EROSION CONTROL NOTES

THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT AND MAINTAIN EROSION CONTROL MEASURES IMMEDIATELY AFTER STRIPPING OF EXISTING VEGETATION.

NO RUNOFF FROM STRIPPED AREAS WILL LEAVE THE SITE OTHER THAN THROUGH SEDIMENTATION/STILLING BASINS. THE CONTRACTOR WILL ADJUST HIS OPERATIONS AND IMPLEMENT EROSION CONTROL MEASURES ACCORDINGLY.

THE QUANTITIES SHOWN FOR TEMPORARY DITCH CHECKS ARE MEASURED PER FOOT, REGARDLESS OF TYPE OR CONFIGURATION USED.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SURROUND ALL EARTH STOCKPILES WITH SILT FENCE AND SHALL BE PAID FOR AS PERIMETER EROSION BARRIER, EROSION CONTROL MEASURES SHALL BE INSPECTED BY THE CONTRACTOR AND ENGINEER WITHIN 24 HOURS OR ANY STORM EXCEEDING 0.5 INCH OF PRECIPITATION.

STOCKPILES OF SOIL AND OTHER BUILDING MATERIALS TO REMAIN IN PLACE MORE THAN THREE (3) DAYS SHALL BE FURNISHED WITH EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES (I.E. PERIMETER SILT FENCE). STOCKPILES TO REMAIN IN PLACE FOR 14 DAYS OR MORE SHALL RECEIVE TEMPORARY SEEDING.

ALL CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM STORM WATER PERMIT.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE ALL PRECAUTIONS TO PREVENT POLLUTION OF STORM WATER AND SHALL FOLLOW IEPA & IDOT CONSTRUCTION MEMORANDUM NO. 95-60.

EROSION CONTROL SHALL BE PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEQUENCE OF STAGE CONSTRUCTION.

STABILIZATION MEASURES SHALL BE INTIATED AS SOON AS PRACTICAL, BUT IN NO CASE EXCEED 7 DAYS AFTER CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY IN THAT PORTION OF THE SITE HAS TEMPORARILY OR PERMANENTLY CEASED ON ALL DISTURBED PORTIONS OF THE SITE WHERE CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY WILL NOT OCCUR FOR A PERIOD OF 14 OR MORE CALENDER DAYS.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL APPLY TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING TO ALL ERODIBLE BARE EARTH AREAS WITHIN THE CONTRACT LIMITS EACH WEEK, REGARDLESS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS OR PROGRESS OF THE WORK. UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. ERODIBLE EMBANKMEN AND EXCAVATION AREAS WHERE WORK IS IN PROGRESS SHALL BE INCLUDED ON THE AREAS TO BE SEEDED. SEE SPECIAL PROVISION FOR TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING.

ALL PERIMETER EROSION BARRIER SHALL BE PLACED IN STAGE I, IF REQUIRED IN STAGE II IT SHALL BE LEFT IN PLACE. IT SHALL BE REPLACED IF DAMAGED, AT THE DIRECTION OF THE ENGINEER.

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UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED, ALL VEGETATIVE AND STRUCTURAL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES SHALL MEET IDOT STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

A COPY OF THE APPROVED EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN SHALL BE MAINTAINED ON THE SITE AT ALL TIMES.

DURING DEWATERING OPERATIONS, WATER WILL BE PUMPED INTO SEDIMENT BASINS OR SILT TRAPS. DEWATERING INTO DRAIN TILES IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. COMPROMISED DRAIN TILES SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY REPAIRED OR INCORPORATED INTO STORM WATER FACILITIES.

ALL DROP INLETS ON AND ADJACENT TO THE SITE MUST HAVE A SEDIMENT TRAPPING OR CONTAINMENT DEVICE INSTALLED DURING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES.

ALL ADJACENT STREETS MUST BE KEPT CLEAR OF DEBRIS, INSPECTED DAILY AND CLEANED WHEN NECESSARY.

ALL EROSION CONTROL MEASURES MUST BE INSPECTED WEEKLY AND AFTER EACH 1/2 " RAIN EVENT OR EQUIVALENT RAINFALL.

EROSION CONTROL BLANKET AND/OR STRAW MULCH WITH NETTING (DEPENDING ON SLOPE, SLOPE LENGTH, AND FLOW RATES) SHALL BE INSTALLED ON ALL SLOPES AND IN CRITICAL AREAS (I.E. DETENTION BASIN PERIMETERS, BERMS ETC.) IMMEDIATELY UPON FINAL GRADING.

THE CONDITION OF THE CONSTRUCTION SITE FOR WINTER SHUTDOWN SHALL BE ADDRESSED EARLY IN THE FALL GROWING SEASON SO THAT SLOPES AND OTHER BARE EARTH AREAS MAY BE STABILIZED WITH TEMPORARY AND/OR PERMANENT VEGETATIVE COVER FOR PROPER EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL. ALL OPEN AREAS THAT ARE TO REMAIN IDLE THROUGHOUT THE WINTER SHALL RECEIVE TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL MEASURES INCLUDING TEMPORARY SEEDING, MULCHING AND/OR EROSION CONTROL BLANKET PRIOR TO THE END OF THE FALL GROWING SEASON. THE AREAS TO BE WORKED BEYOND THE END OF THE GROWING SEASON MUST INCORPORATE SOIL STABILIZATION MEASURES THAT DO NOT RELY ON VEGETATIVE COVER SUCH AS EROSION CONTROL BLANKET AND HEAVY MULCHING.

BERMS MUST BE STABILIZED IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIVING FINAL GRADING. STRAW MULCH WITH NETTING OR EROSION CONTROL BLANKET SHALL BE USED ON SIDE SLOPES AND SUMMIT.

IN AREAS WHERE WORK IS COMPLETE, PERMANENT STABILIZATION SHALL OCCUR WITHIN 7 DAYS OF COMPLETION, AND IN AREAS WHERE WORK HAS TEMPORARILY CEASED FOR 14 DAYS OR MORE, TEMPORARY STABILIZATION SHALL OCCUR BY THE 7TH DAY AFTER WORK HAS CEASED.

COMPLETED SLOPES SHALL BE SEEDED AND MULCHED (OR BLANKETED, IF APPLICABLE) AS THE EXCAVATION PROCEEDS TO THE EXTENT CONSIDERED DESIRABLE AND PRACTICAL. PERMANENT SEEDING SHALL BE USED WHENEVER POSSIBLE. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE CONTRACTOR PROLONG FINAL GRADING AND SHAPING SO THAT THE ENTIRE PROJECT CAN BE PERMANENTLY SEEDED AT ONE TIME. NO WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED IN FLOWING WATER. WATER IN AND NEAR THE CRITICAL AREAS SHOULD BE ISOLATED FROM CONCENTRATED FLOWS OR STREAM FLOW. THE STREAM BANKS SHOULD BE STABILIZED AT THE END OF EACH DAY. ONCE WORK IN THIS AREA BEGINS, PRIORITY SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE COMPLETION OF THE WORK AND FINAL STABILIZATION OF ALL DISTURBED AREAS.

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