

GRS-IBS
Structures
Midland
County
Road
Commission





# Midland CRC 7 GRS-IBS bridges built – More planned

- 2016 Construction

Future

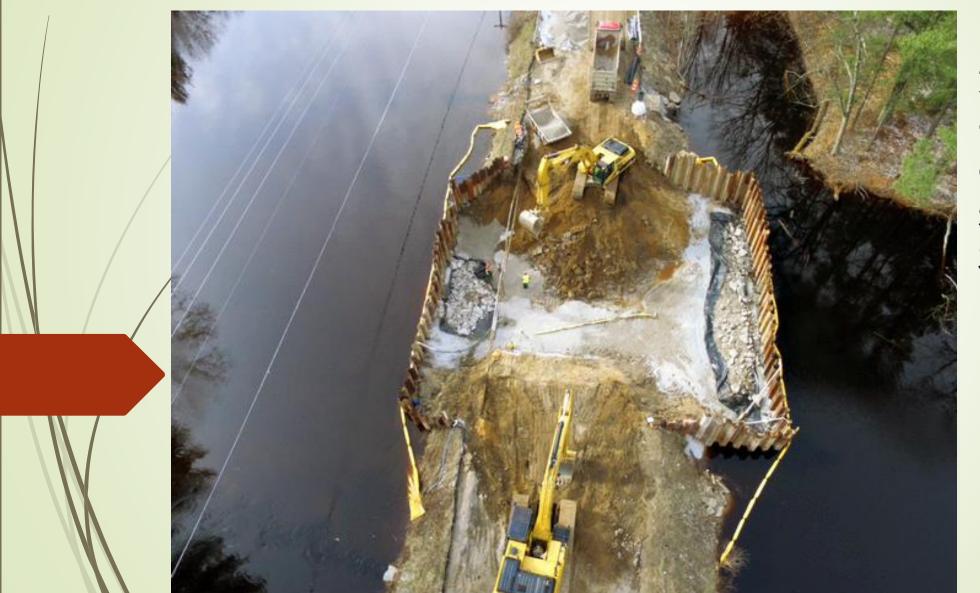
- West River at Black River
- Jefferson at Herner Drain
- Castor at NB Carroll Cr.

- Poseyville at Jo Drain
- Shaffer at Bliss Cr.

2017 Construction

- 9 Mile at SB Carroll Cr.
- 9 Mile at NB Carroll Cr.
- 4 more bridges in various states of design, planned for next 2 years.

#### West River at Black Creek



25 mile detour for entire west side of Sanford Lake

## West River at Black Creek



### West River at Black Creek



#### Jefferson at Herner Drain



\$240,000 built by MCRC forces (includes labor, materials, and equip. rental)

## Jefferson at Herner Drain



### Jefferson at Herner Drain

Treated Glu-Lam /Stress-Lam Timber Superstructure



#### Castor at NB Carroll Creek

\$210,000 built by MCRC forces (includes labor, materials, and equip. rental)





### Castor at NB Carroll Creek

DEQ Golden Bridge



## June 2017 Flood Event













## Poseyville at Jo Drain

\$440,000 - Contractor built in 4 weeks









Let the rains come again – No impact to partially constructed abutments.

Water went down, back to work. Only loss was time.





