#### HIP Pre-Design Information Case Study

\*Calculations are estimates and based on proposed project options. These numbers are subject to change based on final project determination.\*

Total Parcel Area: 179,423 ft<sup>2</sup>

Total Treatable Area: 179,423 ft<sup>2</sup>

Minimum 25% treatment: 44,856 ft<sup>2</sup>

#### Soil Information (see attached soil characterization sheets):

- Soil Test #1 A Soil Drainage Test was completed for this site. No groundwater was found, and the infiltration rate is moderate.
- Soil Test #2 –A Simple Investigation was completed to check for bedrock or groundwater. No bedrock or groundwater was discovered, and infiltration rate is assumed moderate based on information from Soil Test #1.

#### **Proposed BMPs:**

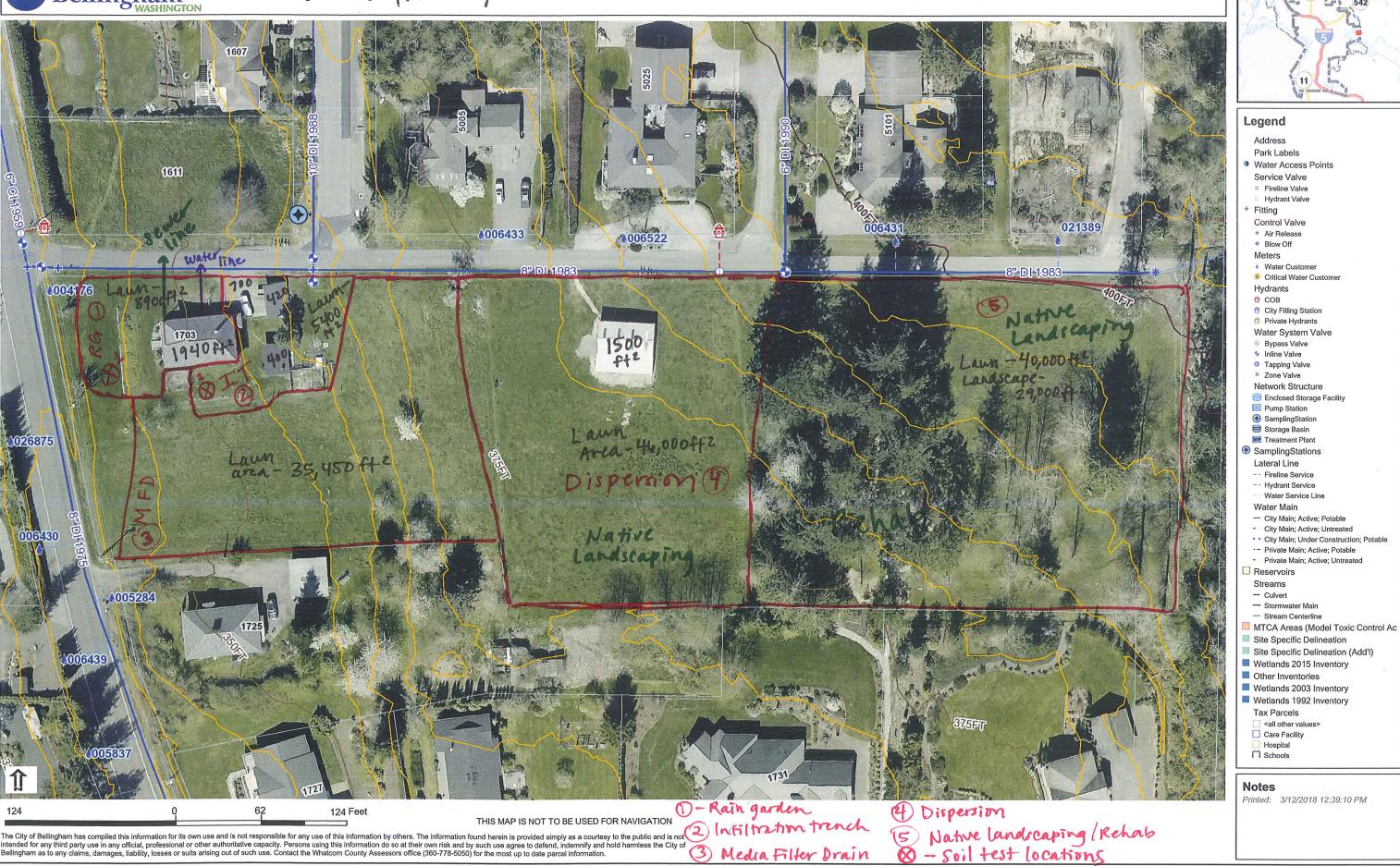
- 1. Rain Garden treating house roof and lawn
- 2. Infiltration trench treating driveway, outbuildings & lawn/landscape
- 3. Media Filter Drain treating lawn
- 4. Dispersion with native landscaping treating lawn and barn roof
- 5. Native Landscaping treating lawn and rehab of existing landscape area

Estimated Area to be Treated: 176,000 ft<sup>2</sup>

Estimated Budget: \$228,800



# Cityla Map Pre-Design (See attached information for details)



Media Filter Drain

#### Soil Characterization Sheet - Soil Test #2(Infiltration)

# Step 1. Review available soil data and recommend on-site soil testing To be completed by HIP Coordinator.

Off-site test pit data. Review map provided by HIP. If one test pit is within 100' of any property line, list only that data. Otherwise, please list three representative test pits, preferably within ¼ mile of the site.

Test Pit Number	Soil Type/ Infiltration Rate	Depth to Groundwater	Depth to Bedrock
NS_PIT_2	.68	4 ft	Greater than 3'
E_North EBV5	.68	2 ft	Greater than 3'
E_North_EBV6	.68	5 ft	Greater than 3'

Based on this information, the recommended soil investigation procedure to follow in Step 2 is (determined by HIP Coordinator):

#### SIMPLE INVESTIGATION- based on Soil Test #1 Information

Step 2. On-site testing procedure to determine soil type To be completed by HIP Coordinator or the project designer

Follow the soil testing methods and instructions for infiltration BMPs, found in the HIP Design Handbook (Infiltration Trench and Lake Whatcom Rain Garden).

Note: If designing for infiltration facilities in multiple locations, it is suggested that each location be checked for factors that might affect design considerations. Consult with the HIP Coordinator to determine the number of additional investigations recommended for each unique site.

I completed an on-site soil investigation using (check boxes of all completed tests):				
Soil Drainage Test I used the Rain Garden Manual	X Simple Investigation I dug to a depth of 3' below ground surface and found:	Soil Texture Test I used this test method to determine soil type (circle one):		
After one wet season (or three dry season) tests I have determined that my soil drainage rate is in/hr.  I've characterized my soil as:	☐ Groundwater ☐ Bedrock ☐ Other:	Clay Clayey Silt Silt/Loam Sandy Loam/Sand I've characterized my soil as:		
☐ Good ☐ Moderate ☐ Marginal ☐ Poor	X None of the above	☐ Good ☐ Moderate ☐ Marginal ☐ Poor		

#### Soil Characterization Sheet - Soil Test #1(Rain Garden)

# Step 1. Review available soil data and recommend on-site soil testing To be completed by HIP Coordinator.

Off-site test pit data. Review map provided by HIP. If one test pit is within 100' of any property line, list only that data. Otherwise, please list three representative test pits, preferably within ¼ mile of the site.

Test Pit Number	Soil Type/ Infiltration Rate	Depth to Groundwater	Depth to Bedrock
NS_PIT_2	.68	4 ft	Greater than 3'
E_North EBV5	.68	2 ft	Greater than 3'
E_North_EBV6	.68	5 ft	Greater than 3'

Based on this information, the recommended soil investigation procedure to follow in Step 2 is (determined by HIP Coordinator):

#### **SOIL DRAINAGE TEST**

Step 2. On-site testing procedure to determine soil type To be completed by HIP Coordinator or the project designer

Follow the soil testing methods and instructions for infiltration BMPs, found in the HIP Design Handbook (Infiltration Trench and Lake Whatcom Rain Garden).

Note: If designing for infiltration facilities in multiple locations, it is suggested that each location be checked for factors that might affect design considerations. Consult with the HIP Coordinator to determine the number of additional investigations recommended for each unique site.

