

Project Administration Department

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Memorandum

Date:	September 7, 2021
То:	Mark LeCouris, City Manager
From:	Bob Robertson, P.E. Project Administration Department Director
Subject:	Navigation Chart and Bathymetric Survey

Summary

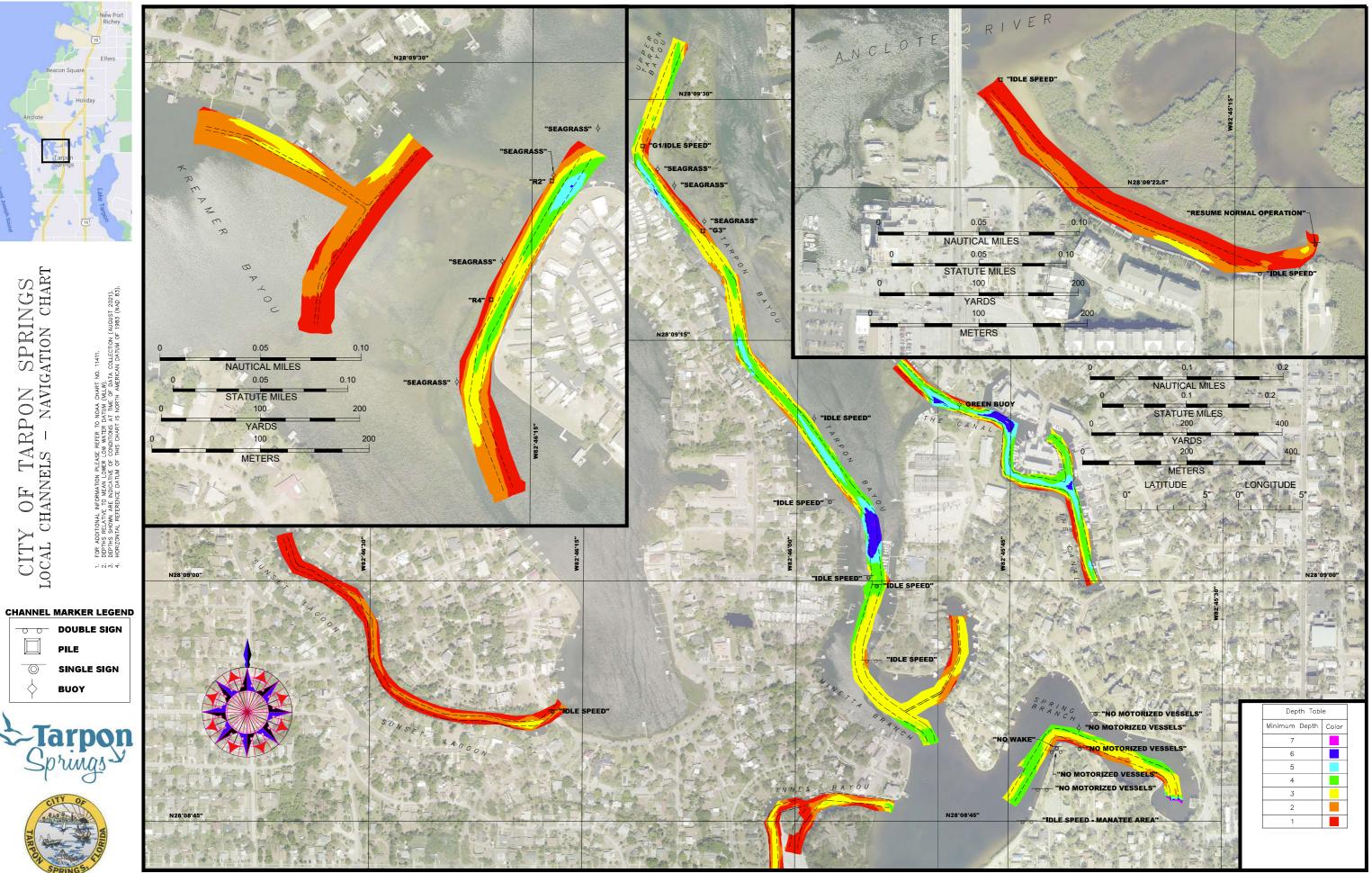
In accordance with Charter Section 8(o)(3), staff has worked with a surveyor to complete a bathymetric survey of local channels and created a navigation chart based on this data. These are being presented to the Board of Commissioners in accordance with the Charter requirements.

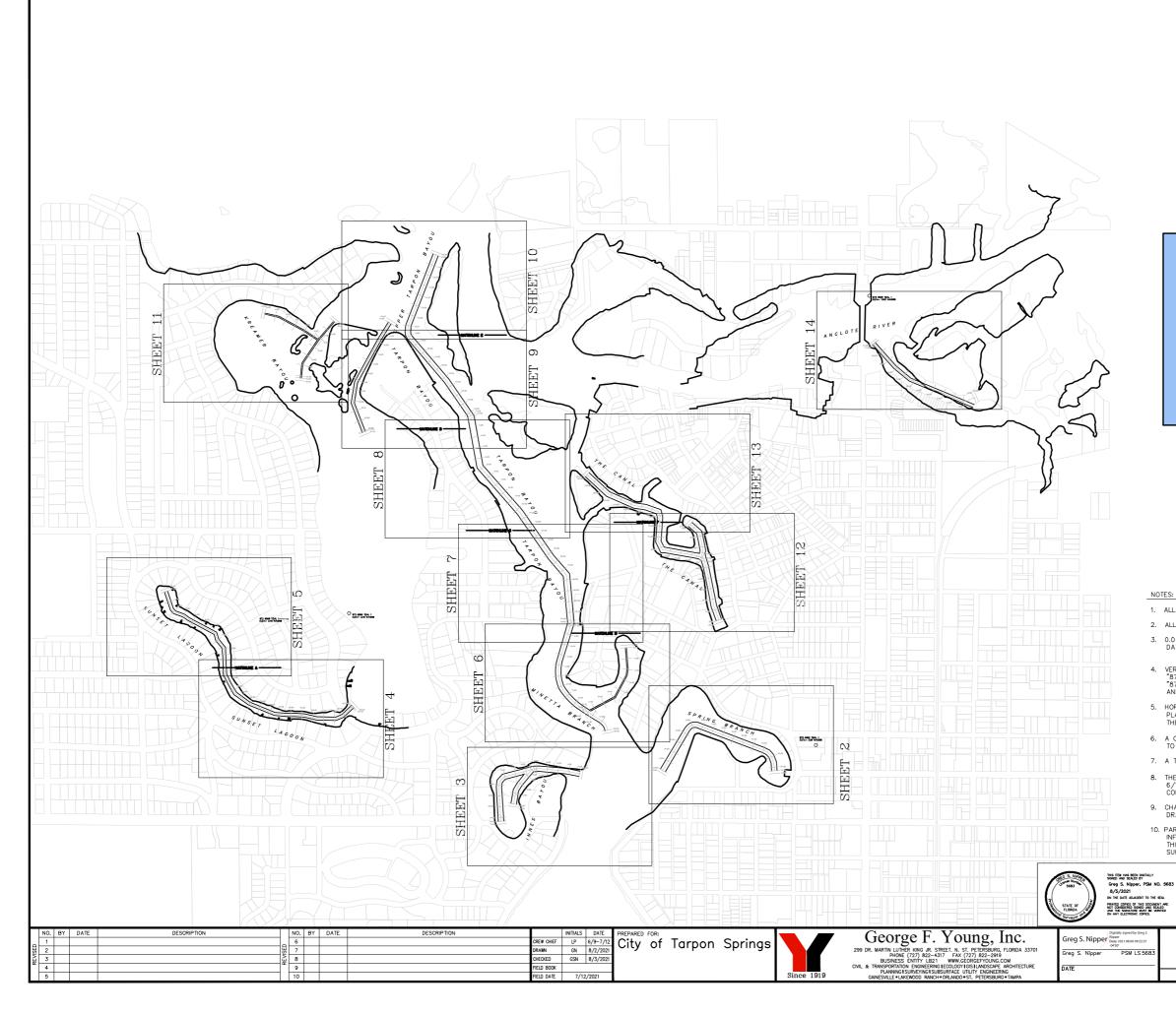
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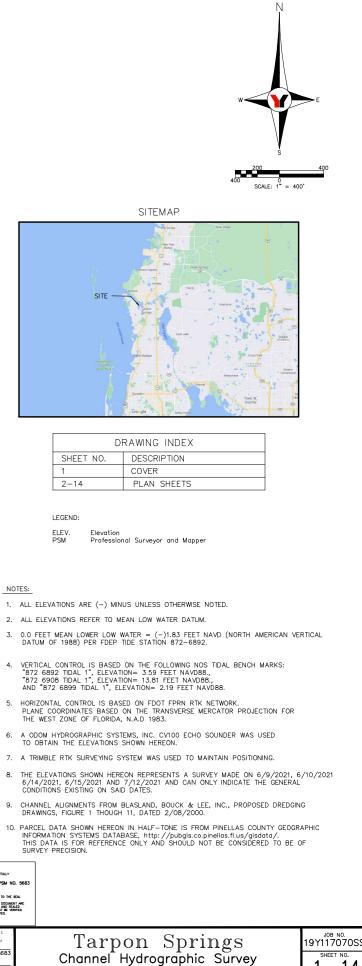
City staff contracted with Surveyor of Record George F. Young Inc to complete a bathymetric survey of local channels and to create a navigational chart based on the survey. Both of these are attached. Charter Section 8(o)(3) states the following: "any analysis of the survey, the minutes of the board of commissioner's meeting when the survey was discussed, and a letter of recommendation from the board of commissioners will be transmitted to the County Administrator of Pinellas County and all appropriate state agencies."

