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COLUMBIA MEMORIAL PARK

LOT 1

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TAX MAP No. 29 GRID No. 19 PARCEL No. 371

FIFTH ELECTION DISTRICT HOWARD COUNTY, MARYLAND

GENERAL NOTES

- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS/BUREAU OF ENGINEERING/CONSTRUCTION INSPECTION DIVISION AT 410-313-1800 AT LEAST FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO THE START OF WORK.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY (MSE UTILITY) AT 1-800-257-7777 AT LEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO ANY EXCAVATION WORK BEING DONE.
- THE EXISTING TOPOGRAPHY IS TAKEN FROM A FIELD RUN SURVEY WITH 2' CONTOUR INTERVALS PREPARED BY FISHER, COLLINS & CARTER, INC. DATED NOVEMBER 19, 2010.
- THE COORDINATES SHOWN HEREON ARE BASED UPON THE HOWARD COUNTY GEODETIC CONTROL WHICH IS BASED UPON THE MARYLAND STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM, HOWARD COUNTY MONUMENT NOS. 29GB AND 29GC WERE USED FOR THIS PROJECT.
- STORM WATER MANAGEMENT IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE M.D.E. STORM WATER DESIGN MANUAL, VOLUMES 1 & II, REVISED 2009. WE ARE PROVIDING STORM WATER MANAGEMENT BY THE USE OF TWO (2) 14" MICRO-BIO-RETENTION AREAS.
- THIS PROPERTY IS LOCATED WITHIN THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, THERE IS NOT WATER OR SEWER SERVICE PROPOSED ON THIS PROJECT.
- ANY DAMAGE TO THE COUNTY'S RIGHT-OF-WAY SHALL BE CORRECTED AT THE DEVELOPER'S EXPENSE.
- THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IS ZONED NT PER 02/02/04 COMPREHENSIVE ZONING PLAN AND THE COMP-LITE ZONING AMENDMENTS DATED 07/28/09.
- NO GRADING, REMOVAL OF VEGETATIVE COVER OR TREES, PAVING AND NEW STRUCTURES SHALL BE PERMITTED WITHIN THE REQUIRED WETLANDS, STREAMS OR THEIR BUFFERS, FOREST CONSERVATION EASEMENT AREAS AND 100 YEAR FLOODPLAIN.
- LANDSCAPING WILL BE PROVIDED AT THE SITE DEVELOPMENT STAGE OF THIS PROJECT.
- IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 16.1202(B)(3)(iv) OF THE HOWARD COUNTY CODE THIS SITE IS EXEMPT FROM THE REQUIREMENT TO FILE A FOREST CONSERVATION PLAN -- A PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT WHICH HAD PRELIMINARY DEVELOPMENT PLAN APPROVAL AND 50% OR MORE OF THE LAND RECORDED AND SUBSTANTIALLY DEVELOPED BEFORE THE ENACTMENT OF THE FOREST CONSERVATION ACT EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 31, 1992.
- APPROVAL OF THIS ECP DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN APPROVAL OF ANY SUBSEQUENT AND ASSOCIATED SUBDIVISION AND/OR SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN.
- REVIEW OF THIS PROJECT FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE HOWARD COUNTY SUBDIVISION AND LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS AND THE HOWARD COUNTY ZONING REGULATIONS SHALL OCCUR AT THE SITE PLAN STAGES. THEREFORE, THE APPLICANT AND CONSULTANT SHOULD EXPECT ADDITIONAL AND MORE DETAILED COMMENTS INCLUDING THOSE THAT MAY ALTER OVERALL SITE DESIGN AS THE PROJECT PROGRESSES.

Infiltration and Filter System Construction Specifications

Infiltration and filter systems either take advantage of existing permeable soils or create a permeable medium such as sand for GWV, and Re v. In some instances where permeability is great, these facilities may be used for Op as well.

When properly planted, vegetation will thrive and enhance the functioning of these systems. For example, pre-treatment buffers will trap sediments that often are bound with phosphorous and metals. Vegetation planted in the facility will aid in nutrient uptake and water storage. Additionally, plant roots will provide arteries for stormwater to permeate soil for groundwater recharge. Finally, successful plantings provide aesthetic value and wildlife habitat making these facilities more desirable to the public.

