

ENVIRONMENTAL CONCEPT PLAN GUILFORD SELF STORAGE 9201 GUILFORD ROAD

- GENERAL NOTES**
- THE PROJECT IS IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE LATEST HOWARD COUNTY STANDARDS UNLESS WAIVERS HAVE BEEN APPROVED.
 - THE EXISTING TOPOGRAPHY SHOWN HEREON IS BASED ON A TOPOGRAPHIC SURVEY PREPARED BY ROBERT H. VOGEL ENGINEERING, INC., PERFORMED ON APRIL 11, 2016. OFFSITE TOPOGRAPHY FROM HOWARD COUNTY GIS.
 - THE PROJECT BOUNDARY IS BASED ON A BOUNDARY SURVEY PREPARED BY ROBERT H. VOGEL ENGINEERING, INC., DATED JUNE 16, 2016.
 - 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. 0016 AND 42EA WERE USED FOR THIS PROJECT.
 - THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IS ZONED "M-1" IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OCTOBER 6, 2013 COMPREHENSIVE ZONING PLAN.
 - THIS PROPERTY IS LOCATED WITHIN THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.
 - PUBLIC WATER IS PROVIDED BY CONTRACT 24-1012-D. PUBLIC SEWER IS PROVIDED BY CONTRACT 20-4536.
 - THERE IS A 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN WHICH CROSSES THROUGH THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE PROPERTY. THE FLOODPLAIN IS SHOWN ON THESE PLANS IS PER THE MAY 6, 2013 FEMA DIGITAL FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP (DFIRM).
 - THERE ARE NO STEEP SLOPES WITH A CONTIGUOUS AREA OF 20,000SF LOCATED ONSITE.
 - WETLAND DELINEATION AND FOREST STAND DELINEATION REPORT PREPARED BY ECO-SCIENCE PROFESSIONALS, INC. IN OCTOBER 3, 2016.
 - THERE ARE NO WETLANDS, STREAMS OR BUFFERS, OR SPECIMEN TREES WITHIN THE LOD.
 - THE FOREST CONSERVATION OBLIGATION FOR THIS PROJECT IS 1.17 ACRES OF REFORESTATION, WHICH SHALL BE SATISFIED BY THE PURCHASE OF FOREST PLANTING IN AND OFF-SITE FOREST MITIGATION BANK. THE FOREST CONSERVATION OBLIGATION FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE ADDRESSED UNDER THE SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN STAGE.
 - A NOISE STUDY IS NOT REQUIRED FOR THIS PROJECT.
 - OLD GUILFORD ROAD IS CLASSIFIED AS A LOCAL ROAD. GUILFORD ROAD IS CLASSIFIED AS A MAJOR COLLECTOR.
 - TO THE BEST OF THE OWNERS KNOWLEDGE, THERE ARE NO BURIAL GROUNDS OR CEMETERIES ON THIS PROPERTY. THERE ARE NO HISTORIC HOUSES LOCATED ON THIS PROPERTY.
 - STORMWATER MANAGEMENT FOR THE PROJECT IS PROVIDED BY FOUR MICRO-BIOTRETENTION FACILITIES (M-6). THIS FACILITIES SHALL BE PRIVATELY OWNED AND MAINTAINED.
 - THE LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE (LOD) SHOWN ON THE PLAN EXTENDS OFFSITE. LETTERS OF PERMISSION FOR ANY REQUIRED OFFSITE GRADING WILL BE PROVIDED AS PART OF THE SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN PHASE OF THE PROJECT.
 - APPROVAL OF THIS ENVIRONMENTAL CONCEPT PLAN (ECP) DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN APPROVAL OF ANY SUBSEQUENT AND ASSOCIATED SUBDIVISION PLAN/PLAT AND/OR SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND/OR REDLINE REVISION 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 SUBDIVISION PLAN/PLAT AND/OR SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND/OR REDLINE REVISION PROCESS. THE APPLICANT AND CONSULTANT SHOULD EXPECT ADDITIONAL AND MORE DETAILED REVIEW COMMENTS (INCLUDING COMMENTS THAT MAY ALTER THE OVERALL SITE DESIGN) AS THIS PROJECT PROGRESSES THROUGH THE PLAN REVIEW PROCESS.
 - APPROVAL OF THIS ENVIRONMENTAL CONCEPT PLAN (ECP) BY THE HOWARD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT DOES NOT GRANT APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED SEDIMENT CONTROL SCHEME. THE FINAL PLAN SHALL INCLUDE A SEQUENCE OF CONSTRUCTION WHICH SHALL DETAIL SEDIMENT & EROSION CONTROLS AND PHASING AND ADDRESS THE PROJECT TEMPORARY STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS.

ENVIRONMENTAL SITE DESIGN NARRATIVE:

