

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Baltimore District PN-23-27

# **Public Notice**

In Reply to Application Number
NAB-2022-61346-M30 (Living Shoreline and Beach
Restoration Project at Plum Point)

Comment Period: May 30, 2023 to June 29, 2023

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS TO INFORM INTERESTED PARTIES OF THE PROPOSED ACTIVITY AND TO SOLICIT COMMENTS. NO DECISION HAS BEEN MADE AS TO WHETHER OR NOT A PERMIT WILL BE ISSUED AT THIS TIME.

This District has received an application for a Department of the Army permit pursuant to Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act (33 USC 403) and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 USC 1344),as described below:

### **APPLICANT:**

Neeld Estate Citizens Association c/o: Ms. Eve Shoemaker 2825 Lookout Trail Huntingtown, Maryland 20639

### WATERWAY AND LOCATION OF THE PROPOSED WORK:

The proposed project is located in the Chesapeake Bay, between and including 2917 and 2725 Beach Drive, in Huntington, Calvert County, Maryland. (38.6135N, -76.512097W)

### **OVERALL PROJECT PURPOSE:**

The purpose of the project is to maintain an existing beach through erosion control structures, beach nourishment and marsh establishment.

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The applicant proposes, in accordance with the attached plans, to stabilize approximately 1,270 linear feet (If) of shoreline by constructing three 30-foot (ft) wide by 180 ft long 4.5-ft high breakwaters and one 30-ft wide by 107-ft long 4.5 ft high breakwater, to fill and grade with 15,807 cubic yards of sand and plant approximately 30,480 square feet (sf) of high marsh vegetation and create ten 10-ft wide beach access paths all within a maximum of 145 ft channelward of the mean high water line. Please refer to the table below for a summary of aquatic resource impacts.

### **EFFECTS ON AQUATIC RESOURCES:**

Proposed Activity	Aquatic	Aquatic	Authority
	Resource	Resource Type	
	Impact (sf)		
Breakwaters	19,410	Open	
		Water/Intertidal	
Sand Fill	140,120	Open	Section
		water/Intertidal	10/404
Marsh Creation	30,480	Intertidal	
Total:	190,010		

### **LEAD FEDERAL AGENCY:**

The United States Army Corps of Engineers, as the lead federal agency, is responsible for all coordination pursuant to applicable federal authorities.

## APPLICANT'S PROPOSED AVOIDANCE, MINIMIZATION, AND COMPENSATORY MITIGATION:

As part of the planning process for the proposed project, steps were taken to ensure avoidance and minimization of impacts to aquatic resources to the maximum extent practicable based on the existing site conditions.

The project shoreline is situated on the Chesapeake Bay with an approximately 11.6-mile southern fetch exposure. The existing shoreline is eroding between approximately 0.1 and 1.5 ft/year. The applicant has minimized the channelward extent of the proposed fill and structures to the maximum extent practical whereby reducing overall impacts including reducing the size of the breakwaters from 210 ft in length to 180 ft in length. The total channelward encroachment of approximately 145 ft which is less channelward encroachment of the adjacent jetty. The project does not propose to impact submerged aquatic vegetation (SAV) or marsh based on existing site conditions and Corps review of SAV mapping data available from the Virginia Institute of Marine Sciences for the most recent 5 years of mapped coverage data.

No compensatory mitigation is proposed. No SAV or wetlands would be impacted as a result of the proposed project. The proposed project upon completion would result in a net gain of approximately 30,480 sf of intertidal marsh.

### **CORPS EVALUATION REQUIREMENTS:**

This project will be evaluated pursuant to Corps Regulatory Program Regulations (33) CFR Parts 320-332). The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts, including cumulative impacts of the proposed activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefit, which reasonable may be expected to accrue from the proposal, must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors, which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered, including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are conservation, economic, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, cultural values, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, flood plain values, land use, navigation, shoreline erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food and fiber production, mineral needs, and consideration of property ownership and in general, the needs and welfare of the people. The evaluation of the impact of this project will also include application of the Clean Water Act Section 404(b)(1) Guidelines promulgated by the Administrator, United States Environmental Protection Agency.

### **ENDANGERED SPECIES:**

A preliminary review of this application indicates that the proposed work is not likely to adversely affect federally listed threatened or endangered species or their critical habitat, pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, as amended. The project site has been mapped as migrating and foraging habitat for subadult and adult Atlantic sturgeon (*Acipenser oxyriynchus oxyriynchus*); migrating and foraging habitat for adult shortnose sturgeon (*Acipenser brevirostrum*); and migrating and foraging habitat for adult and juvenile Green sea turtle (*Chelonia mydas*), Kemp's ridley sea turtle (*Lepidochelys kempii*), Leatherback sea turtle (*Dermochelys coriacea*), and Loggerhead sea turtle (*Caretta caretta*). The project location and vicinity are not mapped as critical habitat for any known federally listed threatened or endangered species under United States Fish and Wildlife Service's jurisdiction. As the evaluation of this application continues, additional information may become available which could modify this preliminary determination.

### **ESSENTIAL FISH HABITAT:**

The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (MSFCMA), as amended by the Sustainable Fisheries Act of 1996 (Public Law 04-267), requires all federal agencies to consult with the National Marine Fisheries Service on all actions, or proposed actions, permitted, funded, or undertaken by the agency that may adversely

affect Essential Fish Habitat (EFH), including species of concern, life cycle habitat, or Habitat Areas of Particular Concern. The project site lies in or adjacent to EFH as described under MSFCMA designated in Chesapeake Bay for little skate (Leucoraja erinacea), Atlantic herring (Clupea harengus), red hake, (Urophycis chuss), windowpane flounder (Scophthalmus aquosus), winter skate (L. ocellata), clearnose skate (Raja eglanteria), bluefish (Pomatomus saltatrix), Atlantic butterfish (Peprilus triacanthus), scup (Stenotomus chrysops), summer flounder (Paralichthys dentatus), and black sea bass (Centropristis striata); all managed species under the MSFCMA. The Baltimore District has made a preliminary determination that the project will not have a substantial adverse effecton EFH. The Baltimore District has made a preliminary determination that mitigative measures are not required to minimize adverse effects on EFH at this time. This determination may be modified if additional information indicates otherwise.

### **HISTORIC RESOURCES:**

Pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 and applicable guidance, the Corps has reviewed the latest published version of the National Register of Historic Places and initially determined that no registered properties listed as eligible for inclusion, therein, are located at the site of the proposed work. The Corps has made the preliminary determination that the proposed project would have no effect on historic properties. The Corps final eligibility and effect determination will be based on coordination with the State Historic Preservation Office as appropriate and required, and with full consideration given to the proposed undertaking's potential direct and indirect effects on historic properties within the Corps' identified permit area.

### TRIBAL RESOURCES:

Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act also requires federal agencies to consult with federally recognized American Indian tribes that attach religious and cultural significance to historic properties that may be affected by the agency's undertaking. Corps Tribal Consultation Policy mandates an open, timely, meaningful, collaborative, and effective deliberative communication process that emphasizes trust, respect, and shared responsibility. The policy further emphasizes that, to the extent practicable and permitted by law, consultation works toward mutual consensus and begins at the earliest planning stages before decisions are made and actions taken. The Corps final eligibility and effect determination will be based on coordination with interested tribes, in accordance with the Corps current tribal standard operating procedures as appropriate and required, and with full consideration given to the proposed undertaking's potential direct and indirect effects on tribal resources.

### **MODIFICATION OF CIVIL WORKS PROJECTS: 33 USC 408 (SECTION 408):**

All Section 408 proposals will be coordinated internally at the United States Army Corps of Engineers. The Section 408 decision will be issued along with the Section 404 and/or Section 10 decision. Please see the following link for more information regarding Section 408: <a href="https://www.nab.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Section-408-Reguests/">https://www.nab.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory/Section-408-Reguests/</a>.

### WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION:

The applicant is required to obtain a water quality certification in accordance with Section 401 of the Clean Water Act.

### **COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS:**

Where applicable, the applicant has certified in this application that the proposed activity complies with and will be conducted in a manner consistent with the approved Coastal Zone Management Program. By this public notice, we are requesting the state concurrence or objection to the applicant's consistency statement.

The applicant must obtain any state or local government permits which may be required.

### SUBMISSION OF COMMENTS:

The Corps of Engineers is soliciting comments from the public; federal, state, and local agencies and officials; Indian Tribes; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate the impacts of this proposed activity. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps of Engineers to determine whether to issue, modify, condition, or deny a permit for this proposal. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above. Comments are used in the preparation of an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Statement pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act. Comments provided will become part of the public record for this action and are subject to release to the public through the Freedom of Information Act. Comments are also used to determine the need for a public hearing and to determine the overall public interest of the proposed activity.

