



## Appendices

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### Appendix 3 – Turkey Track - Recycling Containments Geotechnical/Boring Report



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## Soils Investigation

**Turkey Track Produced Water Ponds  
Eddy County, New Mexico**



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PROJECT No. 2017.1064

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## PREFACE

This report is generated specifically for the purpose of providing design criteria for the Turkey Track Produced Water Ponds – Eddy County, NM. Under no circumstances shall it be used for any other project on or off the site. This report is meant to provide information that will inform Oxy USA, Inc. of appropriate design criteria for the planned use. The conditions encountered in field exploration and reported herein are accurate for the test location(s), time and conditions. It is not meant to eliminate the uncertainty regarding the potential for variation or changes in subsurface conditions at the site. Subsurface descriptions contained herein are of a generalized nature to provide highlights of major strata and conditions revealed in the soil samples, however it represents only the conditions at the actual boring locations.



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## Introduction

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This report presents the results of the field and laboratory soils investigation for the Turkey Track Produced Water Ponds – Eddy County, NM. This investigation was performed at the direction and authorization of Mr. Clemente Vasquez of Oxy USA, Inc.

The purpose of this investigation is to determine the characteristics of the subsoils and provide recommendations for foundation design. This report provides an overview of existing geotechnical/geologic conditions at the proposed site and geotechnical design parameters for the proposed facilities. The geotechnical site conditions presented herein are based on our field exploration. This report does not include environmental site characterization, hazardous materials testing, or other environmental services.

## Proposed Development

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Oxy USA, Inc. proposes to build two produced water ponds 272' x 380'. Each pond will have an approximate capacity of 250,000 bbls (not including the 3' of freeboard).

## Field Exploration

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Five (5) exploratory borings were drilled April 4, 2017. The exploratory borings were drilled to approximate depths listed in Table 1 of this Report. Boring locations are shown on the Boring Location Map. Drilling was carried out using a truck-mounted drill rig contracted with Enviro-Drill, Inc. – Albuquerque, New Mexico. Field sampling and logging was provided by Tetra Tech. Boreholes were backfilled with bentonite grout upon completion of sampling.

TABLE – 1 Boring Dates and Depths

Boring	Date Drilled	Depth (Feet)
BH-1	4/4/17	30'0"
BH-2	4/4/17	30'0"
BH-3	4/4/17	30'0"
BH-4	4/4/17	30'0"
BH-5	4/4/17	80'0"

Subsurface materials were sampled at varying intervals by split spoon sampler and/or drill cuttings where applicable.

Air-rotary/auger drilling methods were employed to cut the test borings. During the drilling, the soils encountered were continuously examined, visually classified and, where applicable, sampled.

Standard penetration tests (SPT) were performed at varying depths. Penetration resistance was measured in accordance with ASTM D 1586 by driving a standard 2" split tube sampler having a 30" free fall drop hammer weighing 140 pounds. The penetration resistance value is a useful index in estimating the consistency, relative density or hardness of the materials encountered.

## Laboratory Analysis

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Representative samples were tested in the laboratory to determine certain engineering properties of the soils. Mechanical analysis and soil constant determinations were performed for classification and identification of each soil type encountered. Classifications are in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System ASTM D 2487. The results of the laboratory tests are presented on the Logs.

The following tests were conducted on selected soil samples:

- Moisture Content
- Sieve Analysis
- Atterberg Limits



## Site Conditions

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The Turkey Track Ponds are located in north half of Section 8 in Township 19 South and Range 28 East. This site is currently undeveloped. The surface has native vegetation.

## Subsurface Soil Conditions

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### Stratigraphy

In general, the site consists of up to 7' of sand. This sand is underlain by approximately 6' of caliche. Below the caliche is 6' of sand and/or clay underlain by a 20' thick layer of hard fat clay. The advantage of the thick clay layer is that upon the unlikely event of a liner leak, the clay will serve as a barrier minimizing contamination of the groundwater.

### Groundwater

Groundwater was not encountered in any of the borings that were advanced to a maximum depth of 80' below ground surface.

## Discussion and Recommendations

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The following discussion and recommendations are based upon the results of field and laboratory testing, engineering analyses, experience with similar soil conditions, and our understanding of the proposed project.

### Site Work

In general, field test results indicate that the silty sands vary from very loose at the surface to very dense in relative density as indicated by measured SPT-N Values of 4 blows in 12" to 50 blows per 2". Very dense materials ( $N > 30$ ) were encountered at 10'0" below ground surface. Based on the results of the field investigation, excavations within the soil matrix and cemented zones may be difficult.



## Recommendations

- 1) **CLEARING AND GRUBBING:** All vegetation and other deleterious materials should be removed from the construction site prior to construction activities. Stripped materials consisting of vegetation and organic materials (estimated depth of 8") should be wasted from the site, or stockpiled for reuse during pit closure. Deleterious material should be removed from the site.
- 2) **EXISTING MATERIALS:** The pits are anticipated to be approximately 13' to 22' below ground. The general contractor will excavate the insitu soils to the depths and grades shown on the construction plans. The surface soils will be stockpiled and stored onsite while the caliche materials can be stockpiled for use in construction of berm walls, roads, pads, etc.
- 3) **SUBGRADE PREPARATION:** All soils that are to receive foundation elements including primary liner and dike should be scarified a minimum of 10" and compacted, at approximately optimum moisture (plus 2% to minus 2%), to not less than 95% of Laboratory Density as determined by ASTM D 698. The entire site should then be proofrolled to observe for unsuitable or weak soils. At least five passes with a heavy vibratory roller should be made during proofrolling. Soft materials or loose soils indicated during proofrolling should be stripped or further compacted. Areas of subgrade in which pumping or significant deflections are observed should be removed or stabilized. Use of lime, fly ash, kiln dust, cement or geotextiles could be considered as a stabilization technique.
- 4) All fill and/or backfill be placed in lifts not to exceed 8" (loose), and compacted at approximately optimum moisture (plus 2% to minus 2%), to not less than 95% of Laboratory Density as determined by ASTM D 698.
- 5) **ENGINEERED FILL:** Materials for Engineered Fill shall be composed of an appropriate combination of crushed stone, crushed or screened gravel, caliche, and/or sand to meet the specifications contained herein. Materials shall be free from vegetable matter and all other deleterious materials, including silt and clay balls.