Design Constraints:

- Planting buffer strips of at least 20 feet will cause sediments to settle out before reaching the facility, thereby reducing the possibility of clogging.
- Determine areas that will be saturated with water and water table depth so that appropriate plants may be selected hydrology will be similar to bioretention facilities, see figure A.5 and Table A.4 for planting material guidance.
- Plants known to send down deep taproots should be avoided in systems where filter fabric is used as part of facility design.
- Test soil conditions to determine if soil amendments are necessary.
- Plants shall be located so that access is possible for structure maintenance.
- Stabilize heavy flow areas with erosion control mats or sod.
- Temporarily divert flows from seeded areas until vegetation is established.
- See Table A.5 for additional design considerations.

Bio-retention

Soil Bed Characteristics

The characteristics of the soil for the bioretention facility are perhaps as important as the facility location, size, and treatment volume. The soil must be permeable enough to allow runoff to filter through the media, while having characteristics suitable to promote and sustain a robust vegetative cover crop. In addition, much of the nutrient pollutant uptake (nitrogen and phosphorus) is accomplished through absorption and microbial activity within the soil profile. Therefore, soils must balance their chemical and physical properties to support biotic communities above and below ground.

The planting soil should be a sandy loam, loamy sand, loam (USDA), or a loam/sand mix (should contain a minimum 35 to 60% sand, by volume). The clay content for these soils should be less than 25% by volume (Environmental Quality Resources (EQR), 1996; Engineering Technology Inc. and Biohabitats, Inc. (ETAB), 1993). Soils should fall within the SM, ML, SC classifications or the Unified Soil Classification System (USCS). A permeability of at least 1.0 feet per day (0.5"/hr) is required (a conservative value of 0.5 feet per day is used for design). The soil should be free of stones, stumps, roots, or other woody material over 1" in diameter. Brush or seeds from noxious weeds (e.g., Johnson Grass, Mugwort, Nutcase, and Canada Thistle or other noxious weeds as specified under COMAR 15.08.01.05) should not be present in the soils. Placement of the planting soil should be in 12 to 18 lifts that are loosely compacted (tamped lightly with a backhoe bucket or traversed by dozer tracks). The specific characteristics are presented in Table A.3.

Table A.3 Planting Soil Characteristics

Parameter	Value
pH range	5.2 to 7.00
Organic matter	1.5 to 4.0% (by weight)
Magnesium	35 lbs. per acre, minimum
Phosphorus (phosphate - P2O5)	75 lbs. per acre, minimum
Potassium (potash - K2O)	85 lbs. per acre, minimum
Soluble salts	500 ppm
Clay	10 to 25 %
Silt	30 to 55 %
Sand	35 to 60%

