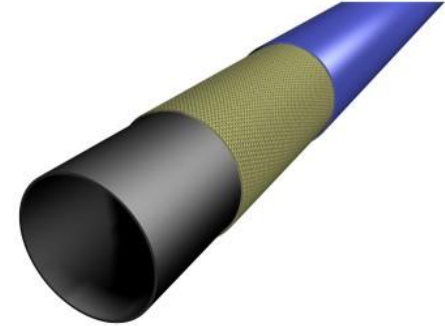


# Trenchless Rehab & Replacement

Tennessee Association  
of Utility Districts

Vital for Tennessee's future



 **Underground  
Solutions**<sup>®</sup>  
An **azuria** Water Solutions Company



# Trenchless Solutions



CIPP

*Cured-in-place pipe*



Fusible C900 PVC &  
TerraBrute CR  
*HDD, Pipe bursting,  
Sliplining, open-cut*

**Pipeline Rehab  
Portfolio**



PRIMUS Line  
System  
*Flexible Fabric  
Reinforce Pipe  
(FFRP)*



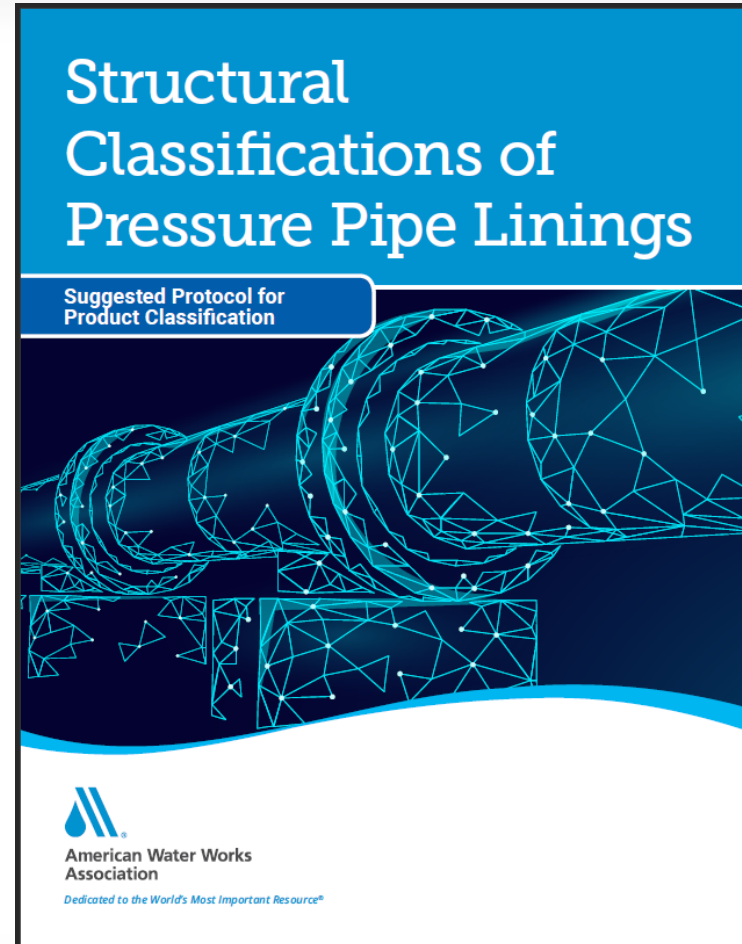
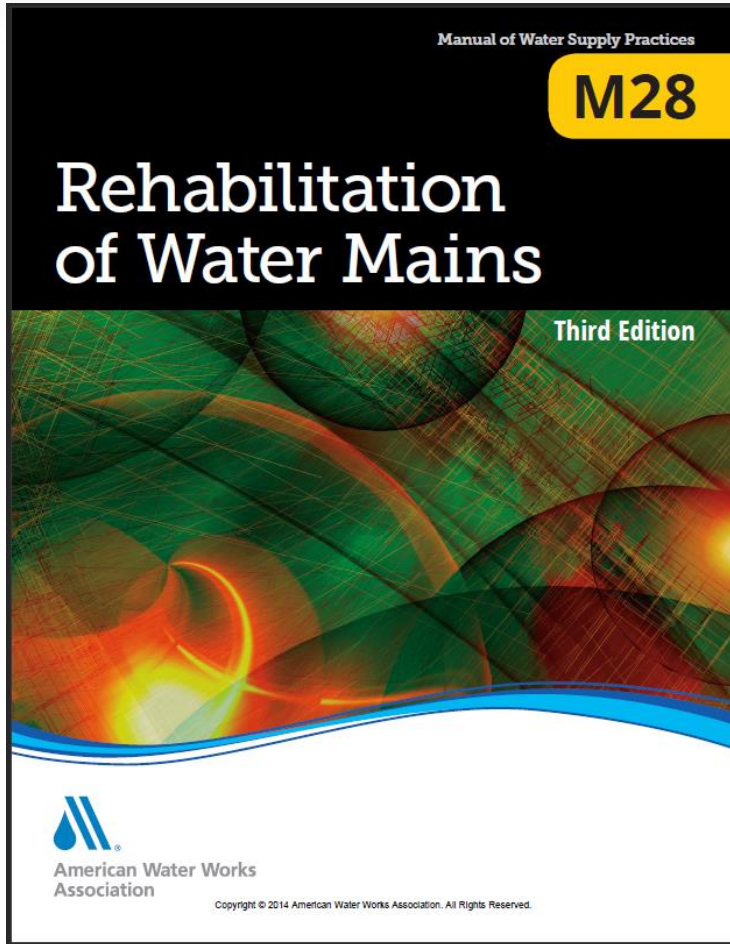
Vylon Pipe  
*Gravity Sewer  
Segmented  
PVC*

# Presentation Outline

- AWWA Trenchless Structural Classifications
- Conventional Sliplining – Class IV
- Modified Sliplining – Class III
- HDD Replacement – Class IV
- Static Pipebursting – Class IV

# **AWWA Rehabilitation Structural Classifications**

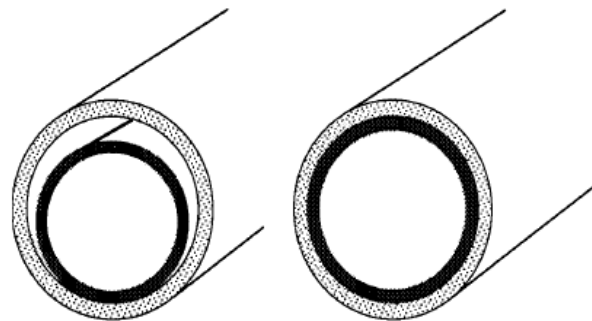
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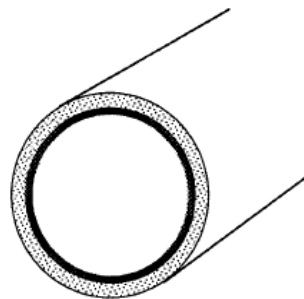
# PRESSURE LINER CLASSIFICATIONS

## Two Categories of Pressure Pipe Liners:

- **Independent** – liner is designed for all applicable loads independent of the host pipe
- **Interactive** – liner relies on radial support from host pipe to handle internal loads without failing



INDEPENDENT  
loose-fitting and close-fitting



INTERACTIVE

# TRENCHLESS METHOD BY CATEGORY & CLASSIFICATION

| Industry Classification | Non-Structural                                 | Semi-Structural                     |                                   | Fully Structural                                      |
|-------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| AWWA Classification     | Class I  | Class II                            | Class III                         | Class IV  |
| Trenchless Products     | Cement Mortar Lining<br><hr/> Epoxy/ PU lining | CIPP<br><hr/> Modified Epoxy Lining | CIPP<br><hr/> Modified Sliplining | CIPP<br><hr/> Sliplining<br><hr/> Modified Sliplining |

# Trenchless Considerations vs. Open Cut

- Pipe Material - Structural Condition of Existing Pipe
- Fittings, Valves & Off-Sets
- Hydraulic capacity requirements (=, <, >, etc.)
- Soil type (sand, clay, silt, rock, etc.)
- Depth of existing pipe
- Existing utilities and structures
- Sub-aqueous crossings
- Bridge mounted WMs
- Bypass Considerations (hydrant locations, length, size, road crossings)
- Pit or open cut requirements (water table, dewatering, etc.)
- Site Restrictions (footprint, pipe layout, disruption, etc.)
- Traffic Control
- Site Restoration



# Pre-construction Investigation and Preparation

- Site Visit
- As-builts
- Plans
- Operational Data
- CCTV
- Pipe Cleaning
- Point repairs