\$435,000 -Contractor built in 5 weeks

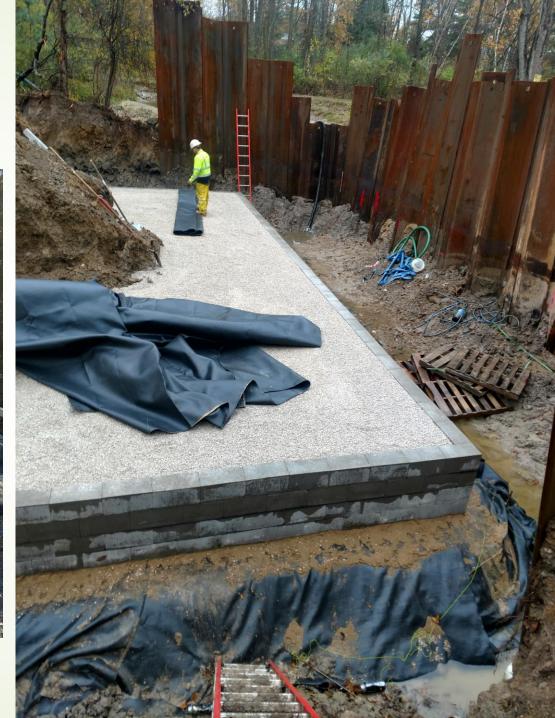




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### Shaffer at Bliss Creek





### Shaffer at Bliss Creek

Note – added floating debris protection

\$500,000 -Contractor built in 4 weeks



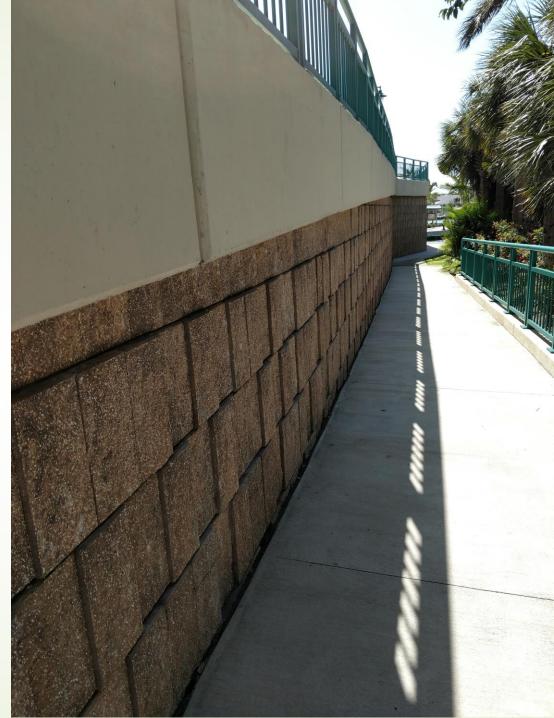
# Marco Island, Florida





# Hurricane Tested





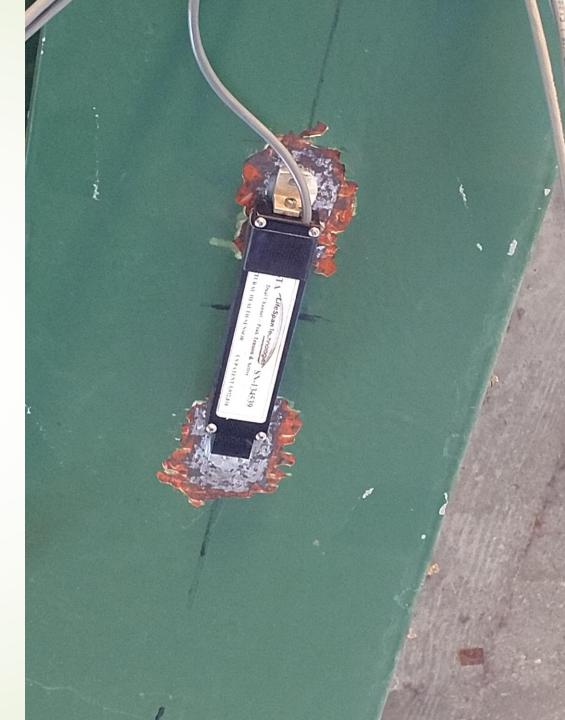
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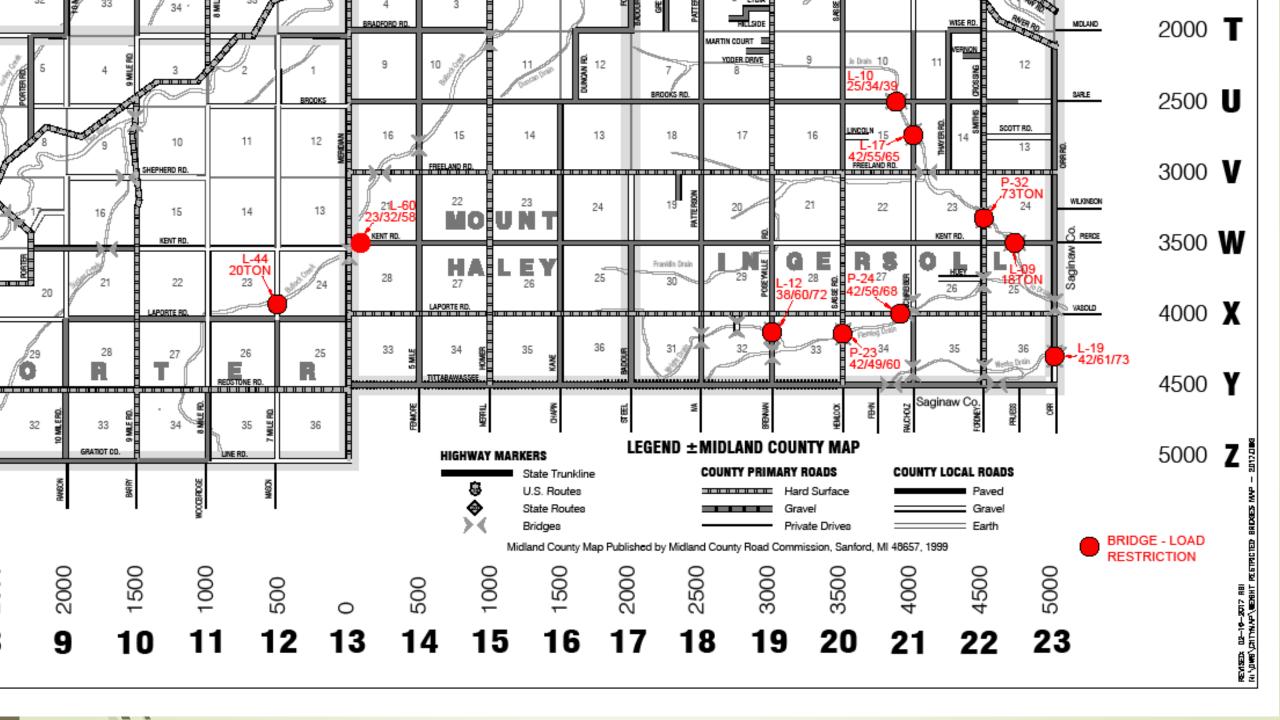
- Grant Soy Bean Assoc. \$10,000
- Peak Strain Gage
- Manual Reset