I completed an on-site soil investigation using (check boxes of all completed tests):					
X Soil Drainage Test	Simple	☐ Soil	Texture Test		
I used the Rain Garden Manual	Investigation	I used this test method to			
	I dug to a depth of 3' below	determine s	oil type (circle one):		
After one wet season (or three dry season) tests I have determined that my	ground surface and found:	Clay	Clayey Silt		
soil drainage rate is <mark>0. 68 in/hr</mark> .	☐ Groundwater	Silt/Loam	Sandy Loam/Sand		
I've characterized my soil as:	☐ Bedrock ☐ Other:	I've characte	erized my soil as:		
☐ Good			Good		
X Moderate			☐ Moderate		
☐ Marginal	☐ None of the above		☐ Marginal		
☐ Poor			Poor		





Property Owner: Example

Site Address: 1234 cake Whatcom Are

## **Submittal Requirements**

#### Part I: Submittal requirements for <u>all</u> HIP projects

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V	Project Summary & Project Narrative
V	Project Site Plan (to scale)
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	Proposed Improvements (BMP footprint, dimensions, and conveyance)
,	Erosion and Sediment Control Plan (all BMPs except Landscaping BMP)
V	Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)
1	Material Specifications

#### Part II: Submittal requirements for each primary BMP

Native Landscaping

Design Submittal (Sections I-III)

Plant Density Calculator

Planting Areas Shown on Site Map

Planting Plan and HIP Plant List

# Infiltration Trench Design Submittal (Sections I-II) Sizing Calculator Alternative Sizing Calculator Facility Cross-Section





#### Part II (continued)

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	OR	Alternative Sizing Calculator
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	on -	Sizing Calculator
	OR	Alternative Sizing Calculator
	$\checkmark$	Facility Cross-Section
		Planting Plan and HIP Plant List

#### Part III: Submittal requirements specific to the City or County

City C	<u>Only:</u>
	City Supplemental Forms
Coun	ty Only:
	Whatcom County Permit Application

This project will not trip redevelopment thresholds regarding new or replaced impervious or partially-pervious surfaces. Therefore, this work qualifies for permitting exemptions for phosphorus- or flow-limiting projects as provided by applicable local codes and development

#### **Part IV: Signatures**

	Printed Name	Signature	Date
Submittal Completed By:			
On Behalf Of:			

These requirements were developed in accordance with the minimum requirements found in the Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington and local regulations.



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# **Project Summary**

Address: 1234 Lake What	com Ave.			Parcel #: 38032Z00006
(street address)			(zip code)	
Owner Name: John + Jane Exa	imple	Phone: 360	-555-555	5 Email: example@gmail.com
HIP Staff: Jenny Coe		Phone: 360-	306-4701	Email: jcoe@whatcomcd. or
Designer:		Phone:		Email:
Short Description: Installation of five HIP BMPs to address Stormwater runoff from private property				
Check boxes below to charac	terize the p	roject:		
Best Management Practices	Comple	ementary BM	1Ps	Stormwater Calculations
☑ Native Landscaping ☐ Permeab		ole Paving    \normal  \normal \normal  \normal  \normal  \normal  \normal  \normal  \normal		None (Landscaping Only)
		er Harvesting 🗹 HIP Standard Calcul		HIP Standard Calculations
		e Species Removal		WWHM Modeling
☑ Dispersion ☐ Sand Filte				MGS-Flood Modeling
☑ Lake Whatcom Rain Garden	☐ Other:			Other:

Measurement	Number		Notes
Total <u>Developed</u> Site Area	189, 500	ft²	Existing landscape to be rehabbed
Area Landscaped by Project	108,000	ft²	" inc. Dispersion
Area Infiltrated by Project	20,250	ft <sup>2</sup>	
Area Dispersed/Treated by Project	53,000	ft²	
New or Replaced Lawn	Ø	ft <sup>2</sup>	
New or Replaced Hard Surface	Ø	ft <sup>2</sup>	
Amount of Soil Excavated	8 2,270	ft³	(84 C4)



## **Project Narrative**

The following project, located at 1234 Watershot Ave. is proposed as a voluntary stormwater retrofit designed to protect and restore water quality in and around Lake Whatcom. The attached and enclosed information details the proposed phosphorus-reducing best management practices (BMPs) to be installed at the project site. A summary of these BMPs is as follows: ❖ BMP#1: Rain Garden This component will be  $_{\underline{\phantom{0}}}$  576  $_{\underline{\phantom{0}}}$  ft<sup>2</sup> in size. This component addresses 7,800 ft<sup>2</sup> of site area. Location of BMP relative to house: Front yard \* BMP#2: Infiltration Trench This component will be \_\_\_\_\_ft $^2$  in size. This component addresses 12.450 ft<sup>2</sup> of site area. Location of BMP relative to house: Side Yard. ◆ BMP#3: Media Filter Drain (sheet flow) This component will be \_\_\_\_\_ft $^2$  in size. This component addresses 3,000 ft<sup>2</sup> of site area. Location of BMP relative to house: South yard, west of pasture

If the project contains more than three unique BMPs, additional information must be attached to this project narrative. (Etc...) Dispersion = 232ff, improves 27,000ff<sup>2</sup>
Native Landscape = 86,000ff<sup>2</sup>



## **Material Specifications**

Refer to the Material Specification section of the BMP Design Manual for more guidance on this requirement. Based on the project site plan and facility cross-section details, the following material specifications shall be followed to ensure proper function of the systems:

Project proposes to follow Specifications from HIP Spec book, publication date April, 2017, with no exceptions or alternative specs proposed.





#### Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)

Describe all elements below that apply to your project. Refer to the current edition of the Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington for drainage project instructions. If you are <u>only</u> completing a landscaping project, describe elements below that you will implement during the winter work season.

#### **Elements of the SWPPP**

#### Element 1 - Mark Clearing Limits:

I will mark clearing limits with orange fencing

#### Element 2 - Establish Stabilized Construction Access:

Equipment will enter site from Worth, driving over a gramy Spall Construction entrances, as shown on Plan.

#### Element 3 - Control Flow Rates:

HIP Projects are not intended to increase flow rates or stormwater discharge volumes by any amount. Therefore, no flow controls are necessary during construction. If point-discharges are created during construction, they will be mitigated by proper installation of sediment controls and will be disconnected at the completion of the project.

#### Element 4 - Install Sediment Controls:

Sitt Fencing will be installed as shown on plans

#### Element 5 - Stabilize Soils:

All disturbed, exposed, stockpiled, or uncovered soil materials will be covered using an approved material (durable tarp, mulch, straw, etc.) during all rain events occurring during construction. Unworked soils that will be left exposed for more than 48 hours will be covered at the end of the last working day prior to that 48-hour duration. All disturbed soils will be covered completely between October 1 and May 30.

#### **Element 6 – Protect Slopes:**

No slopes of concern on site.



#### Elements of the SWPPP (continued)

#### **Element 7 – Protect Drain Inlets:**

No public or private drain inlets will be affected by project Scope of work.

Element 8 - Stabilize Channels and Outlets:

No channels or outfalls on site.

#### **Element 9 – Control Pollutants:**

No pollution-generating activities in excess of the approved HIP project are allowed. Spills and leaks of fuels, fluids, or chemicals will not be allowed to enter storm systems. Any fuel, fluid, or chemical pollutants entering storm systems, including ditches, must be reported to the City of Bellingham or Whatcom County immediately upon discovery.

#### Element 10 – Control Dewatering:

Dewatering is not an expected activity related to a HIP project. Trenches, drywells, and other stormwater systems will not be used as sediment traps at any time. If sedimentation occurs, restoration (including dewatering) will not cause the discharge of sediment-laden water from the site by either surface or piped flow.

#### Element 11 – Maintain BMPs:

All erosion control BMPs will be maintained per manufacturer's recommendations and as directed by HIP, City of Bellingham, or Whatcom County Staff.

#### Element 12 – Manage the Project:

Work will occur as defined in an approved HIP project plan and per HIP rules and requirements. Contractor will exercise adaptive management to correct any unexpected deficiencies in erosion control efforts, as necessary. Adaptive management strategies may be reviewed by HIP, City of Bellingham, or Whatcom County staff to ensure compliance with applicable rules and regulations.

