

GENERAL NOTES AND SPECIFICATIONS

1. ALL WORK SHALL CONFORM TO ALL LOCAL, STATE, AND NATIONAL CODES ALONG WITH ALL VA STANDARDS. EQUIPMENT SHALL BE INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH MANUFACTURER'S WRITTEN RECOMMENDATIONS.
2. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL OBTAIN AND PAY FOR ALL PERMITS, FEES, AND INSPECTIONS REQUIRED FOR HIS WORK.
3. ALL MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND PRODUCTS INCORPORATED IN THE WORK UNDER THE CONTRACT SHALL BE NEW, OF A SUITABLE GRADE FOR THE PURPOSES INTENDED, AND TO THE EXTENT POSSIBLE, STANDARD PRODUCTS OF THE VARIOUS MANUFACTURERS EXCEPT WHERE SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION OR PERFORMANCE FEATURES ARE CALLED FOR.
4. ANY EQUIPMENT OR MATERIAL DEVIATIONS FROM THAT SPECIFIED OR DETAILED ON THIS DRAWING SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER. ALL PROPOSED EQUIPMENT DEVIATIONS SUBMITTED SHALL BE SIMILAR BOTH IN QUALITY AND CAPACITY TO THAT EQUIPMENT SPECIFIED.
5. ALL MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT SHALL BE LISTED AND LABELED BY UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES (U.L.).
6. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL INSTALL EQUIPMENT AS SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS ALLOWING FOR SUFFICIENT ACCESS AND CLEARANCE SPACE FOR EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE, REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENT. PROVIDE PROPER CLEARANCES FOR REQUIRED PIPING AND ELECTRICAL SERVICES AND CONNECTIONS. INSTALL ALL EQUIPMENT WITH REQUIRED ACCESS AND CLEARANCES IN ACCORDANCE WITH MANUFACTURER'S WRITTEN RECOMMENDATIONS AND/OR WITH ALL APPLICABLE CODES AND STANDARDS.
7. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE THE INSTALLATION AND ROUTING OF ALL PROPOSED DUCTWORK, PIPING AND EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE BUILDING STRUCTURE.
8. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE AND INSTALL HIS OWN SUPPORT EQUIPMENT. LOCATIONS SHALL BE COORDINATED WITH ALL CONTRACTORS PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.
9. THE ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL POWER CONNECTIONS TO THE EQUIPMENT PROVIDED UNDER THIS CONTRACT.
10. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL CONTROL WIRING FOR HIS EQUIPMENT.
11. DUCTWORK AND PIPING LAYOUTS AND LOCATIONS ARE SCHEMATIC. DO NOT SCALE THESE DRAWINGS. EXACT ROUTING OF DUCTWORK AND PIPING MUST BE DETERMINED IN THE FIELD. ALL DIMENSIONS SHALL BE FIELD VERIFIED BY THE CONTRACTOR BY ACTUAL MEASUREMENT AND OBSERVATION BEFORE ORDERING ANY DUCTWORK, PIPING OR EQUIPMENT. ANY DISCREPANCIES BETWEEN THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AND THE EXISTING CONDITIONS OR DIMENSIONS SHALL BE REPORTED TO THE A/E AND V/MAC COTR BEFORE THE PERFORMANCE OF ANY WORK. FAILURE TO VERIFY AND REPORT SHALL CONSTITUTE THE CONTRACTOR'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE EXISTING CONDITIONS AS FIT FOR THE PROPER EXECUTION OF HIS WORK. SEE ARCHITECTURAL DRAWINGS FOR FINAL LOCATION OF CEILING INSTALLATION.
