

# Buttenweiser – Wiley Residence 6838 96th Avenue SE (Mercer Island)

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Mercer Island, WA 98040

# Stormwater Site Plan

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# **PROJECT OVERVIEW**

The following Stormwater Drainage Report is for parcel #3024059010 located at 6838 96<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE in Mercer Island, Washington. See **Figure 1** – **Vicinity Map.** The existing parcel total approximately 41,214 SF square feet (0.95 acres) and consists of a single-family residence with a residential structure with a detached garage, concrete driveway and asphalt parking, concrete walkways, and concrete patios. The project proposes reconstruction of a single-family residential building and exterior on-site improvements. The new single-family residential property will reside in the east side facing the Lake Washington waterfront, including reconstruction of a detached garage west of the proposed residential building. Site improvements will consist of the removal and replacement of the asphalt parking with a new asphalt parking area, removal and replacement of the existing concrete patio and walkways with pervious deck areas and exterior concrete stairs, landscape improvements including site grading, and various drainage features for outdoor entertaining and access to the waterfront.

Based upon the City of Mercer Island Municipal Code (MIMC) Section 15.09.050, the drainage analysis will be assessed using the Department of Ecology (DOE) 2014 Stormwater Manual of Western Washington (SWMWW). Additionally, projects that replace, modify, or construct a new driveway prior to discharge from the site shall provide passive spill control. Water quality treatment of the proposed pollution generating hard surface (PGHS) is required because the project proposed more than 5,000 SF of PGHS. The project is exempt from flow control requirements as the site has a direct discharge to Lake Washington.

# **EXISTING CONDITIONS**

The site is bounded by single-family residence to the north, south, and west, and Lake Washington to the East. According to the City of Mercer Island Zoning Map, the project site is within the R-8.4 zone. Based upon the Geologic Map of Mercer Island, the site soils are comprised of primarily nonglacial lake deposits.

According to the City of Mercer Island, the property is within a Seismic Hazard area along the eastern side of the property. Additionally, the entire site is within an Erosion Hazard area and the middle portion of the site includes a Steep Slope Hazard area.

The existing site consists of a single-family residence with a residential structure with a detached garage, concrete driveway and asphalt parking, concrete walkways, and concrete patios. Topographically, the site slopes from the west to the east towards Lake Washington with a grade difference of approximately 80 feet and an average slope of 21 percent. See Figure 2 – Existing Conditions.



#### **Downstream Analysis**

The project site was mapped by topographical field survey provided by Terrance, dated February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021. This field survey was provided to LPD Engineering and was supplemented by record information and aerial mapping data obtained from the City of Mercer Island.

Per existing site plans, there is an existing 6-inch storm drain mainline along the south side of the property. The 6-inch polyvinyl chloride (PVC) drainage pipe discharges from the site to Lake Washington. The discharge point is located in the southeast corner of the property. Stormwater runoff from the driveway is collected by an area drain and conveyed south via a 4-inch PVC to the 6-inch PVC mainline along the south side. Runoff from the existing roofs is collected using downspouts, and also convey east via the 6-inch PVC which outlets at the southeast corner of the property through a concrete bulk head into Lake Washington.

# **PROPOSED CONDITIONS**

The total new plus replaced hard surface (as defined by the 2014 DOE manual) is approximately 10,576 square feet. See **Figure 3** – **Proposed Conditions**. The asphalt and concrete driveway and concrete pathways have been included in both the existing and proposed hard surface area calculations for this drainage analysis. Please note that the "hard surface" calculations used in the drainage analysis are not necessarily the same as the impervious surface calculations used for the lot coverage analysis. Table 1 below shows an area summary of proposed improvements.

Surface Area	Pervious Surface [SF]	Hard Surface [SF]
PGHS Asphalt Driveway		90
PGHS Concrete Driveway		4,189
NPGHS Concrete Walk/ Stairs		663
NPGIS Gravel Pavement		1,907
NPGHS Roof (Existing foundation and floor slab to be removed and replaced)		3,727
Landscape	26,995	

#### Table 1 - Proposed Improvements Area Summary

Total New Plus Replaced Hard Surface			10,576	(0.245 AC)
Total Pervious	30,638	(0.703 AC)		
Total Lot Size		41,214 (	0.946 AC	)

Drainage from the proposed single-family residence will be collected by a combination of trench drains, area drains, and Type 1 catch basins. A drainage runnel is located along the northern side of the proposed residential property which will discharge runoff into a non-infiltrating bioretention area located along the eastern side of the property. Drainage from southern side of the property will directly discharge to Lake Washington. Roof runoff will be collected in gutters and downspouts connected to a below-grade tight lined drainage system. The proposed site drainage system and outfall locations are shown on the Grading and Drainage plan included in the Project Documents (Appendix A).



# **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

Per Volume I of the DOE Manual, if the existing lot coverage is 35% impervious or more, the project is classified as a redevelopment. If less than 35% existing lot coverage, the project is a new development. The site is currently has approximately 22.4% impervious coverage and is therefore classified as a new development. See Figure 2 – Existing Impervious Coverage.

This project's minimum requirements were determined based on the redevelopment flow chart (Figure 2.4.1) referred to in Volume I of the 2014 SWMMWW. The project proposes more than 5,000 SF of new plus replaced hard surface and therefore, will require Minimum Requirements (MR) #1-#9 for all *new and replaced hard surfaces and converted vegetation areas*.

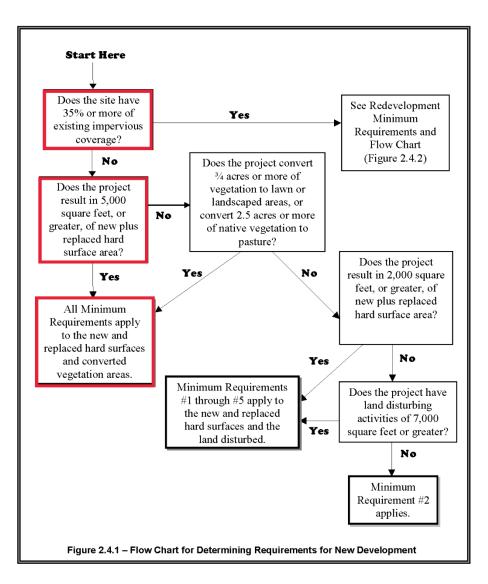
The project creates greater than 5,000 SF of new hard surface. Comparing the total hard surface area in the pre-developed and post-developed conditions, the amount of hard surface area tributary to the downstream storm system has increased by 1,341 SF. See Table 2 for a net calculation of existing and proposed surfaces:

 Table 2 – Net Area Summary

Pre-Developed Hard/Impervious Surfaces discharged to Lake Washington [SF]	Post-Developed Hard/Impervious Surfaces discharged to Lake Washington [SF]	Delta (SF)
9,235	10,576	1,341

Therefore, no additional requirements are applied to this project. No flow control or water quality treatment is required.





As indicated in the flow chart above, the minimum requirements (MR1-MR9) will apply to the new plus replaced hard surfaces. The project does not propose any converted vegetation areas since the site's existing pervious areas are landscape and lawn areas. Below is description of each of the minimum requirements for the project and how this project addresses them:

Minimum Requirement #1 – Preparation of Stormwater Site Plans (MR1): This document is the Stormwater Site Plan. It outlines the existing and proposed site and drainage conditions, describes the flow control systems, and presents the stormwater analysis.

Minimum Requirement #2 – Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) (MR2): The construction SWPPP is included in this report. Refer to the Sediment and Erosion Control section of this report.



**Minimum Requirement #3 – Source Control of Pollution (MR3):** In the proposed conditions, applicable activities matching those listed within Volume IV of the 2014 DOE Manual that will require the use of source control measures. Refer to the Sediment and Erosion Control section of this report.

**Minimum Requirement #4 – Preservation of Natural Drainage Systems and Outfalls (MR4):** The proposed conditions will not alter the general drainage path. Refer to the Existing and Proposed Conditions of this report for further details.

Minimum Requirement #5 – On-Site Stormwater Management (MR5): On this project, the proposed on-site stormwater management BMPs include preservation and retention of native vegetation, permeable pavement, and amended soils. Refer to the Stormwater Management section below for a detailed description of the onsite stormwater management.

Minimum Requirement #6 – Runoff Treatment (MR6): On this project, the proposed pollution generating hard surface (PGHS) is less than 5,000 square feet. Therefore, runoff treatment is required.

**Minimum Requirement #7 – Flow Control (MR7):** Table I-E.1 Exempt Surface Waters List, identifies Lake Washington as a Flow Control-Exempt Surface water. Stormwater runoff from the project site directly discharges to Lake Washington. Therefore, flow control is not required.

**Minimum Requirements #8 – Wetlands Protection (MR8):** The proposed project does not directly or indirectly discharge stormwater into a wetland.

**Minimum Requirements #9** – **Operations and Maintenance (MR9):** The maintenance and operations guidelines for the associated proposed stormwater facilities will be attached in Appendix E of this report.

# Stormwater Management

### Flow Control

As mentioned, the proposed project will result in more than 5,000 SF of new plus replaced hard surface, and therefore MR7 is applicable to this project. However, per MIMC Section 15.09.050.A.2, hard surfaces that are infeasible to mitigate with On-Site Stormwater Management BMPS (MR5) are also exempt from flow control requirements as the site has a direct discharge to Lake Washington and the proposed downstream system will have adequate conveyance capacity. Refer to the On-Site Stormwater Management and Conveyance sections of this report for further details.

### Water Quality Treatment

The proposed project will have a total of 4,279 SF PGIS, which is less than 5,000 SF threshold (Section 2.5.6 of DOE SWMMWW). Therefore, this project is not required to provide water quality treatment.



#### **On-Site Stormwater Management**

Based upon the City of Mercer Island Municipal Code (MIMC) Section 15.09.050.A, the new plus replaced hard surface area will require mitigation by on-site stormwater management BMPs to the maximum extent feasible. However, per 2014 DOE Manual Section 2.5.5, projects that are required to meet on-site stormwater management (MR5), but do not trigger flow control (MR7) do not have to achieve LID performance standards nor consider bioretention, rain gardens, permeable pavement, and full dispersion if using List #1 or List #2. A number of other BMPS, as required by Section 2.5.5, were evaluated for the project and are discussed below. BMP T5.13, post-construction soil quality and depth, will be implemented for existing lawn areas requiring replacement.

**BMP T5.13 Post-Construction Soil Quality and Depth:** Post-Construction Soil Quality and Depth will be applied to existing lawn areas requiring replacement due to being disturbed by construction.

**BMP T5.10A Downspout Full Infiltration Systems, BMP T5.10B Downspout Dispersion Systems or BMP T5.10C Perforated stub-out Connections:** Downspout infiltration systems and perforated stub out connections were determined to be infeasible for this site. The geotechnical report for the site, prepared by Aspect Consulting, LLC., observed that the soils underlying the site consisted of fill materials with varying proportions of silty soils. Groundwater was encountered in site explorations and mottling was also observed, indicating shallow groundwater. Refer to the geotechnical report which is supplemental to this report.

Downspout dispersion systems were also found to be infeasible for this site. Per Section 3.1.2 of Volume III. a vegetative flow path of 25-feet or more was not feasible downstream of the target surfaces.

**BMPT5.11 Concentrated Flow Dispersion or BMP T5.12 Sheet Flow Dispersion:** Concentrated flow or sheet flow dispersion for the proposed driveway and concrete walkways was not feasible due to limited site and vegetative flow path downstream of the proposed surfaces.

BMPT5.15 Permeable Pavements: Not required to be evaluated for this project.

**BMPT7.30 Bioretention:** Although not required to be evaluated for this project, a bioretention area will be implemented at the east end of the project. The project is proposing to route 6,933 SF of impervious surface to the bioretention. Per Volume V of the DOE SWMMWW, the bioretention area shall have horizontally projected surface below the overflow which is at least 5% of the total impervious draining to it. Thus, the minimum area of the cell would be 347 SF. The proposed bioretention bottom surface area is 340 SF, but the horizontally projected area (6-inches ponding) is approximately 383 SF, which meets the requirement listed previously.



#### Conveyance

An analysis of the onsite conveyance systems was performed for the inlet pipe to the bioretention and the south discharge pipe. Refer to the Conveyance Analysis Spreadsheet and MGS Flood output included in Appendix B. At a minimum, the new pipe systems must be able to convey the 25-year peak runoff event per DOE standards, which was determined using MGS Flood with 15-minute time steps. The conveyance systems were also sized for the 100-year peak flow, as a conservative measure. These values were compared to the full flow capacity of the conveyance pipes, which was determined using Manning's equation.

A conservative conveyance analysis was completed for the 6-inch bioretention inlet pipe that collects the north side roofs of the proposed residential property and the soldier pile footing drain. This area totals 0.057 acres of impervious and 0.171 acres of landscaping. The 6-inch pipe (n=0.011) will be at a 9.9% slope for a full flow capacity of 2.09 CFS (cubic feet per second). The 25-year and 100-year peak storm event were determined to be 0.109 CFS and 0.202 CFS, respectively; therefore, the storm system has adequate capacity.

Additionally, a conveyance analysis was completed for the 6-inch conveyance pipe running along the south side of the site, collecting a portion of the proposed roof and existing car park surface, this totals 0.088 acres of impervious and 0.222 acres of landscaping. The pipe was sized to convey the 100-year storm event. The 6-inch pipe (n=0.011) will be at a 14.8% slope for a full flow capacity of 2.56 CFS (cubic feet per second). From MGS Flood, the 25-year and 100-year peak storm flows were determined to be 0.136 CFS and 0.246 CFS, respectively. Thus, this pipe system will have adequate conveyance capacity for the proposed conditions.

# CONSTRUCTION STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN (SWPPP)

A construction SWPPP narrative for the project has been included in Appendix C and is based on Volume II of the 2014 DOE Surface Water Management Manual requirements. An NPDES permit from the Washington State Department of Ecology is not required for the project because it will disturb less than one (1) acre of land area.

The TESC plan includes a temporary sediment settling tank. A minimum volume was calculated using the methodology from the 2014 DOE manual, with the 2-year developed flow rate from MGS Flood. A volume of an equivalent sediment trap was calculated to find the necessary volume for a sediment tank for this project. A copy of the Sediment Facility Sizing Calculations worksheet and associated MGS Flood output used for this exercise is attached in Appendix B. Stormwater runoff from the project work area will be directed toward temporary sumps installed as necessary. Stormwater will then be pumped to the temporary sediment settling tank.

In addition to the sediment settling tanks, TESC elements in the project include the following:

- Storm Drain Inlet Protection, per BMP C220
- Silt Fence, per BMP C233
- Tree Protection Fencing



The TESC elements shown are intended to be the minimum allowable. The NPDES permit will require periodic inspection of the TESC elements to confirm they are holding up and continuing to function as intended. During construction, the contractor is responsible for upgrading these facilities as necessary. The implementation of the TESC plan and construction maintenance, replacement and upgrading of the TESC facilities are the responsibility of the contractor, per the contract documents. The TESC facilities will be constructed prior to and in conjunction with all clearing and grading activity and in a manner in which sediment or sediment laden water does not leave the project site, enter the drainage system, or violate applicable water quality standards. The SWPPP must be present on-site at all times.



# FIGURES

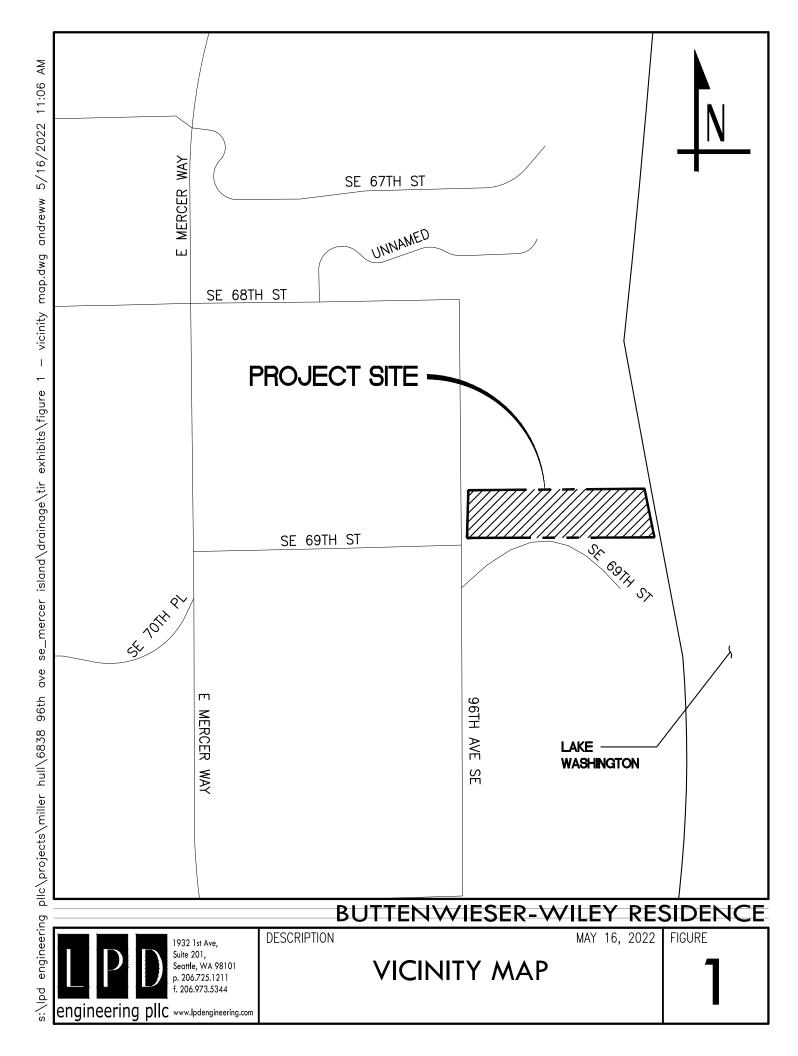
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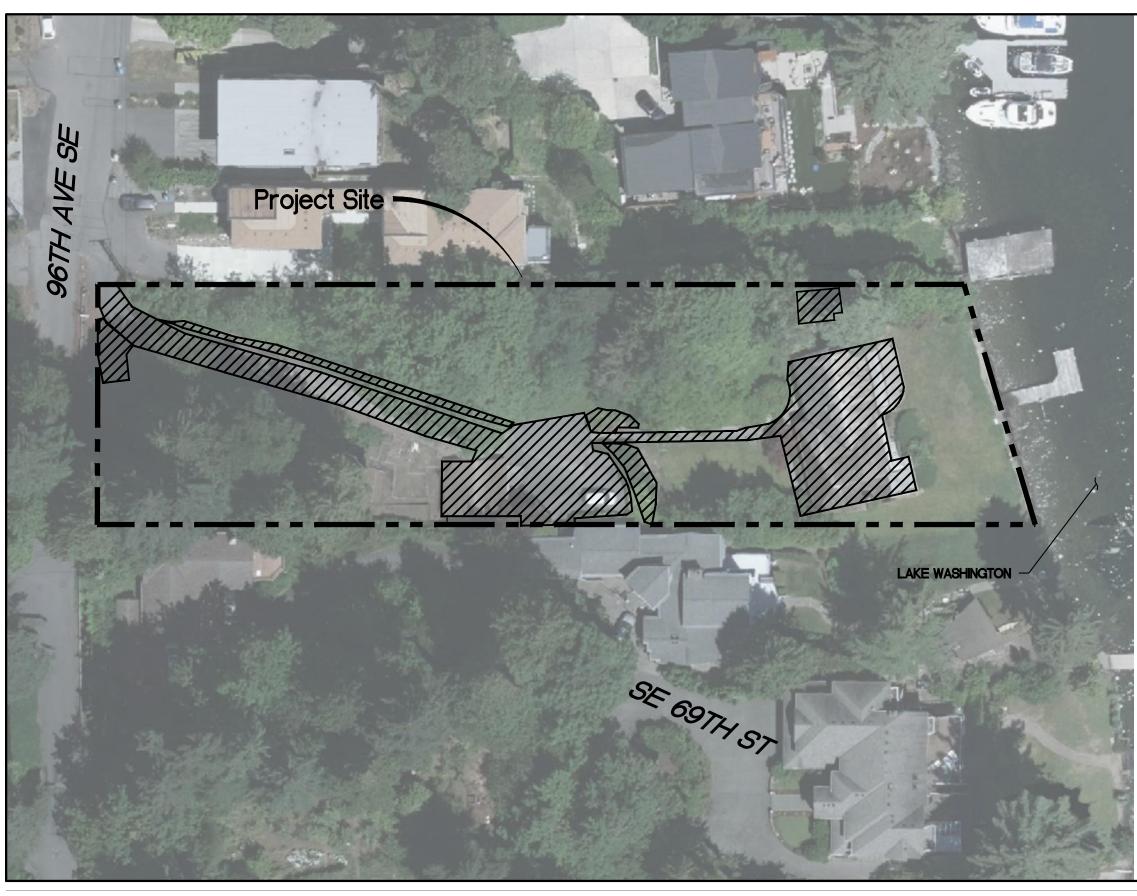
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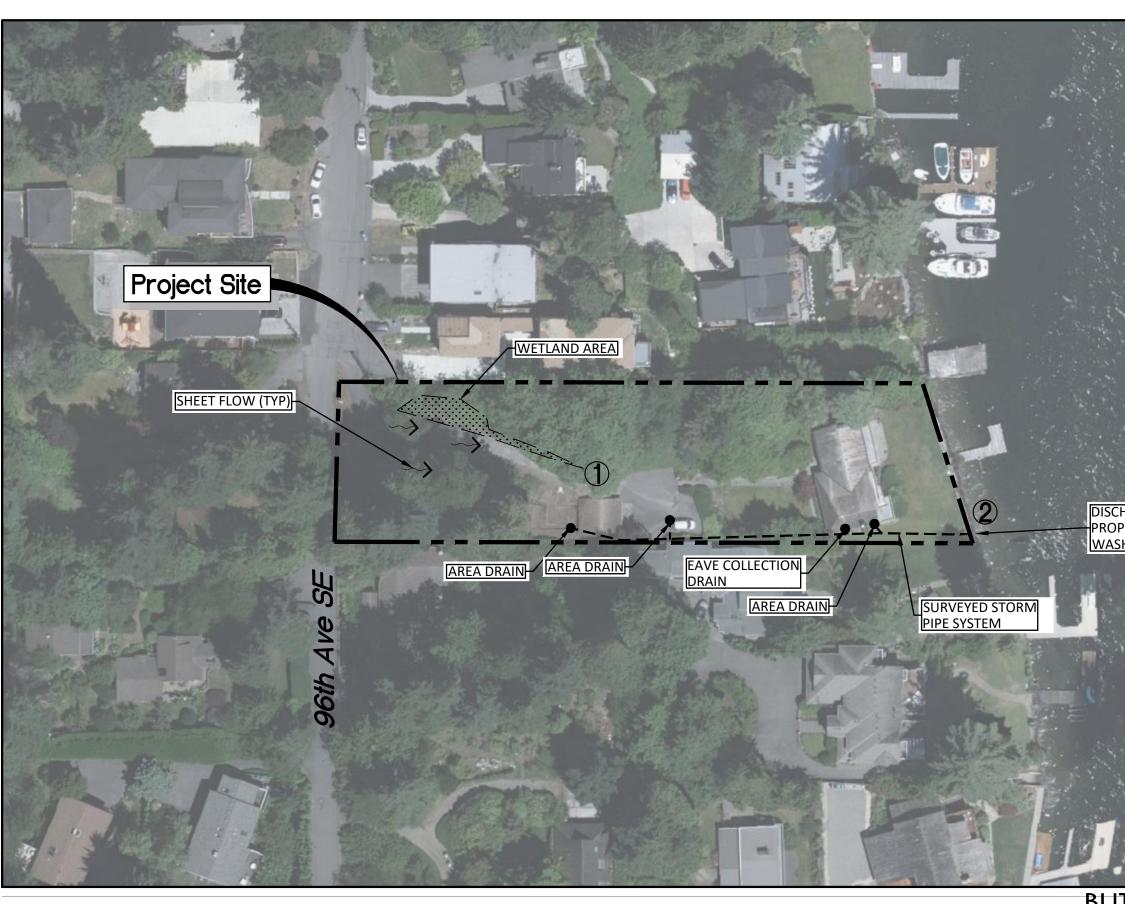


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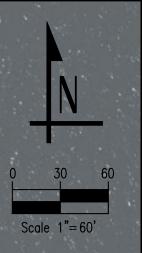
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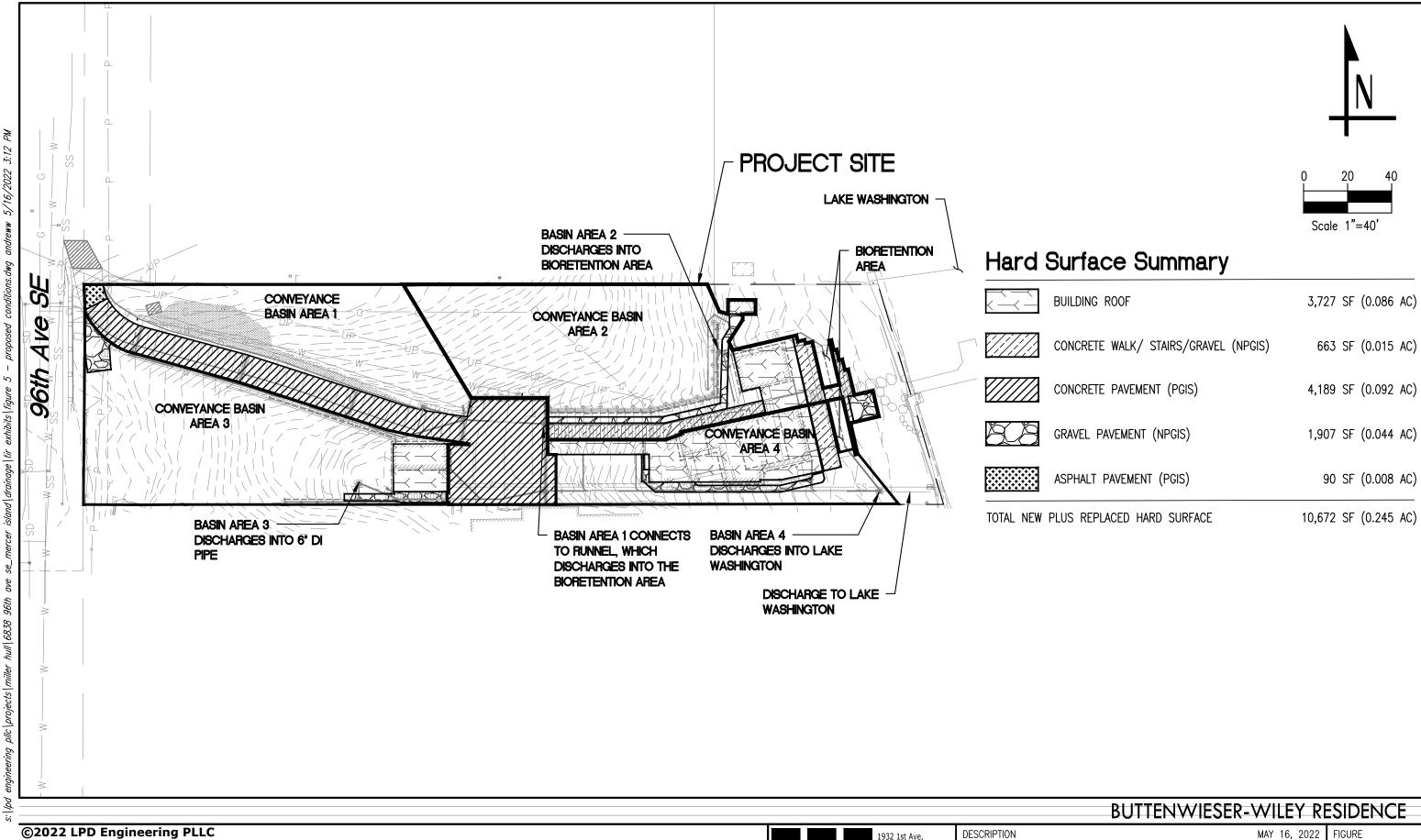
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DOWNSTREAM DRAINAGE MAP







# **PROPOSED CONDITIONS**



# **APPENDIX A**

Design Drawings



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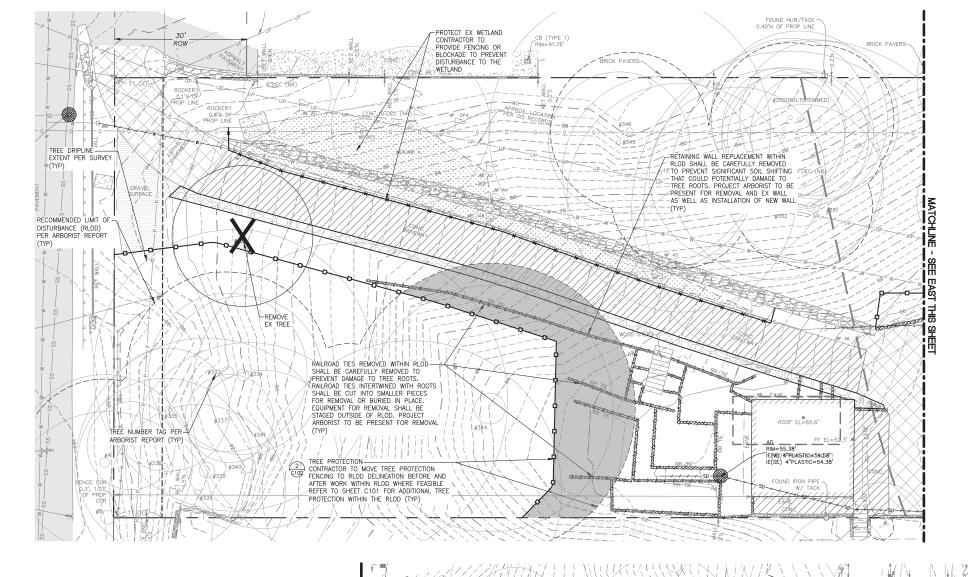
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#### TREE PROTECTION MEASURES AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS AROUND RETAINED TREES

