



City of Port Colborne Meeting to Consider Agenda

Date: Wednesday, September 18, 2024
Time: 6:30 pm
Location: Council Chambers, 3rd Floor, City Hall
66 Charlotte Street, Port Colborne

Pages

1. Call to Order
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Disclosures of Interest
4. Municipal Drain

Requests to delegate, both written and appearing virtually, will be accepted until noon the day of the meeting by contacting deputyclerk@portcolborne.ca. Please note residents are not required to register as a delegation to address Council.

4.1 Presentation: B. Widner, P.Eng. Spriet Associates London Limited

4.2 Delegations

4.3 Meeting to Consider the Northland Estates Drain, 2024-163

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That Public Works Department Report 2024-163 be received; and

That the Mayor and Acting Clerk be directed to execute a by-law to provisionally adopt the Northland Estates Municipal Drain Engineer's Report, dated August 14, 2024, prepared by Brandon Widner, P. Eng. Of Spriet Associates Engineers & Architects, under Section 4, Chapter D. 17 of the Drainage Act R.S.O. 1990; and

That Councillor _____, Councillor _____ and Councillor _____ as an alternate for the City of Port Colborne be appointed to sit on the Court of Revision.

5. By-laws

5.1 By-law to Provide for a Section 4 Engineer's Report for Drainage works in the City of Port Colborne In the Regional Municipality of Niagara Known as the Northland Estates Municipal Drain (Provisional - First and Second Reading).

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5.2 By-law to Adopt, Ratify and Confirm the Proceedings of the Council of
The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne at its Meeting to Consider of
September 18, 2024

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6. Adjournment



Subject: Meeting to Consider the Northland Estates Drain

To: Council

From: Public Works Department

Report Number: 2024-163

Meeting Date: September 18, 2024

Recommendation:

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That Councillor _____, Councillor _____ and Councillor _____ as an alternate for the City of Port Colborne be appointed to sit on the Court of Revision.

Purpose:

At the August 27, 2024, Council Meeting, Council approved Report 2024-161, which allowed staff to proceed to the Meeting to Consider for the Northland Estates Municipal Drain. The purpose of this report is to provide Council with the requisite procedure to move the Engineer's Report forward to the Court of Revision.

Background:

Council Report 2024-161 provided the history and background of the Northland Estates Municipal Drain. In the report, staff informed Council that the final version of the Engineer's Report for the Northland Estates Drain was received from Spriet Associates Engineers & Architects and was filed with the City Clerk on August 26, 2024. Council then directed staff to proceed to the Meeting to Consider.

The *Drainage Act, R.S.O. 1990* (the Act), requires a copy of the Northland Estates Municipal Drain Engineer's Report to be sent to all assessed landowners within 30 days of receipt. To meet this requirement, a notification was mailed on August 29, 2024, which provided instructions on how to review the Engineer's Report on the City's website, at City Hall or the City Library. If there were any issues encountered, the Drainage Superintendent could be contacted for a hard copy of the report.

Discussion:

At this meeting, Council and the assessed property owners, will be provided with a presentation by the Engineer of record, Brandon Widner, P. Eng., of Spriet Associates Architects & Engineers, outlining the details of the Northland Estates Municipal Drain Report.

The property owners who were notified under Sections 41(1) and 41(2) that choose to attend the Meeting to Consider are to be provided an opportunity to ask questions of the Engineer or express any concerns over the Engineer's Report related to design or any gross errors in the report. Should the Meeting to Consider reveal any errors in the Engineer's Report, Council may refer the report back to the Engineer for reconsideration. However, under no circumstances is Council to refer the report back to the Engineer regarding assessments. Concerns related to assessments are a function of the Court of Revision.

Additionally, at this meeting, as per Section 42 of the Act, anyone wishing to remove or add their name to a petition for further drainage, may do so at this time.

At this meeting, the City's representatives on the Court of Revision are to be appointed. As per Section 97(3) of the Act, Council is required to appoint three members, with one of the members acting as chair of the Court of Revision. An alternate is also required during the selection.

An agenda to guide the selected Council members through the Court of Revision along with key notes will be provided prior to the Court of Revision which is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday October 23, 2024.

Financial Implications:

All upfront administration and financing costs have already been borne by the City of Port Colborne. All construction costs will additionally be borne by the City of Port Colborne. Once the report is adopted and the construction is completed, the financing and cost of the project will then be expensed to the petitioner as they are the only ones assessed for the construction of the works.

Eligible drainage works costs will be recorded to a drainage account established for the drainage set out in this report. That account will be charged interest at the City's Bank Prime Rate + 2% to temporarily finance the drainage works.

The total estimated cost of the project is \$189,900. Included in the report are the maintenance schedules for maintenance. Attention is brought to the maintenance schedules to assist individuals of what their percentage will be on future maintenance activities. The breakdown of the total estimate for all works is as follows:

Roll 030-038-25400 - \$189,900

Public Engagement:

The engineer has held meetings with the affected landowners within the assessed area. A meeting was held at the Engineering & Operations building as well as on site. Additional phone calls and emails have also taken place with the landowner who has petitioned for the drainage works.

Strategic Plan Alignment:

The initiative contained within this report supports the following pillar(s) of the strategic plan:

- Increased Housing Options
 - Sustainable and Resilient Infrastructure
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Conclusion:

That Council approve this report and the provisional by-law for the Northland Estates Municipal Drainage works to proceed to the next step of the Drainage Act, the Court of Revision.

Appendices:

- a. Engineer's Report for Northland Estates Drain
- b. Engineer's Plan and Profile for the Northland Estates Drain

Respectfully submitted,

Alana Vander Veen
Drainage Superintendent
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Report Approval:

All reports reviewed and approved by the Department Director and also the City Treasurer when relevant. Final review and approval by the Chief Administrative Officer.

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

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City of Port Colborne

To the Mayor and Council of
the City of Port Colborne

Mayor and Council:

We are pleased to present our report on the construction of the Northland Estates Municipal Drain serving parts of Lot 31, Concession 2 (geographic Humberstone) in the City of Port Colborne. The total watershed area contains approximately 45 hectares.

AUTHORIZATION

This report was prepared pursuant to Section 4 of the Drainage Act. Instructions were received from your Municipality with respect to a motion of Council. The work was initiated by a petition signed by one of the affected landowners.

DRAINAGE AREA

The total watershed area as described above contains approximately 45 hectares. The area requiring drainage for the Northland Estates Drain is described as land in the north half of Lot 31, Concession 2.

HISTORY

The Eagle Marsh Drain Extension was originally constructed pursuant to a report submitted by J.R. Scott, P. Eng., dated January 1955 and consisted of 2,655 lineal meters of open drain improvements from Highway No. 3 in the Township of Wainfleet, Lot 2, Concession 2 which headed north-easterly into the City of Port Colborne (former Humberstone Township), to its head in the east part of Lot 31, Concession 2.

The drain was more recently improved downstream pursuant to a report by J.B. Wiebe, P.Eng., dated March 31, 1987, and consisted of 1,677 lineal meters of drain improvement, all located in the Township of Wainfleet.

EXISTING DRAINAGE CONDITIONS

A site meeting was held with respect to the project and through later discussions the owners reported the following:

EXISTING DRAINAGE CONDITIONS (cont'd)

- that the owners of 2600261 Ontario Inc. (Roll No. 8-254) indicated that they intend to develop their lands in the future and require a legal outlet for a future stormwater management facility
- multiple owners who reside on Coronation Drive and back onto the 30/31 lot line were in attendance and provided concerns with drainage in the rear of their lands and any future construction of a drain in the rear of their lots
- the owner of 857697 Ontario Ltd. (Roll No. 8-141) was also in attendance and provided input with regards to a future work on their lands

A field investigation and survey were completed. Upon reviewing our findings we note the following:

- that the existing drain in the residential lands has been enclosed in some locations and multiple sheds have been constructed over or in close proximity to the drain, making any improvements difficult
- that there are many large trees along the lot line of Lots 30 and 31

Preliminary design, cost estimates, and assessments were prepared and circulated to the affected owners to review the findings and preliminary proposals. Further input and requests were provided by the affected owners at that time and at later dates. Based on the proposed design it was decided to proceed with the report.

DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

The drain was designed to accommodate flow from a design storm with a 2-year return period in accordance with Publication 852 by the Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and Rural Affairs.

We would like to point out that there have been no indications of any adverse soil conditions. It should be noted that no formal soil investigation has been made, with this information being provided by the owners.

The proposed design and report have been generally completed using the "GUIDE FOR ENGINEERS WORKING UNDER THE DRAINAGE ACT IN ONTARIO" OMAFRA Publication 852.

RECOMMENDATIONS

We are therefore recommending the following:

- that a new open drain, to be referred to as the Northland Estates Drain, be constructed starting at the Eagle Marsh Drain Extension and head north, parallel to the Lot 30/31 lot line, in the lands of 857697 Ontario Ltd. (Roll No. 8-141) for approximately 512 lineal meters, then head east in the lands of 2600261 Ontario Inc. (Roll No. 8-254), parallel to the residential lots for 182 lineal meters, for a total length of 694 lineal meters

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS AND MITIGATION MEASURES

There are no significant wetlands or sensitive areas within the affected watershed area or along the route of the drains. The proposed construction of the Northland Estates Drain includes quarry stone around bends which greatly helps reduce the overland surface flows and any subsequent erosion. A temporary flow check of silt fencing is to be installed in the ditch downstream of the tile outlet for the duration of the construction.

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED WORK

The proposed work consists of approximately 694 lineal meters of open ditch construction including quarry stone rip-rap bank protection and bank seeding.

SCHEDULES

Three schedules are attached hereto and form part of this report, being Schedule 'A' - Allowances, Schedule 'B' - Cost Estimate, and Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance.

Schedule 'A' - Allowances. In accordance with Sections 29 and 30 of the Drainage Act, allowances are provided for right-of-way and damages to lands and crops along the route of the drain as defined below.

Schedule 'B' - Cost Estimate. This schedule provides for a detailed cost estimate of the proposed work which is in the amount of \$189,900.00. This estimate includes engineering and administrative costs associated with this project.

Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance. In accordance with Section 38 of the Drainage Act, this schedule outlines the distribution of future repair and/or maintenance costs for portions of, or the entire drainage works.

Drawing No. 1, Job No. 219281-2, and specifications form part of this report. They show and describe in detail the location and extent of the work to be done and the lands which are affected.

ALLOWANCES

DAMAGES: Section 30 of the Drainage Act provides for the compensation to landowners along the drain for damages to lands and crops caused by the construction of the drain. The amount granted is based on \$4,647.00/ha. for open ditch work with excavated material. This base rate is multiplied by the hectares derived from the working widths shown on the plans and the applicable lengths.

RIGHT-OF-WAY Section 29 of the Drainage Act provides for an allowance to the owners whose land must be used for the construction, repair, or future maintenance of a drainage works.

For open ditches, the allowance provides for the loss of land due to the construction provided for in the report. The amounts granted are based on the value of the land, and the rate used was \$150,000.00/ha. When any buffer strip is incorporated and/or created, the allowance granted is for any land beyond a 1.8-meter width deemed to have always been part of the drain. For existing open ditches, the right-of-way to provide for the right to enter and restrictions imposed on those lands, is deemed to have already been granted.



ASSESSMENT DEFINITIONS

In accordance with the Drainage Act, lands that make use of a drainage works are liable for assessment for part of the cost of constructing and maintaining the system. These liabilities are known as benefit, outlet liability and special benefit liability as set out under Sections 22, 23, 24 and 26 of the Act.

BENEFIT as defined in the Drainage Act means the advantages to any lands, roads, buildings or other structures from the construction, improvement, repair, or maintenance of a drainage works such as will result in a higher market value, increased crop production, improved appearance, better control of surface or sub-surface water, or any other advantages relating to the betterment of lands, roads, buildings, or other structures.

OUTLET liability is assessed to lands or roads that may make use of a drainage works as an outlet either directly or indirectly through the medium of any other drainage works or of a swale, ravine, creek, or watercourse.

In addition, a Public Utility or Road Authority shall be assessed for and pay all the increased cost to a drainage works due to the construction and operation of the Public Utility or Road Authority. This may be shown as either benefit or special assessment.

ASSESSMENT

A modified "Todgham Method" was used to calculate the assessments shown on Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance. This entailed breaking down the costs of the drain into sections along its route. The remainder is then separated into Benefit and Outlet costs. The Benefit cost is distributed to those properties receiving benefit as defined under "Assessment Definitions", with such properties usually being located along or close to the route of the drain. The Outlet Costs are distributed to all properties within the watershed area of that section on an adjusted basis. The areas are adjusted for location along that section, and relative run-off rates. Due to their different relative run-off rates forested lands have been assessed for outlet at lower rates than cleared lands. Also, roads and residential properties have been assessed for outlet at higher rates than cleared farmlands.

We assess the entire cost of this report to the developer of the Subdivision, 2600261 Ontario Inc. (Roll No. 8-254). It is to be noted that the cost of this report is not eligible for the Provincial Agricultural Grant.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

If any additional work is required to the drainage works due to the existence of buried utilities such as gas pipelines, communications cables, etc. or if any of the utilities require relocation or repair then the extra costs incurred shall be borne by the utility involved in accordance with the provisions of Section 26 of the Drainage Act.

MAINTENANCE

Upon completion of construction all owners are hereby made aware of Sections 80 and 82 of the Drainage Act which forbid the obstruction of or damage or injury to a municipal drain.

After completion the entire Northland Estates Drain shall be maintained by the City of Port Colborne at the expense of all upstream lands and roads assessed in Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance and in the same relative proportions until such time as the assessment is changed under the Drainage Act.

Repairs or improvements to any road culvert or bridge or sub-surface road crossing required by the performance of this work and for future repair and/or replacement, shall be the responsibility of the applicable Road Authority, entirely at their cost.



BW:bv

Respectfully submitted,

SPRIET ASSOCIATES LONDON LIMITED

B. Widner, P.Eng.

SCHEDULE 'A' - ALLOWANCES

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

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In accordance with Sections 29 and 30 of the Drainage Act, we determine the allowances payable to owners entitled thereto as follows:

CONCESSION	LOT	ROLL NUMBER (Owner)	Section 29 Right-of-Way	Section 30 Damages	TOTALS
NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN					
2	Pt. 31	8-141 (857697 Ontario Ltd.)	\$ 69,120.00	\$ 3,570.00	\$ 72,690.00
2	Pt. 31	8-254 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	24,570.00	1,270.00	25,840.00
Total Allowances			\$ 93,690.00	\$ 4,840.00	\$ 98,530.00
TOTAL ALLOWANCES ON THE NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN					\$ 98,530.00

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We have made an estimate of the cost of the proposed work which is outlined in detail as follows:

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Mechanical brushing & clearing of trees on one side for excavation work	\$ 9,900.00
694 meters of open ditch construction	\$ 10,900.00
Levelling of excavated material beside ditch (where specified)	\$ 4,500.00
Quarry stone rip-rap protection around bends as shown on profile (Approximately 12m ³ quarry stone req'd)	\$ 1,900.00
Seeding of ditch banks and buffer strips (Approx 1200m ²)	\$ 1,000.00
Hauling of excavated material (Approx. 3500m ³)	\$ 23,900.00
Services of Land Surveyor to mark property lines	\$ 2,700.00
Exposing and locating existing utilities as required	\$ 1,000.00
Contingency	\$ 4,900.00
Allowances under Sections 29 and 30 of the Drainage Act	\$ 98,530.00

ADMINISTRATION

Interest and Net Harmonized Sales Tax	\$ 3,470.00
Survey, Plan and Final Report	\$ 20,900.00
Expenses	\$ 2,200.00
Supervision and Final Inspection	\$ <u>4,100.00</u>
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST	\$ <u><u>189,900.00</u></u>

SCHEDULE 'C' - ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

City of Port Colborne

Job No. 219281-2

Aug 14, 2024

CON.	LOT	HECTARES AFFECTED	ROLL No. (OWNER)	PERCENTAGE OF MAINTENANCE COST
MAIN DRAIN				
City of Port Colborne				
*	2	Pt. 31 5.35	8-141 (857697 Ontario Ltd.)	17.35 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-142 (E. Spruyt)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-143 (J. Deruyte)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-144 (A. Di Nunzio)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-145 (R. Rocco)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-146 (J. Rebelo)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-147 (W. Godin)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-148 (R. Beaulieu)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-148-01 (R. Wilcox)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-149 (K. Martel)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-150 (J. Horton)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.06	8-151 (J. Ciofi)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-151-20 (J. Ciolfi)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-152 (L. Provost-Doddridge)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-153 (D. Rusenstrom)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.27	8-154 (E. Hannah)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-155 (L. Paquet)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.18	8-156 (M. Coursey)	1.13
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-157 (M. Becker)	1.37
*	2	Pt. 31 0.18	8-158 (B. Redinger)	0.96
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-159 (M. Gallant)	0.94
*	2	Pt. 31 0.26	8-160 (J. De Wolff)	0.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-161 (M. Cote)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-162 (P. Koudijs)	0.11
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-163 (S. Cove)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-163-01 (B. Rotella)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-164 (Y. Verbeek)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-164-01 (R. McCord)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-165 (I. Peter)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-166 (A. Cleary)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-167 (M. Rutherford)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-167-01 (J. Trottier)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.05	8-168-02 (Cornerstone Homes Niagara Limited)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-169 (R. Romanyk)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-170 (F. Gelok)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-170-01 (B. Broughton)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-171 (S. Carter)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-171-01 (S. De Cicco)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-172 (I. Giancola)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-173 (W. Cronshaw)	0.01

SCHEDULE 'C' - ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

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CON.	LOT	HECTARES AFFECTED	ROLL No. (OWNER)	PERCENTAGE OF MAINTENANCE COST
MAIN DRAIN (cont'd)				
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-174 (L. Clifford)	0.03 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-175 (J. Noxel)	0.01
	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-175-01 (L. Stortz)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-176 (H. Light)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-177 (J. Bujan)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.09	8-178 (J. Carbonaro)	0.01
	2	Pt. 31 0.06	8-178-20 (D. Jones)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.16	8-179 (J. Wiatt)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-180 (R. Rotella)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-181 (D. Tannahill)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-182 (B. Williams)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-182-01 (P. Barbarossa)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-183 (P.C. City Hall)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.09	8-183-01 (G. Saltarelli)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-184 (W. Thomson)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-185 (N. Sullivan)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-186 (D. Emburgh)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-187 (R. Lord)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-187-01 (R. Madsen)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-188 (J. Romanyk)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.18	8-188-01 (R. Pagliaro)	0.11
*	2	Pt. 31 0.25	8-189 (K. Veldman)	0.14
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-190 (S. Vander Veen)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-191 (J. Bennett)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-192 (J. Rotella)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-193 (B. Barnai)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-194 (A. Sues)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-195 (D. Stuart)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-195-10 (R. Deschamps)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-195-15 (K. Burke)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-196 (A. Tedesco)	0.18
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-197 (R. Graham)	0.09
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-197-01 (M. Trembley)	0.44
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-198 (J. Murray-Schweyer)	1.20
*	2	Pt. 31 0.35	8-199 (L. Grant)	1.67
*	2	Pt. 31 0.31	8-200 (J. White)	1.52
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-201 (C. Hall)	1.69
*	2	Pt. 31 0.31	8-201-01 (H. Schilstra)	1.74
*	2	Pt. 31 0.36	8-202 (B. Day)	1.85
*	2	Pt. 31 0.30	8-202-01 (I. Townes)	1.64
*	2	Pt. 31 0.35	8-203 (M. Moreau)	2.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.29	8-204 (M. Whynot)	1.82
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-205 (K. Rohe)	1.02
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-206 (D. Bisnett)	0.49

SCHEDULE 'C' - ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN
City of Port Colborne

CON.	LOT	HECTARES AFFECTED	ROLL No. (OWNER)	PERCENTAGE OF MAINTENANCE COST
MAIN DRAIN (cont'd)				
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-206-01 (M. Trembley)	0.50 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.92	8-207 (Sobeys Capital Incorporated)	2.10
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-208 (A. Miller)	0.23
*	2	Pt. 31 0.23	8-209 (T. Nicholls)	0.26
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-210 (J. Wassenaar)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-211 (J. Gagnon)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-212 (M. Bryliov)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-213 (J. Clarke)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-214 (H. Reid)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-215 (J. Crumb)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.13	8-216 (A. Breau)	0.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-217 (R. Kirchmayer)	0.23
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-218 (D. Macleod)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-218-02 (J. Leggett)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-219 (M. Rubocki)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-220 (A. Desiri)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-221 (J. Roesch)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-222 (P. Di Pietro)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-223 (G. Caperchione)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-224 (D. Pidgen)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-224-01 (B. Agius)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-224-02 (J. Knight)	0.24
	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-224-14 (E. Todd)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-224-16 (E. Rhule)	0.09
*	2	Pt. 31 0.00	8-224-18 (P.C. City Hall)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-225 (C. Campbell)	0.26
*	2	Pt. 31 0.39	8-225-02 (C. Gunn)	0.88
*	2	Pt. 31 0.66	8-226 (J. Penner)	1.51
*	2	Pt. 31 0.25	8-227 (C. Labrie)	0.56
*	2	Pt. 31 0.37	8-228 (T. Lasovich)	0.85
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-228-02 (P. Chiomey)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-228-03 (T. Huffman)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.72	8-228-05 (S. Miller)	1.64
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-229 (T. Terfry)	0.75
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-247-01 (G. Evangelista)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-248 (W. Clapp)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-249 (T. Kostiuk)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-250 (C. Duquette)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.06	8-251 (R. Lariviere)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-251-01 (C. D'Angelo)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-251-02 (D. Duvall)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-252 (L. Langlois)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-253 (S. Kernaghan)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 12.68	8-254 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	33.32

SCHEDULE 'C' - ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN
City of Port Colborne

CON.	LOT	HECTARES AFFECTED	ROLL No. (OWNER)	PERCENTAGE OF MAINTENANCE COST
MAIN DRAIN (cont'd)				
*	2	Pt. 31 0.05	8-254-02 (R. Marr)	0.12 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-254-05 (S. Barrick)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-254-10 (M. Muscat)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.45	8-254-20 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	1.04
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-255 (2751131 Ontario Inc.)	0.27
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-256 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	0.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-257 (5050500 Ontario Inc.)	0.23
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-258 (S. Parisi)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-258-05 (D. Parisi)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-259 (J. Winger)	0.11
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-260 (J. Vandelaar)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-260-02 (D. Van Dyke)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.02	8-260-05 (R. Provost)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.02	8-261 (G. Maurer)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-262 (R. Marr)	0.47
				=====
TOTAL ASSESSMENT ON LANDS				92.23 %
				=====
Coronation Drive		1.64	City of Port Colborne	4.80 %
Corvette Street		0.25	City of Port Colborne	0.65
Merritt Parkway		1.55	City of Port Colborne	0.56
Northland Ave		0.30	City of Port Colborne	1.76
				=====
TOTAL ASSESSMENT ON ROADS				7.77 %
				=====
TOTAL ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE ON THE NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN				<u>100.00 %</u>

**SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION
OF
MUNICIPAL DRAINAGE WORKS**

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SECTION A

GENERAL WORK

A.1 COMMENCEMENT AND COMPLETION OF WORK

The work must commence immediately after the Contractor is notified of the acceptance of his tender or at a later date, if set out as a condition of the tender. If weather creates poor ground or working conditions the Contractor may be required, at the discretion of the Engineer, to postpone or halt work until conditions become acceptable.

As noted on the drawn, the contractor must first arrange for a preconstruction meeting to be held on the site with the Contractor and affected owners attending to review in detail the construction scheduling, access and other pertinent details. The Contractor's costs for attending this meeting shall be included in his lump sum tender price. If the Contractor leaves the job site for a period of time after initiation of work, he shall give the Engineer and the Superintendent a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours' notice prior to returning to the project.

The work must be proceeded with in such a manner as to ensure its completion at the earliest possible date and within the time limit set out in the tender or in the contract documents.

A.2 WORKING AREA AND ACCESS

The working area available to the Contractor to construct the drain and related works including an access route to the drain shall be as specified on the drawings.

Should the specified widths become inadequate due to unusual conditions, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer immediately in order that negotiations with the affected owners can take place.

Where a Contractor exceeds the specified widths due to the nature of his operations and without authorization, he shall be held responsible for the costs of all additional damages and the amount shall be deducted from his contract price and paid to the affected owners by the Municipality.

A.3 ROAD CROSSINGS

.1 General

- .1 Scope: These specifications apply to all road crossings - Municipal, County, Regional, or Highway Roads. Where the word "Authority" is used, it shall be deemed to apply to the appropriate owning authority. These specifications in no way limit the Authority's Specifications and Regulations governing the construction of drains on their Road Allowance. The Authority will supply no labour, equipment or materials for the construction of the road crossing unless otherwise noted on the drawings.
- .2 Road Occupancy Permit: Where applicable the Contractor must submit an Application for a Road Occupancy Permit to the Authority and allow a minimum of 5 working days (exclusive of holidays) for its review and issuance.
- .3 Road Closure Request and Construction Notification: The Contractor shall submit written notification of construction and request for road closure (if applicable) to the Road Authority/Public Works Manager and the Drainage Engineer or Superintendent for review and approval a minimum of five (5) working days (exclusive of holidays) prior to proceeding with any work on road allowance. It shall be the Road Authority's responsibility to notify all the applicable emergency services, schools, etc. of the road closure or construction taking place.
- .4 Traffic Control: Where the Contractor is permitted to close the road to through traffic, the Contractor shall provide for and adequately sign the detour route to the satisfaction of the Road Authority. Otherwise, the Contractor shall keep the road open to traffic at all times. The Contractor shall provide, for the supply, erection and maintenance, suitable warning signs and/or flagmen in accordance with the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices and to the satisfaction of the Road Authority to notify the motorists of work on the road ahead.



A.3 **ROAD CROSSINGS** (cont'd)

- .5 **Site Meeting/Inspection**: A site meeting shall be held with the affected parties to review in detail the crossing and/or its related works. The Authority's Inspector and/or the Drainage Engineer will inspect the work while in progress to ensure that the work is done in strict accordance with the specifications.
- .6 **Weather**: No construction shall take place during inclement weather or periods of poor visibility.
- .7 **Equipment**: No construction material and/or equipment is to be left within 3 meters of the edge of pavement overnight or during periods of inclement weather.

.2 **Jacking and Boring**

- .1 **Material**: The bore pipe shall consist of new, smooth wall steel pipe, meeting the requirements of H20 loading for road crossings and E80 loading for railway crossings. The minimum size, wall thickness and length shall be as shown on the drawings. Where welding is required, the entire circumference of any joint shall be welded using currently accepted welding practices.
- .2 **Site Preparation and Excavation**: Where necessary, fences shall be carefully taken down as specified in the General Conditions. Prior to any excavation taking place, all areas which will be disturbed shall be stripped of topsoil. The topsoil is to be stockpiled in locations away from the bore operation, off the line of future tile placement and out of existing water runs or ditches. The bore pit shall be located at the upstream end of the bore unless otherwise specified or approved. Bore pits shall be kept back at least 1 meter from the edge of pavement and where bore pits are made in any portion of the shoulder, the excavated material shall be disposed of off the road allowance and the pit backfilled with thoroughly compacted Granular "A" for its entire depth.
- .3 **Installation**: The pipe shall be installed in specified line and grade by a combination of jacking and boring. Upon completion of the operations, both ends of the bore pipe shall be left uncovered until the elevation has been confirmed by the Engineer or Superintendent. The ends of the bore pipe shall be securely blocked off and the location marked by means of a stake extending from the pipe invert to 300mm above the surrounding ground surface.
- .4 **Unstable Soil or Rock**: The Contractor shall contact the Engineer immediately should unstable soil be encountered or if boulders of sufficient size and number to warrant concern are encountered. Any bore pipe partially installed shall be left in place until alternative methods or techniques are determined by the Engineer after consultation with the Contractor, the Superintendent and the owning authority.
- .5 **Tile Connections**: Prior to commencement of backfilling, all tile encountered in excavations shall be reconnected using material of a size comparable to the existing material. Where the excavation is below the tile grade, a compacted granular base is to be placed prior to laying the tile. Payment for each connection will be made at the rate outlined in the Form of Tender and Agreement.
- .6 **Backfill**: Unless otherwise specified, the area below the proposed grade shall be backfilled with a crushed stone bedding. Bore pits and excavations outside of the shoulder area may be backfilled with native material compacted to a density of 95% Standard Proctor. All disturbed areas shall be neatly shaped, have the topsoil replaced and hand seeded. Surplus material from the boring operation shall be removed from the site at the Contractor's expense.
- .7 **Restoration**: The entire affected area shall be shaped and graded to original lines and grades, the topsoil replaced, and the area seeded down at the rate of 85 kg/per ha. unless otherwise specified or in accordance with the M.T.O. Encroachment Permit. Fences shall be restored to their original condition in accordance with the General Conditions.
- .8 **Acceptance**: All work undertaken by the Contractor shall be to the satisfaction of the Engineer.