Size	Cumulative % Passing
2"	100
1/2"	30-80
#4	20-60
#200	5-20

Liquid Limit  
Plasticity Index

35 max  
4 min to 15 max



- 6) All imported fill material shall be from same source.
- 7) **CONTROLLED FILL:** Unless otherwise provided for in the specifications, materials to be used for non-load bearing dike embankment (controlled fill) shall be constructed with moisture and density control as specified herein. Materials for controlled fill shall have a maximum particle size of two and one-half (2-1/2) inches, and a plasticity index of four (4) minimum to fifteen (15) maximum. The liquid limit shall not exceed thirty-five (35).
- 8) **PRIMARY LINER BEDDING:** Upon completion of pit excavation and subgrade preparation, a site inspection shall be conducted to determine the need for bedding beneath the liner. In accordance with liner installation guidelines, subgrade shall be free of rocks, roots, and other protruding objects. All loose or disturbed material soil shall be removed from bearing surface. According to the New Mexico Administrative Code, geotextile is required under the liner when needed to reduce localized stress-strain or protuberances that otherwise may compromise the liner's integrity.
- 9) **SUITABILITY OF EXISTING SOILS FOR ENGINEERED FILL:** At the request of the contractor, suitability of existing soils may be determined based upon laboratory test results and the intended use.
- 10) **MOISTURE PROTECTION:** Positive drainage should be established away from the pit during and after construction. The ground immediately adjacent to the pit shall be sloped away from the dike at a slope not less than 5% for a minimum of 10'. In no case should long-term ponding of water be allowed around the perimeter of the dike.
- 11) **PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE:** Portland Cement Concrete shall be proportioned in accordance with ACI 211.1-81; all portland cement shall be an approved American (USA) brand conforming to ASTM C150, Type II, or Type V with Class F flyash, where concrete is to be placed against high sulfate content soils, low alkali; and, all exposed Portland Cement Concrete or Portland Cement Concrete slabs on grade shall be air entrained.
- 12) **OSHA EXCAVATIONS:** Temporary construction slopes should be designed and excavated in strict compliance with the rules and regulations of the Federal Register, Volume 54, No. 209 (October 1989), the United States Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), 29 CFR, Part 1926. This document was prepared to better insure the safety of workers entering trenches or excavations, and requires that all excavations conform to the new OSHA guidelines.



The contractor is solely responsible for protecting excavations by shoring, sloping, benching or other means as required to maintain stability of both the excavation sides and bottom. Pettigrew & Associates, P.A. does not assume any responsibility for construction site safety or the activities of the contractor.

For this site, the overburden soil encountered in our exploratory borings consisted of mostly sand, OSHA classification Type C. OSHA recommends a maximum slope inclination of 1.5H:1V for Type C soils. Excavation requirements will vary depending on the actual soil conditions in some areas. Temporary construction slopes should be closely observed for signs of mass movement, such as tension cracks near the crest, bulging at the toe of the slope, etc.

## **Construction Quality Assurance**

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Pettigrew & Associates shall perform construction observation and testing of the following:

- Subgrade preparation and proof-rolling;
- Suitability of Engineered fill and controlled fill;
- Backfill and compaction of excavations;
- Fill placement and compaction; and
- Compliance with the geotechnical recommendations.

### **Testing Frequency**

Subgrade (Insitu soils) - One (1) soil density every 2500 square feet of prepared surface for dike or pit bottom and side slopes (ASTM D 698 and ASTM D 2922)

Engineered Fill/Primary Liner Bedding - One (1) soil density every 2500 square feet of prepared pit surface including bottom and side slopes per compacted lift (ASTM D 698 and ASTM D 2922)

Controlled Fill - One (1) soil density every 150 lineal feet of dike per lift of compacted material (ASTM D 698 and ASTM D 2922)

One (1) sieve analysis and plasticity index per material (subgrade, engineered fill, controlled fill) (ASTM C 136 and ASTM D 4318)

One (1) moisture density determination (proctor) per each type of material (ASTM D 698)



## Closure

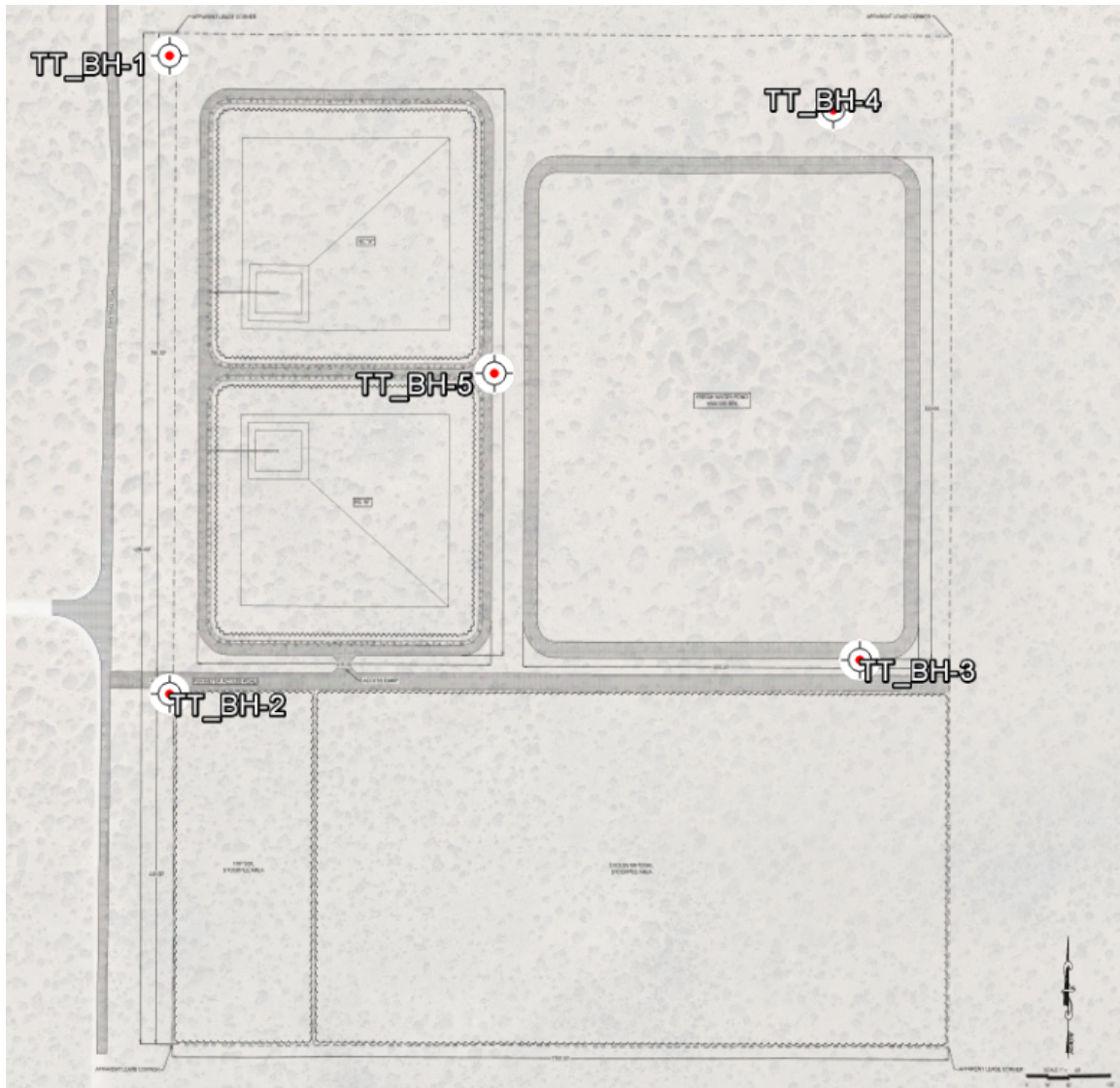
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Our conclusions, recommendations and opinions presented herein are based upon our evaluation and interpretation of the findings of the field and laboratory investigation. **If during construction, conditions are found to be other than those presented in this report, this office should be consulted.**

