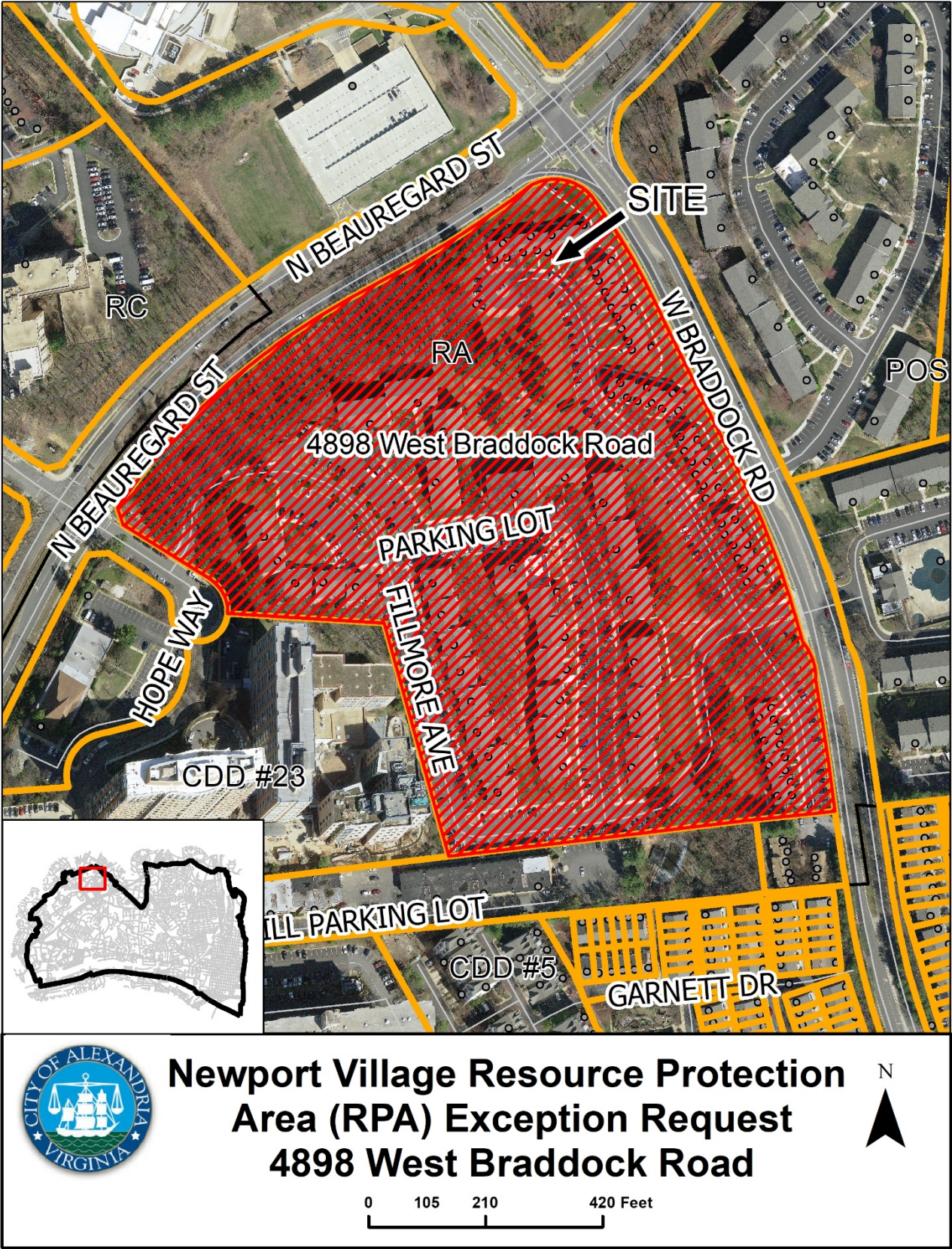


DOCKET ITEM #7
Resource Protection Area Exception Request
4898 West Braddock Road - Newport Village

Application	General Data	
	Planning Commission Hearing:	March 3, 2020
Public Hearing and consideration of a request for an exception, pursuant to Zoning Ordinance Section 13-119, to allow a new encroachment of up to 4,791 square feet of impervious surface in a Resource Protection Area (RPA) in connection with the future redevelopment of a multifamily residential property	City Council Hearing:	N/A
Address: 4898 West Braddock Road	Zone:	RA/Multifamily
Applicant: UDR, represented by Kenneth W. Wire, attorney	Small Area Plan:	Alexandria West

Staff Recommendation: DENIAL
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Environmental Policy Recommendation:
At the December 16, 2019, Environmental Policy Commission (EPC) meeting, the members of the Commission voted 6-5 to support the staff recommendation to deny the exception request at 4898 W. Braddock Road.



I. SUMMARY

A. Recommendation

Staff recommends ***DENIAL*** of the UDR (applicant) request for an exception to the requirements of Article XIII of the Alexandria Zoning Ordinance for a new encroachment of 4,791 square feet of new impervious surface in a Resource Protection Area (RPA) associated with DSUP2018-0018 for the Newport Village redevelopment. The proposed layout provided in the request for exception does not satisfy requisite criteria in the Zoning Ordinance to grant the exception as discussed below.

B. General Description

The applicant has proposed to redevelop a portion of its existing multifamily residential community, known as Newport Village, with two new multifamily buildings and an underground garage on a portion of the property addressed as 4898 W. Braddock Road (the “site”) near the corner of North Beauregard Street and West Braddock Road. The redevelopment plans are in the early stages of City staff’s review and have not progressed to public hearings before the Planning Commission or City Council. While the draft Concept 2 plan showing the proposed encroachment has not been formally submitted to the City for review, select sheets were submitted to the City for consideration of the Water Quality Impact Assessment (WQIA), as required for the request for an exception.

A natural, perennial stream is located within the median of North Beauregard Street near the future project site. On each side of this stream, encompassing Beauregard Street and portions of adjacent properties, is a previously identified 100-foot RPA buffer. The RPA buffer is depicted on the City’s 2004 RPA map consistent with the Chesapeake Bay Act and attendant regulations as incorporated into Article XIII of the Zoning Ordinance, given that the City is located within the Chesapeake Bay watershed. The RPA extends approximately 39-59 feet into the subject property.

The applicant is requesting an exception to the following section of the Zoning Ordinance:

- 13-107 - Development, redevelopment, and uses permitted in RPAs.

II. BACKGROUND

A. Procedural Background

The City has been delegated as the authority by the Commonwealth of Virginia to safeguard natural areas through the application of the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act (“Bay Act”) and attendant regulations through incorporation of these requirements into Article XIII of the Alexandria Zoning Ordinance, the Environmental Management Ordinance (EMO).

RPA Definition

RPAs are required under Virginia Administrative Code Chapter 9VAC25-830: Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area Designation and Management Regulations and the Bay Act. The overarching goal of the Bay Act is to protect RPAs to the maximum extent practicable and prevent substantial damage to the water quality of the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries.

Per Section 13-105, RPAs consist of sensitive land that has either an intrinsic water quality value due to the ecological and biological processes such land performs or that is sensitive to uses or activities such that the use results in significant degradation to the quality of state waters. In their natural condition, these lands provide for the removal, reduction, or assimilation of nonpoint source pollution entering the bay and its tributaries. An area of land that includes any one of the following land types shall be considered to be within the RPA:

- (1) Tidal wetlands;
- (2) Tidal shores;
- (3) Nontidal wetlands connected by surface flow and contiguous to tidal wetlands or water bodies with perennial flow;
- (4) Water bodies with perennial flow.
- (5) A buffer area of 100 feet (measured from top of bank) located adjacent to and landward of the components listed above and along both sides of any water body with perennial flow, to include the environmental feature, constitutes the RPA.

In this case, the RPA feature is attributed to the perennial stream located in the median of North Beauregard and its associated 100-foot buffer.

Allowable Redevelopment within the RPA

Per Section 13-107(C)(2), redevelopment may be allowed provided that the following criteria are met:

- (1) There is no increase in impervious surface cover;
- (2) There is no further encroachment within the RPA; and
- (3) The proposed redevelopment is consistent with the city master plan.

Certain activities such as trails, utility work and roads are permitted in the RPA provided any impervious area is restricted to the minimum amount necessary for the activity.

Exception Request Review Process

The Zoning Ordinance allows for the filing of requests with the City for exceptions to RPA provisions. Consistent with Section 13-119 (B), the Department of Transportation & Environmental Services (T&ES) reviews such exception requests based on criteria included therein and renders a recommendation. Per Section 13-119(G), requests for an exception to the RPA provisions of the EMO are first heard by the Environmental Policy Commission (EPC). The EPC can recommend support, denial or modification of the exception. The EPC recommendation, along with T&ES staff recommendation, are then brought to the Planning Commission, which is the body that will make the formal determination on the request.

Exception Criteria to be Considered

To grant an exception to the RPA provisions, Section 13-119(B)¹ of the EMO, the reviewing body must find that the applicant has proven each of the following criteria by a preponderance of the evidence:

- (1) Granting the exception will not confer upon the applicant any special privileges that are denied to other property owners in the CBPA [Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area] overlay district;
- (2) The exception is not based upon conditions or circumstances that are self-created or self-imposed, nor does the exception arise from conditions or circumstances either permitted or noncomplying that are related to adjacent parcels;
- (3) The exception is the minimum necessary to afford relief;
- (4) The exception will be consistent with the purpose and intent of the overlay district, and not injurious to water quality, the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare;
- (5) Reasonable and appropriate conditions are imposed, as warranted, to prevent the allowed activity from causing degradation of water quality.

Economic hardship alone is not sufficient reason to grant an exception per Section 13-119(C). The above criteria are the only ones that may be considered when reviewing the merits of an exception request.

B. Site Context

The site of the future new redevelopment consists of 4.19 acres and is located southeast of the intersection of North Beauregard Street and Braddock Road. A natural, perennial stream is located nearby within the median of North Beauregard Street with portions being previously piped. This portion of the stream channel averages 9 feet wide, is approximately 850 total linear feet, and is a tributary of Four Mile Run. On the north and south banks, the stream is bound by North and South Beauregard Street. On each side of this stream there is a 100' RPA buffer measured from the top of bank spanning Beauregard Street and extending into the adjacent properties, with the RPA extending approximately 39-59 feet into the Newport Village redevelopment site. As it exists today, that site consists of garden style apartments, an access road and parking lot, sidewalks, and apartment amenities. The area of total RPA on the site is approximately 30,492 square feet and currently consists of 432 square feet of impervious area, 9,583 square feet of pervious area, and 20,473 square feet of forested area.