A.3 ROAD CROSSINGS (cont'd)

.3 Open Cut

- .1 Material: The culvert or sub-drain crossing pipe material shall be specified on the drawings.
- .2 Site Preparation and Excavation: Where necessary, fences shall be carefully taken down as specified in the general conditions. Prior to any excavation taking place, the areas which will be disturbed shall be stripped of topsoil. The topsoil is to be stockpiled in locations away from the construction area.
- .3 Installation: The pipe shall be installed using bedding and cover material in accordance with Standard Detailed Drawing No. 2 or detail provided on drawings.
- .4 Unstable Soil or Rock: The Contractor shall contact the Engineer immediately should unstable soil be encountered or if boulders of sufficient size and number to warrant concern are encountered.
- .5 Tile Connections: Prior to commencement of backfilling, all tiles encountered in excavations shall be reconnected using material of a size comparable to the existing material. Where the excavation is below the tile grade, a compacted granular base is to be placed prior to laying the tile. Payment for connections not shown on the drawings shall be an extra to the contract.
- .6 Backfill: Backfill from the top of the cover material up to the underside of road base shall meet the requirements for M.T.O. Granular "B". The backfill shall be placed in lifts not exceeding 300mm in thickness and each lift shall be thoroughly compacted to produce a density of 98% Standard Proctor. Granular "B" road base for County Roads and Highways shall be placed to a 450mm thickness and Granular "A" shall be placed to a thickness of 200mm, both meeting M.T.O. requirements. Granular road base materials shall be thoroughly compacted to produce a density of 100% Standard Proctor.

Where the road surface is paved, the Contractor shall be responsible for placing an HL-4 Hot Mix Asphalt patch of the same thickness as the existing pavement. The asphalt patch shall be flush with the existing roadway on each side and not overlap. If specified, the asphalt patch shall not be placed immediately over the road base and the Granular "A" shall be brought up flush with the existing asphalt and a liberal amount of calcium chloride shall be spread on the gravel surface. The asphalt patch must be completed within the time period set out on the drawing.

The excavated material from the trench beyond a point 2.5 meters from the travelled portion or beyond the outside edge of the gravel shoulder, may be used as backfill in the trench in the case of covered drains. This material should be compacted in layers not exceeding 600mm.

A.4 SURPLUS EXCAVATED MATERIAL AND GRAVEL

Excess excavated material from open cut installation through roads, railways, laneways and lawn/grass areas, shall be removed and disposed of off-site by the Contractor as part of their lump sum installation price. If as a result of any work, gravel or crushed stone is required and not all the gravel or crushed stone is used in the construction of the works, the Contractor shall haul away such surplus gravel or stone unless otherwise approved.

A.5 FENCES

No earth shall be placed against fences and all fences removed by the Contractor are to be replaced by him in as good condition as found. In general, the Contractor will not be allowed to cut existing fences but shall disconnect existing fences at the nearest anchor post or other such fixed joint and shall carefully roll it back out of the way. Where the distance to the closest anchor post or fixed joint exceeds 50 meters, the Contractor will be allowed to cut and splice in accordance with accepted methods and to the satisfaction of the owner and the Engineer or Superintendent. Where existing fences are deteriorated to the extent that existing materials are not salvageable for replacement, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer or the Superintendent prior to dismantling. Fences damaged beyond salvaging by the Contractor's negligence shall be replaced with new materials, similar to those existing, at the Contractor's expense. The replacement of the fences shall be done to the satisfaction of the owner and the Engineer or Superintendent. The site examination should indicate to the Contractor such work, if any, and an allowance should be made in the tendered price.

The Contractor shall not leave any fence open when he is not at work in the immediate vicinity.

A.6 **LIVESTOCK**

The Contractor shall provide each property owner with 48 hours' notice prior to removing any fences along fields which could possibly contain livestock. Thereafter, the property owner shall be responsible to keep all livestock clear of the construction areas until further notified. Where necessary, the Contractor will be directed to erect temporary fences. The Contractor shall be held responsible for loss or injury to livestock or damage caused by livestock, where the injury or damage is caused by his failure to notify the property owner or through negligence or carelessness on the part of the Contractor.

The Contractor constructing a tile drain shall not be held responsible for damages or injury to livestock occasioned by leaving trenches open for inspection by the Engineer if he notifies the owner at least 48 hours prior to commencement of the work on that portion. The Contractor will be held liable for such damages or injury if the backfilling of such trenches is delayed more than 1 day after acceptance by the Engineer.

A.7 **STANDING CROPS**

The Contractor shall not be held responsible for damages to standing crops within the working area available and the access route provided if he notifies the owner thereof at least 48 hours prior to commencement of the work on that portion.

A.8 **RAILWAYS, HIGHWAYS, UTILITIES**

A minimum of forty-eight (48) hours' notice to Railways, Highways and Utilities, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays, shall be required by the Contractor prior to any work being performed and in the case of a pipe being installed by open cutting or boring under a Highway or Railway, a minimum of 72 hours' notice is required.

A.9 **UTILITIES**

The attention of the Contractor is drawn to the presence of utilities along the course of the drain. The Contractor will be responsible for determining the location of all utilities and will be held liable for any damage to all utilities caused by his operations. The Contractor shall co-operate with all authorities to ensure that all utilities are protected from damage during the performance of the work. The cost of any necessary relocation work shall be borne by the utility. No allowance or claims of any nature will be allowed on account for delays or inconveniences due to utilities relocation, or for inconveniences and delays caused by working around or with existing utilities not relocated.

A.10 **IRON BARS**

The Contractor shall be held liable for the cost of an Ontario Land Surveyor to replace any iron bars destroyed during the course of construction.

A.11 **STAKES**

At the time of the survey, stakes are set along the course of the drain at intervals of 50 meters. The Contractor shall ensure that the stakes are not disturbed unless approval is obtained from the Engineer. Any stakes removed by the Contractor without the authority of the Engineer, shall be replaced at the expense of the Contractor. At the request of the Contractor, any stakes which are removed or disturbed by others or by livestock, shall be replaced at the expense of the drain.

A.12 RIP-RAP

Rip-rap shall be specified on the drawings and shall conform to the following:

- .1 **Quarry Stone:** shall range in size from 150mm to 300mm evenly distributed and shall be placed to a 300mm thickness on a filter blanket at a 1.5 to 1 slope unless otherwise noted. Filter blanket to be Mirafi 160N or approved equal.
- .2 **Broken Concrete:** may be used in areas outside of regular flows if first broken in maximum 450mm sized pieces and mixed to blend with quarry stone as above. No exposed reinforcing steel shall be permitted.
- .3 **Shot Rock:** shall range in size from 150mm to 600mm placed to a depth of 450mm thickness on a filter blanket at a 1.5:1 slope unless otherwise noted. Filter blanket to be Mirafi 160N or approved equal.

A.13 GABION BASKETS

Supply and install gabion basket rip-rap protection as shown on the drawings.

Gabion baskets shall be as manufactured by Maccaferri Gabions of Canada Ltd. or approved equal and shall be assembled and installed in strict accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

The gabion fill material shall consist solely of fractured field stone or gabion stone graded in size from 100mm to 200mm (4" to 8") and shall be free of undersized fragments and unsuitable material.

A.14 RESTORATION OF LAWNS

- .1 **General:** Areas noted on the drawings to be restored with seeding or sodding shall conform to this specification, and the Contractor shall allow for all costs in his lump sum bid for the following works.
- .2 **Topsoil:** Prior to excavation, the working area shall be stripped of existing topsoil. The topsoil stockpile shall be located so as to prevent contamination with material excavated from the trench. Upon completion of backfilling operations, topsoil shall be spread over the working area to a depth equal to that which previously existed but not less than the following:
 - Seeding and sodding - minimum depth of 100mm
 - Gardens - minimum depth of 300mm

In all cases where a shortfall of topsoil occurs, whether due to lack of sufficient original depth or rejection of stockpiled material due to Contractor's operations, imported topsoil from acceptable sources shall be imported at the Contractor's expense to provide the specified depths. Topsoil shall be uniformly spread, graded, and cultivated prior to seeding or sodding. All clods or lumps shall be pulverized, and any roots or foreign matter shall be raked up and removed as directed.

.3 Sodding

- .1 **Materials:** Nursery sod to be supplied by the Contractor shall meet the current requirements of the Ontario Sod Growers Association for No. 1 Bluegrass Fescue Sod.
- .2 **Fertilizer:** Prior to sod placement, approved fertilizer shall be spread at the rate of 5kg/100m² of surface area and shall be incorporated into such surfaces by raking, discing or harrowing. All surfaces on which sod is to be placed shall be loose at the time of placing sod to a depth of 25mm.
- .3 **Placing Sod:** Sod shall be laid lengthwise across the face of slopes with ends close together. Sod shall be counter sunk along the joints between the existing grade and the new sodding to allow for the free flow of water across the joint. Joints in adjacent rows shall be staggered and all joints shall be pounded and rolled to a uniform surface.

On slopes steeper than 3 to 1, and in unstable areas, the Engineer may direct the Contractor to stake sod and/or provide an approved mesh to prevent slippages. In all cases where such additional work is required, it will be deemed an extra to the contract and shall be paid for in accordance with the General Conditions. No sod shall be laid when frozen nor upon frozen ground nor under any other condition not favourable to the growth of the sod. Upon completion of sod laying the Contractor shall thoroughly soak the area with water to a depth of 50mm. Thereafter it will be the responsibility of the property owner to maintain the area in a manner so as to promote growth.

A.14 **RESTORATION OF LAWNS (cont'd)**

.4 **Seeding:** Seed to be supplied by the Contractor shall be "high quality grass seed" harvested during the previous year, and shall be supplied to the project in the supplier's original bags on which a tag setting out the following information is affixed:

- Year or Harvest - recommended rate of application
- Type of Mixture - fertilizer requirements

Placement of seed shall be by means of an approved mechanical spreader. All areas on which seed is to be placed shall be loose at the time of placing seed, to a depth of 25mm. Seed and fertilizer shall be spread in accordance with the supplier's recommendations unless otherwise directed by the Engineer. Thereafter it will be the responsibility of the property owner to maintain the area in a manner so as to promote growth.

.5 **Settlement:** The Contractor shall be responsible during the one-year guarantee period for the necessary repair of restored areas due to trench settlement. Areas where settlement does not exceed 50mm may be repaired by top dressing with fine topsoil. In areas where settlement exceeds 50mm, the Contractor will be required to backfill the area with topsoil and restore with seeding and/or sodding as originally specified.

A.15 **RESTORATION OF ROADS AND LANEWAYS**

.1 **Gravel:** Restoration shall be in accordance with the applicable standard detailed drawing or as shown on the drawings.

.2 **Asphalt and Tar and Chip:** Prior to restoration all joints shall be neatly sawcut. Restoration shall be as a in gravel above with the addition of the following:

- .1 Roads shall have the finished grade of Granular 'A', allow two courses of hot-mix asphalt (M.T.O. 310), 80mm HL6 and 40mm HL3 or to such greater thickness as may be required to match the existing.
- .2 Laneways shall have the finished grade of Granular 'A' allow one 50mm minimum course of hot-mix asphalt (HL3) or greater as may be required to match existing.



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SECTION B

OPEN DRAIN

B.1 PROFILE

The profile drawing shows the depth of cuts from the ground beside the stake to the final invert of the ditch in meters and decimals of a meter and also the approximate depth of cuts from the existing bottom of the ditch to the elevation of the ditch bottom. These cuts are established for the convenience of the Contractor; however, benchmarks will govern the final elevation of the drain. Benchmarks have been established along the course of the drain and their locations and elevations are noted on the profile drawing. A uniform grade shall be maintained between stakes in accordance with the profile drawing.

B.2 ALIGNMENT

The drain shall be constructed in a straight line and shall follow the course of the present drain or water run unless otherwise noted on the drawings. Where it is necessary to straighten any bends or irregularities in alignment not noted on the drawings, the Contractor shall contact the Engineer or Superintendent before commencing the work.

B.3 CLEARING AND GRUBBING

Prior to commencement of work, all trees, scrub, fallen timber and debris shall be removed from the side slopes of the ditch and for such a distance on the working side so as to eliminate any interference with the construction of the drain or the spreading of the spoil. The side slopes shall be neatly cut and cleared flush with slope whether or not they are affected directly by the excavation. With the exception of large stumps causing damage to the drain, the side slope shall not be grubbed. All other cleared areas shall be grubbed and the stumps put into piles for disposal by the owner.

All trees or limbs 150mm (6") or larger, that it is necessary to remove, shall be considered as logs and shall be cut and trimmed, and left in the working width separate from the brush, for use or disposal by the owner. Trees or limbs less than 150mm in diameter shall be cut in lengths not greater than 5 meters and placed in separate piles with stumps spaced not less than 75 meters apart in the working width, for the use or disposal of the owner. In all cases, these piles shall be placed clear of excavated materials, and not be piled against standing trees. No windrowing will be permitted. The clearing and grubbing and construction of the drain are to be carried out in two separate operations and not simultaneously at the same location.

B.4 EXCAVATION

The bottom width and the side slopes of the ditch shall be those shown on the profile drawing.

Unless otherwise specified on the drawings, only the existing ditch bottom is to be cleaned out and the side slopes are not to be disturbed. Where existing side slopes become unstable because of construction, the Contractor shall immediately contact the Engineer or Superintendent. Alternative methods of construction and/or methods of protection will then be determined, prior to continuing the work.

Where an existing drain is being relocated or where a new drain is being constructed, the Contractor shall, unless otherwise specified, strip the topsoil for the full width of the drain, including the location of the spoil pile. Upon completion of levelling, the topsoil shall be spread to an even depth across the full width of the spoil.

B.5 EXCAVATED MATERIAL

Excavated material shall be deposited on either or both sides of the drain as indicated on the drawings or as directed by the Engineer or Superintendent. A buffer strip of not less than 3 meters in width through farmed lands and 2 meters in width through bush areas shall be left along the top edges of the drain. The buffer strip shall be seeded and/or incorporated as specified on the drawings. The material shall be deposited beyond the specified buffer strip.



B.5 EXCAVATED MATERIAL (cont'd)

No excavated material shall be placed in tributary drains, depressions, or low areas which direct water into the ditch so that water will be trapped behind the spoil bank. The excavated material shall be placed and levelled to a minimum width to depth ratio of 50 to 1 unless instructed otherwise. The edge of the spoil bank away from the ditch shall be feathered down to the existing ground; the edge of the spoil bank nearest the ditch shall have a maximum slope of 2 to 1. The material shall be levelled such that it may be cultivated with ordinary farm equipment without causing undue hardship on machinery and personnel. No excavated material shall cover any logs, scrub, debris, etc. of any kind.

Where it is necessary to straighten any unnecessary bends or irregularities in the alignment of the ditch, the excavated material from the new cut shall be used for backfilling the original ditch. Regardless of the distance between the new ditch and the old ditch no extra compensation will be allowed for this work and must be included in the Contractor's lump sum price for the open work.

Any stones 150mm or larger left exposed on top of the levelled excavated material shall be removed and disposed of as an extra to the contract unless otherwise noted on plans.

B.6 EXCAVATION THROUGH BRIDGES AND CULVERTS

The Contractor shall excavate the drain to the full specified depth and width under all bridges. Where the bridge or culvert pipe is located within a road allowance, the excavated material shall be levelled within the road allowance. Care shall be taken not to adversely affect existing drainage patterns. Temporary bridges may be carefully removed and left on the bank of the drain but shall be replaced by the Contractor when the excavation is completed unless otherwise specified. Permanent bridges must be left intact. All necessary care and precautions shall be taken to protect the structure. The Contractor shall notify the Engineer or Superintendent if excavation may cause the structure to undermine or collapse.

B.7 PIPE CULVERTS

Where specified on the drawings, the existing culvert shall be carefully removed, salvaged and either left at the site for the owner or reinstalled at a new grade or location. The value of any damage caused to the culvert due to the Contractor's negligence in salvage operation will be determined and deducted from the contract price.

All pipe culverts shall be installed in accordance with the standard detail drawings as noted on the drawings. If couplers are required, 5 corrugation couplers shall be used for up to and including 1200mm dia. pipe and 10 corrugation couplers for greater than 1200mm dia.

B.8 MOVING DRAINS OFF ROADS

Where an open drain is being removed from a road allowance, it must be reconstructed wholly on the adjacent lands with a minimum distance of 2.0 meters between the property line and the top of the bank, unless otherwise noted on the drawings. The excavated material shall be used to fill the existing open ditch and any excess excavated material shall be placed and levelled on the adjacent lands beyond the buffer strip, unless otherwise noted. Any work done on the road allowance, with respect to excavation, disposal of materials, installation of culverts, cleaning under bridges, etc., shall be to the satisfaction of the Road Authority and the Engineer.

B.9 TRIBUTARY OUTLETS

The Contractor shall guard against damaging the outlets of tributary drains. Prior to commencement of excavation on each property the Contractor shall contact the owner and request that all known outlet pipes be marked by the owner. All outlets so marked or visible or as noted on the profile, and subsequently damaged by the Contractor's operations will be repaired by the Contractor at his cost. All outlet pipes repaired by the Contractor under direction of the Drainage Superintendent or Engineer which were not part of the Contract shall be considered an extra to the contract price.

B.10 **SEDIMENT BASINS AND TRAPS**

The Contractor shall excavate sediment basins prior to commencement of upstream work as shown on the plan and profile. The dimension of the basin will be in a parabolic shape with a depth of 450mm below the proposed ditch bottom and the basin will extend along the drain for a minimum length of 15 meters.

A sediment trap 300mm deep and 5 meters long with silt fence placed across ditch bottom on the downstream end of the trap shall be constructed prior to and maintained during construction, to prevent silt from flushing downstream. The silt fence shall be removed and disposed of after construction.

B.11 **SEEDING**

- .1 **Delivery**: The materials shall be delivered to the site in the original unopened containers which shall bear the vendor's guarantee of analysis and seed will have a tag showing the year of harvest.
- .2 **Hydro Seeding**: Areas specified on drawings shall be hydro seeded and mulched upon completion of construction in accordance with O.P.S.S. 572 and with the following application rates:

Primary Seed (85 kg/ha.):	50% Creeping Red Fescue 40% Perennial Ryegrass 5% White Clover
Nurse Crop	Italian (Annual) Ryegrass at 25% of Total Weight
Fertilizer (300 kg/ha.)	8-32-16
Hydraulic Mulch (2000 kg/ha.)	Type "B"
Water (52,700 litres/ha.)	

Seeding shall not be completed after September 30.

- .3 **Hand Seeding**: Hand seeding shall be completed daily with the seed mixture and fertilizer and application rate shown under "Hydro Seeding" above. Placement of the seed shall be by means of an approved mechanical spreader. Seeding shall not be completed after September 30.



SECTION C - TILE DRAIN

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SECTION C

TILE DRAIN

C.1 PIPE MATERIALS

- .1 **Concrete Tile:** All tile installed under these specifications shall be sound and of first quality and shall meet all A.S.T.M. Specifications current at the time of tendering. Concrete tile shall conform to Designation C412 "Extra Quality" except that the minimum compression strengths shall be increased by 25%. Heavy Duty tile shall conform to Designation C412 "Heavy Duty Extra Quality".
- .2 **Corrugated Steel Pipe:** Unless otherwise specified, all metal pipe shall be corrugated, riveted steel pipe or helical corrugated steel pipe with a minimum wall thickness of 1.6mm (16 gauge) and shall be fully galvanized.
- .3 **Plastic Tubing:** The plans will specify the type of tubing or pipe, such as non-perforated or perforated (with or without filter material).
 - i) Corrugated Plastic Drainage Tubing shall conform to the current O.F.D.A. Standards
 - ii) Heavy Duty Corrugated Plastic Pipe shall be "Boss 1000" manufactured by the Big 'O' Drain Tile Co. Ltd. or approved equal
- .4 **Concrete Sewer Pipe:** The Designations for concrete sewer pipe shall be C14 for concrete sewer pipe 450mm (18") diameter or less; and C76 for concrete sewer pipe greater than 450mm (18") diameter. Where closed joints are specified, joints shall conform to the A.S.T.M. Specification C443.

Where concrete sewer pipe "seconds" are permitted the pipe should exhibit no damages or cracks on the barrel section and shall be capable of satisfying the crushing strength requirements for No.1, Pipe Specifications (C14 or C76). The pipe may contain cracks or chips in the bell or spigot which could be serious enough to prevent the use of rubber gaskets, but which are not so severe that the joint could not be mortared conventionally.
- .5 **Plastic Sewer Pipe:** The plans will specify the type of sewer pipe, such as non-perforated or perforated (with or without filter material). All plastic sewer pipe and fittings shall be "Boss Poly-Tite", ULTRA-RIB", "Challenger 3000" or approved equal with a minimum stiffness of 320 kpa at 5% deflection.
- .6 **Plastic Fittings:** All plastic fittings shall be "Boss 2000" or "Challenger 2000" with split coupler joints or approved equal.

C.2 TESTING

The manufacturer shall provide specimens for testing if required. The random selection and testing procedures would follow the appropriate A.S.T.M. requirements for the material being supplied. The only variation is the number of tiles tested: 200mm to 525mm dia. - 5 tile tested, 600mm to 900mm dia. - 3 tile tested. The drain will be responsible for all testing costs for successful test results. Where specimens fail to meet the minimum test requirements, the manufacturer will be responsible for the costs of the unsuccessful tests. Alternately, the Engineer may accept materials on the basis of visual inspections and the receipt in writing from the Manufacturer of the results of daily production testing carried out by the Manufacturer for the types and sizes of the material being supplied.

C.3 LINE

Prior to stringing the tile, the Contractor shall contact the Superintendent or the Engineer in order to establish the course of the drain.

Where an existing drain is to be removed and replaced in the same trench by the new drain or where the new drain is to be installed parallel to an existing drain, the Contractor shall excavate test holes to locate the existing drain (including repairing drainage tile) at intervals along the course of the drain as directed by the Engineer and/or the Superintendent. The costs for this work shall be included in the tender price.

Where an existing drain is to be removed and replaced in the same trench by the new drain, all existing tiles shall be destroyed, and all broken tile shall be disposed of offsite.



C.3 LINE (cont'd)

The drain shall run in as straight a line as possible throughout its length, except that at intersections of other water courses or at sharp corners, it shall run on a curve of at least a 15-meter radius. The new tile drain shall be constructed at an offset from and generally parallel with any ditch or defined watercourse in order that fresh backfill in the trench will not be eroded by the flow of surface water. The Contractor shall exercise care not to disturb any existing tile drain or drains which parallel the course of the new drain, particularly where the new and the existing tile act together to provide the necessary capacity.

C.4 CLEARING AND GRUBBING

Prior to commencement of drain construction, all trees, scrub, fallen timber and debris shall be cleared and grubbed from the working area. Unless otherwise specified, the minimum width to be cleared and grubbed shall be 20 meters in all hardwood areas and 30 meters in all softwood areas (willow, poplar, etc.), the width being centred on the line of the drain.

All trees or limbs 150mm (6") or larger, that it is necessary to remove, shall be considered as logs and shall be cut and trimmed, and left in the working width separate from the brush, for use or disposal by the owner. Trees or limbs less than 150mm in diameter shall be cut in lengths not greater than 5 meters and placed in separate piles with stumps spaced not less than 75 meters apart in the working width, for the use or disposal of the owner. In all cases, these piles shall be placed clear of excavated materials, and not be piled against standing trees. No windrowing will be permitted. The clearing and grubbing and construction of the drain are to be carried out in two separate operations and not simultaneously at the same location.

C.5 PROFILE

The profile drawing shows the depth of cuts from the ground beside the stake to the final invert of the drain in meters and decimals of a meter. These cuts are established for the convenience of the Contractor; however, benchmarks will govern the final elevation of the drain. Benchmarks have been established along the course of the drain and their locations and elevations are noted on the profile drawing.

C.6 GRADE

The Contractor shall provide and maintain in good working condition, an approved system of establishing a grade sight line to ensure the completed works conform to the profile drawing. In order to confirm the condition of his system and to eliminate the possibility of minor errors on the drawings, he shall ensure his grade sight line has been confirmed to be correct between a minimum of two control points (bench marks) and shall spot check the actual cuts and compare with the plan cuts prior to commencement of tile installation. He shall continue this procedure from control point to control point as construction of the drain progresses. When installing a drain towards a fixed point such as a bore pipe, the Contractor shall uncover the pipe and confirm the elevation, using the sight line, a sufficient distance away from the pipe in order to allow for any necessary minor grade adjustments to be made in order to conform to the as built elevation of the bore pipe. All tile improperly installed due to the Contractor not following these procedures shall be removed and replaced entirely at the Contractor's cost.

When following the procedures and a significant variation is found, the Contractor shall immediately cease operations and advise the Engineer.

C.7 EXCAVATION

- .1 **Trench:** Unless otherwise specified, all trenching shall be done with a recognized farm tiling machine approved by the Engineer or Superintendent. The machine shall shape the bottom of the trench to conform to the outside diameter of the pipe for a minimum width of one-half of the outside diameter. The minimum trench width shall be equal to the outside diameter of the tile to be installed plus 100mm (4") on each side unless otherwise approved. The maximum trench width shall be equal to the outside diameter of the tile to be installed plus 250mm (10") on each side unless otherwise approved.

C.7 EXCAVATION (cont'd)

- .2 **Scalping:** Where the depths of cuts in isolated areas along the course of the drain as shown on the profile exceed the capacity of the Contractor's tiling machine, he shall lower the surface grade in order that the tiling machine may trench to the correct depth. Topsoil is to be stripped over a sufficient width that no subsoil will be deposited on top of topsoil. Subsoil will then be removed to the required depth and piled separately. Upon completion of backfilling, the topsoil will then be replaced to an even depth over the disturbed area. The cost for this work shall be included in his tender price.
- .3 **Excavator:** Where the Contractor's tiling machine consistently does not have the capacity to dig to the depths required or to excavate the minimum trench width required, he shall indicate in the appropriate place provided on the tender form his proposed methods of excavation.
Where the use of an excavator is either specified on the drawings or approved as evidenced by the acceptance of his tender on which he has indicated the proposed use of a backhoe he shall conform to the following requirements:
a) the topsoil shall be stripped and replaced in accordance with Section .2 "Scalping".
b) all tile shall be installed on a bed of 19mm crushed stone with a minimum depth of 150mm which has been shaped to conform to the lower segment of the tile.
c) the Contractor shall allow for the cost of the preceding requirements (including the supply of the crushed stone) in his lump sum tender price unless it is otherwise provided for in the contract documents.
- .4 **Backfilling Ditch:** Where the contract includes for a closed drain to replace an open drain and the ditch is to be backfilled, the Contractor shall install the tile and backfill the trench prior to backfilling the ditch unless otherwise noted. The distance the trench shall be located away from the ditch shall be as noted on the drawings, (beyond area required for stockpiling topsoil and backfilling). After tile installation is complete topsoil (if present) shall be stripped and stockpiled within the above limits prior to backfilling of ditch. Only tracked equipment shall be permitted to cross backfilled tile trench and must be at 90 degrees to line of tile.

C.8 INSTALLATION

The tile is to be laid with close fitting joints and in regular grade and alignment in accordance with the plan and profile drawings. The tiles are to be bevelled, if necessary, to ensure close joints (in particular around curves). Where, in heavy clay soils, the width of a joint exceeds 10mm the joint shall be wrapped with filter cloth as below. Where the width of a joint exceeds 12mm the tile shall first be removed and the joint bevelled to reduce the gap. The maximum deflection of one tile joint shall be 15 degrees. Where a drain connects to standard or ditch inlet catchbasins or junction box structures, the Contractor shall include in his tender price for the supply and installation of compacted Granular 'A' bedding under areas backfilled from the underside of the pipe to undisturbed soil. The connections will then be grouted.

