

Staff Report

To: Development Review Board
From: Michael Giguere, City Planner
Meeting Date: March 20th, 2025
Subject: Site plan amendment for three (3) additional dwelling units and opening of the fifth floor at existing multi-family building at 197 Pearl Street by Jiddu/Sittu Trust c/o Gabe Handy.
File: SP#5.2016.6

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The applicant is seeking after-the-fact permitting for revisions made during construction at 197 Pearl Street. The original approval permitted a four-story building with 67 dwelling units and 3,439 square feet of commercial space. During construction, three storage areas were converted into single bedroom dwelling units, the commercial space was reduced in size to 3,000 square feet, and a fifth story penthouse space was added to one of the two-bedroom units on the fourth story. These changes resulted in a total of 70 dwelling units, with 61 single bedroom units, 8 double bedroom units, and one four-bedroom unit. This discrepancy was discovered upon a review of as-built drawings against the 2017 site plan approval.

EXISTING CONDITIONS AND GENERAL INFORMATION

Project Location: 197 Pearl Street

Project Area Size: 64,469 square feet

Lot Frontage: 247 feet

Existing Land Use: Residential

Surrounding Land Use: Residential

Zoning District: Multi-Family/Mixed Use 1 (MF-MU1)

Minimum Lot Size: 15,000 square feet

Lot Coverage: 41.3%

Permitted Lot Coverage: 65%

SECTION 606: MULTI-FAMILY/MIXED USE 1 DISTRICT (MF-MU1)

A. Purpose.

The project provides high density multi-family residential housing along the Pearl Street corridor, which is consistent with the purpose of the MF-MU1 district.

B. Density/Lot Coverage.

The lot size is ±64,469 sf, which meets the minimum lot size requirement of 15,000 sf.

The maximum allowable density is determined by the ability to meet the LDC standards including but not limited to parking, setbacks, coverage, and building height.

The maximum lot coverage allowed is 65% but may be increased to 80% with a waiver. The current lot coverage is 41.3% with no lot coverage increase proposed.

C. Setback Requirements.

The minimum side and rear setbacks are 10 feet. The front setback shall be a minimum of 20 feet and a maximum of 30 feet, with at least 30% of the front of the principal structure within the minimum and maximum front setback. The proposed building complies with the district setback requirements.

D. Permitted and Conditional Uses.

A multi-family dwelling is a permitted use in the MF-MU1 district.

E. Parking Requirements.

Section 703 requires:

- one (1) parking space per dwelling unit
- one (1) guest parking space for every 10 units, and
- 2.5 parking spaces per 1000 square feet of commercial space for “Retail Sales Establishment”.

Thus, 85 parking spaces are required for this project. This requirement is discussed further below in Section 703.

F. Building Height.

For the original site plan approval in 2017, the Planning Commission approved this project for four stories, which was the limit in the MF-MU1 district at the time. During construction, an additional floor was built, turning Unit 413 from a two-bedroom unit located entirely on the fourth floor into a penthouse unit with floor area on the fourth and fifth floors. The building remained within the total height limit of 58 feet above grade.

as built note: Southwest corner was built with additional floor. See photos



③ South Elevation Copy
3/32" = 1'-0"



Figure A, above left: Western portion of the building as permitted in 2017. Figure B, above right: Western portion of the building as built.

Upon the discovery of this discrepancy, City staff required the property owner to seal off the fifth floor to comply with LDC requirements. City staff verified that this floor was sealed off and not occupiable prior to issuing a Certificate of Occupancy for the building in September 2023.



Figure C: Unit 413 during the Certificate of Occupancy walkthrough. The stairs leading to the fifth floor are sealed off by the constructed wall located directly to the left of the doorframe.

In July 2023, the City's Land Development Code was amended to include a height bonus provision for housing projects that meet affordable housing requirements in accordance with Act 47 of 2023 (aka. HOME Act).

In the MF-MU1 district, any affordable housing development as defined in 24 V.S.A. § 4303(2) is allowed to construct an additional story for a total permissible height of five (5) stories or seventy-two (72) feet, whichever is less.

The constructed building is five (5) stories 53 feet tall, which meets district requirements. Staff have added Essex Junction's affordable housing reporting requirements as conditions of approval.

SECTION 620: DESIGN REVIEW OVERLAY DISTRICT (DRO)

This building was permitted and constructed prior to the establishment of the City's DRO District, which extends the design review standards used in the Village Center to the trunk routes of Main Street, Lincoln Street, Pearl Street, Park Street, and Maple Street. Given that this building has already been constructed, and no exterior alterations are proposed, no materials for design review have been submitted.

SECTION 703: PARKING AND LOADING

At the time of final site plan approval in 2017, LDC parking standards required 150 total parking spaces for this project, primarily based on the requirement of providing two (2) spaces per dwelling unit. A waiver was granted by the Planning Commission for final site plan approval, reducing the number of required parking spaces to 74. This waiver was granted due to the building's direct access to Green Mountain Transit's bus service network and the applicant's demonstration of underutilized parking for residential buildings in the surrounding area.

Current LDC parking standards require 85 total parking spaces for this project. The applicant has requested a waiver of this requirement. They are proposing no changes to the current parking layout, which includes a mixture of covered and uncovered spaces for tenants and guests.

Staff recommend that the DRB grant a waiver reducing the number of required parking spaces to 74.

SECTION 1202: SEWER ALLOCATION

The approved building has sufficient sewer allocation for the three additional dwelling units due to a reduction in the square footage of constructed commercial space. Staff have requested that the applicant submit a completed Sewer Allocation Request form for tracking purposes.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommend that the DRB approve the site plan amendment pending a determination on the following items:

- The Development Review Board should consider whether to grant a waiver granting relief from the parking requirements of Section 703.

RECOMMENDED MOTION

I move that the DRB approve the site plan amendment for three (3) additional dwelling units and opening of the fifth floor at the existing multi-family building at 197 Pearl Street with conditions.

PROPOSED CONDITIONS

1. Applicant shall submit a Sewer Allocation Request form.
2. The applicant shall place the property under a covenant, as approved by City, that preserves affordability for at least 15 years in accordance with 24 V.S.A. § 4303(2), prior to the issuance of a certificate of occupancy.
3. The applicant shall fulfill annual reporting requirements by December 31 of each year during the 15-year period beginning on the issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy:
 - a. Submit a completed Affordable Housing Rent Reporting Form.
 - b. Submit copies of the lease documents for all affordable housing units on the property, or by random sampling as requested by the Community Development Department.

Briefly describe your proposal (attach separate sheet if necessary) **See Narrative**

Describe all waiver requests (if applicable)
Seeking use of 5th story.

I certify that the information on this application is true and correct. I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations as specified in the land development code and any conditions placed upon approval of this application. In accordance with the *Essex Junction City Council Policy for Funding Engineer Plan Review and Inspections*, the applicant, by signing this form agrees to pay for the actual cost of engineering plan review and construction inspections by the City Engineer.

Mahe Henry
Applicant

02/14/2025

Date

Land Owner (if different)

Date

Staff Action **RECEIVED**

Date received: FEB 24 2025

Meeting date: _____

Board Action **City of Essex Junction**
Approved _____ Denied _____

Date: _____

Other approvals/conditions: _____

****Fee based on sq.ft. of improved area per current Fee Schedule**

Staff Signature

Date

Fee Amount: **
\$1,430.00

Fee Verified:
PAID
FEB 24 2025

City of Essex Junction



February 14, 2025

Michael Giguere
City Planner
City of Essex Junction
2 Lincoln Street
Essex Junction, VT 05452 definitely

Re: Proposed Revisions to Permit - 197 Pearl Street
Development Application Cover Letter

Dear Michael,

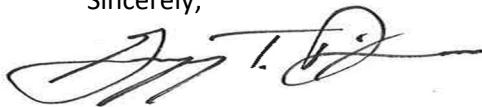
Jiddu/Sittu Trust is seeking an after the fact Development Permit for revisions made during construction at the 197 Pearl Street Project. The original proposal for this project was for a four story building with a total of 67 dwelling units and 3,439 s.f of commercial/retail space. The unit breakdown for that proposal was 52 single bedroom units and 15 double bedroom units. During construction revisions were made to the project which resulted in the following revisions.

- Transition three storage units into three single bedroom apartments.
- Reconfiguring the unit break down adjusting the amount of single to double bedroom units.
- Adding a fifth story penthouse space to one of the double bedroom units on the fourth floor. Seeking approval of the fifth story for the use of this unit which is currently closed for use.
- All the above changes resulted in a total of 70 dwelling units being created. The final unit breakdown is 61 single bedroom dwelling units, 8 double bedroom units and one multi-bedroom unit (4-bedrooms).

Based on the revision the water and sewer flows would decrease to the building resulting in less allocation needed for the project. Please see WW calculations attached with this submission. Again, as I discussed above, we are also looking to seek approval for use of the fifth story penthouse space above one of the top story's two bedroom units. This would create a single multi-bedroom unit which would have 4 bedrooms.

There are no changes to the site plan and no further surveying has been performed at this time, so I have not included an updated site plan. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions, thank you for your time in reviewing this project.

Sincerely,

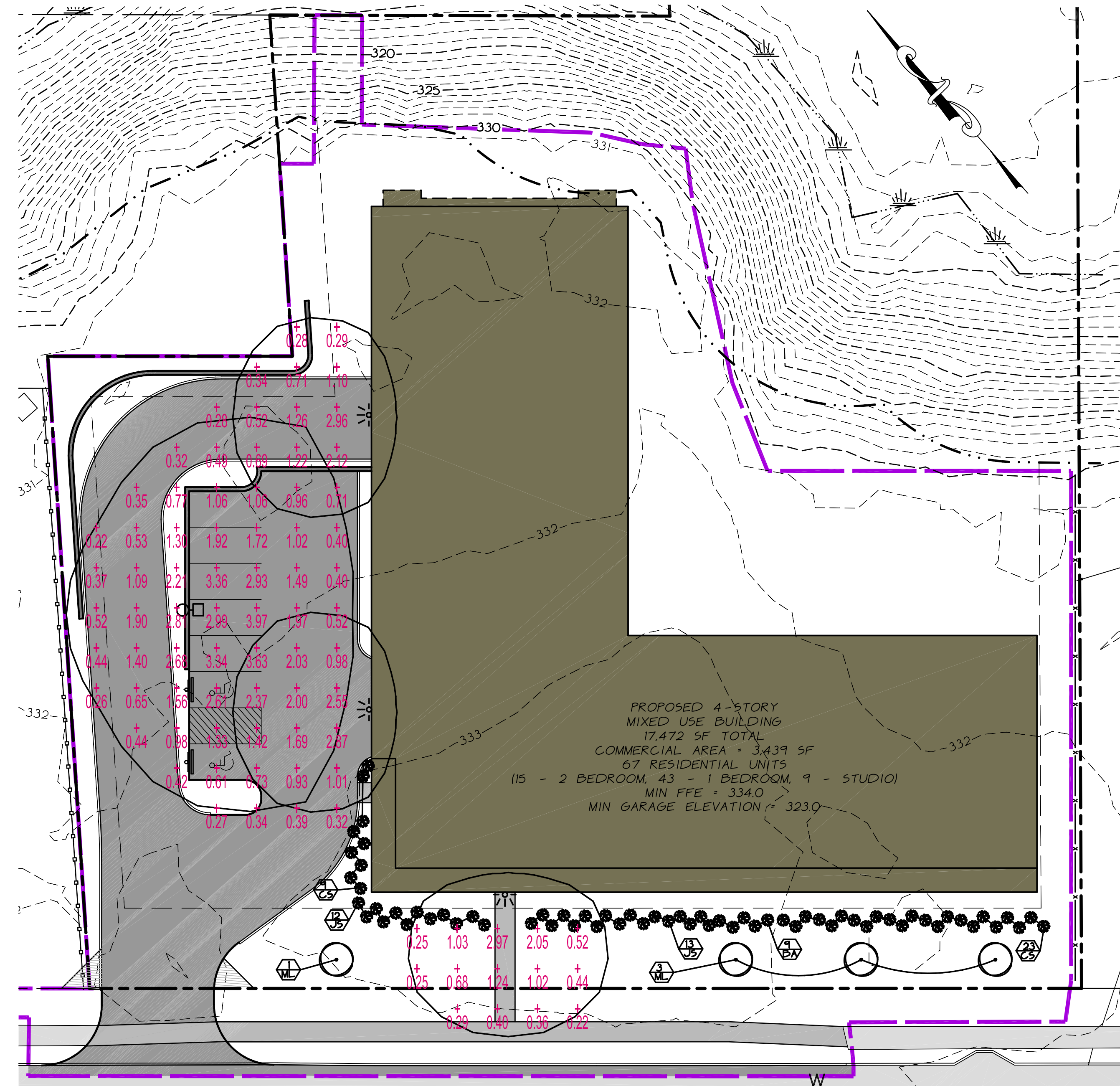
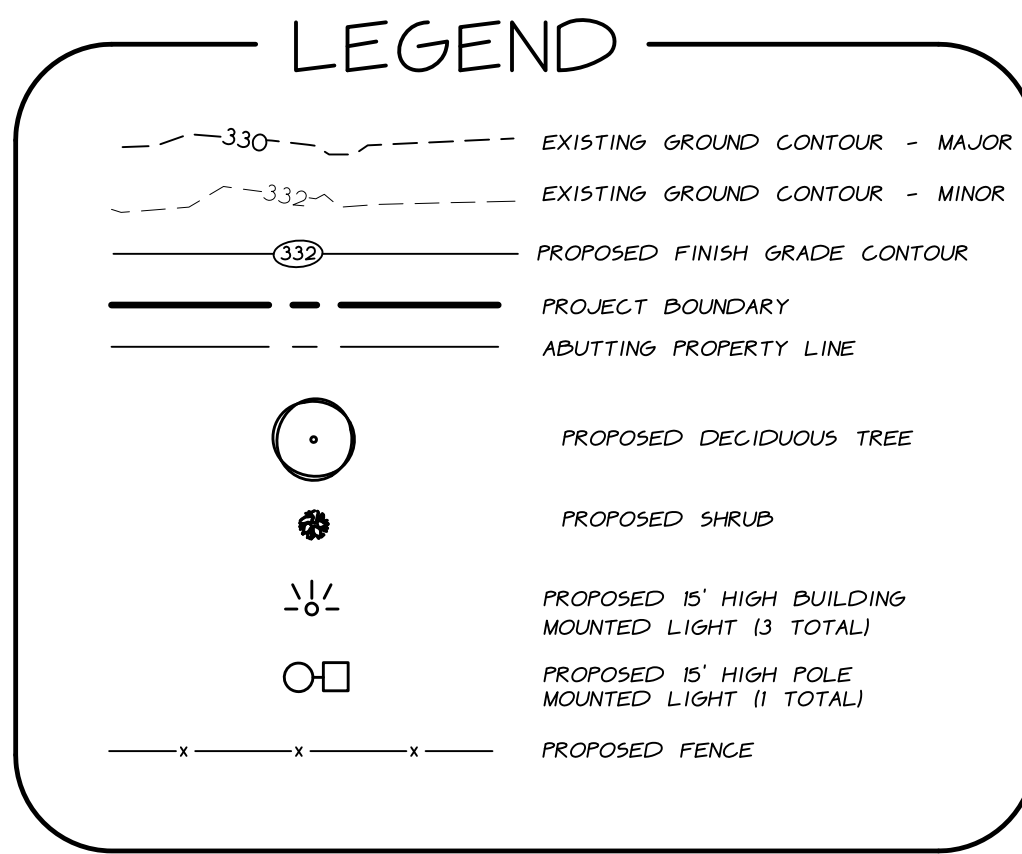


Greg Dixon, P.E.

