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36-FT SPAN, 5 IN 12 PITCH, NAILED TRUSSED RAFTER (NO CEILING) SPACED 4 FT ON CENTER

VIEW OF FRONT OF ASSEMBLY

LOAD AND STRESS DIAGRAMS

DEAD LOAD & LIVE LOAD ON ROOF: 40 LB/50 FT
TRUSSED RAFTERS SPACED 4'-0" O C
LUMBER No. 1 SOUTHERN PINE OR DOUGLAS FIR
C = 35 PSI COMPRESSION PARALLEL TO GRAIN
F = 1500 PSI MODULUS OF RUPTURE
E = 360000 PSI MODULUS OF ELASTICITY
CAMBER 5/8" AT CENTER SPlice

HEEL JOINT WITH 50, 12d NAILS

NOTES:
USE HELICALLY THREADED NAILS FOR PERMANENTLY TIGHT JOINTS THROUGHOUT STRUCTURE
USE HARDENED NAILS IN DRY SOUTHERN PINE
DRIVE ALL NAILS FROM FRONT EXCEPT THOSE SHOWN AS (O)
USE TEMPLATES FOR LOCATING ALL NAILS TO ASSURE MAXIMUM EFFICIENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS

BILL OF MATERIALS
RAFTERS 2 PCS 2"X6"X20'-0"
(24'-0"
LOWER CHORD 2 PCS 2"X4"X4'-4"""
DIAGONALS 2 PCS 1"X6"X5'-6"
SPLICES 2 PCS 1"X8"X10'-2" 3/4"
GUSSETS 4 PCS. 1"X6"X2'-7 1/2"
NAILS 1 PC. 1"X8"X3'-0"

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NOTE 1
IN SOME AREAS IT MIGHT BE DESIRABLE TO CLOSE IN BETWEEN THE EXTERIOR SIDING AND THE GIRDER ON THE NORTH AND WEST EXPOSURES.