Where a tile drain passes through a bore pit, the Tile Contractor shall include in his tender price for the supply and placement of compacted Granular "A" bedding from the underside of the pipe down to undisturbed soil within the limits of the bore pit.

As above and where soil conditions warrant, the Engineer may require (or as specified on the drawings) that each tile joint be wrapped with synthetic filter cloth. The width of the filter cloth shall be 300mm wide for tile sizes of 150mm to 300mm and 400mm wide for sizes of 350mm to 750mm. The filter cloth shall cover the full perimeter of the tile and overlap a minimum of 100mm or as specified on the drawings. The type of cloth shall be Mirafi 140NL for loam soils and 150N for sandy soil. Any such work not shown on the drawings shall be considered as an addition to the contract price unless specified on the drawings.

C.9 ROAD AND LANEWAY SUB-SURFACE CROSSINGS

All road and laneway crossings may be made with an open cut in accordance with standard detailed drawings in the specifications or on the drawings. The exact location of the crossing shall be verified and approved by the Road Authority and the Engineer and/or Superintendent.



C.10 **BACKFILLING**

As the laying of the tile progresses, blinding up to the springline including compaction by tamping (by hand) is to be made on both sides of the tile. No tile shall be backfilled until inspected by the Engineer or Drainage Superintendent unless otherwise approved by the Engineer.

The remainder of the trench shall be backfilled with special care being taken in backfilling up to a height approximately 150mm above the top of the tile to ensure that no tile breakage occurs. During the backfilling operation no equipment shall be operated in a way that would transfer loads onto the tile trench. Surplus material is to be mounded over the tile trench so that when settlement takes place the natural surface of the ground will be restored. Upon completion, a minimum cover of 600mm is required over all tile. Where stones larger than 150mm are present in the backfill material, they shall be separated from the material and disposed of by the Contractor.

Where a drain crosses a lawn area, the backfilling shall be carried out as above except that, unless otherwise specified, the backfill material shall be mechanically compacted to eliminate settlement.

C.11 **UNSTABLE SOIL**

The Contractor shall immediately contact the Engineer or Superintendent if quicksand is encountered, such that installation with a tiling machine is not possible. The Engineer shall, after consultation with the Superintendent and Contractor, determine the action necessary and a price for additions or deletions shall be agreed upon prior to further drain installation. Where directed by the Engineer, test holes are to be dug to determine the extent of the affected area. Cost of test holes shall be considered an addition to the contract price.

C.12 **ROCKS**

The Contractor shall immediately contact the Engineer or Superintendent if boulders of sufficient size and number are encountered such that the Contractor cannot continue trenching with a tiling machine. The Engineer or Superintendent may direct the Contractor to use some other method of excavating to install the drain. The basis of payment for this work shall be determined by the Engineer and Drainage Superintendent.

If only scattered large stones or boulders are removed on any project, the Contractor shall haul same to a nearby bush or fence line, or such other convenient location as approved by the Landowners(s).

C.13 **BROKEN, DAMAGED TILE OR EXCESS TILE**

The Contractor shall remove and dispose of off-site all broken (existing or new), damaged or excess tile or tiles. If the tile is supplied by the Municipality, the Contractor shall stockpile all excess tile in readily accessible locations for pickup by the Municipality upon the completion of the job.

C.14 **TRIBUTARY DRAINS**

Any tributary tile encountered in the course of the drain shall be carefully taken up by the Contractor and placed clear of the excavated earth. If the tributary tile drains encountered are clean or reasonably clean, they shall be connected into the new drain. Where existing drains are full of sediment, or contain pollutants, the decision to connect those drains to the new drain shall be left to the Engineer or Superintendent. Each tributary tile connection made by the Contractor shall be located and marked with a stake and no backfilling shall take place until the connection has been approved by the Engineer or Superintendent.

For tributary drains 150mm dia. or smaller connected to new tiles 250mm dia. or larger, and for 200mm dia. connected to 350mm dia. or larger, the Contractor shall neatly cut a hole in the middle of a tile length. The connections shall be made using a prefabricated adaptor. All other connections shall be made with prefabricated wyes or tees conforming to Boss 2000 split coupler or approved equal.

Where an open drain is being replaced by a new tile drain, existing tile outlets entering the ditch from the side opposite the new drain shall be extended to the new drain. All existing metal outlet pipes shall be carefully removed, salvaged, and left for the owner. Where the grade of the connection passes through the newly placed backfill in the ditch, the backfill material below the connection shall be thoroughly compacted and metal pipe of a size compatible with the tile outlet shall be installed so that a minimum length of 2 meters at each end is extending into undisturbed soil.

C.14 TRIBUTARY DRAINS (cont'd)

Where locations of tiles are shown on the drawings the Contractor shall include in his tender price, all costs for connecting those tiles to the new drain regardless of length.

Where tiles not shown on the drawings are encountered in the course of the drain, and are to be connected to the new drain, the Contractor shall be paid for each connection at the rate outlined in the Form of Tender and Agreement.

C.15 OUTLET PIPES

Corrugated steel pipe shall be used to protect the tile at its outlet. It shall have a hinged metal grate with a maximum spacing between bars of 40mm. The corrugated steel pipe shall be bevelled at the end to generally conform to the slope of the ditch bank and shall be of sufficient size that the tile can be inserted into it to provide a solid connection. The connection will then be grouted immediately.

The installation of the outlet pipe and the required rip-rap protection shall conform to the standard detailed drawing as noted on the drawing.

C.16 CATCHBASINS AND JUNCTION BOXES

.1 **Catchbasins:** Unless otherwise noted or approved, catchbasins shall be in accordance with O.P.S.D. 705.010, 705.030. All catchbasins shall include two - 150mm riser sections for future adjustments. All ditch inlet catchbasins shall include one 150mm riser section for future adjustments. The catchbasin top shall be a "Bird Cage" type substantial steel grate, removable for cleaning and shall be inset into a recess provided around the top of the structure. The grate shall be fastened to the catchbasin with bolts into the concrete. Spacing of bars on grates for use on 600mmx600mm structures shall be 65mm centre to centre. Spacing of bars on grates for use on structures larger than 600mmx600mm shall be 90mm with a steel angle frame.

The exact location and elevation of catchbasins shall be approved by the Road Authority or the Engineer/Superintendent. Catchbasins offset from the drain shall have "Boss 2000" 200mm diameter leads or approved equal unless otherwise noted and the leads shall have a minimum of 600mm of cover. The leads shall be securely grouted at the structures and the drain.

.2 **Junction Boxes:** Junction boxes shall be the precast type unless otherwise approved. Dimensions for precast junction boxes shall conform to those for catchbasins. The inside dimensions of the box shall be a minimum of 100mm larger than the outside diameter of the largest pipe being connected. The minimum cover over the junction box shall be 600mm. Benching to spring line shall be supplied with all junction boxes.

.3 **Connections:** Catchbasins and junction boxes shall not be ordered until elevations of existing pipes being connected have been verified in the field as indicated on the drawings. All connections shall be securely grouted at both the inside and outside walls of the structure.

.4 **Installation:** Where the native material is clay, all catchbasins shall be backfilled with an approved granular material placed and compacted to a minimum width of 300mm on all sides with the following exception. Where the native material is sandy or granular in nature it may be used as backfill. Filter cloth shall be placed between the riser sections of all catchbasins.

Where the Contractor has over excavated or where ground conditions warrant, the structure shall be installed on a compacted granular base.

The Contractor shall include in his tender price for the construction of a berm behind all ditch inlet structures. The berm shall be constructed of compacted clay keyed 300mm into undisturbed soil. Topsoil shall be distributed to a 65mm thickness and seeded unless otherwise specified. The Contractor shall also include for regrading, shaping and seeding of road ditches for a maximum of 15 meters each way from all catchbasins.

C.17 **BLIND INLETS**

Where specified, blind inlets shall be installed along the course of the drain in accordance with details on the drawings.

C.18 **GRASSED WATERWAY**

Topsoil to be stripped from construction area and stockpiled prior to construction of waterway. Waterway to be graded into a parabolic shape to the width shown on the drawings. Topsoil to be relevelled over the waterway and other areas disturbed by construction.

Waterway to be prepared for seeding by harrowing and then seeded by drilling followed by rolling. Seeding rate to be 85 Kg/Ha with the following mixture:

- 30% Canon Canada Bluegrass
- 25% Koket Chewings Fescue
- 30% Rebel Tall Fescue
- 15% Diplomat Perennial Rye
- Plus #125 Birdsfoot Trefoil (25% of Total Weight)

C.19 **BACKFILLING EXISTING DITCHES**

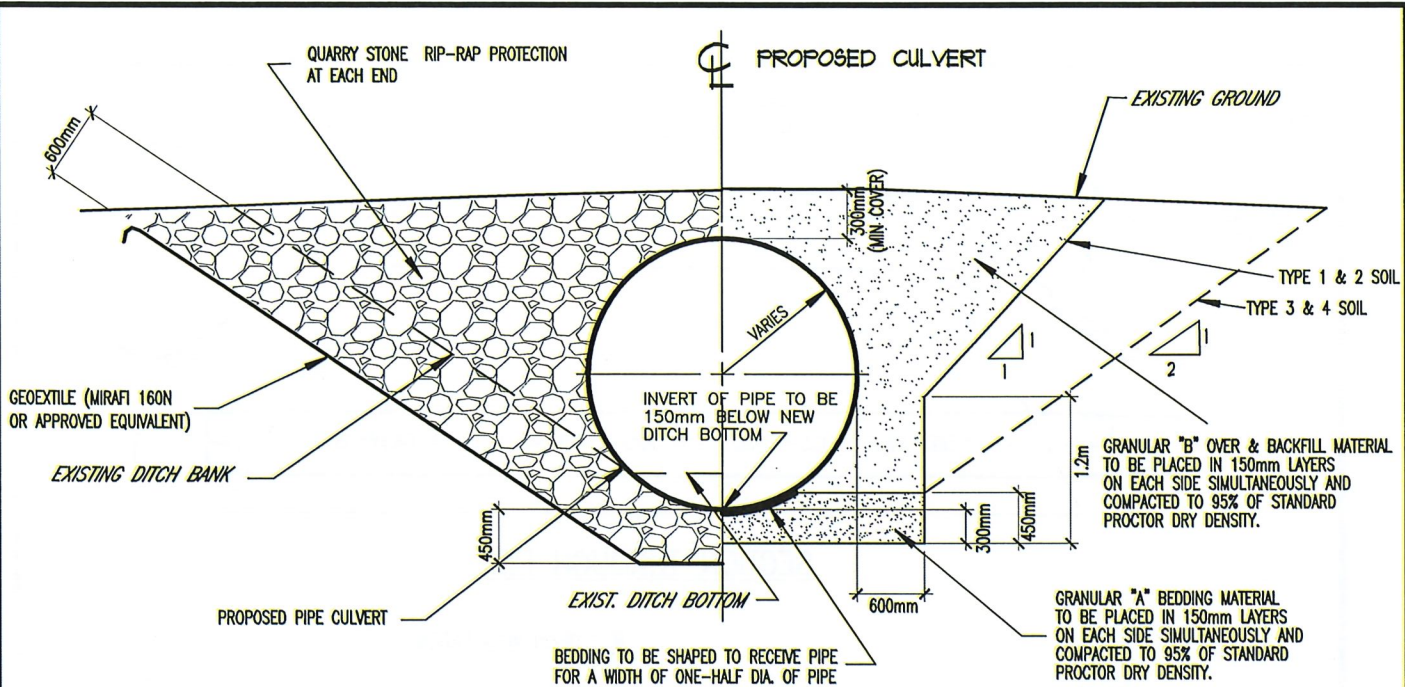
The Contractor shall backfill the ditch sufficiently for traversing by farm machinery. If sufficient material is not available from the old spoil banks to fill in the existing ditch, the topsoil shall be stripped and the subsoil shall be bulldozed into the ditch and the topsoil shall then be spread over the backfilled ditch unless otherwise specified on the contract drawings. The Contractor shall ensure sufficient compaction of the backfill and if required, repair excess settlement up to the end of the warranty period. The final grade of the backfilled ditch shall provide an outlet for surface water.

C.20 **RECOMMENDED PRACTICE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SUBSURFACE DRAINAGE SYSTEM**

Drainage guide for Ontario, Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Publication Number 29 and its amendments, dealing with the construction of Subsurface Drainage systems, shall be the guide to all methods and materials to be used in the construction of tile drains except where superseded by other specifications of this contract.

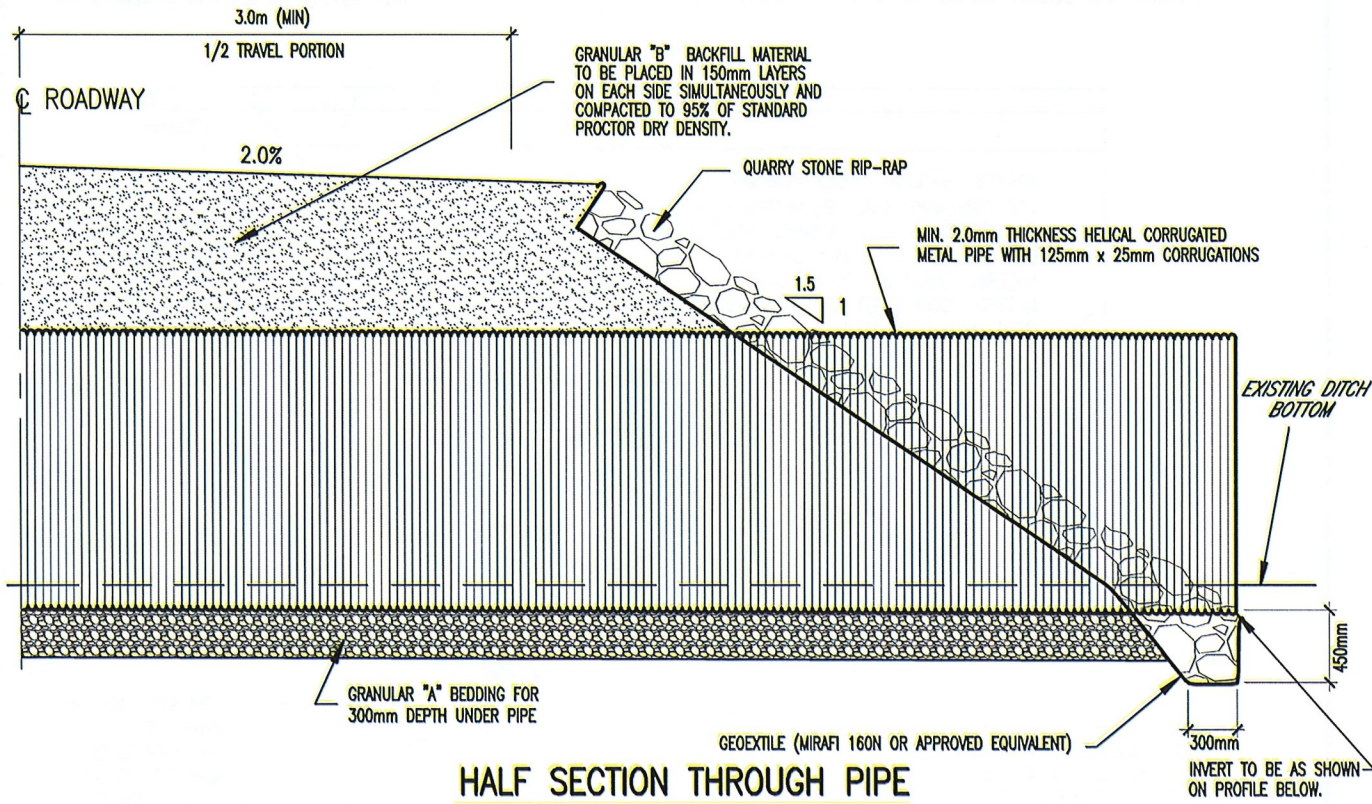
The requirements of licensing of operators, etc. which apply to the installation of closed drains under the Tile Drainage Act shall also be applicable to this contract in full unless approval otherwise is given in advance by the Engineer.





HALF ELEVATION

HALF SECTION



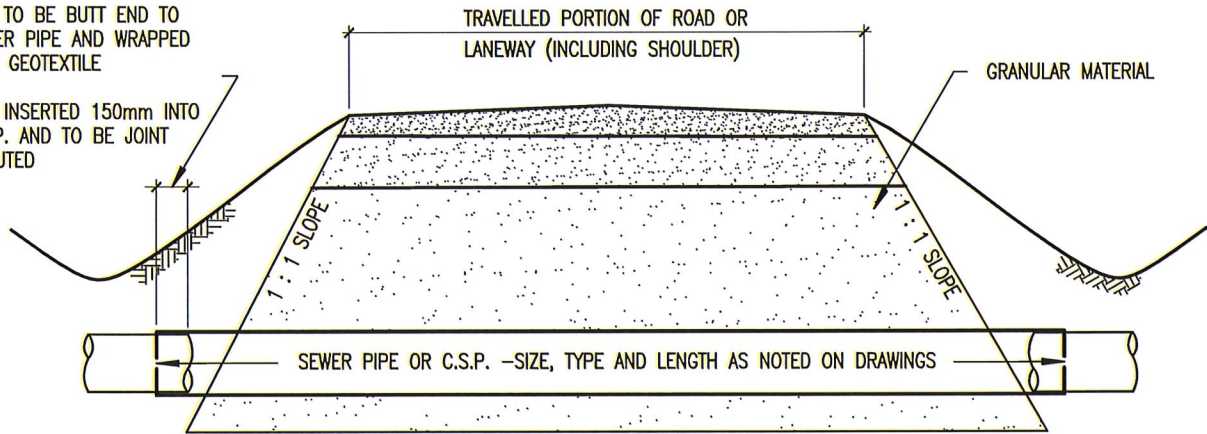
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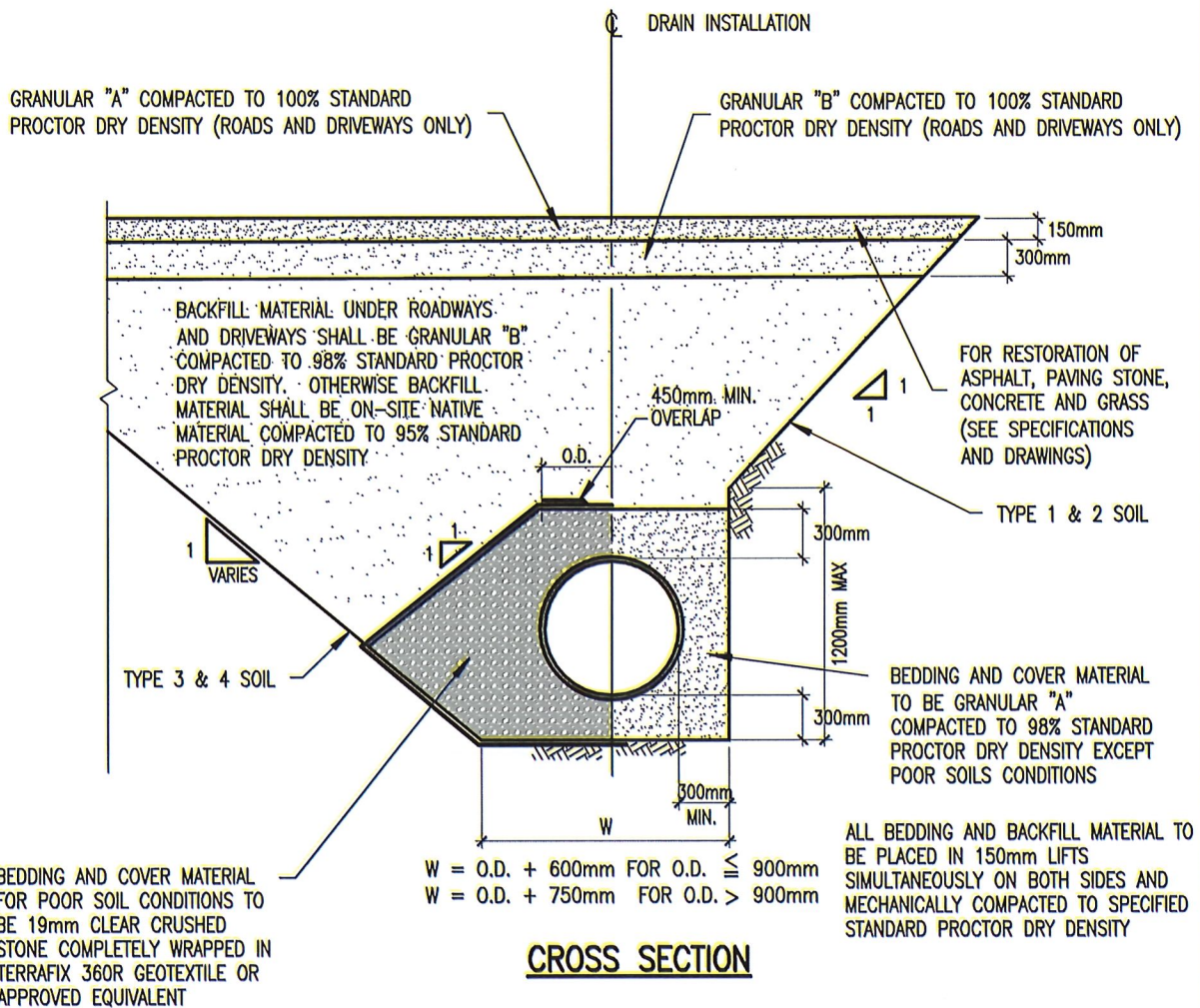
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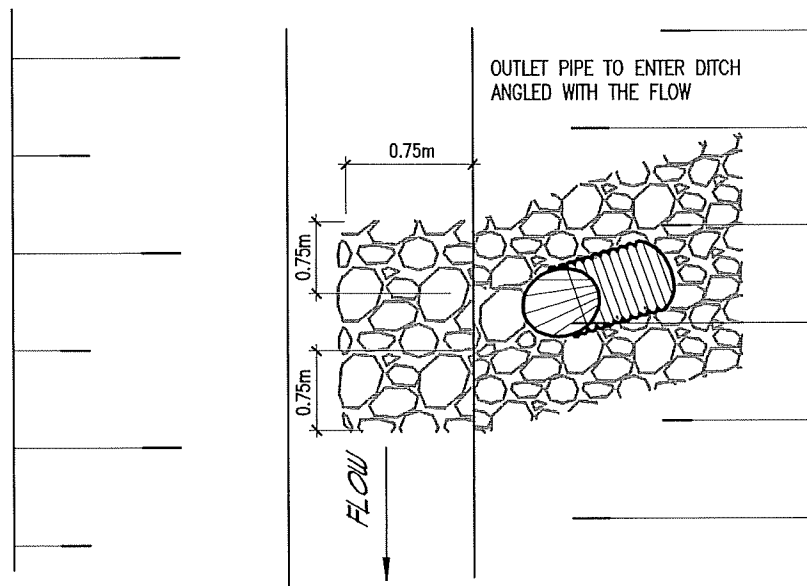
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2. TILE INSERTED 150mm INTO C.S.P. AND TO BE JOINT GROUDED



SECTION THROUGH PIPE



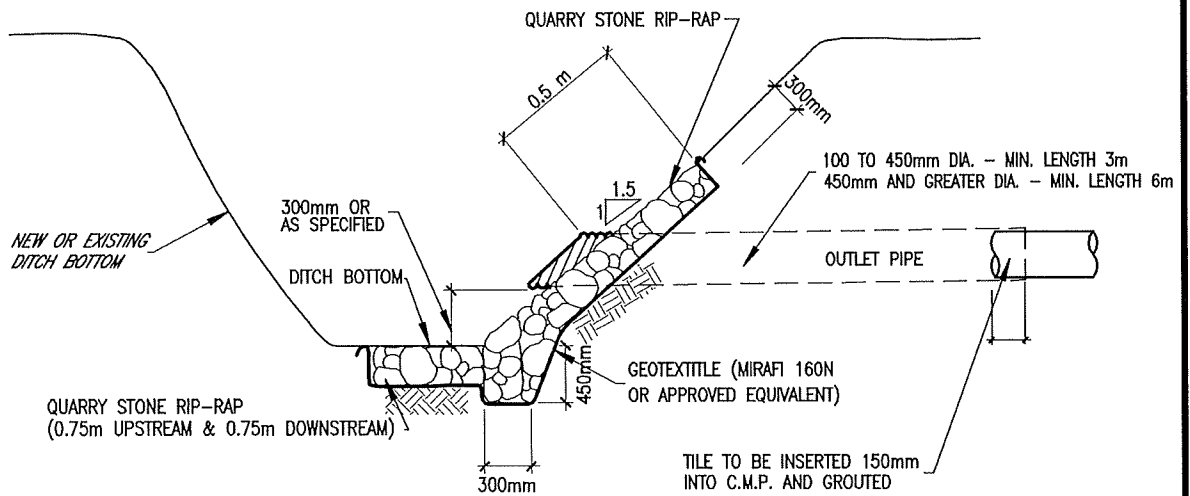
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1. WHERE THE DISTURBED AREA EXCEEDS THE MIN. WIDTHS, RIP-RAP TO EXTEND TO A MIN. OF 600mm BEYOND THE DISTURBED AREA

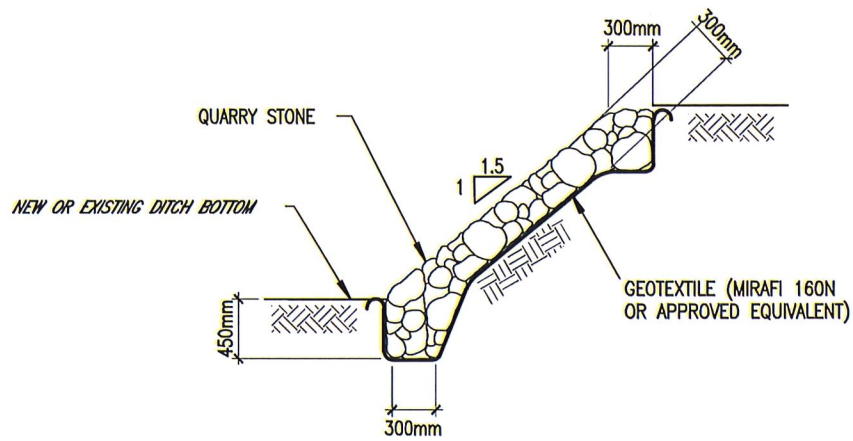


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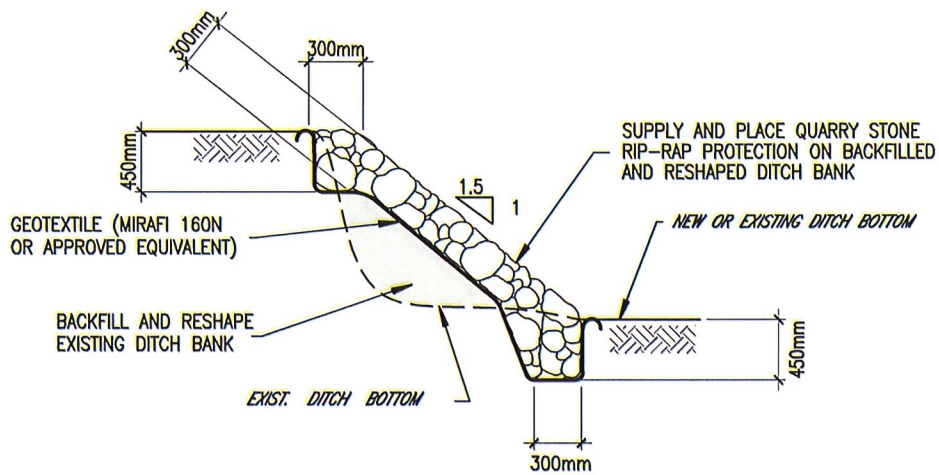
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1. RIP-RAP TO EXTEND UP THE SLOPE 0.5 METER ABOVE TOP OF OUTLET
2. WHERE SURFACE RUN ENTERS DITCH AT OUTLET PIPE, A ROCK CHUTE SHALL BE INSTALLED (SEE S.D.D. No. 05) AND PIPE SHALL BE INSTALLED ADJACENT TO ROCK CHUTE.
3. HINGED RODENT GATE TO BE AFFIXED TO END OF OUTLET PIPE.