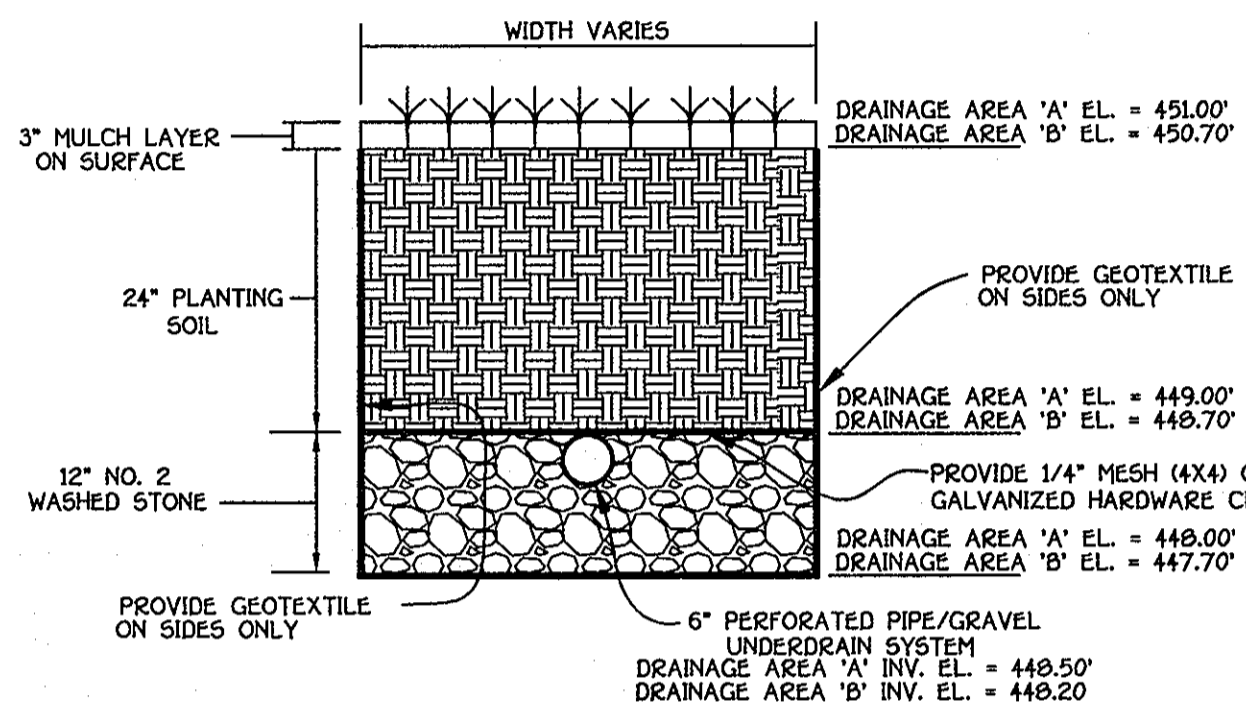
Mulch Layer

The mulch layer plays an important role in the performance of the bioretention system. The mulch layer helps maintain soil moisture and avoids surface sealing, which reduces permeability. Mulch helps prevent erosion, and provides a microenvironment suitable for soil biota at the mulch/soil interface. It also serves as a pretreatment layer, trapping the finer sediments, which remain suspended after the primary pretreatment.

The mulch layer should be standard landscape style, single or double shredded hardwood mulch or chips. The mulch layer should be well aged (stockpiled or stored for at least 12 months), uniform in color, and free of other materials, such as weed seeds, soil, roots, etc. The mulch should be applied to a maximum depth of three inches. Grass clippings should not be used as a mulch material.

Planting Guidance

Plant material selection should be based on the goal of simulating a terrestrial forested community of native species. Bioretention simulates an upland-species ecosystem. The community should be dominated by trees, but have a distinct community of understory trees, shrubs and herbaceous materials. By creating a diverse, dense plant cover, a bioretention facility will be able to treat stormwater runoff and withstand urban stresses from insects, disease, drought, temperature, wind, and exposure. The proper selection and installation of plant materials is key to a successful system. There are essentially three zones within a bioretention facility (Figure A.5). The lowest elevation supports plant species adapted to standing and fluctuating water levels. The middle elevation supports plants that like drier soil conditions, but can still tolerate occasional inundation by water. The outer edge is the highest elevation and generally supports plants adapted to drier conditions. A sample of appropriate plant materials for bioretention facilities are included in Table A.4. The layout of plant material should be flexible, but should follow the general principals described in Table A.5. The objective is to have a system which resembles a random, natural plant layout, while maintaining optimal conditions for plant establishment and growth. For a more extensive bioretention plan, consult ETAB, 1993 or Clayton and Schueler, 1997.

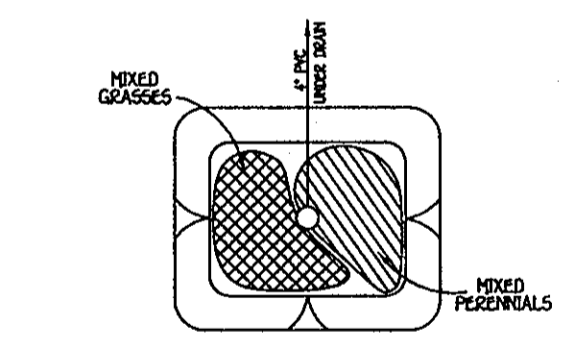


TYPICAL SECTION - BIO-RETENTION FACILITY (M-6)

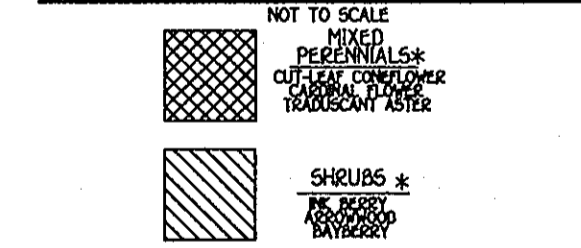
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OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE FOR BIO-RETENTION AREAS (M-6)

- Annual maintenance of plant material, mulch layer and soil layer is required. Maintenance of mulch and soil is limited to correcting areas of erosion or wash out. Any mulch replacement shall be done in the spring. Plant material shall be checked for disease and insect infestation and maintenance will address dead material and pruning.
- Schedule of plant inspection will be twice a year in spring and fall. This inspection will include removal of dead and diseased vegetation considered beyond treatment, treatment of all diseased trees and shrubs and replacement of all deficient stakes and wires.
- Mulch shall be inspected each spring. Remove previous mulch layer before applying new layer once every 2 to 3 years.
- Soil erosion to be addressed on an as needed basis, with a minimum of once per month and after heavy storm events.