- REFER TO ARBORIST REPORT BY TREE SOLUTIONS INC. FOR TREE PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT INFORMATION.
- 2. ANY WORK, ACTIVITY OR SOIL DISTURBANCE WITHIN THE PROTECTION FENCING. OR LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE, SHALL BE REVIEWED, APPROVED AND MONITORED BY THE PROJECT ARBORIST.
- PRIOR TO ANY SITE WORK OR DEMOLITION, TREE PROTECTION FENCING (TPF) SHALL BE ERECTED AROUND RETAINED TREES AS SHOWN. TPF SHALL BE SIX (6) FOOT TEMPORARY CHAIN-LINK FENCE AND SHALL BE INSTALLED COMPLETELY ENCIRCLING THE RETAINED TREES.
- 5. A CITY PLANNER MUST APPROVE ANY MODIFICATIONS TO THE FENCING MATERIAL AND LOCATION
- 6. THE AREA PROTECTED BY THE TPF IS OFF LIMITS TO ALL CONSTRUCTION RELATED ACTIVITY.
- 7. FENCING SHALL NOT BE MOVED OR REMOVED UNLESS APPROVED BY A CITY PLANNER.
- 8. NO STOCKPILING OF MATERIALS, VEHICULAR OR PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC, MATERIAL STORAGE OR USE OF EQUIPMENT OR MACHINERY SHALL BE ALLOWED WITHIN RECOMMENDED LIMIT OF DISTURBANCE (RLOD) TO THE EXTENT FERSIBLE. SOIL PROTECTION IS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTION DISTURBANCE WITHIN THE RLOD. THIS INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO 6-INCHES OF WOOD CHIPS COVERED WITH VE OWNED OR CONSTRUCTION DISTURBANCE OF WOOD CHIPS COVERED WITH 34" PLYWOOD OR COMPOSITE MATS.
- 9. ALL GROUNDWORK WITHIN RLOD SHALL BE MONITORED BY PROJECT ARBORIST TO ASSESS ROOT IMPACTS AND GUIDE ROOT CUITING AS NECESSARY, FOR ANY UTILITY TRENCHES OR OTHER IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN THE RLOD OF AN EXISTING TREE, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL AIR SPADE OR DIG BY HAND EXCAVATIONS. CONTRACTOR SHALL ONLY CUT REQ'D ROOTS LESS THAN 2"& THAT INTERFERE WITH THE INSTALLATION OF THE PROPOSED INPROVEMENTS, EXPOSED ROOTS GREATER THAN 2-INCHES IN DIAMETER SHALL BE KEPT MOIST UNTIL DROYEUT ENAN BACKFILLED.
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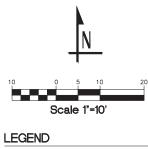
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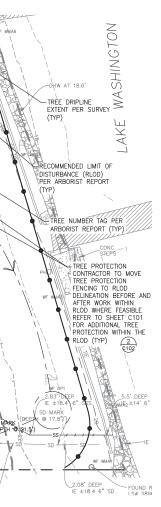
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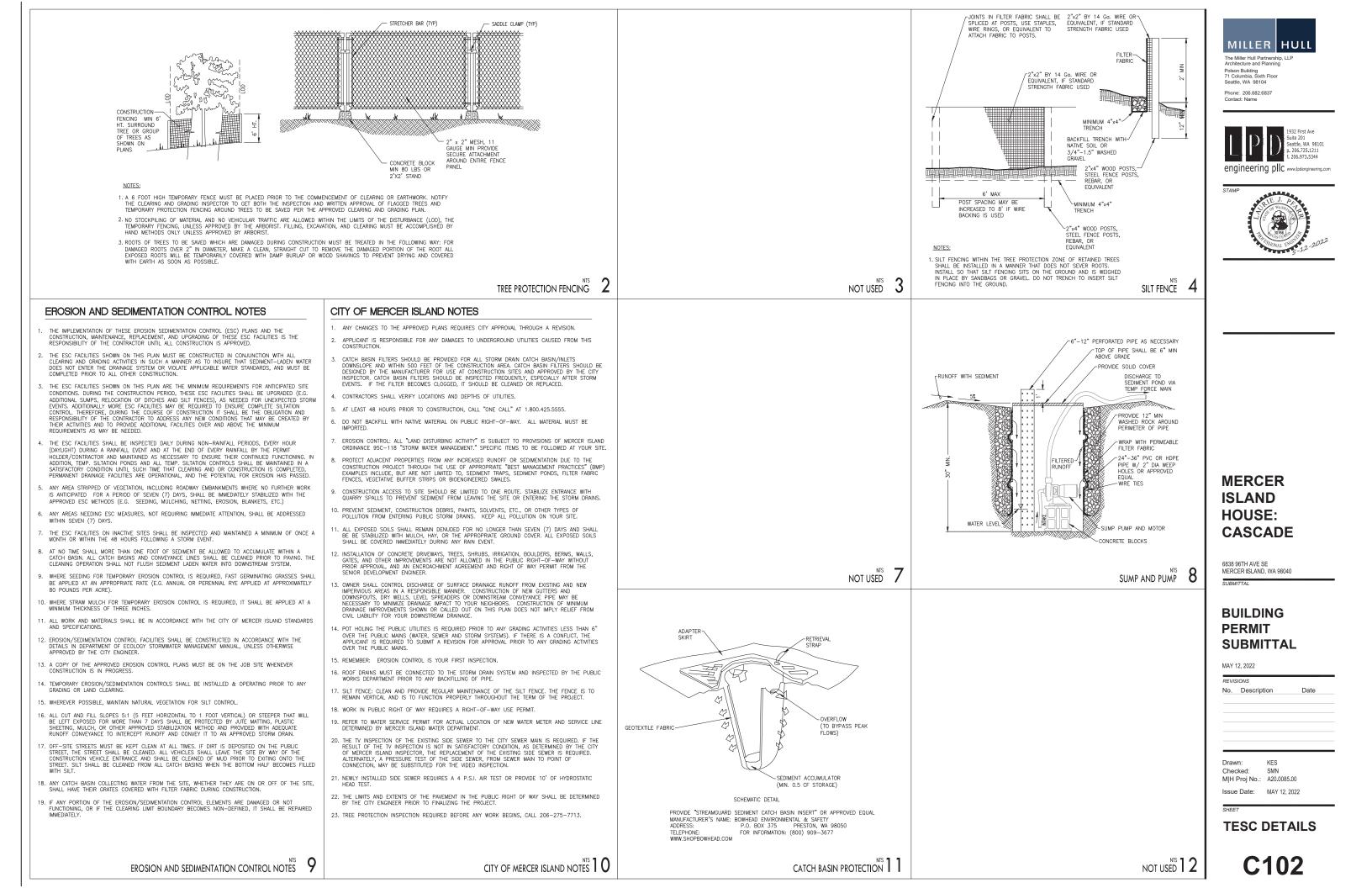
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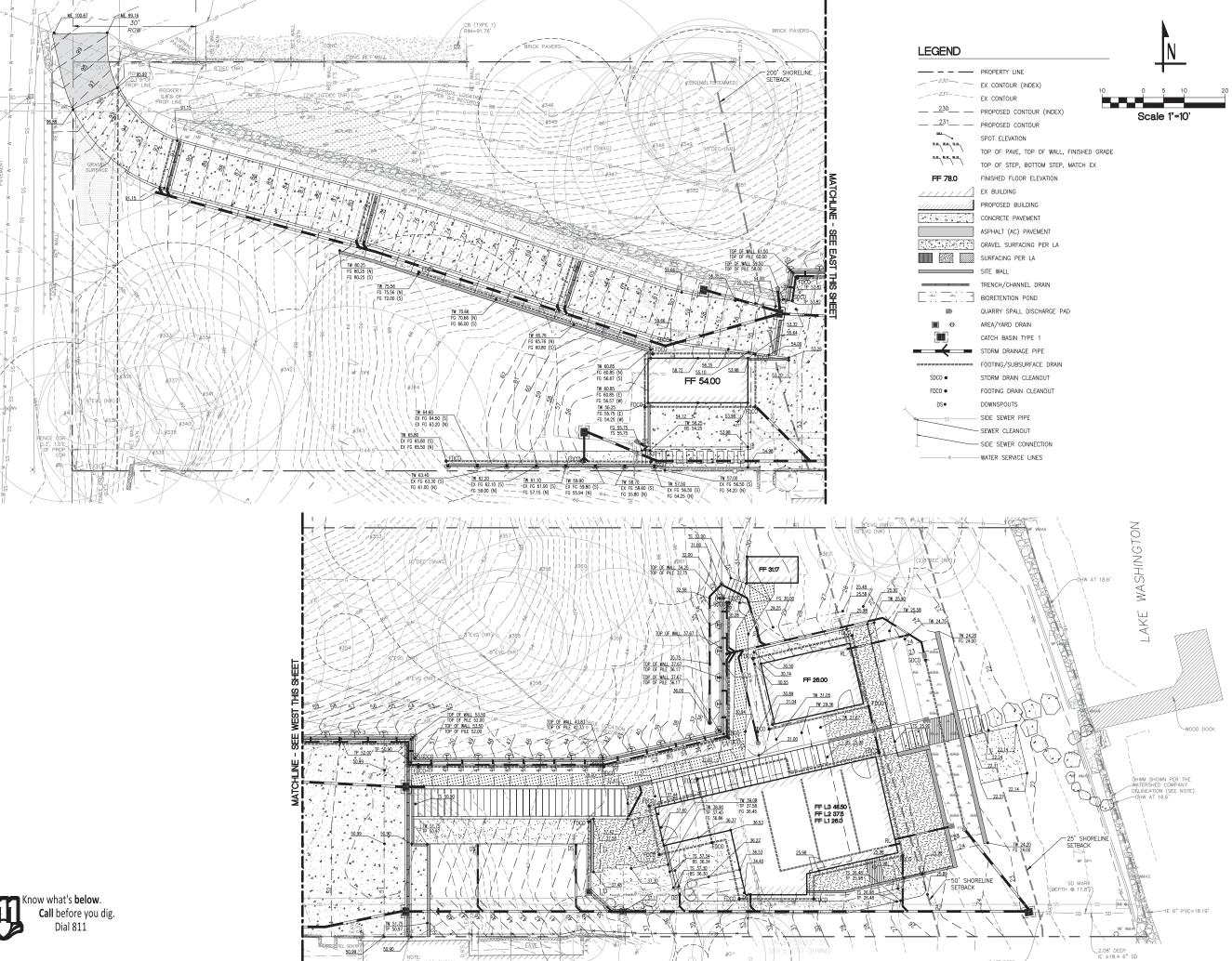
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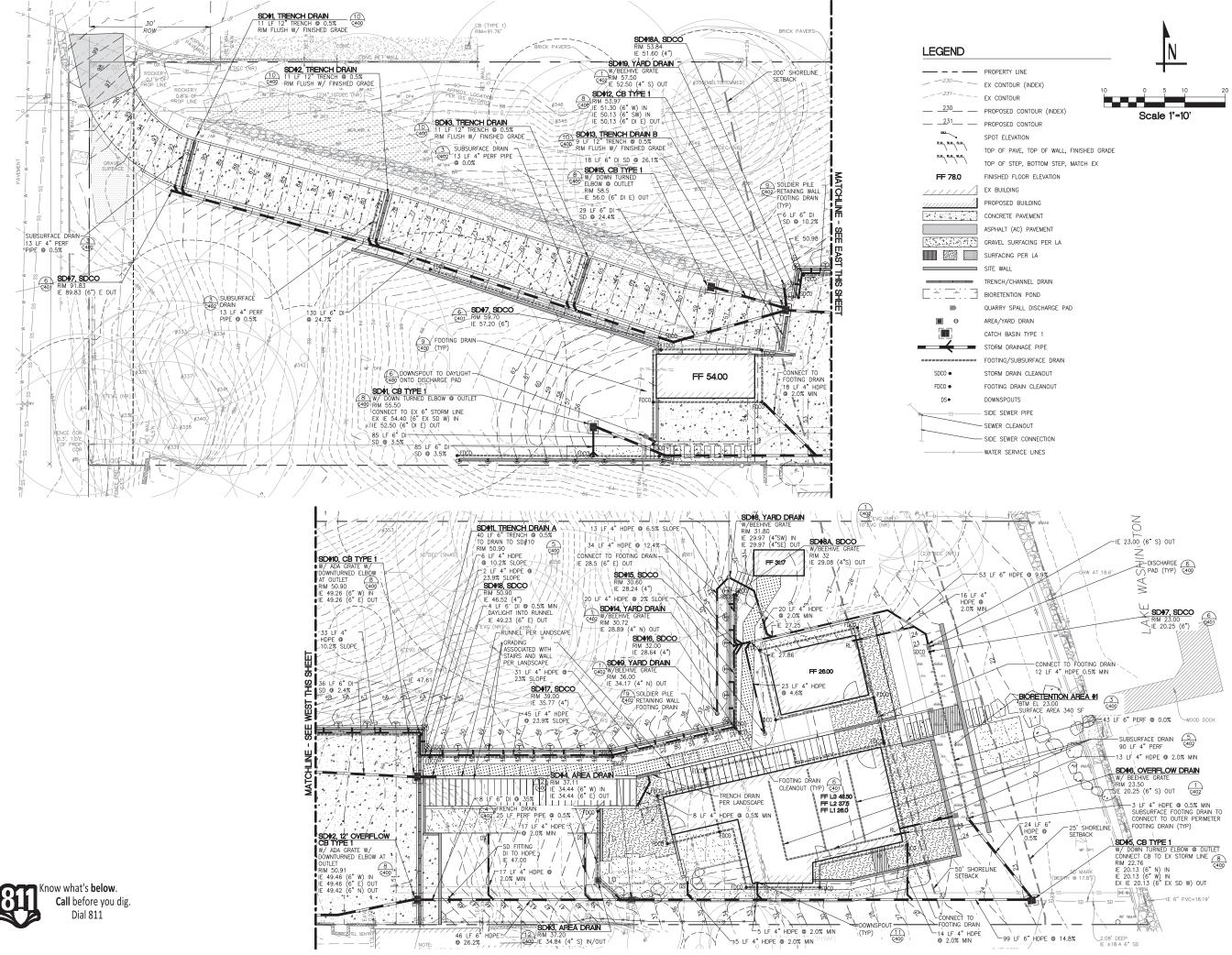
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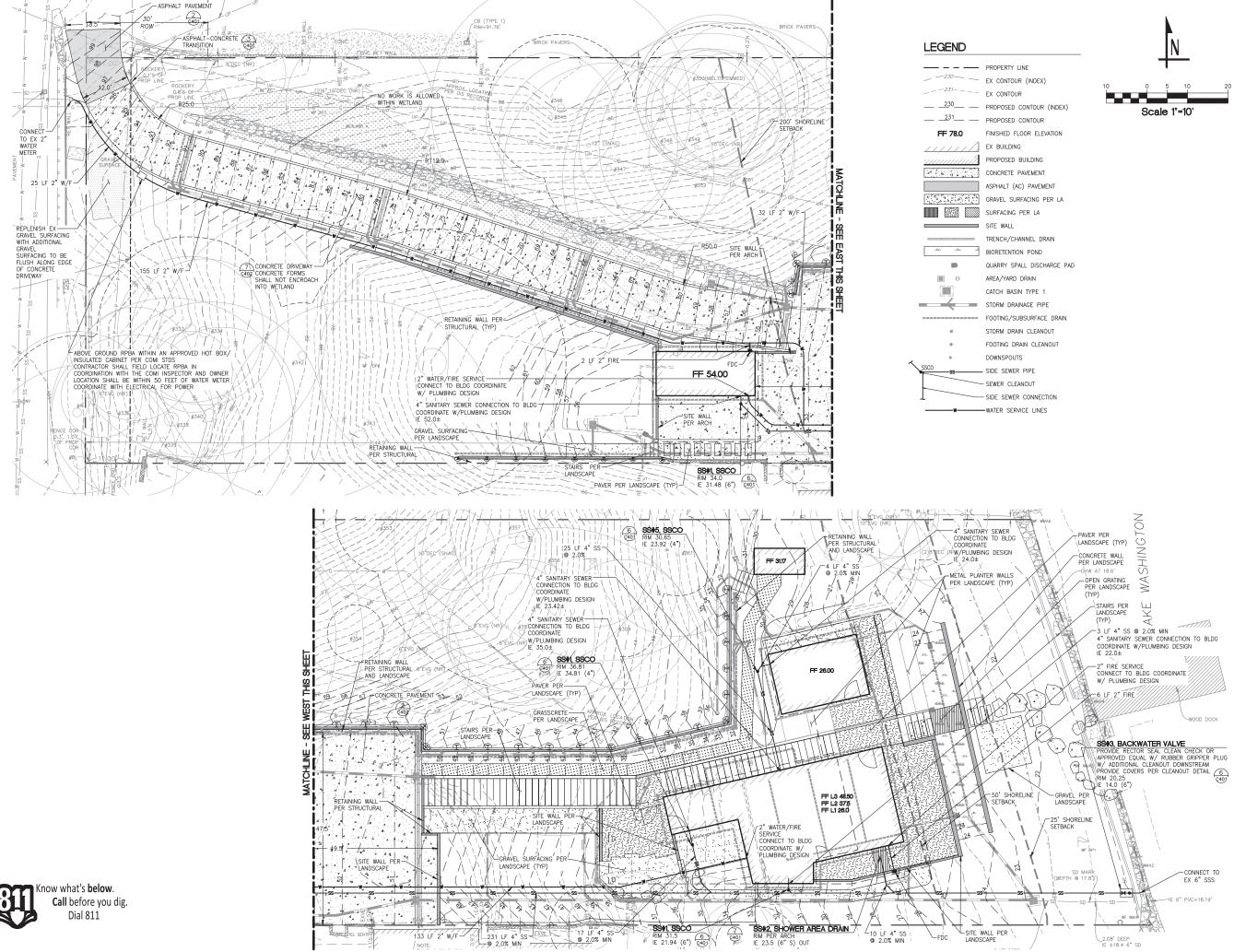
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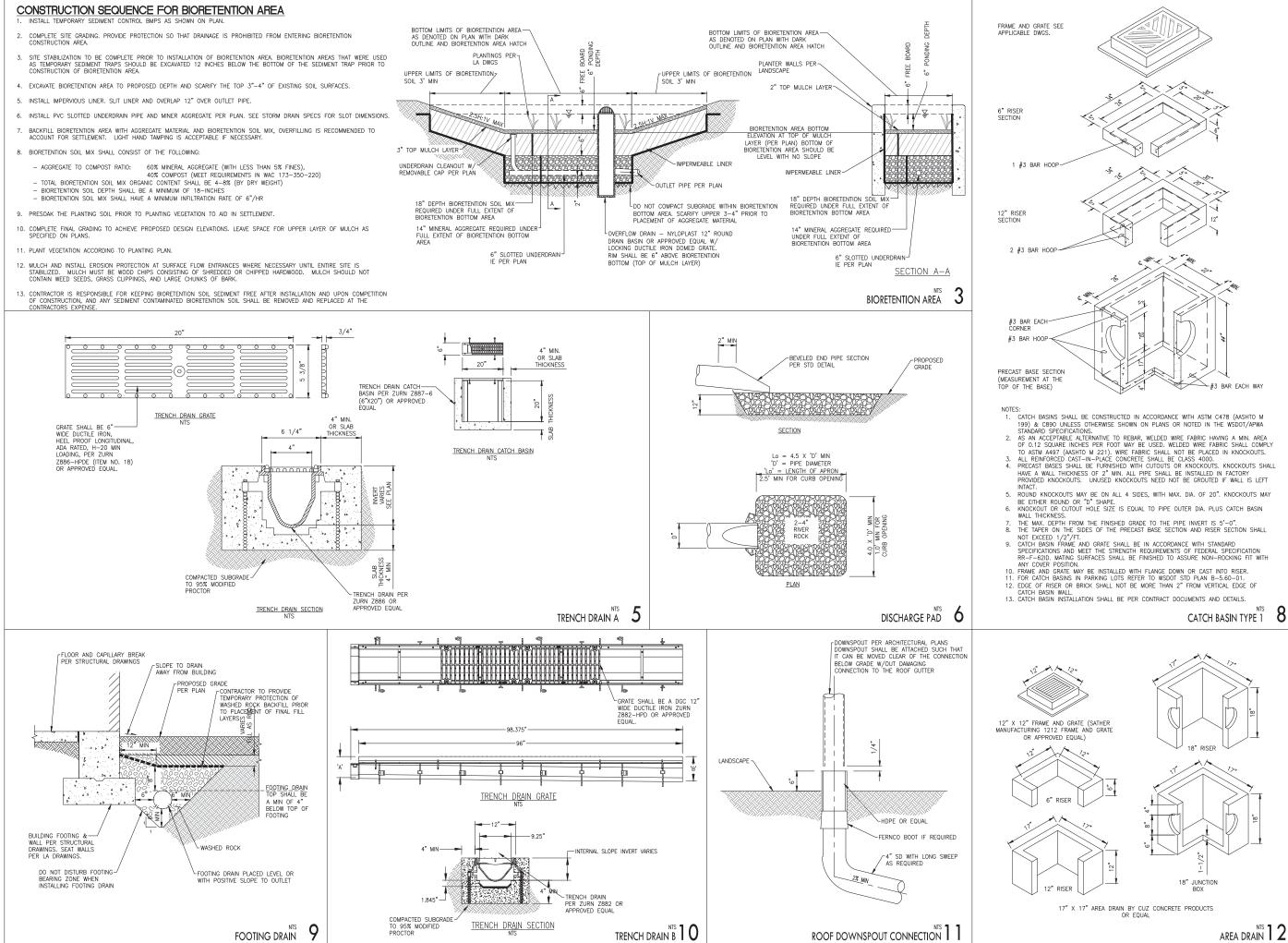
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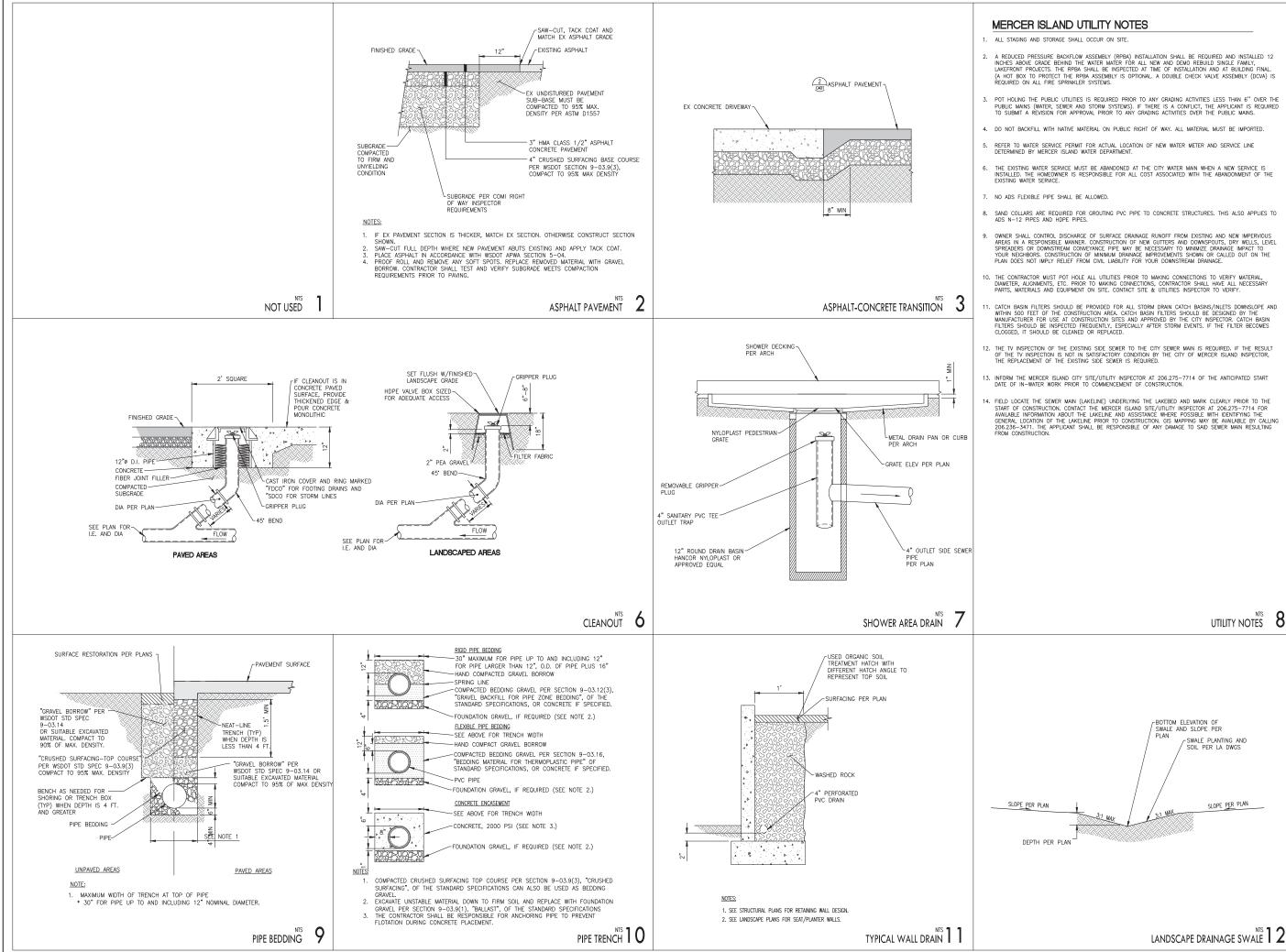
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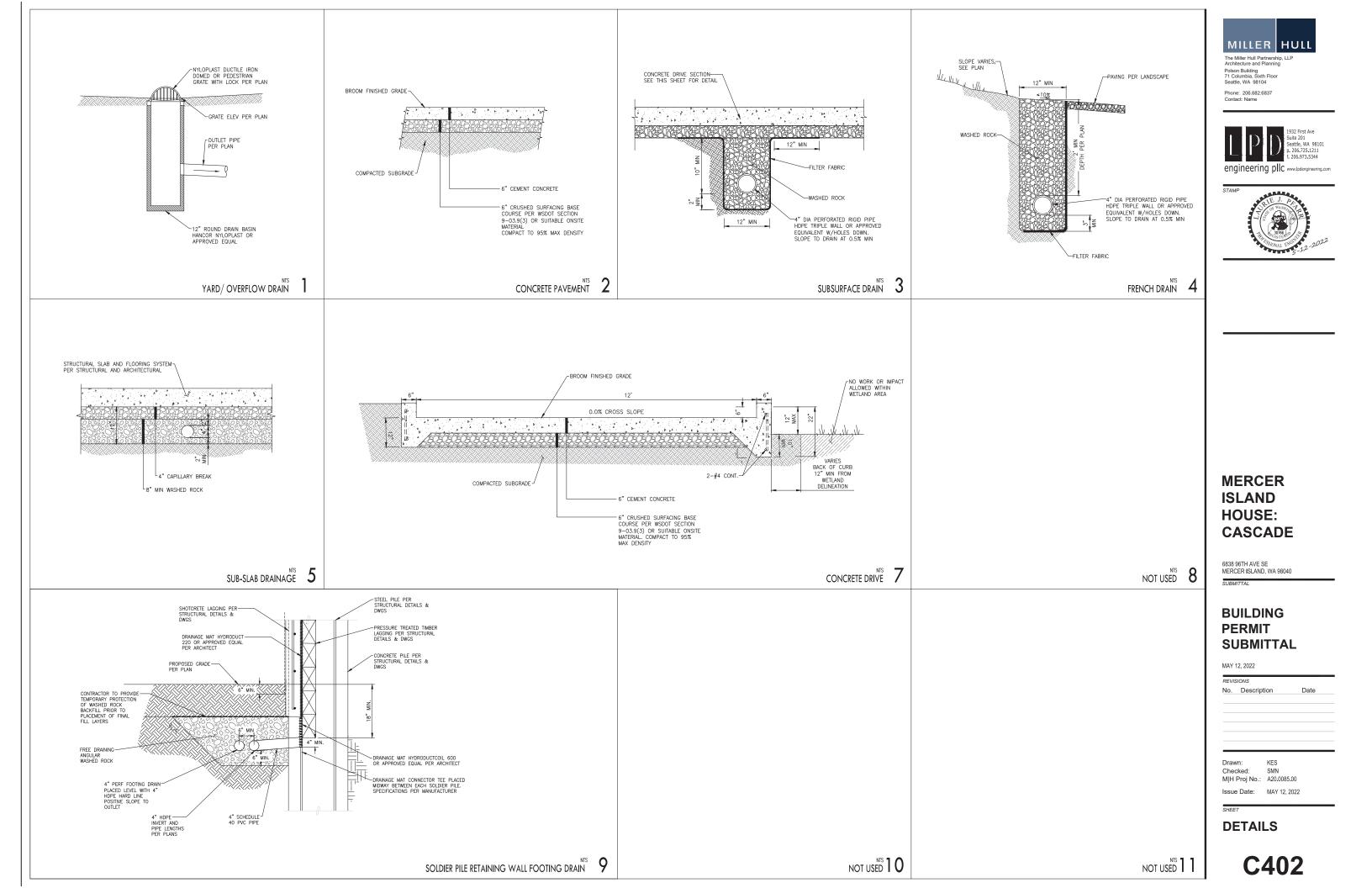
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# **APPENDIX B**