These documents show the water depth of local channels and cuts. The Navigation Chart provides a color-coded map for public use that indicates the shallowest areas in red. The Bathymetric Survey provides detailed survey depths. Many areas are very shallow and may require maintenance dredging in the near future. A suggested course of action would be to develop a Local Channel Dredging Master Plan and an accompanying funding strategy for local maintenance dredging activities, presumably after completion of the United States Army Corps of Engineers Anclote River Federal dredge project has been completed.

VICINITY MAP

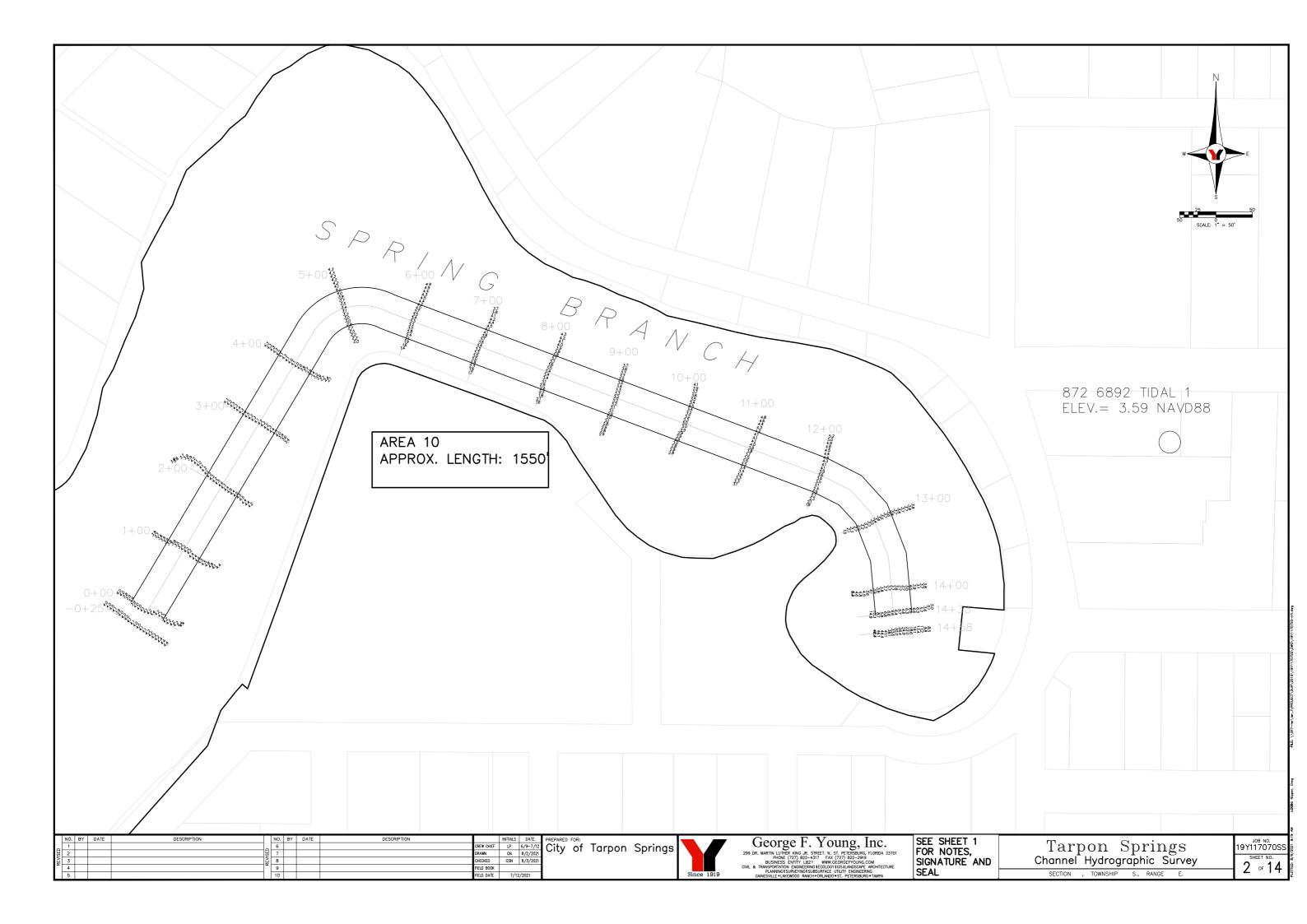


