conditions of Approval granted by the Board of Adjustment on June, 06 2019. Conditions of Approval are requirements placed on a permit or development by each reviewing agency. These Conditions of Approval may require submittal of documents, applications, fees, inspections, amendments to plans, and more. These conditions do not relieve the applicant of the obligation to obtain any other approvals and licenses from relevant authorities required under any other act.

<u>Unless otherwise specified</u>, all conditions related to the approval of this Special Use Permit shall be met or financial assurance must be provided to satisfy the conditions of approval prior to issuance of a grading or building permit. The agency responsible for determining compliance with a specific condition shall determine whether the condition must be fully completed or whether the applicant shall be offered the option of providing financial assurance. All agreements, easements, or other documentation required by these conditions shall have a copy filed with the County Engineer and the Planning and Building Division.

Compliance with the conditions of approval related to this Special Use Permit is the responsibility of the applicant, his/her successor in interest, and all owners, assignees, and occupants of the property and their successors in interest. Failure to comply with any of the conditions imposed in the approval of the Special Use Permit may result in the institution of revocation procedures.

Washoe County reserves the right to review and revise the conditions of approval related to this Special Use Permit should it be determined that a subsequent license or permit issued by Washoe County violates the intent of this approval.

For the purpose of conditions imposed by Washoe County, "may" is permissive and "shall" or "must" is mandatory.

Conditions of Approval are usually complied with at different stages of the proposed project. Those stages are typically:

- Prior to permit issuance (i.e., grading permits, building permits, etc.).
- Prior to obtaining a final inspection and/or a certificate of occupancy.
- Prior to the issuance of a business license or other permits/licenses.
- Some "Conditions of Approval" are referred to as "Operational Conditions." These conditions must be continually complied with for the life of the project or business.

The Washoe County Commission oversees many of the reviewing agencies/departments with the exception of the following agencies.

 The DISTRICT BOARD OF HEALTH, through the Washoe County Health District, has jurisdiction over all public health matters in the Health District. Any conditions set by the Health District must be appealed to the District Board of Health.

- The RENO-TAHOE AIRPORT AUTHORITY is directed and governed by its own Board. Therefore, any conditions set by the Reno-Tahoe Airport Authority must be appealed to their Board of Trustees.
- The REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION (RTC) is directed and governed by its own board. Therefore, any conditions set by the Regional Transportation Commission must be appealed to that Board.

FOLLOWING ARE CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL REQUIRED BY THE REVIEWING AGENCIES. EACH CONDITION MUST BE MET TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ISSUING AGENCY.

Washoe County Planning and Building Division

1. The following conditions are requirements of Planning and Building, which shall be responsible for determining compliance with these conditions.

Contact Name – Jacob Parker (775) Phone Number, jparker@washoecounty.us

- a. The applicant shall attach a copy of the Action Order approving this project to all administrative permit applications (including building permits) applied for as part of this special use permit.
- b. The applicant shall demonstrate substantial conformance to the plans approved as part of this special use permit. The Planning and Building Division shall determine compliance with this condition.
- c. The applicant shall demonstrate conformance to State of Nevada Executive Order 2018-32, Order Establishing Use of the Nevada Greater Sage-Grouse Conservation Plan and Credit System. The Planning and Building Division shall determine compliance with this condition.
- d. The applicant shall submit complete construction plans and building permits shall be issued within two years from the date of approval by Washoe County. The applicant shall complete construction within the time specified by the building permits. Compliance with this condition shall be determined by the Planning and Building Division.
- e. All existing trees and landscaping removed as part of the construction of this facility shall be replaced at the rate of two trees for each tree removed and two bushes for each bush removed.
- f. The monopole tower shall not exceed 150 feet in maximum height, as approved under this special use permit WSPU19-0003.
- g. A note shall be placed on all construction drawings and grading plans stating:

NOTE

Should any prehistoric or historic remains/artifacts be discovered during site development, work shall temporarily be halted at the specific site and the State Historic Preservation Office of the Department of Museums, Library and Arts shall be notified to record and photograph the site. The period of temporary delay shall be limited to a maximum of two (2) working days from the date of notification.

- h. Prior to the issuance of a building permit, the applicant shall provide a certification by a professional that the facility complies with Federal Communications Commission (FCC) regulations for Radio Frequency Emissions (RFE).
- i. Prior to the issuance of a building permit the applicant shall record a statement of assurance that the wireless communications facility shall be removed if the use of the facility is discontinued for a period of twelve (12) consecutive months.
- j. All new fencing installed as part of this project shall include slats and provide at least 75% visual screening. Slats shall be of a color to match the surrounding buildings. Fencing materials shall be non-reflective.
- k. The following **Operational Conditions** shall be required for the life of the unmanned wireless telecommunications monopole.
 - i. This special use permit shall remain in effect until or unless it is revoked or is inactive for one year.
 - ii. Failure to comply with the Conditions of Approval shall render this approval null and void. Compliance with this condition shall be determined by the Planning and Building Division.
 - iii. The applicant and any successors shall direct any potential purchaser/operator of the site and/or the special use permit to meet with the Planning and Building Division staff to review Conditions of Approval prior to the final sale of the site and/or the special use permit. Any subsequent purchaser/operator of the site and/or the special use permit shall notify the Planning and Building Division of the name, address, telephone number, and contact person of the new purchaser/operator within 30 days of the final sale.

Washoe County Engineering and Capital Projects

2. The following conditions are requirements of the Engineering Division, which shall be responsible for determining compliance with these conditions.

Contact Name – Leo Vesely and (775) 328-2041, Ivesely@washoecounty.us

- a. A complete set of construction improvement drawings, including an on-site grading plan, shall be submitted when applying for a building/grading permit. Grading shall comply with best management practices (BMP's) and shall include detailed plans for grading, site drainage, erosion control (including BMP locations and installation details), slope stabilization, and mosquito abatement. Placement or removal of any excavated materials shall be indicated on the grading plan. Silts shall be controlled on-site and not allowed onto adjacent property.
- b. The applicant shall provide documentation of easements for the lease area, access and utilities. A copy of the easements shall be submitted to the Engineering Division prior to the approval of a building permit.
- c. All existing and proposed easements shall be shown on the site and/or grading plan.

*** End of Conditions ***



WASHOE COUNTY

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT Engineering and Capital Projects

1001 EAST 9TH STREET RENO, NEVADA 89512 PHONE (775) 328-3600 FAX (775) 328.3699

Date: May 3, 2019

To: Jacob Parker, Planner

From: Leo Vesely, P.E., Licensed Engineer

Re: Special Use Permit Case WSUP19-0003 – Vya Monopole

APN 061-010-49

GENERAL PROJECT DISCUSSION

Washoe County Engineering staff has reviewed the above referenced application. The Special Use Permit is for the construction of a 150 foot high monopole on the site. The Engineering and Capital Projects Division recommends approval with the following comments and conditions of approval which supplement applicable County Code and are based upon our review of the site and the application prepared by the Rubicon Design Group. The County Engineer shall determine compliance with the following conditions of approval.

For questions related to sections below, please see the contact name provided.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

Contact Information: Leo Vesely, P.E. (775) 328-2041

- 1. A complete set of construction improvement drawings, including an on-site grading plan, shall be submitted when applying for a building/grading permit. Grading shall comply with best management practices (BMP's) and shall include detailed plans for grading, site drainage, erosion control (including BMP locations and installation details), slope stabilization, and mosquito abatement. Placement or removal of any excavated materials shall be indicated on the grading plan. Silts shall be controlled on-site and not allowed onto adjacent property.
- 2. The applicant shall provide documentation of easements for the lease area, access and utilities. A copy of the easements shall be submitted to the Engineering Division prior to the approval of a building permit.
- 3. All existing and proposed easements shall be shown on the site and/or grading plan.







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DRAINAGE (COUNTY CODE 110.416, 110.420, and 110.421)

Contact Information: Walt West, P.E. (775) 328-2310

1. No comments.

TRAFFIC AND ROADWAY (COUNTY CODE 110.436)

Contact Information: Mitch Fink, (775) 328-2050

1. No comments.

UTILITIES (County Code 422 & Sewer Ordinance)

Contact Information: Tim Simpson, P.E. (775) 954-4648

1. No comments

Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District (TMFPD)

1. The following conditions are requirements of the Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District, which shall be responsible for determining compliance with these conditions. Unless otherwise stated, these conditions shall be met prior to the issuance of any building or grading permit or on an ongoing basis as determined by TMFPD.

Contact Name - Don Coon, 775.326.6077, Dcoon@tmfpd.us

- a. Fire protection of the new structures shall be as required by the current adopted International Fire Code, (*IFC*) International Wildland Urban Interface Code (*IWUIC*) 2012 Ed, with amendments and the requirements of the NFPA standard(s). (https://codes.iccsafe.org/content/IWUIC2012 https://codes.iccsafe.org/content/IFC2012)
- b. Provide a Vegetation selection, installation, management and Defensible Space Plan as required for the project in accordance with the requirements of the *IWUIC*.
- c. The length of the road appears to be in excess of 200 feet and would require a 20' width as a Fire Apparatus Access Road, with no greater than 10% grade. IWUIC 403.3, and 403.7
- d. Provide a 20' gate opening with a TMFPF approved access gate locking device per IFC D103.5

From: <u>Katie Andrle</u>

To: <u>Mark Freese; Drake, Craig; Parker, Jacob</u>

Cc: Timothy Bowden; Jasmine Kleiber; Lloyd, Trevor; Ryan, Daniel

Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] RE: April Agency Review Memo II - Vya Monopole

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Thanks Mark,

The SETT has also develop Regulations to provide additional implementation guidance to the Executive Order that has been approved and will be filed with the Secretary of State in the next few weeks. I will forward the final regulations when they are available.

Thanks and have a great weekend!

Katie

From: Mark Freese <markfreese@ndow.org>

Sent: Friday, May 17, 2019 8:24 AM

To: Drake, Craig <cdrake@blm.gov>; Parker, Jacob <JParker@washoecounty.us>

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Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] RE: April Agency Review Memo II - Vya Monopole

Thanks Craig and Jacob for your explanations.

Please find attached Executive Order 2018-32, requiring the proponent to work with the Sagebrush Ecosystem Program.

Thank you, Mark

From: Drake, Craig <<u>cdrake@blm.gov</u>>
Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2019 8:53 AM
To: Parker, Jacob <<u>JParker@washoecounty.us</u>>

Cc: Mark Freese <markfreese@ndow.org>; Timothy Bowden <tbowden@blm.gov>; Katie Andrle

< kandrle@sagebrusheco.nv.gov>; Jasmine Kleiber < ikleiber@ndow.org>; Lloyd, Trevor

<<u>TLloyd@washoecounty.us</u>>; Ryan, Daniel <<u>dryan@blm.gov</u>>

Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] RE: April Agency Review Memo II - Vya Monopole

All,

Some of the other sites considered would have been far more detrimental to Sage Grouse. The BLM will be working with the SETT on this project as we consider their right of way package. We have not yet received a completed application package from the company, but we have had a pre-application meeting with them and anticipate receiving the completed package soon.

Craig R. Drake Field Manager Applegate Field Office 530-233-7904

On Wed, May 15, 2019 at 8:43 AM Parker, Jacob < <u>JParker@washoecounty.us</u>> wrote:

Thank you for your comments Mr. Freese.

I'll try to address everything you brought up. Forgive my stout language in below, the vernacular we use on these cases can sound sharp.

The applicant has attempted to locate on several alternate sites in coordination with BLM. This is the site that all parties determined filled the criteria. To be frank, unless an agency can provide grounds for denial, this case and special use permit is for the site as described.

Reading through your response, the only requirements I see you mention is that the applicant work with the SAGEBRUSH ECOSYSTEM PROGRAM through the state of Nevada, specifically Ms. Andrle. Am I on the mark there?

Now is this a legal requirement? In order to include this as a condition in the special use permit, I would need to reference what specific legal statute/code/etc. compels the applicant to comply.

Thanks,



Jacob Parker

Planner | Planning and Building Division | Community Services Department <u>iparker@washoecounty.us</u> | Office: 775.328.3628 | Fax: 775.328.6133 1001 East Ninth Street, Reno, NV 89512







From: Mark Freese [mailto:<u>markfreese@ndow.org</u>]

Sent: Tuesday, May 07, 2019 10:11 AM

To: Parker, Jacob

Cc: Timothy Bowden; Drake, Craig; Katie Andrle; Jasmine Kleiber Subject: RE: April Agency Review Memo II - Vya Monopole

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Mr. Parker.

The Vya monopole site is Greater Sage-grouse, bighorn sheep, mule deer and other wildlife habitat. Our knowledge of Greater sage-grouse use in this area is limited. We know the private meadows on the north side of Forty-nine Mountain are utilized by hundreds of sage-grouse during the brood-rearing season; however, the nearest known leks are greater than 10 miles away. As such, we believe we are missing lek(s) in this general area. Knowing that this area holds a high density of sage-grouse at least seasonally, we recommend exploring opportunities to site this project in another area of lesser value to sage-grouse as sage-grouse tend to avoid tall, vertical structures. We are available to help assist in the siting process to ensure it is sited to minimize impacts to sage-grouse and other wildlife. If you cannot relocate the project, we recommend monitoring, eliminating and reducing opportunities to attract and provide nesting, cover or perches for predators. Furthermore, The Sagebrush Ecosystem Technical Team (SETT) will require the project to be analyzed and mitigated using the Credit Conservation System. The SETT can also help run siting scenarios to minimize the threat and any subsequent mitigation. Please contact Katie Anderle at kandrle@sagebrusheco.nv.gov -775 684-8600 for more information.

Thank you,

Mark Freese, Habitat Biologist

Nevada Department of Wildlife 1100 Valley Road Reno, Nevada 89512 (775) 688-1145 markfreese@ndow.org

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From: Stark, Katherine < <u>KRStark@washoecounty.us</u>>

Sent: Thursday, April 18, 2019 3:45 PM **To:** Mark Freese < <u>markfreese@ndow.org</u>>

Cc: Stark, Katherine < KRStark@washoecounty.us; Emerson, Kathy

< KEmerson@washoecounty.us>

Subject: April Agency Review Memo II

Good afternoon,

Please find the attached Agency Review Memo with cases received in April by Washoe County Community Services Department, Planning and Building.

You've been asked to review the applications for **Items 1, 2 & 6**. The item descriptions and links to the applications are provided in the memo.

Please remember to send any agency review responses/comments directly to the Planner for the case, rather than replying to me.

Thank you!



Katy Stark

Office Support Specialist, Planning and Building Division | Community Services Department

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MEMORANDUM



WASHOE COUNTY REGIONAL PARKS AND OPEN SPACE

PLANNING DIVISION

TO: Jacob Parker, Planner

FROM: Sophia Kirschenman, Park Planner

DATE: May 8, 2019

SUBJECT: Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003 (Vya Monopole)

Washoe County Regional Parks and Open Space has reviewed and prepared the following comments related to Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003:

The proposed monopole would be located in the area of Vya, Nevada and new development must conform to the policies included in the High Desert Area Plan. Due to the rural location of the proposed development, no parks or recreational amenities are proposed nearby. Staff notes that the applicant is requesting a variance to waive the traditional landscaping requirement due to the remote location of the subject parcel and lack of visibility to the general public. While those are important considerations, Washoe County Parks and Open Space would like to reiterate that landscaping requirements also serve to reduce heat, erosion, dust, and pollutants by increasing vegetation and to ensure that disturbed areas do not become populated with noxious weeds and invasive species. While irrigated landscaping may not be feasible in this location, Washoe County Parks and Open Space recommends that the applicant still be required to revegetate at least 20% of the total developed land area, utilizing hydroseeding or another strategy that does not require temporary irrigation. Hydroseed applications should occur in November or December and if the appropriate vegetative coverage requirements are not realized, further hydroseeding should be required.

1001 E. 9th Street Reno, NV 89512 775.328.3623 <u>skirschenman@washoecounty.us</u>

From: Anthony Stobiecki
To: Parker, Jacob

Cc: <u>Diane; Vya ConservationDistrict; Herman, Jeanne</u>

Subject: Vya/Fox Monop[ole

Date: Tuesday, April 30, 2019 8:40:06 AM

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Hello Mr. Parker,

This effort is great news! I/we have been working with the BLM, Washoe and Modoc County (emergency services) and Dan Ryan in particular to get a 21st Century communication service solution here in Long Valley (Vya) for several years. We had also offered space for such a tower on our personal property as we have SVE power here that we trenched in.

In addition to being a ranch owner with cattle, I am the Vya Conservation District Board President, and my wife Diane represents Ms. Jeanne Herman on the board. The VCD covers the areas down to Gerlach as part of the Conservation District, so this is very good news. If there is anything we can do to help the cause, please let us know.

We will be having a board meeting in May and will pass on this news and contact info to our supporters and landowners here in NV as well as folks that have property here but live in another state.

