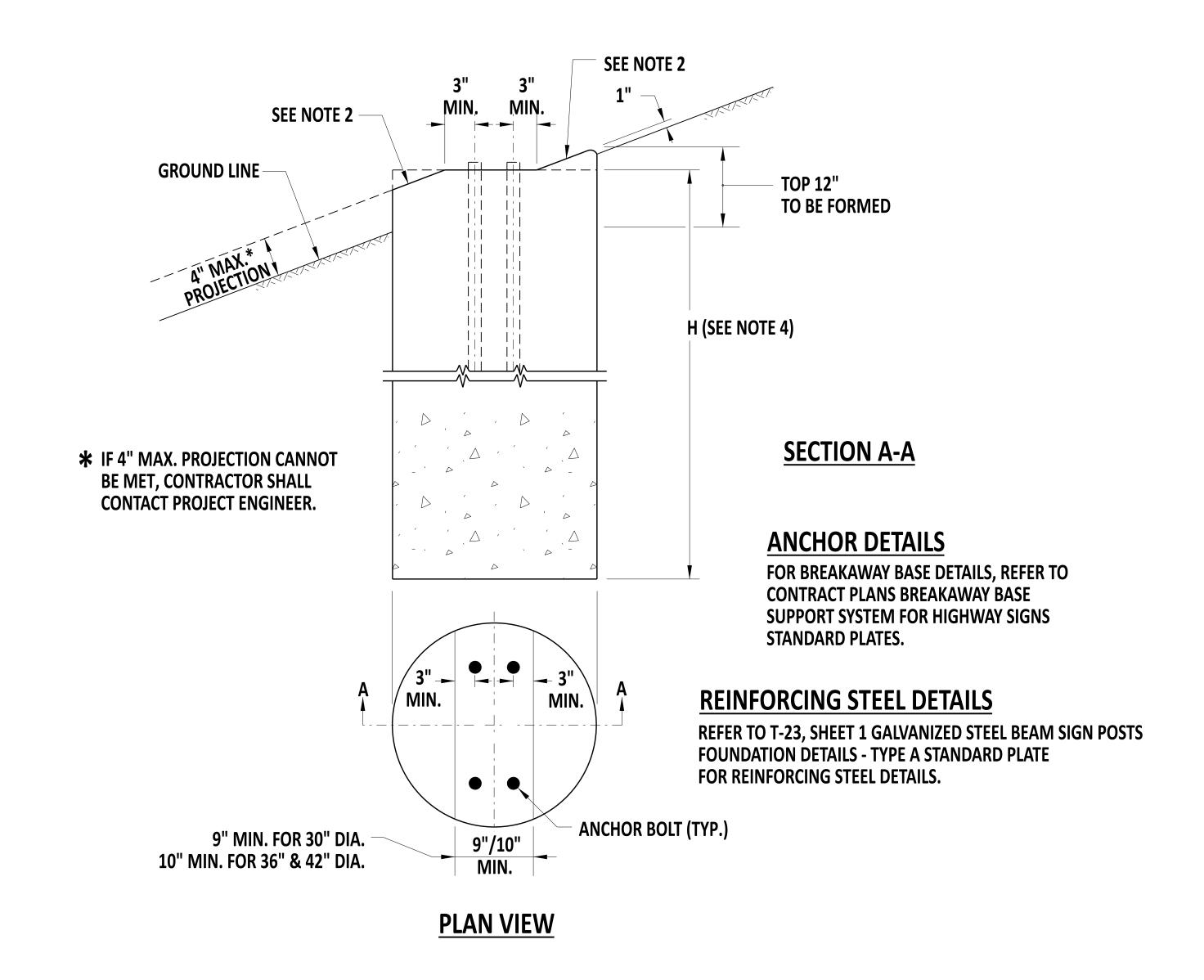
## BREAKAWAY TYPE C SIGN POST FOUNDATIONS



## **NOTES:**

- 1. THIS FOUNDATION SHALL BE USED ONLY IN LOCATIONS MEETING SLOPE CRITERIA IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STEEL BREAKAWAY SUPPORT FOUNDATION SELECTION TABLE.
- 2. SLOPED PORTIONS OF THE FOUNDATION SHALL MATCH THE FINISHED GROUND SLOPE.
- 3. ON FILL SLOPES GREATER THAN 6:1 BUT NO STEEPER THAN 3:1, FOUNDATIONS DESIRABLY SHOULD BE INSTALLED A MINIMUM OF 14 FT BEYOND THE HINGE POINT. THE HINGE POINT IS THE POINT OF SLOPE TRANSITION FROM THE SHOULDER SLOPE, OR A RELATIVELY FLAT RECOVERY AREA ADJACENT TO THE ROADWAY, TO A STEEPER FORESLOPE, (ALSO KNOWN AS THE FORESLOPE BREAK).
- 4. REFER TO T-23, SHEET 1 GALVANIZED STEEL BEAM SIGN POSTS FOUNDATION DETAILS TYPE A FOR FOUNDATION DIMENSIONS AND REINFORCING STEEL DETAILS.

## **STEEL BREAKAWAY SUPPORT FOUNDATION SELECTION MATRIX**

POST SIZE	FOUNDATION	ROADWAY CUT / FILL SLOPE										
	DIAMETER	<u>≥2:1</u>	3:1	4:1	5:1	6:1	7:1	8:1	9:1	10:1	12:1	<u>&lt;</u> 13:1
W6X9	30"	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α	Α
W6X12	30"	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α	Α
W6X15	30"	***	C	C	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α	Α
W6X16	30"	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α	Α
W8X18	30"	***	C	C	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α	A
W8X21	30"	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α	Α
W10X22	36"	***	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α
W10X26	36"	***	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α
W12X26	36"	***	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α
W14X30	36"	***	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α
W16X31	36"	***	***	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α	Α
W18X35 OR W18X40	36"	***	***	С	С	С	С	С	В	В	В	Α

**★** IF A FOUNDATION EXCEEDS THE 4" AASHTO CRITERIA, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE ENGINEER FOR APPROPRIATE GUIDANCE.



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