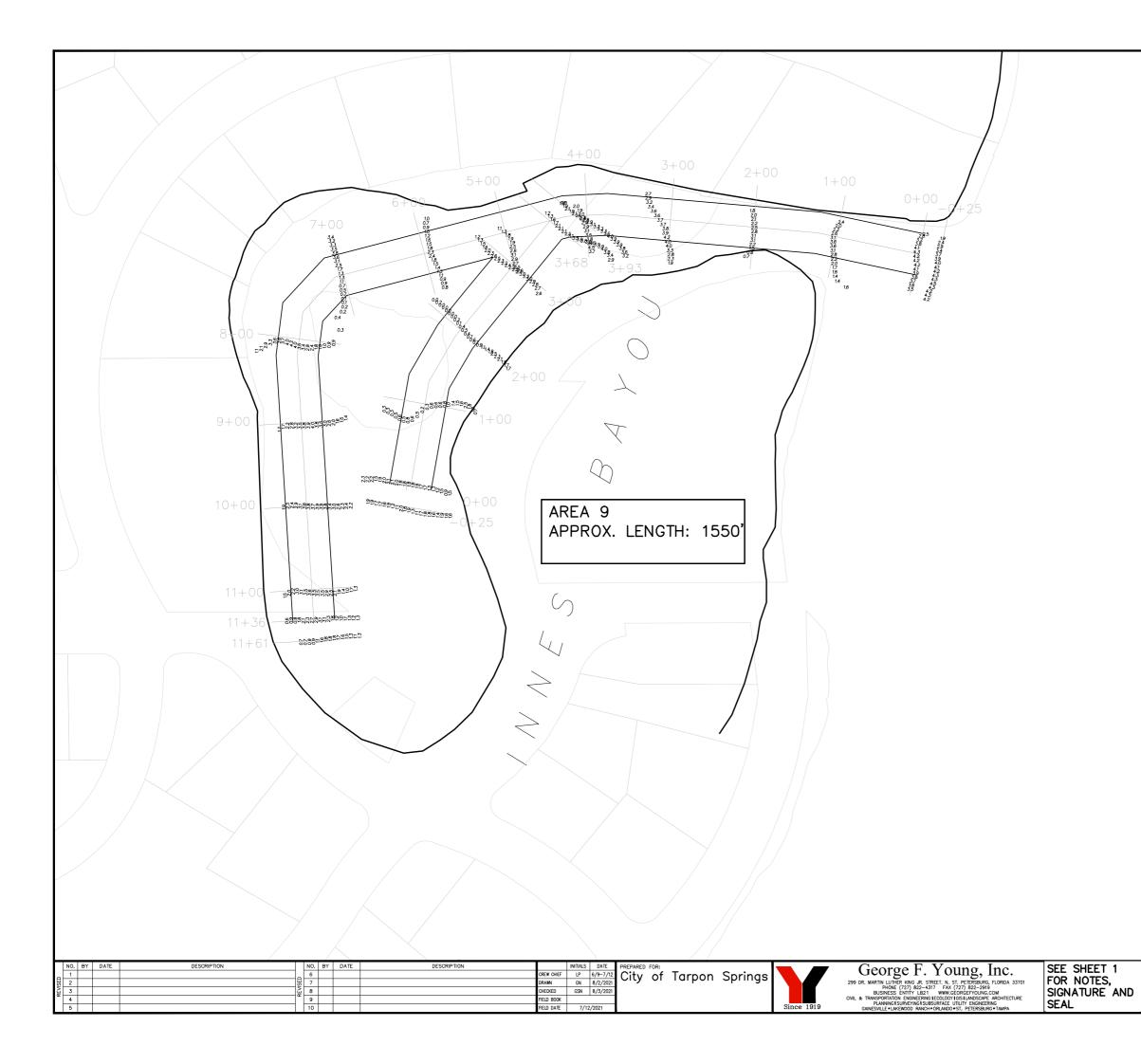


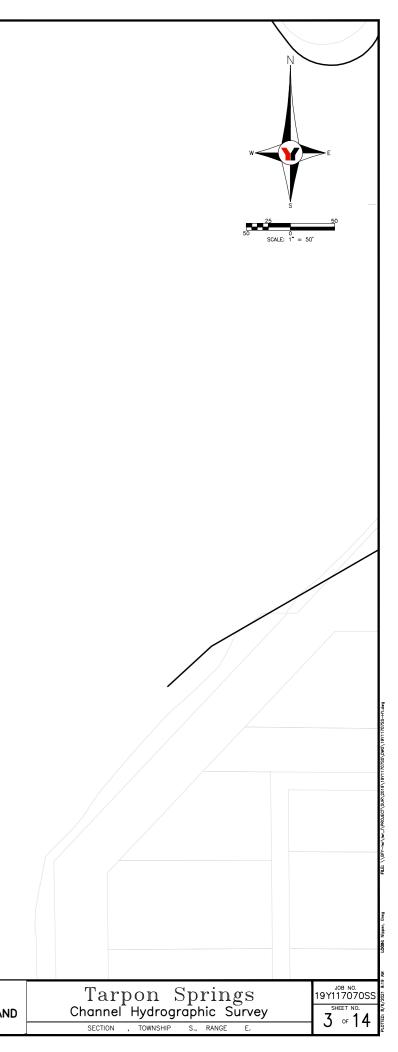


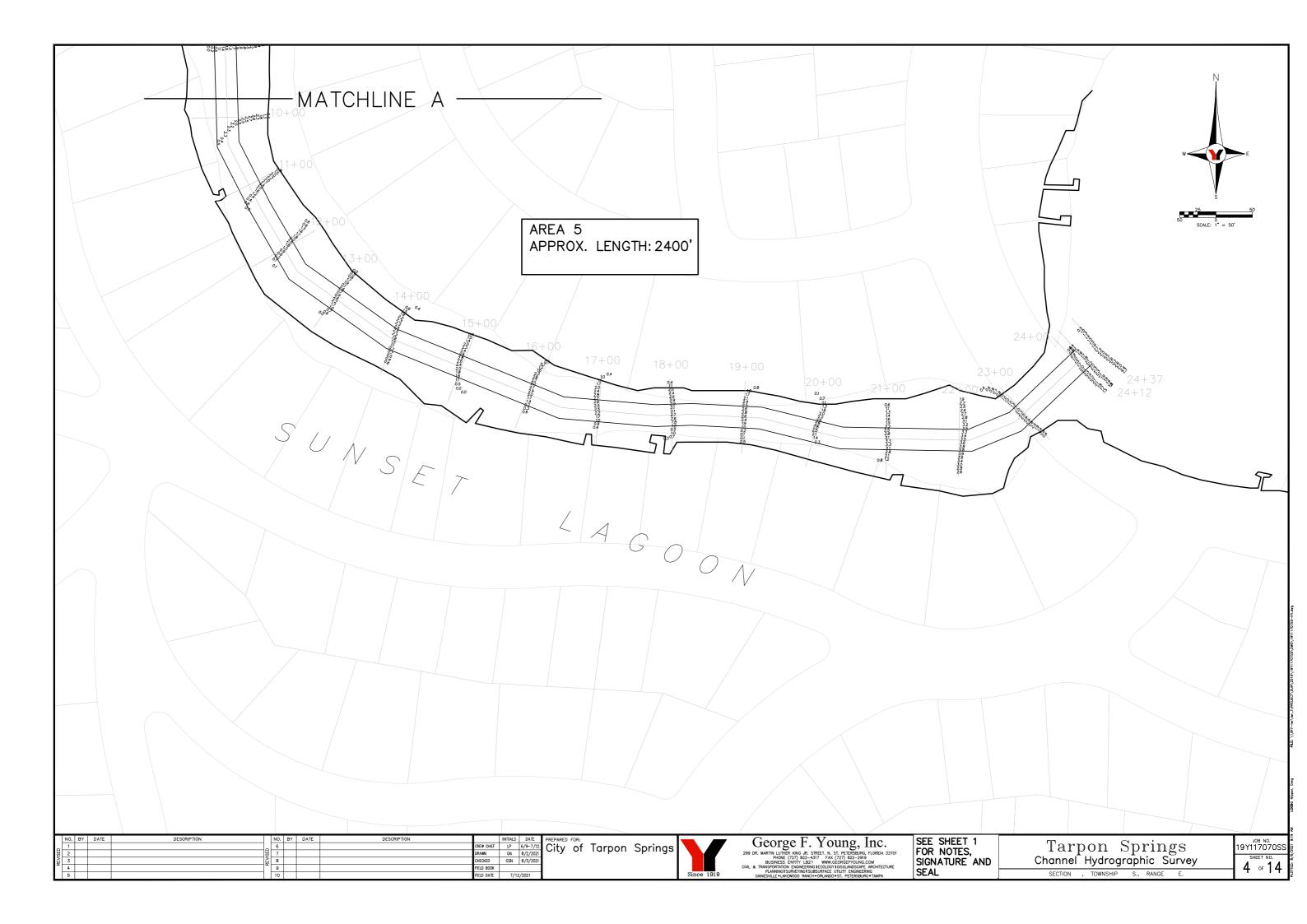
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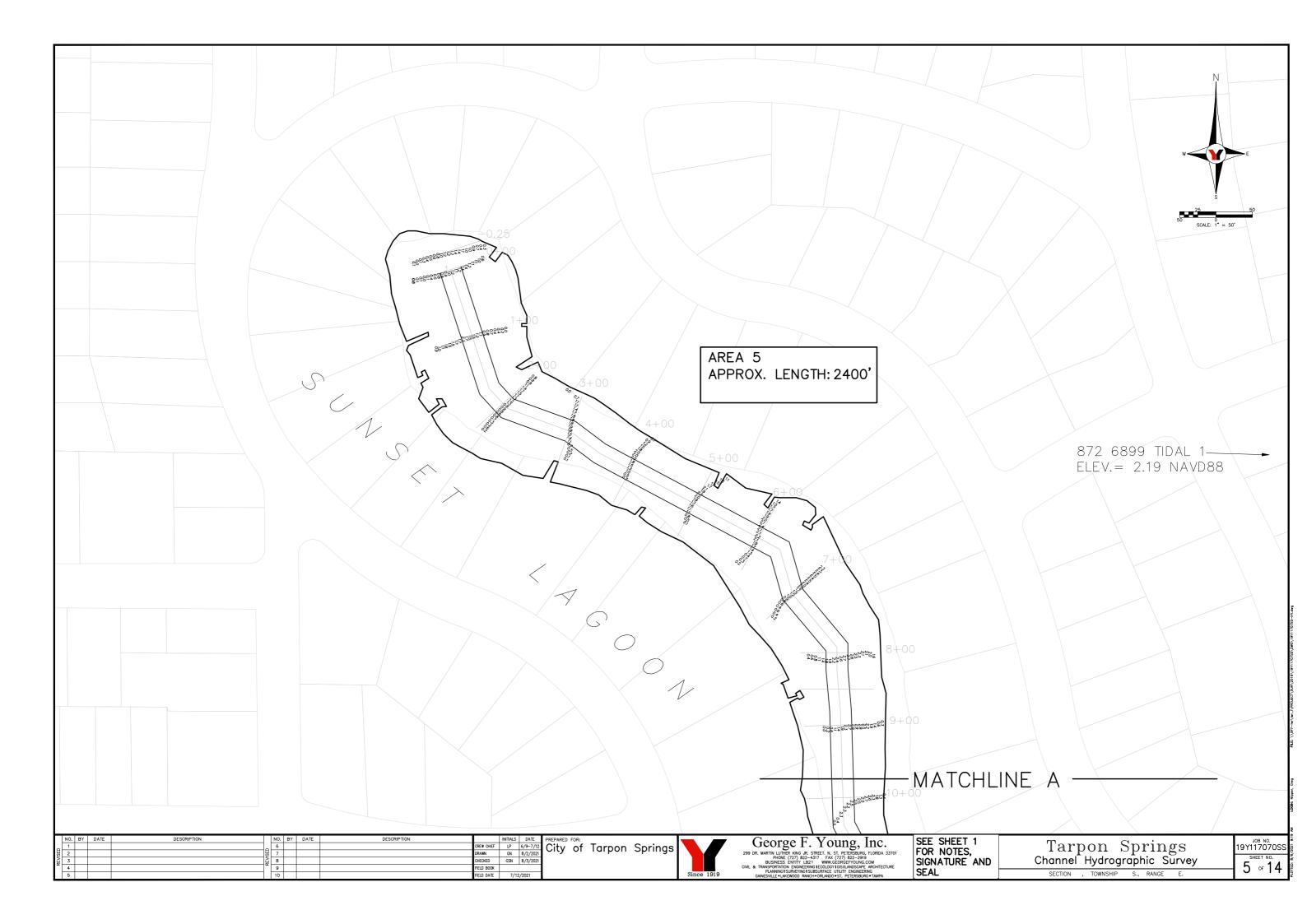
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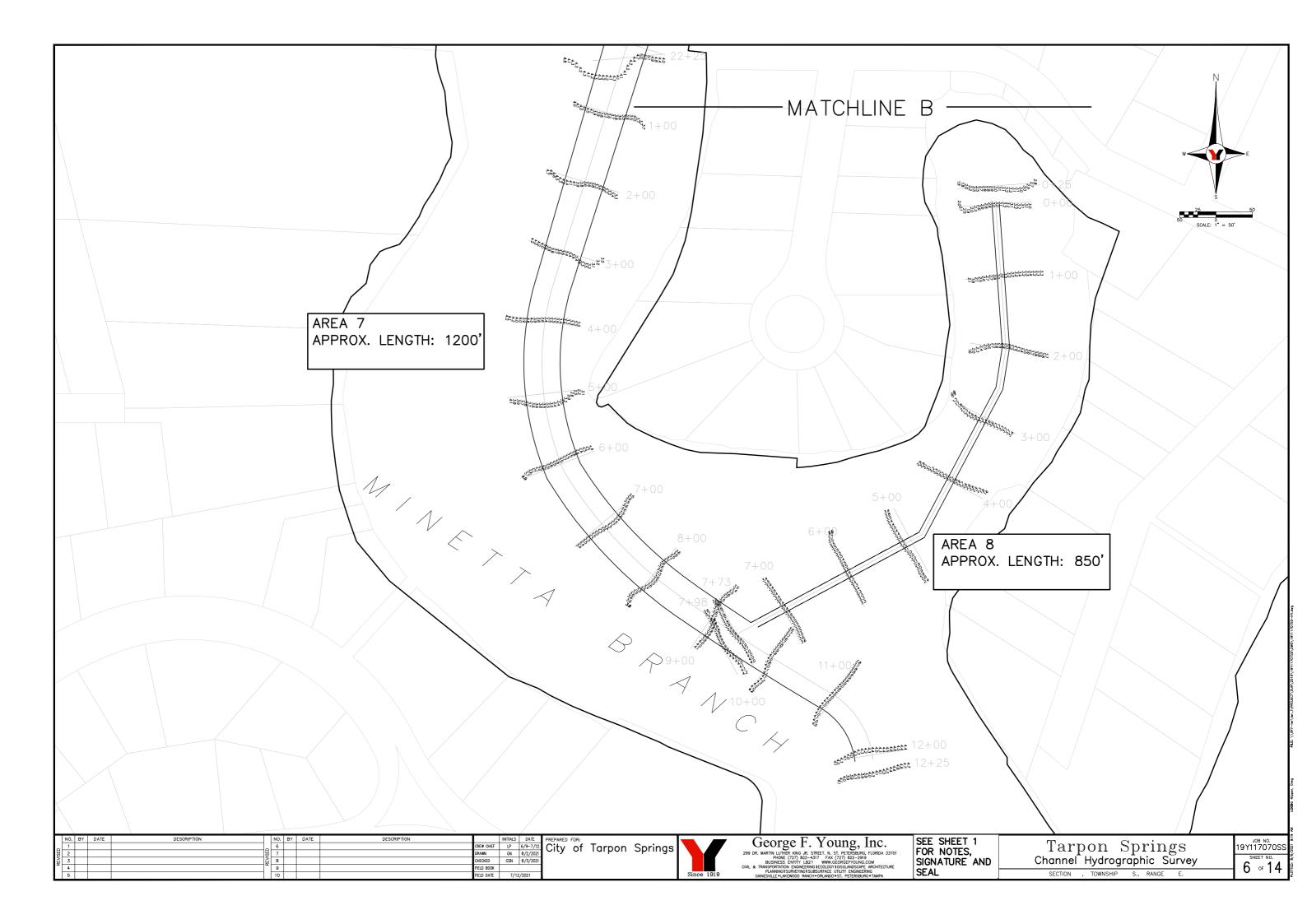