12. DUCTWORK AND PIPING SHALL BE KEPT AS CLOSE AND HIGH AS POSSIBLE TO THE BUILDING WALLS, CEILING AND FLOOR AND ROOF STRUCTURE IN ORDER THAT THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF SPACE IS AVAILABLE. ADDITIONAL OFFSETS, FITTINGS, ETC. NOT SHOWN BUT REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN MAXIMUM CLEARANCE SHALL BE PROVIDED AT NO ADDITIONAL COST.
13. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL PATCHING, PAINTING AND CLEANING ASSOCIATED WITH THIS PROJECT UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
14. PROVIDE A COMPLETE 1-YEAR WARRANTY ON ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS.
15. CONTRACTOR SHALL FURNISH A BOUND SET OF OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS FOR ALL EQUIPMENT TO THE OWNER UPON COMPLETION OF PROJECT.
16. INSTALL ESCUTCHEONS IN ALL PLACES WHERE PIPING PENETRATES A WALL IN AN EXPOSED LOCATION.
17. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL MAKE A COMPLETE REVIEW OF THE MECHANICAL PLANS, INCLUDING THE SCHEDULES AND DETAILS PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OF ANY MECHANICAL SYSTEMS AND SHALL RESOLVE ANY CONFLICTS WITH THE ENGINEER.
18. CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE POSSESSION OF AND DISPOSE OF ALL EXISTING MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT BEING DEMOLISHED AND/OR REMOVED. ALL ITEMS SHALL BE DISPOSED OF IN FULL COMPLIANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE LAWS, RULES, AND REGULATIONS THAT APPLY. CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE DISPOSAL.
19. INSTALL SHUT-OFF DUTY VALVES AT EACH BRANCH CONNECTION TO SUPPLY MAINS, AND AT SUPPLY CONNECTION TO EACH PIECE OF EQUIPMENT. INSTALL CHECK VALVES AT EACH PUMP DISCHARGE AND ELSEWHERE AS REQUIRED TO CONTROL FLOW DIRECTION.
20. DRAWING PLANS, SCHEMATICS, AND DIAGRAMS INDICATE GENERAL LOCATION AND ARRANGEMENT OF PIPING SYSTEMS. INSTALL PIPING INDICATED TO BE EXPOSED AND PIPING IN EQUIPMENT ROOMS AND SERVICE AREAS AT RIGHT ANGLES OR PARALLEL TO BUILDING WALLS. DIAGONAL RUNS ARE PROHIBITED UNLESS SPECIFICALLY INDICATED OTHERWISE. INSTALL PIPING FREE OF SAGS AND BENDS. INSTALL PIPING TO ALLOW APPLICATION OF INSULATION.
21. REAM ENDS OF PIPES AND TUBES AND REMOVE BURRS. BEVEL PLAIN ENDS OF STEEL PIPE. REMOVE SCALE, SLAG, DIRT, AND DEBRIS FROM INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF PIPE AND FITTINGS BEFORE ASSEMBLY.
