

Trenchless Culvert Repair & Replacement Strategies

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LEARNING OUTCOMES

Explain the Different Causes of Deterioration

Explain the Different Trenchless Rehabilitation Options

Explain the Benefits of the Different Open Cut/Trenchless Solutions

Describe the Different Pipe Rehabilitation Issues to Consider

Identify where Pipe Rehabilitation/Repair/Replacement Strategies are located within a Transportation Asset Management Plan



COURSE AGENDA

CAUSES OF DETERIORATION

CULVERT REPAIR/REHAB/REPLACE
STRATEGIES

OPEN CUT

TRENCHLESS

TUNNEL/REPLACE

COURSE WRAP-UP & QUESTIONS

Transport Asset Management Plan (TAMP)

Rehabilitate/
Repair/
Replace

- Executive Summary
- Introduction
- Levels Of Service
- Maintenance Condition Assessment
- Life-cycle Management
- Growth And Demand
- Financial Summary
- Asset Management Practices
- Improvement Plan

Causes of Deterioration

CAUSES OF DETERIORATION

These Problems...



Lead to....



Complete Failures

Address the Problem...Before it is too late!!



CAUSES OF DETERIORATION

**L
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**Live
(Design)**



Dead (Soil)



Construction



CAUSES OF DETERIORATION



Increased Runoff from Development



Bed-load and Debris



Undermining and Washout



Improper Culvert for Cover/Backfill

+ Various Environmental Factors



CAUSES OF DETERIORATION



Loss of Soil Envelope



Joint Separation



CAUSES OF DETERIORATION



Wrong Application



Fire