TYPICAL OUTLET RIP-RAP THROUGH SIDE SLOPE OF DITCH		
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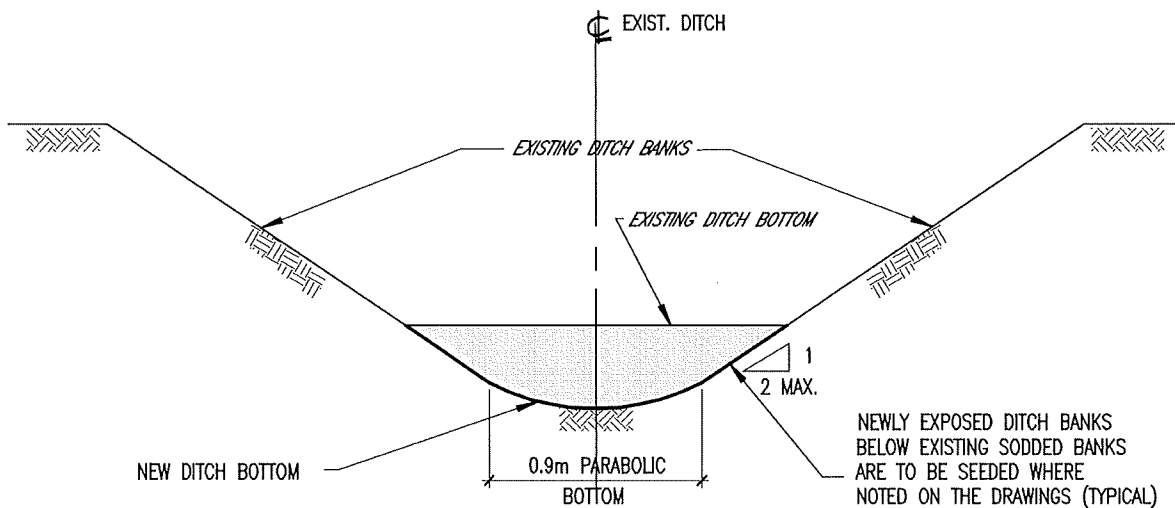


TYPICAL DITCH BANK RIP-RAP

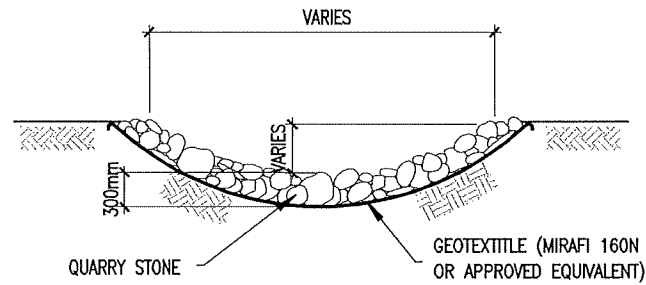
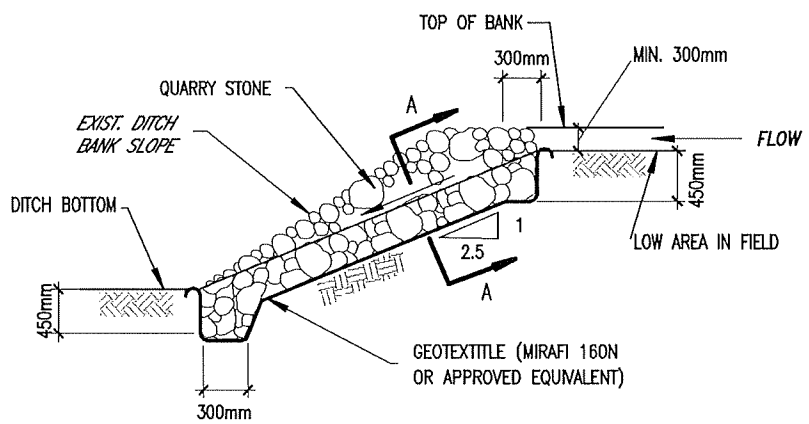


**TYPICAL DITCH BANK RIP-RAP
WITH BACKFILLING OF WASHOUT**


TYPICAL DITCH BANK RIP-RAP DETAILS		
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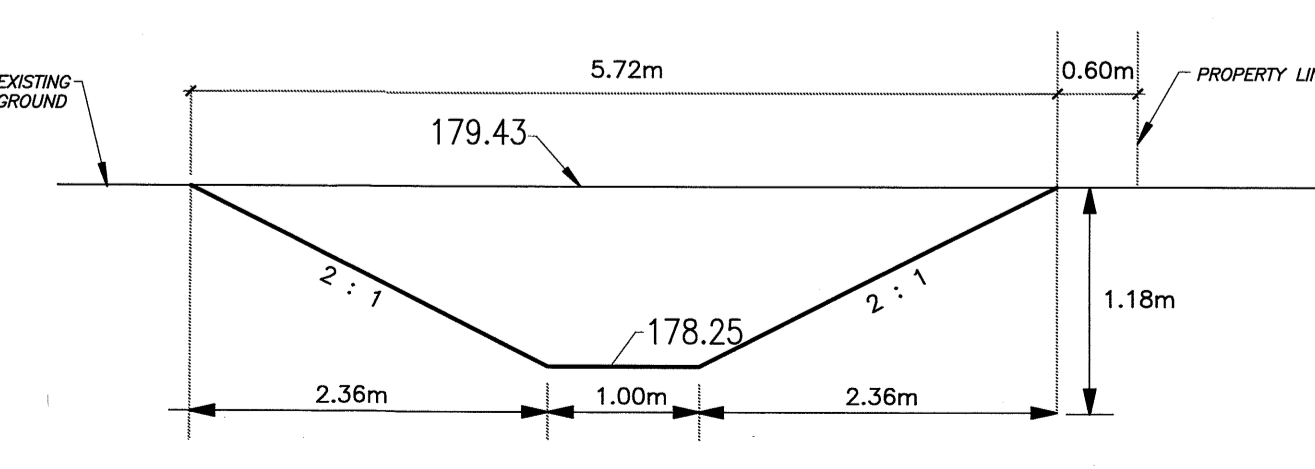
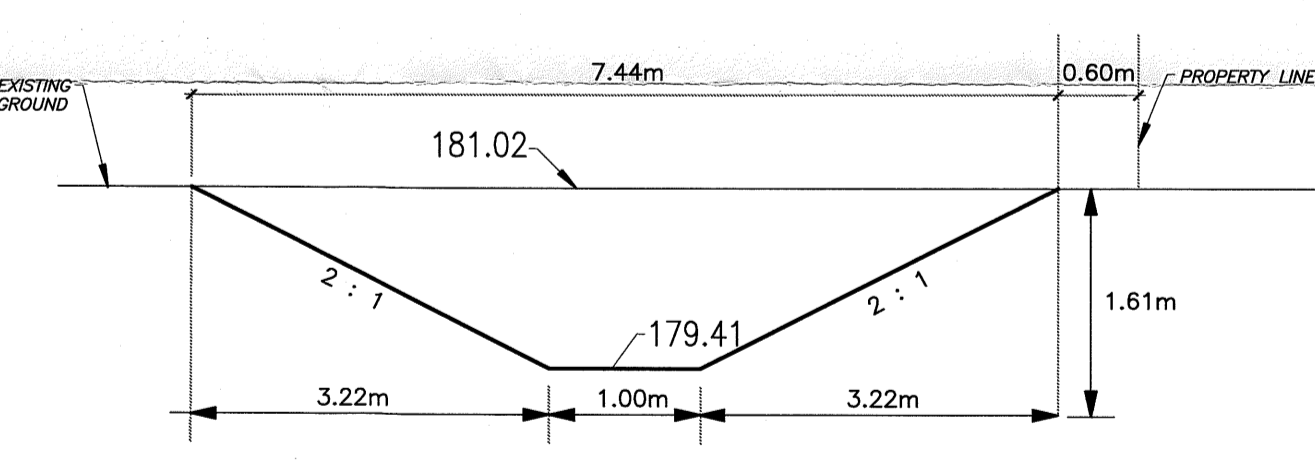
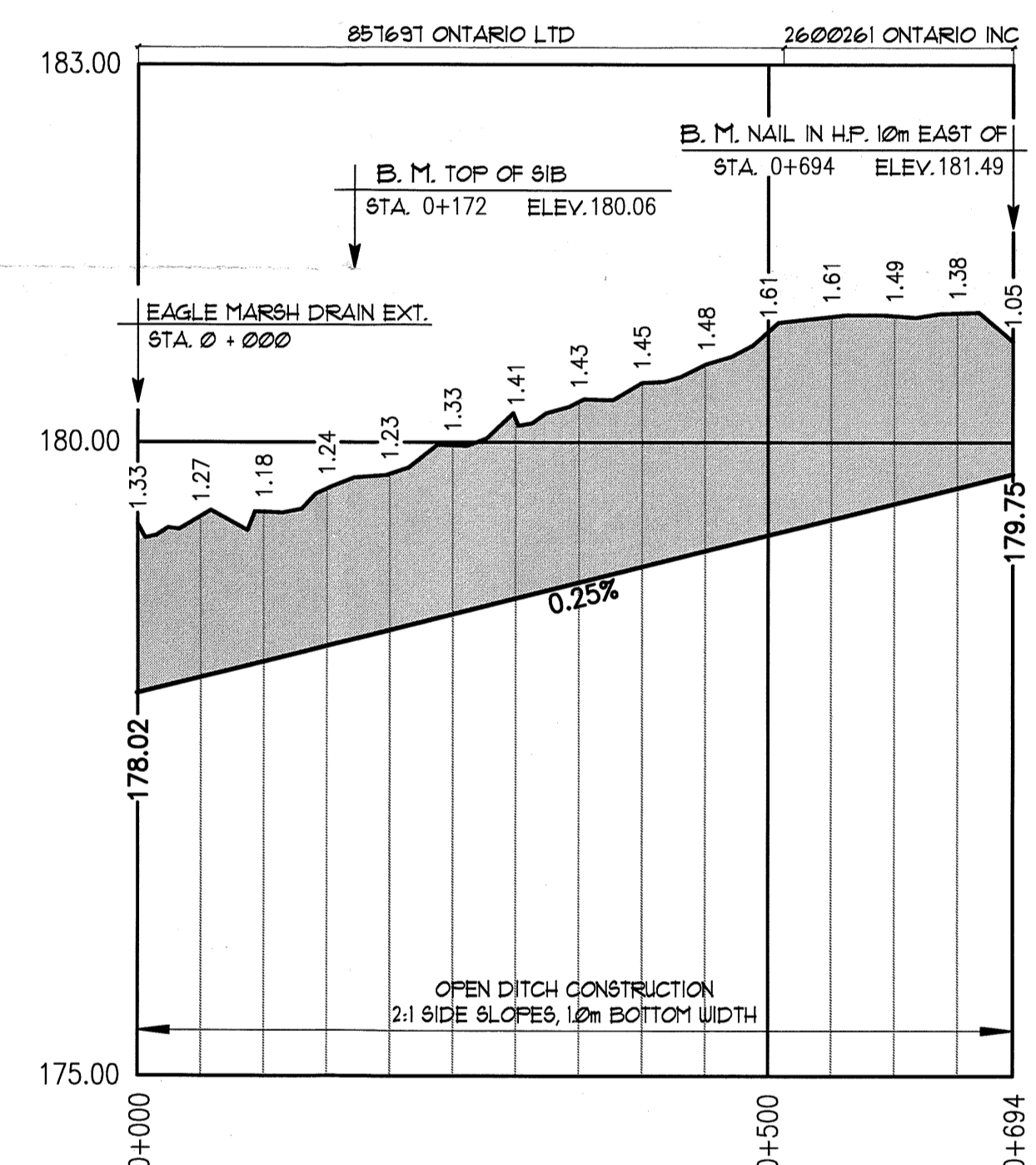
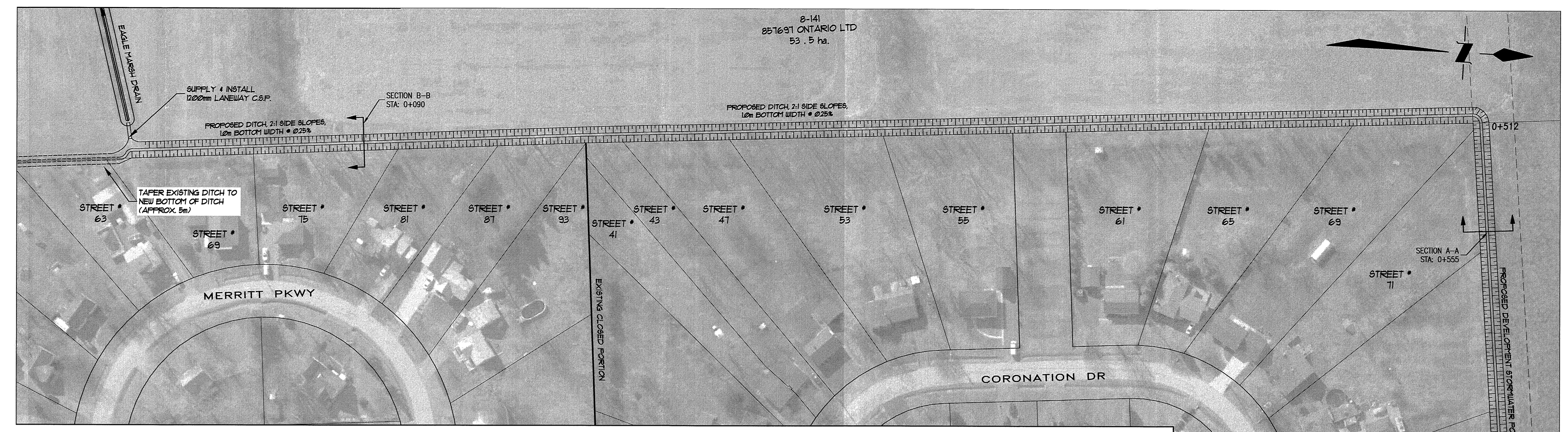
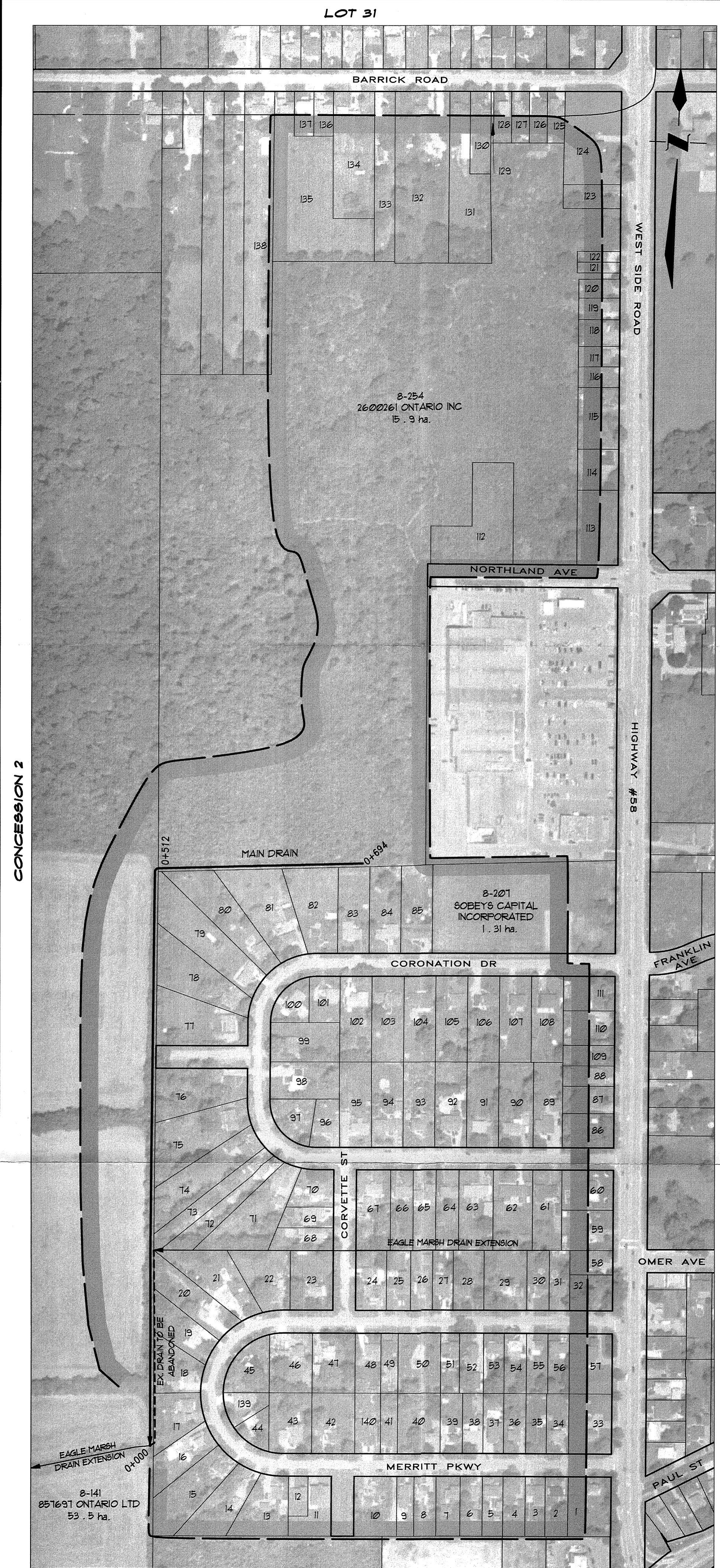


TYPICAL DITCH BOTTOM CLEANOUT

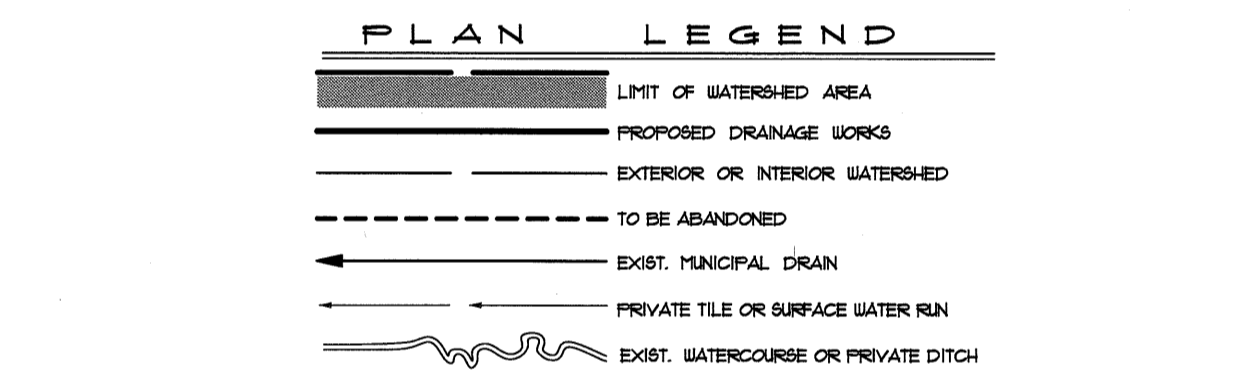


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TYPICAL ROCK CHUTE

TYPICAL DITCH BOTTOM CLEANOUT		
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9) 8-149	K. MARTEL	0.08	79) 8-202	B. DAY	0.36
10) 8-150	J. HORTON	0.20	80) 8-202-01	I. TOWNES	0.30
11) 8-151-20	J. CIOLFI	0.14	81) 8-203	M. MOREAU	0.35
12) 8-151	J. CIOLFI	0.06	82) 8-204	M. WHYNOT	0.29
13) 8-152	L. PROVOST-DOODRIDGE	0.22	83) 8-205	K. ROHE	0.21
14) 8-153	D. RUSENSTROM	0.22	84) 8-206	D. BISNETT	0.22
15) 8-154	E. HANNAH	0.27	85) 8-206-01	M. TREMBLAY	0.22
16) 8-155	L. PAQUET	0.17	86) 8-250	G. DUQUETTE	0.14
17) 8-156	M. COURSEY	0.18	87) 8-251	R. LARIVIERE	0.11
18) 8-157	M. BECKER	0.17	88) 8-251-02	D. DULLAL	0.08
19) 8-158	B. REDINGER	0.18	89) 8-208	A. MILLER	0.20
20) 8-159	M. GALLANT	0.22	90) 8-209	T. NICHOLLS	0.23
21) 8-160	J. DE WOLFF	0.26	91) 8-210	J. WASSENNAER	0.22
22) 8-161	M. COTE	0.22	92) 8-211	J. GAGNON	0.22
23) 8-162	P. KOUDUS	0.20	93) 8-212	M. BRYLJOV	0.22
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26) 8-164	Y. VERBEEK	0.10	96) 8-215	J. CRUMB	0.10
27) 8-164-01	R. MCCORD	0.10	97) 8-216	A. BREAU	0.13
28) 8-165	I. PETER	0.14	98) 8-217	R. KIRCHMAYER	0.20
29) 8-166	A. CLEARY	0.20	99) 8-218	D. MACLEOD	0.22
30) 8-167	M. RUTHERFORD	0.10	100) 8-218-02	J. LEGGETT	0.10
31) 8-167-01	J. TROTIER	0.10	101) 8-219	M. RUBOCKI	0.11
32) 8-168-02	CORNERSTONE HOMES (NIAGARA) LIMITED	0.05	102) 8-220	A. DESIRI	0.22
33) 8-169	R. ROMANYK	0.20	103) 8-221	J. ROESCH	0.22
34) 8-170	F. GELOK	0.10	104) 8-222	P. DI PIETRO	0.22
35) 8-170-01	B. BROUGHTON	0.10	105) 8-223	G. CAPERCHONE	0.22
36) 8-171	S. CARTER	0.10	106) 8-224	D. PIDGEN	0.22
37) 8-171-01	S. DE CICCO	0.10	107) 8-224-01	B. AGIUS	0.22
38) 8-172	I. GIANCOLA	0.10	108) 8-224-02	J. KNIGHT	0.22
39) 8-173	W. CRONSHAW	0.11	109) 8-251-01	C. D'ANGELO	0.08
40) 8-174	L. CLIFFORD	0.20	110) 8-252	L. LANGLOIS	0.14
41) 8-175	J. NOXEL	0.10	111) 8-253	S. KERNAGHAN	0.14
42) 8-176	H. LIGHT	0.20	112) 8-254-20	2600261 ONTARIO INC.	0.45
43) 8-177	J. BUJAN	0.20	113) 8-255	2751131 ONTARIO INC.	0.24
44) 8-178	J. CARONARO	0.09	114) 8-256	2600261 ONTARIO INC.	0.13
45) 8-179	J. WIATT	0.16	115) 8-257	5050500 ONTARIO INC.	0.20
46) 8-180	R. ROTELLA	0.20	116) 8-258	S. PARISI	0.07
47) 8-181	D. TANNAHILL	0.12	117) 8-258-05	D. PARISI	0.07
48) 8-182	B. WILLIAMS	0.12	118) 8-259	J. WINGER	0.09
49) 8-182-01	P. BARBAROSSA	0.08	119) 8-260	J. VANDELAAR	0.07
50) 8-183	P.C. CITY HALL	0.20	120) 8-260-02	D. VAN DYKE	0.06
51) 8-183-01	G. SALTARELLI	0.09	121) 8-260-05	R. PROVOST	0.04
52) 8-184	W. THOMSON	0.11	122) 8-261	G. MAURER	0.04
53) 8-185	N. SULLIVAN	0.10	123) 8-254-02	R. MARR	0.11
54) 8-186	D. EMBURGH	0.10	124) 8-262	R. MARR	0.42
55) 8-187	R. LORD	0.10	125) 8-254-10	M. MUSCAT	0.07
56) 8-187-01	R. MADSEN	0.10	126) 8-254-05	S. BARRICK	0.07
57) 8-188	J. ROMANYK	0.20	127) 8-224-14	E. TODD	0.07
58) 8-247-01	G. EVANGELISTA	0.08	128) 8-224-16	E. RHULE	0.01
59) 8-248	W. CLAPP	0.16	129) 8-224-18	P.C. CITY HALL	0.13
60) 8-249	T. KOSTIJK	0.16	130) 8-225-02	C. CAMPBELL	0.13
61) 8-188-01	R. PAGLIARO	0.18	131) 8-226	C. SUNN	0.04
62) 8-189	K. VELDMAN	0.25	132) 8-227	J. PENNER	0.74
63) 8-190	S. WANDER VEEN	0.22	133) 8-227	C. LABRIE	0.28
64) 8-191	J. BENNETT	0.15	134) 8-228	T. LASOVICH	0.41
65) 8-192	J. ROTELLA	0.14	135) 8-228-05	S. MILLER	0.80
66) 8-193	B. BARNAL	0.14	136) 8-228-02	P. CHOMEY	0.07
67) 8-194	A. SUESS	0.21	137) 8-228-03	T. HUFFMAN	0.07
68) 8-195-15	K. BURKE	0.11	138) 8-229	T. TERRY	0.65
69) 8-195-10	R. DESCHAMPS	0.08	139) 8-178-20	D. JONES	0.06
70) 8-195	D. STUART	0.12	140) 8-175-01	L. STORTZ	0.10



GENERAL NOTES

- OUR SPECIFICATIONS DATED JANUARY 2020 APPLY TO THIS PROJECT.
- THE WORKING WIDTH AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR TO CONSTRUCT THE NEW DRAINS SHALL CONSIST OF THOSE LANDS IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO THE DRAIN AND CONNECTIONS AND SHALL NOT EXCEED THE FOLLOWING AVERAGE WIDTHS:
 a) 18 meters (INCLUDING 3m BUFFER)
 THE WORKING WIDTH FOR PURPOSES OF FUTURE MAINTENANCE SHALL BE THE SAME AS ABOVE.
- ALL OWNERS ALONG THE COURSE OF THE DRAIN SHALL MAKE AN ACCESS ROUTE FROM THE NEAREST ROAD TO THE DRAIN LOCATION AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR THE AVERAGE WIDTH OF THIS ROUTE SHALL NOT EXCEED 9 METERS. THE ACCESS ROUTE SHALL ALSO APPLY FOR FUTURE MAINTENANCE PURPOSES.
- a) ALL UTILITIES TO BE LOCATED AND EXPOSED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION SO THAT THE NEW TILE GRADES CAN BE CONFIRMED. IF THERE IS A CONFLICT IN ELEVATION BETWEEN THE PROPOSED DRAIN AND THE UTILITY, THE ENGINEER IS TO BE NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY.
 b) CONTRACTOR TO NOTIFY ALL UTILITIES 72 HOURS PRIOR TO HIS SCHEDULED TIME FOR STARTING THE ABOVE WORK.
 c) THE COST FOR THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE ITEM ON THE EXTENT OF WORK AND NO EXTRA PAYMENT SHALL BE MADE TO THE CONTRACTOR, EXCEPT IF ROAD RESTORATION IS REQUIRED.
- ALL TREES, SCRUB, BRUSH, ETC. TO BE CLEARED AND GRUBBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION B.3 AND C.4 SPECIFICATIONS.
- RIP-RAP TO BE SUPPLIED AND INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION A.12 IN THE SPECIFICATIONS.
- CONTRACTOR TO ARRANGE A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING WITH THE ENGINEER, DRAINAGE SUPERINTENDENT, AND THE AFFECTED OWNERS. ALL PARTIES SHALL RECEIVE 48 HOURS NOTICE TO THE MEETING.