#### Element 13 - Protect LID Features:

Features will be protected by placing straw wattles on uphill trench edging and by following "Construction Criteria for Infiltration Facilities" as written on HIP Standard Details.





## **Design Submittal**

## Lake Whatcom Rain Garden

## **Section I: System and Sizing Summary**

Ī	I have provided a site plan and facility cross-section. I have defined the area that will drain into the rain garden, by piping or sheet flow.			
	The drainage area is 1,800 ft² of impervious surface and/orft² of lawn/landscape			
	I have sized the system using approved methodology (HIP Sizing Calculator or stormwater hydrological modeling software) and attached that data.			
	The ponding area of the rain garden will be at least 576 ft² in size.			
I have calculated the number of plants needed for the total rain garden area (square feet of ponding area divided by 16) and completed a plant list.				
	I will need to install at least <u>36</u> native plants in my rain garden.			
I have chosen mulch from the HIP-approved mulch list.				
	Mulch type: Hog Fuel Mulch supplier: 6 row Source			

## Section II: Site-Specific Planning

1	I have determined that the ponding area is at least 5' from known utilities.
1	I have determined that the ponding area is at least 10' from structures or property lines.
V	I have determined that the rain garden is not on a slope >10% or within 10' upgradient of a slope >15% or within 50' upgradient of a slope >35%.
	I have developed an erosion control plan for the excavation of the rain garden and completed a site-specific SWPP that is included with this application.



## **Sizing Calculator**

#### Lake Whatcom Rain Garden

Step 1: Characterize Soils. Use the flow chart in the design handbook to develop a soils characterization.

A. Off-site test pit data. Review map provided by HIP. If one test pit is within 100' of any property line, list only that data. Otherwise, please list three representative test pits, preferably within ¼ mile of the site.

Test Pit	Soil Type/Infiltration	Depth to	Depth to Bedrock
Number	Rate	Groundwater	12
1	Loamy Sand / 1.0 in/hr	None found	5 feet
2	Loam 1 0.5 in/hr	8 feet	None found

B. On-site testing results

b. Oil site testing results						
I completed an on-site soil investigation using (check box in corner of all completed tests):						
Soil Drainage Test	Simple Investigation	Soil Texture Test				
I used the Rain Garden Manual	I dug to a depth of 3' below	I used this test method to				
	ground surface and found:	determine soil type (circle one):				
After one wet season (or three dry		930 Show 37				
season) tests I have determined that my	☐ Groundwater	Clay Clayey Silt				
soil drainage rate isin/hr.	☐ Bedrock	Silt/Loam Sandy Loam/Sand				
	☐ Other:					
I've characterized my soil as:		I've characterized my soil as:				
☐ Good		☐ Good				
☐ Moderate	☑ None of the above	☑ Moderate				
☐ Marginal		☐ Marginal				
☐ Poor		☐ Poor				



**Step 2: Use Sizing Calculator.** Input project-specific data into the table below to calculate the size of the facility. Instructions: Choose soil type based on test results in Step 1. Insert amount of hard surface (roof, pavement, gravel) in square feet and amount of lawn and/or landscape area in square feet. Determine multipliers by using the table below and calculate required ponding area.

Soil Type	Impervious Surface (square feet)	Hard Surface Multiplier (Varies)*	Lawn/Landscape (square feet)	Lawn/LS Multiplier (Varies)*	Ponding Area Minimum (square feet)**
Good	\$	\$ 4	<b>}</b>	\$ . ≡	
Moderate	(1,800 \$	3 0.12 H	F(6,000 E	3 0.06	= 576
Marginal	\$	3 210 =	\$	340 =	
Poor		Infiltr	ation Not Recommen	nded.	
	Use Treatment, Dispersion, or Native Landscaping BMPs				

<sup>\*</sup>Use multiplier reference table below.

# MULTIPLIER REFERENCE TABLE RAIN GARDEN SIZING

	Multiplier by Soil Type			
	Good	Moderate	Marginal	
Hard Surface Area				
Less than 5,000 sf	0.09	0.12	0.15	
More than 5,000 sf	0.07	0.09	0.12	
Lawn/Landscape Area				
Less than 2,000 sf	0.05	0.07	0.10	
Between 2,000-10,000 sf	0.04	(0.06)	0.08	
Between 10,000 - 40,000 sf	0.03	0.05	0.07	
More than 40,000 sf	0.02	0.04	0.06	

<sup>\*\*</sup> The ponding area is defined as the area that will be flooded <u>before</u> the system overflows. All rain gardens will have side slopes extending at least 18" from the top of this ponding area in all directions. See Design Guidance for more details and examples.

#### Soil Characterization Sheet - Soil Test #1(Rain Garden)

# Step 1. Review available soil data and recommend on-site soil testing To be completed by HIP Coordinator.

Off-site test pit data. Review map provided by HIP. If one test pit is within 100' of any property line, list only that data. Otherwise, please list three representative test pits, preferably within ¼ mile of the site.

Test Pit Number	Soil Type/ Infiltration Rate	Depth to Groundwater	Depth to Bedrock
NS_PIT_2	.68	4 ft	Greater than 3'
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E_North_EBV6	.68	5 ft	Greater than 3'

Based on this information, the recommended soil investigation procedure to follow in Step 2 is (determined by HIP Coordinator):

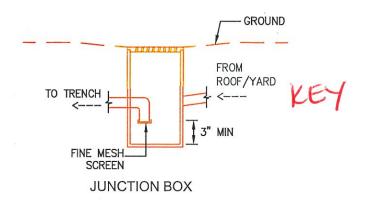
#### **SOIL DRAINAGE TEST**

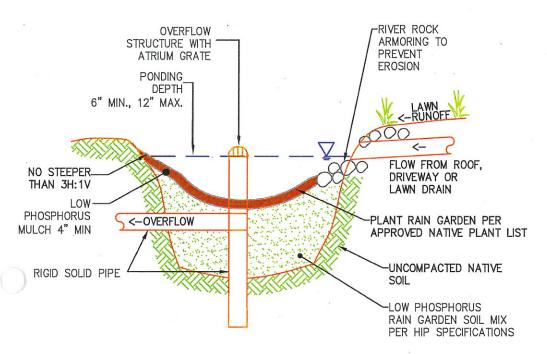
Step 2. On-site testing procedure to determine soil type To be completed by HIP Coordinator or the project designer

Follow the soil testing methods and instructions for infiltration BMPs, found in the HIP Design Handbook (Infiltration Trench and Lake Whatcom Rain Garden).

Note: If designing for infiltration facilities in multiple locations, it is suggested that each location be checked for factors that might affect design considerations. Consult with the HIP Coordinator to determine the number of additional investigations recommended for each unique site.

I completed an on-site soil investigation using (check boxes of all completed tests):						
X Soil Drainage Test	Simple	☐ Soil	Texture Test			
I used the Rain Garden Manual	Investigation	I used this test method to				
	I dug to a depth of 3' below	determine s	oil type (circle one):			
After one wet season (or three dry season) tests I have determined that my	ground surface and found:	Clay	Clayey Silt			
soil drainage rate is <mark>0. 68 in/hr</mark> .	☐ Groundwater	Silt/Loam	Sandy Loam/Sand			
I've characterized my soil as:	☐ Bedrock ☐ Other:		erized my soil as:			
☐ Good			Good			
X Moderate			☐ Moderate			
☐ Marginal	☐ None of the above	☐ Marginal				
☐ Poor			Poor			





#### **SECTION VIEW**

LAKE WHATCOM RAIN GARDEN
HIP BMP "E" TYPICAL NTS

#### Construction Criteria for Infiltration Facilities

Initial basin excavation should be conducted to within I—foot of the final elevation of the basin floor. Excavate infiltration trenches and basins to final grade only after all disturbed areas in the upgradient project drainage area have been permanently stabilized. The final phase of excavation should remove all accumulation of silt in the infiltration facility before putting it in service. After construction is completed, prevent sediment from entering the infiltration facility by first conveying the runoff water through an appropriate pretreatment system such as a pre—settling basin, wet pond, or sand filter.