Written comments concerning the work described above related to the factors listed above or other pertinent factors must be received by the United States Army Corps of

Engineers, Baltimore District within the comment period specified above through postal mail at the address below or electronic submission to the project manager email address below. Written comments should reference the Application Number NAB-2022-61346-M30.

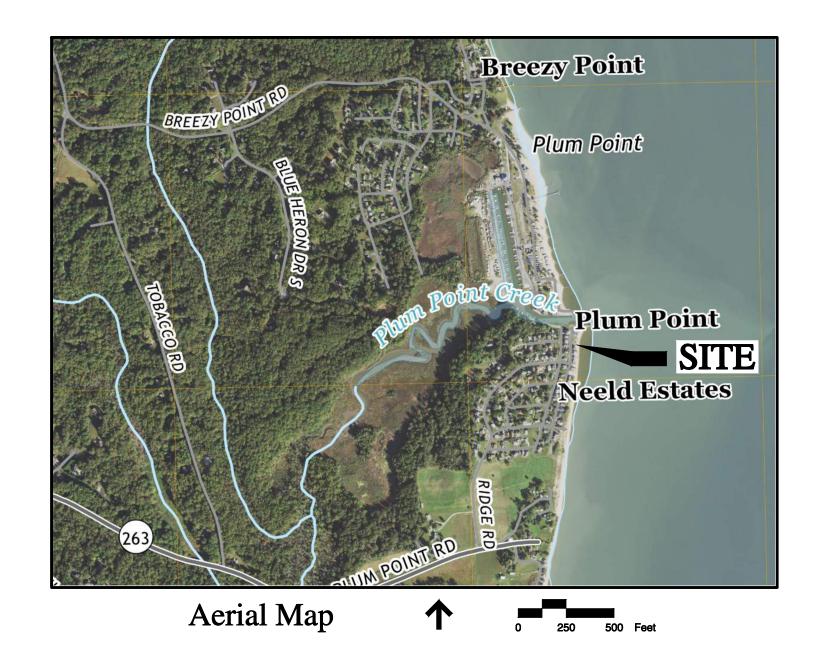
### **PUBLIC HEARING REQUESTS:**

Any person who has an interest which may be adversely affected by the issuance of this permit may request a public hearing. The request, which must be in writing, must be received within the comment period as specified above to receive consideration. Also, it must clearly set forth the interest which may be adversely affected by this activity and the manner in which the interest may be adversely affected. The public hearing request may be submitted by electronic mail or mailed to the following address:

Erica W. Schmidt
erica.schmidt@usace.army.mil
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore District
Regulatory Branch
2 Hopkins Plaza
Baltimore, Maryland 21201

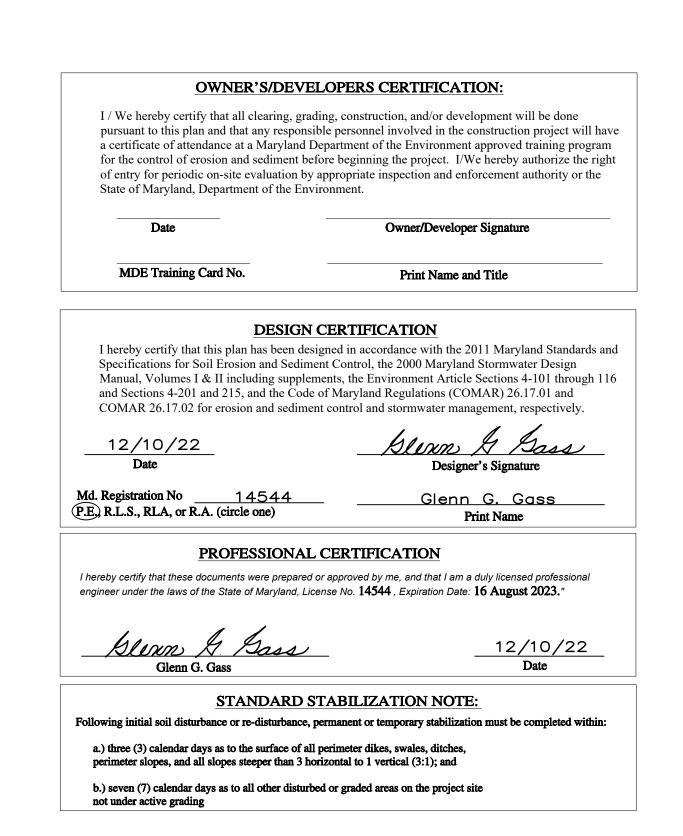
It is requested that you communicate this information concerning the proposed work to any persons known by you to be interested, who did not receive a copy of this notice.

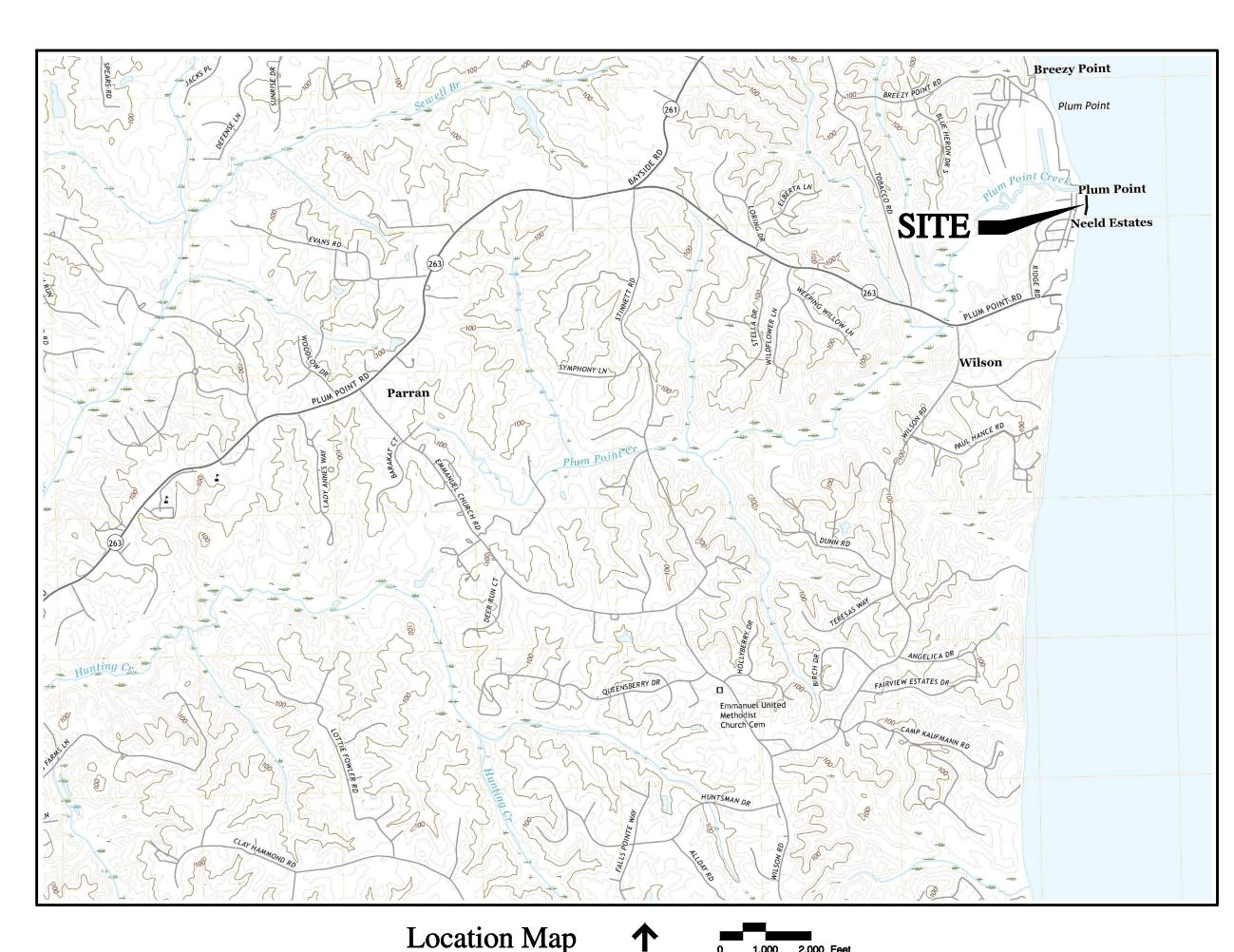
General information regarding the Corps' permitting process can be found on our website at <a href="https://www.nab.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory.aspx">https://www.nab.usace.army.mil/Missions/Regulatory.aspx</a>. This public notice has been prepared in accordance with Corps implementing regulations at 33 CFR 325.3. If you have any questions concerning this specific project or would like to request a paper copy of this public notice, please contact Ms. Erica Schmidt at <a href="mailto:erica.schmidt@usace.army.mil">erica.schmidt@usace.army.mil</a>. This public notice is issued by the Chief, Regulatory Branch.

