

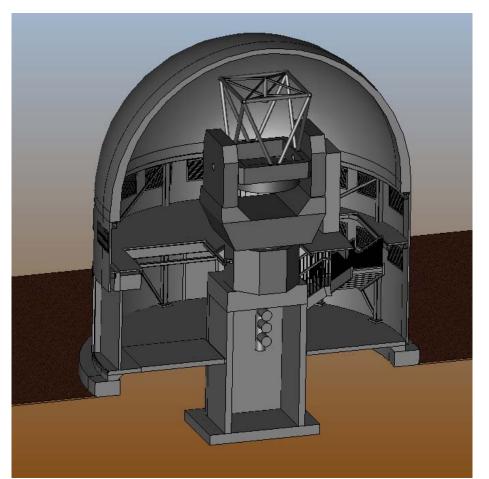
## The Kenneth J. Johnston NPOI: Plans for the 1.8-meter Array



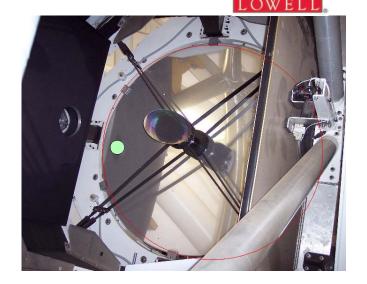
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+ Lowell Team + NRL Team + Past players



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**Upper:** Current 5" Siderostat Beam compared to full use of 1.8m aperture.

Expected optical mag limit to V~9.5





## "How We Got Here"



2006	First Official Indication Keck Outriggers May Be Available
2006	Discussions with CARA/NASA Initiated
2007	Papers– Array defined
2008	Preliminary Engineering Plan Developed
2009	CARA Officially Offers Gift of Four 1.8m  Telescopes to Naval Observatory
2009	USNO Visits Australia; Disposed Surplus
2009	6.02x10^23 Navy/CARA/NASA/EOS Lawyers later
2010	U.S. Navy Officially Accepts Ownership of Telescopes, Transfer to NOFS (UNSECNAV Robert O. Work)
2011 2012	Initiated Final Engineering Plan; JMAPS Facility Engineering Plan Complete.
2012	USFS Approved; WBS/GANTT/Strawman Contracts/FISC Review
2012	Bulk Funded to \$10.5M/18.3M, failed in 3Q (Navy Fuel Shortage)
2013 2014	Back on Table – POM for FYDP starting FY15 Funded to \$8.5M in FY15, in POM for 10M more; Moving some left?

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Install Cont'd – Telescope Plan, 4<sup>th</sup> Scope Plan, Integration (NRL 1.4m etc) Precise Time & Astrometry





## \$18.3M OMN/OPN/RDTE Install



### **Current FY14-16 POM Plan**

**FY14** UNK/TBD – Possible partial Slide from FY15 into FY14

#### FY15 (\$3.1M RDTEN) \*\*\*\* UPDATE IN FOLLOWING SLIDE\*\*\*

In Core-\$2.2M civil works construction (RDTEN)

In Core-\$0.9M structures & electrical (RDTEN) In Core 1 year in FYDP

OMN= Operational "Maintenance"; 1 year in FYDP

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### **FY16** (\$0.9M RDTEN)

In Core - \$0.9M structures & electrical (RDTEN)

In Core - FY16 (\$2.3M RDTEN)

Above Core - \$0.2M structures & electrical (RDTEN)

Above Core - \$0.6M COTS domes (RDTEN)

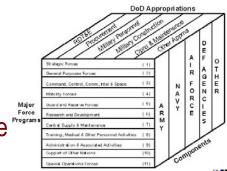
Above Core - \$0.6M new telescope control system (RDTEN)

Above Core - \$0.6M telescope installation (RDTEN)