# CONVENTIONAL SLIPLINING

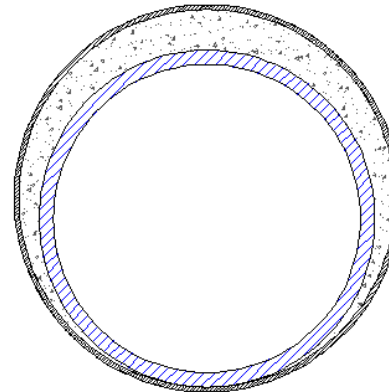
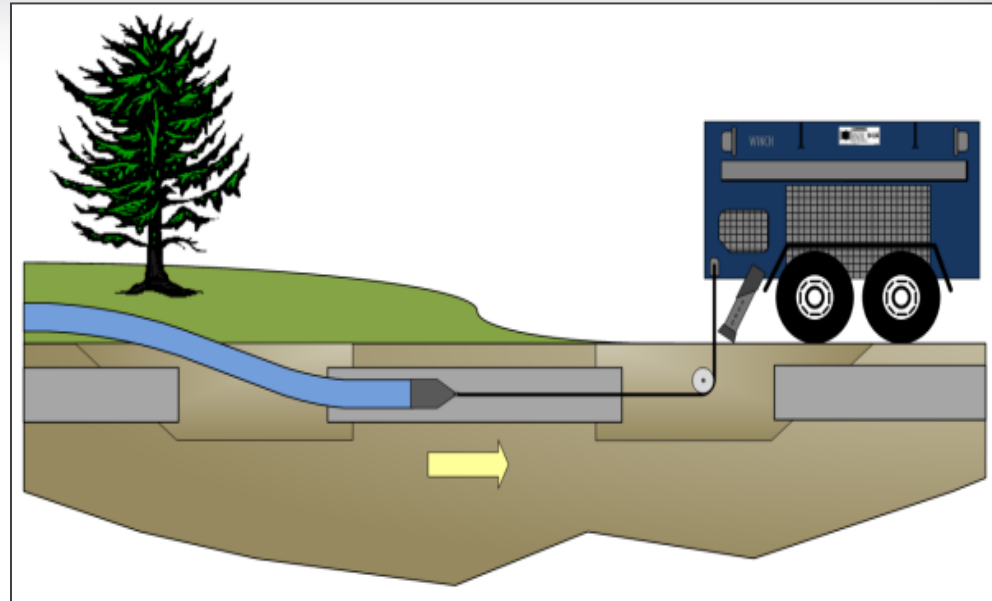
## **CLASS IV**

Fully – Structural Solution

# Independent Liner – New Pipe inside Existing

## Sliplining

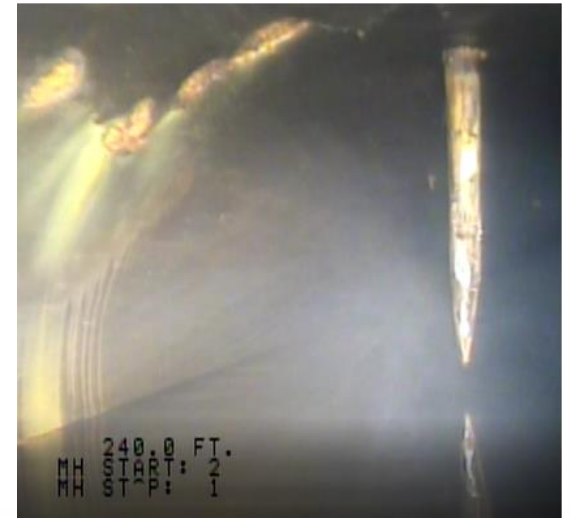
- Provides maximum flow with an independent fully structural solution
- Results in a smaller ID than the host pipe
- Improvement in internal friction often minimizes flow loss – “C” factor
- 2” of annular space
- Grouting of the annular space between the existing and new pipe is usually required



# Constructability Considerations

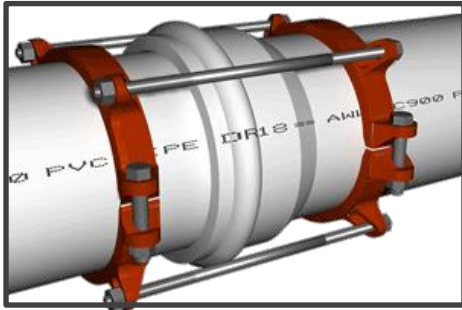
## Sliplining

- Video inspection of host pipe – condition, deflections, vertical profiles and stranded appurtenances
- Ability to dig out connections before sliplining
- Layout area for fused pipe – as well as entrance pit constraints – possibility for “fuse & pull” or in pit fusion
- New carrier pipe material selection
- Pull proof piece – verify alignment
- Connections



# Cross Sectional Area & Deflection

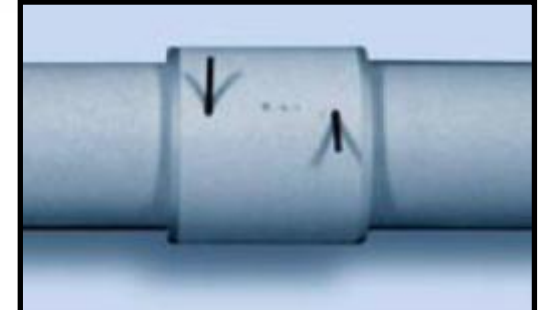
## 12" C900 Restrained PVC



**Barrel = 13.2"**  
**Bell = 16.75"**  
**Restraining Hardware = 19.45"**



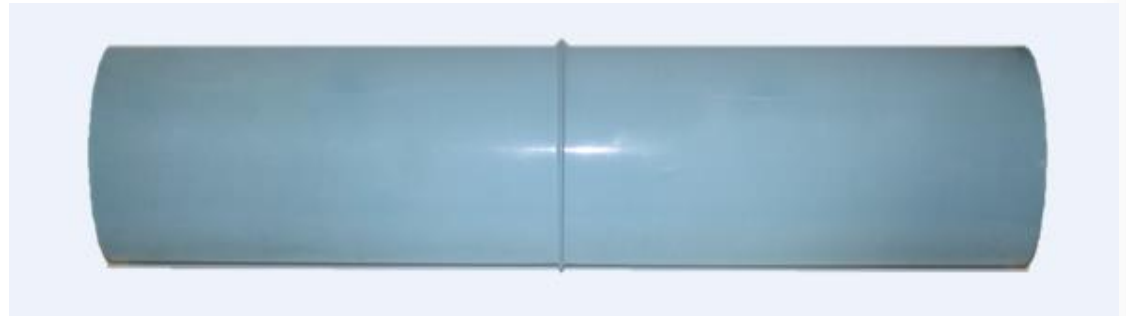
**Bulldog Restraint**  
**Barrel = 13.2"**  
**Bell = 16.13" DR 18**



**Certa-Lok**  
**Barrel = 13.2"**  
**Bell = 15.83"**



**TerraBrute CR**  
**Barrel = 13.2"**  
**Bell = 16.36" DR 18**



**Fusible C900 PVC Pipe**  
**Barrel and Fused Joint Have Consistent O.D. = 13.2"**

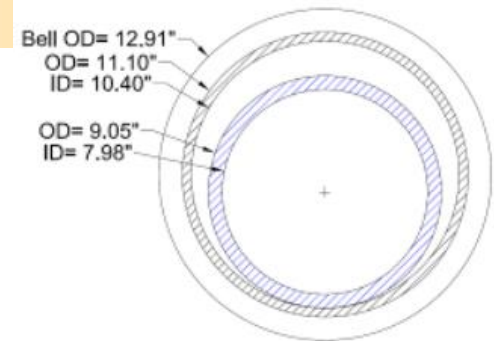
# Elkton, TN – Elk River Water Line Crossing Repairs

## Sliplining



**SOUTH GILES  
UTILITY DISTRICT**

8-inch DR 18 Fusible C-900® pipe inside  
10-inch CL 350 ductile iron



- Original Casing/Carrier = 6" B&S PVC inside 10" DI
- New Carrier pipe = 680 linear feet of 8" DR18 Fusible PVC
- US31 HWY Bridge
- Fuse & install – 7 hrs
- Contractor – Williamson Construction
- Engineer – Goodwyn, Mills, and Cawood