MICRO-BIORETENTION PLANTING DETAIL

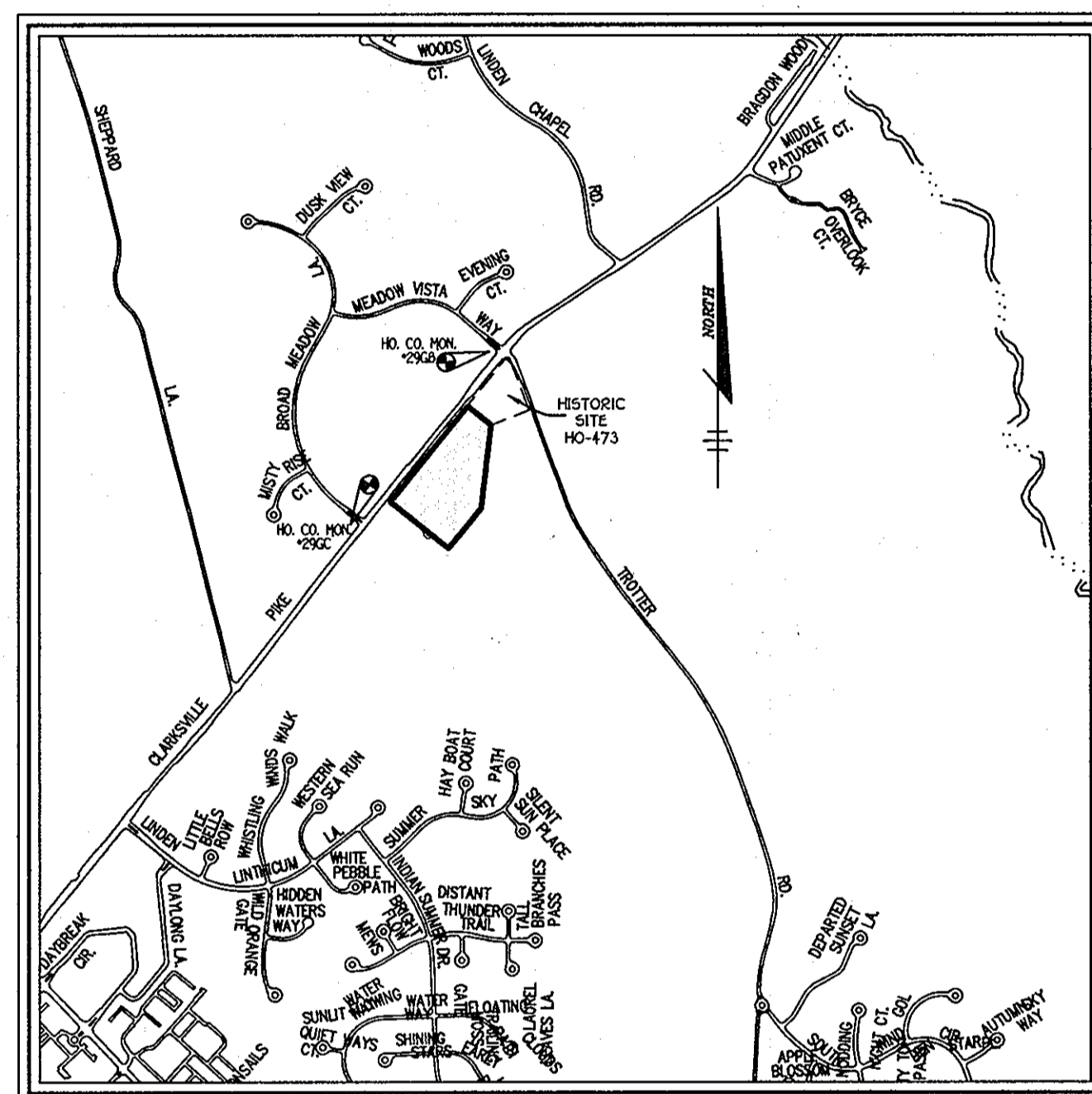


MICRO-BIORETENTION (M-6) OPERATION & MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

QUANTITY	NAME	MAXIMUM SPACING (FT)
55	PERENNIALS	1 FT.
18	GRASSES	2 FT.

