

Water Quality Management Plan

For:

Rialto Industrial Building Project

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This Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP) has been prepared for Cornerstone Development Partners, Inc. by Armstrong and Brooks Consulting Engineers, Inc. The WQMP is intended to comply with the requirements of San Bernardino County and the NPDES Areawide Stormwater Program requiring the preparation of a WQMP. The undersigned, while it owns the subject property, is responsible for the implementation of the provisions of this plan and will ensure that this plan is amended as appropriate to reflect up-to-date conditions on the site consistent with San Bernardino County's Municipal Storm Water Management Program and the intent of the NPDES Permit for San Bernardino County and the incorporated cities of San Bernardino County within the Santa Ana Region. Once the undersigned transfers its interest in the property, its successors in interest and the city/county shall be notified of the transfer. The new owner will be informed of its responsibility under this WQMP. A copy of the approved WQMP shall be available on the subject site in perpetuity.

"I certify under a penalty of law that the provisions (implementation, operation, maintenance, and funding) of the WQMP have been accepted and that the plan will be transferred to future successors."

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Tract/Parcel Map Number(s):	Tract Map 16146 MB 281/51	Building Permit Number(s):	
CUP, SUP, and/or APN (Specify Lot Numbers if Portions of Tract):			APN: 260-021-39
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“The selection, sizing and design of stormwater treatment and other stormwater quality and quantity control measures in this plan were prepared under my oversight and meet the requirements of Regional Water Quality Control Board Order No. R8-2010-0036.”

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Section 1 Discretionary Permit(s)

Form 1-1 Project Information					
Project Name		Cornerstone Development Partners: Rialto Industrial Building Project			
Project Owner Contact Name:		Daniel Adams			
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Permit/Application Number(s):		Tract/Parcel Map Number(s):		Tract Map No. 16146	
Additional Information/ Comments:					
Description of Project:		A proposed 40,490 +/- square feet industrial building located at the NW intersection of Resource Drive and Riverside Avenue in the City of Rialto, State of California. Property is 1.9+/- acres in area. The site is currently composed of barren land. The development will include standard parking and landscaped areas in addition to a loading dock zone.			
Provide summary of Conceptual WQMP conditions (if previously submitted and approved). Attach complete copy.		N/A			

Section 2 Project Description

2.1 Project Information

This section of the WQMP should provide the information listed below. The information provided for Conceptual/ Preliminary WQMP should give sufficient detail to identify the major proposed site design and LID BMPs and other anticipated water quality features that impact site planning. Final Project WQMP must specifically identify all BMP incorporated into the final site design and provide other detailed information as described herein.

The purpose of this information is to help determine the applicable development category, pollutants of concern, watershed description, and long term maintenance responsibilities for the project, and any applicable water quality credits. This information will be used in conjunction with the information in Section 3, Site Description, to establish the performance criteria and to select the LID BMP or other BMP for the project or other alternative programs that the project will participate in, which are described in Section 4.

Form 2.1-1 Description of Proposed Project					
1 Development Category (Select all that apply):					
<input type="checkbox"/> Significant re-development involving the addition or replacement of 5,000 ft ² or more of impervious surface on an already developed site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New development involving the creation of 10,000 ft ² or more of impervious surface collectively over entire site	<input type="checkbox"/> Automotive repair shops with standard industrial classification (SIC) codes 5013, 5014, 5541, 7532- 7534, 7536-7539	<input type="checkbox"/> Restaurants (with SIC code 5812) where the land area of development is 5,000 ft ² or more		
<input type="checkbox"/> Hillside developments of 5,000 ft ² or more which are located on areas with known erosive soil conditions or where the natural slope is 25 percent or more	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Developments of 2,500 ft ² of impervious surface or more adjacent to (within 200 ft) or discharging directly into environmentally sensitive areas or waterbodies listed on the CWA Section 303(d) list of impaired waters.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Parking lots of 5,000 ft ² or more exposed to storm water	<input type="checkbox"/> Retail gasoline outlets that are either 5,000 ft ² or more, or have a projected average daily traffic of 100 or more vehicles per day		
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Priority / Non-Category Project <i>May require source control LID BMPs and other LIP requirements. Please consult with local jurisdiction on specific requirements.</i>					
2 Project Area (ft ²):	81,022	3 Number of Dwelling Units:	0	4 SIC Code:	TBD
5 Is Project going to be phased? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, ensure that the WQMP evaluates each phase as a distinct DA, requiring LID BMPs to address runoff at time of completion.</i>					
6 Does Project include roads? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, ensure that applicable requirements for transportation projects are addressed (see Appendix A of TGD for WQMP)</i>					

2.2 Property Ownership/Management

Describe the ownership/management of all portions of the project and site. State whether any infrastructure will transfer to public agencies (City, County, Caltrans, etc.) after project completion. State if a homeowners or property owners association will be formed and be responsible for the long-term maintenance of project stormwater facilities. Describe any lot-level stormwater features that will be the responsibility of individual property owners.

Form 2.2-1 Property Ownership/Management
Describe property ownership/management responsible for long-term maintenance of WQMP stormwater facilities:
The property owner will be responsible for all BMP maintenance.

2.3 Potential Stormwater Pollutants

Determine and describe expected stormwater pollutants of concern based on land uses and site activities (refer to Table 3-3 in the TGD for WQMP).

Form 2.3-1 Pollutants of Concern			
Pollutant	Please check: E=Expected, N=Not Expected		Additional Information and Comments
Pathogens (Bacterial / Virus)	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Nutrients - Phosphorous	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Nutrients - Nitrogen	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Noxious Aquatic Plants	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Sediment	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Metals	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Oil and Grease	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Trash/Debris	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Pesticides / Herbicides	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Organic Compounds	E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other:	E <input type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other:	E <input type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other:	E <input type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other:	E <input type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other:	E <input type="checkbox"/>	N <input type="checkbox"/>	

2.4 Water Quality Credits

A water quality credit program is applicable for certain types of development projects if it is not feasible to meet the requirements for on-site LID. Proponents for eligible projects, as described below, can apply for water quality credits that would reduce project obligations for selecting and sizing other treatment BMP or participating in other alternative compliance programs. Refer to Section 6.2 in the TGD for WQMP to determine if water quality credits are applicable for the project.

Form 2.4-1 Water Quality Credits			
1 Project Types that Qualify for Water Quality Credits: <i>Select all that apply</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Redevelopment projects that reduce the overall impervious footprint of the project site. [Credit = % impervious reduced]	Higher density development projects <input type="checkbox"/> Vertical density [20%] <input type="checkbox"/> 7 units/ acre [5%]	<input type="checkbox"/> Mixed use development, (combination of residential, commercial, industrial, office, institutional, or other land uses which incorporate design principles that demonstrate environmental benefits not realized through single use projects) [20%]	<input type="checkbox"/> Brownfield redevelopment (redevelop real property complicated by presence or potential of hazardous contaminants) [25%]
<input type="checkbox"/> Redevelopment projects in established historic district, historic preservation area, or similar significant core city center areas [10%]	<input type="checkbox"/> Transit-oriented developments (mixed use residential or commercial area designed to maximize access to public transportation) [20%]	<input type="checkbox"/> In-fill projects (conversion of empty lots & other underused spaces < 5 acres, substantially surrounded by urban land uses, into more beneficially used spaces, such as residential or commercial areas) [10%]	<input type="checkbox"/> Live-Work developments (variety of developments designed to support residential and vocational needs) [20%]
2 Total Credit % <i>(Total all credit percentages up to a maximum allowable credit of 50 percent)</i>			
Description of Water Quality Credit Eligibility (if applicable)	N/A		

Section 3 Site and Watershed Description

Describe the project site conditions that will facilitate the selection of BMP through an analysis of the physical conditions and limitations of the site and its receiving waters. Identify distinct drainage areas (DA) that collect flow from a portion of the site and describe how runoff from each DA (and sub-watershed DMAs) is conveyed to the site outlet(s). Refer to Section 3.2 in the TGD for WQMP. The form below is provided as an example. Then complete Forms 3.2 and 3.3 for each DA on the project site. ***If the project has more than one drainage area for stormwater management, then complete additional versions of these forms for each DA / outlet.***

Form 3-1 Site Location and Hydrologic Features			
Site coordinates <i>take GPS measurement at approximate center of site</i>	Latitude 34.042590	Longitude -117.369053	Thomas Bros Map Page 645
<p>¹ San Bernardino County climatic region: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Valley <input type="checkbox"/> Mountain</p>			
<p>² Does the site have more than one drainage area (DA): Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If no, proceed to Form 3-2. If yes, then use this form to show a conceptual schematic describing DMAs and hydrologic feature connecting DMAs to the site outlet(s). An example is provided below that can be modified for proposed project or a drawing clearly showing DMA and flow routing may be attached</i></p>			
<pre> graph TD subgraph DA1 A[DA1 DMA A] B[DA1 DMA B] end subgraph DA2 C[DA2 DMA C] D[DA2 DMA D (Self-Retaining)] end A --> O1[OUTLET 1] B --> O1 C --> O2[OUTLET 2] D --> O2 </pre>			
Conveyance	Briefly describe on-site drainage features to convey runoff that is not retained within a DMA		
DA1 DMA A to Outlet 1	Overflow from underground infiltration chambers will travel via pipe to a proposed under parkway drain at the southwestern corner of the site.		
DA1 DMA B to Outlet 1	Overflow from infiltration trench will discharge to a proposed under parkway drain at the southwestern corner of the site.		
DA2 DMA C to Outlet 2	Overflow from Filterra Facility will discharge to a proposed under parkway drain at the southeastern corner of the site.		

Form 3-2 Existing Hydrologic Characteristics for DA 1				
For Drainage Area 1's sub-watershed DMA, provide the following characteristics	DMA A	DMA B		
1 DMA drainage area (ft ²)	26,656	26,069		
2 Existing site impervious area (ft ²)	0	0		
3 Antecedent moisture condition <i>For desert areas, use http://www.sbcounty.gov/dpw/floodcontrol/pdf/20100412_map.pdf</i>	2	2		
4 Hydrologic soil group <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool – http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i>	A	A		
5 Longest flowpath length (ft)	117	216		
6 Longest flowpath slope (ft/ft)	0.21	0.03		
7 Current land cover type(s) <i>Select from Fig C-3 of Hydrology Manual</i>	Barren - Curve Number: 78	Barren - Curve Number: 78		
8 Pre-developed pervious area condition: <i>Based on the extent of wet season vegetated cover good >75%; Fair 50-75%; Poor <50% Attach photos of site to support rating</i>	Poor	Poor		

Form 3-2 Existing Hydrologic Characteristics for DA 2				
For Drainage Area 2's sub-watershed DMA, provide the following characteristics	DMA C	DMA D		
1 DMA drainage area (ft ²)	24,466	4,177		
2 Existing site impervious area (ft ²)	0	0		
3 Antecedent moisture condition <i>For desert areas, use http://www.sbcounty.gov/dpw/floodcontrol/pdf/20100412_map.pdf</i>	2	2		
4 Hydrologic soil group <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool – http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i>	A	A		
5 Longest flowpath length (ft)	140	65		
6 Longest flowpath slope (ft/ft)	0.08	0.06		
7 Current land cover type(s) <i>Select from Fig C-3 of Hydrology Manual</i>	Barren - Curve Number: 78	Barren - Curve Number: 78		
8 Pre-developed pervious area condition: <i>Based on the extent of wet season vegetated cover good >75%; Fair 50-75%; Poor <50% Attach photos of site to support rating</i>	Poor	Poor		

Form 3-3 Watershed Description for DA 1	
Receiving waters <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i> See "Drainage Facilities" link at this website	Santa Ana River Reach 4,3,2,1
Applicable TMDLs <i>Refer to Local Implementation Plan</i>	Santa Ana River Reach 3 - Pathogens: Bacterial Indicator TMDLs for the Middle Santa Ana River Watershed Waterbodies Santa Ana River Reach 3: Nitrate TMDL
303(d) listed impairments <i>Refer to Local Implementation Plan and Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/ and State Water Resources Control Board website - http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/santaana/water_iss/ues/programs/tmdl/index.shtml</i>	Santa Ana River Reach 4: Indicator Bacteria Santa Ana River Reach 3: Copper, Indicator Bacteria, Lead Santa Ana River Reach 2: None Santa Ana River Reach 1: None
Environmentally Sensitive Areas (ESA) <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i>	Yes; Delhi Sands.
Unlined Downstream Water Bodies <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i>	None
Hydrologic Conditions of Concern	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Complete Hydrologic Conditions of Concern (HCOC) Assessment. Include Forms 4.2-2 through Form 4.2-5 and Hydromodification BMP Form 4.3-10 in submittal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Watershed-based BMP included in a RWQCB approved WAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Attach verification of regional BMP evaluation criteria in WAP <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More Effective than On-site LID • Remaining Capacity for Project DCV • Upstream of any Water of the US • Operational at Project Completion • Long-Term Maintenance Plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

Form 3-3 Watershed Description for DA 2	
Receiving waters <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i> See "Drainage Facilities" link at this website	Santa Ana River Reach 4,3,2,1
Applicable TMDLs <i>Refer to Local Implementation Plan</i>	Santa Ana River Reach 3 - Pathogens: Bacterial Indicator TMDLs for the Middle Santa Ana River Watershed Waterbodies Santa Ana River Reach 3: Nitrate TMDL
303(d) listed impairments <i>Refer to Local Implementation Plan and Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/ and State Water Resources Control Board website - http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/santaana/water_iss/ues/programs/tmdl/index.shtml</i>	Santa Ana River Reach 4: Indicator Bacteria Santa Ana River Reach 3: Copper, Indicator Bacteria, Lead Santa Ana River Reach 2: None Santa Ana River Reach 1: None
Environmentally Sensitive Areas (ESA) <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i>	Yes; Delhi Sands.
Unlined Downstream Water Bodies <i>Refer to Watershed Mapping Tool - http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/</i>	None
Hydrologic Conditions of Concern	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Complete Hydrologic Conditions of Concern (HCOC) Assessment. Include Forms 4.2-2 through Form 4.2-5 and Hydromodification BMP Form 4.3-10 in submittal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Watershed-based BMP included in a RWQCB approved WAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes Attach verification of regional BMP evaluation criteria in WAP <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More Effective than On-site LID • Remaining Capacity for Project DCV • Upstream of any Water of the US • Operational at Project Completion • Long-Term Maintenance Plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

Section 4 Best Management Practices (BMP)

4.1 Source Control BMP

4.1.1 Pollution Prevention

Non-structural and structural source control BMP are required to be incorporated into all new development and significant redevelopment projects. Form 4.1-1 and 4.1-2 are used to describe specific source control BMPs used in the WQMP or to explain why a certain BMP is not applicable. Table 7-3 of the TGD for WQMP provides a list of applicable source control BMP for projects with specific types of potential pollutant sources or activities. The source control BMP in this table must be implemented for projects with these specific types of potential pollutant sources or activities.

The preparers of this WQMP have reviewed the source control BMP requirements for new development and significant redevelopment projects. The preparers have also reviewed the specific BMP required for project as specified in Forms 4.1-1 and 4.1-2. All applicable non-structural and structural source control BMP shall be implemented in the project.

Form 4.1-1 Non-Structural Source Control BMPs				
Identifier	Name	Check One		Describe BMP Implementation OR, if not applicable, state reason
		Included	Not Applicable	
N1	Education of Property Owners, Tenants and Occupants on Stormwater BMPs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N2	Activity Restrictions	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N3	Landscape Management BMPs	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N4	BMP Maintenance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N5	Title 22 CCR Compliance (How development will comply)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N6	Local Water Quality Ordinances	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N7	Spill Contingency Plan	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N8	Underground Storage Tank Compliance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
N9	Hazardous Materials Disclosure Compliance	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Form 4.1-1 Non-Structural Source Control BMPs				
Identifier	Name	Check One		Describe BMP Implementation OR, if not applicable, state reason
		Included	Not Applicable	
N10	Uniform Fire Code Implementation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N11	Litter/Debris Control Program	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N12	Employee Training	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N13	Housekeeping of Loading Docks	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N14	Catch Basin Inspection Program	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N15	Vacuum Sweeping of Private Streets and Parking Lots	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N16	Other Non-structural Measures for Public Agency Projects	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N17	Comply with all other applicable NPDES permits	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Form 4.1-2 Structural Source Control BMPs				
Identifier	Name	Check One		Describe BMP Implementation OR, If not applicable, state reason
		Included	Not Applicable	
S1	Provide storm drain system stencilling and signage (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-13)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	All catch basins will be stenciled with appropriate signage "Only Rain in the Drain." See SC-44: Drainage System Maintenance Fact Sheet provided
S2	Design and construct outdoor material storage areas to reduce pollution introduction (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-34)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Proposed site does not anticipate the storage of materials outside.
S3	Design and construct trash and waste storage areas to reduce pollution introduction (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-32)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enclosed Trash Storage Areas are proposed for the project. See SC-34: Waste Handling and Disposal Fact Sheet provided
S4	Use efficient irrigation systems & landscape design, water conservation, smart controllers, and source control (Statewide Model Landscape Ordinance; CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-12)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Efficient Irrigation measures will be adopted for the project. See SC-41: Building and Ground Maintenance Fact Sheet provided
S5	Finish grade of landscaped areas at a minimum of 1-2 inches below top of curb, sidewalk, or pavement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Proposed landscape areas will be at a minimum of 1-2 inches below the proposed curbs, sidewalks, and/or pavement.
S6	Protect slopes and channels and provide energy dissipation (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-10)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rip-raps will be installed at all proposed LID BMP locations to protect soil from erosion and damage. Stormwater V-ditches and U-channels will be constructed using Portland Cement Concrete to protect from erosion and wear. See SC-44: Drainage System Maintenance Fact Sheet provided
S7	Covered dock areas (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-31)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dock areas will be constructed and operated in a manner such that pollutants will be minimized. See SC-30: Outdoor Loading/Unloading Fact Sheet provided
S8	Covered maintenance bays with spill containment plans (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-31)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No maintenance bays are proposed.
S9	Vehicle wash areas with spill containment plans (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-33)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No vehicle wash areas are proposed.

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S10	Covered outdoor processing areas (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-36)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No outdoor processing areas are proposed.
Form 4.1-2 Structural Source Control BMPs				
Identifier	Name	Check One		Describe BMP Implementation OR, If not applicable, state reason
		Included	Not Applicable	
S11	Equipment wash areas with spill containment plans (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-33)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No equipment wash areas are proposed.
S12	Fueling areas (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-30)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No fueling areas are proposed
S13	Hillside landscaping (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-10)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No hillside landscaping is proposed.
S14	Wash water control for food preparation areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No food preparation areas are proposed,
S15	Community car wash racks (CASQA New Development BMP Handbook SD-33)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No community car wash racks are proposed.

4.1.2 Preventative LID Site Design Practices

Site design practices associated with new LID requirements in the MS4 Permit should be considered in the earliest phases of a project. Preventative site design practices can result in smaller DCV for LID BMP and hydromodification control BMP by reducing runoff generation. Describe site design and drainage plan including:

- A narrative of site design practices utilized or rationale for not using practices
- A narrative of how site plan incorporates preventive site design practices
- Include an attached Site Plan layout which shows how preventative site design practices are included in WQMP

Refer to Section 5.2 of the TGD for WQMP for more details.

Form 4.1-3 Preventative LID Site Design Practices Checklist
<p>Site Design Practices <i>If yes, explain how preventative site design practice is addressed in project site plan. If no, other LID BMPs must be selected to meet targets</i></p>
<p>Minimize impervious areas: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Explanation: Impervious area has been minimized to the feasible extent while meeting parking lot and building standards.</p>
<p>Maximize natural infiltration capacity: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Explanation: Proposed BMPs will take advantage of the naturally well-draining soil on site through the use of infiltration-based BMPs where possible.</p>
<p>Preserve existing drainage patterns and time of concentration: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Explanation: The site will continue to drain southerly. Proposed grading will facilitate this drainage pattern.</p>
<p>Disconnect impervious areas: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Explanation: Where practical, landscaped areas are included to separate impervious areas.</p>
<p>Protect existing vegetation and sensitive areas: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Explanation: There is no vegetation currently on site to be protected.</p>
<p>Re-vegetate disturbed areas: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Explanation: All pervious area, after construction is complete, will be landscaped.</p>
<p>Minimize unnecessary compaction in stormwater retention/infiltration basin/trench areas: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Explanation: Construction entrances and staging areas will not be on proposed BMP areas.</p>
<p>Utilize vegetated drainage swales in place of underground piping or imperviously lined swales: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Explanation: Portland cement concrete will be used to construct v-ditches and u-channels. Proposed Infiltration BMPs and self-retaining DMAs seek to maximize site drainage capabilities.</p>
<p>Stake off areas that will be used for landscaping to minimize compaction during construction: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Explanation: Construction entrances and staging areas will not be on proposed landscaping areas.</p>

4.2 Project Performance Criteria

The purpose of this section of the Project WQMP is to establish targets for post-development hydrology based on performance criteria specified in the MS4 Permit. These targets include runoff volume for water quality control (referred to as LID design capture volume), and runoff volume, time of concentration, and peak runoff for protection of any downstream waterbody segments with a HCOC. ***If the project has more than one outlet for stormwater runoff, then complete additional versions of these forms for each DA / outlet.***

Methods applied in the following forms include:

- For LID BMP Design Capture Volume (DCV), the San Bernardino County Stormwater Program requires use of the P₆ method (MS4 Permit Section XI.D.6a.ii) – Form 4.2-1
- For HCOC pre- and post-development hydrologic calculation, the San Bernardino County Stormwater Program requires the use of the Rational Method (San Bernardino County Hydrology Manual Section D). Forms 4.2-2 through Form 4.2-5 calculate hydrologic variables including runoff volume, time of concentration, and peak runoff from the project site pre- and post-development using the Hydrology Manual Rational Method approach. For projects greater than 640 acres (1.0 mi²), the Rational Method and these forms should not be used. For such projects, the Unit Hydrograph Method (San Bernardino County Hydrology Manual Section E) shall be applied for hydrologic calculations for HCOC performance criteria.

Refer to Section 4 in the TGD for WQMP for detailed guidance and instructions.

Form 4.2-1 LID BMP Performance Criteria for Design Capture Volume (DA1 DMA A)		
1 Project area (ft ²): 26,656	2 Imperviousness after applying preventative site design practices (Imp%): 100%	3 Runoff Coefficient (Rc): 0.89 $R_c = 0.858(Imp\%)^3 - 0.78(Imp\%)^2 + 0.774(Imp\%) + 0.04$
4 Determine 1-hour rainfall depth for a 2-year return period P _{2yr-1hr} (in): 0.491 http://hdsc.nws.noaa.gov/hdsc/pfds/so/sca_pfds.html		
5 Compute P ₆ , Mean 6-hr Precipitation (inches): 0.73 <i>P₆ = Item 4 * C₁, where C₁ is a function of site climatic region specified in Form 3-1 Item 1 (Valley = 1.4807; Mountain = 1.909; Desert = 1.2371)</i>		
6 Drawdown Rate <i>Use 48 hours as the default condition. Selection and use of the 24 hour drawdown time condition is subject to approval by the local jurisdiction. The necessary BMP footprint is a function of drawdown time. While shorter drawdown times reduce the performance criteria for LID BMP design capture volume, the depth of water that can be stored is also reduced.</i>		24-hrs <input type="checkbox"/> 48-hrs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7 Compute design capture volume, DCV (ft ³): 2,833 $DCV = 1/12 * [Item 1 * Item 3 * Item 5 * C_2]$, where C ₂ is a function of drawdown rate (24-hr = 1.582; 48-hr = 1.963) <i>Compute separate DCV for each outlet from the project site per schematic drawn in Form 3-1 Item 2</i>		

Form 4.2-1 LID BMP Performance Criteria for Design Capture Volume (DA1 DMA B)		
1 Project area (ft ²): 26,069	2 Imperviousness after applying preventative site design practices (Imp%): 83%	3 Runoff Coefficient (Rc): 0.64 $R_c = 0.858(\text{Imp}\%)^3 - 0.78(\text{Imp}\%)^2 + 0.774(\text{Imp}\%) + 0.04$
4 Determine 1-hour rainfall depth for a 2-year return period $P_{2\text{yr-1hr}}$ (in): 0.491 http://hdsc.nws.noaa.gov/hdsc/pfds/sa/sca_pfds.html		
5 Compute P_6 , Mean 6-hr Precipitation (inches): 0.73 $P_6 = \text{Item 4} * C_1$, where C_1 is a function of site climatic region specified in Form 3-1 Item 1 (Valley = 1.4807; Mountain = 1.909; Desert = 1.2371)		
6 Drawdown Rate Use 48 hours as the default condition. Selection and use of the 24 hour drawdown time condition is subject to approval by the local jurisdiction. The necessary BMP footprint is a function of drawdown time. While shorter drawdown times reduce the performance criteria for LID BMP design capture volume, the depth of water that can be stored is also reduced.		24-hrs <input type="checkbox"/> 48-hrs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7 Compute design capture volume, DCV (ft ³): 1,992 $DCV = 1/12 * [\text{Item 1} * \text{Item 3} * \text{Item 5} * C_2]$, where C_2 is a function of drawdown rate (24-hr = 1.582; 48-hr = 1.963) Compute separate DCV for each outlet from the project site per schematic drawn in Form 3-1 Item 2		

Form 4.2-1 LID BMP Performance Criteria for Design Capture Volume (DA2 DMA C)		
1 Project area (ft ²): 24,466	2 Imperviousness after applying preventative site design practices (Imp%): 98%	3 Runoff Coefficient (Rc): 0.86 $R_c = 0.858(\text{Imp}\%)^3 - 0.78(\text{Imp}\%)^2 + 0.774(\text{Imp}\%) + 0.04$
4 Determine 1-hour rainfall depth for a 2-year return period $P_{2\text{yr-1hr}}$ (in): 0.491 http://hdsc.nws.noaa.gov/hdsc/pfds/sa/sca_pfds.html		
5 Compute P_6 , Mean 6-hr Precipitation (inches): 0.73 $P_6 = \text{Item 4} * C_1$, where C_1 is a function of site climatic region specified in Form 3-1 Item 1 (Valley = 1.4807; Mountain = 1.909; Desert = 1.2371)		
6 Drawdown Rate Use 48 hours as the default condition. Selection and use of the 24 hour drawdown time condition is subject to approval by the local jurisdiction. The necessary BMP footprint is a function of drawdown time. While shorter drawdown times reduce the performance criteria for LID BMP design capture volume, the depth of water that can be stored is also reduced.		24-hrs <input type="checkbox"/> 48-hrs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7 Compute design capture volume, DCV (ft ³): 2,513 $DCV = 1/12 * [\text{Item 1} * \text{Item 3} * \text{Item 5} * C_2]$, where C_2 is a function of drawdown rate (24-hr = 1.582; 48-hr = 1.963) Compute separate DCV for each outlet from the project site per schematic drawn in Form 3-1 Item 2		

Form 4.2-1 LID BMP Performance Criteria for Design Capture Volume (DA2 DMA D)		
1 Project area (ft ²): 4,177	2 Imperviousness after applying preventative site design practices (Imp%): 37%	3 Runoff Coefficient (Rc): 0.26 $R_c = 0.858(Imp\%)^3 - 0.78(Imp\%)^2 + 0.774(Imp\%) + 0.04$
4 Determine 1-hour rainfall depth for a 2-year return period $P_{2yr-1hr}$ (in): 0.491 http://hdsc.nws.noaa.gov/hdsc/pfds/sg/sca_pfds.html		
5 Compute P_6 , Mean 6-hr Precipitation (inches): 0.73 $P_6 = \text{Item 4} * C_1$, where C_1 is a function of site climatic region specified in Form 3-1 Item 1 (Valley = 1.4807; Mountain = 1.909; Desert = 1.2371)		
6 Drawdown Rate Use 48 hours as the default condition. Selection and use of the 24 hour drawdown time condition is subject to approval by the local jurisdiction. The necessary BMP footprint is a function of drawdown time. While shorter drawdown times reduce the performance criteria for LID BMP design capture volume, the depth of water that can be stored is also reduced.		24-hrs <input type="checkbox"/> 48-hrs <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7 Compute design capture volume, DCV (ft ³): 130 $DCV = 1/12 * [\text{Item 1} * \text{Item 3} * \text{Item 5} * C_2]$, where C_2 is a function of drawdown rate (24-hr = 1.582; 48-hr = 1.963) Compute separate DCV for each outlet from the project site per schematic drawn in Form 3-1 Item 2		

Form 4.2-2 Summary of HCOG Assessment			
Does project have the potential to cause or contribute to an HCOG in a downstream channel: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Go to: http://permitrack.sbcounty.gov/wap/			
If "Yes", then complete HCOG assessment of site hydrology for 2yr storm event using Forms 4.2-3 through 4.2-5 and insert results below (Forms 4.2-3 through 4.2-5 may be replaced by computer software analysis based on the San Bernardino County Hydrology Manual)			
If "No," then proceed to Section 4.3 Project Conformance Analysis			
Condition	Runoff Volume (ft ³)	Time of Concentration (min)	Peak Runoff (cfs)
Pre-developed	1 <i>Form 4.2-3 Item 12</i>	2 <i>Form 4.2-4 Item 13</i>	3 <i>Form 4.2-5 Item 10</i>
Post-developed	4 <i>Form 4.2-3 Item 13</i>	5 <i>Form 4.2-4 Item 14</i>	6 <i>Form 4.2-5 Item 14</i>
Difference	7 <i>Item 4 – Item 1</i>	8 <i>Item 2 – Item 5</i>	9 <i>Item 6 – Item 3</i>
Difference (as % of pre-developed)	10 % <i>Item 7 / Item 1</i>	11 % <i>Item 8 / Item 2</i>	12 % <i>Item 9 / Item 3</i>

Form 4.2-3 HCOC Assessment for Runoff Volume

Weighted Curve Number Determination for: Pre-developed DA	DMA A	DMA B	DMA C	DMA D	DMA E	DMA F	DMA G	DMA H
1a Land Cover type								
2a Hydrologic Soil Group (HSG)								
3a DMA Area, ft ² sum of areas of DMA should equal area of DA								
4a Curve Number (CN) use Items 1 and 2 to select the appropriate CN from Appendix C-2 of the TGD for WQMP								
Weighted Curve Number Determination for: Post-developed DA	DMA A	DMA B	DMA C	DMA D	DMA E	DMA F	DMA G	DMA H
1b Land Cover type								
2b Hydrologic Soil Group (HSG)								
3b DMA Area, ft ² sum of areas of DMA should equal area of DA								
4b Curve Number (CN) use Items 5 and 6 to select the appropriate CN from Appendix C-2 of the TGD for WQMP								
5 Pre-Developed area-weighted CN:	7 Pre-developed soil storage capacity, S (in): $S = (1000 / \text{Item 5}) - 10$					9 Initial abstraction, I _a (in): $I_a = 0.2 * \text{Item 7}$		
6 Post-Developed area-weighted CN:	8 Post-developed soil storage capacity, S (in): $S = (1000 / \text{Item 6}) - 10$					10 Initial abstraction, I _a (in): $I_a = 0.2 * \text{Item 8}$		
11 Precipitation for 2 yr, 24 hr storm (in): Go to: http://hdsc.nws.noaa.gov/hdsc/pfds/sa/sca_pfds.html								
12 Pre-developed Volume (ft ³): $V_{pre} = (1 / 12) * (\text{Item sum of Item 3}) * [(\text{Item 11} - \text{Item 9})^2 / ((\text{Item 11} - \text{Item 9} + \text{Item 7}))]$								
13 Post-developed Volume (ft ³): $V_{pre} = (1 / 12) * (\text{Item sum of Item 3}) * [(\text{Item 11} - \text{Item 10})^2 / ((\text{Item 11} - \text{Item 10} + \text{Item 8}))]$								
14 Volume Reduction needed to meet HCOC Requirement, (ft ³): $V_{HOC} = (\text{Item 13} * 0.95) - \text{Item 12}$								

Form 4.2-4 HCOC Assessment for Time of Concentration

Compute time of concentration for pre and post developed conditions for each DA (For projects using the Hydrology Manual complete the form below)

Variables	Pre-developed DA1 <i>Use additional forms if there are more than 4 DMA</i>				Post-developed DA1 <i>Use additional forms if there are more than 4 DMA</i>			
	DMA A	DMA B	DMA C	DMA D	DMA A	DMA B	DMA C	DMA D
1 Length of flowpath (ft) <i>Use Form 3-2 Item 5 for pre-developed condition</i>								
2 Change in elevation (ft)								
3 Slope (ft/ft), $S_o = \text{Item 2} / \text{Item 1}$								
4 Land cover								
5 Initial DMA Time of Concentration (min) <i>Appendix C-1 of the TGD for WQMP</i>								
6 Length of conveyance from DMA outlet to project site outlet (ft) <i>May be zero if DMA outlet is at project site outlet</i>								
7 Cross-sectional area of channel (ft ²)								
8 Wetted perimeter of channel (ft)								
9 Manning's roughness of channel (n)								
10 Channel flow velocity (ft/sec) $V_{fps} = (1.49 / \text{Item 9}) * (\text{Item 7}/\text{Item 8})^{0.67} * (\text{Item 3})^{0.5}$								
11 Travel time to outlet (min) $T_t = \text{Item 6} / (\text{Item 10} * 60)$								
12 Total time of concentration (min) $T_c = \text{Item 5} + \text{Item 11}$								
13 Pre-developed time of concentration (min):	<i>Minimum of Item 12 pre-developed DMA</i>							
14 Post-developed time of concentration (min):	<i>Minimum of Item 12 post-developed DMA</i>							
15 Additional time of concentration needed to meet HCOC requirement (min):	$T_{C-HCOC} = (\text{Item 13} * 0.95) - \text{Item 14}$							

Form 4.2-5 HCOC Assessment for Peak Runoff

Compute peak runoff for pre- and post-developed conditions

Variables	Pre-developed DA to Project Outlet (Use additional forms if more than 3 DMA)			Post-developed DA to Project Outlet (Use additional forms if more than 3 DMA)		
	DMA A	DMA B	DMA C	DMA A	DMA B	DMA C
1 Rainfall Intensity for storm duration equal to time of concentration $I_{peak} = 10^{(LOG Form 4.2-1 Item 4 - 0.6 LOG Form 4.2-4 Item 5 / 60)}$						
2 Drainage Area of each DMA (Acres) <i>For DMA with outlet at project site outlet, include upstream DMA (Using example schematic in Form 3-1, DMA A will include drainage from DMA C)</i>						
3 Ratio of pervious area to total area <i>For DMA with outlet at project site outlet, include upstream DMA (Using example schematic in Form 3-1, DMA A will include drainage from DMA C)</i>						
4 Pervious area infiltration rate (in/hr) <i>Use pervious area CN and antecedent moisture condition with Appendix C-3 of the TGD for WQMP</i>						
5 Maximum loss rate (in/hr) $F_m = Item 3 * Item 4$ <i>Use area-weighted F_m from DMA with outlet at project site outlet, include upstream DMA (Using example schematic in Form 3-1, DMA A will include drainage from DMA C)</i>						
6 Peak Flow from DMA (cfs) $Q_p = Item 2 * 0.9 * (Item 1 - Item 5)$						
7 Time of concentration adjustment factor for other DMA to site discharge point <i>Form 4.2-4 Item 12 DMA / Other DMA upstream of site discharge point (If ratio is greater than 1.0, then use maximum value of 1.0)</i>	DMA A	n/a		n/a		
	DMA B		n/a		n/a	
	DMA C		n/a			n/a
8 Pre-developed Q_p at T_c for DMA A: $Q_p = Item 6_{DMAA} + [Item 6_{DMAB} * (Item 1_{DMAA} - Item 5_{DMAB}) / (Item 1_{DMAB} - Item 5_{DMAB}) * Item 7_{DMAA/2}] + [Item 6_{DMAC} * (Item 1_{DMAA} - Item 5_{DMAC}) / (Item 1_{DMAC} - Item 5_{DMAC}) * Item 7_{DMAA/3}]$	9 Pre-developed Q_p at T_c for DMA B: $Q_p = Item 6_{DMAB} + [Item 6_{DMAA} * (Item 1_{DMAB} - Item 5_{DMAA}) / (Item 1_{DMAA} - Item 5_{DMAA}) * Item 7_{DMAB/1}] + [Item 6_{DMAC} * (Item 1_{DMAB} - Item 5_{DMAC}) / (Item 1_{DMAC} - Item 5_{DMAC}) * Item 7_{DMAB/3}]$			10 Pre-developed Q_p at T_c for DMA C: $Q_p = Item 6_{DMAC} + [Item 6_{DMAA} * (Item 1_{DMAC} - Item 5_{DMAA}) / (Item 1_{DMAA} - Item 5_{DMAA}) * Item 7_{DMAC/1}] + [Item 6_{DMAB} * (Item 1_{DMAC} - Item 5_{DMAB}) / (Item 1_{DMAB} - Item 5_{DMAB}) * Item 7_{DMAC/2}]$		
10 Peak runoff from pre-developed condition confluence analysis (cfs): <i>Maximum of Item 8, 9, and 10 (including additional forms as needed)</i>						
11 Post-developed Q_p at T_c for DMA A: <i>Same as Item 8 for post-developed values</i>	12 Post-developed Q_p at T_c for DMA B: <i>Same as Item 9 for post-developed values</i>			13 Post-developed Q_p at T_c for DMA C: <i>Same as Item 10 for post-developed values</i>		
14 Peak runoff from post-developed condition confluence analysis (cfs): <i>Maximum of Item 11, 12, and 13 (including additional forms as needed)</i>						
15 Peak runoff reduction needed to meet HCOC Requirement (cfs): $Q_{p-HCOC} = (Item 14 * 0.95) - Item 10$						

4.3 Project Conformance Analysis

Complete the following forms for each project site DA to document that the proposed LID BMPs conform to the project DCV developed to meet performance criteria specified in the MS₄ Permit (WQMP Template Section 4.2). For the LID DCV, the forms are ordered according to hierarchy of BMP selection as required by the MS₄ Permit (see Section 5.3.1 in the TGD for WQMP). The forms compute the following for on-site LID BMP:

- Site Design and Hydrologic Source Controls (Form 4.3-2)
- Retention and Infiltration (Form 4.3-3)
- Harvested and Use (Form 4.3-4) or
- Biotreatment (Form 4.3-5).

At the end of each form, additional fields facilitate the determination of the extent of mitigation provided by the specific BMP category, allowing for use of the next category of BMP in the hierarchy, if necessary.

The first step in the analysis, using Section 5.3.2.1 of the TGD for WQMP, is to complete Forms 4.3-1 and 4.3-3) to determine if retention and infiltration BMPs are infeasible for the project. For each feasibility criterion in Form 4.3-1, if the answer is “Yes,” provide all study findings that includes relevant calculations, maps, data sources, etc. used to make the determination of infeasibility.

Next, complete Forms 4.3-2 and 4.3-4 to determine the feasibility of applicable HSC and harvest and use BMPs, and, if their implementation is feasible, the extent of mitigation of the DCV.

If no site constraints exist that would limit the type of BMP to be implemented in a DA, evaluate the use of combinations of LID BMPs, including all applicable HSC BMPs to maximize on-site retention of the DCV. If no combination of BMP can mitigate the entire DCV, implement the single BMP type, or combination of BMP types, that maximizes on-site retention of the DCV within the minimum effective area.

If the combination of LID HSC, retention and infiltration, and harvest and use BMPs are unable to mitigate the entire DCV, then biotreatment BMPs may be implemented by the project proponent. If biotreatment BMPs are used, then they must be sized to provide sufficient capacity for effective treatment of the remainder of the volume-based performance criteria that cannot be achieved with LID BMPs (TGD for WQMP Section 5.4.4.2).

Under no circumstances shall any portion of the DCV be released from the site without effective mitigation and/or treatment.

Form 4.3-1 Infiltration BMP Feasibility (DA 1)	
Feasibility Criterion – Complete evaluation for each DA on the Project Site	
<p>¹ Would infiltration BMP pose significant risk for groundwater related concerns? <i>Refer to Section 5.3.2.1 of the TGD for WQMP</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>² Would installation of infiltration BMP significantly increase the risk of geotechnical hazards? (Yes, if the answer to any of the following questions is yes, as established by a geotechnical expert):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The location is less than 50 feet away from slopes steeper than 15 percent • The location is less than eight feet from building foundations or an alternative setback. • A study certified by a geotechnical professional or an available watershed study determines that stormwater infiltration would result in significantly increased risks of geotechnical hazards. 	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>³ Would infiltration of runoff on a Project site violate downstream water rights?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁴ Is proposed infiltration facility located on hydrologic soil group (HSG) D soils or does the site geotechnical investigation indicate presence of soil characteristics, which support categorization as D soils?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁵ Is the design infiltration rate, after accounting for safety factor of 2.0, below proposed facility less than 0.3 in/hr (accounting for soil amendments)?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁶ Would on-site infiltration or reduction of runoff over pre-developed conditions be partially or fully inconsistent with watershed management strategies as defined in the WAP, or impair beneficial uses? <i>See Section 3.5 of the TGD for WQMP and WAP</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁷ Any answer from Item 1 through Item 3 is “Yes”: <i>If yes, infiltration of any volume is not feasible onsite. Proceed to Form 4.3-4, Harvest and Use BMP. If no, then proceed to Item 8 below.</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>⁸ Any answer from Item 4 through Item 6 is “Yes”: <i>If yes, infiltration is permissible but is not required to be considered. Proceed to Form 4.3-2, Hydrologic Source Control BMP. If no, then proceed to Item 9, below.</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>⁹ All answers to Item 1 through Item 6 are “No”: <i>Infiltration of the full DCV is potentially feasible, LID infiltration BMP must be designed to infiltrate the full DCV to the MEP. Proceed to Form 4.3-2, Hydrologic Source Control BMP.</i></p>	

Form 4.3-1 Infiltration BMP Feasibility (DA 2)	
Feasibility Criterion – Complete evaluation for each DA on the Project Site	
<p>¹ Would infiltration BMP pose significant risk for groundwater related concerns? <i>Refer to Section 5.3.2.1 of the TGD for WQMP</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>² Would installation of infiltration BMP significantly increase the risk of geotechnical hazards? (Yes, if the answer to any of the following questions is yes, as established by a geotechnical expert):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The location is less than 50 feet away from slopes steeper than 15 percent • The location is less than eight feet from building foundations or an alternative setback. • A study certified by a geotechnical professional or an available watershed study determines that stormwater infiltration would result in significantly increased risks of geotechnical hazards. 	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>³ Would infiltration of runoff on a Project site violate downstream water rights?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁴ Is proposed infiltration facility located on hydrologic soil group (HSG) D soils or does the site geotechnical investigation indicate presence of soil characteristics, which support categorization as D soils?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁵ Is the design infiltration rate, after accounting for safety factor of 2.0, below proposed facility less than 0.3 in/hr (accounting for soil amendments)?</p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁶ Would on-site infiltration or reduction of runoff over pre-developed conditions be partially or fully inconsistent with watershed management strategies as defined in the WAP, or impair beneficial uses? <i>See Section 3.5 of the TGD for WQMP and WAP</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, Provide basis: (attach)	
<p>⁷ Any answer from Item 1 through Item 3 is “Yes”: <i>If yes, infiltration of any volume is not feasible onsite. Proceed to Form 4.3-4, Harvest and Use BMP. If no, then proceed to Item 8 below.</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>⁸ Any answer from Item 4 through Item 6 is “Yes”: <i>If yes, infiltration is permissible but is not required to be considered. Proceed to Form 4.3-2, Hydrologic Source Control BMP. If no, then proceed to Item 9, below.</i></p>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<p>⁹ All answers to Item 1 through Item 6 are “No”: <i>Infiltration of the full DCV is potentially feasible, LID infiltration BMP must be designed to infiltrate the full DCV to the MEP. Proceed to Form 4.3-2, Hydrologic Source Control BMP.</i></p>	

4.3.1 Site Design Hydrologic Source Control BMP

Section XI.E. of the Permit emphasizes the use of LID preventative measures; and the use of LID HSC BMPs reduces the portion of the DCV that must be addressed in downstream BMPs. Therefore, all applicable HSC shall be provided except where they are mutually exclusive with each other, or with other BMPs. Mutual exclusivity may result from overlapping BMP footprints such that either would be potentially feasible by itself, but both could not be implemented. Please note that while there are no numeric standards regarding the use of HSC, if a project cannot feasibly meet BMP sizing requirements or cannot fully address HCOCs, feasibility of all applicable HSC must be part of demonstrating that the BMP system has been designed to retain the maximum feasible portion of the DCV. Complete Form 4.3-2 to identify and calculate estimated retention volume from implementing site design HSC BMP. Refer to Section 5.4.1 in the TGD for more detailed guidance.