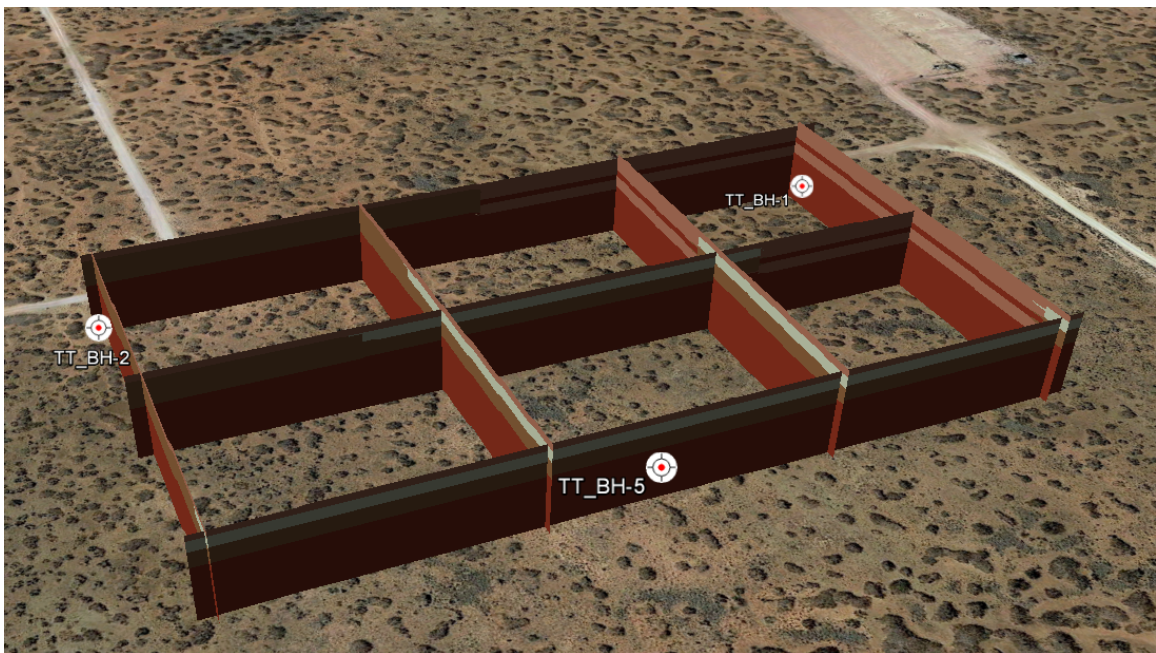




## Boring Location Map









## Logs and Summaries

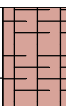


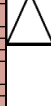




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**PROJECT NAME:** Turkey Track  
**PROJECT NO.:** 2017.1064  
**DATE DRILLED:** 4/4/17

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 -104.097830  
**SURFACE ELEVATION:** 3391.81'  
**BOREHOLE DEPTH:** 30'0"  
**DEPTH TO WATER:** N/A

DEPTH (FT)	LITHOLOGIC SYMBOL	SAMPLE RECOVERED	BLOWS PER FOOT	DESCRIPTION	SOIL CLASSIFICATION	LABORATORY TEST DATA								BEARING CAPACITY (psf)	qu (psf)	SHEAR STRENGTH (tsf)
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		15			SC-SM	--	100	100	100	97	30.8	23	16	7	2,510	
		23													4,280	
5		50/3"													>8,000	
		50/3"		Tan Clayey Sand (Caliche)											>8,000	
10					SC	--	100	98	96	89	39.7	43	17	26		
		43		Red Sandy Fat Clay											>8,000	
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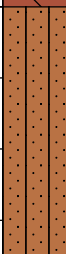
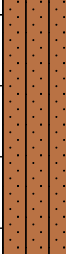



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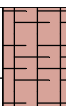