Pipe pull-in with pull rods



Fusible PVC® pipe in casing

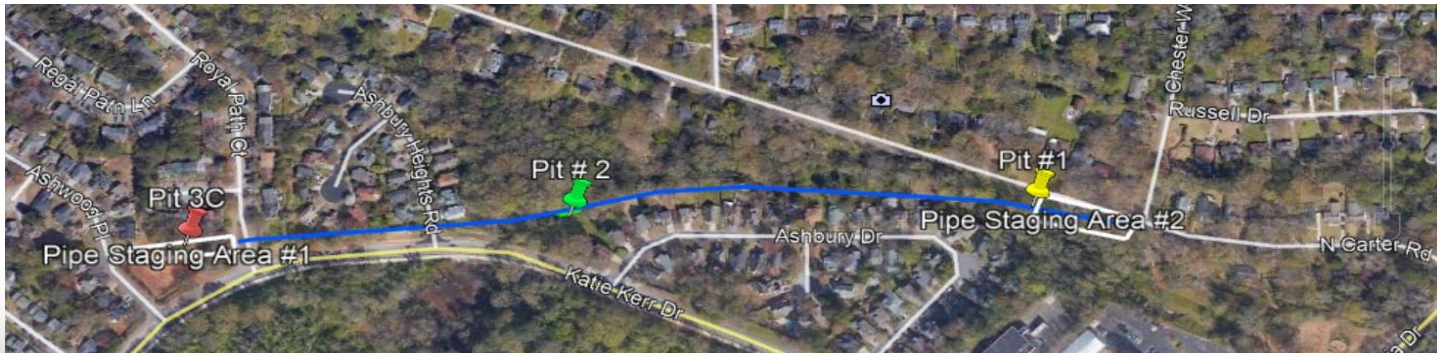


New pipe string installation

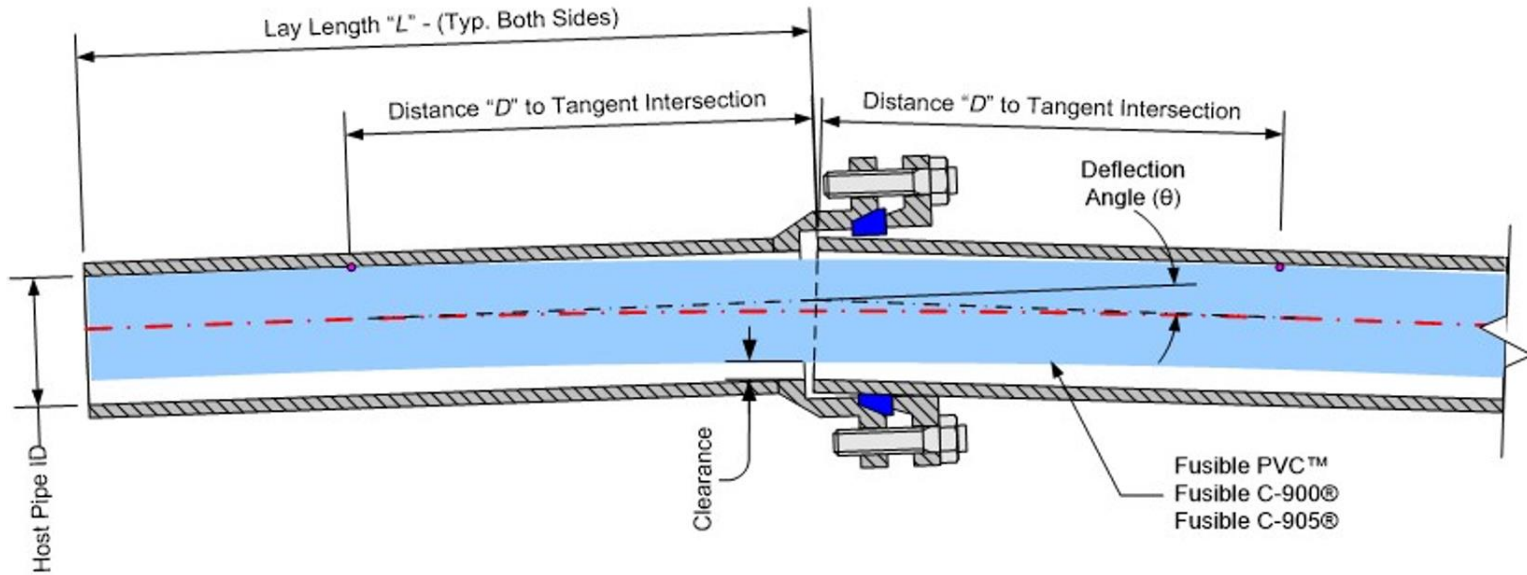
# Metro Atlanta Slipline



|                       |                                       |      |       |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|------|-------|
| <b>Project:</b>       | Katie Kerr Rehab                      |      |       |
| <b>Location:</b>      | Decatur, GA                           |      |       |
| <b>Length:</b>        | 2,250 LF                              |      |       |
| <b>Host Pipe:</b>     | 30" Steel                             |      |       |
| <b>Pipe Size:</b>     | 24" DR18 DIPS Fusible C-900® PVC pipe |      |       |
| <b>Pressure Test:</b> | 200 psi                               |      |       |
| <b>Install:</b>       | Static                                | Pipe | burst |
|                       | machine                               |      |       |



## Single Joint Deflection



Pipe Type **DIPS**

Nom. Dia. **24.00** in  
Pipe OD 25.80 in

Bend Radius ( $R_B$ ) 538.00 ft

Deflection Angle **4.00** degrees

Host Pipe ID **30.00** in  
2.50 ft

Lay Length (L) **500.00** ft

|              | ft. | in.  |
|--------------|-----|------|
| Distance (D) | 18  | 9    |
| Clearance    | 0   | 0.28 |

**Disclaimer:**

The values shown are based on minimum requirements of the selected FPVC™ pipe product.



# La Brea Subarea GW Supply Project

## Sliplining

## City of Beverly Hills



- Sliplined inside 1950s 18" & 24" Concrete pipe
- 7,000-ft of 14" FPVC inside 18" on La Cienega
- 2,300-ft of 16" FPVC inside 24" on Le Doux Rd
- Engineer – Hazen & Sawyer
- Contractor MNR Construction



# Charleston, SC – Wappoo Road WM Slipline

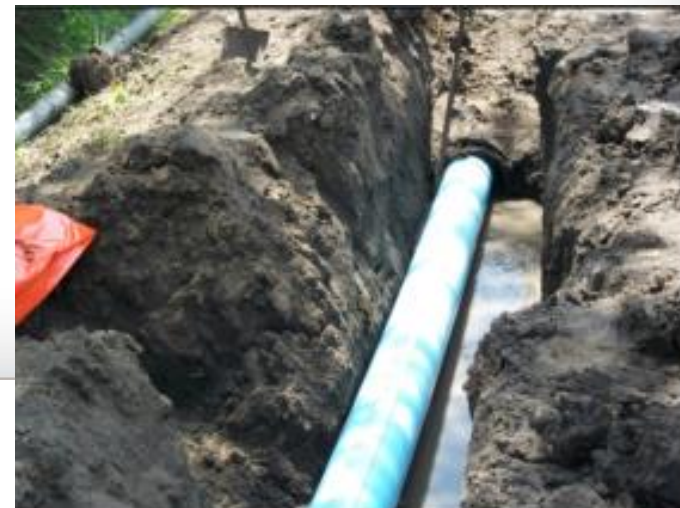
## Sliplining

Charleston Water System



**Charleston**  
Water System

- 4,940' linear feet of 8" DR18 Fusible PVC
- Sliplined inside 12" Cast Iron
- Engineer – Arcadis
- Contractor – Carroll Enterprises

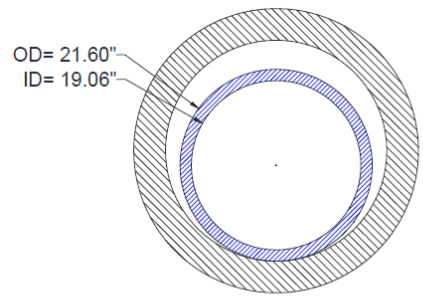


# Slipline – Rehab 30” Transmission WM

## Sliplining

## Fairpoint Regional Utility System Navarre, FL

- 2,800’ 30” DR9 HDPE Water Transmission Main – Installed via HDD in 2004
- 2014 develop leak -Video Inspection revealed a gradual, spiraling, longitudinal crack - ~ 400’ from south end @ 55’ depth
- HDPE line was Sliplined with 2,800’ of 20” DR18 Fusible C-900 PVC
- HDD Pull-in method
- Completed & Pressure Test Feb ‘15



20" DR 18 Fusible C-905®  
Inside Exist. 30" DR 9 HDPE



# MODIFIED SLIPLINING

## CLASS III Semi – Structural Solution

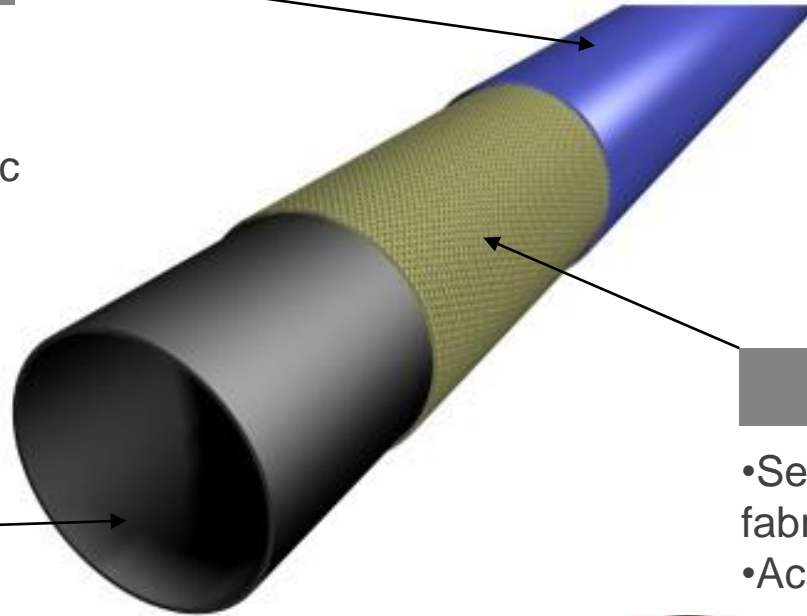
# Flexible Fabric Reinforced Pipe - Primus