Above Core - \$0.3M feed system upgrade (RDTEN) Above Core

RDTEN=R&D; 2 years per... Office of Naval Research

**OPN=Operational Procurement** 3 yrs





## \$18.3M OMN/OPN/RDTE Install



### **Current FY17-19 POM Plan**

### **FY17**(\$2.0M RDTEN / \$3.4M OPN)

Above Core - \$0.2M feed system upgrade (RDTEN)

Above Core - \$0.4M Cterm metrology (RDTEN)

Above Core - \$0.5M IR beam combiners & fringe tracking prototypes (RDTEN)

Above Core - \$0.9M final array integration & test (RDTEN)

Above Core - \$2.0M AO system (OPN)

Above Core - \$1.4M IR beam combiners & fringe tracking systems (OPN) Above Core

### **FY18** (\$1.0M RDTEN / \$1.0M OPN)

In Core - \$1.0M final array integration & test (RDTEN)

In Core - \$1.0M Upgrade lab & control building facilities (OPN)

In Core - FY18 (\$0.5M OPN / \$2.5M OMN)

Above Core-\$0.5M Upgrade lab & control building facilities (OPN)

Above Core-\$2.5M 1.8m array ops & maintenance (OMN)



### **FY19** (\$2.5M OMN)

In Core - \$2.5M 1.8m array ops & maintenance (OMN) ... **\$19.2M in sum** 





## From Pentagon's Program Buget Information System (PBIS)



#### on 14 March 2013...

"The Oceanographer of the Navy had three issues LOCKED in PBIS this morning for the Presidential FY15 and FYDP Budget for SECDEF"....

....and for NPOI:

16201 - Navy Precision Optical Interferometer, *plus-up \$8.5M* across FYDP

Notable for Fiscal Climate & SECDEF Hagel approach to Sequestration;

#### **UPSHOT:**

Four Domes and Infrastructure First @ FY15 (FY14?)

Then Telescopes...







## **Contracted Facility Engineering Team**



...to "Shovel Ready"

**Project Coordination:** Loven Contracting

Civil Engineering: Civil Design Engineering (CDE)

Structural Engineering: Tor Engineering

**Electrical Engineering:** Tor Engineering







## NPOI 1.8 m Facility Engineering Plan: Construction Ready Drawings



**Civil:** including all grading, drainage, road and fence realignment, light pipe locations and orientations, and locations of all excavations and pours.

**Structural:** including foundation details, building structural and finish details, doors, dome, piers, flooring, stairs, decking, and ventilation louvers.

**Electrical:** including power feeds, disconnects, grounding, transformers, TVSS, lighting, receptacles, and special power allocation for cooling.