I have viewed the coverage area on the application. Is there a better resolution map of the coverage areas for both Fox Mtn. and Vya?

Best regards,

Tony

Tony & Diane Stobiecki Rockin' TD Ranch 102645 State Rt. 34, Vya, NV 89412-6155 775-557-4001 Mailing: POB 280 Cedarville, CA 96104-0280 (m): 775-686-8518 (Diane m): 775-686-8102 www.RockinTDRanch.com

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DATE: May 24, 2019

You are hereby notified that the **Washoe County Board of Adjustment** will conduct a public hearing at the following time and location:

1:30 p.m., Thursday, June 6, 2019 County Commission Chambers, 1001 East Ninth Street, Reno, NV 89512

Special Use Permit Case Number WSUP19-0003 (Vya Monopole) – For possible action, hearing, and discussion to approve a special use permit for the installation and operation of a 150-foot tall monopole telecommunication facility with all necessary appurtenances/supporting equipment and facilities and to vary development code requirements for landscaping for a commercial use by waiving them for this project.

Applicant: Commnet of Nevada LLC
 Property Owner: United States of America

Location: Immediately north of State Route 8A, ±2 miles west of Fortynine

Lake

APN: 061-010-49
 Parcel Size: 773.89
 Master Plan: Rural (R)

Regulatory Zone: General Rural (GR)

Area Plan: High DesertCitizen Advisory Board: Gerlach/Empire

Development Code: Authorized in Article 324, Communication Facilities and Article

810, Special Use Permits

Commission District: 5 – Commissioner Herman
 Staff: Jacob Parker, Planner

Washoe County Community Services Department

Planning and Building Division

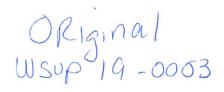
• Phone: 775-328-3628

• E-mail: jparker@washoecounty.us

As an owner of property in the vicinity, you are invited to present testimony relative to these matters.

To access additional information about this item, please visit our website at www.washoecounty.us/csd/planning and development/, choose Boards and Commissions, then Board of Adjustment, Meetings, +2019. Then click on the above referenced meeting date.





April 10, 2019

Washoe County
Planning and Development Division
1001 E. Ninth Street
Reno, NV 89512
Attn: Jacob Parker

RE: Application for Special Use Permit and Director's Modification – Vya, NV 89000A Dugway Road, Gerlach, NV 89413

Please find attached a Special Use Permit and Director's Modification submittal applications for a new Commnet Wireless telecommunications facility located at the above referenced location. The submittal contains the following documents.

This application is for the April 15, 2109 submittal.

- 1. Filing Fee Check
- 2. Development Application
- 3. Owner's Affidavit
- 4. Project Support Statement
- 5. Director's Modification Application and Memorandum
- 5. Site Plans
- 6. Photosimulations
- 7. Coverage Maps
- 8. Radio Frequency Statement
- 9. Treasurer Statement
- 10. Site Photos
- 11. Flash Drive containing Application materials

If you have any questions or need additional materials, I can be reached at (314) 640-5182.

Sincerely,

Julie Krekeler

General Manager

Attachments



April 10, 2019

Washoe County Planning and Development Division 1001 E. Ninth Street Reno, NV 89512 Attn: Jacob Parker

RE: Application for Special Use Permit and Director's Modification – Vya, NV 89000A Dugway Road, Gerlach, NV 89413

On behalf of Commnet of Nevada, LLC (dba Commnet Wireless), I am submitting a Special Use Permit and Director's Modification submittal application for a new telecommunications facility located at the above referenced location on April 10, 2109 prior to the April 15 submittal date. Please accept this waiver for the submittal time frames and the 3 day completeness check.

If you have any questions or need additional materials, I can be reached at (314) 640-5182.

Sincerely,

Julie Krekeler

General Manager

Memorandum

To: Washoe County, NV

CC: Commnet of Nevada, LLC

From: Julie M. Hall, Senior RF Engineer, Centerline Solutions

Date: 03/27/19

Re: RF Emissions Analysis of Proposed Facility-Vya, NV

Commnet of Nevada is proposing to install a wireless telecommunications facility at Vya, NV, in Washoe County, at the following coordinates: 41° 35' 30.76" N, 119° 52' 47.15" W. The proposed installation was evaluated for RF Emissions compliance. The computations, analysis, and conclusions were based on applicable FCC guidelines and regulations for maximum permissible exposure to humans consistent with FCC OET Bulletin 65. At the time of installation, this facility will be transmitting at less than 2% of the applicable RF Emissions limits, thus the facility will be in compliance with applicable FCC regulations for RF Emissions. In addition, the analysis was completed with both existing capacity and future capacity, to insure compliance as the site grows in capacity.

Re-evaluation of the site for compliance would happen if other carriers locate at the facility, if the site grows beyond the capacity that the initial evaluation was completed for, or antennas at the site are changed or added to.

I certify that the analysis is correct to the best of my knowledge, and all calculations, assumptions and conclusions are based on generally acceptable engineering practices.

Julie M. Hall

Senior RF Engineer Centerline Solutions

Julis M. Hall

Property Owner Affidavit

Applicant Name: Commnet of Nevada, I.I.C	
The receipt of this application at the time of submittal does not guarantee requirements of the Washoe County Development Code, the Wash	e the application complies with all loe County Master Plan or the
applicable area plan, the applicable regulatory zoning, or that the applicable processed.	ation is deemed complete and will
STATE OF NEVADA)	
COUNTY OF WASHOE)	
I, CRATG R. DRAKE (please print name)	
(please print name) being duly sworn, depose and say that I am the owner* of the prope	rty or properties involved in this
application as listed below and that the foregoing statements and an information herewith submitted are in all respects complete, true, and co and belief. I understand that no assurance or guarantee can be give Building.	swers herein contained and the rrect to the best of my knowledge
(A separate Affidavit must be provided by each property owner	named in the title report.)
Assessor Parcel Number(s): 061-010-49	
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Printed Name_CRA	ITG R. DRAKE
Signed Cra	ig RYO.h.
	8 W. 12th St.
	CA 96101
Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of,	(Notary Stamp)
Notary Public in and for Said county and state	
My commission expires:	
*Owner refers to the following: (Please mark appropriate box.)	
□ Owner	
☐ Corporate Officer/Partner (Provide copy of record document indic	cating authority to sign.)
☐ Power of Attorney (Provide copy of Power of Attorney.)	
Owner Agent (Provide notarized letter from property owner giving	g legal authority to agent.)
☐ Property Agent (Provide copy of record document indicating auth	
Letter from Government Agency with Stewardship	

CALIFORNIA JURAT WITH AFFIANT STATEMENT GOVERNMENT CODE § 8202 See Attached Document (Notary to cross out lines 1-6 below) ☐ See Statement Below (Lines 1–6 to be completed only by document signer[s], not Notary) Signature of Document Signer No. 1 Signature of Document Signer No. 2 (if any) A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document. State of California Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me County of L. L. GALVIN Notary Public - California (and (2 Modoc County Name(s) of Signer(s) Commission # 2268119 Comm. Expires Dec 19, 2022 proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me. Seal Place Notary Seal Above OPTIONAL Though this section is optional, completing this information can deter alteration of the document or fraudulent reattachment of this form to an unintended document. **Description of Attached Document** Title or Type of Document: _ Document Date: Number of Pages: _ Signer(s) Other Than Named Above:

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Washoe County Development Application

Your entire application is a public record. If you have a concern about releasing personal information, please contact Planning and Building staff at 775.328.6100.

Project Information	S	staff Assigned Case No.:			
Project Name: Commne	et Wireless	s - Vya, NV			
Project Commnet Wire Description: communication	less proposes the facility serving th	e construction of a new unn ne Vya and surrounding are	nanned wireless a.		
Project Address: Washoe County	y E911 Assigned addre	ess: 89000A Dugway Road, Gerlach,	NV 89413		
Project Area (acres or square fee	et): 7,469 sf lease area	along with access and utility easeme	ents		
Project Location (with point of re	ference to major cross	streets AND area locator):			
From Vya, NV, head north of CR 34 N (1.4	miles) continue straight on	to Dugway Road (1.5) miles. Turn left onto	unnamed dirt road to site.		
Assessor's Parcel No.(s):	Parcel Acreage:	Assessor's Parcel No.(s):	Parcel Acreage:		
061-010-49	773.890015 acres				
Indicate any previous Washo Case No.(s). NA	e County approval	s associated with this applicat	ion:		
Applicant Inf	ormation (attach	additional sheets if necess	ary)		
Property Owner:		Professional Consultant:			
Name: United States of America	- BLM	Name: CIS Communications, LL	С		
Address: 2550 Riverside Drive		Name: CIS Communications, LLC Address: 749 Old Ballas Road Creve Coeur, MO Zip: 63141			
Susanville, CA	Zip: 96130	Creve Coeur, MO	Zip: 63141		
Phone: (530) 252-5321	Fax:	Phone: (314) 569-2275	Fax:		
Email: dryan@blm.gov		Email: julie@ciscomm.com			
Cell: (530) 252-5321	Other:	Cell: (314) 640-5182	Other:		
Contact Person: Daniel Ryan - F	Realty Specialist	Contact Person: Julie Krekeler -	General Manager		
Applicant/Developer:		Other Persons to be Contacted: Name:			
Name: Commnet of Nevada, LLC (o	lba Commnet Wireless)	Name:			
Address: 1562 North Park Street		Address:			
Castle Rock, CO	Zip: 80109		Zip:		
Phone: (720) 733-7854	Fax:	Phone:	Fax:		
Email: cphillips@atni.com		Email:			
Cell: (720) 733-7854	Other:	Cell:	Other:		
Contact Person: Cindy Phillips - Direct	tor of Real Estate/Regulatory	Contact Person:			
	For Office	Use Only			
Date Received:	Initial:	Planning Area:			
County Commission District:		Master Plan Designation(s):			
CAB(s):		Regulatory Zoning(s):			

Special Use Permit Application Supplemental Information

(All required information may be separately attached)

1. What is the project being requested?

Commnet Wireless' proposed installation of a new unmanned telecommunications facility consisting of a 150' monopole tower with antennas/dishes, equipment shelter, outdoor generator and LP tank.

2.	Provide	а	site	plan	with	all	existing	and	proposed	structures	(e.g.	new	structures,	roadway
	improve	me	nts, ι	ıtilities	s, sani	tatio	on, water	suppl	ly, drainage	e, parking, s	igns, e	etc.)		

Refer to construction drawings attached.

3. What is the intended phasing schedule for the construction and completion of the project?

One phase - Construction would take between one and two months.

4. What physical characteristics of your location and/or premises are especially suited to deal with the impacts and the intensity of your proposed use?

Location is needed from an RF standpoint. Location is ideal from an impact standpoint as there is minimal to no visibility from any existing populated areas.

5. What are the anticipated beneficial aspects or affects your project will have on adjacent properties and the community?

Improved wireless coverage as well as wireless broadband coverage for the First Net emergency responders.

6. What are the anticipated negative impacts or affect your project will have on adjacent properties? How will you mitigate these impacts?

There are no negative impacts on adjacent properties or communities. Project is located in remote rural area.

7. Provide specific information on landscaping, parking, type of signs and lighting, and all other code requirements pertinent to the type of use being purposed. Show and indicate these requirements on submitted drawings with the application.

No landscaping, parking, or lighting proposed. All required signage to be attached to shelter door/fence. Please refer to Project Support Statement for explanations.

8.	Are there any restrictive covenants, recorded conditions, or deed restrictions (CC&Rs) that apply to
	the area subject to the special use permit request? (If so, please attach a copy.)

☐ Yes	No		

9. Utilities:

a. Sewer Service	NA
b. Electrical Service	Surprise Valley Electrification Corp.
c. Telephone Service	NA
d. LPG or Natural Gas Service	NA
e. Solid Waste Disposal Service	NA
f. Cable Television Service	NA
g. Water Service	NA

For most uses, Washoe County Code, Chapter 110, Article 422, Water and Sewer Resource Requirements, requires the dedication of water rights to Washoe County. Please indicate the type and quantity of water rights you have available should dedication be required.

h. Permit #	acre-feet per year	
i. Certificate#	acre-feet per year	
j. Surface Claim #	acre-feet per year	
k. Other#	acre-feet per year	

Title of those rights (as filed with the State Engineer in the Division of Water Resources of the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources).

Not applicable.

10. Community Services (provided and nearest facility):

a. Fire Station	Washoe Rural - Station T40
b. Health Care Facility	Nevada Health Center, Inc., Gerlach, NV
c. Elementary School	Gerlach K-12
d. Middle School	Gerlach K-12
e. High School	Gerlach K-12
f. Parks	Gerlach Community Park
g. Library	Gerlach Community Library
h. Citifare Bus Stop	NA

Account Detail



Tax Bill (C	ax Bill (Click on desired tax year for due dates and further details)										
Tax Year	Net Tax	Total Paid	Penalty/Fees	Interest	Balance Due						
2018	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00						
2017	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00						
2016	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00						
2015	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00						
2014	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00						
				Total	\$0.00						

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COMMNET WIRELESS PROJECT SUPPORT STATEMENT

Project Name: Vya, NV

Project Address: 89000A Dugway Road, Vya, NV 89413

Project APN: 061-010-49

Introduction

Commnet Wireless (Commnet) focuses on connecting rural America with affordable, carrier grade communications networks to improve safety and quality of life, and to promote economic development. The areas of focus are predominately small communities, state and national parks, seasonal areas, and the roadways that connect these areas to mainstream America. Commnet is seeking to improve cellular coverage within Vya, NV, as well as Hwy 34 north of Vya for approximately 12 miles. In addition, this site is needed to cover Hwy 8, west of the intersection of Hwy 8A/34, for approximately 7 miles, and Hwy 34 south of Vya for approximately 14 miles. Furthermore, this site will be utilized for the FirstNet nationwide emergency broadband network dedicated to first responders.

Location

Commnet proposes the construction of a new wireless communications facility that consists of a 150' monopole located at Dugway Road in Vya, Nevada. The property is zoned General Rural (GR) and is owned by the United States of America and is managed by the Bureau of Land Management. The adjacent parcels are also owned by the United States of America as well as private landowners. The nearest residentially zoned property of medium density suburban residential development, is located mainly on the outskirts of the town of Gerlach, Nevada, which is approximately 70 miles away from the proposed facility.

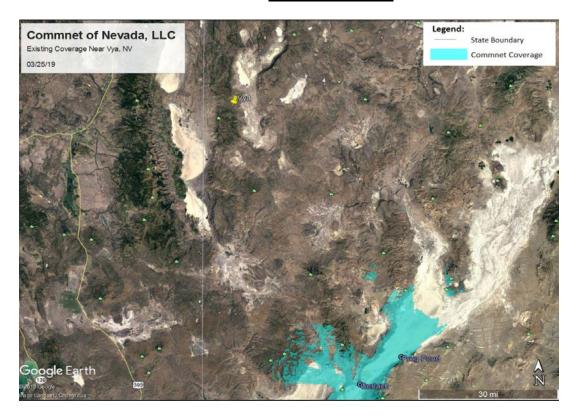
Project Description/Design

Commnet will be adding (6) antennas, (6) RRU's, (1) surge suppressor, (1) Fiber, (2) DC power lines, (2) microwave dishes along with (4) ½" coax lines on the tower. An outdoor shelter along with a generator and propane tank will be situated within a fenced 77" x 97" compound. This will be an unmanned facility providing cellular and First Net responders coverage 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

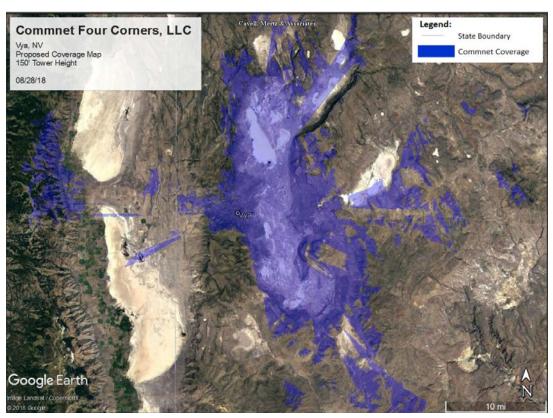
Public and Safety Benefits of Improved Wireless Service

Today, more people are relying on wireless phones as their main form of communication; whether it be in their homes, businesses, and/or vehicles. This site will allow Commnet's customers to maintain cellular coverage as shown in the coverage map referenced below. Additionally, this site is also being utilized for the FirstNet nationwide emergency broadband network dedicated to first responders (ie Fire, Police, EMT) for the ability to communicate on a single network for any public safety needs in this area.

Existing Coverage



Coverage with Proposed Tower



Aesthetic Impacts

Commnet proposes to install a 150' monopole. The proposed height was required due to the surrounding topography and meets the County's requirements for facilities in this zoning code. The facility will not have any negative impacts on this project or adjacent properties in the community as there is currently minimal visibility of the existing facilities from public roadways.