## External Layer

- Abrasion-resistant PE sheath
- Protection of the fabric during insertion

## Internal Layer

- Fluid specific
- Based on PE, TPU
- 15 potable water certifications (AS/NZS 4020:2005/NSF61)

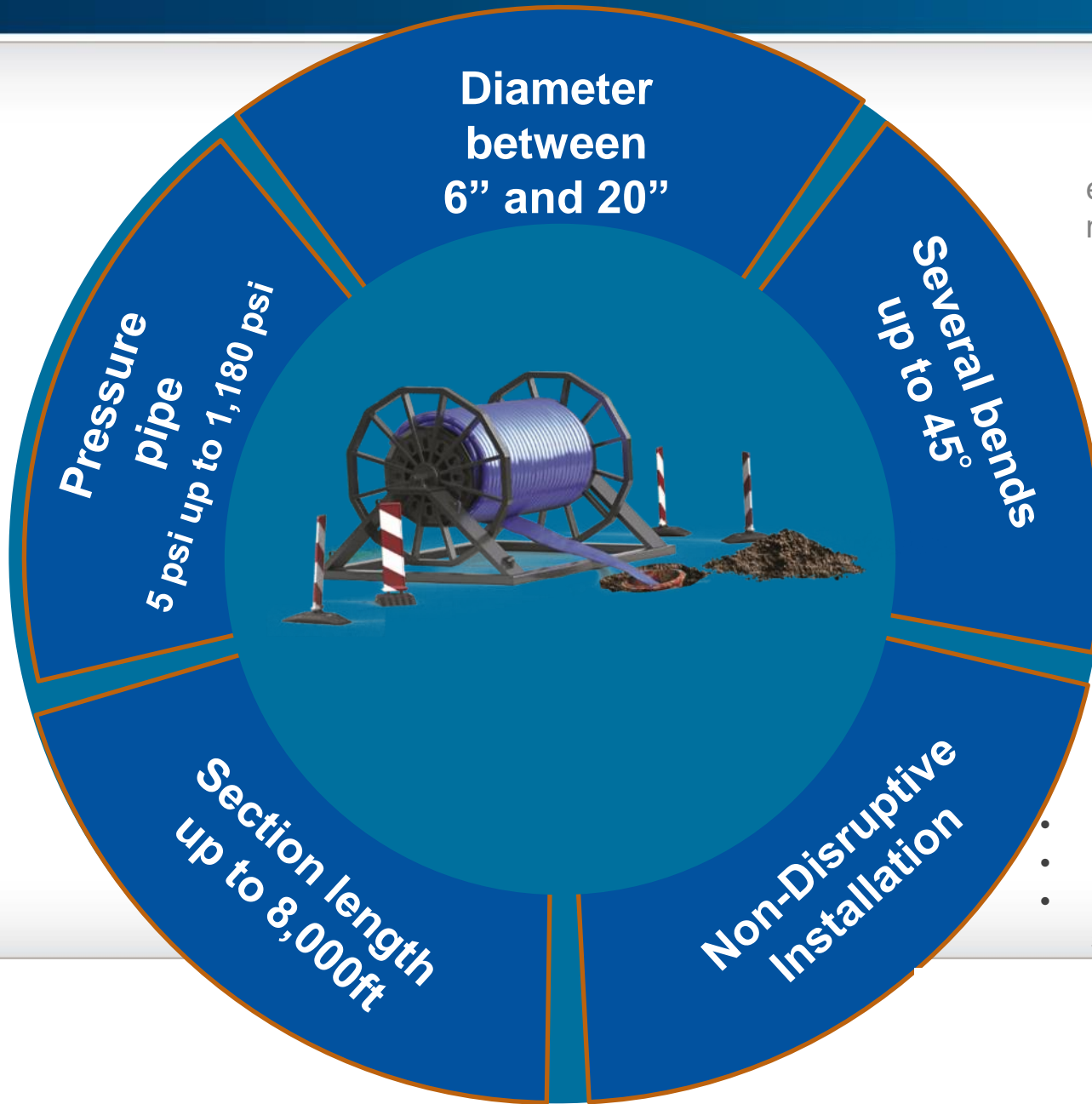


## Kevlar®

- Seamless, woven aramid fabric
- Accommodates the operating pressure independently from host pipe
- Wall thickness of 6 mm
- Liner is not glued to host pipe (no steaming or curing processes)
- Installed with annulus space



# Technical Envelope



e.g. Syphons,  
river crossings ....

- High Traffic areas
- Nature parks
- Environmentally sensitive areas

# Installation Process



Insertion

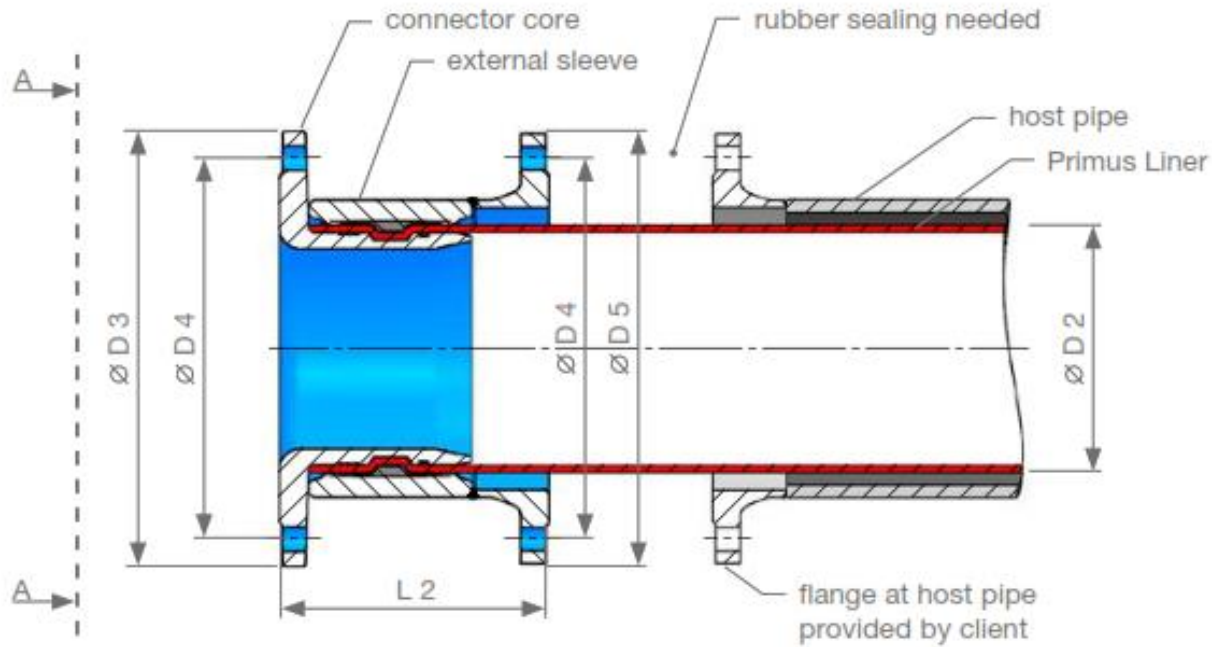


Pullback

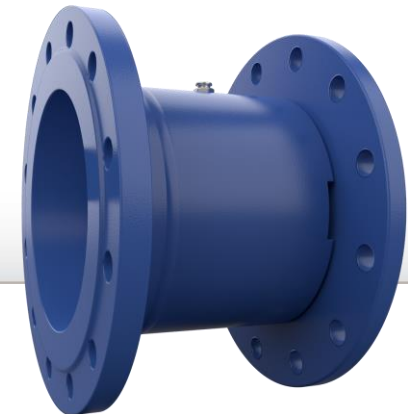
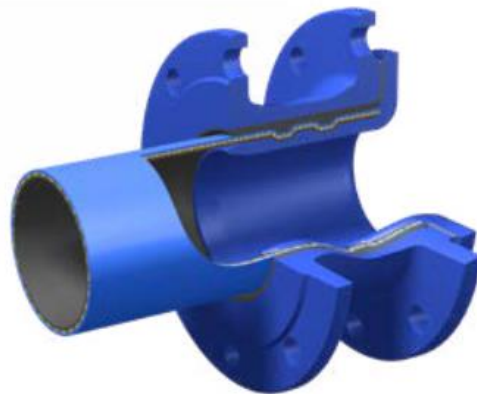
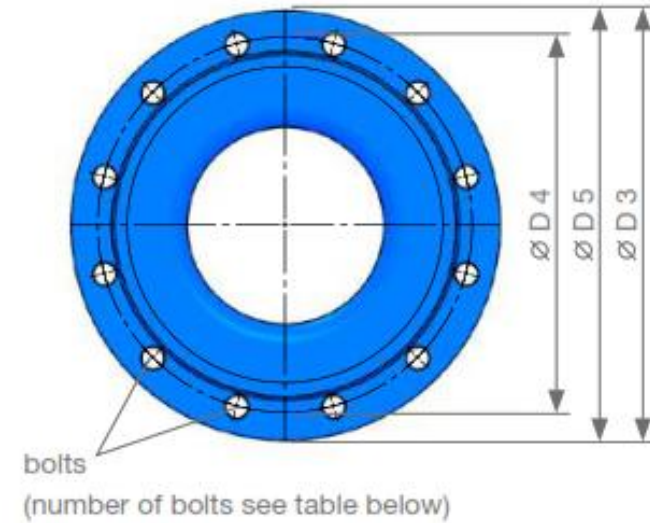