Form 4.3-2 Site Design Hydrologic Source Control BMP (DA 1 DMA D)			
1 Implementation of Impervious Area Dispersion BMP (i.e. routing runoff from impervious to pervious areas), excluding impervious areas planned for routing to on-lot infiltration BMP: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, complete Items 2-5; If no, proceed to Item 6</i>	DA 1 DMA D BMP Type: Self-Retaining	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
2 Total impervious area draining to pervious area (ft ²)	1,547		
3 Ratio of pervious area receiving runoff to impervious area	1.70		
4 Retention volume achieved from impervious area dispersion (ft ³) $V = \text{Item 2} * \text{Item 3} * (0.73/12)$, assuming retention of 0.73 inches of runoff,	160 ft ³		
5 Sum of retention volume achieved from impervious area dispersion (ft ³): 160 $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Sum of Item 4 for all BMPs}$			
6 Implementation of Localized On-lot Infiltration BMPs (e.g. on-lot rain gardens): Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, complete Items 7-13 for aggregate of all on-lot infiltration BMP in each DA; If no, proceed to Item 14</i>	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
7 Ponding surface area (ft ²)			
8 Ponding depth (ft)			
9 Surface area of amended soil/gravel (ft ²)			
10 Average depth of amended soil/gravel (ft)			
11 Average porosity of amended soil/gravel			
12 Retention volume achieved from on-lot infiltration (ft ³) $V_{\text{retention}} = (\text{Item 7} * \text{Item 8}) + (\text{Item 9} * \text{Item 10} * \text{Item 11})$			

13 Runoff volume retention from on-lot infiltration (ft ³): $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Sum of Item 12 for all BMPs}$			
Form 4.3-2 cont. Site Design Hydrologic Source Control BMPs (DMA D)			
14 Implementation of evapotranspiration BMP (green, brown, or blue roofs): Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, complete Items 15-20. If no, proceed to Item 21</i>	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
15 Rooftop area planned for ET BMP (ft ²)			
16 Average wet season ET demand (in/day) <i>Use local values, typical ~ 0.1</i>			
17 Daily ET demand (ft ³ /day) <i>Item 15 * (Item 16 / 12)</i>			
18 Drawdown time (hrs) <i>Copy Item 6 in Form 4.2-1</i>			
19 Retention Volume (ft ³) $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Item 17} * (\text{Item 18} / 24)$			
20 Runoff volume retention from evapotranspiration BMPs (ft ³): $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Sum of Item 19 for all BMPs}$			
21 Implementation of Street Trees: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, complete Items 22-25. If no, proceed to Item 26</i>	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
22 Number of Street Trees			
23 Average canopy cover over impervious area (ft ²)			
24 Runoff volume retention from street trees (ft ³) $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Item 22} * \text{Item 23} * (0.05/12)$ assume runoff retention of 0.05 inches			
25 Runoff volume retention from street tree BMPs (ft ³): $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Sum of Item 24 for all BMPs}$			
26 Implementation of residential rain barrel/cisterns: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, complete Items 27-29; If no, proceed to Item 30</i>	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
27 Number of rain barrels/cisterns			
28 Runoff volume retention from rain barrels/cisterns (ft ³) $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Item 27} * 3$			
29 Runoff volume retention from residential rain barrels/Cisterns (ft ³): $V_{\text{retention}} = \text{Sum of Item 28 for all BMPs}$			

30 Total Retention Volume from Site Design Hydrologic Source Control BMPs: 160 *Sum of Items 5, 13, 20, 25 and 29*

4.3.2 Infiltration BMPs

Use Form 4.3-3 to compute on-site retention of runoff from proposed retention and infiltration BMPs. Volume retention estimates are sensitive to the percolation rate used, which determines the amount of runoff that can be infiltrated within the specified drawdown time. The infiltration safety factor reduces field measured percolation to account for potential inaccuracy associated with field measurements, declining BMP performance over time, and compaction during construction. Appendix D of the TGD for WQMP provides guidance on estimating an appropriate safety factor to use in Form 4.3-3.

If site constraints limit the use of BMPs to a single type and implementation of retention and infiltration BMPs mitigate no more than 40% of the DCV, then they are considered infeasible and the Project Proponent may evaluate the effectiveness of BMPs lower in the LID hierarchy of use (Section 5.5.1 of the TGD for WQMP)

If implementation of infiltrations BMPs is feasible as determined using Form 4.3-1, then LID infiltration BMPs shall be implemented to the MEP (section 4.1 of the TGD for WQMP).

Form 4.3-3 Infiltration LID BMP - including underground BMPs (DA 1)			
¹ Remaining LID DCV not met by site design HSC BMP (ft ³): $V_{unmet} = \text{Form 4.2-1 Item 7} - \text{Form 4.3-2 Item 30}$			
BMP Type <i>Use columns to the right to compute runoff volume retention from proposed infiltration BMP (select BMP from Table 5-4 in TGD for WQMP) - Use additional forms for more BMPs</i>	DA 1 DMA A BMP Type: ChamberMaxx Infiltration Chamber System	DA 1 DMA B BMP Type: Infiltration Trench	
² Infiltration rate of underlying soils (in/hr) <i>See Section 5.4.2 and Appendix D of the TGD for WQMP for minimum requirements for assessment methods</i>	1.6	1.6	
³ Infiltration safety factor <i>See TGD Section 5.4.2 and Appendix D</i>	2	2	
⁴ Design percolation rate (in/hr) $P_{design} = \text{Item 2} / \text{Item 3}$	0.8	0.8	
⁵ Pondered water drawdown time (hr) <i>Copy Item 6 in Form 4.2-1</i>	48	48	
⁶ Maximum ponding depth (ft) <i>BMP specific, see Table 5-4 of the TGD for WQMP for BMP design details</i>	N/A	1.6	
⁷ Ponding Depth (ft) $d_{BMP} = \text{Minimum of } (1/12 * \text{Item 4} * \text{Item 5}) \text{ or Item 6}$	N/A	1.6	
⁸ Infiltrating surface area, SA_{BMP} (ft ²) <i>the lesser of the area needed for infiltration of full DCV or minimum space requirements from Table 5.7 of the TGD for WQMP</i>	1,470	1,366	
⁹ Amended soil depth, d_{media} (ft) <i>Only included in certain BMP types, see Table 5-4 in the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>	N/A	N/A	
¹⁰ Amended soil porosity	N/A	N/A	
¹¹ Gravel depth, d_{media} (ft) <i>Only included in certain BMP types, see Table 5-4 of the TGD for WQMP for BMP design details</i>	See Specs.	4 Feet	
¹² Gravel porosity	See Specs.	0.4	
¹³ Duration of storm as basin is filling (hrs) <i>Typical ~ 3hrs</i>	3	3	
¹⁴ Above Ground Retention Volume (ft ³) $V_{retention} = \text{Item 8} * [\text{Item 7} + (\text{Item 9} * \text{Item 10}) + (\text{Item 11} * \text{Item 12}) + (\text{Item 13} * (\text{Item 4} / \dots))]$		2,186	
¹⁵ Underground Retention Volume (ft ³) <i>Volume determined using manufacturer's specifications and calculations</i>	10,059		
¹⁶ Total Retention Volume from LID Infiltration BMPs: 12,245 <i>(Sum of Items 14 and 15 for all infiltration BMP included in plan)</i>			
¹⁷ Fraction of DCV achieved with infiltration BMP: 254% $\text{Retention}\% = \text{Item 16} / \text{Form 4.2-1 Item 7}$			
¹⁸ Is full LID DCV retained onsite with combination of hydrologic source control and LID retention/infiltration BMPs? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, demonstrate conformance using Form 4.3-10; If no, then reduce Item 3, Factor of Safety to 2.0 and increase Item 8, Infiltrating Surface Area, such that the portion of the site area used for retention and infiltration BMPs equals or exceeds the</i>			

minimum effective area thresholds (Table 5-7 of the TGD for WQMP) for the applicable category of development and repeat all above calculations.

4.3.3 Harvest and Use BMP

Harvest and use BMP may be considered if the full LID DCV cannot be met by maximizing infiltration BMPs. Use Form 4.3-4 to compute on-site retention of runoff from proposed harvest and use BMPs.

Volume retention estimates for harvest and use BMPs are sensitive to the on-site demand for captured stormwater. Since irrigation water demand is low in the wet season, when most rainfall events occur in San Bernardino County, the volume of water that can be used within a specified drawdown period is relatively low. The bottom portion of Form 4.3-4 facilitates the necessary computations to show infeasibility if a minimum incremental benefit of 40 percent of the LID DCV would not be achievable with MEP implementation of on-site harvest and use of stormwater (Section 5.5.4 of the TGD for WQMP).

Form 4.3-4 Harvest and Use BMPs			
1 Remaining LID DCV not met by site design HSC or infiltration BMP (ft ³): <i>V_{unmet} = Form 4.2-1 Item 7 - Form 4.3-2 Item 30 - Form 4.3-3 Item 16</i>			
BMP Type(s) <i>Compute runoff volume retention from proposed harvest and use BMP (Select BMPs from Table 5-4 of the TGD for WQMP) - Use additional forms for more BMPs</i>	DA BMP Type	DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
2 Describe cistern or runoff detention facility			
3 Storage volume for proposed detention type (ft ³) <i>Volume of cistern</i>			
4 Landscaped area planned for use of harvested stormwater (ft ²)			
5 Average wet season daily irrigation demand (in/day) <i>Use local values, typical ~ 0.1 in/day</i>			
6 Daily water demand (ft ³ /day) <i>Item 4 * (Item 5 / 12)</i>			
7 Drawdown time (hrs) <i>Copy Item 6 from Form 4.2-1</i>			
8 Retention Volume (ft ³) <i>V_{retention} = Minimum of (Item 3) or (Item 6 * (Item 7 / 24))</i>			
9 Total Retention Volume (ft ³) from Harvest and Use BMP <i>Sum of Item 8 for all harvest and use BMP included in plan</i>			
10 Is the full DCV retained with a combination of LID HSC, retention and infiltration, and harvest & use BMPs? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, demonstrate conformance using Form 4.3-10. If no, then re-evaluate combinations of all LID BMP and optimize their implementation such that the maximum portion of the DCV is retained on-site (using a single BMP type or combination of BMP types). If the full DCV cannot be mitigated after this optimization process, proceed to Section 4.3.4.</i>			

4.3.4 Biotreatment BMP

Biotreatment BMPs may be considered if the full LID DCV cannot be met by maximizing retention and infiltration, and harvest and use BMPs. A key consideration when using biotreatment BMP is the effectiveness of the proposed BMP in addressing the pollutants of concern for the project (see Table 5-5 of the TGD for WQMP).

Use Form 4.3-5 to summarize the potential for volume based and/or flow based biotreatment options to biotreat the remaining unmet LID DCV w. Biotreatment computations are included as follows:

- Use Form 4.3-6 to compute biotreatment in small volume based biotreatment BMP (e.g. bioretention w/underdrains);
- Use Form 4.3-7 to compute biotreatment in large volume based biotreatment BMP (e.g. constructed wetlands);
- Use Form 4.3-8 to compute sizing criteria for flow-based biotreatment BMP (e.g. bioswales)

Form 4.3-5 Selection and Evaluation of Biotreatment BMP		
<p>1 Remaining LID DCV not met by site design HSC, infiltration, or harvest and use BMP for potential biotreatment (ft³): 2,513 <i>Form 4.2-1 Item 7 - Form 4.3-2 Item 30 – Form 4.3-3 Item 16- Form 4.3-4 Item 9</i></p>	<p>List pollutants of concern <i>Copy from Form 2.3-1.</i> Pathogens, Nutrients, Sediment, Metals, Oil and Grease, Trash, Pesticides, Organic Compounds</p>	
<p>2 Biotreatment BMP Selected <i>(Select biotreatment BMP(s) necessary to ensure all pollutants of concern are addressed through Unit Operations and Processes, described in Table 5-5 of the TGD for WQMP)</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Volume-based biotreatment <i>Use Forms 4.3-6 and 4.3-7 to compute treated volume</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Bioretention with underdrain <input type="checkbox"/> Planter box with underdrain <input type="checkbox"/> Constructed wetlands <input type="checkbox"/> Wet extended detention <input type="checkbox"/> Dry extended detention</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Flow-based biotreatment <i>Use Form 4.3-8 to compute treated volume</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Vegetated swale <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetated filter strip <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Proprietary biotreatment</p>
<p>3 Volume biotreated in volume based biotreatment BMP (ft³): 0 <i>Form 4.3-6 Item 15 + Form 4.3-7 Item 13</i></p>	<p>4 Compute remaining LID DCV with implementation of volume based biotreatment BMP (ft³): 2,513 <i>Item 1 – Item 3</i></p>	<p>5 Remaining fraction of LID DCV for sizing flow based biotreatment BMP: 100% <i>Item 4 / Item 1</i></p>
<p>6 Flow-based biotreatment BMP capacity provided (cfs): 0.1111 <i>Use Figure 5-2 of the TGD for WQMP to determine flow capacity required to provide biotreatment of remaining percentage of unmet LID DCV (Item 5), for the project’s precipitation zone (Form 3-1 Item 1)</i></p>		
<p>7 Metrics for MEP determination:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provided a WQMP with the portion of site area used for suite of LID BMP equal to minimum thresholds in Table 5-7 of the TGD for WQMP for the proposed category of development: <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If maximized on-site retention BMPs is feasible for partial capture, then LID BMP implementation must be optimized to retain and infiltrate the maximum portion of the DCV possible within the prescribed minimum effective area. The remaining portion of the DCV shall then be mitigated using biotreatment BMP.</i> 		

Form 4.3-6 Volume Based Biotreatment – Bioretention and Planter Boxes with Underdrains

Biotreatment BMP Type <i>(Bioretention w/underdrain, planter box w/underdrain, other comparable BMP)</i>	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
1 Pollutants addressed with BMP <i>List all pollutant of concern that will be effectively reduced through specific Unit Operations and Processes described in Table 5-5 of the TGD for WQMP</i>			
2 Amended soil infiltration rate <i>Typical ~ 5.0</i>			
3 Amended soil infiltration safety factor <i>Typical ~ 2.0</i>			
4 Amended soil design percolation rate (in/hr) $P_{design} = \text{Item 2} / \text{Item 3}$			
5 Ponded water drawdown time (hr) <i>Copy Item 6 from Form 4.2-1</i>			
6 Maximum ponding depth (ft) <i>see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>			
7 Ponding Depth (ft) $d_{BMP} = \text{Minimum of } (1/12 * \text{Item 4} * \text{Item 5}) \text{ or Item 6}$			
8 Amended soil surface area (ft ²)			
9 Amended soil depth (ft) <i>see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>			
10 Amended soil porosity, <i>n</i>			
11 Gravel depth (ft) <i>see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>			
12 Gravel porosity, <i>n</i>			
13 Duration of storm as basin is filling (hrs) <i>Typical ~ 3hrs</i>			
14 Biotreated Volume (ft ³) $V_{biotreated} = \text{Item 8} * [(\text{Item 7}/2) + (\text{Item 9} * \text{Item 10}) + (\text{Item 11} * \text{Item 12}) + (\text{Item 13} * (\text{Item 4} / 12))]$			
15 Total biotreated volume from bioretention and/or planter box with underdrains BMP: <i>Sum of Item 14 for all volume-based BMPs included in this form</i>			

Form 4.3-7 Volume Based Biotreatment – Constructed Wetlands and Extended Detention

Biotreatment BMP Type <i>Constructed wetlands, extended wet detention, extended dry detention, or other comparable proprietary BMP. If BMP includes multiple modules (e.g. forebay and main basin), provide separate estimates for storage and pollutants treated in each module.</i>	DA DMA BMP Type		DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>	
	Forebay	Basin	Forebay	Basin
1 Pollutants addressed with BMP forebay and basin <i>List all pollutant of concern that will be effectively reduced through specific Unit Operations and Processes described in Table 5-5 of the TGD for WQMP</i>				
2 Bottom width (ft)				
3 Bottom length (ft)				
4 Bottom area (ft ²) $A_{bottom} = \text{Item 2} * \text{Item 3}$				
5 Side slope (ft/ft)				
6 Depth of storage (ft)				
7 Water surface area (ft ²) $A_{surface} = (\text{Item 2} + (2 * \text{Item 5} * \text{Item 6})) * (\text{Item 3} + (2 * \text{Item 5} * \text{Item 6}))$				
8 Storage volume (ft ³) <i>For BMP with a forebay, ensure fraction of total storage is within ranges specified in BMP specific fact sheets, see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i> $V = \text{Item 6} / 3 * [\text{Item 4} + \text{Item 7} + (\text{Item 4} * \text{Item 7})^{0.5}]$				
9 Drawdown Time (hrs) <i>Copy Item 6 from Form 2.1</i>				
10 Outflow rate (cfs) $Q_{BMP} = (\text{Item } 8_{forebay} + \text{Item } 8_{basin}) / (\text{Item } 9 * 3600)$				
11 Duration of design storm event (hrs)				
12 Biotreated Volume (ft ³) $V_{biotreated} = (\text{Item } 8_{forebay} + \text{Item } 8_{basin}) + (\text{Item } 10 * \text{Item } 11 * 3600)$				
13 Total biotreated volume from constructed wetlands, extended dry detention, or extended wet detention : <i>(Sum of Item 12 for all BMP included in plan)</i>				

Form 4.3-8 Flow Based Biotreatment (DA 2 DMA C)			
Biotreatment BMP Type <i>Vegetated swale, vegetated filter strip, or other comparable proprietary BMP</i>	DA 2 DMA C BMP Type Filterra	DA DMA BMP Type	DA DMA BMP Type <i>(Use additional forms for more BMPs)</i>
1 Pollutants addressed with BMP <i>List all pollutant of concern that will be effectively reduced through specific Unit Operations and Processes described in TGD Table 5-5</i>	Suspended solids, Phosphorus, Nitrogen, Copper, Zinc, Petroleum Hydrocarbons		
2 Flow depth for water quality treatment (ft) <i>BMP specific, see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>	2.5		
3 Bed slope (ft/ft) <i>BMP specific, see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>	0		
4 Manning's roughness coefficient	N/A		
5 Bottom width (ft) <i>$b_w = (\text{Form 4.3-5 Item 6} * \text{Item 4}) / (1.49 * \text{Item 2}^{1.67} * \text{Item 3}^{0.5})$</i>	6		
6 Side Slope (ft/ft) <i>BMP specific, see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>	N/A		
7 Cross sectional area (ft ²) <i>$A = (\text{Item 5} * \text{Item 2}) + (\text{Item 6} * \text{Item 2}^2)$</i>	15		
8 Water quality flow velocity (ft/sec) <i>$V = \text{Form 4.3-5 Item 6} / \text{Item 7}$</i>	N/A		
9 Hydraulic residence time (min) <i>Pollutant specific, see Table 5-6 of the TGD for WQMP for reference to BMP design details</i>	See Manufacture Specs		
10 Length of flow based BMP (ft) <i>$L = \text{Item 8} * \text{Item 9} * 60$</i>	8		
11 Water surface area at water quality flow depth (ft ²) <i>$SA_{top} = (\text{Item 5} + (2 * \text{Item 2} * \text{Item 6})) * \text{Item 10}$</i>	48 Ft		

4.3.5 Conformance Summary

Complete Form 4.3-9 to demonstrate how on-site LID DCV is met with proposed site design hydrologic source control, infiltration, harvest and use, and/or biotreatment BMP. The bottom line of the form is used to describe the basis for infeasibility determination for on-site LID BMP to achieve full LID DCV, and provides methods for computing remaining volume to be addressed in an alternative compliance plan. If the project has more than one outlet, then complete additional versions of this form for each outlet.

Form 4.3-9 Conformance Summary and Alternative Compliance Volume Estimate (DA 1)	
1	Total LID DCV for the Project DA-1 (ft ³): 4,825 <i>Copy Item 7 in Form 4.2-1</i>
2	On-site retention with site design hydrologic source control LID BMP (ft ³): 0 <i>Copy Item 30 in Form 4.3-2</i>
3	On-site retention with LID infiltration BMP (ft ³): 12,245 <i>Copy Item 16 in Form 4.3-3</i>
4	On-site retention with LID harvest and use BMP (ft ³): N/A <i>Copy Item 9 in Form 4.3-4</i>
5	On-site biotreatment with volume based biotreatment BMP (ft ³): N/A <i>Copy Item 3 in Form 4.3-5</i>
6	Flow capacity provided by flow based biotreatment BMP (cfs): N/A <i>Copy Item 6 in Form 4.3-5</i>
7	<p>LID BMP performance criteria are achieved if answer to any of the following is "Yes":</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full retention of LID DCV with site design HSC, infiltration, or harvest and use BMP: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, sum of Items 2, 3, and 4 is greater than Item 1</i> • Combination of on-site retention BMPs for a portion of the LID DCV and volume-based biotreatment BMP that address all pollutants of concern for the remaining LID DCV: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, a) sum of Items 2, 3, 4, and 5 is greater than Item 1, and Items 2, 3 and 4 are maximized; or b) Item 6 is greater than Form 4.3-5 Item 6 and Items 2, 3 and 4 are maximized</i> ▪ On-site retention and infiltration is determined to be infeasible and biotreatment BMP provide biotreatment for all pollutants of concern for full LID DCV: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, Form 4.3-1 Items 7 and 8 were both checked yes</i>
8	<p>If the LID DCV is not achieved by any of these means, then the project may be allowed to develop an alternative compliance plan. Check box that describes the scenario which caused the need for alternative compliance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combination of HSC, retention and infiltration, harvest and use, and biotreatment BMPs provide less than full LID DCV capture: <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Checked yes for Form 4.3-5 Item 7, Item 6 is zero, and sum of Items 2, 3, 4, and 5 is less than Item 1. If so, apply water quality credits and calculate volume for alternative compliance, $V_{alt} = (Item\ 1 - Item\ 2 - Item\ 3 - Item\ 4 - Item\ 5) * (100 - Form\ 2.4-1\ Item\ 2)\%$</i> • An approved Watershed Action Plan (WAP) demonstrates that water quality and hydrologic impacts of urbanization are more effective when managed in at an off-site facility: <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Attach appropriate WAP section, including technical documentation, showing effectiveness comparisons for the project site and regional watershed</i>

Form 4.3-9 Conformance Summary and Alternative Compliance Volume Estimate (DA-2)

1 Total LID DCV for the Project DA-2 (ft³): 2,643 *Copy Item 7 in Form 4.2-1*

2 On-site retention with site design hydrologic source control LID BMP (ft³): 160 *Copy Item 30 in Form 4.3-2*

3 On-site retention with LID infiltration BMP (ft³): N/A *Copy Item 16 in Form 4.3-3*

4 On-site retention with LID harvest and use BMP (ft³): N/A *Copy Item 9 in Form 4.3-4*

5 On-site biotreatment with volume based biotreatment BMP (ft³): N/A *Copy Item 3 in Form 4.3-5*

6 Flow capacity provided by flow based biotreatment BMP (cfs): 0.1111 *Copy Item 6 in Form 4.3-5*

7 LID BMP performance criteria are achieved if answer to any of the following is "Yes":

- Full retention of LID DCV with site design HSC, infiltration, or harvest and use BMP: Yes No
If yes, sum of Items 2, 3, and 4 is greater than Item 1
- Combination of on-site retention BMPs for a portion of the LID DCV and volume-based biotreatment BMP that address all pollutants of concern for the remaining LID DCV: Yes No
If yes, a) sum of Items 2, 3, 4, and 5 is greater than Item 1, and Items 2, 3 and 4 are maximized; or b) Item 6 is greater than Form 4.3-5 Item 6 and Items 2, 3 and 4 are maximized
- On-site retention and infiltration is determined to be infeasible and biotreatment BMP provide biotreatment for all pollutants of concern for full LID DCV: Yes No
If yes, Form 4.3-1 Items 7 and 8 were both checked yes

8 If the LID DCV is not achieved by any of these means, then the project may be allowed to develop an alternative compliance plan. Check box that describes the scenario which caused the need for alternative compliance:

- Combination of HSC, retention and infiltration, harvest and use, and biotreatment BMPs provide less than full LID DCV capture:
*Checked yes for Form 4.3-5 Item 7, Item 6 is zero, and sum of Items 2, 3, 4, and 5 is less than Item 1. If so, apply water quality credits and calculate volume for alternative compliance, $V_{alt} = (Item\ 1 - Item\ 2 - Item\ 3 - Item\ 4 - Item\ 5) * (100 - Form\ 2.4-1\ Item\ 2)\%$*
- An approved Watershed Action Plan (WAP) demonstrates that water quality and hydrologic impacts of urbanization are more effective when managed in at an off-site facility:
Attach appropriate WAP section, including technical documentation, showing effectiveness comparisons for the project site and regional watershed

4.3.6 Hydromodification Control BMP

Use Form 4.3-10 to compute the remaining runoff volume retention, after LID BMP are implemented, needed to address HCOC, and the increase in time of concentration and decrease in peak runoff necessary to meet targets for protection of waterbodies with a potential HCOC. Describe hydromodification control BMP that address HCOC, which may include off-site BMP and/or in-stream controls. Section 5.6 of the TGD for WQMP provides additional details on selection and evaluation of hydromodification control BMP.

Form 4.3-10 Hydromodification Control BMPs	
<p>1 Volume reduction needed for HCOC performance criteria (ft³): <i>(Form 4.2-2 Item 4 * 0.95) – Form 4.2-2 Item 1</i></p>	<p>2 On-site retention with site design hydrologic source control, infiltration, and harvest and use LID BMP (ft³): <i>Sum of Form 4.3-9 Items 2, 3, and 4 Evaluate option to increase implementation of on-site retention in Forms 4.3-2, 4.3-3, and 4.3-4 in excess of LID DCV toward achieving HCOC volume reduction</i></p>
<p>3 Remaining volume for HCOC volume capture (ft³): <i>Item 1 – Item 2</i></p>	<p>4 Volume capture provided by incorporating additional on-site or off-site retention BMPs (ft³): <i>Existing downstream BMP may be used to demonstrate additional volume capture (if so, attach to this WQMP a hydrologic analysis showing how the additional volume would be retained during a 2-yr storm event for the regional watershed)</i></p>
<p>5 If Item 4 is less than Item 3, incorporate in-stream controls on downstream waterbody segment to prevent impacts due to hydromodification <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Attach in-stream control BMP selection and evaluation to this WQMP</i></p>	
<p>6 Is Form 4.2-2 Item 11 less than or equal to 5%: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, HCOC performance criteria is achieved. If no, select one or more mitigation options below:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate increase in time of concentration achieved by proposed LID site design, LID BMP, and additional on-site or off-site retention BMP <input type="checkbox"/> <i>BMP upstream of a waterbody segment with a potential HCOC may be used to demonstrate increased time of concentration through hydrograph attenuation (if so, show that the hydraulic residence time provided in BMP for a 2-year storm event is equal or greater than the addition time of concentration requirement in Form 4.2-4 Item 15)</i> • Increase time of concentration by preserving pre-developed flow path and/or increase travel time by reducing slope and increasing cross-sectional area and roughness for proposed on-site conveyance facilities <input type="checkbox"/> • Incorporate appropriate in-stream controls for downstream waterbody segment to prevent impacts due to hydromodification, in a plan approved and signed by a licensed engineer in the State of California <input type="checkbox"/> 	
<p>7 Form 4.2-2 Item 12 less than or equal to 5%: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, HCOC performance criteria is achieved. If no, select one or more mitigation options below:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate reduction in peak runoff achieved by proposed LID site design, LID BMPs, and additional on-site or off-site retention BMPs <input type="checkbox"/> <i>BMPs upstream of a waterbody segment with a potential HCOC may be used to demonstrate additional peak runoff reduction through hydrograph attenuation (if so, attach to this WQMP, a hydrograph analysis showing how the peak runoff would be reduced during a 2-yr storm event)</i> • Incorporate appropriate in-stream controls for downstream waterbody segment to prevent impacts due to hydromodification, in a plan approved and signed by a licensed engineer in the State of California <input type="checkbox"/> 	

4.4 Alternative Compliance Plan (if applicable)

Describe an alternative compliance plan (if applicable) for projects not fully able to infiltrate, harvest and use, or biotreat the DCV via on-site LID practices. A project proponent must develop an alternative compliance plan to address the remainder of the LID DCV. Depending on project type some projects may qualify for water quality credits that can be applied to reduce the DCV that must be treated prior to development of an alternative compliance plan (see Form 2.4-1, Water Quality Credits). Form 4.3-9 Item 8 includes instructions on how to apply water quality credits when computing the DCV that must be met through alternative compliance. Alternative compliance plans may include one or more of the following elements:

- On-site structural treatment control BMP - All treatment control BMP should be located as close to possible to the pollutant sources and should not be located within receiving waters;
- Off-site structural treatment control BMP - Pollutant removal should occur prior to discharge of runoff to receiving waters;
- Urban runoff fund or In-lieu program, if available

Depending upon the proposed alternative compliance plan, approval by the executive officer may or may not be required (see Section 6 of the TGD for WQMP).

Section 5 Inspection and Maintenance Responsibility for Post Construction BMP

All BMP included as part of the project WQMP are required to be maintained through regular scheduled inspection and maintenance (refer to Section 8, Post Construction BMP Requirements, in the TGD for WQMP). Fully complete Form 5-1 summarizing all BMP included in the WQMP. Attach additional forms as needed. The WQMP shall also include a detailed Operation and Maintenance Plan for all BMP and may require a Maintenance Agreement (consult the jurisdiction's LIP). If a Maintenance Agreement is required, it must also be attached to the WQMP.

Form 5-1 BMP Inspection and Maintenance (use additional forms as necessary)			
BMP	Responsible Party(s)	Inspection/ Maintenance Activities Required	Minimum Frequency of Activities

Section 6 WQMP Attachments

6.1. Site Plan and Drainage Plan

Include a site plan and drainage plan sheet set containing the following minimum information:

- Project location
- Site boundary
- Land uses and land covers, as applicable
- Suitability/feasibility constraints
- Structural Source Control BMP locations
- Site Design Hydrologic Source Control BMP locations
- LID BMP details
- Drainage delineations and flow information
- Drainage connections

6.2 Electronic Data Submittal

Minimum requirements include submittal of PDF exhibits in addition to hard copies. Format must not require specialized software to open. If the local jurisdiction requires specialized electronic document formats (as described in their local Local Implementation Plan), this section will describe the contents (e.g., layering, nomenclature, geo-referencing, etc.) of these documents so that they may be interpreted efficiently and accurately.

6.3 Post Construction

Attach all O&M Plans and Maintenance Agreements for BMP to the WQMP.

6.4 Other Supporting Documentation

- BMP Educational Materials
- Activity Restriction – C, C&R's & Lease Agreements



WQMP Project Report

County of San Bernardino Stormwater Program

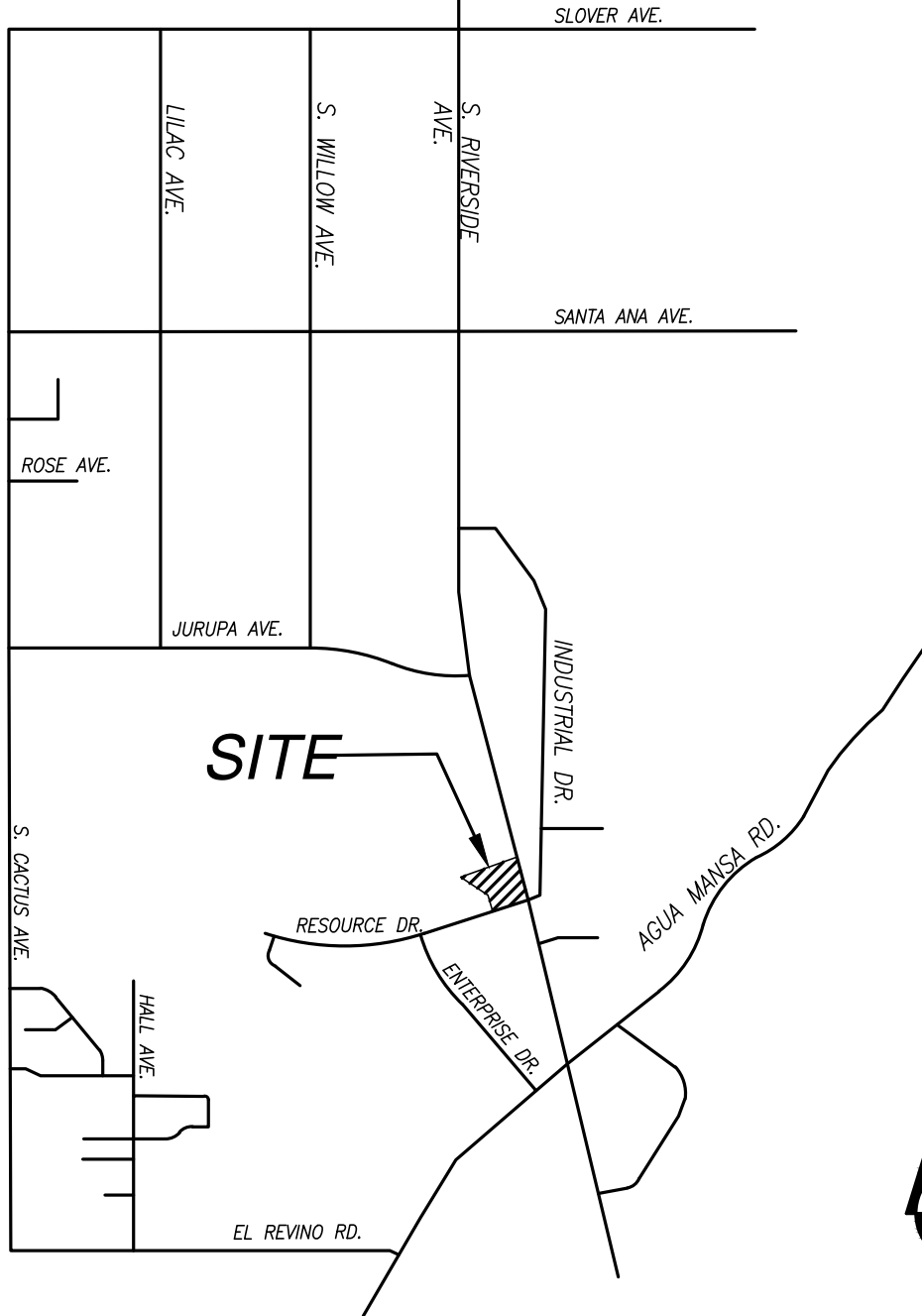
Santa Ana River Watershed Geodatabase

Monday, January 31, 2022

Note: The information provided in this report and on the Stormwater Geodatabase for the County of San Bernardino Stormwater Program is intended to provide basic guidance in the preparation of the applicant's Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP) and should not be relied upon without independent verification.

Project Site Parcel Number(s):	026002138, 026002139, 026002141
Project Site Acreage:	6.956
HCOC Exempt Area:	Yes. Verify that the project is completely within the HCOC exemption area.
Closest Receiving Waters:	System Number - 120
<small>(Applicant to verify based on local drainage facilities and topography.)</small>	Facility Name - Rialto Channel
	Owner - SBCFCD
Closest channel segment's susceptibility to Hydromodification:	EHM
Highest downstream hydromodification susceptibility:	High
Is this drainage segment subject to TMDLs?	No
Are there downstream drainage segments subject to TMDLs?	No
Is this drainage segment a 303d listed stream?	No
Are there 303d listed streams downstream?	Yes
Are there unlined downstream waterbodies?	No
Project Site Onsite Soil Group(s):	A
Environmentally Sensitive Areas within 200':	DELHI SANDS
Groundwater Depth (FT):	-170
Parcels with potential septic tanks within 1000':	No
Known Groundwater Contamination Plumes within 1000':	Yes
Studies and Reports Related to Project Site:	Cactus Basin CSDP 3-3 Rialto Channel Drainage Area Volume I CSDP 3-3 Rialto Channel Drainage Area Volume II CSDP 3-3 Rialto Channel Drainage Area Volume III CSDP 3-3 Rialto Channel Drainage Area Volume I CSDP 3-3 Rialto Channel Drainage Area Volume IV CSDP 3-3 Rialto Channel Drainage Area Volume V CSDP 3 CALC SHEET FOR HYDRO CSDP 3-3 Rialto Channel Drain Area Draft Rialto MPD Vol1 Rialto MPD Vol II RS-Rialto Map Book-FINAL Layout2 SBVMWD High Groundwater / Pressure Zone Area

VICINITY MAP



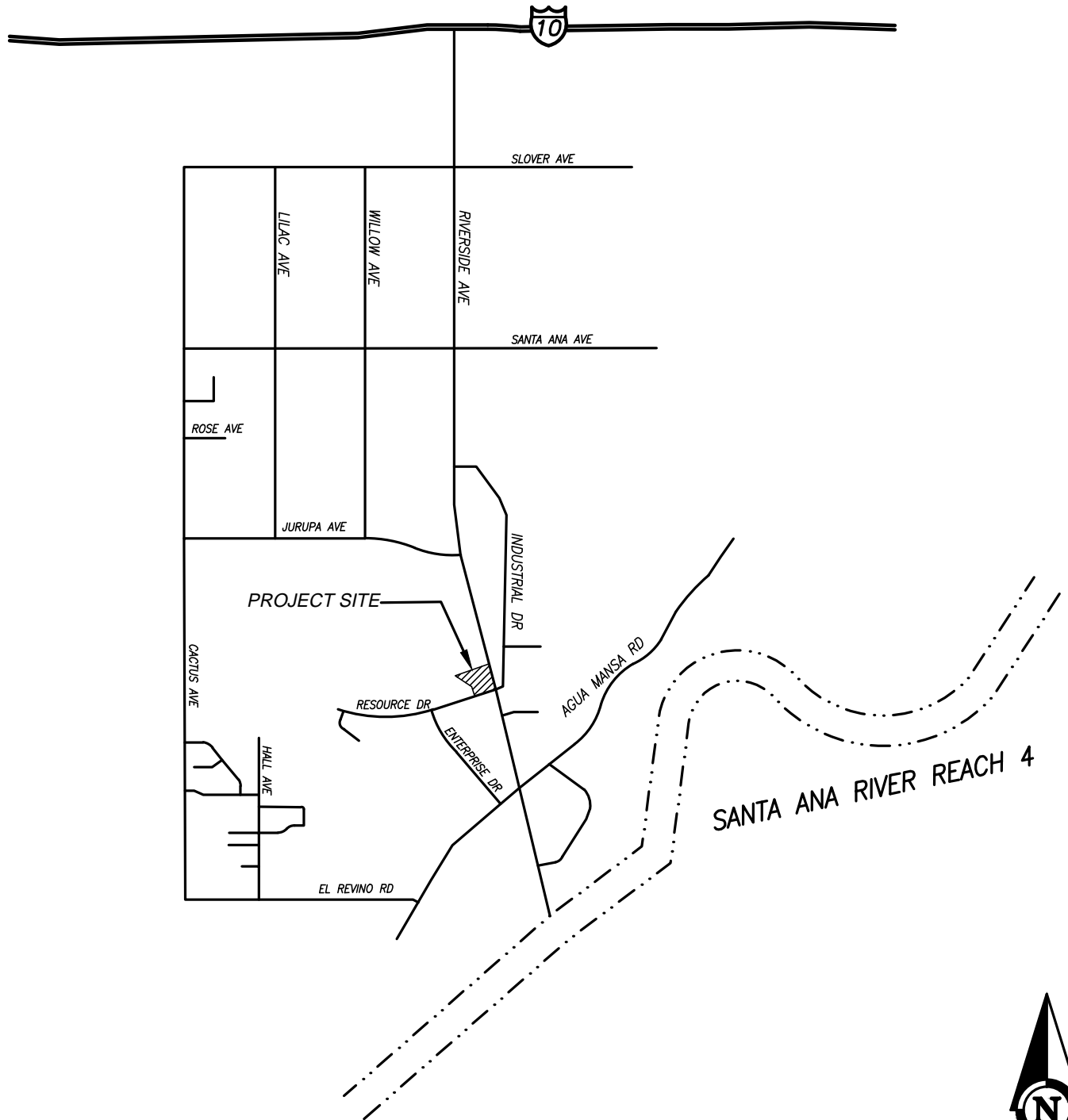
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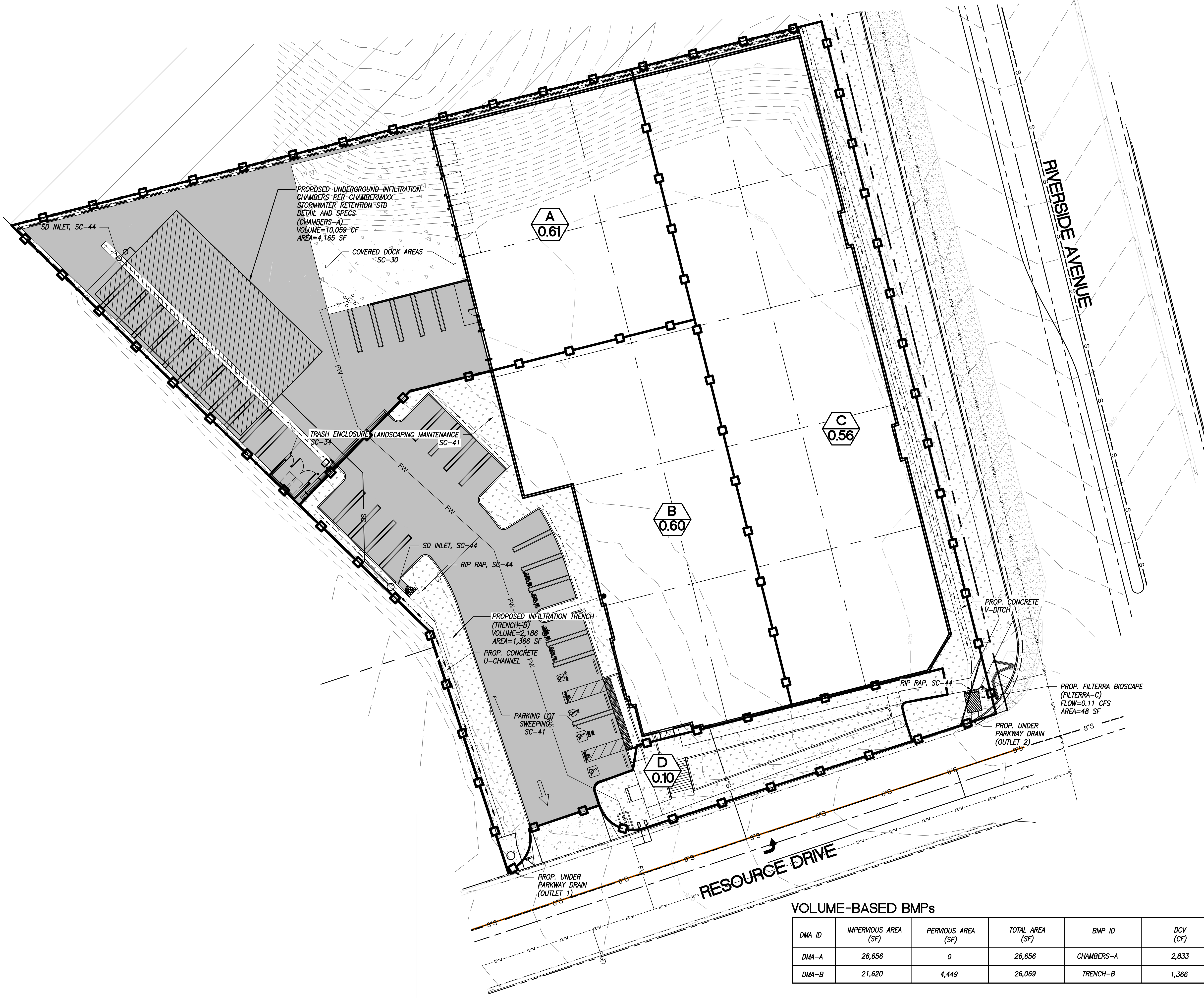
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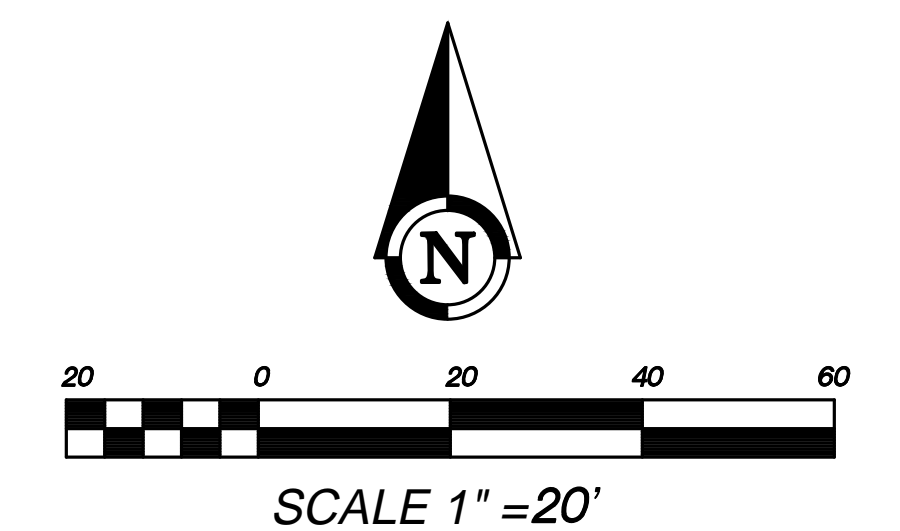
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LEGEND

- FLOWLINE
- PROPERTY LINE R/W
- DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT AREA ACREAGE
- DMA BOUNDARY
- CENTERLINE
- PROPOSED AC
- PROPOSED LANDSCAPE
- PROPOSED PCC



VOLUME-BASED BMPs

DMA ID	IMPERVIOUS AREA (SF)	PERVIOUS AREA (SF)	TOTAL AREA (SF)	BMP ID	DCY (CF)	V _{imp} (SF)	PROP. AREA (SF)
DMA-A	26,656	0	26,656	CHAMBERS-A	2,833	10,059	4,165
DMA-B	21,620	4,449	26,069	TRENCH-B	1,366	2,186	1,366

FLOW-BASED BMPs

DMA ID	IMPERVIOUS AREA (SF)	PERVIOUS AREA (SF)	TOTAL AREA (SF)	BMP ID	DFR (CFS)	Q _{imp} (CFS)	PROP. AREA (SF)
DMA-C	24,089	377	24,466	FILTERRA-C	0.11	0.11	48

WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR CORNERSTONE INDUSTRIAL BUILDING RIALTO, CA

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Geotechnical Engineering Investigation

Proposed Industrial Warehouse Development
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Cornerstone Development Partners, Inc
48 Tesla
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Attn: Daniel Adams

Project Number 22880-21
November 16, 2021

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Attn: Daniel Adams

RE: Geotechnical Engineering Investigation - Proposed Industrial Warehouse Development - Located at the Northwest Corner of Resource Drive and Riverside Avenue, in the City of Rialto, California

Dear Mr. Adams:

Pursuant to your request, this firm has performed a **Geotechnical Engineering Investigation** for the above referenced project in accordance with your approval of our proposal dated July 27, 2021. The purpose of this investigation is to evaluate the geotechnical conditions of the subject site and to provide recommendations for the proposed industrial warehouse development.