Design Calculations and Supporting Information

# 6838 96th Ave SE Mercer Island Residence - Areas (Preliminary BASIN

# Conveyance Analysis (Pervious

5/16/2022

**Modeled** Areas

# <u>as LAWN STEEP)</u>

100-year

25-year

				cfs	cfs
<b>BASIN 1 - TO BIORETENTION</b>					
AREA -		sf	ас	0.191	0.26
	Pervious	5,510	0.126		
In	npervious	4,467	0.103		
Total Bo	asin Area	9,977	0.229		
BASIN 2 - North A	rea to				
footing drain	n	sf	ас		
	Pervious	7,466	0.171		
In	npervious	2,466	0.057		
Total Bo	asin Area	<i>9,932</i>	0.228	0.145	0.213
Basin 3 - link to Direct outfall					
to Lake Washington		sf	ас		
	Pervious	7,615	0.175		
In	npervious	935	0.021		
Total Bo	asin Area	8,550	0.196	0.103	0.16
Basin 4 - Direct outfa	II to Lake				
Washington	n	sf	ас		
	Pervious	2,061	0.047		
In	npervious	2,909	0.067	Note: - this is conveya	nce for basin 3 + 4
Total Bo	asin Area	4,970	0.114	0.185	0.281
Free flow into L					
Washington		sf	ас		
	Pervious	4,142	0.095		
		-			
Totals		sf			
	Pervious	26,794	0.615		
	npervious	10,777	0.247		
Total Bo	asin Area	37,571	0.863		

#### Buttenweiser-Wiley Residence Conveyance Analysis Spreadsheet

Pipe Run	Size	Mannings N	Plan Slope	Qfull	Tributary Basins	Impervious Area	Till Lawn Area	Qtrib (25yr- 15min)	% Full (25yr)	Qtrib (100yr- 15min)	% Full (100yr)
	(inches)		(ft/ft)	(cfs)		(acres)	(acres)	(cfs)		(cfs)	
Bioretention Inlet	6	0.011	0.099		Conveyance Basin Area #2 - north roofs & hard surfaces, north landscaping.	0.057	0.171	0.109	5%	0.202	10%
South Discharge	6	0.011	0.148	2.56	Conveyance Basin Area #3 & #4 - south west Landscaping, south roofs & hard surfaces	0.088	0.222	0.136	5%	0.246	10%

# MGS FLOOD PROJECT REPORT – CONVEYANCE (BIORETENTION INLET)

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Input File Name: Project Name: Analysis Title: Comments:	Basin 2.fld 96 MI Residence Basin 2 Conveyance North Area - straight to b PRECIPITA			
Computational Time St	ep (Minutes): 15			
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Extended Precipitation Climatic Region Number				
Full Period of Record A Precipitation Station : Evaporation Station Evaporation Scale Fac	: 961036 Puget Ea		/01/1939-10/01/2097	
HSPF Parameter Region HSPF Parameter Region	on Number: 1 on Name : Ecology	Default		
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*****************************	ATERSHED DEFINITION <sup>*</sup>	*****		
Predevelopment/	Post Development Tribut			
Total Subbasin Area (		Predeveloped 0.228	Post Developed 0.228	
	ude Precip/Evap (acres)	0.000 0.228	0.000 0.228	
SCENARIO: PREDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1				
Subbasin : Subbasin 1 Area (Acres) C, Lawn, Steep 0.171 SIDEWALKS/STEEP 0.057				

Subbasin Total 0.228

#### -----SCENARIO: POSTDEVELOPED

Number of Subbasins: 1

------ Subbasin : Subbasin 1 ------------ Area (Acres) ------C, Lawn, Steep 0.171 SIDEWALKS/STEEP 0.057

Subbasin Total 0.228

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-----SCENARIO: PREDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1 Number of Links: 0

-----SCENARIO: POSTDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1 Number of Links: 0

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Scenario Predeveloped Compliance Subbasin: Subbasin 1

Scenario Postdeveloped Compliance Subbasin: Subbasin 1

#### \*\*\* Point of Compliance Flow Frequency Data \*\*\*

Recurrence Interval Computed Using Gringorten Plotting Position

Prede	velopment Runoff	Posto	development Runof	f
Tr (Years)	Discharge (cfs)	Tr (Years)	Discharge (cfs)	
 2-Year	4.265E-02	 2-Yea	ar 4.265E-	 02
5-Year	6.882E-02	5-Yea		-
10-Year	8.302E-02	<u>10-Ye</u>	ear 8.302E-	02
25-Year	0.109	25-Ye	ear 0.10	<mark>)9  </mark>
50-Year	0.176	50-Ye	ear 0.17	<b>'</b> 6
100-Year	0.202	100-1	Year 0.20	)2
200-Year	0.238	200-1	Year 0.23	38
500-Year	0.286	500-1	Year 0.28	36
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\*\* Record too Short to Compute Peak Discharge for These Recurrence Intervals

# MGS FLOOD PROJECT REPORT – CONVEYANCE (SOUTH DISCHARGE)

Program Version: MGSFlood 4.57 Program License Number: 201410003 Project Simulation Performed on: 05/16/2022 2:29 PM Report Generation Date: 05/16/2022 2:29 PM

Input File Name: Project Name: Analysis Title: Comments:	96 MI Residence		
Computational Time St	tep (Minutes): 15		
Extended Precipitation Time Series Selected Climatic Region Number: 14			
Precipitation Station :	Available used for Routing 96003605 Puget East 36 in_5min 10/01/1939-10/01/2097 : 961036 Puget East 36 in MAP tor : 0.750		
HSPF Parameter Regi HSPF Parameter Regi			
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#### Predevelopment/Post Development Tributary Area Summary

	Predeveloped	Post Developed
Total Subbasin Area (acres)	0.310	0.310
Area of Links that Include Precip/Evap (acres)	0.000	0.000
Total (acres)	0.310	0.310

#### -----SCENARIO: PREDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1

-----SCENARIO: POSTDEVELOPED

Number of Subbasins: 1

------ Subbasin : Subbasin 1 ------------Area (Acres) ------C, Lawn, Steep 0.222 ROOF TOPS/FLAT 0.088

Subbasin Total 0.310

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-----SCENARIO: PREDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1 Number of Links: 0

#### -----SCENARIO: POSTDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1

Number of Links: 0

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*Compliance Point Results \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Scenario Predeveloped Compliance Subbasin: Subbasin 1

Scenario Postdeveloped Compliance Subbasin: Subbasin 1

#### \*\*\* Point of Compliance Flow Frequency Data \*\*\*

Recurrence Interval Computed Using Gringorten Plotting Position

Predevelopment Runoff		•	Postdevelopment Runoff		
Tr (Years)	Discharge (cfs)	Tr (Years) Disch	narge (cfs)		
2-Year	5.632E-02	2-Year	5.632E-02		
5-Year	8.113E-02	5-Year	8.113E-02		
10-Year	0.105	10-Year	0.105		
25-Year	0.136	25-Year	0.136		
50-Year	0.224	50-Year	0.224		
100-Year	0.246	100-Year	0.246		
200-Year	0.283	200-Year	0.283		
500-Year	0.332	500-Year	0.332		
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### **Sediment Tank Sizing Calculations**

Per the 2014 DOE Manual

Project Name: 6838 96TH AVE SE MERCER ISLAND

#### **Required Sediment Tank Volume (Gallons):**

#### SA =2\*Q/Vsed

Where:

Q = 2-year developed flow rate from MGS Flood Vsed = Settling Velocity (0.00096 ft/sec)

Calculation:	multiplier =	2	
	Q =	0.143	cfs
	Vsed =	0.00096	fps
	Required SA =	297.9	square feet

#### Equivalent Sediment Trap Volume:

To determine the minimum sediment trap volume, an equivalent sediment trap was sized based upon the required surface area.

Length of Top Surface Area =	26	feet
Width of Top Surface Area =	11.5	feet
Surface Area Provided =	299	square feet
Side Slope =	3	(H:1V)
Total Depth of Sediment Trap =	1	feet
Bottom Length of Sediment Trap =	20	feet
Bottom Width of Sediment Trap =	5.5	feet
Total tank Volume =	205	cubic feet
	1530	gallons

# MGS FLOOD PROJECT REPORT – TESC SEDIMENT SIZING

Program Version: MGSFlood 4.57 Program License Number: 201410003 Project Simulation Performed on: 05/16/2022 2:34 PM Report Generation Date: 05/16/2022 2:35 PM

Input File Name: Project Name: Analysis Title: Comments:	2021-05-20 Prelim TES 6838 96th Ave SE Mero Preliminary TESC Sizin	cer Island Residence	e
Computational Time St	ep (Minutes): 15		
Extended Precipitation Climatic Region Numbe			
Precipitation Station :	vailable used for Routing 96003605 Puge 961036 Puget l tor : 0.750	et East 36 in_5min	10/01/1939-10/01/2097
HSPF Parameter Region HSPF Parameter Region		Default	
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****** WA	<b>ATERSHED DEFINITION</b>	*****	**
Predevelopment/	Post Development Trib	u <b>tary Area Summa</b> Predeveloped	r <b>y</b> Post Developed
Total Subbasin Area (	acres)	0.863	0.863
Area of Links that Incl	ude Precip/Evap (acres)	0.000	0.000
Total (acres)		0.863	0.863
SCEN Number of Subbasins:	ARIO: PREDEVELOPED	)	
Subbasin : Pr			
 Till Grass	Area (Acres) 0.863		
Subbasin Total	0.863		

# -----SCENARIO: POSTDEVELOPED

Number of Subbasins: 1

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-----SCENARIO: PREDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1 Number of Links: 0

------SCENARIO: POSTDEVELOPED Number of Subbasins: 1 Number of Links: 0

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Scenario Predeveloped Compliance Subbasin: Pre-Dev

Scenario Postdeveloped Compliance Subbasin: Post-Dev

#### \*\*\* Point of Compliance Flow Frequency Data \*\*\*

Recurrence Interval Computed Using Gringorten Plotting Position

	velopment Runoff	Postdevelopme		
Tr (Years)	Discharge (cfs)	Tr (Years) Discha	rge (cfs)	
2-Year	6.590E-02	2-Year	0.143	
5-Year	0.125	5-Year	0.208	
10-Year	0.181	10-Year	0.267	
25-Year	0.268	25-Year	0.347	
50-Year	0.382	50-Year	0.512	
100-Year	0.454	100-Year	0.595	
200-Year	0.468	200-Year	0.599	
500-Year	0.483	500-Year	0.602	

\*\* Record too Short to Compute Peak Discharge for These Recurrence Intervals



# **APPENDIX C**

Construction Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)



### BUTTENWEISER – WILEY RESIDENCE CONSTRUCTION SWPPP NARRATIVE MAY 16,2022

The following Construction Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) narrative is for the Buttenweiser-Wiley Residence project at 6838 96<sup>th</sup> Ave SE in Mercer Island, Washington. The narrative supplements the Temporary Erosion and Sediment Control (TESC) plan. This narrative and the drawings address the requirements of Volume II of the 2014 Department of Ecology (DOE) Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington. Refer to the TESC plan (Sheet C100) and TESC details (Sheet C102) for more information regarding any erosion or sedimentation control measures involved in this project.

#### I. CONSTRUCTION STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION ELEMENTS

- 1) Mark Clearing Limits: Clearing limits will be delineated on the TESC and Site Demolition plan. The actual limits of clearing will likely be smaller than the limit of work, but this identifies the maximum extent of the clearing limits. Areas impacted and not anticipated to be covered with final measures shall be stabilized using approved permanent TESC methods.
- 2) Establish Construction Access: Construction access will be provided via the existing concrete driveway from 96<sup>th</sup> Ave SE. The Contractor shall provide wheel wash if necessary.
- 3) **Control Flow Rates:** Stormwater flow control during construction is anticipated to be mitigated by routing runoff to a temporary sediment settling tank. Refer to the Sediment Facility Sizing calculations and the MGS Flood output included within Appendix B of the project's stormwater site plan.
- 4) **Install Sediment Controls:** DOE approved BMPs for sediment controls are shown on the TESC plan (Sheet C100). Sediment will be controlled using silt fence (BMP C233).
- 5) Stabilize Soils: It is possible that some of the earthwork and grading may occur in wet weather conditions. The site must be stabilized and no soils will be allowed to remain unstabilized for more than two days between October 1<sup>st</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup>. From May 1 through September 30, install cover measures to protect disturbed areas that will remain unworked for seven days or more. By October 8, seed all areas that will remain unworked from October 1 through April 30. Mulch all seeded areas.

Exposed slopes will be protected by DOE-approved coverage methods. BMPs including, but not limited to: C101, Preserving Natural Vegetation; C121, Mulching; C123, Plastic Covering; C130, Surface Roughening; C140, Dust Control; and T5.13 Post Construction Soil Amendment will be used to stabilize on-site soils during construction.

6) **Protect Slopes:** The DOE-approved BMPs for slope protection will be utilized during construction. Concentrated discharges shall not be allowed to flow over the top of steep slopes. BMPs including, but not limited to C101, Preserving Natural Vegetation; C208, Triangular Silt Dike; and C233, Silt Fence are to be utilized to protect slopes during construction.



- 7) Protect Drain Inlets: Drainage structures in areas where no work occurs will remain and will be protected; discharge points to the public storm drain main line will also be protected. To prevent discharge of turbid water downstream, all existing catch basins located within the disturbance area and outside of the disturbance area within approximately 300 feet downstream of the site will be protected with storm drain inlet protection (BMP C220), refer to TESC details (Sheet C101). The Contractor shall remove inlet protection at the end of the project without releasing captured sediment into the storm system.
- 8) **Stabilize Channels and Outlets:** Channels are not proposed as part of this project and BMPs for channel stabilization are not expected. DOE-approved BMPs for channel stabilization include, but are not limited to: C200, Interceptor Dike and Swale; and C207, Check Dams.
- 9) Control Pollutants: Temporary protection of the disturbed soils provides the first level of protection for pollution control, and perimeter measures downstream will mitigate the remaining pollutants. The temporary protection of disturbed soils may be mitigated with a temporary sump and pump facility to provide the second level of interception of pollutants. This collection system filters sediments prior to the pump system. The pump system will then route stormwater via force mains into the temporary sediment settling tank. Construction debris will be removed from the site. The Contractor will be responsible for managing their construction equipment per DOE-approved BMPs. If a truck wheel wash is required, truck wheel wash water and concrete truck washout water shall be collected and discharged to the public sanitary sewer (SS) system. To apply for and obtain a SS release, contact the local sewer purveyors (City of Mercer Island and King County Metro) for authorization.
- 10) **Control De-Watering:** The majority of the earthwork on the project will be constructed during the dry season, therefore it is not anticipated that groundwater will be encountered in the excavations for this project. In the event that perched groundwater is encountered during any wet season construction, the Contractor shall route it to the sediment settling facility by pumping it out of the excavation.
- 11) **Maintain BMPs:** DOE-approved standard BMP maintenance will be required in accordance with the DOE standard TESC plan notes and the City of Mercer Island Notes (Sheet C102)
- 12) Manage the Project: All phases of construction will be managed by the Contractor. The site must be stabilized and no soils will be allowed to remain exposed and unworked for more than two days between October 1<sup>st</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup> and for more than seven days between May 1<sup>st</sup> and September 30<sup>th</sup>. The Contractor will provide maintenance and monitoring of TESC BMPs. Work of all contractors will be coordinated to minimize the duration of disturbance on the site. The best management practices shown on the TESC plan are minimum requirements. Failure to maintain SWPPP measures in accordance with adopted standards may result in the work being performed at the City's direction and the costs assessed as a lien against the property where such facilities are located.
- 13) **Protect LID BMPs:** There are no proposed LID facilities associated with this project, and therefore protection for element 13 is not required.



### 2. **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The proposed project will include the reconstruction of a single-family residential building and exterior on-site improvements. The new single-family residential property will reside in the east side facing the Lake Washington waterfront, including reconstruction of a detached garage west of the proposed residential building. Site improvements will consist of the removal and replacement of the asphalt parking with a new asphalt parking area, removal and replacement of the existing concrete patio and walkways with pervious deck areas and exterior concrete stairs, landscape improvements including site grading, and various drainage features for outdoor entertaining and access to the waterfront

The project proposes 10,576 square feet (0.245 acres) of new plus replaced hard surface. Flow control is not required, as the site directly discharges to a flow control-exempt surface water (Lake Washington). Water quality treatment is not required because the project proposes less than 5,000 square feet of pollution-generating hard surface (PGHS) and less than <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> acre of pollution-generating pervious surface (PGPS). Refer to the project's stormwater site plan for more information.

### 3. EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS

The property (Parcel #3024059010) is developed and contains an existing single family residence structure with a detached garage, concrete driveway, asphalt parking, concrete walkways and concrete patios. It has a total area of approximately 37,571 square feet (0.863 acres). Topography for the site is fairly steep, falling from approximately 98 feet in the northwest corner to 18 feet at the west side of the site and an average slope of 21 percent.

Per the King County iMap, the project is within the Lake Washington drainage Basin. Runoff from the site is generally collected in catch basins and conveyed southeast to the discharge point of Lake Washington.

### 4. ADJACENT AREAS

The site is bounded by single-family residences to the north, south and west and by Lake Washington to the east. Vehicular access to the site is from 96<sup>th</sup> Ave SE with the access driveway located to the Northwest of the site.

#### 5. CRITICAL AREAS

King County critical areas mapping indicates that the entire site is located in a designated **Erosion Hazard** area. Other environmental maps available from the City of Mercer Island indicate that the site is within an area with shallow groundwater (<10 ft belowground surface) and not feasibility for infiltration along with being located within a landslide area. The majority of the site is a protected slope area with **Steep Slope Hazards**. Other ECAs include both **Potential Slide and Seismic Hazards**.

### 6. Soils

Per the Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey, the entire site is underlain with Kitsap silt loam,8 to 15 percent slopes (KpC). A geotechnical report, prepared by Aspect Consulting, LLC. observed that the soils underlying the site consisted of fill materials with varying



proportions of silty soils. Groundwater was encountered in site explorations and mottling was also observed, indicating shallow groundwater.

### 7. POTENTIAL EROSION PROBLEM AREAS

The site is within an erosion hazard area. Therefore, per the proposed contract documents, the contractor is to provide protection for soils to limit the exposure to erosion. The limitation of disturbance, adequate cover practices, seasonal work limitation, and runoff control are the most effective methods for reduction of turbidity in stormwater runoff. Any runoff that occurs will be directed to the temporary sump and then pumped to the sediment settling tank. Areas that have not been permanently stabilized must be addressed using DOE-approved BMPs, per the construction documents.

#### 8. CONSTRUCTION PHASING

At this time, it is not expected that the project will be formally phased. The contractor is responsible for coordinating work of all subcontractors to keep the duration of site disturbance limited to the maximum extent possible.

### 9. CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

Construction is expected to begin in Spring 2023 and be completed by Winter 2023.

Earthwork activities are not expected to take place in the wet season, October 1<sup>st</sup> to April 30<sup>th</sup>. Should any wet weather conditions occur during construction, the contractor shall implement the de-watering procedures outlined in this SWPPP and applicable BMPs including, but not limited to C123, Plastic Covering; C121, Mulching; C122, Nets and Blankets; C126, Polyacrylamide for Soil Erosion Protection; C130, Surface Roughening.

### **10. FINANCIAL/OWNERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES**

This property is owned and operated by Janet Buttenweiser and Matt Wiley. The accepted low bidder on the project will be responsible for posting a performance and payment bond with the property owners, and thus will be the responsible party for any liability associated with erosion and sedimentation impact.

### II. ENGINEERING CALCULATIONS

A copy of any calculations performed during design of the project and relevant storm drainage modeling discussions is included in the project's Stormwater Site Plan.



# **APPENDIX D**

Geotechnical Report

## GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING REPORT Buttenwieser/Wiley Residence 6838 96th Avenue SE Mercer Island, Washington

Prepared for: Janet Buttenwieser

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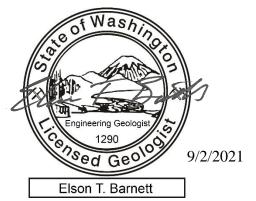
# **GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING REPORT**

Buttenwieser/Wiley Residence 6838 96th Avenue SE Mercer Island, Washington

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# 1 Introduction

This report presents the results of a preliminary geotechnical engineering and critical area evaluation performed by Aspect Consulting, LLC (Aspect) for the proposed new residence (Project) at 6838 96th Avenue SE on Mercer Island, Washington (King County Parcel No. 302405-9010; Site). The Site location is shown on Figure 1.

The purpose of this evaluation is to assess the geologic hazards at the Site, provide recommendations to mitigate impacts, and provide geotechnical engineering conclusions and recommendations to support design and construction of the Project.

## **1.1 Project Background and Description**

The existing Site consists of a single-family residence and detached garage on the southeast side of Mercer Island, adjacent to Lake Washington. The Site is a 0.95-acre lot on a locally steep, east-facing slope accessed via 96th Avenue SE that descends to the Lake Washington shoreline. Our understanding of the proposed improvements is based on communications with the Project architect (Miller Hull Partnership; Miller Hull), Project structural engineer (PCS Structural Solutions; PCS), Project civil engineer (LPD Engineering, LLC; LPD) and our review of permitting-level civil and structural drawings (LPD, 2021; PCS, 2021).

The Project includes demolition of the existing buildings and replacement with a new single-family, three-story residence with a detached garage.

# 2 Site Conditions

This section presents the surface conditions, geologic setting, and subsurface conditions of the Site, which provides context for the types and distribution of geologic soil units and a basis for our geotechnical engineering recommendations and critical areas evaluation.

## 2.1 Surface Conditions

Our understanding of the surface conditions is based on a review of publicly available maps and aerial photography, observations made during a Site reconnaissance visit on December 31, 2020, and measurements obtained during our subsurface exploration program completed on February 2 and 3, 2021.

### 2.1.1 Topography

The Site is an approximately 0.95-acre, rectangular parcel orientated length-wise from east-west. Topography for the Site is presented in Figure 2 from a Site survey by Terrane Land Surveying (2021). The parcel is approximately 100 feet wide in the north-south direction and approximately 400 feet long in the east-west direction. The Site abuts 96th

Avenue SE to the west at approximate Elevation<sup>1</sup> 100 feet and descends steeply at an average slope of approximately 20- to 30-percent to the east and south over approximately 300 horizontal feet to a bench at Elevation 35 feet, which comprises the eastern side of the Site.

The bench slopes over approximately 100 horizontal feet (average approximate slope of 10- to 20-percent) down to the Lake Washington shoreline at approximate Elevation 18 feet. Locally, the Site slopes are highly variable; along the north property line they can exceed 50 percent in the steepest locations. The two existing buildings are accessed from an approximately 200-foot-long concrete driveway that slopes at approximately 5- to 20-percent from 96th Avenue SE to an asphalt parking area near the center of the Site. There is a relatively flat area behind the garage that is used as a garden.

#### 2.1.2 Existing Structures

Existing structures including the house, driveway, garage, and rockeries (Figure 2). The existing two-story residence and detached garage were originally constructed in 1934 and appear to consist of typical wood-frame construction and cast-in-place concrete spread footings. The garage is located west of the asphalt parking area at the bottom of the driveway (at approximate Elevation 55 feet). The residence is approximately 150 feet to the east of the garage near the toe of the slope (at approximate Elevation 24 feet) and approximately 47 feet west of the shoreline. We observed no evidence of structural cracking or settlement around the exterior walls or foundations.

### 2.1.3 Steep Slopes and Retaining Walls

The Site has several existing retaining walls, including an approximately 5-foot-tall soldier pile wall just east of 96th Avenue SE; an approximately 4-foot-tall rockery wall along the north side of the driveway; an approximately 5- to 8-foot-tall rockery wall at the east side of the asphalt parking area; and several timber walls up to approximately 4 feet tall (along the south side of the driveway, the southern property line [southwest of the existing garage], and northwest of the existing residence). There is also an approximately a 2-foot-tall rockery bulkhead along the Lake Washington shoreline.

The steep slope north of the driveway is vegetated with mixed deciduous and coniferous trees and dense underbrush. We did not observe readily apparent evidence of instability or deformations associated with the rockery wall along the north side of the driveway, but we did observe at least one conifer tree with a slightly curved trunk located on the slope immediately northwest of the existing residence. At approximately the same location, we observed localized yielding of the existing timber retaining wall. We also observed yielding of the timber wall on the south side of the driveway behind the garage during our subsurface exploration program. The concrete driveway is deteriorated with several longitudinal cracks.

These observations are all characteristic of localized surficial slope movement that reflect the age and decay of the railroad tie timbers for the timber wall that are beyond their design life and will need to be replaced.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All elevations were obtained using survey data completed by Terrane Land Surveying (Terrane; 2021) and reference the North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD88)

## 2.2 Subsurface Conditions

Our characterization of the subsurface conditions at the Site are based on a review of applicable geologic literature, data obtained from our subsurface explorations, and our knowledge and understanding of the regional geologic setting.

#### 2.2.1 Geology

The most recent geologic map (Troost & Wisher, 2006) shows the Site as being underlain by nonglacial Pleistocene deposits of pre-Olympia age (Qpon), which predate the most recent glacial period (the Fraser glaciation), as well as Holocene-age lake deposits (Ql) and mass-wastage deposits (Qmw). The nonglacial pre-Olympia deposits are further subdivided into coarse-grained (Qponc) and fine-grained (Qponf) units. The mapped surficial geologic units are described as follows:

- **Fine-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits (Qponf):** Silt and clay; hard, may have sandy interbeds, and peat, laminated to massive. The deposits are mapped along the central area of the Site.
- **Coarse-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits (Qponc):** Sand and gravel; very dense, clean to silty, with silt layers and peat. The deposits are mapped along the west area of the Site.
- Lake deposits (Ql): Silt and clay; very soft to medium stiff or very loose to medium dense, with local sand layers, peat, and other organic sediments. The deposits are mapped along the east area of the Site including the shoreline.
- Mass-wastage deposits (Qmw): Colluvium, soil, landslide debris, and organic matter with indistinct morphology; loose to dense and soft to stiff. The deposits are mapped along the east area of the Site, including the shoreline.

Although not shown on the geologic map, we expected to encounter fill material placed or disturbed as part of the original Site development (fill observations are discussed further in Section 2.2.2 below). In general, our observations during the subsurface explorations were consistent with the geologic map and our expectations, except that we did not encounter lake deposits or clearly delineated mass-wastage deposits.

### 2.2.2 Stratigraphy

Aspect completed six drilled soil borings on February 2 and 3, 2021 (designated AB-01 through AB-06). We completed each of the borings to approximately 21 feet below ground surface (bgs) using hollow stem auger drilling techniques, with *in-situ* density/consistency testing and sample collection at select depth intervals. The drilling was subcontracted to Geologic Drill Partners, Inc., who completed the work with a miniature drill rig mounted on a tracked, walk-behind Bobcat. The exploration locations are shown on Figure 2. Aspect also subcontracted geotechnical laboratory testing services for moisture content, fines content, particle-size analyses, and Atterberg limits on select soil samples obtained during our field investigation.

Subsurface conditions at the Site were inferred from the completed field investigation, a review of applicable geologic literature, local geologic experience, and geotechnical laboratory testing. A more detailed description of the field exploration methods and

exploration logs are presented in Appendix A. Detailed descriptions of the tests and results are presented in Appendix B.

The primary soil units observed in our explorations, presented in stratigraphic order from top to bottom, were fill, weathered pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits, and intact pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits. Consistent with the geologic map, we encountered finegrained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits in the eastern portion of the Site near Lake Washington, that transitioned to coarse-grained deposits at higher elevations in the western portion of Site near 96th Avenue SE. The units are described in more detail below.

#### Fill

We encountered fill consisting of very soft to medium stiff, moist to wet, gray to brown silt with varying proportions of sand (ML)<sup>2</sup> and very loose to medium dense, moist to wet, gray to brown silty sand (SM) in all explorations from the surface to depths of between 7- to 15-feet below ground surface (bgs). At AB-02, located approximately mid-way down the concrete driveway, we also encountered a layer of medium stiff, moist, brown clay (CL) between 7 and 10 feet bgs. We encountered organics, roots, and woody debris at AB-01, AB-04, and AB-05. Based on the observed relative density and moisture content, the fill was likely placed without moisture or compaction control.