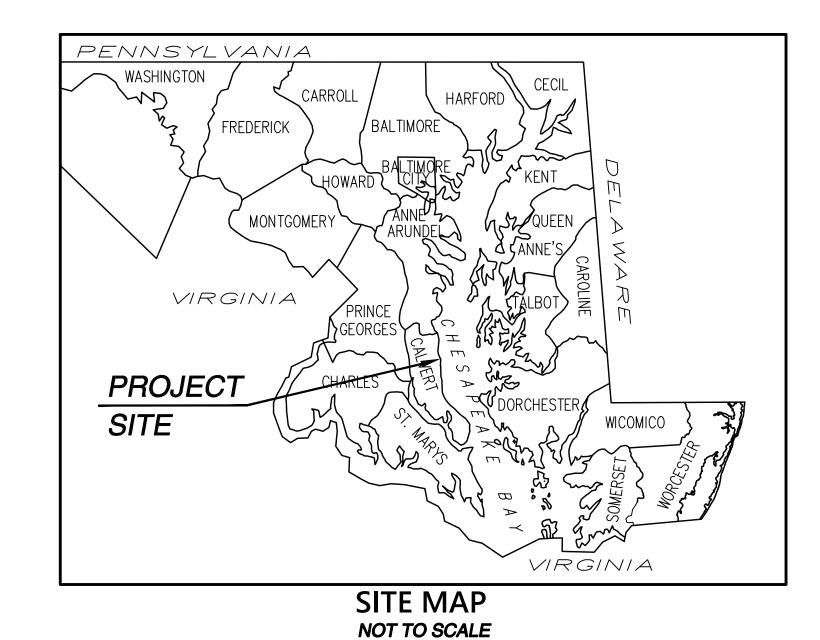


# Plum Point Living Shoreline & Beach Restoration Project Calvert County, Maryland Pre-Final

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Erosion & Sediment Control Notes & Details





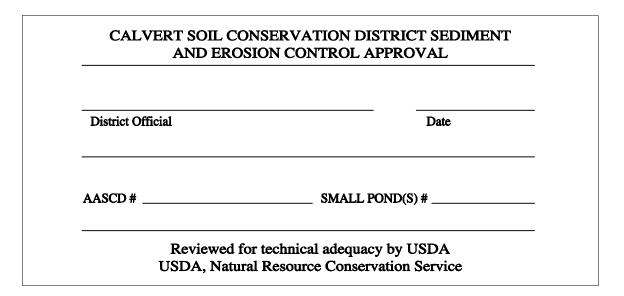


# GENERAL NOTES

- 1. Mean tidal range is 0.94 feet.
- 2. Horizontal control was established by a closed loop traverse.
- 3. Vertical control is 0.0 feet = MLW.
- 4. Topographic and hydrographic data obtained April 20, 2022. Coordinate systems is MD state plane.
- 5. Bench mark shown on plans
- 6. All dimensions and coordinates given in feet.
- 7. Existing topography has contour intervals every 1 ft above 0.0 MLW and every 1 ft below MLW.

# CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE FOR SEDIMENT AND EROSION CONTROL

- I. Contractor/Developer is to notify the Maryland Department of the Environment (410-974-2641) of the date construction is to begin at least five (7) days prior to the date.(Time Frame=1 day)
- 2. Clear for and install stabilized construction entrances. (1 day)
- 3. Install silt fence and other erosion and sediment control practices. (1 day)
- 4. Remove all debris interfering with shoreline construction as construction proceeds. (continuous)
- Clear trees and underbrush within designated areas as construction proceeds. (continuous)
- 5. Install breakwater, spur, and sand nourishment . (90 days)
- 7. Stabilize and seed all upland disturbed areas as specified.(2 days)
- After establishment of vegetative cover on site, remove silt fence and other erosion and sediment control devices after approval by Maryland Department of the Environment inspector (410-974-2641).



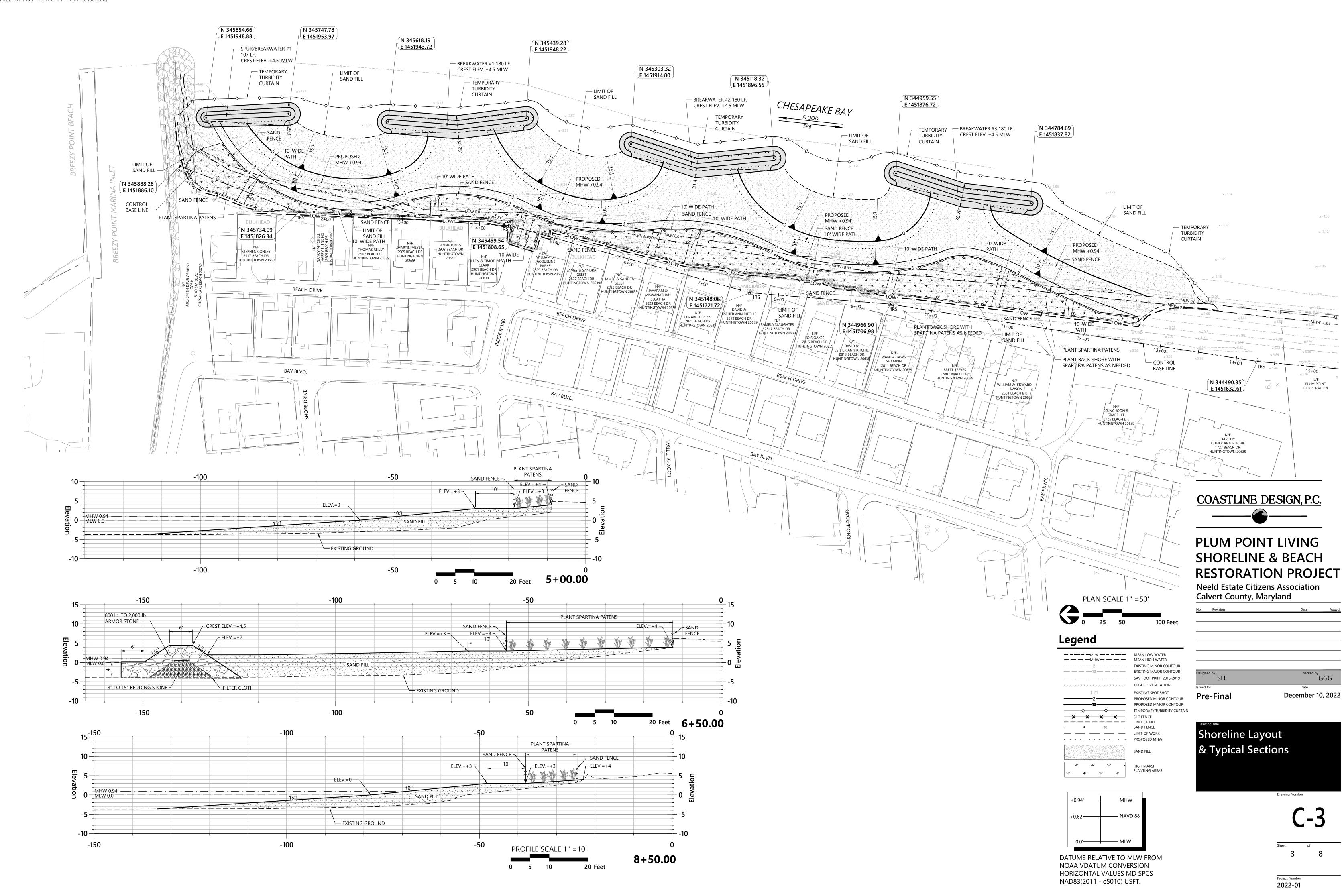
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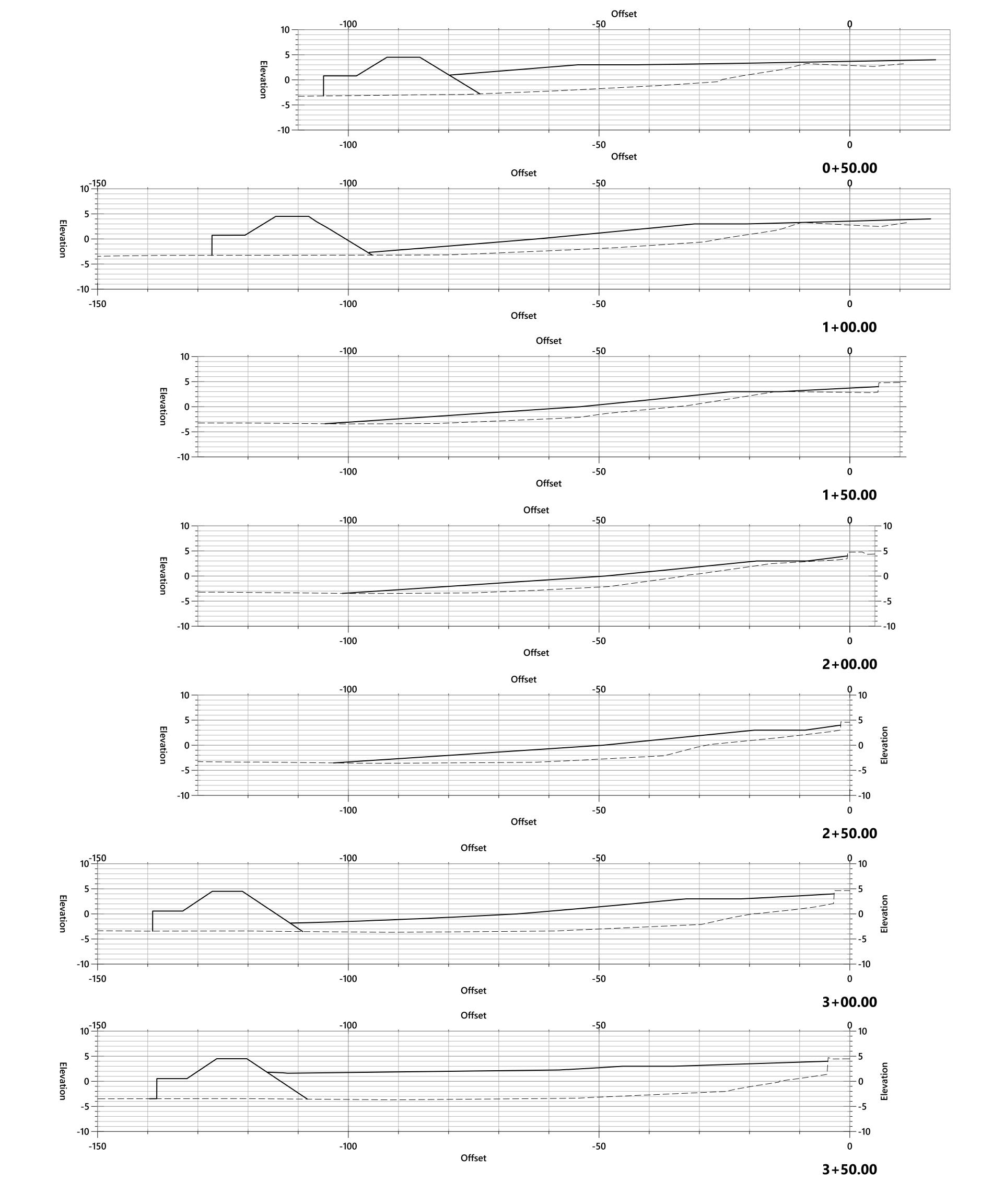