C. Exception Description

Per the EMO, redevelopment may be only allowed in the RPA if there is no increase in impervious surface cover, there is no further encroachment within the RPA, and the proposed redevelopment is consistent with the city master plan.

¹ The provisions of the EMO are based upon the regulations found in 9VAC25-830-150 of the Virginia Administrative Code.

The applicant has requested an exception to Section 13-107 of the Alexandria Zoning Ordinance to allow a new encroachment in the RPA and an increase in impervious surface cover.

The proposed new encroachment would consist of 4,791 square feet of new impervious surface for a total encroachment (including existing impervious surface) in the RPA of 5,226 square feet of impervious surface. The existing building that is partially located in the RPA was constructed in 1968, prior to the existing RPA protection requirements for perennial streams enacted in 2004. The total proposed disturbance in the RPA in connection with the redevelopment, including earthwork, utility work, tree removal, and the previously mentioned new and existing impervious surface area (consisting of buildings and sidewalks) would be approximately 15,681 square feet.

III. STAFF ANALYSIS

A. Compliance with Environmental Management Ordinance

The requested exception does not meet the criteria outlined in Section 13-119 of the EMO, and therefore does not meet the requirements for approval.

The request for an additional 4,791 square feet of new impervious surface in an RPA is considered an extremely large exception request. In general, exceptions are intended to be used only for very small areas where no other option for development is available.

The applicant has also stated that the encroachment is necessary for development because it is not economically feasible to develop the site outside of the RPA. However, economic hardship alone cannot be the only reason for an exception to be approved. No other reason has been given as to why the encroachment is necessary for development.

Exception Criteria (1). The exception must be the minimum necessary to afford relief.

Projects proposing encroachments into the RPA must demonstrate that the project is only considering the minimum encroachment necessary to afford relief. According to state guidance on exceptions, when considering the minimum necessary to afford relief, the size of the structure, the types of proposed structures, and the placement of the structures in relation to the size, layout and location of the lot or parcel must be considered. If alternative location, sizing, or orientation options to avoid the need for an exception are available, then the finding of “minimum necessary to afford relief” has not been met.

The existing site is already developed with a much smaller encroachment in the RPA constructed prior to Bay Act requirements which demonstrates that the site has the ability to be developed with a smaller footprint in the RPA. In addition, multiple iterations of different layouts for the redevelopment should have been provided for consideration to demonstrate that this draft Concept 2 configuration included in the request for exception is the minimum amount of impervious surface needed for development. No such layouts have been provided as part of the official exception request; however, in previous concept submissions, the applicant provided

layouts that removed the existing building from the RPA and added no new impervious area to the RPA. The existence of these layouts in previous submissions clearly demonstrates it is possible to develop the site without additional encroachments.

In addition, in a letter dated September 5, 2019 (“RPA Waiver Request”) to Karl Moritz and Yon Lambert, Kenneth Wire, the attorney for UDR stated: “If the EPC finds that it cannot recommend support of the proposed encroachment, UDR will proceed with a slightly revised project layout which removes all additional encroachments from the RPA”.

Information contained in the applicant’s own documents therefore clearly demonstrate that the requirement for the “minimum necessary to afford relief” has not been met.

Although the applicant has sought justification for the encroachment in part through the removal of the traffic “slip lanes” on West Braddock Road outside of the project site, the actual new encroachment in the RPA constitutes only the new building area. The existing road encroachment is in a different area constituting a separate encroachment, on public property, and as a public street is allowed in the RPA per Section 13-123 of the EMO without the requirement for an exception approval. A new building encroachment of 4,791 square feet on private property is not allowable in the RPA without an exception approval. In addition, this amount of proposed new encroachment is considered an extremely large increase in impervious area and a large loss of RPA buffer. Finally, the removal of impervious surface associated with the “slip lanes” constitutes a separate, allowable encroachment in a different area of the RPA and is not a factor in the approval of a new encroachment when considering the criteria of minimum necessary to afford relief.

Exception Criteria (2). The exception must not be based upon conditions or circumstances that are self-created or self-imposed, nor can the exception arise from conditions or circumstances either permitted or noncomplying that are related to adjacent parcels.

The property owner created the need for the exception by proposing construction within the RPA when there are development options that do not require an encroachment in the RPA. The applicant previously submitted a concept plan to the City with no new encroachments in the RPA clearly demonstrating the proposed layout associated with this request is self-created.

The applicant has stated that the proposed layout is necessary for emergency vehicle access. However, the applicant has not provided any documentation to justify that this is the only acceptable layout for access.

In addition, the adjacent properties are all developed with buildings outside of the RPA. This site is the only one with an existing encroachment in this RPA. Approving a larger RPA encroachment would be inconsistent with the existing conditions of the adjacent parcels.

Exception Criteria (3). Granting the exception must not confer upon the applicant any special privileges that are denied to other property owners in the CBPA overlay district.

This criterion is intended to ensure that an exception request does not give the applicant something that has been denied to others in similar situations. While there exists a very small

number of minor encroachments that have been approved in other nearby local jurisdictions, these are not only inconsistent in scale to this exception request but are also of a different nature. The City has never approved an exception within its CBPA overlay district since the ordinance update in 2004 demonstrating these privileges have been denied to other property owners within the City of Alexandria.

Although no other exception requests have been formally submitted by other property owners in the City of Alexandria, numerous applicants have submitted initial concept plans for review with additional encroachments located within the RPA. It is standard City practice to work with developers during the site plan submittal process to avoid any new encroachments or the need to seek a formal exception. In addition, City practice also encourages the removal of existing encroachments and typically requires their removal and new plantings to help restore the RPA to a natural state.

For example, DSUP2018-00006, Public Storage, initially submitted a site plan utilizing the existing impervious area footprint located on the site for redevelopment. Through the site plan review process staff worked with the applicant to find a more suitable layout for the property that respected the RPA. Ultimately, a plan was approved that stipulates removal all existing impervious area from the RPA, removal all invasive species, replanting the RPA with native vegetation, and dedicating the land to the City.

The applicant has sought to justify the proposed encroachment in their application by asserting that the removal of the slip lanes on West Braddock Road in the RPA constitutes an overall smaller encroachment. However, this is an inaccurate description of a new encroachment. Individual encroachments are separated by area. In this case the new encroachment request is for 4,791 square feet of building area. The slip lanes are a separate, existing encroachment that is not part of the site and is not related to this new encroachment request.

Granting this exception would confer special privileges to the applicant that have been denied to other property owners in the City. In this case, it would set a precedent in the City that could allow for future new encroachments in the RPA.

Exception Criteria (4). The exception must be consistent with the purpose and intent of the overlay district, and not injurious to water quality, the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare.

This exception is not consistent with the intent of the CPBA overlay district defined in Section 13-105. Per Section 13-101 of the Zoning Ordinance, the purpose of the overlay district is to safeguard the waters of the Commonwealth from pollution and to prevent any increase in pollution of state waters. As shown in the submitted WQIA, the development proposes a total of 5,226 square feet of impervious surface in the RPA, an 1,100% increase. Impervious areas are a documented source of stormwater pollution and allowing such a sizable increase in impervious area in a buffer zone that exists to protect water quality would be detrimental to the public welfare.

Applicant has stated that stormwater treatment should be considered in their application. However, all redevelopment projects are required to treat stormwater runoff using stormwater Best Management Practices (BMPs). The proposed BMPs for stormwater treatment are a requirement of the development regardless of whether or not an encroachment is allowed within the RPA.

Exception Criteria (5). Reasonable and appropriate conditions are imposed, as warranted, to prevent the allowed activity from causing degradation of water quality.

This criterion is intended to ensure that conditions are imposed to, among other things, protect water quality and the functionality of an RPA as if it were undisturbed. This criterion must be considered as a whole with the previous four required criteria for approval as all five must be met to meet the approval threshold. In addition, proposed mitigation is not a reason to approve an exception, it is a condition imposed to alleviate the damage to water quality should an exception be found to meet the exception criteria and subsequently be approved. An applicant may propose extensive amounts of mitigation and still not meet the four preceding criteria, resulting in an exception request that does not meet the requirements for approval. Although the applicant has proposed mitigation that would provide a benefit to water quality, it does not justify the addition of a large new encroachment in the RPA, especially given that the request does not satisfy the preceding criteria one through four.

The applicant has submitted several options for mitigation; however, they do not equate to the function of an undisturbed RPA or the loss of RPA buffer. The mitigation options proposed by the applicant are discussed below.

Stream Bank Restoration

The City recently completed the *Phase III Stream Assessment: Stream Restoration and Outfall Stabilization Feasibility Study (February 2019)* to identify area for future restoration. While Strawberry Run and Taylor Run were identified as the top two priority sites and are currently in the design phase, this study did not identify this stream reach as a candidate for restoration.

In response to this exception request, staff worked with the City's consultant to determine if the proposed stream restoration would be feasible and beneficial to perform. The consultant with extensive stream restoration knowledge that include Rosgen techniques of natural channel design visited the site to perform the assessment.

Using the *Recommendations of the Expert Panel to Define Removal Rates for Individual Stream Restoration Projects* (Schueler and Stack, 2014) developed by the Chesapeake Bay Program for restoration projects to achieve Bay pollution reductions and completing a Bank Assessment for Non-point source Consequences of Sediment (BANCS) assessment, the consultant determined there was a potential to reduce approximately 16.5 lbs./year of phosphorous that may be achieved if a stream restoration project was feasible. This is a very low amount of phosphorus removal for a stream restoration project. By comparison, the City's Strawberry Run Stream Restoration Project that is currently in design to restore approximately 900 linear feet of stream is slated to remove over 340 lbs./year of phosphorus using the BANCS assessment when completed.

There are numerous site and anticipated engineering and construction constraints that could affect the feasibility of a stream restoration or the costs for design and construction that includes the following: (1) given the steep banks and location of North Beauregard Street, access to the stream is limited and would require lane closures and would preclude construction of a suitable floodplain for natural channel restoration and (2) removal of individual mature trees and their critical root zones would likely compromise the adjacent road slope stability.