Inflation

# End Connections



flange / view A-A





# HDD River Crossing Rehabilitation - FFRP

## Project Description

- Pipe Material: 16" HDPE (HDD)
  - Two recent isolated failure locations @ fusion joints
- Length: ~1,100 LF
- Pressure: 80 psi
- Type: Potable water
- Adjacent to high-speed roadway



# Bridge Water Main Rehabilitation - FFRP

## Ductile Iron Bridge Crossing

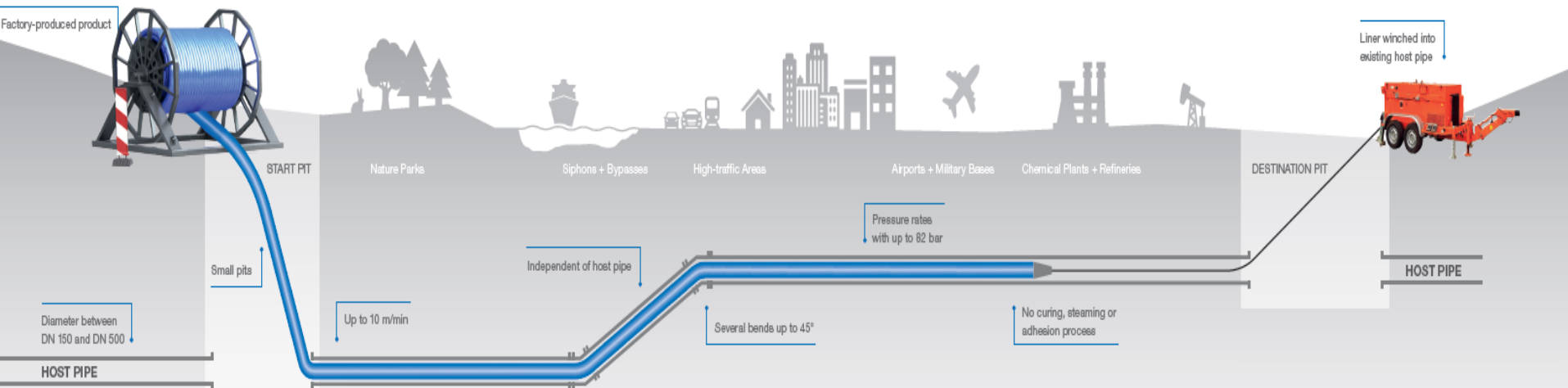
### Project Description

- **Existing Pipe Material:** 12" DI
  - Hung from bridge
- **Length:** ~1,400 LF
  - 45 minute pull back (~30 ft/min)
- **Pressure:** 80+ psi
- **Type:** Potable water



# Why use FFRP “modified sliplining” system for Class III?

- Minimal equipment / Personnel
- **Navigate Multiple bends up to 45 degrees**
- Fast install (33 ft/min or 1900 LF/hr)
- Small footprint
- Length of pulls >8000 LF
- Higher pressures and Low pressures
- No cure time liner winched into existing host pipe
- Emergency Rehab



# Horizontal Directional Drilling

**CLASS IV**  
Fully – Structural Solution

# Where is Horizontal Directional Drilling utilized?

- Water, Wastewater, Casing, Gas, Comm., Conduit, etc.
  - Waterbody crossings, outfalls and shore approaches
  - Interstate, Highway, railroad crossings, county roads, driveway/parking lot crossings
  - Conflicting utilities - gas lines or storm drains
  - Congested areas where open cut is too expensive
  - relocation/replacement



# Horizontal Directional Drilling

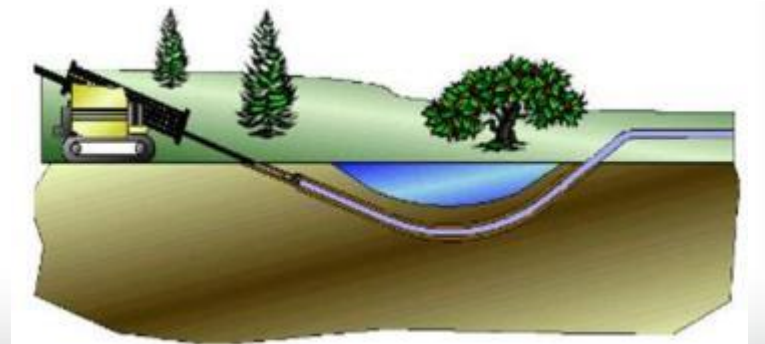
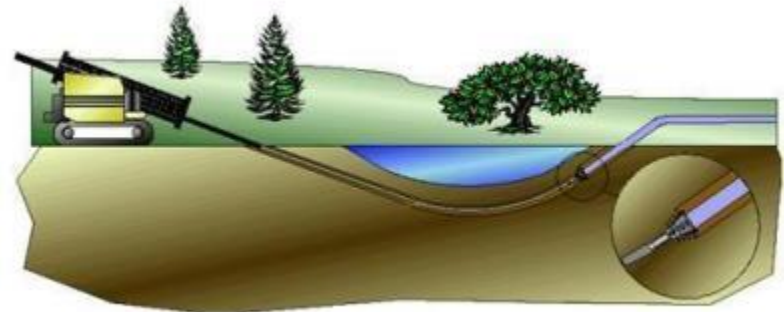
## Project Considerations

- **Bore Alignment and Profile**
  - **Bend radius** of drill stem and product pipe
  - **Tracking / Bore path**
  - **Depth-** critical buckling pressure
- **Geotechnical information**
- **Insertion trench**
- **Pipe fusion and laydown area**
- **Drill Mud**
- **Pull Force**
  - **Water ballasting** and **rollers** to reduce drag
- **Reconnection**
- **Pressure test**



# Basics of Horizontal Directional Drilling

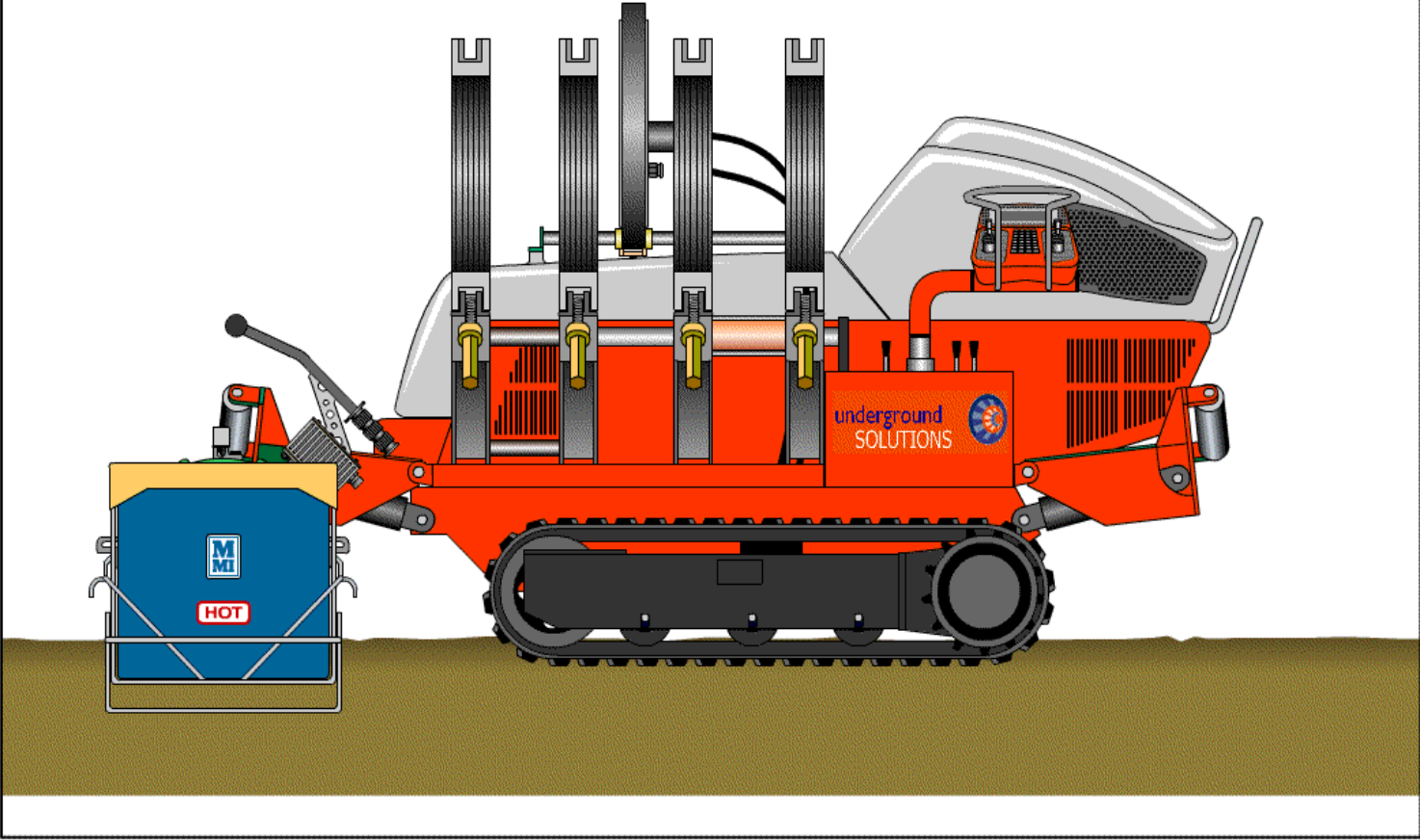
- Guided pilot hole is drilled along a bore path
- Drilling fluids are injected into the hole to stabilize and lubricate
- Back reamer is used to enlarge the pilot hole
  - Multiple passes are required to accommodate pipe OD
  - Drilled bore hole is typically enlarged to 1.5 x OD of new pipe
- Product pipe is pulled through the bore hole