22. THREADED JOINTS. THREAD PIPE WITH TAPERED PIPE THREADS ACCORDING TO ASME B1.20.1. CUT THREADS FULL AND CLEAN USING SHARP DIES. REAM THREADED PIPE ENDS TO REMOVE BURRS AND RESTORE FULL ID. JOIN PIPE FITTINGS AND VALVES AS FOLLOWS: APPLY APPROPRIATE TAPE OR THREAD COMPOUND TO EXTERNAL PIPE THREADS UNLESS DRY SEAL THREADING IS SPECIFIED. DAMAGED THREADS. DO NOT USE PIPE OR PIPE FITTINGS WITH THREADS THAT ARE CORRODED OR DAMAGED. DO NOT USE PIPE SECTIONS THAT HAVE CRACKED OR OPEN WELDS.
23. INSTALL MANUAL AIR VENTS AT HIGH POINTS IN PIPING, AT HEAT-TRANSFER COILS, AND ELSEWHERE AS REQUIRED FOR SYSTEM AIR VENTING.
24. CUT INSULATION IN A MANNER TO AVOID COMPRESSING INSULATION MORE THAN 75 PERCENT OF ITS NOMINAL THICKNESS. FINISH INSTALLATION WITH SYSTEMS AT OPERATING CONDITIONS. REPAIR JOINT SEPARATIONS AND CRACKING DUE TO THERMAL MOVEMENT. REPAIR DAMAGED INSULATION FACINGS BY APPLYING SAME FACING MATERIAL OVER DAMAGED AREAS. EXTEND PATCHES AT LEAST 4 INCHES BEYOND DAMAGED AREAS. ADHERE, STAPLE, AND SEAL PATCHES SIMILAR TO BUTT JOINTS.
25. INSULATE INSTRUMENT CONNECTIONS FOR THERMOMETERS, PRESSURE GAGES, PRESSURE TEMPERATURE TAPS, TEST CONNECTIONS, FLOW METERS, SENSORS, SWITCHES, AND TRANSMITTERS ON INSULATED PIPES, VESSELS, AND EQUIPMENT. SHAPE INSULATION AT THESE CONNECTIONS BY TAPERING IT TO AND AROUND THE CONNECTION WITH INSULATING CEMENT AND FINISH WITH FINISHING CEMENT, MASTIC, AND FLASHING SEALANT.
26. THE MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE THE LEAD IN PREPARATION OF COORDINATION DRAWINGS. SUCH DRAWINGS SHALL BE COMPLETED WITH COORDINATION FROM THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR AND ALL OTHER MAJOR AND MINOR SUBCONTRACTORS. PROVIDE PLAN VIEWS, SECTIONS AND ELEVATIONS, AS REQUIRED, TO FULLY COORDINATE ALL NEW WORK WITH ITSELF AND EXISTING CONDITIONS. DRAWINGS SHALL SHOW, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, ALL DUCTWORK, AIR DISTRIBUTION, MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT, MECHANICAL PIPING, FIRE PROTECTION PIPING, PLUMBING PIPING, CABLE TRAYS, LIGHTING FIXTURES, CEILING GRID AND HEIGHT, BEAMS AND JOISTS (WITH ELEVATIONS MARKED), ELECTRICAL CONDUIT LARGER THAN 2 INCHES IN DIAMETER AND ANY OTHER CEILING MOUNT DEVICES OR EQUIPMENT THAT PROTRUDE INTO THE CEILING CAVITY. IF THERE ARE ANY OUTSTANDING ISSUES THAT CANNOT BE RESOLVED, CONSULT WITH ARCHITECT AND/OR ENGINEER (THROUGH THE VA COTR) FOR GUIDANCE AND MAKE CORRECTIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIRECTIONS GIVEN. IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT FABRICATION CANNOT BEGIN UNTIL COORDINATION DRAWINGS HAVE BEEN APPROVED. ANY INSTALLATION COMMENCED PRIOR TO APPROVAL IS TAKEN AT THE CONTRACTORS OWN RISK AND MAY HAVE TO BE MODIFIED, MOVED AND/OR RECONFIGURED AT CONTRACTORS COST.