The scope of work included the following: 1) site reconnaissance; 2) subsurface geotechnical exploration and sampling; 3) laboratory testing; 4) soil infiltration testing; 5) engineering analysis of field and laboratory data; 6) preparation of a geotechnical engineering report. It is the opinion of this firm that the proposed development is feasible from a geotechnical standpoint provided that the recommendations presented in this report are followed in the design and construction of the project.

1.0 Project Description

It is proposed to construct an industrial warehouse development consisting of 40,491 square feet building on the 1.86-acre site as shown on the attached Site Plan (figure1). The proposed concrete tilt-up building will be supported by a conventional slab-on-grade foundation system with perimeter-spread footings and isolated interior footings. Other improvements will include asphalt and concrete pavement areas, hardscape and landscaping. It is assumed that the proposed grading for the development will include cut and fill procedures on the order of a few feet to achieve finished grade elevations. Final building plans shall be reviewed by this firm prior to submittal for city approval to determine the need for any additional study and revised recommendations pertinent to the proposed development, if necessary.

2.0 Site Description

The property is located along the northwest corner of Resource Drive and Riverside Avenue, bordered by an undeveloped lot to the north, in the City of Rialto (figure 2). Topography of the relatively level property descends slightly from north to south on the order of a few feet. The site is currently undeveloped and is covered in light vegetation.

3.0 Site Exploration

The investigation consisted of the placement of eight (8) subsurface exploratory trenches by a backhoe and to depths ranging between 5 and 18 feet below current ground elevations. The explorations were placed at accessible locations throughout the property. The explorations were visually classified and logged by a field engineer with locations of the subsurface explorations shown on the attached plan.

The exploratory trenches revealed the existing earth materials to consist of fill and natural soil. Detailed descriptions of the subsurface conditions are listed on the boring logs in Appendix A. It should be noted that the transition from one soil type to another as shown on the trench logs is approximate and may in fact be a gradual transition. The soils encountered are described as follows:

Fill: A fill soil classifying as a brown, fine to medium grained, silty SAND with occasional rootlets, gravel and small cobbles was encountered across the site to depths ranging from 1 to 2 feet below ground surface. These soils were noted to be loose and dry.

Natural: A natural undisturbed soil classifying as a brown fine to medium grained silty SAND with occasional gravel was encountered directly beneath the upper fill soils. The grain size of the upper undisturbed soils varied with depth across the site. The native soils as encountered were observed to be medium dense and damp to moist.

The overall engineering characteristics of the earth material were relatively uniform with each excavation. Groundwater was not encountered to the depth of our borings; however, review of local groundwater maps reveals the depth of groundwater to be in excess of 70 feet (Carson & Matti 1985). Slight caving did occur in the deeper cohesionless soils.

4.0 Laboratory Tests

Relatively undisturbed samples of the subsurface soils were obtained to perform laboratory testing and analysis for direct shear, consolidation tests, and to determine in-place moisture/densities. These relatively undisturbed ring samples were obtained by driving a thin-walled steel sampler lined with one-inch-long brass rings with an inside diameter of 2.42 inches into the undisturbed soils. Bulk bag samples were obtained in the upper soils for expansion index tests and maximum density tests. All test results are included in Appendix B, unless otherwise noted.

- 4.1 **Field Moisture Content** (ASTM: D 2216) and the dry density of the ring samples were determined in the laboratory. This data is listed on the logs of explorations.
- 4.2 **Maximum Density tests** (ASTM: D 1557) were performed on typical samples of the upper soils. Results of these tests are shown on Table I.
- 4.3 **Expansion Index tests** (ASTM: D 4829) were performed on remolded samples of the upper soils to determine expansive characteristics. Results of these tests are provided on Table II.

- 4.4 **Corrosion tests** consisting of sulfate, pH, resistivity and chloride analysis to determine potential corrosive effects of soils on concrete and underground utilities. Test results are provided on Table III.
- 4.5 **R-Value test** per California Test Method 301 was performed on a representative sample, which may be anticipated to be near subgrade to determine pavement design. Results are provided within the pavement design section of the report.
- 4.6 **Direct Shear tests** (ASTM: D 3080) were performed on undisturbed and/or remolded samples of the subsurface soils. The test is performed under saturated conditions at loads of 1,000 lbs./sq.ft., 2,000 lbs./sq.ft., and 3,000 lbs./sq.ft. with results shown on Plate A to B.
- 4.7 **Consolidation tests** (ASTM: D 2435) were performed on undisturbed samples to determine the differential and total settlement which may be anticipated based upon the proposed loads. Water was added to the samples at a surcharge of one KSF and the settlement curves are plotted on Plates C to D.

5.0 **Seismicity Evaluation**

The proposed development lies outside of any Alquist Priolo Special Studies Zone and the potential for damage due to direct fault rupture is considered unlikely. The San Jacinto (San Bernardino) Fault Zone is located approximately 6 kilometers from the site and is capable of producing a Magnitude 6.7 earthquake. Ground shaking originating from earthquakes along other active faults in the region is expected to induce lower horizontal accelerations due to smaller anticipated earthquakes and/or greater distances to other faults.

The seismic design parameters are provided below and are based on the 2019 California Building Code (CBC) Standard ASCE/SEI 7-16. The data was obtained from the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) website, <https://asce7hazardtool.online/>. The ASCE 7 Hazards Report is attached in Appendix C.

Seismic Design Acceleration Parameters

Latitude	34.042
Longitude	-117.369
Site Class	D
Risk Category	II
Mapped Spectral Response Acceleration	$S_S = 1.637$ $S_1 = 0.637$
Adjusted Maximum Acceleration	$S_{MS} = 1.637$
Design Spectral Response Acceleration Parameters	$S_{DS} = 1.091$
Peak Ground Acceleration	$PGA_M = 0.763$

Use of these values is dependent on requirements of ASCE 7-16, 11-4.8, Exception 2 that requires the value of the seismic response coefficient C_s be determined by Equation 12.8.2 for values of $T \leq 1.5T_s$ and taken as equal to 1.5 times the value computed in accordance with either 12.8-3 for $T_L \geq T \geq 1.5T_s$ or Equation 12.8-4 for $T > T_L$. Computations and verification of these conditions is referred to the structural engineer.

6.0 Liquefaction Evaluation

The site is expected to experience ground shaking and earthquake activity that is typical of the Southern California area. It is during severe shaking that loose, granular soils below the groundwater table can liquefy. Based on review of the *County of San Bernardino County Land Use Plan – General Plan – Geologic Hazard Overlays (2009)*, the site lies outside a zone of “Suspected Liquefaction Susceptibility”. Based on review of local groundwater maps, the depth of groundwater is in excess of 70 feet (Carson & Matti 1985). Thus, the design of the proposed construction in conformance with the latest Building Code provisions for earthquake design is expected to provide mitigation of ground shaking hazards that are typical to Southern California.

7.0 Infiltration Characteristics

Infiltration tests within the site were performed to provide preliminary infiltration rates for the purpose of planning and design of an on-site water disposal system. The infiltration tests consisted of the double ring infiltration test per ASTM Method D 3385 with test results given in Appendix D. Based upon the results of our testing, the soils encountered in the planned on-site drainage disposal system area exhibit the following infiltration rates.

Boring/ Test No.	Depth	Soil Classification	Field Infiltration Rate
T-1	5'	Fine Silty SAND	0.2 in/hr
T-2	8'	Fine Silty SAND	1.6 in/hr

Thus, the field infiltration rates given above for Exploratory Trench T-2 may be utilized in the final design with a safety factor of 2.0 as required by the county standard. All systems must meet the latest county specifications and the California Regional Water Quality Control Board (CRWQCB) requirements.

It is recommended that foundations shall be setback a minimum distance of 10 feet from the drainage disposal system and the bottom of footing shall be a minimum of 10 feet from the expected zone of saturation. The boundary of the zone of saturation may be assumed to project downward from the top of the permeable portion of the disposal system at an inclination of 1 to 1 or flatter, as determined by the geotechnical engineer.

8.0 Conclusions and Recommendations

Based upon our evaluations, the proposed development is acceptable from a geotechnical engineering standpoint. By following the recommendations and guidelines set forth in our report, the structures will be safe from excessive settlements under the anticipated design loadings and conditions. The proposed development shall meet all requirements of the City Building Ordinance and will not impose any adverse effect on existing adjacent structures.

The following recommendations are based upon soil conditions encountered in our field investigation; these near-surface soil conditions could vary across the site. Variations in the soil conditions may not become evident until the commencement of grading operations for the proposed development and revised recommendations from the soils engineer may be necessary based upon the conditions encountered.

It is recommended that site inspections be performed by a representative of this firm during all grading and construction of the development to verify the findings and recommendations documented in this report. Any unusual conditions which may be encountered in the course of the project development may require the need for additional study and revised recommendations.

8.1 **Site Grading Recommendations**

Any vegetation and/or demolition debris shall be removed and hauled from proposed grading areas prior to the start of grading operations. Existing vegetation shall not be mixed or disced into the soils. Any removed soils may be reutilized as compacted fill once any deleterious material or oversized materials (in excess of eight inches) is removed. Grading operations shall be performed in accordance with the attached *Specifications for Placement of Compacted Fill*.

8.1.1 **Removal and Recompaction Recommendations**

All disturbed soils and/or fill (about 1 to 2 feet below ground surface) shall be removed to competent native material, the exposed surface scarified to a depth of 12 inches, brought to within 2% of optimum moisture content and compacted to a minimum of 90% of the laboratory standard (ASTM: D 1557) prior to placement of any additional compacted fill soils, foundations, slabs-on-grade and pavement. The upper 12 inches of soils beneath building pad and concrete paving shall be compacted to a minimum of 95% of the laboratory standard. Grading shall extend a minimum of five horizontal feet outside the edges of foundations or equidistant to the depth of fill placed, whichever is greater.

It is possible that isolated areas of undiscovered fill not described in this report are present on site; if found, these areas should be treated as discussed earlier. A diligent search shall also be conducted during grading operations in an effort to uncover any underground structures, irrigation or utility lines. If encountered, these structures and lines shall be either removed or properly abandoned prior to the proposed construction.

Any imported fill material should be preferably soil similar to the upper soils encountered at the subject site. All soils shall be approved by this firm prior to importing at the site and will be subjected to additional laboratory testing to assure concurrence with the recommendations stated in this report.

If placement of slabs-on-grade and pavement is not completed immediately upon completion of grading operations, additional testing and grading of the areas may be necessary prior to continuation of construction operations. Likewise, if adverse weather conditions occur which may damage the subgrade soils, additional assessment by the soils engineer as to the suitability of the supporting soils may be needed.

Care should be taken to provide or maintain adequate lateral support for all adjacent improvements and structures at all times during the grading operations and construction phase. Adequate drainage away from the structures, pavement and slopes should be provided at all times.

8.1.2 Fill Blanket Recommendations

Due to the potential for differential settlement of foundations placed on compacted fill and native materials, it is recommended that all foundations including floor slab areas be underlain by a uniform compacted fill blanket at least two feet in thickness. This fill blanket shall extend a minimum of five horizontal feet outside the edges of foundations or equidistant to the depth of fill placed, whichever is greater.

8.2 Shrinkage and Subsidence

Results of our in-place density tests reveal that the soil shrinkage will be on the order of 5 to 10% due to excavation and recompaction, based upon the assumption that the fill is compacted to 92% of the maximum dry density per ASTM standards. Subsidence should be 0.2 feet due to earthwork operations. The volume change does not include any allowance for vegetation or organic stripping, removal of subsurface improvements, or topographic approximations. Although these values are only approximate, they represent our best estimate of lost yardage, which will likely occur during grading. If more accurate shrinkage and subsidence factors are needed, it is recommended that field testing the actual equipment and grading techniques should be conducted.

8.3 Temporary Excavations

Temporary unsurcharged excavations in the existing site materials may be made at vertical inclinations up to 4 feet in height unless cohesionless soils are encountered. In areas where soils with little or no binder are encountered, where adverse geological conditions are exposed, or where excavations are adjacent to existing structures, shoring or flatter excavations may be required. The temporary cut slope gradients given above do not preclude local raveling and sloughing. All excavations shall be made in accordance with the requirements of the soils engineer, CAL-OSHA and other public agencies having jurisdiction. Care should be taken to provide or maintain adequate lateral support for all adjacent improvements and structures at all times during the grading operations and construction phase.

8.4 Foundation Design

All foundations may be designed utilizing the following allowable bearing capacities for an embedded depth of 18 inches into approved engineered fill with the corresponding widths:

Allowable Bearing Capacity (psf)		
Width (feet)	Continuous Foundation	Isolated Foundation
1.5	2000	2500
2.0	2075	2575
4.0	2375	2875
6.0	2500	3000

The bearing value may be increased by 500 psf for each additional foot of depth in excess of the 18-inch minimum depth, up to a maximum of 4,000 psf. A one-third increase may be used when considering short-term loading and seismic forces. Any foundations located along property line may utilize an allowable bearing capacity of 1,500 psf and embedded into competent native soils. A representative of this firm shall inspect all foundation excavations prior to pouring concrete.

8.5 Settlement Analysis

Resultant pressure curves for the consolidation tests are shown on Plates B and C. Computations utilizing these curves and the recommended allowable soil bearing capacities reveal that the foundations will experience settlements on the order of ¾ inch and differential settlements of less than ¼ inch.

8.6 Lateral Resistance

The following values may be utilized in resisting lateral loads imposed on the structure. Requirements of the California Building Code should be adhered to when the coefficient of friction and passive pressures are combined.

Coefficient of Friction - 0.40

Equivalent Passive Fluid Pressure = 250 lbs./cu.ft.

Maximum Passive Pressure = 2,500 lbs./cu.ft.

The passive pressure recommendations are valid only for approved compacted fill soils or competent native materials.

8.7 Retaining Wall Design Parameters

Active earth pressures against retaining walls will be equal to the pressures developed by the following fluid densities. These values are for **approved granular backfill material** placed behind the walls at various ground slopes above the walls.

<u>Surface Slope of Retained Materials (Horizontal to Vertical)</u>	<u>Equivalent Fluid Density (lb./cu.ft.)</u>
Level	30
5 to 1	35
4 to 1	38
3 to 1	40
2 to 1	45

Any applicable short-term construction surcharges and seismic forces should be added to the above lateral pressure values. An equivalent fluid pressure of 45 pcf may be utilized for the restrained wall condition with a level grade behind the wall.

The seismic-induced lateral soil pressure for walls greater than 6 feet may be computed using a triangular pressure distribution with the maximum value at the top of the wall. The maximum lateral pressure of (20 pcf) H where H is the height of the retained soils above the wall footing should be used in final design of retaining walls. Sliding resistance values and passive fluid pressure values may be increased by 1/3 during short-term wind and seismic loading conditions.

All walls shall be waterproofed as needed and protected from hydrostatic pressure by a reliable permanent subdrain system. The granular backfill to be utilized immediately adjacent to retaining walls shall consist of an approved select granular soil with a sand equivalency greater than 30. This backfill zone of free draining material shall consist of a wedge beginning a minimum of one horizontal foot from the base of the wall extending upward at an inclination of no less than $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 (horizontal to vertical).

8.8 Slab Design

All concrete slabs shall be a minimum of six inches in thickness in the proposed warehouse areas and four inches in office and hardscape and placed on approved subgrade soils compacted to a minimum of 95% of the laboratory standard in the upper 12 inches. Additional reinforcement requirements and an increase in thickness of the slabs-on-grade may be necessary based upon proposed loading conditions in the structures and should be evaluated further by the project engineers and/or architect.

A vapor retarder (10-mil minimum thickness) should be utilized in areas which would be sensitive to the infiltration of moisture. This retarder shall meet requirements of ASTM E 96, *Water Vapor Transmission of Materials* and ASTM E 1745, *Standard Specification for Water Vapor Retarders used in Contact with Soil or Granular Fill Under Concrete Slabs*. The vapor retarder shall be installed in accordance with procedures stated in ASTM E 1643, *Standard practice for Installation of Water Vapor Retarders used in Contact with Earth or Granular Fill Under Concrete Slabs*.

The moisture retarder may be placed directly upon compacted subgrade soils conditioned to near optimum moisture levels, although one to two inches of sand beneath the membrane is desirable. The subgrade upon which the retarder is placed shall be smooth and free of rocks, gravel or other protrusions which may damage the retarder. Use of sand above the retarder is under the purview of the structural engineer; if sand is used over the retarder, it should be placed in a dry condition.

8.9 Pavement Section Design

The table below provides a preliminary pavement design based upon an R-Value of 69 for the subgrade soils for the proposed pavement areas. Final pavement design may need to be based on R-Value testing of the subgrade soils near the conclusion of site grading to assure that these soils are consistent with those assumed in this preliminary design. The recommendations are based upon estimated traffic loads. Client should submit any other anticipated traffic loadings to the geotechnical engineer, if necessary, so that pavement sections may be reviewed to determine adequacy to support the proposed loadings.

Type of Traffic	Traffic Index	Asphalt (in.)	Base Material (in.)
Automobile Parking Stalls	4.0	3.0	3.0
Light Vehicle Circulation Areas	5.5	3.5	5.0
Heavy Truck Access Areas	7.0	4.0	8.0

Any concrete slab-on-grade in pavement areas shall be a *minimum* of six inches in thickness and may be placed on approved subgrade soils. All pavement areas shall have positive drainage toward an approved outlet from the site.

Drain lines behind curbs and/or adjacent to landscape areas should be considered by client and the appropriate design engineers to prevent water from infiltrating beneath pavement. If such infiltration occurs, damage to pavement, curbs and flow lines, especially on sites with expansive soils, may occur during the life of the project.

Any approved base material shall consist of a Class II aggregate or equivalent and should be compacted to a minimum of 95% relative compaction. All pavement materials shall conform to the requirements set forth by the City of Ontario. The base material and asphaltic concrete should be tested prior to delivery to the site and during placement to determine conformance with the project specifications. A pavement engineer shall designate the specific asphalt mix design to meet the required project specifications.

8.10 Utility Trench and Excavation Backfill

Trenches from installation of utility lines and other excavations may be backfilled with on-site soils or approved imported soils compacted to a minimum of 90% relative compaction. All utility lines shall be properly bedded with clean sand having a sand equivalency rating of 30 or more. This bedding material shall be thoroughly water jetted around the pipe structure prior to placement of compacted backfill soils.

8.11 Corrosion Design Criteria

Representative samples of the surficial soils, typical of the subgrade soils expected to be encountered within foundation excavations and underground utilities were tested for corrosion potential. The minimum resistivity value obtained for the samples tested is representative of an environment that may be corrosive to metals. The soil pH value was considered mildly alkaline and may not have a significant effect on soil corrosivity. Consideration should be given to corrosion protection systems for buried metal such as protective coatings, wrappings or the use of PVC where permitted by local building codes.

According to Table 4.3.1 of ACI 318 Building Code and Commentary, these contents revealed negligible sulfate concentrations. Therefore, a Type II cement according to latest CBC specifications may be utilized for building foundations at this time. It is recommended that additional sulfate tests be performed at the completion of site grading to assure that the as graded conditions are consistent with the recommendations stated in this design. Corrosion test results may be found on the attached Table III.

8.12 Expansive Soil

On-site soils are very low in expansion potential (EI 0-20). When soils have an expansion index (EI) of 20 or more, special attention should be given to the project design and maintenance. The attached *Expansive Soil Guidelines* should be reviewed by the engineers, architects, owner, maintenance personnel and other interested parties and considered during the design of the project and future property maintenance. Expansion test results may be found on the attached Table II.

9.0 Closure

The recommendations and conclusions contained in this report are based upon the soil conditions uncovered in our test excavations. No warranty of the soil condition between our excavations is implied. NorCal Engineering should be notified for possible further recommendations if unexpected to unfavorable conditions are encountered during construction phase. It is the responsibility of the owner to ensure that all information within this report is submitted to the Architect and appropriate Engineers for the project.

A preconstruction conference should be held between the developer, general contractor, grading contractor, city inspector, architect, and geotechnical engineer to clarify any questions relating to the grading operations and subsequent construction. Our representative should be present during the grading operations and construction phase to certify that such recommendations are complied within the field.

This geotechnical investigation has been conducted in a manner consistent with the level of care and skill exercised by members of our profession currently practicing under similar conditions in the Southern California area. No other warranty, expressed or implied is made.

We appreciate this opportunity to be of service to you. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,
NORCAL ENGINEERING



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SPECIFICATIONS FOR PLACEMENT OF COMPACTED FILL

Excavation

Any existing low-density soils and/or saturated soils shall be removed to competent natural soil under the inspection of the Geotechnical Engineering Firm. After the exposed surface has been cleansed of debris and/or vegetation, it shall be scarified until it is uniform in consistency, brought to the proper moisture content and compacted to a minimum of 90% relative compaction (in accordance with ASTM: D 1557).

In any area where a transition between fill and native soil or between bedrock and soil are encountered, additional excavation beneath foundations and slabs will be necessary in order to provide uniform support and avoid differential settlement of the structure.

Material for Fill

The on-site soils or approved import soils may be utilized for the compacted fill provided they are free of any deleterious materials and shall not contain any rocks, brick, asphaltic concrete, concrete or other hard materials greater than eight inches in maximum dimensions. Any import soil must be approved by the Geotechnical Engineering firm a minimum of 72 hours prior to importation of site.

Placement of Compacted Fill Soils

The approved fill soils shall be placed in layers not excess of six inches in thickness. Each lift shall be uniform in thickness and thoroughly blended. The fill soils shall be brought to within 2% of the optimum moisture content, unless otherwise specified by the Soils Engineering firm. Each lift shall be compacted to a minimum of 90% relative compaction (in accordance with ASTM: D 1557) and approved prior to the placement of the next layer of soil. Compaction tests shall be obtained at the discretion of the Geotechnical Engineering firm but to a minimum of one test for every 500 cubic yards placed and/or for every 2 feet of compacted fill placed.

The minimum relative compaction shall be obtained in accordance with accepted methods in the construction industry. The final grade of the structural areas shall be in a dense and smooth condition prior to placement of slabs-on-grade or pavement areas. No fill soils shall be placed, spread or compacted during unfavorable weather conditions. When the grading is interrupted by heavy rains, compaction operations shall not be resumed until approved by the Geotechnical Engineering firm.

Grading Observations

The controlling governmental agencies should be notified prior to commencement of any grading operations. This firm recommends that the grading operations be conducted under the observation of a Soils Engineering firm as deemed necessary. A 24-hour notice must be provided to this firm prior to the time of our initial inspection.

Observation shall include the clearing and grubbing operations to assure that all unsuitable materials have been properly removed; approve the exposed subgrade in areas to receive fill and in areas where excavation has resulted in the desired finished grade and designate areas of overexcavation; and perform field compaction tests to determine relative compaction achieved during fill placement. In addition, all foundation excavations shall be observed by the Geotechnical Engineering firm to confirm that appropriate bearing materials are present at the design grades and recommend any modifications to construct footings.

EXPANSIVE SOIL GUIDELINES

The following expansive soil guidelines are provided for your project. The intent of these guidelines is to inform you, the client, of the importance of proper design and maintenance of projects supported on expansive soils. ***You, as the owner or other interested party, should be warned that you have a duty to provide the information contained in the soil report including these guidelines to your design engineers, architects, landscapers and other design parties in order to enable them to provide a design that takes into consideration expansive soils.***

In addition, you should provide the soil report with these guidelines to any property manager, lessee, property purchaser or other interested party that will have or assume the responsibility of maintaining the development in the future.

Expansive soils are fine-grained silts and clays which are subject to swelling and contracting. The amount of this swelling and contracting is subject to the amount of fine-grained clay materials present in the soils and the amount of moisture either introduced or extracted from the soils. Expansive soils are divided into five categories ranging from "very low" to "very high". Expansion indices are assigned to each classification and are included in the laboratory testing section of this report. *If the expansion index of the soils on your site, as stated in this report, is 21 or higher, you have expansive soils.* The classifications of expansive soils are as follows:

Classification of Expansive Soil*

Expansion Index	Potential Expansion
0-20	Very Low
21-50	Low
51-90	Medium
91-130	High
Above 130	Very High

*From Table 18A-I-B of California Building Code (1988)

When expansive soils are compacted during site grading operations, care is taken to place the materials at or slightly above optimum moisture levels and perform proper compaction operations. Any subsequent excessive wetting and/or drying of expansive soils will cause the soil materials to expand and/or contract. These actions are likely to cause distress of foundations, structures, slabs-on-grade, sidewalks and pavement over the life of the structure. ***It is therefore imperative that even after construction of improvements, the moisture contents are maintained at relatively constant levels, allowing neither excessive wetting or drying of soils.***

Evidence of excessive wetting of expansive soils may be seen in concrete slabs, both interior and exterior. Slabs may lift at construction joints producing a trip hazard or may crack from the pressure of soil expansion. Wet clays in foundation areas may result in lifting of the structure causing difficulty in the opening and closing of doors and windows, as well as cracking in exterior and interior wall surfaces. In extreme wetting of soils to depth, settlement of the structure may eventually result. Excessive wetting of soils in landscape areas adjacent to concrete or asphaltic pavement areas may also result in expansion of soils beneath pavement and resultant distress to the pavement surface.

Excessive drying of expansive soils is initially evidenced by cracking in the surface of the soils due to contraction. Settlement of structures and on-grade slabs may also eventually result along with problems in the operation of doors and windows.

Projects located in areas of expansive clay soils will be subject to more movement and "hairline" cracking of walls and slabs than similar projects situated on non-expansive sandy soils. There are, however, measures that developers and property owners may take to reduce the amount of movement over the life the development. The following guidelines are provided to assist you in both design and maintenance of projects on expansive soils:

- Drainage away from structures and pavement is essential to prevent excessive wetting of expansive soils. Grades should be designed to the latest building code and maintained to allow flow of irrigation and rain water to approved drainage devices or to the street. Any “ponding” of water adjacent to buildings, slabs and pavement after rains is evidence of poor drainage; the installation of drainage devices or regrading of the area may be required to assure proper drainage. Installation of rain gutters is also recommended to control the introduction of moisture next to buildings. Gutters should discharge into a drainage device or onto pavement which drains to roadways.
- Irrigation should be strictly controlled around building foundations, slabs and pavement and may need to be adjusted depending upon season. This control is essential to maintain a relatively uniform moisture content in the expansive soils and to prevent swelling and contracting. Over-watering adjacent to improvements may result in damage to those improvements. NorCal Engineering makes no specific recommendations regarding landscape irrigation schedules.
- Planting schemes for landscaping around structures and pavement should be analyzed carefully. Plants (including sod) requiring high amounts of water may result in excessive wetting of soils. Trees and large shrubs may actually extract moisture from the expansive soils, thus causing contraction of the fine-grained soils.
- Thickened edges on exterior slabs will assist in keeping excessive moisture from entering directly beneath the concrete. A six-inch thick or greater deepened edge on slabs may be considered. Underlying interior and exterior slabs with 6 to 12 inches or more of non-expansive soils and providing presaturation of the underlying clayey soils as recommended in the soil report will improve the overall performance of on-grade slabs.

- Increase the amount of steel reinforcing in concrete slabs, foundations and other structures to resist the forces of expansive soils. The precise amount of reinforcing should be determined by the appropriate design engineers and/or architects.
- Recommendations of the soil report should **always** be followed in the development of the project. Any recommendations regarding presaturation of the upper subgrade soils in slab areas should be performed in the field and verified by the Soil Engineer.

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(in order of appearance)

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VICINITY MAP

Appendix A

Log of Excavations

MAJOR DIVISION			GRAPHIC SYMBOL	LETTER SYMBOL	TYPICAL DESCRIPTIONS	
COARSE GRAINED SOILS	GRAVEL AND GRAVELLY SOILS	CLEAN GRAVELS (LITTLE OR NO FINES)		GW	WELL-GRADED GRAVELS, GRAVEL-SAND MIXTURES, LITTLE OR NO FINES	
				GP	POORLY-GRADED GRAVELS, GRAVEL-SAND MIXTURES, LITTLE OR NO FINES	
		MORE THAN 50% OF COARSE FRACTION RETAINED ON NO. 4 SIEVE	GRAVELS WITH FINES (APPRECIABLE AMOUNT OF FINES)		GM	SILTY GRAVELS, GRAVEL-SAND-SILT MIXTURES
					GC	CLAYEY GRAVELS, GRAVEL-SAND-CLAY MIXTURES
	SAND AND SANDY SOILS	CLEAN SAND (LITTLE OR NO FINES)		SW	WELL-GRADED SANDS, GRAVELLY SANDS, LITTLE OR NO FINES	
				SP	POORLY-GRADED SANDS, GRAVELLY SANDS, LITTLE OR NO FINES	
		MORE THAN 50% OF COARSE FRACTION PASSING ON NO. 4 SIEVE	SANDS WITH FINE (APPRECIABLE AMOUNT OF FINES)		SM	SILTY SANDS, SAND-SILT MIXTURES
					SC	CLAYEY SANDS, SAND-CLAY MIXTURES
FINE GRAINED SOILS	SILTS AND CLAYS	LIQUID LIMIT LESS THAN 50		ML	INORGANIC SILTS AND VERY FINE SANDS, ROCK FLOUR, SILTY OR CLAYEY FINE SANDS OR CLAYEY SILTS WITH SLIGHT PLASTICITY	
				CL	INORGANIC CLAYS OF LOW TO MEDIUM PLASTICITY, GRAVELLY CLAYS, SANDY CLAYS, SILTY CLAYS, LEAN CLAYS	
				OL	ORGANIC SILTS AND ORGANIC SILTY CLAYS OF LOW PLASTICITY	
	SILTS AND CLAYS	LIQUID LIMIT GREATER THAN 50		MH	INORGANIC SILTS, MICACEOUS OR DIATOMACEOUS FINE SAND OR SILTY SOILS	
				CH	INORGANIC CLAYS OF HIGH PLASTICITY, FAT CLAYS	
				OH	ORGANIC CLAYS OF MEDIUM TO HIGH PLASTICITY, ORGANIC SILTS	
HIGHLY ORGANIC SOILS				PT	PEAT, HUMUS, SWAMP SOILS WITH HIGH ORGANIC CONTENTS	

NOTE: DUAL SYMBOLS ARE USED TO INDICATE BORDERLINE SOIL CLASSIFICATIONS

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

KEY:

- Indicates 2.5-inch Inside Diameter, Ring Sample.
- ⊗ Indicates 2-inch OD Split Spoon Sample (SPT).
- ⊠ Indicates Shelby Tube Sample.
- Indicates No Recovery.
- ▣ Indicates SPT with 140# Hammer 30 in. Drop.
- ☑ Indicates Bulk Sample.
- ▤ Indicates Small Bag Sample.
- ▥ Indicates Non-Standard
- ⊗ Indicates Core Run.

COMPONENT DEFINITIONS

COMPONENT	SIZE RANGE
Boulders	Larger than 12 in
Cobbles	3 in to 12 in
Gravel	3 in to No 4 (4.5mm)
Coarse gravel	3 in to 3/4 in
Fine gravel	3/4 in to No 4 (4.5mm)
Sand	No. 4 (4.5mm) to No. 200 (0.074mm)
Coarse sand	No. 4 (4.5 mm) to No. 10 (2.0 mm)
Medium sand	No. 10 (2.0 mm) to No. 40 (0.42 mm)
Fine sand	No. 40 (0.42 mm) to No. 200 (0.074 mm)
Silt and Clay	Smaller than No. 200 (0.074 mm)

COMPONENT PROPORTIONS

DESCRIPTIVE TERMS	RANGE OF PROPORTION
Trace	1 - 5%
Few	5 - 10%
Little	10 - 20%
Some	20 - 35%
And	35 - 50%

MOISTURE CONTENT

DRY	Absence of moisture, dusty, dry to the touch.
DAMP	Some perceptible moisture; below optimum
MOIST	No visible water; near optimum moisture content
WET	Visible free water, usually soil is below water table.

RELATIVE DENSITY OR CONSISTENCY VERSUS SPT N -VALUE

COHESIONLESS SOILS		COHESIVE SOILS		
Density	N (blows/ft)	Consistency	N (blows/ft)	Approximate Undrained Shear Strength (psf)
Very Loose	0 to 4	Very Soft	0 to 2	< 250
Loose	4 to 10	Soft	2 to 4	250 - 500
Medium Dense	10 to 30	Medium Stiff	4 to 8	500 - 1000
Dense	30 to 50	Stiff	8 to 15	1000 - 2000
Very Dense	over 50	Very Stiff	15 to 30	2000 - 4000
		Hard	over 30	> 4000

Boring Location: NWC Resource & Riverside, Rialto

Date of Drilling: 10/25/2021

Groundwater Depth: None Encountered


Drilling Method: Backhoe

Hammer Weight:

Drop:

Surface Elevation: Not Measured

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5		NATURAL Fine Silty SAND with occasional small gravel Brown, medium dense, moist Trench completed at depth of 5'	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		3.8		
10							
15							
20							
25							
30							
35							

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0	GWT not encountered	FILL Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional gravel, small cobbles, roots Brown, loose, dry					
5		NATURAL Fine Silty SAND with occasional small gravel Brown, medium dense, moist					
8		Trench completed at depth of 8'	M		4.7		
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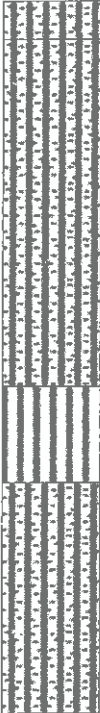





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			Type	Blow Counts	Moisture	Dry Density	Fines Content %
0	 GWT not encountered	FILL Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional gravel, roots Brown, loose, dry			3.8	110.1	
5		NATURAL Silty (fine grained) SAND with occasional small gravel Brown, medium dense, moist			3.9	117.6	
10		Sandy SILT with occasional small gravel Brown, medium stiff, moist			13.2	101.7	
15		Slightly silty (fine to coarse grained) SAND with gravel, rock, occasional cobble Brown, medium dense, damp Variation in silt content with depth			2.8	114.2	
18.5		Trench completed at depth of 18.5'			3.0	123.2	

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Depth (feet)	Lithology	Material Description	Samples		Laboratory		
			Type	Blow Counts	Moisture	Dry Density	Fines Content %
0	GWT not encountered	FILL Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional gravel, roots Brown, loose, dry					
5		NATURAL Silty (fine grained) SAND with occasional small gravel Brown, medium dense, moist	■		3.6	106.3	
			■		4.0	118.8	
		Trench completed at depth of 8'					
10							
15							
20							
25							
30							
35							

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Drilling Method: Backhoe

Hammer Weight:

Drop:

Surface Elevation: Not Measured

Depth (feet)	Lithology	Material Description	Samples		Laboratory		
			Type	Blow Counts	Moisture	Dry Density	Fines Content %
0	 GWT not encountered	FILL Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional gravel, small cobbles Brown, loose, dry					
5		NATURAL Silty (fine grained) SAND with occasional small gravel Brown, medium dense, moist	■		4.0	100.4	
10			■		5.3	97.3	
		Trench completed at depth of 10'					
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Depth (feet)	Lithology	Material Description	Samples		Laboratory		
			Type	Blow Counts	Moisture	Dry Density	Fines Content %
0	GWT not encountered	FILL Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional gravel, roots Brown, loose, dry	■		2.2	107.7	
5		NATURAL Silty (fine grained) SAND with occasional small gravel Light brown, medium dense, damp	■		1.9	104.7	
10		Trench completed at depth of 10'					
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			Type	Blow Counts	Moisture	Dry Density	Fines Content %
0	GWT not encountered	FILL Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional roots Brown, loose, dry					
5		NATURAL Silty (fine grained) SAND with occasional small gravel Light brown, medium dense, moist	■		4.8	98.6	
10		Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional gravel Brown, medium dense, moist Increase in gravel content with depth	■		5.5	103.2	
15		Slightly silty (fine to coarse grained) SAND with gravel, rock, occasional cobble Light brown, dense, damp	■		2.3	123.9	
		Trench completed at depth of 16'					
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Drop:

Surface Elevation: Not Measured

Depth (feet)	Lithology	Material Description	Samples		Laboratory		
			Type	Blow Counts	Moisture	Dry Density	Fines Content %
0	GWT not encountered	FILL Silty (fine to medium grained) SAND with occasional gravel, concrete and asphaltic concrete Brown, loose, dry	■		1.2	111.7	
5		NATURAL Silty (fine grained) SAND with occasional small gravel Light brown, medium dense, damp					
10		Trench completed at depth of 10'					
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Appendix B Laboratory Tests

TABLE I
MAXIMUM DENSITY TESTS

Sample	Classification	Optimum Moisture (%)	Maximum Dry Density (lbs/cu.ft)
T-4 @ 2'	Silty SAND	11.5	118.0

TABLE II
EXPANSION TESTS

Sample	Classification	Expansion Index
T-4 @ 2'	Silty SAND	03

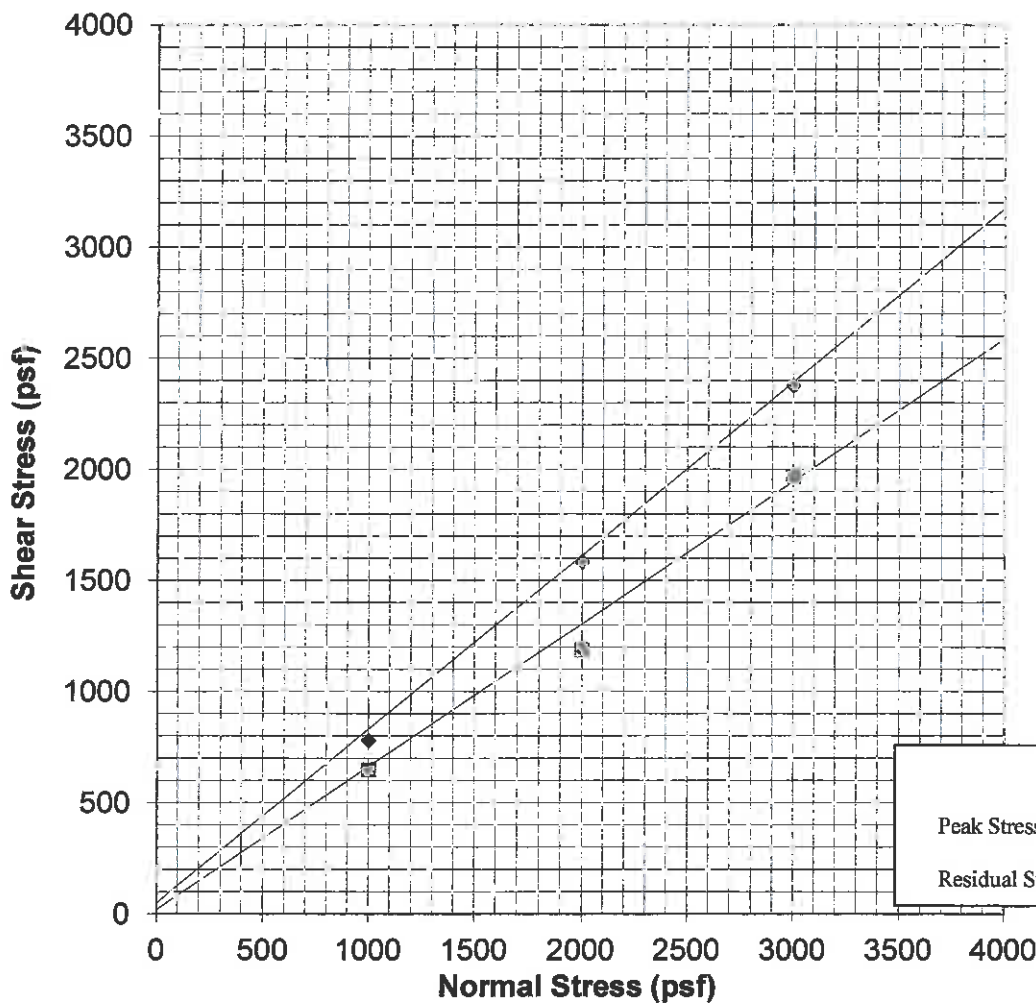
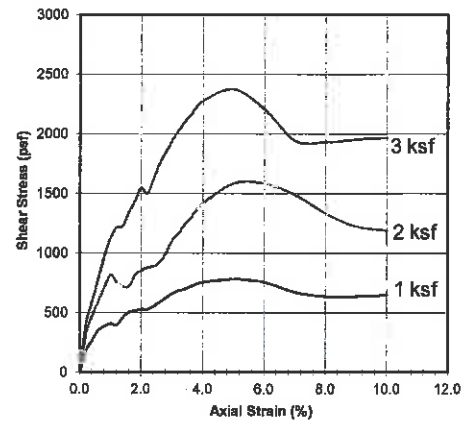
TABLE III
CORROSION TESTS