Infiltration facilities should generally not be used as temporary sediment traps during construction. If an infiltration facility is to be used as a sediment trap, it must not be excavated to final grade until after the upgradient drainage area has been stabilized. Any accumulation of silt in the basin must be removed before putting it in service.

Traffic Control Relatively light—tracked equipment is recommended for this operation to avoid compaction of the basin floor. The use of draglines and trackhoes should be considered for constructing infiltration basins. The infiltration area should be flagged or marked to keep heavy equipment away.





# **Design Submittal**

## **Infiltration Trench**

## <u>Section I: System and Sizing Summary</u>

I have defined the area that will drain into the infiltration trench, by piping or sheet flow and have provided a site plan and facility cross-section.				
The drainage area is 1, 200 ft² of impervious surface and/or t² of lawn/landscape				
I have sized the trench using approved methodology (HIP Sizing Calculator or stormwater hydrological modeling software) and attached that data.				
The trench will be at least <u>558</u> ft² in size and at least 1.5' (18 inches) deep.				
I have calculated the amount of rock needed to fill the trench (cubic feet of trench volume $\div$ 27).				
I will need to install at leastyd³ of drain rock.				

## Section II: Site-Specific Planning

<b>V</b>	I have determined that the trench is at least 5' from known public and private utilities.
<b>V</b>	I have determined that the trench is at least 5' from structures with slab-on-grade foundations and 10' from structures with a basement or crawl space.
M	I have determined that the trench is not on a slope steeper than 10% and not within 10' upgradient of a slope steeper than 15% and not within 50' upgradient of a slope steeper than 35%.
Ý	I have developed an erosion control plan for the excavation of the trench and completed a site-specific SWPPP that is included with this application.



## **Sizing Calculator**

#### **Infiltration Trench**

Step 1: Characterize Soils. Use the flow chart in the design handbook to develop a soils characterization.

A. Off-site test pit data. Review map provided by HIP. If one test pit is within 100' of any property line, list only that data. Otherwise, please list three representative test pits, preferably within ¼ mile of the site.

Test Pit Number	Soil Type/ Infiltration Rate	Depth to Groundwater	Depth to Bedrock	
1	loamy sand / 1.0 inlar	None found	5 feet	
2	loam 10.5 in/hr	8 feet	None found	

B. On-site testing results

I completed an on-site soil investigation using (check boxes of all completed tests):					
Soil Drainage Test	Simple Investigation	Soil Texture Test			
I used the Rain Garden Manual	I dug to a depth of 3' below	I used this test method to			
After one wet season (or three dry	ground surface and found:	determine soil type (circle one):			
season) tests I have determined that my	☐ Groundwater	Clay Clayey Silt			
soil drainage rate isin/hr.	☐ Bedrock	Silt/Loam Sandy Loam/Sand			
	☐ Other:				
I've characterized my soil as:		I've characterized my soil as:			
☐ Good	1	☐ Good			
☐ Moderate	☑ None of the above	Moderate Moderate			
☐ Marginal		☐ Marginal			
☐ Poor	,	☐ Poor			

Step 2: Use Sizing Calculator. Input project-specific data into the table below to calculate the size of the facility.

Instructions: Choose soil type based on test results in Step 1. Measure the amount of hard surface (roof, pavement, gravel) in square feet and amount of lawn and/or landscape area in square feet and insert values into table below. Use multipliers below to calculate required trench area.

Soil Type	Hard Surface (square feet)	Hard Surface Multiplier	Lawn/Landscape (square feet)	Lawn/LS Multiplier	Trench Minimum (square feet)
Good	\$	\$ 0.06 ₹	<del>}</del>	3 0.02 ⊨	=
Moderate	(1,200 8	\$ 0.09 <b>\</b> =	11,750 \$	3 0.04 }≡	₹ 558
Marginal	\$	\$ 0.12 <b>6</b>	٤ ﴿	3 0.06 450	3
Poor	Infiltration	. Not Recommend	led. Use Media Filter	Drain or Disper	sion BMPs.

#### Soil Characterization Sheet - Soil Test #2(Infiltration)

# Step 1. Review available soil data and recommend on-site soil testing To be completed by HIP Coordinator.

Off-site test pit data. Review map provided by HIP. If one test pit is within 100' of any property line, list only that data. Otherwise, please list three representative test pits, preferably within ¼ mile of the site.

Test Pit Number	Soil Type/ Infiltration Rate	Depth to Groundwater	Depth to Bedrock
NS_PIT_2	.68	4 ft	Greater than 3'
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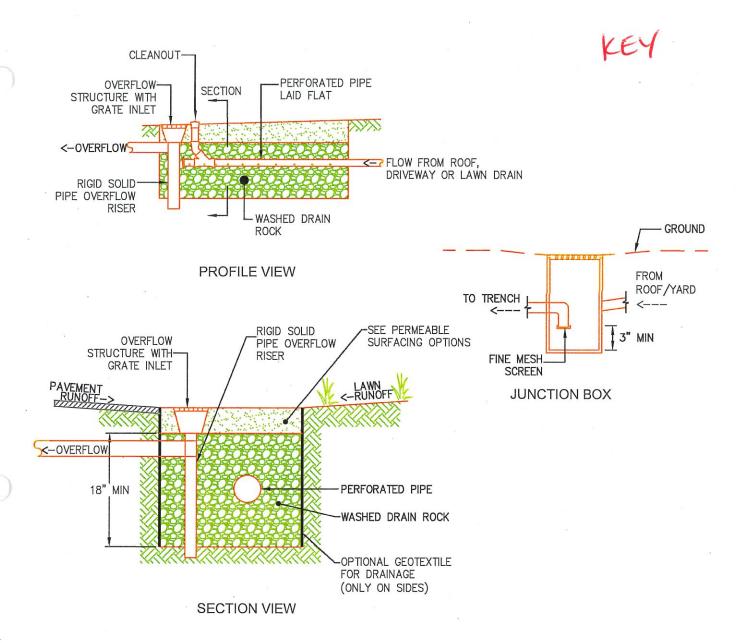
#### SIMPLE INVESTIGATION- based on Soil Test #1 Information

Step 2. On-site testing procedure to determine soil type To be completed by HIP Coordinator or the project designer

Follow the soil testing methods and instructions for infiltration BMPs, found in the HIP Design Handbook (Infiltration Trench and Lake Whatcom Rain Garden).

Note: If designing for infiltration facilities in multiple locations, it is suggested that each location be checked for factors that might affect design considerations. Consult with the HIP Coordinator to determine the number of additional investigations recommended for each unique site.

I completed an on-site soil investigati	ion using (check boxes of all co	mpleted tests):
Soil Drainage Test I used the Rain Garden Manual	X Simple Investigation I dug to a depth of 3' below ground surface and found:	Soil Texture Test I used this test method to determine soil type (circle one):
After one wet season (or three dry season) tests I have determined that my soil drainage rate is in/hr.  I've characterized my soil as:	☐ Groundwater ☐ Bedrock ☐ Other:	Clay Clayey Silt Silt/Loam Sandy Loam/Sand I've characterized my soil as:
☐ Good ☐ Moderate ☐ Marginal ☐ Poor	X None of the above	☐ Good ☐ Moderate ☐ Marginal ☐ Poor



## ROCK-FILLED INFILTRATION TRENCH HIP BMP "B" TYPICAL NTS

#### Construction Criteria for Infiltration Facilities

Initial basin excavation should be conducted to within I—foot of the final elevation of the basin floor. Excavate infiltration trenches and basins to final grade only after all disturbed areas in the upgradient project drainage area have been permanently stabilized. The final phase of excavation should remove all accumulation of silt in the infiltration facility before putting it in service. After construction is completed, prevent sediment from entering the infiltration facility by first conveying the runoff water through an appropriate pretreatment system such as a pre—settling basin, wet pond, or sand filter.

Infiltration facilities should generally not be used as temporary sediment traps during construction. If an infiltration facility is to be used as a sediment trap, it must not be excavated to final grade until after the upgradient drainage area has been stabilized. Any accumulation of silt in the basin must be removed before putting it in service.