The fill can be expected to exhibit low shear strength characteristics, low to moderate permeability, moderate to high compressibility, and high moisture sensitivity.

#### Weathered Pre-Olympia Nonglacial Deposits

We encountered weathered pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits at AB-01, AB-02, AB-03, and AB-06 consisting of loose to dense, very moist to wet, brown to gray silty sand with varying proportions of gravel (SM) from the bottom of the fill to depths of between 10- to 15-feet bgs. The weathered pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits are similar to the underlying coarse-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits, but we interpret them to be weathered due to their relatively lower density.

The weathered pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits can be expected to exhibit moderate shear strength characteristics, moderate permeability, moderate compressibility, and moderate moisture sensitivity.

#### **Coarse-Grained Pre-Olympia Nonglacial Deposits**

We encountered coarse-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits in AB-01 through AB-04 from below the fill or weathered pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits to depths of between 15 to 21 feet bgs consisting of dense to very dense, slightly moist to wet, gray to brown sand with varying proportions of silt and gravel (SM, SP-SM). The coarse-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits were encountered in AB-03 and AB-04 at an approximately 5-foot-thick layer overlying fine-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits. At AB-01 and AB-02 the coarse-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits were encountered to the bottom of the explorations at approximately 21 feet bgs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Soils are classified per the Unified Soil Classification System (USCS) in general accordance with the ASTM International (ASTM) Method D2488 Standard Practice of Description and Identification of Soils.

The coarse-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits can be expected to exhibit high shear strength characteristics, low to moderate permeability, low compressibility, and moderate moisture sensitivity.

#### **Fine-Grained Pre-Olympia Nonglacial Deposits**

We encountered fine-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits in AB-03 through AB-06 to depths of between 15 to 21 feet bgs consisting of medium stiff to hard, slightly moist, gray clay (CH). We interpret this clay as being highly overconsolidated and relatively intact and undisturbed (i.e., we did not observe significant evidence of fracturing, slickensides, or shearing).

The fine-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits can be expected to exhibit high shear strength characteristics, low permeability, low compressibility, and moderate to high moisture sensitivity.

#### 2.2.3 Groundwater

Groundwater was encountered in boring AB-01, where it was measured at a depth of 5.9 feet bgs at the time of drilling. The apparent moisture content of the samples in AB-06 suggest that there may have been some perched groundwater in the weathered pre-Olympia deposits at approximately 8 feet bgs above the relatively impermeable, fine-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits. Red mottling and iron oxide staining was observed in several of the samples over a wide range in depths, which can indicate seasonal fluctuations in groundwater levels. We expect the groundwater on the slope is in hydraulic continuity with Lake Washington. Groundwater levels are expected to fluctuate by seasonal conditions, Site usage, variations in rainfall, irrigation, and other factors.

## **3** Geologic Hazard Evaluation

Erosion, sliding, and earthquake hazard areas are geologically hazardous areas as defined in Sections 19.16 of the Mercer Island City code (MICC; 2021). Development on the Site is therefore governed by the requirements of MICC 19.07. This report is intended to serve as the required critical area study to describe existing conditions, potential impacts, and risk mitigation measures consistent with MICC 19.07.110 and 19.07.160.

As part of our evaluation, we reviewed publicly available critical area maps relative to geologic hazards, as shown on Figure 2. The City of Mercer Island maps the entire parcel as a potential slide hazard area and as an erosion hazard area. The majority of the Site is also mapped as a seismic hazard area, and localized areas in the north portion of the Site are mapped as steep slope hazard areas. A historic landslide scarp is mapped on parcels immediately south of the Site (Troost and Wisher, 2006).

## 3.1 Landslide / Steep Slope Hazards

As part of our landslide / steep slope hazard evaluation, we reviewed the Site topography, landslide map inventories, and historic aerial photographs from 1936 and 2019 (King County, 2021). Steep slopes are defined by the City as any slope exceeding 40 percent

over a 30-foot horizontal run. Based on a recent Site survey completed by Terrane Land Surveying (Terrane, 2021), steep slopes are present on the slope north of the driveway and west of the garden behind the garage. We previously described some localized slope movement associated with decaying timber walls along steep slopes. In general, we observed no indications of global slope movement from our reconnaissance or review of aerial photographs from 1936 to 2019.

Three types of landslides hazards are common for slopes in the Puget Sound region:

- Rotational (deep-seated) landslides
- Shallow landslides
- Topping failures.

Landslides may be triggered by natural causes such as precipitation, freeze-thaw cycles, or earthquakes, or by man-made events such as broken water pipes or stormwater flow. Each of these landslide hazards is discussed in greater detail below with respect to the Site.

#### 3.1.1 Rotational Landslides

Rotational landslides consist of deep-seated failures that are characterized by slip along a curved shear plane. Rotational landslides may transport larger masses of semi-intact soil downslope, resulting in steep head scarps along the upper portion of the failure plane, and benches and hummocks of displaced soil lower on the slope. Rotational landslides can be caused by ongoing processes, such as erosion of the toe of the slope, seeps and springs on the steep slope, and other ongoing processes. Deep-seated (below rooting depth for trees) rotational landslides can also be triggered by large earthquakes.

Deep-seated landslides can cause significant damage because of the volume of soil that they can displace. However, these landslides typically don't occur without warning signs many days in advance, such as formation of open tension cracks at the ground surface, slow downslope creep of soils, bending and tipping trees, displacement of infrastructure, etc.

Based on our reconnaissance and the dense, high-shear strength of the glacially consolidated deposits that comprise the core of the Site slopes, it is our opinion that the risk of large-scale, deep-seated rotational landslide activity is low.

#### 3.1.2 Shallow Landslides

Shallow landslides consist of sliding of the surficial, colluvial, or weathered soil layers and overlying vegetation that typically mantle steep slopes in the Puget Sound region. Shallow landslides are commonly triggered by a significant increase in the moisture content within the upper soil layers of a slope combined with a slow increase in the thickness of weathered and loose surficial soils over geologic time. Increased moisture typically results from periods of extended, heavy precipitation, groundwater seepage, or concentrated surface water discharge onto a slope.

While shallow landslides displace a smaller volume of soil than deep-seated rotational landslides, they can be fast moving and can occur with little or no warning. Shallow slides are typically less than five to ten feet thick and several tens of feet in width. They

typically do not extensively impact the underlying denser soils or affect overall stability of a slope beyond the area that has slid.

Based on our review of the Site topography and vegetation, the presence of mapped mass wastage deposits, and our observations and experience with slopes in the Puget Sound region, we assess the potential for shallow landslides at the Site to be moderate. The potential for shallow landslides increases following extended periods of heavy precipitation or during a seismic event.

#### 3.1.3 Toppling Failures

Toppling failures involve a mass of soil peeling off along naturally occurring tension cracks, which form in soils at the crest of steep slopes and bluffs. These tension cracks may provide conduits for surface water migration and flow, and they also promote growth of tree roots that can extend many feet downward into the cracks. As the roots grow and the face of the slope progresses through freeze-thaw cycles, or when the face of the slope at the toe of the tension crack becomes oversteepened and undermined by erosion, these cracks often become failure planes, and a slab of soil will spall or topple off the slope face. Failures of this kind are typically not more than several feet thick and occur only on very steep to near-vertical sections of slopes.

In our opinion, the potential for toppling failures at the Site is low.

#### 3.1.4 Landslide Hazard Summary

The existing conditions include pipes, catch basins, and conveyance to an outfall at Lake Washington to manage drainage and reduce the risk for landslides. Drainage at the Site should be maintained or enhanced as part of the redevelopment to mitigate the potential for future landslide and steep slope hazards. Areas south of the driveway and west of the garage need drainage improvements to reduce the risk for instability in the vicinity of the timber walls observed during explorations and our reconnaissance.

The proposed redevelopment will occur in previously graded or developed areas of the house, garage, driveway, sod-surfaced areas between the house and driveway, and parking areas that were originally developed in 1934. The areas proposed for redevelopment are generally stable and have performed as intended. Provided Site development recommendations in this report are followed, the proposed development will, in our opinion, not pose a threat to the public health, safety, and welfare due to geologic hazards.

### 3.2 Erosion Hazards

We did not observe evidence of substantial erosion, scour, or rilling at the Site. Care should be taken during construction to mitigate risks of erosion. Appropriate temporary erosion and sedimentation control (TESC) best management practices (BMPs) should be implemented in accordance with City requirements.

The existing conditions include pipes, catch basins and conveyance to an outfall to Lake Washington at the Site to manage drainage and reduce the risk for erosion. Drainage at the Site should be maintained or enhanced going forward to mitigate erosion hazards. The proposed development will occur in previously graded or developed areas of the house, garage, driveway, and parking areas that are currently managed to reduce erosion and have performed as intended. Provided Site development recommendations in this report are followed, the proposed development will, in our opinion, not pose a threat to the public health, safety and welfare due to erosion hazards.

### 3.3 Seismic Hazards

The Site is located within the Puget Lowland physiographic province, an area of active seismicity that is subject to earthquakes on shallow crustal faults and deeper subduction zone earthquakes. The Site lies within the Seattle Fault Zone (SFZ; Troost and Wiser, 2006), which consists of shallow crustal tectonic structures that are considered active (evidence for movement within the Holocene [since about 15,000 years ago]) and are believed to be capable of producing earthquakes of magnitude 7.3 or greater. The recurrence interval of earthquakes on this fault zone is believed to be on the order of 1,000 years or more. The most recent large earthquake on the SFZ occurred about 1,100 years ago (Pratt et al., 2015). Thrust fault traces are mapped approximately 4,700 feet north and approximately 2,300 feet south of the Site. Several other shallow crustal faults in the region are also capable of producing earthquakes and strong ground shaking.

The Site also lies within the zone of strong ground shaking from earthquakes associated with the Cascadia Subduction Zone (CSZ). Subduction zone earthquakes occur due to rupture between the subducting oceanic plate and the overlying continental plate. The CSZ can produce earthquakes up to magnitude 9.3 and the recurrence interval is thought to be on the order of about 500 years. A recent study estimates the most recent subduction zone earthquake occurred around 1700 (Atwater et al., 2015).

Deep intraslab earthquakes, which occur from tensional rupture of the sinking oceanic plate, are also associated with the CSZ. An example of this type of seismicity is the 2001 Nisqually earthquake. Deep intraslab earthquakes typically are magnitude 7.5 or less and occur approximately every 10 to 30 years.

Mitigation design to address seismic hazards will be incorporated into the development plans based on the following sections to prevent increased risk of harm to life and/or property.

#### 3.3.1 Seismic Design Parameters

Seismic design of the improvements will be in accordance with the 2018 International Building Code (IBC), which references the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) Standard ASCE/SEI 7-16, Minimum Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures (ASCE, 2018) for seismic design. In accordance with these codes, the seismic design will consider a "Maximum Considered Earthquake" (MCE) ground motion with a 2 percent probability of exceedance in 50 years, or a return period of 2,475 years.

The effects of Site-specific subsurface conditions on the MCE ground motion at the ground surface are determined based on the "Site Class." The Site Class can be correlated to the average standard penetration resistance (N-value), average shear wave velocity, or average undrained strength (for fine-grained soils) in the upper 100 feet of the soil profile. Based on the average N-value from our explorations, we conclude the Site soil profile can be classified as Site Class D (Stiff Soil).

The design spectral response acceleration parameters adjusted for Site Class D in accordance with the 2018 IBC and ASCE/SEI 7-16 are presented in Table 5. These parameters are only valid if the exceptions outlined in Section 11.4.8 of ASCE/SEI 7-16 are met. If the exceptions are not met, then a Site Response Analysis in accordance with Section 21.1 of ASCE/SEI 7-16 is necessary. If the need for a Site Response Analysis becomes apparent as the Project design develops, Aspect can complete this upon request.

D – Stiff Soil <sup>(1)</sup>
0.620g <sup>(2)</sup>
1.1
0.682g
1.449g
0.501g
1.0
1.8
0.966g
0.601g

Notes:

1. Verify that the exceptions outlined in Section 11.4.8 of ASCE/SEI 7-16 are met. Refer to text above

2. g = gravitational force

3. Based on the latitude and longitude of the Site: 47.541180°N, -122.210110°W.

4. The risk category used was II, residential use.

#### 3.3.2 Liquefaction

Liquefaction occurs when loose, saturated, and relatively cohesionless soil deposits temporarily lose strength from seismic shaking. The primary factors controlling the onset of liquefaction in susceptible soils include intensity and duration of strong ground motion, *in situ* stress conditions, and the depth to groundwater.

We evaluated the susceptibility of the Site soils to liquefaction based on geologic, compositional, and state criteria. The Washington Department of Natural Resources (DNR) maps the Site as generally having low to moderate liquefaction susceptibility (DNR, 2004). The loose, surficial fill deposits overlying the Site are potentially susceptible to liquefaction. This is due to their low density and because the fine-grained particles are relatively nonplastic. Liquefaction would only be expected to initiate in the fill deposits under saturated conditions, which were not observed during our subsurface

explorations. In addition, the laboratory analysis results on select samples suggest that the fines content in the fill materials is on the order of approximately 15 percent or more, which may inhibit the initiation of liquefaction.

In our opinion there is some risk of liquefaction initiating in the fill deposits during the life of the Project, if saturated conditions coexist with strong ground shaking. To mitigate this risk, we have recommended deep foundation alternatives that will bypass the fill deposits and bear the structures on pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits. It is our opinion that the pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits are not susceptible to liquefaction due to their high density. Based on the reasoning presented above, we do not expect liquefaction to be a significant hazard for the Project.

#### 3.3.3 Surface Fault Rupture

The SFZ passes directly through Mercer Island. The U.S. Geological Survey maps eastwest trending traces approximately 1 mile north and approximately 0.5 miles south of the Site (USGS, 2016). Due to the suspected long recurrence intervals and the proximity of the Site to the mapped fault traces, the potential for surficial ground rupture at the Site itself is considered low during the expected life of the Project.

# 4 Geotechnical Conclusions and Recommendations

Based on our evaluation, the Project is feasible from a geotechnical perspective. A summary of key Project geotechnical conclusions and recommendations are listed below and described in more detail in the following sections.

- Relatively compressible and low-strength fill deposits overlie the Site to depths of between 7- to 15-feet bgs. In order to mitigate risks to the proposed structures from differential settlement, we recommend that the structures be founded on deep foundations that bypass the fill and bear on the dense, high-strength pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits beneath the fill. Estimates of foundation capacities and design and construction recommendations for these foundation systems are included in subsequent sections.
- The Project will include new retaining walls, including cantilevered soldier pile and lagging wall systems and cast-in-place cantilevered concrete walls. Estimates of lateral earth pressures, global stability evaluations, and other wall design and construction recommendations are provided in subsequent sections.
- The existing concrete driveway has failed and will require replacement. We understand this will occur in a subsequent phase of construction. We have provided recommendations for flexible and rigid pavement sections that will mitigate risk of premature failure over the design life of the pavement due to the soft subgrade.
- The surficial fill deposits are moisture sensitive and generally not suitable for reuse as structural fill.

## 4.1 Soil Engineering Properties

The engineering properties of the subsurface soils were generalized for engineering analysis purposes. These parameters are shown for each observed geologic unit in Table 2. These values serve as the basis for our geotechnical recommendations and conclusions and can be used by the Project structural engineer directly to evaluate design scenarios that we have not explicitly considered in this report.

Soil Unit	USCS Classification	SPT N- Value <sup>(1)</sup>	Total Unit Weight (pcf) <sup>2</sup>	Effective Friction Angle (degrees)	Effective Cohesion Intercept (psf) <sup>3</sup>
Fill	SM, ML, CL	R: 1-14 A: 7	110	30	-
Weathered Pre-Olympia nonglacial	SM	R: 8-37 A: 25	125	35	-
Coarse-Grained Pre-Olympia nonglacial	SM, SP-SM	R: 40-90 A: 66	135	40	-
Fine-Grained Pre-Olympia nonglacial	СН	R: 6-41 A: 24	130	30	500

#### Notes:

1. Uncorrected. R = range, A = average

2. Pounds per cubic foot, pcf

3. Pounds per square foot, psf

## 4.2 Building Foundations

In our opinion, the compressible surficial fill deposits are unsuitable for conventional shallow foundations due to the risks from differential settlement. To mitigate these risks, we recommend that the new structures be founded on deep foundations that bypass the fill deposits and gain capacity from the underlying pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits. The use of deep foundations at the Site has the secondary benefit of mitigating the more moderate risks from liquefaction or shallow slope failures in the fill deposits.

During the preliminary design phase, we evaluated both helical and pin pile foundation alternatives. We understand that the design team has elected to use pin piles, so we have included appropriate recommendations for pin pile design and construction below.

#### 4.2.1 Pin Piles

For residential foundation support, pin piles typically consist of 2- to 6-inch-diameter steel pipe piles driven to a predetermined acceptance criterion using a pneumatic or hydraulic hammer. Acceptance criteria varies by the diameter of the pin pile but are typically defined as less than 1 inch of penetration into the ground during a specified time

period of continuous driving with the specified hammer. Specific acceptance criteria and allowable load capacity information is shown below in Table 3.

Pin Pile Diameter (in)	Hammer Weight <sup>(1)</sup> (Ibs)	Allowable Capacity <sup>(2)</sup> (kips)	Acceptance Criteria <sup>(3)</sup> (sec)
2	90	4	60
3	550	12	12
4	850	20	16
6	2,000	30	10

Table 3. Typical Pin Pile Capacities and Installation Acceptance Criteria

Notes:

1. Minimum hammer weight recommended

2. Includes a factor of safety of 2

3. Time to drive pile less than 1 inch during continuous driving

Pin pile spacing, lateral requirements, and structural connections to other foundation elements should be designed by the Project structural engineer. We recommend schedule 80 or XS pipes for 2-inch-diameter piles and galvanized, schedule 40 pipes for 3- to 6-inch-diameter piles.

Pin piles should be utilized for axial, compressive support only. If lateral resistance is required, the pin piles may be installed on a slight batter (10 to 20 degrees from vertical) and the horizontal component of their axial capacity may be assigned as lateral resistance. This horizontal capacity will be available only in the direction of batter.

The capacities of piles greater than 2 inches in diameter should be verified through load testing in general accordance with the *Quick Load Test Method* described in ASTM D1143 (ASTM, 2018). We recommend a minimum of two piles be load tested in different areas of the proposed residence footprint prior to installing the production piles for the Project. The test piles may be incorporated as production piles at the discretion of the geotechnical engineer, provided they successfully pass the load test and are not damaged during installation or load test.

The pin piles should be required to extend to a minimum of 3 feet into the pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits (to be estimated based on observations during pile driving). Based on our explorations, we estimate that the total pile lengths to achieve the acceptance criteria shown in Table 2 will be on the order of approximately 15 feet in the vicinity of the main residence and approximately 25 feet in the vicinity of the garage. Due to buckling considerations, 2-inch-diameter pin piles shall not exceed 30 feet in length.

### 4.2.2 Foundation Lateral Resistance

We recommend that lateral resistance from pin piles be neglected unless they are battered. Passive and frictional resistance against pile caps/grade beams and below-grade walls can be considered for lateral resistance. Assuming the foundation elements are constructed within the existing fill deposits, we recommend using a passive equivalent fluid density of 350 pounds per cubic foot (pcf). A base friction coefficient of 0.30 may be used to evaluate sliding resistance developed between concrete and the compacted subgrade soil. These values include a factor of safety of 1.5. Passive resistance within the top foot should be neglected unless the ground surface is protected by a concrete slab or pavement.

#### 4.2.3 Floor Slabs

We recommend that the new structures be founded on deep foundations that bypass the surficial fill deposits. In our opinion, floor slabs that are not structurally integrated to the deep foundation system are feasible for floor loads up to 150 psf, provided the subgrade is prepared in accordance with our recommendations. Specifically, we recommend that the subgrade below floor slabs be overexcavated to a minimum depth of 18 inches and replaced with structural fill compacted to at least 95 percent of the maximum dry density determined by the modified Proctor. Additional overexcavation may be necessary if deleterious, organic, wet, or oversized material is encountered. Prior to placing the structural fill, the subgrade surface should be compacted to a firm and unyielding condition.

For floor slabs that are not structurally integrated with the deep foundation system, it should be understood that some risk of concrete distress exists due to the potential for future settlements. Future maintenance associated with this risk may be required.

For slabs-on-grade designed as a beam on elastic subgrade, we recommend using an initial vertical modulus  $(K_{v1})$  of 120 pounds per cubic inch (pci). The  $K_{v1}$  value is appropriate for a 1-foot by 1-foot slab and needs to be adjusted based on the actual width (B) of the slab to a design vertical modulus (Ks) using the following equation below:

 $K_s = K_{v1}(B+1)^2/(4B^2),$ 

where B = slab width (in feet).

Alternatively, pile-supported, structural floorslabs can be designed and constructed to mitigate risk of concrete distress from potential settlement.

For interior slabs-on-grade, we recommend the uppermost 6 inches of the subgrade consist of compacted capillary break material (in lieu of 6 inches of crushed surfacing base course [CSBC]) to provide uniform support and moisture control. The capillary break material should consist of free-draining, clean, fine gravel and coarse sand with a maximum particle size of about 1-inch and less than 3 percent material passing the U.S. No. 200 sieve by weight (fines). Angular material manufactured by crushing is preferred over rounded material such as bank run sand and gravel, to provide a subgrade surface that is not easily disturbed by workers laying steel rebar and concrete formwork. The capillary break material should be compacted to relatively firm and unyielding condition and evaluated by Aspect prior to placement of steel rebar and formwork.

For building areas where vapor intrusion mitigation would be detrimental to the interior finished space (such as air-conditioned office areas that may be covered with flooring), consideration should be given to placement of a vapor barrier over the capillary break. Detailed design and performance issues with respect to vapor intrusion and moisture control as it relates to the interior environment of the structure are beyond the expertise of

Aspect. A building envelope specialist or contractor should be consulted to address these issues, as needed.

#### 4.2.4 Settlement

Total and differential static settlement of the structures are anticipated to be less than 0.5 inch, if founded on pin piles or helical piles installed in accordance with our recommendations provided above. Any static settlement is anticipated to occur rapidly as the structural loads are applied during construction.

### 4.3 Retaining Walls

Based on discussions with the design team and our review of preliminary design documents, we identified three primary retaining walls at the Site:

- Wall 1: cast-in-place concrete wall located along the southern property line south of the garage
- **Wall 2:** cast-in-place concrete wall located along the south side of the driveway west of the garage
- **Wall 3:** cantilevered soldier pile wall located at the bottom of the Environmentally Critical Area (ECA) steep slope north of the main residence

These walls, as well as preliminary grading information provided by the design team, are shown in Appendix C-1. The following sections contain design and construction recommendations for proposed retaining walls. All proposed retaining walls should be designed by the Project structural engineer.

#### 4.3.1 Lateral Earth Pressures

Lateral earth pressures acting on earth retaining systems with assumed geometries for active, at-rest, and seismic conditions are shown below in Table 4. The equivalent seismic earth pressure is based on pseudo-static analysis applying a horizontal acceleration of one half of the site-modified PGA from Table 1. These values assume that new walls will primarily retain existing fill deposits at an approximately vertical interface. These values also assume that existing fill deposits will provide passive support in front of the structures. To invoke active earth pressure conditions, a wall must be capable of yielding laterally at least 0.001 to 0.002H, where H is the exposed height of the wall; otherwise, at-rest conditions should be assumed.

Earth Pressure Condition	Foreslope Condition	Backslope Condition	Earth Pressure Coefficient	Equivalent Fluid Density <sup>2</sup> (pcf) <sup>1</sup>	Uniform Lateral Surcharge Pressure <sup>3</sup> (psf) <sup>1</sup>
Active	-	Level	0.33	40	0.33S
Active <sup>4</sup>	-	2H:1V	0.52	63	0.52S
Passive <sup>5</sup>	Level	-	3.20	350	-
Passive <sup>4,5</sup>	2H:1V	-	0.90	110	-
At-Rest	-	Level	0.50	60	0.50S
Seismic	-	Level	-	-	18.0H

Notes:

1. psf = pounds per square foot; pcf = pounds per cubic foot.

2. The equivalent fluid densities provided above are distributed triangularly along the exposed height of the wall. The uniform lateral surcharge pressures are distributed uniformly (rectangularly) along the exposed height of the wall.

- 3. S is the vertical surcharge pressure at the ground surface immediately above/behind the wall. H is the height of the wall. The resultant uniform rectangular lateral pressure should be applied to the full height of the wall.
- 4. These values assume a maximum backslope/foreslope of 2H:1V. Linear interpolation can be used for shallower backslope/foreslope conditions.
- 5. The passive value includes a factor of safety of 1.5. Passive resistance within a depth of 2 feet of the ground surface in front of the walls should be ignored.

### 4.3.2 Wall Global Stability

The purpose of our global stability analyses was to calculate factors of safety against global failure and determine minimum recommended embedment for the soldier piles (for the soldier pile wall) and/or wall footings (for the precast concrete walls) to ensure global stability. We performed global stability analyses for the proposed walls using topographic survey data and proposed grading information provided by the design team, as well as the results of our subsurface exploration program. We selected critical cross section locations for our analyses based on the expected locations of the maximum heights of the walls, as shown in Appendix C-1.

We conducted two-dimensional limit equilibrium slope stability analyses (SSA) using the Slide computer software program (Rocscience, 2018). We assessed stability under both static and seismic conditions. The Slide program performs slope stability computations based on the modeled slope conditions and calculates a factor of safety against slope failure, which is defined as the ratio of resisting forces to driving forces. A factor of safety of 1.0 indicates a "just-stable" condition, and a factor of safety less than 1.0 would indicate unstable conditions. Minimum factors of safety of 1.5 and 1.1 for static and seismic loading conditions, respectively, are generally considered acceptable.

We designated the soil/material units and assigned the engineering parameters shown in Table 2 and modeled a groundwater surface perched atop the fine-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits and saturating the coarse-grained pre-Olympia deposits. We made the following specific assumptions regarding wall geometry at each wall location (refer to Appendix C-1 for wall locations):

#### Wall 1 – located along the southern property line south of the garage:

- Wall Type: Cast-in-place concrete
- Maximum Exposed Height: 5.5 feet
- Minimum Footing Embedment: 3 feet

#### Wall 2 – located along the south side of the driveway west of the garage:

- Wall Type: Cast-in-place concrete
- Maximum Exposed Height: 4 feet
- Minimum Footing Embedment: 3 feet

#### Wall 3 – located at the bottom of the ECA steep slope north of the main residence:

- Wall Type: Cantilevered soldier piles with lagging
- Maximum Exposed Height: 4 feet
- Soldier Pile Spacing: 8 feet
- Ultimate Pile Shear Strength: 160 kips
- Minimum Pile Embedment: 8 feet<sup>3</sup>

The model inputs, geometry, and results are presented graphically in Appendix C-2 through C-11. The calculated factors of safety for global stability are summarized in Table 5 below, which meet or exceed the recommended minimums in each case. Our analyses indicate that minor surficial sloughing should be anticipated during the design seismic event in isolated areas on some of the existing steep slopes. These locations are not anticipated to be graded or otherwise disturbed as part of the Project. In our opinion, these surficial areas should be considered maintenance issues and are not indicative of global instability for the retaining walls.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> We recommend that the soldier piles penetrate the minimum embedment recommended above, or a minimum of 1 foot into the fine-grained Pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits, whichever is deeper. Thus, the minimum embedment depth should be established in the field based on observations during construction.

Wall ID	Analysis Cross Section	Static Factor of Safety for Global Stability <sup>(1)</sup>	Seismic Factor of Safety for Global Stability <sup>(2)</sup>
1	A-A'	1.1	2.0
2	B-B'	1.1	2.1
3	C-C'	1.1	2.2
3	D-D'	1.1	2.4
3	E-E'	1.1	2.2

Table 5. Summary of Factor of Safety Values for SSA Results

#### Notes:

1. Limit equilibrium minimum factor of safety found using Spencer's method in SLIDE

2. Pseudostatic seismic analysis with a horizontal seismic coefficient of 0.341g

#### 4.3.3 Wall Drainage

Drainage behind walls should consist of a 24-inch-thick zone of free-draining sand and gravel meeting the requirements for WSDOT Standard Specification 9-03.12(2) for Gravel Backfill for Walls. A woven geotextile separator meeting the requirements of Section 9-33.2(1), Table 3 of the WSDOT Standard Specifications should be included at the interface between the native soils and the drain rock behind the walls. Water that is carried down by this sand and gravel zone should be conveyed to a drainage system consisting of a minimum 4-inch-diameter, perforated, Schedule 40 PVC pipe surrounded by at least 6 inches of washed gravel meeting the requirements for WSDOT Standard Specification 9-03.12(4) for Gravel Backfill for Drains. The drain should be routed to discharge at an appropriate location with positive drainage away from the wall.

#### 4.3.4 Wall Bearing Resistance

Precast concrete walls can bear on the fill deposits if the subgrade is suitably prepared and improved with a 12-inch-thick crushed rock fill pad (fill pad) composed of CSBC per WSDOT Standard Specification 9-03.9(3) (WSDOT, 2021). The compacted CSBC pad should be placed over firm and unyielding soil. We estimate that foundation widths in this application will be on the order of 1 to 5 feet wide. We recommend a maximum allowable bearing pressure of 1,500 psf be used for design to limit settlements. An increase in the allowable bearing pressure of one-third may be used for transient loading (e.g., wind, seismic). Lateral resistance along the base of wall foundations can be calculated with an allowable coefficients of friction of 0.30, which assumes a factor of safety of 1.5.