Sample	pH	Electrical Resistivity	Sulfate (%)	Chloride (ppm)
T-3 @ 2'	7.7	23,578	N.D.	177

% by weight
ppm – mg/kg
N.D. = Non-Detect

Sample No. T3@2'
 Sample Type: Undisturbed/Saturated
 Soil Description: Silty Fine-Medium Grained Sand

		1	2	3
Normal Stress	(psf)	1000	2000	3000
Peak Stress	(psf)	780	1584	2376
Displacement	(in)	0.125	0.125	0.125
Residual Stress	(psf)	648	1188	1968
Displacement	(in.)	0.250	0.250	0.250
In Situ Dry Density	(pcf)	110.1	110.1	110.1
In Situ Water Content	(%)	3.8	3.8	3.8
Saturated Water Content	(%)	19.6	19.6	19.6
Strain Rate	(in/min)	0.020	0.020	0.020



◆ Peak Stress
 ■ Residual Stress

	ϕ (Degree)	C (psf)
Peak Stress	38	50
Residual Stress	33	20

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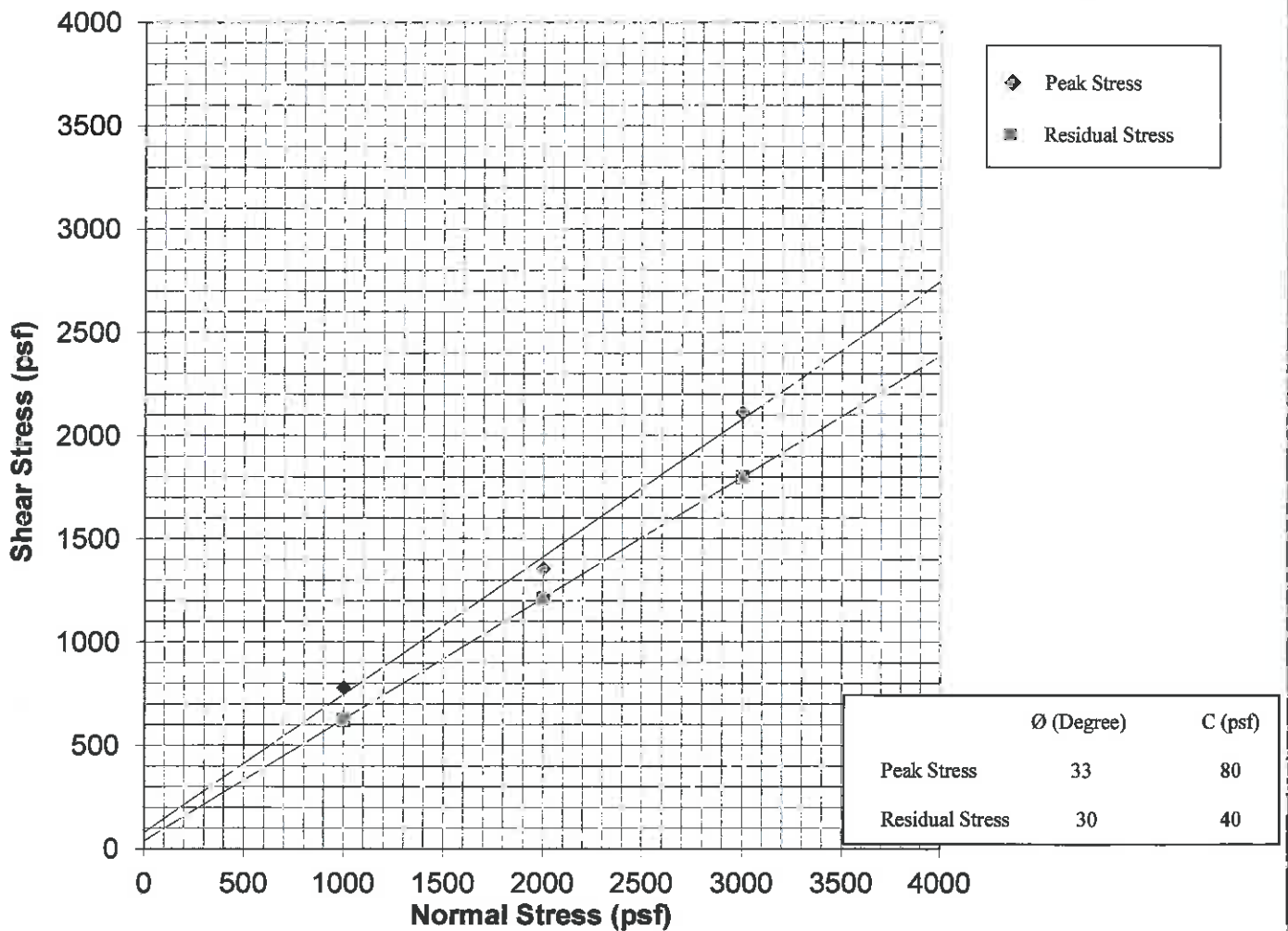
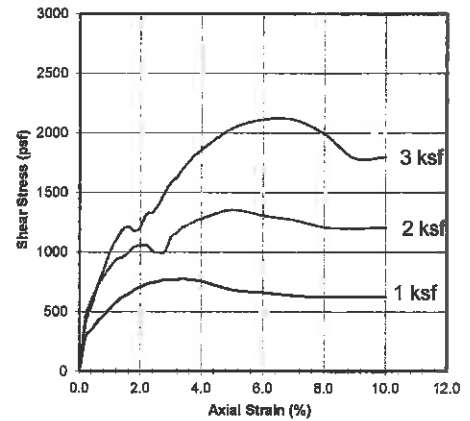
DIRECT SHEAR TEST

ASTM D3080

Plate A

Sample No. T4@3'
 Sample Type: Undisturbed/Saturated
 Soil Description: Silty Fine-Medium Grained Sand

		1	2	3
Normal Stress	(psf)	1000	2000	3000
Peak Stress	(psf)	780	1356	2112
Displacement	(in.)	0.085	0.125	0.150
Residual Stress	(psf)	624	1212	1800
Displacement	(in.)	0.250	0.250	0.250
In Situ Dry Density	(pcf)	106.3	106.3	106.3
In Situ Water Content	(%)	3.6	3.6	3.6
Saturated Water Content	(%)	21.6	21.6	21.6
Strain Rate	(in/min)	0.020	0.020	0.020



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DIRECT SHEAR TEST

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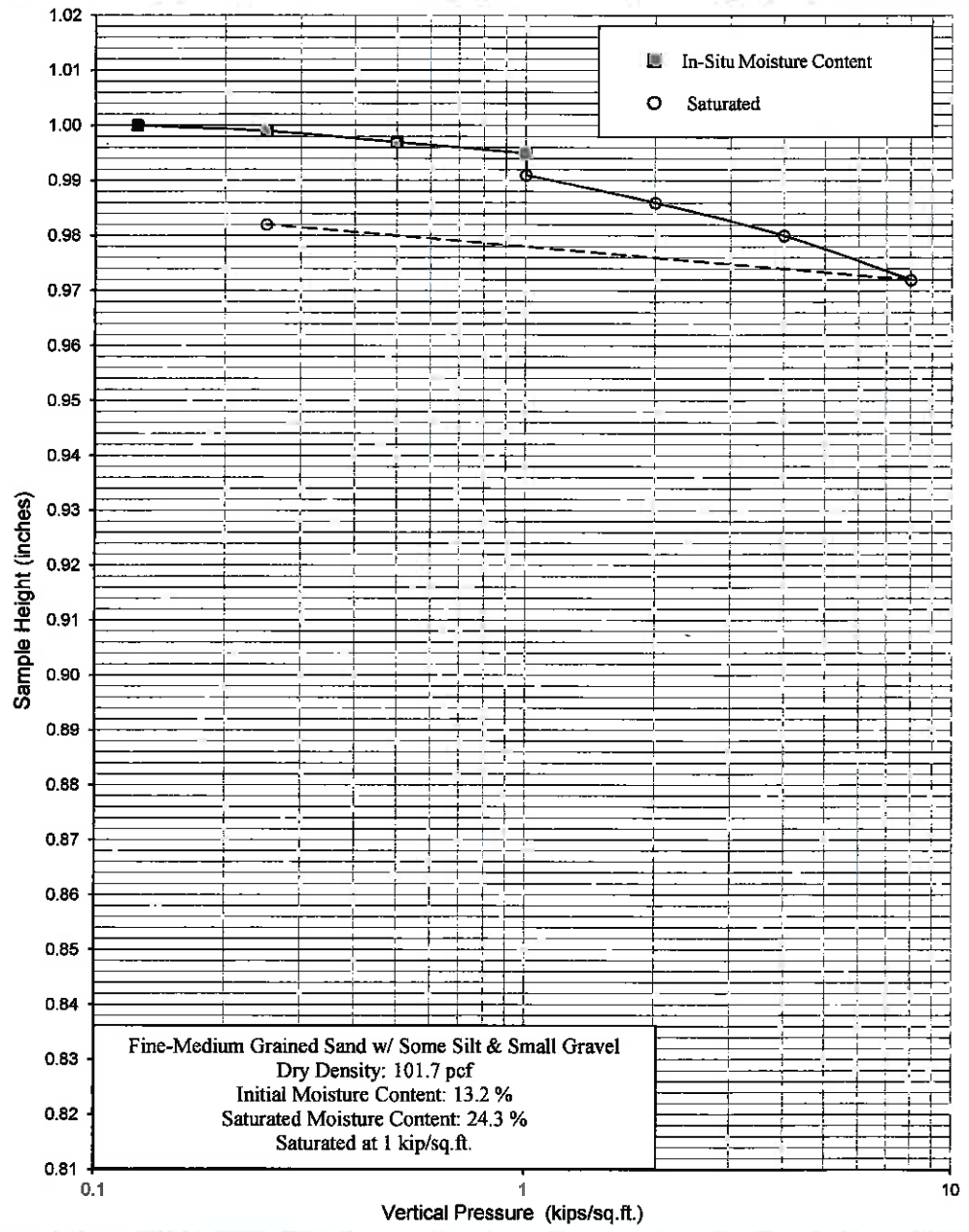
Plate B

Vertical Pressure (kips/sq.ft.)	Sample Height (inches)	Consolidation (percent)	Sample No.	T3	Depth	10'	Date	11/10/2021
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0.125	1.0000	0.0
0.25	0.9990	0.1
0.5	0.9970	0.3
1	0.9950	0.5
1	0.9910	0.9
2	0.9860	1.4
4	0.9800	2.0
8	0.9720	2.8
0.25	0.9820	1.8

Saturated

Date Tested: 11/9/2021
Sample: T3
Depth: 10'



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CONSOLIDATION TEST

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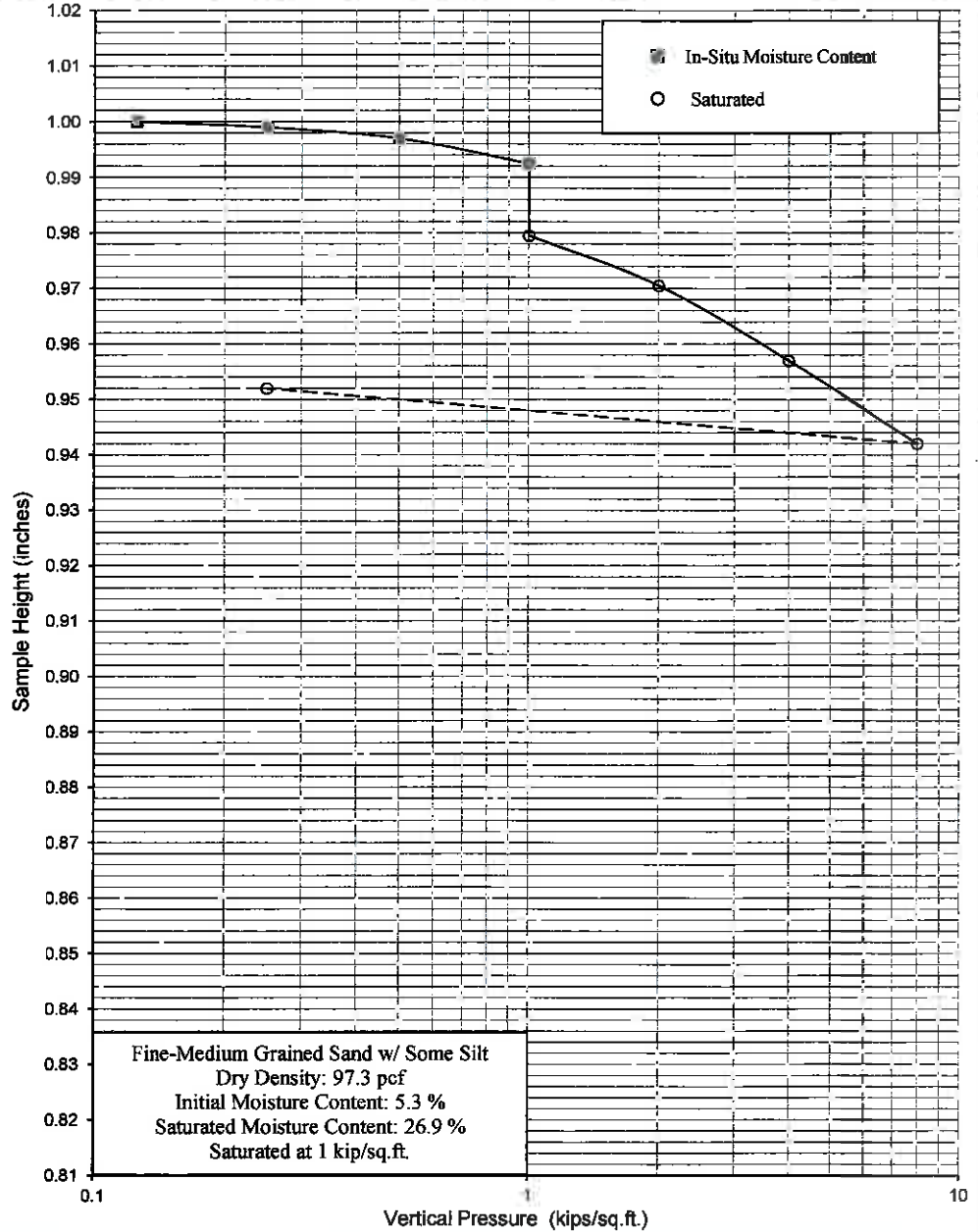
Plate C

Vertical Pressure (kips/sq.ft.)	Sample Height (inches)	Consolidation (percent)	Sample No.	T5	Depth	8'	Date	11/10/2021
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0.125	1.0000	0.0
0.25	0.9990	0.1
0.5	0.9970	0.3
1	0.9925	0.8
1	0.9795	2.1
2	0.9705	3.0
4	0.9570	4.3
8	0.9420	5.8
0.25	0.9520	4.8

Date Tested: 11/9/2021
Sample: T5
Depth: 8'

Saturated



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CONSOLIDATION TEST

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Plate D



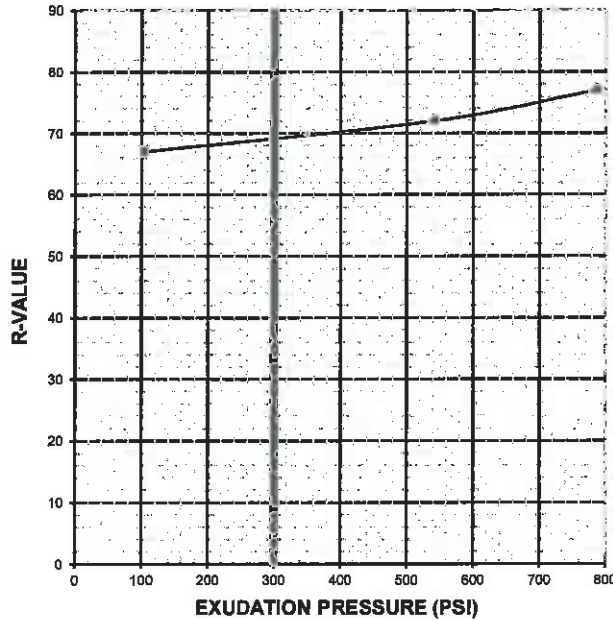
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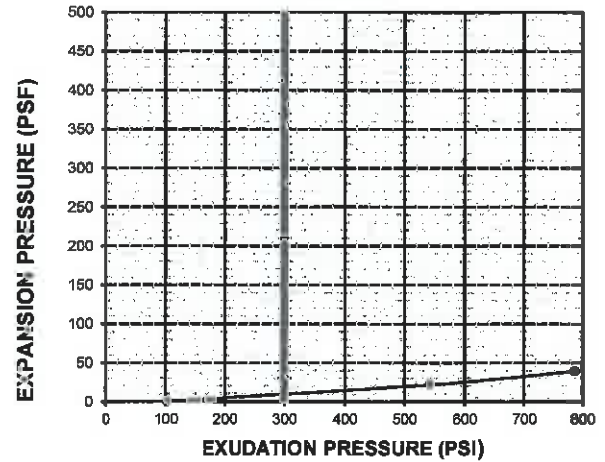
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SAMPLE LOCATION:	NW of Resource Dr and Riverside Ave, Rialto, CA	SAMPLE NUMBER:	T-1 (22880-21)
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:	SILTY SAND (SM), brown	SAMPLE DEPTH:	2'
SAMPLED BY:	Norcal: JS 10/25/21	TESTED BY:	JV
		DATE TESTED:	10/29/2021

TEST SPECIMEN	A	B	C
MOISTURE AT COMPACTION %	9.9	11.4	13.5
WEIGHT OF SAMPLE, grams	1044	1056	1075
HEIGHT OF SAMPLE, Inches	2.53	2.52	2.56
DRY DENSITY, pcf	113.7	114.0	112.2
COMPACTOR AIR PRESSURE, psi	250	250	250
EXUDATION PRESSURE, psi	787	542	103
EXPANSION, Inches x 10 ^{exp-4}	9	5	0
STABILITY Ph 2,000 lbs (160 psi)	22	26	30
TURNS DISPLACEMENT	4.66	4.97	5.34
R-VALUE UNCORRECTED	77	72	67
R-VALUE CORRECTED	77	72	67
EXPANSION PRESSURE (psf)	38.9	21.6	0.0

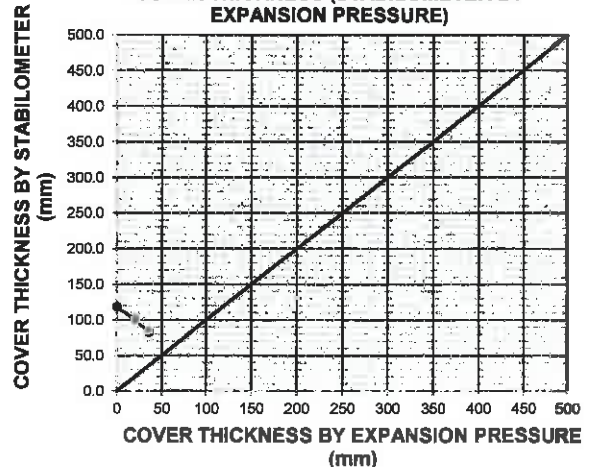
R-VALUE VS. EXUDATION PRESSURE



EXPANSION PRESSURE VS. EXUDATION PRESSURE



COVER THICKNESS (STABILOMETER BY EXPANSION PRESSURE)



R-VALUE AT EQUILIBRIUM: 69

R-VALUE BY EXUDATION PRESSURE:	69
R-VALUE BY EXPANSION PRESSURE:	N.A.
EXPANSION PRESSURE AT 300 PSI EXUDATION:	10
TRAFFIC INDEX (Assumed):	5.5
GRAVEL FACTOR (Assumed):	1.5
UNIT MASS OF COVER MATERIAL, kg/m ³ (Assumed):	2100.0

Appendix C

Seismic Hazards Report

ASCE 7 Hazards Report

Address:
No Address at This
Location

Standard: ASCE/SEI 7-16
Risk Category: II
Soil Class: D - Stiff Soil

Elevation: 924.84 ft (NAVD 88)
Latitude: 34.04258
Longitude: -117.369156



Site Soil Class: D - Stiff Soil

Results:

S_s :	1.637	S_{D1} :	N/A
S₁ :	0.637	T_L :	8
F_a :	1	PGA :	0.694
F_v :	N/A	PGA_M :	0.763
S_{MS} :	1.637	F_{PGA} :	1.1
S_{M1} :	N/A	I_e :	1
S_{DS} :	1.091	C_v :	1.427

Ground motion hazard analysis may be required. See ASCE/SEI 7-16 Section 11.4.8.

Data Accessed: Tue Nov 16 2021

Data Source: [USGS Seismic Design Maps](#)

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Appendix D

Soil Infiltration Data



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Project: Cornerstone Development Partners
Project No.: 22880-21
Date: 10/25/2021
Test No. 1
Depth: 5'
Tested By: D.R.

TIME (hr/min)	CHANGE TIME (min)	CUMULATIVE TIME (min)	INNER RING READING (cm)	INNER RING CHANGE	INNER RING FLOW (cc)	OUTER RING READING (cm)	OUTER RING CHANGE	OUTER RING FLOW (cc)	INNER RING INF RATE (cm/hr)	OUTER RING INF RATE (cm/hr)	INNER RING INF RATE (ft/hr)
7:57			67.7			38.5					
8:12	15	15	68.0	0.3		39.2	0.7				
8:12			68.0			39.2					
8:27	15	30	68.3	0.3		39.6	0.4				
8:27			68.3			39.6					
8:42	15	45	68.5	0.2		40.0	0.4				
8:42			68.5			40.0					
8:57	15	60	68.7	0.2		40.3	0.3				
8:57			68.7			40.3					
9:12	15	75	68.9	0.2		40.6	0.3				
9:12			68.9			40.6					
9:27	15	90	69.0	0.1		40.8	0.2				
9:27			69.0			40.8					
9:42	15	105	69.1	0.1		41.0	0.2		0.4	0.8	
9:42			69.1			41.0					
9:57	15	120	69.3	0.2		41.2	0.2		0.8	0.8	
9:57			69.3			41.2					
10:12	15	135	69.4	0.1		41.4	0.2		0.4	0.8	
10:12			69.4			41.4					
10:27	15	150	69.5	0.1		41.7	0.3		0.4	1.2	
10:27			69.5			41.7					
10:42	15	165	69.6	0.1		41.9	0.2		0.4	0.8	
10:42			69.8			41.9					
10:57	15	180	69.8	0.2		42.2	0.3		0.8	1.2	

Average = 0.5 / 0.9 cm/hr
0.2 / 0.36 in/hr

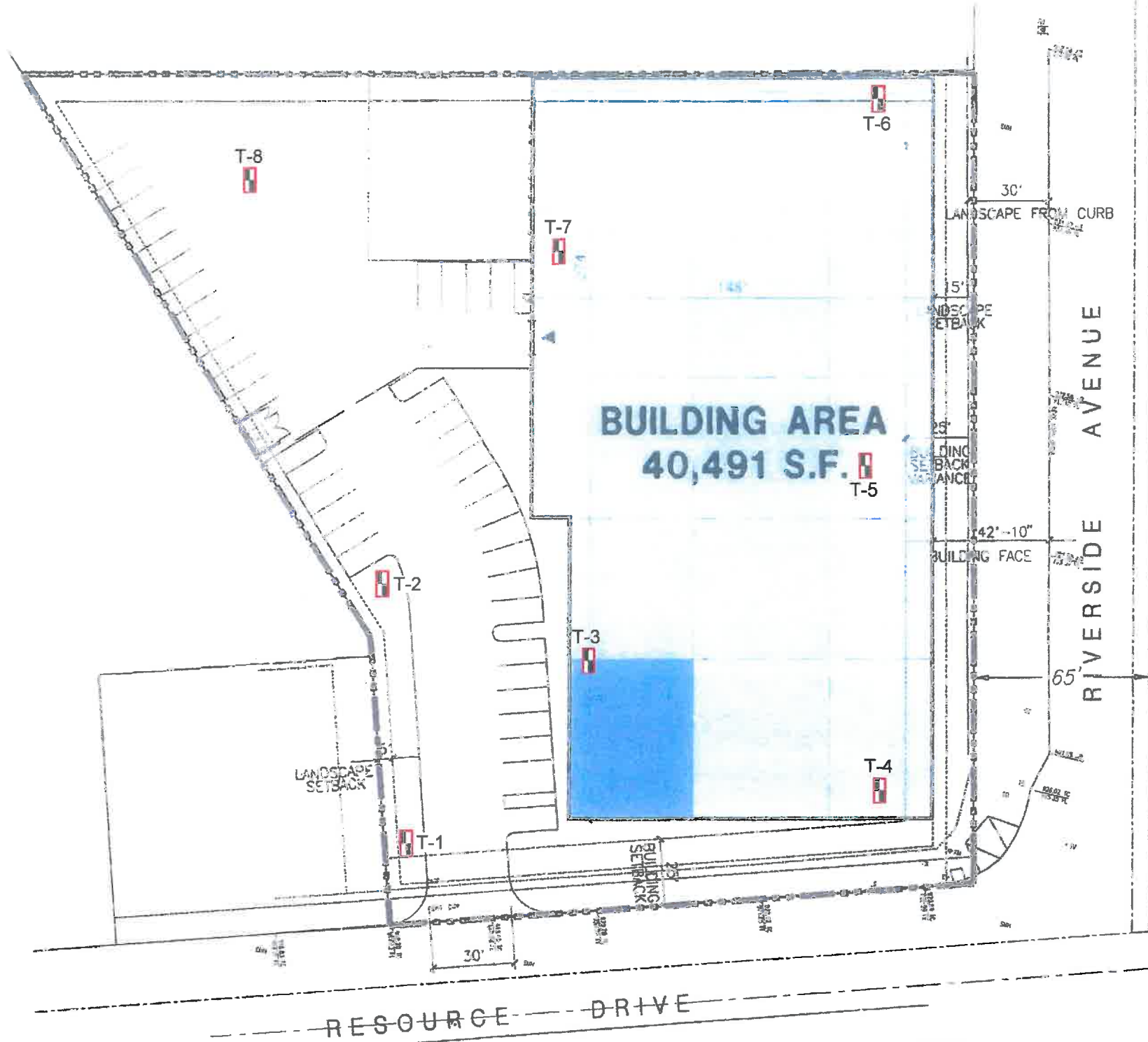


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Project: Cornerstone Development Partners
Project No.: 22880-21
Date: 10/25/2021
Test No. 2
Depth: 10'
Tested By: D.R.

TIME (hr/min)	CHANGE TIME (min)	CUMULATIVE TIME (min)	INNER RING READING (cm)	INNER RING CHANGE	INNER RING FLOW (cc)	OUTER RING READING (cm)	OUTER RING CHANGE	OUTER RING FLOW (cc)	INNER RING INF RATE (cm/hr)	OUTER RING INF RATE (cm/hr)	INNER RING INF RATE (ft/hr)
9:05			36.0			127.3					
9:20	15	15	37.7	1.7		128.7	1.4				
9:20			37.7			128.7					
9:35	15	30	39.0	1.3		130.0	1.3				
9:35			39.0			130.0					
9:50	15	45	40.1	1.1		131.5	1.5				
9:50			40.1			131.5					
10:05	15	60	41.3	1.2		132.7	1.2				
10:05			41.3			132.7					
10:20	15	75	42.5	1.2		133.7	1.0				
10:20			37.2			128.3					
10:35	15	90	38.4	1.2		129.4	1.1				
10:35			38.4			129.4					
10:50	15	105	39.5	1.1		130.4	1.0		4.4	4.0	
10:50			39.5			130.4					
11:05	15	120	40.6	1.1		131.5	1.1		4.4	4.4	
11:05			40.6			131.5					
11:20	15	135	41.5	0.9		132.9	1.4		3.6	5.6	
11:20			41.5			132.9					
11:35	15	150	42.5	1.0		134.0	1.1		4.0	4.4	
11:35			42.5			134.0					
11:50	15	165	43.5	1.0		135.1	1.1		4.0	4.4	
11:50			43.5			135.1					
12:05	15	180	44.5	1.0		136.3	1.2		4.0	4.8	

Average = 4.0 / 4.6 cm/hr
1.6 / 1.9 in/hr



Note: This is a conceptual plan. It is based on preliminary information which is not fully verified and may be incomplete. It is meant as a comparative aid in examining alternate development strategies and any quantities indicated are subject to revision as more reliable information becomes available.



1" = 50'

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SITE PLAN

FIGURE 1

ChamberMaxx Project Details

Description

The ChamberMaxx corrugated, open-bottom plastic infiltration chamber system allows you to meet stormwater runoff reduction requirements and maximize available land space by providing economic infiltration below grade. ChamberMaxx maximizes storage volume in a small footprint, and its low-profile shape is ideal for sites with shallow footprints.

Project Information

Project Name 2020 - ChamberMaxx Detention
Location Rialto, CA
Date September 01 2022

Design Parameters	
Pretreatment Method	Hydrodynamic Separator
Storage Volume	10040ft ³
Limiting Length	90ft
Limiting Width	60ft
Invert Depth	6ft
Number of Headers	1
Header Diameter	12in
Spacing Between Chambers	5.6in
Porous Stone Width at Sides	12in
Porous Stone Width at Ends	12in
Porous Stone Width at Above	12in
Porous Stone Width at Below	12in
Porosity	40%
Include Porous Storage Between Chambers	Yes

Chamber Information	
Start Units	10
Middle Units	83
End Units	10
Required Chambers	103
Manifold Tees	9
Manifold Elbows	1
Number of Rows	10
Chambers per Row	11
Storage Calculations	
Chamber Storage	4881.6ft ³
Header Storage	193.2ft ³
Porous Stone Storage	5119.63ft ³
Total Storage Provided	10059.32ft ³
Percentage of Storage Provided	100.19%
System Dimensions and Other Mat'l	
Rectangular Footprint	84.78x49.03ft
Total Excavation	1077.69y ³
Stone Backfill	474.04y ³
Remaining Backfill to Pavement	381.04y ³
Woven Geotextile Qty	0y ²
Non-Woven Geotextile Qty	461.87y ²
Scour Protection Fitting	49.03x7.5ft
Approximate Truckloads	1

PROJECT SUMMARY

DESIGN PARAMETERS

- PRETREATMENT METHOD = Hydrodynamic Separator
- STORAGE VOLUME REQUIRED = 10040ft³
- INVERT DEPTH = 6ft
- MANIFOLD DIAMETER = 12in.
- SPACING BETWEEN CHAMBERS = 5.6in.
- SIDE PERIMETER STONE WIDTH = 12in.
- END PERIMETER STONE WIDTH = 12in.
- TOP PERIMETER STONE WIDTH = 12in.
- BOTTOM PERIMETER STONE WIDTH = 12in.
- STONE POROSITY = 40%

SYSTEM DETAILS

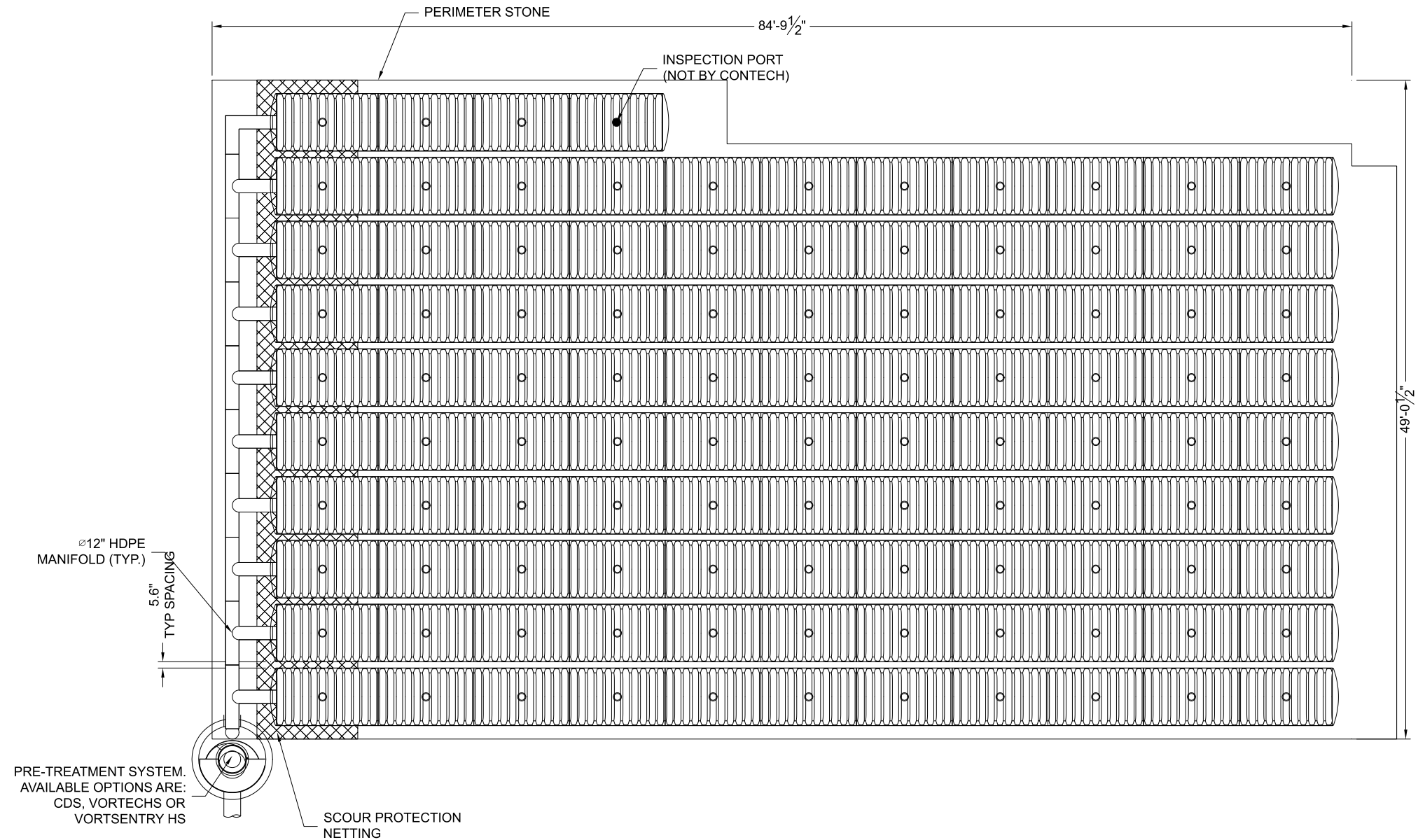
- TOTAL ELBOW MANIFOLDS = 1
- TOTAL TEE MANIFOLDS = 9
- TOTAL START CHAMBERS = 10
- TOTAL MID CHAMBERS = 83
- TOTAL END CHAMBERS = 10
- TOTAL NUMBER OF CHAMBERS = 103
- NUMBER OF ROWS = 10
- CHAMBERS PER ROW = 11
- CHAMBER STORAGE VOLUME = 4881.6ft³
- MANIFOLD STORAGE VOLUME = 58.09ft³
- BACKFILL STORAGE VOLUME = 5119.63ft³
- TOTAL STORAGE PROVIDED = 10059.32ft³

SYSTEM DIMENSIONS AND OTHER MATERIALS

- RECTANGULAR FOOTPRINT = 84.78x49.03ft
- TOTAL EXCAVATION = 1077.69y³
- STONE BACKFILL = 474.04y³
- REMAINING BACKFILL TO PAVEMENT = 381.04y³
- WOVEN GEOTEXTILE QTY = 0y²
- NON-WOVEN GEOTEXTILE QTY = 461.87y²
- SCOUR PROTECTION FITTING = 49.03x7.5ft
- APPROXIMATE TRUCKLOADS = 1

GENERAL NOTES

1. ALL ELEVATIONS, DIMENSIONS AND LOCATIONS OF RISERS AND INLETS SHALL BE VERIFIED BY THE ENGINEER OF RECORD.
2. PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OF THE CHAMBERMAXX SYSTEM A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING SHALL BE CONDUCTED. THOSE REQUIRED TO ATTEND ARE THE SUPPLIER OF THE SYSTEM, THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR, SUB-CONTRACTORS AND THE ENGINEER.
3. CHAMBERMAXX CHAMBERS ARE MANUFACTURED FROM POLYPROPYLENE PLASTIC.
4. CHAMBERMAXX SYSTEM TO MEET AASHTO HS20/HS25 LIVE LOADING, PER AASHTO LRFD SECTION 12.
5. ACCESS COVERS TO MEET AASHTO HS20/HS25 LIVE LOADING.
6. MINIMUM COVER IS 18-INCHES TO BOTTOM OF FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT OR TO TOP OF RIGID PAVEMENT. FOR COVER HEIGHTS GREATER THAN 96-INCHES CONTACT YOUR LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE.
7. ALL PARTS PROVIDED BY CONTECH UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
8. FOR INFORMATION ON PRE-TREATMENT SYSTEMS, REFERENCE CONTECH PRE-TREATMENT SYSTEM STANDARD DETAILS OR CONTACT YOUR LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE.
9. CHAMBERMAXX BY CONTECH ENGINEERED SOLUTIONS (800) 925-5240



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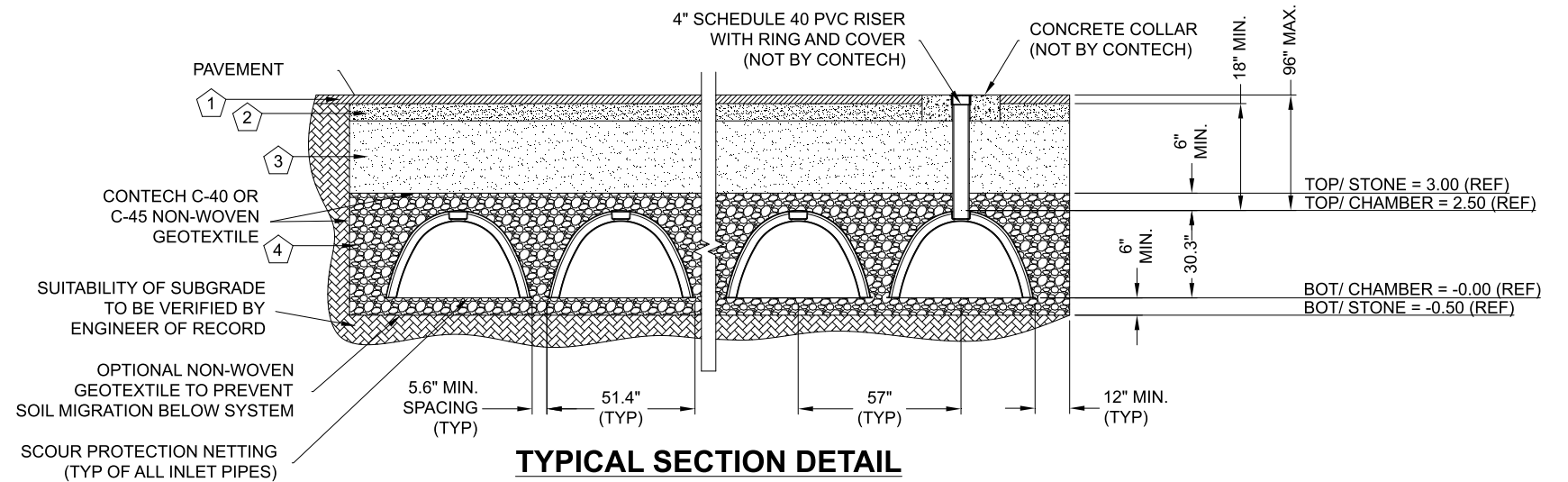
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INSTALLATION NOTES

1. CHAMBERMAXX INSTALLATION GUIDE TO BE REVIEWED BY CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.
2. PRIOR TO PLACING BEDDING, THE FOUNDATION MUST BE CONSTRUCTED TO A UNIFORM AND STABLE GRADE. IN THE EVENT THAT UNSUITABLE FOUNDATION MATERIALS ARE ENCOUNTERED DURING EXCAVATION, UNSUITABLE MATERIAL SHALL BE REMOVED AND BROUGHT BACK TO GRADE WITH FILL MATERIAL AS APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER OF RECORD. ONCE THE FOUNDATION PREPARATION IS COMPLETE, THE BEDDING MATERIAL CAN BE PLACED.
3. THE SCOUR PROTECTION NETTING TO EXTEND 1'-0" BEYOND OUTSIDE EDGE OF INLET CHAMBERS.
4. COVER ANY OPEN VOID SPACES GREATER THAN 3/4" ON CHAMBERS WITH A NON-WOVEN GEOTEXTILE TO PREVENT INFILTRATION OF BACKFILL MATERIAL.
5. STONE EMBEDMENT MATERIAL SHALL BE INSTALLED TO 95% STANDARD PROCTOR DENSITY AND PLACED IN 6-INCH TO 8-INCH LIFTS SUCH THAT THERE IS NO MORE THAN A TWO LIFT DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN ANY OF THE CHAMBERS AT ANY TIME. GRANULAR BACKFILL MATERIAL SHALL BE COMPACTED TO 90% SPD. BACKFILLING SHALL BE ADVANCED ALONG THE LENGTH OF THE CHAMBER ROWS AT THE SAME RATE TO AVOID DIFFERENTIAL LOADING AND DISPLACEMENT OF THE CHAMBERS. THE MINIMUM CHAMBER SPACING MUST BE MAINTAINED.
6. REFER TO CHAMBERMAXX INSTALLATION GUIDE FOR TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION LOADING GUIDELINES.
7. IT IS ALWAYS THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO FOLLOW OSHA GUIDELINES FOR SAFE PRACTICES.
8. GENERAL INSTALLATION METHODS AND MATERIALS TO BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM D2321.