Traffic Control Relatively light—tracked equipment is recommended for this operation to avoid compaction of the basin floor. The use of draglines and trackhoes should be considered for constructing infiltration basins. The infiltration area should be flagged or marked to keep heavy equipment away.



# **Design Submittal** Media Filter Drain System

## **Section I: System and Sizing Summary**

V	I have provided a site plan and facility cross-section.				
V	I have defined the area that will drain into the MFD by piping.				
	That area isft² of impervious surface and/orft² of lawn/landscape				
V	I have defined the area that will drain into the MFD by sheet flow.				
	That area isft² of impervious surface and/orft² of lawn/landscape				
	I have sized the MFD using approved methodology (HIP Sizing Calculator or stormwater hydrological modeling software) and attached that data.				
	My trench will need to be at least feet wide and ft² in filter area				

## Section II: Site-Specific Planning

V	I have determined that the MFD is at least 5' from known public and private utilities.
1	I have determined that the MFD is at least 5' from structures with slab-on-grade foundations and 10' from structures with a basement or crawl space.
<b>V</b>	I have determined that the MFD is not on or next to a slope steeper than 15% and not within 50' upgradient of a slope steeper than 35%.
7	I have developed an erosion control plan for the excavation of the trench and completed a site-specific SWPPP that is included with this application.

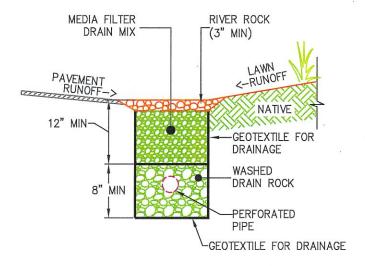




# **Sizing Calculator** Media Filter Drain System

**Instructions:** Measure hard surface area and lawn/landscaping surface area draining to trench. Characterize flow as sheet flow or piped flow. Insert values in the table below and use the following formula to calculate the size of MFD trench that is needed to adequately manage the runoff directed to the system. Sheet flow trenches must be at least 2' wide while piped flow trenches must be at least 3' wide in order for this calculation to be applicable. Runoff from a pipe that crosses at least 25' of lawn or landscape before reaching the trench can be considered sheet flow.

Drainage Type	Hard Surface (square feet)	Hard Surface Multiplier	Lawn/Landscape (square feet)	Lawn/LS Multiplier	Minimum Trench Area (square feet)	
Sheet Flow	Ø \$	3 0.03 <sup>₹</sup>	> (31,000 \$	3 0.01 ) ∈	310	
Piped Flow	Ø · S	3 0.04 €	> Ø &	3 0.01	3 0	
79	Total area of trench needed (add trench areas above):					



SECTION VIEW

MEDIA FILTER DRAIN ; SHEET FLOW CONFIGURATION HIP BMP "C.1", TYPICAL NTS





# **Design Submittal**

# Dispersion

## **Section I: System and Sizing Summary**

Y	I have provided a site plan and facility cross-section.				
V	I have defined the area that will drain into the trench by piping.				
	The drainage area is <u>Ø</u> ft² of impervious surface and/or ft² of lawn/landscape				
V	I have defined the area that will drain into the trench by sheet flow				
That area is 1,500 ft² of impervious surface and/or 20,500 ft² of lawn/landscape					
<b>✓</b>	I have sized the trench using approved methodology (HIP Sizing Calculator or stormwater hydrological modeling software) and attached that data.				
The t	The trench will be at least feet long and the downstream vegetated flow path must be at least that wide and feet long.				

## Section II: Site-Specific Planning

<b>✓</b>	I have determined that the trench is at least 5' from known private or public utilities.
	I have determined that the trench is at least 5' from structures with slab-on-grade foundations and 10' from structures with a basement or crawl space.
V	I have determined that the trench is not on or next to a slope steeper than 15% and not within 50' upgradient of a slope steeper than 35%.
V	I have developed an erosion control plan for the excavation of the trench and completed a site-specific SWPPP that is included with this application.



## Sizing Calculator

## **Dispersion**

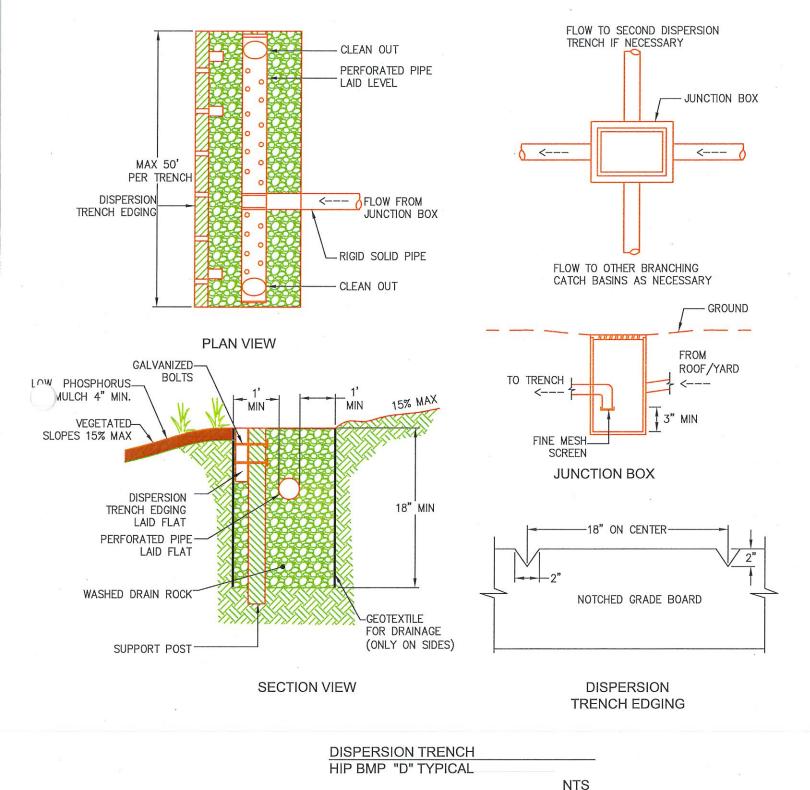
**Step 1: Determine Trench Length.** Measure the hard surface area draining to the trench. Measure the lawn/landscaping surface area draining to the trench. Use the following formula to calculate the length of dispersion trench that is needed to adequately mange the runoff directed to the system. All dispersion trenches are 2' wide at minimum. Runoff from a pipe that crosses at least 25' of lawn or landscape before reaching the trench can be considered sheet flow.

Drainage Type	Impervious Surface (square feet)	Hard Surface Multiplier	Lawn/Landscape (square feet)	Lawn/LS Multiplier	Minimum Trench Length (linear feet)
Sheet Flow	1500 \$	3 0.009	£ 20,500 E	3 0.005	= 116
Piped Flow	̈́Ø	3 0.014 3.54	<b>₹</b> Ø €	3 0.005	3 Ø
	Total length	n of trench nee	ded (add trench le	ngths above):	116

**Step 2: Determine Flow Path Length.** Use the following formula to calculate how far the dispersed water must travel, through vegetation, before it leaves your property or enters a water body. Runoff from a pipe that crosses at least 25' of lawn or landscape before reaching the trench can be considered sheet flow.

Drainage Type	Hard Surface (square feet) "A"	Lawn/Landscape (square feet) "B"	Lawn Width "C"	Formula	Minimum Flow Path Length (linear feet)
Sheet Flow	Not part of formula	Not part of formula	110'	((C-25)/3)+25	53'
Piped Flow	Ø	Ø	Not part of formula	((A/B)*100)+25	0'
Tot	Total length of flow path needed (add flow path lengths above):				

KEY







# **Design Submittal**

# **Native Landscaping**

## **Section I: System and Sizing Summary**

I have defined the area that will be converted into native landscaping and have provided a site map showing the planting area.			
The area is currentlyft² of impervious surface and/orft² of lawn/existing landscape			
If any of my planting is in the public right-of-way, I have received written approval from the jurisdiction that manages the public area (City or County).			
The size of the area of the Right-of-Way I plan to landscape isft²			
I have calculated the amount of lake-friendly mulch (area divided by 80) and number of native plants (varies) I will need to install to complete the project.			
My landscaping plan requires <u>1,075</u> cubic yards of approved mulch, and my plant list includes <u>300</u> native trees, <u>1,094</u> native shrubs, and <u>2,440</u> native groundcovers			

## Section II: Site-Specific Planning

V	I have determined that I will not be planting trees or shrubs within 5' of a known utility, including septic systems (on private property) or 10' from a utility (in public ROW).
V	I have determined that I will not need additional approvals for planting trees in the public right-of-way (if proposed, tree planting in ROW is not required)
4	I have determined that the planting area is not on or next to a slope steeper than 35%
Ø	I have developed a plan to prevent erosion or runoff during my planting activities, including work during the wet season that complies with winter work provisions



## **Plant Density Calculator**

## **Native Landscaping**

Instructions: Choose and circle at least <u>two</u> of the following plant layers that will be included in this project. Use the corresponding planting option in the plant density calculator below to determine the number of plants needed for each plant layer.