Alternative Site Analysis

When searching for any new communication site location, Commnet's first goal is to try and secure space on an existing tower or tall structure at the height required. With this philosophy in mind, Commnet first evaluated the collocation opportunities in the search area that offered the height, ground space, access and utilities and other needs required for their system. Commnet's initial location was located at Fortynine Mountain. It was determined there were three (3) individual tower sites. The possibility of using any of the existing towers was ruled out due to an unwilling property owner.



In order to meet the required coverage objective, Commnet concluded that the construction of a new facility would be required. Commnet and the BLM worked together to layout an approved location for the proposed facility.

Below is a detailed explanation of why each existing facility at Fortynine Mountain would not be a viable collocation candidate.

- 1. <u>Bureau of Land Management Tower (Option #1)—</u> Site is located on BLM lands. The BLM stated that they cannot permit any new users at this location as access easements cross private lands and the property owner will not allow additional users. Commnet left multiple messages for the property owner without receiving any responses.
- 2. <u>Bureau of Land Management Tower (Option #2)</u>— Site is located on BLM lands. The BLM stated that they cannot permit any new users at this location as access easements cross private lands and the property owner will not allow additional users. Commnet left multiple messages for the property owner without receiving any responses.

3. <u>Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (Option #3)</u> – This site is located near the BLM tower (option #2); however, it is placed on the unwilling property owner's parcel. Per the BLM, the property owner will not allow new users access on his property. Aside from the unwilling property owner, Commnet has tried to collocate on other LADWP towers, with no response.

Statement of Commitment to Allow Collocation

In addition to Commnet's antenna loadings as proposed, this tower is also structurally designed to accommodate additional communication collocators.

Lighting and Signage

Unless required by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), no lighting is proposed at this facility. All required FCC and other regulatory notification signage will be attached to the shelter door and/or fence.

Access/Utilities/Parking

Access to the facility is by way of Dugway Road which is located off of County Road 8A, approximately 70+ miles northwest of Gerlach. No road improvements are planned as Commnet will utilize the existing dirt road. Power for the facility will be routed underground in a conduit from a nearby transformer to a new meter bank located within the fenced the facility as depicted in the site plan. Batteries and generator/propane tank will serve as back-up power supply. Parking is not proposed as this is an unmanned facility that will be visited by a cell tech once or twice a month. There is sufficient parking at the facility location.

Maintenance and equipment back-up power.

The proposed wireless communications facility is located in a remote rural location. Because First Net responder emergency equipment will be located at this facility, it is imperative that the facility is operable in the event of a power outage or a natural disaster. In the event of an outage, the battery power will operate the system. If the power outage is for an extended period, and the batteries are no longer effective, the generator will automatically power the site. This multi-layer back-up system is important for communications sites to ensure continued operation. A cell technician will visit the site approximately once or twice a month to perform regular equipment maintenance.

Landscaping Variance

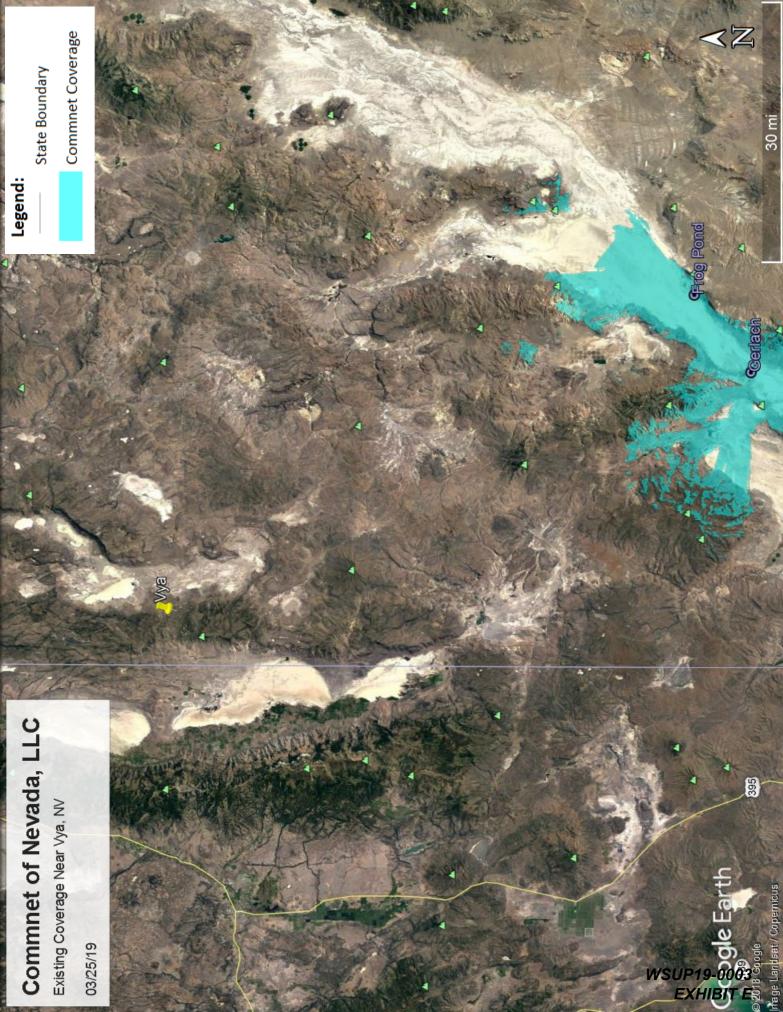
Commnet is not proposing landscaping at this facility and is seeking a variance to obtain relief from the landscaping requirements. The subject property is located in a remote rural location, has restricted access to water resources, and will have limited monthly technician visits. The site is located approximately 2,000 feet from the nearest public roadway and landscaping would not be visible to the general public. There is natural landscaping surrounding the proposed facility that shields the site to public visibility. Commnet is requesting the Board of Adjustments to specifically waive landscaping requirements for the above stated reasons.

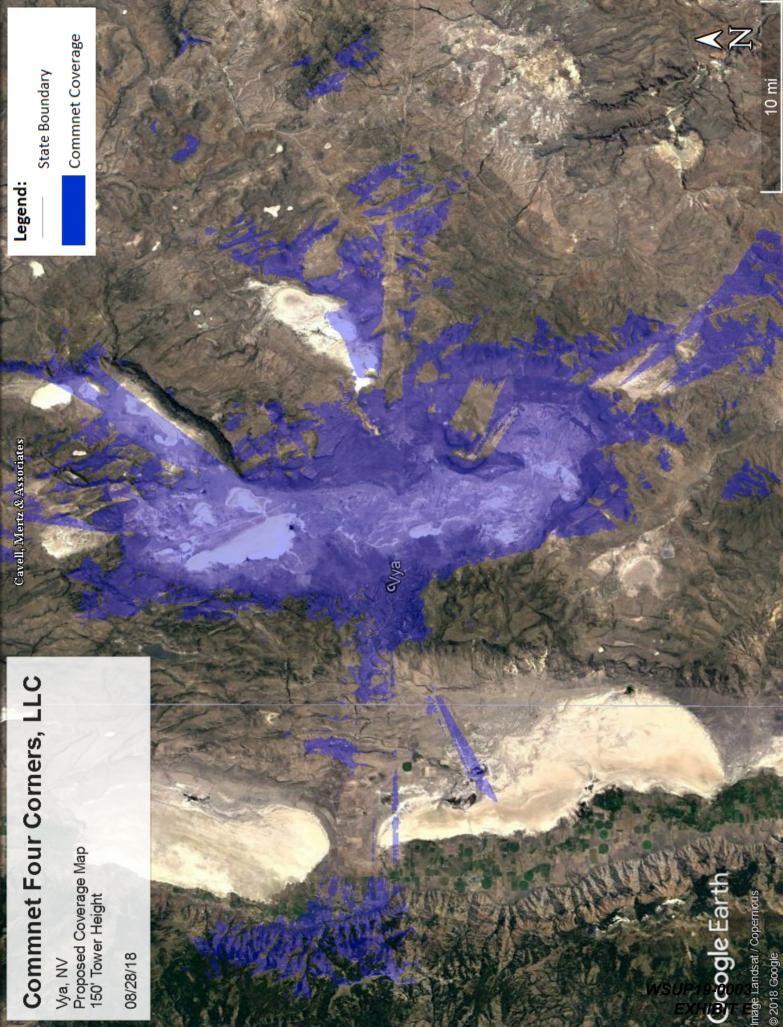
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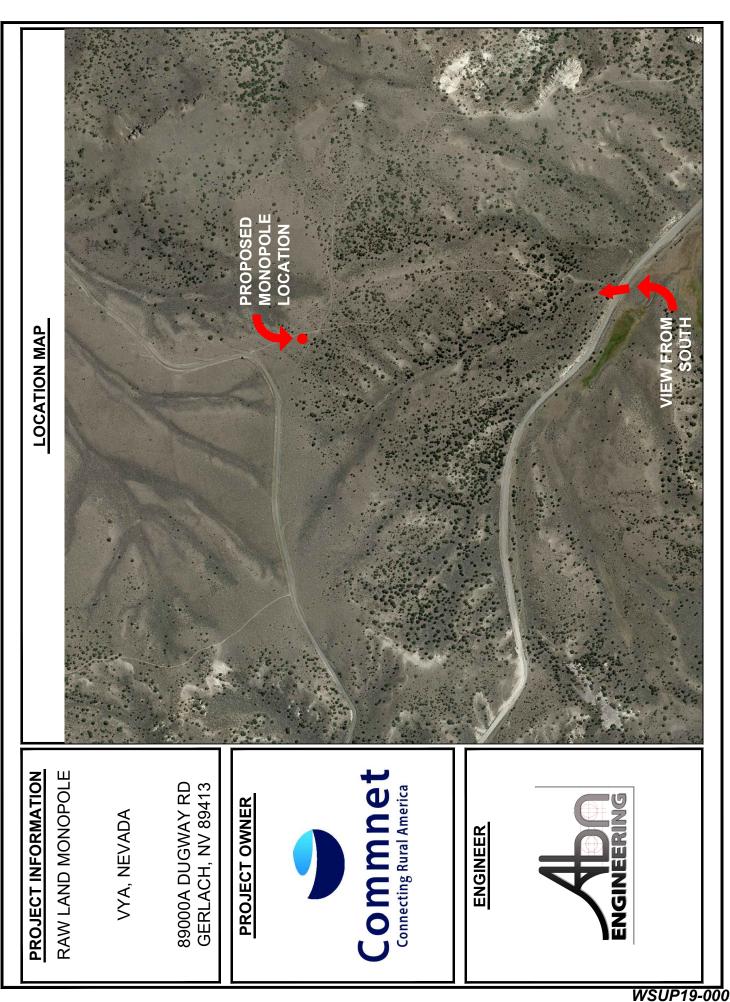
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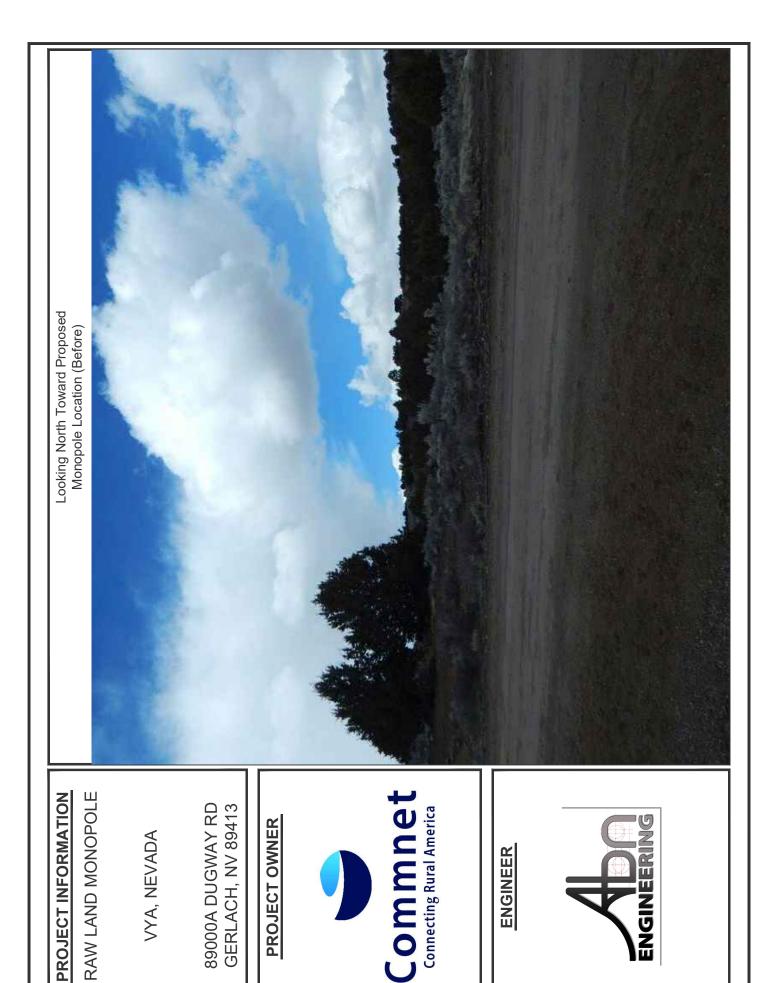
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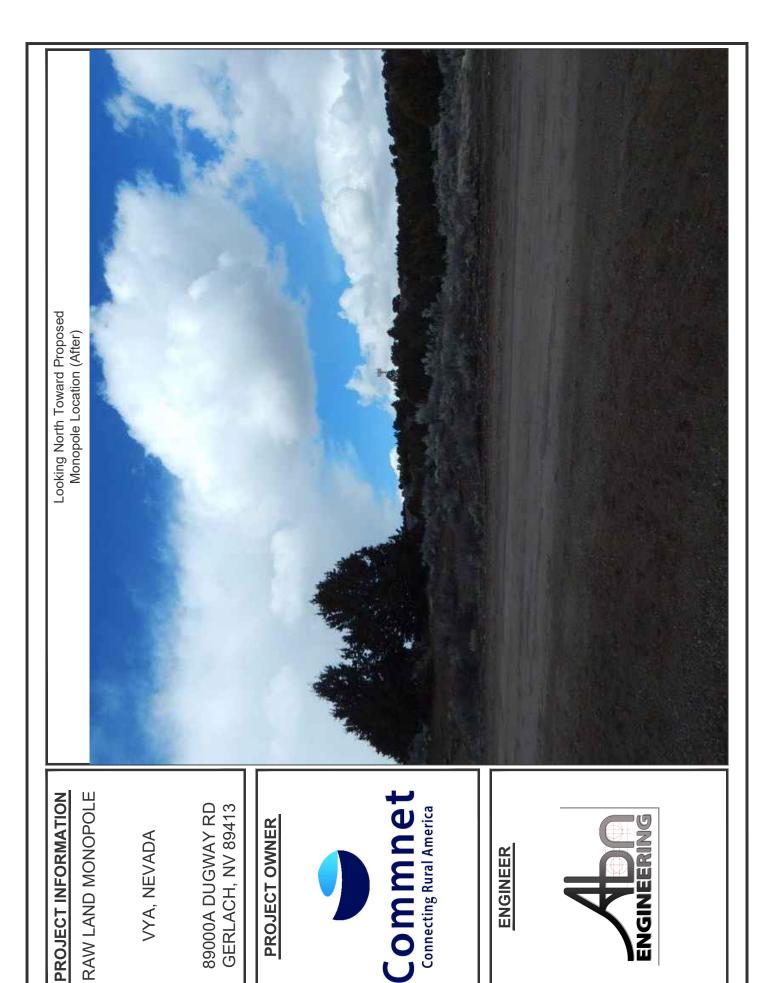
The subject site is located in the High Desert planning area. Per section Section 110.418.05 (e), the provisions of this article do not apply for development in the High Desert planning area.