- ALL NATURAL AREAS OF THIS SITE ARE LOCATED IN SOUTHERN PORTION OF THE PROPERTY AND INCLUDING 100YR FLOODPLAIN. THIS DEVELOPMENT PROPOSES TO REMOVE THE EXISTING VACANT DWELLING FROM WITHIN 100YR FLOODPLAIN AREA AND CONSTRUCT A SELF STORAGE BUILDING AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE. THERE WILL BE TEMPORARY DISTURBANCES TO 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN AREA DURING THE CONSTRUCTION PROCESS. THE FLOODPLAIN WILL BE PROPERLY STABILIZED DURING AND UPON COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT'S CONSTRUCTION. ANY IMPACTS TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES SHALL BE THE LEAST NECESSARY FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THIS PROJECT. THE REAR (NORTHERN END) OF THE PROPERTY HAS DEVELOPED INTO A SUCCESSIONAL FOREST COMMUNITY. IT IS LIKELY THAT THIS SUCCESSIONAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPED FROM A TREED LAWN HABITAT THAT WAS LEFT UNMAINTAINED FOR AN EXTENDED PERIOD OF TIME. SCATTERED LARGER TREES ARE PRESENT WITHIN THE SUCCESSIONAL FORESTED AREA, AND FOUR SPECIMEN TREES ARE LOCATED IN THE FRONT LAWN (SOUTHERN END). THE FOUR SPECIMEN TREES ARE NOT WITHIN THE LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE FOR THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT.
- THE SITE NATURALLY SLOPES FROM NORTH TO SOUTH TOWARDS THE EXISTING LITTLE PATUXENT RIVER LOCATED SOUTH OF OLD GUILFORD ROAD. THE SITE HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO MAINTAIN THE NATURAL DRAINAGE PATTERNS, WITH NO DRAMATIC CHANGES TO THE NATURAL DRAINAGE.
- THE CONCEPTUAL REDUCTION IN IMPERVIOUS AREA THROUGH BETTER SITE DESIGN IS ACHIEVED THROUGH THE ENVIRONMENTAL SITE DESIGN (ESD) FOR THE PROJECT TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PRACTICABLE (MEP). THE RESULTS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL SITE DESIGN FOR THIS PROJECT WILL RESULT IN GOOD CONDITION. THE ESD CONCEPT INCLUDES THE USE OF FOUR MICRO-BIOTRETENTION FACILITIES (M-6). THE TARGET REQUIRED/PROVIDED P₁₀₀ IS 1.8", THE ESDV REQUIRED IS 8,297 CF, AND THE ESDV PROVIDED IS 8,321 CF.
- SEDIMENT CONTROL FOR THIS SPECIFIC SITE PLAN WILL BE PROVIDED THROUGH THE USE OF CLEAN WATER EARTH DIKES, DIVERSION FENCE, TEMPORARY DIKE/SWALES, SILT FENCE AND SUPER SILT FENCE. SEDIMENT CONTROL SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT REQUIREMENTS AND SHALL BE APPROVED BY THE HOWARD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT DURING THE FUTURE SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN PHASE OF THE PROJECT.
- STORMWATER MANAGEMENT FOR THE PROJECT SHALL BE MET THROUGH THE USE OF FOUR MICRO-BIOTRETENTION FACILITIES (M-6). THE PROPOSED PRACTICES HAVE BEEN MAXIMIZED TO THE EXTENT PRACTICAL.
- THE IMPROVEMENTS WILL IMPACT THE 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN FOR THE PROPOSED DRIVEWAY AND ASSOCIATED GRADING. ALONG WITH TEMPORARY IMPACTS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE STORM DRAIN OUTFALL, WE DO NOT ANTICIPATE ANY ALTERNATIVE COMPLIANCE PETITIONS BEING REQUIRED FOR THE ESSENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL DISTURBANCES OF THIS PLAN.

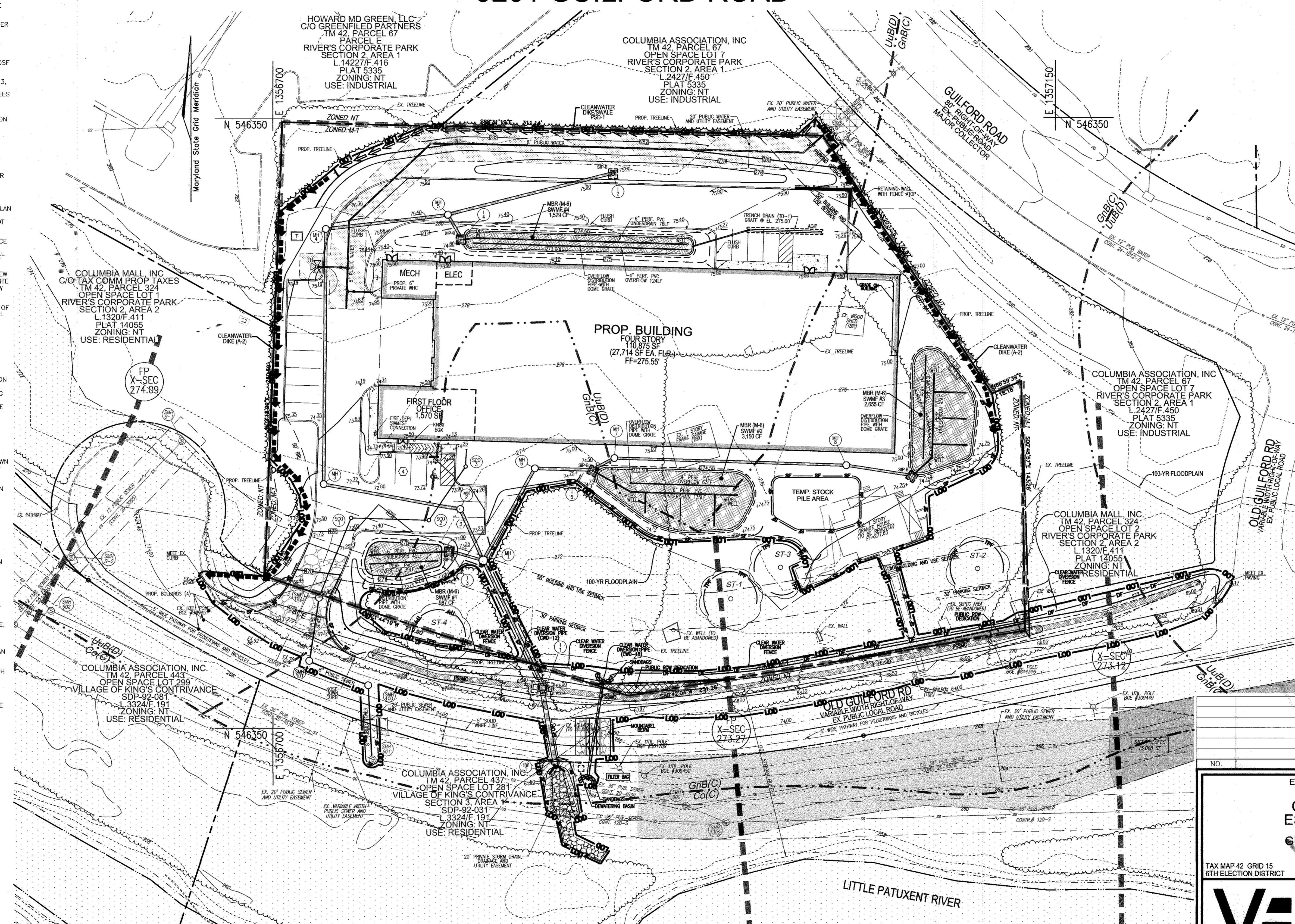
SITE DATA:

