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Verify in field (VIF) often appears on construction plans to indicate that the contractor should confirm the dimensions before proceeding with construction. The term is an indication that often reality does not perfectly match plans. It also means “figure it out when you get there.” This matches my approach to making art. I may start with one idea, but in the process of creation it grows and changes. My ideas come from the making the thing—as much from my hands as from my brain. All work reflects the way in which it was made, but I emphasize. The more a viewer looks, the more they understand.
Sproj Tower
Temporary construction in Bartlett Field

- 4in Tube slips over 3½ pipe set into earth
- 2in x 2in x ½in square tube
- 162 1/2 in
- Ø21 1/2 in
- Ø42 1/2 in
- 74 in
- 9 in
- 12 3/4 in
- 5 in tube bolted to connect sections
- 4 in x 4 in x ¼ in square tube
- ½ in round bar