QUANTITY	NAME	MAXIMUM SPACING (FT)
62	PERENNIALS	1 FT.
21	GRASSES	2 FT.

MICRO-BIORETENTION (M-6) OPERATION & MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE



ADC STREET MAP: MAP 4934 GRID B5

VICINITY MAP

SCALE: 1" = 1200'

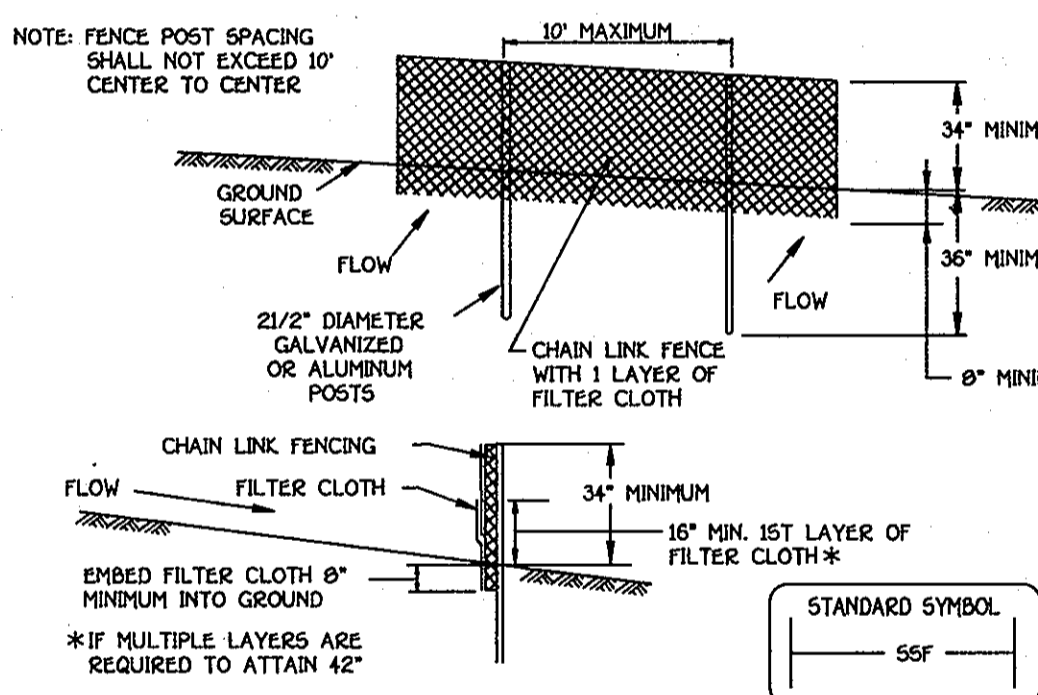
SITE ANALYSIS DATA CHART

A. TOTAL AREA OF THIS SUBMISSION = 9.99 AC.	
B. LIMIT OF DISTURBED AREA = 0.22 AC.	
C. PRESENT ZONING DESIGNATION = NT PER 02/02/04 COMPREHENSIVE ZONING PLAN AND THE COMP-LITE ZONING AMENDMENTS DATED 07/28/09	
D. PROPOSED USE MAUSOLEUM	
E. FLOOR SPACE ON EACH LEVEL OF BUILDING N/A	
F. TOTAL NUMBER OF UNITS ALLOCATED N/A	
G. TOTAL NUMBER OF UNITS PROPOSED N/A	
H. TOTAL NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES, TENANTS ON SITE PER USE N/A	
I. OPEN SPACE ON SITE 9.99 AC.	
J. RECREATIONAL AREA PROVIDED N/A	
K. BUILDING COVERAGE OF SITE 0.09 AC.	
L. EXISTING BUILDING COVER 0.02 AC (MAUSOLEUM)	
M. PROPOSED BUILDING COVERAGE 0.07 AC (MAUSOLEUM)	
N. TOTAL AREA OF FLOODPLAIN LOCATED ON SITE 0.00 AC.	
O. TOTAL AREA OF SLOPES IN EXCESS OF 25% = 0.000 AC.	
P. NET TRACT AREA = 9.99 AC.	
Q. TOTAL SITE AREA = FLOODPLAIN + STEEP SLOPES AREA (9.99 AC + 0.00 AC = 9.99 AC)	
R. TOTAL AREA OF WETLANDS (INCLUDING BUFFERS) = 0.00 AC.	
S. TOTAL AREA OF FOREST = 2.94 AC.	
T. TOTAL GREEN OPEN AREA = 6.26 AC.	
U. TOTAL IMPERVIOUS AREA = 0.75 AC.	