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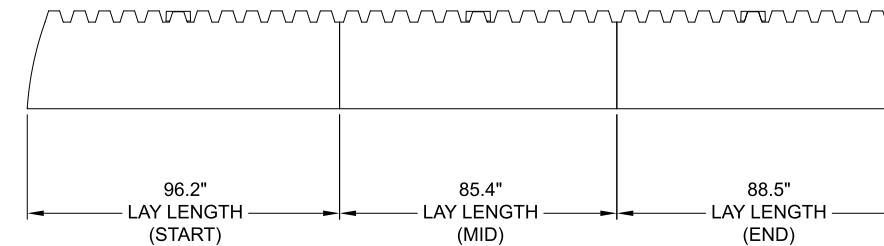
1. FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT.
2. GRANULAR ROAD BASE.
3. ANY SUITABLE NATIVE OR GENERAL BACKFILL, SEE ENGINEER PLANS.
4. THE BACKFILL MATERIAL SHALL BE FREE-DRAINING ANGULAR WASHED STONE 3/4" - 2" PARTICLE SIZE. MATERIAL SHALL BE PLACED IN 8"-10" MAXIMUM LIFTS. MATERIAL SHALL BE WORKED INTO THE CHAMBER SPACING BY MEANS OF SHOVEL-SLICING, RODDING, AIR-TAMPER, VIBRATORY ROD, OR OTHER EFFECTIVE METHODS. COMPACTION IS CONSIDERED ADEQUATE WHEN NO FURTHER YIELDING OF THE MATERIAL IS OBSERVED UNDER THE COMPACTOR, OR UNDER FOOT, AND THE PROJECT ENGINEER OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVE IS SATISFIED WITH THE LEVEL OF COMPACTION. INADEQUATE COMPACTION CAN LEAD TO EXCESSIVE DEFLECTIONS WITHIN THE SYSTEM AND SETTLEMENT OF THE SOILS OVER THE SYSTEM. BACKFILL SHALL BE PLACED SUCH THAT THERE IS NO MORE THAN A TWO-LIFT DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN THE SIDES OF ANY CHAMBER IN THE SYSTEM AT ALL TIMES DURING THE BACKFILL PROCESS. BACKFILL SHALL BE ADVANCED ALONG THE LENGTH OF THE SYSTEM AT THE SAME RATE TO AVOID DIFFERENTIAL LOADING ON ANY PIPES IN THE SYSTEM.

EQUIPMENT USED TO PLACE AND COMPACT THE BACKFILL SHALL BE OF A SIZE AND TYPE SO AS NOT TO DISTORT, DAMAGE, OR DISPLACE THE CHAMBERS. ATTENTION MUST BE GIVEN TO PROVIDING ADEQUATE MINIMUM COVER FOR SUCH EQUIPMENT, AND MAINTAIN BALANCED LOADING ON ALL CHAMBERS IN THE SYSTEM, DURING ALL SUCH OPERATIONS.

OTHER ALTERNATE BACKFILL MATERIAL MAY BE ALLOWED DEPENDING ON SITE SPECIFIC CONDITIONS. CONTACT YOUR LOCAL CONTECH REPRESENTATIVE FOR DETAILS.

CHAMBERMAXX DESIGN DETAILS

FEATURE	START CHAMBER	MIDDLE CHAMBER	END CHAMBER
OVERALL CHAMBER HEIGHT - IN	30.3	30.3	30.3
OVERALL CHAMBER WIDTH - IN	51.4	51.4	51.4
ACTUAL LENGTH - IN	98.4	91.0	92.0
INSTALLED LAY LENGTHS - IN	96.2	85.4	88.5
CHAMBER STORAGE VOLUME - CF	50.2	47.2	46.2
CHAMBER STORAGE PER LINEAR FOOT - CF/LF	6.3	6.6	6.3
*MIN. INSTALLED CHAMBER VOLUME - CF	78.1	75.1	74.1
*MIN. INSTALLED CHAMBER VOLUME PER LINEAR FOOT - CF/LF	9.7	10.6	10.0
CHAMBER WEIGHT - LB	83	73	76
*6" OF STONE ABOVE AND BELOW CHAMBER, 5.6" CHAMBER SPACING AND 40% POROSITY			



TYPICAL ELEVATION VIEW

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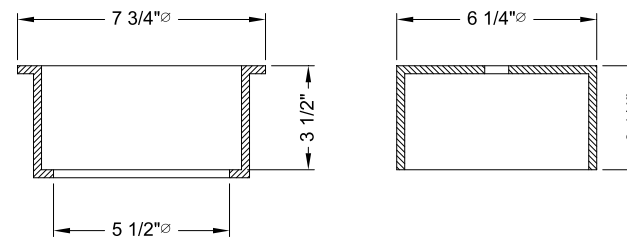
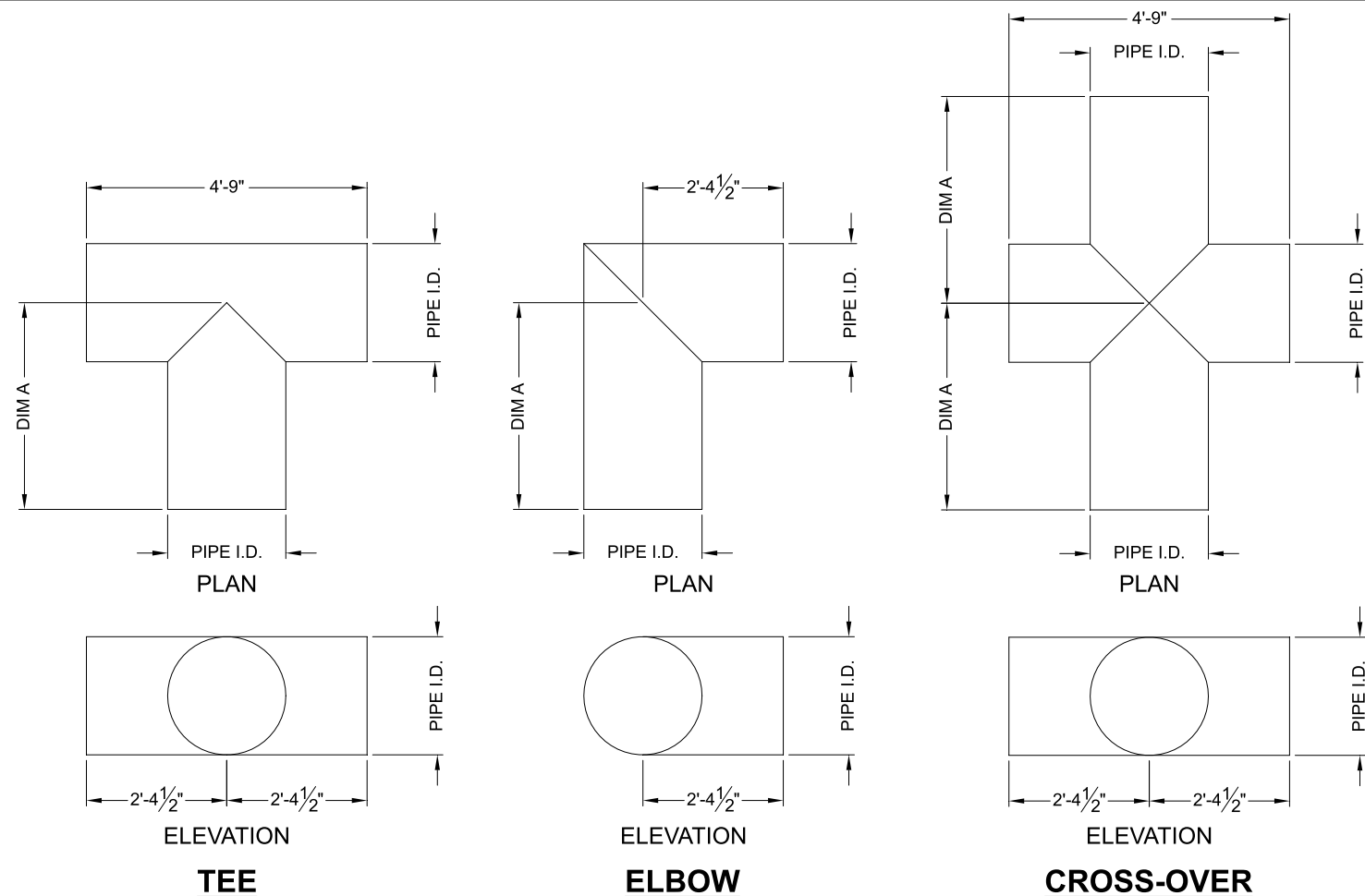
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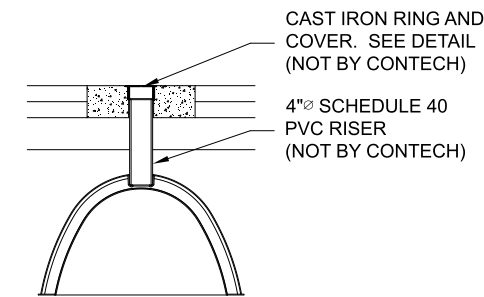
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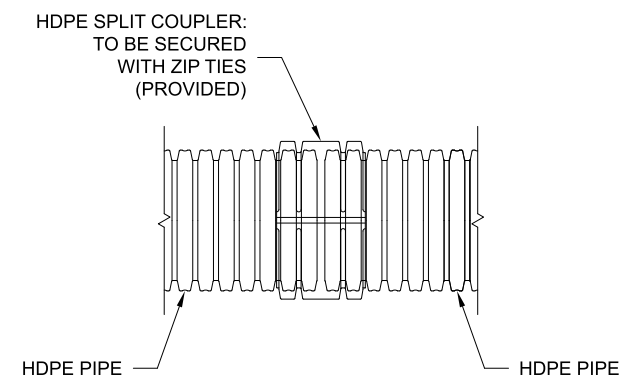
RING AND COVER DETAIL

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INSPECTION PORT DETAIL

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HDPE SPLIT COUPLER DETAIL

STANDARD MANIFOLD COMPONENTS - NOT TO SCALE				
	AVAILABLE DIAMETERS - INCHES			
TEE	12	15	18	24
ELBOW	12	15	18	24
DIM A	42	42	48	48

GENERAL NOTES:

1. FITTING MATERIAL TO BE MANUFACTURED FROM CORRUGATED HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE, AASHTO M294 PIPE.
2. FITTINGS TO BE FABRICATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENT OF AASHTO M294.
3. FITTINGS DESIGNED TO PROTRUDE 6" INTO THE END OF THE INLET CHAMBERS.
4. MANIFOLD TEE AND ELBOW JOINT TO BE CONNECTED UTILIZING HDPE SPLIT COUPLERS.

TYPICAL MANIFOLD DETAILS

HDPE SPLIT COUPLERS	
COUPLER SIZE	PART NUMBER
12" SPLIT COUPLER	PEF12SPCP
15" SPLIT COUPLER	PEF15SPCP
18" SPLIT COUPLER	PEF18SPCP
24" SPLIT COUPLER	PEF24SPCP

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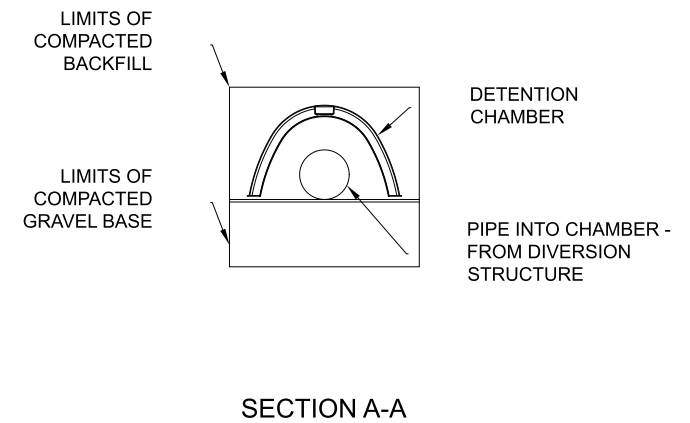
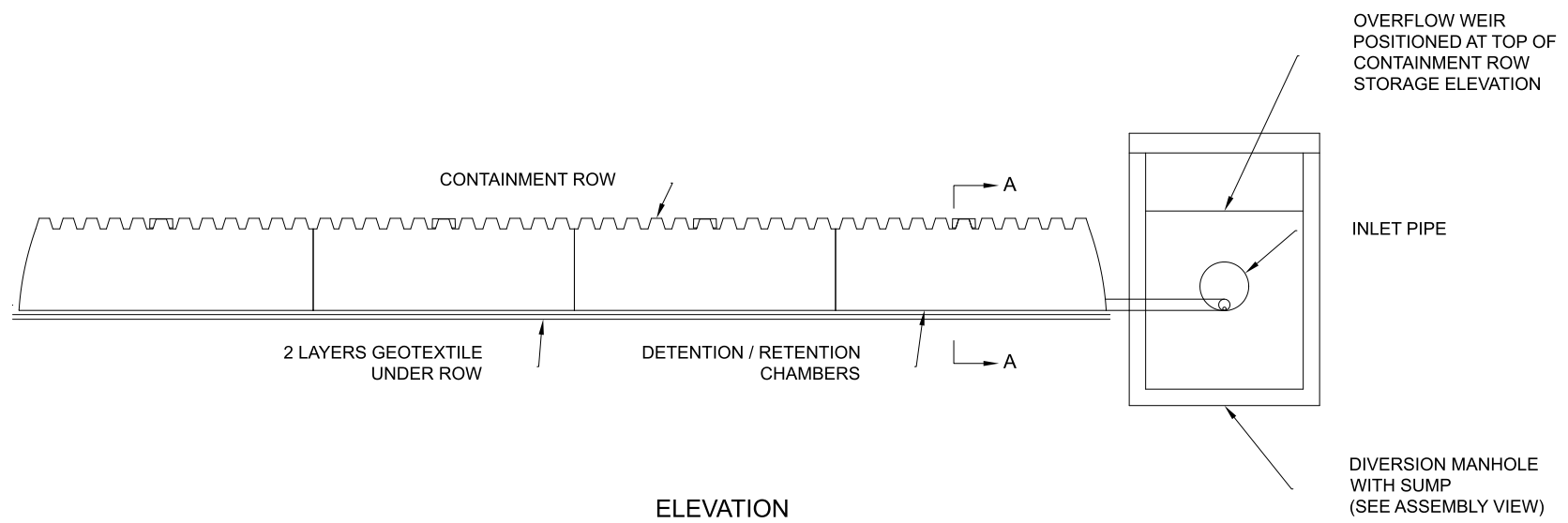
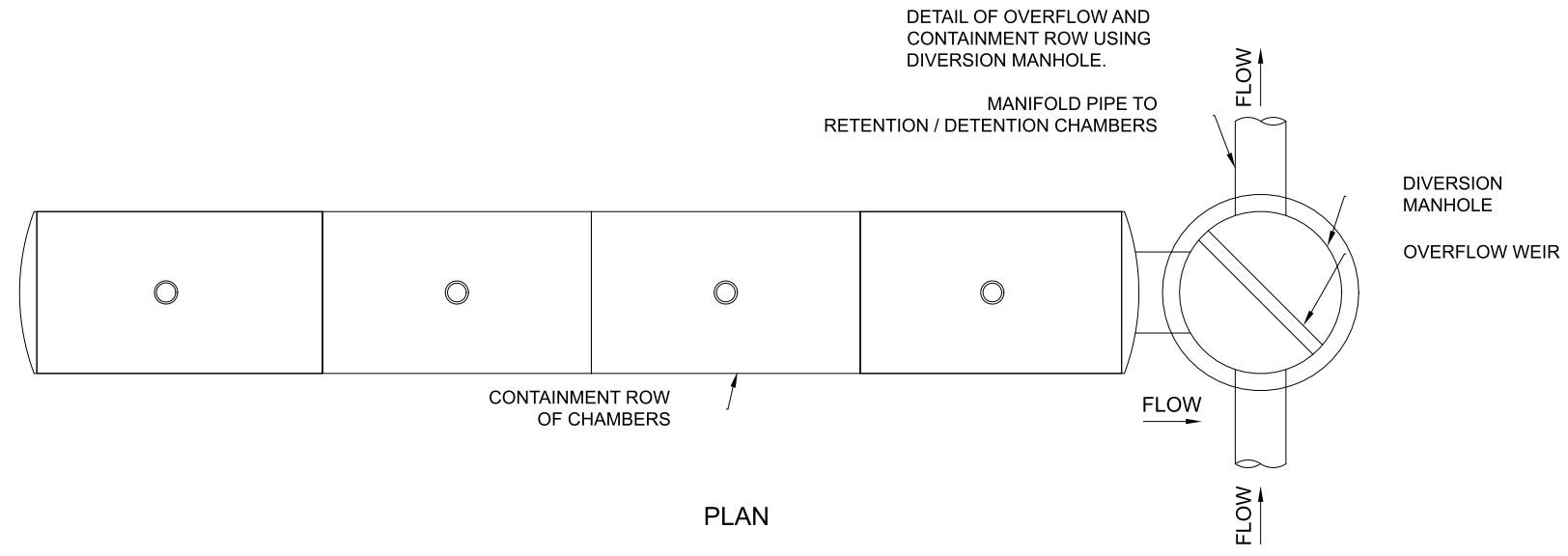
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CONTAINMENT ROW DETAILS

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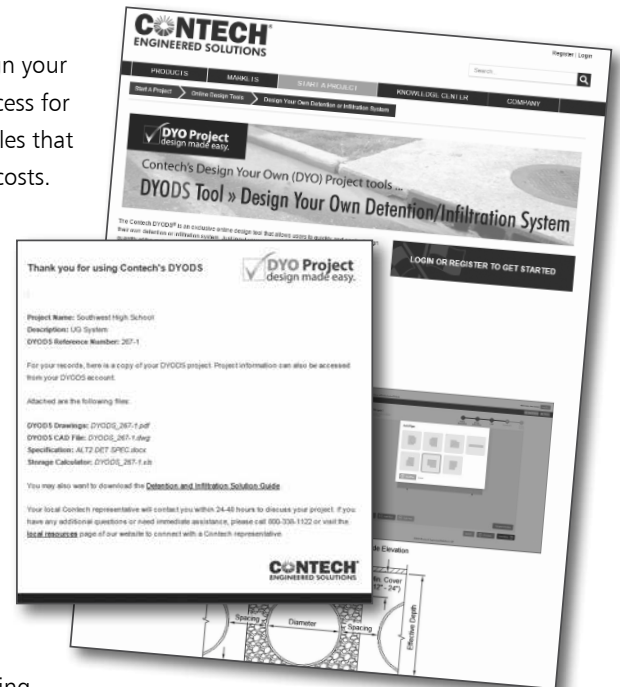
Detention System Design Tools

Design Your Own Detention System (DYODS®)

Contech's DYODS is an exclusive, online design tool that allows you to design your own detention or infiltration system. DYODS fully automates the layout process for stormwater detention and infiltration systems and produces CAD and PDF files that can be used for creating plans and specs, and for estimating total installed costs.

Features of the new tool include:

- Optimizes design and layout for cost efficiency
- "Drag and drop" feature allow users to customize layout
- Design multiple systems per project and save for future use
- Provides instant access to customized, project specific drawings
- CAD/PDF files provided for use in creating plans and specs



The DYODS tool is available at www.conteches.com/DYO.

Online Product Design Worksheet (PDW)

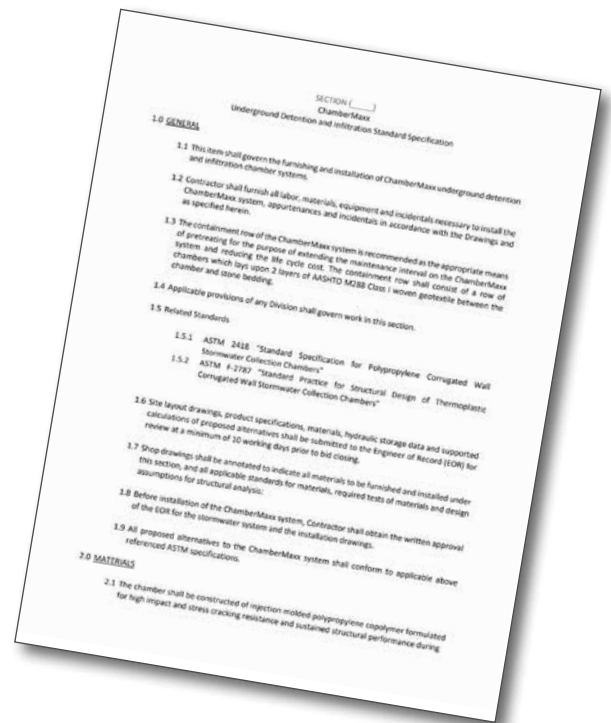
Our in-house team of engineers can support you through the entire permitting process. Just enter your information into the online form, and one of our in-house engineers will contact you with specific recommendations for your project.

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Engineering Services & Support

Contech has regional engineering offices and local stormwater consultants trained to provide the following services:

- Regulatory guidance and permitting assistance
- Preliminary standard details and/or site specific final drawings and specifications
- Low Impact Development design assistance
- Engineering calculations for hydraulics/hydrology, buoyancy, and stage-storage
- Review of preliminary site design, feasibility screening, and layout assistance
- Value Engineering - cost estimates and options analysis
- Pre-construction support, project scheduling, and contractor coordination
- Installation and construction support
- Maintenance support, including: guidance manuals, training/demonstrations, and certified contractor identification



ChamberMaxx Overview

The ChamberMaxx corrugated, open-bottom chamber system allows you to meet runoff reduction requirements by providing economic infiltration. Design your low impact development (LID) site by incorporating this belowgrade system to maximize available land for development or green space. ChamberMaxx is most effective on sites where the depth from finished grade to storm sewer outlet is less than 54-inches (1.37-meters).

The ChamberMaxx polypropylene stormwater detention/infiltration chamber has undergone extensive development and structural qualification investigation meeting the performance requirements of the ASTM F2418 Standard Specification for Polypropylene Corrugated Wall Stormwater Collection Chambers. The following is a summary of the design qualification.

The ChamberMaxx chamber is produced by an injection molding process with a high quality UV stabilized co-polymer polypropylene which meets the ASTM F2418 material classification requirement as PP0330B99945 per ASTM D4101. An extensive test program demonstrates that the ChamberMaxx chambers exceed the minimum material performance requirements set forth by the product specification for short term and both 50 and 75 year strength, stiffness, and toughness, including material environmental stress crack resistance (ESCR) which exceeds industry requirements.

The ChamberMaxx structural qualification to ASTM F2418 includes a CANDE FEA predicted installed structural performance which safely meets the AASHTO LRFD Section 12 Design Specification for Buried Structures. As required, performance verification through full scale installation and monitoring was conducted in successful support of the safety of the chamber design and installation.

The ChamberMaxx chamber installation was evaluated for safety with AASHTO load factors for the vehicle and earth fill condition of 1.75 and 1.95 respectively. The general installation capabilities in accordance with AASHTO are:

- Live Load AASHTO Design Truck HS25 (HL93)
- Minimum Cover (HS25): 18 in.
- Maximum Cover, 75 years: 8 ft.

Chamber Manufacturing

The ChamberMaxx chamber and virtually all of its materials of construction are manufactured at ISO 9001 certified US facilities. The chambers are produced with state of the art structural web injection molding equipment resulting in a reliable, high quality product. Weighing approximately 80 pounds, the chamber has a minimum average wall thickness of .175 inches (4.45 mm) and measures approximately 51 x 30 x 91 inches (1.30 x .76 x 2.31 meters) in overall dimension.

A ChamberMaxx system is comprised of start chambers, middle chambers, and end chambers. The end cap of the chamber is integrated into the start and end chambers, thereby making chamber installation fast and efficient.

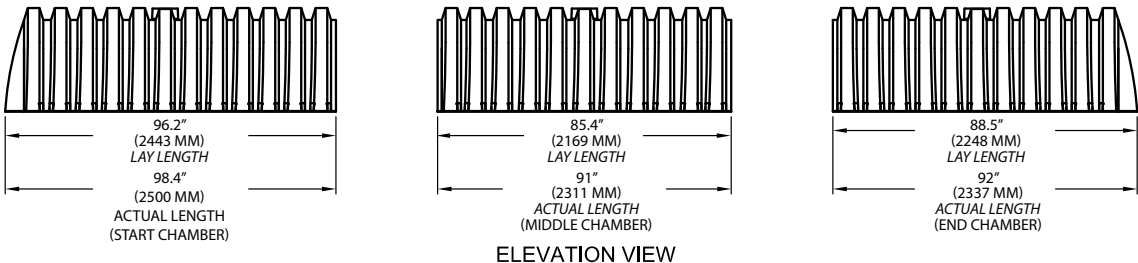
Application-System Configurations

The open-bottom plastic chamber allows infiltration into surrounding soil, effectively achieving runoff reduction objectives often required by an LID design. By utilizing subsurface infiltration, space is preserved for development, runoff is reduced or eliminated and groundwater recharge can occur. The ChamberMaxx is ideal when you need to maximize storage capacity in a shallow footprint.

Subsurface Infiltration

An open bottom plastic chamber the ChamberMaxx allows infiltration into surrounding soils, effectively achieving runoff reduction objectives often required by in an LID (low impact development) design.

Best practice designs for subsurface infiltration include pretreatment to reduce cost and frequency of maintenance while ensuring the infiltration capacity of the facility. Contech has multiple options for pretreatment.



Bioretention

ChamberMaxx is designed with a minimum of 6" stone above and below the units. The ChamberMaxx can help make bioretention practical by storing 75.1 CF per unit, including storage in stone, before discharging back into the surrounding soil.

Detention

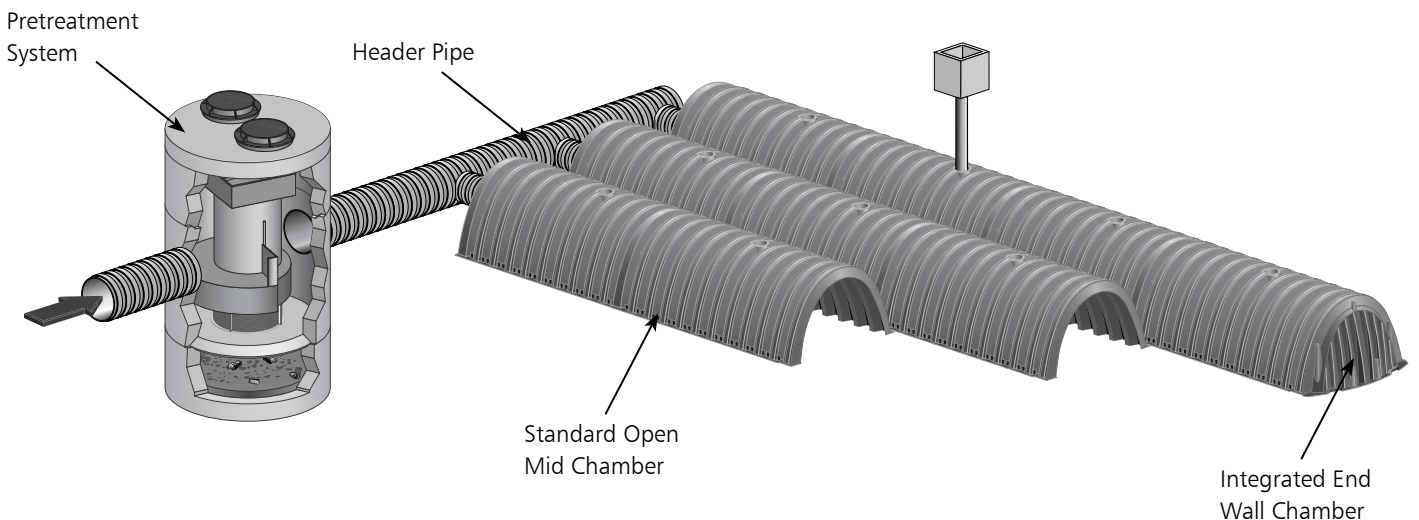
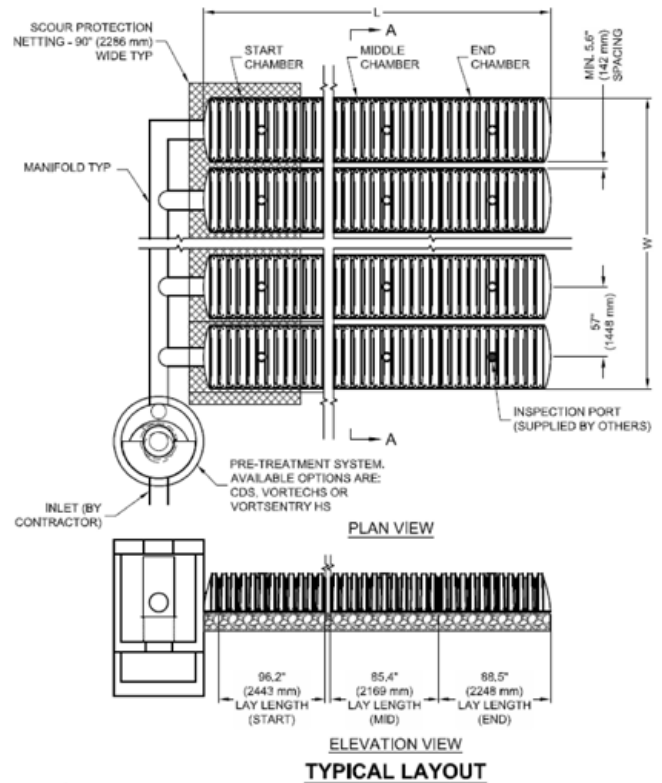
ChamberMaxx systems can also be used for detention applications where infiltration of stored water is minimized. Minimization of infiltration can be accomplished by wrapping the entire chamber system and stone backfill in an impermeable thermoplastic liner.

Inlet Configurations

ChamberMaxx systems are compatible with various inlet configurations. The inlet configuration selected for a design should be based on the site requirements and local regulations. Pretreatment is recommended for all detention/retention systems regardless of type. The initial removal of sediment in a pretreatment device allows easy inspection and unobstructed maintenance. Contech offers standard inlet pretreatment configurations in the form of upstream pretreatment devices or the ChamberMaxx Containment Row.

Pretreatment Devices

In some jurisdictions, it is required to use devices for pretreatment of stormwater prior to entry to stormwater systems. By pretreating the stormwater prior to entry into the ChamberMaxx system, pollutants such as hydrocarbons and sediment may be captured, thereby extending the service life of the chamber system. Pretreatment devices vary in complexity and effectiveness. Several non-proprietary options exist in the form of deep sump manholes, oil grit separators, and bio-swales. Contech offers pretreatment devices such as the CDS and VortSentry HS for designs that require more stringent levels of pollutant removal. See Contech's website to design your own pretreatment device: www.conteches.com/dyohds.



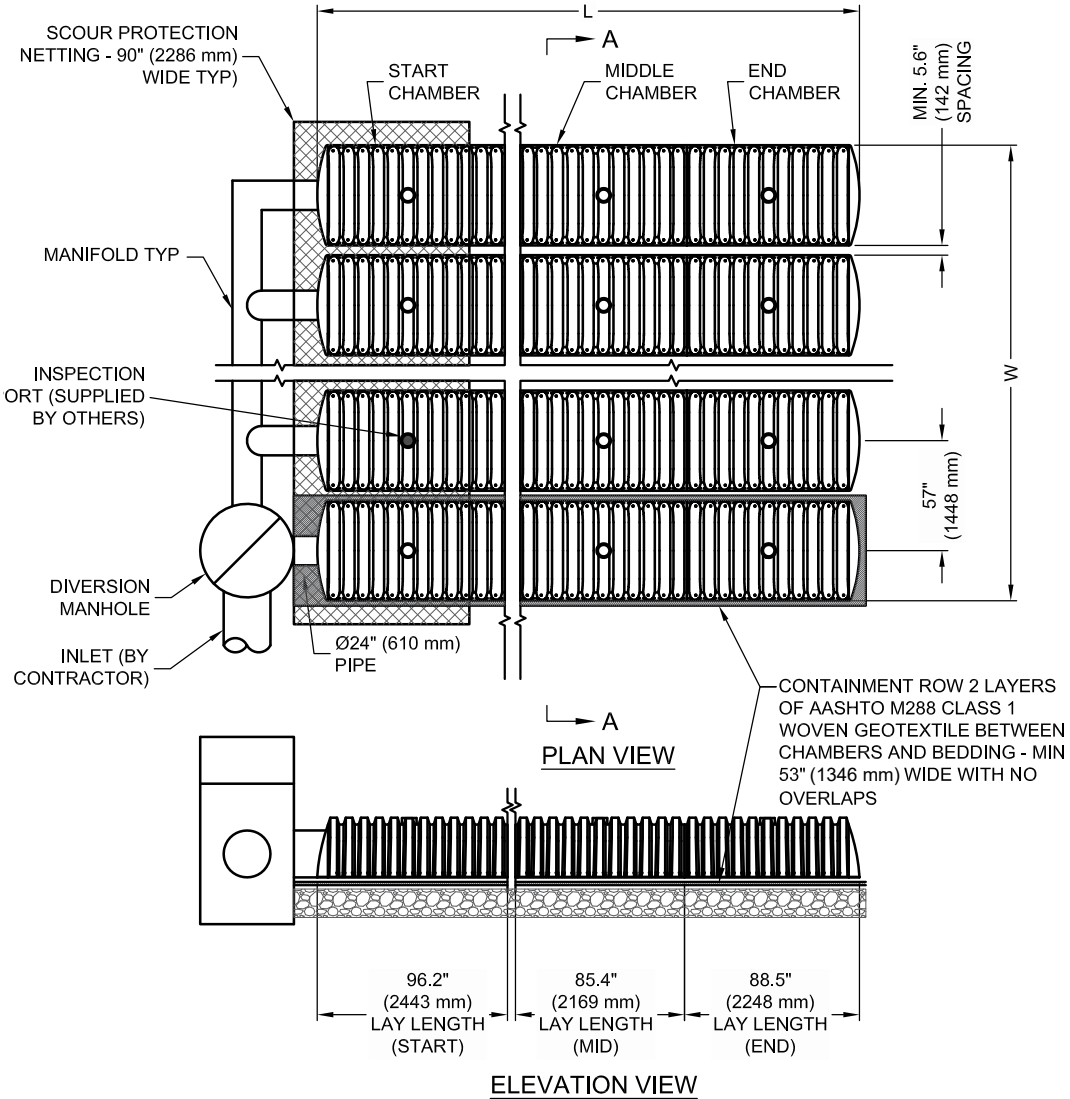
ChamberMaxx Containment Row

Hydrodynamic separators and filtration devices provide the most efficient sediment removal and extended maintenance interval, and are recommended as pretreatment for ChamberMaxx systems. The ChamberMaxx Containment Row should be considered as basic, low cost treatment strategy and should only be considered where sediment loading to the ChamberMaxx system is assumed to be minimal.

The Containment Row is designed to provide TSS removal by direct screening through 2 layers of AASHTO M288 Class 1 Woven Geotextile, located between the containment row chamber and the stone bedding.

The ChamberMaxx Containment Row should be designed with a sumped diversion manhole at the inlet of the Containment Row. The diversion manhole should be designed to allow access for inspection and maintenance of the Containment Row in addition to diverting the required amount of stormwater into the Containment Row for treatment, and a sump for collection of sediment. Once the Containment Row has reached capacity, the overflow should then be distributed to the remainder of the chamber rows by a manifold.

Containment Rows can be sized for water quality volume or water quality flow rate. Contact your local Contech representative at 800-338-1122 for project specific sizing of a Containment Row.



Inlet Manifold Design

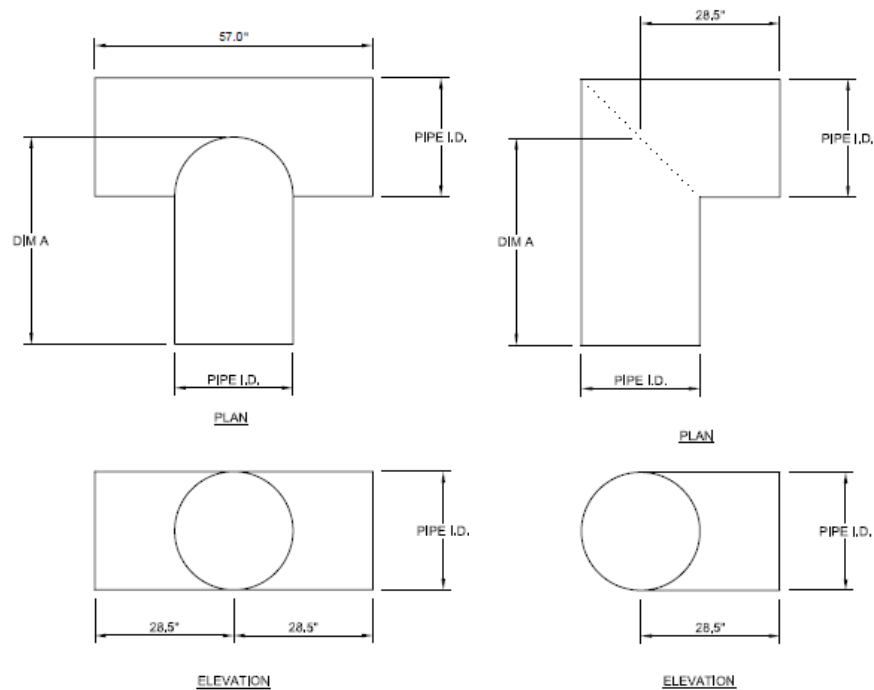
All ChamberMaxx systems require inlet manifolds to ensure that the incoming flow is distributed throughout all chamber rows. The integral end cap of the chamber system can accept up to a 24-inch (0.61m) inlet pipe.

The inlet manifold should be designed to provide ample conveyance of peak flows without creating an unacceptable backwater condition on the upstream structures and piping. To reduce the scour potential of the foundation stone under the chambers from the influent flow, Contech requires the installation of scour protection netting at the manifold entrance to any inlet chamber, extending 1' (0.30 m) beyond the outside edge of the chamber.

When designing an inlet manifold for a ChamberMaxx system, the specifying engineer is responsible for confirmation that the manifold meets the hydraulic needs of the project. The manifold diameter should be equal to or larger than the upstream pipe leading from the site to the chamber system. Contech offers standard high density polyethylene (HDPE) manifold fittings in various sizes to accommodate most project needs.

Contech provides Mar Mac Polyseal couplers to connect manifold fittings, please reference www.MarMac.com for additional information on the provided couplers.

ChamberMaxx cannot accept a pipe directly into the side of the chamber. To accommodate this configuration, the row should be broken up by use of one end chamber and one start chamber to create two separate rows. The inlet pipe should then be joined to a manifold tee that connects into the new start and end chambers. Otherwise, all pipe connections should be made at a manifold or directly stubbed into the end a chamber.



STANDARD MANIFOLD COMPONENTS				
AVAILABLE DIAMETERS (IN)				
TEE	12	15	18	24
ELBOW	12	15	18	24
DIM A	42	42	48	48

GENERAL NOTES:

1. FITTING MATERIAL TO BE MANUFACTURED FROM CORRUGATED HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE, AASHTO M294 PIPE.
2. FITTINGS TO BE FABRICATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF AASHTO M294.
3. FITTINGS DESIGNED TO PROTRUDE 8" INTO END OF THE INLET CHAMBERS.
4. MANIFOLD TEE AND ELBOW JOINTS TO BE CONNECTED UTILIZING MAR-MAC POLYSEAL COUPLERS. REFERENCE WWW.MARMAC.COM

Outlet Manifold Design

Some ChamberMaxx systems may require an outlet for volumes in excess of the chamber system capacity. An outlet manifold should be designed to ensure that excess volume or peak flows can be conveyed to downstream structures.

In circumstances where infiltration into the surrounding soil is not an option, an underdrain may be used to completely drain the stone bed below the invert of the chamber. The underdrain should connect to the downstream drainage structure and should accommodate free drainage as required.

Other outlet scenarios may include outlet pipes located higher than the invert of the chambers to allow a designed volume to infiltrate through the base stone before exiting the system, or an outlet control structure external to the chamber system to achieve the same effect. These are common scenarios used for recharging groundwater and replicating a site’s pre-construction runoff characteristics.

Outlet manifolds should not directly connect to a Containment Row but should be connected to as many standard chamber rows as required to achieve the desired hydraulic conditions. The outlet manifold fittings provided by Contech are the same HDPE fittings used for inlet manifolds and should be installed and connected in the same way.

Foundation Requirements

ChamberMaxx systems require a bedding of at least 6 inches (152.4mm) of crushed stone below the chambers. With a 6 inch (152.4mm) bedding depth a soil bearing capacity of 4 ksf (191.52 kPa) is required for 8 feet of cover over the top of the chambers and a soil bearing capacity of 2ksf (95.76 kPa) is needed for 18 inches (457.2mm) of cover over the top of the chambers. If the soil bearing pressure does not meet the minimum requirements, a geotechnical engineer should evaluate the application and make the appropriate recommendations to improve the bearing capacity to suit the application.

System Sizing

ChamberMaxx systems store water in the chamber itself and also in the void space of the stone backfill. The “Installed Storage Volume” in the table below shows the water storage capacity for the chamber and stone system assuming a 40% stone void ratio.

The ChamberMaxx DYODS (Design Your Own Detention System) is available for online sizing of ChamberMaxx systems. This tool can be found at www.ContechES.com. For assistance sizing a ChamberMaxx system, Contech Design Engineering services can be contacted at 1-800-338-1122 or through your local Contech representative. Modeling for the ChamberMaxx system is also available in HydroCAD®.

Sizing a ChamberMaxx System

The steps outlined below provide the necessary calculations to size a ChamberMaxx System.

1. Determine the Storage Volume (V_s).
Required Storage Volume should be determined by the design engineer per project requirements.
2. Determine the number of chambers required (C).

Chamber Part	Width		Height		Weight		Actual Length		Installed Length*		Storage Volume		Installed Storage Volume*	
	in	(m)	in	(m)	lbs	(kg)	in	(m)	in	(m)	cf	(m ³)	cf	(m ³)
Start	51.4	(1.31)	30.3	(0.77)	83.0	(37.65)	98.4	(2.50)	96.2	(2.44)	50.2	(1.42)	78.1	(2.21)
Middle	51.4	(1.31)	30.3	(0.77)	73.0	(33.11)	91.0	(2.31)	85.4	(2.17)	47.2	(1.34)	75.1	(2.13)
End	51.4	(1.31)	30.3	(0.77)	76.0	(34.47)	92.0	(2.34)	88.5	(2.25)	46.2	(1.31)	74.1	(2.10)

* 6" (152 mm) of stone above and below chamber, 5.6" (142 mm) chamber spacing and 40% porosity.

To calculate the number of chambers needed to store the required volume (Vs), divide the storage volume by the volume of the chamber. For systems with a predetermined number of rows (r), multiply the sum of the start and end chamber volumes by the row count to determine the remainder of middle chambers required.

$$C = C_{start} + C_{mid} + C_{end}$$

$$C_{start} \text{ \& } C_{end} = \text{number of rows, } r$$

$$C_{mid} = Vs / [(V_{start} + V_{end}) * r + V_{mid}]$$

For systems with an undetermined number of rows, the chamber count can be estimated by using the volume of the middle chamber, ignoring the start and middle chambers.

$$C = Vs / V_{mid}$$

3. Determine the system footprint.

To determine the system length: Divide the number of middle chambers required (Cmid) by the number of rows (r), rounding up (n). This will be number of middle chambers required in the longest row. Add up the installed lengths of 1 start, 1 end, and the required count of middle chambers. After adding the length of perimeter stone around start and end chambers (minimum 12" or .3048 m), the total length is the system length.

$$n = C_{mid} / r$$

$$L = 12" + L_{start} + n * L_{mid} + L_{end} + 12"$$

$$(.3048m + L_{start} + n * L_{mid} + L_{end} + .3048m)$$

To determine the system width: Multiply the chamber width (51.4" or 1.31 m) by the number of rows (r). Add the total chamber width plus chamber spacing multiplied by (r-1) and the perimeter stone (minimum 12" or 0.30 mm). Standard spacing between chambers is 5.6"(396.2 mm). The resulting sum is the system width.

$$W = 12" + r * 51.4" + (r-1) * 5.6" + 12"$$

$$(.3048m + r * 1.306m + (r-1) * 0.3962m + .3048m)$$

4. Determine the amount of stone (Vst).

To determine the amount of clean, crushed, angular stone is required for the ChamberMaxx System, multiply the number of start, middle, and end chambers by their respective stone volumes in the table below.