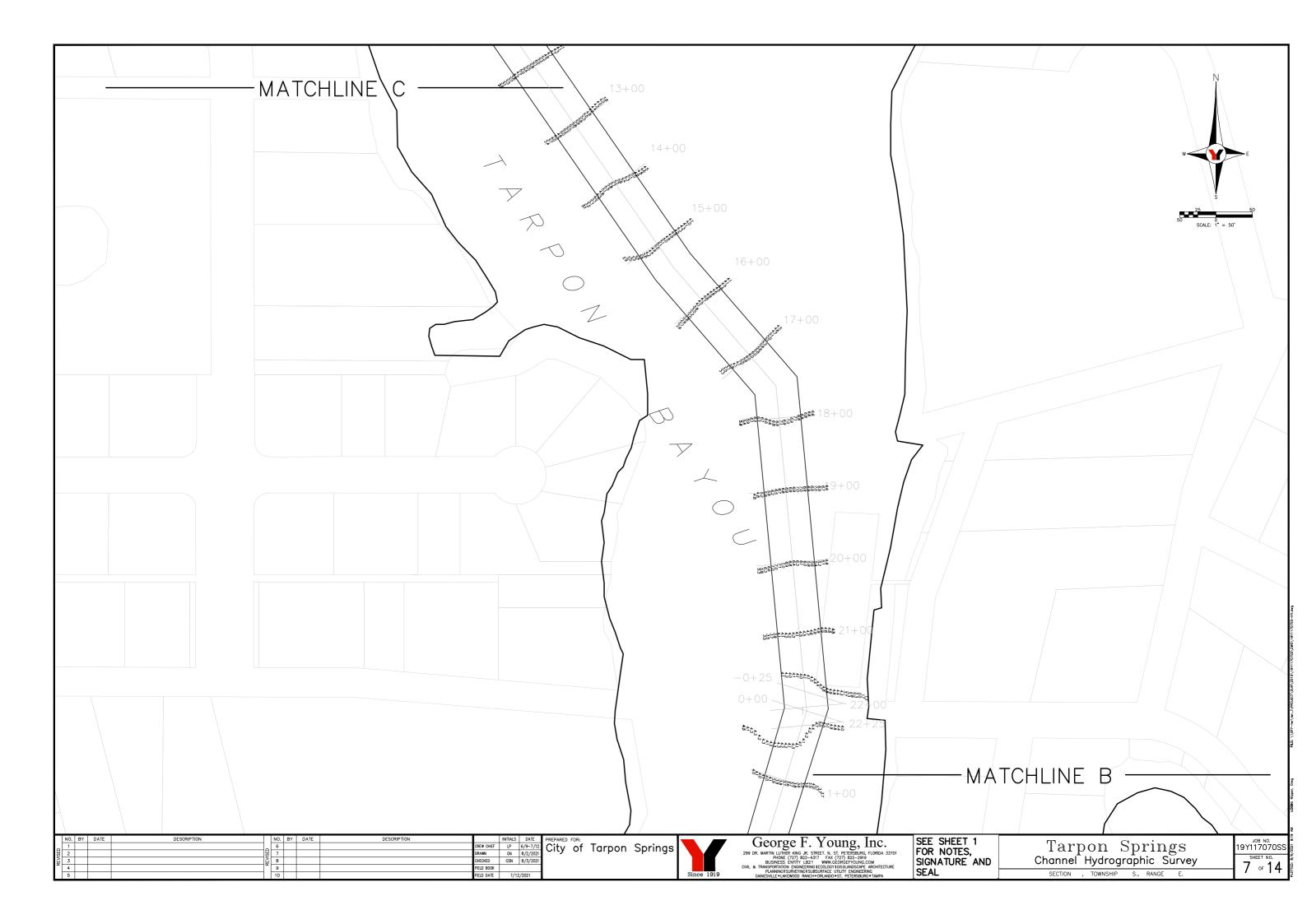


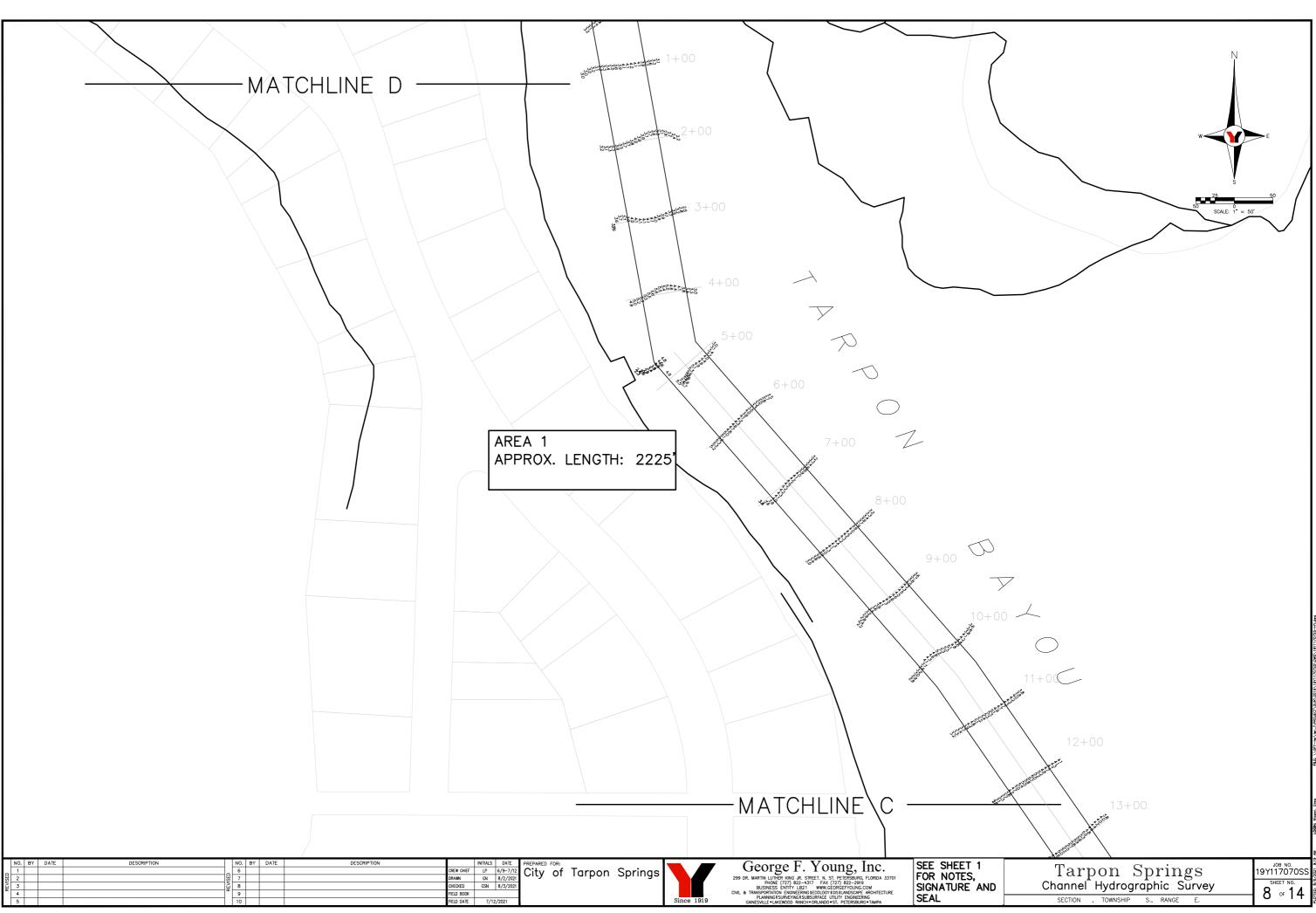