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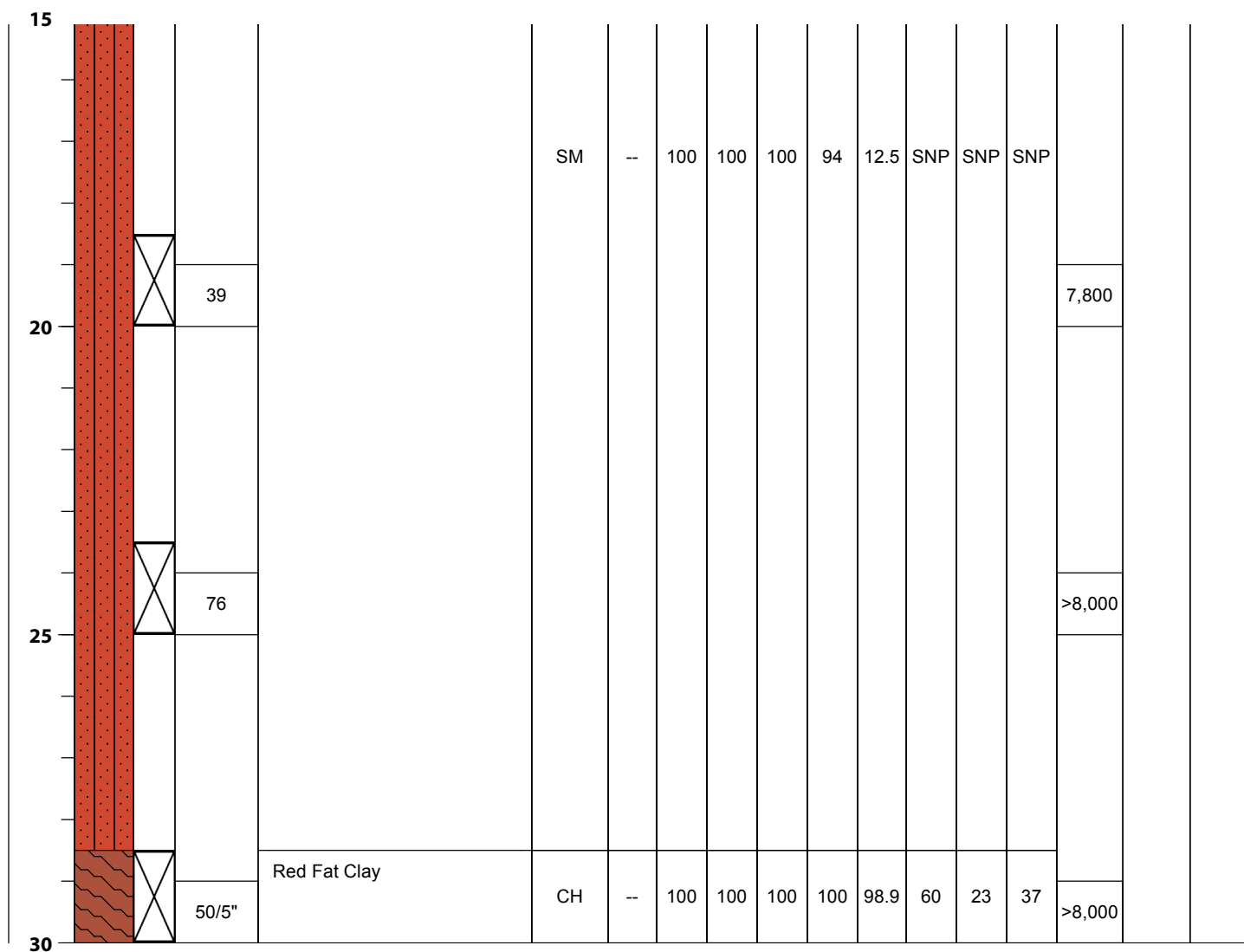
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				Red Fat Clay	CH	--	100	100	100	100	98.9	60	23	37	>8,000	
30			50/6"													



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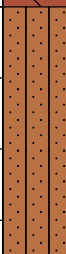

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5		X	42													
		X		Tan Clayey Sand (Caliche)											>8,000	
		X	76													
10		X			SC	5.8	100	98	96	89	39.7	43	17	26	>8,000	
		X														
15		X	50/5"	Red Sandy Fat Clay											>8,000	

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			64		SM	2.8	100	100	100	98	19.1	SNP	SNP	SNP	>8,000	
25				Red Fat Clay	CH	--	100	100	100	100	98.9	60	23	37	>8,000	
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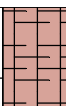




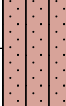
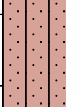


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**BOREHOLE DEPTH:** 80'0"  
**DEPTH TO WATER:** N/A

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			50/4"	Tan Clayey Sand (Caliche)	SC	--	100	98	96	89	39.7	43	17	26	>8,000	
			38												>8,000	
5			45	Reddish Tan Silty Sand	SM	4.9	100	82	70	56	36.7	29	23	6	>8,000	
			46												>8,000	
10			49												>8,000	
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**BORING NO.: BH-5**

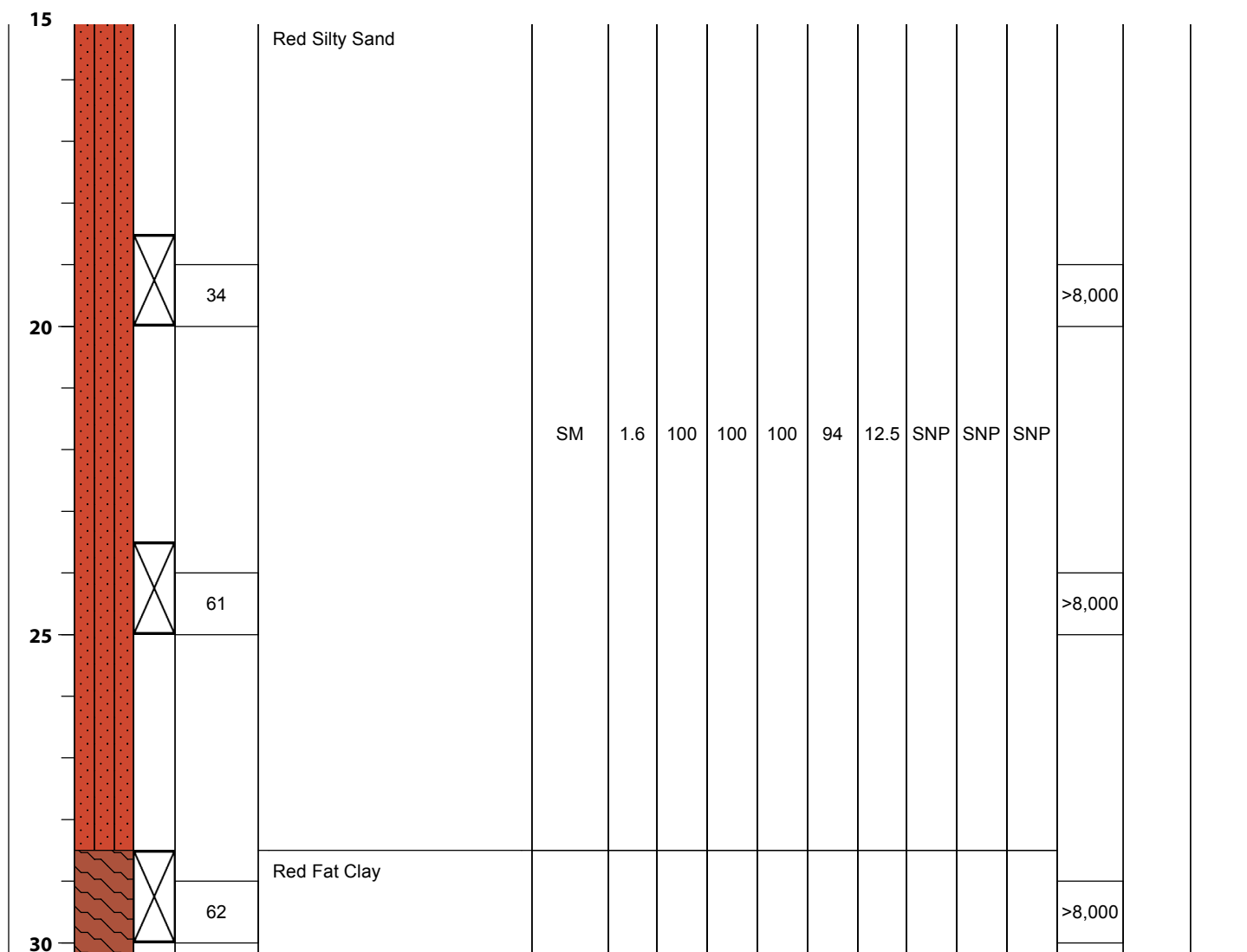
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**BOREHOLE DEPTH:** 80'0"