LOCATION: COLUMBIA, MD; TAX MAP 42, BLOCK 15, PARCEL 28
6TH ELECTION DISTRICT
PRESENT ZONING: M-1
PROJECT AREA: 2.73 AC.
DPZ REFERENCES: L1234F/421
USE OF STRUCTURE: SELF-STORAGE FACILITY
TOTAL BUILDING COVERAGE: 27,714 SF (0.64 AC. OR 24.54% OF GROSS AREA)
PAVED PARKING LOT/AREA ON SITE: 18,785 SF (0.43 AC. OR 15.75% OF GROSS AREA)
AREA OF LANDSCAPE ISLANDS: 5,277 SF (0.12 AC. OR 4.40% OF GROSS AREA)
LIMIT OF DISTURBED AREA: 2.54 AC.
WETLANDS WITHIN LOD: 0.00 AC.
WETLAND BUFFERS WITHIN LOD: 0.00 AC.
STREAMS AND THEIR BUFFERS WITHIN LOD: 0.00 AC.
AREA OF ON-SITE 100-YEAR FLOODPLAIN WITHIN LOD: 0.23 AC.
AREA OF EXISTING FOREST WITHIN LOD: 1.71 AC.
AREA OF ON-SITE NRCS/HSCD STEEP SLOPES (20% OR GREATER): 0.00 AC.
AREA OF ON-SITE STEEP SLOPES (25% OR GREATER): 0.00 AC.
AREA OF ERODIBLE SOILS: 1.32 AC.
AREA MANAGED BY ESDV (THIS PLAN): 1.81 AC.
IMPERVIOUS AREA (MANAGED BY ESDV): 1.13 AC.
GREEN AREA (MANAGED BY ESDV): 0.68 AC.

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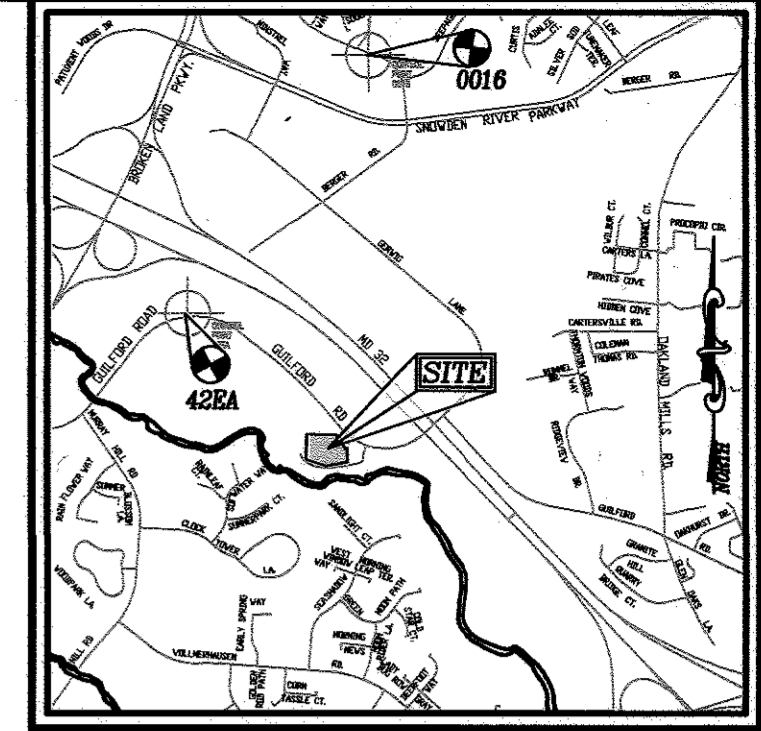
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ESDv CONCEPT PLAN
SCALE: 1"=30'

BENCHMARKS
BENCHMARK NO. 1: COUNTY CONTROL #0016
N. 550279.375, E. 1357329.021 ELEV. = 358.894
BENCHMARK NO. 2: COUNTY CONTROL #42EA
N. 547603.659, E. 1355440.285 ELEV. = 312.512



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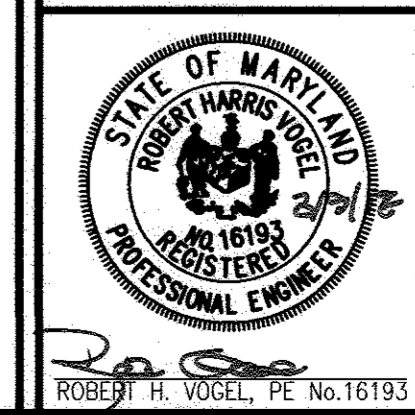
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- ADJACENT PROPERTY LINE
- EXISTING TREE LINE
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- EXISTING CURB AND GUTTER
- EXISTING UTILITY POLE
- EXISTING MAILBOX
- EXISTING SIGN
- EXISTING SANITARY MANHOLE
- EXISTING SANITARY LINE
- EXISTING CLEANOUT
- EXISTING FIRE HYDRANT
- EXISTING WATER LINE
- EXISTING FENCE
- PROPOSED STORMDRAIN
- PROPOSED STORMDRAIN INLET
- PROPOSED CURB
- PROPOSED SIDEWALK
- MICRO-BIOTRETENTION
- LIMITS OF FLOODPLAIN
- PROPOSED PUBLIC WATER & UTILITY EASEMENT
- LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE
- SILT FENCE
- SUPER SILT FENCE
- AT GRADE INLET PROTECTION
- STANDARD INLET PROTECTION
- STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE
- EARTH DIKE
- TEMP. DIKE/SWALE
- STEEP SLOPES (10%-24.99%)
- STEEP SLOPES (>25%)