Proposed Landscape Schedule						
Trees						
Key	Quantity	Botanical Name	Common Name	Height/Size	Unit Cost	Total Cost
ML	4	Malus 'Louisa'	Louisa Crabapple	2"	\$500	\$2,000
Shrubs						
CS	32	Cornus Sericea	Red Osier Dogwood	3 gallon	\$60	\$1,920
JS	25	Juniperus Sabina	Bluestar Juniper	3 gallon	\$60	\$1,500
BA	9	Hydrangea Arborescens 'Bella Anna'	Bella Anna Hydrangea	5 gallon	\$60	\$540
TOTAL COST					\$5,960	

CALCULATION SUMMARY -						
AREA NAME	DIMENSIONS	GRID NAME	AVE	MAX	MIN	MAX/MIN/AVE/MIN
SITE PLAN		NEW GRID	<>	1.23	3.97	0.22 18.40 5.69

LUMINAIRE SCHEDULE								
AREA	TYP	SYMB	DESCRIPTION	LAMP	LUMENS	MOUNTING	LLF	QTY
AREA	OD		CREE EDGE SERIES TYPE III CCT: 4000K	134W LED	7,033	15' POLE MOUNT	.75	1
BLDG	1/4		RAB WPLED26N CCT: 4000K	26W LED	2,662	15' BUILDING MOUNT	.75	3



LANDSCAPING SPECIFICATIONS

- ALL DISTURBED AREAS SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH SEEDING AND MULCHING PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 15 OF EACH YEAR. ANY DISTURBED AREAS SHALL BE IMMEDIATELY SEEDED AND MULCHED WITHIN 15 DAYS. ANY WORK PERFORMED AFTER SEPTEMBER 15 OF EACH YEAR SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH MULCH OR NETTING SUFFICIENT TO PREVENT EROSION AND SHALL BE IMMEDIATELY SEEDED AND REMULCHED AS SOON AS WEATHER PERMITS IN THE SPRING. ALL DISTURBED AREAS SHALL RECEIVE A MINIMUM OF 4" OF TOPSOIL AND BE SEEDED, FERTILIZED, LIMED, AND MULCHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING:
 - SEED MIXTURE IN ALL AREAS SHALL BE URBAN MIX CONFORMING TO THE TABLE SHOWN ON THE PLANS. FOR SEEDING BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 15 AND OCTOBER 15 WINTER RYE SHALL BE USED AT AN APPLICATION RATE OF 100 POUNDS PER ACRE.
 - FERTILIZER SHALL BE STANDARD COMMERCIAL GRADE CONFORMING TO THE STATE FERTILIZER LAW AND TO THE STANDARDS OF THE ASSOCIATION OF OFFICIAL AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTS. DRY FERTILIZER, IF USED, SHALL BE APPLIED AT THE RATE OF 500 POUNDS PER ACRE. PHOSPHORUS BASED FERTILIZERS SHALL BE PROHIBITED UNLESS WARRANTED BY SOIL TESTING.
 - LIMESTONE SHALL CONFORM TO ALL STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS AND TO THE STANDARDS OF THE ASSOCIATION OF OFFICIAL AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTS. THE LIMESTONE SHALL BE APPLIED AT A RATE OF TWO TONS PER ACRE OR AS DIRECTED.
- WITHIN 24 HOURS OF APPLICATION OF FERTILIZER, LIME, AND SEED, THE SURFACE SHALL BE MULCHED WITH A HAY MULCH. MULCH SHALL BE SPREAD UNIFORMLY OVER THE AREA AT A RATE OF TWO TONS PER ACRE OR AS ORDERED BY THE ENGINEER.

URBAN MIX GRASS SEED		
% BY WEIGHT	LBS LIVE SEED PER ACRE	TYPE OF SEED
37.5	45	CREeping RED FESCUE
31.25	37.5	KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS
31.25	37.5	WINTER HARDY, PERENNIAL RYE
100	120 # LIVE SEED PER ACRE	

Cree Edge™ Series
LED Area/Flood Luminaire

Product Description

The Cree Edge™ Series has a slim, low profile design. Its rugged cast aluminum housing minimizes wind load requirements and features an integral, lightweight LED driver compartment and high performance aluminum heat sinks. Various mounting choices: Adjustable Arm, Direct Arm, Direct Arm Long, or Side Arm details on page 21. Includes a leaf/fabric guard.

Applications: Parking lots, walkways, campuses, car dealerships, office complexes, and internal roadways.

Performance Summary

Patented NanoOptic™ Product Technology
Made in the U.S.A. of U.S. and imported parts
CRI: Minimum 70 CRI
CCT: 4000K (-F- 300K), 5700K (-F- 500K) standard
Limited Warranty: 10 years on luminaire/10 years on Colorfast DeltaGuard™ finish

Accessories

Field-Installed
- Backlight Control Shields (4-3262C)
- Four-pack
- Unpolished stainless steel
- For successful implementation of the programmable multi-level option, a minimum of one hand-held remote is required.

Ordering Information

Product	Optic	Mounting*	LED Count (x16)	Series	Voltage	Color Options	Drive Current	Options
ARE-EDG-3M-	DA	UL	350	BK	350	Black	350mA	DM 0-10V Dimming - Control by others - Refer to 350 spec sheet for details - Can't exceed specified drive current
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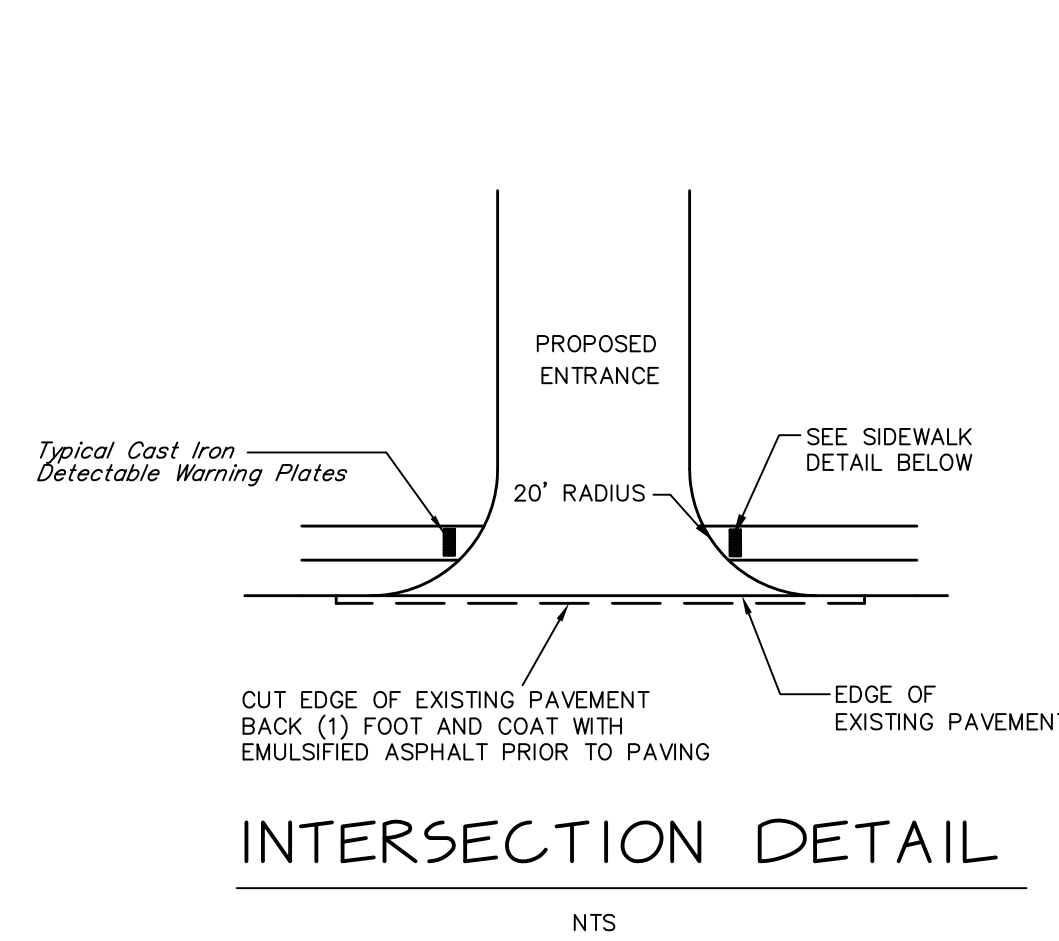
Road Construction Notes (All references to road shall apply to parking areas as well.)

1. New road shall be constructed to the line and grade shown on the drawings. The road and utility locations shall be as typically detailed unless otherwise shown.
2. All road and parking construction shall be completed in accordance with the Vermont Agency of Transportation "Standard Specifications for Construction" 2006, hereafter called Vermont Highway Specifications, specifications found on these plans, and Village Specifications. In case of conflict, the more stringent specification shall apply as determined by the Engineer.
3. The Contractor shall follow Vermont Highway Specifications (2006) Section 203.11 for placing and spreading embankments.
4. Fill material for road embankment shall be approved by the Engineer. Fill shall be placed in 12" lifts, wetted and compacted with satisfactory compaction equipment to 95% of maximum density (Standard Proctor).
5. Road in fill sections shall be placed and compacted a minimum of 3 feet above top of any utility to be installed before trench is excavated for pipe placement. In trenches and cut sections, the Contractor shall provide all necessary sheeting, shoring and bracing to maintain compliance with all OSHA/VOSHA regulations.
6. Methods for construction of subgrade shall conform to Vermont Highway Specifications (2006) 203.12 or as determined by the Engineer.
7. Any subgrade or subbase disturbed by Contractor, or rendered unsuitable by construction machinery, shall be removed and replaced with approved granular backfill at the Contractor's expense. The subgrade shall be compacted to attain at least 95% of the maximum density (Standard Proctor) before placing road or embankment materials.
8. The Contractor shall be responsible for coordination of compaction in the road and utility trenches.
9. Sand fill shall conform to Vermont Highway Specifications (2006) 703.03, Table 703.03A. Granular borrow shall conform to the Vermont Highway Specifications 703.04 Granular Borrow, Table 703.04A.
10. Gravel subbase for pavement shall conform to Vermont Highway Specifications (2006) 704.06.
11. Leveling course shall conform to Vermont Highway Specifications (2006) 704.05A. Shoulders shall conform to Section 704.12, Aggregate for Shoulders.
12. Bituminous concrete pavement shall conform to Vermont Highway Specifications (2006) Section 404 and 406. Binder course shall be Type II, and finish wearing course shall be Type III.
13. Embankment fill for road and parking shall be a sieve specification as follows:

Sieve	% Finer
4"	100
2"	85-100
#4	60-100
#200	12 maximum

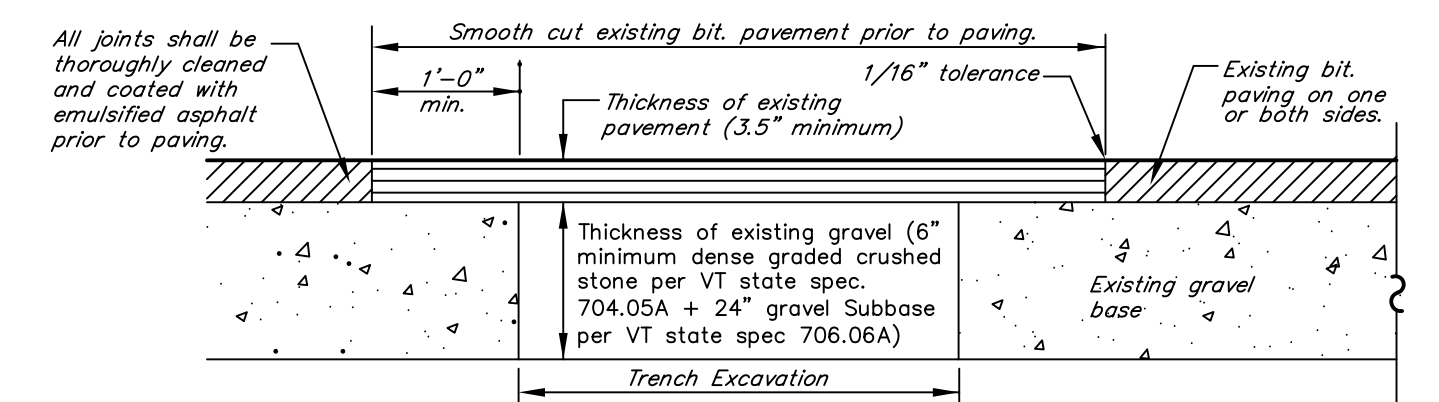
GRADATION REQUIREMENTS		
MATERIAL	SIEVE SIZE	PERCENT (%) PASSING
CRUSHED GRAVEL FOR SUBBASE VT SPEC 704.05A	4"	95 - 100 %
	#4	25 - 50 %
	#100	0 - 12 %
	#200	0 - 6 %
DENSE GRADED CRUSHED STONE VT SPEC 704.06	3 1/2"	100 %
	3"	90 - 100 %
	2"	75 - 100 %
	1"	50 - 80 %
	1/2"	30 - 60 %
	#4	15 - 40 %
	#200	0 - 6 %

GRADATION REQUIREMENTS



INTERSECTION DETAIL

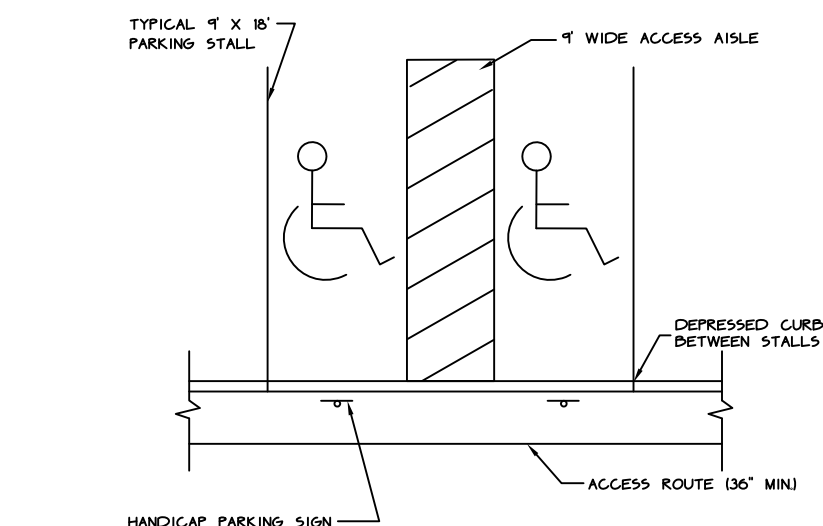
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REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT