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN
 City of Port Colborne

Drainage Superintendent: ALANA VANDER VEEN
 905-228-8127

Drawn By: MM
 Date: AUG. 14, 2024

Field Book: GFS
 JOB No.: 219281-2

Drawing No.: 1 of 1

SPRIET ASSOCIATES LIMITED
 LONDON CONSULTING ENGINEERS
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The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne

By-law No. _____

Being a By-law to Provide for a Section 4 Engineer's Report for Drainage works in the
City of Port Colborne
In the Regional Municipality of Niagara Known as the Northland Estates Municipal Drain

Whereas the Northland Estates Drain is a municipal drain within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Port Colborne, having status under the *Drainage Act*, R.S.O. 1990; and

Whereas the Northland Estates Drain is a municipal drain which drains lands from The City of Port Colborne; and

Whereas on the 13th day of November, 2021, the Council of the City of Port Colborne appointed Brandon Widner P.Eng of Spriet Associates Engineers & Architects to complete a new report for the Northland Estates Drain watershed; and

Whereas pursuant to Section 4 of the *Drainage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne, in the Regional Municipality of Niagara, has procured a report titled Northland Estates Drain, dated August 14, 2024, prepared by Brandon Widner, P. Eng., of Spriet Associates Engineers & Architects, which report was filed with the City Clerk on the 26th day of August, 2024, containing plans, profiles and assessment schedules for the construction and future maintenance of the Northland Estates Drain, and is attached hereto and forms part of this by-law; and

Whereas the total estimated cost the Northland Estates Drain, inclusive of the engineer's report, construction, contract administration and HST (net) is \$189,900; and

Whereas the full amount of \$189,900 shall be assessed to the petitioner for drainage, municipal roll number 2711-030-038-25400; and

Whereas on the 27th day of August, 2024 the Council of the City of Port Colborne directed staff, by resolution, to proceed to the "Meeting to Consider", under Section 41 of the *Drainage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, in accordance with the recommendations laid out in Public Works Report 2023-161; and

Whereas the Council of The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne, at its meeting on the 18th day of September, 2024, approved the Department of Public Works, Report No. 2023-163 Northland Estates Municipal Drain Meeting to Consider, whereby the proposed drainage works was deemed necessary and desirable; and

Now therefore the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne under the *Drainage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, enacts as follows:

1. The Report dated August 14, 2024, which may be amended by pronouncement(s) of Courts of Revision and Final Decisions/Orders of the Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Appeals Tribunal and/or Referee, and appended hereto as Schedule "A" is hereby adopted and the drainage works as therein indicated and set forth is hereby authorized and shall be maintained in accordance therewith.
2.
 - 1) The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne may borrow on the credit of the Corporation the amount of \$189,900, excluding HST, being the amount assessed in the City, necessary for payment of the cost of the said drainage works.
 - 2) The Corporation may arrange for the issue of debentures on its behalf for the amount borrowed less the total amount of,
 - a) grants received under Section 85 of the *Drainage Act*, R.S.O. 1990 (the "Act");
 - b) commuted payments made in respect of lands assessed within the municipality; and

c) money paid under subsection 61(3) of the Act; and,

and such debentures shall be made payable within 5 years from the date of the debenture and shall bear interest at a rate not higher than the rate charged by The Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation on the date of sale of such debentures.

4. A special equal annual rate sufficient to redeem the principal and interest on the debentures shall be levied upon the lands and roads as set forth in the report hereto to be collected in the same manner and at the same time as other taxes are collected.
5. For paying the amount of \$189,900 being the amount assessed upon the petitioned land, a special rate sufficient to pay the amount assessed plus interest thereon shall be levied upon the whole rateable property in the City of Port Colborne in each year for 5 years after the passing of this by-law to be collected in the same manner and at the same time as other taxes are collected.
6. If the actual of the drainage works varies from the estimated costs as set out in the report, the actual cost shall be assessed, levied and collected upon and from the said parcel of land in the same proportions and in the same manner as provided in the report in Schedule "A" forming part of this by-law, as revised by the Court of Revision and Final Decisions of the Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Appeal Tribunal and/or Referee.
7. This By-law may be cited as "The Northland Estates Municipal Drain By-law" and shall come into force on the day of its final passing.

Read a first and second time and provisionally adopted this 18th day of September 2024.

William C. Steele
Mayor

Charlotte Madden
Clerk

Read a third time and enacted this _____ day of _____ 20____.

Mayor

Clerk

SCHEDULE "A"

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

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NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

City of Port Colborne

To the Mayor and Council of
the City of Port Colborne

Mayor and Council:

We are pleased to present our report on the construction of the Northland Estates Municipal Drain serving parts of Lot 31, Concession 2 (geographic Humberstone) in the City of Port Colborne. The total watershed area contains approximately 45 hectares.

AUTHORIZATION

This report was prepared pursuant to Section 4 of the Drainage Act. Instructions were received from your Municipality with respect to a motion of Council. The work was initiated by a petition signed by one of the affected landowners.

DRAINAGE AREA

The total watershed area as described above contains approximately 45 hectares. The area requiring drainage for the Northland Estates Drain is described as land in the north half of Lot 31, Concession 2.

HISTORY

The Eagle Marsh Drain Extension was originally constructed pursuant to a report submitted by J.R. Scott, P. Eng., dated January 1955 and consisted of 2,655 lineal meters of open drain improvements from Highway No. 3 in the Township of Wainfleet, Lot 2, Concession 2 which headed north-easterly into the City of Port Colborne (former Humberstone Township), to its head in the east part of Lot 31, Concession 2.

The drain was more recently improved downstream pursuant to a report by J.B. Wiebe, P.Eng., dated March 31, 1987, and consisted of 1,677 lineal meters of drain improvement, all located in the Township of Wainfleet.

EXISTING DRAINAGE CONDITIONS

A site meeting was held with respect to the project and through later discussions the owners reported the following:

EXISTING DRAINAGE CONDITIONS (cont'd)

- that the owners of 2600261 Ontario Inc. (Roll No. 8-254) indicated that they intend to develop their lands in the future and require a legal outlet for a future stormwater management facility
- multiple owners who reside on Coronation Drive and back onto the 30/31 lot line were in attendance and provided concerns with drainage in the rear of their lands and any future construction of a drain in the rear of their lots
- the owner of 857697 Ontario Ltd. (Roll No. 8-141) was also in attendance and provided input with regards to a future work on their lands

A field investigation and survey were completed. Upon reviewing our findings we note the following:

- that the existing drain in the residential lands has been enclosed in some locations and multiple sheds have been constructed over or in close proximity to the drain, making any improvements difficult
- that there are many large trees along the lot line of Lots 30 and 31

Preliminary design, cost estimates, and assessments were prepared and circulated to the affected owners to review the findings and preliminary proposals. Further input and requests were provided by the affected owners at that time and at later dates. Based on the proposed design it was decided to proceed with the report.

DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

The drain was designed to accommodate flow from a design storm with a 2-year return period in accordance with Publication 852 by the Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and Rural Affairs.

We would like to point out that there have been no indications of any adverse soil conditions. It should be noted that no formal soil investigation has been made, with this information being provided by the owners.

The proposed design and report have been generally completed using the "GUIDE FOR ENGINEERS WORKING UNDER THE DRAINAGE ACT IN ONTARIO" OMAFRA Publication 852.

RECOMMENDATIONS

We are therefore recommending the following:

- that a new open drain, to be referred to as the Northland Estates Drain, be constructed starting at the Eagle Marsh Drain Extension and head north, parallel to the Lot 30/31 lot line, in the lands of 857697 Ontario Ltd. (Roll No. 8-141) for approximately 512 lineal meters, then head east in the lands of 2600261 Ontario Inc. (Roll No. 8-254), parallel to the residential lots for 182 lineal meters, for a total length of 694 lineal meters

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS AND MITIGATION MEASURES

There are no significant wetlands or sensitive areas within the affected watershed area or along the route of the drains. The proposed construction of the Northland Estates Drain includes quarry stone around bends which greatly helps reduce the overland surface flows and any subsequent erosion. A temporary flow check of silt fencing is to be installed in the ditch downstream of the tile outlet for the duration of the construction.

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED WORK

The proposed work consists of approximately 694 lineal meters of open ditch construction including quarry stone rip-rap bank protection and bank seeding.

SCHEDULES

Three schedules are attached hereto and form part of this report, being Schedule 'A' - Allowances, Schedule 'B' - Cost Estimate, and Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance.

Schedule 'A' - Allowances. In accordance with Sections 29 and 30 of the Drainage Act, allowances are provided for right-of-way and damages to lands and crops along the route of the drain as defined below.

Schedule 'B' - Cost Estimate. This schedule provides for a detailed cost estimate of the proposed work which is in the amount of \$189,900.00. This estimate includes engineering and administrative costs associated with this project.

Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance. In accordance with Section 38 of the Drainage Act, this schedule outlines the distribution of future repair and/or maintenance costs for portions of, or the entire drainage works.

Drawing No. 1, Job No. 219281-2, and specifications form part of this report. They show and describe in detail the location and extent of the work to be done and the lands which are affected.

ALLOWANCES

DAMAGES: Section 30 of the Drainage Act provides for the compensation to landowners along the drain for damages to lands and crops caused by the construction of the drain. The amount granted is based on \$4,647.00/ha. for open ditch work with excavated material. This base rate is multiplied by the hectares derived from the working widths shown on the plans and the applicable lengths.

RIGHT-OF-WAY Section 29 of the Drainage Act provides for an allowance to the owners whose land must be used for the construction, repair, or future maintenance of a drainage works.

For open ditches, the allowance provides for the loss of land due to the construction provided for in the report. The amounts granted are based on the value of the land, and the rate used was \$150,000.00/ha. When any buffer strip is incorporated and/or created, the allowance granted is for any land beyond a 1.8-meter width deemed to have always been part of the drain. For existing open ditches, the right-of-way to provide for the right to enter and restrictions imposed on those lands, is deemed to have already been granted.

ASSESSMENT DEFINITIONS

In accordance with the Drainage Act, lands that make use of a drainage works are liable for assessment for part of the cost of constructing and maintaining the system. These liabilities are known as benefit, outlet liability and special benefit liability as set out under Sections 22, 23, 24 and 26 of the Act.

BENEFIT as defined in the Drainage Act means the advantages to any lands, roads, buildings or other structures from the construction, improvement, repair, or maintenance of a drainage works such as will result in a higher market value, increased crop production, improved appearance, better control of surface or sub-surface water, or any other advantages relating to the betterment of lands, roads, buildings, or other structures.

OUTLET liability is assessed to lands or roads that may make use of a drainage works as an outlet either directly or indirectly through the medium of any other drainage works or of a swale, ravine, creek, or watercourse.

In addition, a Public Utility or Road Authority shall be assessed for and pay all the increased cost to a drainage works due to the construction and operation of the Public Utility or Road Authority. This may be shown as either benefit or special assessment.

ASSESSMENT

A modified "Todgham Method" was used to calculate the assessments shown on Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance. This entailed breaking down the costs of the drain into sections along its route. The remainder is then separated into Benefit and Outlet costs. The Benefit cost is distributed to those properties receiving benefit as defined under "Assessment Definitions", with such properties usually being located along or close to the route of the drain. The Outlet Costs are distributed to all properties within the watershed area of that section on an adjusted basis. The areas are adjusted for location along that section, and relative run-off rates. Due to their different relative run-off rates forested lands have been assessed for outlet at lower rates than cleared lands. Also, roads and residential properties have been assessed for outlet at higher rates than cleared farmlands.

We assess the entire cost of this report to the developer of the Subdivision, 2600261 Ontario Inc. (Roll No. 8-254). It is to be noted that the cost of this report is not eligible for the Provincial Agricultural Grant.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT

If any additional work is required to the drainage works due to the existence of buried utilities such as gas pipelines, communications cables, etc. or if any of the utilities require relocation or repair then the extra costs incurred shall be borne by the utility involved in accordance with the provisions of Section 26 of the Drainage Act.

MAINTENANCE

Upon completion of construction all owners are hereby made aware of Sections 80 and 82 of the Drainage Act which forbid the obstruction of or damage or injury to a municipal drain.

After completion the entire Northland Estates Drain shall be maintained by the City of Port Colborne at the expense of all upstream lands and roads assessed in Schedule 'C' - Assessment for Maintenance and in the same relative proportions until such time as the assessment is changed under the Drainage Act.

Repairs or improvements to any road culvert or bridge or sub-surface road crossing required by the performance of this work and for future repair and/or replacement, shall be the responsibility of the applicable Road Authority, entirely at their cost.



BW:bv

Respectfully submitted,

SPRIET ASSOCIATES LONDON LIMITED

B. Widner, P.Eng.

SCHEDULE 'A' - ALLOWANCES

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

City of Port Colborne

In accordance with Sections 29 and 30 of the Drainage Act, we determine the allowances payable to owners entitled thereto as follows:

CONCESSION	LOT	ROLL NUMBER (Owner)	Section 29 Right-of-Way	Section 30 Damages	TOTALS
NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN					
2	Pt. 31	8-141 (857697 Ontario Ltd.)	\$ 69,120.00	\$ 3,570.00	\$ 72,690.00
2	Pt. 31	8-254 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	24,570.00	1,270.00	25,840.00
Total Allowances			\$ 93,690.00	\$ 4,840.00	\$ 98,530.00

TOTAL ALLOWANCES ON THE NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN **\$ 98,530.00**

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN**City of Port Colborne**

We have made an estimate of the cost of the proposed work which is outlined in detail as follows:

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

Mechanical brushing & clearing of trees on one side for excavation work	\$	9,900.00
694 meters of open ditch construction	\$	10,900.00
Levelling of excavated material beside ditch (where specified)	\$	4,500.00
Quarry stone rip-rap protection around bends as shown on profile (Approximately 12m ³ quarry stone req'd)	\$	1,900.00
Seeding of ditch banks and buffer strips (Approx 1200m ²)	\$	1,000.00
Hauling of excavated material (Approx. 3500m ³)	\$	23,900.00
Services of Land Surveyor to mark property lines	\$	2,700.00
Exposing and locating existing utilities as required	\$	1,000.00
Contingency	\$	4,900.00
Allowances under Sections 29 and 30 of the Drainage Act	\$	98,530.00

ADMINISTRATION

Interest and Net Harmonized Sales Tax	\$	3,470.00
Survey, Plan and Final Report	\$	20,900.00
Expenses	\$	2,200.00
Supervision and Final Inspection	\$	<u>4,100.00</u>
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST	\$	<u><u>189,900.00</u></u>

SCHEDULE 'C' - ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

City of Port Colborne

Job No. 219281-2

Aug 14, 2024

CON.	LOT	HECTARES AFFECTED	ROLL No. (OWNER)	PERCENTAGE OF MAINTENANCE COST
MAIN DRAIN				
City of Port Colborne				
*	2	Pt. 31 5.35	8-141 (857697 Ontario Ltd.)	17.35 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-142 (E. Spruyt)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-143 (J. Deruyte)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-144 (A. Di Nunzio)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-145 (R. Rocco)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-146 (J. Rebelo)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-147 (W. Godin)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-148 (R. Beaulieu)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-148-01 (R. Wilcox)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-149 (K. Martel)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-150 (J. Horton)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.06	8-151 (J. Ciofi)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-151-20 (J. Ciolfi)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-152 (L. Provost-Doddridge)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-153 (D. Rusenstrom)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.27	8-154 (E. Hannah)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-155 (L. Paquet)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.18	8-156 (M. Coursey)	1.13
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-157 (M. Becker)	1.37
*	2	Pt. 31 0.18	8-158 (B. Redinger)	0.96
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-159 (M. Gallant)	0.94
*	2	Pt. 31 0.26	8-160 (J. De Wolff)	0.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-161 (M. Cote)	0.12
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*	2	Pt. 31 0.05	8-168-02 (Cornerstone Homes Niagara Limited)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-169 (R. Romanyk)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-170 (F. Gelok)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-170-01 (B. Broughton)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-171 (S. Carter)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-171-01 (S. De Cicco)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-172 (I. Giancola)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-173 (W. Cronshaw)	0.01

SCHEDULE 'C' - ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

City of Port Colborne

CON.	LOT	HECTARES AFFECTED	ROLL No. (OWNER)	PERCENTAGE OF MAINTENANCE COST
MAIN DRAIN (cont'd)				
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-174 (L. Clifford)	0.03 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-175 (J. Noxel)	0.01
	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-175-01 (L. Stortz)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-176 (H. Light)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-177 (J. Bujan)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.09	8-178 (J. Carbonaro)	0.01
	2	Pt. 31 0.06	8-178-20 (D. Jones)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.16	8-179 (J. Wiatt)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-180 (R. Rotella)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-181 (D. Tannahill)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-182 (B. Williams)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-182-01 (P. Barbarossa)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-183 (P.C. City Hall)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.09	8-183-01 (G. Saltarelli)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-184 (W. Thomson)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-185 (N. Sullivan)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-186 (D. Emburgh)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-187 (R. Lord)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-187-01 (R. Madsen)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-188 (J. Romanyk)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.18	8-188-01 (R. Pagliaro)	0.11
*	2	Pt. 31 0.25	8-189 (K. Veldman)	0.14
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-190 (S. Vander Veen)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-191 (J. Bennett)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-192 (J. Rotella)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.14	8-193 (B. Barnai)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-194 (A. Sues)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-195 (D. Stuart)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-195-10 (R. Deschamps)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-195-15 (K. Burke)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-196 (A. Tedesco)	0.18
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-197 (R. Graham)	0.09
*	2	Pt. 31 0.17	8-197-01 (M. Trembley)	0.44
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-198 (J. Murray-Schweyer)	1.20
*	2	Pt. 31 0.35	8-199 (L. Grant)	1.67
*	2	Pt. 31 0.31	8-200 (J. White)	1.52
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-201 (C. Hall)	1.69
*	2	Pt. 31 0.31	8-201-01 (H. Schilstra)	1.74
*	2	Pt. 31 0.36	8-202 (B. Day)	1.85
*	2	Pt. 31 0.30	8-202-01 (I. Townes)	1.64
*	2	Pt. 31 0.35	8-203 (M. Moreau)	2.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.29	8-204 (M. Whynot)	1.82
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-205 (K. Rohe)	1.02
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-206 (D. Bisnett)	0.49

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MAIN DRAIN (cont'd)				
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-206-01 (M. Trembley)	0.50 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.92	8-207 (Sobeys Capital Incorporated)	2.10
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-208 (A. Miller)	0.23
*	2	Pt. 31 0.23	8-209 (T. Nicholls)	0.26
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-210 (J. Wassenaar)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-211 (J. Gagnon)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-212 (M. Bryliov)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-213 (J. Clarke)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-214 (H. Reid)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-215 (J. Crumb)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.13	8-216 (A. Breau)	0.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.20	8-217 (R. Kirchmayer)	0.23
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-218 (D. Macleod)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-218-02 (J. Leggett)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-219 (M. Rubocki)	0.12
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-220 (A. Desiri)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-221 (J. Roesch)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-222 (P. Di Pietro)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-223 (G. Caperchione)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-224 (D. Pidgen)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-224-01 (B. Agius)	0.24
*	2	Pt. 31 0.22	8-224-02 (J. Knight)	0.24
	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-224-14 (E. Todd)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-224-16 (E. Rhule)	0.09
*	2	Pt. 31 0.00	8-224-18 (P.C. City Hall)	0.01
*	2	Pt. 31 0.11	8-225 (C. Campbell)	0.26
*	2	Pt. 31 0.39	8-225-02 (C. Gunn)	0.88
*	2	Pt. 31 0.66	8-226 (J. Penner)	1.51
*	2	Pt. 31 0.25	8-227 (C. Labrie)	0.56
*	2	Pt. 31 0.37	8-228 (T. Lasovich)	0.85
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-228-02 (P. Chiomey)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-228-03 (T. Huffman)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.72	8-228-05 (S. Miller)	1.64
*	2	Pt. 31 0.32	8-229 (T. Terfry)	0.75
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-247-01 (G. Evangelista)	0.03
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-248 (W. Clapp)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.08	8-249 (T. Kostiuik)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-250 (C. Duquette)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.06	8-251 (R. Lariviere)	0.06
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-251-01 (C. D'Angelo)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-251-02 (D. Duvall)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-252 (L. Langlois)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-253 (S. Kernaghan)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 12.68	8-254 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	33.32

SCHEDULE 'C' - ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN
City of Port Colborne

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MAIN DRAIN (cont'd)				
*	2	Pt. 31 0.05	8-254-02 (R. Marr)	0.12 %
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-254-05 (S. Barrick)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-254-10 (M. Muscat)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.45	8-254-20 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	1.04
*	2	Pt. 31 0.12	8-255 (2751131 Ontario Inc.)	0.27
*	2	Pt. 31 0.07	8-256 (2600261 Ontario Inc.)	0.15
*	2	Pt. 31 0.10	8-257 (5050500 Ontario Inc.)	0.23
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-258 (S. Parisi)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-258-05 (D. Parisi)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-259 (J. Winger)	0.11
*	2	Pt. 31 0.04	8-260 (J. Vandelaar)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.03	8-260-02 (D. Van Dyke)	0.08
*	2	Pt. 31 0.02	8-260-05 (R. Provost)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.02	8-261 (G. Maurer)	0.05
*	2	Pt. 31 0.21	8-262 (R. Marr)	0.47
				=====
TOTAL ASSESSMENT ON LANDS				92.23 %
				=====
Coronation Drive		1.64	City of Port Colborne	4.80 %
Corvette Street		0.25	City of Port Colborne	0.65
Merritt Parkway		1.55	City of Port Colborne	0.56
Northland Ave		0.30	City of Port Colborne	1.76
				=====
TOTAL ASSESSMENT ON ROADS				7.77 %
				=====
TOTAL ASSESSMENT FOR MAINTENANCE ON THE NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN				<u>100.00 %</u>

**SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION
OF
MUNICIPAL DRAINAGE WORKS**

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SECTION A

GENERAL WORK

A.1 COMMENCEMENT AND COMPLETION OF WORK

The work must commence immediately after the Contractor is notified of the acceptance of his tender or at a later date, if set out as a condition of the tender. If weather creates poor ground or working conditions the Contractor may be required, at the discretion of the Engineer, to postpone or halt work until conditions become acceptable.

As noted on the drawn, the contractor must first arrange for a preconstruction meeting to be held on the site with the Contractor and affected owners attending to review in detail the construction scheduling, access and other pertinent details. The Contractor's costs for attending this meeting shall be included in his lump sum tender price. If the Contractor leaves the job site for a period of time after initiation of work, he shall give the Engineer and the Superintendent a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours' notice prior to returning to the project.

The work must be proceeded with in such a manner as to ensure its completion at the earliest possible date and within the time limit set out in the tender or in the contract documents.

A.2 WORKING AREA AND ACCESS

The working area available to the Contractor to construct the drain and related works including an access route to the drain shall be as specified on the drawings.

Should the specified widths become inadequate due to unusual conditions, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer immediately in order that negotiations with the affected owners can take place.

Where a Contractor exceeds the specified widths due to the nature of his operations and without authorization, he shall be held responsible for the costs of all additional damages and the amount shall be deducted from his contract price and paid to the affected owners by the Municipality.

A.3 ROAD CROSSINGS

.1 General

- .1 Scope: These specifications apply to all road crossings - Municipal, County, Regional, or Highway Roads. Where the word "Authority" is used, it shall be deemed to apply to the appropriate owning authority. These specifications in no way limit the Authority's Specifications and Regulations governing the construction of drains on their Road Allowance. The Authority will supply no labour, equipment or materials for the construction of the road crossing unless otherwise noted on the drawings.
- .2 Road Occupancy Permit: Where applicable the Contractor must submit an Application for a Road Occupancy Permit to the Authority and allow a minimum of 5 working days (exclusive of holidays) for its review and issuance.
- .3 Road Closure Request and Construction Notification: The Contractor shall submit written notification of construction and request for road closure (if applicable) to the Road Authority/Public Works Manager and the Drainage Engineer or Superintendent for review and approval a minimum of five (5) working days (exclusive of holidays) prior to proceeding with any work on road allowance. It shall be the Road Authority's responsibility to notify all the applicable emergency services, schools, etc. of the road closure or construction taking place.
- .4 Traffic Control: Where the Contractor is permitted to close the road to through traffic, the Contractor shall provide for and adequately sign the detour route to the satisfaction of the Road Authority. Otherwise, the Contractor shall keep the road open to traffic at all times. The Contractor shall provide, for the supply, erection and maintenance, suitable warning signs and/or flagmen in accordance with the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices and to the satisfaction of the Road Authority to notify the motorists of work on the road ahead.



A.3 **ROAD CROSSINGS** (cont'd)

- .5 **Site Meeting/Inspection**: A site meeting shall be held with the affected parties to review in detail the crossing and/or its related works. The Authority's Inspector and/or the Drainage Engineer will inspect the work while in progress to ensure that the work is done in strict accordance with the specifications.
- .6 **Weather**: No construction shall take place during inclement weather or periods of poor visibility.
- .7 **Equipment**: No construction material and/or equipment is to be left within 3 meters of the edge of pavement overnight or during periods of inclement weather.

.2 **Jacking and Boring**

- .1 **Material**: The bore pipe shall consist of new, smooth wall steel pipe, meeting the requirements of H20 loading for road crossings and E80 loading for railway crossings. The minimum size, wall thickness and length shall be as shown on the drawings. Where welding is required, the entire circumference of any joint shall be welded using currently accepted welding practices.
- .2 **Site Preparation and Excavation**: Where necessary, fences shall be carefully taken down as specified in the General Conditions. Prior to any excavation taking place, all areas which will be disturbed shall be stripped of topsoil. The topsoil is to be stockpiled in locations away from the bore operation, off the line of future tile placement and out of existing water runs or ditches. The bore pit shall be located at the upstream end of the bore unless otherwise specified or approved. Bore pits shall be kept back at least 1 meter from the edge of pavement and where bore pits are made in any portion of the shoulder, the excavated material shall be disposed of off the road allowance and the pit backfilled with thoroughly compacted Granular "A" for its entire depth.
- .3 **Installation**: The pipe shall be installed in specified line and grade by a combination of jacking and boring. Upon completion of the operations, both ends of the bore pipe shall be left uncovered until the elevation has been confirmed by the Engineer or Superintendent. The ends of the bore pipe shall be securely blocked off and the location marked by means of a stake extending from the pipe invert to 300mm above the surrounding ground surface.
- .4 **Unstable Soil or Rock**: The Contractor shall contact the Engineer immediately should unstable soil be encountered or if boulders of sufficient size and number to warrant concern are encountered. Any bore pipe partially installed shall be left in place until alternative methods or techniques are determined by the Engineer after consultation with the Contractor, the Superintendent and the owning authority.
- .5 **Tile Connections**: Prior to commencement of backfilling, all tile encountered in excavations shall be reconnected using material of a size comparable to the existing material. Where the excavation is below the tile grade, a compacted granular base is to be placed prior to laying the tile. Payment for each connection will be made at the rate outlined in the Form of Tender and Agreement.
- .6 **Backfill**: Unless otherwise specified, the area below the proposed grade shall be backfilled with a crushed stone bedding. Bore pits and excavations outside of the shoulder area may be backfilled with native material compacted to a density of 95% Standard Proctor. All disturbed areas shall be neatly shaped, have the topsoil replaced and hand seeded. Surplus material from the boring operation shall be removed from the site at the Contractor's expense.
- .7 **Restoration**: The entire affected area shall be shaped and graded to original lines and grades, the topsoil replaced, and the area seeded down at the rate of 85 kg/per ha. unless otherwise specified or in accordance with the M.T.O. Encroachment Permit. Fences shall be restored to their original condition in accordance with the General Conditions.
- .8 **Acceptance**: All work undertaken by the Contractor shall be to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

A.3 ROAD CROSSINGS (cont'd)

.3 Open Cut

- .1 Material: The culvert or sub-drain crossing pipe material shall be specified on the drawings.
- .2 Site Preparation and Excavation: Where necessary, fences shall be carefully taken down as specified in the general conditions. Prior to any excavation taking place, the areas which will be disturbed shall be stripped of topsoil. The topsoil is to be stockpiled in locations away from the construction area.
- .3 Installation: The pipe shall be installed using bedding and cover material in accordance with Standard Detailed Drawing No. 2 or detail provided on drawings.
- .4 Unstable Soil or Rock: The Contractor shall contact the Engineer immediately should unstable soil be encountered or if boulders of sufficient size and number to warrant concern are encountered.
- .5 Tile Connections: Prior to commencement of backfilling, all tiles encountered in excavations shall be reconnected using material of a size comparable to the existing material. Where the excavation is below the tile grade, a compacted granular base is to be placed prior to laying the tile. Payment for connections not shown on the drawings shall be an extra to the contract.
- .6 Backfill: Backfill from the top of the cover material up to the underside of road base shall meet the requirements for M.T.O. Granular "B". The backfill shall be placed in lifts not exceeding 300mm in thickness and each lift shall be thoroughly compacted to produce a density of 98% Standard Proctor. Granular "B" road base for County Roads and Highways shall be placed to a 450mm thickness and Granular "A" shall be placed to a thickness of 200mm, both meeting M.T.O. requirements. Granular road base materials shall be thoroughly compacted to produce a density of 100% Standard Proctor.