BENCH MARKS

HO. CO. MON. 29GB
N5626261700 E11332248.0243 ELEV. 455.95
CONCRETE MONUMENT SET
CORNER MEADOW VISTA ROAD & RT-105

HO. CO. MON. 29GC
N5695301810 E11332248.7022 ELEV. 490.70
CONCRETE MONUMENT SET
RT-105 ACCESS FROM CLARKSVILLE ELEM. SCH.



Construction Specifications

- Fencing shall be 42" in height and constructed in accordance with the latest Maryland State Highway Details for Chain Link Fencing. The specification for a C fence shall be used, substituting 42" fabric and 6" length posts.
- Chain link fence shall be fastened securely to the fence posts with wire ties. The lower tension wire, brace and truss rods, drive anchors and post caps are not required except on the ends of the fence.
- Filter cloth shall be fastened securely to the chain link fence with ties spaced every 24" at the top and mid section.
- Filter cloth shall be embedded a minimum of 6" into the ground.
- When two sections of filter cloth adjoin each other, they shall be overlapped by 6" and folded.
- Maintenance shall be performed as needed and silt buildups removed when "bumps" develop in the silt fence, or when silt reaches 50% of fence height.
- Filter cloth shall be fastened securely to each fence post with wire ties or staples at top and mid section and shall meet the following requirements for Geotextile Class F:

Tensile Strength	50 lb/in (min)	Test: MSMT 509
Tensile Modulus	20 lb/in (min)	Test: MSMT 509
Flow Rate	0.3 gal/(ft ² ·min) (max)	Test: MSMT 322
Filtering Efficiency	75% (min)	Test: MSMT 322

Design Criteria			
Slope	Slope Steepness	Slope Length (maximum)	Silt Fence Length (maximum)
0 - 10%	0 - 10%	Unlimited	Unlimited
10 - 20%	10% - 5%	200 feet	1,500 feet
20 - 33%	5% - 3%	100 feet	1,000 feet
33 - 50%	3% - 2%	100 feet	500 feet
50% +	2% +	50 feet	250 feet

SUPER SILT FENCE

NOT TO SCALE

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Chief, Division of Land Development
Date: 3/14/11