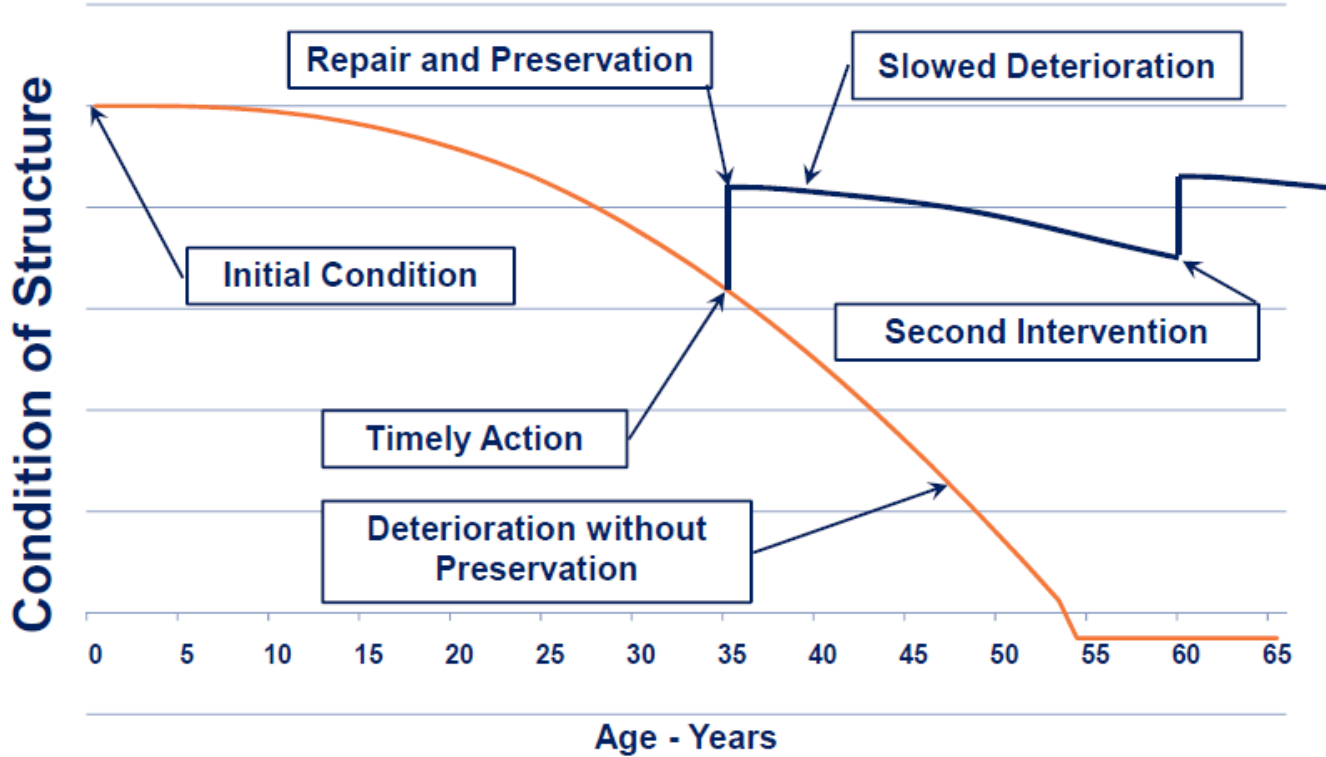


Bed Load/Abrasion





WORKING TOWARD INDEFINITE LIFE



REPLACE

- NEW INFRASTRUCTURE

REHABILITATE

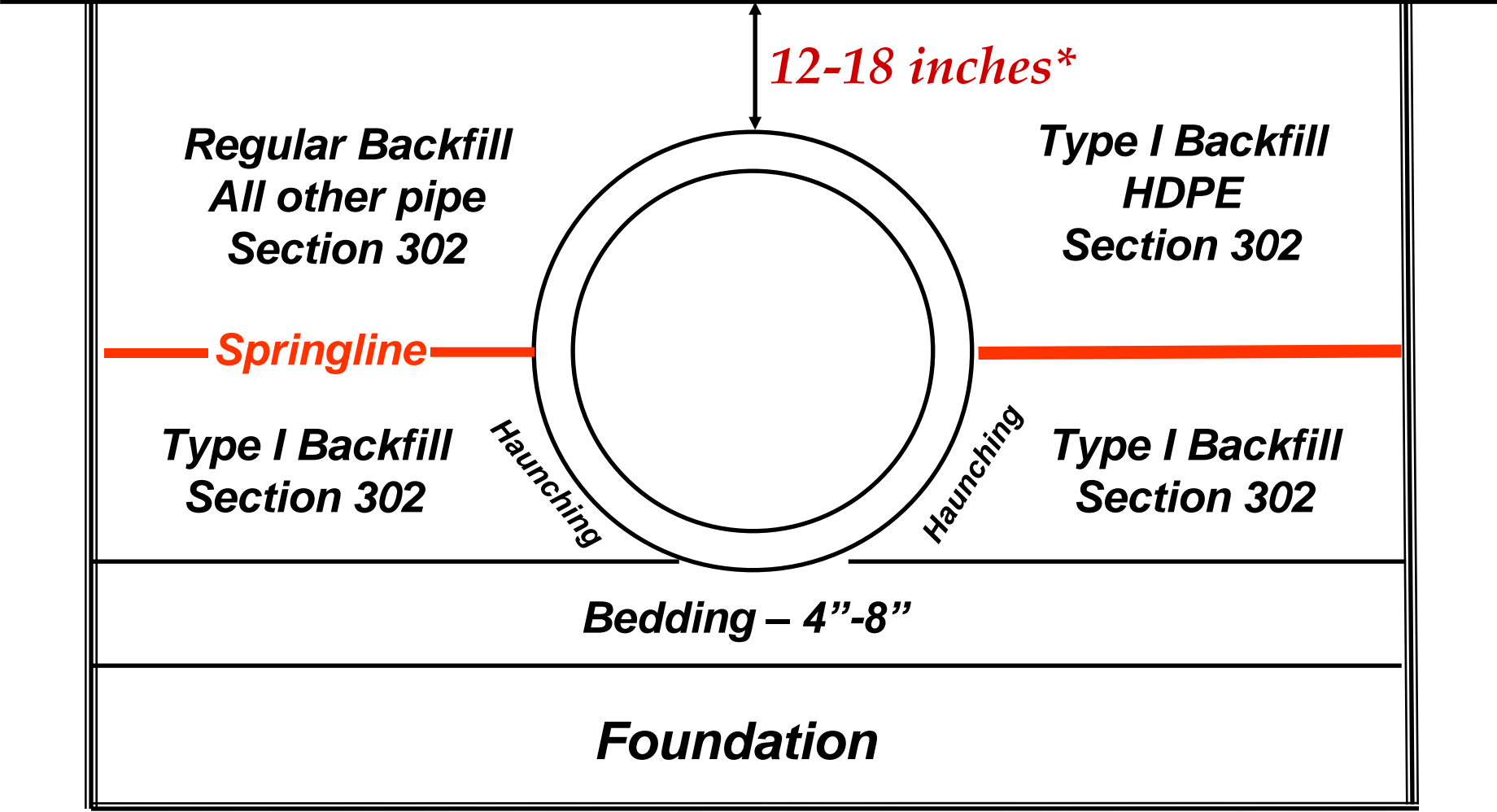
- EXISTING RETURNED TO GOOD CONDITION

REPAIR

- EXISTING MAINTAINED TO A SAFE CONDITION



Final Backfill



ISSUES TO CONSIDER

What is the condition of the pipe

Is the pipe located in a hostile environment

What is the height of cover over the existing pipe

What impact will liner create on hydraulic capacity

Will liner increase outlet velocity

Load distribution changes



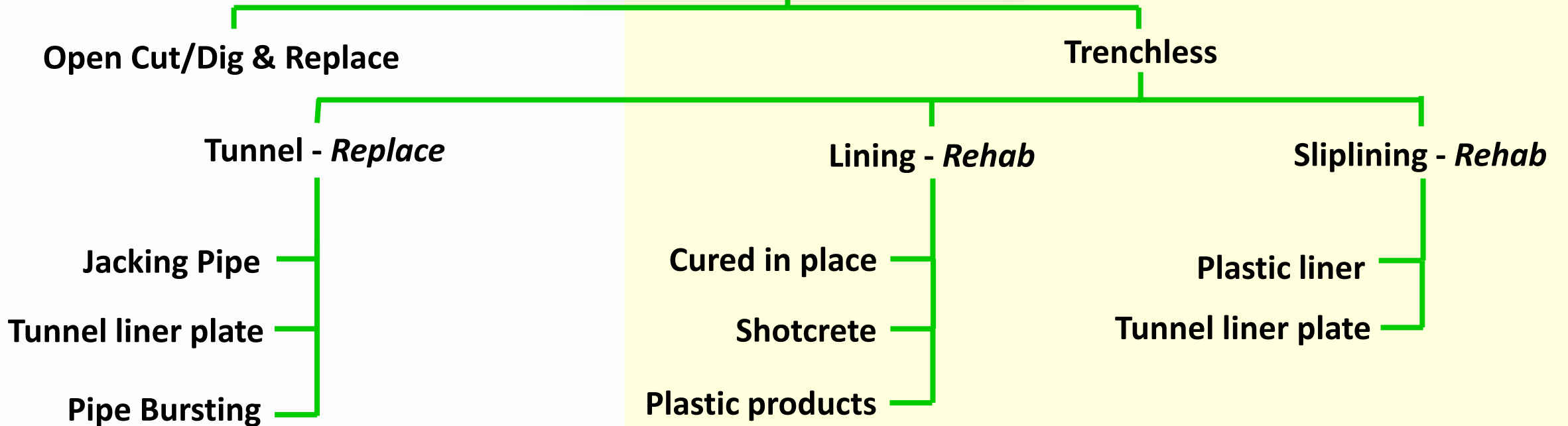
Replace:

**Increased Hydraulic Capacity
New Structural Integrity**



Rehab:

Reduced Hydraulic Capacity



TRENCHLESS

WHAT IS TRENCHLESS TECHNOLOGY?

No-Dig approach to condition assessment, rehabilitation and new installations.

- ***Trenchless Technology*** is defined as a type of subsurface construction work that requires few trenches or no continuous trenches. It is a rapidly growing sector of the construction and civil engineering industry. (Wikipedia)





Trenchless Installation Advantages

Minimal surface disruption

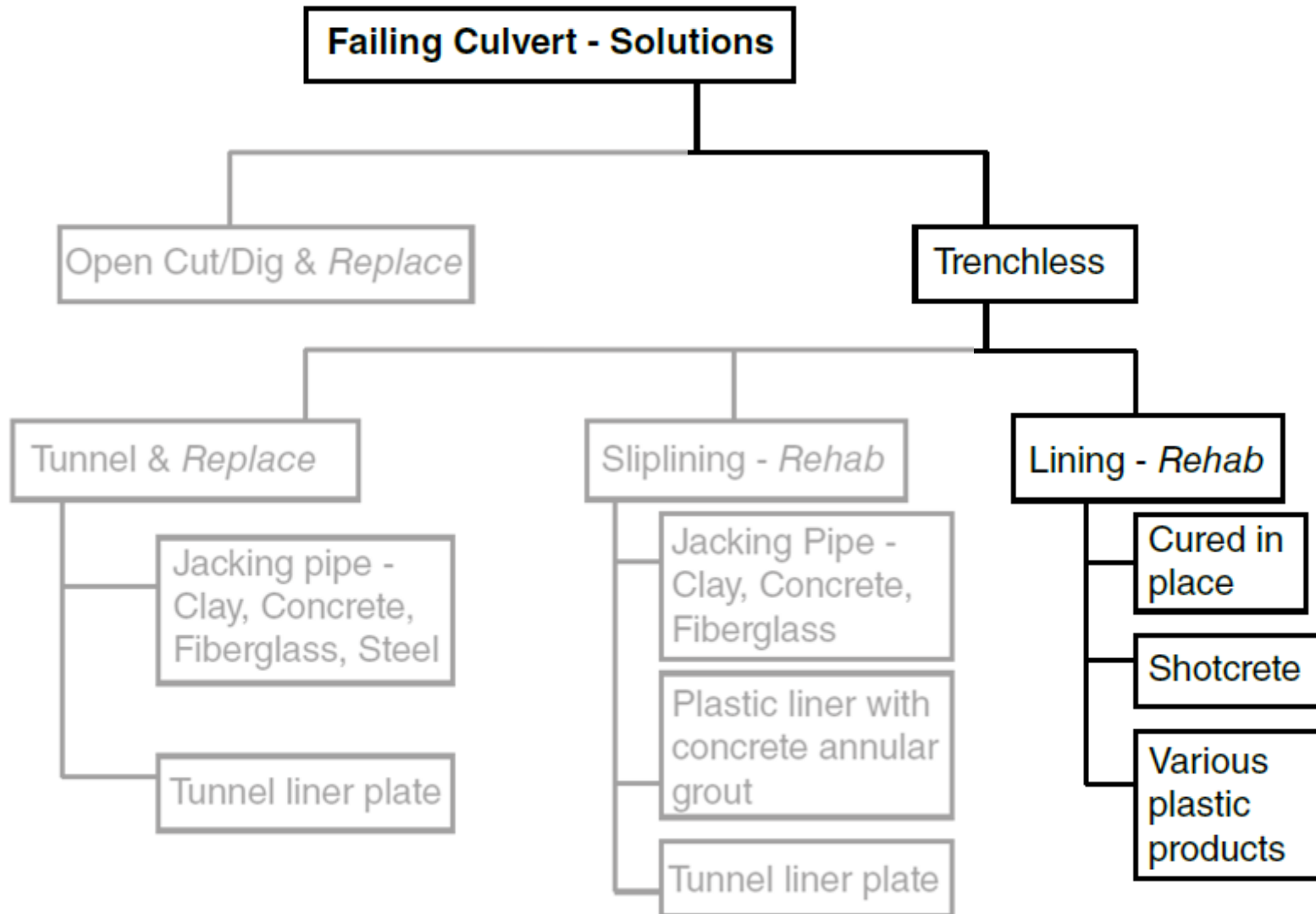
Less risk of settlement

Lower volume of excavated material

Reduces or eliminates dewatering

Special crossings with no other access

- Highways
- Railroads
- Runways
- Rivers & Streams



LINING - REHAB



Lining - *Rehab*

Cured in
place

Shotcrete

Various
plastic
products



CIPP LINING

CIPP (Cured In Place Pipe lining)