Where the road surface is paved, the Contractor shall be responsible for placing an HL-4 Hot Mix Asphalt patch of the same thickness as the existing pavement. The asphalt patch shall be flush with the existing roadway on each side and not overlap. If specified, the asphalt patch shall not be placed immediately over the road base and the Granular "A" shall be brought up flush with the existing asphalt and a liberal amount of calcium chloride shall be spread on the gravel surface. The asphalt patch must be completed within the time period set out on the drawing.

The excavated material from the trench beyond a point 2.5 meters from the travelled portion or beyond the outside edge of the gravel shoulder, may be used as backfill in the trench in the case of covered drains. This material should be compacted in layers not exceeding 600mm.

A.4 SURPLUS EXCAVATED MATERIAL AND GRAVEL

Excess excavated material from open cut installation through roads, railways, laneways and lawn/grass areas, shall be removed and disposed of off-site by the Contractor as part of their lump sum installation price. If as a result of any work, gravel or crushed stone is required and not all the gravel or crushed stone is used in the construction of the works, the Contractor shall haul away such surplus gravel or stone unless otherwise approved.

A.5 FENCES

No earth shall be placed against fences and all fences removed by the Contractor are to be replaced by him in as good condition as found. In general, the Contractor will not be allowed to cut existing fences but shall disconnect existing fences at the nearest anchor post or other such fixed joint and shall carefully roll it back out of the way. Where the distance to the closest anchor post or fixed joint exceeds 50 meters, the Contractor will be allowed to cut and splice in accordance with accepted methods and to the satisfaction of the owner and the Engineer or Superintendent. Where existing fences are deteriorated to the extent that existing materials are not salvageable for replacement, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer or the Superintendent prior to dismantling. Fences damaged beyond salvaging by the Contractor's negligence shall be replaced with new materials, similar to those existing, at the Contractor's expense. The replacement of the fences shall be done to the satisfaction of the owner and the Engineer or Superintendent. The site examination should indicate to the Contractor such work, if any, and an allowance should be made in the tendered price.

The Contractor shall not leave any fence open when he is not at work in the immediate vicinity.

A.6 **LIVESTOCK**

The Contractor shall provide each property owner with 48 hours' notice prior to removing any fences along fields which could possibly contain livestock. Thereafter, the property owner shall be responsible to keep all livestock clear of the construction areas until further notified. Where necessary, the Contractor will be directed to erect temporary fences. The Contractor shall be held responsible for loss or injury to livestock or damage caused by livestock, where the injury or damage is caused by his failure to notify the property owner or through negligence or carelessness on the part of the Contractor.

The Contractor constructing a tile drain shall not be held responsible for damages or injury to livestock occasioned by leaving trenches open for inspection by the Engineer if he notifies the owner at least 48 hours prior to commencement of the work on that portion. The Contractor will be held liable for such damages or injury if the backfilling of such trenches is delayed more than 1 day after acceptance by the Engineer.

A.7 **STANDING CROPS**

The Contractor shall not be held responsible for damages to standing crops within the working area available and the access route provided if he notifies the owner thereof at least 48 hours prior to commencement of the work on that portion.

A.8 **RAILWAYS, HIGHWAYS, UTILITIES**

A minimum of forty-eight (48) hours' notice to Railways, Highways and Utilities, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays, shall be required by the Contractor prior to any work being performed and in the case of a pipe being installed by open cutting or boring under a Highway or Railway, a minimum of 72 hours' notice is required.

A.9 **UTILITIES**

The attention of the Contractor is drawn to the presence of utilities along the course of the drain. The Contractor will be responsible for determining the location of all utilities and will be held liable for any damage to all utilities caused by his operations. The Contractor shall co-operate with all authorities to ensure that all utilities are protected from damage during the performance of the work. The cost of any necessary relocation work shall be borne by the utility. No allowance or claims of any nature will be allowed on account for delays or inconveniences due to utilities relocation, or for inconveniences and delays caused by working around or with existing utilities not relocated.

A.10 **IRON BARS**

The Contractor shall be held liable for the cost of an Ontario Land Surveyor to replace any iron bars destroyed during the course of construction.

A.11 **STAKES**

At the time of the survey, stakes are set along the course of the drain at intervals of 50 meters. The Contractor shall ensure that the stakes are not disturbed unless approval is obtained from the Engineer. Any stakes removed by the Contractor without the authority of the Engineer, shall be replaced at the expense of the Contractor. At the request of the Contractor, any stakes which are removed or disturbed by others or by livestock, shall be replaced at the expense of the drain.

A.12 RIP-RAP

Rip-rap shall be specified on the drawings and shall conform to the following:

- .1 **Quarry Stone:** shall range in size from 150mm to 300mm evenly distributed and shall be placed to a 300mm thickness on a filter blanket at a 1.5 to 1 slope unless otherwise noted. Filter blanket to be Mirafi 160N or approved equal.
- .2 **Broken Concrete:** may be used in areas outside of regular flows if first broken in maximum 450mm sized pieces and mixed to blend with quarry stone as above. No exposed reinforcing steel shall be permitted.
- .3 **Shot Rock:** shall range in size from 150mm to 600mm placed to a depth of 450mm thickness on a filter blanket at a 1.5:1 slope unless otherwise noted. Filter blanket to be Mirafi 160N or approved equal.

A.13 GABION BASKETS

Supply and install gabion basket rip-rap protection as shown on the drawings.

Gabion baskets shall be as manufactured by Maccaferri Gabions of Canada Ltd. or approved equal and shall be assembled and installed in strict accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

The gabion fill material shall consist solely of fractured field stone or gabion stone graded in size from 100mm to 200mm (4" to 8") and shall be free of undersized fragments and unsuitable material.

A.14 RESTORATION OF LAWNS

- .1 **General:** Areas noted on the drawings to be restored with seeding or sodding shall conform to this specification, and the Contractor shall allow for all costs in his lump sum bid for the following works.
- .2 **Topsoil:** Prior to excavation, the working area shall be stripped of existing topsoil. The topsoil stockpile shall be located so as to prevent contamination with material excavated from the trench. Upon completion of backfilling operations, topsoil shall be spread over the working area to a depth equal to that which previously existed but not less than the following:
 - Seeding and sodding - minimum depth of 100mm
 - Gardens - minimum depth of 300mm

In all cases where a shortfall of topsoil occurs, whether due to lack of sufficient original depth or rejection of stockpiled material due to Contractor's operations, imported topsoil from acceptable sources shall be imported at the Contractor's expense to provide the specified depths. Topsoil shall be uniformly spread, graded, and cultivated prior to seeding or sodding. All clods or lumps shall be pulverized, and any roots or foreign matter shall be raked up and removed as directed.

.3 Sodding

- .1 **Materials:** Nursery sod to be supplied by the Contractor shall meet the current requirements of the Ontario Sod Growers Association for No. 1 Bluegrass Fescue Sod.
- .2 **Fertilizer:** Prior to sod placement, approved fertilizer shall be spread at the rate of 5kg/100m² of surface area and shall be incorporated into such surfaces by raking, discing or harrowing. All surfaces on which sod is to be placed shall be loose at the time of placing sod to a depth of 25mm.
- .3 **Placing Sod:** Sod shall be laid lengthwise across the face of slopes with ends close together. Sod shall be counter sunk along the joints between the existing grade and the new sodding to allow for the free flow of water across the joint. Joints in adjacent rows shall be staggered and all joints shall be pounded and rolled to a uniform surface.

On slopes steeper than 3 to 1, and in unstable areas, the Engineer may direct the Contractor to stake sod and/or provide an approved mesh to prevent slippages. In all cases where such additional work is required, it will be deemed an extra to the contract and shall be paid for in accordance with the General Conditions. No sod shall be laid when frozen nor upon frozen ground nor under any other condition not favourable to the growth of the sod. Upon completion of sod laying the Contractor shall thoroughly soak the area with water to a depth of 50mm. Thereafter it will be the responsibility of the property owner to maintain the area in a manner so as to promote growth.

A.14 **RESTORATION OF LAWNS (cont'd)**

.4 **Seeding:** Seed to be supplied by the Contractor shall be "high quality grass seed" harvested during the previous year, and shall be supplied to the project in the supplier's original bags on which a tag setting out the following information is affixed:

- Year or Harvest - recommended rate of application
- Type of Mixture - fertilizer requirements

Placement of seed shall be by means of an approved mechanical spreader. All areas on which seed is to be placed shall be loose at the time of placing seed, to a depth of 25mm. Seed and fertilizer shall be spread in accordance with the supplier's recommendations unless otherwise directed by the Engineer. Thereafter it will be the responsibility of the property owner to maintain the area in a manner so as to promote growth.

.5 **Settlement:** The Contractor shall be responsible during the one-year guarantee period for the necessary repair of restored areas due to trench settlement. Areas where settlement does not exceed 50mm may be repaired by top dressing with fine topsoil. In areas where settlement exceeds 50mm, the Contractor will be required to backfill the area with topsoil and restore with seeding and/or sodding as originally specified.

A.15 **RESTORATION OF ROADS AND LANEWAYS**

.1 **Gravel:** Restoration shall be in accordance with the applicable standard detailed drawing or as shown on the drawings.

.2 **Asphalt and Tar and Chip:** Prior to restoration all joints shall be neatly sawcut. Restoration shall be as a in gravel above with the addition of the following:

- .1 Roads shall have the finished grade of Granular 'A', allow two courses of hot-mix asphalt (M.T.O. 310), 80mm HL6 and 40mm HL3 or to such greater thickness as may be required to match the existing.
- .2 Laneways shall have the finished grade of Granular 'A' allow one 50mm minimum course of hot-mix asphalt (HL3) or greater as may be required to match existing.



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SECTION B

OPEN DRAIN

B.1 PROFILE

The profile drawing shows the depth of cuts from the ground beside the stake to the final invert of the ditch in meters and decimals of a meter and also the approximate depth of cuts from the existing bottom of the ditch to the elevation of the ditch bottom. These cuts are established for the convenience of the Contractor; however, benchmarks will govern the final elevation of the drain. Benchmarks have been established along the course of the drain and their locations and elevations are noted on the profile drawing. A uniform grade shall be maintained between stakes in accordance with the profile drawing.

B.2 ALIGNMENT

The drain shall be constructed in a straight line and shall follow the course of the present drain or water run unless otherwise noted on the drawings. Where it is necessary to straighten any bends or irregularities in alignment not noted on the drawings, the Contractor shall contact the Engineer or Superintendent before commencing the work.

B.3 CLEARING AND GRUBBING

Prior to commencement of work, all trees, scrub, fallen timber and debris shall be removed from the side slopes of the ditch and for such a distance on the working side so as to eliminate any interference with the construction of the drain or the spreading of the spoil. The side slopes shall be neatly cut and cleared flush with slope whether or not they are affected directly by the excavation. With the exception of large stumps causing damage to the drain, the side slope shall not be grubbed. All other cleared areas shall be grubbed and the stumps put into piles for disposal by the owner.

All trees or limbs 150mm (6") or larger, that it is necessary to remove, shall be considered as logs and shall be cut and trimmed, and left in the working width separate from the brush, for use or disposal by the owner. Trees or limbs less than 150mm in diameter shall be cut in lengths not greater than 5 meters and placed in separate piles with stumps spaced not less than 75 meters apart in the working width, for the use or disposal of the owner. In all cases, these piles shall be placed clear of excavated materials, and not be piled against standing trees. No windrowing will be permitted. The clearing and grubbing and construction of the drain are to be carried out in two separate operations and not simultaneously at the same location.

B.4 EXCAVATION

The bottom width and the side slopes of the ditch shall be those shown on the profile drawing.

Unless otherwise specified on the drawings, only the existing ditch bottom is to be cleaned out and the side slopes are not to be disturbed. Where existing side slopes become unstable because of construction, the Contractor shall immediately contact the Engineer or Superintendent. Alternative methods of construction and/or methods of protection will then be determined, prior to continuing the work.

Where an existing drain is being relocated or where a new drain is being constructed, the Contractor shall, unless otherwise specified, strip the topsoil for the full width of the drain, including the location of the spoil pile. Upon completion of levelling, the topsoil shall be spread to an even depth across the full width of the spoil.

B.5 EXCAVATED MATERIAL

Excavated material shall be deposited on either or both sides of the drain as indicated on the drawings or as directed by the Engineer or Superintendent. A buffer strip of not less than 3 meters in width through farmed lands and 2 meters in width through bush areas shall be left along the top edges of the drain. The buffer strip shall be seeded and/or incorporated as specified on the drawings. The material shall be deposited beyond the specified buffer strip.



B.5 EXCAVATED MATERIAL (cont'd)

No excavated material shall be placed in tributary drains, depressions, or low areas which direct water into the ditch so that water will be trapped behind the spoil bank. The excavated material shall be placed and levelled to a minimum width to depth ratio of 50 to 1 unless instructed otherwise. The edge of the spoil bank away from the ditch shall be feathered down to the existing ground; the edge of the spoil bank nearest the ditch shall have a maximum slope of 2 to 1. The material shall be levelled such that it may be cultivated with ordinary farm equipment without causing undue hardship on machinery and personnel. No excavated material shall cover any logs, scrub, debris, etc. of any kind.

Where it is necessary to straighten any unnecessary bends or irregularities in the alignment of the ditch, the excavated material from the new cut shall be used for backfilling the original ditch. Regardless of the distance between the new ditch and the old ditch no extra compensation will be allowed for this work and must be included in the Contractor's lump sum price for the open work.

Any stones 150mm or larger left exposed on top of the levelled excavated material shall be removed and disposed of as an extra to the contract unless otherwise noted on plans.

B.6 EXCAVATION THROUGH BRIDGES AND CULVERTS

The Contractor shall excavate the drain to the full specified depth and width under all bridges. Where the bridge or culvert pipe is located within a road allowance, the excavated material shall be levelled within the road allowance. Care shall be taken not to adversely affect existing drainage patterns. Temporary bridges may be carefully removed and left on the bank of the drain but shall be replaced by the Contractor when the excavation is completed unless otherwise specified. Permanent bridges must be left intact. All necessary care and precautions shall be taken to protect the structure. The Contractor shall notify the Engineer or Superintendent if excavation may cause the structure to undermine or collapse.

B.7 PIPE CULVERTS

Where specified on the drawings, the existing culvert shall be carefully removed, salvaged and either left at the site for the owner or reinstalled at a new grade or location. The value of any damage caused to the culvert due to the Contractor's negligence in salvage operation will be determined and deducted from the contract price.

All pipe culverts shall be installed in accordance with the standard detail drawings as noted on the drawings. If couplers are required, 5 corrugation couplers shall be used for up to and including 1200mm dia. pipe and 10 corrugation couplers for greater than 1200mm dia.

B.8 MOVING DRAINS OFF ROADS

Where an open drain is being removed from a road allowance, it must be reconstructed wholly on the adjacent lands with a minimum distance of 2.0 meters between the property line and the top of the bank, unless otherwise noted on the drawings. The excavated material shall be used to fill the existing open ditch and any excess excavated material shall be placed and levelled on the adjacent lands beyond the buffer strip, unless otherwise noted. Any work done on the road allowance, with respect to excavation, disposal of materials, installation of culverts, cleaning under bridges, etc., shall be to the satisfaction of the Road Authority and the Engineer.

B.9 TRIBUTARY OUTLETS

The Contractor shall guard against damaging the outlets of tributary drains. Prior to commencement of excavation on each property the Contractor shall contact the owner and request that all known outlet pipes be marked by the owner. All outlets so marked or visible or as noted on the profile, and subsequently damaged by the Contractor's operations will be repaired by the Contractor at his cost. All outlet pipes repaired by the Contractor under direction of the Drainage Superintendent or Engineer which were not part of the Contract shall be considered an extra to the contract price.

B.10 SEDIMENT BASINS AND TRAPS

The Contractor shall excavate sediment basins prior to commencement of upstream work as shown on the plan and profile. The dimension of the basin will be in a parabolic shape with a depth of 450mm below the proposed ditch bottom and the basin will extend along the drain for a minimum length of 15 meters.

A sediment trap 300mm deep and 5 meters long with silt fence placed across ditch bottom on the downstream end of the trap shall be constructed prior to and maintained during construction, to prevent silt from flushing downstream. The silt fence shall be removed and disposed of after construction.

B.11 SEEDING

- .1 **Delivery:** The materials shall be delivered to the site in the original unopened containers which shall bear the vendor's guarantee of analysis and seed will have a tag showing the year of harvest.
- .2 **Hydro Seeding:** Areas specified on drawings shall be hydro seeded and mulched upon completion of construction in accordance with O.P.S.S. 572 and with the following application rates:

Primary Seed (85 kg/ha.):	50% Creeping Red Fescue 40% Perennial Ryegrass 5% White Clover
Nurse Crop	Italian (Annual) Ryegrass at 25% of Total Weight
Fertilizer (300 kg/ha.)	8-32-16
Hydraulic Mulch (2000 kg/ha.)	Type "B"
Water (52,700 litres/ha.)	

Seeding shall not be completed after September 30.

- .3 **Hand Seeding:** Hand seeding shall be completed daily with the seed mixture and fertilizer and application rate shown under "Hydro Seeding" above. Placement of the seed shall be by means of an approved mechanical spreader. Seeding shall not be completed after September 30.



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SECTION C

TILE DRAIN

C.1 PIPE MATERIALS

- .1 **Concrete Tile:** All tile installed under these specifications shall be sound and of first quality and shall meet all A.S.T.M. Specifications current at the time of tendering. Concrete tile shall conform to Designation C412 "Extra Quality" except that the minimum compression strengths shall be increased by 25%. Heavy Duty tile shall conform to Designation C412 "Heavy Duty Extra Quality".
- .2 **Corrugated Steel Pipe:** Unless otherwise specified, all metal pipe shall be corrugated, riveted steel pipe or helical corrugated steel pipe with a minimum wall thickness of 1.6mm (16 gauge) and shall be fully galvanized.
- .3 **Plastic Tubing:** The plans will specify the type of tubing or pipe, such as non-perforated or perforated (with or without filter material).
 - i) Corrugated Plastic Drainage Tubing shall conform to the current O.F.D.A. Standards
 - ii) Heavy Duty Corrugated Plastic Pipe shall be "Boss 1000" manufactured by the Big 'O' Drain Tile Co. Ltd. or approved equal
- .4 **Concrete Sewer Pipe:** The Designations for concrete sewer pipe shall be C14 for concrete sewer pipe 450mm (18") diameter or less; and C76 for concrete sewer pipe greater than 450mm (18") diameter. Where closed joints are specified, joints shall conform to the A.S.T.M. Specification C443.

Where concrete sewer pipe "seconds" are permitted the pipe should exhibit no damages or cracks on the barrel section and shall be capable of satisfying the crushing strength requirements for No.1, Pipe Specifications (C14 or C76). The pipe may contain cracks or chips in the bell or spigot which could be serious enough to prevent the use of rubber gaskets, but which are not so severe that the joint could not be mortared conventionally.
- .5 **Plastic Sewer Pipe:** The plans will specify the type of sewer pipe, such as non-perforated or perforated (with or without filter material). All plastic sewer pipe and fittings shall be "Boss Poly-Tite", ULTRA-RIB", "Challenger 3000" or approved equal with a minimum stiffness of 320 kpa at 5% deflection.
- .6 **Plastic Fittings:** All plastic fittings shall be "Boss 2000" or "Challenger 2000" with split coupler joints or approved equal.

C.2 TESTING

The manufacturer shall provide specimens for testing if required. The random selection and testing procedures would follow the appropriate A.S.T.M. requirements for the material being supplied. The only variation is the number of tiles tested: 200mm to 525mm dia. - 5 tile tested, 600mm to 900mm dia. - 3 tile tested. The drain will be responsible for all testing costs for successful test results. Where specimens fail to meet the minimum test requirements, the manufacturer will be responsible for the costs of the unsuccessful tests. Alternately, the Engineer may accept materials on the basis of visual inspections and the receipt in writing from the Manufacturer of the results of daily production testing carried out by the Manufacturer for the types and sizes of the material being supplied.

C.3 LINE

Prior to stringing the tile, the Contractor shall contact the Superintendent or the Engineer in order to establish the course of the drain.

Where an existing drain is to be removed and replaced in the same trench by the new drain or where the new drain is to be installed parallel to an existing drain, the Contractor shall excavate test holes to locate the existing drain (including repairing drainage tile) at intervals along the course of the drain as directed by the Engineer and/or the Superintendent. The costs for this work shall be included in the tender price.

Where an existing drain is to be removed and replaced in the same trench by the new drain, all existing tiles shall be destroyed, and all broken tile shall be disposed of offsite.



C.3 LINE (cont'd)

The drain shall run in as straight a line as possible throughout its length, except that at intersections of other water courses or at sharp corners, it shall run on a curve of at least a 15-meter radius. The new tile drain shall be constructed at an offset from and generally parallel with any ditch or defined watercourse in order that fresh backfill in the trench will not be eroded by the flow of surface water. The Contractor shall exercise care not to disturb any existing tile drain or drains which parallel the course of the new drain, particularly where the new and the existing tile act together to provide the necessary capacity.

C.4 CLEARING AND GRUBBING

Prior to commencement of drain construction, all trees, scrub, fallen timber and debris shall be cleared and grubbed from the working area. Unless otherwise specified, the minimum width to be cleared and grubbed shall be 20 meters in all hardwood areas and 30 meters in all softwood areas (willow, poplar, etc.), the width being centred on the line of the drain.

All trees or limbs 150mm (6") or larger, that it is necessary to remove, shall be considered as logs and shall be cut and trimmed, and left in the working width separate from the brush, for use or disposal by the owner. Trees or limbs less than 150mm in diameter shall be cut in lengths not greater than 5 meters and placed in separate piles with stumps spaced not less than 75 meters apart in the working width, for the use or disposal of the owner. In all cases, these piles shall be placed clear of excavated materials, and not be piled against standing trees. No windrowing will be permitted. The clearing and grubbing and construction of the drain are to be carried out in two separate operations and not simultaneously at the same location.

C.5 PROFILE

The profile drawing shows the depth of cuts from the ground beside the stake to the final invert of the drain in meters and decimals of a meter. These cuts are established for the convenience of the Contractor; however, benchmarks will govern the final elevation of the drain. Benchmarks have been established along the course of the drain and their locations and elevations are noted on the profile drawing.

C.6 GRADE

The Contractor shall provide and maintain in good working condition, an approved system of establishing a grade sight line to ensure the completed works conform to the profile drawing. In order to confirm the condition of his system and to eliminate the possibility of minor errors on the drawings, he shall ensure his grade sight line has been confirmed to be correct between a minimum of two control points (bench marks) and shall spot check the actual cuts and compare with the plan cuts prior to commencement of tile installation. He shall continue this procedure from control point to control point as construction of the drain progresses. When installing a drain towards a fixed point such as a bore pipe, the Contractor shall uncover the pipe and confirm the elevation, using the sight line, a sufficient distance away from the pipe in order to allow for any necessary minor grade adjustments to be made in order to conform to the as built elevation of the bore pipe. All tile improperly installed due to the Contractor not following these procedures shall be removed and replaced entirely at the Contractor's cost.

When following the procedures and a significant variation is found, the Contractor shall immediately cease operations and advise the Engineer.

C.7 EXCAVATION

- .1 **Trench:** Unless otherwise specified, all trenching shall be done with a recognized farm tiling machine approved by the Engineer or Superintendent. The machine shall shape the bottom of the trench to conform to the outside diameter of the pipe for a minimum width of one-half of the outside diameter. The minimum trench width shall be equal to the outside diameter of the tile to be installed plus 100mm (4") on each side unless otherwise approved. The maximum trench width shall be equal to the outside diameter of the tile to be installed plus 250mm (10") on each side unless otherwise approved.

C.7 EXCAVATION (cont'd)

- .2 **Scalping:** Where the depths of cuts in isolated areas along the course of the drain as shown on the profile exceed the capacity of the Contractor's tiling machine, he shall lower the surface grade in order that the tiling machine may trench to the correct depth. Topsoil is to be stripped over a sufficient width that no subsoil will be deposited on top of topsoil. Subsoil will then be removed to the required depth and piled separately. Upon completion of backfilling, the topsoil will then be replaced to an even depth over the disturbed area. The cost for this work shall be included in his tender price.
- .3 **Excavator:** Where the Contractor's tiling machine consistently does not have the capacity to dig to the depths required or to excavate the minimum trench width required, he shall indicate in the appropriate place provided on the tender form his proposed methods of excavation.
Where the use of an excavator is either specified on the drawings or approved as evidenced by the acceptance of his tender on which he has indicated the proposed use of a backhoe he shall conform to the following requirements:
a) the topsoil shall be stripped and replaced in accordance with Section .2 "Scalping".
b) all tile shall be installed on a bed of 19mm crushed stone with a minimum depth of 150mm which has been shaped to conform to the lower segment of the tile.
c) the Contractor shall allow for the cost of the preceding requirements (including the supply of the crushed stone) in his lump sum tender price unless it is otherwise provided for in the contract documents.
- .4 **Backfilling Ditch:** Where the contract includes for a closed drain to replace an open drain and the ditch is to be backfilled, the Contractor shall install the tile and backfill the trench prior to backfilling the ditch unless otherwise noted. The distance the trench shall be located away from the ditch shall be as noted on the drawings, (beyond area required for stockpiling topsoil and backfilling). After tile installation is complete topsoil (if present) shall be stripped and stockpiled within the above limits prior to backfilling of ditch. Only tracked equipment shall be permitted to cross backfilled tile trench and must be at 90 degrees to line of tile.

C.8 INSTALLATION

The tile is to be laid with close fitting joints and in regular grade and alignment in accordance with the plan and profile drawings. The tiles are to be bevelled, if necessary, to ensure close joints (in particular around curves). Where, in heavy clay soils, the width of a joint exceeds 10mm the joint shall be wrapped with filter cloth as below. Where the width of a joint exceeds 12mm the tile shall first be removed and the joint bevelled to reduce the gap. The maximum deflection of one tile joint shall be 15 degrees. Where a drain connects to standard or ditch inlet catchbasins or junction box structures, the Contractor shall include in his tender price for the supply and installation of compacted Granular 'A' bedding under areas backfilled from the underside of the pipe to undisturbed soil. The connections will then be grouted.

Where a tile drain passes through a bore pit, the Tile Contractor shall include in his tender price for the supply and placement of compacted Granular "A" bedding from the underside of the pipe down to undisturbed soil within the limits of the bore pit.

As above and where soil conditions warrant, the Engineer may require (or as specified on the drawings) that each tile joint be wrapped with synthetic filter cloth. The width of the filter cloth shall be 300mm wide for tile sizes of 150mm to 300mm and 400mm wide for sizes of 350mm to 750mm. The filter cloth shall cover the full perimeter of the tile and overlap a minimum of 100mm or as specified on the drawings. The type of cloth shall be Mirafi 140NL for loam soils and 150N for sandy soil. Any such work not shown on the drawings shall be considered as an addition to the contract price unless specified on the drawings.

C.9 ROAD AND LANEWAY SUB-SURFACE CROSSINGS

All road and laneway crossings may be made with an open cut in accordance with standard detailed drawings in the specifications or on the drawings. The exact location of the crossing shall be verified and approved by the Road Authority and the Engineer and/or Superintendent.



C.10 **BACKFILLING**

As the laying of the tile progresses, blinding up to the springline including compaction by tamping (by hand) is to be made on both sides of the tile. No tile shall be backfilled until inspected by the Engineer or Drainage Superintendent unless otherwise approved by the Engineer.