Chief, Department of Engineering Division
Date: 3/16/11

SUBDIVISION	SECTION/AREA	LOT NO.
COLUMBIA CEMETERY SITE	SECTION 1 AREA 1	1

PLAT NO.	PARCEL NO.	ZONE	TAX MAP	ELEC. DIST.	CENSUS TR.
5489	371	NT	29	5th	

ENVIRONMENTAL CONCEPT PLAN

TITLE SHEET

COLUMBIA MEMORIAL PARK CEMETERY SITE SECTION 1 AREA 1

LOT 1

TAX MAP No. 29 GRID No. 19 PARCEL No. 371

FIFTH ELECTION DISTRICT HOWARD COUNTY, MARYLAND

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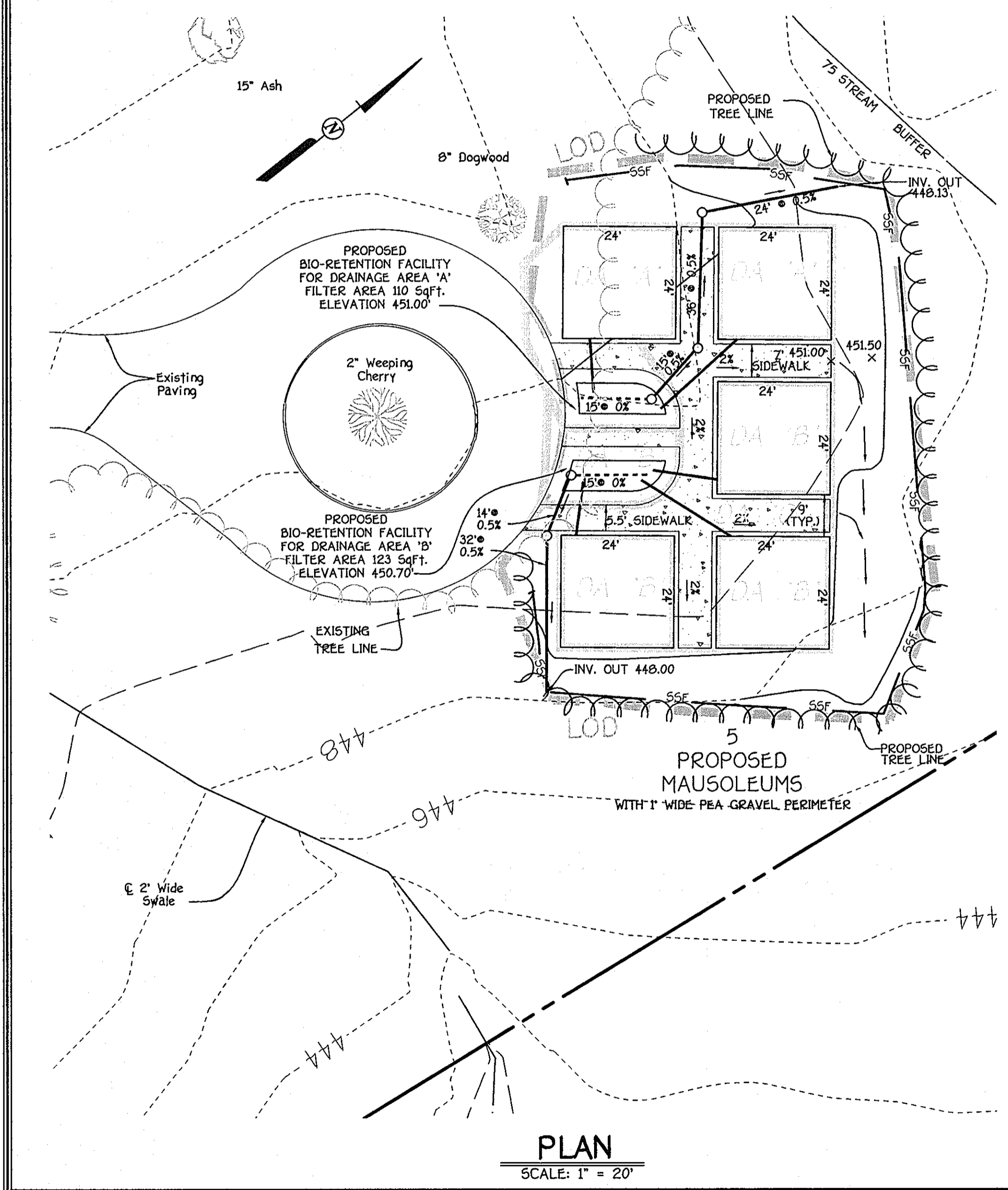
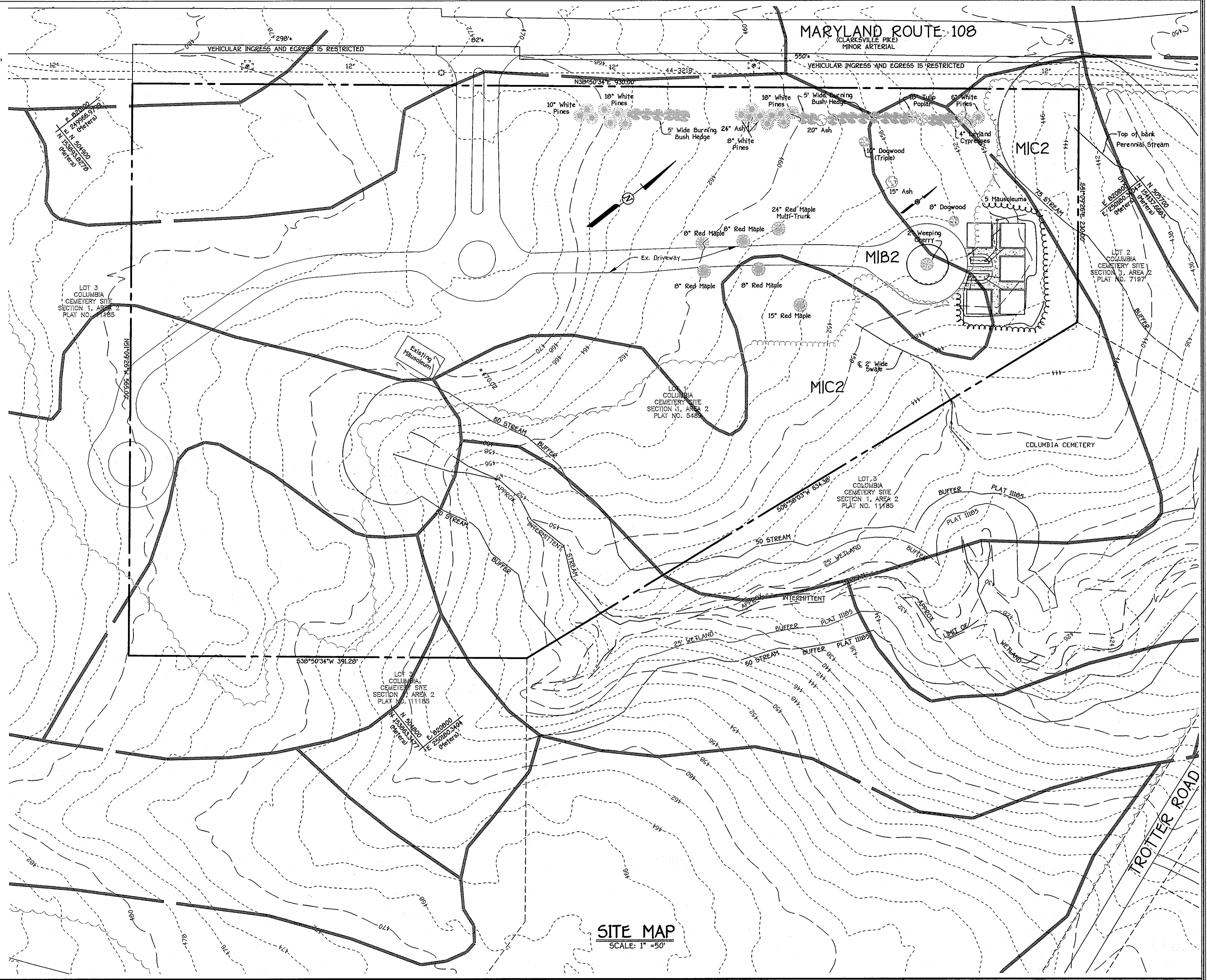
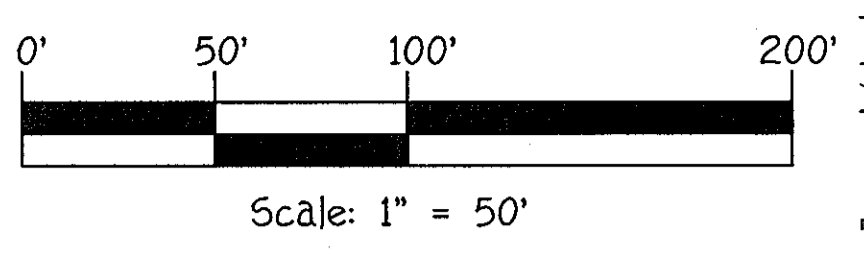
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DATE	DESCRIPTION	REVISION BLOCK