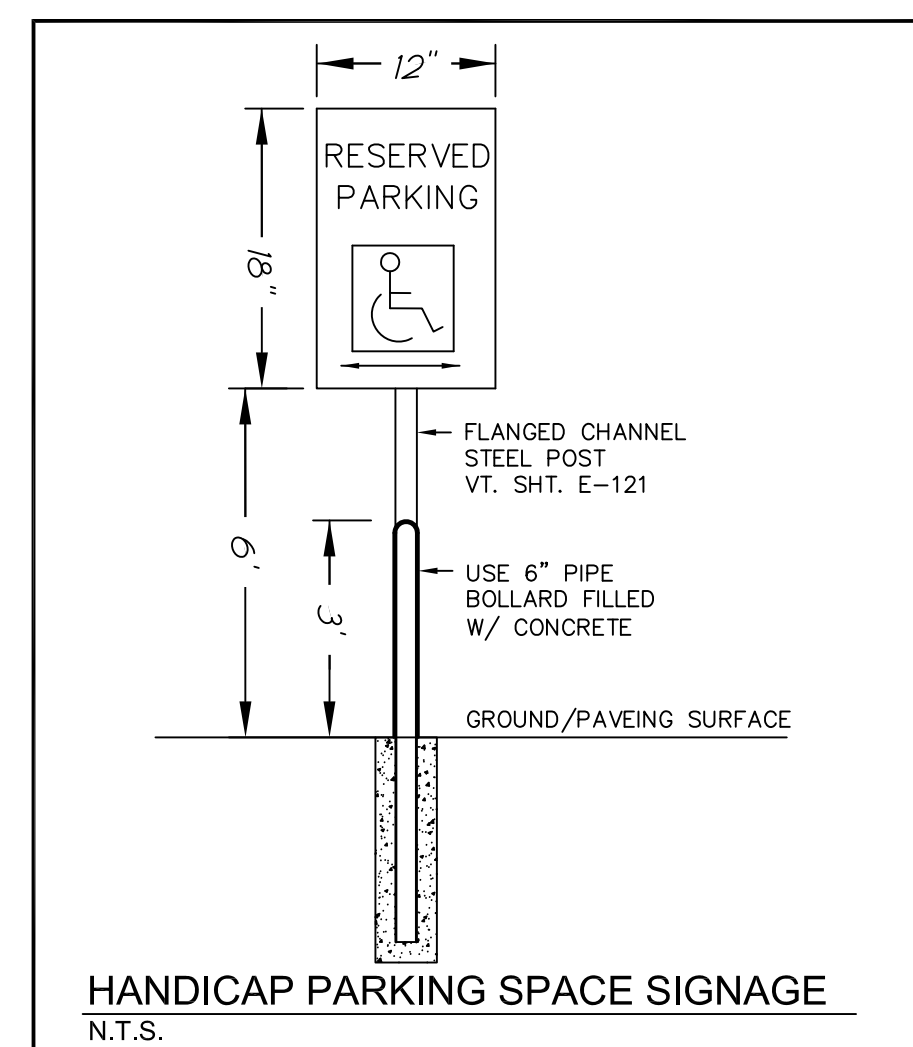
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1. Set up and maintain signs and other safety control devices.
2. Reshape hole and patch area by cutting with a concrete saw into square or rectangular shape and cut side faces vertically. Reshape downward solid material and around hole to sound pavement.
3. Backfill trench in 6" lifts and compact each lift to 95% of maximum density of optimum moisture content as determined by ASTM D698 standard proctor.
4. Remove all loose material and thoroughly sweep the hole area clean of mud and standing water.
5. Apply liquid asphalt tack to vertical faces in a uniform manner. Do not puddle tack coat on bottom of hole.
6. Fill top of hole with type III bituminous concrete and compact in lifts no more than 2" thick. Each lift should be thoroughly compacted with a vibratory plate compactor or a portable roller. Experience has shown that 15 to 20 passes with a vibratory roller and mix temperature above 290°F (121°C) are necessary to ensure good compaction. Hand tamp should only be used for small areas (less than 1 s.f.).
7. Clean up area. Do not leave excess fill or excavated material on the pavement. Remove safety signs.



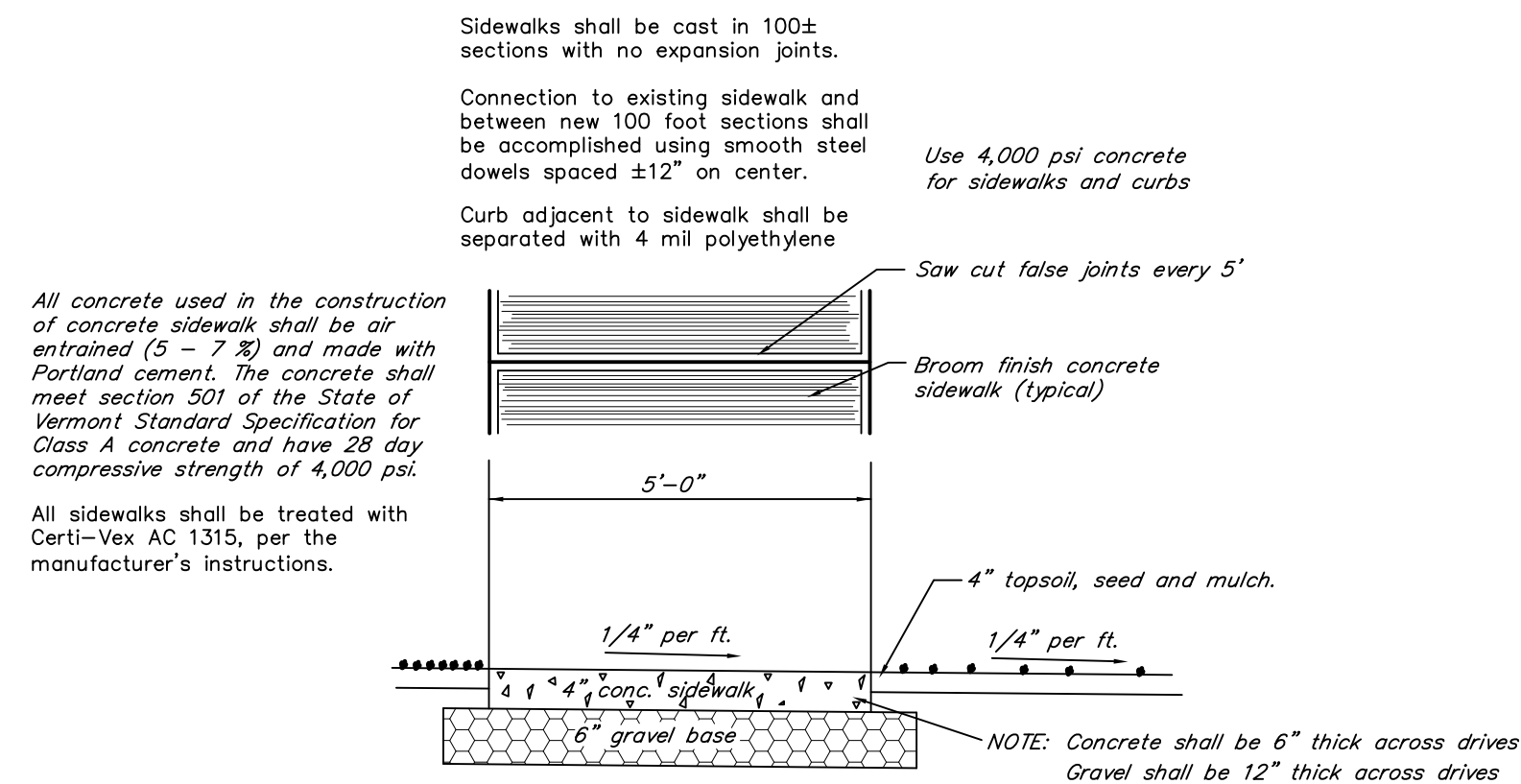
ACCESSIBLE PARKING DETAIL

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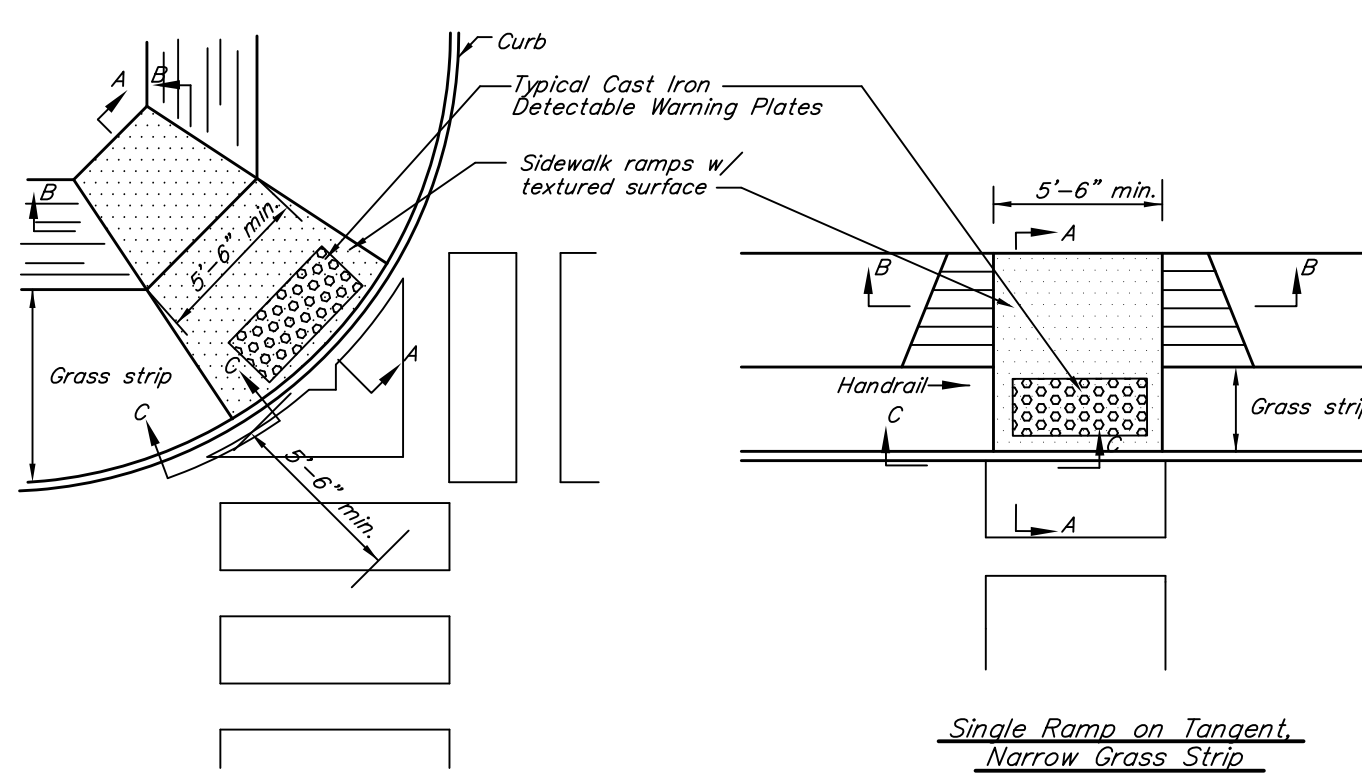
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CONCRETE SIDEWALK DETAIL

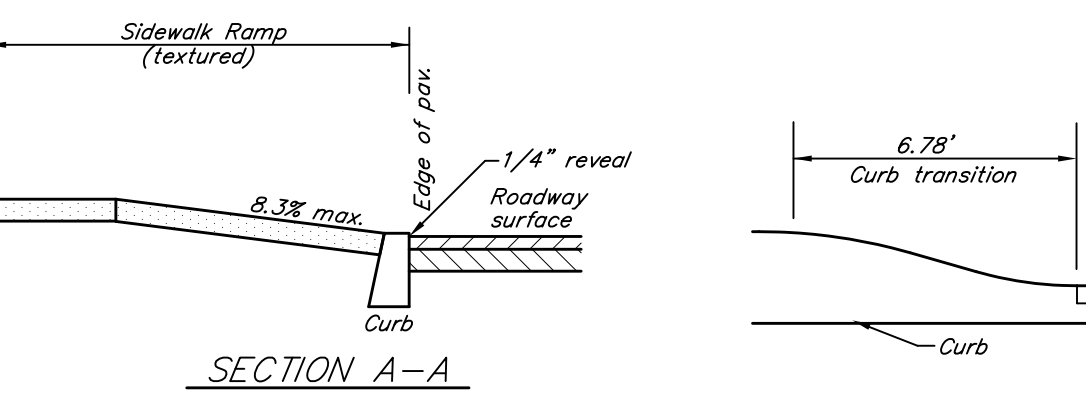
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SECTION A-A

SECTION C-C

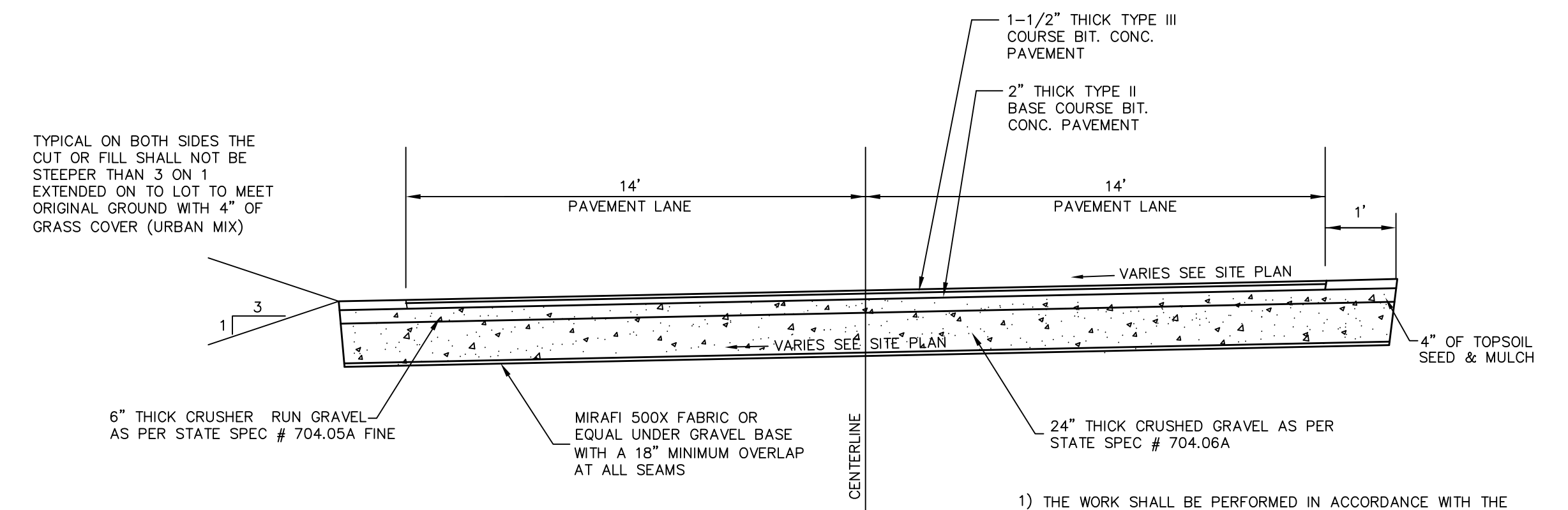
NOTE:
Contact Village of Essex Jct. to confirm ramp specifications prior to construction.