### 4.4 Driveway Pavements

The fill deposits are expected to provide relatively poor structural support for new pavement. Even though traffic loading is expected to be low, we recommend a robust pavement section. For flexible, hot mix asphalt (HMA) pavement surfaces, we recommend a section consisting of 3 inches of HMA overlying 8 inches of crushed surfacing. For rigid, unreinforced concrete surfaces, we recommend minimum 6 inches of

concrete overlying 6 inches of crushed surfacing. Compaction requirements are discussed in detail in Section 5.1.3

### 4.5 Steep Slope Management

Many of the factors that can cause landslides, such as site geology, topography, and groundwater conditions cannot be controlled. Some factors such as vegetation and stormwater runoff, however, can be controlled, and homeowners are advised to maintain the Site in a manner that maximizes slope stability.

The most likely impact to the Site from a slope stability perspective would be shallow landslides caused by saturation of the surficial fill soils on the steep slope, or from inertial forces during a seismic event. Factors that affect slope stability within the near-surface soil layer include the following (Gray and Leiser, 1982):

- **Root Reinforcement** Roots mechanically reinforce a soil by transfer of shear stresses in the soil to tensile resistance in the roots.
- Soil Moisture Modification Evapotranspiration and interception in the foliage limit buildup of soil moisture.
- **Buttressing and Arching** Anchored and embedded stems can act as buttress piles or arch abutments in a slope, counteracting shear stresses.
- **Surcharge** Weight of vegetation on a slope exerts both a downslope (destabilizing) stress and a stress component perpendicular to the slope, which tends to increase resistance to sliding.
- **Root Wedging** Alleged tendency of roots to invade cracks, fissures, and channels in a soil or rock mass and thereby cause local instability by a wedging or prying action.
- **Windthrowing** Destabilizing influences from an overturning moment exerted on a slope as a result of strong winds blowing downslope through trees.

Root reinforcement, soil moisture modification (reduction), and buttressing and arching will increase surficial slope stability at the Site. Surcharge, root wedging, and windthrowing will have a destabilizing effect on surficial slope stability.

Other sources of surficial slope instability include improperly managed storm and surface water runoff flowing near or over the top of the slope. Uncontrolled runoff or surface water should never be allowed to flow across the slope.

Care should be taken not to over-irrigate near the slope. If an irrigation system is installed near the steep slope, we recommend you install a shutoff valve well away from the slope and shut the valve during the wet season. This will reduce the risk of flooding of the hillside due to pipe damage. We recommend limiting irrigation to the dry season (between April and October).

To minimize soil erosion and reduce the risk of shallow landslides, we recommend establishing/ maintaining dense native vegetative cover that is low and has deeplypenetrating roots. We recommend consulting with a professional landscaper to determine appropriate vegetation types and to develop a planting plan for any steep slopes that are disturbed during construction. Grading activities on the Site slopes that do not result in increased slope stability (i.e., placement of fill to flatten the slope) should be minimized to the maximum extent practical. If required, disturbance should be minor (limited to the outer 12 inches of the slope), accomplished with hand tools, and should facilitate replanting and promote vegetative growth. Grading activities should not result in a steeper inclination of the slope or the placement of new fill at the top of the slope. Landscaping debris should not be placed on the steep slope as this inhibits the growth of beneficial vegetation and adds mass to the surficial soil layers.

If soils on or near the steep slope become exposed through erosion and/or surficial landslide activity, we recommend immediately covering and aggressively revegetating the exposed areas. This may require the temporary placement of plastic sheeting replaced during the spring by a woven jute-mat (erosion control blanket) to provide temporary ground cover while vegetation takes root.

For specific vegetation recommendations, the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) has several good publications on the subject including:

- Vegetation Management: A guide for Puget Sound Bluff Property Owners (Ecology, 1993a).
- Slope Stabilization and Erosion Control Using Vegetation: A Manual of Practice for Coastal Property Owners (Ecology, 1993b).

This information is also available from Ecology's website, along with a steep-slope planting guide.

# **5** Construction Recommendations

### 5.1 Soldier Pile Wall Construction

The soldier piles must be properly constructed to perform as designed. The soldier pile wall should be constructed in accordance with the applicable portions of Section 6-16 of the WSDOT Standard Specifications (WSDOT, 2021). We recommend the following:

- Groundwater and caving soil could be encountered during drilling of soldier pile shafts, and the contractor should be prepared to use a temporary casing or drilling slurry to prevent caving and soil loss. If there is standing water or drilling slurry in the shaft, concrete should be placed with a tremie pipe placed at the bottom of the hole.
- Boulders and/or cobbles could be present in the subsurface soils. The Contractor should be prepared to remove, break-up, cut through, or otherwise manage obstructions, if encountered.
- Soldier piles with center-to-center spacing of less than 3 pile-hole diameters should not be drilled in sequence. Rather, every other pile should be drilled, and

the concrete should be placed and allowed to cure at least 24 hours before adjacent piles are drilled.

• The bottom of the soldier pile shafts should be cleared of loose or slough soils that may have accumulated during drilled prior to installing the soldier pile.

Aspect should provide special inspection services during soldier pile installations, to include monitoring pile shaft drilling, acceptance of the pile shafts, and inspection of the pile and concrete installation. Acceptance of the soldier pile installation should be the responsibility of the geotechnical engineer.

### 5.2 General Earthwork Recommendations

Based on the materials encountered in the explorations and our understanding of the Project, we anticipate Site earthwork can be completed with standard construction equipment. Toothed buckets may be required for excavations within the coarse-grained pre-Olympia nonglacial deposits. The construction of temporary gravel access roads and working platforms may also be required to navigate the Site. Appropriate erosion and sedimentation control measures should be in accordance with local BMPs and should be implemented prior to beginning earthwork activities. Also, land clearing, grading, filling, and foundation work within the identified geologic hazard areas are not permitted between October 1 and April 1.

#### 5.2.1 Temporary Excavations

Temporary excavation and slopes should not exceed the limits specified in the local, state, and federal regulations. Site Safety, including the stability of temporary excavations and slopes shall be the responsibility of the contractor. The soils within the anticipated excavation depths would classify as Type C soils in accordance with the Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 296-155 Part N (WAC, 2016). For planning purposes, we recommend that temporary slopes in Type C not be steeper than 1.5H:1V (horizontal to vertical). The presence of seepage may require that slopes be flattened further to remain stable.

We also recommend the following:

- Surface water should be diverted away from slopes.
- Protect slopes using plastic sheet, flash coating, or tarps to control erosion and stability, as necessary.
- Limit the duration that excavations or slopes are open to the shortest time possible.
- Traffic, equipment, and material stockpiles should not be allowed near the top of excavations or slopes.

The conditions of the excavations and slopes should be periodically observed by a competent person who is a representative of the contractor, to evaluate safety and stability.

#### 5.2.2 Subgrade Preparation

Prior to placing structural fill or constructing foundations, subgrades should be prepared to a relatively firm and level condition that is generally free of standing water and protruding cobbles and compacted until firm and unyielding with appropriate equipment. An Aspect geotechnical engineer or geologist should evaluate foundation subgrades to verify conditions.

#### 5.2.3 Structural Fill

Soils placed beneath or around foundations, fill embankments, walls, utilities, or below pavements should be considered structural fill. For these areas, we provide the following recommendations:

- Site-derived soils are generally unsuitable for reuse as structural fill due to their high fines (material passing the U.S. No. 200 sieve) content and moisture sensitivity.
- Structural fill below foundations and pavements should consist of crushed rock meeting the requirements for WSDOT Standard Specification 9-03.9(3) for CSBC.
- Structural fill directly behind walls should consist of sand and gravel meeting the requirements for WSDOT Standard Specification 9-03.12(2) for Gravel Backfill for Walls.
- Structural fill for utility bedding and backfill should meet the requirements for WSDOT Standard Specification 9-03.12(3) for Gravel Backfill for Pipe Zone Bedding or the material specified in the Standard Specification section applicable to the type of pipe being installed.
- Structural fill should only be placed on a relatively firm and unyielding subgrade.
- Structural fill should be compacted to a relatively firm and unyielding condition to a minimum density of 95 percent of the material maximum dry density as determined by ASTM D1557. Structural fill placed behind walls should be compacted to between 90 to 92 percent of the maximum dry density to avoid overstressing the walls.
- Structural fill should be placed in lifts with a loose thickness no greater than 12 inches when using relatively large compaction equipment, such as a vibrating plate attached to an excavator (hoe pack) or drum roller. If small, hand-operated compaction equipment is used to compact structural fill, lifts should not exceed 6 inches in loose thickness.
- Moisture content of the structural fill should be controlled to within 2 to 3 percent of the optimum moisture. Optimum moisture is the moisture content corresponding to the maximum modified proctor dry density.
- Fill placed in softscape, general grading, landscape, or common areas that are not beneath or around structures, utilities, slabs-on-grade, or below paved areas that can accommodate some settlement should be compacted to a relatively firm and unyielding condition.

### 5.2.4 Temporary Erosion and Sedimentation Control

Temporary erosion control measures should be implemented to prevent the migration of soil, dust, and turbid water off-Site or into stormwater systems. Such measures should include silt fences and straw wattles at the Site boundaries, silt socks in nearby catch basins, wetting exposed soil during dry periods, and quarry spalls and wheel wash stations at truck and equipment exits.

#### 5.2.5 Wet Weather Construction

Performing Site earthwork during dry summer months is preferred, but the following considerations should be incorporated into the Project requirements in the case that work is completed during wet weather.

- Earthwork should be performed in small areas to minimize exposure to wet weather.
- Excavation or the removal of unsuitable soils should be followed promptly by the placement and compaction of clean structural fill.
- The size and type of construction equipment used may have to be limited to prevent soil disturbance.
- The ground surface within the construction area should be graded to promote runoff of surface water and to prevent the ponding of water.
- The ground surface within the construction area should be sealed by a smoothdrum vibratory roller, or equivalent, and under no circumstances should be left uncompacted and exposed to moisture. Soils that become too wet for compaction should be removed and replaced with clean granular materials.
- Excavation and placement of fill should be observed by Aspect, the geotechnical engineer, to verify that all unsuitable materials are removed, and suitable compaction and Site drainage is achieved.
- Appropriate erosion and sedimentation BMPs should be strategically implemented in accordance with Washington State Department of Ecology and WSDOT recommendations.

# 6 Recommendations for Continuing Geotechnical Services

Throughout this report, we have provided recommendations where we consider it would be appropriate for Aspect to provide additional geotechnical input to the design and construction process. Additional recommendations are summarized in this section.

## 6.1 Additional Design and Consulting Services

Before construction begins, we recommend that Aspect:

- Continue to meet with the design team, as needed, to address geotechnical questions that may arise throughout the remainder of the design process.
- Review the design concepts as the design progresses to verify the geotechnical feasibility of site grading, retaining walls, and foundation systems and evaluate global stability as required. This may require additional explorations, depending on the design.
- Review the geotechnical elements of the project plans to see that the geotechnical engineering recommendations are properly interpreted.
- Provide an Environmentally Critical Area Impacts Statement of Risk with a final design report as required for City permitting.

### 6.2 Additional Construction Services

We are available to provide geotechnical engineering and monitoring services during construction. The integrity of the geotechnical elements depends on proper Site preparation and construction procedures. In addition, engineering decisions may have to be made in the field if variations in subsurface conditions become apparent.

During the construction phase of the Project, we recommend that Aspect be retained to perform the following tasks:

- Review applicable submittals
- Observe and evaluate subgrade preparation, structural fill placement, wall construction, and deep foundation installation
- Attend meetings, as needed
- Address other geotechnical engineering considerations that may arise during construction

The purpose of our observations is to verify compliance with design concepts and recommendations, and to allow design changes or evaluation of appropriate construction methods if subsurface conditions differ from those anticipated prior to the start of construction.

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Recommendations presented herein are based on our interpretation of site conditions, geotechnical engineering calculations, and judgment in accordance with our mutually agreed-upon scope of work. Our recommendations are unique and specific to the project, site, and Client. Application of this report for any purpose other than the project should be done only after consultation with Aspect.

Variations may exist between the soil and groundwater conditions reported and those actually underlying the site. The nature and extent of such soil variations may change over time and may not be evident before construction begins. If any soil conditions are encountered at the site that are different from those described in this report, Aspect should be notified immediately to review the applicability of our recommendations.

Risks are inherent with any site involving slopes and no recommendations, geologic analysis, or engineering design can assure slope stability. Our observations, findings, and opinions are a means to identify and reduce the inherent risks to the Client.

It is the Client's responsibility to see that all parties to this project, including the designer, contractor, subcontractors, and agents, are made aware of this report in its entirety. At the time of this report, design plans and construction methods have not been finalized, and the recommendations presented herein are based on preliminary project information. If project developments result in changes from the preliminary project information, Aspect should be contacted to determine if our recommendations contained in this report should be revised and/or expanded upon.

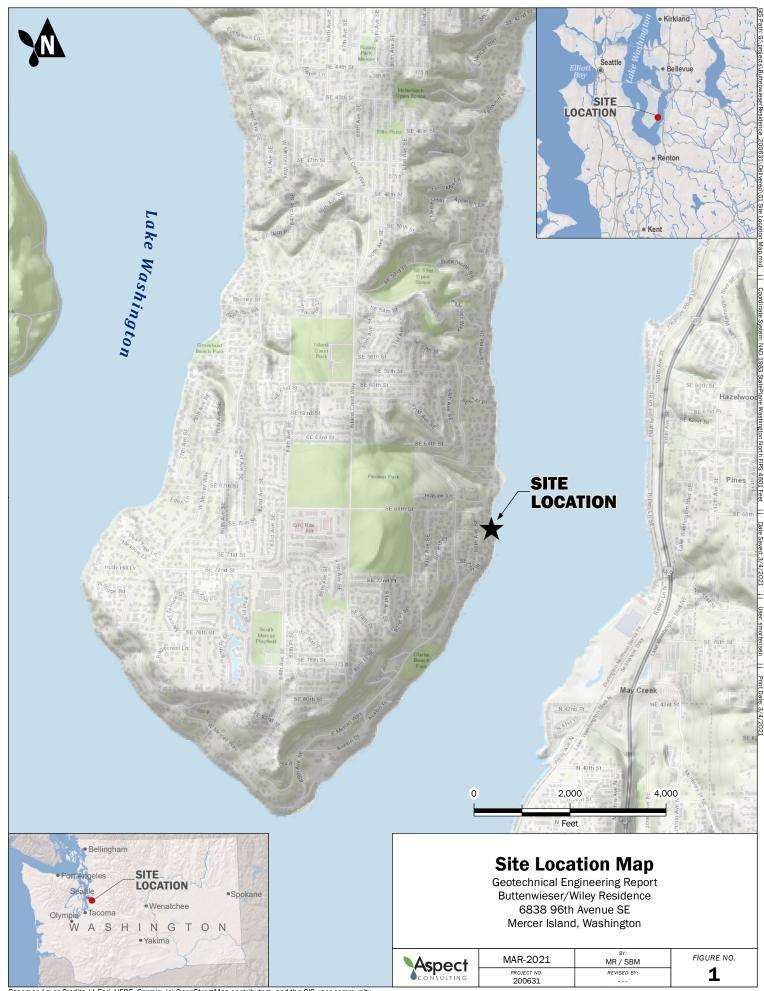
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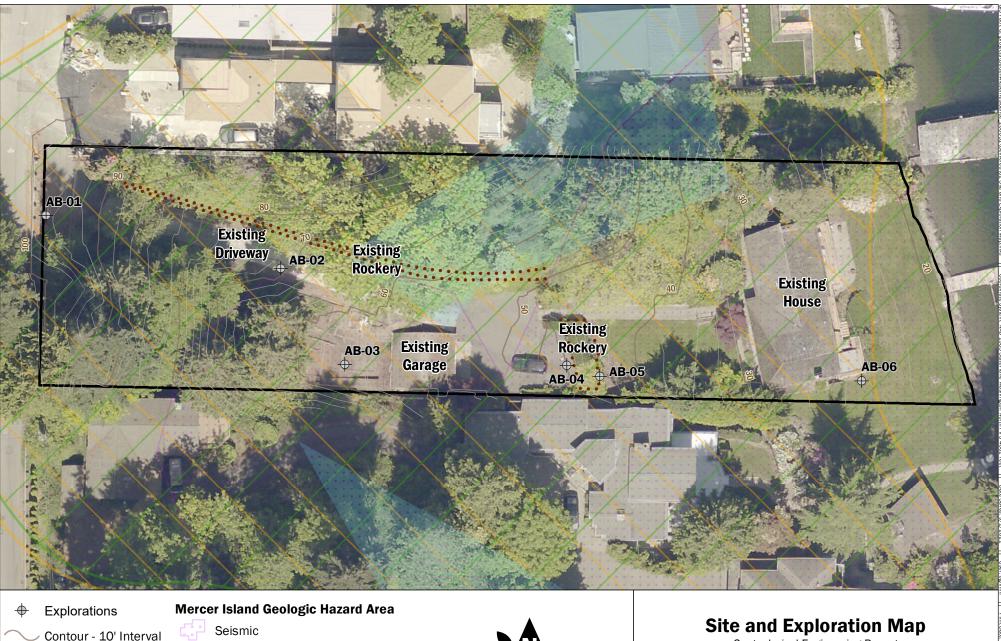
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Contour - 2' Interval

Site Parcel

Steep Slope

Erosion

Potential Slide

## **APPENDIX A**

Subsurface Exploration Logs

### **A. Subsurface Exploration Logs**

On February 1 and 2, 2021, Aspect Consulting, LLC (Aspect) completed six machinedrilled borings (designated AB-01 through AB-06) at the Site. The machine-drilled borings were advanced with hollow-stem auger drilling methods using a portable tracked drill rig operated by Geologic Drilling Partners, Inc. under subcontract to Aspect.

Disturbed soil samples were obtained at 2.5- or 5-foot intervals using the Standard Penetration Test (SPT) in accordance with ASTM D1586, *Standard Test Method for Standard Penetration Test (SPT) and Split-Barrel Sampling of Soils* (ASTM, 2018). Typically, the Standard Penetration Test involves driving a 2-inch-outside-diameter splitbarrel sampler a distance of 18 inches into the soil with a 140-pound hammer free-falling a distance of 30 inches (the drill rig employed on this project used rope and cathead to raise and lower the hammer). The number of blows for each 6-inch interval is recorded and the number of blows required to drive the sampler for the final two intervals (a total of 12 inches) is known as the Standard Penetration Resistance ("N-value") or blow count. The N-value provides a measure of relative density of granular soils or the relative consistency of cohesive soils. Upon completion, the machine-drilled borings were backfilled with 3/8-inch bentonite chips in accordance with requirements of the Washington State Department of Ecology.

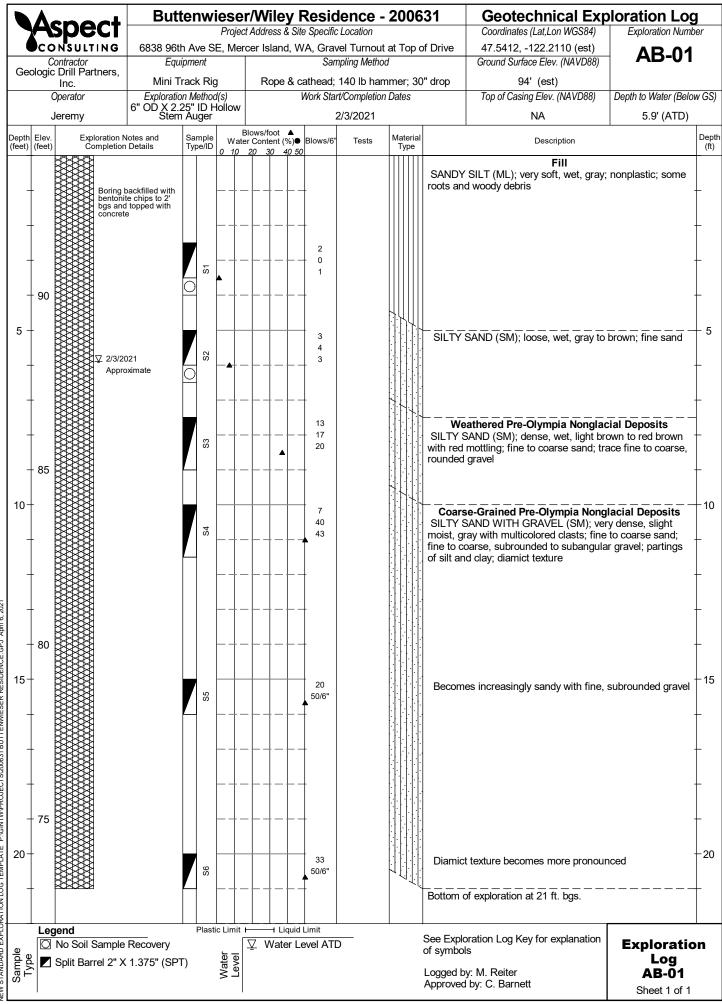
An Aspect engineer or geologist was present throughout the exploration program to observe the drilling procedures, assist in sampling, and to prepare descriptive logs of the explorations. Soils were identified in general accordance with ASTM D2488, *Standard Practice for Description and Identification of Soils* (Visual-Manual Procedure). The summary exploration logs represent our interpretation of the contents of the field logs. The stratigraphic contacts shown on the individual summary logs represent the approximate boundaries between soil types; actual transitions may be more gradual. The subsurface conditions depicted are only for the specific date and locations reported, and therefore, are not necessarily representative of other locations and times.

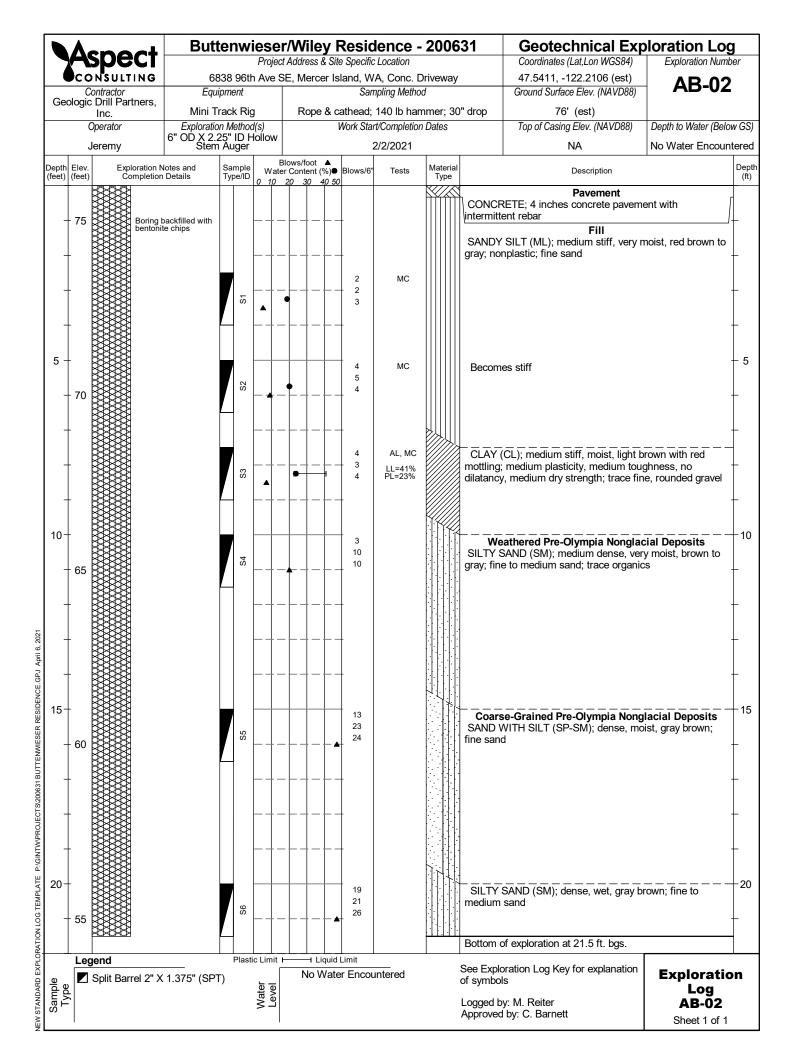
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Fine-Grained Soils	Silts and Clays		сн	FAT CLAY SANDY or GRAVELLY FAT CLAY FAT CLAY WITH SAND FAT CLAY WITH GRAVEL	Non-Cohesive or Coarse-Grained SoilsRELATIVE DENSITY $\underline{Density^3}$ $\underline{SPT^2 Blows/Foot}$ $\underline{Penetration with 1/2" Diameter Rod}$ Very Loose= 0 to 4 $\geq 2'$
Fine-(	Si		он	ORGANIC CLAY SANDY OF GRAVELLY ORGANIC CLAY ORGANIC CLAY WITH SAND ORGANIC CLAY WITH GRAVEL	Loose       = 5 to 10       1' to 2'         Medium Dense       = 11 to 30       3" to 1'         Dense       = 31 to 50       1" to 3"         Very Dense       = > 50       < 1"
Highly	Organic Soils		PT	PEAT and other mostly organic soils	Cohesive or Fine-Grained Soils       CONSISTENCY         Consistency <sup>3</sup> SPT <sup>2</sup> Blows/Foot       Manual Test         Very Soft       0 to 1       Penetrated >1" easily by thumb. Extrudes between thumb & fingers.         Soft       2 to 4       Penetrated 1/4" to 1" easily by thumb. Easily molded.
name; e.g. GRAVEL" r gravel. • "	., SP-SM • ' means 15 t Well-gradee	'SILTY" or "C o 30% sand d" means ap	LAYEY" me and grave proximate	% silt and clay, denoted by a "-" in the group eans >15% silt and clay • "WITH SAND" or "WITH I. • "SANDY" or "GRAVELLY" means >30% sand and ly equal amounts of fine to coarse grain sizes • "Poorly izes • Group names separated by /" means soil	Medium Stiff=5 to 8Penetrated >1/4" with effort by thumb. Molded with strong pressure.Stiff=9 to 15Indented $\sim 1/4"$ with effort by thumb.Very Stiff=16 to 30Indented easily by thumbnail.Hard=>30Indented with difficulty by thumbnail.
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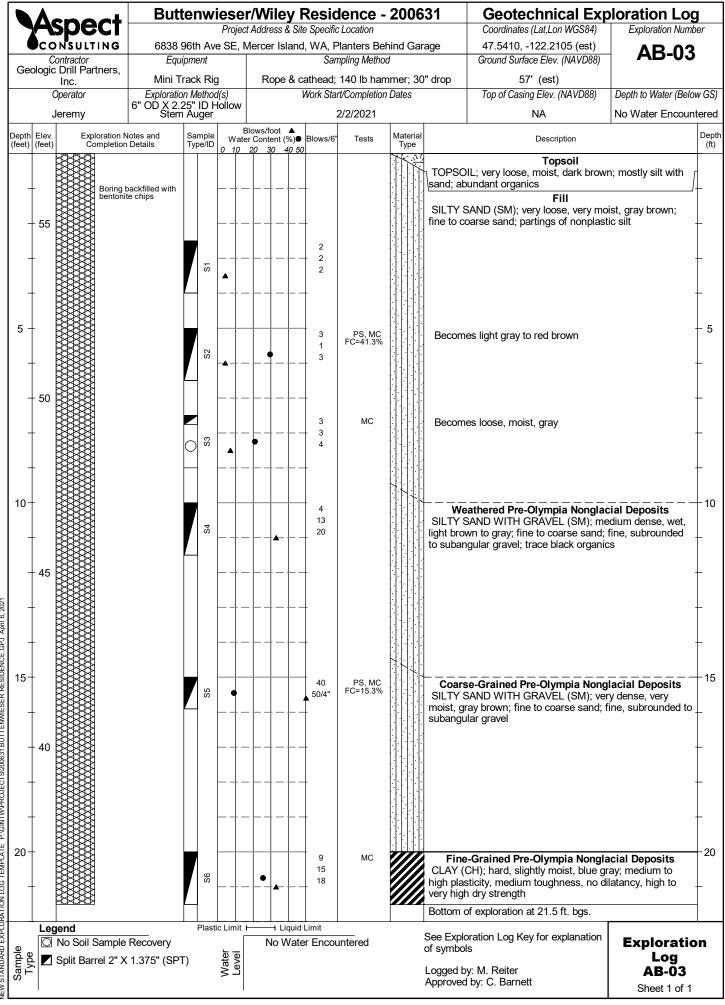
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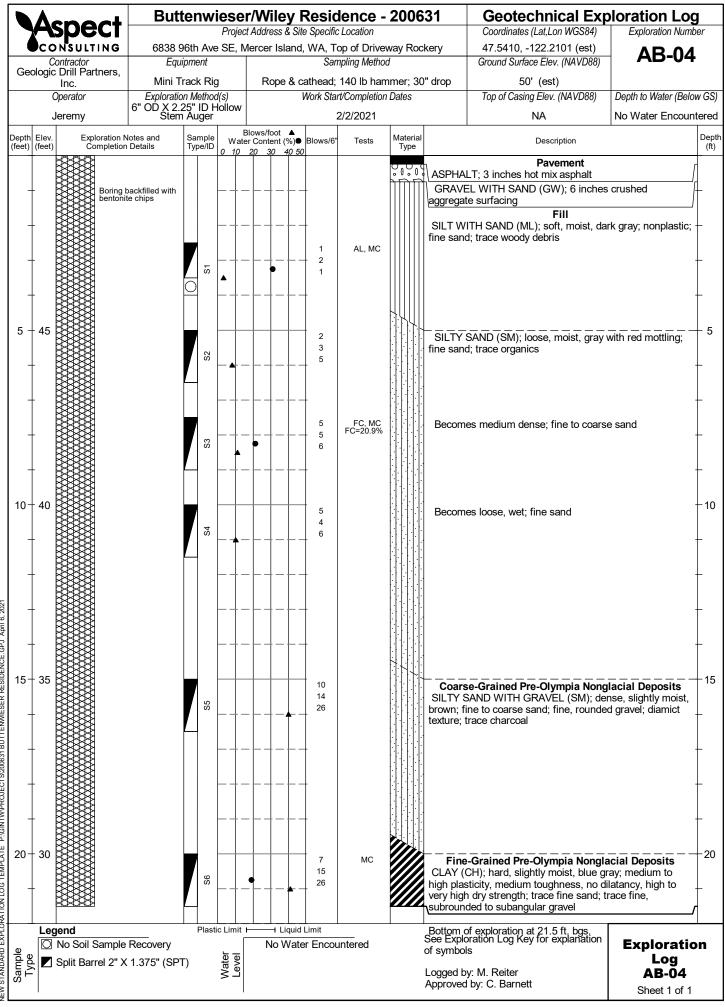
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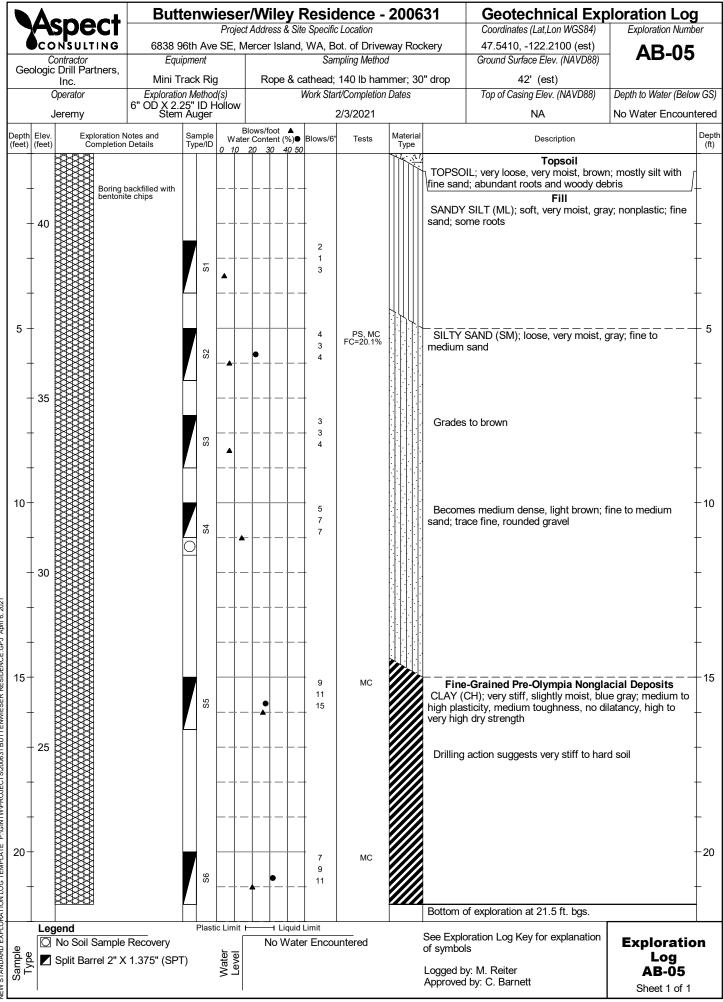
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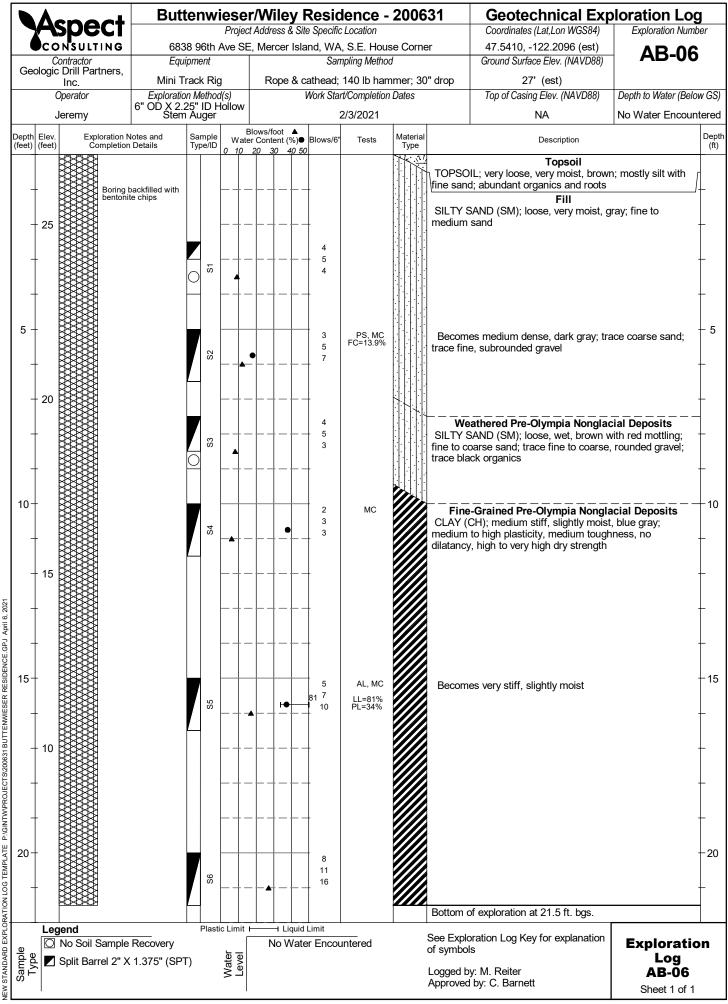