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ENVIRONMENTAL CONCEPT PLAN
COVER SHEET AND ESDv CONCEPT PLAN
GUILFORD SELF STORAGE
SELF-STORAGE FACILITY
9201 GUILFORD ROAD
ZONED: M-1
TAX MAP 42, GRID 15, 6TH ELECTION DISTRICT
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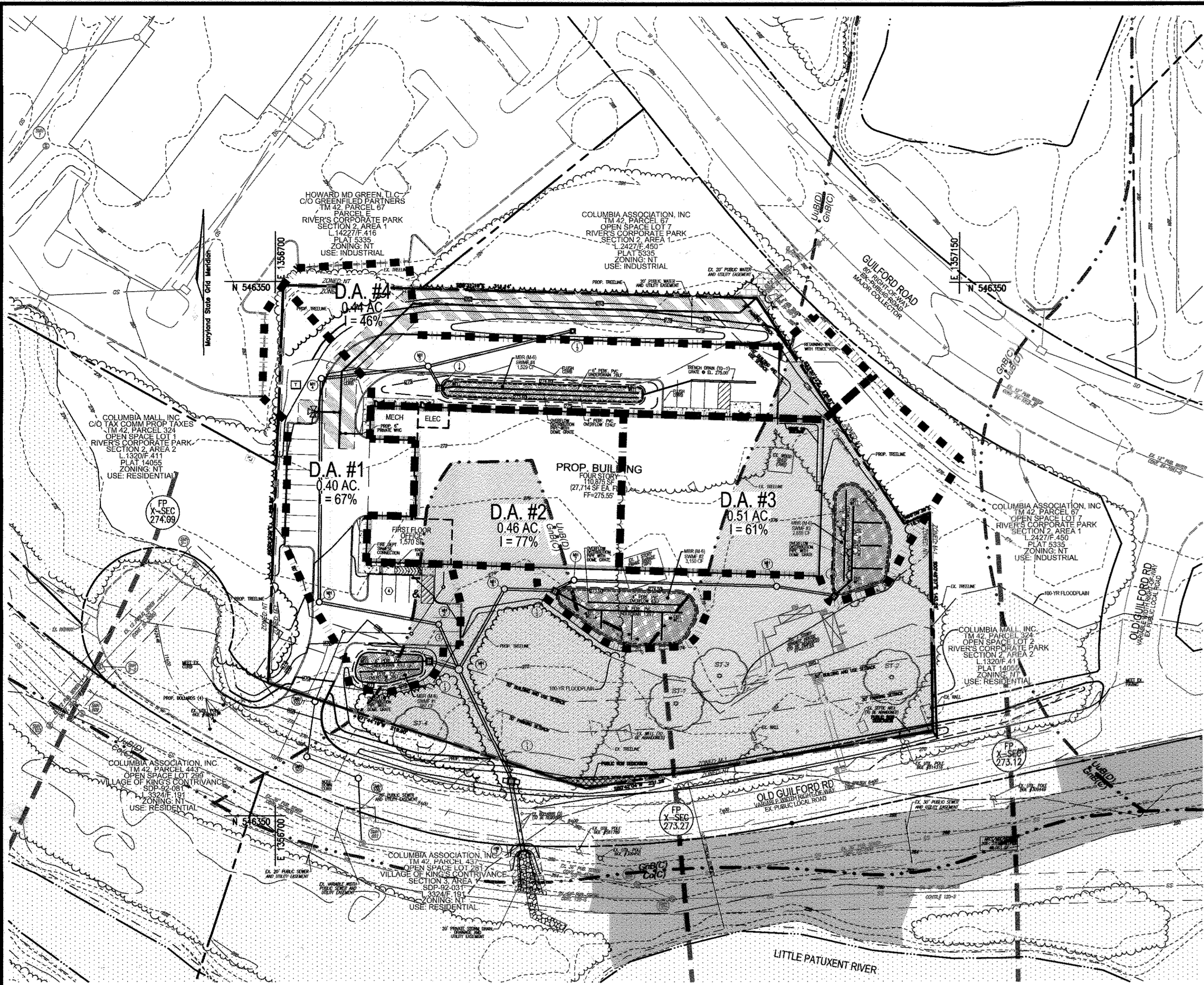
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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THESE DOCUMENTS WERE PREPARED OR APPROVED BY ME, AND THAT I AM A DULY LICENSED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, LICENSE NO. 16193, EXPIRATION DATE: 03-27-2018.

DESIGN BY: RHV/DZE
DRAWN BY: MR/CAH/DZE
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DATE: MARCH 2017
SCALE: AS SHOWN
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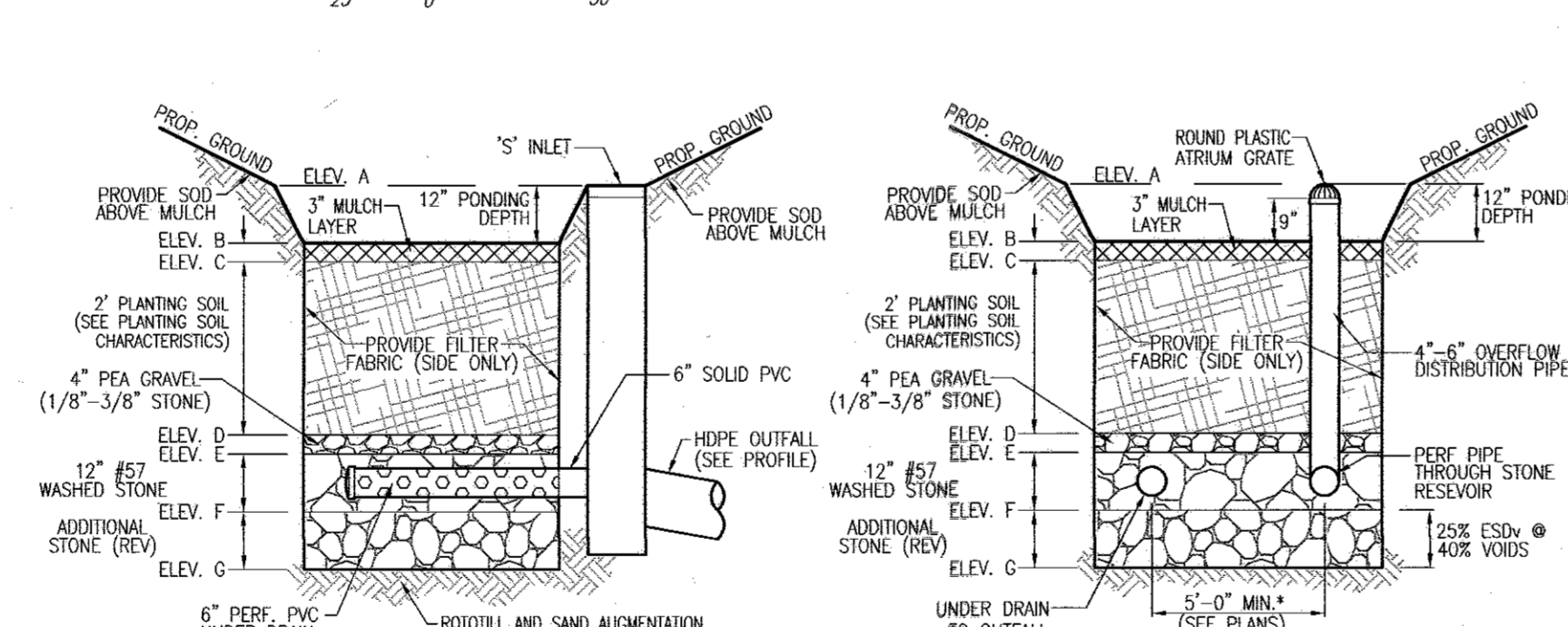
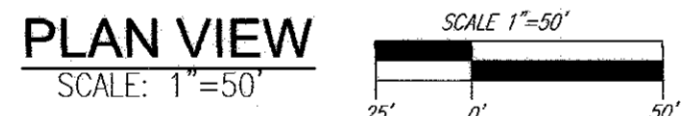
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SOILS LEGEND
HOWARD COUNTY SOILS MAP #24