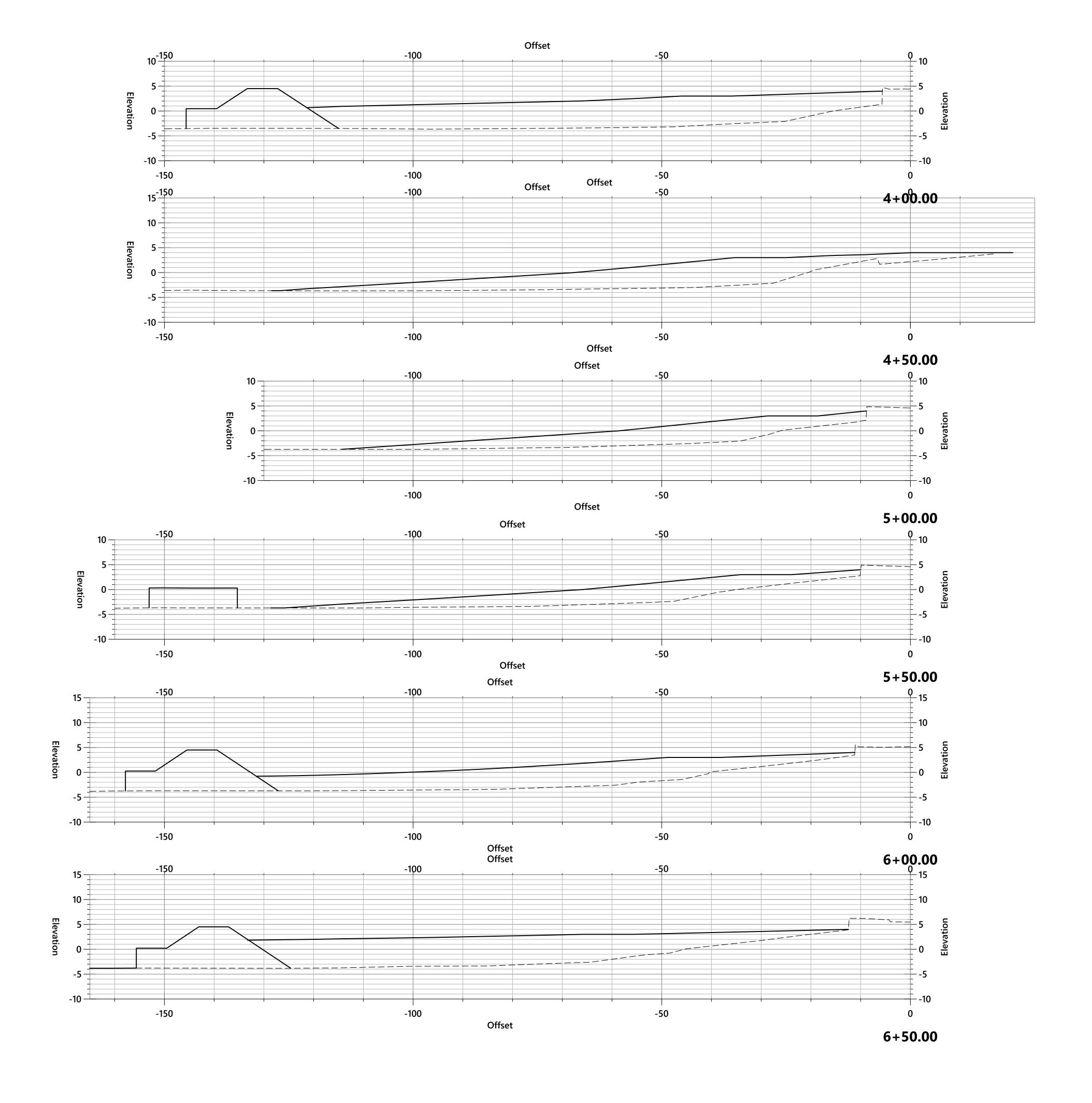


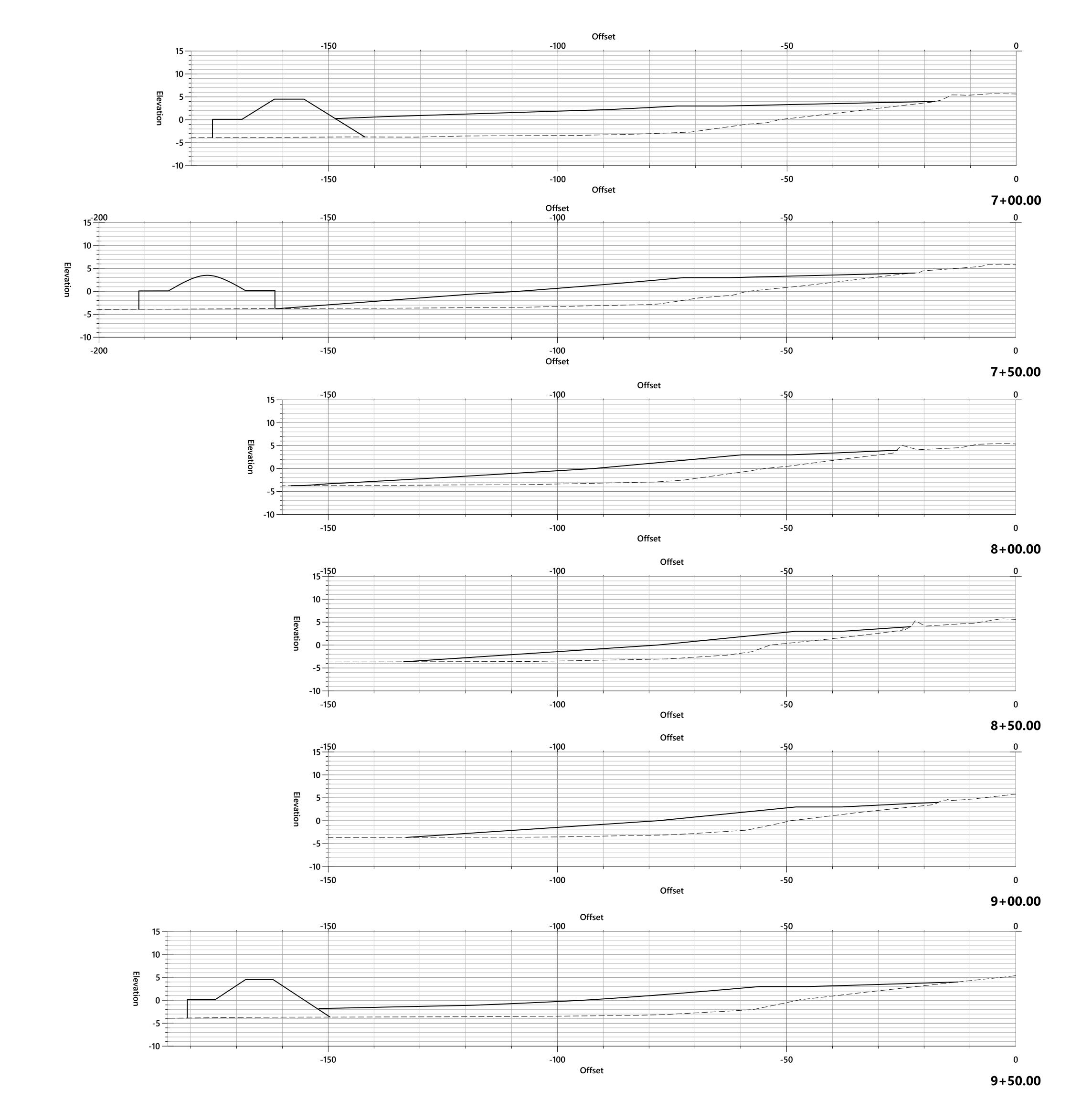
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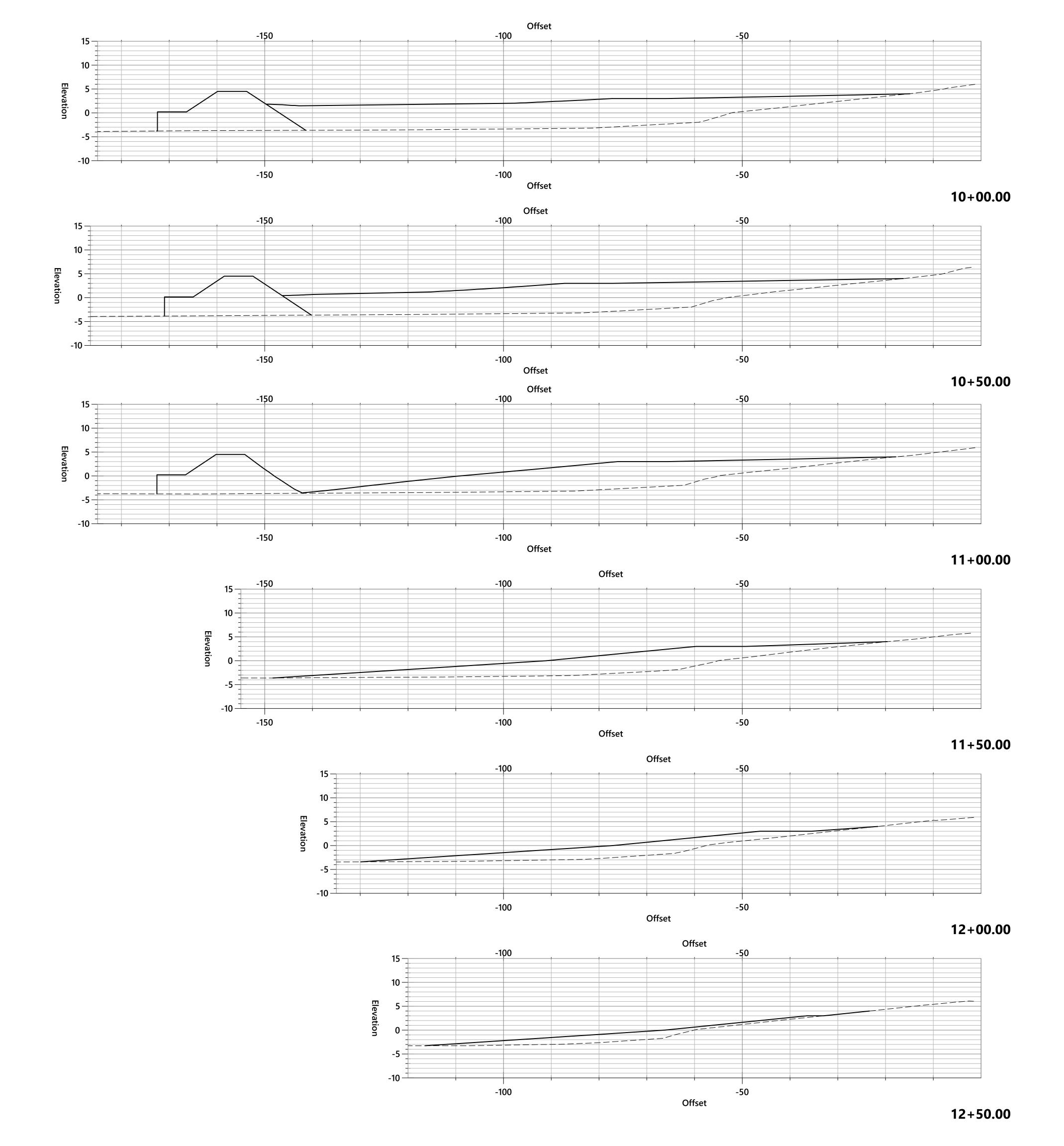
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### A. EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL GENERAL NOTES JUNE 10, 2016

MDE REQUIRES THAT THESE NOTES, IN THEIR ENTIRETY, BE INCLUDED ON THE EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN. IT IS RECOGNIZED THAT NOT EVERY NOTE MAY APPLY TO ALL PROJECTS. THE REQUIREMENT OF ANY INDIVIDUAL NOTE NOT APPLICABLE TO THE SUBJECT PROJECT IS NOT BINDING UPON THE APPLICANT OR THE APPLICANT'S CONTRACTOR.

