

9. Brian Sheron's Water Features



Photo left shows the Long Island Rail Road tugboat “Meitowax” docking two loaded car float barges at the docking facility on the East River in Long Island City, Borough of Queens, New York. The Manhattan skyline is in the background. The “water” was made with a base of smooth underlayment plywood painted a dark blue. Then four successive coats of Woodland Scenics “Water Ripples” were dabbed on the surface until the desired “choppy water” effect was achieved.

Photo next page is another view of the loaded car float barges being docked at Long Island City. The backdrop photo shows the 59th Street bridge that is just north of the car float docking facility. The continuous backdrop was made by merging a photo of the Manhattan skyline with a photo looking north up the East River. The water in the photos were made to match by having a mirror image of photo looking north up the East River made, then cutting off the water where it met the shoreline from the

mirror image photo and gluing it under the Manhattan skyline photo at the Manhattan shoreline. *Brian Sheron, MMR*