**DEPTH TO WATER:** N/A

DEPTH (FT)	LITHOLOGIC SYMBOL	SAMPLE RECOVERED	BLOWS PER FOOT	DESCRIPTION	SOIL CLASSIFICATION	LABORATORY TEST DATA									BEARING CAPACITY (psf)	qu (psf)	SHEAR STRENGTH (tsf)
						% MOISTURE	% PASSING 3/4"	% PASSING #4	% PASSING #10	% PASSING #40	% PASSING #200	LIQUID LIMIT (LL)	PLASTIC LIMIT (PL)	PLASTICITY INDEX (PI)			



## SHELBY SAMPLE



**BORING NO.: BH-5**

COORDINATES:	32.678530 -104.096470
SURFACE ELEVATION:	3394.26'
BOREHOLE DEPTH:	80'0"
DEPTH TO WATER:	N/A

DEPTH (FT)	LITHOLOGIC SYMBOL	SAMPLE RECOVERED	BLOWS PER FOOT	DESCRIPTION	SOIL CLASSIFICATION	LABORATORY TEST DATA							BEARING CAPACITY (psf)	qu (psf)	SHEAR STRENGTH (tsf)
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## SHELBY SAMPLE

**CLIENT:** Oxy Occidental Petroleum Corporation  
**PROJECT NAME:** Turkey Track  
**PROJECT NO.:** 2017.1064  
**DATE DRILLED:** 4/4/17

**COORDINATES:** 32.678530  
 -104.096470  
**SURFACE ELEVATION:** 3394.26'  
**BOREHOLE DEPTH:** 80'0"  
**DEPTH TO WATER:** N/A

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50		50/5"	Reddish Brown Clayey Sand	--	4.4	100	88	77	65	26.1	--	--	--	>8,000		
55																
60		50/3"	Red Clayey Sand											>8,000		



SPLIT SPOON SAMPLE



AIR ROTARY



WATER



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65																
70					-	13.5	100	97	93	84	33.3	-	-	-	>8,000	
75																



SPLIT SPOON SAMPLE



AIR ROTARY



WATER

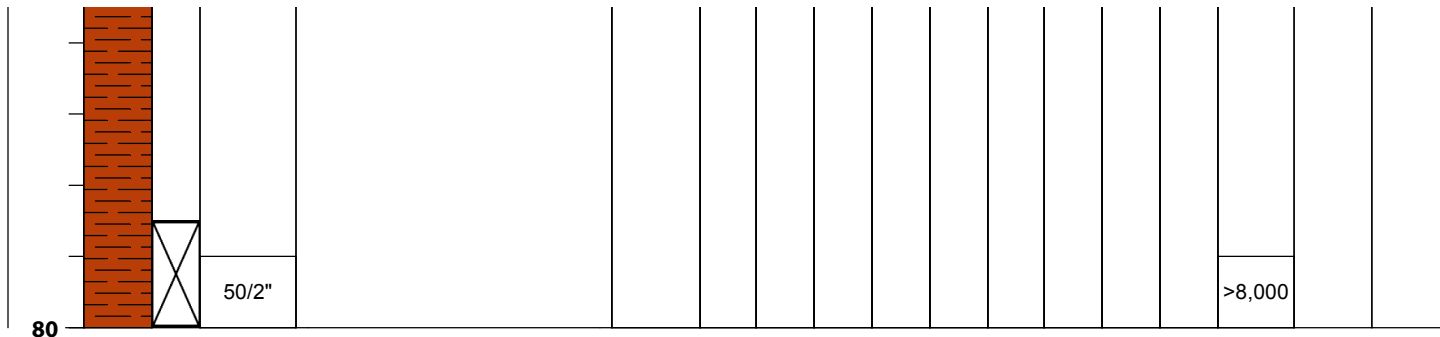


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SPLIT SPOON SAMPLE



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SHELBY SAMPLE



# APPENDIX A – UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION

## TERMS DESCRIBING CONSISTENCY OR CONDITION

**COARSE-GRAINED SOILS** (major portions retained on No. 200 sieve); includes (1) clean gravel and sands and (2) silty or clayey gravels and sands. Condition is rated according to relative density as determined by laboratory tests or standard penetration resistance tests.

Descriptive Terms	Relative Density	SPT Blow Count
Very loose	0 to 15 %	< 4
Loose	15 to 35 %	4 to 10
Medium dense	35 to 65 %	10 to 30
Dense	65 to 85 %	30 to 50
Very dense	85 to 100 %	> 50

**FINE-GRAINED SOILS** (major portions passing on No. 200 sieve); includes (1) inorganic and organic silts and clays, (2) gravelly, sandy, or silty clays, and (3) clayey silts. Consistency is rated according to shearing strength, as indicated by penetrometer readings, SPT blow count, or unconfined compression tests.

Descriptive Terms	Unconfined Compressive Strength kPa	SPT Blow Count
Very soft	< 25	< 2
Soft	25 to 50	2 to 4
Medium stiff	50 to 100	4 to 8
Stiff	100 to 200	8 to 15
Very Stiff	200 to 400	15 to 30
Hard	> 400	> 30

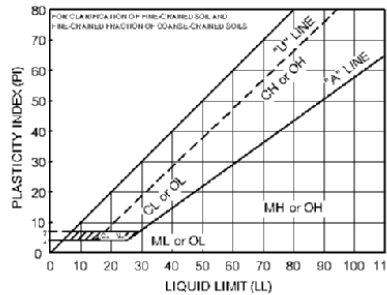
## GENERAL NOTES

1. Classifications are based on the United Soil Classification System and include consistency, moisture, and color. Field descriptions have been modified to reflect results of laboratory tests where deemed appropriate.

2. Surface elevations are based on topographic maps and estimated locations.

3. Descriptions on these boring logs apply only at the specific boring locations and at the time the borings were made. They are not guaranteed to be representative of subsurface conditions at other locations or times.