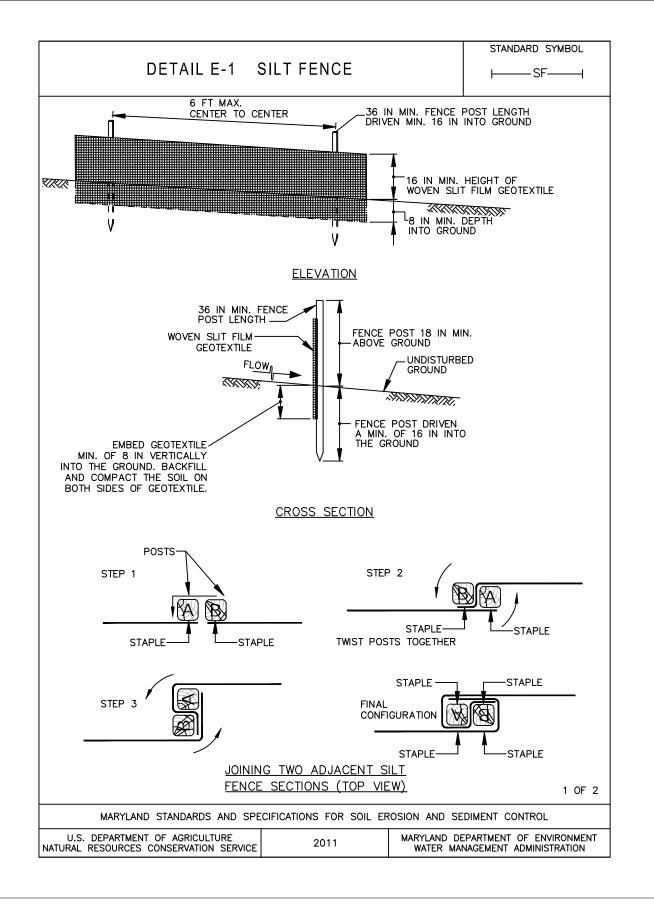
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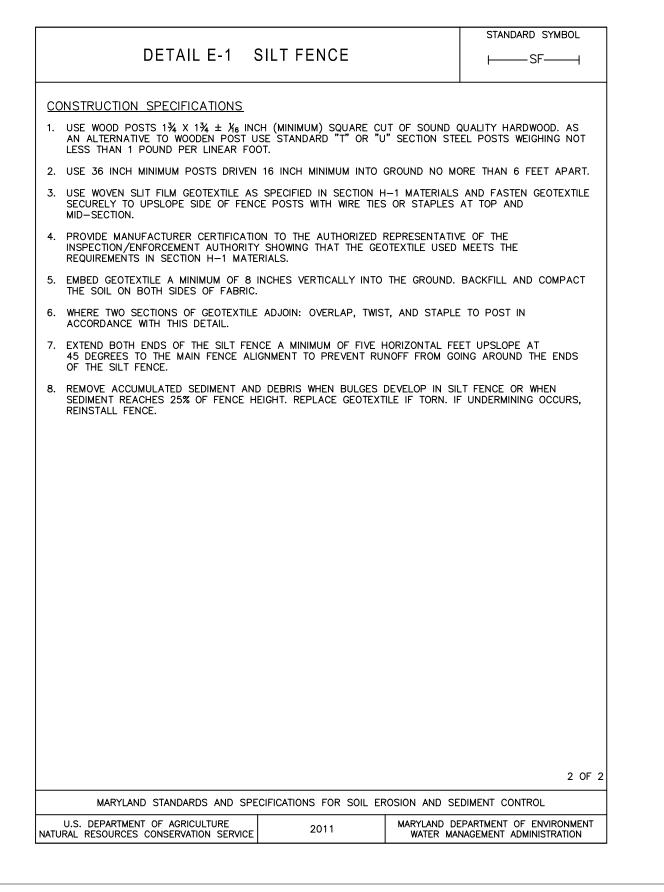
- 1. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY MDE AT (410) 537-3510 SEVEN (7) DAYS BEFORE COMMENCING ANY LAND DISTURBING ACTIVITY AND, UNLESS WAIVED BY MDE, SHALL BE REQUIRED TO HOLD A PRE- CONSTRUCTION MEETING BETWEEN PROJECT REPRESENTATIVES AND A REPRESENTATIVE OF MDE.
- 2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY MDE IN WRITING AND BY TELEPHONE AT THE FOLLOWING
- A. THE REQUIRED PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING.
- B. FOLLOWING INSTALLATION OF SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES. C. DURING THE INSTALLATION OF SEDIMENT BASINS (TO BE CONVERTED INTO PERMANENT STORMWATER MANAGEMENT STRUCTURES) AT THE REQUIRED INSPECTION POINTS (SEE INSPECTION CHECKLIST ON PLAN). NOTIFICATION PRIOR TO COMMENCING CONSTRUCTION OF EACH STEP IS MANDATORY.
- D. PRIOR TO REMOVAL OR MODIFICATION OF ANY SEDIMENT CONTROL STRUCTURE(S).
- E. PRIOR TO REMOVAL OF ALL SEDIMENT CONTROL DEVICES. PRIOR TO FINAL ACCEPTANCE.
- THE PLAN APPROVAL LETTER, APPROVED EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLANS, DAILY LOG BOOKS, AND TEST REPORTS SHALL BE AVAILABLE AT THE SITE FOR INSPECTION BY DULY AUTHORIZED OFFICIALS OF MDE AND THE AGENCY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROJECT.
- 4. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONSTRUCT ALL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES PER THE APPROVED PLAN AND CONSTRUCTION SEQUENCE AND SHALL HAVE THEM INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE MDE INSPECTOR PRIOR TO BEGINNING ANY OTHER LAND DISTURBANCES. MINOR SEDIMENT CONTROL DEVICE LOCATION ADJUSTMENTS MAY BE MADE IN THE FIELD WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MDE INSPECTOR. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ENSURE THAT ALL RUNOFF FROM DISTURBED AREAS IS DIRECTED TO THE SEDIMENT CONTROL DEVICES AND SHALL NOT REMOVE ANY EROSION OR SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURE WITHOUT PRIOR PERMISSION FROM MDE INSPECTOR. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL OBTAIN PRIOR AGENCY AND MDE APPROVAL FOR MODIFICATIONS TO THE EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN AND/OR SEQUENCE OF CONSTRUCTION.
- THE MDE INSPECTOR HAS THE OPTION OF REQUIRING ADDITIONAL SAFETY OR SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES, IF DEEMED NECESSARY.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT ALL POINTS OF CONSTRUCTION INGRESS AND EGRESS TO 26. SITE INFORMATION: PREVENT THE DEPOSITION OF MATERIALS ONTO PUBLIC ROADS. ALL MATERIALS DEPOSITED ONTO PUBLIC ROADS SHALL BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INSPECT DAILY AND MAINTAIN CONTINUOUSLY IN AN EFFECTIVE OPERATING CONDITION ALL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THEY ARE REMOVED WITH PRIOR PERMISSION FROM THE MDE INSPECTOR.
- EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL FOR UTILITY CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPROVED PLANS. UTILITY CONSTRUCTION SHALL ONLY BE FOR AREAS WITHIN THE DELINEATED LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE. CALL "MISS UTILITY" AT 1-800-257-7777 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE START OF WORK. WHEN SAME DAY STABILIZATION IS APPROVED:
- A. EXCAVATED TRENCH MATERIAL SHALL BE PLACED ON THE HIGH SIDE OF THE TRENCH. B. TRENCHES FOR UTILITY INSTALLATION SHALL BE BACKFILLED, COMPACTED, AND STABILIZED AT THE END OF EACH WORKING DAY. NO MORE TRENCH SHALL BE OPENED THAN CAN BE COMPLETED THE SAME DAY.
- ALL WATER REMOVED FROM EXCAVATED AREAS SHALL BE PASSED THROUGH AN MDE APPROVED DEWATERING PRACTICE OR PUMPED TO A SEDIMENT TRAP OR BASIN PRIOR TO DISCHARGE TO A FUNCTIONAL STORM DRAIN SYSTEM OR TO STABLE GROUND SURFACE.
- 10. CONCRETE WASHOUT STRUCTURES SHALL BE USED WHEN CONCRETE TRUCKS, DRUMS, PUMPS, CHUTES, OR OTHER EQUIPMENT IS RINSED OR CLEANED ON-SITE.