Needle Felt or Glass Reinforced UV-Cured

Thermal or UV-light curing methods

UV = ideal for wet pipe conditions, culverts

Diameter range of 6" to 120"+

Very versatile lining technology



CIPP LINING

Round pipe, elliptical, egg-shaped, box culverts possible

- ASTM F1216 design criteria
 - Fully Deteriorated Condition
 - Partially Deteriorated Condition
- Stand-alone, lining system
- Does not rely on bond to pipe
- Styrene issues being evaluated
- End seals recommended
- Factory or in-field wet-out



CIPP RESIN IMPREGNATION

CIPP resin impregnation with:

- Polyester resin (suitable for civil wastewater)
- Vinylester resin (suitable for aggressive wastewater)
- Epoxy formulations (styrene-free, ultra-thin liners)

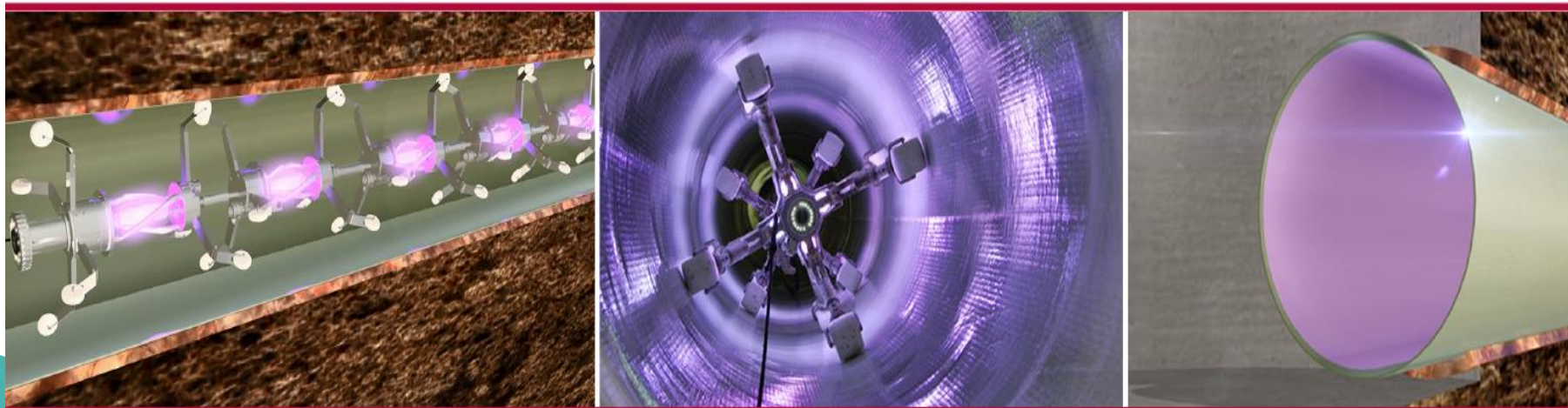


Factory Impregnation System – UV CIPP



UV-CURED CIPP

- Outer protective bladder stops resin dilution & styrene release
- Computer controlled curing process ensures verifiable, fast, complete cure throughout including in areas with heat sinks
- Thinner liner, higher strength materials, minimal shrinkage
- Pre-inspection capabilities, high degree of quality control
- Smaller footprint & easier access for difficult access locations



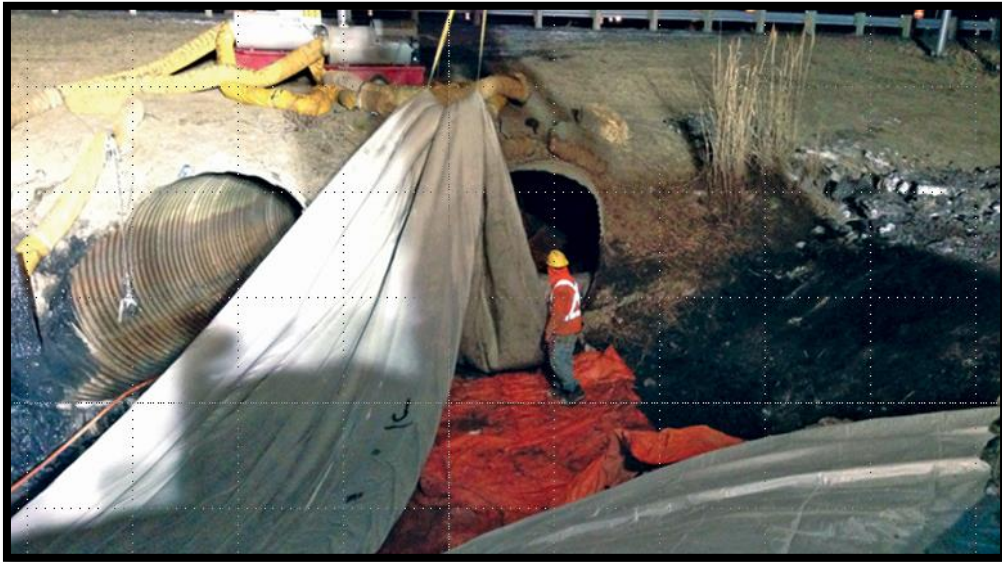
CIPP LINING

Lining - Rehab

Cured in place

Shotcrete

Various plastic products



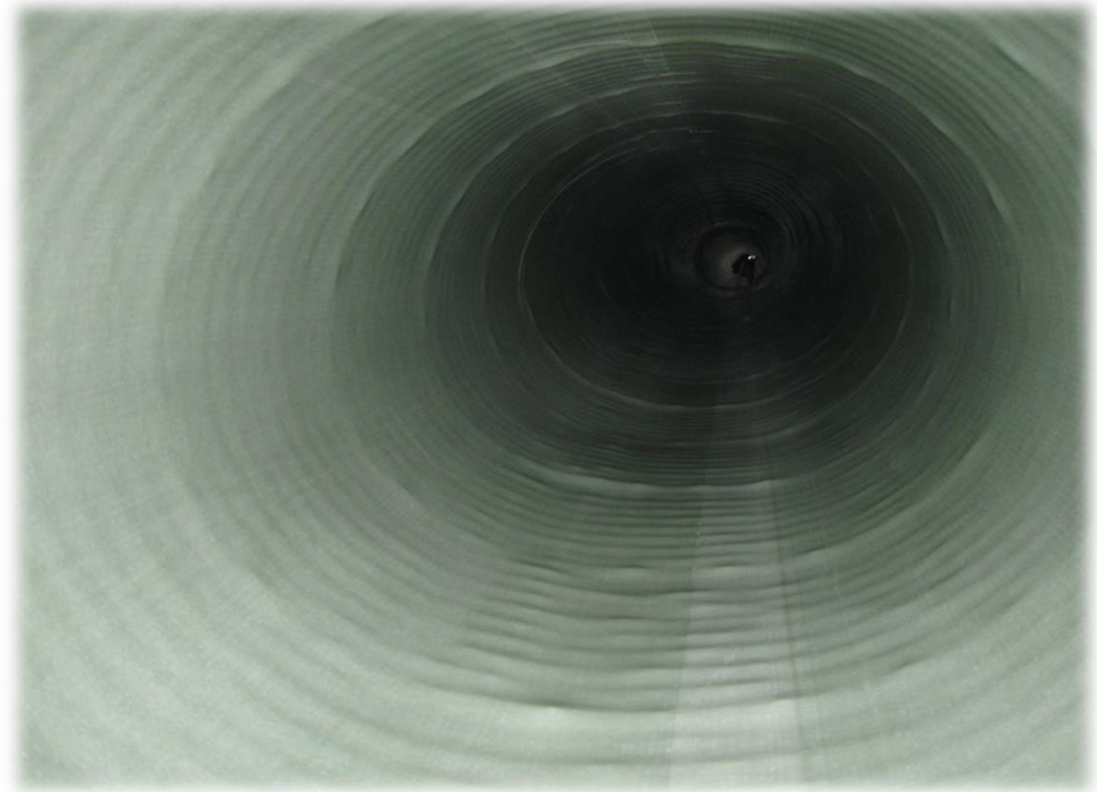
Air or water expands sock
Matches shape of host pipe



96 inch tube – 1.67 inches thick – 275 lbs. per linear foot.