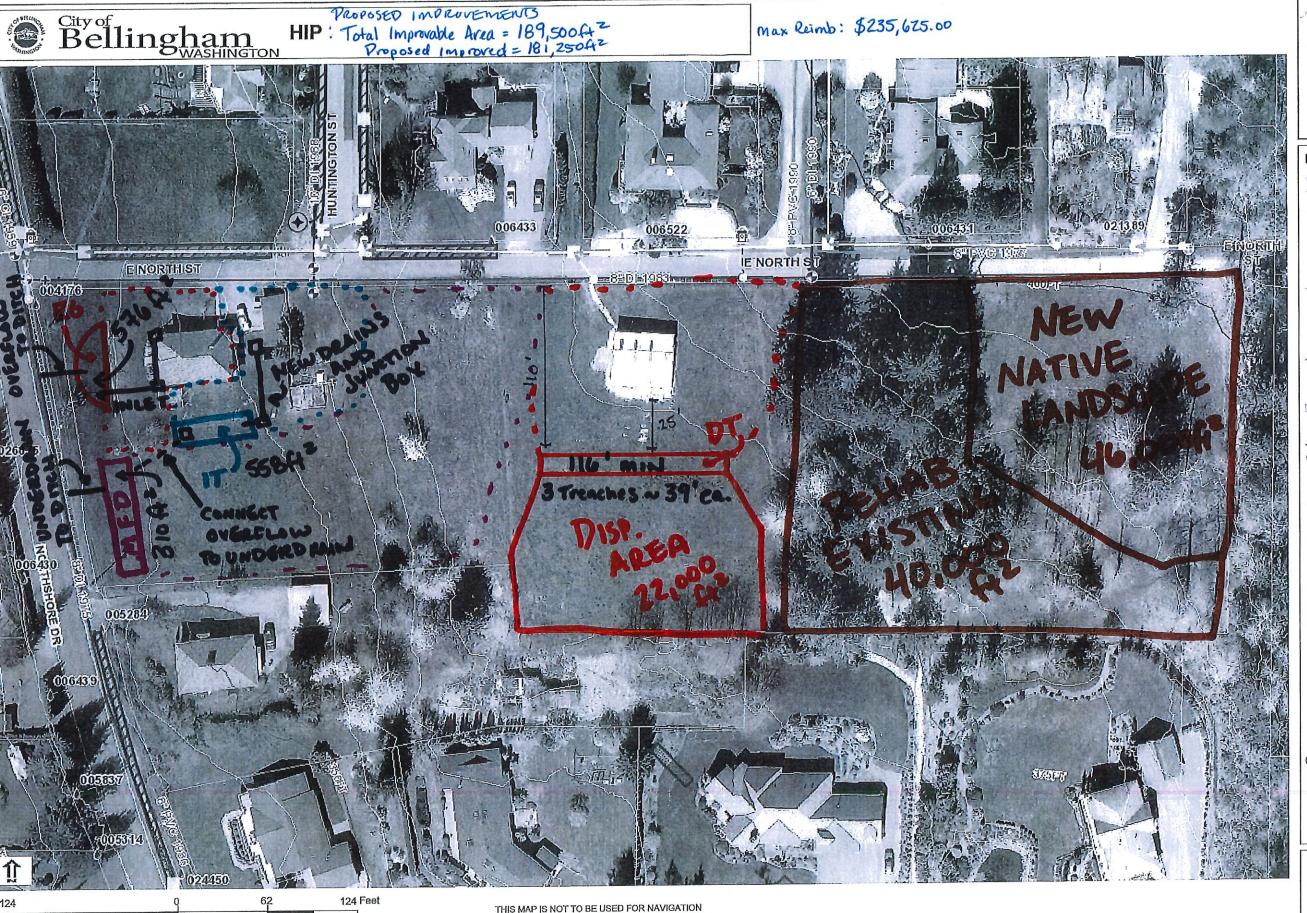
**CANOPY** (Native Trees)

**UNDERSTORY** (Native Shrubs)

**GROUNDCOVER** (Small Native Plants)

Option	Canopy Layers Included	Plant Layer	Project area (sq ft)	Density Divider	Number of Plants
		Trees	86,000	225 (15' o.c.*)	300
A	Canopy, Understory, and Groundcover	Shrubs	86,000	64 (8' o.c.)	1.094
		Groundcovers	86,000	25 (5' o.c.)	= 2,440
В	Canopy and Understory Only	Trees		144 (12' o.c.)	
Б	(No Groundcovers)	Shrubs	-	36 (6' o.c.)	
С	Canopy and Groundcovers Only	Trees		144 (12' o.c.)	
C	(No Understory)	Groundcovers		16 (4' o.c.)	
D	Understory and Groundcovers Only	Shrubs		49 (7' o.c.)	
D	(No Canopy)	Groundcovers		25 (5' o.c.)	

<sup>\*</sup>The abbreviation "o.c." stands for "on center", a convention used to describe the average distance between plants. For example, a tree that is planted 15' o.c. would be, on average, 15' from its nearest neighbor.