Major Divisions	Group Symbols	Typical Names	Laboratory Classification Criteria	Particle Size	Material
Coarse-Grained soils (more than half the material is larger than No. 200 sieve size)	Gravels (more than half of coarse fraction is larger than No. 4 sieve size)	GW	Well-graded gravels, gravel-sand mixtures, little or no fines	mm < 4.75	Gravel
		GP	Poorly-graded gravels, gravel-sand mixtures, little or no fines		
		GM <sup>a</sup>	Silty gravels, gravel-sand-silt mixtures		
		GC	Clayey gravels, gravel-sand-silt mixtures		
	Sands (more than half of coarse fraction is smaller than No. 4 sieve size)	SW	Well-graded sands, gravelly sands, little or no fines	mm < 0.075	Sand
		SP	Poorly-graded sands, gravelly sands, little or no fines		
		SM <sup>a</sup>	Silty sands, sand-silt mixtures		
		SC	Clayey sands, sand-clay mixtures		
		ML	Inorganic silts and very fine sands, rock flour, silty or clayey fine sands or clayey silts with slight plasticity		
		CL	Inorganic clays of low to medium plasticity, gravelly clays, sandy clays, silty clays, lean clays		
		OL	Organic silts and organic silty clays of low plasticity		
	Silt and Clays (Liquid limit less than 60)	MH	Inorganic silts, micaceous or diatomaceous fine sandy or silty soils, organic silts		
		CH	Inorganic clays of high plasticity, fat clays		
		OH	Organic clays of medium to high plasticity, organic silts		
Fine-Grained soils (more than half the material is smaller than No. 200 sieve size)	Pt	Peat and other highly organic soils		mm 4.75 to 19.1	Peat



<sup>a</sup> Division of GM and SM groups into subdivisions of d and u are for roads and airfields only. Subdivision is based on Atterberg limits.

<sup>a</sup> suffix d used when L.L. is 23 or less; the suffix u is used when L.L. is greater than 26.

<sup>a</sup> Borderline classifications used for soils possessing characteristics of two groups are designated by combinations of group symbols. For example: GW-GC, well-graded gravel-sand mixture with clay binder.

## APPENDIX B – TERMINATION

### TERMINOLOGY USED TO DESCRIBE THE RELATIVE DENSITY, CONSISTENCY, OR FIRMNESS OF SOILS

The terminology used on the boring logs to describe the relative density, consistency, or firmness of soils relative to the standard penetration resistance is presented below. The standard penetration resistance (N) in blows per foot is obtained by ASTM D1586 procedure using 2" O.D., 1-3/8" I.D. samplers.

1. Relative Density. Terms for description of relative density of cohesionless, uncemented sands and sand-gravel mixtures.

N	Relative Density
0 - 4	Very Loose
5 - 10	Loose
11 - 30	Medium Dense
31 - 50	Dense
50+	Very Dense

2. Relative Consistency. Terms for the description of clays which are saturated or near saturation.

N	Relative Consistency	Remarks
0 - 2	Very Soft	Easily penetrated several inches with fist
3 - 4	Soft	Easily penetrated several inches
5 - 8	Medium Stiff	Can be penetrated several inches with thumb with moderate effort
9 - 15	Stiff	Readily indented with thumb, but penetrated only with great effort
16 - 30	Very Stiff	Readily indented with thumbnail
30+	Hard	Indented only with difficulty with thumbnail

3. Relative Firmness. Terms for the description of partially saturated and/or cemented soils which commonly occur in the Southwest including clays cemented granular materials, silts, and silty and clayey granular soils.

N	Relative Firmness
0 - 4	Very Soft
5 - 8	Soft
9 - 15	Moderately Firm
16 - 30	Firm
31 - 50	Very Firm
50+	Hard



## Appendices

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### Appendix 4 – Turkey Track - Recycling Containments Engineering Drawings