Chamber Type	Amount of stone needed per chamber (cubic feet)	Amount of stone needed per chamber (cubic meters)
Start Chamber	78.69	2.228
Middle Chamber	69.85	1.978
End Chamber	72.36	2.049

Stage Storage Table

	Elevation		Chamber Storage Volume		Stone Storage Volume		Cumulative Volume Increment		Cumulative Storage Volume	
	(in)	(m)	(cf)	(m ³)	(cf)	(m ³)	(cf)	(m ³)	(cf)	(m ³)
STONE	42.30	1.07	47.20	1.34	27.94	0.79	1.13	0.03	75.14	2.13
	41.30	1.05	47.20	1.34	26.82	0.76	1.13	0.03	74.02	2.09
	40.30	1.02	47.20	1.34	25.69	0.73	1.13	0.03	72.89	2.06
	39.30	1.00	47.20	1.34	24.56	0.70	1.13	0.03	71.76	2.03
	38.30	0.97	47.20	1.34	23.44	0.66	1.13	0.03	70.64	2.00
	37.30	0.95	47.20	1.34	22.31	0.63	1.13	0.03	69.51	1.97
	36.30	0.92	47.20	1.34	21.18	0.60	0.62	0.02	68.38	1.94
CHAMBERMAXX CHAMBERS	35.00	0.89	47.20	1.34	20.56	0.58	1.13	0.03	67.76	1.92
	34.00	0.86	47.20	1.34	19.43	0.55	1.13	0.03	66.63	1.89
	33.00	0.84	47.20	1.34	18.30	0.52	1.13	0.03	65.50	1.85
	32.00	0.81	47.20	1.34	17.18	0.49	1.56	0.04	64.38	1.82
	31.00	0.79	46.48	1.32	16.34	0.46	1.76	0.05	62.82	1.78
	30.00	0.76	45.43	1.29	15.63	0.44	1.83	0.05	61.06	1.73
	29.00	0.74	44.26	1.25	14.98	0.42	1.90	0.05	59.23	1.68
	28.00	0.71	42.97	1.22	14.36	0.41	1.96	0.06	57.33	1.62
	27.00	0.69	41.58	1.18	13.79	0.39	2.02	0.06	55.37	1.57
	26.00	0.66	40.09	1.13	13.26	0.38	2.07	0.06	53.35	1.51
	25.00	0.64	38.53	1.09	12.76	0.36	2.11	0.06	51.29	1.45
	24.00	0.61	36.89	1.04	12.29	0.35	2.15	0.06	49.18	1.39
	23.00	0.58	35.18	1.00	11.84	0.34	2.18	0.06	47.03	1.33
	22.00	0.56	33.42	0.95	11.42	0.32	2.22	0.06	44.84	1.27
	21.00	0.53	31.60	0.89	11.02	0.31	2.24	0.06	42.63	1.21
	20.00	0.51	29.74	0.84	10.64	0.30	2.27	0.06	40.38	1.14
	19.00	0.48	27.84	0.79	10.27	0.29	2.29	0.06	38.11	1.08
	18.00	0.46	25.90	0.73	9.92	0.28	2.31	0.07	35.82	1.01
	17.00	0.43	23.93	0.68	9.59	0.27	2.33	0.07	33.51	0.95
	16.00	0.41	21.92	0.62	9.26	0.26	2.35	0.07	31.18	0.88
	15.00	0.38	19.88	0.56	8.95	0.25	2.37	0.07	28.83	0.82
	14.00	0.36	17.82	0.50	8.65	0.24	2.39	0.07	26.46	0.75
	13.00	0.33	15.72	0.44	8.36	0.24	2.40	0.07	24.08	0.68
	12.00	0.30	13.59	0.38	8.09	0.23	2.42	0.07	21.68	0.61
	11.00	0.28	11.43	0.32	7.82	0.22	2.45	0.07	19.25	0.54
	10.00	0.25	9.23	0.26	7.58	0.21	2.47	0.07	16.81	0.48
	9.00	0.23	6.99	0.20	7.34	0.21	2.50	0.07	14.34	0.41
8.00	0.20	4.71	0.13	7.13	0.20	2.52	0.07	11.84	0.34	
7.00	0.18	2.38	0.07	6.93	0.20	2.56	0.07	9.32	0.26	
6.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	6.76	0.19	1.13	0.03	6.76	0.19	
5.00	0.13	0.00	0.00	5.63	0.16	1.13	0.03	5.63	0.16	
4.00	0.10	0.00	0.00	4.51	0.13	1.13	0.03	4.51	0.13	
3.00	0.08	0.00	0.00	3.38	0.10	1.13	0.03	3.38	0.10	
2.00	0.05	0.00	0.00	2.25	0.06	1.13	0.03	2.25	0.06	
1.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	1.13	0.03	0.00	0.00	1.13	0.03	

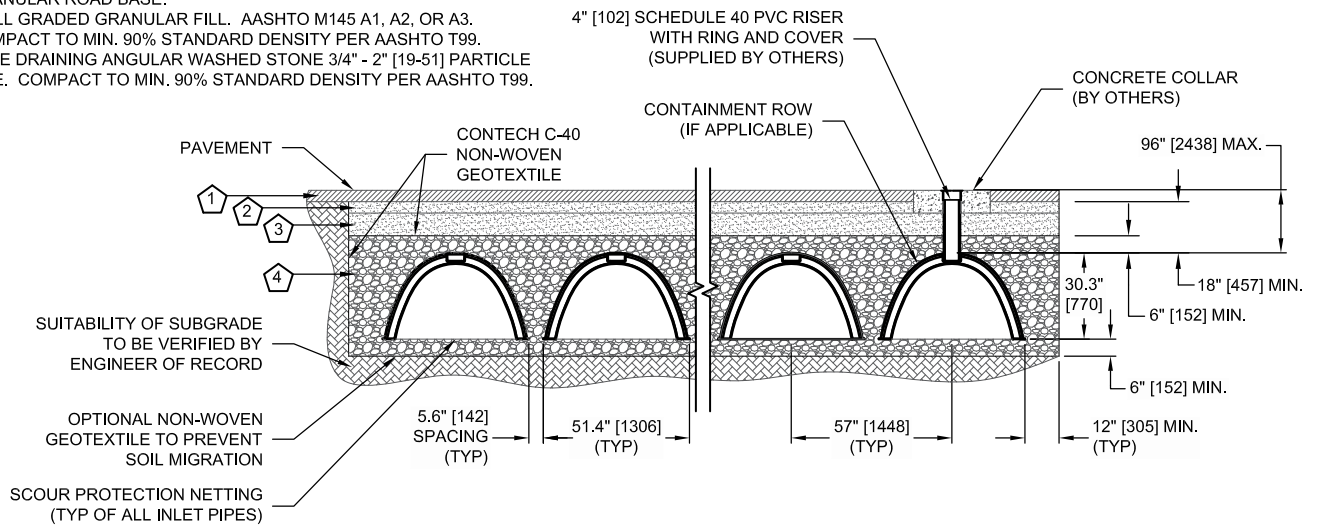
ChamberMaxx Flow Routing

Proper design of any detention system typically requires that flow routing be performed. Engineers at Contech can be a valuable resource when designing a ChamberMaxx retention system. Typically, stage-storage curves are utilized in the analysis. A Contech stage-storage calculator is available for download on www.ContechES.com. This information can simply be inserted into common hydrology/ hydraulic software such as HydroCAD, HydroFlow, PondPack or TR20. This makes a flow routing design with ChamberMaxx just as simple as an aboveground pond design.

ChamberMaxx - Backfill Detail

KEY

1. RIGID OR FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT.
2. GRANULAR ROAD BASE.
3. WELL GRADED GRANULAR FILL. AASHTO M145 A1, A2, OR A3. COMPACT TO MIN. 90% STANDARD DENSITY PER AASHTO T99.
4. FREE DRAINING ANGULAR WASHED STONE 3/4" - 2" [19-51] PARTICLE SIZE. COMPACT TO MIN. 90% STANDARD DENSITY PER AASHTO T99.



BACKFILL MATERIAL

THE CHAMBER SYSTEM INCORPORATES TWO TYPES OF BACKFILL MATERIAL

FREE DRAINING ANGULAR WASHED STONE 3/4 TO 2-INCH [19 TO 51] PARTICLE SIZE COMPACTED TO 90% AASHTO T99 IS USED AROUND THE CHAMBERS. THIS MATERIAL IS USED AROUND THE CHAMBERS AND WITHIN A MINIMUM OF 6-INCHES (152 MM) BELOW AND 6-INCHES [152] ABOVE THE CHAMBERS. THE REMAINING SPACE SHOULD BE FILLED WITH AN ANGULAR, WELL-GRADED GRANULAR FILL MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS OF AASHTO M145 A1, A2 OR A3, COMPACTED TO 95% AASHTO T99.

CONTECH C-40 NON-WOVEN GEOTEXTILE SHOULD BE USED BETWEEN THE TWO LAYERS OF BACKFILL MATERIAL. SEE DETAIL BELOW.

Inspection And Maintenance

ChamberMaxx Safety

Before entering into any storm sewer or underground retention/detention system check to make sure all OSHA and local safety regulations and guidelines are observed during the maintenance process. Hard hats, safety glasses, steel-toed boots and any other appropriate personal protective equipment shall be worn at all times.

Inspection Frequency

Inspections are recommended at a minimum annually. The first year of operation may require more frequent inspections. Frequency of inspections will vary significantly on the local site conditions. An individual inspection schedule should be established for each site.

Inspections

Inspection is the key to effective maintenance and is easily performed. Inspections may need to be performed more often in the winter months in climates where sanding operations may lead to rapid sediment accumulations, or in equipment washdown areas. It is very useful to keep a record of each inspection. A sample inspection log is included for your use.

The entire treatment train should be inspected and maintained. The treatment train may consist of an upstream sump manhole, manifold system or pre-treatment HDS device. Inspections should start at the upstream device and continue downstream to the discharge orifice if incorporated into the chamber system.

Pre-Treatment Device Inspection

Inspection and maintenance procedures provided by the manufacturer should be followed for pre-treatment systems such as a CDS®, Vortechs®, VortSentry® or VortSentry® HS. Expected pollutants will be floatable trash, sediment and oil and grease. Pre-treatment devices are recommended for all detention/retention devices regardless of type.

Containment Row™ Inspection

The optional Containment Row consists of a diversion concrete manhole with a weir, and a row of chambers placed on woven geotextile. The diversion weir directs the first flush flows into the Containment Row of chambers. The majority of sediment will be captured in the Containment Row due to the extended detention time which allows the particles to settle out. Higher flows overtop (bypass) the weir into the manifold system.

The Containment Row will typically be located in the first row of chambers connected to the diversion manhole. Inspection can be done through accessing the diversion manhole and visually inspecting the Containment Row through the inlet pipe. Inspection ports throughout the system can be used for visual observation and measurement of sediment accumulation using a stadia rod. When the depth of sediment accumulates over 4-inch (102 mm), cleanout is recommended.

Manifold System Inspection

The main manifold pipe can be inspected from the diversion manhole upstream. When a quarter of the pipe volume has been filled with sediment the header system should be maintained.

Visual Inspection

Maintenance or further investigation may be required if any of the following conditions exist:

- Evidence of an unusual amount of silt and soil build-up on the surface.
- Clogged outlet drainpipe.
- System does not drain to the elevation of the lowest pipe in dry conditions.
- Evidence of potholes or sinkholes

Maintenance

Underground stormwater retention/detention systems should be inspected at regular intervals and maintained when necessary to ensure optimum performance. The rate at which the system collects pollutants will depend more heavily on site activities rather than the size or configuration of the system. If accumulated silt is interfering with the operation of the detention system (i.e.: blocking outlet pipes or deposits significantly reduce the storage capacity of the system) it should be removed.

It is easiest to maintain a system when there is no flow entering. For this reason, cleanout should be scheduled during dry weather.

A vacuum truck or other similar devices can be used to remove sediment from the treatment train. Starting upstream, maintain manholes with sumps and any pre-treatment devices (following manufacturer recommended procedures). Once maintenance is complete, replace all caps, lids and covers. It is important to document maintenance events on the Inspection and Maintenance Log.

Header System Maintenance

If maintenance is required, use a high pressure nozzle with rear facing jets to wash the sediments and debris into the diversion manhole. Use the vacuum hose stinger nozzle to remove the washed sediments from the sump of the diversion manhole. It is important to not flush sediments into the chamber system during the maintenance process.

Containment Row™ Maintenance

If maintenance is required, a JetVac truck utilizing a high pressure nozzle (sledge dredging tool) with rear facing jets will be required. Insert the nozzle from the diversion manhole into the Containment Row through the inlet pipe. Turn the water feed hose on and feed the supply hose until the nozzle has reached the end of the Containment Row. Withdraw the nozzle slowly.

The tool will backflush the Containment Row forcing debris into the diversion manhole sump. Use the stringer vacuum hose to remove the sediments and debris from the sump of the diversion manhole. Multiple passes may be required to fully cleanout the Containment Row. Vacuum out the diversion manhole and remove all debris. See Figure 1.



Figure 1. Containment Row shown with high pressure cleaning nozzle.

APPENDIX A: ChamberMaxx Specification with Pretreatment

SPECIFICATION:

ChamberMaxx

Underground Detention and Infiltration Standard Specification with Pretreatment Device

1.0 GENERAL

1.1 This item shall govern the furnishing and installation of ChamberMaxx underground detention and infiltration chamber systems.

1.2 Contractor shall furnish all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to install the ChamberMaxx system, appurtenances and incidentals in accordance with the Drawings and as specified herein.

1.3 A stormwater treatment device upstream of the ChamberMaxx system is recommended as the appropriate means of pretreating for the purpose of extending the maintenance interval on the ChamberMaxx system and reducing the life cycle cost. Both engineered solutions shall be provided by a single supplier/manufacturer. Filtration by wrapping a chamber row with geotextile is not an acceptable means of pretreatment.

1.4 Applicable provisions of any Division shall govern work in this section.

1.5 Related Standards

1.5.1 ASTM 2418 "Standard Specification for Polypropylene Corrugated Wall Stormwater Collection Chambers"

1.5.2 ASTM F-2787 "Standard Practice for Structural Design of Thermoplastic Corrugated Wall Stormwater Collection Chambers"

1.6 Site layout drawings, product specifications, materials, hydraulic storage data and supported calculations of proposed alternatives shall be submitted to the Engineer of Record (EOR) for review at a minimum of 10 working days prior to bid closing.

1.7 Shop drawings shall be annotated to indicate all materials to be furnished and installed under this section, and all applicable standards for materials, required tests of materials and design assumptions for structural analysis:

1.8 Before installation of the ChamberMaxx system, Contractor shall obtain the written approval of the EOR for the stormwater system and the installation drawings.

1.9 All proposed alternatives to the ChamberMaxx system shall conform to applicable above referenced ASTM specifications.

2.0 MATERIALS

2.1 The chamber shall be constructed of injection molded polypropylene copolymer formulated for high impact and stress cracking resistance and sustained structural performance during high temperatures. The chamber shall be designed and manufactured in accordance to ASTM F-2418 and F-2787.

2.2 The chamber shall be designed to AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications (Section 12), as applied to material and performance requirements for buried thermoplastic pipes. Design live load shall be the AASHTO HS-20 and HS-25 truck, including multiple lane presence factors, over a minimum cover of 18 inches and chamber row spacing of 5 inches or greater.

2.3 The chamber system shall be comprised of three chamber configurations: The MIDDLE chambers shall be open-ended to allow unobstructed hydraulic flow, inspection, and maintenance. The START and END chambers shall each have an integral end wall designed to resist loading at the start and end of the chamber rows. The chambers within a row shall be installed with overlapping end corrugations.

2.4 The nominal dimensions of the START chamber shall be 51.4 inches wide, 30.3 inches tall, and 98.4 inches long. The nominal dimensions of the MIDDLE chamber shall be 51.4 inches wide, 30.3 inches tall, and 91.0 inches long. The nominal dimensions of the END chamber shall be 51.4 inches wide, 30.3 inches tall, and 92.0 inches long. The nominal storage volume inside the chamber shall be 77 cubic feet when utilizing 6" of stone above and below chamber with 40% stone porosity per ChamberMaxx standard detail.

2.5 The chamber shall have a continuously-curved, arch-shaped section profile.

2.6 The START and END chamber integral end wall shall be structurally suitable for cutting and inserting inlet pipes and shall provide a range of pipe diameter indicants up to 24" diameter as cutting templates.

2.7 The chamber shall be a corrugated, open-bottom design and top vent orifices for hydraulic pressure equalization. Corrugation valleys and crests shall be sub-corrugated to increase stiffness.

2.8 The chamber shall have a circular cut line for an optional reinforced inspection port configured to accept a 4" Schedule 40 pipe.

2.9 The END chambers shall be capable of being cut to shorter lengths to accommodate site specific requirements.

2.10 The chamber shall be supported by integral structural

footings comprised of load dispersing toe ribs and longitudinally aligned stiffening ribs.

2.11 The manufacturer of the ChamberMaxx system shall be one that has regularly been engaged in the engineering design and production of these systems for at least eight (8) years and which has a history of successful production, acceptable to the Engineer of Record (EOR). In accordance with the Drawings, the ChamberMaxx system shall be supplied by:

Contech Engineered Solutions
9025 Centre Pointe Drive
West Chester, OH, 45069
Tel: 1 800 338 1122

3.0 PERFORMANCE

3.1 The ChamberMaxx system proposal shall be sized in accordance to the design provided and approved by the Engineer of Record (EOR). Any Contractor deviating from the design shown on the plans, to include: material, footprint, etc., shall provide to the EOR a summary report on stage-storage curves, design calculations, HydroCAD modeling and engineering drawings.

3.2 ChamberMaxx row spacing and stone base thickness cannot be altered with consultation from Contech Engineered Solutions, LLC.

3.3 The ChamberMaxx system shall be designed so as the hydraulic grade line will increase evenly throughout whereas transverse movement from one storage compartment to another shall not be permitted. All storage compartments shall be connected via manifold (or connecting pipe) versus by entirely transporting stormwater through stone.

3.4 A stormwater pretreatment device is recommended upstream of the ChamberMaxx system as follows:

3.4.1 Infiltration: Where feasible, the selected stormwater treatment device upstream of an infiltration system shall be a filter system and have General Use Level Designation (GULD) for Basic Treatment by the Washington State Department of Ecology or demonstrate equivalent performance in independently verified field testing following a peer reviewed testing protocol, and must be sized consistent with the system producing those results.

3.4.2 Detention: Where feasible, the selected Stormwater treatment device upstream of a detention system shall be a separator system and have GULD for Pretreatment by the WADOE or demonstrate equivalent performance in independently verified field testing following a peer reviewed testing protocol, and must be sized consistent with the system producing those results.

3.4.3 Selected pretreatment stormwater device shall incorporate a physical barrier capable of capturing and retaining trash and debris (i.e.: floatable and neutrally buoyant materials) for all flows up to the treatment capacity of the device.

3.4.4 The application of wrapping a system with geotextile of any branding or material type, that allows the passage of stormwater, shall not be regarded as an acceptable treatment or pretreatment device.

3.4.5 The manufacturer of the selected Stormwater treatment device shall have been regularly engaged in the engineering design and production of systems for the physical treatment of Stormwater runoff for 15 years.

3.4.6 In order to not restrict the Owner's ability to maintain the stormwater pretreatment device, the minimum dimension providing access from the ground surface to the sump chamber shall be 20 inches in diameter.

4.0 EXECUTION

4.1 The ChamberMaxx system shall be installed per the Contech "ChamberMaxx Stormwater Retention System Standard Installation Detail", available from local Contech representative or from www.conteches.com.

4.2 For temporary construction vehicle loads, an extra amount of compacted cover may be required over the top of the chambers. The Height-of-Cover shall meet the minimum requirements shown in the Contech "ChamberMaxx Stormwater Retention System Standard Installation Detail". The use of heavy construction equipment necessitates greater protection for the chambers than finished grade cover minimums for normal highway traffic.

4.3 The contractor shall follow Occupational Safety and Health Association (OSHA) guidelines for safe practices in executing the installation process in accordance with the manufacturer/supplier installation recommendations.

4.4 Contractor is required to participate in an on-site preconstruction meeting with the supplier prior to the scheduled delivery date of the ChamberMaxx system.

APPENDIX B: ChamberMaxx Specification with Containment Row

ChamberMaxx

Underground Detention and Infiltration Standard Specification with Containment Row

5.0 GENERAL

5.1 This item shall govern the furnishing and installation of ChamberMaxx underground detention and infiltration chamber systems.

5.2 Contractor shall furnish all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to install the ChamberMaxx system, appurtenances and incidentals in accordance with the Drawings and as specified herein.

5.3 The containment row of the ChamberMaxx system is recommended as the appropriate means of pretreating for the purpose of extending the maintenance interval on the ChamberMaxx system and reducing the life cycle cost.

5.4 Applicable provisions of any Division shall govern work in this section.

5.5 Related Standards

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5.5.2 ASTM F-2787 "Standard Practice for Structural Design of Thermoplastic Corrugated Wall Stormwater Collection Chambers"

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6.0 MATERIALS

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8.4 Contractor is required to participate in an on-site preconstruction meeting with the supplier prior to the scheduled delivery date of the ChamberMaxx system.

END SECTION



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Support

- Drawings and specifications are available at contechstormwater.com.
- Site-specific design support is available from our engineers.

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**ChamberMaxx[®] Retention
Installation Guide**



ChamberMaxx Retention Installation Guide

The ChamberMaxx system requires adherence to the following installation procedure for the structural integrity of the system to be maintained.

All illustrations and photographs are examples of typical situations. Each individual site will vary, so it is important to follow the engineering project drawings as designed and sealed by a registered Professional Engineer.

Prior to installation of the ChamberMaxx system a pre-construction meeting shall be conducted. Those required to attend are the supplier of the system, the general contractor, sub-contractors and the project Engineer of record.



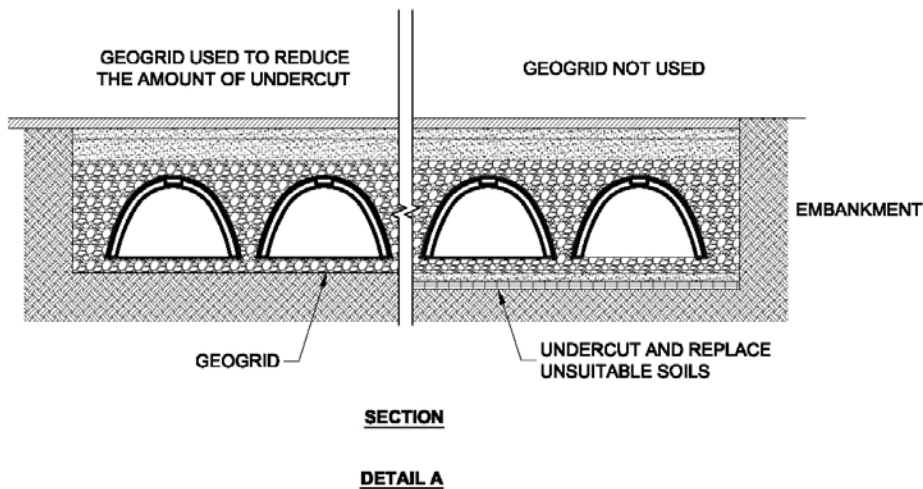
Foundation

Construct a foundation that can support the design loading applied by the chambers and adjacent backfill weight as well as maintain its integrity during construction. A minimum of an extra foot of perimeter excavation is required for proper fit and adequate compaction. Excavation must be free of standing water. Dewater if present.

If soft or unsuitable soils are encountered, remove unsuitable material and bring back to grade with fill material as approved by the Engineer of record. See Detail A. The structural fill material gradation should not allow the migration of fines, which can

cause settlement of the chamber system and possibly the above pavement, and occlusion of the void space in the bedding. If the structural fill material is not compatible with the underlying soils a Contech C-40, non-woven 4 oz separation geotextile, should be used as a separator.

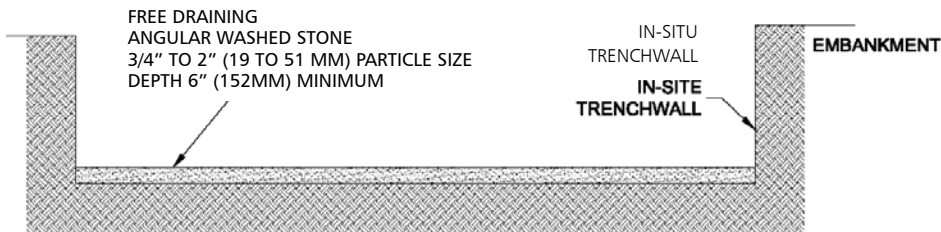
Grade the foundation subgrade to a uniform and stable grade. If the subgrade is clay or relatively non-porous and the construction sequence will last for an extended period of time, it is best to slope the grade to one end of the system. This will allow excess water to drain quickly, preventing saturation of the subgrade.



Bedding

A 6-inch (152 mm) minimum thickness, well-graded, free-draining angular washed stone 3/4 to 2-inch (19 to 51 mm) particle size is the required chamber bedding. Refer to project engineering plans for subgrade soil preparation and required stone foundation thickness. If the construction equipment will operate for an extended period of time on the bedding, use an engineering fabric or a geogrid to ensure the base material maintains its integrity. Bedding material is to be compacted to 90% AASHTO T99 standard proctor density. Do not use heavy equipment on bedding material to avoid excessive soil compaction. See Detail B.

Grade the base to a smooth, uniform grade to allow for the proper placement of chambers.



SECTION

DETAIL B

In-Situ Trench Wall

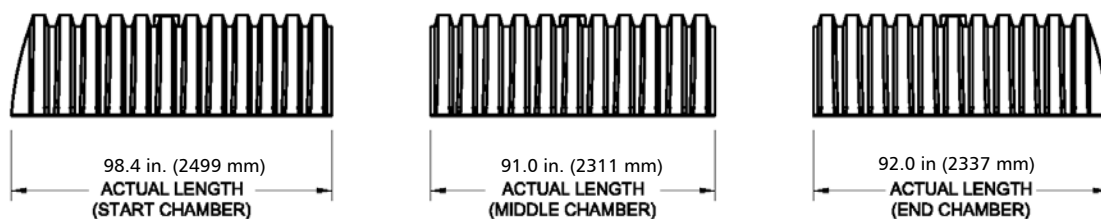
The trench wall must be capable of supporting the load that the chamber sheds as the system is loaded. If soils are not capable of supporting these loads, the integrity of the system can be compromised. Perform a simple soil pressure check using the applied loads to determine the limits of excavation beyond the edge of the outer most row of chambers. Wrap the walls with Contech C-40 non-woven geotextile to help prevent soil migration.

In most cases the requirements for a safe work environment and proper backfill placement and compaction take care of this concern.

ChamberMaxx Units

All systems are comprised of the Start, Mid and End chambers. The Start and End chambers are marked accordingly with a label on each end.

The maximum weight of a single chamber is 83 lbs. (37.65 kg) which allows the chamber to be hand carried. See Detail C.



ELEVATION VIEW

DETAIL C

Layout of the Manifold System

Temporarily layout the manifold system per the project engineering plans. Place the Start chamber of each row in your system. Standard spacing between rows is 5.6", with a minimum of 5" required between each row.. Use a reciprocating saw to cut the inlet pipe diameter hole out from the Start chamber at the correct inlet height. Insert the inlet pipe from the assembled manifold system into each Start chamber. Cover any open void spaces greater than 3/4-inch (19 mm) on the chambers with a non-woven geotextile to prevent infiltration of backfill material.



Layout of the Optional Containment Row

For ease of access during a maintenance operation, ChamberMaxx retention systems may have an optional Containment Row to allow for containment and settlement of sediments and associated pollutants during the initial flows of storm events. This row of chambers is set on top of a 2 layers of AASHTO M288 Class 1 woven geotextile a minimum of 53" wide with no overlaps.

1. Install diversion manhole per site plan.
2. Rollout the 12.5 ft (150 inch) wide woven geotextile and cut to the required length of the containment row while leaving 3-ft (.19m) overlap at each end of the chamber row. Fold the geotextile lengthwise creating 2 layers of 75" wide woven geotextile. Center the 2 layers of geotextile on the location of the containment row. The 75" wide geotextile layers will overlap approximately 1 ft of width on each side of the containment row. It may be necessary to temporarily weigh down the edges of the geotextile material to prevent displacement from wind.
3. Lay chambers for the Containment Row on the 2 layers of woven geotextile per the plans starting at the Start chamber, see Setting Units for installation instructions. It may be necessary to mark position of chambers on geotextile to ensure proper location during placement of chambers.
4. Install inlet connector pipe in Start chamber wall from the diversion manhole per plans.
5. Confirms the width of woven geotextile leaves a minimum of 6" around chamber along the sides. See Detail D.

6. Wrap the sides of the woven geotextile around the sides of the containment row and pin it to ensure that it does not unwrap during backfill
7. Fold overlapping ends of woven geotextile at the ends of the containment row so that they are flat against the end walls and fully wrapped around the inlet pipe of the containment row. Attach with construction tape as needed to keep the geotextile from moving during backfill.
8. Layout remaining chambers of retention system and header manifold per plans. See page 6.

Laying Out Scour Protection Netting

To insure the bedding is not disrupted as flows enter the system, rollout the Scour Protection Netting material perpendicular to the inlet chambers. In the area of the inlet chambers, lay the material with a one foot overlap towards the manifold system and footprint area. Tension material as needed to provide intimate contact with the bedding stone. When the inlet chamber is installed, this will "pin" the netting material in place. Inspect to insure netting is flat with no wrinkles and has intimate contact with the bedding stone. See Detail D.



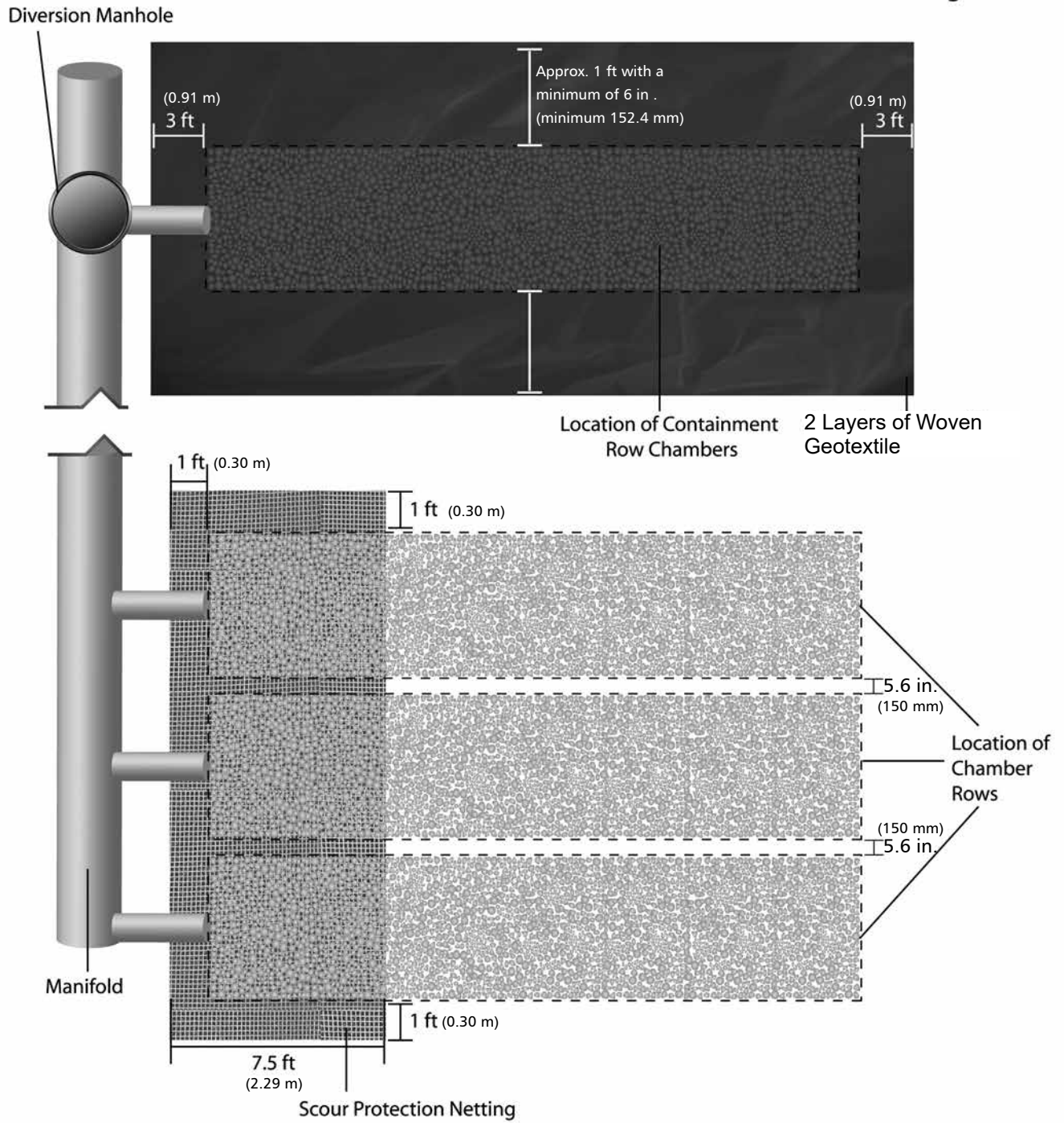
Setting Units

Overlap the Mid chamber corrugation over the end of the Start chamber. Standard spacing between rows is 5.6", with a minimum of 5" required between each row. Always refer to the engineering plans for chamber arrangement. The End chamber will be the final chamber in each row.

Inspection Viewports

Where identified on the engineering project plans cut a 4-inch (102 mm) diameter hole in the reinforced circular port on the top of the chamber. Build an inspection port from PVC Schedule 40 pipe. Cut pipe to an oversized length, screw three small angle irons approximately 1-inch (25 mm) from the end of pipe. Anchor the riser in place on the chamber to keep secured during the backfill process. Install ring and cover on top of the riser pipe. After backfill, place an access casting in a concrete collar. To avoid crushing the inspection port riser, be sure concrete does not attach to riser pipe.

Installation Schematic for Containment Row Liner and Scour Protection Netting



DETAIL D

Backfill Material

The chamber System incorporates two types of backfill material.

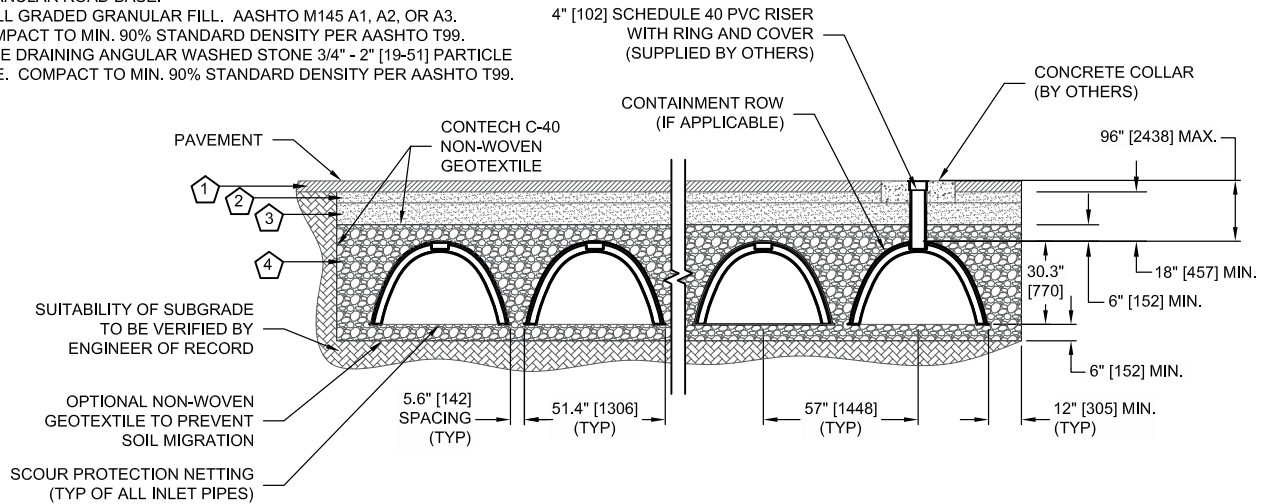
Free draining angular washed stone 3/4 to 2-inch (19 to 152 mm) particle size compacted to 90% AASHTO T99 is used around the chambers. This material is used around the chambers and within

a minimum of 6-inches (152 mm) below and 6-inches (152 mm) above the chambers. The remaining space should be filled with an angular, well-graded granular fill meeting the requirements of AASHTO M145 A1, A2 or A3, compacted to 90% AASHTO T99.

Contech C-40 Non-Woven Geotextile should be used between the two layers of backfill material. See Detail E.

KEY

1. RIGID OR FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT.
2. GRANULAR ROAD BASE.
3. WELL GRADED GRANULAR FILL. AASHTO M145 A1, A2, OR A3. COMPACT TO MIN. 90% STANDARD DENSITY PER AASHTO T99.
4. FREE DRAINING ANGULAR WASHED STONE 3/4" - 2" [19-51] PARTICLE SIZE. COMPACT TO MIN. 90% STANDARD DENSITY PER AASHTO T99.



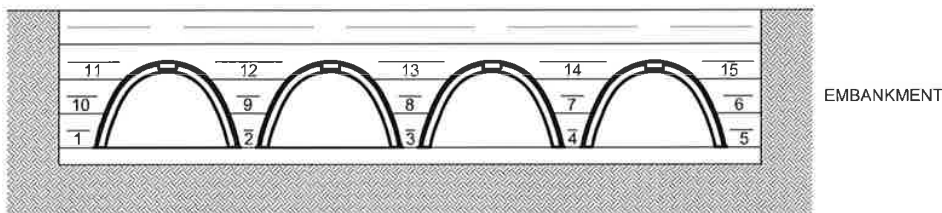
DETAIL E

Backfill Placement

Place backfill material in 6 to 8-inch (152 to 203 mm) loose lifts and compact to 90% AASHTO T99. Use mechanical hand tampers or approved compacting equipment to compact all backfill and embankment immediately adjacent to each side of the installation and over top of the installation to a minimum depth of 18-inches (457 mm). Place backfill so there is no more than a two lift differential between any of the chambers at anytime during the backfilling process. Advance the backfill along the length of the chamber system at the same rate to avoid differential loading on the chambers. Backfilling at differential heights from one side of the chamber to the other in excess of 16-inches (407 mm) can cause chamber distortion or potential collapse. Advance balanced lifts across the width of the system evenly along the length of the chambers as you backfill. See Detail F.

Use only lightweight tracked dozers (D-4 dozer or smaller) not exceeding 1,100 lbs/sf (0.54 kg/cm²) ground pressure to spread backfill lifts over top of the chamber system. Maintain a minimum of 6-inch (152 mm) cover on top of chambers for the initial lifts.

For large systems use conveyor systems, backhoes with long reaches or draglines with stone buckets may be used to place backfill. Once minimum cover for construction loading across the entire width of the system is reached, advance the equipment to the end of the recently placed fill, and begin the sequence again until the system is completely backfilled. This type of construction sequence provides room for stockpiled backfill directly behind the backhoe, as well as the movement of construction traffic. Material stockpiles on top of the backfilled chamber system should be limited to six feet in total high above the structure and must provide balanced loading across all chambers. To determine the proper cover over the chambers to allow the movement of construction equipment, contact your local Contech Representative.



DETAIL F - TYPICAL BACKFILL SEQUENCE

Construction Loading

Typically, the minimum cover specified for a project assumes HS-20 or HS-25 live load. Because construction loads often exceed design live loads, increased temporary minimum cover requirements are necessary. Since construction equipment varies from job to job, it is best to address equipment specification and minimum cover requirements with our local Contech representative during the pre-construction meeting.

Equipment Restriction	
BACKFILL LEVEL*	ALLOWABLE CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT**
4 – Bedding	<i>No restrictions.</i>
4 – Back to Top of Chambers	<i>No equipment js permitted on or nearby the chambers. conveyors or excavators located such that their loads do not influence the chambers should be used to place the backfill stone. Stone should be worked between the chambers by hand.</i>
4 – Backfill Over the Top of the Chambers	<i>no wheel loads should be applied over the system. once 6" of stone has been placed over the crown of the chambers, lightweight tracked dozers with a maximum ground pressure of 1,100 psf are permitted over the structure. dozers must spread stone working in a direction parallel with the chamber rows; not working across the chamber rows. also, only small, walk behind compaction equipment can be used over the chambers until a minimum of 12" of cover is over the chambers.</i>
2 or 3 Select Fill Over the Chambers	<i>once 18" of compacted material is over the chambers, highway vehicles with axle loads of 32,000 pounds or less can be operated over the structures. front end loaders can be operated over the structures as long as the maximum wheel load does not exceed 16,000 pounds. compaction equipment can be operated over the structures as long as the dynamic force from the drum does not exceed 20,000 pounds and the gross vehicle weight does not exceed 12,000 pounds.</i>
* Please reference Detail E on page 7.	
** Contact your local Contech Representative for questions on the use of specific pieces of construction equipment.	