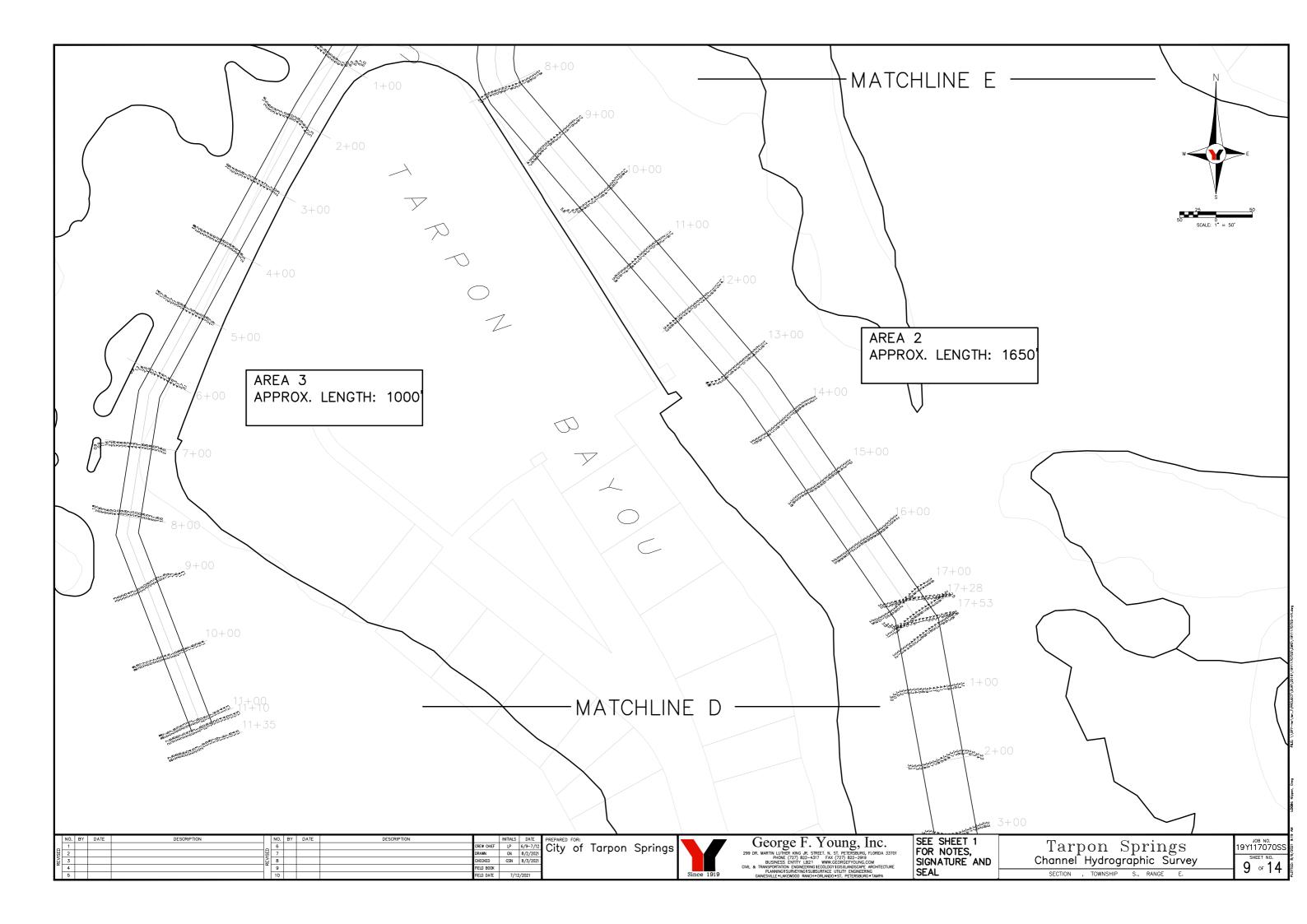


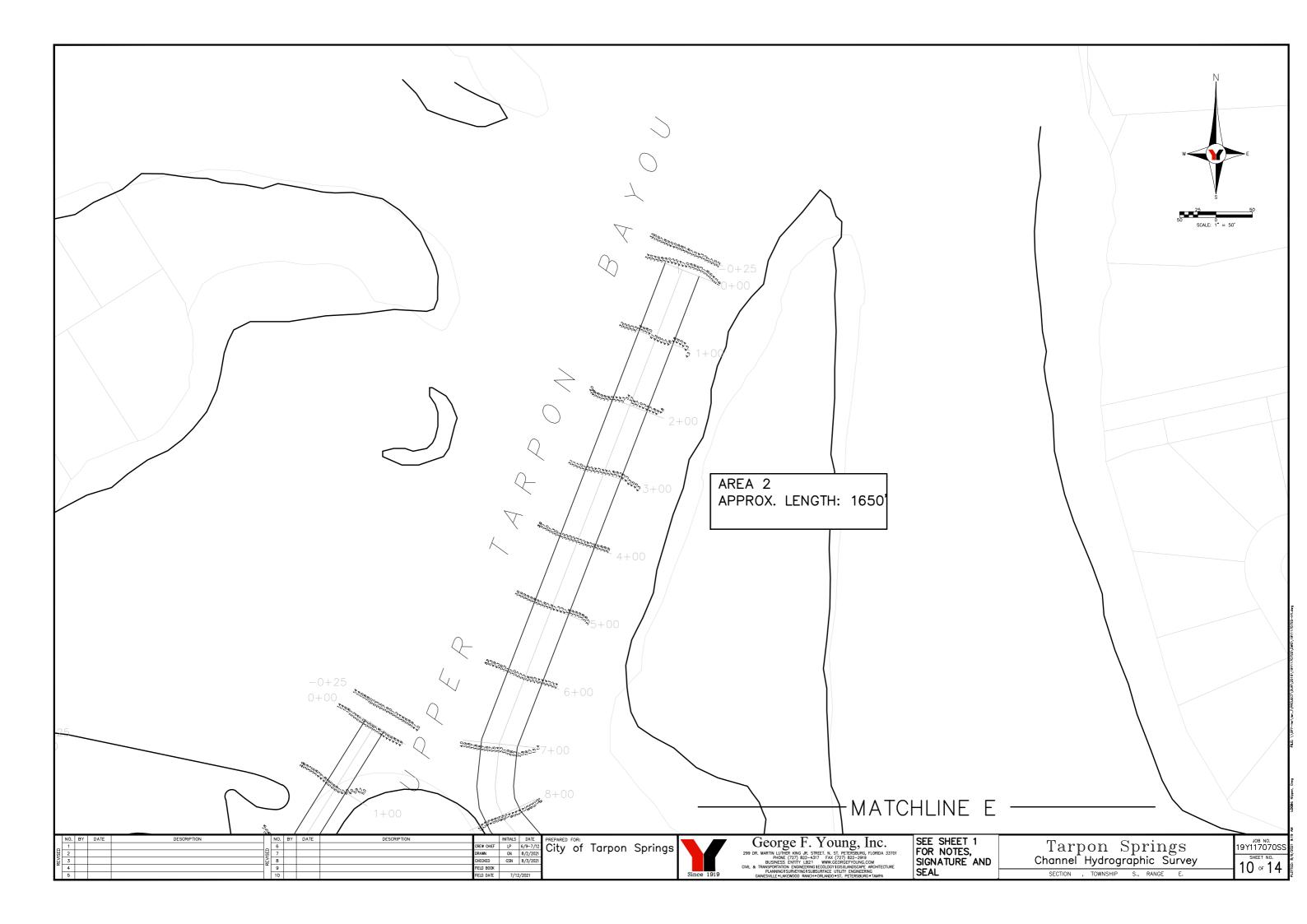