# Fusion Process

Fusion Process

Pipe is loaded into the machine.





# PVC and HDPE Pipe Materials Properties

| Property                                      | Specification | PVC                                    | HDPE 3608 <sup>1</sup>                  | HDPE 4710 <sup>2</sup>                  |
|---|---------------|--|---|---|
| Tensile Strength psi                          | ASTM D638     | 7,000                                  | 3,000                                   | ≤3,500                                  |
| Density (Specific Gravity)                    | ASTM D1505    | 1.40                                   | 0.94                                    | 0.95                                    |
| Hydrostatic Design Basis At 73° F, psi        | ASTM D2837    | 4,000                                  | 1,600                                   | 1,600                                   |
| Modulus of Elasticity psi (Short Term)        | ASTM D638     | 400,000                                | 110,000 <sup>3</sup>                    | 130,000 <sup>3</sup>                    |
| Hardness (Rockwell R)                         | ASTM D785     | 117                                    | 52                                      | NA                                      |
| Coefficient of Linear Expansion In./In. deg F | ASTM D696     | $0.3 \times 10^{-4}$<br>.36"/100'/10°F | $1.2 \times 10^{-4}$<br>1.44"/100'/10°F | $1.2 \times 10^{-4}$<br>1.44"/100'/10°F |
| Water Disinfectant Induced Oxidation          |               | Highly Resistant                       | Low Resistance                          | Low Resistance                          |
| Hydrocarbon Permeation                        |               | Highly Resistant                       | Highly Permeable                        | Highly Permeable                        |

1. HDPE 3608 also referred to as PE80
2. HDPE 4710 also referred to as PE100
3. PPI – PE Handbook – Long Term Modulus of Elasticity is 28,200 psi

# Trenchless Pipe Material Options

Strength & Stiffness



- **Metal & Metal Reinforced Pipe** – Highest Tensile Strength, Limited Flexibility, Requires Corrosion Protection, Not Permeable (gaskets are permeable). Up to 18,000' pull lengths.
- **Fusible PVC® Pipe** – Stronger than HDPE, More Flexible than Metal, No Galvanic Corrosion, No Water Disinfectant Oxidation, Permeation Resistant, Compatible with DI & Steel Pipe. Up to 7,600' pull lengths.
- **Restrained Joint PVC Pipe** – Limited Deflection, No Water Disinfectant Oxidation, Permeation Resistant, Compatible with DI & Steel Pipe. Segmented assembly eliminates pipe layout challenges. Up to 2,000' pull lengths.
- **Fusible HDPE Pipe** – Most Flexible, Lowest Tensile Strength & Stiffness, No Galvanic Corrosion, Requires Protection from Disinfectant Oxidation, Lowest Resistance to Hydrocarbon Permeation, Requires Transition Connections with DI & Steel Pipe. Up to 4,000' pull lengths.

Flexibility



# Eagleville, TN –River Crossings HDD

Horizontal  
Directional  
Drilling



CONSOLIDATED UTILITY DISTRICT

*Rutherford County, Tennessee*

Sliplining

- Harpeth River Crossing HDD
  - 320 linear feet of 12” DR25 blue Fusible PVC casing HDD
  - 320 linear feet of 8” DR18 blue Fusible PVC carrier Slipline
- Stones River HDD – solid rock soils
  - 600 linear feet of 12” DR25 blue Fusible PVC casing HDD
  - 600 linear feet of 8” DR18 blue Fusible PVC carrier Slipline



# Recent USDA Projects

## AL Water System Improvements

### Clay County

- ~12000 LF of 6" & 8" Fusible C900 PVC
- >52 Horizontal Directional Drills for creeks, wetlands and roads

### Perry County

- ~16,000 LF of 6-12" Fusible C900 PVC
- >59 Horizontal Directional Drills for creeks, wetlands and roads

### Wilcox County

- ~15,000 LF of 6-8" Fusible C900 PVC
- >60 Horizontal Directional Drills for creeks, wetlands and roads

### Russell County

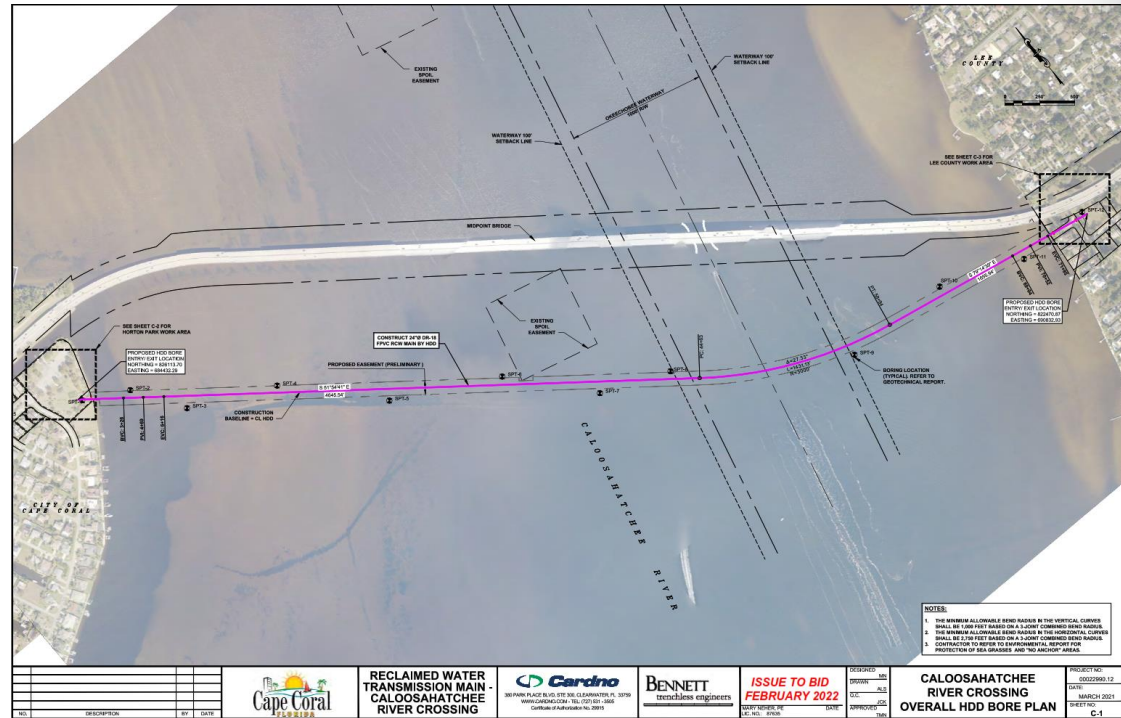
- ~5000 LF of 10" & 12" Fusible C900 PVC
- >12 Horizontal Directional Drills for creeks, wetlands and roads

# Record Breaking HDD with 24" DR18 Fusible PVC® Pipe

## Horizontal Directional Drilling

## Caloosahatchee Connect RCW Transmission City of Cape Coral

- 7,630' HDD of 24" DR18 Fusible PVC pipe
- 12MGD RCW from City of Ft. Myers to Cape Coral



Engineer – Stantec/Cardno, Bennett Trenchless  
 GC – Amici Engineering Contractors  
 HDD – Centerline Directional