Finally, the estimated cost of a stream restoration for this reach far exceeds a cost benefit ratio that would be considered for a stream restoration project. The City's consultant provided an anticipated design and construction cost of \$1.78 million to restore this 850 linear foot stretch. This estimate is somewhat consistent with other stream restoration projects in the City; however, the site constraints would increase the cost estimate greatly. Therefore, the City would consider this cost to likely be lower than a cost estimate developed after the completion of a feasibility study and concept design using the City's CIP project estimating approach. Given that the project may reduce approximately 16.5 lbs./year of phosphorus, the cost per pound would be nearly \$108,000 to remove one pound of phosphorus. The Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VDEQ) has a threshold of \$50,000 per pound of phosphorus to even consider a project. Additionally, the City's Strawberry Run Stream Restoration Project (which includes an \$800,000 state matching grant for a total project cost of \$1,600,000) is projected to remove 340 lbs./year of phosphorus at a cost of just over \$5,000 to remove one pound of phosphorus. UDR's exception request letter (November 13, 2019) commits \$800,000 for a "stream bank restoration" while Exhibit C of the letter proposed \$500,000 which is inconsistent. Either way, this estimate is less than half of a reasonable cost estimate for such a project. Mitigation in another location of the City, in a different local watershed, does not equate to mitigation for disturbance to the RPA as proposed for this project. Mitigation should occur in for the proximate RPA to prevent degradation of water quality in the protected stream reach.

Given the issues with feasibility, site constraints, and cost; and the previous study conducted by the City that did not identify this location as a candidate for stream restoration, the City does not feel that this stream is a suitable candidate for a stream restoration.

Reforestation

The proposed reforestation does not consider that the project proposes to remove 118 of 183 existing mature trees currently on the site. The area proposed for reforestation would be planted with seedlings, many of which will not survive, and is much further away from the RPA than the mature trees that would be removed if this exception is granted with the development. The phosphorous removal gained from any replanting will be negated by the additional phosphorous generated by the loss of 118 mature trees on the site.

Pet Waste Plan

The option to create pet waste plans are not considered mitigation for RPAs. The overwhelming majority of multifamily residential properties contain pet waste mitigation regardless of location in keeping with best practices to support cleanliness for the private property. In addition, the City cannot count any private pet waste plans for meeting any permit requirements.

Removing Slip Lanes

Finally, the applicant has included the removal of slip lanes at West Braddock Road and N. Beauregard as mitigation for the proposed RPA encroachment. However, T&ES Transportation Planning staff intends to require the removal of the slip lanes for traffic planning purposes regardless of whether the RPA encroachment is approved. There is no additional benefit beyond what would be proposed without the encroachment for the loss of the slip lanes.

The proposed mitigation options do not negate the permanent loss of additional buffer area in the RPA and the introduction of new impervious surface that would negatively impact water quality. The adjacent perennial stream is not suitable for stream restoration, the reforestation does not add additional benefit beyond mitigating what will be lost from the removal of the existing mature trees, the pet waste plan is not a valid buffer mitigation option, and the slip lanes will be required to be removed even if the encroachment is denied.

IV. CONCLUSION

In conclusion, in order to grant an exception, the request must meet all five exception criteria. Staff has evaluated this exception request and has found that it does not meet any of the exception criteria listed in the ordinance, let alone all five criteria as required for approval. Contrary to the applicant's assertion, the request for exception must meet these criteria irrespective of proposed mitigation measures, as these measures would only be applicable if the request first meets the criteria as required. As a result, when evaluating this request against the required exception criteria in the EMO, the application does not meet the criteria by a preponderance of the evidence as required under the Zoning Ordinance in order to be granted. Therefore, this exception should be denied.

Further, the approval of this exception would be in conflict with the principles of the Eco-City Alexandria Charter and Environmental Action Plan. In addition, allowing such a large new encroachment in the RPA that fails to meet the criteria for approval sets a precedent in the City that would make it difficult to deny future exception requests.

V. STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff recommend **denial** of the exception request.

VI. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Exception Request Letter

Attachment 2: Encroachment and Mitigation Exhibit

Attachment 3: Mitigation Chart

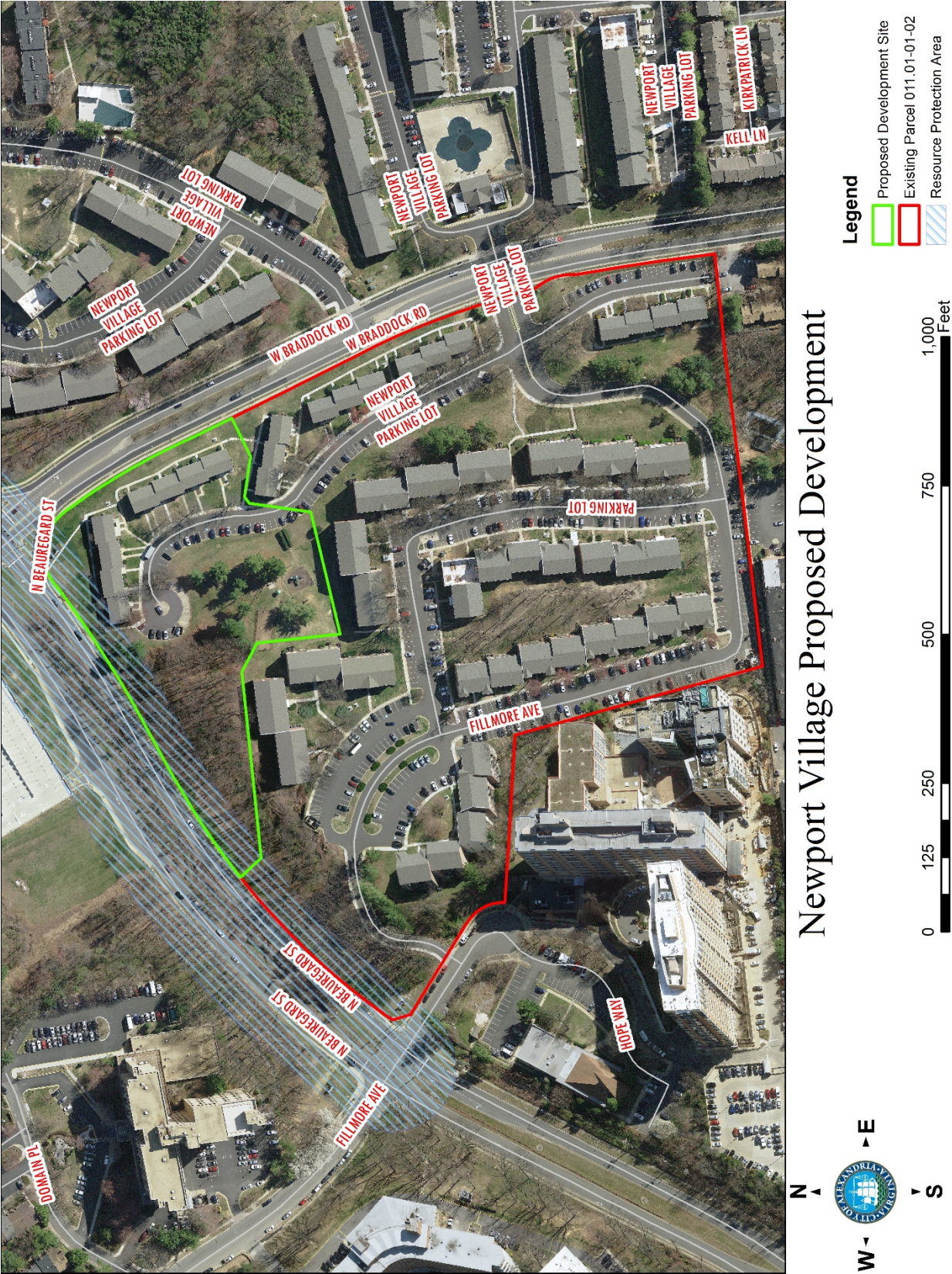
Attachment 4: Water Quality Impact Assessment

Attachment 5: Existing Conditions

Attachment 6: Select Pages from the Concept 2 Site Plan

Attachment 7: Original Exception Request Letter dated September 5th

Attachment 8: Concept 2 plan revised





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**RE: Newport Village
4898 W. Braddock Road (the "Property")**

Dear Mr. Lambert,

On behalf of my client, UDR, I am submitting this hearing request for approval of an encroachment into the Resource Protection Area ("RPA") along the eastern side of Beauregard Street for the above referenced property. UDR requests this exception to Zoning Ordinance Section 13-107 as permitted by Zoning Ordinance Section 13-119. As shown on the attached exhibits, the total improvements to the Property will increase the impervious area within the RPA with offsets proposed by removing City impervious area associated with travel lanes at this intersection and replanting other areas. This exception is appropriate because 1) the Property's extreme topography precludes any other viable redevelopment scenario; 2) the existing RPA is separated from the stream itself by several lanes of Beauregard Street; 3) the overall water quality will be significantly improved by the proposed mitigation; and 4) the proposed building line will create a better interaction between the building façade and the future BRT station.

I. Project Background

UDR is the owner of the Newport Village Apartments (the "Property") and has worked with City staff over the past several months to determine a viable redevelopment strategy for a portion of the Property located at the south western intersection of Beauregard Street and Braddock Road. UDR's initial concept was to demolish the three smaller scale buildings located at this intersection and redevelop their footprint with a larger multi-family building with below grade parking. One of these buildings currently encroaches in the RPA in the same location of the requested exception. *See Existing Conditions, attached as Exhibit A.*

As you may know, the grade of the Property is very steep as it rises significantly to the south. During the initial design phase, the UDR team obtained updated construction pricing associated with pushing the new building into the grade which proved to be extremely inefficient and costly. UDR and its team spent the past few months redesigning the new development

proposal to move the new building out from the steep slope and save one of the existing buildings by revisiting the proposed project's footprint. *See Proposed Plan, attached as Exhibit B.*

UDR and its team worked with the City to also design a better interaction of the new building with the proposed BRT stop at Beauregard Street and orient the active uses within the building towards the BRT stop. The team also proposes shifting a portion of the building slightly further into the RPA to enhance the pedestrian experience at the intersection and remove the City's existing impervious slip lanes. UDR is supportive of this approach and requests a positive EPC recommendation for the encroachment.