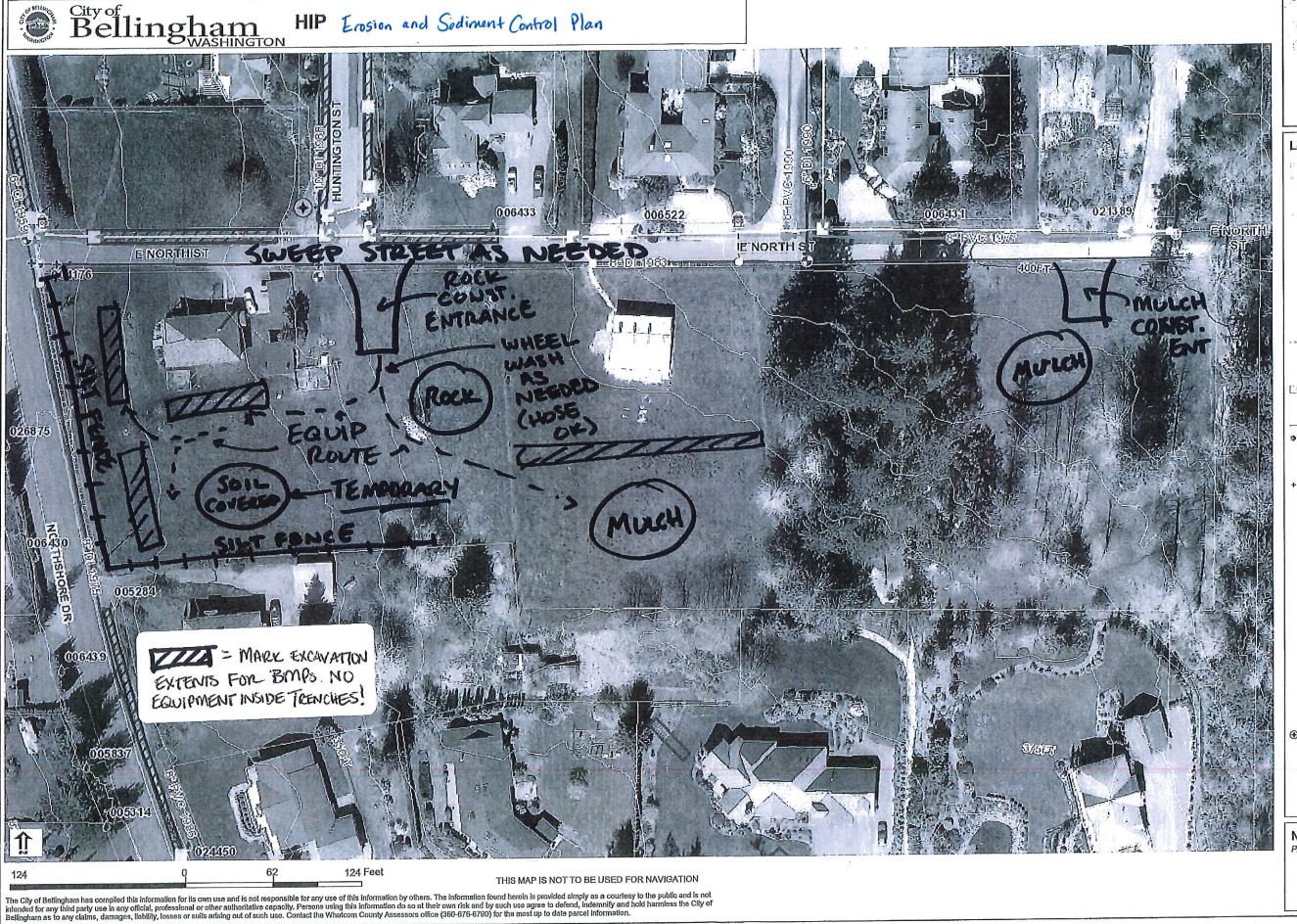
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- Manhole
- Clean Out Pipe End
- Fitting
- Lateral Line
- Collector Drain Line
- Storm Service Line
- Culvert
- Storm Main - City Mains, Active
- City Mains, Under Construction
- · Private Mains, Active
- Private Mains, Under Construction
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- Storm Access Points A Access Cover
- Observation Well Storm Control Structures
- Storm Other Components OB - Public Works
- Open Channel Streams
- Water Access Points Service Valve
- \* Fireline Valve
- Hydrant Valve
- Fitting
- Control Valve
- \* Air Release
- # Blow Off
- Customer
- Water Customer
- Critical Water Customer
- Hydrants
- d City Hydrants
- d City Filling Station # Private Hydrants
- Water System Valve
- Bypass Valve
- O Tapping Valve
- × Zone Valve
- Network Structure
- Enclosed Storage Facility
- Pump Station
- SamplingStation
- Storage Basin Treatment Plant
- SamplingStations
- Lateral Line -- Fireline Service
- -- Hydrant Service
- -- Water Service Line
- Water Main
- City Main: Active: Potable

Notes

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#### Legend

Catch Basins

Manhole Clean Out

Pipe End

Fitting

Lateral Line

- Collector

Drain Line

- Storm Service Line

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Storm Main

··· City Mains, Active

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Storm Access Points

A Access Cover

Observation Well

Storm Control Structures

Storm Other Components OB - Public Works

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Hydrant Valve

Fitting

Control Valve

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# Blow Off

Customer

Water Customer

Critical Water Customer Hydrants

ចំ City Filling Station

Private Hydrants

Water System Valve

 Bypass Valve Inline Valve

Tapping Valve

× Zone Valve

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-- Fireline Service

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-- Water Service Line

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#### GENERAL CONSTRUCTION STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN

#### **PURPOSE**

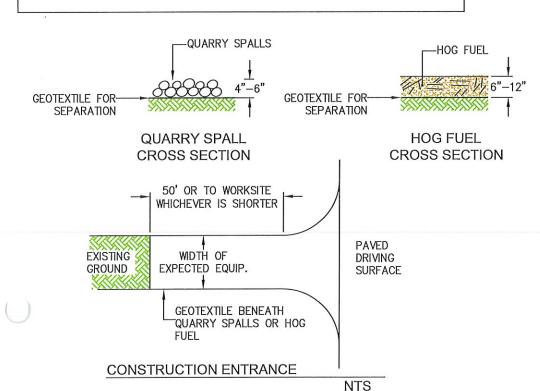
TO PREVENT THE DISCHARGE OF SEDIMENT AND OTHER POLLUTANTS TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PRACTICABLE FROM SMALL CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS.

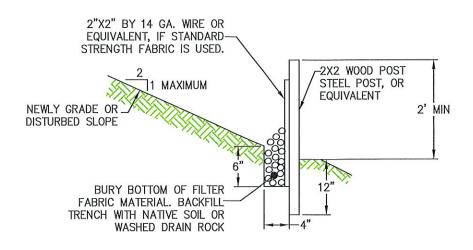
#### **PESIGN AND INSTALLATION**

PLAN AND IMPLEMENT PROPER CLEARING AND GRADING OF THE SITE. IT IS MOST IMPORTANT ONLY TO CLEAR THE AREAS NEEDED KEEPING EXPOSED AREAS TO A MINIMUM. PHASE CLEARING SO THAT ONLY THOSE AREAS THAT ARE ACTIVELY BEING WORKED ARE UNCOVERED.

NOTE: CLEARING LIMITS SHALL BE FLAGGED ON THE LOT OR PROJECT AREA PRIOR TO INITIATING CLEARING.

- FROM OCTOBER 1 THROUGH APRIL 30, NO SOILS SHALL REMAIN EXPOSED AND UNWORKED FOR MORE THAN TWO DAYS FROM MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30, NO SOILS SHALL REMAIN EXPOSED AND UNWORKED FOR MORE THAN SEVEN DAYS.
- SOIL SHALL BE MANAGED IN A MANNER THAT DOES NOT PERMANENTLY COMPACT OR DETERIORATE THE FINAL SOIL AND LANDSCAPE SYSTEM. IF DISTURBANCE AND/OR COMPACTION OCCUR THE IMPACT MUST BE CORRECTED AT THE END OF THE CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY. THIS SHALL INCLUDE RESTORATION OF SOIL DEPTH, SOIL QUALITY, PERMEABILITY, AND PERCENT ORGANIC MATTER. CONSTRUCTION PRACTICES MUST NOT CAUSE DAMAGE TO OR COMPROMISE THE DEPTH OF PERMANENT LANDSCAPE OR INFILTRATION AREAS.
- LOCATE ANY SOIL PILES AWAY FROM DRAINAGE SYSTEMS. SOIL PILES SHOULD BE TARPED OR MULCHED UNTIL THE SOIL IS EITHER USED OR REMOVED. PILES SHOULD BE SITUATED SO THAT RUNOFF DOES NOT RUN INTO THE STREET OR ADJOINING YARDS.
- BACKFILL WALLS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AFTER BACKFILLING. THIS WILL ELIMINATE ANY SEDIMENT LOSS FROM SURPLUS FILL.
- THE CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE SHALL BE STABILIZED WHERE TRAFFIC WILL BE LEAVING THE CONSTRUCTION SITE AND TRAVELING ON PAVED ROADS OR OTHER PAVED SURFACES.
- PROVIDE FOR PERIODIC STREET CLEANING TO REMOVE ANY SEDIMENT THAT MAY HAVE BEEN TRACKED OUT. SEDIMENT SHOULD BE REMOVED BY SHOVELING OR SWEEPING AND CAREFULLY REMOVED TO A SUITABLE DISPOSAL AREA WHERE IT WILL NOT BE RE—ERODED, STREET WASHING IS PROHIBITED.