SYMBOL	NAME / DESCRIPTION	GROUP	K FACTOR	ERODIBLE	ACREAGE
GnB	GLENVILLE-BAILE SILT LOAMS, 0 TO 8 PERCENT SLOPES	C	0.43	YES	1.32
UaB	URBAN LAND - URBANTHENSIS COMPLEX, 0 TO 8 PERCENT SLOPES	D	0.28	NO	1.44

SOILS NOTE:
HIGHLY ERODIBLE SOILS ARE THOSE SOILS WITH A SLOPE GREATER THAN 15 PERCENT OR THOSE SOILS WITH A SOIL ERODIBILITY FACTOR K GREATER THAN 0.35 AND WITH A SLOPE GREATER THAN 5 PERCENT.



MICRO-BIORETENTION NOTES:

- ONLY THE SIDES OF MICROBIORETENTION ARE TO BE WRAPPED IN FILTER FABRIC. FILTER FABRIC BETWEEN LAYER OR AT THE BOTTOM OF THE MICROBIORETENTION WILL CAUSE THE MUD TO FILL AND THEREFORE SHALL NOT BE INSTALLED.
- WRAP THE PERFORATED UNDERDRAIN PIPE WITH 1/4" MESH (4x4) OR SMALLER GALVANIZED HARDWARE CLOTH.
- PROVIDE 5" MINIMUM SPACING BETWEEN UNDER DRAIN AND PERFORATED PIPE THROUGH STONE RESERVOIR OR SPACE PIPE EQUALLY ACROSS BOTTOM FOR SMALL BIOS. (SEE PLANS)

ENVIRONMENTAL SITE DESIGN PRACTICE

DRAINAGE AREA #	AREA TREATED	FACILITY NUMBER	PERMEABLE PAVEMENT	LANDSCAPE INFILTRATION	PERVIOUS SIDEWALK	BIO SWALE	GRAVEL TRENCH	MICRO BIO RETENTION	ESDv VOLUME
1	17,464	SWM#1	0	0	0	0	0	987	987
		SUBTOTAL						987	987
2	20,144	SWM#2	0	0	0	0	0	3,150	3,150
		SUBTOTAL						3,150	3,150
3	22,113	SWM#3	0	0	0	0	0	2,655	2,655
		SUBTOTAL						2,655	2,655
4	19,146	SWM#2	0	0	0	0	0	1,529	1,529
		SUBTOTAL						1,529	1,529
		TOTALS:						8,321	8,321

TOTAL AREA: 78,867 SF
1.81 AC
TOTAL ESDv PROVIDED: 8,321

Per: 1.80
ESDv=(PexRvxA)/12
Rv=0.05+0.009R
V min=1.0" rainfall
V max=1yr rainfall=2.6"

DA	% IMPERV	Rv	DA	ESDv REQ.	MINIMUM VOLUME	MAXIMUM VOLUME	TOTAL VOL PROVIDED	SWMPRACTICE	SURFACE STORAGE AREA (SF) DEPTH (FT)	ESDv VOLUME (CF)	Rev-STONE (FT)	Rev-STONE (FT)	AREA SF	PERV AREA	IMP AREA
1	67	0.65	0.40	1,710	950	2,470	987	MICRO-BIORETENTION	740 1.0	987	463	0.83	17,464	5,768	11,695
2	77	0.74	0.46	2,244	1,247	3,242	3,150	MICRO-BIORETENTION	2,362 1.0	3,150	1,476	0.83	20,144	4,639	15,505
3	61	0.60	0.51	1,984	1,102	2,866	2,655	MICRO-BIORETENTION	1,991 1.0	2,655	1,244	0.83	22,113	8,645	13,468
4	46	0.46	0.44	1,320	733	1,907	1,529	MICRO-BIORETENTION	1,147 1.0	1,529	717	0.83	19,146	10,432	8,714
TOTAL ESDv BY SUBAREA								5938		8,321			78,867	29,484	49,383
										8,297			1.81	0.68	1.13

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Appendix B.4. Construction Specifications for Environmental Site Design Practices

Table B.4.1 Materials Specifications for Micro-Bioretenion, Rain Gardens & Landscape Infiltration-