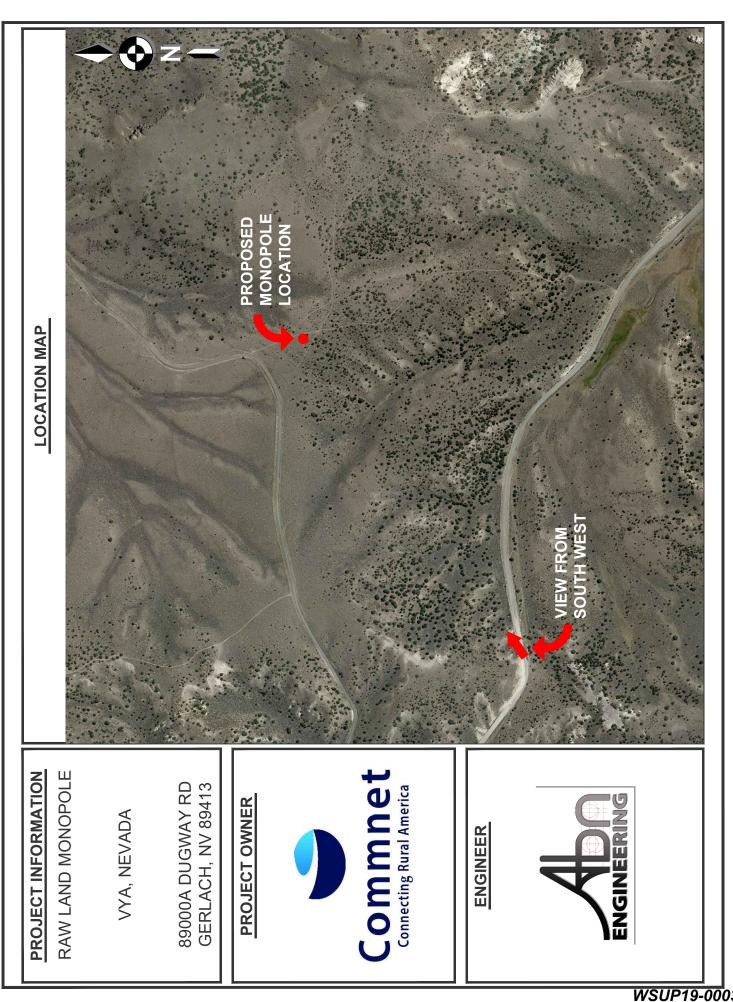


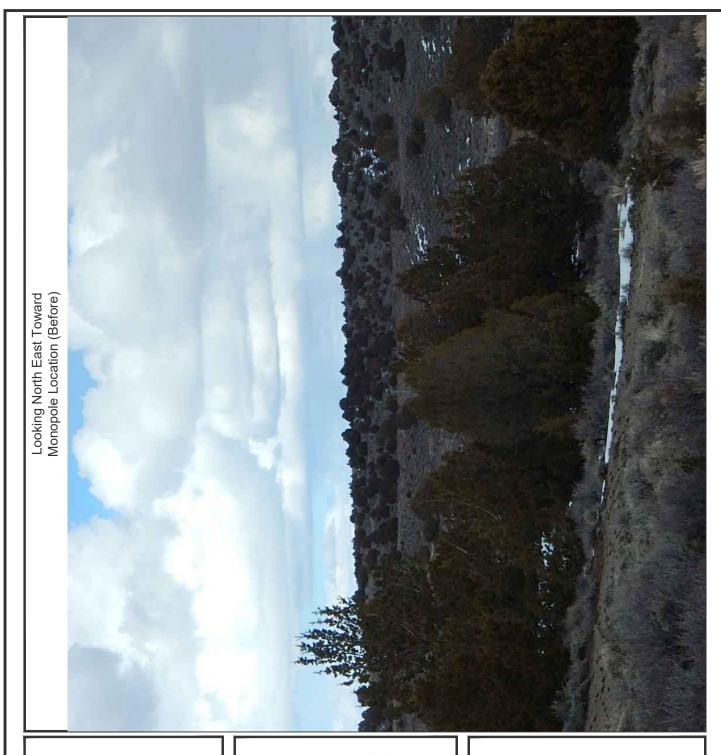












PROJECT INFORMATION

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VYA, NEVADA

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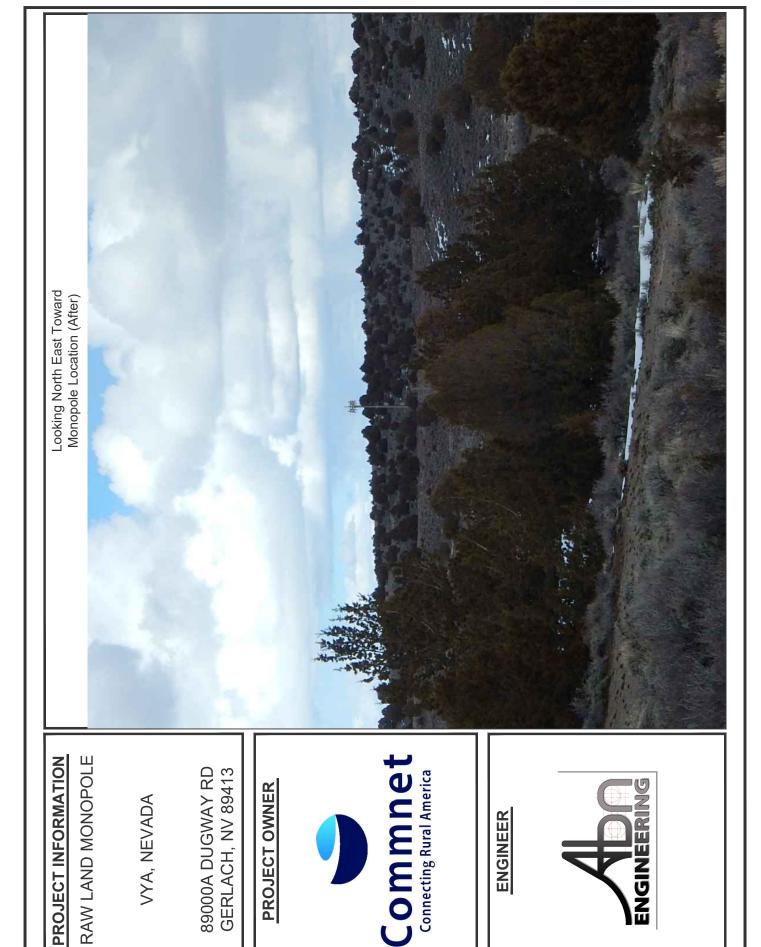
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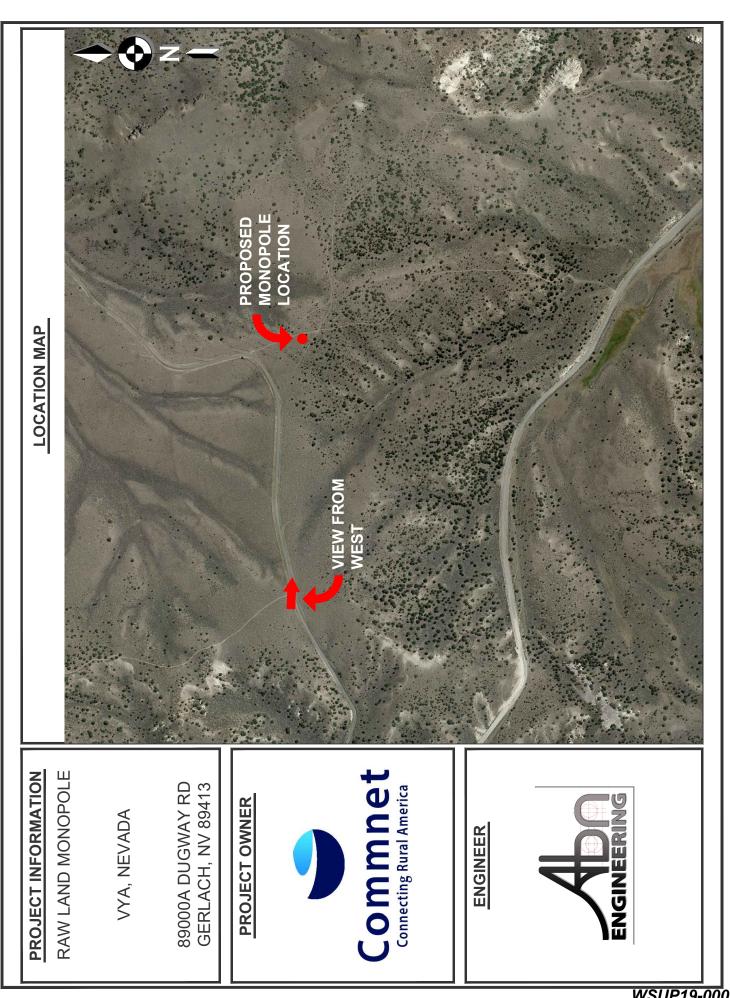
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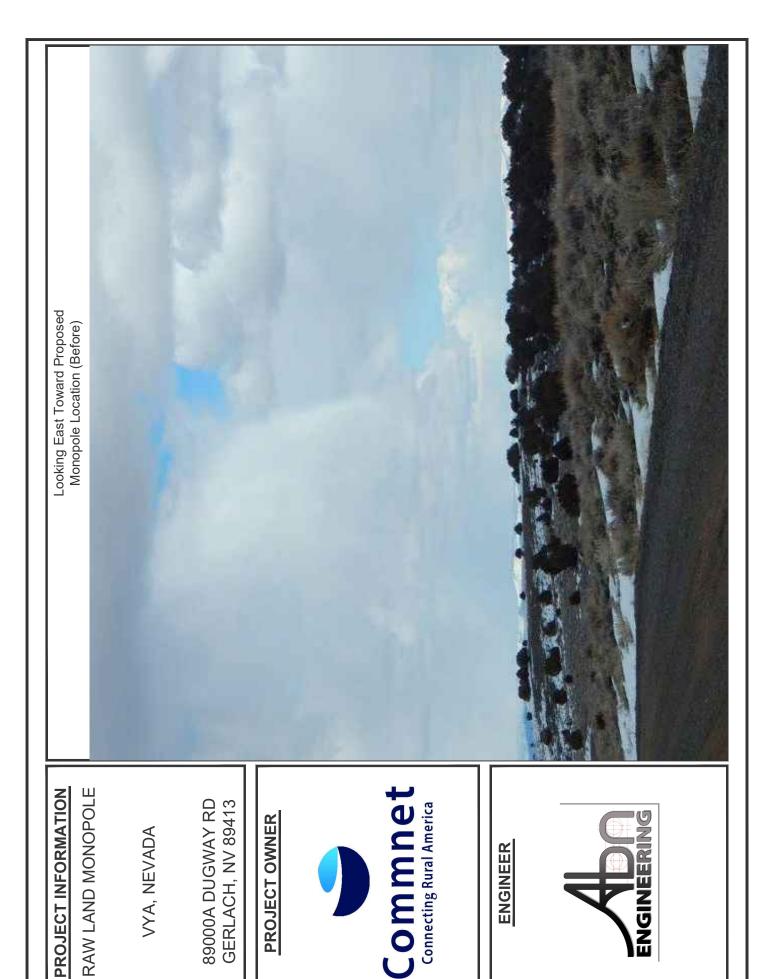




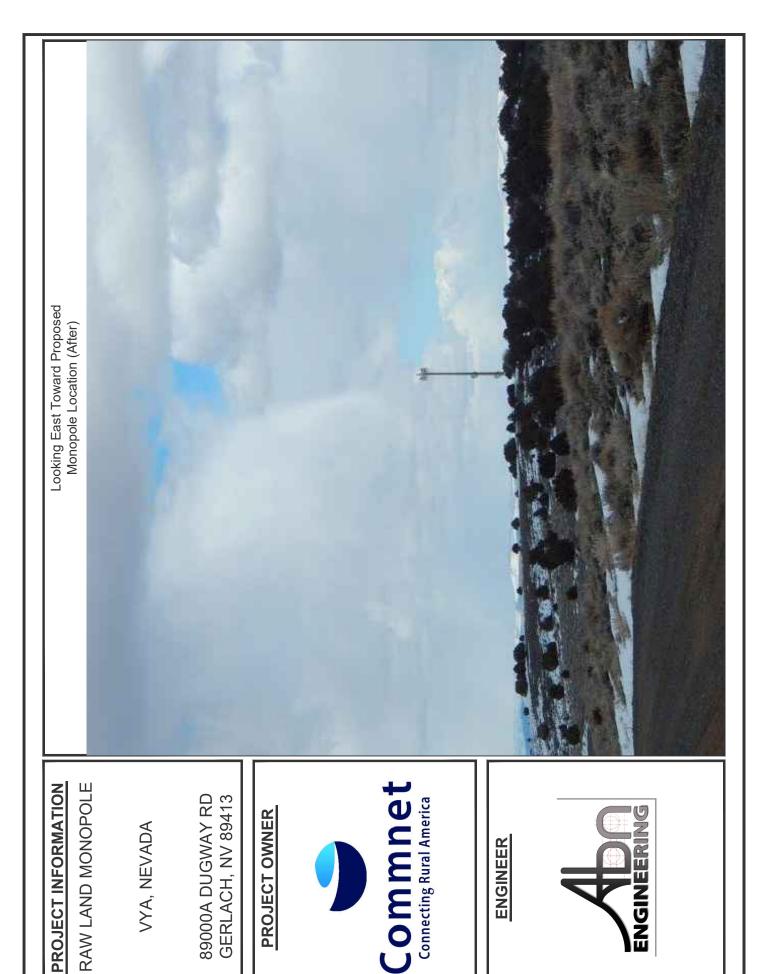
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VYA, NEVADA

Vya, NV Photos

*Note that all photos may have not been attained due to exceptional conditions prohibiting travel to the site

Vya Pre CX East looking West



Vya Pre CX Tower Center looking West



Vya Pre CX Tower Center looking North



Vya Pre CX West looking East



Community Services Department Planning and Building DIRECTOR'S MODIFICATION OF PARKING/LANDSCAPING MINOR DEVIATION STANDARDS APPLICATION



Community Services Department Planning and Building 1001 E. Ninth St., Bldg. A Reno, NV 89512-2845

Telephone: 775.328.6100

Washoe County Development Application

Your entire application is a public record. If you have a concern about releasing personal information, please contact Planning and Building staff at 775.328.6100.

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Applicant Info	ormation (attach	additional sheets if necessary)					
Property Owner:		Professional Consultant:					
Name: United States of America	- BLM	Name: CIS Communications,	LLC				
Address: 2550 Riverside Drive		Address: 749 Old Ballas Road					
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Director's Modification of Standards Supplemental Information

(All required information may be separately attached)

1.	What modification	or deviation	are you requesting?	Be specific.
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Parking Standards - Article 110.410.00 Landscaping Standards - Article 110.412.00 Noise and Lighting - Article 110.414.00 Minor deviation Standards - Section 110.804.35

2.	Why is the	mo	dificatio	on or	deviation no	ecessary	to the	suc	cess of	the proj	ect/dev	elopn	nent?	Be
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Please refer to the attached Director's Memorandum for explanation

3. Are you proposing to mitigate the effect of the modification or reduction?

Please refer to the attached Director's Memorandum for explanation

4. What section of code are you requesting to modify or deviate? **Be specific.** List the code section and if there are specific requirements for the modification, provide detailed information. For deviation, provide the percentage of the deviation.

Parking Standards - Whole Section Landscaping Standards - Whole Section Noise and Lighting - Whole Section

Minor Deviation Standards - Maximum height allowed (150' monopole) as stated per Washoe County Planning Department

5. For Minor Deviation request; list what properties/parcels are affected by the deviation? Explain if there will be any impacts to the affected neighboring properties. (At a minimum, affected property owners are those owners of parcels that immediately abut the location of the proposed minor deviation.)

Please refer to the Director's Memorandum for list of adjoining parcels and impact explanation.

MEMORANDUM

To: Washoe County

CC: Commnet of Nevada, LLC (Commnet Wireless)

From: Julie Krekeler, Site Acquisition, CIS Communications, LLC

Date: April 10, 2019

Re: DIRECTORS MODIFICATION REQUEST CLARIFICATION – Special Use Permit - APN: 061-010-49

(Vya, NV)

Dear Washoe County,

The subject application is for a Special Use Permit for the construction of a telecommunications facility consisting of a 150′ monopole, outdoor shelter, and a generator and propane tank within a 77′ x 97′ fenced compound situated in rural Vya, Nevada. The parcel is located on property owned by the United Stated of America and is managed by the Bureau of Land Management. The parcel consists of 773.89 acres.

Upon review of Washoe County's Development Code Section 110, Commnet Wireless is hereby requesting certain specific conditions to be considered for Director's Modification due to the following.

Article 110.410.00 Parking —Commnet Wireless would like to modify Section 110.410.00 to allow for the request to waive parking. Due to the unusual nature of the establishment and the remote rural location of this proposed unmanned facility that will be visited by a cell tech once or twice a month, the standards set form in this section such as parking design and access width would be excessive and unreasonable for Commnet Wireless. The secured proposed facility is not for the general public access and there is ample space for the technician to park either outside or inside of the fenced lease area.

Article 110.412.00 Landscaping - Commnet Wireless would like to modify Section 110.412.00 to allow for the request to waive the whole section of landscaping. The subject site is located in a remote unimproved area. In addition to being remote, the site is located 2000+ feet from the nearest gravel county road or adjoining parcel where there will be minimal visibility. Because this remote location and it is an unmanned facility, Commnet Wireless' policy is to avoid any landscaping to conserve water as well as the need for routine landscape maintenance. Additionally, because of the vast size of the parcel (773 acres), it is unreasonable for Commnet Wireless to meet Washoe County's requirement of landscape coverage of a minimum twenty (20) percent of the total developed land area as well as landscaped buffers at least one (1) tree every twenty (20) linear feet of property frontage as outlined in Sections 110.412.40 (a) and (c).