II. Existing RPA Conditions

The proposed redevelopment site is located at the south-west corner of N. Beauregard Street and W. Braddock Road. There is an RPA associated with the stream that runs in the Beauregard median. The stream in the RPA is in poor condition with heavily eroding slopes and invasive species. The RPA extends between 39 feet and 59 feet into the redevelopment site on the western side. There are existing improvements located within the RPA including the N. Beauregard travel lanes, sidewalks and a very small corner of the northwest building. Proposed within the redevelopment site, there is a portion of a building and its associated concrete walkways located within the RPA. UDR and its team recently field verified the RPA which begins at the top of bank for the stream in the middle of Beauregard. The total on-site impervious area currently within the RPA is approximately 5,135 s.f. (0.12 Ac). *See Exhibit A.*

III. Required vs. Proposed RPA Mitigation

The proposed redevelopment consists of the demolition of two existing buildings, associated walkways/sidewalks, parking, drive aisles and utilities, and the construction of a new multifamily building with associated walkways, drive aisles and utilities. If the RPA did not exist, the proposed building would comply with current stormwater requirements and no additional mitigation. The attached Chart demonstrates the difference between the no additional mitigation scenario and the proposed additional mitigations that would be provided if this exception is granted. *See Chart, attached as Exhibit C.* We have also attached a Water Quality Impact Assessment Report ("WQIA"), *attached as Exhibit D.*

Section IV below, addresses each of the factors that must be addressed granting any RPA exception. We note, however, that the very purpose of the RPA regulations is to protect water quality within the Chesapeake Bay Watershed. Exhibit A shows that there would be approximately 5,135 s.f. (0.12 Ac) of existing impervious area that will be removed from the RPA for the proposed improvements. Approximately 5,100 s.f. of the proposed building and associated walkways are proposed within the RPA. Therefore, the total on-site impervious area proposed within the RPA would be shifted landward and *reduced* by 35 s.f.

In order to mitigate the impacts of the proposed improvements within the RPA, the owner is proposing the following (*See Chart and summary attached Exhibit C*):

1. **Stream Bank Stabilization**—The stabilization of the stream bank of 800 linear feet is estimated to allow for removal of at least 24.5 lbs. of phosphorus, which far exceeds any other mitigation strategy, and alone mitigates the impacts of the proposed development by 10-fold.

Specifically, the stream bank stabilization/restoration includes removal of debris and invasive plants/trees; the implementation of imbricated boulders; and in-stream step pools to address high velocities, bed and bank shear stress, and erosion. Pursuant to Virginia DEQ Guidance Memo No 15-2005 interim rates, after implementing these practices, the estimated pollutant of concern (“POC”) reduction credit may be up to 30.6 pounds of TP, 33.75 pounds of TN, and 3,656 pounds of TSS. However, to be conservative we are proposing a lower estimate of 24.5 pounds of TP, 23.16 lbs of TN and 2,509 pounds of TSS. Credit for POC’s is determined after a Bank Assessment for Non-Point Consequences of Sediment (BANCS) has been completed and verified by DEQ. UDR agrees to participate in the DEQ verification process.

2. **Removal of the existing slip lanes at the intersection of North Beauregard and West Braddock** - In order to reduce the impervious surface within the RPA, the two existing slip lanes at the intersection will be removed. The removal of the existing slip lanes will remove approximately 4,500 s.f. (0.10 Ac) of impervious area from the RPA. With the removal of the slip lanes, vehicular contact areas will be removed from the RPA and replaced with pervious cover. This will reduce the amount of high-concentration pollutants (0.14 lbs of phosphorous) generated by surface runoff being conveyed into the RPA.
3. **Reforestation** – Reforestation using native species will be provided within the RPA (approximately .40 Ac or 17,420 s.f. is proposed). 0.15 lbs of phosphorus will be removed in implementing this strategy.
4. **Pet Waste Plan** – UDR is also proposing a pet waste management system to reduce pet waste intrusion into the water shed.

With each of the above mitigation measures, the granting of this exception conditioned on the implementation of each of these measures will improve water quality by **27.54 lbs of total phosphorus removal per year** or 24.8 lbs of phosphorus above the baseline amount that would otherwise be achieved by not granting this exception.

IV. Section 13-119 – Exceptions

This proposed exception will greatly improve water quality and is eligible for the exception under Section 13-119. Under Section 13-119 – Exceptions, the Director of T&ES shall review the request for an exception and may grant the exception with such conditions and safeguards as deemed necessary to further the purpose and intent of this Article XIII “Environmental Management” if the Director of T&ES finds that an applicant has demonstrated by a preponderance of the evidence that the following criteria are met. UDR’s response to each criterion is stated below in italics.

- (1) Granting the exception will not confer upon the applicant any special privileges that are denied to other property owners in the CBPA overlay district;

Granting an exception in this case would not confer special privileges to UDR that have previously been denied to other property owners primarily because the proposed amount of encroachment in the RPA is slightly reduced from the existing encroachment of the building and slip lanes and the proposal includes a significant amount of mitigations that other property owners likely have not been willing to provide. Additionally, UDR's project is different from other properties and developments because of its unique characteristics inherent to the Property and the imposition of more onerous conditions to greatly improve water quality than would be possible by not granting the exception.

Unique characteristics of the Property include the steep topography, the urbanized setting whereby the stream is in the center of a four-lane major thoroughfare, and the removal of existing impervious area (5,135 s.f.) that currently encroaches within the RPA boundary.

Unique elements of the proposed development plan include: mitigations that will increase water quality beyond the quality that exists; the limited size of the proposed development within the RPA; and in total, the project will add significant levels of housing located adjacent to the City's BRT, the use of which will reduce single-occupancy vehicle trips (SOVs).

- (2) The exception is not based upon conditions or circumstances that are self-created or self-imposed, nor does the exception arise from conditions or circumstances either permitted or noncomplying that are related to adjacent parcels;

The steep topography of the Property and limits on reasonable development costs of construction type are conditions and circumstances that are not self-created. After performing feasibility analysis, it has been determined that no other plan is feasible. Additionally, this exception does not arise from conditions or circumstances permitted or noncomplying that are related to adjacent parcels.

- (3) The exception is the minimum necessary to afford relief;

The proposed development within the RPA is 5,100 s.f. and the existing impervious area that will be removed from the RPA is 5,135 s.f. UDR's proposed project clearly makes the existing condition no worse, and in fact is slightly better since 35 s.f. smaller. UDR and their design team attempted other designs that are not realistically feasible considering the steep topography. The area proposed to develop is in fact the minimum area to develop a building, given the constraints of topography, building height limits of the construction type and retention of the existing buildings to remain on the Property. Any other alternative plan is not reasonably feasible given the unique characteristics of the Property, namely the topography whereby pushing the building into the grade exponentially increases the construction costs and requires demolition of existing buildings to remain.

The proposed encroachment is also only for a portion of the building fronting on Beauregard. Of the 395 linear feet of building frontage on Beauregard only 197 linear feet is requested to encroach into the RPA.

(4) The exception will be consistent with the purpose and intent of the overlay district, and not injurious to water quality, the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare;

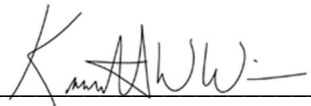
UDR has committed to mitigations stated above which include stream bank restoration, valued at \$500,000, and removes at least 24.5 lbs. of phosphorus alone; removal of impervious area of the existing slip lanes; and reforestation—all of which are consistent with the purpose and intent of the overlay district. As stated in 13-1010, the purpose of the overlay zone is: minimizing the potential pollution from stormwater runoff and erosion and sedimentation; the reduction of the introduction of harmful nutrients and toxins into state waters; and the maximization of rainwater infiltration while protecting groundwater. With the proposed mitigations, the development will be consistent with the ultimate policy goal of increasing the water quality beyond its existing levels, which promotes the general welfare.

(5) Reasonable and appropriate conditions are imposed, as warranted, to prevent the allowed activity from causing degradation of water quality.

UDR agrees to reasonable and appropriate conditions including the proposed mitigations and future monitoring, in order to prevent the proposed development from causing degradation of water quality.

For each of these reasons, we respectfully request a hearing by the Environmental Policy Committee for an exception to Zoning Ordinance Section 13-107 for the proposed encroachments and improvements within the RPA.

Sincerely,

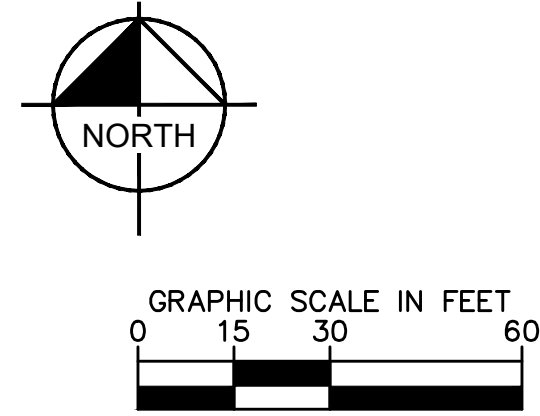
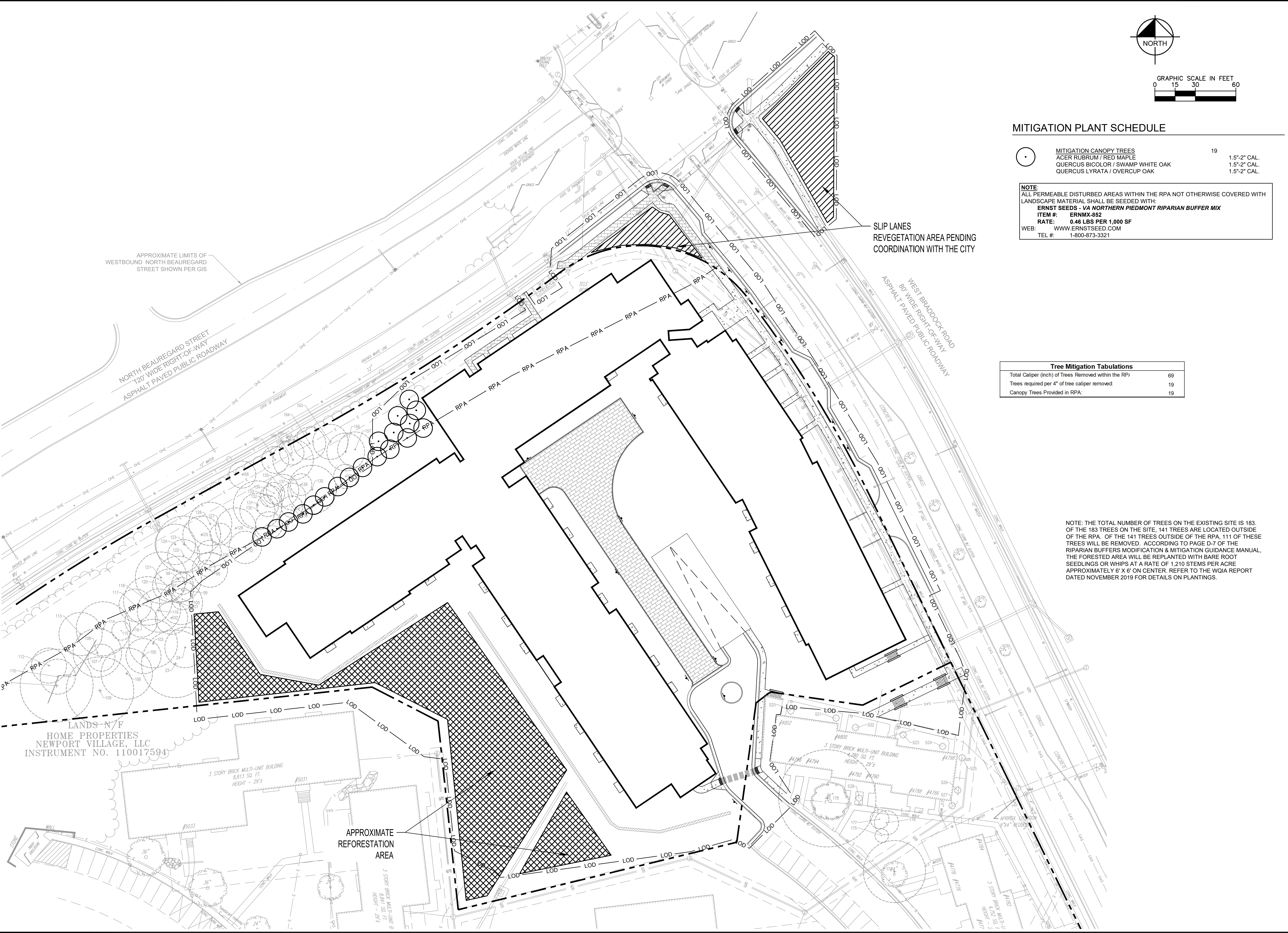
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MITIGATION PLANT SCHEDULE