### **APPENDIX B**

Laboratory Testing Results

## **B.Laboratory Testing Results**

Laboratory tests were conducted on selected soil samples to characterize certain engineering (physical) properties of the Site soils. Laboratory testing included determination of natural moisture content, fines content, Atterberg Limits, and grain-size distribution, in general accordance with appropriate ASTM test methods.

The moisture content of selected samples was analyzed in general accordance with ASTM D2216, *Standard Test Methods for Laboratory Determination of Water* (*Moisture*) Content of Soil and Rock by Mass. The fines content of selected samples was analyzed in general accordance with ASTM D1140, Standard Test Methods of Determining the Amount of Material Finer than 75-mm (No. 200) Sieve in Soils by Washing. The grain-size distribution of selected samples was analyzed in general accordance with ASTM D6913, *Standard Test Method for Particle-Size Analysis of Soils without Hydrometer Determination of Fines Content*. The Atterberg Limits were analyzed in general accordance with ASTM D4318, *Standard Test Methods for Liquid Limit, Plastic Limit, and Plasticity Index of Soils*.

The results of the laboratory tests are presented in this appendix; moisture content and Atterberg Limit results are also presented graphically on the boring logs in Appendix A. The results of the grain-size distribution tests are presented as curves in this appendix, plotting percent finer by weight versus grain size.



### Minus No. 200 Wash

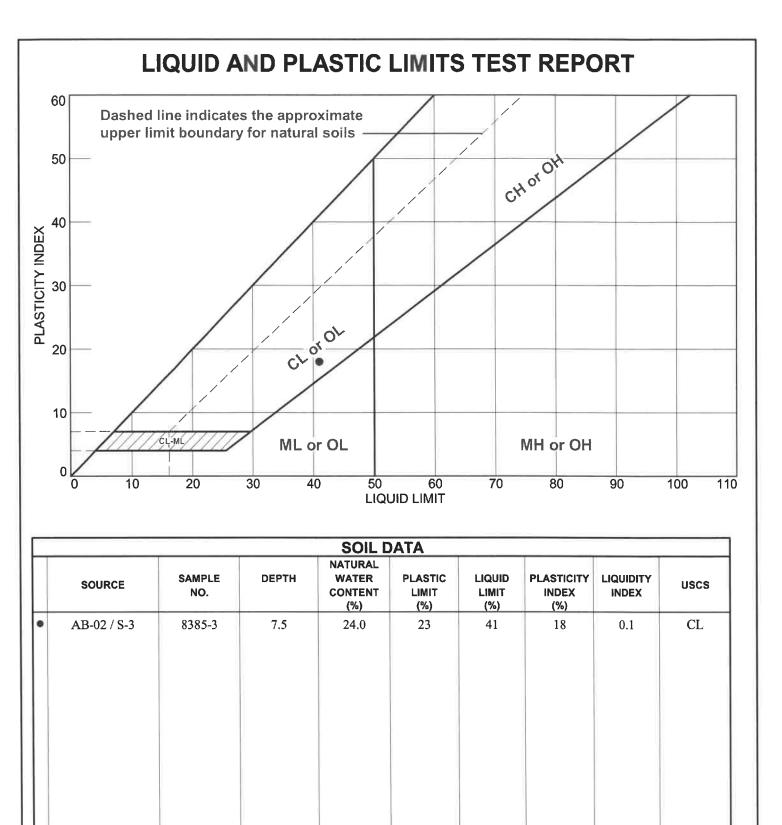
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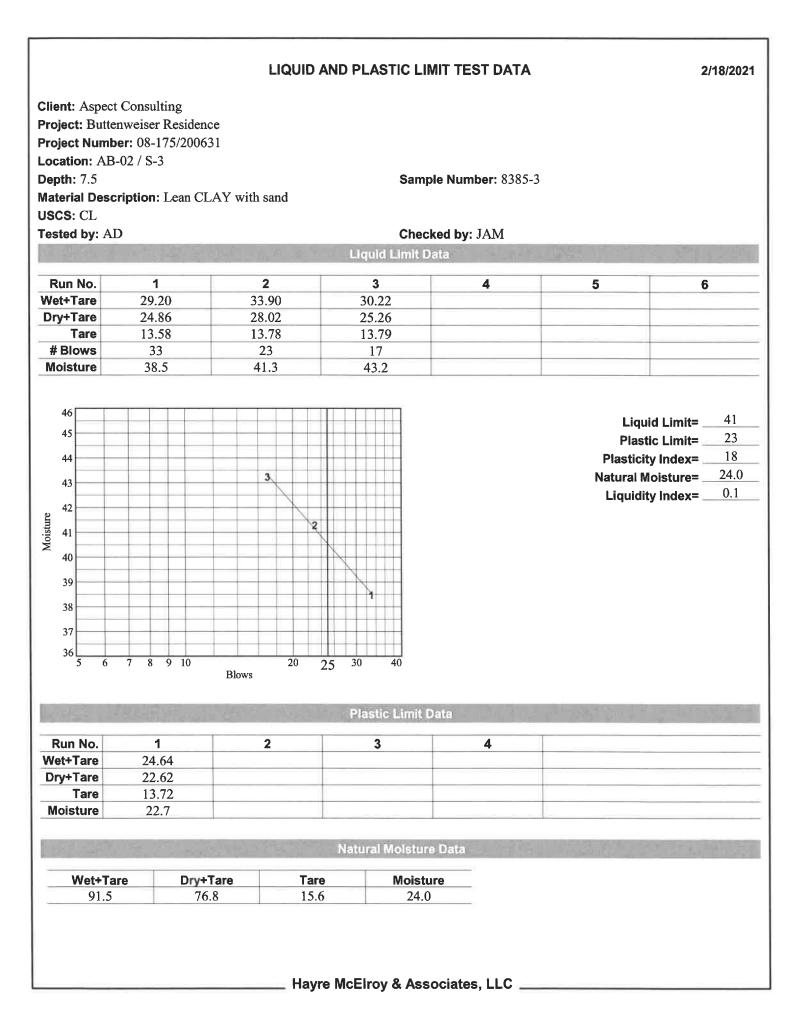
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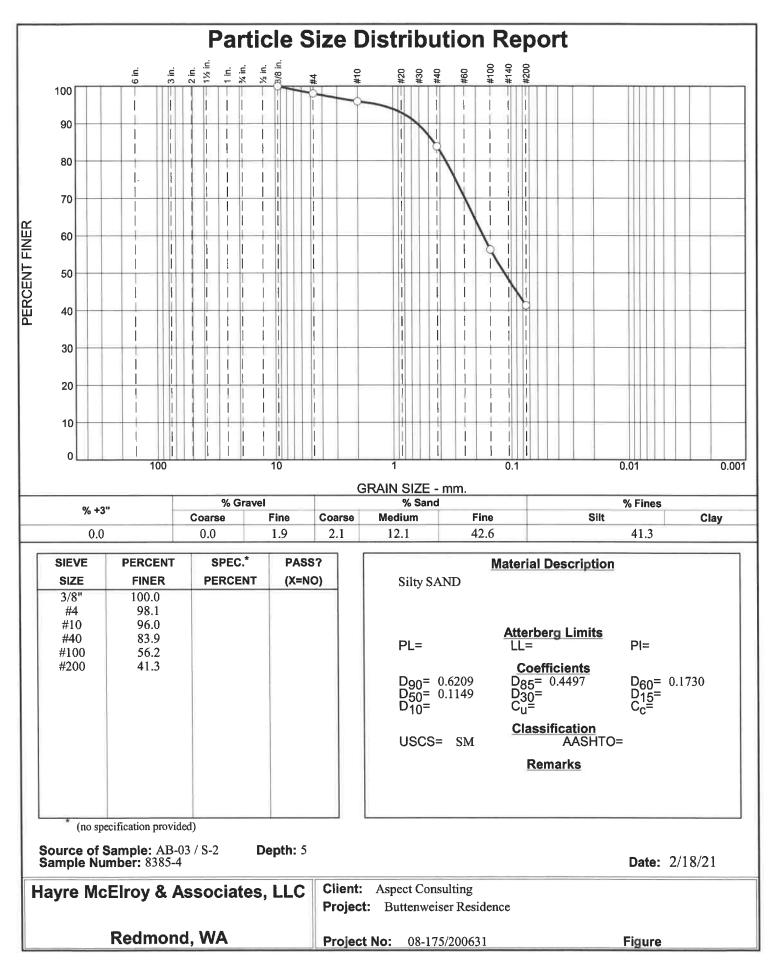
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HMA LAB NO	Boring No	Sample Number	Depth (ft)	Tare Weight (g)	Weight	Tare+Dry Weight After Wash (g)		% PASSING
8385-9	AB-04	S-3	7.5	15.9	358.3	286.6	79.1	20.9

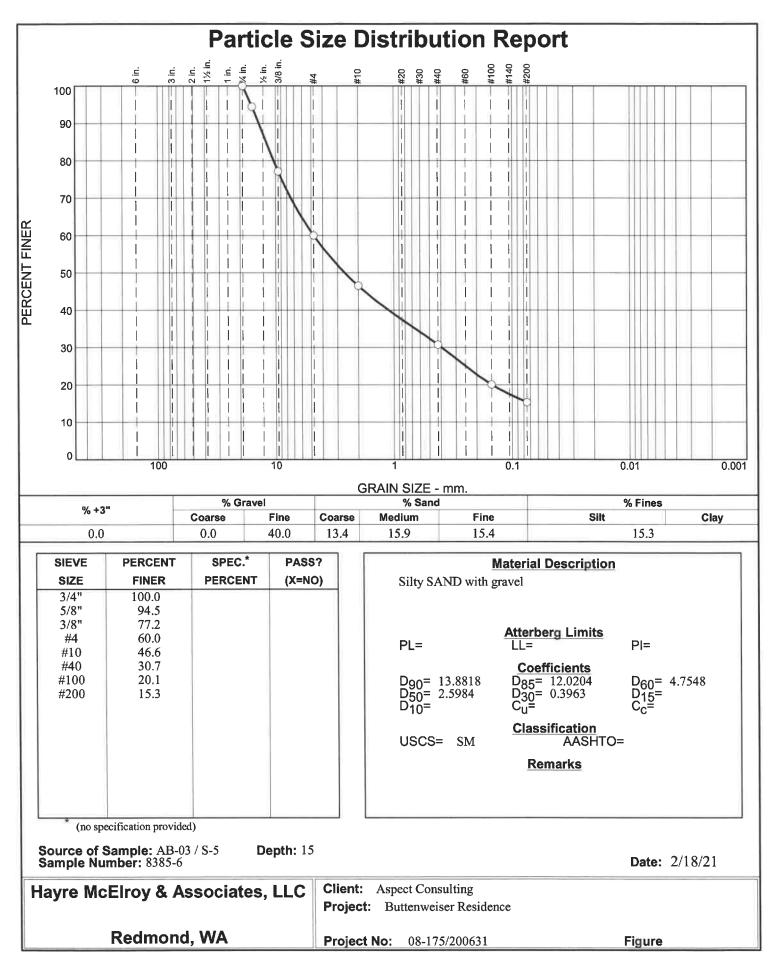


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						0.1149	0.1730		0.4497	0.6209	1.2988
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### GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION TEST DATA

Sieve Test Data

2/18/2021

Client: Aspect Consulting Project: Buttenweiser Residence Project Number: 08-175/200631 Location: AB-03 / S-5 Depth: 15 Material Description: Silty SAND with gravel

Sample Number: 8385-6

Date: 2/18/21

USCS Classification:  ${\rm SM}$ 

Tested by: AD

Checked by: JAM

#### Post #200 Wash Test Weights (grams): Dry Sample and Tare = 362.40 Tare Wt. = 16.10 Minus #200 End wash = 14.7%

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421.90	16.10	0.00	3/4"	0.00	100.0
			5/8"	22.50	94.5
			3/8"	92.70	77.2
			#4	162.40	60.0
			#10	216.90	46.6
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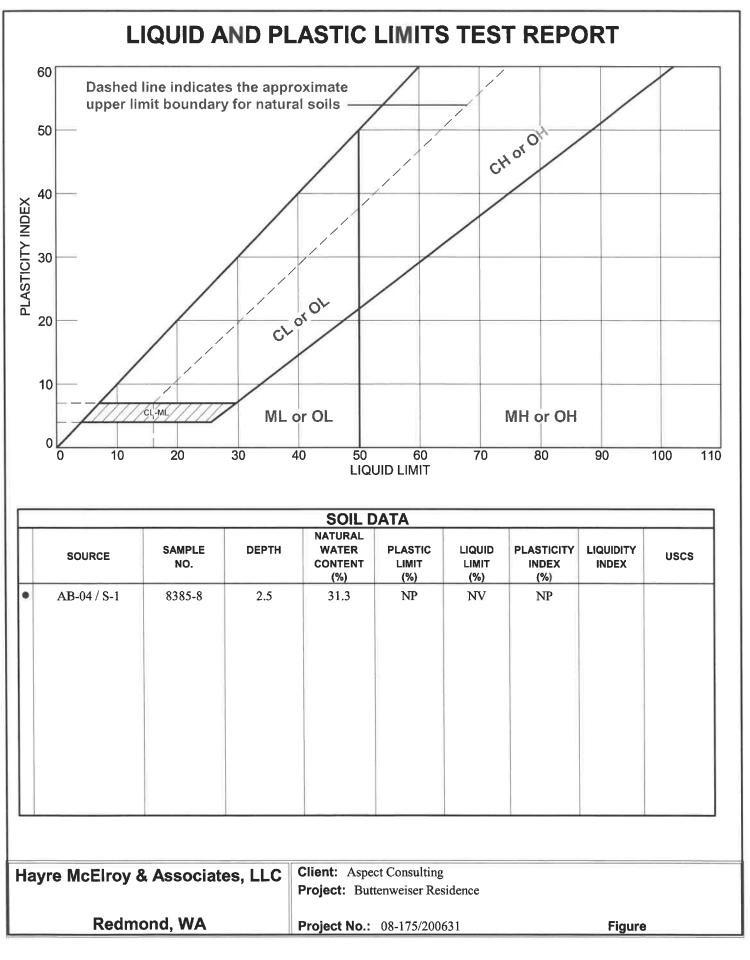
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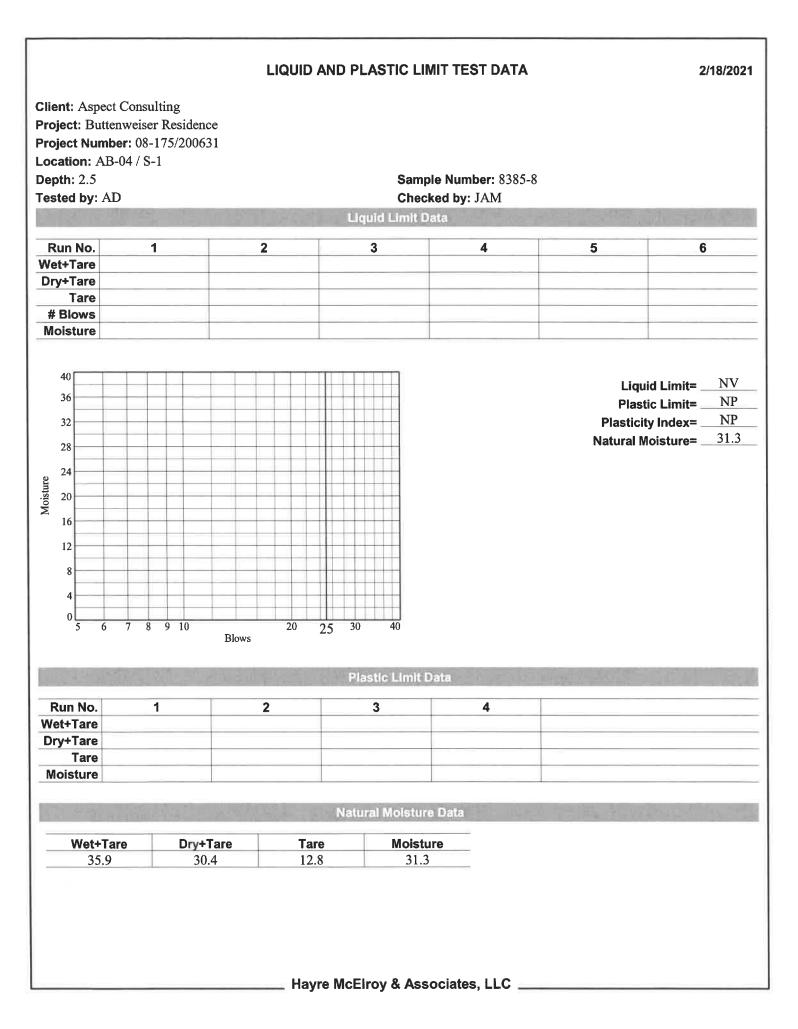
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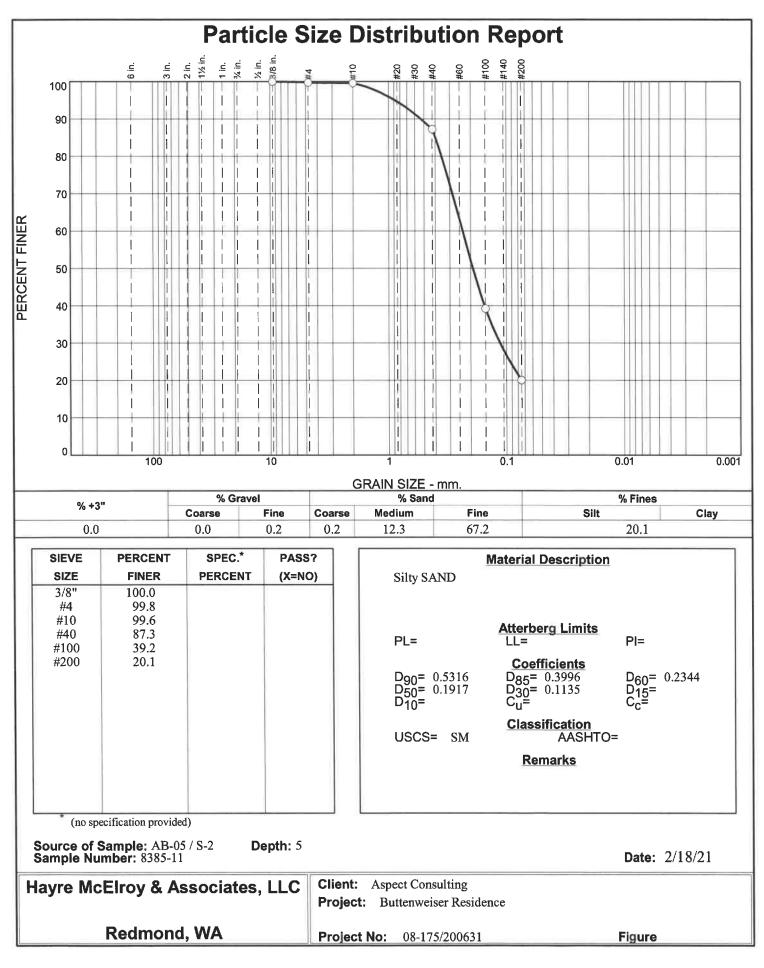
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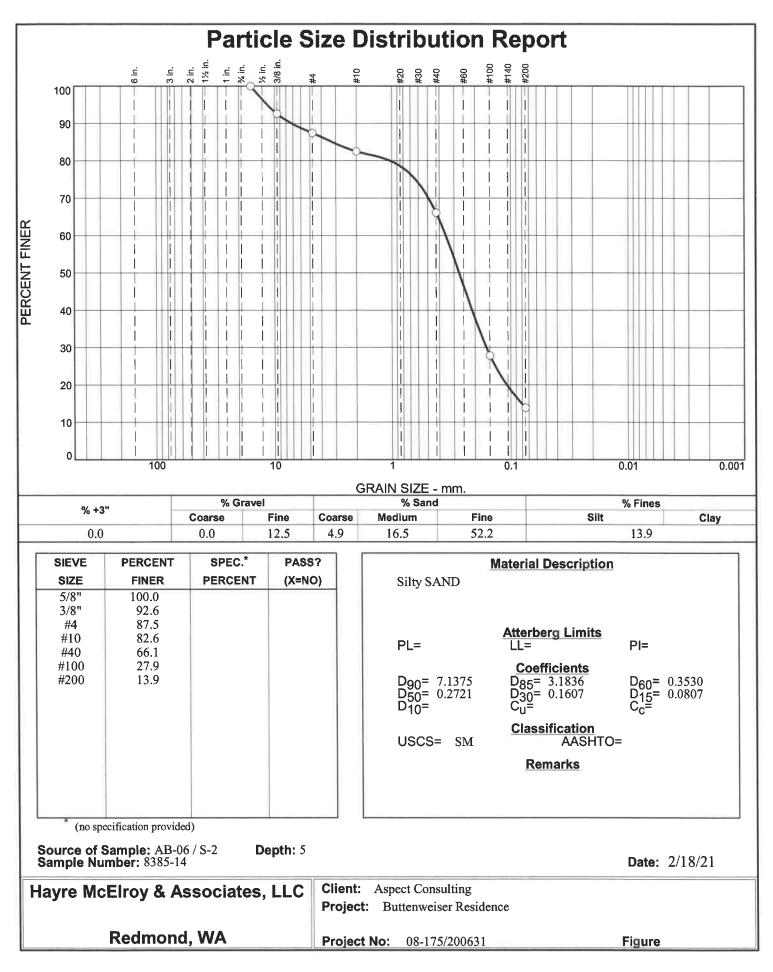
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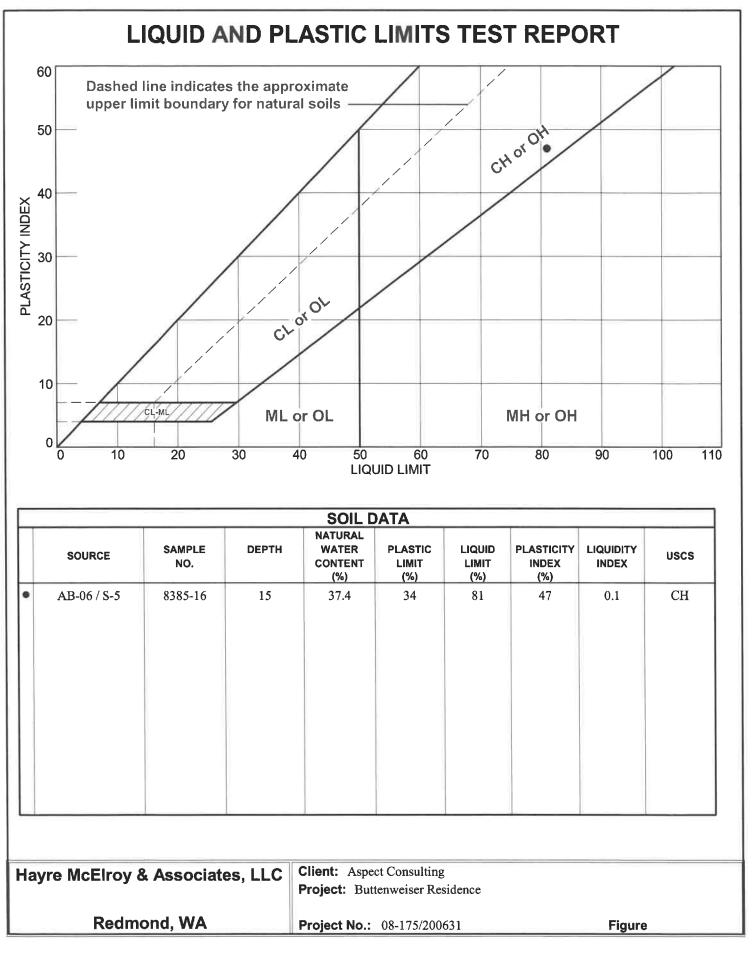