42" CMP CULVERT – CIPP LINING



42" Elliptical CMP



SPRAY APPLIED CEMENTITIOUS LINING

- Spin-cast cementitious & geopolymer high-build systems
- Can line pipelines 30” to 120” in diameter
- Corrosion protection, structural integrity, improved hydraulics
- Surface preparation, design criteria not well defined
- Applied in multiple passes, invert must be re-established
- High build applications – thickness of ½” to 2” are common



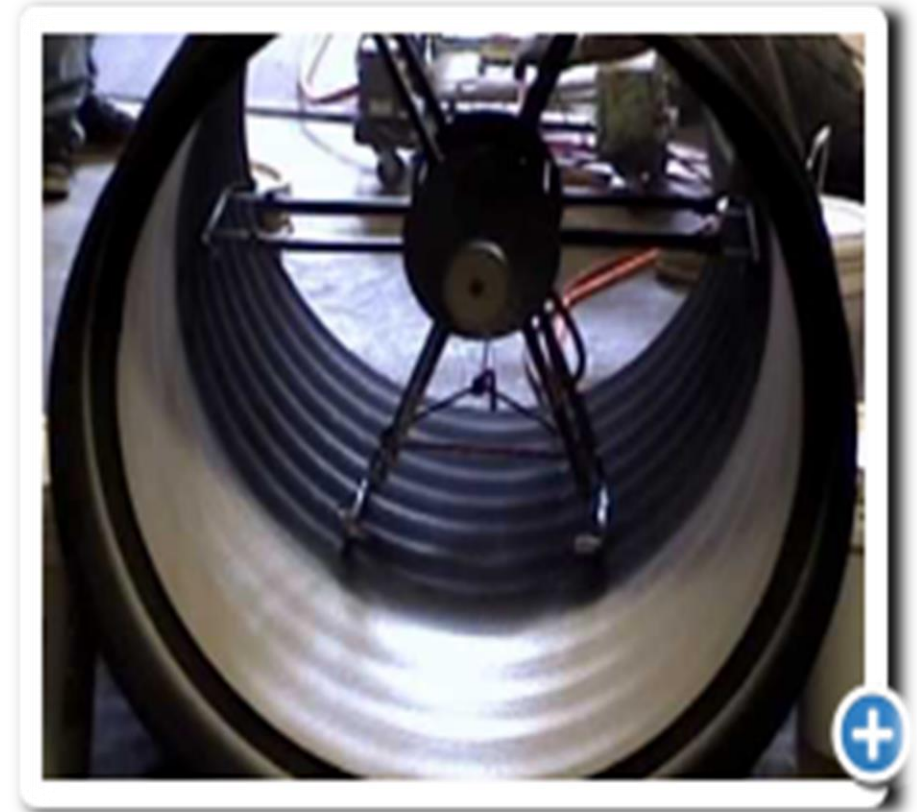
OTHER OPTIONS

Spray-Applied Polymeric Lining

- Epoxy, urethane, poly-urea products available
- Fast application and can be variable thickness
- Intimately bonded to substrate pipe
- Corrosion protection, semi-structural
- Design criteria not well defined
- Surface preparation is CRITICAL!

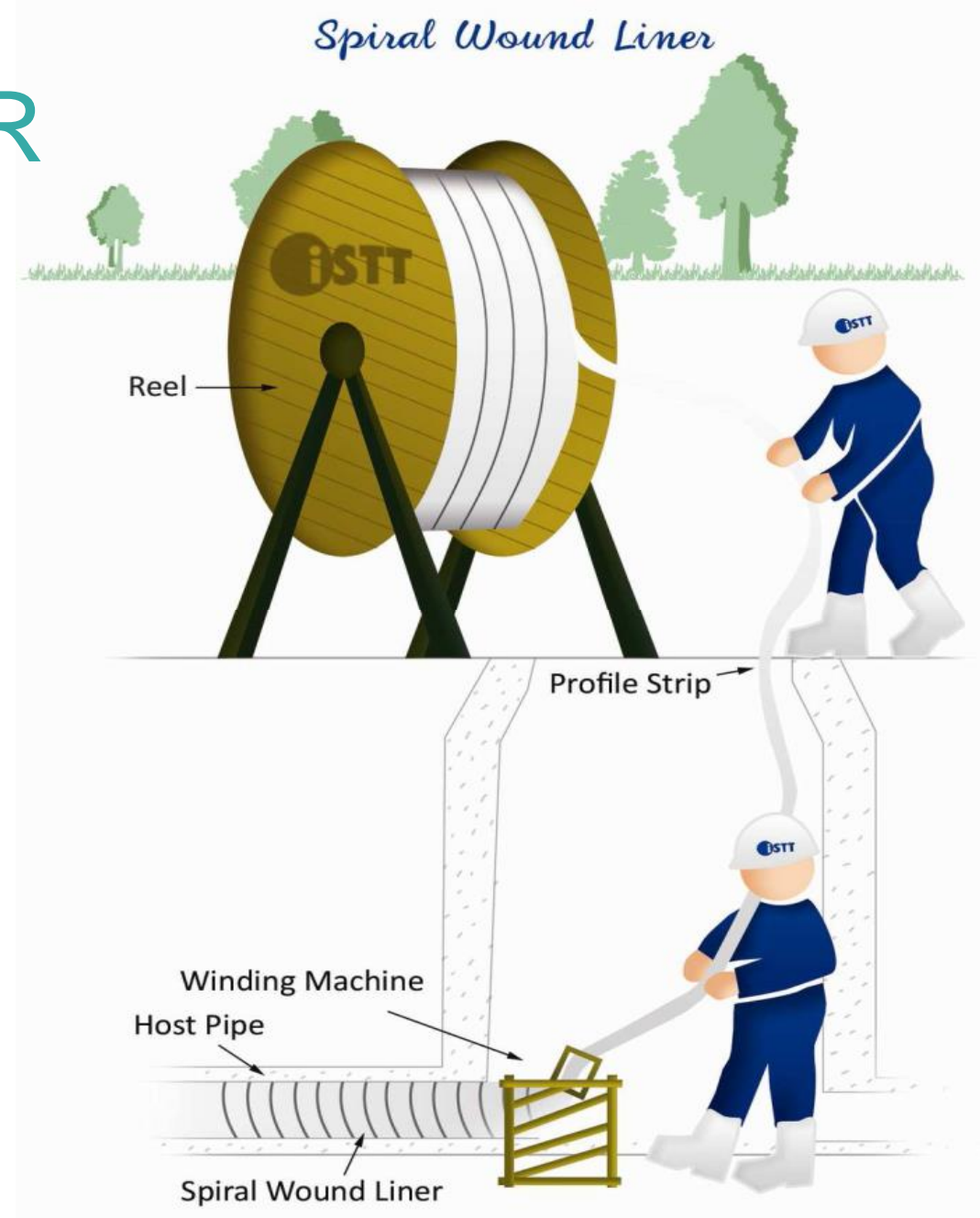
Spiral-Wound Lining


- Used for larger pipe diameters
- Can be used in odd shaped pipes
- Grouting of annular space required