Material	Specification	Size	Notes
Planting soil [2' to 4' deep]	see Appendix A, Table A.4	n/a	plantings are site-specific
Planting soil [2' to 4' deep]	loamy sand (60 - 65%) & compost (35 - 40%) or sandy loam (30%), coarse sand (20%) & compost (40%)	n/a	USDA soil types loamy sand or sandy loam; clay content < 5%
Organic content	Min. 10% by dry weight (ASTM D 2974)		
Mulch	shredded hardwood		aged 6 months, minimum; no pine or wood chips
Pea gravel diaphragm	pea gravel: ASTM-D-448	NO. 8 OR NO. 9 (1/8" TO 3/8")	
Curtain drain	ornamental stone: washed cobbles	stone: 2" to 5"	
Geotextile			PE Type 1 nonwoven
Gravel (underdrains and infiltration berms)	AASHTO M-43	NO. 57 OR NO. 6 AGGREGATE (3/8" TO 3/4")	
Underdrain piping	F 758, Type PS 28 or AASHTO M-278	4" to 6" rigid schedule 40 PVC or SDR35	Slotted or perforated pipe; 3/8" perf. @ 6" on center, 4 holes per row; minimum of 3" of gravel over pipe; not necessary unless media pipes. Perforated pipe shall be wrapped with 1/4-inch galvanized hardware cloth
Poured in place concrete (if required)	MSHA Mix No. 3; f'c = 3500 psi @ 28 days, normal weight, air-entrained; reinforcing to meet ASTM-615-60	n/a	on-site testing of poured-in-place concrete required; 28 day strength and slump test; all concrete design (cast-in-place or pre-cast) not using previously approved State or local standards requires design drawings scaled and approved by a professional structural engineer licensed in the State of Maryland - design to include meeting ACI Code 510.8.9.9 vertical loading (11-10 or 11-20); allowable horizontal loading (based on soil pressures); and analysis of potential cracking
Sand	AASHTO M-6 or ASTM-C-33	0.02" to 0.04"	Sand substitutions such as Diabase and Graystone (AASHTO #10) are not acceptable. No calcium carbonated or dolomitic sand substitutions are acceptable. No "rock dust" can be used for sand.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE FOR LANDSCAPE INFILTRATION (M-3), MICRO-BIORETENTION (M-6), RAIN GARDENS (M-7), BIORETENTION SWALE (M-8), AND ENHANCED FILTERS (M-9)

- THE OWNER SHALL MAINTAIN THE PLANT MATERIAL, MULCH LAYER AND SOIL LAYER ANNUALLY. 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, PRUNING, ACCEPTABLE REPLACEMENT PLANT MATERIAL IS LIMITED TO THE FOLLOWING: 2000 MARYLAND STORMWATER DESIGN MANUAL, VOLUME II, TABLE A.4.1 AND 2.
- THE OWNER SHALL PERFORM A PLANT IN THE SPRING AND IN THE FALL OF EACH YEAR. DURING THE INSPECTION, THE OWNER SHALL REMOVE DEAD AND DISEASED VEGETATION CONSIDERED BEYOND TREATMENT, REPLACE DEAD PLANT MATERIAL WITH ACCEPTABLE REPLACEMENT PLANT MATERIAL, TREAT DISEASED TREES AND SHRUBS, AND REPLACE ALL DEFICIENT STAKES AND WIRES.
- THE OWNER SHALL INSPECT THE MULCH EACH SPRING. THE MULCH SHALL BE REPLACED EVERY TWO TO THREE YEARS. THE PREVIOUS MULCH LAYER SHALL BE REMOVED BEFORE THE NEW LAYER IS APPLIED.
- THE OWNER SHALL CORRECT SOIL EROSION ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS, WITH A MINIMUM OF ONCE PER MONTH AND AFTER EACH HEAVY STORM.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONCEPT PLAN NOTES:

- APPROVAL OF THIS SIMPLIFIED ECP DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN APPROVAL OF ANY SUBSEQUENT AND ASSOCIATED BUILDING AND/OR GRADING PERMIT.
- REVIEW OF THIS PLAN FOR COMPLETE COMPLIANCE WITH ZONING AND SUBDIVISION AND LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS SHALL OCCUR AT THE SITE DEVELOPMENT STAGE AND THEREFORE, THIS PLAN IS SUBJECT TO ADDITIONAL AND MORE DETAILED COMMENTS AS THE PLAN PROGRESSES THROUGH THE SITE DEVELOPMENT PROCESS.

APPENDIX B.4.C SPECIFICATIONS FOR MICRO-BIORETENTION, RAIN GARDEN, LANDSCAPE INFILTRATION & INFILTRATION BERMS

1. MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS
THE ALLOWABLE MATERIALS TO BE USED IN THESE PRACTICES ARE DETAILED IN TABLE B.4.1.

2. FILTERING MEDIA OR PLANTING SOIL
THE SOIL SHALL BE A UNIFORM MIX, FREE OF STONES, STUMPS, ROOTS OR OTHER SIMILAR OBJECTS LARGER THAN TWO INCHES. NO OTHER MATERIALS OR SUBSTANCES SHALL BE MIXED OR DUMPED WITHIN THE MICRO-BIORETENTION PRACTICE THAT MAY BE HARMFUL TO PLANT GROWTH, OR PROVE A HINDRANCE TO THE PLANTING OR MAINTENANCE OPERATIONS. THE PLANTING SOIL SHALL BE FREE OF BERMUDA GRASS, QUACKGRASS, JOINTED CRACKGRASS, OR OTHER NOXIOUS WEEDS AS SPECIFIED UNDER COMAR 15.08.01.05. THE PLANTING SOIL SHALL BE TESTED AND SHALL MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:
• SOIL COMPONENT - LOAMY SAND OR SANDY LOAM (USDA SOIL TEXTURAL CLASSIFICATION).
• ORGANIC CONTENT - MINIMUM 10% BY DRY WEIGHT (ASTM D 2974). IN GENERAL, THIS CAN BE MET WITH A MIXTURE OF LOAMY SAND (60%-65%) AND COMPOST (35% TO 40%) OR SANDY LOAM (30%), COARSE SAND (30%), AND COMPOST (40%).
• CLAY CONTENT - MEDIA SHALL HAVE A CLAY CONTENT OF LESS THAN 5%.
• PH RANGE - SHOULD BE BETWEEN 5.5 - 7.0. AMENDMENTS (E.G., LIME, IRON SULFATE PLUS SULFUR) MAY BE MIXED IN TO THE SOIL TO INCREASE OR DECREASE PH.
THERE SHALL BE AT LEAST ONE SOIL TEST PER PROJECT. EACH TEST SHALL CONSIST OF BOTH THE STANDARD SOIL TEST FOR PH, AND ADDITIONAL TESTS OF ORGANIC MATTER, AND SOLUBLE SALTS. A TEXTURAL ANALYSIS IS REQUIRED FROM THE SITE STOCKPILED TOPSOIL, IF TOPSOIL IS IMPORTED. THEN A TEXTURE ANALYSIS SHALL BE PERFORMED FOR EACH LOCATION WHERE THE TOPSOIL WAS EXCAVATED.