- 11. CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES PRODUCING DUST SHALL IMPLEMENT CONTROL MEASURES TO AVOID THE SUSPENSION OF DUST PARTICLES AND/OR PREVENT DUST FROM BLOWING OFF-SITE OR TO AREAS WITHOUT TREATMENT
- 12. FOLLOWING INITIAL SOIL DISTURBANCE OR RE-DISTURBANCE, PERMANENT OR TEMPORARY STABILIZATION SHALL BE COMPLETED WITHIN:
- A. THREE (3) CALENDAR DAYS AS TO THE SURFACE OF ALL PERIMETER CONTROLS, DIKES, SWALES, DITCHES, PERIMETER SLOPES, AND ALL SLOPES STEEPER THAN 3 HORIZONTAL TO 1
- B. SEVEN (7) CALENDAR DAYS AS TO ALL OTHER DISTURBED OR GRADED AREAS ON THE PROJECT SITE NOT UNDER ACTIVE GRADING.
- 13. VEGETATIVE STABILIZATION SHALL BE PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE 2011 MARYLAND STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL. REFER TO APPROPRIATE SPECIFICATIONS FOR TEMPORARY SEEDING, PERMANENT SEEDING, MULCHING, SODDING, AND GROUND COVERS.
- 14. WHEN SEEDING, ALL DISTURBED AREAS WITH SLOPES FLATTER THAN 2:1 SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH 4 INCHES OF TOPSOIL, SEED, AND MULCH. ALL DISTURBED AREAS WITH SLOPES 2:1 OR STEEPER SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH MATTING OVER 2 INCHES OF TOPSOIL AND SEED.
- 15. ALL SEDIMENT BASINS, TRAP EMBANKMENTS AND SLOPES, PERIMETER DIKES, SWALES AND ALL DISTURBED SLOPES STEEPER OR EQUAL TO 3:1 SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH SEED AND ANCHORED STRAW MULCH, SOD, OR OTHER APPROVED STABILIZATION MEASURES, AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BUT NO LATER THAN THREE (3) CALENDAR DAYS AFTER ESTABLISHMENT. ALL AREAS DISTURBED OUTSIDE OF THE PERIMETER SEDIMENT CONTROL SYSTEM SHALL BE MINIMIZED. MAINTENANCE SHALL BE PERFORMED AS NECESSARY TO ENSURE CONTINUED STABILIZATION.
- 16. PERMANENT SWALES OR OTHER POINTS OF CONCENTRATED WATER FLOW SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH SEED AND AN APPROVED EROSION CONTROL MATTING, SOD, RIP-RAP, OR OTHER APPROVED STABILIZATION MEASURES.
- 17. FOR STOCKPILE SLOPES STEEPER THAN 3 HORIZONTAL TO 1 VERTICAL (3:1), THE CONTRACTOR SHALL APPLY SEED AND ANCHORED STRAW MULCH, SOD, OR OTHER APPROVED STABILIZATION MEASURES TO THE FACE OF THE STOCKPILE WITHIN THREE (3) CALENDAR DAYS OF ACTIVITY HAVING CEASED ON THE RESPECTIVE FACE. FOR SLOPES 3:1 OR FLATTER, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL APPLY STABILIZATION MEASURES TO THE FACE OF THE STOCKPILE WITHIN SEVEN (7) CALENDAR DAYS OF ACTIVITY HAVING CEASED ON THE RESPECTIVE FACE. MAINTENANCE SHALL BE PERFORMED AS NECESSARY TO ENSURE CONTINUED STABILIZATION.
- 18. FOR FINISHED GRADING, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE ADEQUATE GRADIENTS TO PREVENT WATER FROM PONDING FOR MORE THAN TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS AFTER THE END OF A RAINFALL EVENT. DRAINAGE COURSES AND SWALE FLOW AREAS MAY TAKE AS LONG AS FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS AFTER THE END OF A RAINFALL EVENT TO DRAIN. AREAS DESIGNED TO HAVE STANDING WATER SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED TO MEET THIS REQUIREMENT
- 19. WHERE DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE ENGINEER OR INSPECTOR, SEDIMENT BASINS AND TRAPS MAY NEED TO BE SURROUNDED WITH AN APPROVED SAFETY FENCE. THE FENCE MUST CONFORM TO LOCAL ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS. THE DEVELOPER OR OWNER SHALL CHECK WITH LOCAL BUILDING OFFICIALS ON APPLICABLE SAFETY REQUIREMENTS. WHERE SAFETY FENCE IS DEEMED APPROPRIATE AND LOCAL ORDINANCES DO NOT SPECIFY FENCING SIZES AND TYPES, THE FOLLOWING SHALL BE USED AS A MINIMUM STANDARD: THE SAFETY FENCE SHALL BE MADE OF WELDED WIRE AND AT LEAST 42 INCHES HIGH, HAVE POSTS SPACED NO FARTHER APART THAN 8 FEET, HAVE MESH OPENINGS NO GREATER THAN 2 INCHES IN WIDTH AND 4 INCHES IN HEIGHT WITH A MINIMUM OF 14 GAUGE WIRE. SAFETY FENCE SHALL BE MAINTAINED AND IN GOOD CONDITION AT ALL TIMES.
- 20. ALL SEDIMENT TRAP DEPTH DIMENSIONS ARE RELATIVE TO THE OUTLET ELEVATION. ALL TRAPS SHALL HAVE A STABLE OUTFALL. ALL TRAPS AND BASINS SHALL HAVE STABLE INFLOW POINTS.