# ***TURKEY TRACK RECYCLING CONTAINMENT***

***OXY U.S.A. INC.***

***EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO***

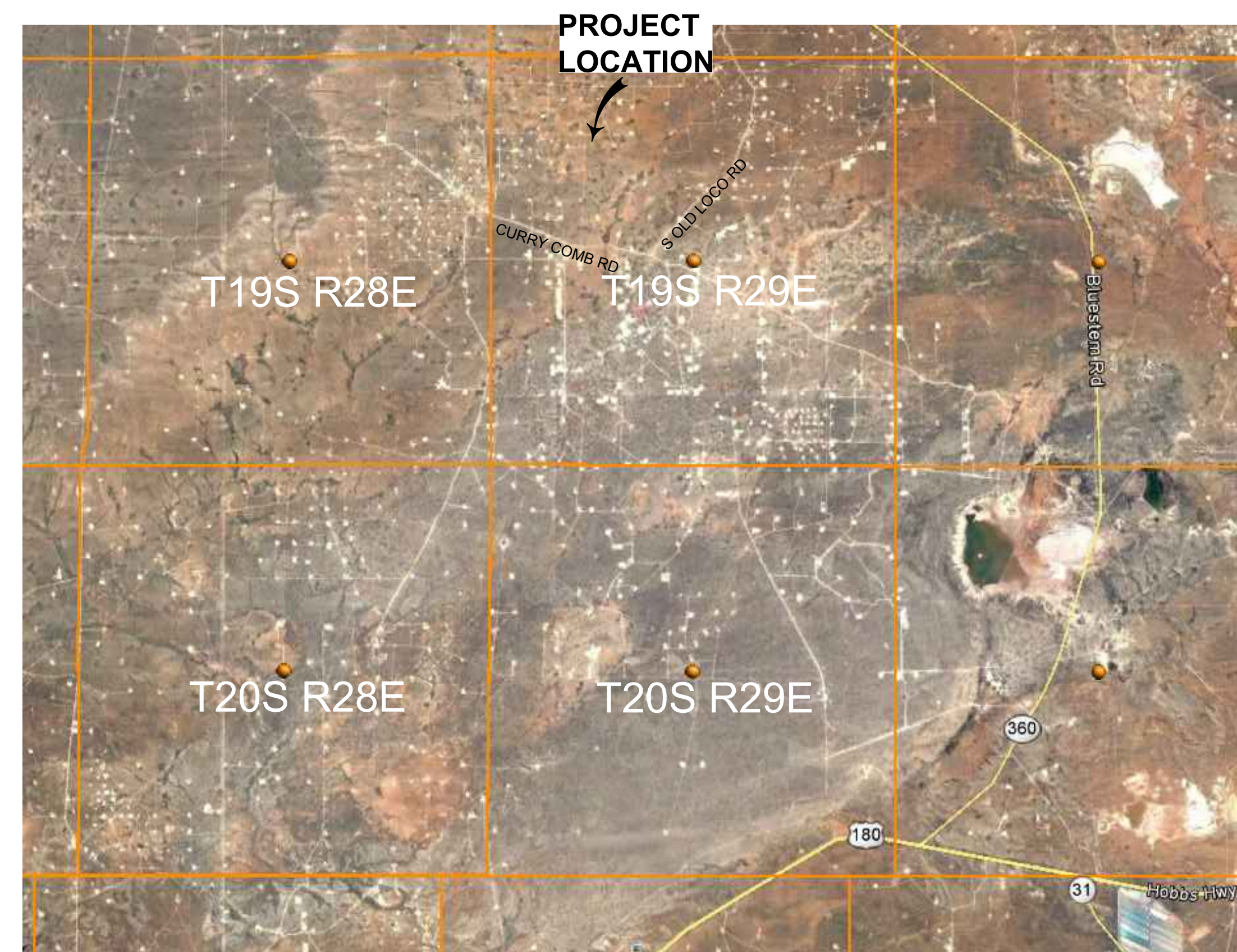
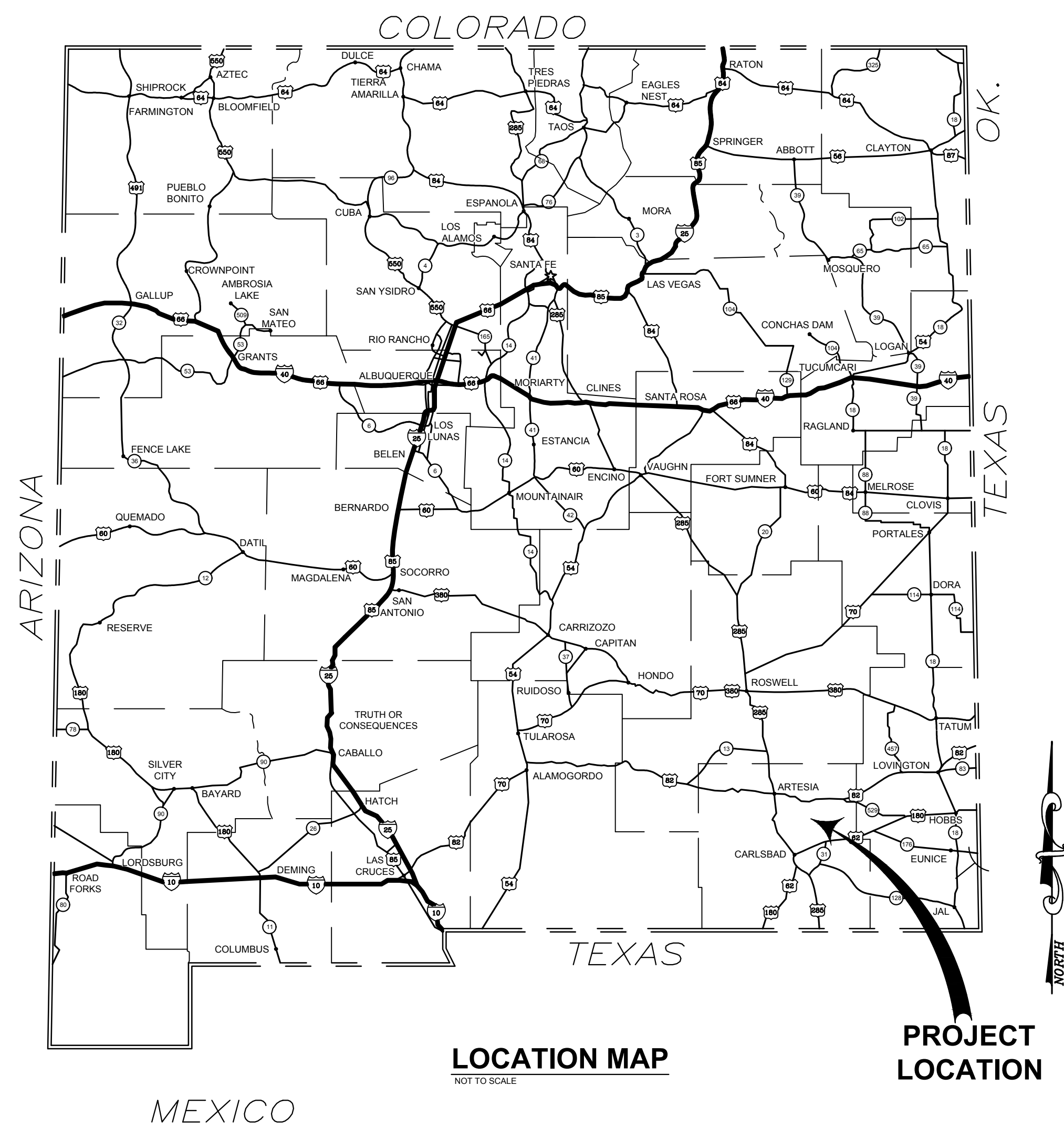
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## VICINITY MAP

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Call before you dig.

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## FLOOD NOTE

THIS PROJECT IS LOCATED IN ZONE X AS DESCRIBED IN FEMA FIRM PANEL 35015C0625D, WITH EFFECTIVE DATE OF JUNE 4, 2010

## REVISIONS

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## COVER SHEET

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RECYCLING  
CONTAINMENT  
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2017.1064







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C-001





### LEGEND

	GRADING LIMITS
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	APPARENT LEASE PROPERTY