ALTERNATES

ALT #1
Add Alternate #1:
Construction and fit out of therapy pool, mechanical area (1-606), pool enclosure (1-603), associated roofing, specialty equipment housed within the pool area, doors 600B, 603, 604B, and sidelight 604 are all alternates.

Base bid to include demolition of mechanical unit, slab, and fence (D8); demolition of concrete ramp and canopy (D2, D7, D11); demolition of exterior door near column G4 and subsequent fill of exterior wall.

Plumbing sheets: PP101, PP111, PP112, PP113, PP301, PP302, and PP601 (all plumbing work related to therapy pool)

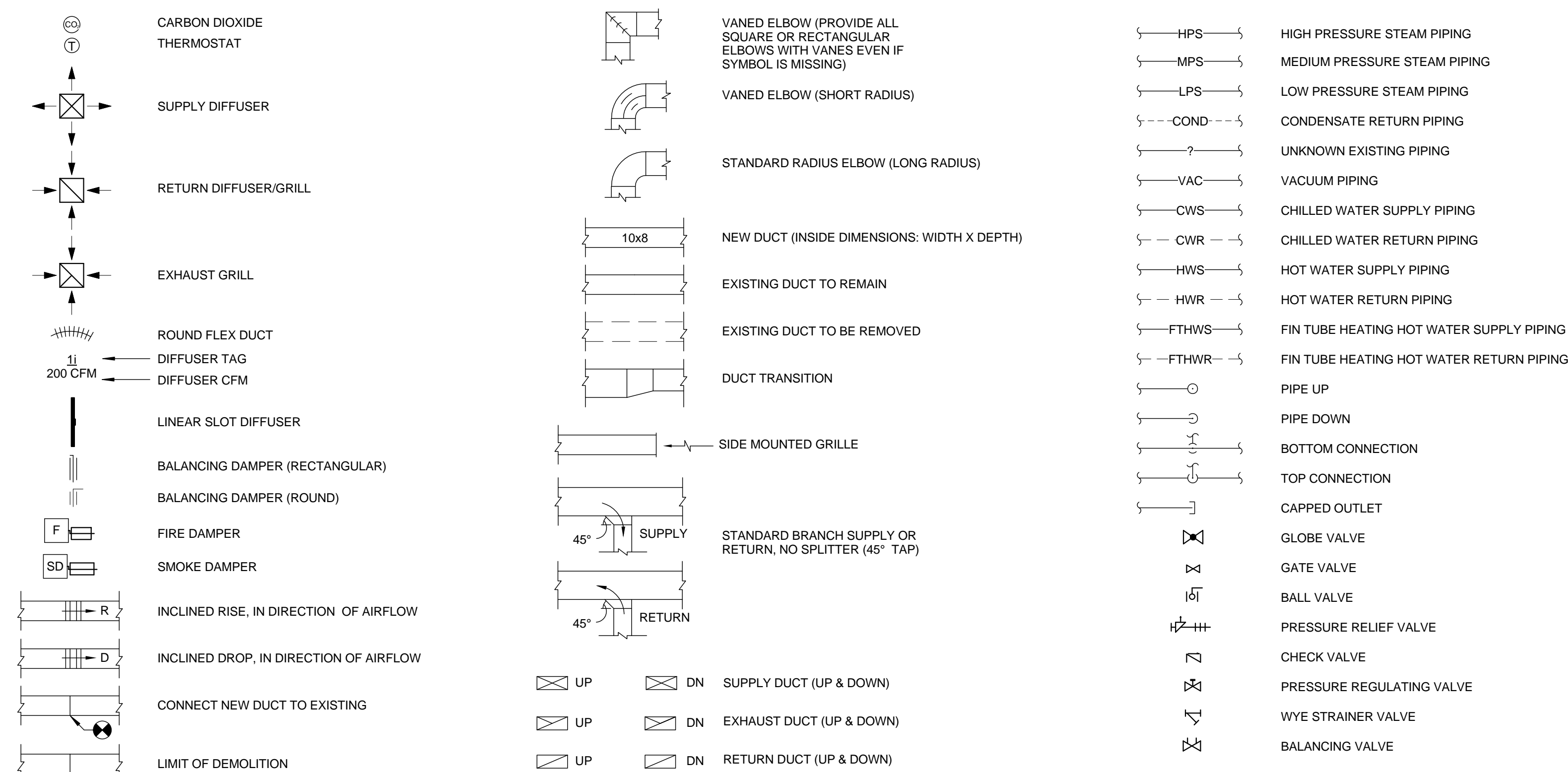
Mechanical sheets: MM111, MM401, MM502, MM504, MP101, MP111, and MH602 (all mechanical work related to therapy pool)

Electrical sheets: ED101, E-102, E-103, E-104, E-401, E603, and FA102 (all electrical work related to therapy pool)