<u>Section 110.414.00 Noise and Lighting - Commnet Wireless would like to modify the Section 110.414.00</u> to allow for the request to waive the entire section of Noise and Lighting. The site will be powered from a nearby transformer to a new meter bank located within the fenced compound. There will be a generator installed at the site in the event of extended power outages. First Net responder equipment is proposed at this site. Per Section 110.414.20 (b) emergency equipment is exempt from this section.

Unless lighting is required by the FAA, no lighting is proposed at the unmanned facility. Commnet proposes Washoe County's current best practice of "dark-sky" standards. There will be lighting inside the shelter that is turned on only during a technician's site visit.

<u>Section 110.804.35 Minor Deviations</u> Commnet Wireless is proposing a 150' monople and is seeking approval for the height deviation per table 110.324.55.1 . As stated, this site is located in a remote area of northern Nevada where there is currently limited to no cellular service. This site will include First Net responder emergency equipment as well as multi users and due to the diverse topography and the remoteness of the area, the height is needed to overcome that terrain to obtain optimal coverage.

The following is a list of parcels that abut the subject property parcel. The closets parcels to the proposed facility, as indicated by an asterisk, are at a distance of 2,000 feet. The nearest residence is approximately one (1) mile away and this facility will not impose any negative impacts. The impact this proposed facility will have is a communication source that is vital to today's safety and quality of life.

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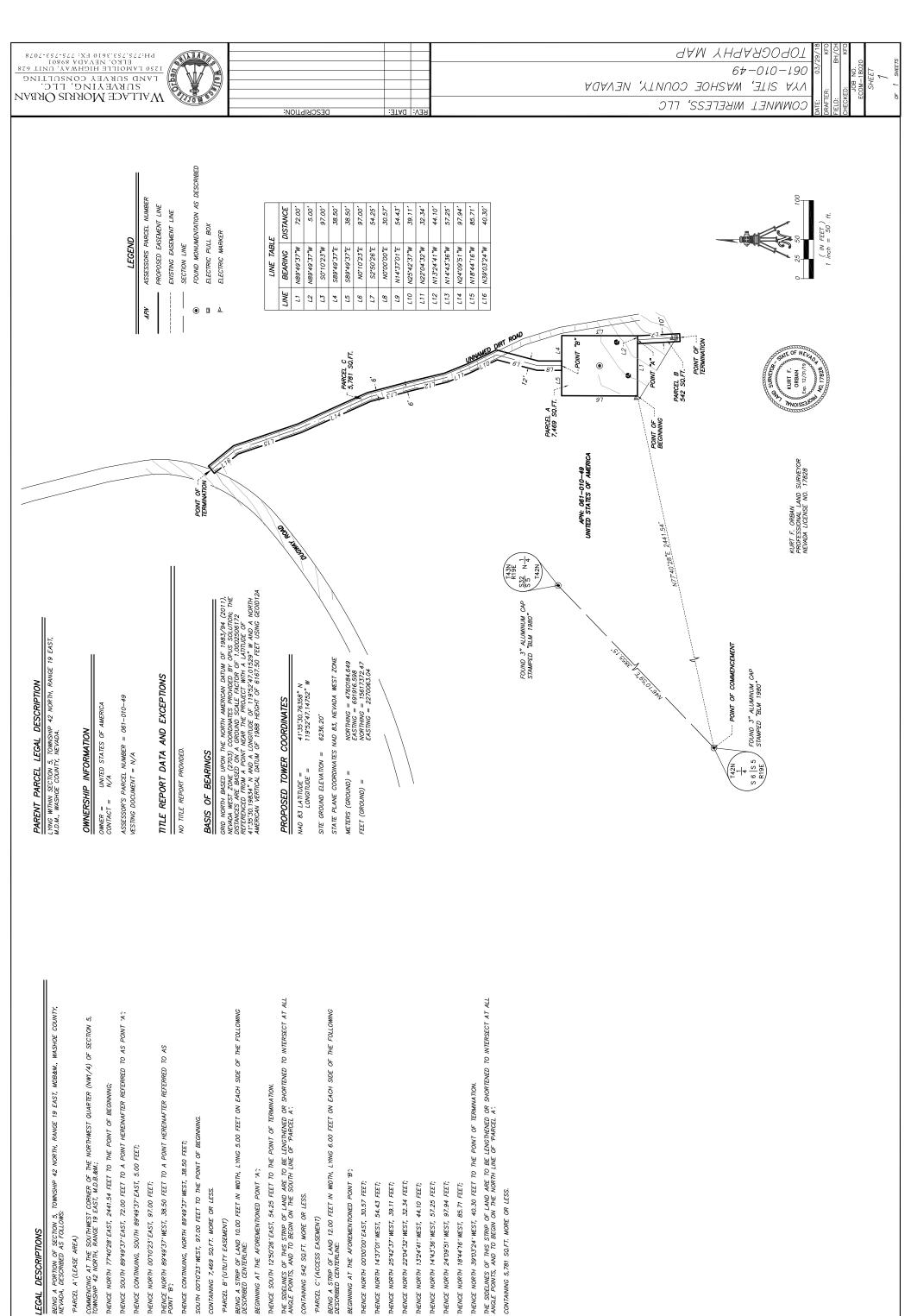
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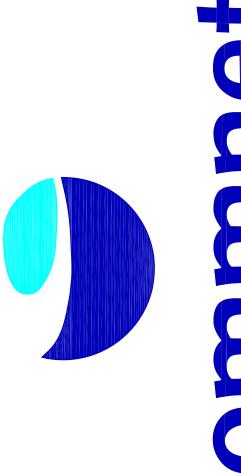








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PROJECT: RAW LAND MONOPOLE SITE NAME:

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A-2.1	SHELTER LAYOUT
A-3	SITE ELEVATION & DETAILS
A-4	NOT USED
A-5	CONSTRUCTION DETAILS
9-V	CONSTRUCTION DETAILS
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	OVERALL ELECTRICAL PLAN & ELECTRICAL NOTES
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SITE ADDRESS

VYA, NEVADA

UNMANNED TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY

CURRENT USE:

OCCUPANCY:

EE LLC 12005 ANTELOPE TRAIL PARKER, CO 80138 PHONE: (303) 748—1189

ELECTRICAL Engineering:

DUGWAY RD.

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NEW USE:

LEASE AREA:

WALLACE MORRIS ORBAN SURVEYING, LLC 1250 LAMOILLE HIGHWAY, UNIT 628 ELKO, NV 89801 PHONE: (775) 753-3610

SURPRISE VALLEY ELECTRIFICATION CORP 516 US HWY 395 ALTURAS, CA 96101 PHONE: (530) 233-3511 CONTACT: DJ NORTHRUP - COMPLIANCE TECH EMAIL: DJNSVEC@FRONTIER.COM