The remainder of the trench shall be backfilled with special care being taken in backfilling up to a height approximately 150mm above the top of the tile to ensure that no tile breakage occurs. During the backfilling operation no equipment shall be operated in a way that would transfer loads onto the tile trench. Surplus material is to be mounded over the tile trench so that when settlement takes place the natural surface of the ground will be restored. Upon completion, a minimum cover of 600mm is required over all tile. Where stones larger than 150mm are present in the backfill material, they shall be separated from the material and disposed of by the Contractor.

Where a drain crosses a lawn area, the backfilling shall be carried out as above except that, unless otherwise specified, the backfill material shall be mechanically compacted to eliminate settlement.

C.11 **UNSTABLE SOIL**

The Contractor shall immediately contact the Engineer or Superintendent if quicksand is encountered, such that installation with a tiling machine is not possible. The Engineer shall, after consultation with the Superintendent and Contractor, determine the action necessary and a price for additions or deletions shall be agreed upon prior to further drain installation. Where directed by the Engineer, test holes are to be dug to determine the extent of the affected area. Cost of test holes shall be considered an addition to the contract price.

C.12 **ROCKS**

The Contractor shall immediately contact the Engineer or Superintendent if boulders of sufficient size and number are encountered such that the Contractor cannot continue trenching with a tiling machine. The Engineer or Superintendent may direct the Contractor to use some other method of excavating to install the drain. The basis of payment for this work shall be determined by the Engineer and Drainage Superintendent.

If only scattered large stones or boulders are removed on any project, the Contractor shall haul same to a nearby bush or fence line, or such other convenient location as approved by the Landowners(s).

C.13 **BROKEN, DAMAGED TILE OR EXCESS TILE**

The Contractor shall remove and dispose of off-site all broken (existing or new), damaged or excess tile or tiles. If the tile is supplied by the Municipality, the Contractor shall stockpile all excess tile in readily accessible locations for pickup by the Municipality upon the completion of the job.

C.14 **TRIBUTARY DRAINS**

Any tributary tile encountered in the course of the drain shall be carefully taken up by the Contractor and placed clear of the excavated earth. If the tributary tile drains encountered are clean or reasonably clean, they shall be connected into the new drain. Where existing drains are full of sediment, or contain pollutants, the decision to connect those drains to the new drain shall be left to the Engineer or Superintendent. Each tributary tile connection made by the Contractor shall be located and marked with a stake and no backfilling shall take place until the connection has been approved by the Engineer or Superintendent.

For tributary drains 150mm dia. or smaller connected to new tiles 250mm dia. or larger, and for 200mm dia. connected to 350mm dia. or larger, the Contractor shall neatly cut a hole in the middle of a tile length. The connections shall be made using a prefabricated adaptor. All other connections shall be made with prefabricated wyes or tees conforming to Boss 2000 split coupler or approved equal.

Where an open drain is being replaced by a new tile drain, existing tile outlets entering the ditch from the side opposite the new drain shall be extended to the new drain. All existing metal outlet pipes shall be carefully removed, salvaged, and left for the owner. Where the grade of the connection passes through the newly placed backfill in the ditch, the backfill material below the connection shall be thoroughly compacted and metal pipe of a size compatible with the tile outlet shall be installed so that a minimum length of 2 meters at each end is extending into undisturbed soil.

C.14 **TRIBUTARY DRAINS** (cont'd)

Where locations of tiles are shown on the drawings the Contractor shall include in his tender price, all costs for connecting those tiles to the new drain regardless of length.

Where tiles not shown on the drawings are encountered in the course of the drain, and are to be connected to the new drain, the Contractor shall be paid for each connection at the rate outlined in the Form of Tender and Agreement.

C.15 **OUTLET PIPES**

Corrugated steel pipe shall be used to protect the tile at its outlet. It shall have a hinged metal grate with a maximum spacing between bars of 40mm. The corrugated steel pipe shall be bevelled at the end to generally conform to the slope of the ditch bank and shall be of sufficient size that the tile can be inserted into it to provide a solid connection. The connection will then be grouted immediately.

The installation of the outlet pipe and the required rip-rap protection shall conform to the standard detailed drawing as noted on the drawing.

C.16 **CATCHBASINS AND JUNCTION BOXES**

.1 **Catchbasins**: Unless otherwise noted or approved, catchbasins shall be in accordance with O.P.S.D. 705.010, 705.030. All catchbasins shall include two - 150mm riser sections for future adjustments. All ditch inlet catchbasins shall include one 150mm riser section for future adjustments. The catchbasin top shall be a "Bird Cage" type substantial steel grate, removable for cleaning and shall be inset into a recess provided around the top of the structure. The grate shall be fastened to the catchbasin with bolts into the concrete. Spacing of bars on grates for use on 600mmx600mm structures shall be 65mm centre to centre. Spacing of bars on grates for use on structures larger than 600mmx600mm shall be 90mm with a steel angle frame.

The exact location and elevation of catchbasins shall be approved by the Road Authority or the Engineer/Superintendent. Catchbasins offset from the drain shall have "Boss 2000" 200mm diameter leads or approved equal unless otherwise noted and the leads shall have a minimum of 600mm of cover. The leads shall be securely grouted at the structures and the drain.

.2 **Junction Boxes**: Junction boxes shall be the precast type unless otherwise approved. Dimensions for precast junction boxes shall conform to those for catchbasins. The inside dimensions of the box shall be a minimum of 100mm larger than the outside diameter of the largest pipe being connected. The minimum cover over the junction box shall be 600mm. Benching to spring line shall be supplied with all junction boxes.

.3 **Connections**: Catchbasins and junction boxes shall not be ordered until elevations of existing pipes being connected have been verified in the field as indicated on the drawings. All connections shall be securely grouted at both the inside and outside walls of the structure.

.4 **Installation**: Where the native material is clay, all catchbasins shall be backfilled with an approved granular material placed and compacted to a minimum width of 300mm on all sides with the following exception. Where the native material is sandy or granular in nature it may be used as backfill. Filter cloth shall be placed between the riser sections of all catchbasins.

Where the Contractor has over excavated or where ground conditions warrant, the structure shall be installed on a compacted granular base.

The Contractor shall include in his tender price for the construction of a berm behind all ditch inlet structures. The berm shall be constructed of compacted clay keyed 300mm into undisturbed soil. Topsoil shall be distributed to a 65mm thickness and seeded unless otherwise specified. The Contractor shall also include for regrading, shaping and seeding of road ditches for a maximum of 15 meters each way from all catchbasins.

C.17 **BLIND INLETS**

Where specified, blind inlets shall be installed along the course of the drain in accordance with details on the drawings.

C.18 **GRASSED WATERWAY**

Topsoil to be stripped from construction area and stockpiled prior to construction of waterway. Waterway to be graded into a parabolic shape to the width shown on the drawings. Topsoil to be relevelled over the waterway and other areas disturbed by construction.

Waterway to be prepared for seeding by harrowing and then seeded by drilling followed by rolling. Seeding rate to be 85 Kg/Ha with the following mixture:

- 30% Canon Canada Bluegrass
- 25% Koket Chewings Fescue
- 30% Rebel Tall Fescue
- 15% Diplomat Perennial Rye
- Plus #125 Birdsfoot Trefoil (25% of Total Weight)

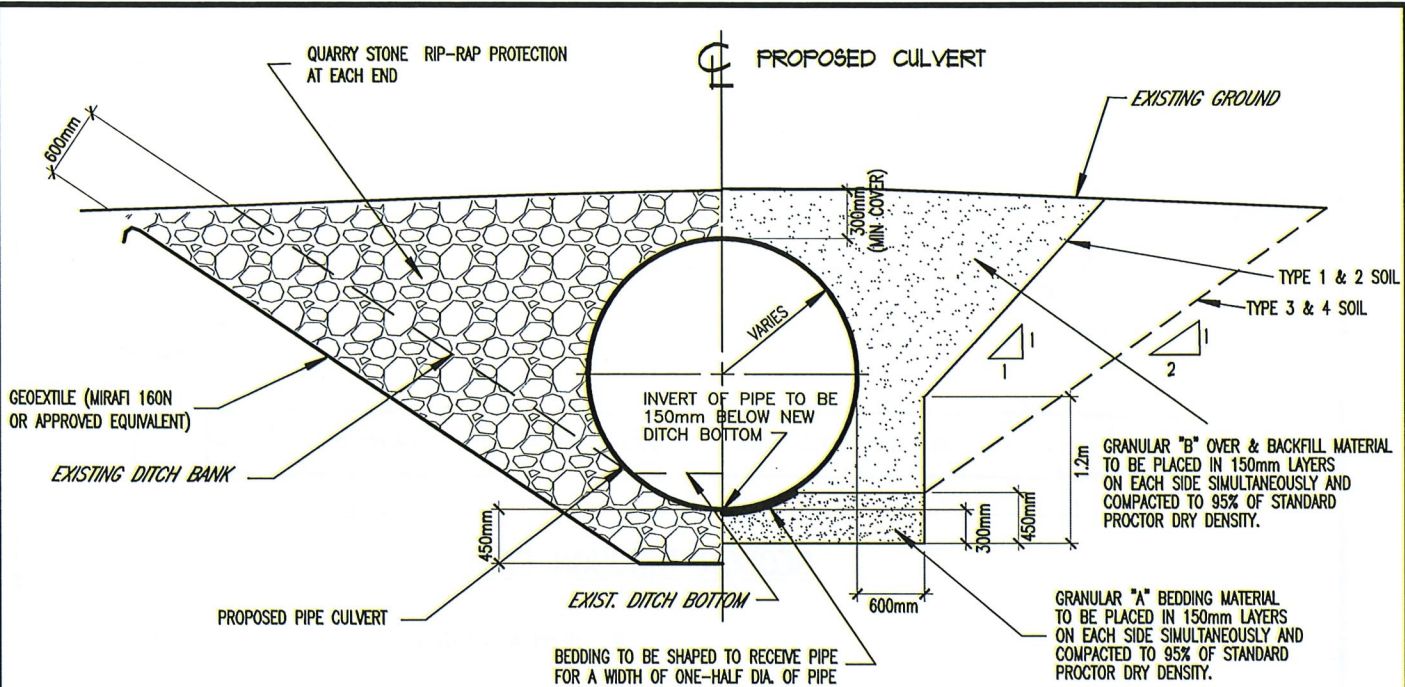
C.19 **BACKFILLING EXISTING DITCHES**

The Contractor shall backfill the ditch sufficiently for traversing by farm machinery. If sufficient material is not available from the old spoil banks to fill in the existing ditch, the topsoil shall be stripped and the subsoil shall be bulldozed into the ditch and the topsoil shall then be spread over the backfilled ditch unless otherwise specified on the contract drawings. The Contractor shall ensure sufficient compaction of the backfill and if required, repair excess settlement up to the end of the warranty period. The final grade of the backfilled ditch shall provide an outlet for surface water.

C.20 **RECOMMENDED PRACTICE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SUBSURFACE DRAINAGE SYSTEM**

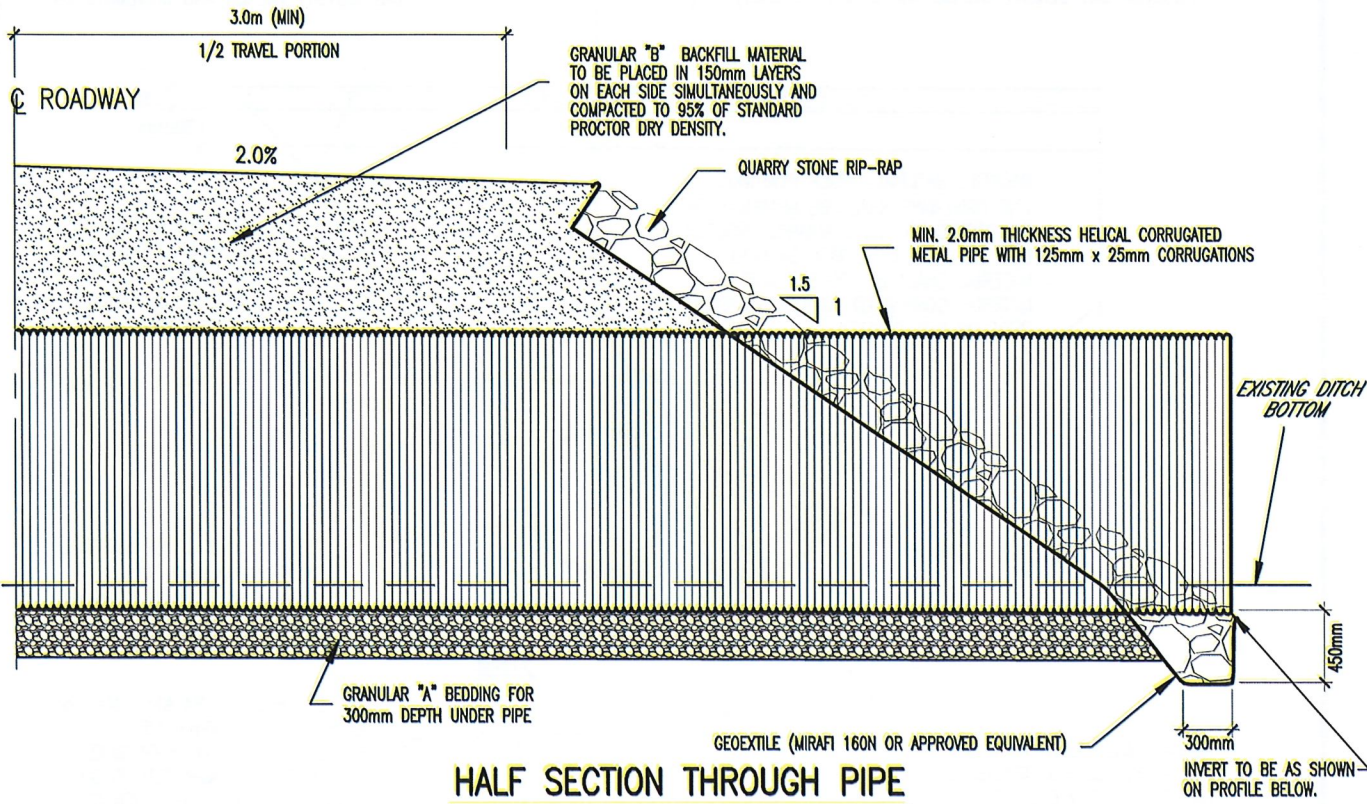
Drainage guide for Ontario, Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs Publication Number 29 and its amendments, dealing with the construction of Subsurface Drainage systems, shall be the guide to all methods and materials to be used in the construction of tile drains except where superseded by other specifications of this contract.

The requirements of licensing of operators, etc. which apply to the installation of closed drains under the Tile Drainage Act shall also be applicable to this contract in full unless approval otherwise is given in advance by the Engineer.



HALF ELEVATION

HALF SECTION



HALF SECTION THROUGH PIPE

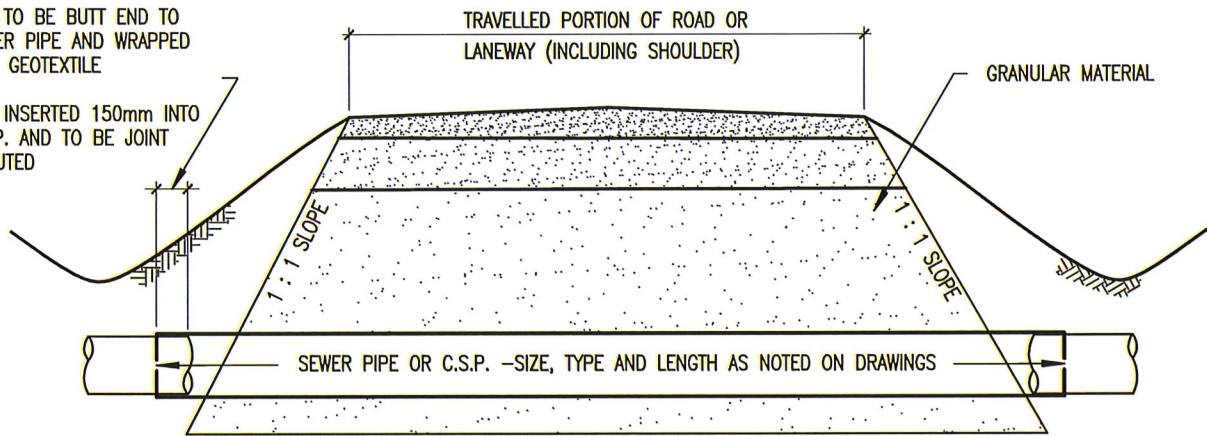
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- 1) WHERE THE CULVERT IS TO BE INSTALLED IN POOR SOIL CONDITIONS, THE BEDDING MATERIAL SHALL BE 19mm CRUSHED STONE COMPLETELY WRAPPED IN GEOTEXTILE SUCH AS MIRAFI 160N OR APPROVED EQUIVALENT.

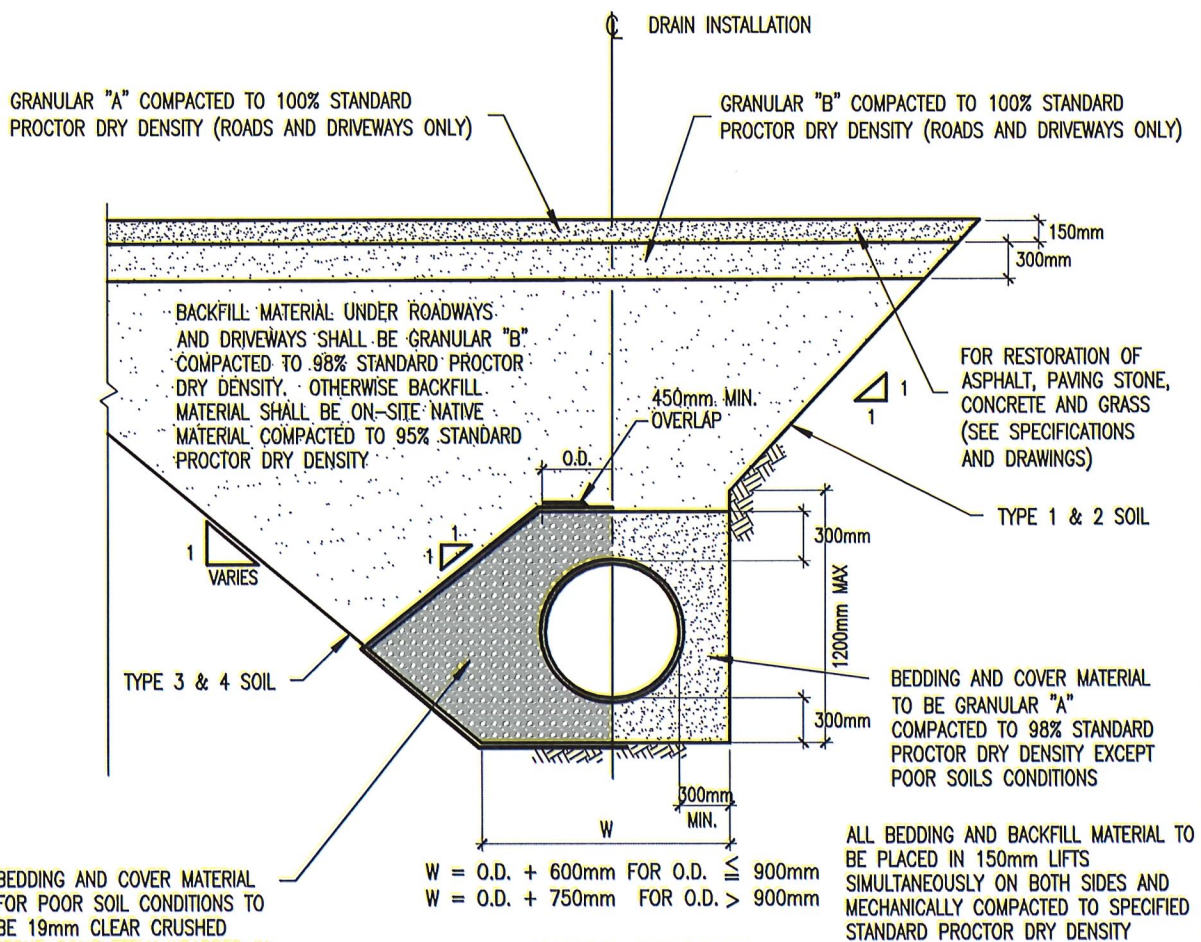
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1. TILE TO BE BUTT END TO SEWER PIPE AND WRAPPED WITH GEOTEXTILE


2. TILE INSERTED 150mm INTO C.S.P. AND TO BE JOINT GROUDED

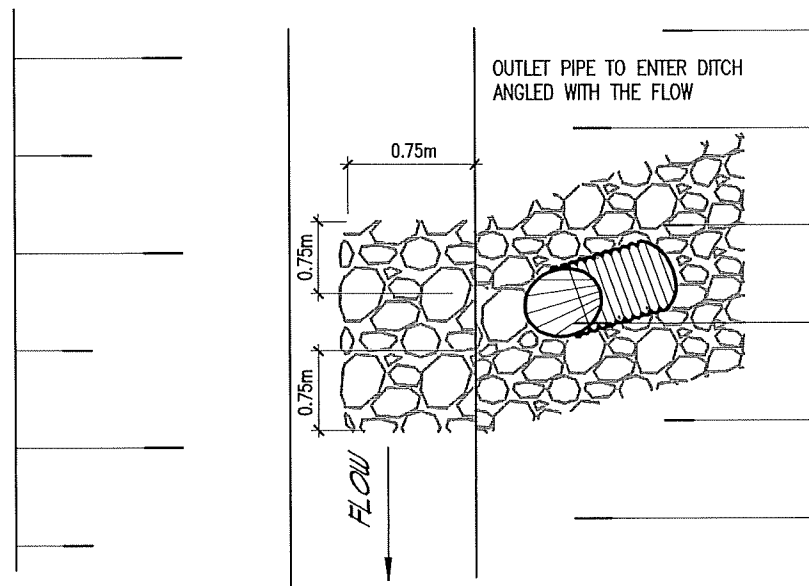


SECTION THROUGH PIPE



CROSS SECTION

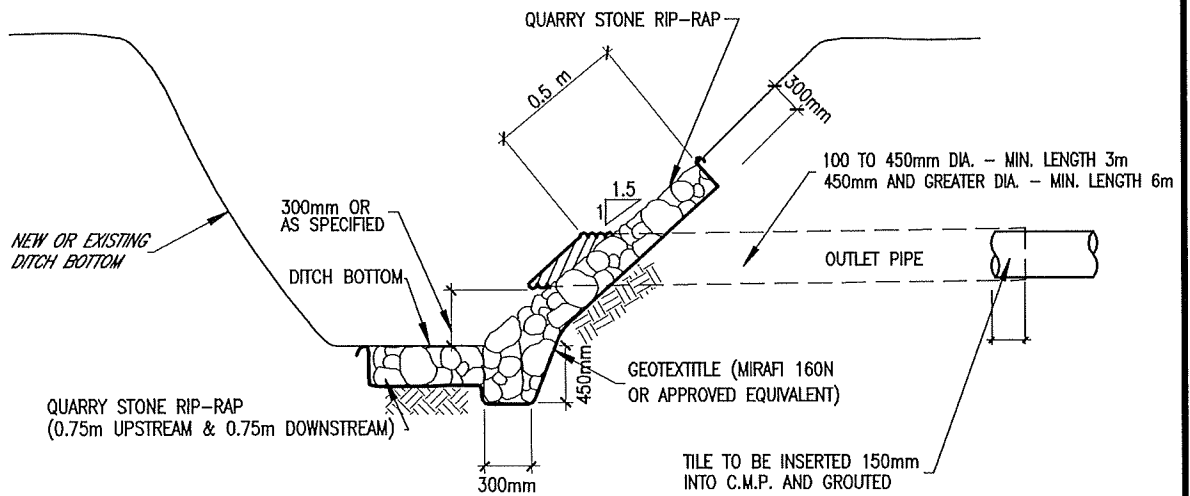
TYPICAL INSTALLATION DETAIL FOR SEWER PIPE UNDER DRIVEWAYS AND TRAVELLED PORTIONS OF ROADS		
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PLAN

NOTES


1. WHERE THE DISTURBED AREA EXCEEDS THE MIN. WIDTHS, RIP-RAP TO EXTEND TO A MIN. OF 600mm BEYOND THE DISTURBED AREA

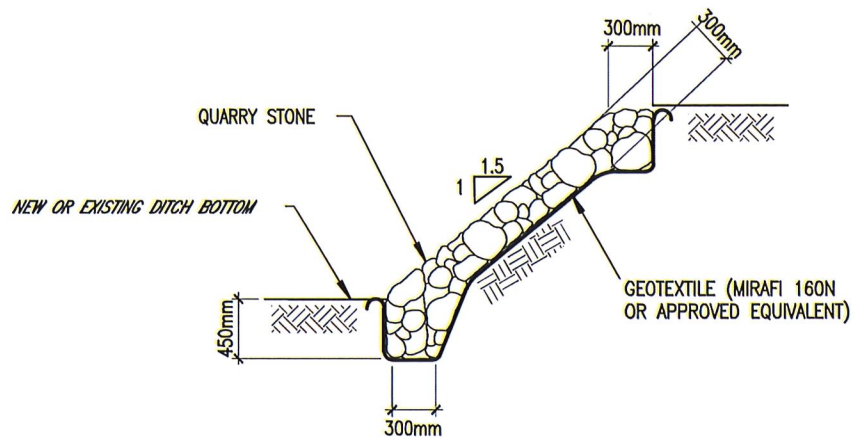


TYPICAL OUTLET RIP-RAP

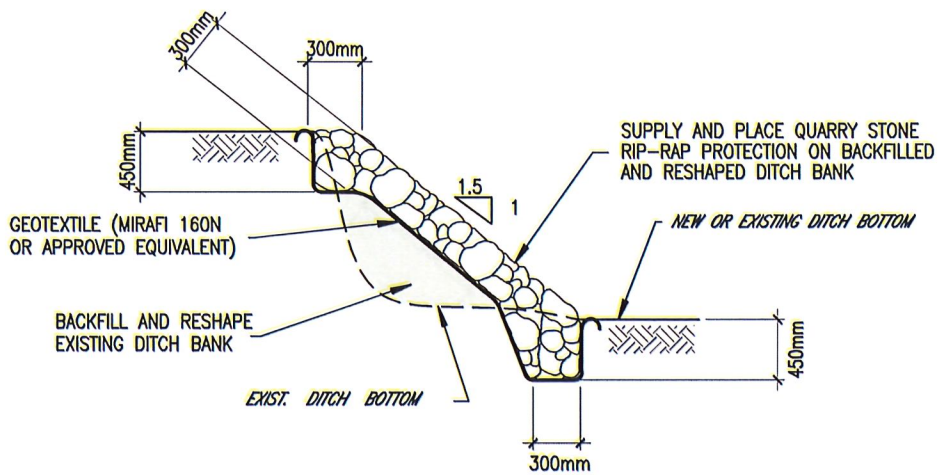
NOTES

1. RIP-RAP TO EXTEND UP THE SLOPE 0.5 METER ABOVE TOP OF OUTLET
2. WHERE SURFACE RUN ENTERS DITCH AT OUTLET PIPE, A ROCK CHUTE SHALL BE INSTALLED (SEE S.D.D. No. 05) AND PIPE SHALL BE INSTALLED ADJACENT TO ROCK CHUTE.
3. HINGED RODENT GATE TO BE AFFIXED TO END OF OUTLET PIPE.