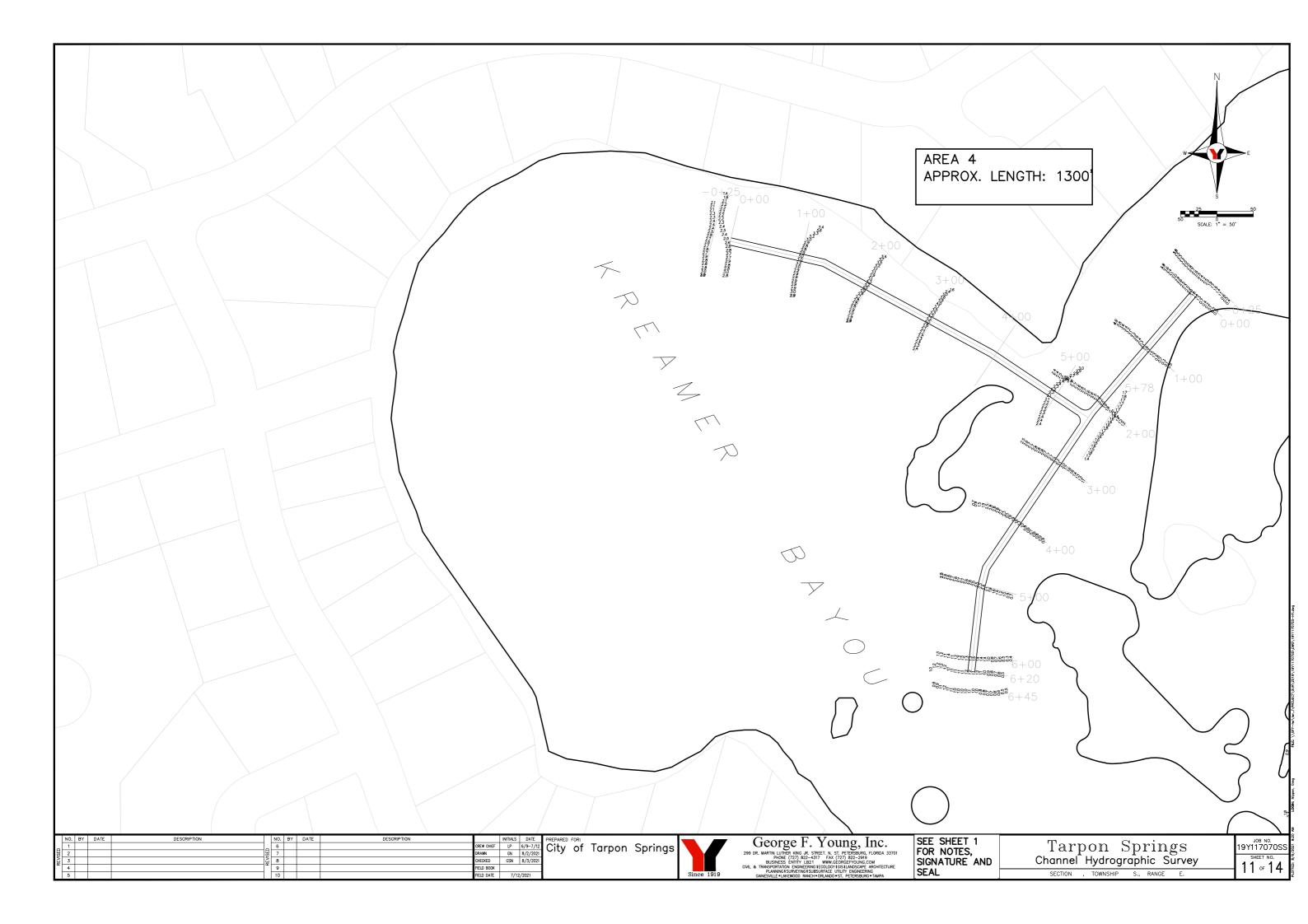


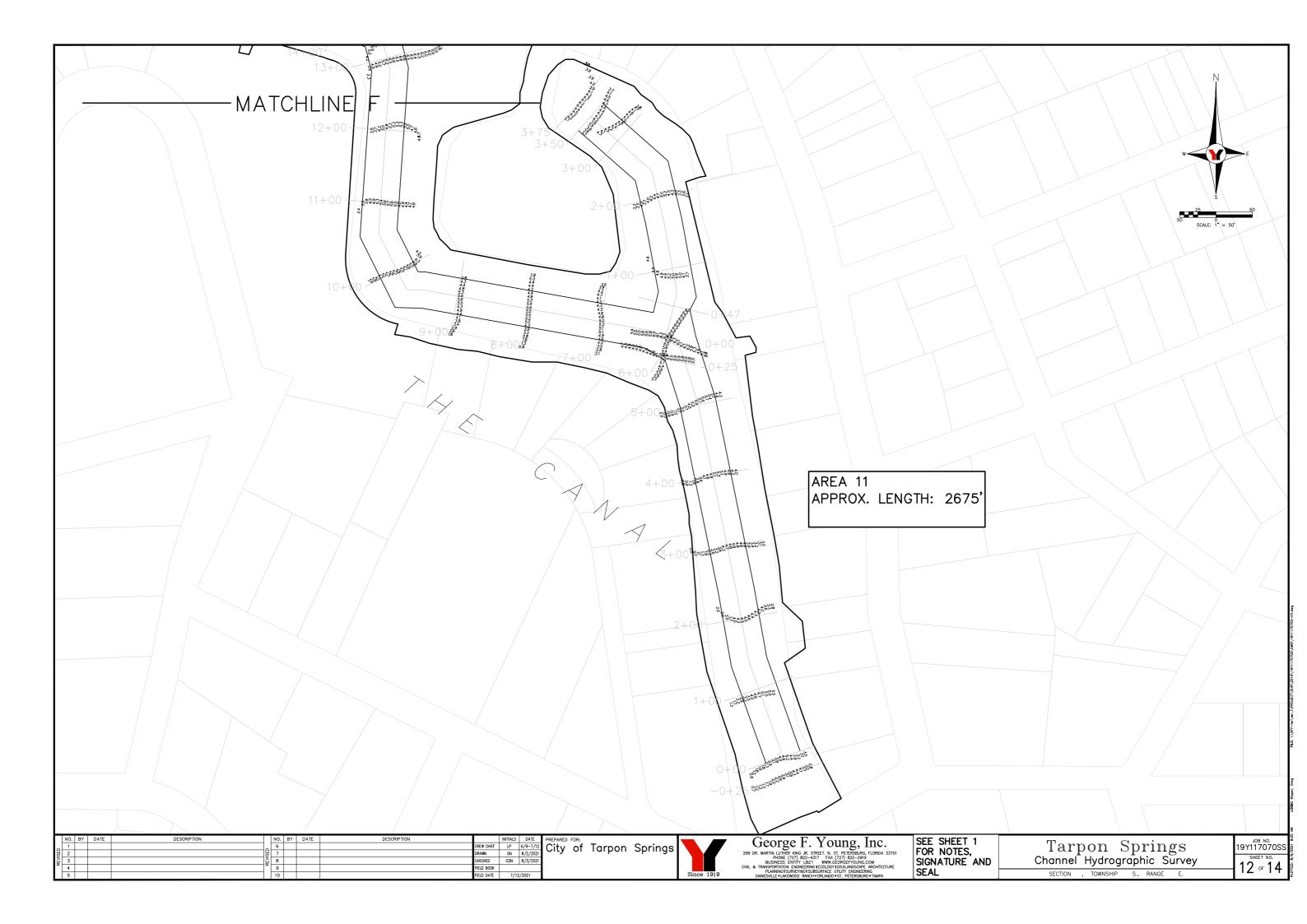