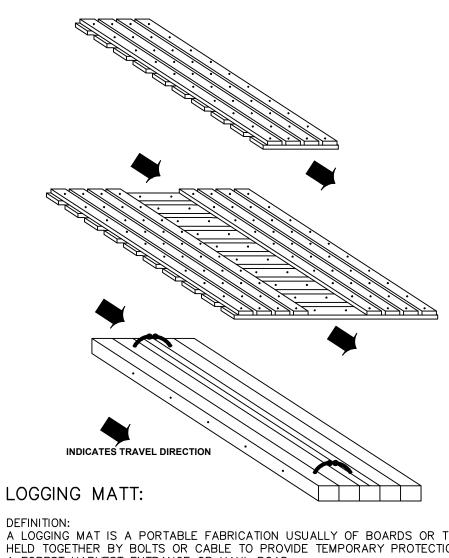
- 21. SEDIMENT SHALL BE REMOVED AND THE TRAP OR BASIN RESTORED TO ITS ORIGINAL DIMENSIONS WHEN THE SEDIMENT HAS ACCUMULATED TO ONE QUARTER OF THE TOTAL DEPTH OF THE TRAP OR BASIN. TOTAL DEPTH SHALL BE MEASURED FROM THE TRAP OR BASIN BOTTOM TO THE CREST OF THE OUTLET.
- 22. SEDIMENT REMOVED FROM TRAPS (AND BASINS) SHALL BE PLACED AND STABILIZED IN APPROVED AREAS, BUT NOT WITHIN A FLOODPLAIN, WETLAND OR TREE-SAVE AREA. WHEN PUMPING SEDIMENT LADEN WATER, THE DISCHARGE SHALL BE DIRECTED TO AN MDE APPROVED SEDIMENT TRAPPING DEVICE PRIOR TO RELEASE FROM THE SITE. A SUMP PIT MAY BE USED IF SEDIMENT TRAPS THEMSELVES ARE BEING PUMPED OUT.
- 23. PRIOR TO REMOVAL OF SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL STABILIZE AND HAVE ESTABLISHED PERMANENT STABILIZATION FOR ALL CONTRIBUTORY DISTURBED AREAS USING SOD OR AN APPROVED PERMANENT SEED MIXTURE WITH REQUIRED SOIL AMENDMENTS AND AN APPROVED ANCHORED MULCH. WOOD FIBER MULCH MAY ONLY BE USED IN SEEDING SEASON WHERE THE SLOPE DOES NOT EXCEED 10% AND GRADING HAS BEEN DONE TO PROMOTE SHEET FLOW DRAINAGE. AREAS BROUGHT TO FINISHED GRADE DURING THE SEEDING SEASON SHALL BE PERMANENTLY STABILIZED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LATER THAN THREE (3) CALENDAR DAYS AFTER ESTABLISHMENT FOR SLOPES STEEPER THAN 3 HORIZONTAL TO 1 VERTICAL (3:1) AND SEVEN (7) CALENDAR DAYS FOR FLATTER SLOPES. WHEN PROPERTY IS BROUGHT TO FINISHED GRADE DURING THE MONTHS OF NOVEMBER THROUGH FEBRUARY, AND PERMANENT

STABILIZATION IS FOUND TO BE IMPRACTICAL, TEMPORARY SEED AND ANCHORED STRAW MULCH SHALL BE APPLIED TO DISTURBED AREAS. THE FINAL PERMANENT STABILIZATION OF SUCH PROPERTY SHALL BE APPLIED BY MARCH 15 OR EARLIER IF GROUND AND WEATHER CONDITIONS ALLOW.

- 24. TEMPORARY SEDIMENT CONTROL DEVICES SHALL BE REMOVED WITH PERMISSION OF THE MDE INSPECTOR WITHIN THIRTY (30) CALENDAR DAYS FOLLOWING ESTABLISHMENT OF PERMANENT STABILIZATION IN ALL CONTRIBUTORY DRAINAGE AREAS. UPON REMOVAL OF SEDIMENT CONTROL DEVICES, THE AREA DISTURBED BY REMOVAL SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH TOPSOIL, SEED, AND MULCH, OR AS SPECIFIED, WITHIN 24 HOURS OF SAID REMOVAL. STORMWATER MANAGEMENT STRUCTURES USED TEMPORARILY FOR SEDIMENT CONTROL SHALL BE CONVERTED TO THE PERMANENT CONFIGURATION WITHIN THIS TIME PERIOD AS
- 25. OFF-SITE SPOIL OR BORROW AREAS ON STATE OR FEDERAL PROPERTY SHALL HAVE PRIOR APPROVAL BY MDE AND OTHER APPLICABLE STATE, FEDERAL, AND LOCAL AGENCIES; OTHERWISE APPROVAL SHALL BE GRANTED BY THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES. ALL WASTE AND BORROW AREAS OFF-SITE SHALL BE PROTECTED BY SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES AND
- AREA DISTURBED: XX
- B. TOTAL CUT 0 CUBIC YARDS .TOTAL FILL 0 CUBIC YARDS
- D. OFF-SITE WASTE / BORROW AREA LOCATION WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE
- CONTRACTOR







A LOGGING MAT IS A PORTABLE FABRICATION USUALLY OF BOARDS OR TIMBERS HELD TOGETHER BY BOLTS OR CABLE TO PROVIDE TEMPORARY PROTECTION OF A FOREST HARVEST ENTRANCE OR HAUL ROAD.