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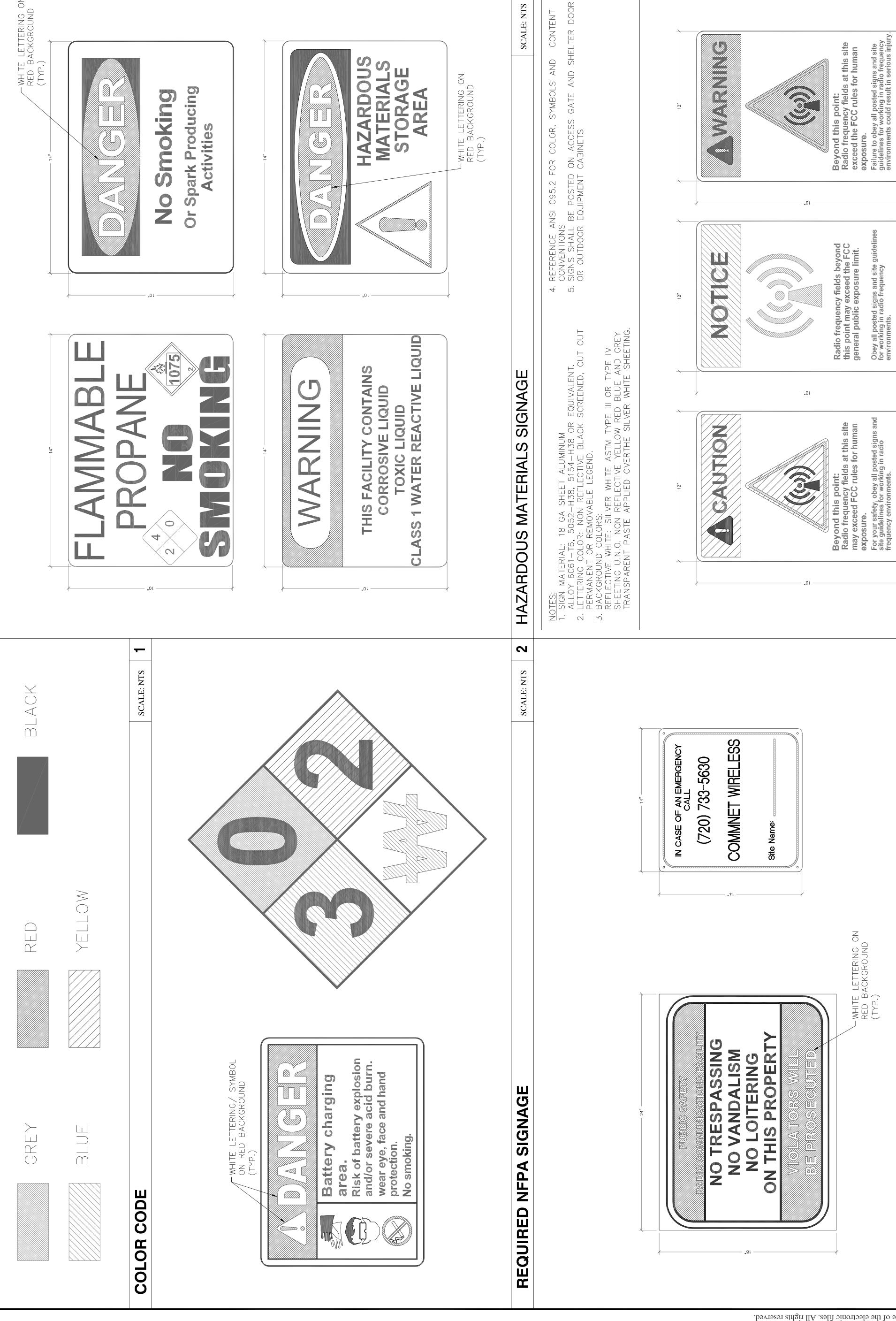
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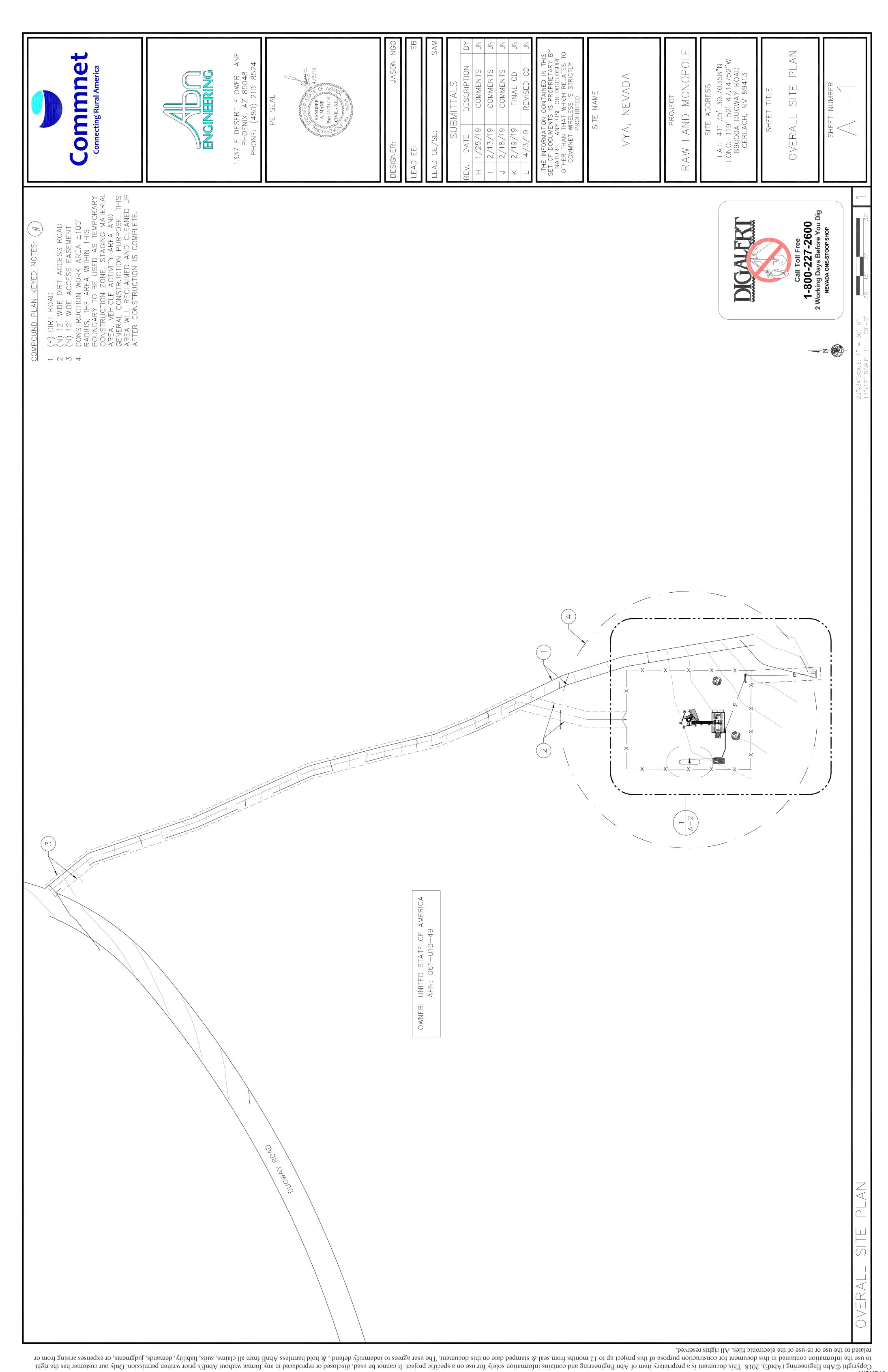
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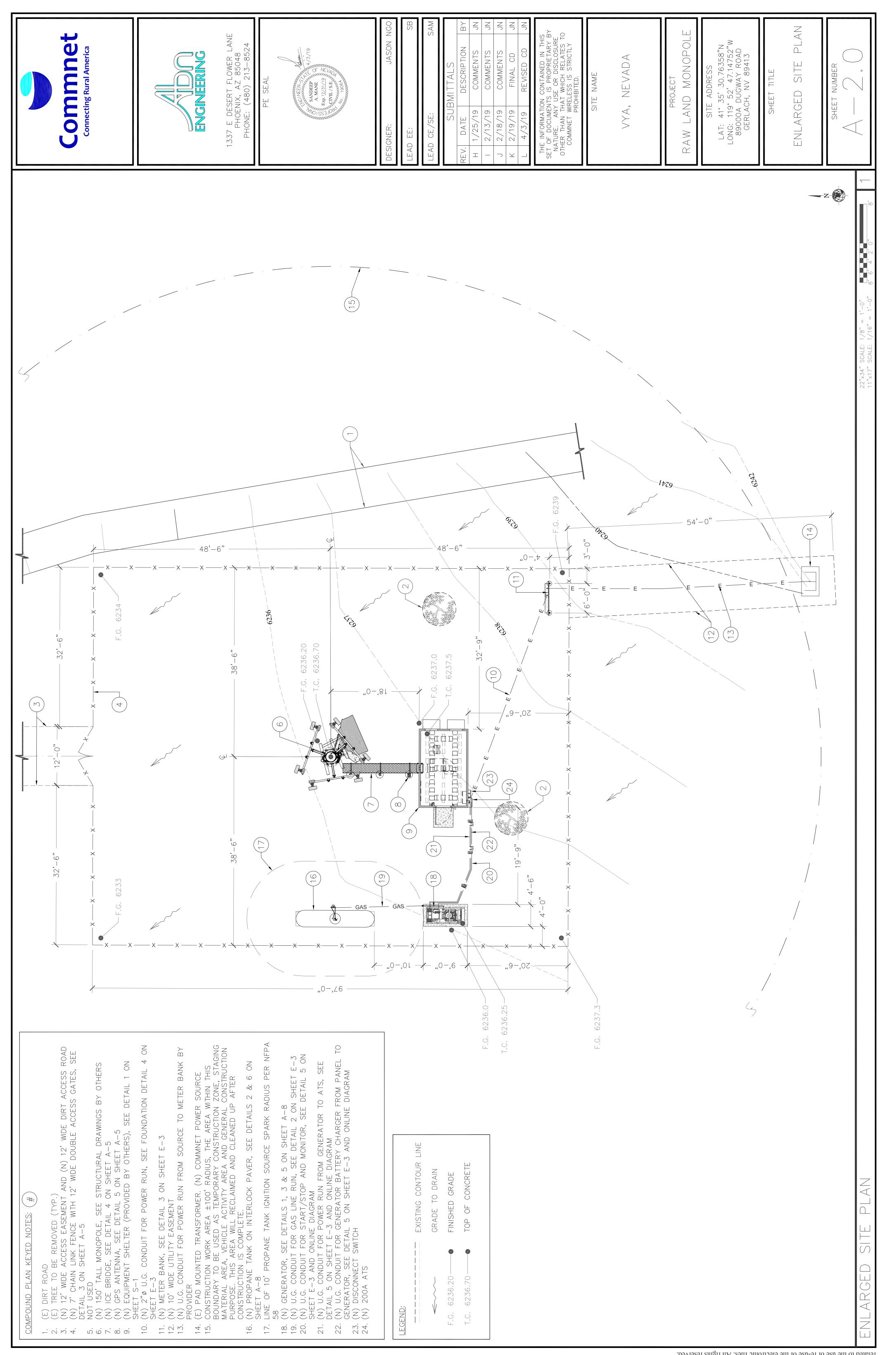
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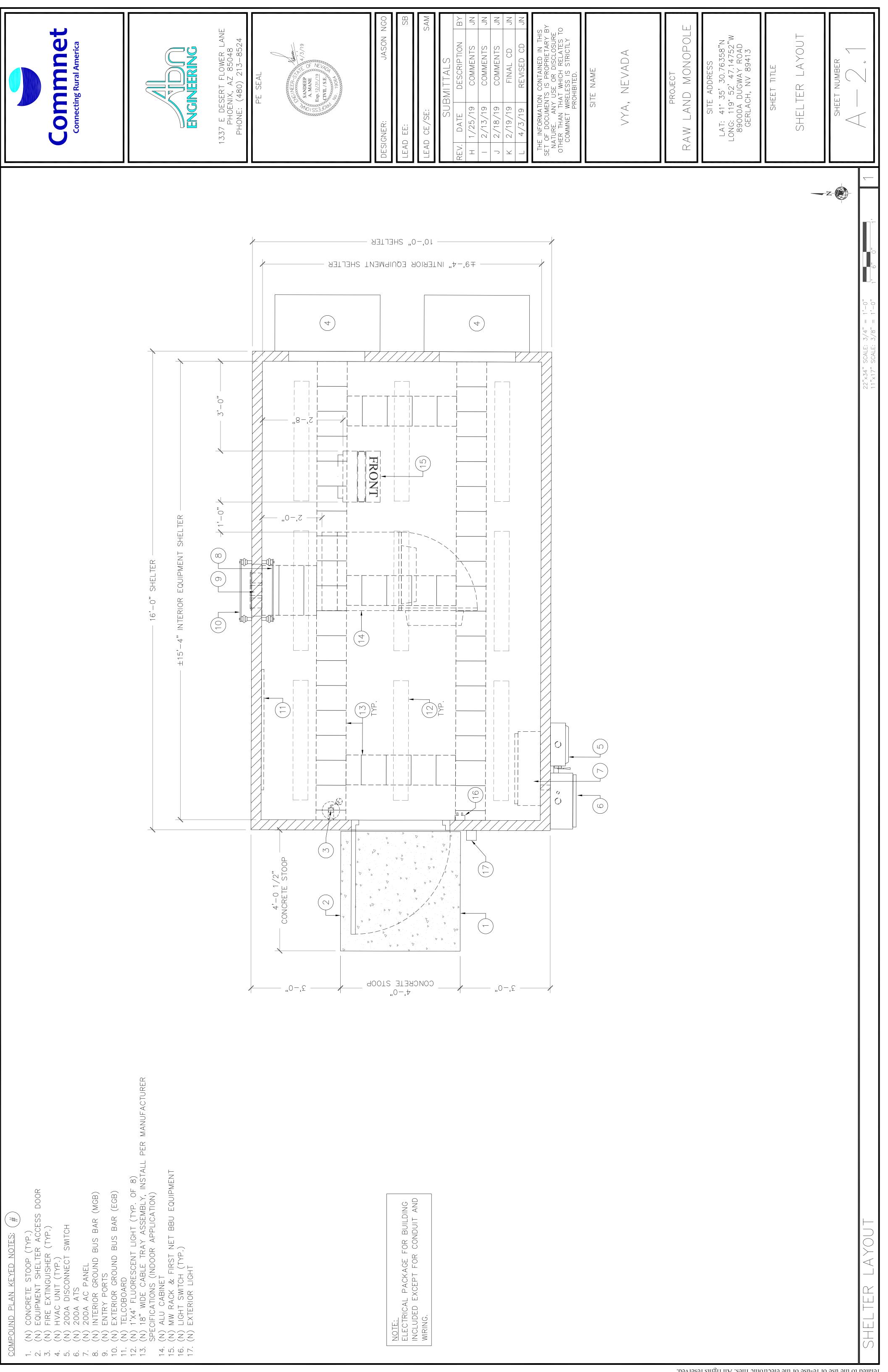
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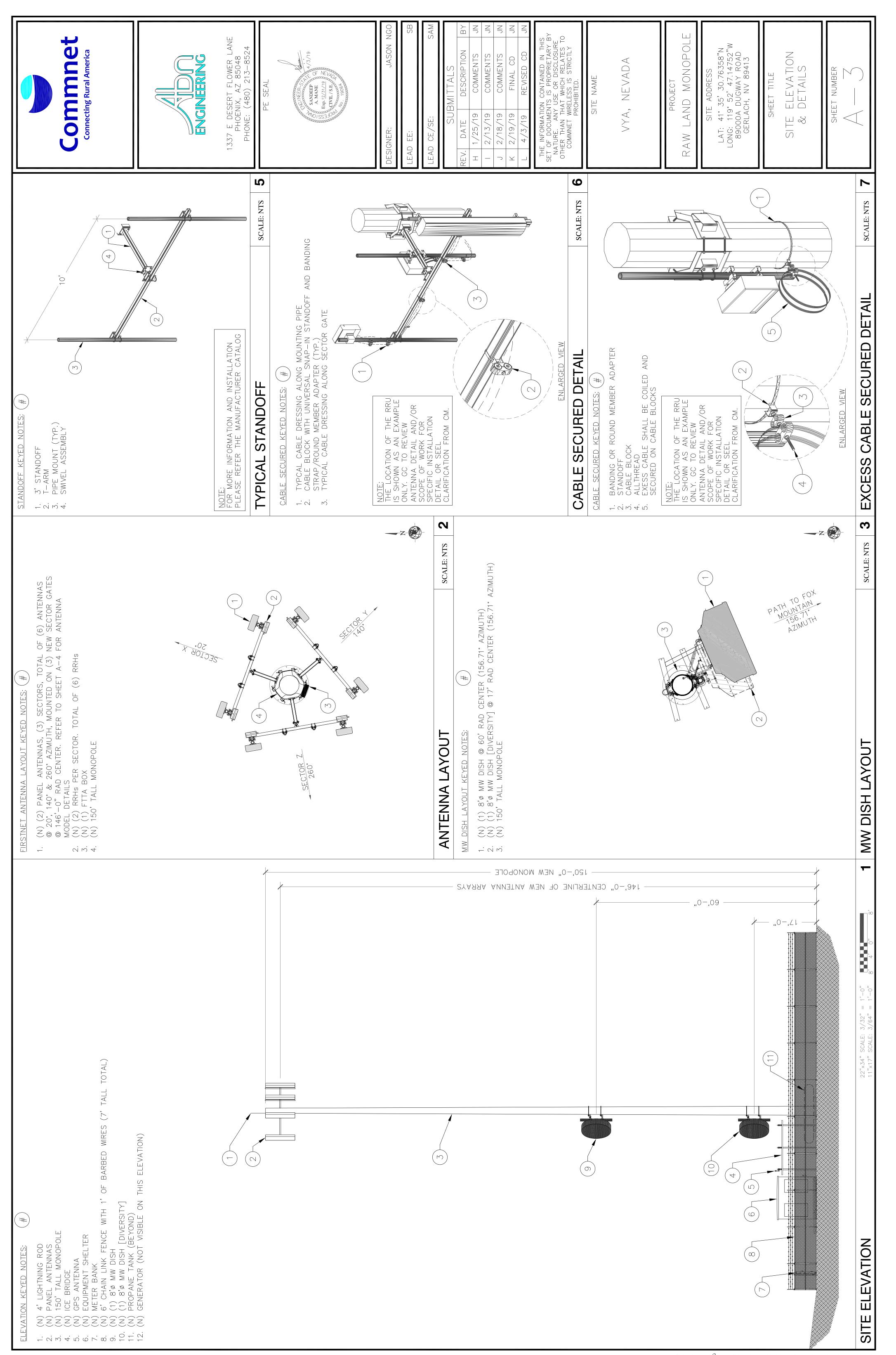
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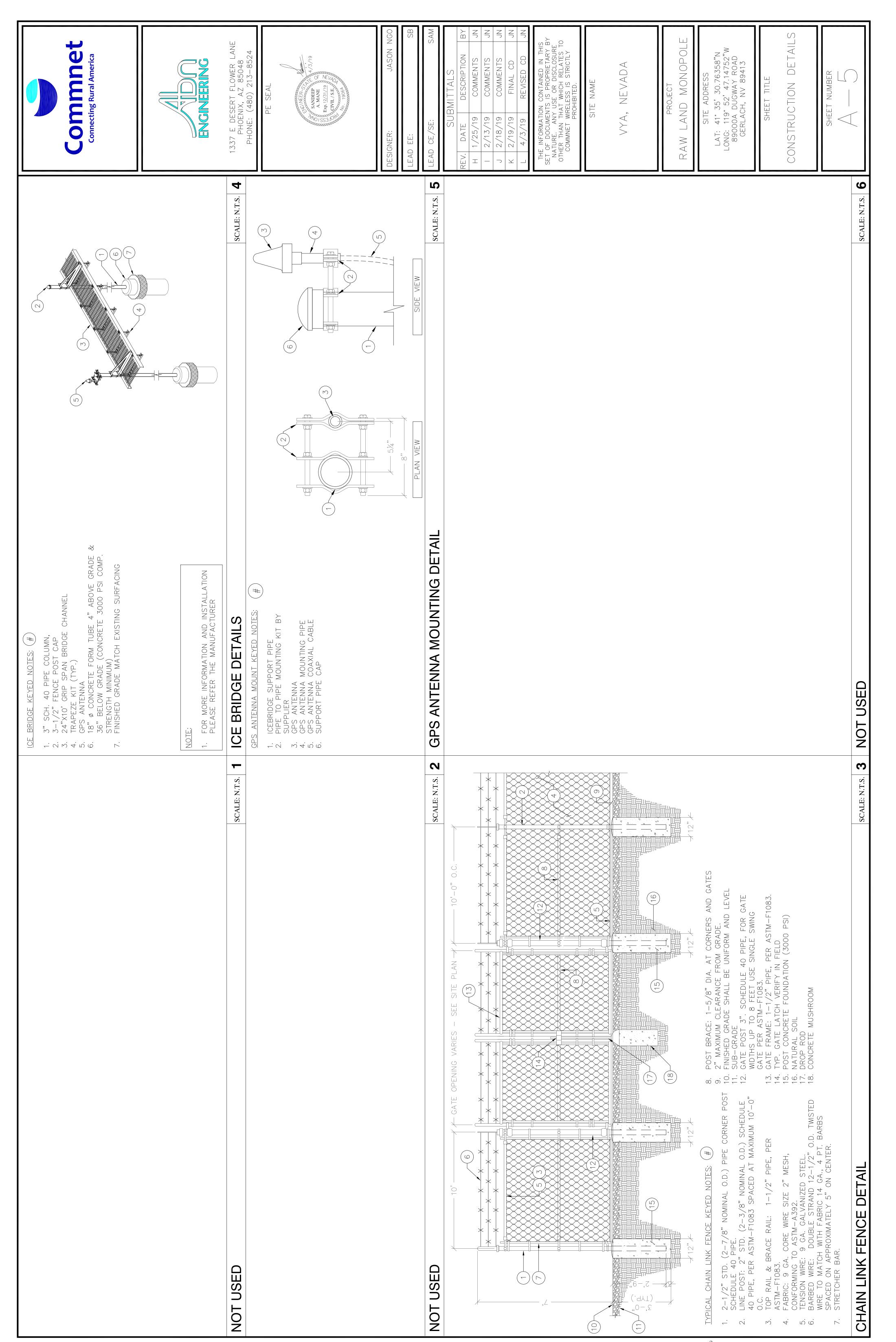
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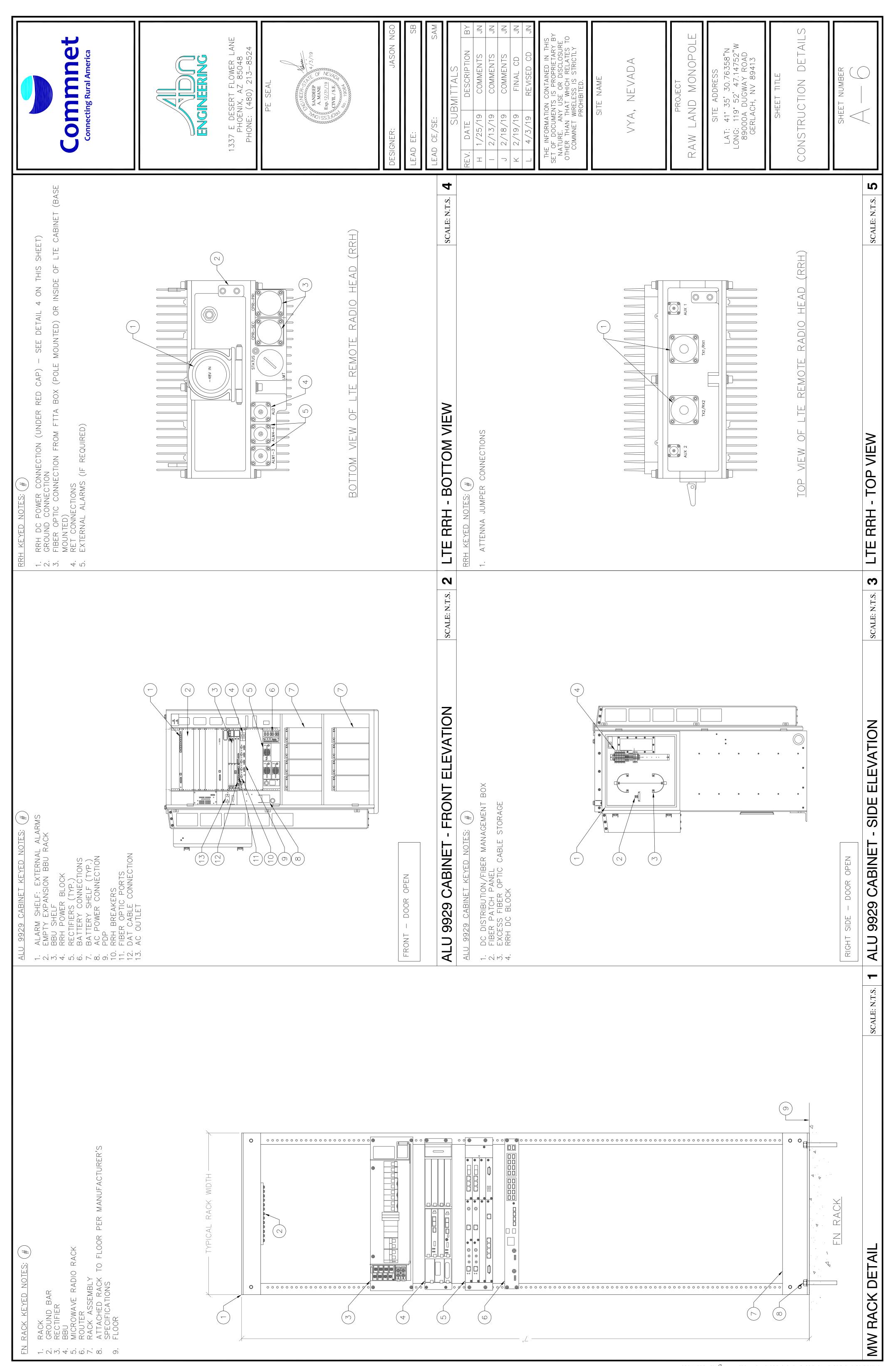