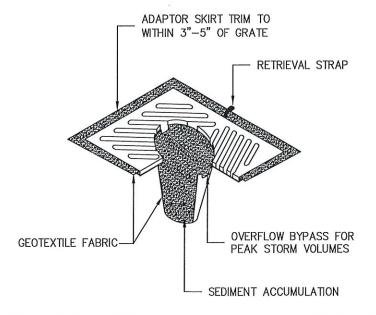


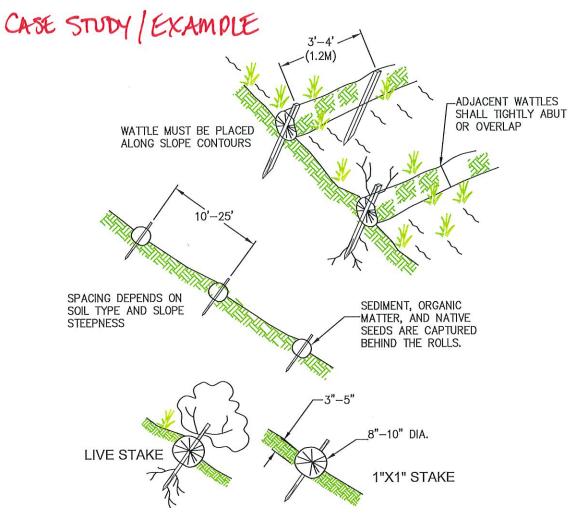


TYPICAL CROSS SECTION

SILT FENCE SEDIMENT BARRIER

NTS





#### NOTE:

 WATTLE INSTALLATION REQUIRES THE PLACEMENT AND SECURE STAKING OF THE WATTLE IN A TRENCH, 3"-5" DEEP, DUG ON CONTOUR. RUNOFF MUST NOT BE ALLOWED TO RUN UNDER OR AROUND WATTLE

WATTLES (SEDIMENT BARRIER)

NTS

#### IOTES:

- INSERT SHALL BE INSTALLED PRIOR TO CLEARING AND GRADING ACTIVITY, OR UPON PLACEMENT OF A NEW CATCH BASIN.
- 2. SEDIMENT SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE UNIT WHEN IT BECOMES HALF FULL.
- 3. SEDIMENT REMOVAL SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY REMOVING THE INSERT, EMPTYING, AND RE-INSERTING IT INTO THE CATCH BASIN.

#### CATCH BASIN INSERT (INLET PROTECTION) DETAIL

NTS

Total Project Area (in square feet)

22000

Address:

Owner Name: Example Project for Certification

# My HIP Project will meet the required density for the following layers (Choose AND CIRCLE at least two)

Canopy (Native Trees)

Understory (Native Shrubs)

**Groundcover (Small Native Plants)** 

If you chose:	Then your minimum density will be		
	Divide project area by 225 (15' o.c.)	98	Trees
Canopy, Understory, and Groundcover	Divide project area by 64 (8' o.c.)	344	Shrubs
dunispy, singularity, and singularity	Divide project area by 25 (5' o.c.)	880	Groundcovers
	Divide project area by 144, (12' o.c.)	153	Trees
B Canopy and Understory Only (No Groundcovers)	Divide project area by 36 (6' o.c.)	611	Shrubs
	Divide project area by 144 (12' o.c.)	153	Trees
Canopy and Groundcovers Only (No Understory)	Divide project area by 16 (4' o.c.)	Andrew Control of the	Groundcovers
	Divide project area by 49 (7' o.c.)	449	Shrubs
D Understory and Groundcover Only (No Canopy)	Divide project area by 25 (5' o.c.)	880	Groundcovers

# Plant List, Please complete with species name (common or scientific) and desired number

Native Trees	
Species Name	<u>#</u>
Alaska Yellow Cedar	10
Beaked Hazlenut	10
Big Leaf Maple	10
Cascara	10
Western Redcedar	10
Western Hemlock	10
Oregon Ash	10
Blue Elderberry	10
Vine maple	10
Douglas' Maple	8
Total	98

Native Shrubs	
Species Name	<u>#</u>
Bald Hip Rose	35
Salal	35
Tall Oregon Groupe	35
Osoberry	35
Pacific Rhododendron	35
led-flowering Currant	35
Shiny Leaf Spirea	35
Salmonberry	35
Thimble berry	35
Black Cap Rosphing	29
• • • •	344

Native Groundcovers		
Species Name	<u>#</u>	
Kinnikinnick	දිදි	
Beach Strawberry	88	
Com Forest Strawbury	88	
Oxalis	88	
Douglas Aster	පිපි	
Deer Fern	88	
Sword Fern	පිපි	
Liconice Fern	88	
Inside-out Flower	පිපි	
Nodding Onion	88	
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880

CASE STUDY/EXAMPLE Owner Name: Example Project for Certification

# My HIP Project will meet the required density for the following layers (Choose AND CIRCLE at least two)

Canopy (Native Trees)

**Understory (Native Shrubs)** 

**Groundcover (Small Native Plants)** 

If you chose:	Then your minimum density will be		
	Divide project area by 225 (15' o.c.)	204	Trees
Canopy, Understory, and Groundcover	Divide project area by 64 (8' o.c.)	719	Shrubs
	Divide project area by 25 (5' o.c.)	1840	Groundcovers
B Canopy and Understory Only (No Groundcovers)	Divide project area by 144, (12' o.c.)  Divide project area by 36 (6' o.c.)		Trees Shrubs
	Divide project area by 144 (12' o.c.)	319	Trees
C Canopy and Groundcovers Only (No Understory)	Divide project area by 16 (4' o.c.)	2875	Groundcovers
	1 20 (7)	020	lett.
D Understory and Groundcover Only (No Canopy)	Divide project area by 49 (7' o.c.)		Shrubs
Dilucistory and Groundcover Only (146 Carropy)	Divide project area by 25 (5' o.c.)	1840	Groundcovers

## **Total Project** Area (in square feet) 46000

# Plant List, Please complete with species name (common or scientific) and desired number

Native Trees	
Species Name	<u>#</u>
Alaska Yellow Cedar	10
Beaked Hazlenut	50
Big-Leaf Maple	160
Cascara	25
Western Red Gedar	10
Western Hemlock	10
Oneson Ash	16
Blue Elderberry	25
Vine Maple	25
Douglas Maple	17
	204

Native Shrubs		
Species Name	#	
Balel Hip Rose	50	
Salai	150	
Tall Oregon Grape	50	
Osoberry	40	
Preific Rhododendron	40	
Red-Flowering Corrant	100	
Shiny leaf Spirea	50	
Salmon berry	100	
Thimble berry	39	
Keed Black Cap Rospherry	100	
	719	

Native Groundcovers		
Species Name	<u>#</u>	
Kinnikinnick	250	
Beach Strawberry	250	
Forest Strawberry	250	
Oxalis	100	
Douglas Aster	50	
Deer Fern	250	
Sword Fern	250	
Licorice fern	50	
Inside out Flower	195	
Nodding Onion	195	
	1840	

HIP Project Planting Plan - Landscape Rehab

Address:

**Owner Name: Example Project for Certification** 

# My HIP Project will meet the required density for the following layers (Choose AND CIRCLE at least two)

Canopy (Native Trees)

**Understory (Native Shrubs)** 

**Groundcover (Small Native Plants)** 

If you chose:	Then your minimum density will be		
	Divide project area by 225 (15' o.c.)	178	Trees
Canopy, Understory, and Groundcover	Divide project area by 64 (8' o.c.)	625	Shrubs
	Divide project area by 25 (5' o.c.)	1600	Groundcovers
B Canopy and Understory Only (No Groundcovers)	Divide project area by 144, (12' o.c.)		Trees
callopy and enactatory any (its strained to a	Divide project area by 36 (6' o.c.)	7777	Shrubs
	Divide project area by 144 (12' o.c.)	278	Trees
C Canopy and Groundcovers Only (No Understory)	Divide project area by 16 (4' o.c.)	2500	Groundcovers
D Understory and Groundcover Only (No Canopy)	Divide project area by 49 (7' o.c.)		Shrubs
	Divide project area by 25 (5' o.c.)	1600	Groundcovers

# Area (in square feet) 40000

Total Project

# Plant List, Please complete with species name (common or scientific) and desired number

Native Trees	
Species Name	<u>#</u>
Existing Trees	82
Cascara	ìle
Bealad Hazlenut	16
Vive Maple	16
Blue Elderberry	16
Red Elderberry	lle
Big-Leaf Maple	160

Native Shrubs	
Species Name	<u>#</u>
Existing Shrubs	250
Salal	65
Red-Flouting Correlat	65
Pacific Rhododendron	65
	£5
Shing leaf Spirea Salmon berry	65
Black Cap Rispberry	50
	(0-75

Native Groundcovers	
Species Name	<u>#</u>
Existing Groundcovers	1000
Kinnikinnick	150
Beach Strawberry	150
Forest Strawberry	150
Sword Fern	150
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