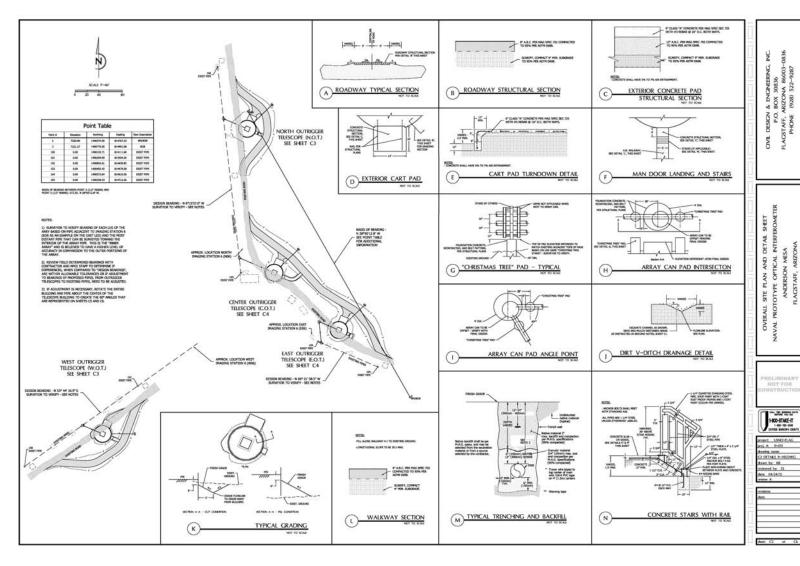






## **Civil Detail: Layout and Detail Notes**

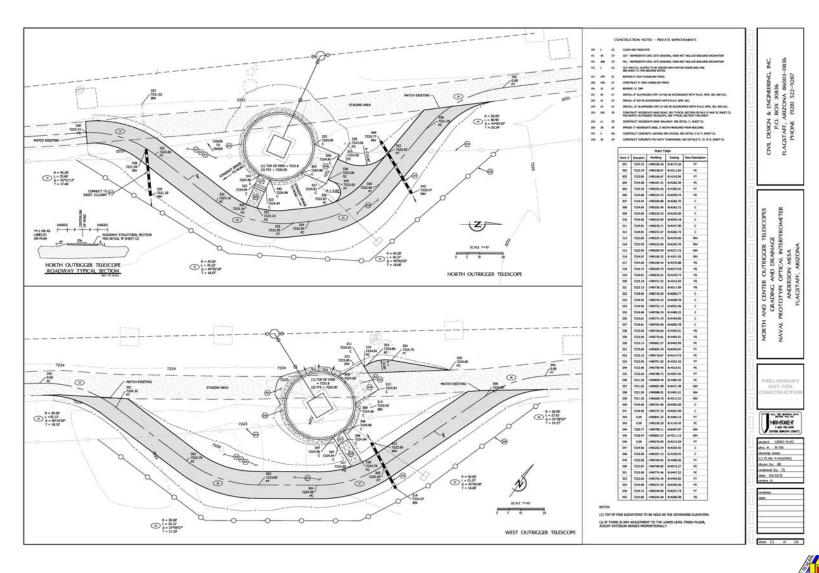






# Civil Plan: Grading, Roads, Drainage (North and West)

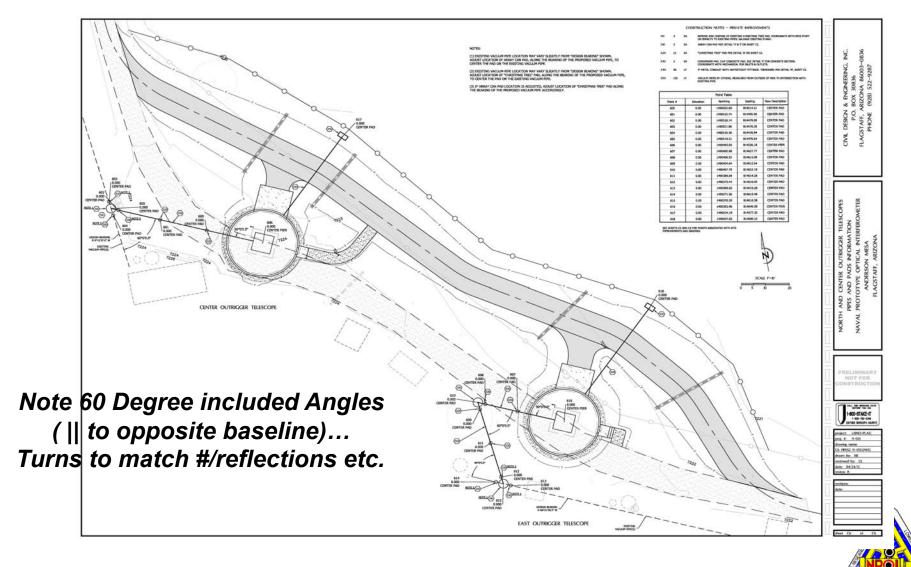






## Civil Locations: Pipes and Pads (Center and East)

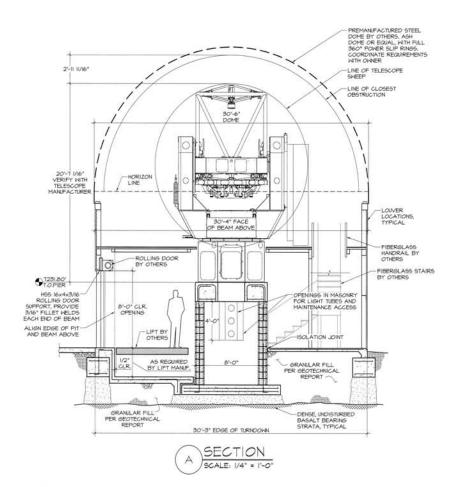


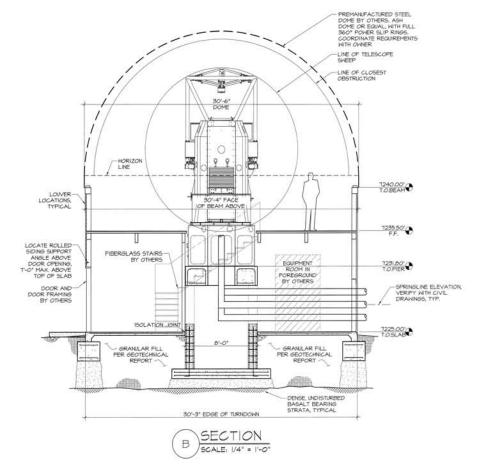




## **Engineering Layout: Structural Cross Sections**





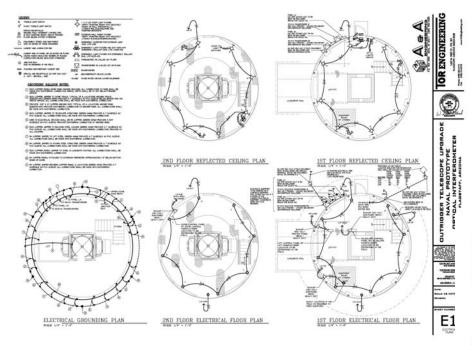




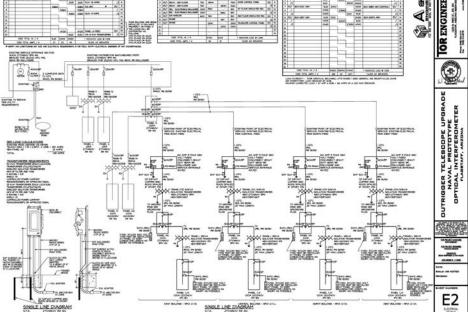


### **Infrastructure Electrical Plans**





## **Electrical...**Grounding, Lighting, Receptacles



**Precise Time & Astrometry** 

## **Electrical Feed Details**

**Extensive isolation** & lightning protection



## **Engineering Work Done/Underway**



(much AES / NRL Eng / USNO Eng / Lowell Eng)

### 1- Implement NOW, in advance

- Sid Control systems upgrades (AES)
- •Replacing VME-based control systems (AES)
- •New Fast Delay Line (FDL) controller prototype
- New Fringe Engine
- Long Delay Lines (LDL's)









## **3- Vacuum Feed Pipe Installation/** Integration Acquisition:

- 5 array center cans
- 24 light pipe support stands
- 12 lengths of pipe (6m)
- 9 flats/mounts
- M7 vacuum can and window (new)

(detail next Slide)

### 4- Adaptive Optics:

Test bed system built in-house (ICW USNA; in test on NOFS 1.55m)

NGS

## 2- Control Sys, IW 1.8m Upgrades:

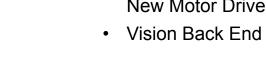
- Modified NPOI siderostat controller using existing telescope motors and encoders (AZ Embedded Systems)
- Existing Motors and Encoders, **New Motor Drivers**
- Vision Back End (NSF-covered)

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### 5- Telescope Installation

•Reviewed proposals from "3rd party" engineering consultants for installation and commissioning





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## .... Assured Future... (Considering!)