TYPICAL OUTLET RIP-RAP THROUGH SIDE SLOPE OF DITCH		
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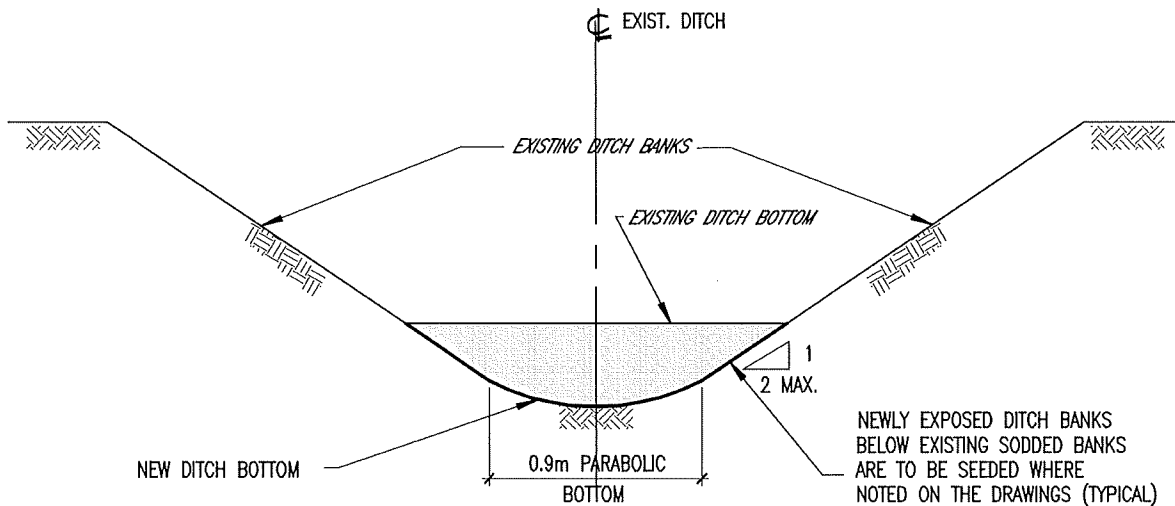


TYPICAL DITCH BANK RIP-RAP

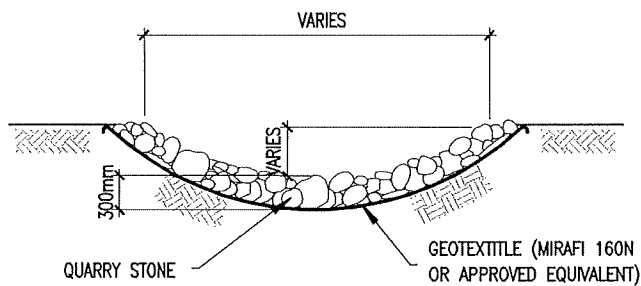
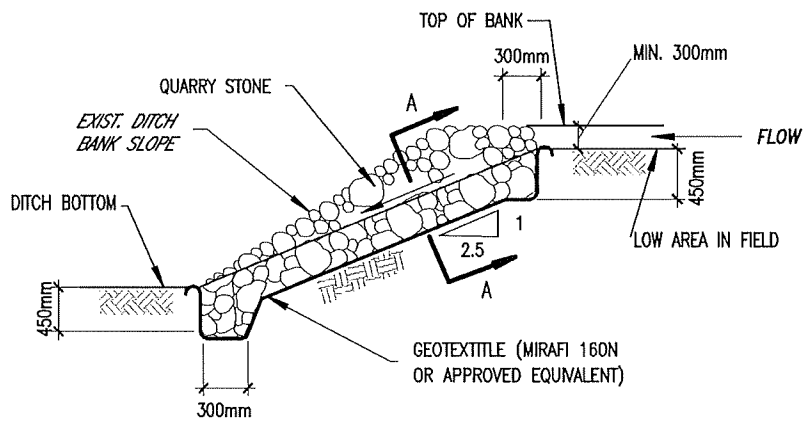


**TYPICAL DITCH BANK RIP-RAP
WITH BACKFILLING OF WASHOUT**

TYPICAL DITCH BANK RIP-RAP DETAILS		
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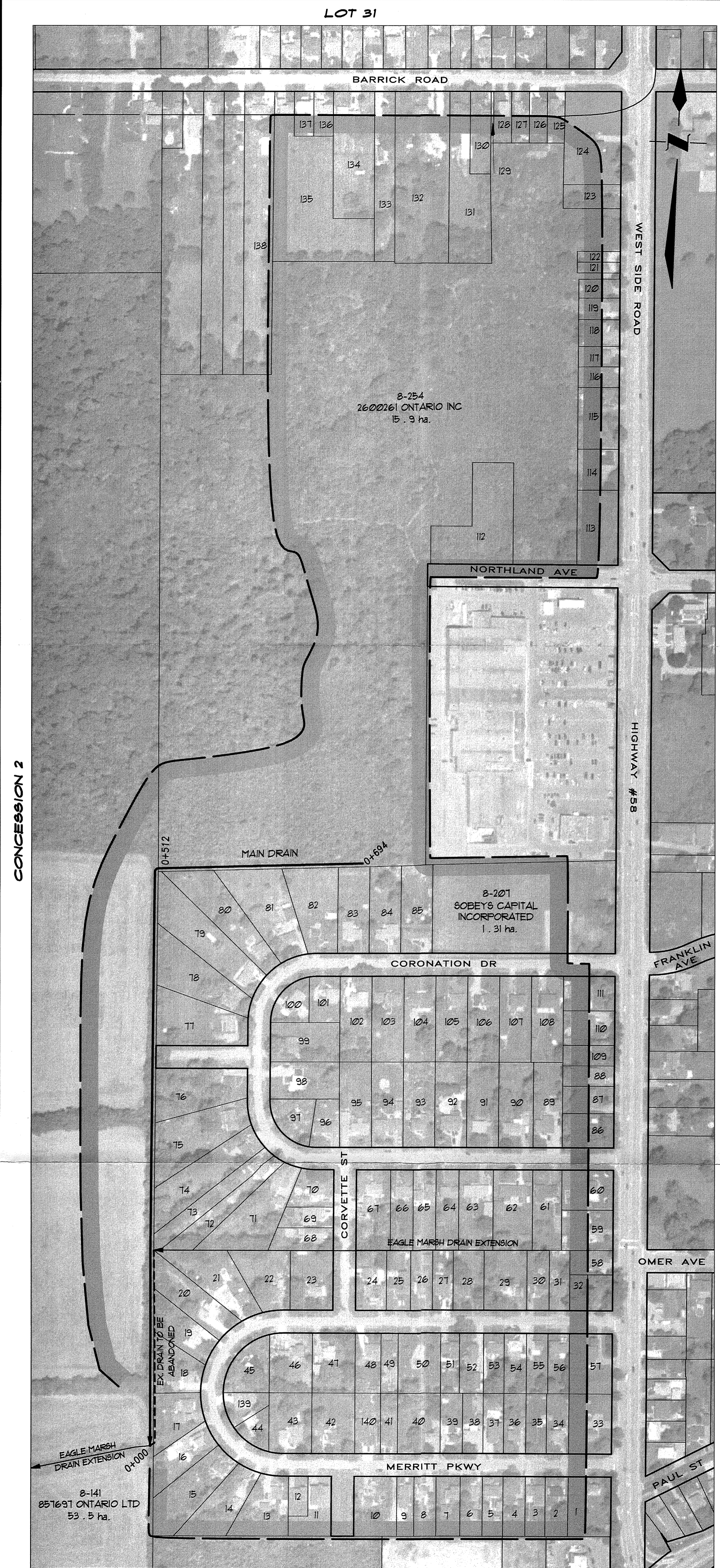
TYPICAL DITCH BOTTOM CLEANOUT



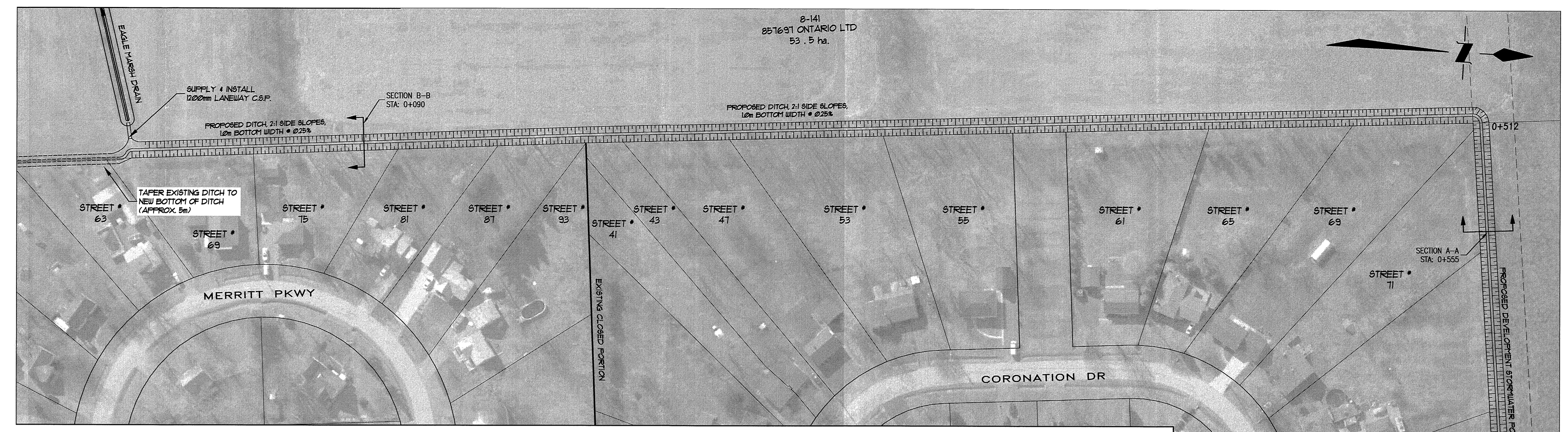
SECTION A-A

TYPICAL ROCK CHUTE

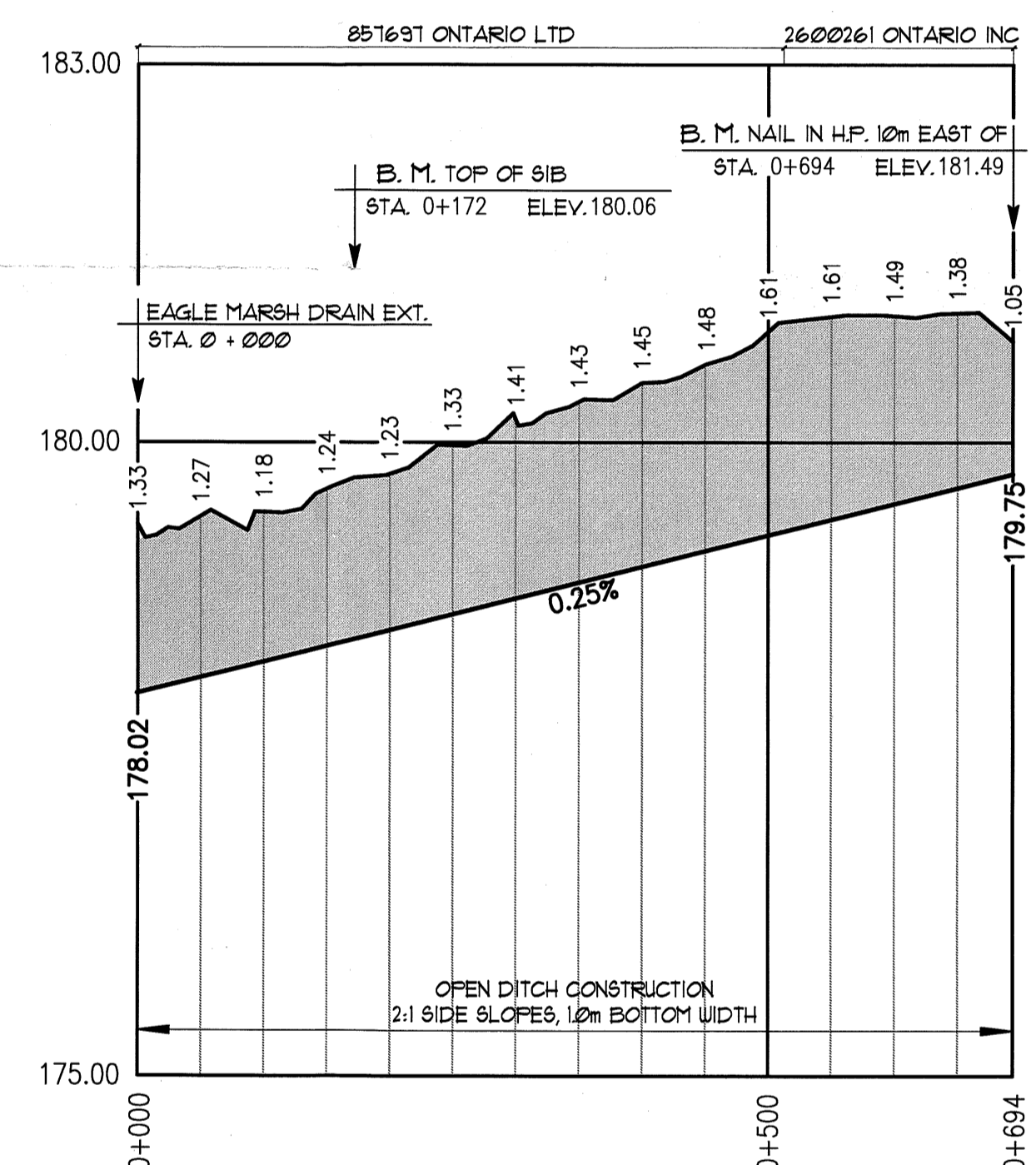
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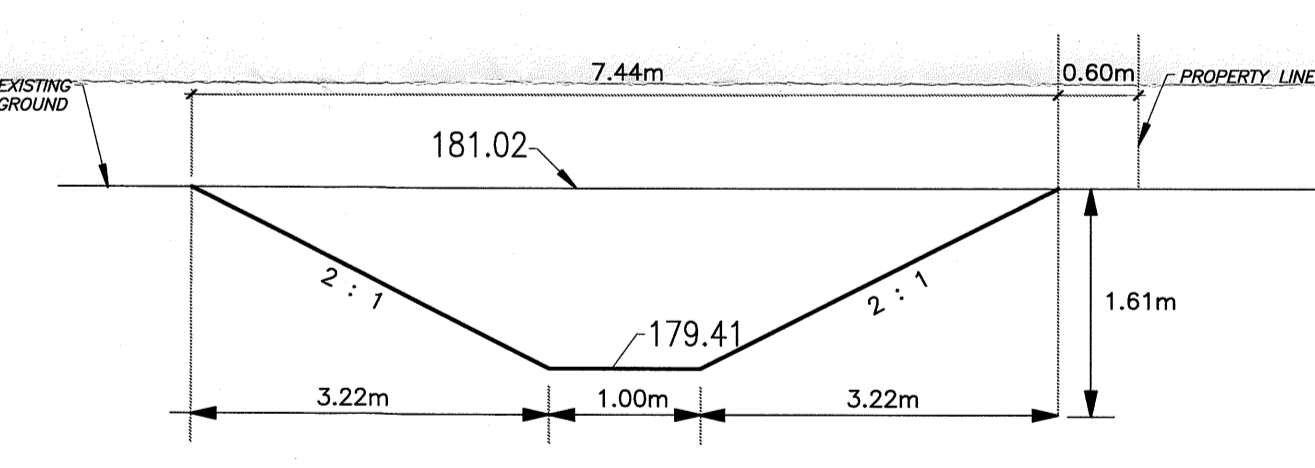
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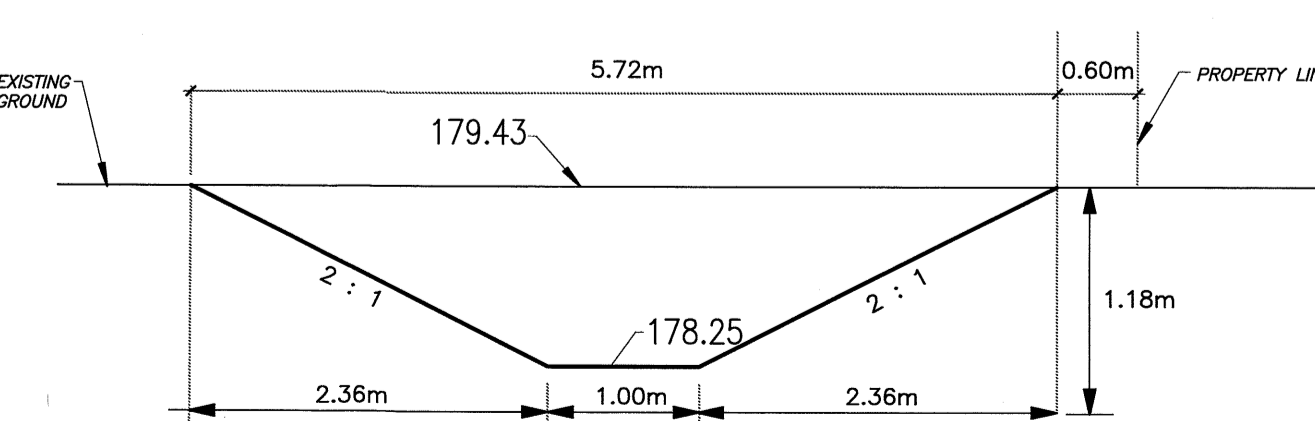
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MAIN DRAIN SCALE: HOR 1 : 5,000 VERT. 1 : 50

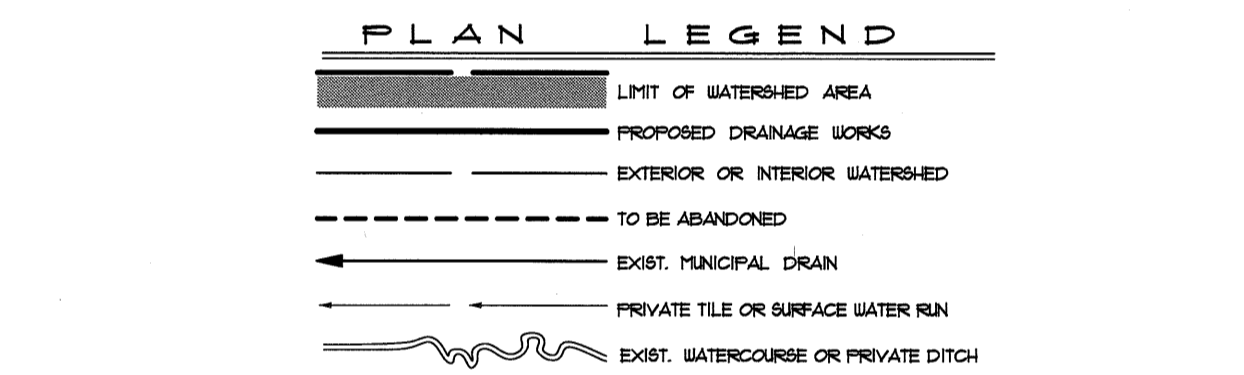


SECTION A-A NOT TO SCALE



SECTION B-B NOT TO SCALE

LOT LEGEND			LOT LEGEND		
ROLL No.	OWNERSHIP	HECTARES OWNED	ROLL No.	OWNERSHIP	HECTARES OWNED
1) 8-142	E. SPRUYT	0.20	71) 8-196	A. TEDESCO	0.32
2) 8-143	J. BENOITE	0.11	72) 8-197	R. GRAHAM	0.17
3) 8-144	A. DI MUNIZO	0.09	73) 8-197-01	M. TREMBLEY	0.17
4) 8-145	R. ROCCO	0.10	74) 8-198	J. MURRAY-SCHWEYER	0.32
5) 8-146	J. REBELLO	0.10	75) 8-199	L. GRANT	0.35
6) 8-147	W. GODIN	0.10	76) 8-200	J. WHITE	0.31
7) 8-148	R. BEAULIEU	0.11	77) 8-201	C. HALL	0.32
8) 8-148-01	R. WILCOX	0.10	78) 8-201-01	H. SCHILSTRA	0.31
9) 8-149	K. MARTEL	0.08	79) 8-202	B. DAY	0.36
10) 8-150	J. HORTON	0.20	80) 8-202-01	I. TOWNES	0.30
11) 8-151-20	J. CIOLFI	0.14	81) 8-203	M. MOREAU	0.35
12) 8-151	J. CIOLFI	0.06	82) 8-204	M. WHYNOT	0.29
13) 8-152	L. PROVOST-DOODRIDGE	0.22	83) 8-205	K. ROHE	0.21
14) 8-153	D. RUSENSTROM	0.22	84) 8-206	D. BISNETT	0.22
15) 8-154	E. HANNAH	0.27	85) 8-206-01	M. TREMBLAY	0.22
16) 8-155	L. PAQUET	0.17	86) 8-250	G. DUQUETTE	0.14
17) 8-156	M. COURSEY	0.18	87) 8-251	R. LARIVIERE	0.11
18) 8-157	M. BECKER	0.17	88) 8-251-02	D. DULLAL	0.08
19) 8-158	B. REDINGER	0.18	89) 8-208	A. MILLER	0.20
20) 8-159	M. GALLANT	0.22	90) 8-209	T. NICHOLLS	0.23
21) 8-160	J. DE WOLFF	0.26	91) 8-210	J. WASSENAAR	0.22
22) 8-161	M. COTE	0.22	92) 8-211	J. GAGNON	0.22
23) 8-162	P. KOUDUS	0.20	93) 8-212	M. BRYLJOV	0.22
24) 8-163	S. COVE	0.14	94) 8-213	J. CLARKE	0.21
25) 8-163-01	B. ROTELLA	0.11	95) 8-214	H. REID	0.22
26) 8-164	Y. VERBEEK	0.10	96) 8-215	J. CRUMB	0.10
27) 8-164-01	R. MCCORD	0.10	97) 8-216	A. BREAU	0.13
28) 8-165	I. PETER	0.14	98) 8-217	R. KIRCHMAYER	0.20
29) 8-166	A. CLEARY	0.20	99) 8-218	D. MACLEOD	0.22
30) 8-167	M. RUTHERFORD	0.10	100) 8-218-02	J. LEGGETT	0.10
31) 8-167-01	J. TROTIER	0.10	101) 8-219	M. RUBOCKI	0.11
32) 8-168-02	CORNERSTONE HOMES (NIAGARA) LIMITED	0.05	102) 8-220	A. DESIRI	0.22
33) 8-169	R. ROMANYK	0.20	103) 8-221	J. ROESCH	0.22
34) 8-170	F. GELOK	0.10	104) 8-222	P. DI PIETRO	0.22
35) 8-170-01	B. BROUGHTON	0.10	105) 8-223	G. CAPERCHONE	0.22
36) 8-171	S. CARTER	0.10	106) 8-224	D. PIDGEN	0.22
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38) 8-172	I. GIANCOLA	0.10	108) 8-224-02	J. KNIGHT	0.22
39) 8-173	W. CRONSHAW	0.11	109) 8-251-01	C. D'ANGELO	0.08
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41) 8-175	J. NOXEL	0.10	111) 8-253	S. KERNAGHAN	0.14
42) 8-176	H. LIGHT	0.20	112) 8-254-20	2600261 ONTARIO INC.	0.45
43) 8-177	J. BUJAN	0.20	113) 8-255	2751131 ONTARIO INC.	0.24
44) 8-178	J. CARBONARO	0.09	114) 8-256	2600261 ONTARIO INC.	0.13
45) 8-179	J. WIATT	0.16	115) 8-257	5050500 ONTARIO INC.	0.20
46) 8-180	R. ROTELLA	0.20	116) 8-258	S. PARISI	0.07
47) 8-181	D. TANNAHILL	0.12	117) 8-258-05	D. PARISI	0.07
48) 8-182	B. WILLIAMS	0.12	118) 8-259	J. WINGER	0.09
49) 8-182-01	P. BARBAROSSA	0.08	119) 8-260	J. VANDELAAR	0.07
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51) 8-183-01	G. SALTARELLI	0.09	121) 8-260-05	R. PROVOST	0.04
52) 8-184	W. THOMSON	0.11	122) 8-261	G. MAURER	0.04
53) 8-185	N. SULLIVAN	0.10	123) 8-254-02	R. MARR	0.11
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57) 8-188	J. ROMANYK	0.20	127) 8-224-14	E. TODD	0.07
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60) 8-249	T. KOSTIUK	0.16	130) 8-225-02	C. CAMPBELL	0.43
61) 8-188-01	R. PAGLIARO	0.18	131) 8-226	C. SUNN	0.04
62) 8-189	K. VELDMAN	0.25	132) 8-227	J. PENNER	0.74
63) 8-190	S. WANDER VEEN	0.22	133) 8-227	C. LABRIE	0.28
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67) 8-194	A. SUESS	0.21	137) 8-228-03	T. HUFFMAN	0.07
68) 8-195-15	K. BURKE	0.11	138) 8-229	T. TERRY	0.65
69) 8-195-10	R. DESCHAMPS	0.08	139) 8-178-20	D. JONES	0.06
70) 8-195	D. STUART	0.12	140) 8-175-01	L. STORTZ	0.10



GENERAL NOTES

- OUR SPECIFICATIONS DATED JANUARY 2020 APPLY TO THIS PROJECT.
- THE WORKING WIDTH AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR TO CONSTRUCT THE NEW DRAINS SHALL CONSIST OF THOSE LANDS IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO THE DRAIN AND CONNECTIONS AND SHALL NOT EXCEED THE FOLLOWING AVERAGE WIDTHS:
 - 18 meters (INCLUDING 3m BUFFER)
 - THE WORKING WIDTH FOR PURPOSES OF FUTURE MAINTENANCE SHALL BE THE SAME AS ABOVE.
- ALL OWNERS ALONG THE COURSE OF THE DRAIN SHALL MAKE AN ACCESS ROUTE FROM THE NEAREST ROAD TO THE DRAIN LOCATION AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR THE AVERAGE WIDTH OF THIS ROUTE SHALL NOT EXCEED 9 METERS. THE ACCESS ROUTE SHALL ALSO APPLY FOR FUTURE MAINTENANCE PURPOSES.
- ALL UTILITIES TO BE LOCATED AND EXPOSED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION SO THAT THE NEW TILE GRADES CAN BE CONFIRMED. IF THERE IS A CONFLICT IN ELEVATION BETWEEN THE PROPOSED DRAIN AND THE UTILITY, THE ENGINEER IS TO BE NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY.
 - CONTRACTOR TO NOTIFY ALL UTILITIES 72 HOURS PRIOR TO HIS SCHEDULED TIME FOR STARTING THE ABOVE WORK.
 - THE COST FOR THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE ITEM ON THE EXTENT OF WORK AND NO EXTRA PAYMENT SHALL BE MADE TO THE CONTRACTOR, EXCEPT IF ROAD RESTORATION IS REQUIRED.
- ALL TREES, SCRUB, BRUSH, ETC. TO BE CLEARED AND GRUBBED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION B.3 AND C.4 SPECIFICATIONS.
- RIP-RAP TO BE SUPPLIED AND INSTALLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION A.12 IN THE SPECIFICATIONS.
- CONTRACTOR TO ARRANGE A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING WITH THE ENGINEER, DRAINAGE SUPERINTENDENT, AND THE AFFECTED OWNERS. ALL PARTIES SHALL RECEIVE 48 HOURS NOTICE TO THE MEETING.

NORTHLAND ESTATES DRAIN

City of Port Colborne

Drainage Superintendent: ALANA VANDER VEEN 905-228-8127		No.	REVISIONS	DATE
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The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne

By-law No. _____

Being a by-law to adopt, ratify and confirm
the proceedings of the Council of The
Corporation of the City of Port Colborne at
its Meeting to Consider of September 18, 2024

Whereas Section 5(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, provides that the powers of a municipality shall be exercised by its council; and

Whereas Section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, provides that a municipal power, including a municipality's capacity rights, powers and privileges under section 9, shall be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise; and

Whereas it is deemed expedient that the proceedings of the Council of The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne be confirmed and adopted by by-law;

Now therefore the Council of The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne enacts as follows:

1. Every action of the Council of The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne taken at its Meeting to Consider of September 18, 2024, upon which a vote was taken and passed whether a resolution, recommendations, adoption by reference, or other means, is hereby enacted as a by-law of the City to take effect upon the passing hereof.
2. That where no individual by-law has been or is passed with respect to the taking of any action authorized in or with respect to the exercise of any powers by the Council, then this by-law is deemed for all purposes to be the by-law required for such authorization or exercise of any powers.
3. That the Mayor and Clerk are authorized to execute any documents required on behalf of the City and affix the corporate seal of the City and the Mayor and Clerk, and such other persons as the action directs, are authorized and directed to take the necessary steps to implement the action.
4. That the Clerk is authorized to affect any minor modifications, corrections, or omissions, solely of an administrative, numerical, grammatical, semantical, or descriptive nature to this by-law or its schedules after the passage of this by-law.

Enacted and passed this 18th day of September 2024.

William C. Steele
Mayor

Charlotte Madden
City Clerk