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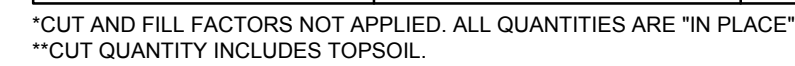
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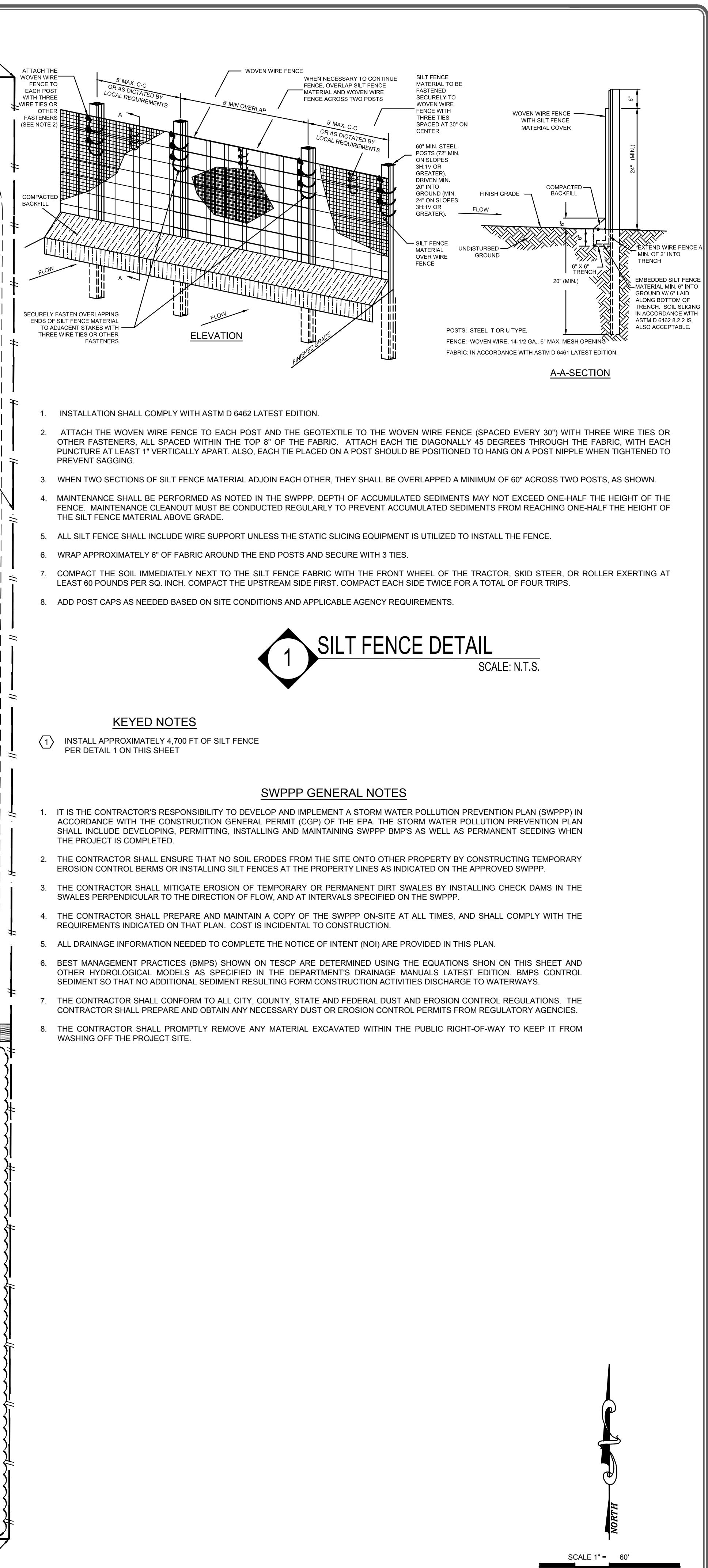
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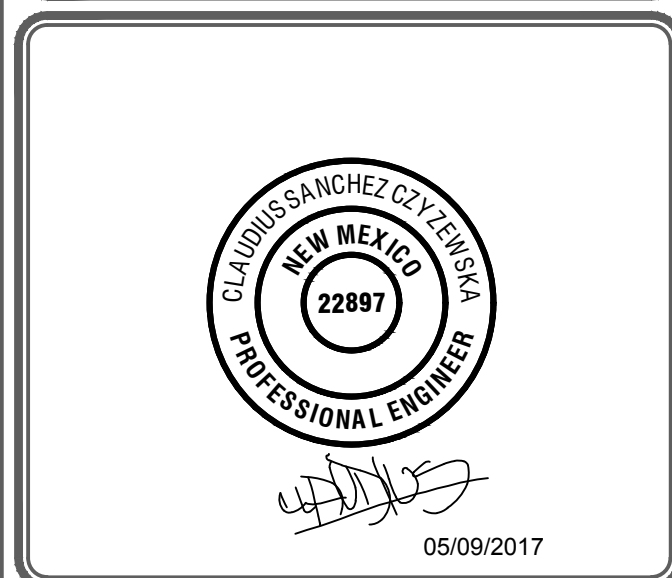
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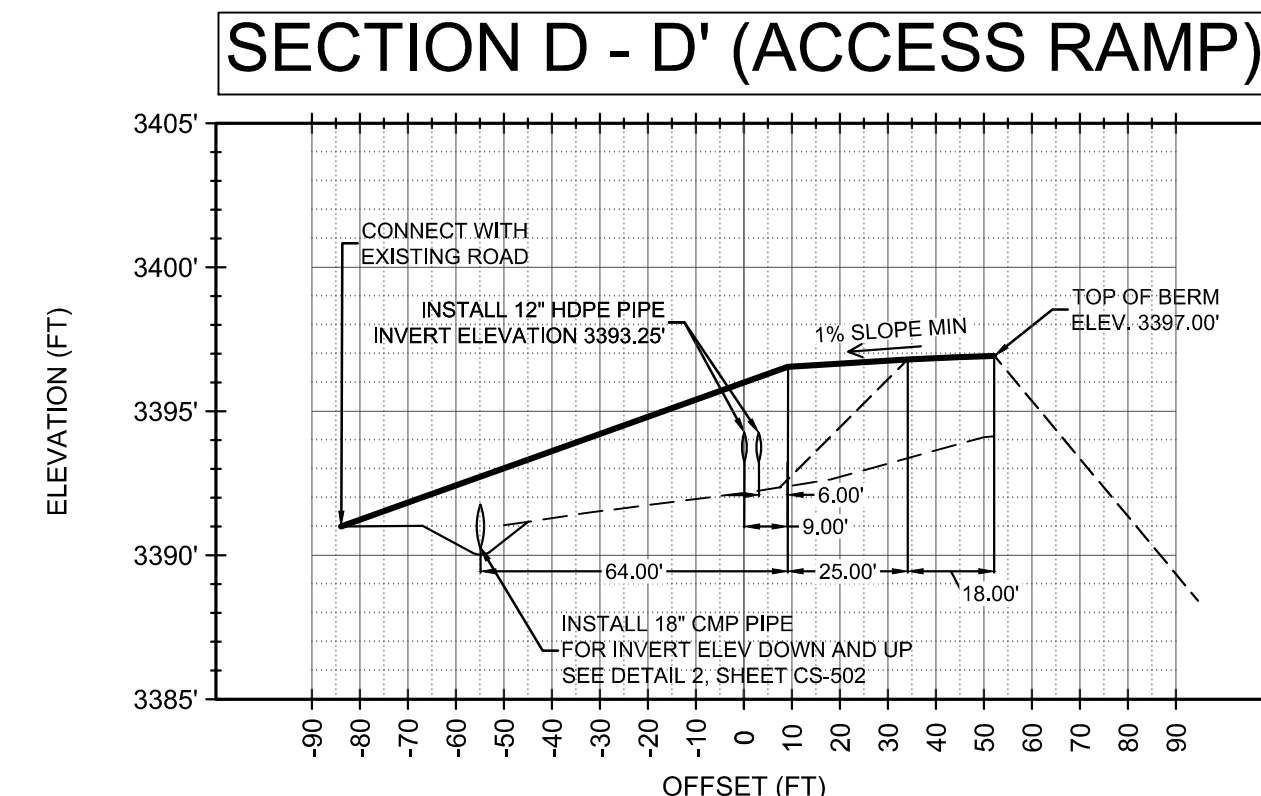

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