MITIGATION CANOPY TREES	19	1.5"-2" CAL.
ACER RUBRUM / RED MAPLE		1.5"-2" CAL.
QUERCUS BICOLOR / SWAMP WHITE OAK		1.5"-2" CAL.
QUERCUS LYRATA / OVERCUP OAK		1.5"-2" CAL.

NOTE:
ALL PERMEABLE DISTURBED AREAS WITHIN THE RPA NOT OTHERWISE COVERED WITH LANDSCAPE MATERIAL SHALL BE SEEDED WITH:
ERNST SEEDS - VA NORTHERN PIEDMONT RIPARIAN BUFFER MIX
ITEM #: ERNMX-852
RATE: 0.46 LBS PER 1,000 SF
WEB: WWW.ERNSTSEED.COM
TEL #: 1-800-873-3321

Tree Mitigation Tabulations	
Total Caliper (inch) of Trees Removed within the RP:	69
Trees required per 4" of tree caliper removed:	19
Canopy Trees Provided in RPA:	19

NOTE: THE TOTAL NUMBER OF TREES ON THE EXISTING SITE IS 183. OF THE 183 TREES ON THE SITE, 141 TREES ARE LOCATED OUTSIDE OF THE RPA. OF THE 141 TREES OUTSIDE OF THE RPA, 111 OF THESE TREES WILL BE REMOVED, ACCORDING TO PAGE D-7 OF THE RIPARIAN BUFFERS MODIFICATION & MITIGATION GUIDANCE MANUAL. THE FORESTED AREA WILL BE REPLANTED WITH BARE ROOT SEEDLINGS OR WHIPS AT A RATE OF 1,210 STEMS PER ACRE APPROXIMATELY 6' X 6' ON CENTER. REFER TO THE WQIA REPORT DATED NOVEMBER 2019 FOR DETAILS ON PLANTINGS.

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ATTACHMENT #3

Exhibit C - RPA Water Quality Additional Mitigation Chart and Summary

	EXISTING	REQUIRED	PROPOSED	% OVER REQUIREMENTS
OPEN SPACE	75%	40%	54%	34%
VEGETATED CANOPY COVERAGE (Does not include reforestation proposal below)	35%	25% of Site	25%	0%
STORMWATER MANAGEMENT				
Stormwater outfall volume (10YR Discharge Volume)	22.01	22.01	21.16	4%
SWM Best Management Practice Summary*		2.75 lbs TP	2.81 lbs TP*	
Permeable Pavement			0.37 lbs TP	
Urban Bioretention			1.23 lbs TP	
Vegetated Roof			0.35 lbs TP	
DC Sand Filter			0.71 lbs TP	
Filtering Device			0.17 lbs TP	
BMP Subtotal*		2.75 lbs TP	2.81 lbs TP*	2%
*Based on conceptual level SWM design, subject to change pending final design. Minimum requirement will be met.				
EXCESS TMDL REMOVAL STRATEGIES				
REFORESTATION	N/A	Not Currently Required	Up to 0.40 Acres On-Site. The phosphorus removal has been calculated based on the Chesapeake Bay TMDL Guidance - Table V.H.1 – Land Use Change Conversion Efficiency Table for pervious land converted to forested.	Please see table below
STREAM BANK STABILIZATION PROJECT	N/A	Not Currently Required	The stream bank stabilization/restoration may include removal of construction debris, invasive plants/trees and the implementation of imbricated boulders, and in-stream step pools to address high velocities, bed and bank shear stress and erosion. Using the interim rates from the Virginia DEQ Guidance Memo No 15-2005, the estimated pollutant of concern (POC) reduction credit after implementing these practices may be up to 30.6 pounds of TP, 33.75 pounds of TN and 3,656 pounds of TSS. Credit for these POC's is determined after a Bank Assessment for Non-Point Consequences of Sediment (BANCS) has been completed and verified by DEQ. Since the total amount of credit is uncertain, UDR is proposing a target of 24.5 lbs of TP removal. UDR proposes 800 linear feet of stream bank stabilization or an alternate of \$500,000 towards TMDL Credits.	Please see table below
SLIP LANE REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT WITH PERVIOUS PAVERS AND OPEN SPACE	N/A	Not Currently Required	Removal of 0.1 acres of high vehicle contact areas and shifting of impervious areas landward. Replacing the impervious concrete with pervious pavement and plantings will reduce pollutants and will contribute towards City of Alexandria's reduced TMDL goals. The phosphorus removal has been calculated based on the Chesapeake Bay TMDL Guidance - Table V.H.1 – Land Use Change Conversion Efficiency Table for impervious land converted to pervious.	Please see table below
PET WASTE PILOT PROGRAM FOR E. COLI MNGMT	N/A	Not Currently Required	The unnamed tributary of Lucky Run is part of the Four Mile Run Watershed which is subject to a Bacteria TMDL. Additionally, the Pet Waste Pilot Program will help the City accomplish their "Minimum Control Measure #1" for their CBPA TMDL Plan. This pilot program will be implemented in all of UDR's Newport Village including the proposed new building and the existing, surrounding multi-family community. The Owner pledges to do the following as part of this program: •Develop written materials (pamphlets) and distribute to tenants •Install pet waste stations and use social media to document and promote •Agree to be part of an educational, speaking engagement •Pilot requiring residents to register their pets in a DNA database and then fine violators who do not clean up pet waste.	N/A

TMDL IMPACT OF PROPOSED WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENTS	TOTAL PHOSPHORUS REDUCTION (LB/YR)	TOTAL NITROGEN REDUCTION (LB/YR)	TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS REMOVAL (LB/YR)
Required Stormwater Management	2.75	15.27	1,290.30
Reforestation	0.15	1.04	70.38
Streambank Stabilization Project	24.50	23.16	2,509.02
Land Use Change - Slip Lane	0.14	0.97	65.69
Total	27.54	40.43	3,935.39
% over requirement	1001%	265%	305%

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1.0 Introduction

This water quality impact assessment (WQIA) has been prepared for the redevelopment of a 4.19-acre parcel within the Newport Village Development (Site) located along the southern side of Beauregard Street and the western side of Braddock Road in the City of Alexandria, Virginia. The owner/operator entity is Newport Village, LLC. (UDR) and currently consists of garden style apartments, is proposed to redevelop into higher density apartment complex.

The intent of this WQIA is to identify major impacts for development or redevelopment within resource protection areas (RPA), or under an exception that involves more than 5,000 square feet of land disturbance within an RPA or for any development or redevelopment within a resource management area (RMA) which involves more than 5,000 square feet of land disturbance adjacent to an RPA. The proposed redevelopment within the 4.19-acre Newport Village parcel will encroach into the RPA and more than 5,000 square feet of disturbance is proposed adjacent to the RPA within the RMA. This WQIA will show how the proposed redevelopment will impact the RPA and adjacent RMA.

The existing and proposed use will not change from multi family residential and the use with the RPA will remain forested/pervious. The RPA on site (and off site) has already been impacted by the development of Beauregard Street and the existing Newport Village development. The proposed use will disturb 0.36 acres within the RPA and will add 0.11 acres of impervious area for a total of 0.12 impervious acres within the RPA post redevelopment (see Table 8 Land Cover Change for an land cover area summary). The areas within the RPA that will be impacted from the proposed use/redevelopment are will be treated with water quality BMPs to prevent further impact to the RPA and its environmentally sensitive areas.

The proposed redevelopment will fully meet water quality requirements through implementation of seven (7) BMPs. Newport Village, LLC. (UDR) will provide additional mitigation options to enhance water quality in the City. These other options are discussed in Section 4.

2.0 Existing Conditions

The existing Site is 4.19 acres and is located southwest of the intersection of Beauregard Street and Braddock Road. An unnamed, perennial, tributary to Lucky Run is located north of the Site, in Beauregard Street's median and flows west to east. Beauregard Street, a two (2) lane road and its sidewalks, run west to east in the unnamed tributaries RPA. The impervious area from Beauregard Street contributes significant uncontrolled stormwater runoff to the unnamed tributary of Lucky Run. The Site itself consists of garden style apartments, an access road and parking lot, sidewalks, and apartment amenities. The RPA that does come onto the Site is approximately 0.70 acres and consists of 0.01 acres of impervious area, 0.22 acres of pervious area and 0.47 acres of forested area. Table 1 summarizes the RPA land cover on site. Below is more information regarding the existing conditions for the Site.