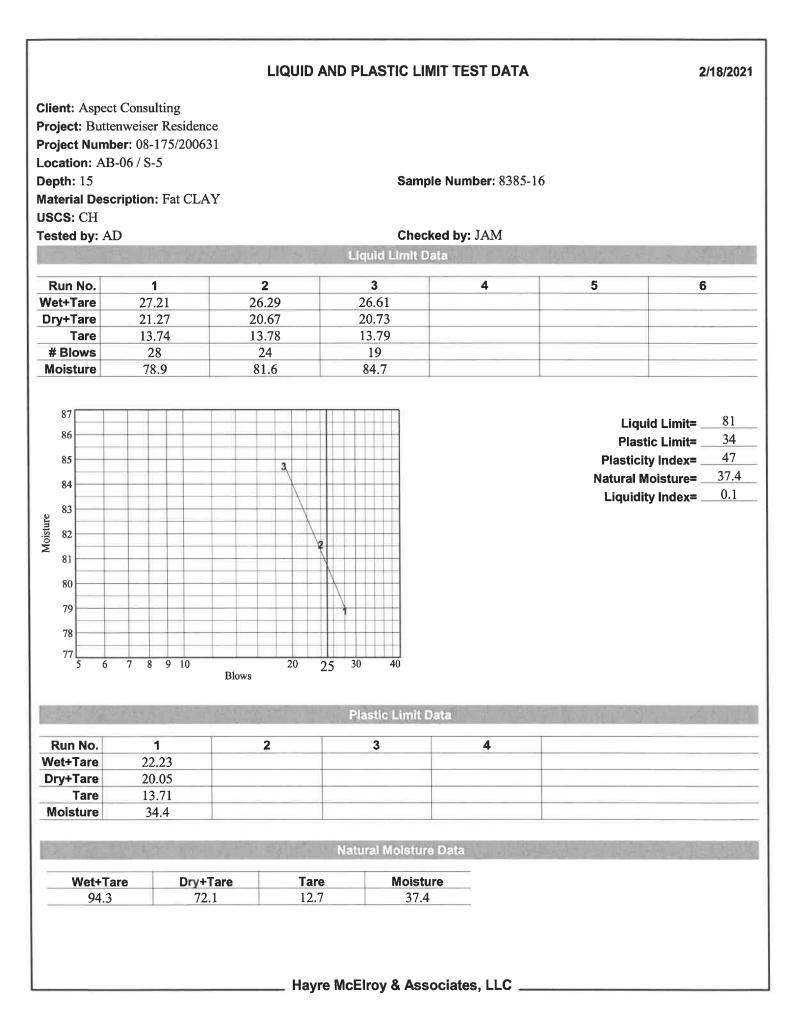


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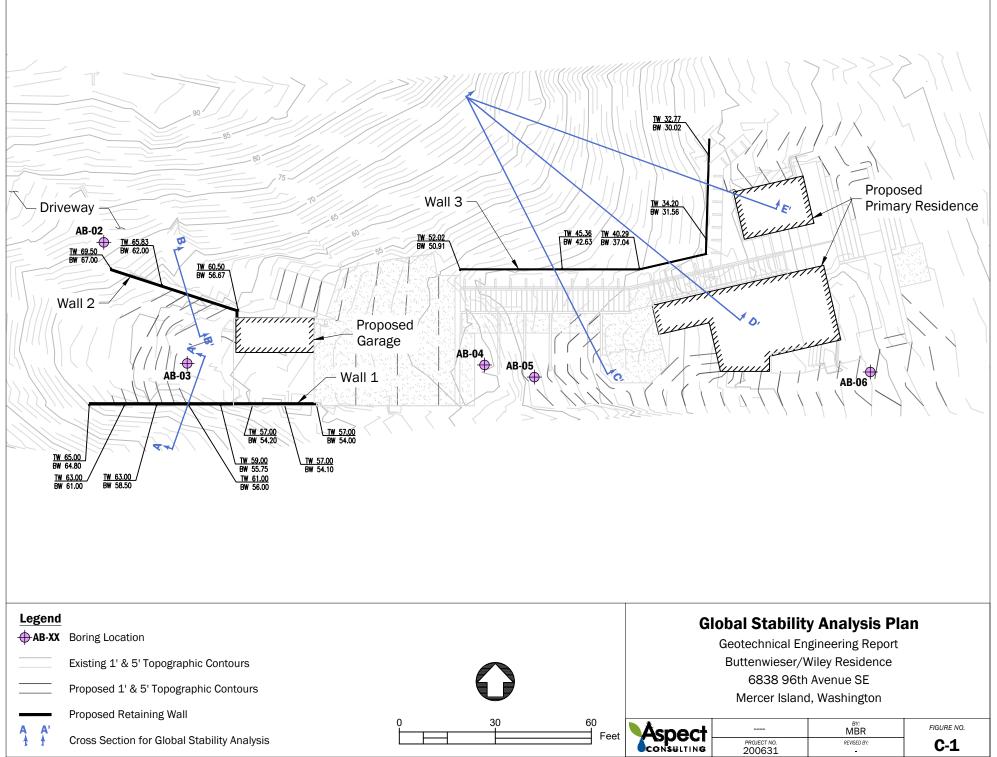
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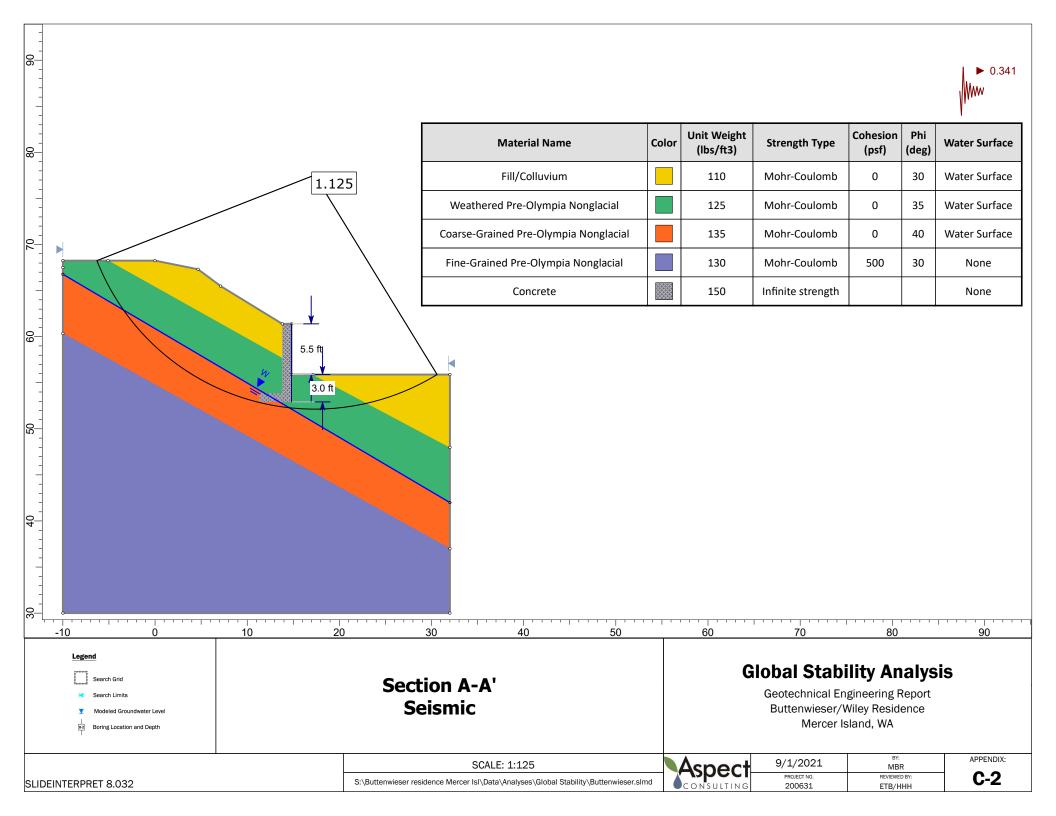
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8385-3	AB-02	S-3	7.5	91.5	76.8	15.6	24.0
8385-4	AB-03	S-2	5	269.6	210.6	12.7	29.8
8385-5	AB-03	S-3	7.5	194.4	162.6	12.7	21.2
8385-6	AB-03	S-5	15	459.2	421.9	16.1	9.2
8385-7	AB-03	S-6	20	274.2	220.6	12.5	25.8
8385-8	AB-04	S-1	2.5	35.9	30.4	12.8	31.3
8385-9	AB-04	S-3	7.5	431.7	358.3	15.9	21.4
8385-10	AB-04	S-6	20	242.1	205.2	12.7	19.2
8385-11	AB-05	S-2	5	520.7	428.5	12.7	22.2
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8385-13	AB-05	S-6	20	185.9	144.0	12.7	31.9
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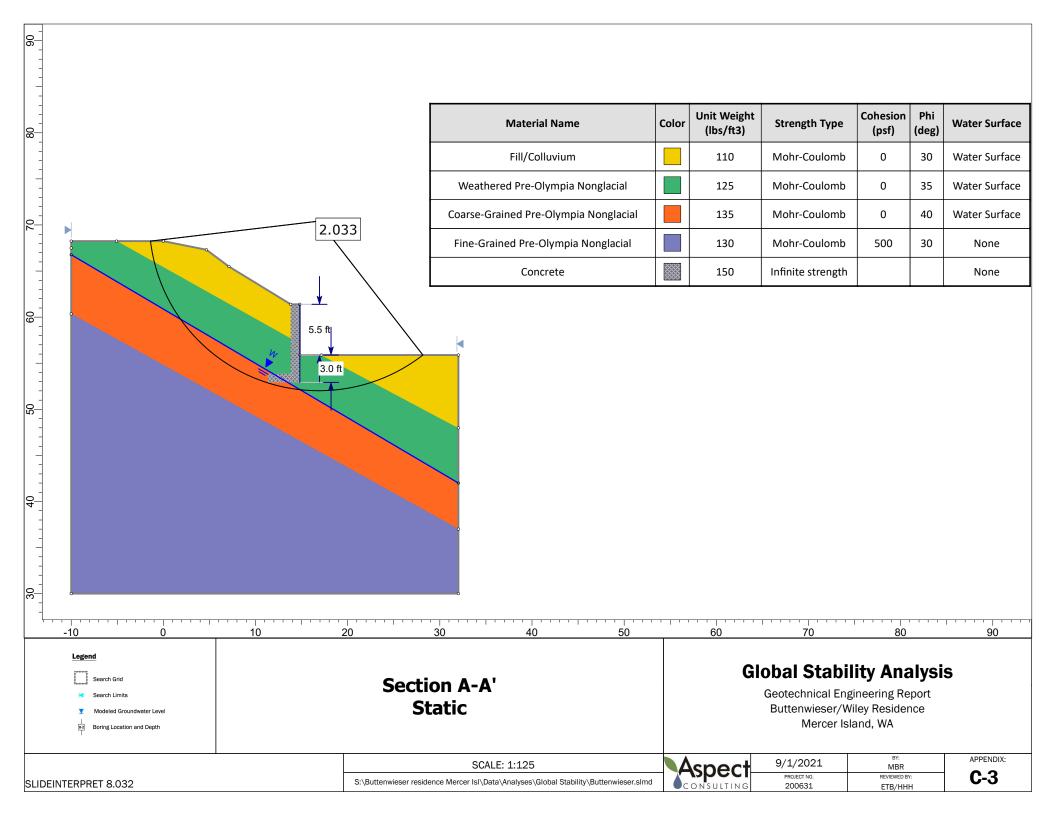
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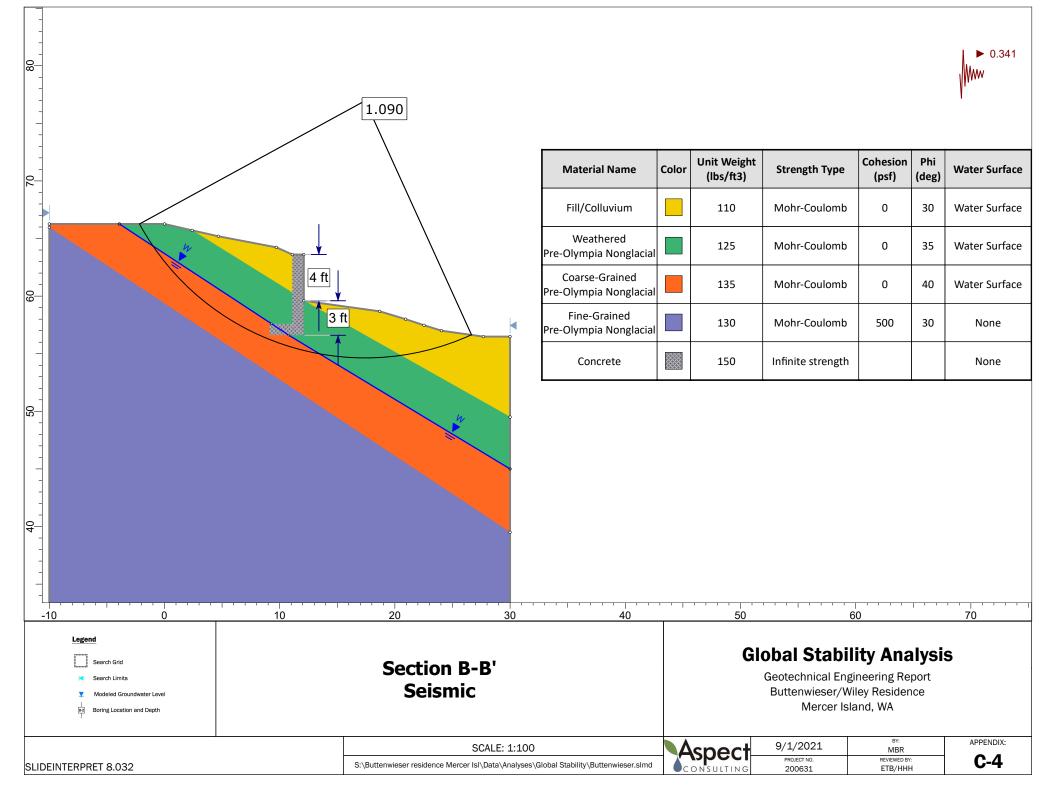
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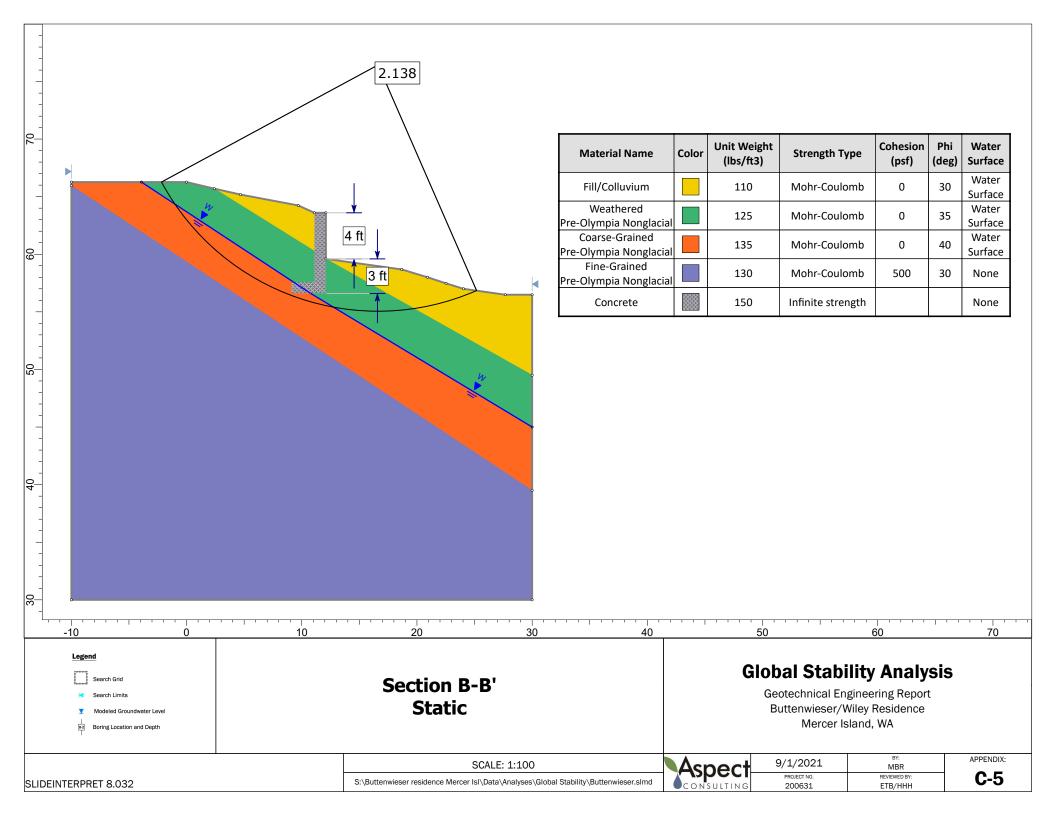


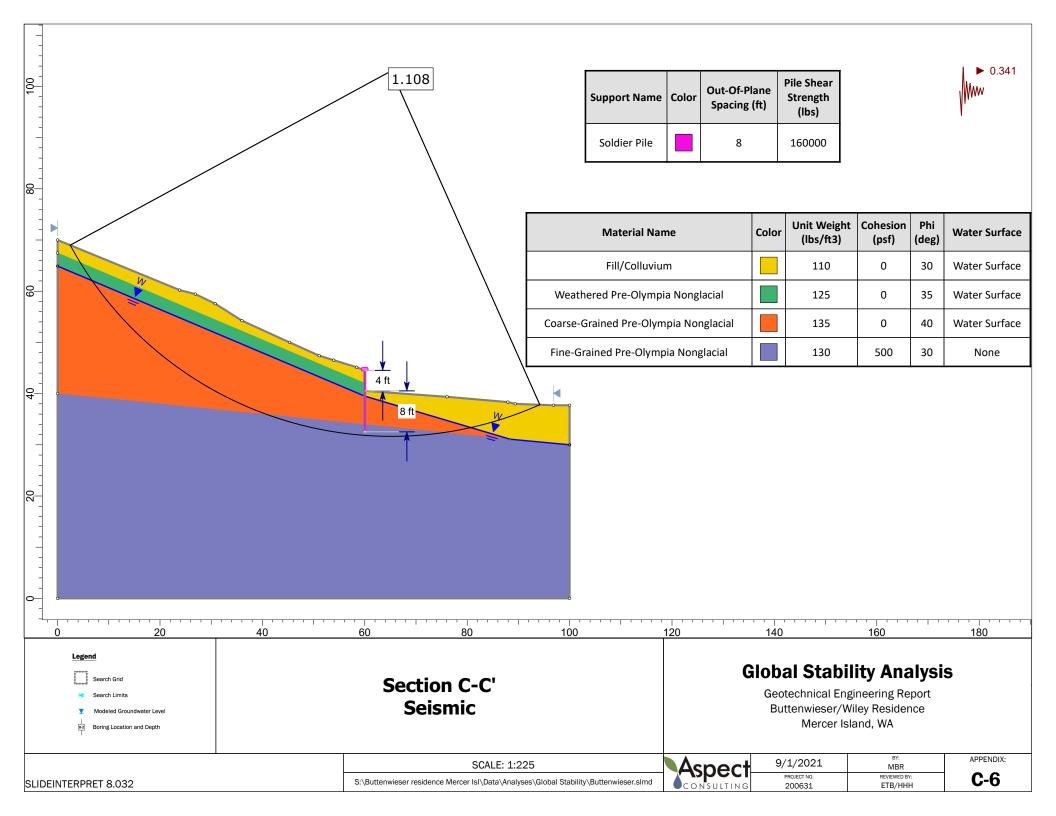
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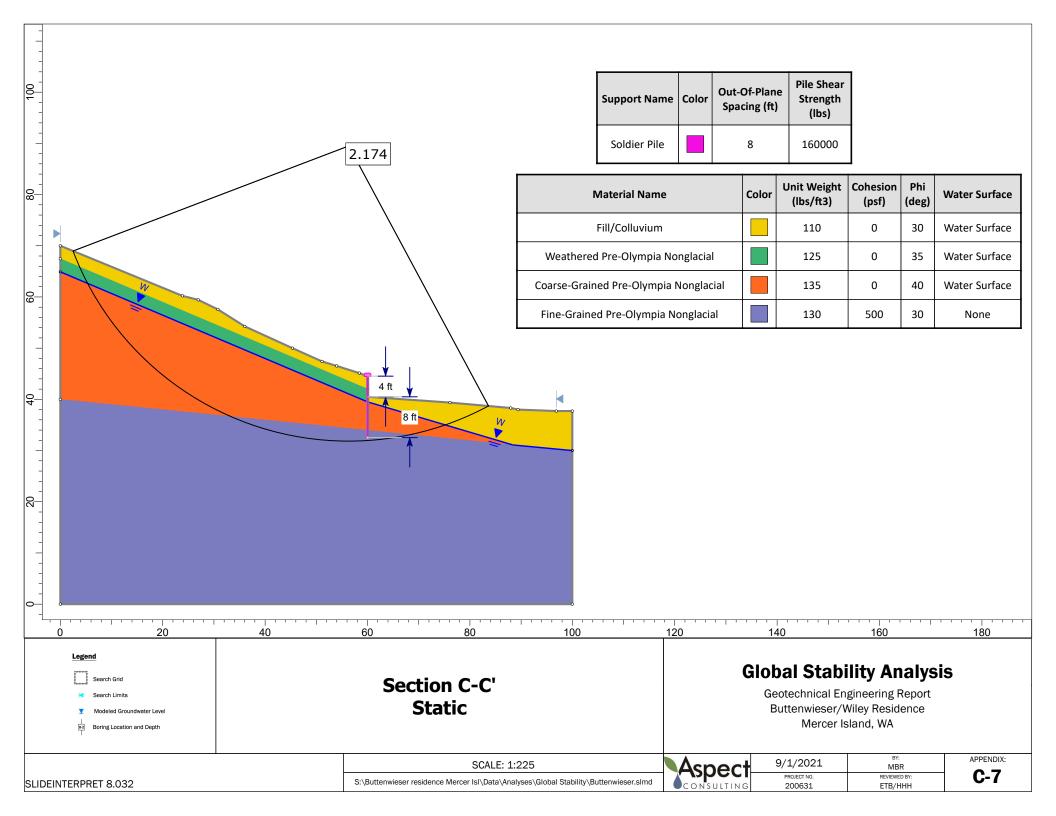


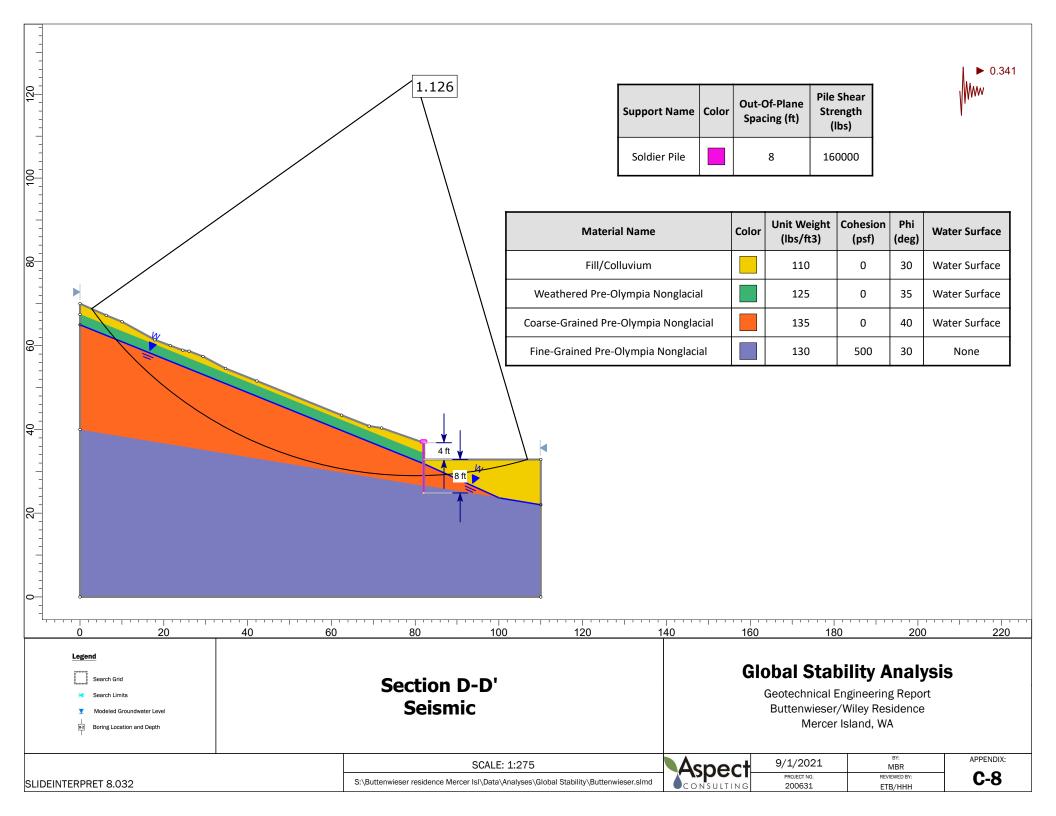




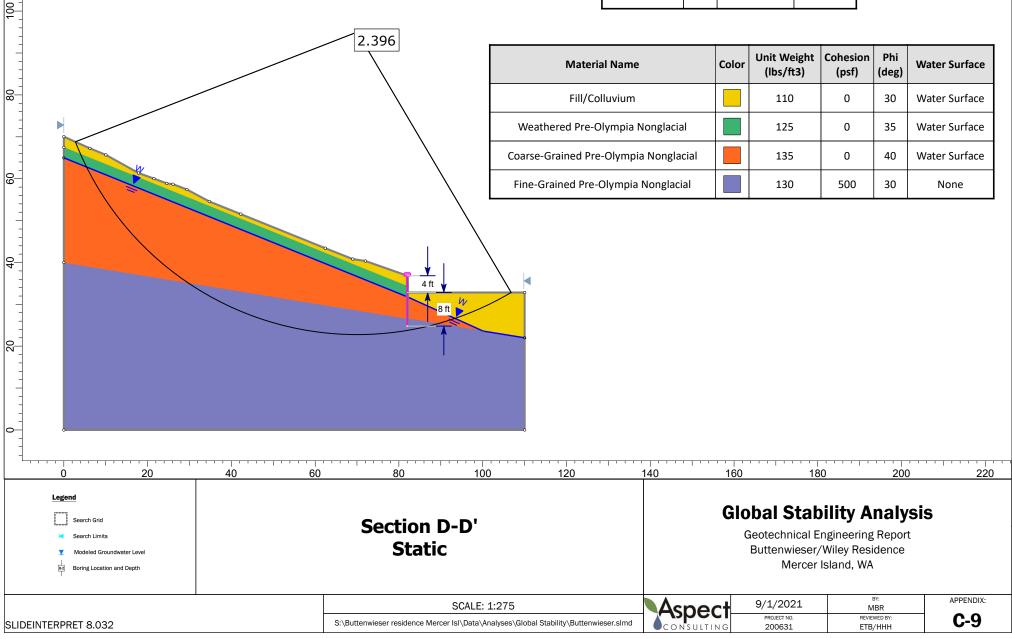


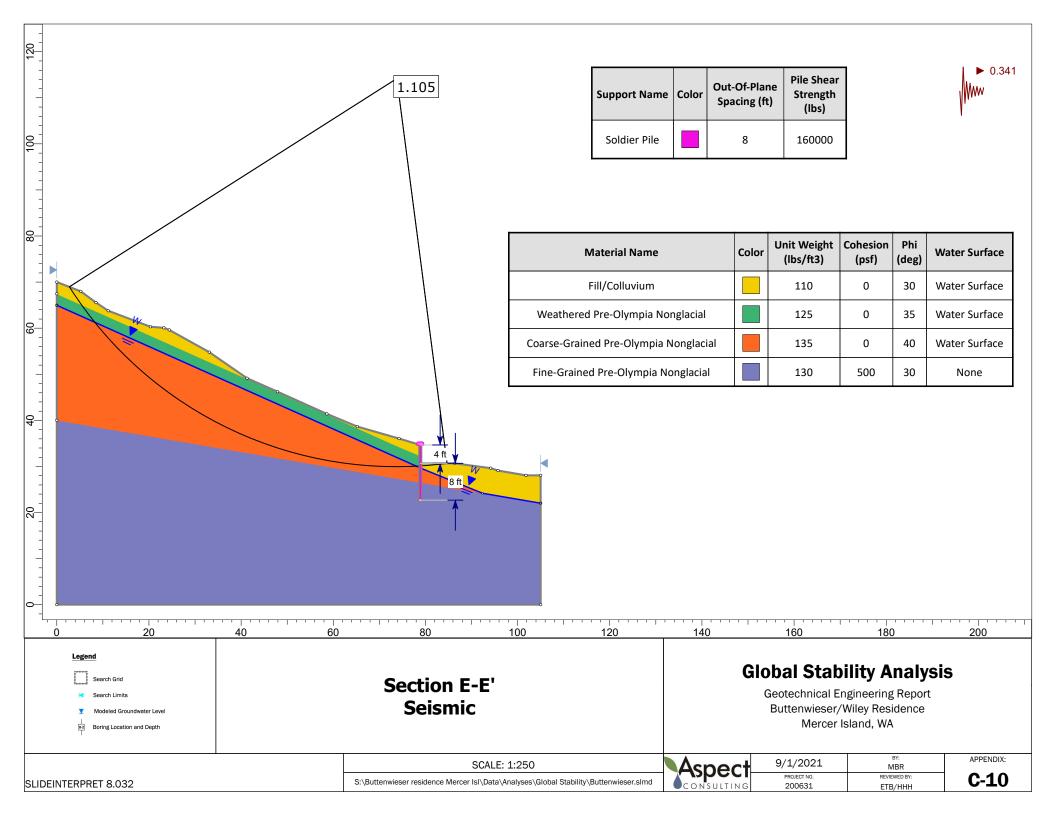






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#### **APPENDIX D**

Report Limitations and Guidelines for Use

# REPORT LIMITATIONS AND GUIDELINES FOR USE

#### **Geoscience is Not Exact**

The geoscience practices (geotechnical engineering, geology, and environmental science) are far less exact than other engineering and natural science disciplines. It is important to recognize this limitation in evaluating the content of the report. If you are unclear how these "Report Limitations and Guidelines for Use" apply to your project or property, you should contact Aspect Consulting, LLC (Aspect).