ABBREVIATIONS

A/E	ARCHITECT / ENGINEER	D	DAMPER - AUTOMATIC	HD	HOOD	MH	MANHOLE	SD	SUPPLY AIR DIFFUSER
AAHX	AIR TO AIR HEAT EXCHANGER	D-1	OUTDOOR AIR DAMPER	HOA	HAND/OFF/AUTOMATIC	MHP	MOTOR HORSEPOWER	SDR	SMOKE DAMPER (RETURN)
AB	AIR BLENDER	D-2	RETURN AIR DAMPER	HP	HEAT PUMP	MIN	MINIMUM	SDS	SMOKE DAMPER (SUPPLY)
AAV	AUTOMATIC AIR VENT	D-3	RELIEF AIR DAMPER	HPD	HORSEPOWER	MM	MILLIMETER	SEN	SENSIBLE HEAT
ACC	AIR COOLED CONDENSER	DB	DECIBELS	HPR	HIGH PRESSURE DRIPT TRAP	MOV	MOTOR OPERATED VALVE	SP	SUPPLY FAN
ACCH	AIR COOLED CHILLER	DB	DRY BULB TEMPERATURE	HPS	HIGH PRESSURE RETURN (STEAM CONDENSATE)	MFR	MEDIUM PRESSURE RETURN (STEAM CONDENSATE)	SR	SUPPLY AIR GRILLE
ACCU	AIR CONDITIONING UNIT	DEG	DEGREE	HRC	HEAT RECOVERY COIL	MPS	MEDIUM PRESSURE STEAM	SH	STEAM HUMIDIFIER
ACU	AUTOMATIC CONTROL	DIA	DIFFUSER	HRD	HEAT RECOVERY DEVICE	NG	MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING	SSC	STEAM HEATING COIL
ACD	DAMPER/MODULATING POSITION	DIW	DIAMETER	HRP	HEAT RECOVERY WHEEL	MVD	MEAN TEMPERATURE DIFFERENCE	SI	SQUARE INCHES
ACD-TP	AUTOMATIC CONTROL DAMPER/TWO POSITION	DP	DEIONIZED WATER	HRS	HYDRONIC RADIANT (CEILING) PANEL	MZ	MANUAL VOLUME DAMPER	SP	STATIC PRESSURE
AD	ACCESS DOOR	DP	DEW POINT TEMPERATURE	HRT	HEAT RECOVERY WHEEL	NA	MULTI-ZONE HUMIDISTAT	SPD	SPECIFIC GRAVITY
AF	AFTER FILTER	DPA	DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE ASSEMBLY	HTM	HUMIDIFIER TERMINAL	NC	NOT APPLICABLE	SPRV	SUPPLY PROCESS AND DISTRIBUTION
AFCV	AIR FLOW CONTROL VALVE	DPS	DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE SENSOR	HUM	HUMIDIFIER UNIT MOUNTED	NR	NOISE CRITERIA	SPV	STEAM PRESSURE REDUCING VALVE
AFF	ABOVE FINISHED FLOOR	DXCC	DIRECT EXPANSION	HVU	HEATING AND VENTILATING UNIT	NC	NORMALLY CLOSED	SS	STATIC PRESSURE SENSOR
AFMD	AIR FLOW MEASURING DEVICE	EA	ENTERING AIR TEMPERATURE	HWP	HOT WATER	NSFM	NATURAL GAS FLOWMETER	SS	STAINLESS STEEL
AFW	AIR FOL WHEEL (FAN)	EAT	EVAPORATIVE COOLER	HWR	HOT WATER HEATING COIL	NOA	NORMALLY OPEN	SSHX	STEAM TO STEAM HEAT EXCHANGER
AHU	AIR-HANDLING UNIT	EC	ENGINEERING CONTROL CENTER	HWS	HOT WATER UNIT HEATER	NRV	NATIONAL OCEANIC & ATMOSPHERIC	STR	SOLID SEPARATOR
AMP	AMPERAGE	ECC	EVAPORATIVE CONDENSER UNIT	HWH	HOT WATER UNIT HEATER	NOM	NOMINAL	ST	STEAM TRAP
AP	ACCESS PANEL	ECU	ELECTRIC DUCT HEATER	HVD	HOISTWAY VENT DAMPER	NSH	NET POSITIVE SUCTION HEAD	SUH	STEAM PRESSURE REDUCING VALVE
APD	AIR PRESSURE DROP	EER	EXHAUST EFFICIENCY RATIO	HX	HEAT EXCHANGER	NTS	NOT TO SCALE	SUS	STEAM VENT SILENCER
ARJ	AIR CONDITIONING AND REFRIGERATION INSTITUTE	EF	EXHAUST FAN	HZ	HERTZ			SWHX	STEAM TO WATER HEAT EXCHANGER
AS	AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS	EG	EMERGENCY GAS SHUTOFF	IO	INPUT/OUTPUT				
ASME	AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS	EGS	EMERGENCY GAS SHUTOFF	IQ	INDOOR AIR QUALITY	OA	OUTSIDE AIR GRILLE	T & PCV	TEMPERATURE AND PRESSURE