2.1 Environmental Site Assessment

The Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) was completed in accordance with 13-112 of the City Code. Approximately 2.36 acres of the site contains slopes 15% or more. Of the 2.36 acres approximately 0.50 acres of the site is located within the RPA and contains slopes 15% or more. The following items are not present on the Site.

- No intermittent streams contained with a natural channel.
- No highly erodible (K factor >0.28) and highly permeable soils as available from existing public documents
- No known areas of contamination
- No springs, seeps, and related features
- No wetland permits are required
- No dredging or disposal of dredging materials is proposed as part of this project within the project limits or outside of the project limits
- No impacts on adjacent shellfish bed, submerged aquatic vegetation and fish spawning areas are expected as part of this project

A wetland delineation for the adjacent perennial stream was performed consistent with current procedures promulgated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Environmental Protection Agency. The site-specific evaluation of the RPA boundary was determined from this wetland delineation. See the ESA sheet for location of the above referenced items.

2.2 Land Cover

The existing Site consists of 0.99 acres of impervious area (building, road, sidewalk), 1.73 acres of pervious area (grass) and 1.47 acres of forested area. The landcover within the RPA on the existing Site consists of 0.01 acres of impervious area, 0.22 acres of pervious area and 0.47 acres of forested area. Table 1 provides a summary below and Sheet C-100 shows the existing site conditions and land cover in the RPA.

Table 1 Existing Land Cover Summary		
Existing Land Cover on Site		Existing Land Cover in RPA
Land Cover	Area (Acres)	Area (Acres)
Impervious	0.99	0.01
Pervious	1.73	0.22
Forest	1.47	0.47
Total	4.19	0.70

2.2 Topography

The topography within the 4.19-acre site varies from 1% slope to the 50%+ slope. The existing developed area consisting of approximately 1.5 acres generally does not exceed 15% slope. The existing buildings are designed with apartments that walk out onto Beauregard and Braddock. To allow for this the buildings have been graded with a 15%+ slope. Approximately 2.36 acres of the Site has a slope of 15%+ including most of the RPA.

2.3 Hydrology

An unnamed perennial tributary to Lucky Run is located north of the Site within Beauregard Street's median and flows southwest to northeast. The perennial stream flows into a 48" RCP adjacent to the Beauregard and Braddock intersection and continues downstream to Lucky Run. This stream is the source of the RPA that extends onto the Site. Approximately 0.59 acres of RPA south of this stream consists of road and sidewalk (Beauregard Street) and 0.70 acres extending onto the northern side of the Site. Sheet C-400 shows the land cover located in the RPA that extends on Site.

The site is divided into two (2) points of analysis (POA). The first POA is located within an island southeast of the intersection of Beauregard and Braddock and drains approximately 2.97 acres, has an 86 curve number (CN) and a time of concentration (TOC) of 5 minutes. An existing 18" RCP and an existing 15" tie into an existing 15" (upsized to 24"), running southeast to northwest and located on the eastern side of Braddock Road. The second POA is located at the 48" concrete headwall conveying the existing perennial stream and drains approximately 1.22 acres, has a 79-curve number (CN) and a time of concentration (TOC) of 9.9 minutes. POA #2 drains to the existing 48" concrete headwall through an existing yard inlet located along Beauregard Street. The yard inlet captures flow generated from the western portion of the site and drains it through an existing 18" RCP that flows south to north under Beauregard Street. Sheet C-401 through C-404 provides hydrology information for the existing site.

2.4 Pollutant Loads

Using the Virginia Runoff Reduction Method (VRRM) new development spreadsheet the estimated uncontrolled pollutant load generated from the existing Site is 1.58 lbs. of phosphorus

2.5 BMPs

No existing water quantity or water quality BMPs are located within the Site to attenuate peak flows and treat stormwater runoff generated from the existing Site. Storm runoff is collected onsite and discharge through RCP to the adjacent unnamed tributary to Lucky Run.

2.6 Soils

The NRCS web soil survey shows two (2) soils on the Site: Sassafras-Marumsco complex, 7 to 15 percent slopes (91C) and the Urban land-Kingstowne complex (100).

The Sassafras portion of the Sassafras-Marumsco complex (91C) generally consists of slopes that are 7 to 15 percent. This component is on terraces, coastal plains. The parent material consists of fluviomarine deposits. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is well drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately high. Available water to a depth of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is moderate. Shrink-swell potential is low. This soil is not flooded. It is not ponded. There is no zone of water saturation within a depth of 72 inches. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 2 percent. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 3e. This soil does not meet hydric criteria.

The Marumsco portion of the Sassafras-Marumsco complex (91C) generally consists of slopes that are 7 to 15 percent. This component is on terraces on coastal plains. The parent material consists of fluviomarine deposits. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is moderately well drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately low. Available water to a depth of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is moderate. Shrink-swell potential is high. This soil is not flooded. It is not ponded. A seasonal zone of water saturation is at 15 inches during January, February, March, November, December. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 2 percent. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 3w. This soil does not meet hydric criteria.

The Urban Land portion of the Kingstowne complex (100) generally consists of miscellaneous soils. The Kingstowne portion of the Kingstowne complex (100). Generally consists of slopes that are 0 to 45 percent. This component is on marine terraces on coastal plains. The parent material consists of Earthy fill of fluviomarine deposits. Depth to a root restrictive layer is greater than 60 inches. The natural drainage class is well drained. Water movement in the most restrictive layer is moderately low. Available water to a depth

of 60 inches (or restricted depth) is moderate. Shrink-swell potential is moderate. This soil is not flooded. It is not ponded. A seasonal zone of water saturation is at 40 inches during January, February, March, April, May, November, December. Organic matter content in the surface horizon is about 1 percent. Nonirrigated land capability classification is 2e. This soil does not meet hydric criteria.

A soils report completed by ECS Mid Atlantic, LLC. On December 7, 2018 indicates the presences of marine clays underlying, manmade fill and naturally occurring alluvial soils and consisted of gravel, sand, silt and clay. The soil report indicated that there are slope stability issues on site. Mitigation measures were provided by the geotechnical engineer and will be incorporated into the proposed redevelopment plans. Per the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) VEGIS web maps, accessed on August 13, 2018, no on-site contamination is known.

2.7 Geology

According to the Geologic Atlas of the City of Alexandria, Virginia the underlying geology within the site is Lincolnia Silty Clay. Lincolnia Silty Clay can generally be described as massive to slabby-bedded silty clay and clayey silt, moderately sandy in many places. Color typically light green-gray or bluegray where fresh and red-brown where weathered; commonly mottled near the water table. Clay fraction dominated by expandable lattice types. Small to medium sized lenses and channel-like bodies of fine to medium arkosic sand are common near contacts with the Winkler and Cameron Valley sand members. Thickness typically 50-60 feet, but may exceed 100 feet beneath parts of Lincolnia. Fine, wavy laminations and sandy partings occasionally present in slabby-bedded units. Probably deposited as overbank sediment on a broad, stable floodplain. The Lincolnia silty clay appears to be in a large scale lateral facies relationship with the upper part of the Cameron Valley sand (Kpcv, below). The Barcroft diamicton (Kpb) occurs discontinuously at or near the base of the Lincolnia silty clay. It contains pebbles, cobbles, and boulders up to 18 inches long embedded in a dense, massive to crudely layered, red-brown to green-gray clayey to loamy matrix with incipient soil horizonation and organic layers. Clasts include vein quartz, sandstone, and skolithos-bearing quartzites; some are faceted, pitted, and resemble ventifacts. Maximum observed thickness is about 18 feet

2.8 Vegetation

Kimley Horn performed a tree survey to identify trees 6" and greater in diameter at breast height (DBH) and located a total of 183 trees on the Site including 42 trees located in the RPA. 141 trees are not located in the RPA. Kimley Horn also identified 28 shrubs. None of those shrubs are located in the RPA. The existing trees and shrubs consist of native hardwood typically found in the mid-Atlantic region and include Pine, Oak, Maple, Cherry, Redbud, and Birch. Approximately 19 of the 183 trees were dead and or dying including one (1) tree dead or dying tree in the RPA. Five (5) trees were 30" or more DBH. Approximately 135 trees are 18" DBH or lower and approximately 70% of the species found were oak. Most of the existing vegetation is located in the Site's northwestern corner and western boundary. The existing vegetation contributes approximately 0.47 acres of forested canopy in the RPA. The existing vegetation is shown on sheet WQ-100 and summarized on WQ-110 and species are summarized in Table 2 below.

Table 2 Existing Vegetation Species		
Species	Quantity	Percentage
Maple	22	12.02%
Birch	1	0.55%
Redbud	2	1.09%
Hawthorn	2	1.09%
Crape Myrtle	7	3.83%
Pine	15	8.20%
Cherry	3	1.64%
Oak	129	70.49%
Locust	2	1.09%
Total	183	100.00%

Approximately 118 of the 183 existing trees and 19 of the existing 28 shrubs will be removed including seven (7) trees in the RPA. No existing shrubs in the RPA will be removed as part of the proposed development. The total caliper for the trees removed in the RPA is 69" (see Table 6 for each tree's caliper) and the total canopy area removed in the RPA is 2,650 square feet (0.06 acres). Approximately 84 trees are 18" DBH or lower and approximately 66% of the species proposed to be removed are oak. The trees and shrubs proposed to be removed are shown on sheet WQ-100 and summarized on sheet WQ-11 species are summarized in Table 3 below.

Table 3 Existing Vegetation Species Removed				
Species	Quantity	Percentage	Located in RPA	% in RPA
Maple	12	10.17%		
Birch	1	0.85%		
Redbud	2	1.69%		
Hawthorn	2	1.69%	2	29%
Crape Myrtle	4	3.39%	3	43%
Pine	15	12.71%	1	14%
Cherry	2	1.69%		
Oak	78	66.10%	1	14%
Locust	2	1.69%		
Total	118	100.00%	7	100.00%

Given the existing site and the existing vegetation on the proposed redevelopment will preserve to the greatest extent possible any significant trees and vegetation on the Site and will provide maximum erosion and overland flow benefits from vegetation.

2.9 Sanitary Sewer

An existing 10" gravity sanitary sewer main flows southeast to northwest parallel to Braddock Road and provides service to the existing 4.19-acre Site. The existing sanitary sewer peak flow is 0.38 MGD and the total average daily flow is 0.095 MGD. No septic tanks or drain fields are located on the Site. The existing sanitary sewer is shown on sheet C-100.

