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Contract #: 04-0120F4Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9File #: 1.28**WELDING INSPECTION REPORT****Resident Engineer:** Casey, William**Address:** 333 Burma Road**City:** Oakland, CA 94607**Report No:** WIR-026418**Date Inspected:** 26-Sep-2011**Project Name:** SAS Superstructure**OSM Arrival Time:** 730**Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**OSM Departure Time:** 1600**Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV**Location:** Job Site**CWI Name:** N / A**CWI Present:** Yes No**Inspected CWI report:** Yes No N/A**Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No N/A**Electrode to specification:** Yes No N/A**Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A**Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A**Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A**Approved Drawings:** Yes No N/A**Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A**Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A**Bridge No:** 34-0006**Component:** S.A.S. components**Summary of Items Observed:**

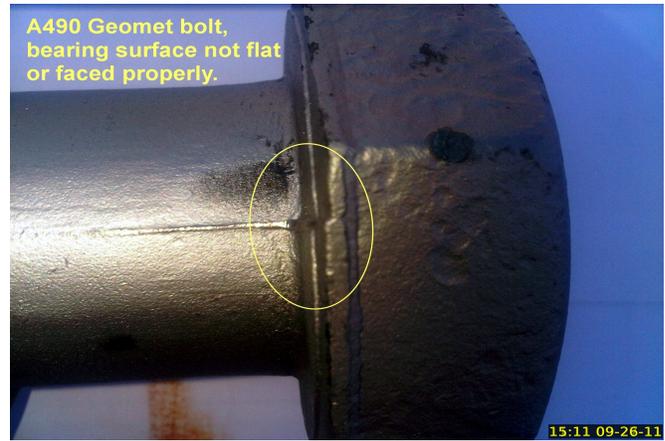
The Quality Assurance Inspector (QAI), Scott Croff, was present at the Self Anchored Span (SAS) job site to observe the scheduled fabrication and welding of components for the SFOBB project.

The QAI was requested to sample fastener components that have been delivered to the Pier 7 job site. The QAI met with Caltrans Transportation Engineer Bob Brignano and was provided access to the fastener components. The QAI was also provided with copies of the pertinent manufacturing certification documents. The QAI pulled random samples to satisfy the contract requirements for verification. The QAI assigned lot number B212-033-11 and generated a TL-102 form with the pertinent information. The QAI was informed that these fasteners are normal priority for testing. The QAI noted that the bolt bearing surfaces do not appear to be visually conforming. The QAI and Mr. Brignano began researching the particular requirements for ASTM A490 bolts. The QAI noted that these samples will be delivered to the Translab at a later time. See the attached photos.

The QAI reviewed contract related documents including the submitted and approved Welding Quality Control Plan (WQCP) and approved revisions to the WQCP. The QAI continued reviewing the informal weekly welding report packages #79 & #80. This work was in progress at the end of the shift.

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Summary of Conversations:

The QAI relayed the status of the report reviews and fastener sampling to the QAI Lead Bill Levell. Except as described above, there were no other notable conversations.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Nina Choy (510) 385-5910, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Croff, Scott	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Levell, Bill	QA Reviewer