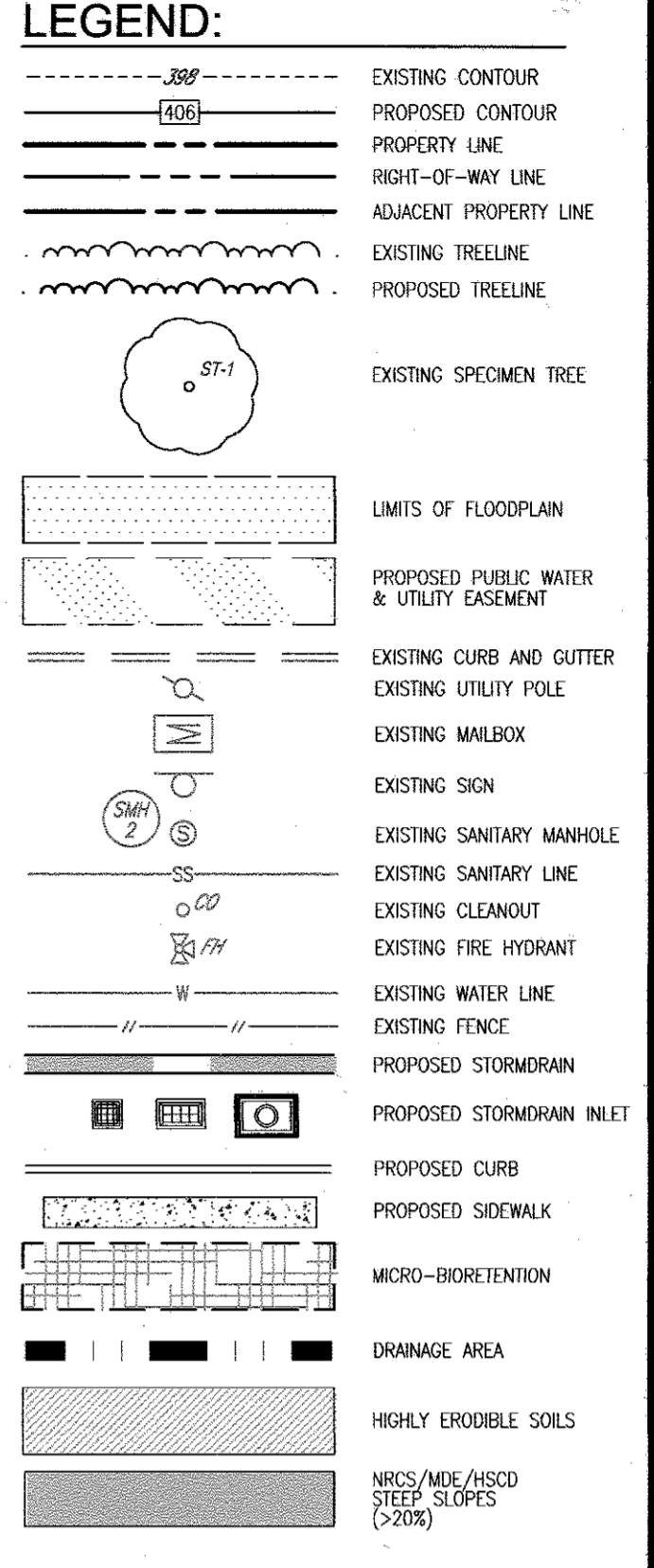
3. COMPACTION
IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO MINIMIZE COMPACTION OF BOTH THE BASE OF BIORETENTION PRACTICES AND THE REQUIRED BACKFILL WHEN POSSIBLE. USE EXCAVATION HOES TO REMOVE ORIGINAL SOIL. IF PRACTICES ARE EXCAVATED USING LOADERS, THE CONTRACTOR SHOULD USE WIDE TRACK OR MARSH TRACK EQUIPMENT OR LIGHT EQUIPMENT WITH TIRE TYPE TIRES. USE OF EQUIPMENT WITH NARROW TRACKS OR NARROW TIRES, RUBBER TIRES WITH LARGE LUGS, OR OTHER NOXIOUS TIRES WILL CAUSE EXCESSIVE COMPACTION RESULTING IN REDUCED INFILTRATION RATES AND IS NOT ACCEPTABLE. EQUIPMENT WILL SIGNIFICANTLY CONTRIBUTE TO DESIGN FAILURE. COMPACTION CAN BE ALLEVIATED AT THE BASE OF THE BIORETENTION FACILITY BY USING A PRIMARY TILLING OPERATION SUCH AS CHESEL PLOW, RIPPER, OR SUBSOILER. THESE TILLING OPERATIONS ARE TO RETRACTURE THE SOIL PROFILES THROUGH THE 12" HIGH COMPACTION ZONE. SUBSTITUTE METHODS MUST BE APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER. ROTOTILLERS TYPICALLY DO NOT TILL DEEP ENOUGH TO REDUCE THE EFFECTS OF COMPACTION FROM HEAVY EQUIPMENT.
ROTOTILL 2 TO 3 INCHES OF SAND INTO THE BASE OF THE BIORETENTION FACILITY BEFORE BACKFILLING THE OPTIONAL SAND LAYER. PUMP AWAY WATER BEFORE PREPARING (ROTOTILL) BASE. WHEN BACKFILLING THE TOPSOIL OVER THE SAND LAYER, FIRST PLACE 3 TO 4 INCHES OF TOPSOIL OVER THE SAND, THEN ROTOTILL THE SAND/TOPSOIL TO CREATE A GRADATION ZONE. BACKFILL THE REMAINDER OF THE TOPSOIL TO FINAL GRADE. WHEN BACKFILLING THE BIORETENTION FACILITY PLACE SOIL IN LOTS 12" TO 18". DO NOT USE HEAVY EQUIPMENT WITHIN THE BIORETENTION BASIN. HEAVY EQUIPMENT CAN BE USED AROUND THE PERIMETER OF THE BASIN TO SUPPLY SAND AND SAND. GRADE BIORETENTION MATERIALS WITH LIGHT EQUIPMENT SUCH AS A COMPACT LOADER OR A DOZER/LOADER WITH MARSH TRACKS.