3.0 Proposed Redevelopment

The proposed redevelopment consists of the construction of high-density multifamily apartments, parking, sidewalks, roads, retaining walls, and stormwater BMPs. Approximately 3.87 acres of the 4.19-acre (92%) Site will be disturbed during the construction including 0.36 acres in the RPA (9% of total land disturbance). Disturbance on site and in RPA primarily consists of earthwork, redevelopment and tree removal. As shown in Table 4, a total of 0.12 impervious acres will be located in the RPA after redevelopment has been completed. To address water quality during this land disturbance, erosion and sediment control devices will be installed to prevent sediment from escaping onto any impervious surfaces or into the storm drains. The post construction BMPs have been designed to treat stormwater runoff before being discharged to an adequate outfall. Below is more information regarding the anticipated proposed conditions for the site.

3.1 Land Cover

The proposed Site consists of approximately 4.19 acres of high-density apartments with 2.23 acres consisting of impervious area (building, road, sidewalk), 1.06 acres consisting of pervious area (grass) and 0.90 acres consisting of forested area. Table 4 provides a summary of the proposed land cover.

Table 4 Proposed Land Cover		
Proposed Land Cover		Proposed Land Cover in RPA
Land Cover	Area (Acres)	Area (Acres)
Impervious	2.23	0.12
Pervious	1.06	0.08
Forest	0.9	0.50
Total	4.19	0.70

3.2 Topography

The proposed topography within the 4.19-acre Site will continue to vary from 1% slope to the 50%+ slope. The proposed development is about 2.5 acres and will not exceed 5% slope. The new building will extend into the 15%+ slope located on the western side of the Site. Constructing these buildings on the western side of the site will require excavation of the slope and installation 10' – 20' retaining walls along the western property boundaries. The topography in the north western portion of the Site will be preserved to the maximum extent practical to preserve the 15%+ slopes. Slopes 10% to 15%+ will be graded around the buildings where needed to adequately tie in grades. Sheet C-300 shows the proposed grading on the Site.

3.3 Hydrology

The proposed Site will be divided into five (5) drainage areas (DA). DA-A drains 0.17 acres has a CN of 98 and a TOC of 5 minutes. It will tie into the existing Yard Inlet and underlying 18" RCP located at the northern portion of the Site at along Beauregard Street that eventually drains to POA#2 discussed in the existing hydrology section. DA-B drains 0.29 acres, has a CN of 98 and a TOC of 5 minutes. DA-C drains 0.40 acres has a CN of 98 and a TOC of 5 minutes. DA-D drains 1.59 acres has a CN of 98 and a TOC of 5 minutes. DA-E drains 0.53 acres has a CN of 98 and a TOC of 5 minutes. DA-A, DA-C through DA-E is collected via yard inlets, drop inlets and underdrains and ties into the proposed 15" RCP south of the Site and drains to the existing 15" RCP across Braddock Road and eventually POA #1 discussed in the existing hydrology section. The proposed development and storm drain design will not impact Waters of the United States (WOUS), will not result in significant degradation of water quality that could adversely affect aquatic vegetation or life, and the propose development will not result in significant disruption of hydrology on the site. Attachment C-401 shows hydrology information for the proposed site.

3.4 Pollutant Loads

Using the Virginia Runoff Reduction Method (VRRM) redevelopment spreadsheet the estimated treatment provided through the implementation of the BMPs on the Site is 2.81 lbs of phosphorus. This exceeds the required treatment loads by 0.06 pounds of phosphorus. Sheet C-406 shows the provided BMP credit.

3.5 Proposed BMPs

All BMPs proposed for this Site will be designed in accordance with the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) BMP Clearinghouse standards and specifications. BMPs have been designed to effectively treat water generated from the 4.19-acre Site and tie into the proposed storm sewer infrastructure and eventually tie into the existing storm sewer infrastructure and analyzed to POA #1 and POA #2. The proposed BMP design will not impact WOUS, will not result in significant degradation of water quality that could adversely affect aquatic vegetation or life, and the proposed development will not result in significant disruption of hydrology on the site.

A conceptual level stormwater management design has been provided with this document. As shown on the Virginia Runoff Reduction Methodology (VRRM) spreadsheet on sheets C-405 and C-406, a total of 0.84 acres of pervious area and 2.14 acres of impervious area is being treated, providing a total phosphorus reduction of 2.81 lbs. Table 5, shown below, summarizes the current SWM BMP plan for each drainage area.

Drainage Area A is providing treatment of 0.17 acres of impervious area through SWM #1 - Vegetated roof, and receiving 0.17 lbs of phosphorus credit. Drainage Area B is providing treatment of 0.29 acres of impervious area through SWM #2 - permeable pavement and receiving 0.37 lbs of phosphorus credit. Drainage Area C is providing treatment of 0.40 acres of impervious area through SWM #3 - Urban bioretention and receiving 0.48 lbs of phosphorus credit. Drainage Area D consists of multiple treatment trains as detailed out on Sheet C-405 and calculated on Sheet C-406. In summary, Drainage Area D is providing treatment of 0.75 acres of impervious area and 0.84 acres of pervious area through SWM #4 - Vegetated roof, SWM #5 - Urban bioretention, SWM #6 – Sand Filter and SWM #7 – Sand Filter and receiving 1.63 lbs of phosphorus credit. Drainage Area E is providing treatment of 0.53 acres of impervious area through SWM #8 - manufactured treatment device (hydrodynamic separator), and receiving 0.17 lbs of phosphorus credit. The total pervious and impervious area treated through these BMPs is 0.84 acres and 2.14 acres respectively. The total pounds of phosphorus removed is 2.81. Stormwater management BMP locations are shown on sheet C-405 and SWM calculations are shown on Sheet C-406.

Table 5 BMP/SWM Summary					
Drainage Area	SWM #	BMP Type	Pervious Area (AC)	Impervious Area (AC)	Phosphorus Credit (lbs)
A	1	Vegetated Roof	0	0.17	0.17
B	2	Permeable Pavement	0	0.29	0.37
C	3	Urban Bioretention	0	0.4	0.48
D	4	Vegetated Roof	0	0.18	0.18
	5	Urban Bioretention	0	0.53	0.75
	6 & 7	Filtering Practice #1 (Sand Filter)	0.84	0.04	0.71
E	8	MTD - Hydrodynamic	0	0.53	0.17
Total			0.84	2.14	2.81

3.6 Soils

The soils in the western portion of the site may be impacted through earthwork activities. The remaining soils onsite have already been impacted through the existing development. No further impacts to soils within the existing developed area are expected. A surplus of fill material should be available from the cut operations on the western portion of the Site. As a result, any necessary fill material for the remaining portions of the Site will be sourced from those cut operations. Should additional fill material be needed, the contractor will provide a source of all fill material and biological, chemical, and suitability testing should be conducted prior to construction. Cut and fill shall be minimized to maximum extent practical based on the existing site constraints and proposed redevelopment.

3.7 Vegetation

The proposed vegetation for the Site has been developed in accordance with the Riparian Buffers Modification & Mitigation Guidance Manual. The proposed vegetation in the RPA is based upon the tree caliper removed. According to Appendix D-5 a 1.5" – 2" tree is required for every 4" of tree DBH removed in the RPA. A total of 7 trees within the RPA will be removed. The total caliper for these trees is 69" According to Vegetation Replacement Rates on page D-5 the total number of 1.5" - 2" caliper trees to replace the trees removed in the RPA is 19. Table 6 provides a summarizes the proposed vegetation calculations.

Table 6				
RPA Tree Removal & Tree Replacement				
Tree No.	Species	In RPA	DBH (Inch)	Trees Required Per 4" Caliper Removed
155	Oak	Yes	9	3
161	Pine	Yes	19	5
162	Crape Myrtle	Yes	7	2
169	Hawthorn	Yes	7	2
170	Crape Myrtle	Yes	12	3
171	Hawthorn	Yes	8	2
172	Crape Myrtle	Yes	7	2
Total				19

The proposed plant schedule shown in Table 7 below provides canopy trees in accordance with the recommendations of the Riparian Buffers Modification & Mitigation Guidance Manual as required to mitigate for the trees removed in the RPA. The replanting schedule is also provided on sheet WQ-200.

Table 7				
Planting Schedule				
Vegetation Type	Quantity	Size	Species	
Canopy Trees	19	1.5" - 2" Caliper	Acer rubrum	Red Maple
			Quercus bicolor	Swamp White Oak
			Quercus lyrata	Overcup Oak

In addition to the proposed canopy trees, understory trees and small shrubs, the Virginia Northern Piedmont Riparian Mix is proposed within the disturbed areas of the RPA (0.46 acres including 0.10 acres for slip lanes) to assist in providing native seeding for all the disturbed areas. Approximately 508 bare root seedlings or whips will be planted in accordance with page D-7 of the Riparian Buffers Modification & Mitigation Manual for the proposed 0.42-acre reforestation area. The remaining portions of the Site to be landscaped will be planted in accordance with the City of Alexandria 2019 Landscape Guidelines and will highlight native vegetation that will supplement the RPA buffer in a manner that provides for pollutant removal, erosion, and runoff control. The development will not result in unnecessary destruction of plant material on Site. The proposed vegetation will provide maximum erosion and overland flow benefits possible.

3.8 Sanitary Sewer

The existing 10" sanitary sewer gravity main will remain in place. The proposed structures on the Site will tie into the existing sanitary sewer on the Site approximately one hundred feet (100') south of the southwest corner of the intersection of Beauregard Street and Braddock Road. According to a preliminary sanitary

sewer adequate outfall analysis, the receiving sanitary sewer system has capacity for the proposed Newport Village redevelopment. The sanitary sewer connection is shown on Sheet C-500.

3.9 Erosion and Sediment Control

Approximately 3.87 acres of the 4.19-acre Site (92%) is proposed to be disturbed as part of this project. Erosion and sediment (E&S) controls will be designed in accordance with the minimum standards and specifications found in the Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook (VESCH) and the City of Alexandria Erosion and Sediment Control Ordinance. The intent of the Erosion and Sediment control plan is to minimize the extent of the cleared area, install perimeter controls, reduce runoff velocities, and install measures to stabilize disturbed areas. Perimeter controls may include construction entrance and wash rack, sediment traps and basins, diversion dikes, inlet protection, silt fence, and super silt fence. These devices will be installed after the preconstruction meeting and prior to any major earthwork activities. Other erosion and sediment control devices may be installed within the Site to achieve the required reductions in runoff and prevent off-site transport of sediment during and after construction. The limits of clearing based on all anticipated improvements, including buildings, drives and utilities is shown on sheet C-300.