# Kiawah River HDD – South Carolina

Horizontal  
Directional  
Drilling

## Kiawah Island Utility

- 7,000 linear feet of 16" DR14 Fusible PVC
- 85' deep
- 1 intermediate – 4600' & 2400' segments
- Design Engineer – Thomas & Hutton  
Contractor - Mears Group, Houston, TX



Aerial approach for pipe entry



# Johns Island, South Carolina

Horizontal  
Directional  
Drilling

St. Johns Water Company

- 20,000' 24" DR18 & DR25 Fusible C900 PVC
- 4,440' in single HDD Stono River Crossing
- Wetlands, Marshland, Grand Live Oak Trees
- River Road
- Contractor – RH Moore

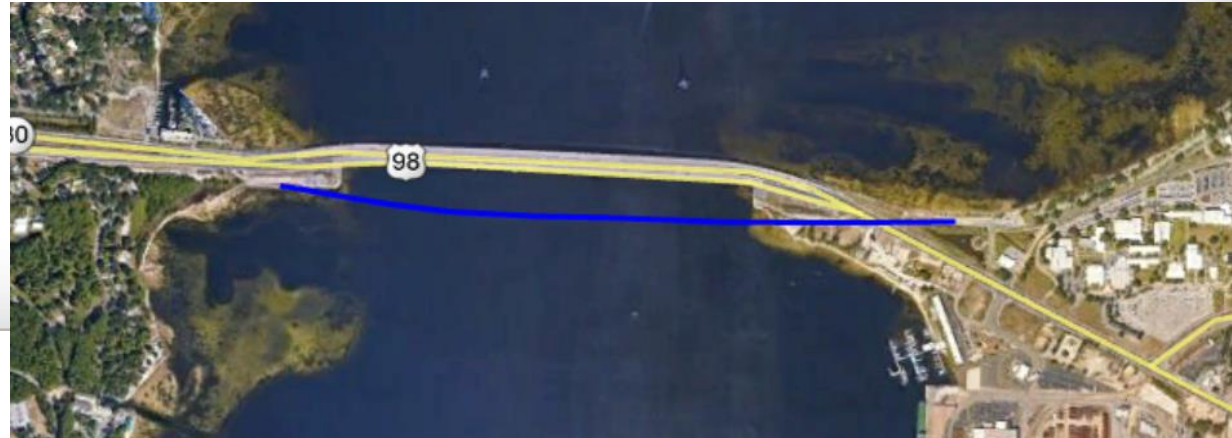


# Panama City Beach, FL – 1 mile+ HDD

Horizontal  
Directional  
Drilling

## Bay County - Hathaway Bridge

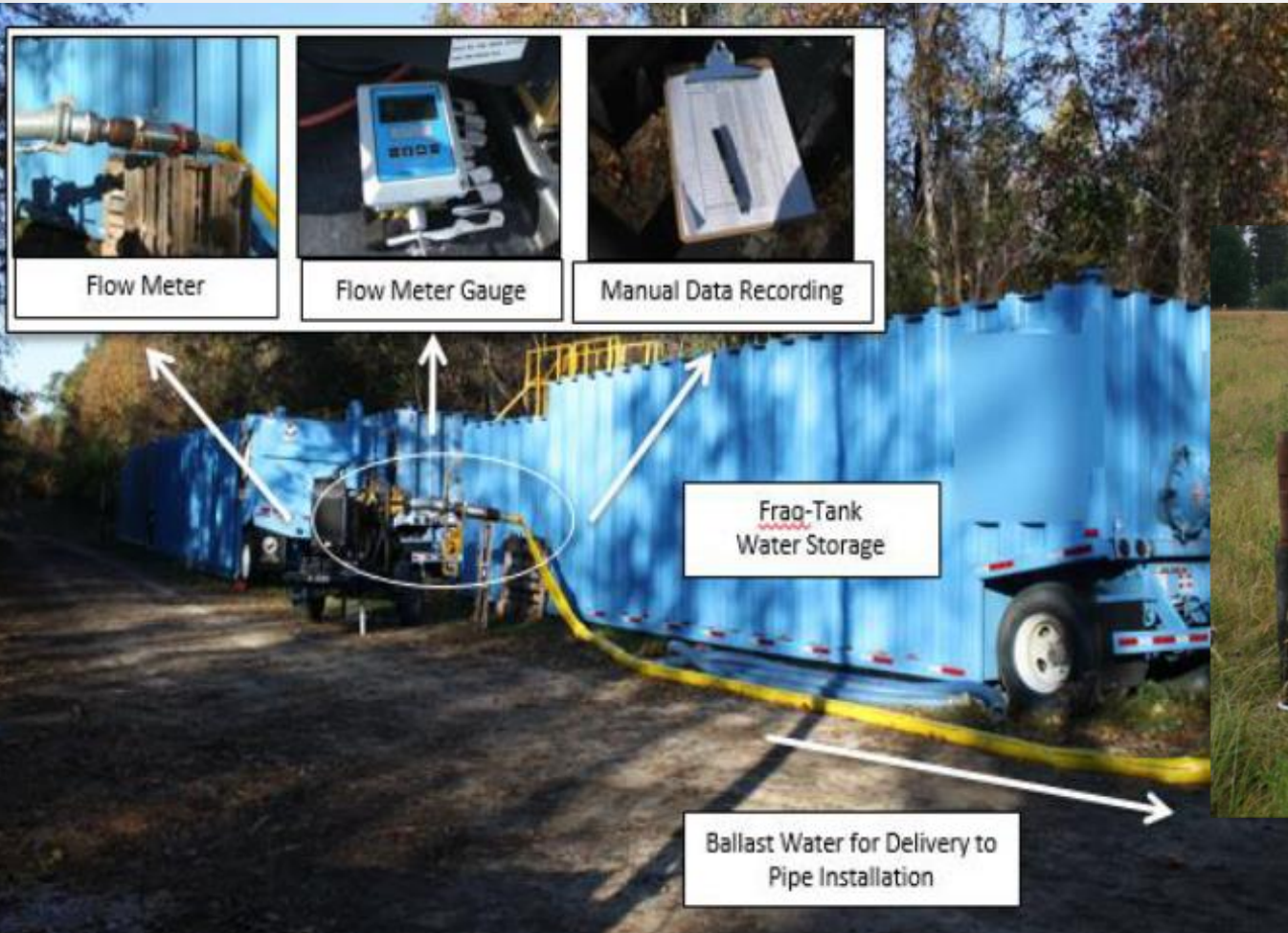
- 5400' of 24" DR18 Fusible C-900 PVC
- Engineer – Dewberry
- GC – Marshall Brothers
- Inspector - MM
- HDD Sub Contractor – Mears Group





# 5,400 LF 24" DR 18 Fusible C900 HDD Crossing

# Pipe Ballast Setup



# PIPE BURSTING

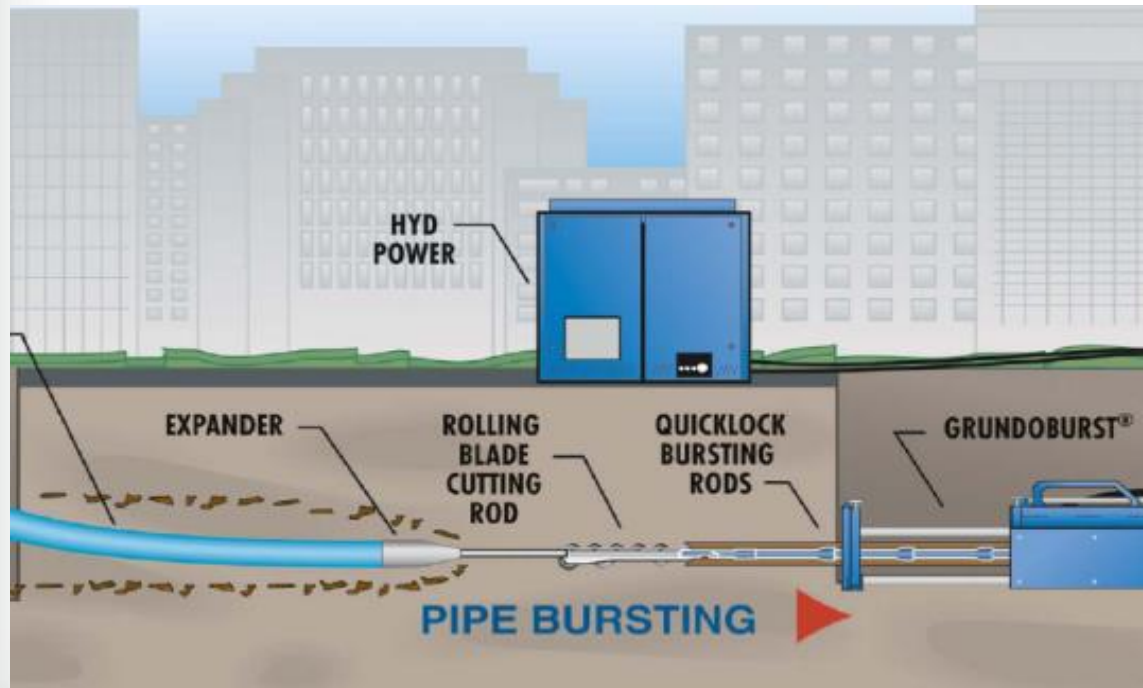
## **CLASS IV**

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# Pipe Replacement by Static Pipebursting