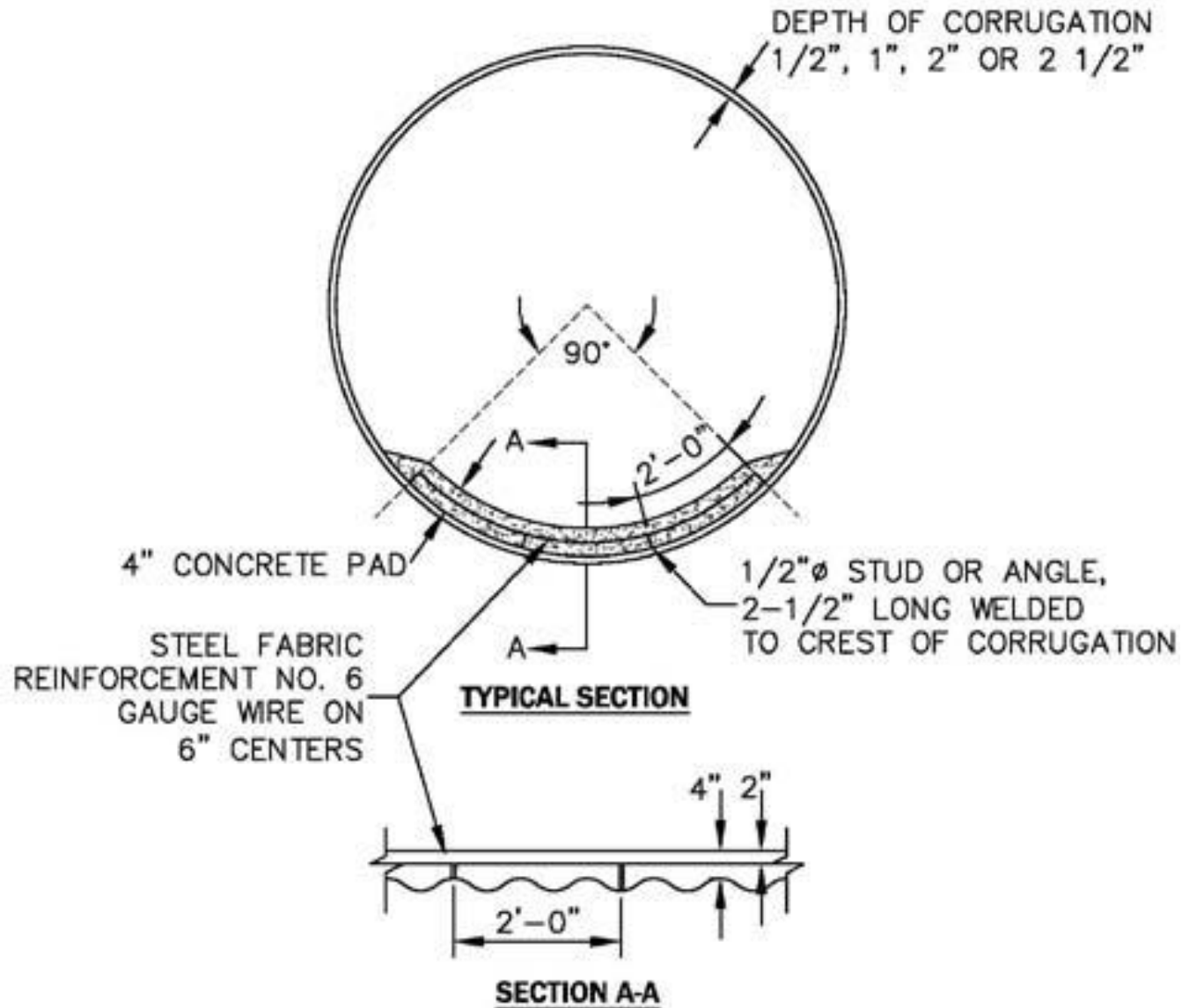
SPIRAL WOUND LINER

- Profile Strips of PVC/Steel
Reinf. PVC or HDPE
- Contact with host pipe form
close fit
- Installed with fixed
dimension/annual space



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- Winding machine rotates
 - Edges of the profile strips interlock
 - Rotational action advances the liner through the host pipe

SHOTCRETE – INVERT PAVING





Wet Process
Rebar welded to existing structure
Invert corroded/pipe structurally deficient
Used for pipes 72" and up

LINING (REHAB)

Advantages

- Reduce Road User Impacts
- Minimize Impact to Existing Roadway
- Extends Life of Host Pipe
- Limited, to no Excavation
- Effectively reduce infiltration/leaks

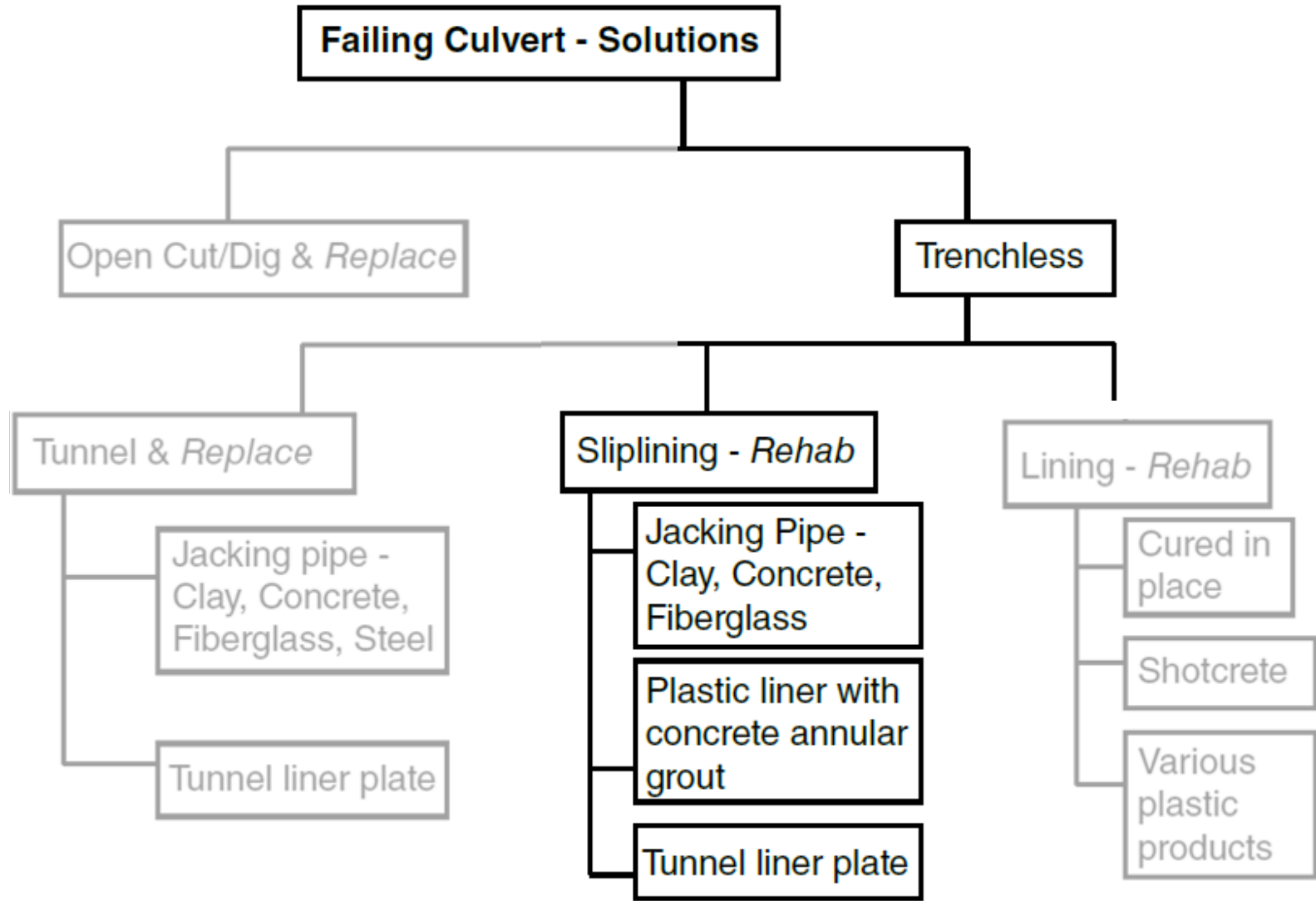
Disadvantages

- Loss of hydraulic capacity
- Long term Durability
- Curing Concern
- Costs
- Host Pipe Integrity



Spiral Wound Liner
Water-Tight Seal Joint
Minimizes Impact to Hydraulic Cap.
Extends Life of Host Pipe





SLIPLINING



Oldest method for Rehab
Repair Leaks
Restore Structural Stability

Typical Carrier Pipe

HDPE

Fiberglass RP (FRP)

PVC

“Good back grouting practice ensures a proper job and helps develop the full supporting strength of the liner ring for final loads.”