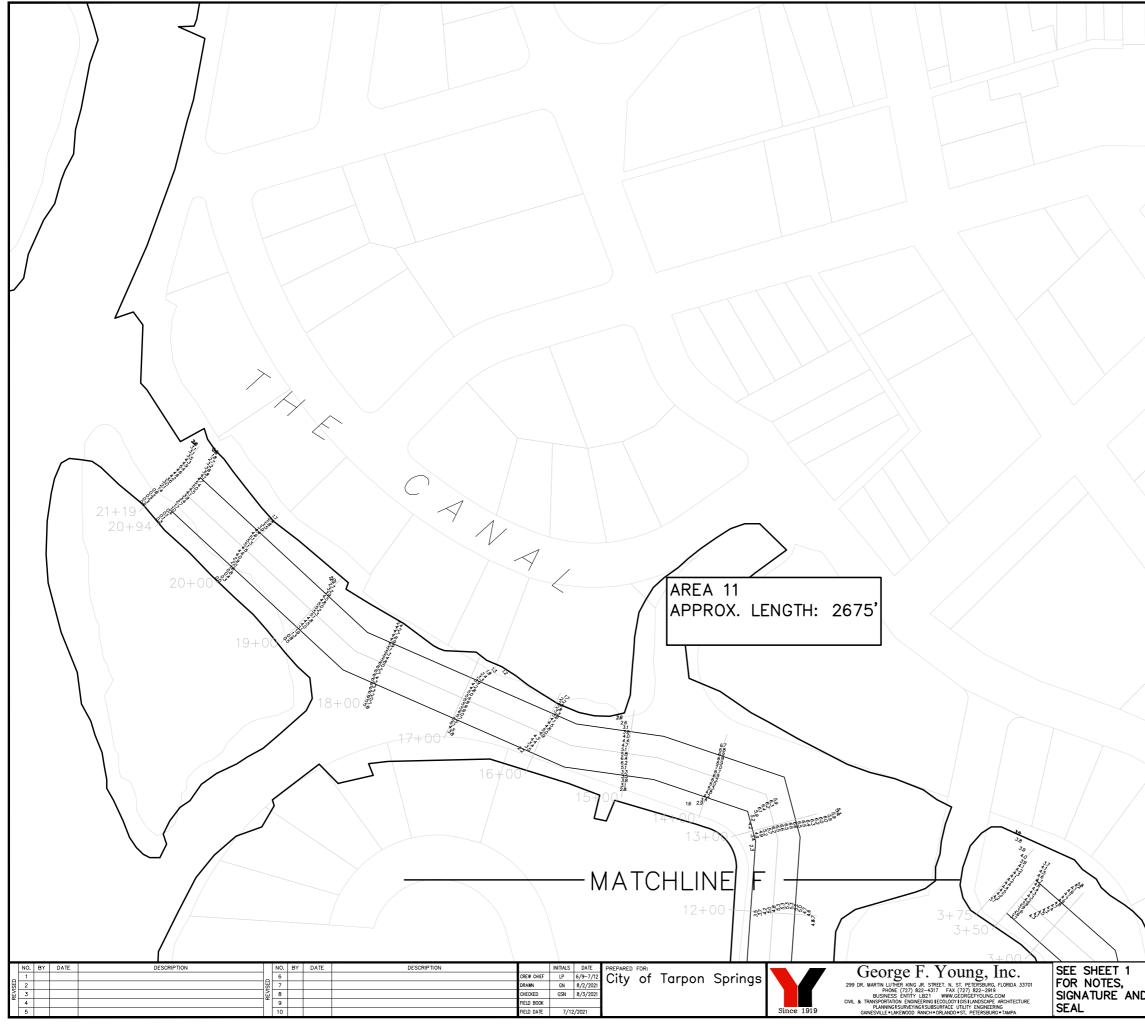












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