SOIL	NAME	CLASS
**Ba	Baile silt loam	D
ChA	Chester silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	B
ChB2	Chester silt loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
ChC2	Chester silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
E1A	Eloak silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	B
E1B2	Eloak silt loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
G1B2	Glenelg loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
G1C2	Glenelg loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
**GrB2	Glenville silt loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes, moderately eroded	C
**Ha	Hatboro silt loam	D
MgB2	Manor gravelly loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
MgC2	Manor gravelly loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
M1A	Manor loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	B
M1B2	Manor loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
M1C2	Manor loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
M1D2	Manor loam, 15 to 25 percent slopes, moderately eroded	B
M1D	Manor very stony loam, 3 to 25 percent slopes	B

NOTES:
 * Hydric soils and/or contains hydric inclusions
 ** May contain hydric inclusions
 † Generally only within 100-year floodplain areas

LEGEND	
(Dashed line)	Existing Contour 2' interval
(Dashed line)	Existing Contour 10' interval
(Dashed line)	Proposed Contour 2' interval
(Dashed line)	Proposed Contour 10' interval
(Dashed line)	Proposed Concrete Sidewalk
(Dashed line)	Existing Tree Line
(Dashed line)	Proposed Tree Line
(Dashed line)	Existing Trees to remain
(Dashed line)	Ex. Water
(Dashed line)	Limit of Disturbance
(Dashed line)	Drainage Area
(Dashed line)	Super Silt Fence
(Dashed line)	6" Schedule 40 PVC
(Dashed line)	Perforated 6" Schedule 40 PVC
(Dashed line)	Stream
(Dashed line)	Wetland
(Dashed line)	25' Wetland Buffer
(Dashed line)	Stream Buffer



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