SLIPLINING

- Variety of materials available
 - FRP – Fiberglass Reinforced Plastic pipe
 - GRP – Glass-fiber Reinforced Plastic pipe
 - HDPE – High Density Polyethylene pipe
- Segmental & fused options
- Provides new structural pipe
- Diameter reduction
- Good for long, straight runs
- Annular space, grouting
- Live flows are possible



SLIPLINING – LARGE DIAMETER FRP/GRP



FRP/GRP - SLIPLINING

- FRP & GRP pipe is strong, resistant to abrasion & corrosion
- Slip line pipe has a diameter range from 6" to 142"
- FRP/GRP Pipe is pushed through existing culvert for Sliplining
- Rubberized-material gasket joints
- "N" factor of FRP/GRP Pipe is 0.008 to 0.010 (CMP at 0.024)



HDPE Sliplining Product Data

- HDPE pipe has a range from 6" – 63"
- Profile Wall HDPE Pipe ranges from 66" – 132"
- Fused or snap fit options
- HDPE Pipe can be pushed or pulled through existing culvert
- "N" factor of HDPE Pipe is 0.010 to 0.012 (CMP at 0.024)



SLIPLINING



Sliplining Methods Continuous
and Segmental

Technique

Long continuous Pipe
Fusible PVC

Annual Space Grouted

Transfers external loads
Mobilize support of existing pipe



SLIPLINING VIDEO



POINT REPAIR APPLICATIONS

Culverts

Storm Sewers

Sanitary Sewers

Service Laterals

Drain Lines



POINT REPAIR

Sectional Repair
Offset Joint
Pipe Size Transition
Broken Pipe
Seal Active
Infiltration
Drain Extension





POINT REPAIR APPLICATIONS

Pipe Diam. – 3” to 60”
Vertical or Horizontal
Bends up to 90 degrees
Joint Deflections
All Pipe Material



POINT REPAIR



SLIPLINING (*REHAB*)

Advantages

- Cost Effective
- Reduce Road User Impacts
- Minimize Impact to Existing Roadway
- Extends Life of Host Pipe
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Disadvantages

- Loss of hydraulic capacity
- Long term Durability
- Costs (Repeat)
- Host Pipe Integrity



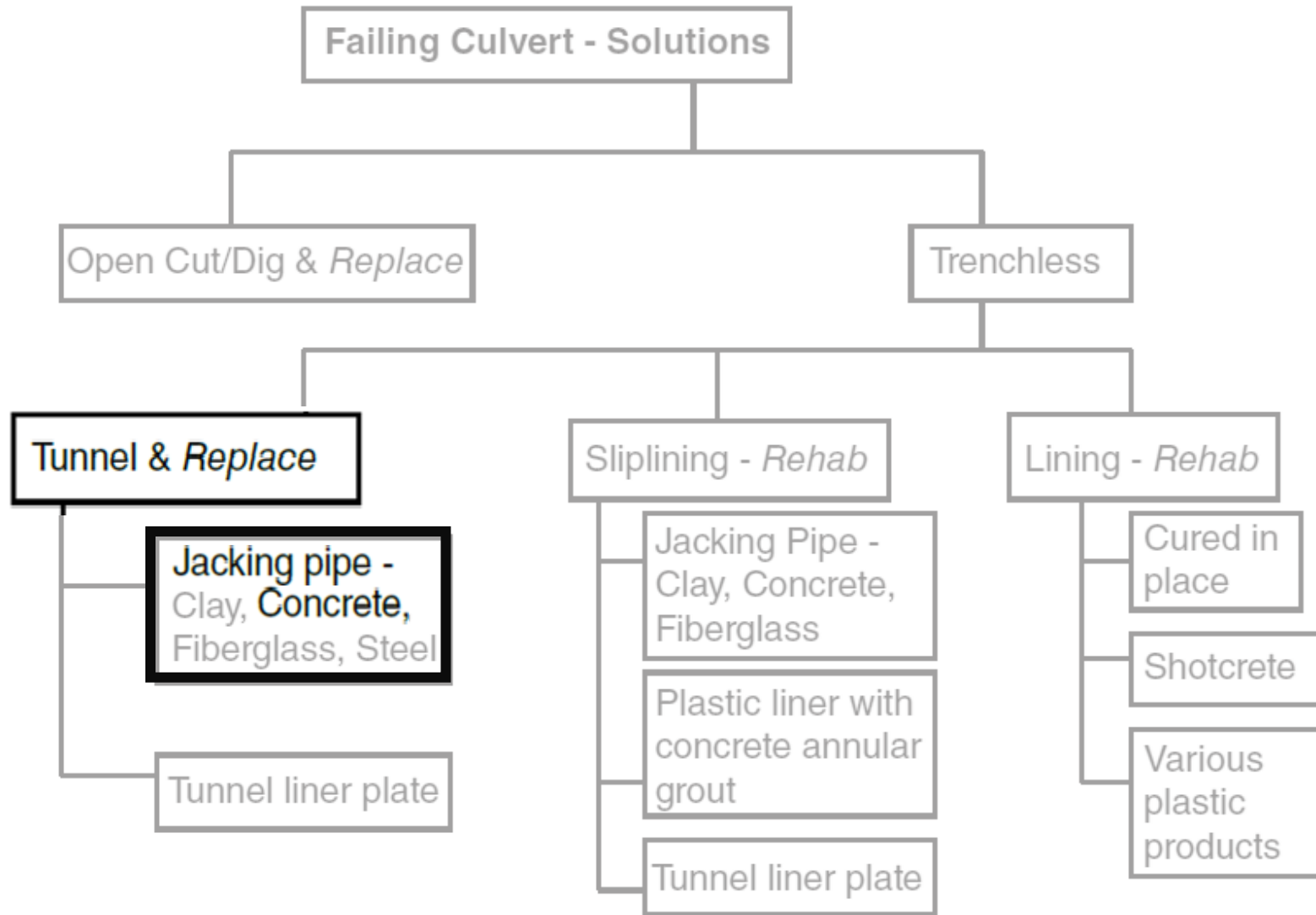
Sliplining

Grouting Annular Space Transfers Load
A Cost Effective Rehab Method
Requires Tools/Eqpt. Widely Available





TUNNEL AND REPLACE & JACKING



Pipe Ramming



Pipe Ramming to install a parallel pipe (upstream and downstream)

Advantages

Able to Swallow anything smaller than diameter of casing

Minimizes and/or Eliminates voids in sub-grade

Reduced Soil Compaction

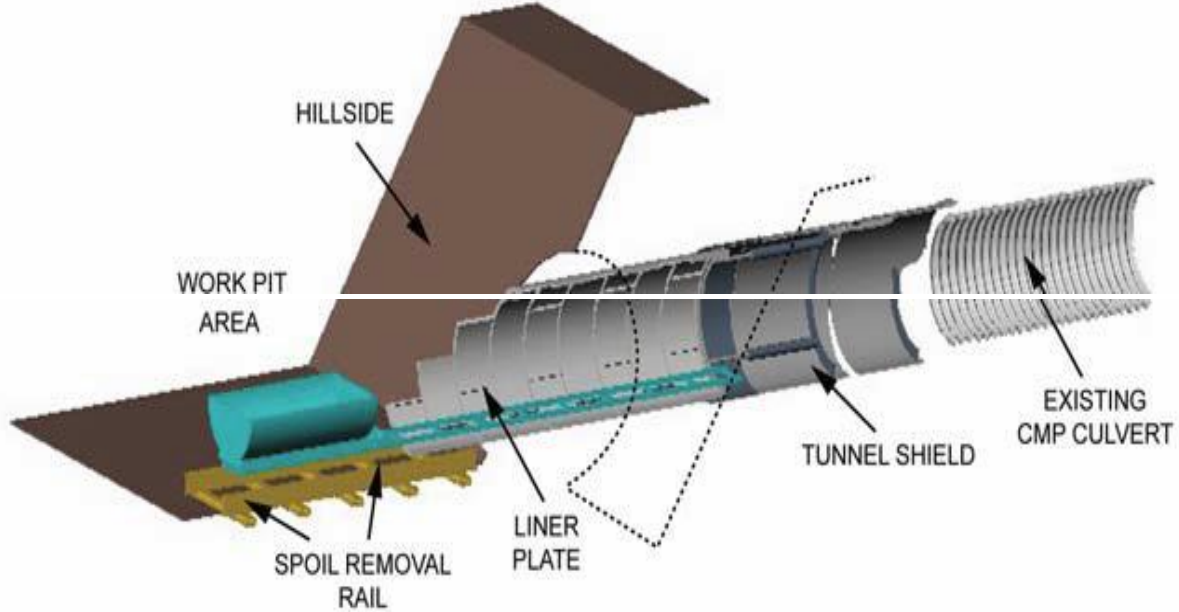
Can be used in a wide variety of ground conditions