SECTION B-B

SIDEWALK RAMP DETAIL

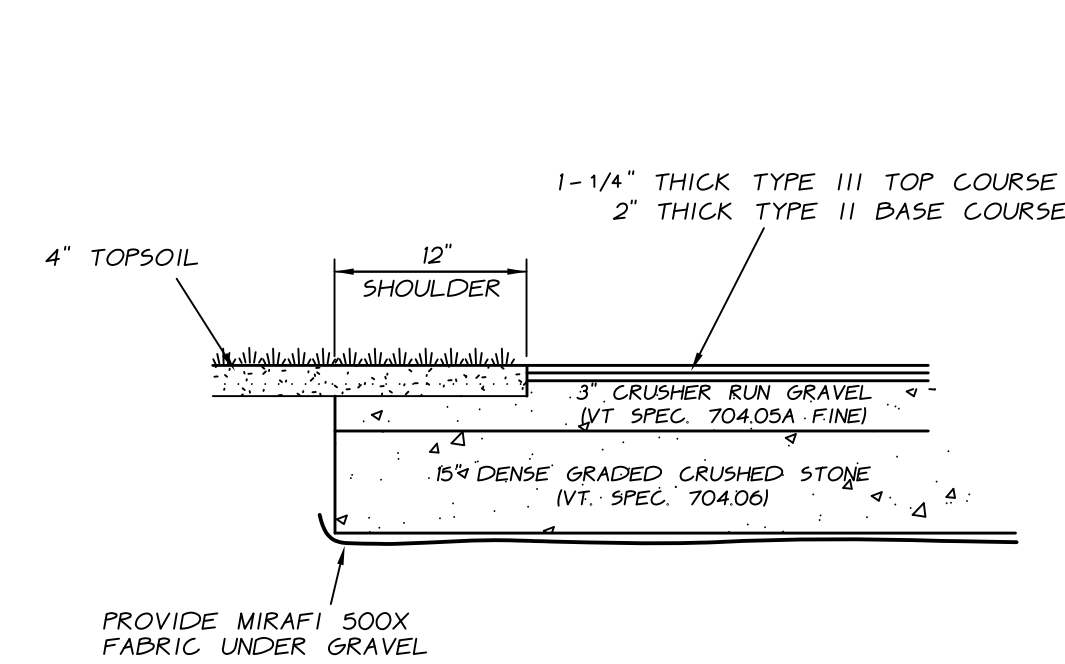
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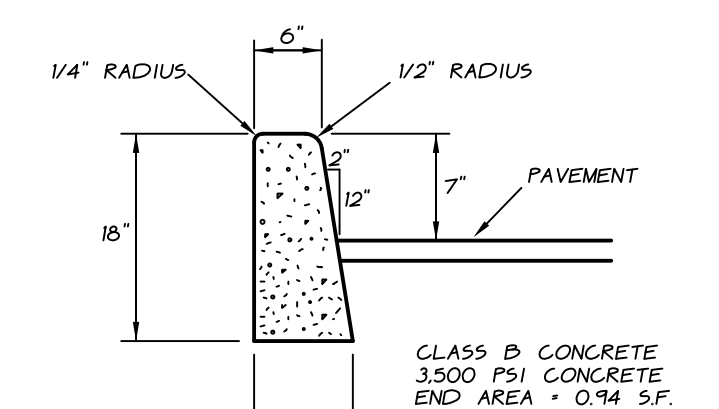
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- 1) THE WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PUBLIC WORKS REQUIREMENTS, THE VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS AND THE ENGINEERING PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS.
- 2) IF TOP COURSE OF PAVEMENT IS NOT INSTALLED WITHIN 60 DAYS OF BASE COURSE, CONTRACTOR SHALL APPLY EMULSION TO FULL WIDTH OF BASE COURSE BEFORE INSTALLING TOP COURSE.



PARKING AREA CROSS-SECTION

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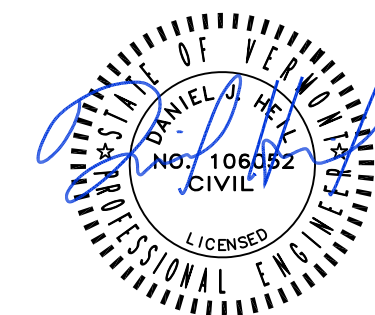


CONCRETE CURB

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- NOTES:
- 1) CURBING SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED IN 10' SECTIONS WITH 1/8" JOINT BETWEEN SECTIONS.
 - 2) CURBING EXPANSION JOINTS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED EVERY 20' AND SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED OF MATERIAL CONFORMING TO ASHTO DESIGNATION M-153 1 1/2" SPONGE RUBBER OR CORK.
 - 3) ALL EXPOSED SURFACES TO RECEIVE 2 COATS OF AN ANTI-SPLALLING COMPOUND.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY "DIGSAFE" AT 1-888-DIG-SAFE PRIOR TO ANY EXCAVATION.



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11/28/16	REVISED PER VILLAGE ENGINEER COMMENTS	DJH
SURVEY	OBCA	DATE 10/19/2016
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HANDY PARCEL

195/197 PEARL STREET ESSEX JCT., VT

ROADS + PARKING

DETAILS + SPECIFICATIONS

Construction Notes

- The Contractor will be responsible for all construction of water main, storm and sanitary sewer systems as shown on the plans. The Contractor will be responsible for all necessary adapters, fittings, etc. to make connections to the existing and proposed units. The Contractor shall be responsible for all work shown or implied on the plans and/or referenced in the specifications and permits. The Contractor shall submit, for approval by the Engineer, all types of materials and products used.
- The Contractor shall notify the Village Engineer at least 48 hours prior to work on utilities inside the Village Right-of-Way or owned by the Village.

Water Main

- The pipe for water main shall be ductile iron class 52 manufactured in accordance with AWWA C151-76 as noted on the drawings. All pipe shall have push on type joints. All fittings, valves, etc. shall have mechanical joints. Pipe fittings shall be manufactured by Clow, US Pipe, Johns-Manville, or approved equal.
- All pipe shall be installed in accordance w/AWWA C-600. The pipe shall be kept free of foreign matter and debris during installation. When the process of pipe laying has stopped any open ends of pipe shall be plugged. There shall be a minimum of 6"-0" cover over all pipe and service lines. Any pipe deflection shall not exceed fifty (50) percent of recommended manufacturer's maximum deflection. Backfill materials and procedures shall be as detailed on the drawings. The Contractor shall be responsible for any and all sheeting and/or shoring necessary to comply w/OSHA - VOSHA regulations.
- The testing of the water main shall consist of the testing of all installed pipe, services, hydrants, etc. The testing shall consist of a pressure test followed by a leakage test. All testing shall be done with potable water and in the presence of the Engineer. The pressure test consists of maintaining a minimum internal pipe pressure of two hundred (200) pounds per square inch for two (2) hours. Failure to hold the pressure (+/- 5 psi) for the specified time constitutes failure of the test for the particular section of pipe. The leakage test shall be conducted for one (1) hour. The time for the leakage test may be included with the time of the pressure test. During the leakage test the quantity of water necessary to maintain the testing pressure of the system shall be measured. The leakage shall not exceed the allowable values as set form in AWWA C-600. Failure of any test section will necessitate repair and/or replacement of the failed section. Working pressure and test pressure shall be determined jointly by Engineer and local approval agency.
- The method of disinfection shall be by the continuous feed method unless otherwise approved by the Engineer. After filling, flushing, and the addition of chlorine solution, the free chlorine concentration within the pipe shall be at least 25 mg/L. The chlorinated water shall remain in the main for a period of at least 24 hours. At the end of this period, the treated water in all portions of the main shall not have a residual of less than 10 mg/L of free chlorine. The dechlorination process of waterline flushing shall be done until the chlorine concentration is <1 mg/L. If a sample <1 mg/L cannot be obtained check another nearby public water system for comparative results. All disinfection shall be performed under the supervision of the Engineer. Chlorinated water shall not be discharged to the storm drains or to the waters of the State. The disinfection process shall be deemed acceptable only after (2) samples of water, collected 24 hours apart, from the flushed, disinfected main taken by the Engineer and tested at an approved laboratory show no evidence of bacteriological contamination. Disinfection shall conform to the latest AWWA C-651 revision.

Sanitary & Storm Mains

- The pipe for sanitary sewer shall be PVC gravity sewer pipe SDR 35 (ASTM D 3034) with rubber sealing rings. The pipe for storm mains shall be ADS N-12. All pipe shall be laid to the line and grade shown on the plans.
- The installed sanitary sewer pipe shall be low pressure air tested in the presence of the Engineer per section 115.D.6 of th LDC.

Air shall be slowly supplied to the plugged air installation until the internal air pressure reaches four pounds per square inch (4.0 psi) greater than the average back pressure of any groundwater that may submerge the pipe. At least two minutes shall be allowed for temperature stabilization before proceeding further.

The pipeline shall be considered acceptable when tested at an average pressure of three pounds per square inch (3.0 psi) greater than the average back pressure of any groundwater that may submerge the pipe if:

- The total rate of air loss from any section tested in its entirety between manhole and cleanout structures does not exceed 2.0 cubic feet per minute; or
- The section under test does not lose air at a rate greater than 0.0030 cubic feet per minute per square foot of internal pipe surface.

The requirements of this specification shall be considered satisfied if the time required in seconds for the pressure to decrease from 3.5 or 2.5 psi greater than the average back pressure of any groundwater that may submerge the pipe is not less than that computed according to the following table:

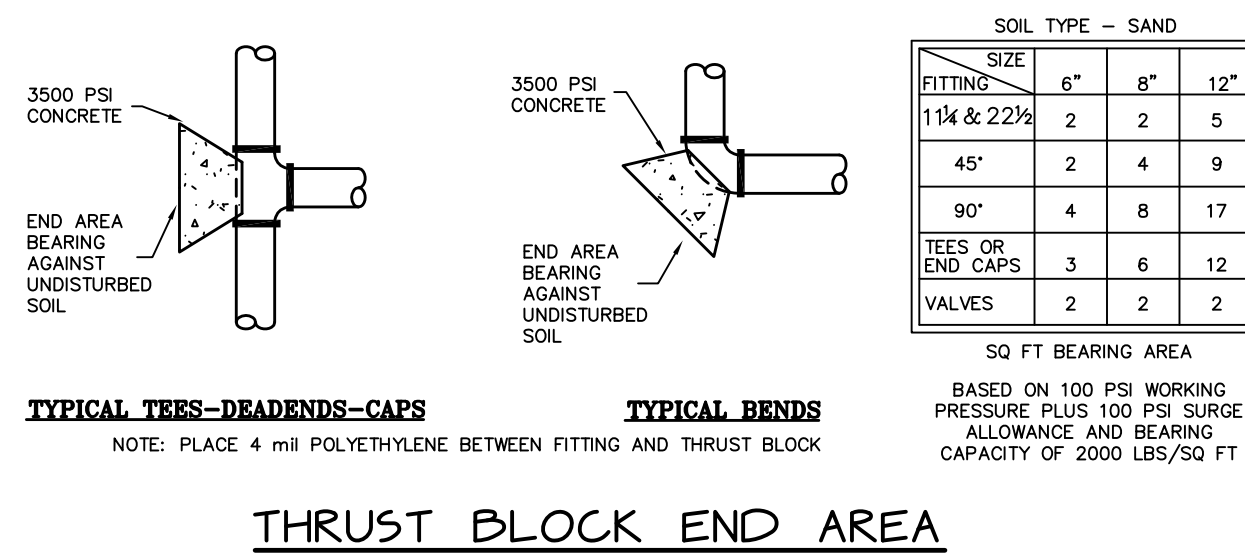
MINIMUM TEST TIME FOR VARIOUS PIPE SIZES	
DIAMETER (INCHES)	TIME (MIN./100 FT.)
3	0.2
4	0.3
6	0.7
8	1.2
10	1.5
12	1.8
15	2.1
18	2.4

The table gives the required test time in seconds per 100 foot lengths of pipe for a given diameter. If there is more than one pipe size in the section of line being tested, compute the time for each diameter, and sum the times to find the total required test time.

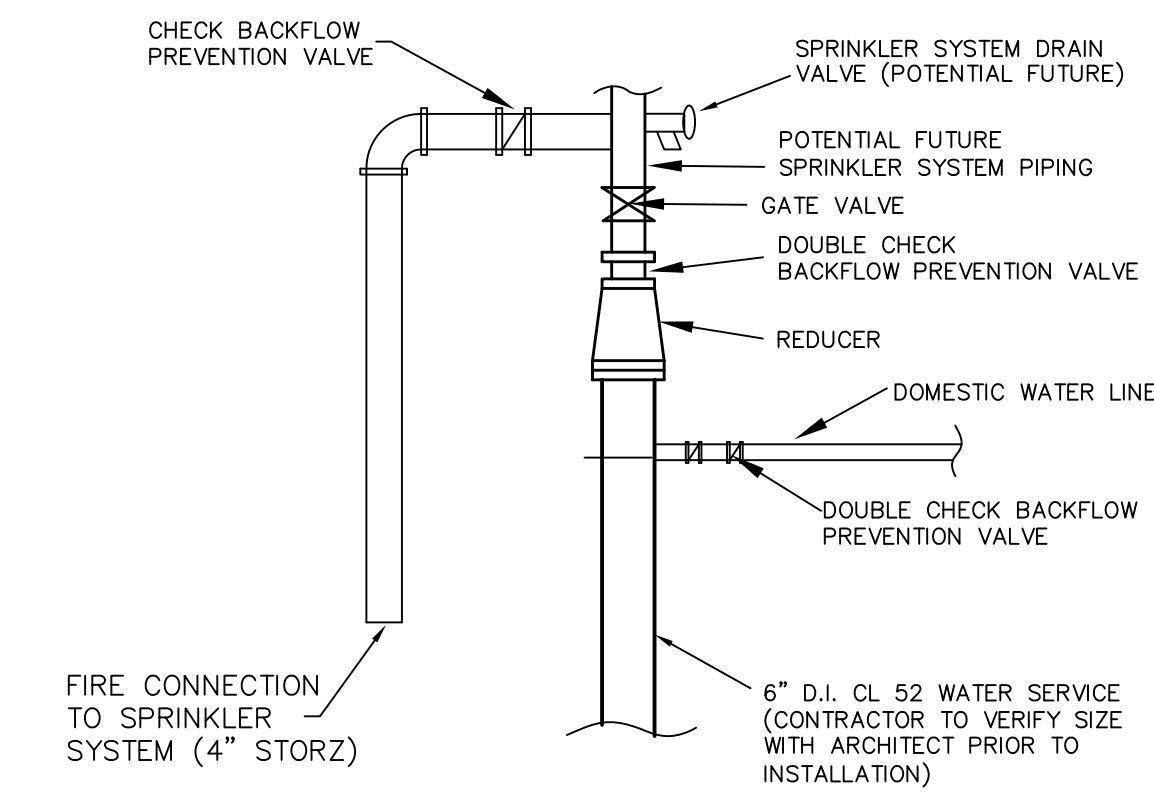
If the pipe installation fails to meet these requirements, the contractor shall determine at his or her own expense the source or sources of leakage and shall repair (if the extent and type of repairs proposed by the contractor appear reasonable to the engineer) or replace all defective materials or workmanship. The completed pipe installation shall meet the requirements of this test before being considered acceptable.