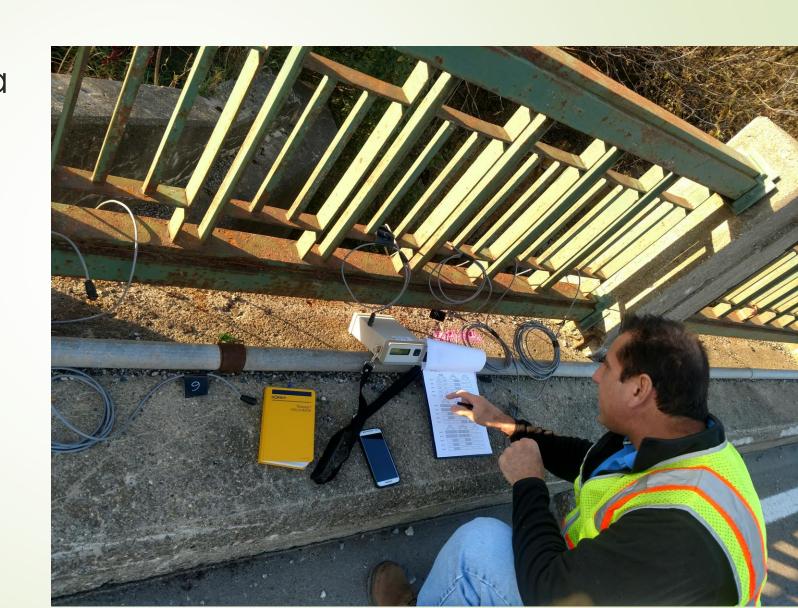


Load Testing



#### Data Collection

- Known Truck Data w/ Actual Strain Data vs. AASHTO Calc'd Strain
- Refines
   Distribution
   Factors that can be applied to
   Standard Trucks



## Findings

- 3 Bridges Analyzed in 2017
- In all cases: Actual Data allowed for increase or elimination of Limits
- Significant improvement to System
- More options for Farmers and Trucking