#### **This Report and Project-Specific Factors**

Aspect's services are designed to meet the specific needs of our clients. Aspect has performed the services in general accordance with our agreement (the Agreement) with the Client (defined under the Limitations section of this project's work product). This report has been prepared for the exclusive use of the Client. This report should not be applied for any purpose or project except the purpose described in the Agreement.

Aspect considered many unique, project-specific factors when establishing the Scope of Work for this project and report. You should not rely on this report if it was:

- Not prepared for you;
- Not prepared for the specific purpose identified in the Agreement;
- Not prepared for the specific subject property assessed; or
- Completed before important changes occurred concerning the subject property, project, or governmental regulatory actions.

If changes are made to the project or subject property after the date of this report, Aspect should be retained to assess the impact of the changes with respect to the conclusions contained in the report.

#### **Reliance Conditions for Third Parties**

This report was prepared for the exclusive use of the Client. No other party may rely on the product of our services unless we agree in advance to such reliance in writing. This is to provide our firm with reasonable protection against liability claims by third parties with whom there would otherwise be no contractual limitations. Within the limitations of scope, schedule, and budget, our services have been executed in accordance with our Agreement with the Client and recognized geoscience practices in the same locality and involving similar conditions at the time this report was prepared

#### **Property Conditions Change Over Time**

This report is based on conditions that existed at the time the study was performed. The findings and conclusions of this report may be affected by the passage of time, by events such as a change in property use or occupancy, or by natural events, such as floods,

earthquakes, slope instability, or groundwater fluctuations. If any of the described events may have occurred following the issuance of the report, you should contact Aspect so that we may evaluate whether changed conditions affect the continued reliability or applicability of our conclusions and recommendations.

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The equipment, techniques, and personnel used to perform a geotechnical or geologic study differ significantly from those used to perform an environmental study and vice versa. For that reason, a geotechnical engineering or geologic report does not usually address any environmental findings, conclusions, or recommendations (e.g., about the likelihood of encountering underground storage tanks or regulated contaminants). Similarly, environmental reports are not used to address geotechnical or geologic concerns regarding the subject property.

We appreciate the opportunity to perform these services. If you have any questions please contact the Aspect Project Manager for this project.



#### APPENDIX E

Operations and Maintenance

		Maintenance Standards - Catch Das	Results
Maintenance Component	Detect	Conditions When Maintenance is Needed	Expected When Main-
			tenance is performed
General	Trash & Debris		No Trash or debris loc- ated imme- diately in front of catch basin or on grate open- ing. No trash or debris in the catch basin. Inlet and out- let pipes free of trash or debris. No dead animals or vegetation present within the catch basin.
	Sediment	Sediment (in the basin) that exceeds 60 per- cent of the sump depth as measured from the bottom of basin to invert of the lowest pipe into or out of the basin, but in no case less than a minimum of 6 inches clearance from the sediment surface to the invert of the lowest pipe.	No sediment in the catch basin
	Structure Damage to Frame and/or Top Slab	Top slab has holes larger than 2 square inches or cracks wider than 1/4 inch. (Intent is to make sure no material is running into basin).	Top slab is free of holes and cracks. Frame is sit-

#### Table V-4.5.2(5) Maintenance Standards - Catch Basins

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			tenance is
			performed
		Frame not sitting flush on top slab, i.e., sep- aration of more than 3/4 inch of the frame from the top slab. Frame not securely attached	ting flush on the riser rings or top slab and firmly attached.
	Fractures or	Maintenance person judges that structure is unsound.	repaired to
	Cracks in Basin Walls/	Grout fillet has separated or cracked wider than 1/2 inch and longer than 1 foot at the	design stand- ards.
	Bottom	joint of any inlet/outlet pipe or any evidence of soil particles entering catch basin through cracks.	Pipe is regrouted and secure at basin wall.
		If failure of basin has created a safety, func- tion, or design problem.	Basin replaced or repaired to design stand- ards.
	Vegetation	Vegetation growing across and blocking more than 10% of the basin opening.	No veget- ation block- ing opening to basin.
t		Vegetation growing in inlet/outlet pipe joints that is more than six inches tall and less than six inches apart.	No veget- ation or root growth present.
	Contamination and Pollution	See "Detention Ponds" (No. 1).	No pollution present.
Catch Basin Cover	Cover Not in Place	Cover is missing or only partially in place. Any open catch basin requires main- tenance.	Catch basin cover is closed
Cover	•	Mechanism cannot be opened by one main- tenance person with proper tools. Bolts into	Mechanism opens with

#### Table V-4.5.2(5) Maintenance Standards - Catch Basins (continued)

Maintenance Component	Defect	Conditions When Maintenance is Needed	Results Expected When Main- tenance is performed
	Working	frame have less than 1/2 inch of thread.	proper tools.
	Cover Difficult to Remove	One maintenance person cannot remove lid after applying normal lifting pressure. (Intent is keep cover from sealing off access to maintenance.)	Cover can be removed by one main- tenance per- son.
Ladder	Ladder Rungs Unsafe	Ladder is unsafe due to missing rungs, not securely attached to basin wall, mis- alignment, rust, cracks, or sharp edges.	Ladder meets design stand- ards and allows main- tenance per- son safe access.
	Grate opening Unsafe	Grate with opening wider than 7/8 inch.	Grate open- ing meets design stand- ards.
Metal Grates (If Applic- able)	Trash and Debris	Trash and debris that is blocking more than 20% of grate surface inletting capacity.	Grate free of trash and debris.
	Damaged or Missing.	Grate missing or broken member(s) of the grate.	Grate is in place and meets design standards.

#### Table V-4.5.2(5) Maintenance Standards - Catch Basins (continued)

#### Table V-4.5.2(6) Maintenance Standards - Debris Barriers (e.g., TrashRacks)

Maintenance Com- ponents	Defect	Condition When Maintenance is Needed	Results Expected When Maintenance is Performed
General	IDenris	imore than 20% of the chenings in	Barrier cleared to design flow capacity.
	-	•	Bars in place with no bends more than 3/4

## Table V-4.5.2(20) Maintenance Standards - Compost AmendedVegetated Filter Strip (CAVFS) (continued)

Maintenance Component	Detect	Conditions When Main- tenance is Needed	Results Expected When Maintenance is Performed
	Erosion/scouring	Areas have eroded or scoured due to flow chan- nelization or high flows.	For ruts or bare areas less than 12 inches wide, repair the damaged area by filling with a 50/50 mixture of crushed gravel and compost. The grass will creep in over the rock in time. If bare areas are large, generally greater than 12 inches wide, the vegetated filter strip should be regraded and reseeded. For smaller bare areas, overseed when bare spots are evident.
	Flow spreader	Flow spreader is uneven or clogged so that flows are not uniformly distributed over entire fil- ter width.	Level the spreader and clean so that flows are spread evenly over entire filter width

 Table V-4.5.2(21) Maintenance Standards - Bioretention Facilities

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-	
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)	
Facility Footp	rint				
Earthen side slopes and berms	B, S		Erosion (gullies/ rills) greater than 2 inches deep around inlets, outlet, and alongside slopes	<ul> <li>Eliminate cause of erosion and stabilize damaged area (regrade, rock, veget- ation, erosion control matting)</li> <li>For deep channels or cuts (over 3 inches in ponding</li> </ul>	

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Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				depth), temporary erosion control meas- ures should be put in place until per- manent repairs can be made.
				<ul> <li>Properly designed, constructed and established facilities with appropriate flow velocities should not have erosion prob- lems except perhaps in extreme events. If erosion problems persist, the following should be reas- sessed: (1) flow volumes from con- tributing areas and bioretention facility sizing; (2) flow velo- cities and gradients within the facility; and (3) flow dis- sipation and erosion protection strategies at the facility inlet.</li> </ul>
	A		Erosion of sides causes slope to become a haz- ard	Take actions to eliminate the hazard and stabilize slopes
	A, S		Settlement greater than 3	Restore to design height

#### Condition **Recommended Fre**when Mainquency a Maintenance **Action Needed (Pro**tenance is Component Routine Main-Needed (Standcedures) Inspection tenance ards) inches (relative to undisturbed sections of berm) Plug any holes and com-Downstream pact berm (may require face of berm A, S consultation with enginwet, seeps or eer, particularly for larger leaks evident berms) Eradicate rodents (see "Pest control") Any evidence of Fill holes and comrodent holes or pact (may require A water piping in consultation with berm engineer, particularly for larger berms) Repair/ seal cracks Cracks or failure Concrete side-A of concrete side-• Replace if repair is walls walls insufficient Stabilize rockery side-Rockery side walls (may require con-Rockery side-A sultation with engineer, walls are insecwalls particularly for walls 4 feet ure or greater in height) All maintenance visits Trash and Facility area Clean out trash and debris (at least biandebris present nually) Accumulated Remove excess sedsediment to iment Facility bottom A, S extent that infiltarea · Replace any vegetration rate is ation damaged or

### Table V-4.5.2(21) Maintenance Standards - Bioretention Facilities(continued)

#### Condition **Recommended Fre**when Mainquency a Maintenance **Action Needed (Pro**tenance is Component cedures) Routine Main-Needed (Stand-Inspection tenance ards) destroyed by sediment accumulation and removal Mulch newly planted vegetation reduced (see Identify and control "Ponded water") the sediment source or surface stor-(if feasible) age capacity sig- If accumulated sednificantly iment is recurrent. impacted consider adding presettlement or installing berms to create a forebay at the inlet Remove leaves if there is During/after a risk to clogging outlet Accumulated fall leaf drop leaves in facility structure or water flow is impeded Sediment, veget ation, or debris accumulated at or blocking (or having the A, S Clear the blockage potential to Low perblock) check meability dam, flow concheck dams trol weir or oriand weirs fice Repair and take pre-Erosion and/or ventative measures to pre-A, S undercutting vent future erosion and/or present undercutting

### Table V-4.5.2(21) Maintenance Standards - Bioretention Facilities (continued)

Maintenance		ended Fre- <sup>ncy</sup> a	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
	A		Grade board or top of weir dam- aged or not level	Restore to level position
Ponded water	B, S		Excessive pond- ing water: Water overflows during storms smaller than the design event or ponded water remains in the basin 48 hours or longer after the end of a storm.	<ol> <li>Ensure that under- drain (if present) is not clogged. If neces- sary, clear under- drain.</li> </ol>

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Maintenance		ended Fre- ncy <sub>a</sub>	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				the bioretention soil is likely clogged by sediment accu- mulation at the sur- face or has become overly compacted. Dig a small hole to observe soil profile and identify com- paction depth or clog- ging front to help determine the soil depth to be removed or otherwise rehab- ilitated (e.g., tilled). Consultation with an engineer is recom- mended.
Bioretention soil media	As needed		Bioretention soil media pro- tection is needed when performing main- tenance requir- ing entrance into the facility footprint	<ul> <li>Minimize all loading in the facility foot- print (foot traffic and other loads) to the degree feasible in order to prevent com- paction of biore- tention soils.</li> <li>Never drive equip- ment or apply heavy loads in facility foot- print.</li> <li>Because the risk of compaction is higher during saturated soil</li> </ul>

Maintenance		ended Fre- ency <sub>a</sub>	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				<ul> <li>conditions, any type of loading in the cell (including foot traffic) should be minimized during wet conditions. • Consider measures to distribute loading if heavy foot traffic is required or equipment must be placed in facility. As an example, boards may be placed across soil to distribute loads and minimize compaction.</li> <li>• If compaction occurs, soil must be loosened or otherwise rehabilitated to original design state.</li> </ul>
Inlets/Outlets/	/Pipes	1		
Splash block inlet	A		Water is not being directed properly to the facility and away from the inlet structure	Reconfigure/ repair blocks to direct water to facility and away from structure
Curb cut inlet/outlet	M during the wet season and before severe storm	fall leaf drop	Accumulated leaves at curb cuts	Clear leaves (particularly important for key inlets and low points along long, linear facilities)

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	-Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
	is forecasted			
	A		Pipe is dam- aged	Repair/ replace
	W		Pipe is clogged	Remove roots or debris
	A, S		Sediment, debris, trash, or mulch reducing capacity of inlet/outlet	<ul> <li>Clear the blockage</li> <li>Identify the source of the blockage and take actions to pre- vent future block- ages</li> </ul>
Pipe inlet/out- let		Weekly during fall leaf drop	Accumulated leaves at inlets/outlets	Clear leaves (particularly important for key inlets and low points along long, linear facilities)
		Δ	Maintain access for inspections	<ul> <li>Clear vegetation (transplant veget- ation when possible) within 1 foot of inlets and outlets, maintain access pathways</li> <li>Consultation with a landscape architect is recommended for removal, transplant, or substitution of plants</li> </ul>
Erosion con- trol at inlet	A		Concentrated flows are caus- ing erosion	Maintain a cover of rock or cobbles or other erosion protection measure (e.g., matting) to protect the ground where con- centrated water enters the facility (e.g., a pipe, curb

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				cut or swale)
Trash rack	S		Trash or other debris present on trash rack	Remove/dispose
	А		Bar screen dam- aged or missing	Repair/replace
Overflow	A, S		Capacity reduced by sed- iment or debris	Remove sediment or debris/dispose
Underdrain pipe	Clean pipe as needed	Clean orifice at least bian- nually (may need more fre- quent clean- ing during wet season)	<ul> <li>Plant roots, sed- iment or debris reducing capacity of underdrain</li> <li>Prolonged surface ponding (see "Pon- ded water"</li> </ul>	
Vegetation		I	I	
Facility bottom area and upland slope vegetation	Fall and Spring		Vegetation sur- vival rate falls below 75% within first two years of estab- lishment (unless project O&M manual or record drawing stipulates more	<ul> <li>Determine cause of poor vegetation growth and correct condition</li> <li>Replant as neces- sary to obtain 75% survival rate or greater. Refer to ori- ginal planting plan, or approved jur-</li> </ul>

Maintenance		ended Fre- ncy <sub>a</sub>	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
			or less than 75% survival rate).	<ul> <li>isdictional species list for appropriate plant replacements (See Appendix 3 - Bioretention Plant List, in the LID Tech- nical Guidance Manual for Puget Sound).</li> <li>Confirm that plant selection is appro- priate for site grow- ing conditions</li> <li>Consultation with a landscape architect is recommended for removal, transplant, or substitution of plants</li> </ul>
Vegetation (general)	As needed		Presence of dis- eased plants and plant mater- ial	<ul> <li>Remove any diseased plants or plant parts and dispose of in an approved location (e.g., commercial landfill) to avoid risk of spreading the disease to other plants</li> <li>Disinfect gardening tools after pruning to prevent the spread of disease</li> <li>See Pacific North-</li> </ul>

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Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main-	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	tenance is Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				west Plant Disease Management Hand- book for information on disease recog- nition and for addi- tional resources
				<ul> <li>Replant as neces- sary according to recommendations provided for "facility bottom area and upland slope veget- ation".</li> </ul>
Trees and shrubs		All pruning seasons (tim- ing varies by species)	Pruning as needed	<ul> <li>Prune trees and shrubs in a manner appropriate for each species. Pruning should be performed by landscape pro- fessionals familiar with proper pruning techniques</li> <li>All pruning of mature trees should be per- formed by or under the direct guidance of an ISA certified arborist</li> </ul>
	A		Large trees and shrubs interfere with operation of the facility or access for main- tenance	<ul> <li>Prune trees and shrubs using most current ANSI A300 standards and ISA BMPs.</li> <li>Remove trees and</li> </ul>

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				shrubs, if necessary.

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
	Fall and Spring		Standing dead vegetation is present	<ul> <li>Remove standing dead vegetation</li> <li>Replace dead vegetation</li> <li>Replace dead vegetation within 30 days of reported dead and dying plants (as practical depending on weather/planting season)</li> <li>If vegetation replacement is not feasible within 30 days, and absence of vegetation may result in erosion problems, temporary erosion control measures should be put in place immediately.</li> <li>Determine cause of dead vegetation and address issue, if possible</li> <li>If specific plants have a high mortality rate, assess the cause and replace with appropriate species. Consultation with a landscape architect is recommended.</li> </ul>
	Fall and		Planting	When working

Maintenance		ended Fre- ncy <sub>a</sub>	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
	Spring		beneath mature trees	<ul> <li>around and below mature trees, follow the most current ANSI A300 stand- ards and ISA BMPs to the extent prac- ticable (e.g., take care to minimize any damage to tree roots and avoid com- paction of soil).</li> <li>Planting of small shrubs or ground- covers beneath mature trees may be desirable in some cases; such plant- ings should use mainly plants that come as bulbs, bare root or in 4-inch pots; plants should be in no larger than 1-gal- lon containers.</li> </ul>
	Fall and Spring		Presence of or need for stakes and guys (tree growth, mat- uration, and sup- port needs)	<ul> <li>Verify location of facility liners and underdrain (if any) prior to stake install- ation in order to pre- vent liner puncture or pipe damage</li> <li>Monitor tree support systems: Repair and adjust as needed to</li> </ul>

Maintenance		ended Fre- ncy <sub>a</sub>	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				<ul> <li>provide support and prevent damage to tree.</li> <li>Remove tree sup- ports (stakes, guys, etc.) after one grow- ing season or max- imum of 1 year.</li> <li>Backfill stake holes after removal.</li> <li>Maintain appropriate</li> </ul>
Trees and shrubs adja- cent to vehicle travel areas (or areas where vis- ibility needs to be main- tained)	A		Vegetation causes some visibility (line of sight) or driver safety issues	<ul> <li>Maintain appropriate height for sight clear- ance</li> <li>When continued, reg- ular pruning (more than one time/ grow- ing season) is required to maintain visual sight lines for safety or clearance along a walk or drive, consider relo- cating the plant to a more appropriate loc- ation.</li> <li>Remove or trans- plant if continual safety hazard</li> <li>Consultation with a landscape architect is recommended for removal, transplant, or substitution of</li> </ul>

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Maintenance		ended Fre- ncy <sub>a</sub>	Condition when Main-	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	tenance is Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				plants
Flowering plants		А	Dead or spent flowers present	Remove spent flowers (deadhead)
Perennials		Fall	Spent plants	Cut back dying or dead and fallen foliage and stems
Emergent vegetation		Spring	Vegetation com- promises con- veyance	Hand rake sedges and rushes with a small rake or fingers to remove dead foliage before new growth emerges in spring or earlier only if the foliage is blocking water flow (sedges and rushes do not respond well to pruning)
Ornamental grasses (per- ennial)		Winter and Spring	Dead material from previous year's growing cycle or dead collapsed foliage	<ul> <li>Leave dry foliage for winter interest</li> <li>Hand rake with a small rake or fingers to remove dead foliage back to within several inches from the soil before new growth emerges in spring or earlier if the foliage collapses and is blocking water flow</li> </ul>
Ornamental grasses (ever- green)		Fall and Spring	Dead growth present in spring	Hand rake with a small rake or fingers to remove dead growth before new growth emerges in spring

Maintenance		ended Fre- <sup>ncy</sup> a	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				<ul> <li>Clean, rake, and comb grasses when they become too tall</li> <li>Cut back to ground or thin every 2-3 years as needed</li> </ul>
Noxious weeds		M (March - October, pre- ceding seed dispersal)	Listed noxious vegetation is present (refer to current county noxious weed list)	<ul> <li>By law, class A &amp; B noxious weeds must be removed, bagged and dis- posed as garbage immediately</li> <li>Reasonable attempts must be made to remove and dispose of class C noxious weeds</li> <li>It is strongly encour- aged that herbicides and pesticides not be used in order to protect water quality; use of herbicides and pesticides may be prohibited in some jurisdictions</li> <li>Apply mulch after weed removal (see "Mulch")</li> </ul>
Weeds		M (March - October, pre- ceding seed dispersal)	Weeds are present	<ul> <li>Remove weeds with their roots manually with pincer-type weeding tools, flame</li> </ul>

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main-	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	tenance is Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				<ul> <li>weeders, or hot water weeders as appropriate</li> <li>Follow IPM pro- tocols for weed man- agement (see "Additional Main- tenance Resources" section for more information on IPM protocols)</li> </ul>
Excessive vegetation		Once in early to mid- May and once in early- to mid- September	Low-lying veget- ation growing beyond facility edge onto side- walks, paths, or street edge poses ped- estrian safety hazard or may clog adjacent permeable pave- ment surfaces due to asso- ciated leaf litter, mulch, and soil	<ul> <li>Edge or trim ground-covers and shrubs at facility edge</li> <li>Avoid mechanical blade-type edger and do not use edger or trimmer within 2 feet of tree trunks</li> <li>While some clippings can be left in the facility to replenish organic material in the soil, excessive leaf litter can cause surface soil clogging</li> </ul>
	As needed		Excessive veget- ation density inhibits storm- water flow bey- ond design ponding or	Dotormino whothor

Maintenance	enance Recommended Fre-		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
			becomes a haz- ard for ped- estrian and vehicular cir- culation and safety	<ul> <li>Determine if planting type should be replaced to avoid ongoing main- tenance issues (an aggressive grower under perfect grow- ing conditions should be trans- planted to a location where it will not impact flow)</li> <li>Remove plants that are weak, broken or not true to form; replace in-kind</li> <li>Thin grass or plants impacting facility function without leav- ing visual holes or bare soil areas</li> <li>Consultation with a landscape architect is recommended for removal, transplant, or substitution of plants</li> </ul>
	As needed		Vegetation blocking curb cuts, causing excessive sed- iment buildup and flow bypass	Remove vegetation and sediment buildup

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main-	Action Needed (Pro-
Component			tenance is Needed (Stand- ards)	•
Mulch		Γ	Γ	
Mulch		Following weeding	Bare spots (without mulch cover) are present or mulch depth less than 2 inches	<ul> <li>Supplement mulch with hand tools to a depth of 2 to 3 inches</li> <li>Replenish mulch per O&amp;M manual. Often coarse compost is used in the bottom of the facility and arbor- ist wood chips are used on side slopes and rim (above typ- ical water levels)</li> </ul>
				<ul> <li>Keep all mulch away from woody stems</li> </ul>
Based on man				
		ufacturer's instructions	irrigation system	Follow manufacturer's instructions for O&M
Irrigation sys- tem (if any)	A		ected/located to	Redirect sprinklers or move drip irrigation to desired areas
Summer water- ing (first year)		Once every 1- 2 weeks or as needed during prolonged dry periods	and ground- covers in first	<ul> <li>10 to 15 gallons per tree</li> <li>3 to 5 gallons per shrub</li> <li>2 gallons water per square foot for groundcover areas</li> </ul>

Maintenance			Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component			Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				<ul> <li>Water deeply, but infrequently, so that the top 6 to 12 inches of the root zone is moist</li> </ul>
				<ul> <li>Use soaker hoses or spot water with a shower type wand when irrigation sys- tem is not present         <ul> <li>Pulse water to enhance soil absorption, when feasible</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
				<ul> <li>Pre-moisten soil to break surface tension of dry or hydro- phobic soils/mulch, fol- lowed by sev- eral more passes. With this method , each pass increases soil absorption and allows more water to infilt- rate prior to run- off</li> </ul>
				<ul> <li>Add a tree bag or slow-release water- ing device (e.g.,</li> </ul>

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				bucket with a per- forated bottom) for watering newly installed trees when irrigation system is not present
Summer water ing (second and third years)		Once every 2- 4 weeks or as needed during prolonged dry periods	Trees, shrubs and ground- covers in second or third year of estab- lishment period	<ul> <li>10 to 15 gallons per tree</li> <li>3 to 5 gallons per shrub</li> <li>2 gallons water per square foot for groundcover areas</li> <li>Water deeply, but infrequently, so that the top 6 to 12 inches of the root zone is moist</li> <li>Use soaker hoses or spot water with a shower type wand when irrigation system is not present <ul> <li>Pulse water to enhance soil absorption, when feasible</li> <li>Pre-moisten soil to break surface tension of dry or hydrophobic soils/mulch, fol-</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				lowed by sev- eral more passes. With this method , each pass increases soil absorption and allows more water to infilt- rate prior to run- off
Summer water ing (after establishment)		As needed	Established vegetation (after 3 years)	<ul> <li>Plants are typically selected to be drought tolerant and not require regular watering after establishment; however, trees may take up to 5 years of watering to become fully established</li> <li>Identify trigger mechanisms for drought-stress (e.g., leaf wilt, leaf senescence, etc.) of different species and water immediately after initial signs of stress appear</li> <li>Water during drought conditions or more often if necessary to main-</li> </ul>

Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
Pest Control				tain plant cover
Mosquitoes	B, S		Standing water remains for more than 3 days after the end of a storm	<ul> <li>Identify the cause of the standing water and take appropriate actions to address the problem (see "Ponded water")</li> <li>To facilitate maintenance, manually remove standing water and direct to the storm drainage system (if runoff is from non pollution-generating surfaces) or sanitary sewer system (if runoff is from pollution-generating surfaces) after getting approval from sanitary sewer authority.</li> <li>Use of pesticides or <i>Bacillus thuring-iensis israelensis</i> (Bti) may be considered only as a temporary measure while addressing the standing water cause. If overflow to</li> </ul>

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Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main-	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	tenance is Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				a surface water will occur within 2 weeks after pesticide use, apply for coverage under the Aquatic Mosquito Control NPDES General Per- mit.
Nuisance animals	As needed		Nuisance anim- als causing erosion, dam- aging plants, or depositing large volumes of feces	<ul> <li>Reduce site conditions that attract nuisance species where possible (e.g., plant shrubs and tall grasses to reduce open areas for geese, etc.)</li> <li>Place predator decoys</li> <li>Follow IPM protocols for specific nuisance animal issues (see "Additional Maintenance Resources" section for more information on IPM protocols)</li> <li>Remove pet waste regularly</li> <li>For public and right-of-way sites consider adding garbage cans with dog bags for picking</li> </ul>

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Maintenance	Recommended Fre- quency <sub>a</sub>		Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Pro-
Component	Inspection	Routine Main- tenance	Needed (Stand- ards)	cedures)
				up pet waste.
Insect pests	Every site visit asso- ciated with vegetation management		Signs of pests, such as wilting leaves, chewed leaves and bark, spotting or other indicators	<ul> <li>Reduce hiding places for pests by removing diseased and dead plants</li> <li>For infestations, fol- low IPM protocols (see "Additional Maintenance Resources" section for more information on IPM protocols)</li> </ul>

Note that the inspection and routine maintenance frequencies listed above are recommended by Ecology. They do not supersede or replace the municipal stormwater permit requirements for inspection frequency required of municipal stormwater permittees for "stormwater treatment and flow control BMPs/facilities".

a Frequency: A = Annually; B = Biannually (twice per year); M = Monthly; W = At least one visit should occur during the wet season (for debris/clog related maintenance, this inspection/maintenance visit should occur in the early fall, after deciduous trees have lost their leaves); S = Perform inspections after major storm events (24-hour storm event with a 10-year or greater recurrence interval).

IPM - Integrated Pest Management

ISA - International Society of Arboriculture

#### Table V-4.5.2(22) Maintenance Standards - Permeable Pavement

Component	que	ended Fre- <sup>ency</sup> a Routine	Condition when Main- tenance is	Action Needed (Procedures)	
	Inspection Maintenance		Needed (Standards)		
Surface/Wearing Course					
Permeable	A, S		Runoff from	Clean deposited soil or	