Pipe Ramming – Ease of Cleanout



Tunneling



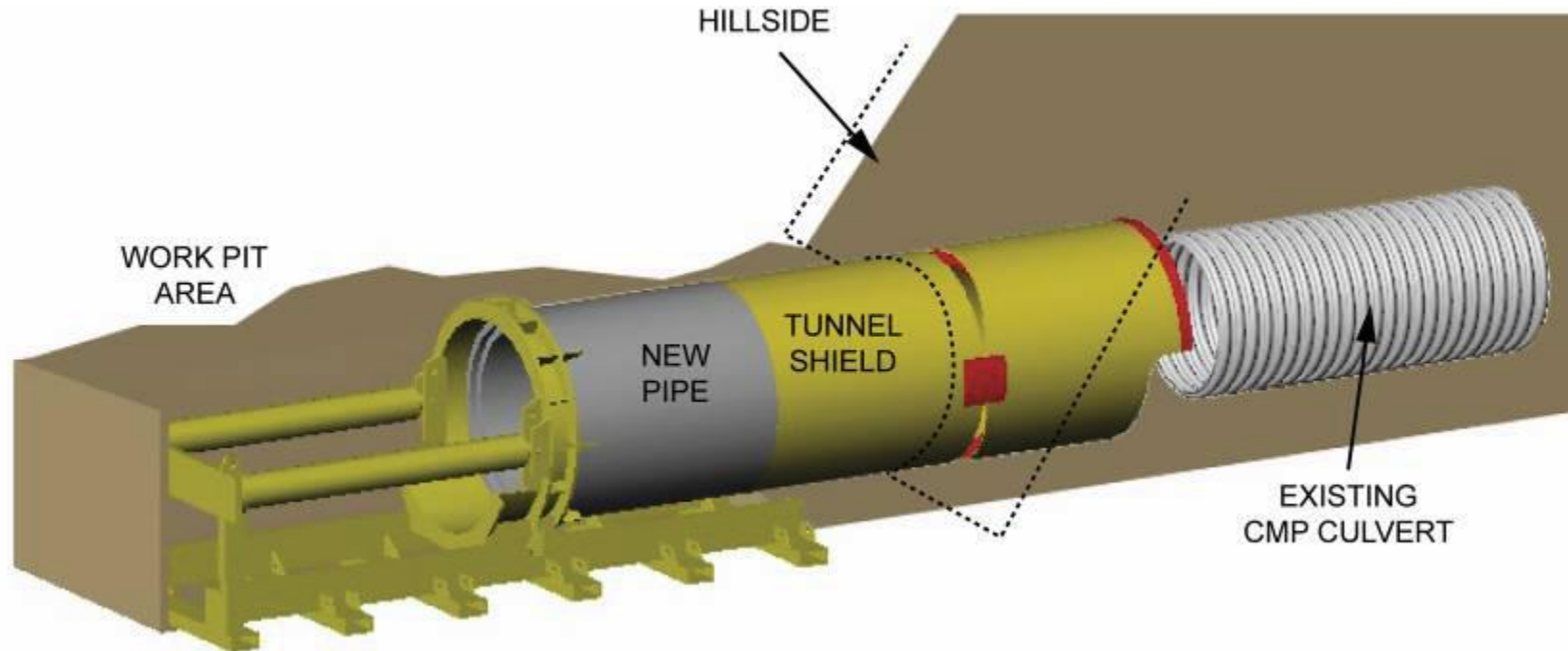
Consuming an existing culvert during tunneling with Liner plate



Assembled Liner Plate Ring



Jacking



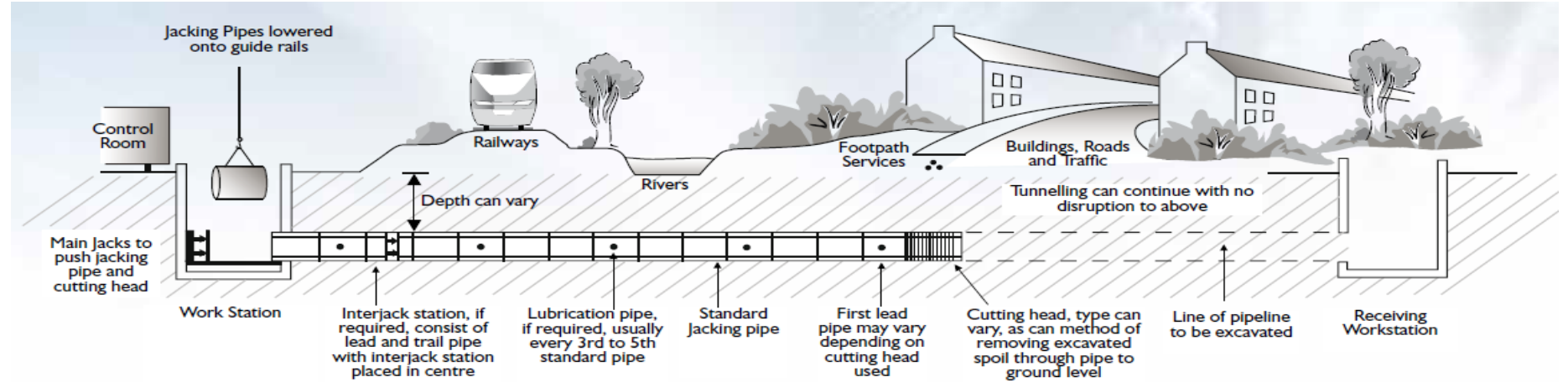
A shield and pipe jacking are used to consume an existing culvert with concrete pipe