Separation of Water and /or Sanitary & Storm Mains

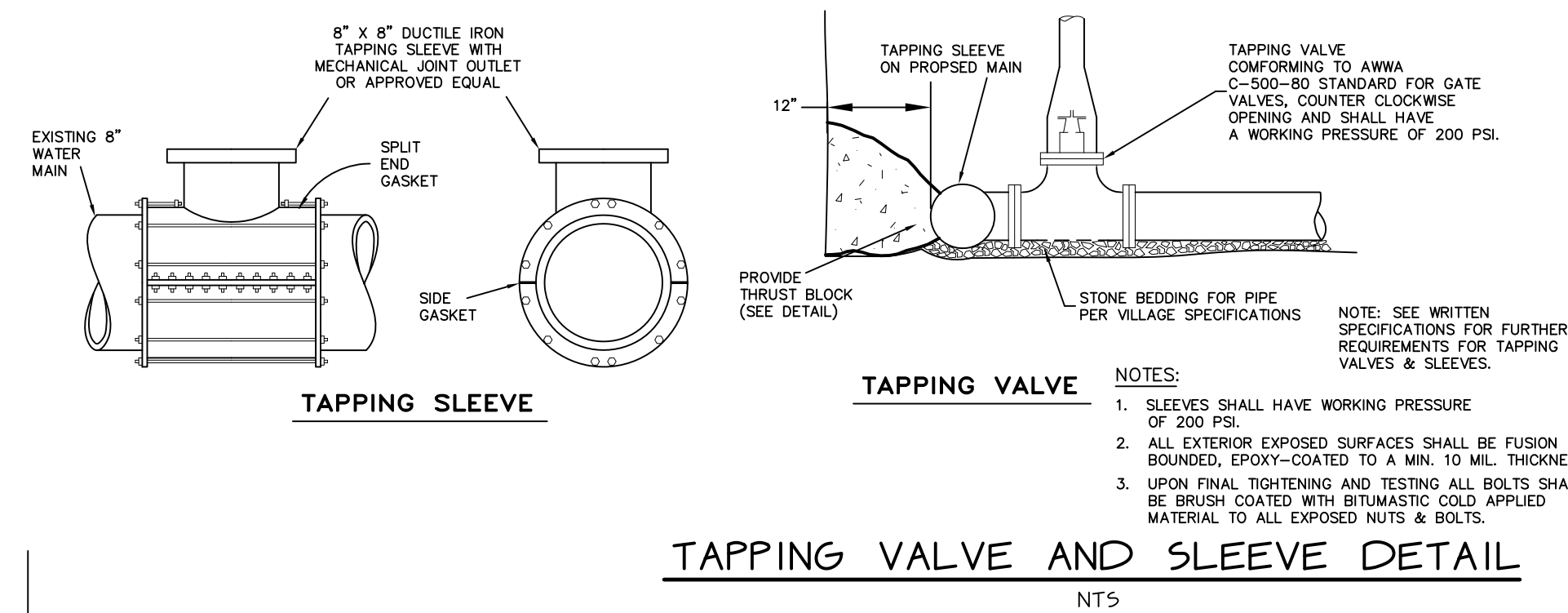
- No water main shall be closer than ten (10) feet to any sanitary sewer, storm sewer or sanitary manhole, and five (5) feet to any catch basin. Provide minimum of 18" vertical separation between water main and storm/sanitary sewer.



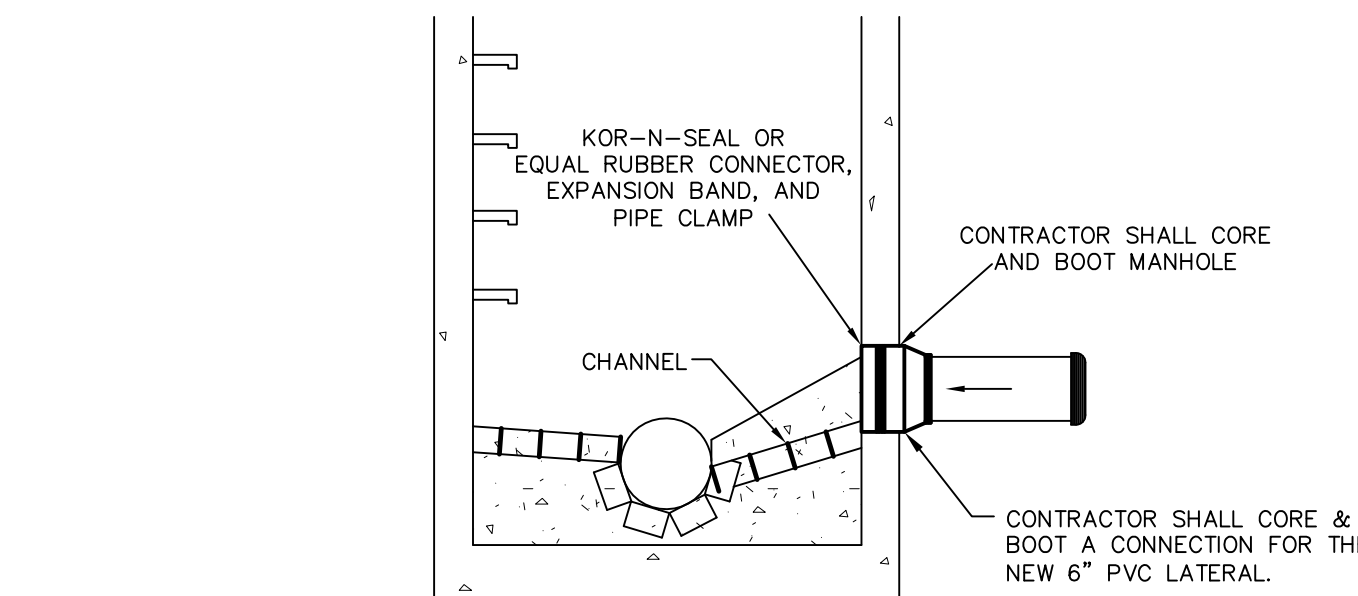
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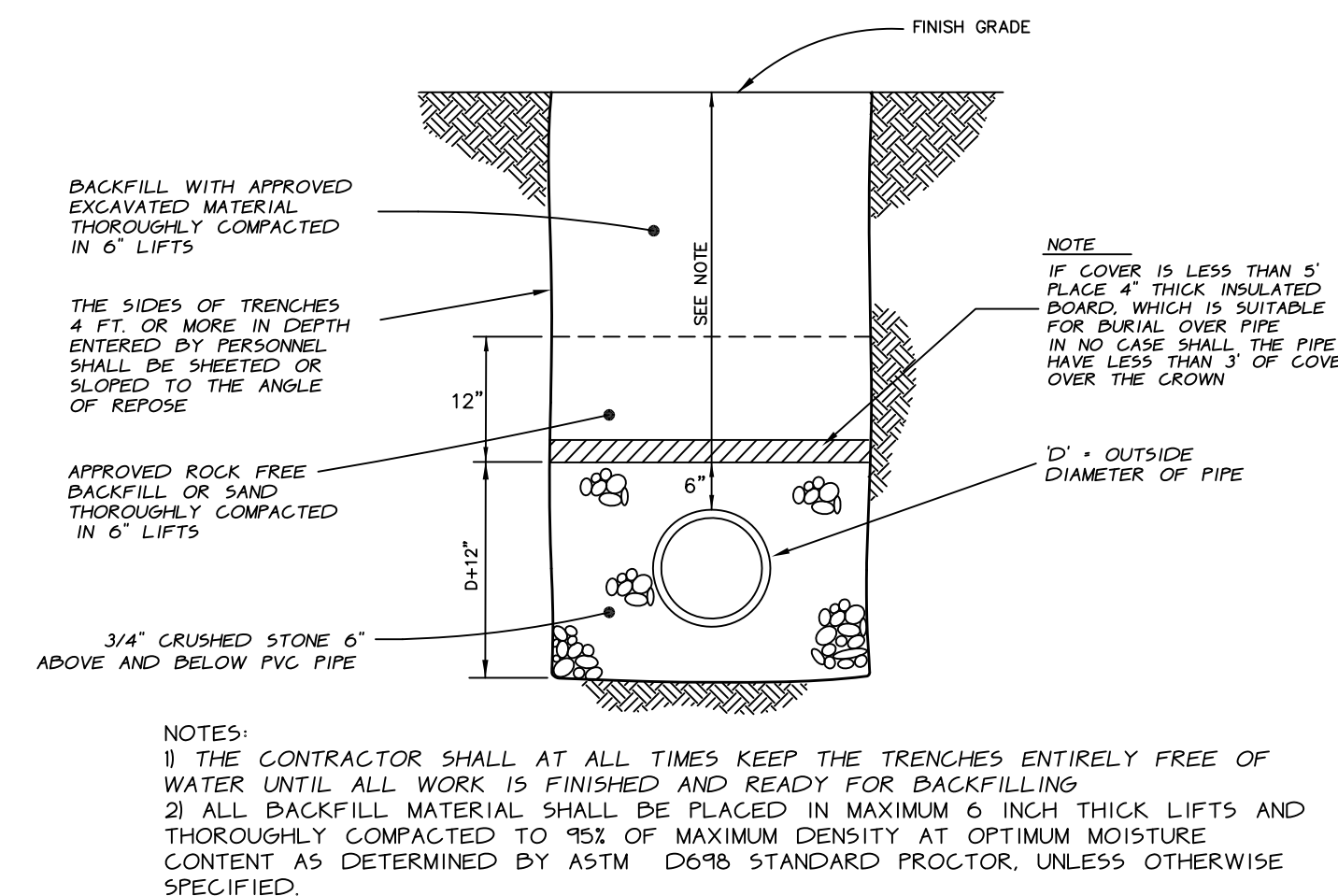
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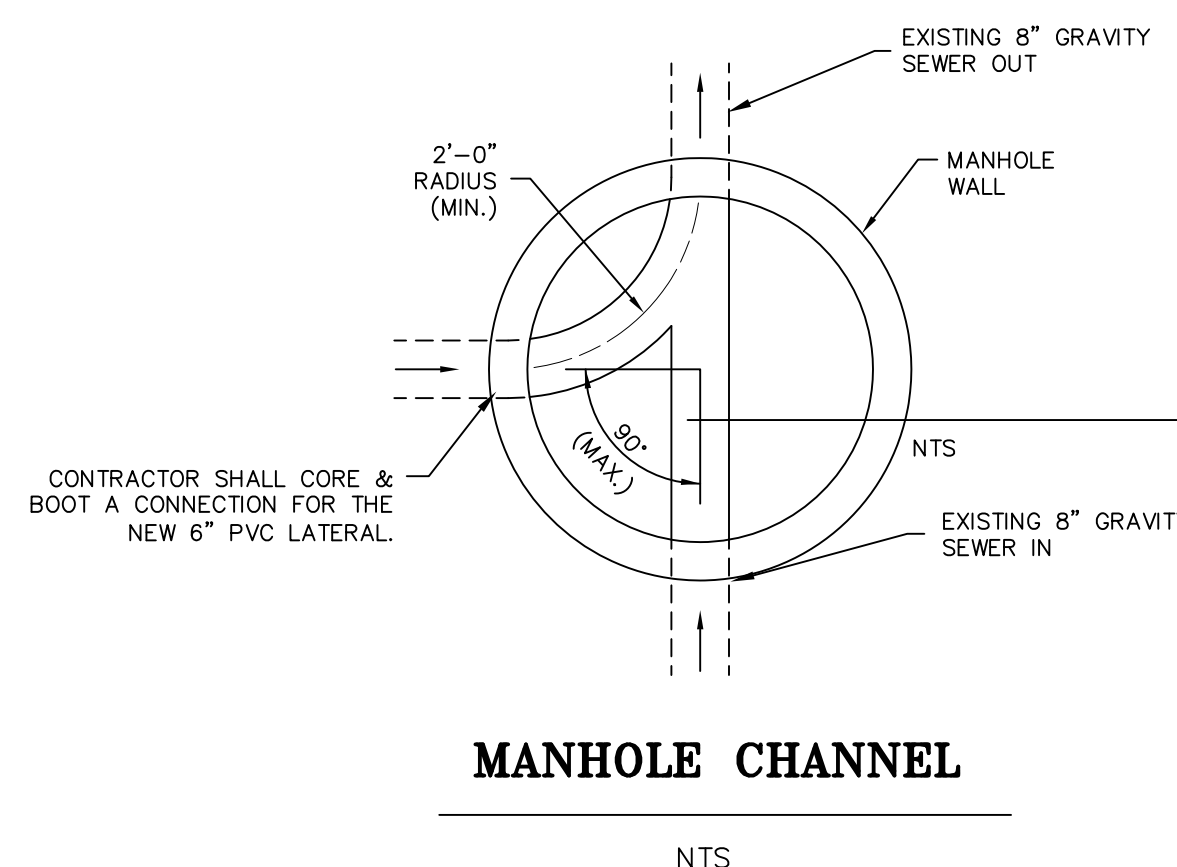
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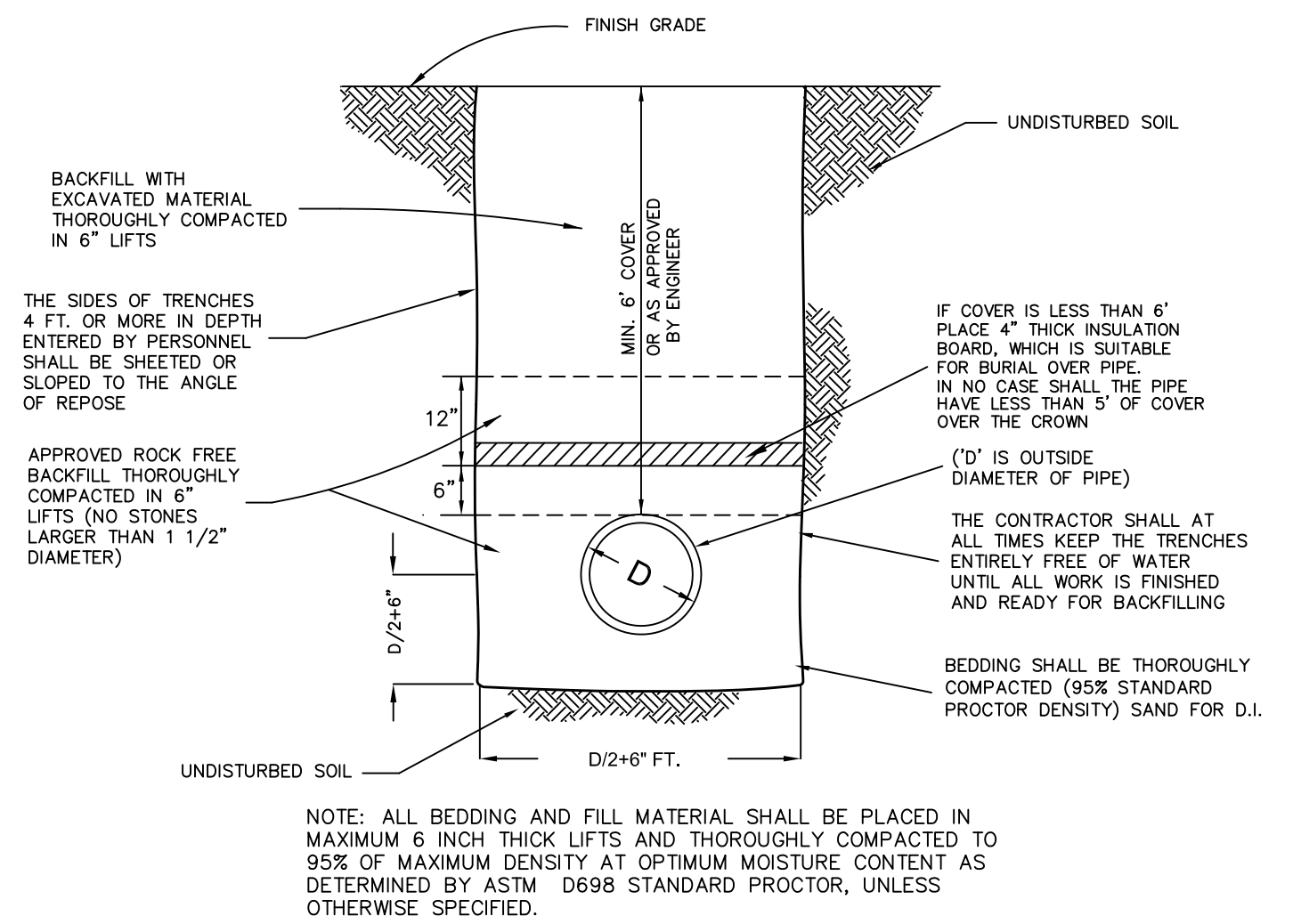
EXISTING SANITARY MANHOLE CORE + BOOT DETAIL