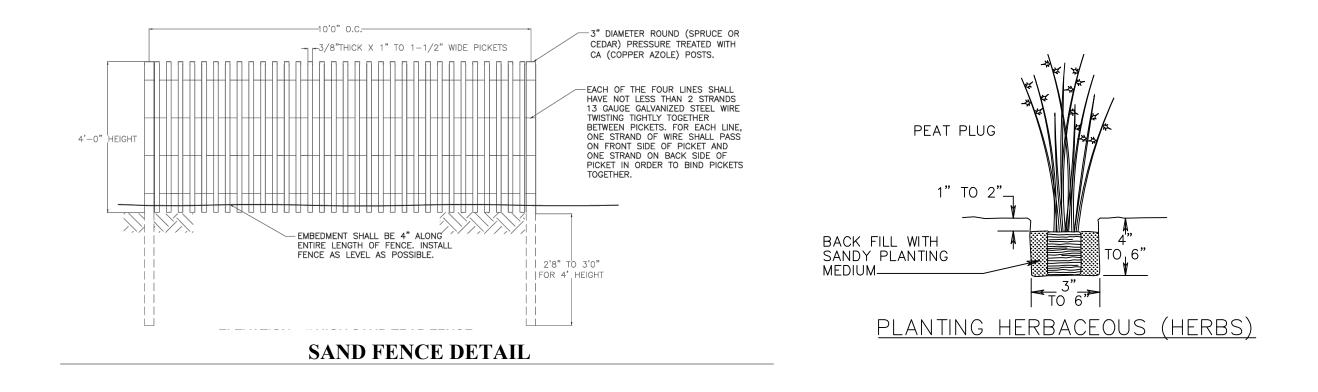
THIS PRACTICE PROTECTS THE SURFACE SOIL STRUCTURE FROM EXCESSIVE COMPACTION AND RUTTING.

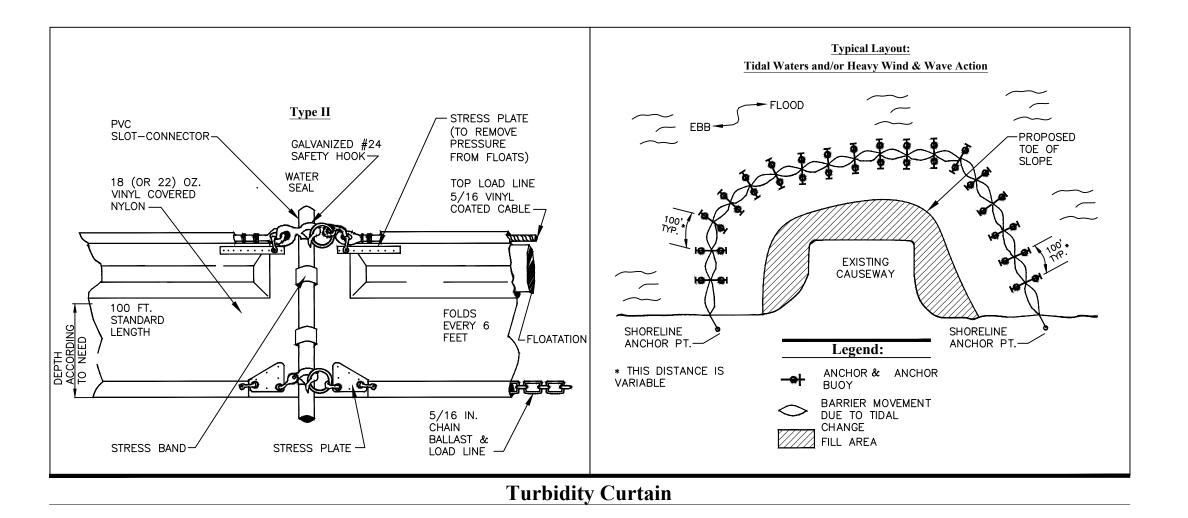
CONDITIONS WHERE PRACTICE APPLIES: THIS PRACTICE APPLIES TO ANY PART OF THE FOREST HARVEST ACCESS SYSTEM OR HUAL ROAD WHERE RUTTING COULD BECOME AN EROSION OR WATER HANDLING PROBLEM. IT IS OFTEN USED AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR STONE OR OTHER STABILIZATION MATERIALS AT THE ENTRANCE OF A FOREST HARVEST SITE AND ISOLATED WET AREAS ON HAUL ROADS OR SKID TRAILS. THEY ARE ALSO USED TO ACCESSES SHORELINE CONSTRUCTION SITES.

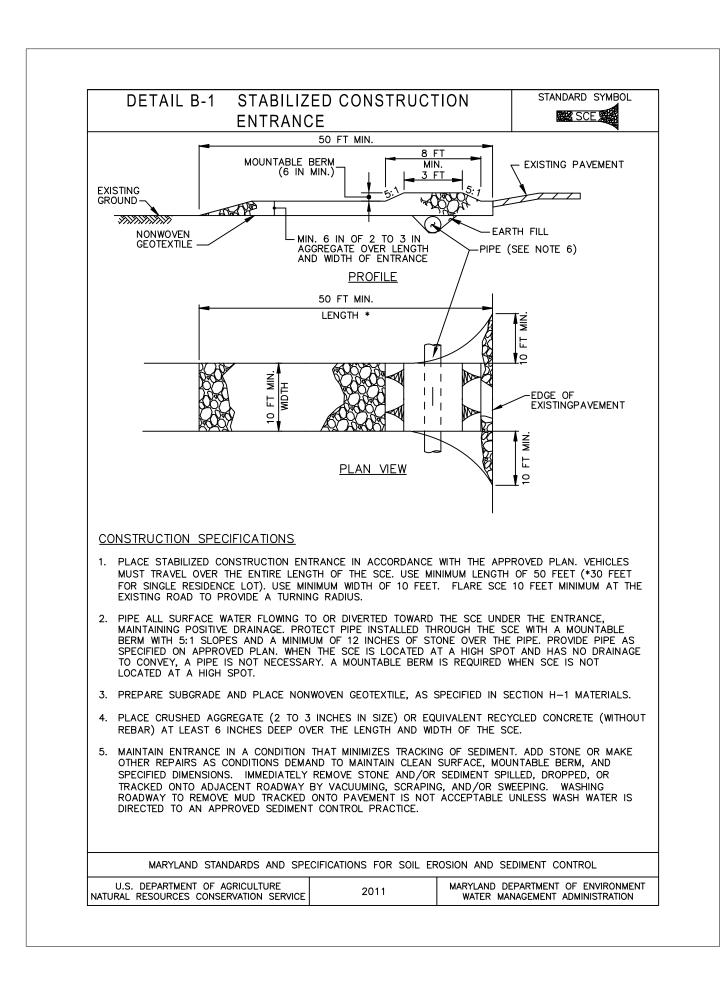
1. MATS SHALL BE PLACED END TO END TO FORM A CONTINUOUS SPAN FOR THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE AREA TO BE PROTECTED.

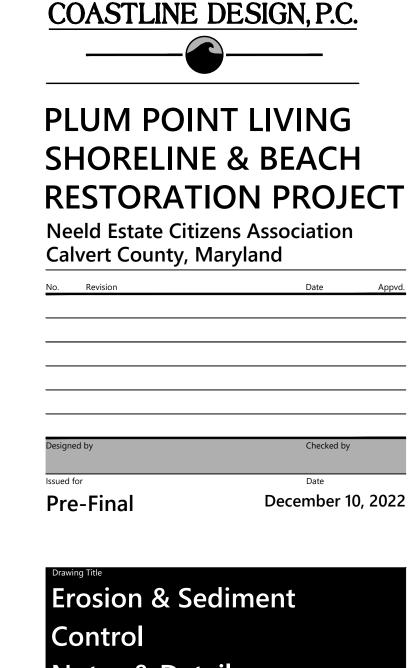
2. MATS CAN BE USED AS SUBSTITUTE FOR OR IN CONJUNCTION WITH STONE, GRAVEL, WOOD CHIPS, CULVERTS, AND OTHER STABILIZING MATERIAL AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE PROJECT SITE.

3. MATS SHALL BE INSPECTED FREQUENTLY AND MAINTAINED OR REPLACED AS NECESSARY TO ENSURE THEIR PROPER FUNCTION.

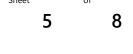








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