4. PLANT MATERIAL
RECOMMENDED PLANT MATERIAL FOR MICRO-BIORETENTION PRACTICES CAN BE FOUND IN APPENDIX A, SECTION A.2.3.

5. PLANT INSTALLATION
COMPOST IS A BETTER ORGANIC MATERIAL SOURCE, IS LESS LIKELY TO FLOAT, AND SHOULD BE PLACED IN THE INVERT AND OTHER LOW AREAS. MULCH SHOULD BE PLACED IN SURROUNDING TO A UNIFORM THICKNESS OF 2" TO 3". SHREDDED OR CHIPPED HARDWOOD MULCH IS THE ONLY ACCEPTED MULCH. PINE MULCH AND WOOD CHIPS WILL FLOAT AND MOVE TO THE PERIMETER OF THE BIORETENTION AREA. DURING A STORM EVENT AND ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE. SHREDDED MULCH MUST BE WELL AID (6 TO 12 MONTHS) FOR ACCEPTANCE. ROOTSTOCK OF THE PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE KEPT MOIST DURING TRANSPORT AND ON-SITE STORAGE. THE PLANT ROOT BALL SHOULD BE PLANTED SO 1/3 OF THE BALL IS ABOVE FINAL GRADE SURFACE. THE DIAMETER OF THE PLANTING PIT SHALL BE AT LEAST SIX INCHES LARGER THAN THE DIAMETER OF THE PLANTING BALL. SET AND MAINTAIN THE PLANT STRAIGHT DURING THE ENTIRE PLANTING PROCESS. THOROUGHLY WATER GROUND BED COVER AFTER INSTALLATION. TREES SHALL BE BRACED USING 2" BY 2" STAKES ONLY AS NECESSARY AND FOR THE FIRST GROWING SEASON ONLY. STAKES ARE TO BE EQUALLY SPACED ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE TREE BALL. GRASSES AND LEGUME SEED SHOULD BE DRILLED INTO THE SOIL TO A DEPTH OF AT LEAST ONE INCH. GRASS AND LEGUME PLOTS SHALL BE PLANTED FOLLOWING THE NON-GRASS GROUND COVER PLANTING SPECIFICATIONS. THE TOPSOIL SPECIFICATIONS PROVIDE ENOUGH ORGANIC MATERIAL TO ADEQUATELY SUPPLY NUTRIENTS FROM NATURAL CYCLING. THE PRIMARY FUNCTION OF THE BIORETENTION STRUCTURE IS TO IMPROVE WATER QUALITY. ADDING FERTILIZERS DEFERS, OR AT A MINIMUM, IMPROVES THE GOAL. ONLY ADD FERTILIZER IF WOOD CHIPS OR MULCH ARE USED TO AMEND THE SOIL. ROTOTILL UREA FERTILIZER AT A RATE OF 2 POUNDS PER 1000 SQUARE FEET.

6. UNDERDRAINS
UNDERDRAINS SHOULD MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:
• PIPE - SHOULD BE 4" TO 6" DIAMETER, SLOTTED OR PERFORATED RIGID PLASTIC PIPE (ASTM F 758, TYPE PS 28, OR AASHTO M-278) IN A GRAVEL LAYER. THE PREFERRED MATERIAL IS SLOTTED, 4" RIGID PIPE (E.G., PVC OR HDPE).
• PERFORATIONS - IF PERFORATED PIPE IS USED, PERFORATIONS SHOULD BE 3/8" DIAMETER LOCATED 6" ON CENTER WITH A MINIMUM OF FOUR HOLES PER ROW. PIPE SHALL BE WRAPPED WITH A 1/4" (NO. 4) OR 4x4 GALVANIZED HARDWARE CLOTH.
• GRAVEL - THE GRAVEL LAYER (NO. 57 STONE PREFERRED) SHALL BE AT LEAST 3" THICK ABOVE AND BELOW THE UNDERDRAIN.
• THE MAIN COLLECTOR PIPE SHALL BE AT A MINIMUM 0.5% SLOPE.
• A RIGID, NON-PERFORATED OBSERVATION WELL MUST BE PROVIDED (ONE PER EVERY 1,000 SQUARE FEET) TO PROVIDE A CLEAN-OUT PORT AND MONITOR PERFORMANCE OF THE FILTER.
• A 4" LAYER OF PEA GRAVEL (1/8" TO 3/8" STONE) SHALL BE LOCATED BETWEEN THE FILTER MEDIA AND UNDERDRAIN TO PREVENT MIGRATION OF FINES INTO THE UNDERDRAIN. THIS LAYER MAY BE CONSIDERED PART OF THE FILTER BED WHEN BED THICKNESS EXCEEDS 24".
THE MAIN COLLECTOR PIPE FOR UNDERDRAIN SYSTEMS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED AT A MINIMUM SLOPE OF 0.5%. OBSERVATION WELLS AND/OR CLEAN-OUT PIPES MUST BE PROVIDED (ONE MINIMUM PER EVERY 1000 SQUARE FEET OF SURFACE AREA).

7. MISCELLANEOUS
THESE PRACTICES MAY NOT BE CONSTRUCTED UNTIL ALL CONTRIBUTING DRAINAGE AREA HAS BEEN STABILIZED.



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Forest Conservation Worksheet 2.2

Net Tract Area					
A. Total Tract Area					A = 2.73
B. Deductions	0.01 AC. ROW DEED & 0.56 FLOODPLAIN				B = 0.57
C. Net Tract Area					C = 2.16

Land Use Category

ARA	MDR	IDA	HDR	MPD	CIA
0	0	0	1	0	0

Input the number "1" under the appropriate land use zoning, and limit to only one entry

D. Afforestation Threshold (Net Tract Area x 15%)	D = 0.32
E. Conservation Threshold (Net Tract Area x 20%)	E = 0.43

Existing Forest Cover

F. Existing Forest Cover within the Net Tract Area	F = 1.67
G. Area of Forest Above Conservation Threshold	G = 1.24

Break Even Point

H. Break Even Point	H = 0.68
I. Forest Clearing Permitted Without Mitigation	I = 0.99

Proposed Forest Clearing

J. Total Area of Forest to be Cleared	J = 1.67
K. Total Area of Forest to be Retained	K = 0.00

Planting Requirements

L. Reforestation for Clearing Above the Conservation Threshold	L = 0.31
M. Reforestation for Clearing Below the Conservation Threshold	M = 0.00
N. Credit for Retention above the Conservation Threshold	N = 0.00
P. Total Reforestation Required	P = 1.17
Q. Total Afforestation Required	Q = 0.00
R. Total Planting Requirement	R = 1.17

ENVIRONMENTAL CONCEPT PLAN

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT DRAINAGE AREA MAP; SWM DETAILS

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