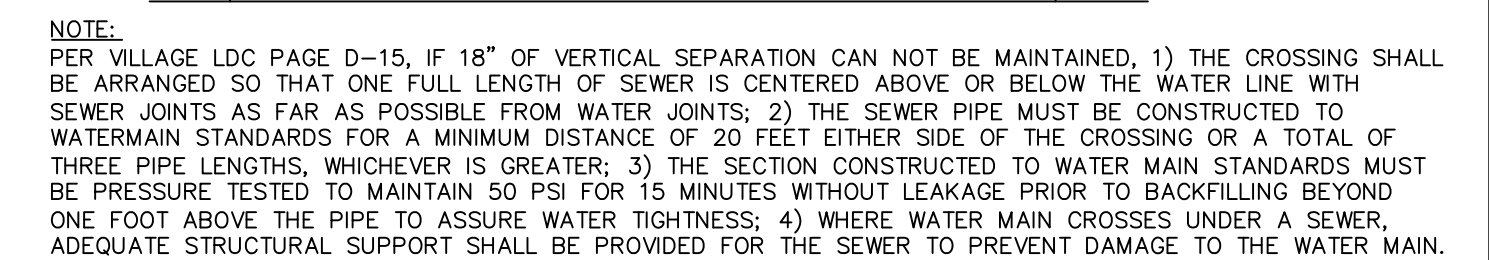
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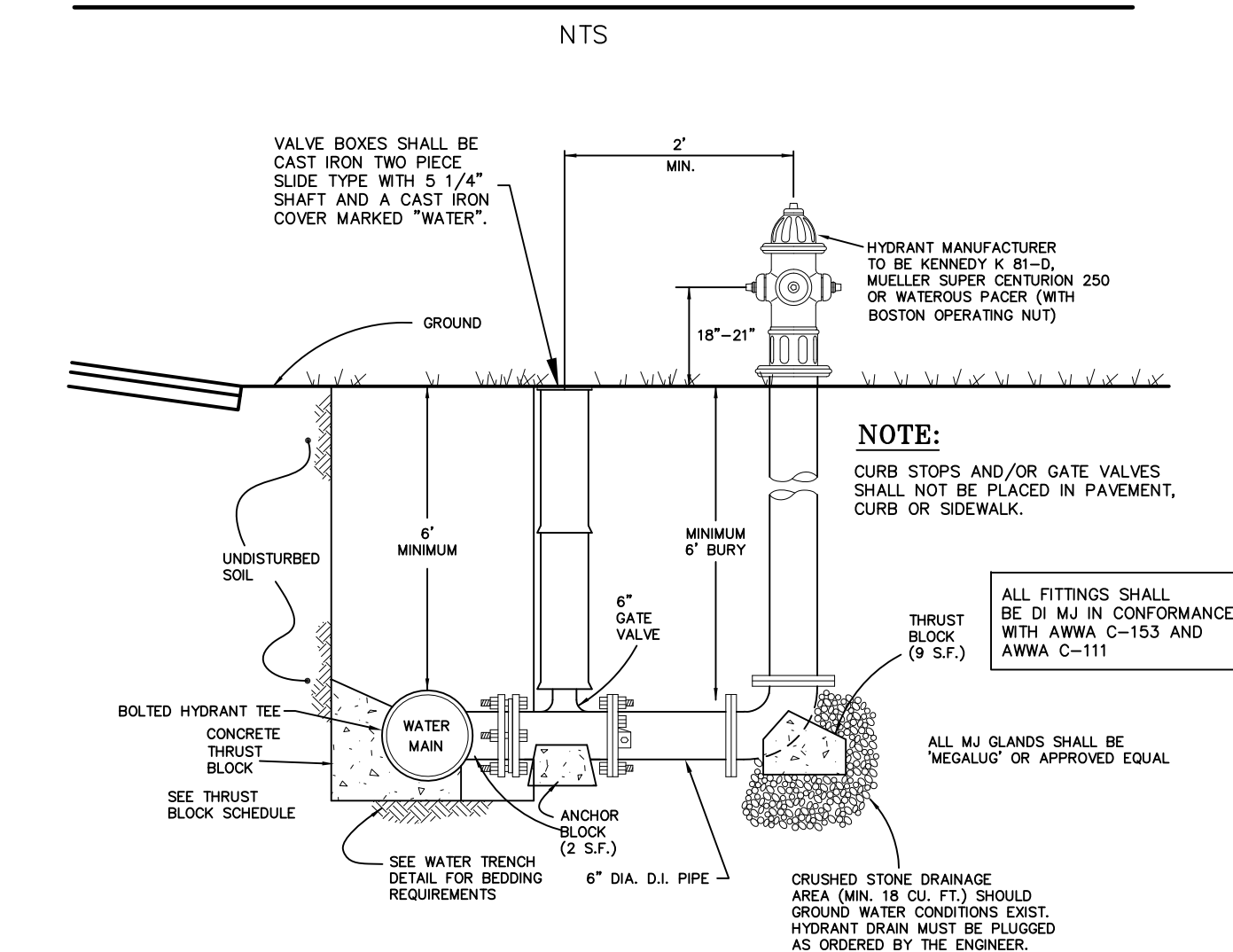
MANHOLE CHANNEL



TYPICAL WATER TRENCH



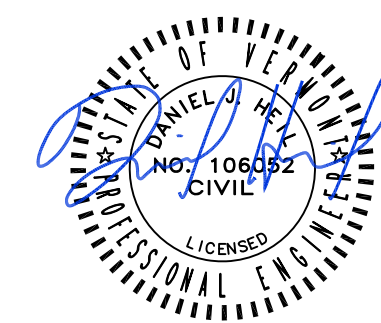
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HYDRANT

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DESIGN		HANDY PARCEL	
DRAWN		195/197 PEARL STREET ESSEX JCT., VT	
CHECKED		WATER + SEWER	
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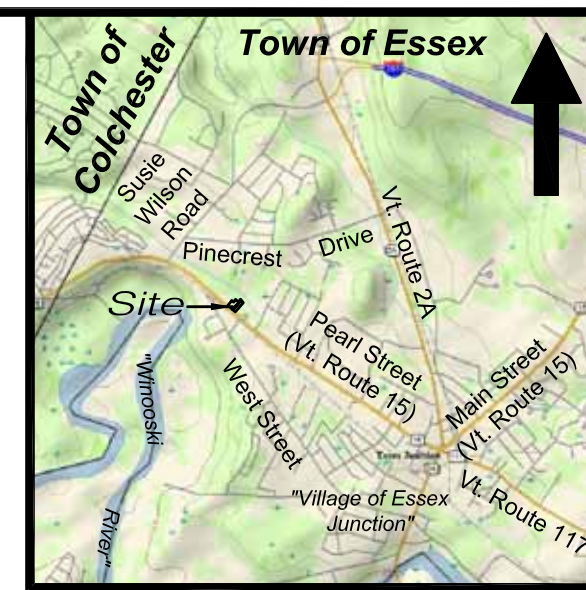
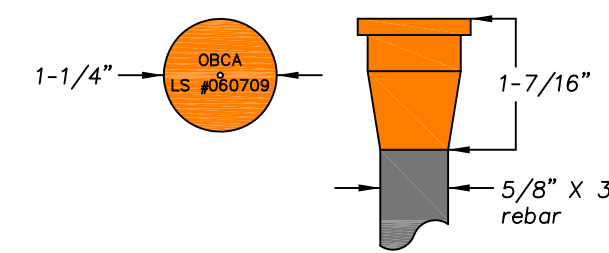


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CORNER LIST

- NOTE: (O.D.) indicates outside diameter of applicable monument.
- CORNER 1: 5/8" rebar TO BE SET
 - CORNER 1a: 2"(O.D.) metal pipe recovered 3" below grade.
 - CORNER 2: 5/8" rebar TO BE SET
 - CORNER 2a: 4" X 4" concrete bound recovered 8" above grade.
 - CORNER 3: Unmonumented point in beaver pond.
 - CORNER 4: 5/8" rebar TO BE SET
 - CORNER 5: Unmonumented point
 - CORNER 6: Unmonumented point
 - CORNER 7: 3/4" rebar recovered 2" below grade.
 - CORNER 8: 3/4" rebar recovered 10" below grade in paved parking lot.
 - CORNER 9: 5/8" rebar TO BE SET
 - CORNER 10: 5/8" rebar TO BE SET
 - CORNER 11: 5/8" rebar TO BE SET
 - CORNER 12: Unmonumented point
 - CORNER 13: 3/4" rebar recovered 2" above grade.
 - CORNER 14: 3/4" rebar recovered flush with grade.
 - CORNER 14a: 1"(O.D.) metal pipe recovered 1" above grade.

Typical Stamped Caps on Set Monumentation
(not to scale)



Location Plan-n.t.s.

SURVEY NOTES

1. The purpose of this survey was to retrace and monument the lines and corners of two separate parcels of land. The first being lands deeded to The Jiddu/Sittu Trust, in Volume 949, Page 746 of the Town of Essex Land Records, dated February 22, 2016. The second being lands deeded to Gabriel & Diane Handy in Volume 818, Page 204 of the Town of Essex Land Records, dated July 5, 2010.
2. The following plats and plans recovered in the Essex Land Records and from other sources were used in aid of this survey:
 - a. Plat entitled, "Plan of a Portion of the Property of Earl C. & Mable W. Spencer, Essex Junction, Vermont", prepared by Warner-Griswold Corp., dated October, 1954 and is recorded in Volume 55, Page 360 of the Essex Land Records.
 - b. Plan entitled, "Project #U030-1(3) (Right-of-Way)", prepared by the Vermont highway Department, dated 1961. A partial copy of which was obtained at the Vermont Agency of Transportation District 5 Office in Colchester, Vermont.
 - c. Plat entitled, "Lot Division and Property Survey for Earl Spencer", prepared by Harvell & Tarte Surveyors, dated August, 1964 and is recorded in Volume 69, Page 140 of the Essex Land Records.
 - d. Plan entitled; "Final Lot and Street Layout for Pinecrest Glen, Proposed Subdivision, Pinecrest Drive, Essex Junction, Vermont", prepared by Green Mountain Surveys, dated June 13, 1977, last revised June 13, 1977 and is recorded in Map Slide #72 of the Essex Land Records.
 - e. Plat entitled; "The Maples Townhouses, Essex Junction, Developer/Builder Armand, Chris, Mike Senesac, Boundary & Topographic Survey", prepared by Kenneth W. Pinkham, L.S. 203, dated July 29, 1981 and is recorded in Map Slide #110 of the Essex Land Records.
 - f. Plat entitled; "Chase Commons & Professional Condominiums, Pinecrest Drive, Essex, Vermont, Property Plat", prepared by Leonard A. Lamoureux, L.S. 38, dated January 20, 1988, last revised August 19, 1993 and is recorded in Map Slide #286 of the Essex Land Records.
 - g. Plat entitled; "ALTA/ACSM Title Survey, Property of Donna M. Ringuette & Duane McGuire, 203 Pearl Street, Essex, Vermont", prepared by Ian A. Jewkes, L.S. 639, dated November 6, 2003 and is recorded in Map Slide #410 of the Essex Land Records.
 - h. Plat entitled; "ALTA/ACSM Title Survey, Boundary Survey for Sterling Corporate Tax Fund XXI, L.P., 203 Pearl Street, L.P., HDI Real Estate, Inc., Fidelity National Title Insurance Company of New York, and Key Bank National Association of the Property Owned by HDI Real Estate, Inc. at 203 Pearl Street in Essex Junction Vermont, 203 Pearl Street, Essex, Vermont", prepared by Ian A. Jewkes, L.S. 639, dated December 22, 2003, last revised December 29, 2003 and is recorded in Map Slide #411 of the Essex Land Records.
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3. The northerly side line of Pearl Street (Vermont Route 15) was established from existing monumentation recovered on site and information taken from the plan noted in 2b.
4. Unless otherwise noted, the physical location of underground utilities were not determined by this survey.
5. The information on this plat reflects conditions that were existing at the time of the survey both at the project location and in the land records of the Town of Essex as of November, 2015.
6. The direction of this survey is relative to Vermont Grid North (NAD83, VT-4400) as determined by Network RTK-GPS observations made on site November 12, 2015.