## Pipe Bursting

- Static Hydraulic Method is used
- Burst head is pulled through existing line - fracturing or cutting the pipe
- Fractured or split pipe is pushed into the surrounding soil
- New pipe is pulled in immediately behind the burst head
- Typically done in 300 - 500' increments (~1 hour pull-back)
- Utilizes existing alignment – less engineering cost to locate adjacent utilities
- Result in same or larger I.D. (upsizing) as old pipe



# Pipebursting Process

- Pre TV Inspection
- Tool Selection
- Pit Locations
- Fittings, Valves, Off-Sets
- Service Locations
- Pipe Fusing
- Pipebursting/Pipe Installation
- Service Reconnections
- Restoration
- Post TV Inspection

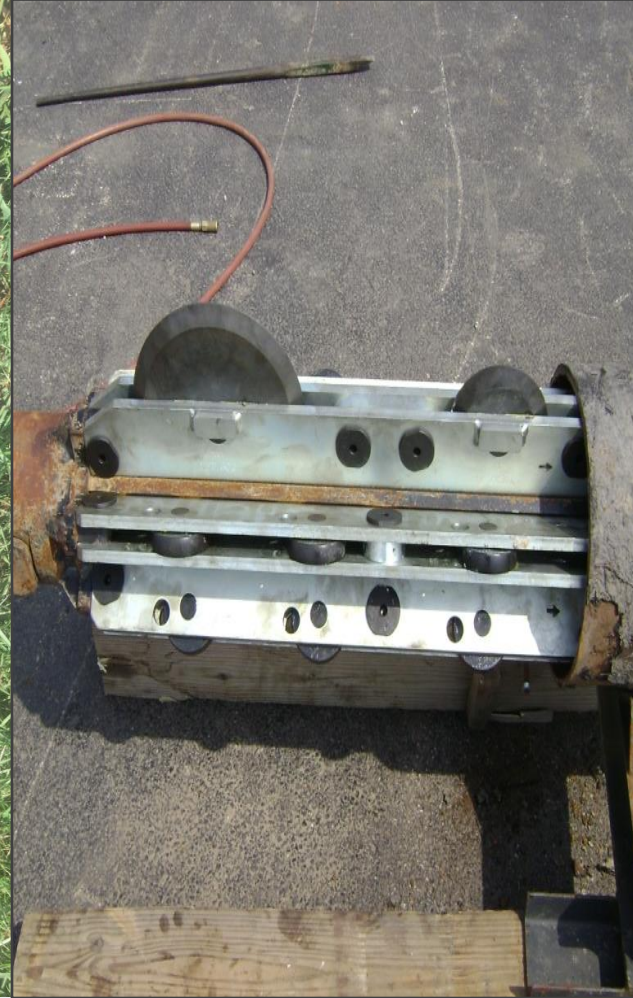
# Pipe Burst Host Pipe Materials

- **Fracturable Pipes** include cast iron (CI), clay (VCP), concrete (CP), asbestos cement (AC), RCP, and others.
- **Non-Fracturable Pipes** include ductile iron (DI), steel, galvanized iron, HDPE, PVC, and others.
  - Replaced by pipe splitting
- **Generally not good candidates-** Corrugated metal, corrugated plastic pipes, and brick

# Static Machine Pit and Pipe Insertion



# Tooling: Cutters, Linkage, and Expander





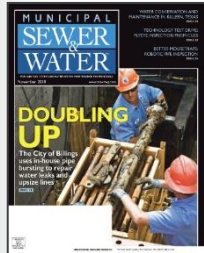
# Insertion



# Examples of Programmatic Pipe Bursting Water Mains Across the Country

End-users from East to West see advantages of pipe bursting programs

## Billings, MT (pop. 110,000)



- Started in 2008
- Over 27,000 LF installed
- City does fusing and bursting

## Lee's Summit, MO (pop. 91,000)



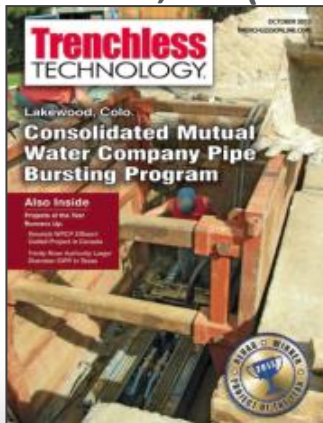
- Started in 2009
- Over 118,000 LF installed
- City bids specific projects

## Monroe, NC (pop. 35,000)



- Started in 2014
- Over 50,000 LF installed
- City installs pipe

## Denver, CO (CMW pop. 100,000)



- Started in 2010
- Over 230,000 LF installed
- City does fusing and bursting

## Greensboro, NC (pop. 294,000)



- Started in 2009
- Over 72,000 LF installed
- City bids annual contracts

# Water Distribution Replacement – Miller Street Water Main

## Pipe Bursting

Client: City of Monroe, NC

- Existing WM:
- 10inch and 8inch existing Cast Iron
- Replacement Material:
- 1,485 LF: 10-inch Fusible C-900 PVC pipe
- 225 LF: 8-inch Fusible C-900 PVC pipe
- Contractor – KRG Utility



# Ductile Iron Water Main Pipe Burst

Pipe Bursting

Client: CFPUA



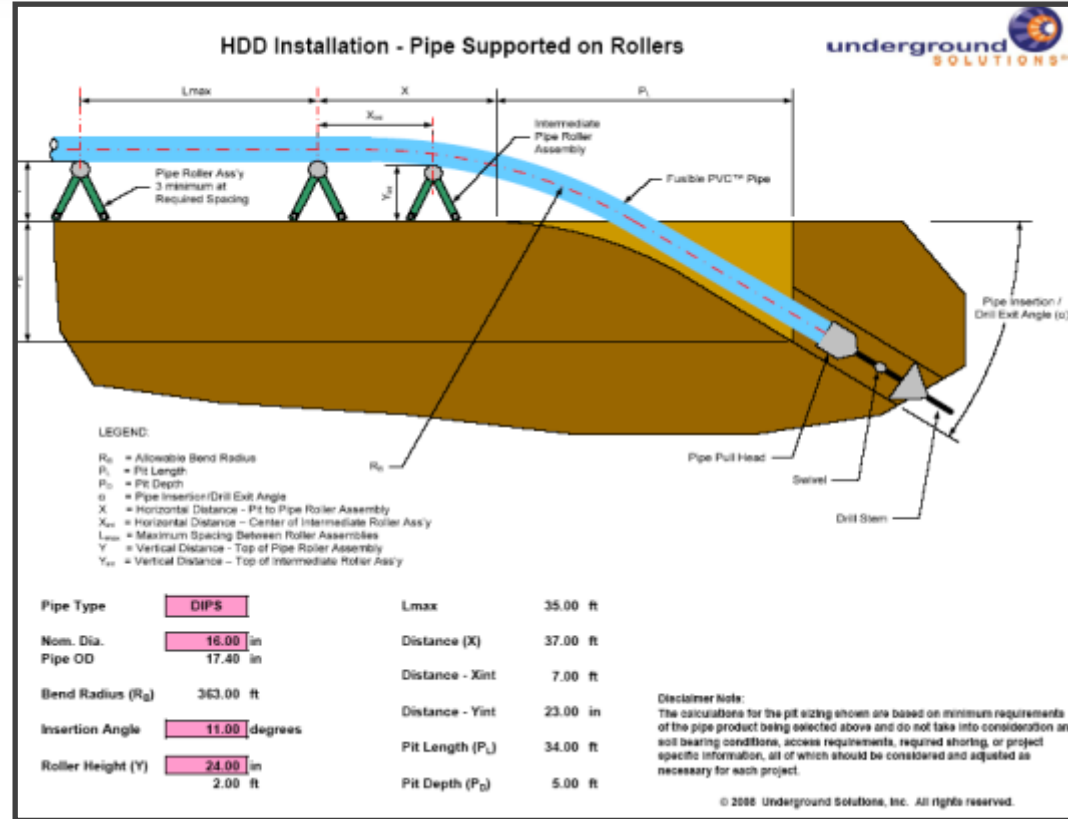
- Existing WM:
- 20inch Ductile Iron
  
- Replacement Material:
- 5,039 LF: 20-inch DR18 Fusible C-900 PVC pipe
  
- GC – State Utility Contractors
- Contractor – KRG Utility



# Technical Support

Project assistance includes:

- Seasoned industry construction managers to help “kick-off” projects with owners and contractors
- Calculation tools for planning HDD, Sliplining, Pipe Bursting and Open-Cut projects
- Handling instructions on “Quick Cards” for contractors in the field
- Project management and direct source of project information



# QUESTIONS



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