Contractor Tool Checklist

- Wire cutters
- Stone bucket
- Transit or laser level
- Forklift or other type of equipment to unload chambers
- Reciprocating saw or router (to custom cut the end walls and inspection ports)
- Approved compaction equipment
- Excavator to dig trench and place stone and soil backfill
- Stone conveyor/light weight tracked dozer not exceeding 1,100 lbs/sf (0.54 kg/cm²) to grade backfill

Material Checklist

Start, Mid and End ChamberMaxx chambers	Supplied by Contech
Manifold System	Supplied by Contech
Scour Protection Netting	Supplied by Contech
Contech C-40 Non-woven geotextile	Supplied by Contech
Containment Row Diversion Manhole (if required)	Supplied by Contech
Containment Row AASHTO M288 Class 1 Woven Geotextile	Supplied by Contech
Free draining angular washed stone 3/4"-2" (.019 to .05 m) backfill material	Supplied by Contractor
Well graded granular backfill material	Supplied by Contractor
Construction Tape / Adhesive	Supplied by Contractor
Inspection port materials	Supplied by Contractor

ChamberMaxx Pre-Construction Checklist

Contech Field Contact and Phone: _____

Contech Plant Contact and Phone: _____

Contractor Contact and Phone: _____

Project Name: _____

Site Address: _____

Precon Attendees: _____

Topics to Review:

- Truck access and chamber storage availability/expectation
- Chamber unloading and handling safety, equipment and procedures
- System layout and fabrication drawing review
- Shipping schedule and installation sequence
- Scour protection netting layout
- Configuration and assembly
- Backfill material selection and placement procedure
- Backfill sequence, lift thickness and balanced loading
- Compaction requirement (90%) and equipment
- Additional Containment Row™ construction/liner material layout
- Inspection port installation

Notes: _____

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Support

- Drawings and specifications are available at ContechES.com.
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Infiltration Trench - Design Procedure

BMP ID
Infiltration Trench-B

Company Name: Armstrong & Brooks Consulting Engineers
Designed by: Joshua Groenheim

Date: 4/13/2022

Design Volume

Area Tributary to BMP: At = 0.60 Acres

V_{BMP}: V_{BMP} = 1,992 CF

Calculate Maximum Depth of Reservoir Layer

Infiltration Rate: I = 1.60 IN/HR

Factor of Safety, FS: FS = 2

Calculate D1: n = 40%

Drawdown Time = 48 HOURS

D1 = 8 FT

Calculate D2

Depth to Historic High Groundwater = 70 FT

Depth to Top of Bedrock/Impermeable Layer = 16 FT

D2 is the smaller of:

(Depth to groundwater) - 11 ft = 59 FT

(Depth to impermeable layer) - 6 ft = 10 FT

D_{max} (the smaller value of D1 and D2 but must be less than or equal to 8) = 8

Trench Sizing

Proposed Reservoir Layer Depth, D_r = 4 FT

Calculated Design Depth of Water, D_w = 1.6 FT

Minimum Surface Area, A_s = 1,245.0 SF

Proposed Design Surface Area, A_d = 1,366 SF

Minimum Width (To avoid triggering Class V Injection Well Status) = 5 FT

3.2 INFILTRATION TRENCH

Type of BMP	LID - Infiltration
Treatment Mechanisms	Infiltration, Evapotranspiration (when vegetated), Evaporation
Maximum Drainage Area	10-acres
Other Names	None

Description

Infiltration trenches are shallow excavated areas that are filled with rock material to create a subsurface reservoir layer. The trench is sized to store the design capture volume, V_{BMP} , in the void space between the rocks. Over a period of 72 hours, the stormwater infiltrates through the bottom of the trench into the surrounding soil. Infiltration basins are highly effective in removing all targeted pollutants from stormwater runoff.

Figure 1 shows the components of an infiltration trench. The section shows the reservoir layer and observation well, which is used to monitor water depth. An overflow pipe that is used to bypass flows once the trench fills with stormwater is also shown.

Site Considerations

Location

The use of infiltration trenches may be restricted by concerns over groundwater contamination, soil permeability, and clogging at the site. See the applicable WQMP for any specific feasibility considerations for using infiltration BMPs. Where this BMP is being used, the soil beneath the basin must be thoroughly evaluated in a geotechnical report since the underlying soils are critical to the basin's long term performance. These basins may not be appropriate for the following site conditions:

- Industrial sites or locations where spills of toxic materials may occur.
- Sites with very low soil infiltration rates.
- Sites with high groundwater tables or excessively high soil infiltration rates, where pollutants can affect groundwater quality.
- Sites with unstabilized soil or construction activity upstream.
- On steeply sloping terrain.
- Infiltration trenches located in a fill condition should refer to Appendix A of this Handbook for details on special requirements/restrictions.

This BMP has a flat surface area, so it may be challenging to incorporate into steeply sloping terrain.

INFILTRATION TRENCH BMP FACT SHEET

Setbacks

Always consult your geotechnical engineer for site specific recommendations regarding setbacks for infiltration trenches. Recommended setbacks are needed to protect buildings, walls, onsite or nearby wells, streams, and tanks. Setbacks should be considered early in the design process as they affect where infiltration facilities may be placed and how deep they are allowed to be. For instance, depth setbacks can dictate fairly shallow facilities that will have a larger footprint and, in some cases, may make an infiltration trench infeasible. In that instance, another BMP must be selected.

In addition to setbacks recommended by the geotechnical engineer, infiltration trenches must be set back:

- 10 feet from the historic high groundwater mark (measured vertically from the bottom of the trench, as shown in Figure 1)
- 5 feet from bedrock or impermeable surface layer (measured vertically from the bottom of the trench, as shown in Figure 1)
- From all mature tree drip lines as indicated in Figure 1
- 100 feet horizontally from wells, tanks or springs

Setbacks to walls and foundations must be included as part of the Geotechnical Report.

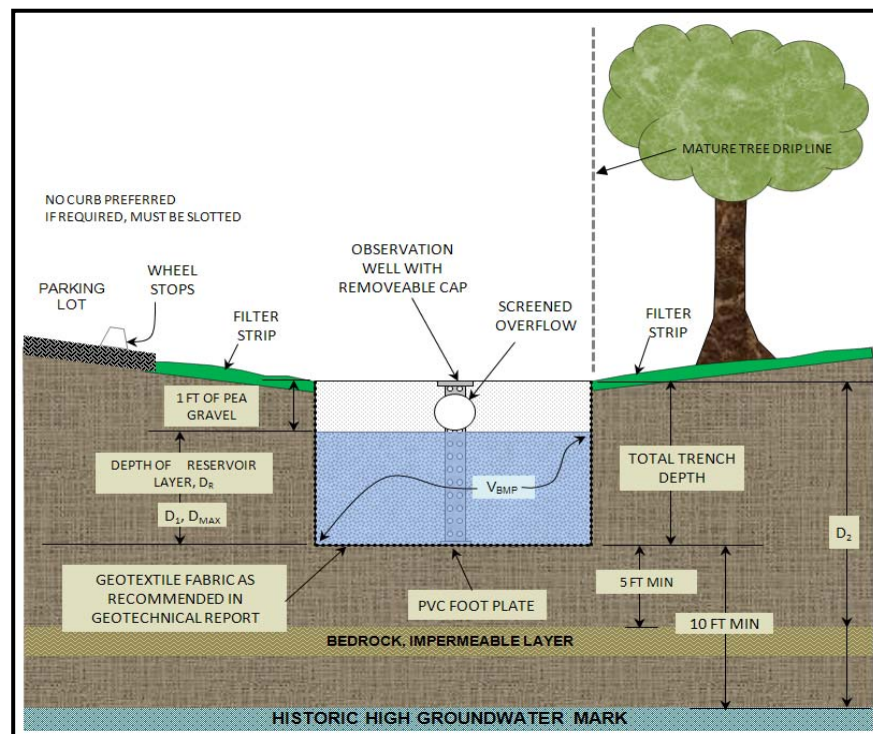


Figure 1 Section View of an Infiltration Trench

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Sediment Control

Infiltration BMPs have the risk of becoming plugged over time. To prevent this, sediment must be removed before stormwater enters the trench. Both sheet and concentrated flow types have requirements that should be considered in the design of an infiltration trench.

When sheet type flows approach the trench along its length (as illustrated in Figure 2), a vegetated filter strip should be placed between the trench

and the upstream drainage area. The filter strip must be a minimum of 5 feet wide and planted with grasses (preferably native) or covered with mulch.

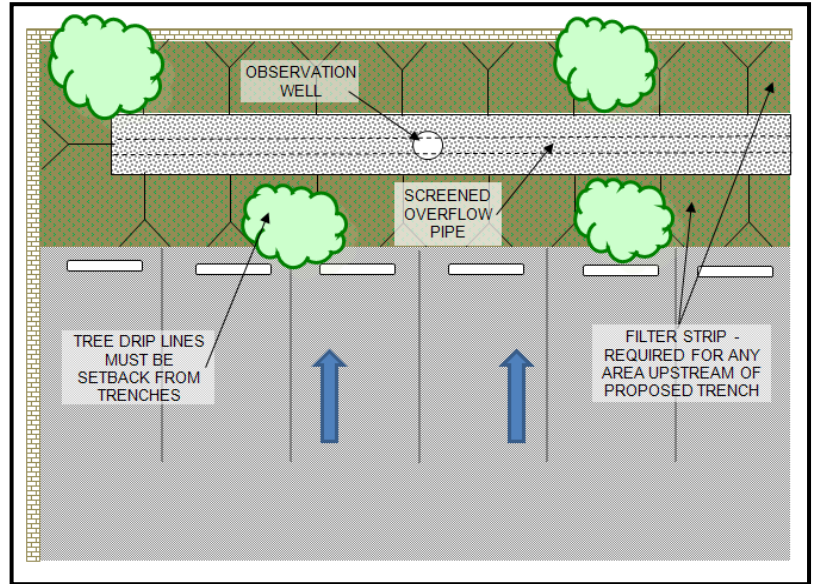


Figure 2 Plan View, Sheet Type Flows

Concentrated flows require a different approach. A 2004 Caltrans BMP Retrofit Report found that flow spreaders recommended in many water quality manuals are ineffective in distributing concentrated flows. As such, concentrated flows should either be directed toward a traditional vegetated swale (as shown on the right side of Figure 3) or to catch basin filters that can remove litter and sediment. Catch basins must discharge runoff as surface flow above the trench; they cannot outlet directly into the reservoir layer of the infiltration trench. If catch basins are used, the short and long term costs of the catch basin filters should be considered.

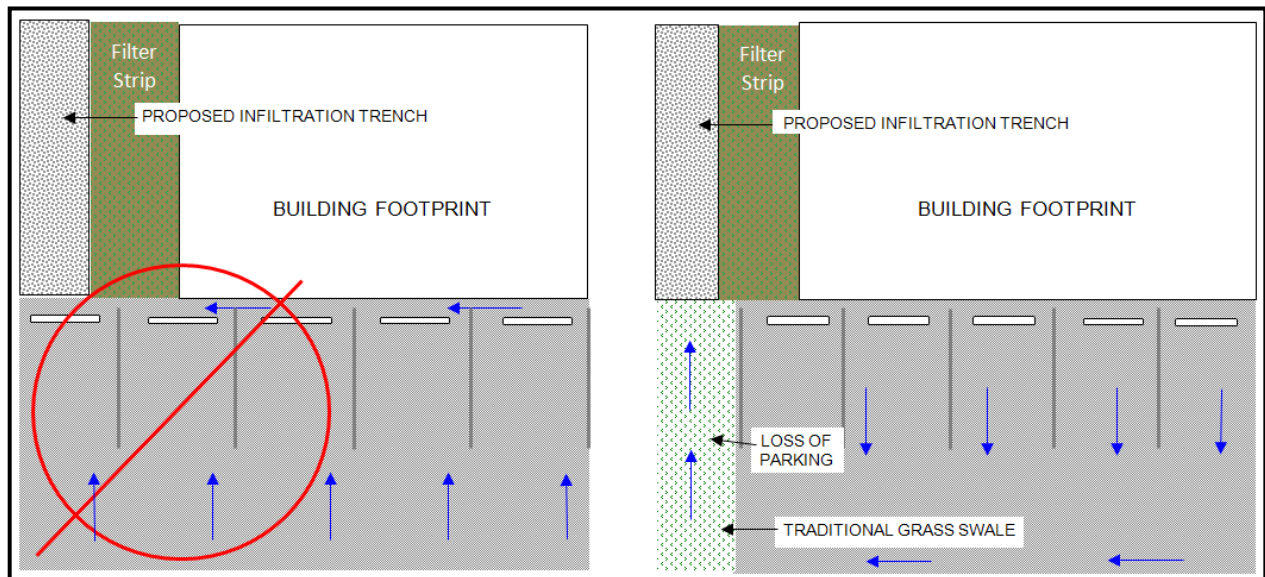


Figure 3 Plan View, Concentrated Flows

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Additional Considerations

Class V Status

In certain circumstances, for example, if an infiltration trench is “deeper than its widest surface dimension,” or includes an assemblage of perforated pipes, drain tiles, or other similar mechanisms intended to distribute fluids below the surface of the ground, it would probably be considered by the EPA to be a Class V injection well. Class V injection wells are subject to regulations and reporting requirements via the Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program. To ensure that infiltration trenches are not considered Class V wells, the design procedure in this manual requires that the trench not be deeper than it is wide.

Geotechnical Report

A geotechnical report must be included for all infiltration trenches. Appendix A of this Handbook entitled “Infiltration Testing Guidelines”, details which types of infiltration tests are acceptable and how many tests or boring logs must be performed. A Geotechnical Report must be submitted in support of all infiltration trenches. Setbacks to walls and foundations must be included in the Geotechnical Report.

Observation Wells

One or more observation wells should be provided. The observation well consists of a vertical section of perforated pipe, 4 to 6 inches in diameter, installed flush with top of trench on a foot plate and have a locking, removable cap.

Overflow

An overflow route is needed to bypass storm flows larger than the V_{BMP} or in the event of clogging. Overflow systems must connect to an acceptable discharge point such as a downstream conveyance system.

Maintenance Access

Normal maintenance of an infiltration trench includes maintenance of the filter strip as well as debris and trash removal from the surface of the trench and filter strip. More substantial maintenance requiring vehicle access may be required every 5 to 10 years. Vehicular access along the length of the swale should be provided to all infiltration trenches. It is preferred that trenches be placed longitudinally along a street or adjacent to a parking lot area. These conditions have high visibility which makes it more likely that the trench will be maintained on a regular basis.

INFILTRATION TRENCH BMP FACT SHEET

Inspection and Maintenance

Schedule	Inspection and Maintenance Activity
Every two weeks, or as often as necessary to maintain a pleasant appearance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maintain adjacent landscaped areas. Remove clippings from landscape maintenance activities. - Remove trash & debris
3 days after Major Storm Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Check for surface ponding. If ponding is only above the trench, remove, wash and replace pea gravel. May be needed every 5-10 years. - Check observation well for ponding. If the trench becomes plugged, remove rock materials. Provide a fresh infiltration surface by excavating an additional 2-4 inches of soil. Replace the rock materials.

Design and Sizing Criteria

Design Parameter	Design Criteria
Design Volume	V_{BMP}
Design Drawdown time	72 hrs
Maximum Tributary Drainage Area	10 acres
Maximum Trench Depth	8.0 ft
Width to Depth Ratio	Width must be greater than depth
Reservoir Rock Material	AASHTO #3 or 57 material or a clean, washed aggregate 1 to 3-in diameter equivalent
Filter Strip Width	Minimum of 5 feet in the direction of flow for all areas draining to trench
Filter Strip Slope	Max slope = 1%
Filter Strip Materials	Mulch or grasses (non-mowed variety preferred)
Historic High Groundwater Mark	10 ft or more below bottom of trench
Bedrock/Impermeable Layer Setback	5 ft or more below bottom of trench
Tree Setbacks	Mature tree drip line must not overhang the trench
Trench Lining Material	As recommended in Geotechnical Report

INFILTRATION TRENCH BMP FACT SHEET

Infiltration Trench Design Procedure

1. Enter the area tributary to the trench, maximum drainage area is 10 acres.
2. Enter the Design Volume, V_{BMP} , determined from Section 2.1 of this Handbook.
3. Enter the site infiltration rate, found in the geotechnical report.
4. Enter the factor of safety from Table 1 of Appendix A, Infiltration Testing.
5. Determine the maximum reservoir layer depth, D_{MAX} . The value is obtained by taking the smaller of two depth equations but may never exceed 8 feet. The first depth, D_1 is related to the infiltration rate of the soil. The second depth, D_2 , is related to required setbacks to groundwater, bedrock/impermeable layer. These parameters are shown in Figure 1.

Calculate D_1 .

$$D_1 = \frac{I \left(\frac{\text{in}}{\text{hr}} \right) \times 72 \text{ (hrs)}}{12 \left(\frac{\text{in}}{\text{ft}} \right) \times n/100 \times FS}$$

Where:

- I = site infiltration rate (in/hr), found in the geotechnical report
- FS = factor of safety, refer to Appendix A - Infiltration Testing
- n = porosity of the trench material, 40%

Calculate D_2 . Enter the depth to the seasonal high groundwater and bedrock/impermeable layer measured from the finished grade. The spreadsheet checks the minimum setbacks shown in Figure 1 and selects the smallest value. The equations are listed below for those doing hand calculations.

Minimum Setbacks (includes 1 foot for pea gravel):

- = Depth to historic high groundwater mark - 11 feet
- = Depth to impermeable layer - 6 feet

D_2 is the smaller of the two values.

D_{MAX} is the smaller value of D_1 and D_2 , and must be less than or equal to 8 feet.

6. Enter the proposed reservoir layer depth, D_R . The value must be no greater than D_{MAX} .

INFILTRATION TRENCH BMP FACT SHEET

7. Find the required surface area of the trench, A_S . Once D_R is entered, the spreadsheet will calculate the corresponding depth of water and the minimum surface area of the trench.

$$\text{Design } d_W = D_R \times (n/100) \qquad A_S = \frac{V_{BMP}}{\text{Design } d_W}$$

Where:

- A_S = minimum area required (ft^2)
 V_{BMP} = BMP storage volume (ft^3)
Design d_W = Depth of water in reservoir layer (ft)

8. Enter the proposed design surface area; it must be greater than the minimum surface area.
9. Calculate the minimum trench width. This is to ensure that EPA's Class V Injection well status is not triggered. The total trench depth (shown in Figure 1) includes the upper foot where the overflow pipe is located. The minimum surface dimension is $D_R + 1$ foot.

Additional Items

The following items detailed in the preceding sections should also be addressed in the design.

- Sediment Control
- Geotechnical Report
- Observation well(s)
- Overflow

INFILTRATION TRENCH BMP FACT SHEET

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Filterra Sizing Spreadsheet
Uniform Intensity Approach
Storm Intensity = 0.20 in/hr

Filterra Infiltration Rate = 100 (in/hr)
 Filterra Flow per Square Foot = 0.0023 (ft3/sec/ft2)

Filterra Flow Rate, Q = 0.0023 ft3/sec x Filterra Surface Area
 Rational Method, Q = C x I x A

OR Site Flowrate, Q = (C x DI x DA x 43560) / (12 x 3600)
 DA = (12 x 3600 x Q) / (C x 43560 x DI)

where Q = Flow (ft3/sec)
 DA = Drainage Area (acres)
 DI = Design Intensity (in/hr)
 C = Runoff coefficient (dimensionless)

			DI 0.2	C 1.00	C 0.85	C 0.50
Available Filterra Box Sizes			Filterra Flow Rate, Q (ft3/sec)	100% Imperv. DA (acres)	Commercial max DA (acres)	Residential max DA (acres)
L (ft)	W (ft)	Filterra Surface Area (ft2)				
4	4	16	0.0370	0.184	0.216	0.367
6	4	24	0.0556	0.275	0.324	0.551
6.5	4	26	0.0602	0.298	0.351	0.597
8	4	32	0.0741	0.367	0.432	0.735
10	4	40	0.0926	0.459	0.540	0.918
12	4	48	0.1111	0.551	0.648	1.102
6	6	36	0.0833	0.413	0.486	0.826
8	6	48	0.1111	0.551	0.648	1.102
10	6	60	0.1389	0.689	0.810	1.377
12	6	72	0.1667	0.826	0.972	1.653
13	7	91	0.2106	1.045	1.229	2.089

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Low Impact Development in a Small Footprint – Filterra®

Filterra is an engineered high-performance bioretention system. While it operates similar to traditional bioretention, its high flow media allows for a reduction in footprint of up to 95% versus traditional bioretention practices. Filterra provides a Low Impact Development (LID) solution for tight, highly developed sites such as urban development projects, commercial parking lots, residential streets, and streetscapes. Its small footprint also reduces installation and life cycle costs versus traditional bioretention. Filterra can be configured in many different ways to enhance site aesthetics, integrate with other LID practices, or increase runoff reduction through infiltration below or downstream of the system.

At the Manchester Stormwater Park seen above, the Filterra systems surrounding the central courtyard allowed for the creation of a community space with parking, sidewalks, and benches in a quaint downtown area. A traditional bioretention system treating the same drainage area would have occupied the entire park area leaving no room for these amenities.



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How the Filterra® Works



Tested in the field and laboratory ...

- 1 Stormwater enters the Filterra through a pipe, curb inlet, or sheet flow and ponds over the pretreatment mulch layer, capturing heavy sediment and debris. Organics and microorganisms within the mulch trap and degrade metals and hydrocarbons. The mulch also provides water retention for the system's vegetation.
- 2 Stormwater flows through engineered Filterra media which filters fine pollutants and nutrients. Organic material in the media removes dissolved metals and acts as a food source for root-zone microorganisms. Treated water exits through an underdrain pipe or infiltrates (if designed accordingly).
- 3 Rootzone microorganisms digest and transform pollutants into forms easily absorbed by plants.
- 4 Plant roots absorb stormwater and pollutants that were transformed by microorganisms, regenerating the media's pollutant removal capacity. The roots grow, provide a hospitable environment for the rootzone microorganisms and penetrate the media, maintaining hydraulic conductivity.
- 5 The plant trunk and foliage utilize nutrients such as Nitrogen and Phosphorus for plant health, sequester heavy metals into the biomass, and provide evapotranspiration of residual water within the system.




Plants and organic material are vital to the long term performance of bioretention systems

Filterra[®] Features and Benefits



FEATURE	BENEFITS
High biofiltration media flow rate (up to 175"/hr+)	Greatly reduced footprint versus traditional bioretention and LID solutions
Filterra system is packaged, including all components necessary for system performance	Quality control for easy, fast and successful installation
Quick and easy maintenance	Low lifecycle costs
Variety of configurations and aesthetic options	Integrates easily into any site or landscape plan
Natural stormwater management processes featuring organics and vegetation	Meets Low Impact Development requirements and ensures long-term performance



The Filterra system can be configured with many different aesthetic options

Select Filterra[®] Approvals

Filterra is approved through numerous local, state and federal verification programs, including:

- New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJ DEP)
- Washington Department of Ecology (GULD) – Basic, Enhanced, Phosphorus, and Oil
- Maryland Department of the Environment - Environmental Site Design (ESD)
- Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ)
- Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VA DEQ)
- Maine Department of Environmental Protection (ME DEP)
- Atlanta, GA Regional Commission
- Los Angeles County, CA - Alternate to Attachment H
- City of Portland, Oregon Bureau of Environmental Services
- North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality (NC DEQ)



Filterra® Performance Testing Results



APPLICATION TIPS

- The Filterra system has been tested under industry standard protocols and has proven its pollutant removal performance and system longevity.
- Contech invests significant resources in media blending calibration and product testing to ensure our media meets our strict performance specifications every time.
- Keep regulators and owners happy by selecting a product with predictable and proven maintenance longevity.



POLLUTANT OF CONCERN	MEDIAN REMOVAL EFFICIENCY	MEDIAN EFFLUENT CONCENTRATION (MG/L)
Total Suspended Solids (TSS)	86%	3.3
Total Phosphorus - TAPE (TP)	70%	0.05
Total Nitrogen (TN)	34%	0.54
Total Copper (TCu)	55%	0.004
Total Dissolved Copper	43%	0.003
Total Zinc (TZn)	56%	0.04
Total Dissolved Zinc	54%	0.1
Total Zinc (TZn)	56%	0.04
Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons	87%	0.71

Each batch of Filterra® media has been extensively tested to ensure consistent performance every time.

Sources:

- UVA (TARP) Field Study - 2006
- Herrera (TAPE) Study - 2009
- Herrera (TAPE) Study - 2014
- NC State Study - 2015

Note: Some jurisdictions recognize higher removal rates. Contact your Contech Stormwater Consultant for performance expectations.

Field tested and performance verified

Filterra® Maintenance

Activation and first year of maintenance is included with every system.*

With proper routine maintenance, the engineered media within the Filterra system should last as long as traditional bioretention media. Routine maintenance is included by the manufacturer on all Filterra systems for the first year after activation.* This includes a maximum of 2 visits to remove debris, replace pretreatment mulch, and prune the vegetation.

Maintenance is low-cost, low-tech and simple:

- Remove trash, sediment, and mulch
- Replace with a fresh 3" layer of mulch
- No confined space entry or special tools
- Easily performed by landscape contractor or facilities maintenance provider

* Some exclusions may apply.



Filterra offers high performance bioretention for advanced pollutant removal with easy maintenance.



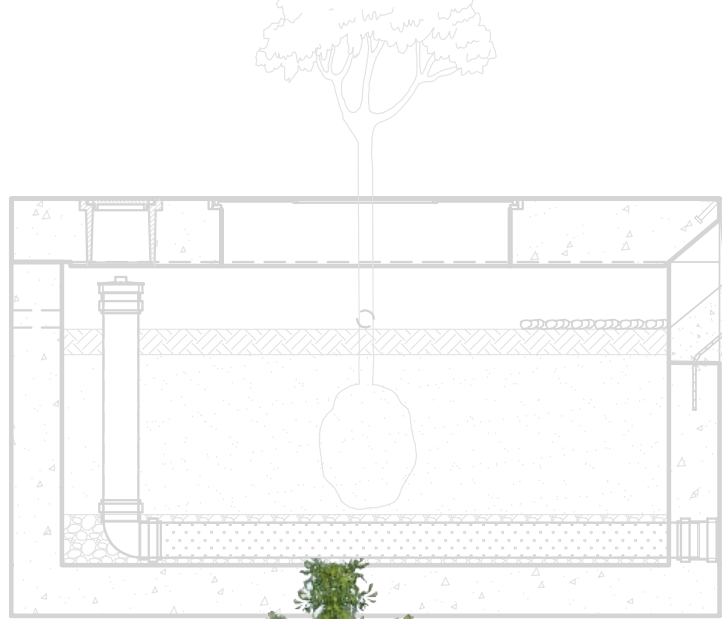
Plant health evaluation and pruning is important to encourage growth.

All stormwater treatment systems require maintenance for effective operation.

Filterra® Configurations

Multiple system configurations integrate with site hydraulic design and layout ...

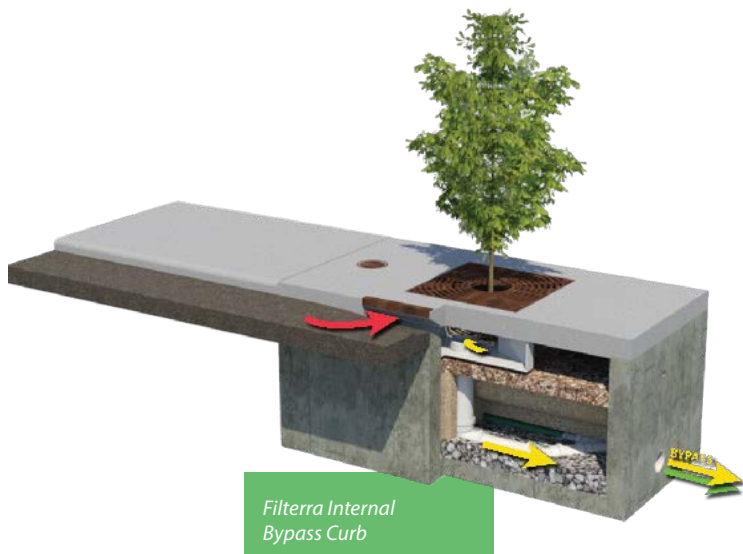
The Filterra is available in a variety of precast configurations as well as Filterra Bioscape, which can be installed directly into an excavated basin.



Filterra Offline
Bypass via downstream catch basin.



Filterra Peak Diversion



Filterra Internal Bypass Curb



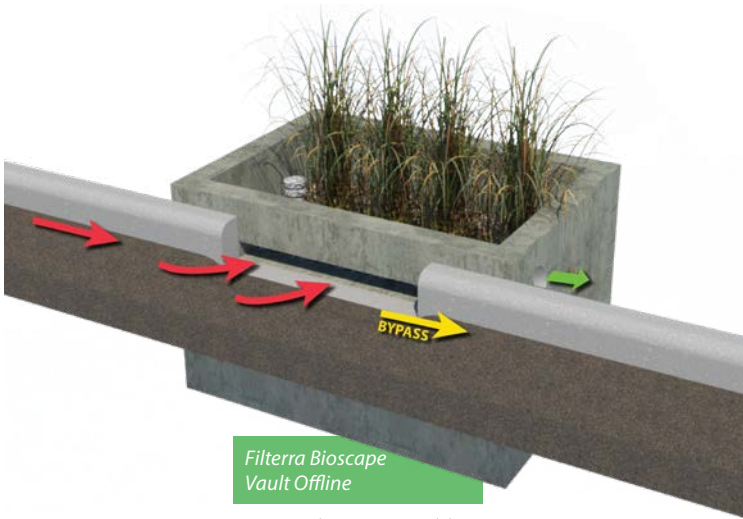
Filterra Sedimentation Chamber

Bypass via downstream catch basin.

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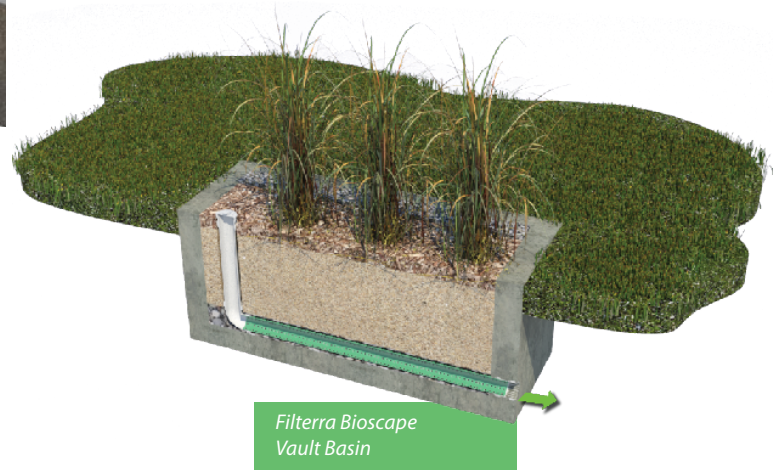
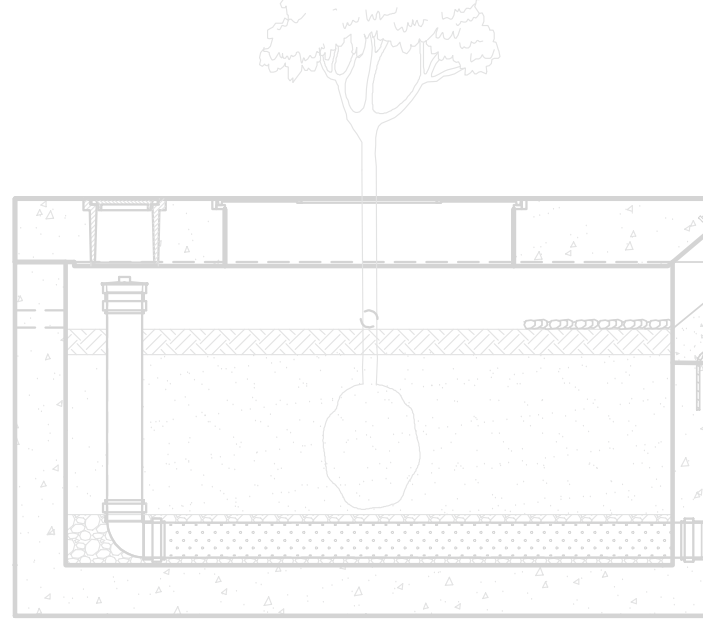
Multiple configurations allow for easy site integration

Filterra® Bioscape® Configurations



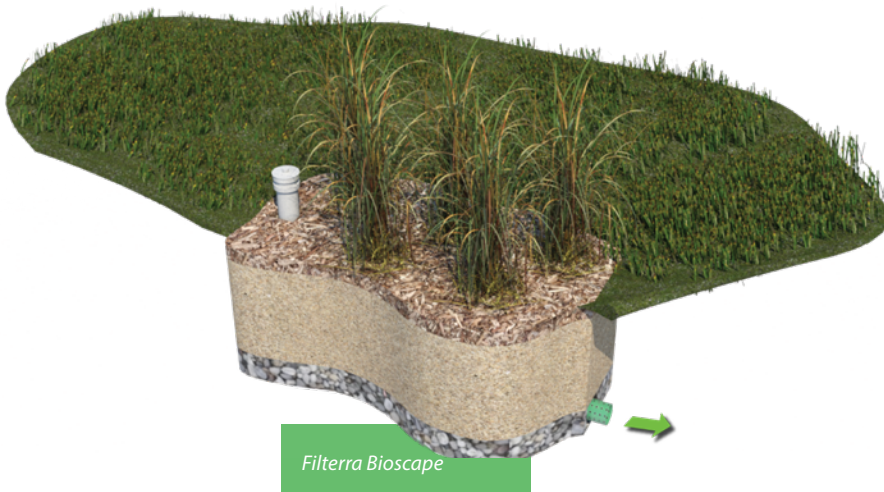
Filterra Bioscape
Vault Offline

Bypass via downstream catch basin.



Filterra Bioscape
Vault Basin

*Bypass via upstream structure.
Multiple inlet options.*



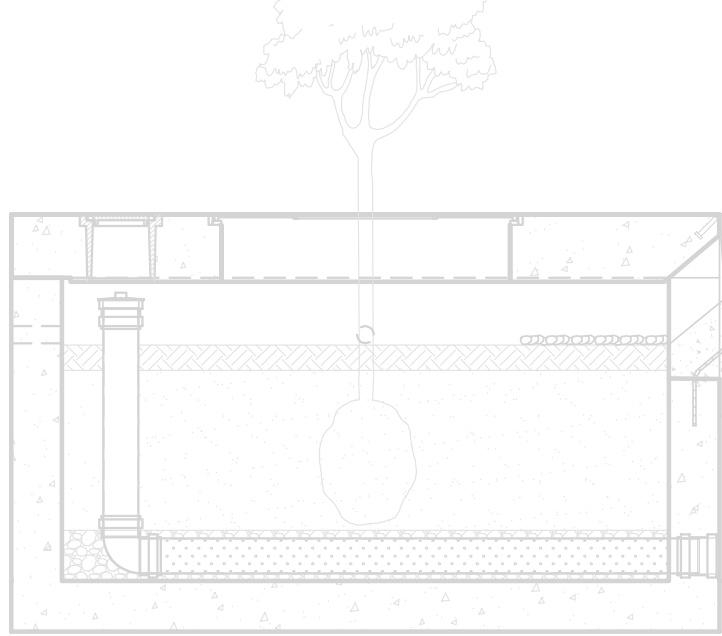
Filterra Bioscape

*Bypass via upstream structure.
Multiple inlet options.*

**Additional configurations available, including bioscape vault offline pipe.*

Filterra® Aesthetic Options

Multiple aesthetic options to enhance the appearance and integrate with landscaping ...



Standard Tree Grate



Custom/Decorative Tree Grate



Full Grate with Grasses



Recessed Top Slab



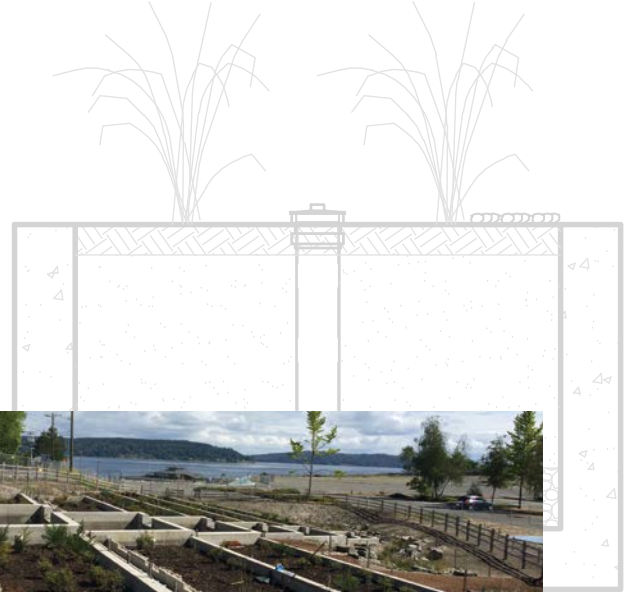
Open Top Planter - Filterra Bioscape



Street Tree

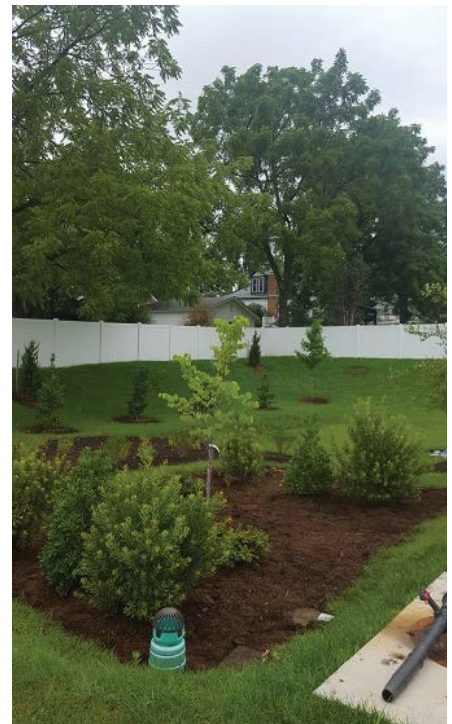
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- Combine with upstream storage or downstream infiltration
- Use as an alternative to larger regional traditional bioretention systems
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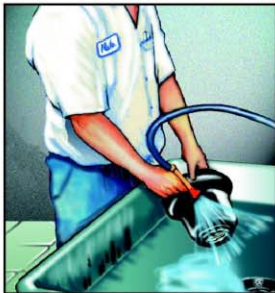
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POLLUTION PREVENTION

STORMWATER

AUTO MAINTENANCE

Oil, grease, anti-freeze and other toxic automotive fluids often make their way into the San Bernardino County storm drain system, and do not get treated before reaching the Santa Ana River. This pollutes our drinking water and contaminates waterways, making them unsafe for people and wildlife. Follow these best management practices to prevent pollution and protect public health.



Cleaning Auto Parts

Scrape parts with a wire brush or use a bake oven rather than liquid cleaners. Arrange drip pans, drying racks and drain boards so that fluids are directed back into the parts washer or the fluid holding tank. Do not wash parts or equipment in a shop sink, parking lot, driveway or street.



Storing Hazardous Waste

Keep your liquid waste segregated. Many fluids can be recycled via hazardous waste disposal companies if they are not mixed. Store all materials under cover with spill containment or inside to prevent contamination of rainwater runoff.



Metal Grinding and Polishing

Keep a bin under your lathe or grinder to capture metal filings. Send uncontaminated filings to a scrap metal recycler for reclamation. Store metal filings in a covered container or indoors.



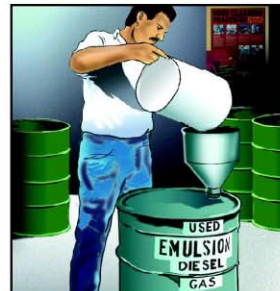
Preventing Leaks and Spills

Place drip pans underneath to capture fluids. Use absorbent cleaning agents instead of water to clean work areas.



Cleaning Spills

Use dry methods for spill cleanup (sweeping, absorbent materials). Follow your hazardous materials response plan, as filed with your local fire department or other hazardous materials authority. Be sure that all employees are aware of the plan and are capable of implementing each phase. To report serious toxic spills, call 911.



Proper Disposal of Hazardous Waste

Recycle used motor oil and oil filters, anti-freeze and other hazardous automotive fluids, batteries, tires and metal filings collected from grinding or polishing auto parts. Contact a licensed hazardous waste hauler. For more recycling information, call (909) 386-8401.



To report illegal dumping or for more information on stormwater pollution prevention, call:

1 (800) CLEANUP

www.1800cleanup.org



POLLUTION PREVENTION

STORMWATER

FRESH CONCRETE & MORTAR APPLICATION

Cement wash, sediment, vehicle fluids, dust and hazardous debris from construction sites often make their way into the San Bernardino County storm drain system and do not get treated before reaching the Santa Ana River. This pollutes our drinking water and contaminates waterways, making them unsafe for people and wildlife. Follow these best management practices to prevent pollution and protect public health.



Storing Materials

Keep construction materials and debris away from the street, gutter and storm drains. Secure open bags of cement and cover exposed stockpiles of soil, sand or gravel and excavated material with plastic sheeting, protected from rain, wind and runoff.



Ordering Materials & Recycling Waste

Reduce waste by ordering only the amounts of materials needed for the job. Use recycled or recyclable materials whenever possible. When breaking up paving, recycle the pieces at a crushing company. You can also recycle broken asphalt, concrete, wood, and cleared vegetation. Non-recyclable materials should be taken to a landfill or disposed of as hazardous waste. Call (909) 386-8401 for recycling and disposal information.

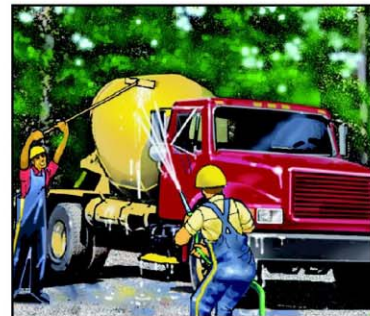


During Construction

Schedule excavation and grading during dry weather. Prevent mortar and cement from entering the street and storm drains by placing erosion controls. Setup small mixers on tarps or drop cloths, for easy cleanup of debris. Never bury waste material. Recycle or dispose of it as hazardous waste.

Cleaning Up

Wash concrete dust onto designated dirt areas, not down driveways or into the street or storm drains. Wash out concrete mixers and equipment in specified washout areas, where water can flow into a containment pond. Cement washwater can be recycled by pumping it back into cement mixers for reuse. Never dispose of cement washout into driveways, streets, gutters, storm drains or drainage ditches.



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Fertilizer Tips to Prevent Pollution

Water that runs off your lawn and garden can carry excess fertilizer into the San Bernardino County storm drain system, and it does not get treated before reaching the Santa Ana River. This pollutes our drinking water and contaminates waterways, making them unsafe for people and wildlife. Follow these simple tips to prevent pollution and protect your health:



- Read the product label and follow the directions carefully, using only as directed.
- Avoid applying near driveways or gutters.
- Never apply fertilizer before a rain.
- Store fertilizers and chemicals in a covered area and in sealed, waterproof containers.
- Take unwanted lawn or garden chemicals to a household hazardous waste collection facility. Call (800) 253-2687.
- Use non-toxic products for your garden and lawn whenever possible.

To report illegal dumping or for more information on Stormwater pollution prevention, call:



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POLLUTION STORMWATER Prevention

HOME & GARDEN

Yard waste and household toxics like paints and pesticides often make their way into the San Bernardino County storm drain system and do not get treated before reaching the Santa Ana River. This pollutes our drinking water and contaminates waterways, making them unsafe for people and wildlife. Follow these simple tips to prevent pollution and protect your health.



Recycle Household Hazardous Waste

Household products like paint, pesticides, solvents and cleaners are too dangerous to dump and too toxic to trash. Take them to be recycled at a convenient household hazardous waste collection facility. Call (800) CLEANUP for the facility in your area.



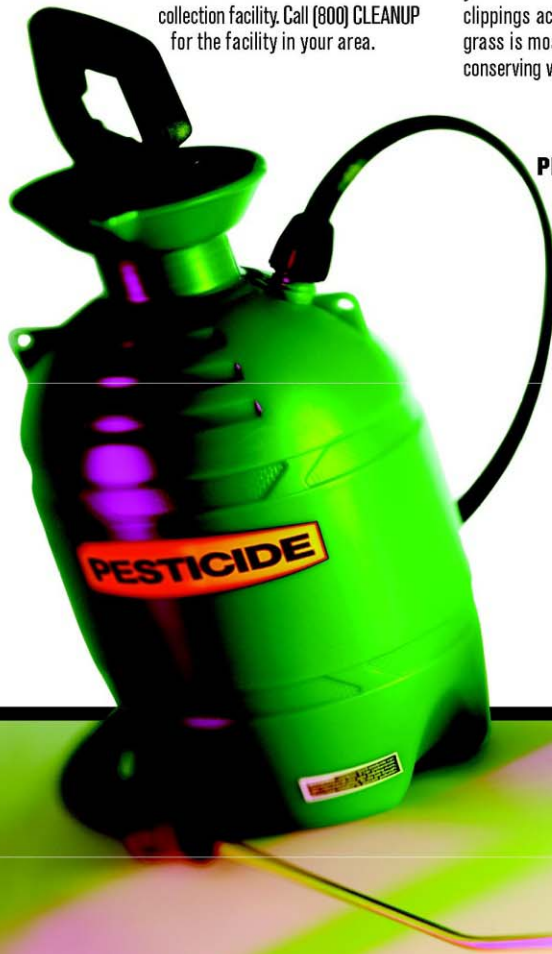
Disposing of Yard Waste

Recycle leaves, grass clippings and other yard waste, instead of blowing, sweeping or hosing into the street. Try grasscycling, leaving grass clippings on your lawn instead of using a grass catcher. The clippings act as a natural fertilizer, and because grass is mostly water, it also irrigates your lawn, conserving water.