BOUNDARY NOTES

1. This hatched area represents lands where title was found to still be held by Ernest A. Martin, original grantor to lands of The Jiddu/Sittu Trust and a portion of lands of 203 Pearl Street, L.P. Said lands were deeded to Ernest A. Martin in Volume 35, Page 392 of the Essex Land Records, dated October 14, 1924. No conveyance could be found in the Town of Essex Land Records where the above portion of land was ever deeded out by said Ernest A. Martin to any party.
2. This hatched area represents lands where title was found to still be held by W.C. Fenwick, original grantor to a portion of lands of 203 Pearl Street, L.P. Said lands were deeded to W.C. Fenwick in Volume 33, Page 438 of the Essex Land Records, dated October 4, 1920.

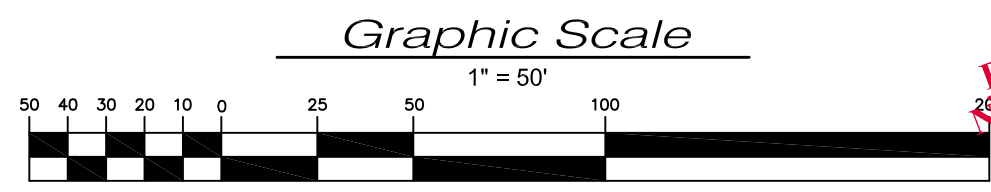
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SCALE	1"=50'	BOUNDARY PLAT of Lands Owned by THE JIDDU/SITTU TRUST and Lands Owned by GABRIEL & DIANE HANDY	
		197 & 195 Pearl Street (Vermont Route 15) Village of Essex Junction, County of Chittenden, State of Vermont	
		DATE	10/27/2016
		JOB	2015-96
		FILE	2015-96-PLAT
		PLAN SHEET #	PL1

Approved by the Resolution of the Planning Commission of the Village of Essex Junction, Vermont on the _____ day of _____, 20____, subject to the requirements and conditions of said Resolution.
Signed this _____ day of _____, 20____, by _____
Chairman or Clerk

LEGEND

- Found Corner Monument (See Corner List) ○ □
- Set Corner Monument (See Corner List) ●
- Unmonumented Point ▲
- Corner Number (See Corner List) "5"
- Utility Pole ○
- Subject Boundary Line ————
- Adjoining Boundary Line ————
- Record Boundary Line ————
- Survey Tie Line ————
- Overhead Utility Line — E — E — E —
- Stockade Fence —○—○—○—○—○—○—

Town of Essex Clerk's Office Received for Record
This _____ day of _____ A.D. 20____, at _____ o'clock _____ minutes _____ M. and filed in: _____
City Clerk



PRELIMINARY PLAT
NOT FOR RECORDING

Seth W. Kittredge, L.S. 060709

THE INFORMATION ON THIS PLAT IS A COMPILATION AND REVIEW OF PERTINENT LAND RECORD INFORMATION, FIELD MEASUREMENTS, PAROL EVIDENCE AND OTHER STATE AND LOCAL DOCUMENTS. THIS PLAT IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH 27 V.S.A. 1403 AND CURRENT RULES SET FORTH BY THE VERMONT BOARD OF LAND SURVEYORS. THIS PLAT IS ONLY VALID WITH MY ORIGINAL SEAL AND SIGNATURE.



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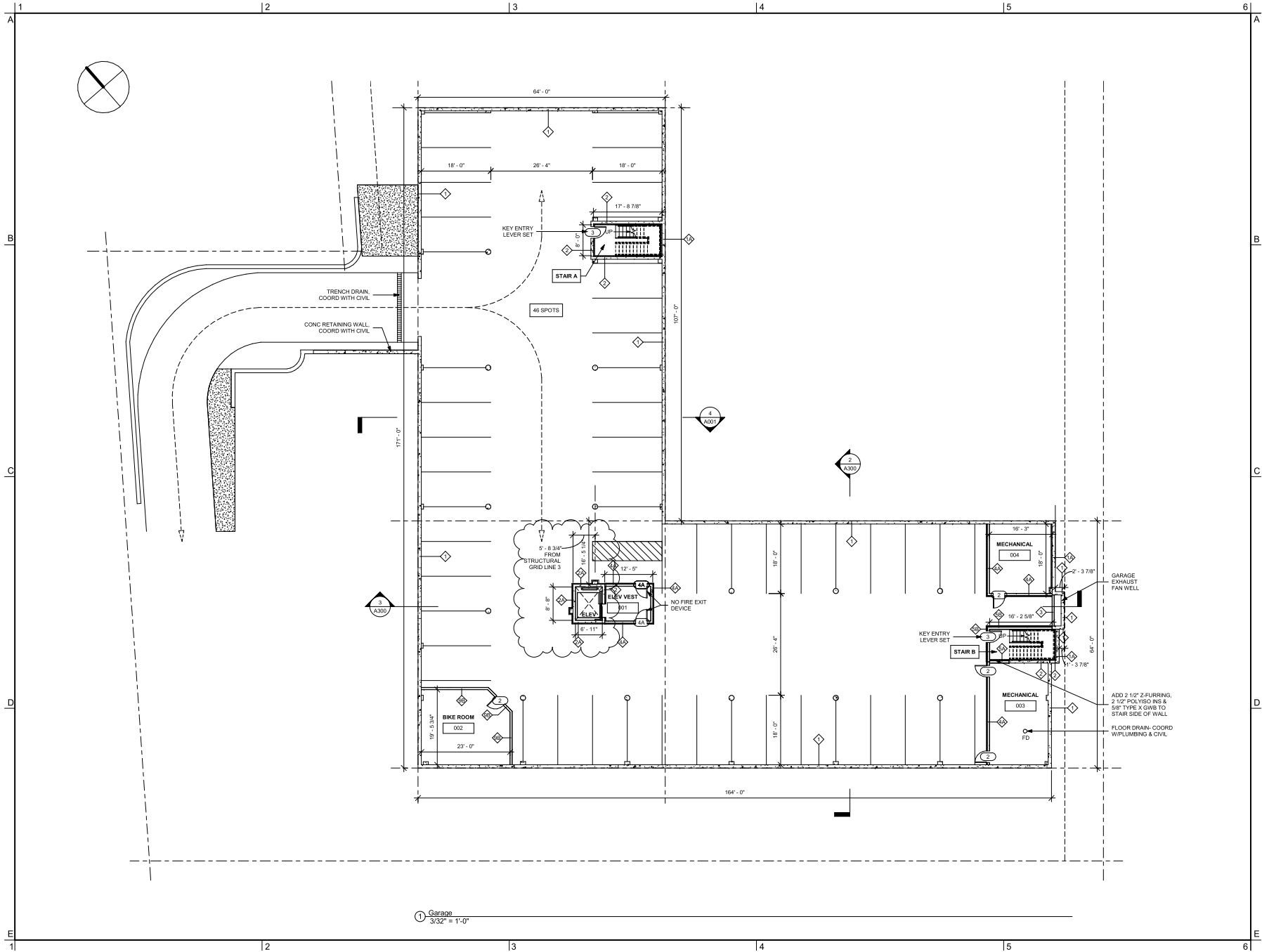
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Scale: 3/32" = 1'-0"





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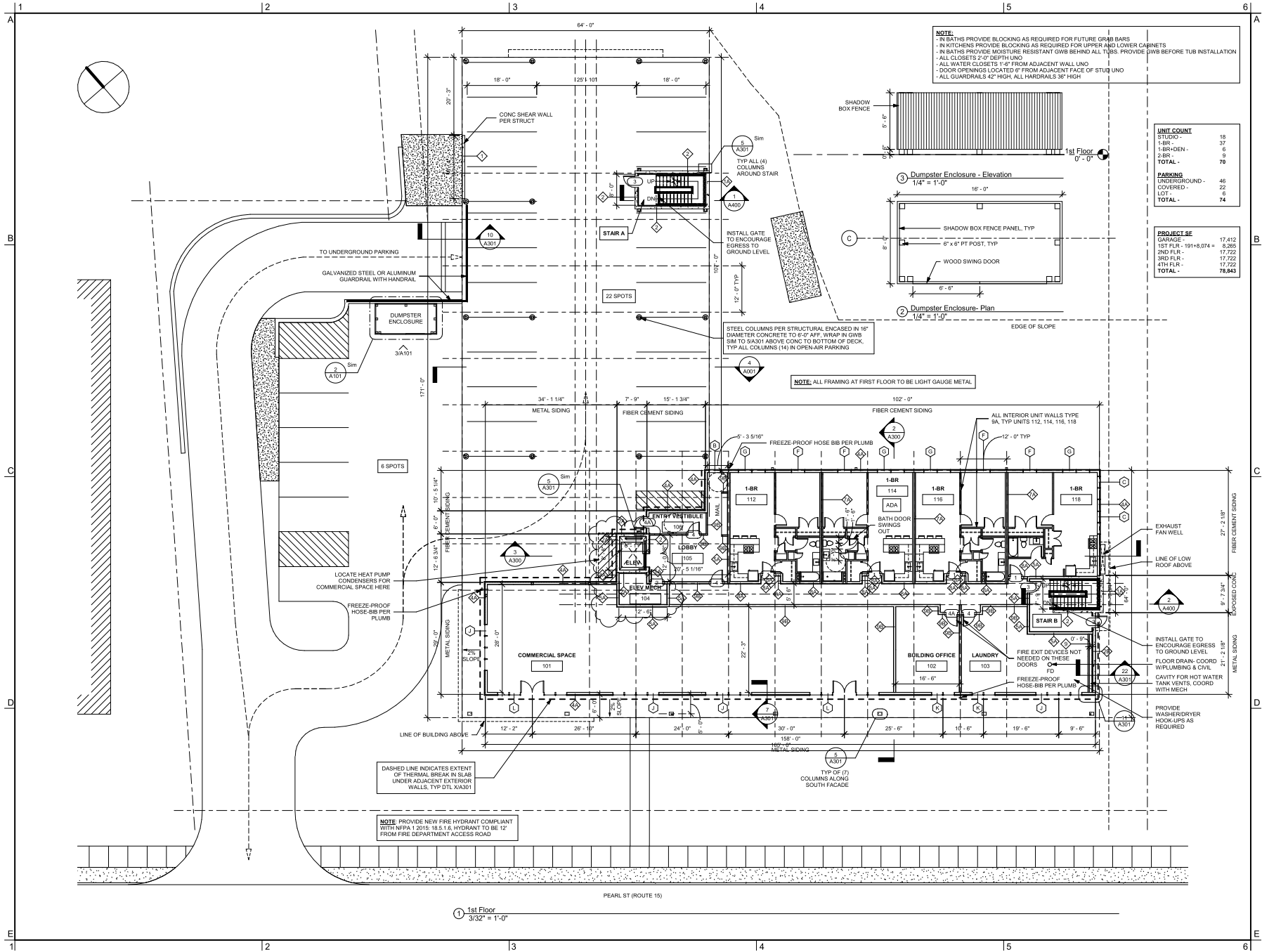
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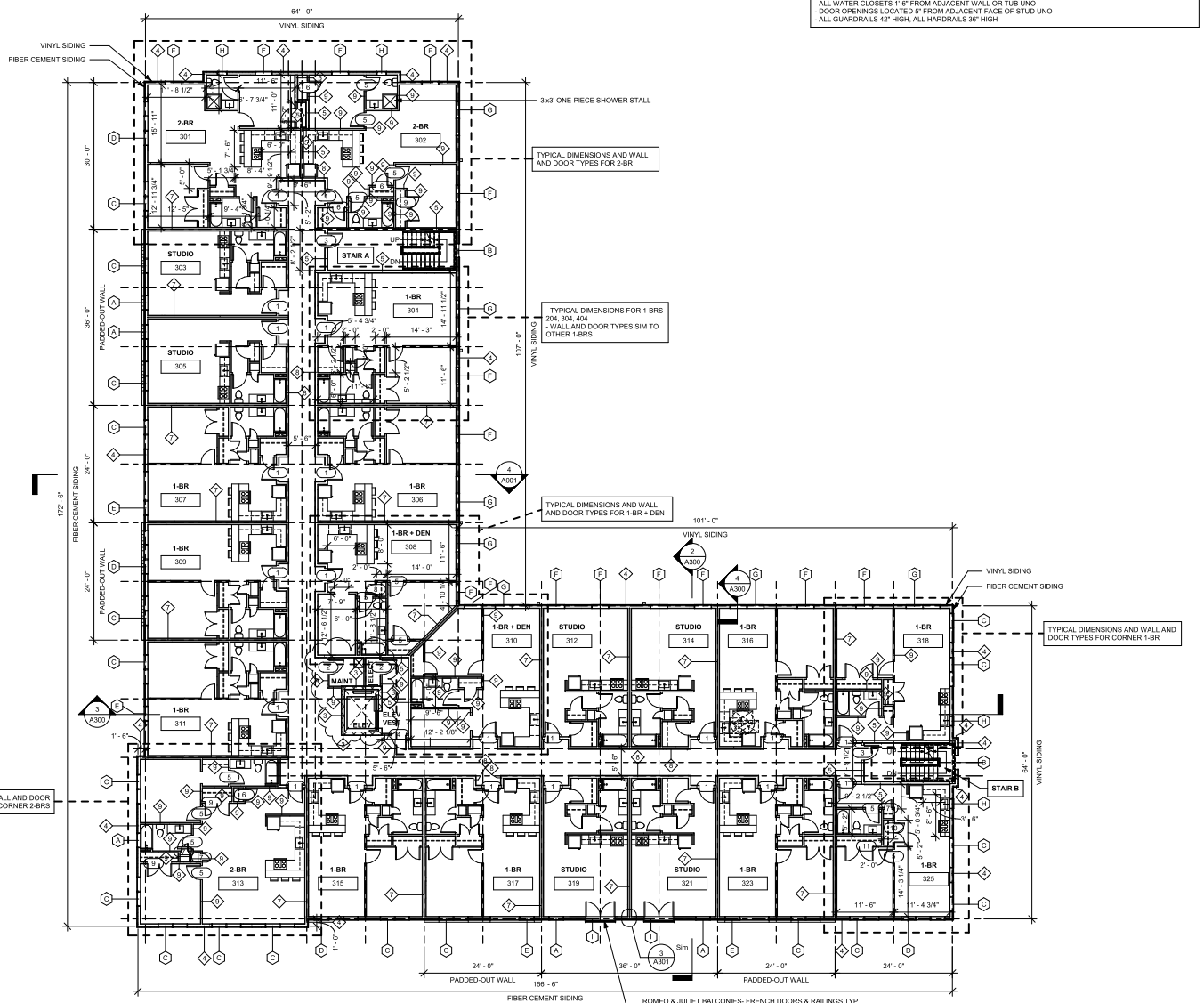
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Scale: As indicated





NOTE:
 - IN BATHS PROVIDE BLOCKING AS REQUIRED FOR FUTURE GRAB BARS
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 - DOOR OPENINGS LOCATED 5" FROM ADJACENT FACE OF STUD UNO
 - ALL GUARDRAILS 42" HIGH. ALL HANDRAILS 36" HIGH

① 3rd Floor
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THIRD FLOOR PLAN

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Project Phase:	FOR CONSTRUCTION

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Scale: 3/32" = 1'-0"