AW	AIR WASHER	EGT	ENTERING GLYCOL TEMPERATURE	IBT	INVERTED BUCKET TRAP	OAI	OUTSIDE AIR INTAKE	TAB	TESTING, ADJUSTING, BALANCE
AXF	AXIAL FLOW	EH	EXHAUST HOOD	IBT	INVERTED BUCKET TRAP	OD	OUTSIDE DIAMETER	TAD	TEMPERATURE DIFFERENCE
		END	END OF MAIN DRIP (STEAM)	ICU	INTENSIVE CARE UNIT	OTM	OUTSIDE TEMPERATURE	TCH	TOTAL DYNAMIC HEAD
B	BOILER	EMD	END OF MAIN DRIP (STEAM)	ICU	INTENSIVE CARE UNIT	OR	OPERATING ROOM	TDS	TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS
BD	BUTTERFLY DAMPER	ENT	ENTERING	IN	INCHES	P	PUMP	TP	TRANSFER GRILLE
BDD	BASE BOARD RADIATOR	ERC	ELECTRIC REHEAT COIL	IN HG	INCHES OF MERCURY	PA	PASCAL	TP	TOP REGISTER
BDR	BACKFLOW PREVENTER	ERP	ELECTRIC RADIANT PANEL	IN W	INCHES OF WATER	PC	PUMPED CONDENSATE	TSP	TOTAL STATIC PRESSURE
BFP	BACKFLOW PREVENTER	ESP	EXTENDED STATIC PRESSURE	IN W	INCHES OF WATER	PCF	PUMPED CONDENSATE	TSTAT	THERMOSTAT
BFT	BOTTOM GRIFFE	EXP	EXPANSION TANK	IN WG	INCHES OF WATER GAUGE	PD	PRESSURE DROP	TU	TERMINAL UNIT
BHP	BRAKE HORSEPOWER	ETH	ETHYLENE OXIDE	IN W	INCHES OF WATER	PE	PRESSURE DROP	TU	TERMINAL UNIT
BH	HOT WATER HEATING BOILER	EUH	ELECTRIC UNIT HEATER	IRH	INFRARED HEATER	PF	PRE-FILTER	TRU-WALL	THRU-WALL UNIT
BHX	BOILER BLOWDOWN HEAT EXCHANGER	EWC	EVAPORATIVE WATER COOLER	IS	INSTRUMENT SCREEN	PW	PRESSURE GAGE	UC	UNDER CUT
		EW	ENTERING WATER TEMPERATURE	IU	INDUCTION UNIT	PWG	PROPYLENE GLYCOL-WATER (SOLUTION)	UC	UNIT COOLER
		EX	EXISTING	IV	INLET VANES	PHC	PREHEAT COIL	UH	UNIT HEATER
						PRM	PARTS PER MILLION	UL	UNDERWRITERS LABORATORY
						PRV	PRESSURE REGULATING (VALVE)	URV	UPRILAST UNIT VENTILATOR
						PSI	POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH	V	VALVE
						PSIA	POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH - ABSOLUTE	VAF	VANE AXIAL FAN
						PSIG	POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH - GAGE	VAV	VARIABLE AIR VOLUME
						PSV	PRESSURE SAFETY VALVE	VD	VOLUME DAMPER (MANUAL OPPOSED BLADE)
						PSAT	PACKAGED TERMINAL AIR CONDITIONER	VFD	VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE
								VHA	VETERANS HEALTH ADMINISTRATION
								VIB	VIBRATION ISOLATOR
								VIV	VARIABLE INLET VANES
								VP	VACUUM PUMP
								VPS	VARIABLE PRIMARY SYSTEM
								VRC	VACUUM (STEAM CONDENSATE) RETURN
								VSD	VARIABLE SPEED DRIVE
								VUH	VERTICAL UNIT HEATER
								W	WATTS
								WAG	WASTE ANESTHESIA GAS
								WB	WET-BULB (TEMPERATURE)
								WC	WATER COOLED
								WCC	WATER COOLED CHILLER
								WCH	WATER COOLED CONDENSING UNIT
								WCP	WATER COOLED HEAT PUMPS
								WCU	WATER COOLED PACKAGED UNIT
								WF	WALL EXHAUST FAN
								WFCV	WATER FLOW CONTROL VALVE
								WFM	WATER FLOWMETER
								WFL	WATER FLOW MEASURING DEVICE
								WFG	WATER GAGE
								WPD	WATER SIDE PRESSURE DROP
								YR	YEAR

MECHANICAL LEGEND



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