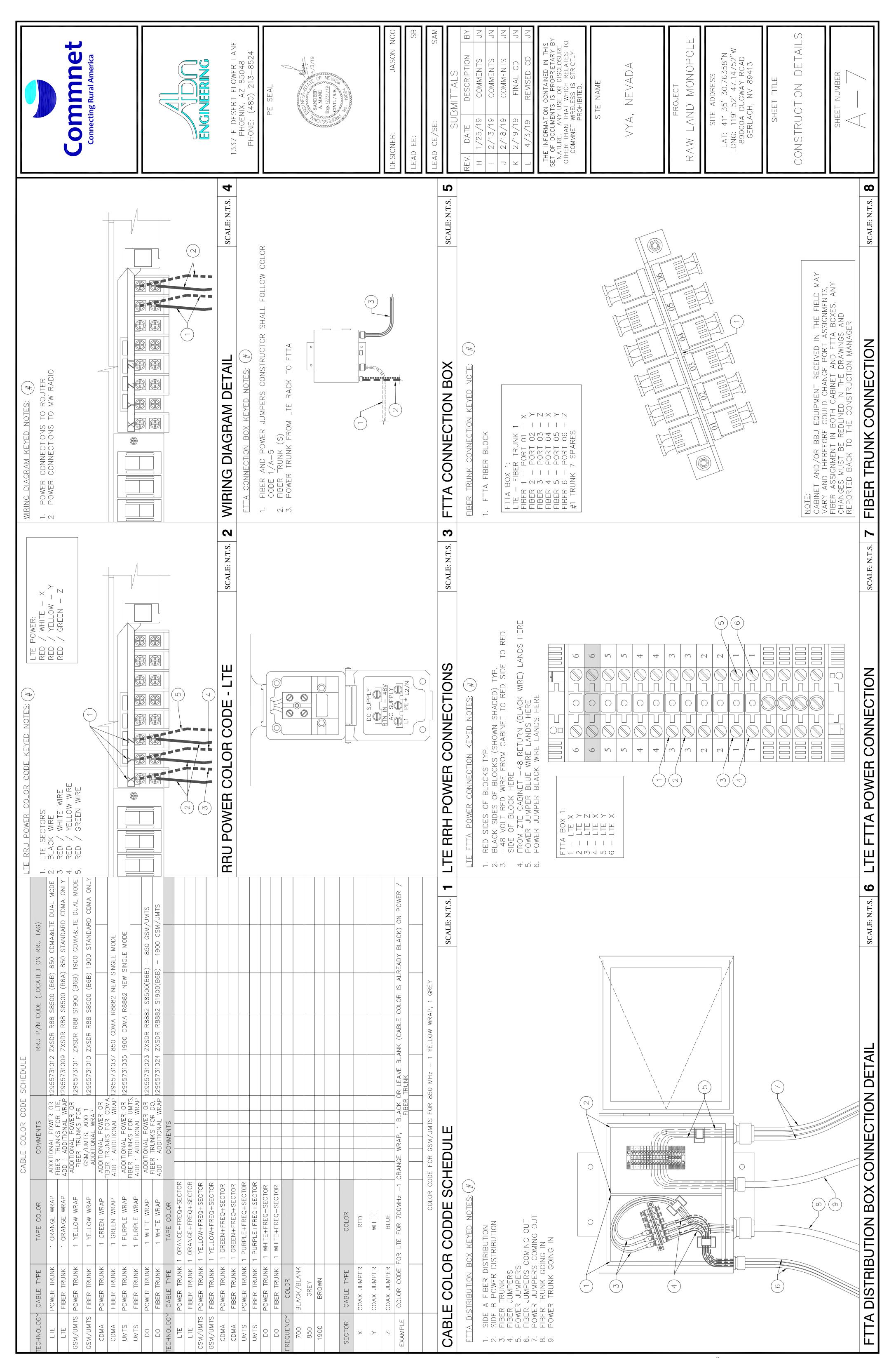


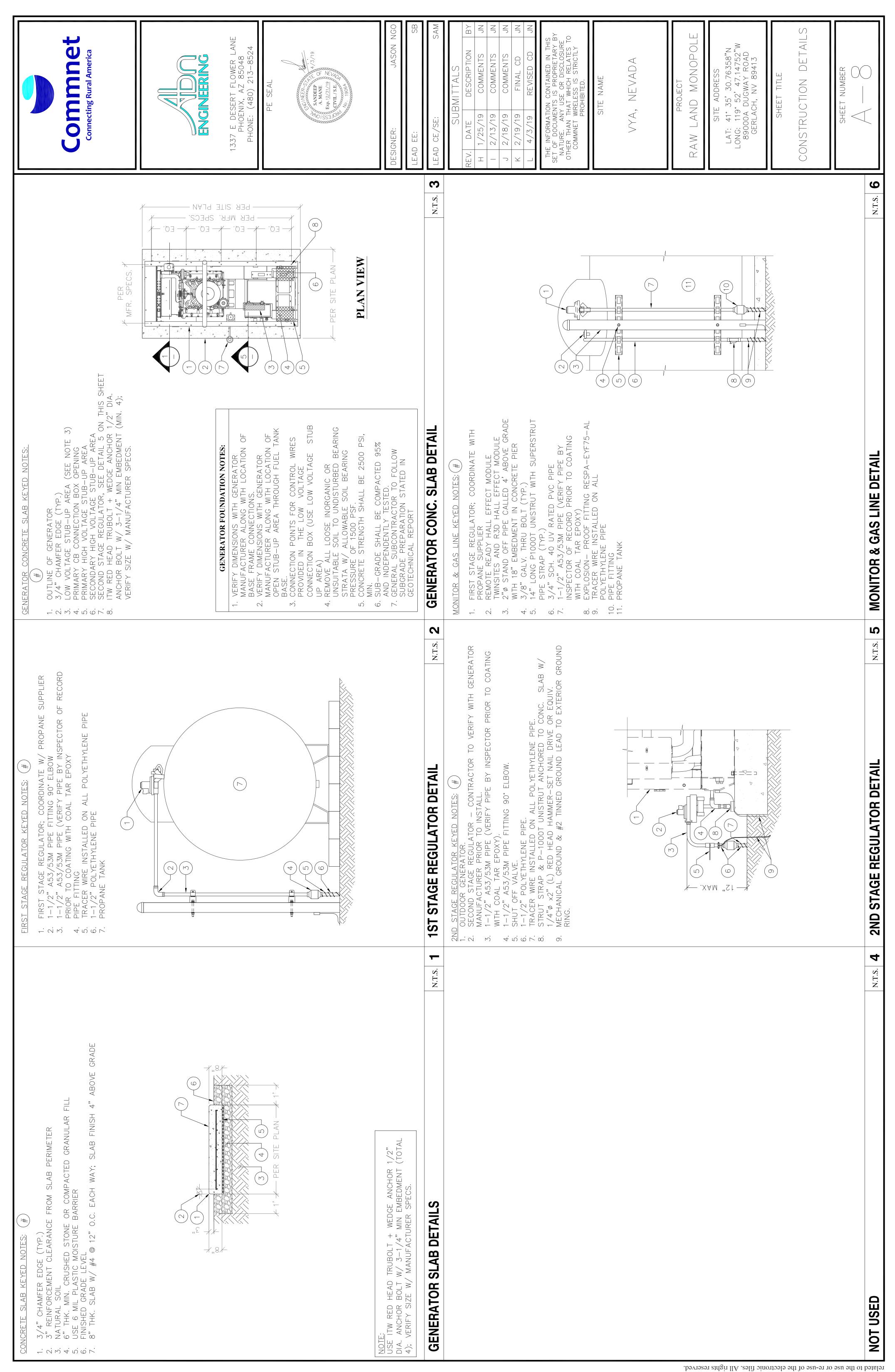


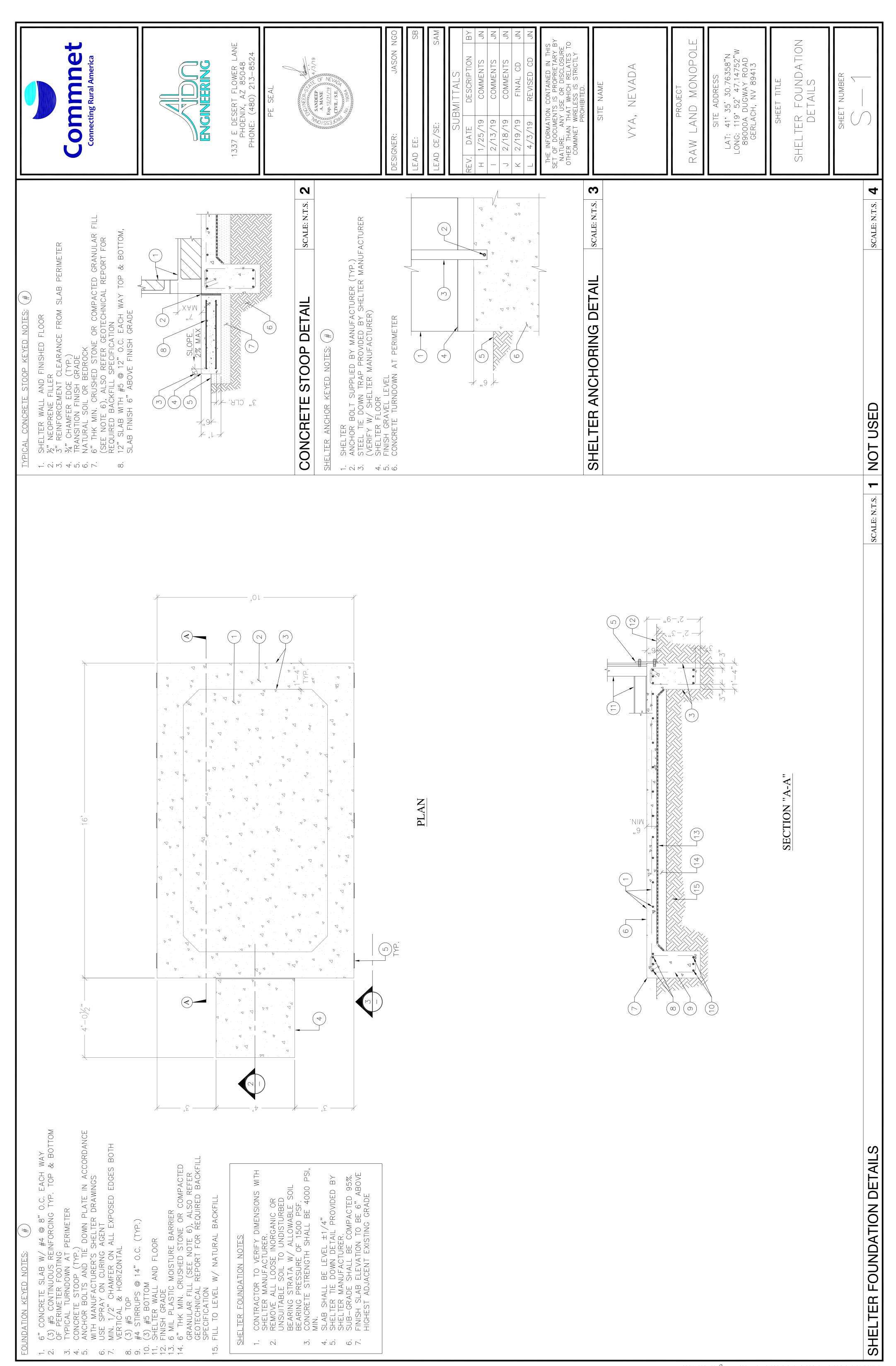


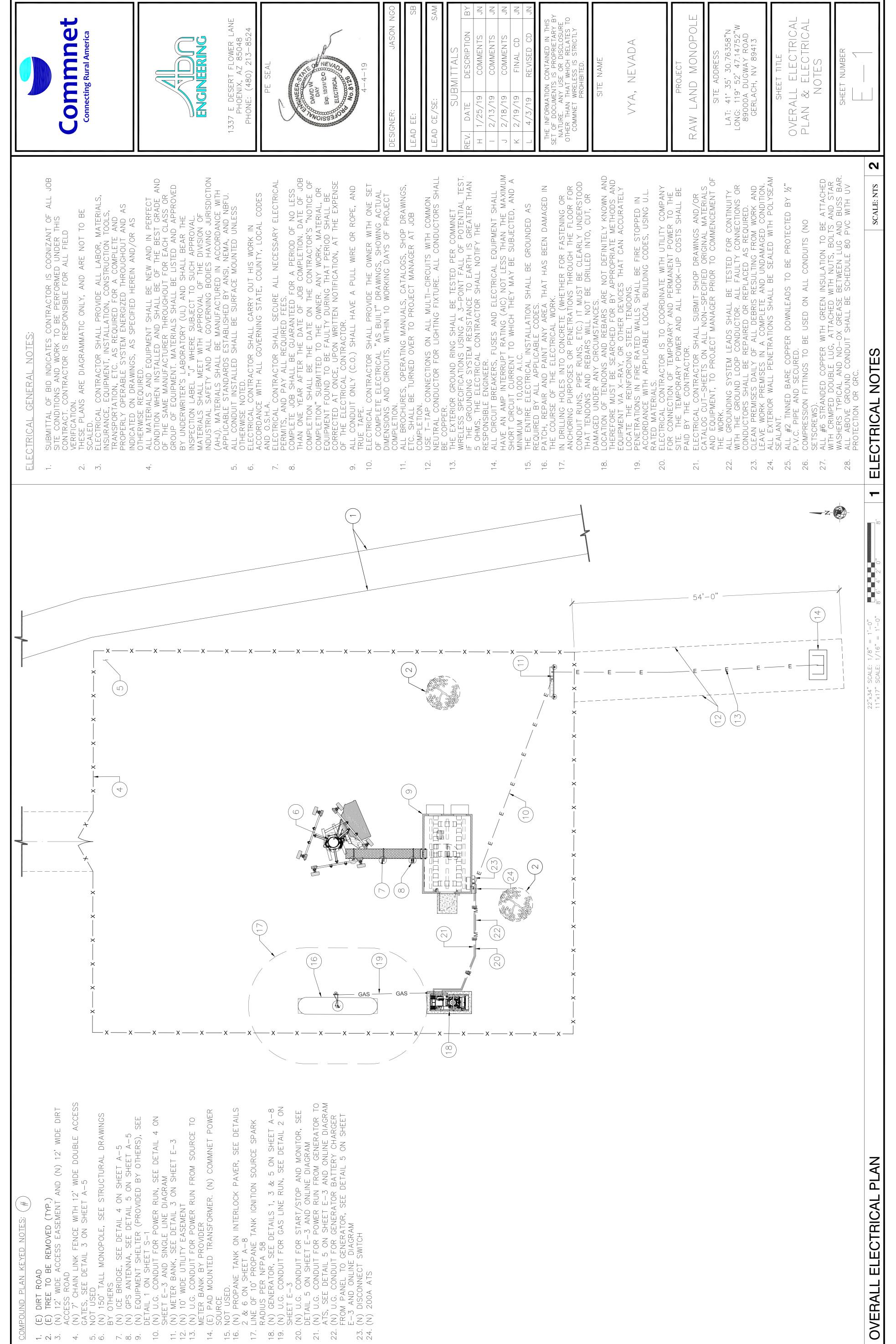


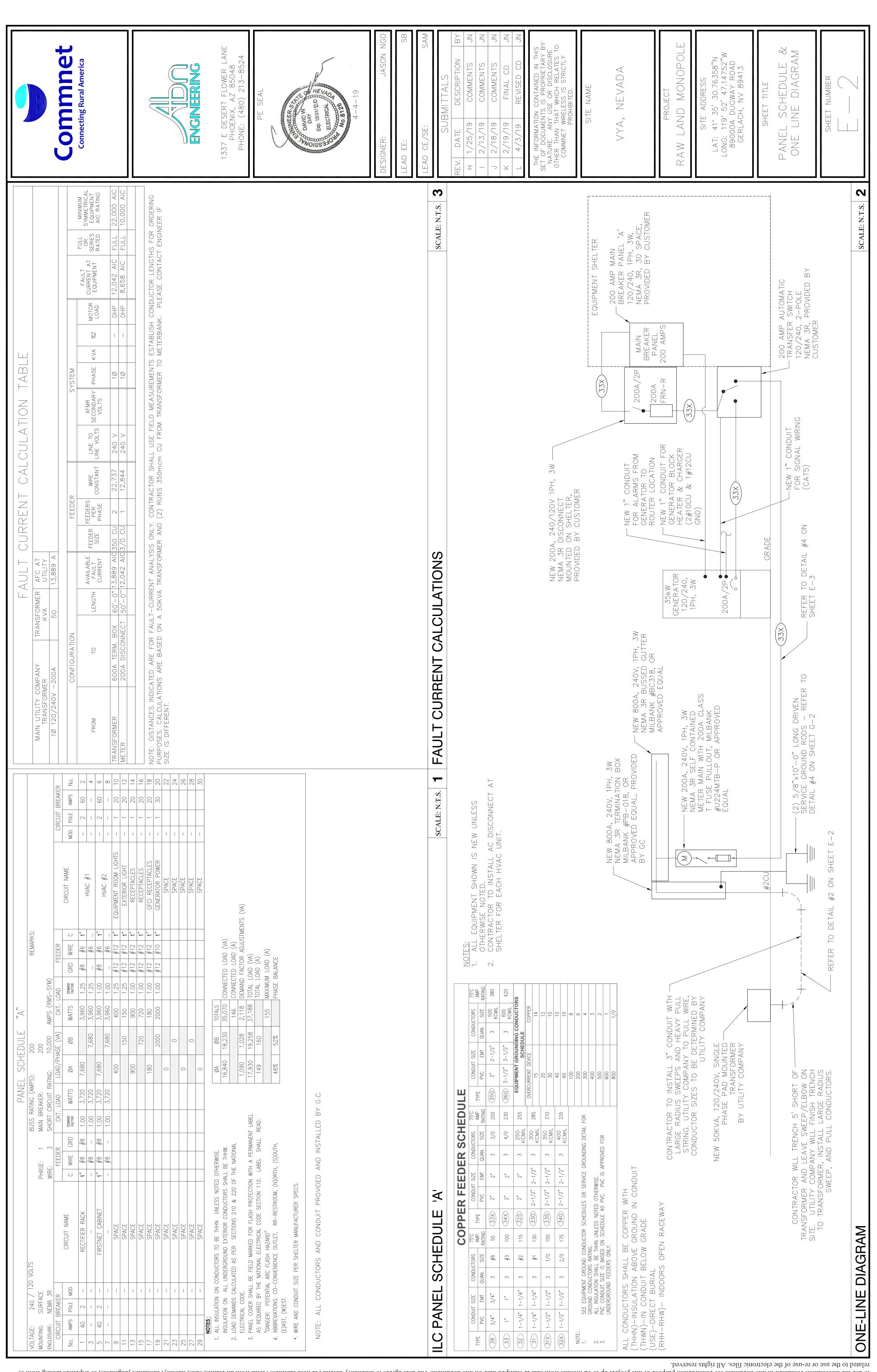


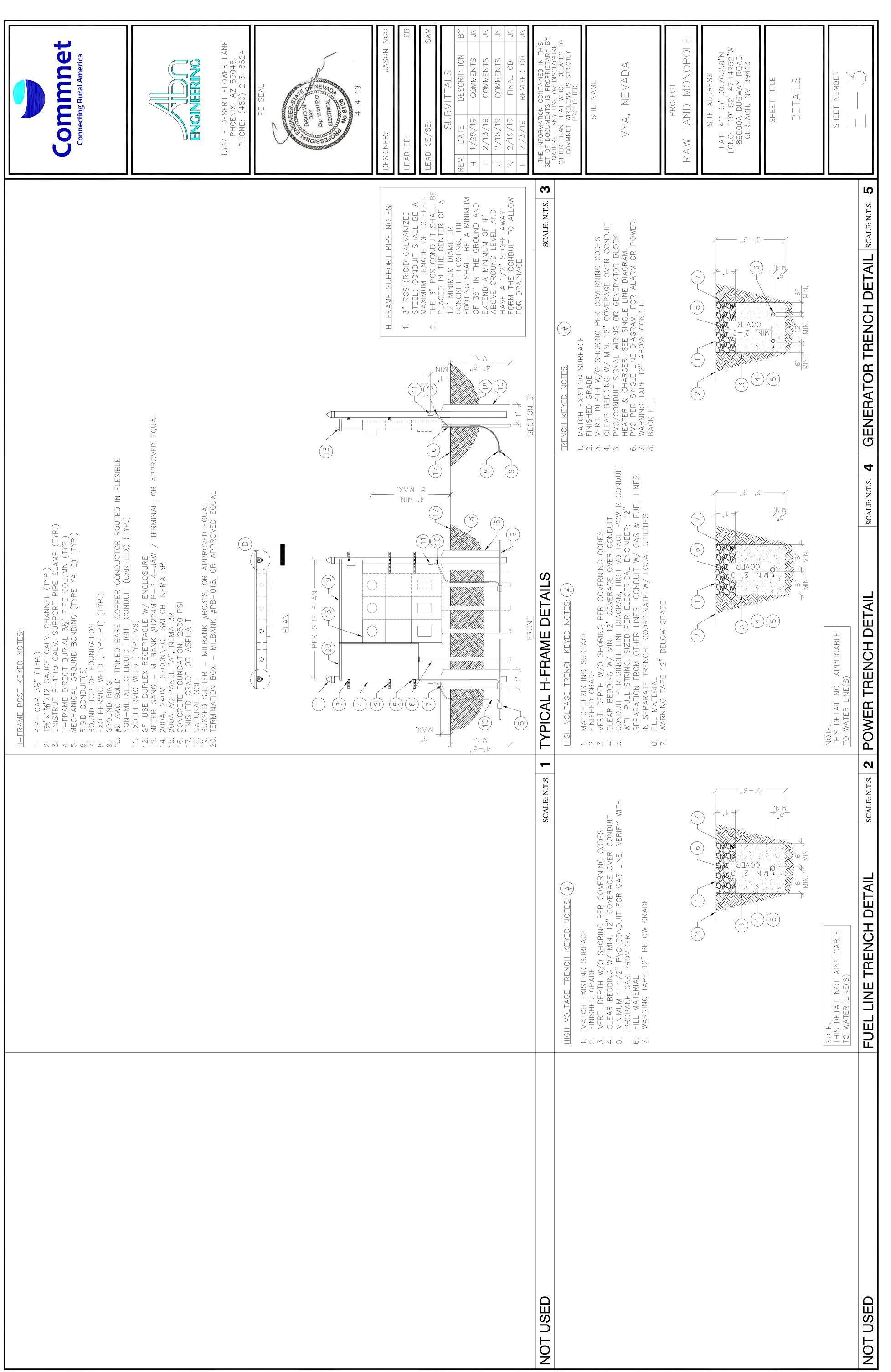


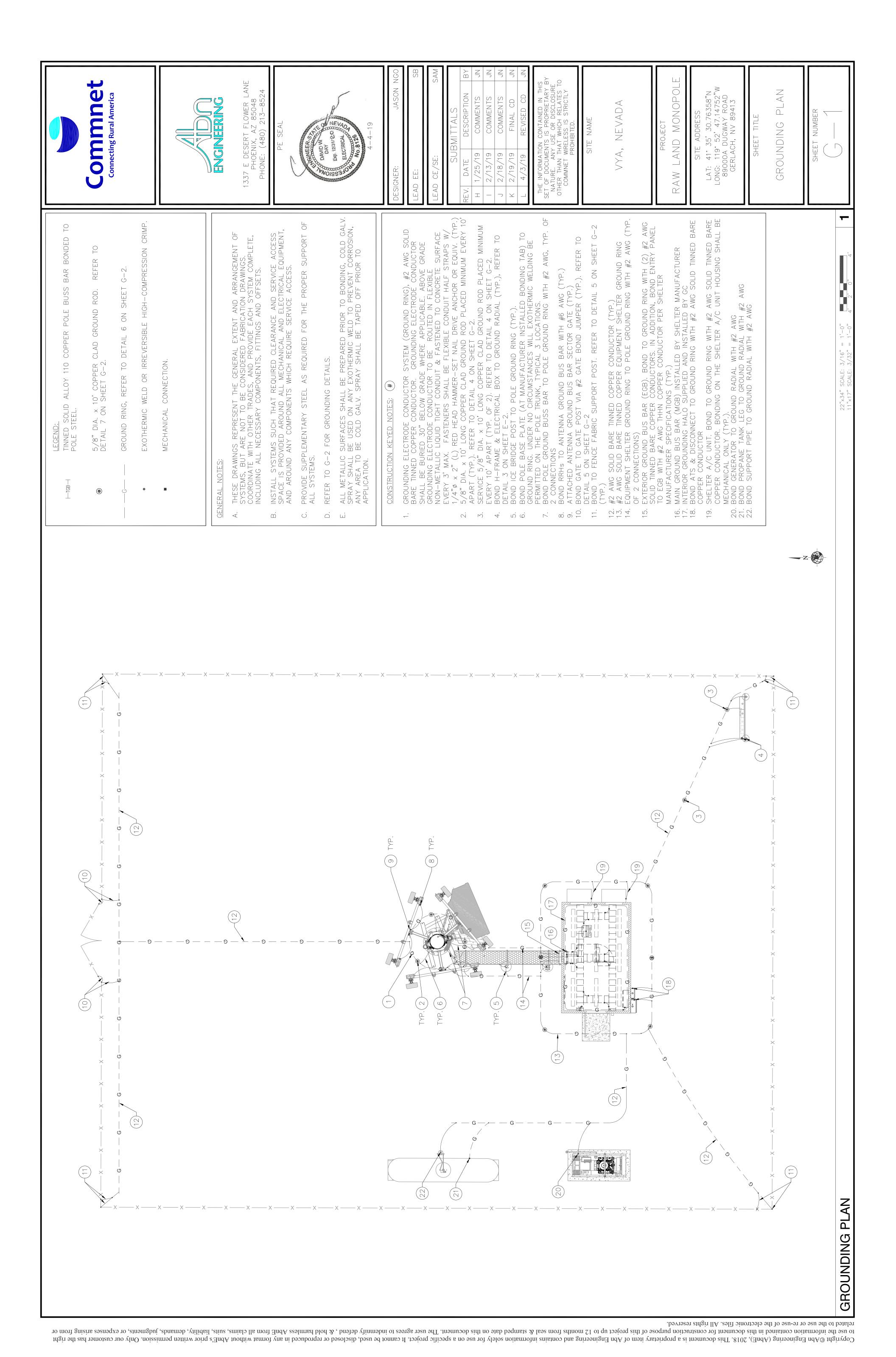


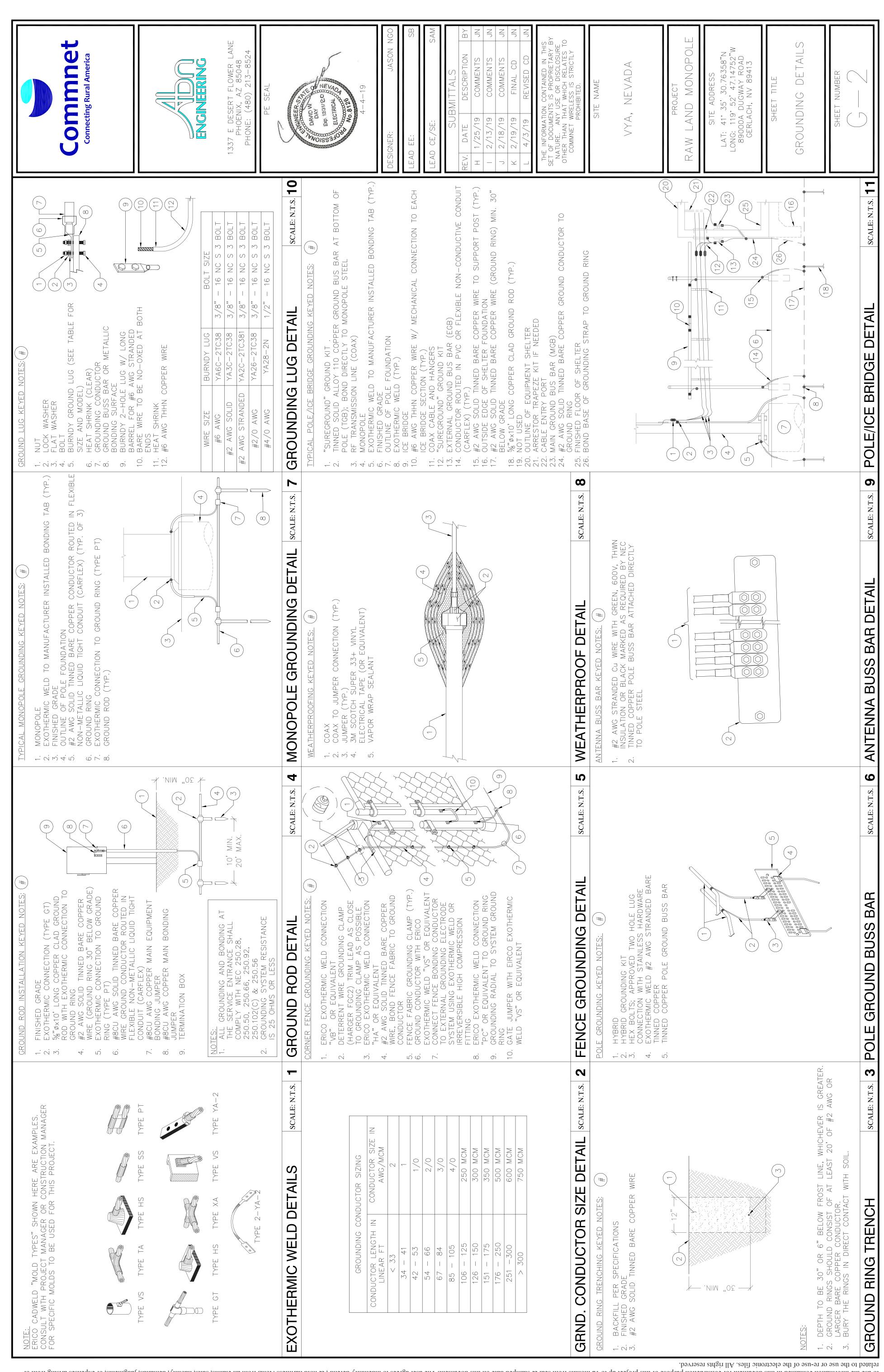




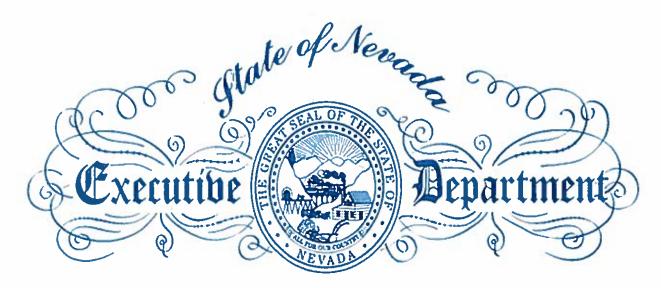








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EXECUTIVE ORDER 2018-32

ORDER ESTABLISHING USE OF THE NEVADA GREATER SAGE-GROUSE CONSERVATION PLAN AND CREDIT SYSTEM

WHEREAS, restoration and maintenance of the sagebrush ecosystem is essential to Nevada's sagebrush obligate species, domestic livestock, watersheds, biodiversity and productivity; and

WHEREAS, the 78th Nevada State Legislative Session (2013) established the Sagebrush Ecosystem Council as a statutory body "authorized to establish and carry out programs to preserve, restore and enhance sagebrush ecosystems"; and

WHEREAS, in order to maintain and enhance Greater Sage-Grouse populations and the habitats on which this species depends, the State of Nevada Sagebrush Ecosystem Council and partnering federal and local agencies developed and implemented the 2014 Greater Sage-Grouse Conservation Plan (as amended) and the Nevada Conservation Credit System and Scientific Methods Document/Habitat Quantification Tool as the science based program to quantify habitat improvements and offset anthropogenic disturbances to Greater Sage-Grouse habitats; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the State of Nevada to continue efforts to protect and enhance Greater Sage-Grouse habitats; and

WHEREAS, Article 5, Section 1 of the Nevada Constitution provides: "The supreme executive power of this State, shall be vested in a Chief Magistrate who shall be Governor of the State of Nevada."