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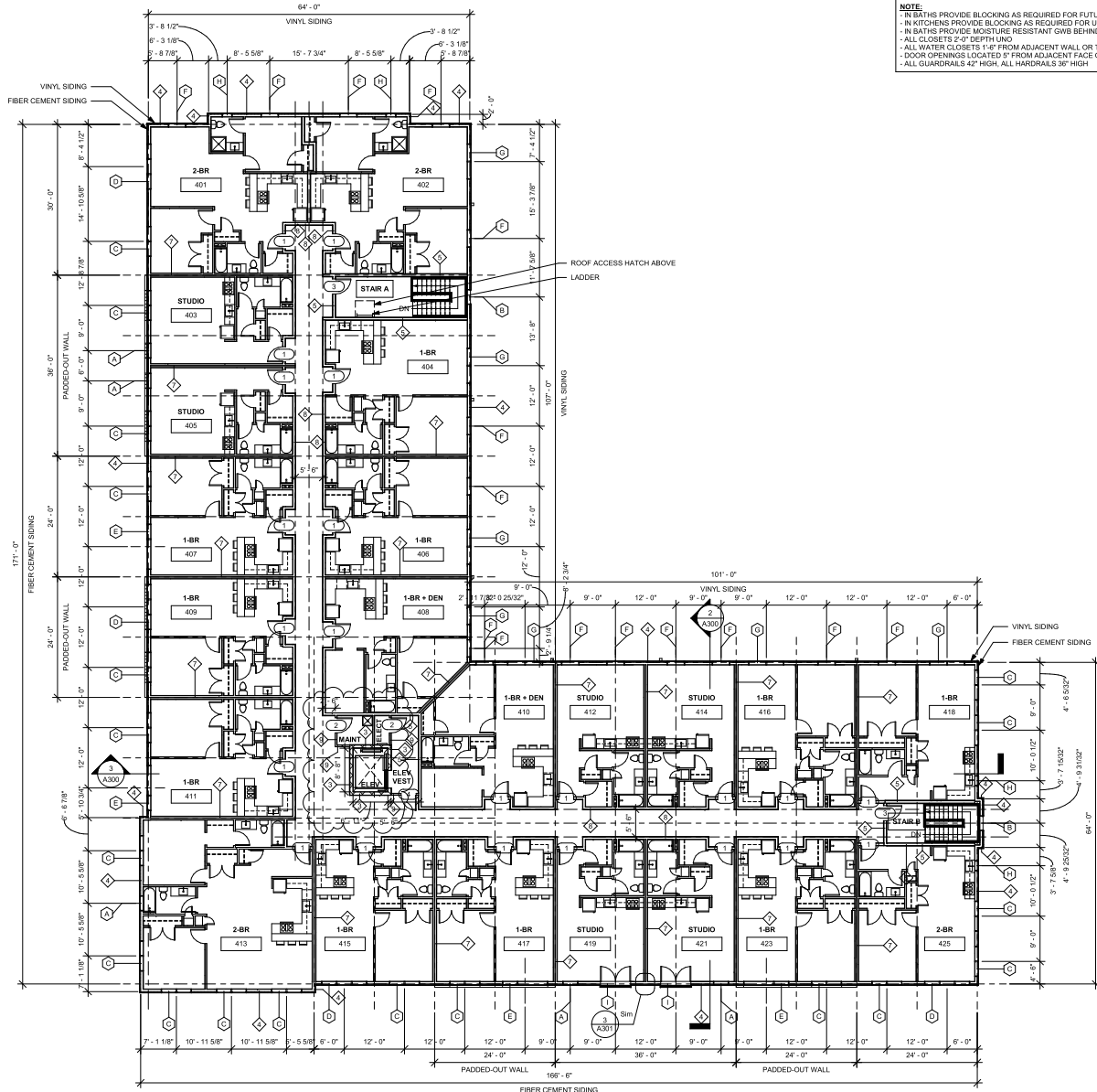
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FOURTH FLOOR
PLAN

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Project Phase: FOR CONSTRUCTION

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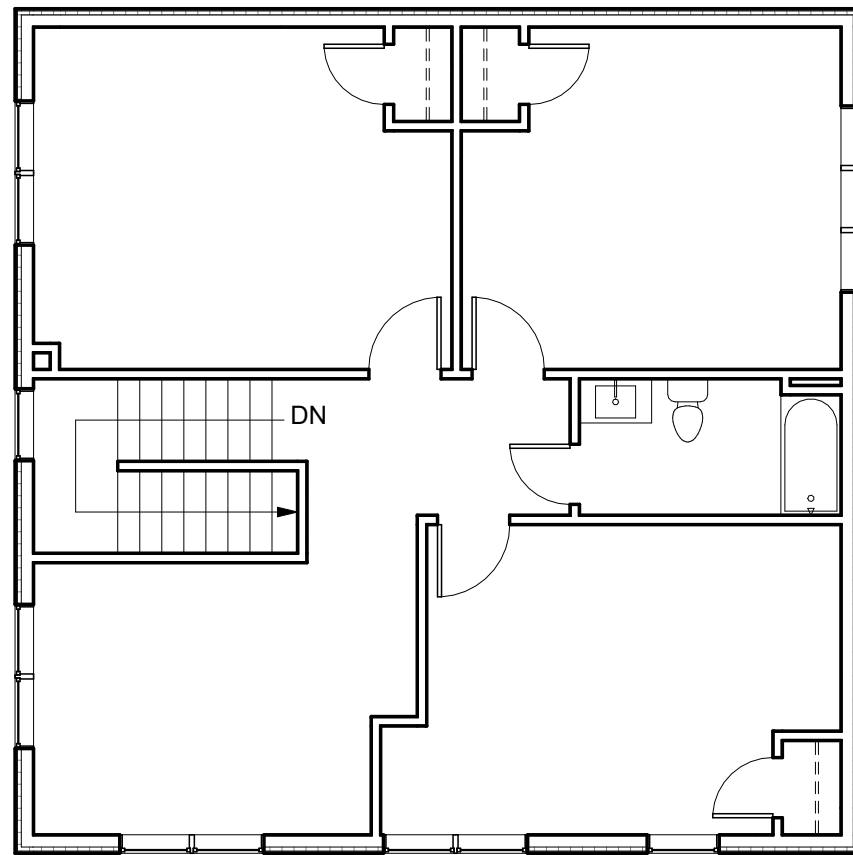


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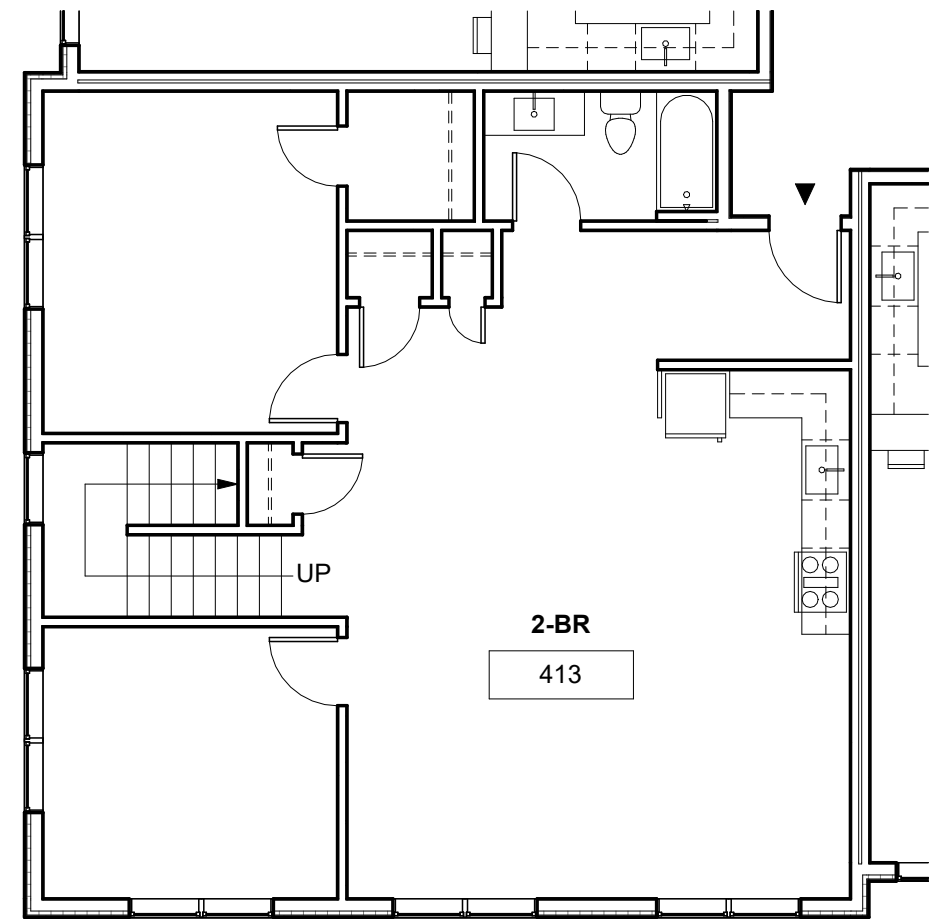
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Unit 413 Floor Plans

Project: Pearl St Essex Jct

Date: 12/1/22

Scale: 1/8" = 1'-0"



Re: 197 Pearl St- amendments forthcoming?

From Greg Dixon <greg.dixon@krebsandlansing.com>

Date Wed 3/12/2025 12:30 PM

To Michael Giguere <mgiguere@essexjunction.org>

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Hey Michael,

We went out and surveyed the building. From our calculation the building is approximately 53' at its highest point, the 5th story.

I will share the affordability covenant with Gabe. I am not sure if he is back from his trip. I would likely work this to be a condition of approval but I am sure we can work it out.

Thanks,

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Affordable Housing Height Bonus Criteria and Reporting Requirements

The Vermont HOME Act of 2023, Act 47 (S.100) adds the allowance for an additional floor¹ for qualifying "affordable housing developments", defined in 24 V.S.A. § 4303 as:

*a housing development of which at least 20 percent of the units or a minimum of five units, whichever is greater, are **affordable housing** units. Affordable units shall be subject to covenants or restrictions that preserve their affordability for a minimum of 15 years or longer as provided in municipal bylaws.*

For rental units, 24 V.S.A. § 4303 defines Affordable Housing as:

housing for which the total annual cost of renting, including rent, utilities, and condominium association fees, does not exceed 30 percent of the gross annual income of a household at 80 percent of the highest of the following:

- (i) the county median income, as defined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development;*
- (ii) the standard metropolitan statistical area median income if the municipality is located in such an area, as defined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; or*
- (iii) the statewide median income, as defined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.*

Does your property qualify as an affordable housing development?

To qualify, the overall rent of the required "affordable units", inclusive of utilities and fees, must be no more than the maximum rent thresholds based on the criteria above. These limits are summarized on the Vermont Housing Finance Agency's monthly summary here:

<https://www.housingdata.org/documents/purchase-price-and-rent-affordability.pdf>

As of November 2023, the applicable maximum gross rent for affordable units, inclusive of utilities and fees are as follows:

Maximum Affordable Rent by unit type 2023, inclusive of utilities and fees²			
Studio / Efficiency	1 Bedroom	2 Bedroom	3 Bedroom
\$1,590	\$1,704	\$2,045	\$2,363

What if some utilities and fees are paid by the tenant?

If some or all utilities are excluded from the rent, refer to the Vermont State Housing Authority's current schedule of "Allowances for Tenant Furnished Utilities and Other Services". These utility allowances are subtracted from the maximum affordable rent.

¹ additional floor beyond what is otherwise allowed in a zoning district, in areas served by municipal water and sewer.

² Maximum gross rent are based on HUD guidance stipulating that homes have at least 1 bedroom for every 1.5 people in the household. This means that the affordable rent and purchase price of a 1-bedroom home are based on the average of the median incomes of 1 person household and of a 2-person household as a proxy for the median income of a "1.5-person household". The affordable rent and purchase price for a 2-bedroom home are based on the median income of a 3-person household (i.e., 2 bedrooms x 1.5 people/bedroom = 3-person household). For a 3-bedroom home, the rent and price are based on the average of the median incomes of a 4- and 5-person household.



As of November 2023, the following is a sample of the typical Allowances for Tenant Furnished Utilities and Other Services:

Utility or Service	0 BR	1 BR	2 BR	3 BR
Natural Gas Heating	\$ 93	\$ 105	\$ 111	\$ 118
Natural Gas Cooking	\$ 4	\$ 4	\$ 6	\$ 8
Other Electric	\$ 38	\$ 44	\$ 62	\$ 79
Electric Water Heating	\$ 28	\$ 33	\$ 42	\$ 51
Water and Sewer	\$ 55	\$ 58	\$ 77	\$ 105
Trash Collection	\$ 78	\$ 78	\$ 78	\$ 78

Reporting Requirements

For applicants who wish to utilize the Act 47 height bonus, these requirements may be included by the Development Review Board as a condition of approval. Upon site plan approval, applicants must:

1. Provide the Community Development Department with copies of any covenants or restrictions in place to preserve affordability for at least 15 years.
2. Fulfil annual reporting requirements by December 31 of each year during the 15-year period:
 - a. Submit a completed Affordable Housing Rent Reporting Form,
 - b. Submit copies of the lease documents for all affordable housing units on the property, or by random sampling as requested by the Community Development Department.



Use Tables for WW Flows based on Wastewater System and Potable Water Supply Rules

Generated by Greg Dixon, P.E. - Date 02/05/2025

Permitted - WW-4-5537 - April 1, 2021

Type - Wastewater	Amount	Unit Type	Rate (GPD Per Participant)	Gallons Per Day
Single Bedroom Dwelling Units	52	DUs	140	7280
Two Bedroom Dwelling Units	15	DUs	210	3150
Retail Space	3,439	Square Feet	0.04	138

TOTALS: 10568 GPD

Type - Water	Participants		Rate (GPD Per Participant)	Gallons Per Day
Single Bedroom Dwelling Units	52	DUs	140	7280
Two Bedroom Dwelling Units	15	DUs	280	4200
Retail Space	3,439	Square Feet	0.04	138

TOTALS: 11618 GPD

What Was Constructed via Conversations with City Staff and Owner

Type - Wastewater	Amount	Unit Type	Rate (GPD Per Participant)	Gallons Per Day
Single Bedroom Dwelling Units*	61	DUs	140	8540
Two Bedroom Dwelling Units	8	DUs	210	1680
Multi-bedroom Dwelling Units*	1	DUs	210	210
Retail Space	3,000	Square Feet	0.04	120

TOTALS: 10550 GPD

Type - Water	Participants		Rate (GPD Per Participant)	Gallons Per Day
Single Bedroom Dwelling Units*	61	DUs	140	8540
Two Bedroom Dwelling Units	8	DUs	280	2240
Multi-bedroom Dwelling Units*	1	DUs	360	360
Retail Space	3,000	Square Feet	0.04	120

TOTALS: 11260 GPD

* Only unit which has more than 2 bedrooms is on the fourth floor. Corner unit has an upstairs creating a fifth story to the building. This unit would then be a 4-bedroom unit or multi-bedroom unit.

* From conversations with City staff and the Owner, there were three storage units identified on the last set of architectural plans. These storage units during construction were retrofitted to become studio apartments. Keeping these units would generate 3 additional dwelling units.