Use Fertilizers & Pesticides Safely

Fertilizers and pesticides are often carried into the storm drain system by sprinkler runoff. Try using organic or non-toxic alternatives. If you use chemical fertilizers or pesticides, avoid applying near curbs and driveways and never apply before a rain.



Planting in the Yard

Produce less yard waste and save water by planting low maintenance, drought-tolerant trees and shrubs. Using drip irrigation, soaker hoses or micro-spray systems for flower beds and vegetation can also help reduce your water bill and prevent runoff.



Use Water Wisely

Cut your water costs and prevent runoff by controlling the amount of water and direction of sprinklers. The average lawn needs about an inch of water a week, including rainfall, or 10 to 20 minutes of watering. A half-inch per week is enough for fall and spring. Sprinklers should be on long enough to allow water to soak into the ground but not so long as to cause runoff.



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STORMWATER Pollution Prevention

HOME REPAIR & REMODELING

Paints, solvents, adhesives and other toxic substances used in home repair and remodeling often make their way into the San Bernardino County storm drain system and do not get treated before reaching the Santa Ana River. This pollutes our drinking water and contaminates waterways, making them unsafe for people and wildlife. Follow these simple tips to prevent pollution and protect your health.



Construction Projects

Keep construction debris away from the street, gutter and storm drains. Schedule grading and excavation projects for dry weather. Cover excavated material and stockpiles of soil, sand or gravel, protected from rain, wind and runoff. Prevent erosion by planting fast-growing annual and perennial grass, which can shield and bind soil.

Recycle Household Hazardous Waste

Household cleaners, paint and other home improvement products like wallpaper and tile adhesives are too toxic to trash. Recycle them instead, at a convenient household hazardous waste collection facility. Call (800) CLEANUP for the facility in your area.



Landscaping & Gardening

Avoid applying fertilizers or pesticide near curbs and driveways, and store covered, protected from rain, wind and runoff. Try using organic or non-toxic alternatives. Reduce runoff and lower your water bill by using drip irrigation, soaker hoses or micro-spray systems. Recycle leaves instead of blowing, sweeping or raking them into the street, gutter or storm drain.

Paint Removal

Paint stripping residue, chips and dust from marine paints and paints containing lead or tributyl tin are hazardous wastes. Sweep them up instead of hosing into the street and dispose of them safely at a household hazardous waste collection facility.



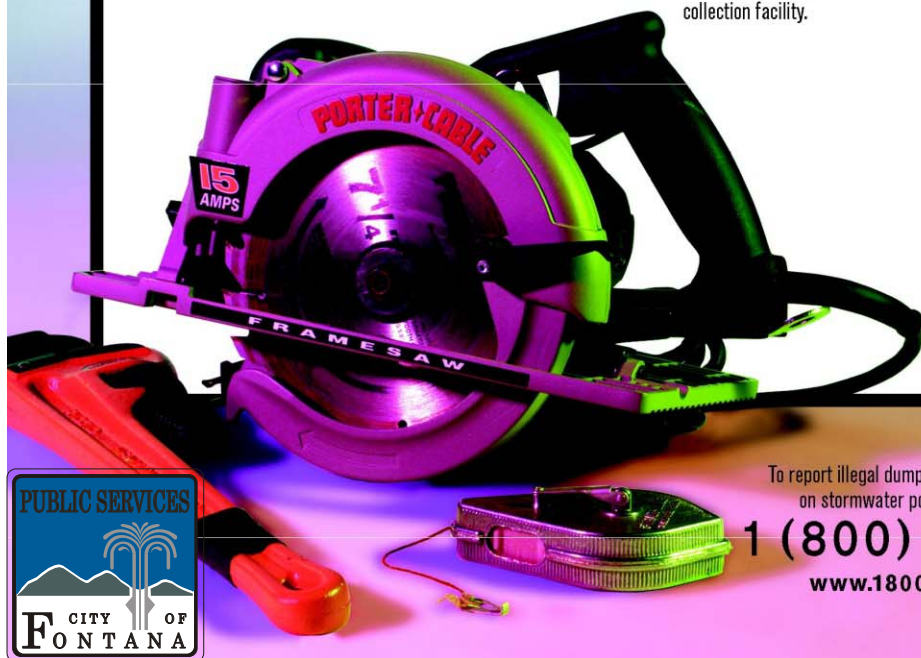
Painting Cleanup

Avoid cleaning brushes or rinsing paint containers in the street, gutter or near a storm drain. Clean water-based paints in the sink. Clean oil-based paints with thinner, which you can filter and reuse. Recycle leftover paint at a household hazardous waste collection facility, save it for touch ups or give it to someone who can use it, like a theatre group, school, city or community organization.



Concrete and Masonry

Store bags of cement and plaster away from gutters and storm drains, and cover them to protect against rain, wind and runoff. Sweep or scoop up cement washout or concrete dust instead of hosing into driveways, streets, gutters or storm drains.



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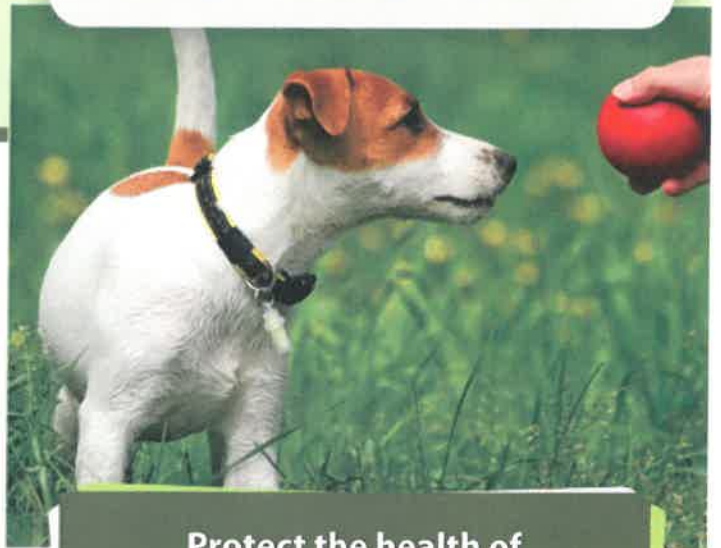
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WHY IT MATTERS



PROTECT YOUR FAMILY AND YOUR PET

- » Dog waste can infect children and adults with disease-causing bacteria and parasites.
- » Your dog can get infected from the waste of other dogs.

PROTECT OUR ENVIRONMENT



Leaving dog waste on the streets or on your property can have a negative impact on water quality. Pet waste that's not disposed of properly flows untreated through the storm drain system and directly into our local water bodies. Pet waste is a pollutant that contains nutrients, parasites and bacteria that can affect the quality of our rivers and the ocean and make the water unsafe for swimming, drinking or fishing.

BAG IT AND TRASH IT

It's that simple to protect our health and the environment!



- » Keep a supply of bags near your dog leash or tie them to the leash
- » Use a poop scooper
- » Bring several plastic bags with you
- » Reuse plastic grocery bags or purchase special doggie waste bags at pet supplies stores
- » Make sure your pet's waste gets into a trash can

Encourage your neighbors and other pet owners to do the right thing and pick up after their pets.



Description

Improper storage and handling of solid wastes can allow toxic compounds, oils and greases, heavy metals, nutrients, suspended solids, and other pollutants to enter stormwater runoff. The discharge of pollutants to stormwater from waste handling and disposal can be prevented and reduced by tracking waste generation, storage, and disposal; reducing waste generation and disposal through source reduction, reuse, and recycling; and preventing run-on and runoff.

Approach

Reduce potential for pollutant discharge through source control pollution prevention and BMP implementation. Successful implementation depends on effective training of employees on applicable BMPs and general pollution prevention strategies and objectives.

General Pollution Prevention Protocols

- Accomplish reduction in the amount of waste generated using the following source controls:
 - ✓ Production planning and sequencing;
 - ✓ Process or equipment modification;
 - ✓ Raw material substitution or elimination;
 - ✓ Loss prevention and housekeeping;
 - ✓ Waste segregation and separation; and
 - ✓ Close loop recycling.
- Establish a material tracking system to increase awareness about material usage. This may reduce spills and minimize contamination, thus reducing the amount of waste produced.
- Recycle materials whenever possible.

Objectives

- Cover
- Contain
- Educate
- Reduce/Minimize
- Product Substitution

Targeted Constituents

Sediment

Nutrients

Trash

Metals ✓

Bacteria ✓

Oil and Grease ✓

Organics ✓

Minimum BMPs Covered

-  Good Housekeeping ✓
-  Preventative Maintenance ✓
-  Spill and Leak Prevention and Response ✓
-  Material Handling & Waste Management ✓
-  Erosion and Sediment Controls ✓
-  Employee Training Program ✓
-  Quality Assurance Record Keeping ✓



- Use the entire product before disposing of the container.
- To the extent possible, store wastes under cover or indoors after ensuring all safety concerns such as fire hazard and ventilation are addressed.
- Provide containers for each waste stream at each work station. Allow time after shift to clean area.



Good Housekeeping

- Cover storage containers with leak proof lids or some other means. If waste is not in containers, cover all waste piles (plastic tarps are acceptable coverage) and prevent stormwater run-on and runoff with a berm. The waste containers or piles must be covered except when in use.
- Use drip pans or absorbent materials whenever grease containers are emptied by vacuum trucks or other means. Grease cannot be left on the ground. Collected grease must be properly disposed of as garbage.
- Dispose of rinse and wash water from cleaning waste containers into a sanitary sewer if allowed by the local sewer authority. Do not discharge wash water to the street or storm drain. Clean in a designated wash area that drains to a clarifier.
- Transfer waste from damaged containers into safe containers.
- Take special care when loading or unloading wastes to minimize losses. Loading systems can be used to minimize spills and fugitive emission losses such as dust or mist. Vacuum transfer systems can minimize waste loss.
- Keep the waste management area clean at all times by sweeping and cleaning up spills immediately.
- Use dry methods when possible (e.g., sweeping, use of absorbents) when cleaning around restaurant/food handling dumpster areas. If water must be used after sweeping/using absorbents, collect water and discharge through grease interceptor to the sewer.
- Stencil or demarcate storm drains on the facility's property with prohibitive message regarding waste disposal.
- Cover waste piles with temporary covering material such as reinforced tarpaulin, polyethylene, polyurethane, polypropylene or hypalon.
- If possible, move the activity indoor after ensuring all safety concerns such as fire hazard and ventilation are addressed.



Preventative Maintenance

- Prevent stormwater run-on from entering the waste management area by enclosing the area or building a berm around the area.
- Prevent waste materials from directly contacting rain.

- Cover waste piles with temporary covering material such as reinforced tarpaulin, polyethylene, polyurethane, polypropylene or hypalon.
- Cover the area with a permanent roof if feasible.
- Cover dumpsters to prevent rain from washing waste out of holes or cracks in the bottom of the dumpster.
- Check waste containers weekly for leaks and to ensure that lids are on tightly. Replace any that are leaking, corroded, or otherwise deteriorating.
- Sweep and clean the waste management area regularly. Use dry methods when possible (e.g., sweeping, vacuuming, use of absorbents) when cleaning around restaurant/food handling dumpster areas. If water must be used after sweeping/using absorbents, collect water and discharge through grease interceptor to the sewer.
- Inspect and replace faulty pumps or hoses regularly to minimize the potential of releases and spills.
- Repair leaking equipment including valves, lines, seals, or pumps promptly.



Spill Response and Prevention Procedures

- Keep your spill prevention and plan up-to-date.
- Have an emergency plan, equipment and trained personnel ready at all times to deal immediately with major spills.
- Collect all spilled liquids and properly dispose of them.
- Store and maintain appropriate spill cleanup materials in a location known to all near the designated wash area.
- Ensure that vehicles transporting waste have spill prevention equipment that can prevent spills during transport. Spill prevention equipment includes:
 - ✓ Vehicles equipped with baffles for liquid waste; and
 - ✓ Trucks with sealed gates and spill guards for solid waste.



Material Handling and Waste Management

Litter Control

- Post “No Littering” signs and enforce anti-litter laws.
- Provide a sufficient number of litter receptacles for the facility.
- Clean out and cover litter receptacles frequently to prevent spillage.

Waste Collection

- Keep waste collection areas clean.

- Inspect solid waste containers for structural damage regularly. Repair or replace damaged containers as necessary.
- Secure solid waste containers; containers must be closed tightly when not in use.
- Do not fill waste containers with washout water or any other liquid.
- Ensure that only appropriate solid wastes are added to the solid waste container. Certain wastes such as hazardous wastes, appliances, fluorescent lamps, pesticides, etc., may not be disposed of in solid waste containers (see chemical/ hazardous waste collection section below).
- Do not mix wastes; this can cause chemical reactions, make recycling impossible, and complicate disposal. Affix labels to all waste containers.

Chemical/Hazardous Wastes

- Select designated hazardous waste collection areas on-site.
- Store hazardous materials and wastes in covered containers and protect them from vandalism.
- Place hazardous waste containers in secondary containment.
- Make sure that hazardous waste is collected, removed, and disposed of only at authorized disposal areas.
- Hazardous waste cannot be reused or recycled; it must be disposed of by a licensed hazardous waste hauler.



Employee Training Program

- Educate employees about pollution prevention measures and goals.
- Train employees how to properly handle and dispose of waste using the source control BMPs described above.
- Train employees and subcontractors in proper hazardous waste management.
- Use a training log or similar method to document training.
- Ensure that employees are familiar with the site's spill control plan and/or proper spill cleanup procedures.



Quality Assurance and Record Keeping

- Keep accurate maintenance logs that document minimum BMP activities performed for waste handling and disposal, types and quantities of waste disposed of, and any improvement actions.
- Keep accurate logs of spill response actions that document what was spilled, how it was cleaned up, and how the waste was disposed.

- Establish procedures to complete logs and file them in the central office.

Potential Capital Facility Costs and Operation & Maintenance Requirements

Facilities

- Capital costs will vary substantially depending on the size of the facility and the types of waste handled. Significant capital costs may be associated with reducing wastes by modifying processes or implementing closed-loop recycling.
- Many facilities will already have indoor covered areas where waste materials will be stored and will require no additional capital expenditures for providing cover.
- If outdoor storage of wastes is required, construction of berms or other means to prevent stormwater run-on and runoff may require appropriate constructed systems for containment.
- Capital investments will likely be required at some sites if adequate cover and containment facilities do not exist and can vary significantly depending upon site conditions.

Maintenance

- Check waste containers weekly for leaks and to ensure that lids are on tightly. Replace any that are leaking, corroded, or otherwise deteriorating.
- Sweep and clean the waste management area regularly. Use dry methods when possible (e.g., sweeping, use of absorbents) when cleaning around restaurant/food handling dumpster areas. If water must be used after sweeping/using absorbents, collect water and discharge through grease interceptor to the sewer.
- Inspect and replace faulty pumps or hoses regularly to minimize the potential of releases and spills.
- Repair leaking equipment including valves, lines, seals, or pumps promptly.

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Description

Stormwater runoff from building and grounds maintenance activities can be contaminated with toxic hydrocarbons in solvents, fertilizers and pesticides, suspended solids, heavy metals, abnormal pH, and oils and greases. Utilizing the protocols in this fact sheet will prevent or reduce the discharge of pollutants to stormwater from building and grounds maintenance activities by washing and cleaning up with as little water as possible, following good landscape management practices, preventing and cleaning up spills immediately, keeping debris from entering the storm drains, and maintaining the stormwater collection system.

Approach

Reduce potential for pollutant discharge through source control pollution prevention and BMP implementation. Successful implementation depends on effective training of employees on applicable BMPs and general pollution prevention strategies and objectives.

Pollution Prevention

- Switch to non-toxic chemicals for maintenance when possible.
- Choose cleaning agents that can be recycled.
- Encourage proper lawn management and landscaping, including use of native vegetation.

Objectives

- Cover
- Contain
- Educate
- Reduce/Minimize
- Product Substitution

Targeted Constituents

Sediment	✓
Nutrients	✓
Trash	
Metals	✓
Bacteria	✓
Oil and Grease	
Organics	



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- Encourage use of Integrated Pest Management techniques for pest control.
- Encourage proper onsite recycling of yard trimmings.
- Recycle residual paints, solvents, lumber, and other material as much as possible.

Suggested Protocols

Pressure Washing of Buildings, Rooftops, and Other Large Objects

- In situations where soaps or detergents are used and the surrounding area is paved, pressure washers must use a water collection device that enables collection of wash water and associated solids. A sump pump, wet vacuum or similarly effective device must be used to collect the runoff and loose materials. The collected runoff and solids must be disposed of properly.
- If soaps or detergents are not used, and the surrounding area is paved, wash runoff does not have to be collected but must be screened. Pressure washers must use filter fabric or some other type of screen on the ground and/or in the catch basin to trap the particles in wash water runoff.
- If you are pressure washing on a grassed area (with or without soap), runoff must be dispersed as sheet flow as much as possible, rather than as a concentrated stream. The wash runoff must remain on the grass and not drain to pavement.

Landscaping Activities

- Dispose of grass clippings, leaves, sticks, or other collected vegetation as garbage, or by composting. Do not dispose of collected vegetation into waterways or storm drainage systems.
- Use mulch or other erosion control measures on exposed soils.

Building Repair, Remodeling, and Construction

- Do not dump any toxic substance or liquid waste on the pavement, the ground, or toward a storm drain.
- Use ground or drop cloths underneath outdoor painting, scraping, and sandblasting work, and properly dispose of collected material daily.
- Use a ground cloth or oversized tub for activities such as paint mixing and tool cleaning.
- Clean paintbrushes and tools covered with water-based paints in sinks connected to sanitary sewers or in portable containers that can be dumped into a sanitary sewer drain. Brushes and tools covered with non-water-based paints, finishes, or other materials must be cleaned in a manner that enables collection of used solvents (e.g., paint thinner, turpentine, etc.) for recycling or proper disposal.
- Use a storm drain cover, filter fabric, or similarly effective runoff control mechanism if dust, grit, wash water, or other pollutants may escape the work area and enter a catch basin. This is particularly necessary on rainy days. The containment device(s) must be in place at the beginning of the work day, and accumulated dirty runoff and solids must be collected and disposed of before removing the containment device(s) at the end of the work day.

- If you need to de-water an excavation site, you may need to filter the water before discharging to a catch basin or off-site. If directed off-site, you should direct the water through hay bales and filter fabric or use other sediment filters or traps.
- Store toxic material under cover during precipitation events and when not in use. A cover would include tarps or other temporary cover material.

Mowing, Trimming, and Planting

- Dispose of leaves, sticks, or other collected vegetation as garbage, by composting or at a permitted landfill. Do not dispose of collected vegetation into waterways or storm drainage systems.
- Use mulch or other erosion control measures when soils are exposed.
- Place temporarily stockpiled material away from watercourses and drain inlets, and berm or cover stockpiles to prevent material releases to the storm drain system.
- Consider an alternative approach when bailing out muddy water: do not put it in the storm drain; pour over landscaped areas.
- Use hand weeding where practical.

Fertilizer and Pesticide Management

- Follow all federal, state, and local laws and regulations governing the use, storage, and disposal of fertilizers and pesticides and training of applicators and pest control advisors.
- Use less toxic pesticides that will do the job when applicable. Avoid use of copper-based pesticides if possible.
- Do not use pesticides if rain is expected.
- Do not mix or prepare pesticides for application near storm drains.
- Use the minimum amount needed for the job.
- Calibrate fertilizer distributors to avoid excessive application.
- Employ techniques to minimize off-target application (e.g., spray drift) of pesticides, including consideration of alternative application techniques.
- Apply pesticides only when wind speeds are low.
- Fertilizers should be worked into the soil rather than dumped or broadcast onto the surface.
- Irrigate slowly to prevent runoff and then only as much as is needed.
- Clean pavement and sidewalk if fertilizer is spilled on these surfaces before applying irrigation water.
- Dispose of empty pesticide containers according to the instructions on the container label.

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- Use up the pesticides. Rinse containers, and use rinse water as product. Dispose of unused pesticide as hazardous waste.
- Implement storage requirements for pesticide products with guidance from the local fire department and County Agricultural Commissioner. Provide secondary containment for pesticides.

Inspection

- Inspect irrigation system periodically to ensure that the right amount of water is being applied and that excessive runoff is not occurring. Minimize excess watering and repair leaks in the irrigation system as soon as they are observed.

Training

- Educate and train employees on pesticide use and in pesticide application techniques to prevent pollution.
- Train employees and contractors in proper techniques for spill containment and cleanup.
- Be sure the frequency of training takes into account the complexity of the operations and the nature of the staff.

Spill Response and Prevention

- Keep your Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) Plan up-to-date.
- Place a stockpile of spill cleanup materials, such as brooms, dustpans, and vacuum sweepers (if desired) near the storage area where it will be readily accessible.
- Have employees trained in spill containment and cleanup present during the loading/unloading of dangerous wastes, liquid chemicals, or other materials.
- Familiarize employees with the Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure Plan.
- Clean up spills immediately.

Other Considerations

Alternative pest/weed controls may not be available, suitable, or effective in many cases.

Requirements

Costs

- Cost will vary depending on the type and size of facility.
- Overall costs should be low in comparison to other BMPs.

Maintenance

Sweep paved areas regularly to collect loose particles. Wipe up spills with rags and other absorbent material immediately, do not hose down the area to a storm drain.

Supplemental Information

Further Detail of the BMP

Fire Sprinkler Line Flushing

Building fire sprinkler line flushing may be a source of non-stormwater runoff pollution. The water entering the system is usually potable water, though in some areas it may be non-potable reclaimed wastewater. There are subsequent factors that may drastically reduce the quality of the water in such systems. Black iron pipe is usually used since it is cheaper than potable piping, but it is subject to rusting and results in lower quality water. Initially, the black iron pipe has an oil coating to protect it from rusting between manufacture and installation; this will contaminate the water from the first flush but not from subsequent flushes. Nitrates, polyphosphates and other corrosion inhibitors, as well as fire suppressants and antifreeze may be added to the sprinkler water system. Water generally remains in the sprinkler system a long time (typically a year) and between flushes may accumulate iron, manganese, lead, copper, nickel, and zinc. The water generally becomes anoxic and contains living and dead bacteria and breakdown products from chlorination. This may result in a significant BOD problem and the water often smells. Consequently dispose fire sprinkler line flush water into the sanitary sewer. Do not allow discharge to storm drain or infiltration due to potential high levels of pollutants in fire sprinkler line water.

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Description

As a consequence of its function, the stormwater drainage facilities on site convey stormwater that may contain certain pollutants either to the offsite conveyance system that collects and transports urban runoff and stormwater, or directly to receiving waters. The protocols in this fact sheet are intended to reduce pollutants leaving the site to the offsite drainage infrastructure or to receiving waters through proper on-site conveyance system operation and maintenance. The targeted constituents will vary depending on site characteristics and operations.

Approach

Successful implementation depends on effective training of employees on applicable BMPs and general pollution prevention strategies and objectives.

General Pollution Prevention Protocols

- Maintain catch basins, stormwater inlets, and other stormwater conveyance structures on a regular basis to remove pollutants, reduce high pollutant concentrations during the first flush of storms, prevent clogging of the downstream conveyance system, restore catch basins' sediment trapping capacity, and ensure the system functions properly hydraulically to avoid flooding.
- Develop and follow a site specific drainage system maintenance plan that describes maintenance locations, methods, required equipment, water sources, sediment collection areas, disposal requirements, and any other pertinent information.



Good Housekeeping

Illicit Connections and Discharges

- Look for evidence of illegal discharges or illicit connections during routine maintenance of conveyance system and drainage structures:

Objectives

- Cover
- Contain
- Educate
- Reduce/Minimize

Targeted Constituents

Sediment	✓
Nutrients	✓
Trash	✓
Metals	✓
Bacteria	✓
Oil and Grease	✓
Organics	✓

Minimum BMPs Covered

 Good Housekeeping	✓
 Preventative Maintenance	✓
 Spill and Leak Prevention and Response	✓
 Material Handling & Waste Management	
 Erosion and Sediment Controls	
 Employee Training Program	✓
 Quality Assurance Record Keeping	✓



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- ✓ Identify evidence of spills such as paints, discoloring, odors, etc.
- ✓ Record locations of apparent illegal discharges/illicit connections.
- ✓ Track flows back to potential discharges and conduct aboveground inspections. This can be done through visual inspection of upgradient manholes or alternate techniques including zinc chloride smoke testing, fluorometric dye testing, physical inspection testing, or television camera inspection.
- ✓ Eliminate the discharge once the origin of flow is established.
- Stencil or demarcate storm drains, where applicable, to prevent illegal disposal of pollutants. Storm drain inlets should have messages such as “Dump No Waste Drains to Stream” or similar stenciled next to them to warn against ignorant or intentional dumping of pollutants into the storm drainage system.
- Refer to fact sheet SC-10 Non-Stormwater Discharges for additional information.

Illegal Dumping

- Inspect and clean up hot spots and other storm drainage areas regularly where illegal dumping and disposal occurs.
- Establish a system for tracking incidents. The system should be designed to identify the following:
 - ✓ Illegal dumping hot spots;
 - ✓ Types and quantities (in some cases) of wastes;
 - ✓ Patterns in time of occurrence (time of day/night, month, or year);
 - ✓ Mode of dumping (abandoned containers, “midnight dumping” from moving vehicles, direct dumping of materials, accidents/spills); and
 - ✓ Responsible parties.
- Post “No Dumping” signs in problem areas with a phone number for reporting dumping and disposal. Signs should also indicate fines and penalties for illegal dumping.
- Refer to fact sheet SC-10 Non-Stormwater Discharges for additional information.



Preventative Maintenance

Catch Basins/Inlet Structures

- Staff should regularly inspect facilities to ensure compliance with the following:
 - ✓ Immediate repair of any deterioration threatening structural integrity.
 - ✓ Cleaning before the sump is 40% full. Catch basins should be cleaned as frequently as needed to meet this standard.

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- Clean catch basins, storm drain inlets, and other conveyance structures before the wet season to remove sediments and debris accumulated during the summer.
- Conduct inspections more frequently during the wet season for problem areas where sediment or trash accumulates more often. Prioritize storm drain inlets; clean and repair as needed.
- Keep accurate logs of the number of catch basins cleaned.
- Store wastes collected from cleaning activities of the drainage system in appropriate containers or temporary storage sites in a manner that prevents discharge to the storm drain.
- Dewater the wastes if necessary with outflow into the sanitary sewer if permitted. Water should be treated with an appropriate filtering device prior to discharge to the sanitary sewer. If discharge to the sanitary sewer is not allowed, water should be pumped or vacuumed to a tank and properly disposed. Do not dewater near a storm drain or stream.

Storm Drain Conveyance System

- Locate reaches of storm drain with deposit problems and develop a flushing schedule that keeps the pipe clear of excessive buildup.
- Collect and pump flushed effluent to the sanitary sewer for treatment whenever possible.

Pump Stations

- Clean all storm drain pump stations prior to the wet season to remove silt and trash.
- Do not allow discharge to reach the storm drain system when cleaning a storm drain pump station or other facility.
- Conduct routine maintenance at each pump station.
- Inspect, clean, and repair as necessary all outlet structures prior to the wet season.

Open Channel

- Modify storm channel characteristics to improve channel hydraulics, increase pollutant removals, and enhance channel/creek aesthetic and habitat value.
- Conduct channel modification/improvement in accordance with existing laws. Any person, government agency, or public utility proposing an activity that will change the natural state of any river, stream, or lake in California, must enter into a Stream or Lake Alteration Agreement with the Department of Fish and Wildlife. The developer-applicant should also contact local governments (city, county, special districts), other state agencies (SWRCB, RWQCB, Department of Forestry, Department of Water Resources), and Army Corps of Engineers and USFWS.



Spill Response and Prevention Procedures

- Keep your spill prevention control plan up-to-date.

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- Investigate all reports of spills, leaks, and/or illegal dumping promptly.
- Place a stockpile of spill cleanup materials where it will be readily accessible or at a central location.
- Clean up all spills and leaks using “dry” methods (with absorbent materials and/or rags) or dig up, remove, and properly dispose of contaminated soil.



Employee Training Program

- Educate employees about pollution prevention measures and goals.
- Train employees how to properly handle and dispose of waste using the source control BMPs described above.
- Train employees and subcontractors in proper hazardous waste management.
- Use a training log or similar method to document training.
- Ensure that employees are familiar with the site’s spill control plan and/or proper spill cleanup procedures.
- Have staff involved in detection and removal of illicit connections trained in the following:
 - ✓ OSHA-required Health and Safety Training (29 CFR 1910.120) plus annual refresher training (as needed).
 - ✓ OSHA Confined Space Entry training (Cal-OSHA Confined Space, Title 8 and Federal OSHA 29 CFR 1910.146).
 - ✓ Procedural training (field screening, sampling, smoke/dye testing, TV inspection).



Quality Assurance and Record Keeping

- Keep accurate maintenance logs that document minimum BMP activities performed for drainage system maintenance, types and quantities of waste disposed of, and any improvement actions.
- Keep accurate logs of spill response actions that document what was spilled, how it was cleaned up, and how the waste was disposed.
- Keep accurate logs of illicit connections, illicit discharges, and illegal dumping into the storm drain system including how wastes were cleaned up and disposed.
- Establish procedures to complete logs and file them in the central office.

Potential Limitations and Work-Arounds

Provided below are typical limitations and recommended “work-arounds” for drainage system maintenance:

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- Clean-up activities may create a slight disturbance for local aquatic species. Access to items and material on private property may be limited. Trade-offs may exist between channel hydraulics and water quality/riparian habitat. If storm channels or basins are recognized as wetlands, many activities, including maintenance, may be subject to regulation and permitting.
 - ✓ Perform all maintenance onsite and do not flush accumulated material downstream to private property or riparian habitats.
- Storm drain flushing is most effective in small diameter pipes (36-inch diameter pipe or less, depending on water supply and sediment collection capacity). Other considerations associated with storm drain flushing may include the availability of a water source, finding a downstream area to collect sediments, and liquid/sediment disposal.
 - ✓ Develop and follow a site specific drainage system maintenance plan that describes maintenance locations, methods, required equipment, water sources, sediment collection areas, disposal requirements, and any other pertinent information.
- Regulations may include adoption of substantial penalties for illegal dumping and disposal.
 - ✓ Do not dump illegal materials anywhere onsite.
 - ✓ Identify illicit connections, illicit discharge, and illegal dumping.
 - ✓ Cleanup spills immediately and properly dispose of wastes.
- Local municipal codes may include sections prohibiting discharge of soil, debris, refuse, hazardous wastes, and other pollutants into the sanitary sewer system.
 - ✓ Collect all materials and pollutants accumulated in drainage system and dispose of according to local regulations.
 - ✓ Install debris excluders in areas with a trash TMDL.

Potential Capital Facility Costs and Operation & Maintenance Requirements

Facilities

- Capital costs will vary substantially depending on the size of the facility and characteristics of the drainage system. Significant capital costs may be associated with purchasing water trucks, vacuum trucks, and any other necessary cleaning equipment or improving the drainage infrastructure to reduce the potential .
- Developing and implementing a site specific drainage system maintenance plan will require additional capital if a similar program is not already in place.

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- Two-person teams may be required to clean catch basins with vector trucks.
- Teams of at least two people plus administrative personnel are required to identify illicit discharges, depending on the complexity of the storm sewer system.
- Arrangements must be made for proper disposal of collected wastes.
- Technical staff are required to detect and investigate illegal dumping violations.
- Methods used for illicit connection detection (smoke testing, dye testing, visual inspection, and flow monitoring) can be costly and time-consuming. Site-specific factors, such as the level of impervious area, the density and ages of buildings, and type of land use will determine the level of investigation necessary.

Supplemental Information

Storm Drain Flushing

Flushing is a common maintenance activity used to improve pipe hydraulics and to remove pollutants in storm drainage systems. Flushing may be designed to hydraulically convey accumulated material to strategic locations, such as an open channel, another point where flushing will be initiated, or the sanitary sewer and the treatment facilities, thus preventing re-suspension and overflow of a portion of the solids during storm events. Flushing prevents “plug flow” discharges of concentrated pollutant loadings and sediments. Deposits can hinder the designed conveyance capacity of the storm drain system and potentially cause backwater conditions in severe cases of clogging.

Storm drain flushing usually takes place along segments of pipe with grades that are too flat to maintain adequate velocity to keep particles in suspension. An upstream manhole is selected to place an inflatable device that temporarily plugs the pipe. Further upstream, water is pumped into the line to create a flushing wave. When the upstream reach of pipe is sufficiently full to cause a flushing wave, the inflated device is rapidly deflated with the assistance of a vacuum pump, thereby releasing the backed up water and resulting in the cleaning of the storm drain segment.

To further reduce impacts of stormwater pollution, a second inflatable device placed well downstream may be used to recollect the water after the force of the flushing wave has dissipated. A pump may then be used to transfer the water and accumulated material to the sanitary sewer for treatment. In some cases, an interceptor structure may be more practical or required to recollect the flushed waters.

It has been found that cleansing efficiency of periodic flush waves is dependent upon flush volume, flush discharge rate, sewer slope, sewer length, sewer flow rate, sewer diameter, and population density. As a rule of thumb, the length of line to be flushed should not exceed 700 feet. At this maximum recommended length, the percent removal efficiency ranges between 65-75% for organics and 55-65% for dry weather grit/inorganic material. The percent removal efficiency drops rapidly beyond that. Water is commonly supplied by a water truck, but fire hydrants can also supply water. To make the best use of water, it is recommended that reclaimed water be used if allowed or that fire hydrant line flushing coincide with storm sewer flushing.

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Objectives

- Contain
- Educate
- Reduce/Minimize
- Product Substitution

Targeted Constituents

Sediment	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Nutrients	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Trash	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Metals	
Bacteria	
Oil and Grease	
Organics	
Oxygen Demanding	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Description

Landscape maintenance activities include vegetation removal; herbicide and insecticide application; fertilizer application; watering; and other gardening and lawn care practices. Vegetation control typically involves a combination of chemical (herbicide) application and mechanical methods. All of these maintenance practices have the potential to contribute pollutants to the storm drain system. The major objectives of this BMP are to minimize the discharge of pesticides, herbicides and fertilizers to the storm drain system and receiving waters; prevent the disposal of landscape waste into the storm drain system by collecting and properly disposing of clippings and cuttings, and educating employees and the public.

Approach

Pollution Prevention

- Implement an integrated pest management (IPM) program. IPM is a sustainable approach to managing pests by combining biological, cultural, physical, and chemical tools.
- Choose low water using flowers, trees, shrubs, and groundcover.
- Consider alternative landscaping techniques such as naturescaping and xeriscaping.
- Conduct appropriate maintenance (i.e. properly timed fertilizing, weeding, pest control, and pruning) to help preserve the landscapes water efficiency.



- Consider grass cycling (grass cycling is the natural recycling of grass by leaving the clippings on the lawn when mowing. Grass clippings decompose quickly and release valuable nutrients back into the lawn).

Suggested Protocols***Mowing, Trimming, and Weeding***

- Whenever possible use mechanical methods of vegetation removal (e.g mowing with tractor-type or push mowers, hand cutting with gas or electric powered weed trimmers) rather than applying herbicides. Use hand weeding where practical.
- Avoid loosening the soil when conducting mechanical or manual weed control, this could lead to erosion. Use mulch or other erosion control measures when soils are exposed.
- Performing mowing at optimal times. Mowing should not be performed if significant rain events are predicted.
- Mulching mowers may be recommended for certain flat areas. Other techniques may be employed to minimize mowing such as selective vegetative planting using low maintenance grasses and shrubs.
- Collect lawn and garden clippings, pruning waste, tree trimmings, and weeds. Chip if necessary, and compost or dispose of at a landfill (see waste management section of this fact sheet).
- Place temporarily stockpiled material away from watercourses, and berm or cover stockpiles to prevent material releases to storm drains.

Planting

- Determine existing native vegetation features (location, species, size, function, importance) and consider the feasibility of protecting them. Consider elements such as their effect on drainage and erosion, hardiness, maintenance requirements, and possible conflicts between preserving vegetation and the resulting maintenance needs.
- Retain and/or plant selected native vegetation whose features are determined to be beneficial, where feasible. Native vegetation usually requires less maintenance (e.g., irrigation, fertilizer) than planting new vegetation.
- Consider using low water use groundcovers when planting or replanting.

Waste Management

- Compost leaves, sticks, or other collected vegetation or dispose of at a permitted landfill. Do not dispose of collected vegetation into waterways or storm drainage systems.
- Place temporarily stockpiled material away from watercourses and storm drain inlets, and berm or cover stockpiles to prevent material releases to the storm drain system.
- Reduce the use of high nitrogen fertilizers that produce excess growth requiring more frequent mowing or trimming.

- Avoid landscape wastes in and around storm drain inlets by either using bagging equipment or by manually picking up the material.

Irrigation

- Where practical, use automatic timers to minimize runoff.
- Use popup sprinkler heads in areas with a lot of activity or where there is a chance the pipes may be broken. Consider the use of mechanisms that reduce water flow to sprinkler heads if broken.
- Ensure that there is no runoff from the landscaped area(s) if re-claimed water is used for irrigation.
- If bailing of muddy water is required (e.g. when repairing a water line leak), do not put it in the storm drain; pour over landscaped areas.
- Irrigate slowly or pulse irrigate to prevent runoff and then only irrigate as much as is needed.
- Apply water at rates that do not exceed the infiltration rate of the soil.

Fertilizer and Pesticide Management

- Utilize a comprehensive management system that incorporates integrated pest management (IPM) techniques. There are many methods and types of IPM, including the following:
 - Mulching can be used to prevent weeds where turf is absent, fencing installed to keep rodents out, and netting used to keep birds and insects away from leaves and fruit.
 - Visible insects can be removed by hand (with gloves or tweezers) and placed in soapy water or vegetable oil. Alternatively, insects can be sprayed off the plant with water or in some cases vacuumed off of larger plants.
 - Store-bought traps, such as species-specific, pheromone-based traps or colored sticky cards, can be used.
 - Slugs can be trapped in small cups filled with beer that are set in the ground so the slugs can get in easily.
 - In cases where microscopic parasites, such as bacteria and fungi, are causing damage to plants, the affected plant material can be removed and disposed of (pruning equipment should be disinfected with bleach to prevent spreading the disease organism).
 - Small mammals and birds can be excluded using fences, netting, tree trunk guards.
 - Beneficial organisms, such as bats, birds, green lacewings, ladybugs, praying mantis, ground beetles, parasitic nematodes, trichogramma wasps, seed head weevils, and spiders that prey on detrimental pest species can be promoted.
- Follow all federal, state, and local laws and regulations governing the use, storage, and disposal of fertilizers and pesticides and training of applicators and pest control advisors.

- Use pesticides only if there is an actual pest problem (not on a regular preventative schedule).
- Do not use pesticides if rain is expected. Apply pesticides only when wind speeds are low (less than 5 mph).
- Do not mix or prepare pesticides for application near storm drains.
- Prepare the minimum amount of pesticide needed for the job and use the lowest rate that will effectively control the pest.
- Employ techniques to minimize off-target application (e.g. spray drift) of pesticides, including consideration of alternative application techniques.
- Fertilizers should be worked into the soil rather than dumped or broadcast onto the surface.
- Calibrate fertilizer and pesticide application equipment to avoid excessive application.
- Periodically test soils for determining proper fertilizer use.
- Sweep pavement and sidewalk if fertilizer is spilled on these surfaces before applying irrigation water.
- Purchase only the amount of pesticide that you can reasonably use in a given time period (month or year depending on the product).
- Triple rinse containers, and use rinse water as product. Dispose of unused pesticide as hazardous waste.
- Dispose of empty pesticide containers according to the instructions on the container label.

Inspection

- Inspect irrigation system periodically to ensure that the right amount of water is being applied and that excessive runoff is not occurring. Minimize excess watering, and repair leaks in the irrigation system as soon as they are observed.
- Inspect pesticide/fertilizer equipment and transportation vehicles daily.

Training

- Educate and train employees on use of pesticides and in pesticide application techniques to prevent pollution. Pesticide application must be under the supervision of a California qualified pesticide applicator.
- Train/encourage municipal maintenance crews to use IPM techniques for managing public green areas.
- Annually train employees within departments responsible for pesticide application on the appropriate portions of the agency's IPM Policy, SOPs, and BMPs, and the latest IPM techniques.

- Employees who are not authorized and trained to apply pesticides should be periodically (at least annually) informed that they cannot use over-the-counter pesticides in or around the workplace.
- Use a training log or similar method to document training.

Spill Response and Prevention

- Refer to SC-11, Spill Prevention, Control & Cleanup
- Have spill cleanup materials readily available and in a known location
- Cleanup spills immediately and use dry methods if possible.
- Properly dispose of spill cleanup material.

Other Considerations

- The Federal Pesticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act and California Title 3, Division 6, Pesticides and Pest Control Operations place strict controls over pesticide application and handling and specify training, annual refresher, and testing requirements. The regulations generally cover: a list of approved pesticides and selected uses, updated regularly; general application information; equipment use and maintenance procedures; and record keeping. The California Department of Pesticide Regulations and the County Agricultural Commission coordinate and maintain the licensing and certification programs. All public agency employees who apply pesticides and herbicides in “agricultural use” areas such as parks, golf courses, rights-of-way and recreation areas should be properly certified in accordance with state regulations. Contracts for landscape maintenance should include similar requirements.
- All employees who handle pesticides should be familiar with the most recent material safety data sheet (MSDS) files.
- Municipalities do not have the authority to regulate the use of pesticides by school districts, however the California Healthy Schools Act of 2000 (AB 2260) has imposed requirements on California school districts regarding pesticide use in schools. Posting of notification prior to the application of pesticides is now required, and IPM is stated as the preferred approach to pest management in schools.

Requirements

Costs

Additional training of municipal employees will be required to address IPM techniques and BMPs. IPM methods will likely increase labor cost for pest control which may be offset by lower chemical costs.

Maintenance

Not applicable

Supplemental Information***Further Detail of the BMP******Waste Management***

Composting is one of the better disposal alternatives if locally available. Most municipalities either have or are planning yard waste composting facilities as a means of reducing the amount of waste going to the landfill. Lawn clippings from municipal maintenance programs as well as private sources would probably be compatible with most composting facilities

Contractors and Other Pesticide Users

Municipal agencies should develop and implement a process to ensure that any contractor employed to conduct pest control and pesticide application on municipal property engages in pest control methods consistent with the IPM Policy adopted by the agency. Specifically, municipalities should require contractors to follow the agency's IPM policy, SOPs, and BMPs; provide evidence to the agency of having received training on current IPM techniques when feasible; provide documentation of pesticide use on agency property to the agency in a timely manner.

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