NOW, THEREFORE, by the authority vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and laws of the State of Nevada and the United States, it is hereby ordered as follows:

- The Sagebrush Ecosystem Council shall adopt regulations requiring compliance with the Nevada Sage-Grouse Conservation Plan and Nevada Conservation Credit System for the conservation of the Greater Sage-Grouse and their habitats using compensatory mitigation for anthropogenic disturbances on federal and state lands that cannot be avoided or further minimized as determined through the Conservation Credit System.
- As these regulations are being developed and finalized, this Executive Order shall serve as
 direction to state agencies working with their federal counterparts and Nevada stakeholders
 to implement mitigation strategies in accordance with the Nevada Conservation Credit
 System.

- 3. Nevada's Conservation Credit System/Habitat Quantification Tool shall be used as the mechanism to quantify and mitigate direct and indirect impacts to Greater Sage-Grouse habitats as a result of anthropogenic disturbance activities or projects occurring within Greater Sage-Grouse designated habitat areas. The Nevada Conservation Credit System shall be required on lands managed by state or federal agencies. Private land owners will not be required to utilize the Conservation Credit System on private lands but can do so voluntarily.
- 4. This Executive Order, together with the Nevada Sage-Grouse Conservation Plan and Nevada Conservation Credit System, constitute Nevada's strategy and primary mechanism to conserve and ensure conservation of the Greater Sage-Grouse and their habitats.
- 5. This Executive Order shall remain in effect in perpetuity, unless rescinded at a future date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Nevada to be affixed at the State Capitol in Carson City, this 7th day of December, in the year two thousand eighteen.

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