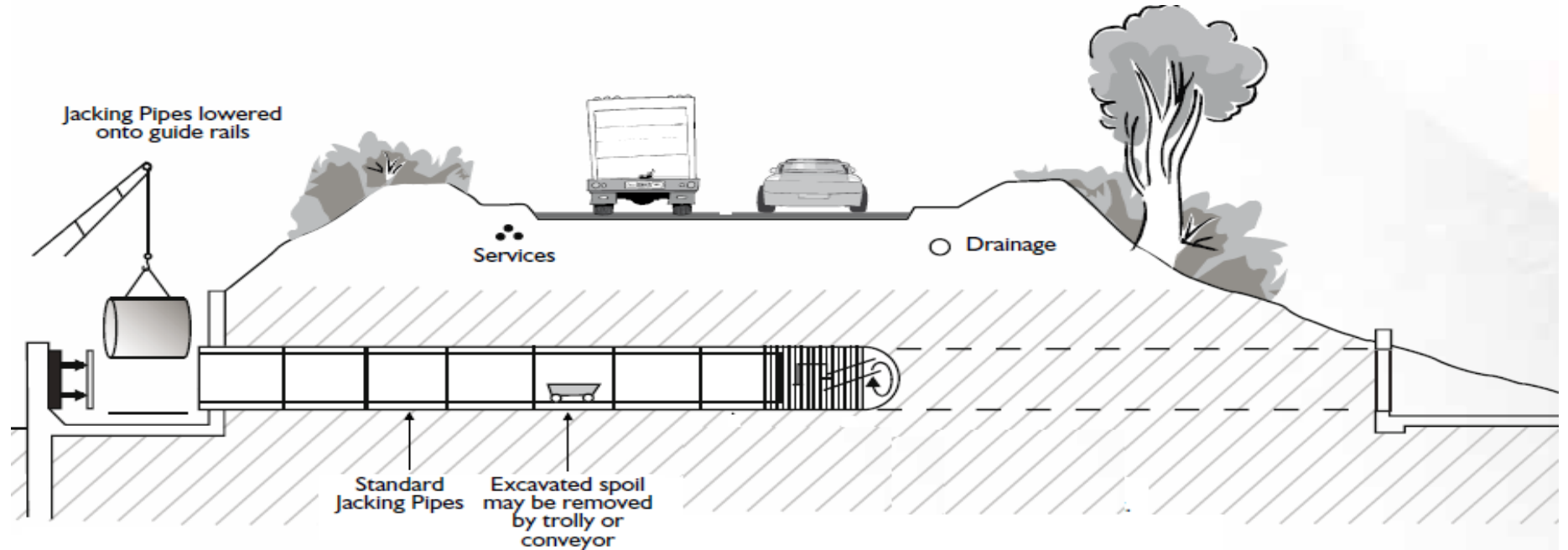


Jacking Pipe

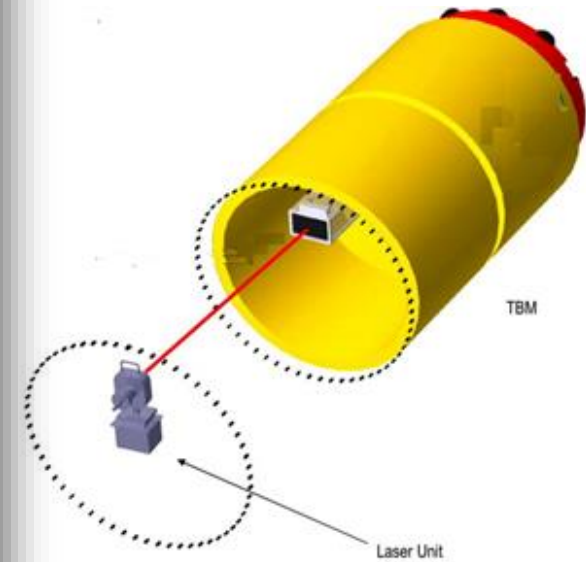
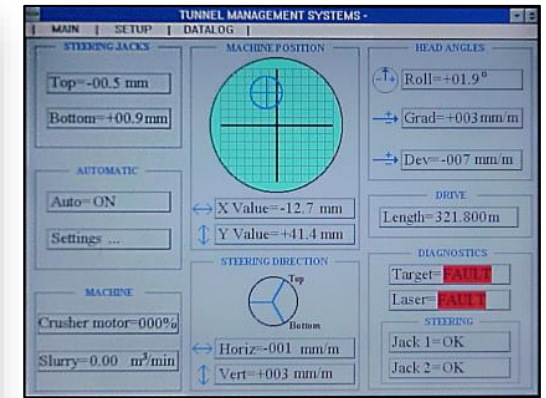
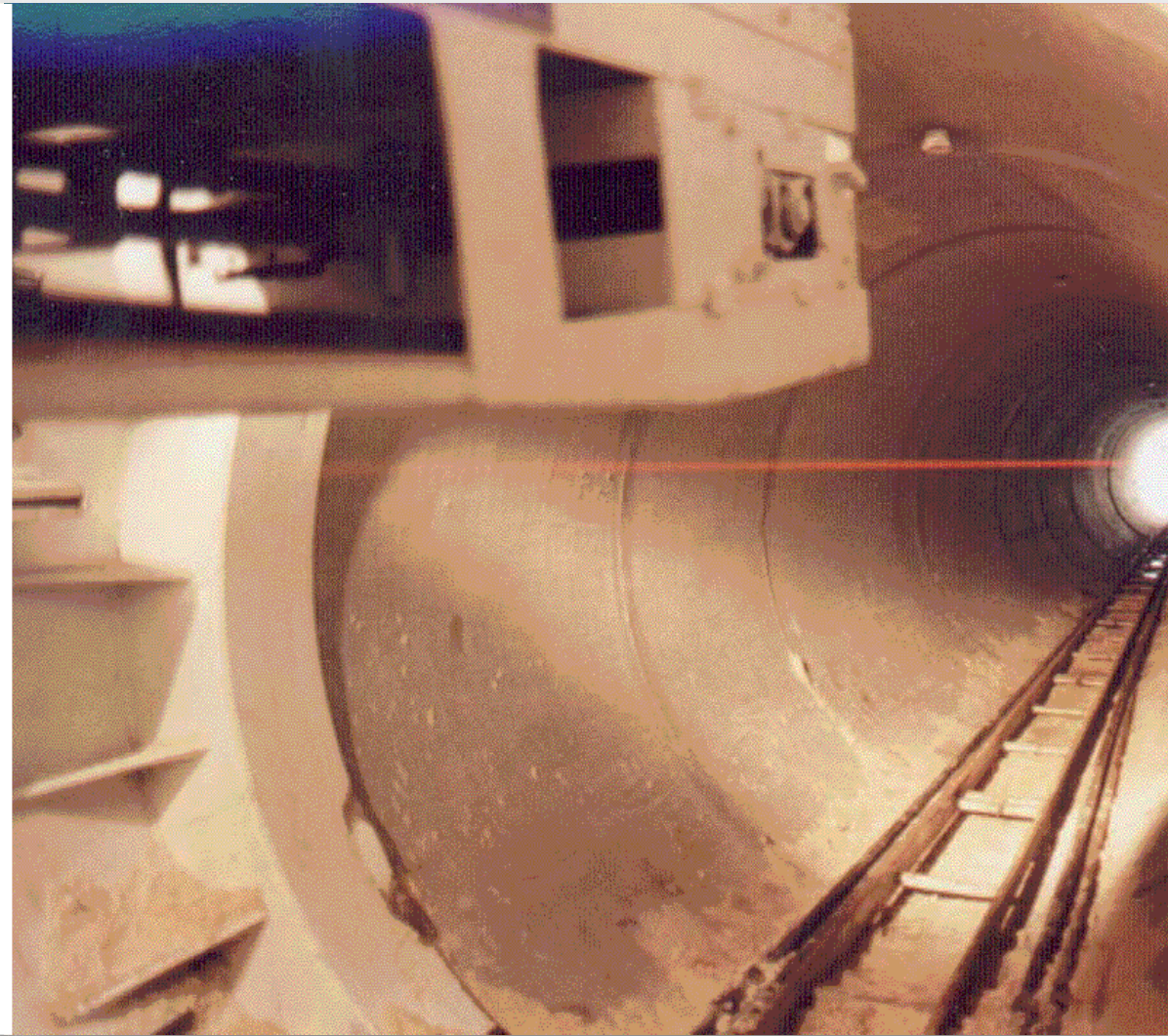
Closed System



Open System



Jacking



Jacking/Ramming/Tunneling *Replace*

Reduce

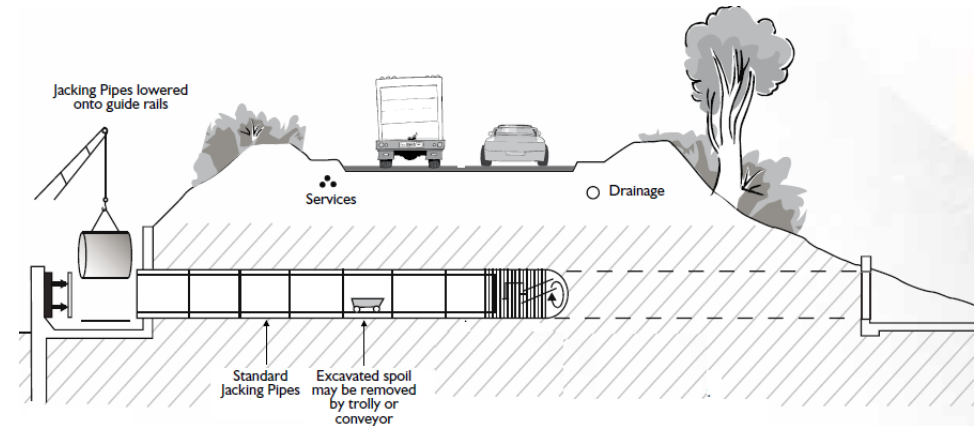
Reduce Road User Impacts
Reduce Costs

Improve

Improve Long Term Durability/Quality
Improve Work Zone Safety
Improve Hydraulic Capacity

Minimize

Minimize Environmental Impact
Minimize Impact to Existing Roadway Alignment



JRT

Addresses Eroded Bedding/Backfill
Maintains Hydraulic Capacity
Eliminates Sags in Culverts

Disadvantages

Costs
Special Skill / Equipment





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