3.10 Anticipated Permits

- City of Alexandria Building & Site Permits
- VSMP Permit

3.11 Anticipated Construction Schedule

Final construction schedule and phasing to be determined pending final permit approval. Estimated total construction duration of 30 months, including:

- Abatement and Demolition: 2 months
- Utilities: 4 months total (not continuous)
- Retaining Walls/Soil Stability/SOE/Excavation: 6 months
- Vertical Construction: 12 months
- Finishes thru Turnover: 12 months

4.0 Discussion

4.1 RPA Encroachment

The proposed RPA disturbance will be approximately 0.36 acres and will consist of earthwork, the construction of the proposed building, sidewalks, necessary utility and storm tie ins, tree removal and tree planting, and turf installation. The proposed RPA disturbance will be in an untreated pervious area that is unusable, previously encroached and disturbed. The post construction encroachment will be 0.12 acres of impervious area (building and sidewalks) and 0.06 acres of pervious (grass). The building will be constructed of material consistent with traditional high-density apartment buildings including brick, concrete block, steel, wood and various energy efficient materials. The sidewalk will be constructed of permeable pavement. The entire encroached area will be treated through stormwater management BMPs and pedestrian circulation will be improved. The pervious area will be stabilized with non-invasive grasses native to the mid-Atlantic region. The existing forested area within the RPA will be preserved and supplemented with an additional 0.03 acres of tree planting. Trees planted within the RPA will consist of locally native, non-invasive trees and will be planted to mimic the existing condition within the RPA.

The land cover area change within the RPA is +0.11 acres for impervious area, -0.14 acres for pervious area and +0.03 acres for forested area. The land cover percent change for the proposed development within the RPA and for the entire site is summarized in Table 8.

Table 8 Land Cover Change								
Land Cover Analysis					RPA Land Cover Analysis			
Cover Type	Ex.	Prop.	Area Change	% Change	Ex.	Prop.	Area Change	% Change
Impervious	0.99	2.23	1.24	125%	0.01	0.12	0.11	1100%
Pervious	1.73	1.06	-0.67	-39%	0.22	0.08	-0.14	-64%
Forested	1.47	0.9	-0.57	-39%	0.47	0.5	0.03	6%

The proposed encroachment and post construction land cover is shown on sheet C-300.

4.2 Water Quality

The stormwater runoff generated on the existing Site flows uncontrolled and conveys an estimated 1.58 pounds of phosphorus into the adjacent unnamed tributary of Lucky Run. Beauregard Street, which is located directly adjacent to the unnamed tributary of Lucky Run, in the RPA, currently flows uncontrolled into the stream conveying an unquantifiable pollutant load into the stream.

The proposed redevelopment will generate an estimated 2.75 pounds of phosphorus. Seven (7) BMPs have been implemented into the proposed redevelopment and will provide 2.81 pounds of phosphorus load reduction, exceeding the requirement minimum load reduction by 0.06 pounds. See the Table 4 above for a summary of the BMPs implemented on the Site. All impervious areas onsite will be routed through a water quality BMP for quality control and peak flow attenuation before being discharged downstream. The load generated from the Site will be completely mitigated before leaving the site.

The RPA will also be replanted with native, non-invasive trees and grasses that will also provide an unquantifiable runoff reduction through evapotranspiration, and filtering for all stormwater runoff generated in this area.

No direct impacts to wetlands or waters of the U.S. are proposed as part of this project. As a result, no mitigation for WOUS should be required. Onsite stormwater will be collected into BMPs through storm drainage conveyances. The stormwater BMPs will attenuate the 10-year peak flow and discharge predevelopment flow into the adjacent wetlands, streams, lakes rivers or other water bodies after it has been treated in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Predevelopment flow will provide adequate supply of water to the downstream wetlands, streams, lakes, rivers or other water bodies. As a result, no disruption or reductions in the supply of water to wetlands, streams, lakes, rivers or other water bodies is expected as part of this project. No dredging or disposal of dredging materials is proposed as part of this project within the project limits or outside of the project limits. No drain fields are located on the existing Site. No direct impacts to wetlands or waters of the U.S. are proposed as part of this project. Quantity and quality BMPs have been implemented onsite to treat stormwater discharging to the adjacent stream. As a result, no impacts on adjacent shellfish beds, submerged aquatic vegetation and fish spawning areas are expected as part of this project. The proposed development is not water-dependent.

The development will not result in unnecessary destruction of plant material. It is assumed that plant material within the limits of disturbance will be removed.

4.3 Additional Water Quality Measures

As documented above, the proposed redevelopment meets the minimum requirements for water quality. As additional mitigation to offset the proposed encroachment into the RPA, the Owner will construct or contribute resources to construct additional water quality measures to demonstrate their commitment to enhance water quality in the City of Alexandria. Those measures include:

- Reforestation (on/off site)
- Streambank Stabilization/Restoration (off site)
- Removal of Slip Lanes (Land Use Change – off site)
- Pet Waste Pilot Program

Preliminary POC reduction credit calculations indicate that implementing these measures will provide significant water quality credit that can be applied to the City's TMDL. The Pet Waste Pilot Program can be used to help achieve Minimum Control Measure #1 of the City's TMDL Program Plan. The final program and design is pending City approval.

5.0 Conclusion

The redevelopment to the Newport Village Phase II community will provide a high density, multi family apartments that will be walkable, provide a boost to the local economy through taxes and residents spending locally, and will be environmentally friendly through BMP implementation, POC load reduction, invasive species management, and the implementation of native, non-invasive vegetation throughout the Site, including reforestation of the RPA. The entire RPA where the encroachment is proposed has been disturbed through the development of the existing Site and the construction of Beauregard Street and its sidewalks. The proposed encroachment plans to utilize the previously disturbed area on Site and within the RPA to better the on-Site conditions with a new structure, site stabilization, implementation of water quality BMPs, POC load reduction, and the implementation of native, non-invasive vegetation. These improvements will improve water quality on a site where no previous water quality BMPs were implemented. Furthermore, no WOUS are on the Site, so no impacts to WOUS, SAV, fish, shellfish or any other aquatic species are expected.

The proposed redevelopment has demonstrated that it can fully meet the minimum VSMP requirements. The Owner has committed to going above and beyond to effectively provide additional water quality measures to benefit the City's Chesapeake Bay TMDL POC reduction credits.

This WQIA is based on preliminary information from the Concept Phase 2 Plan Set. This signature and seal certifies that the information contained herein is accurate only to the degree that the conceptual set of plans is accurate at this stage in design and is not based on construction level or final documents.

Signed: John L. Kauppila, P.E.

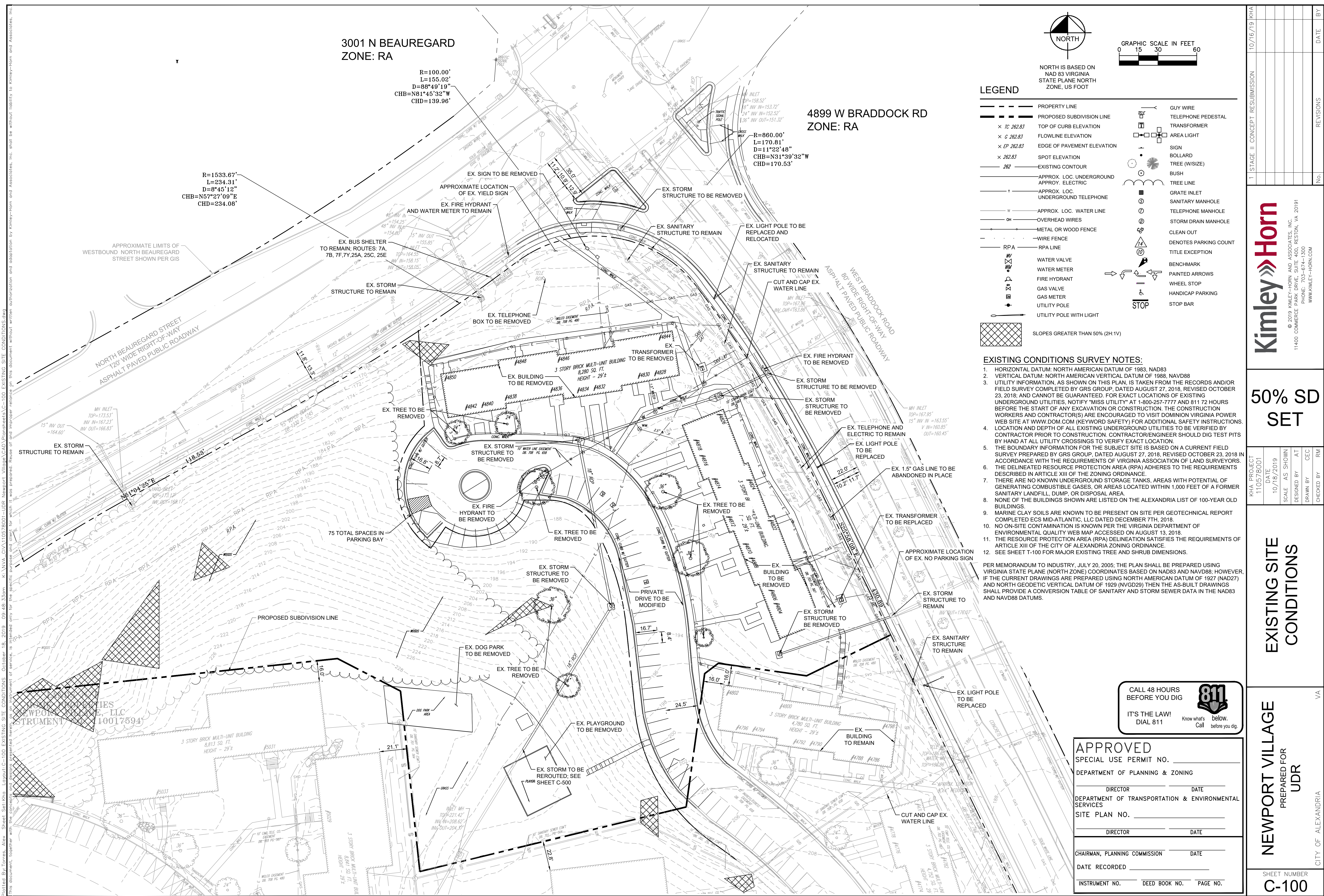
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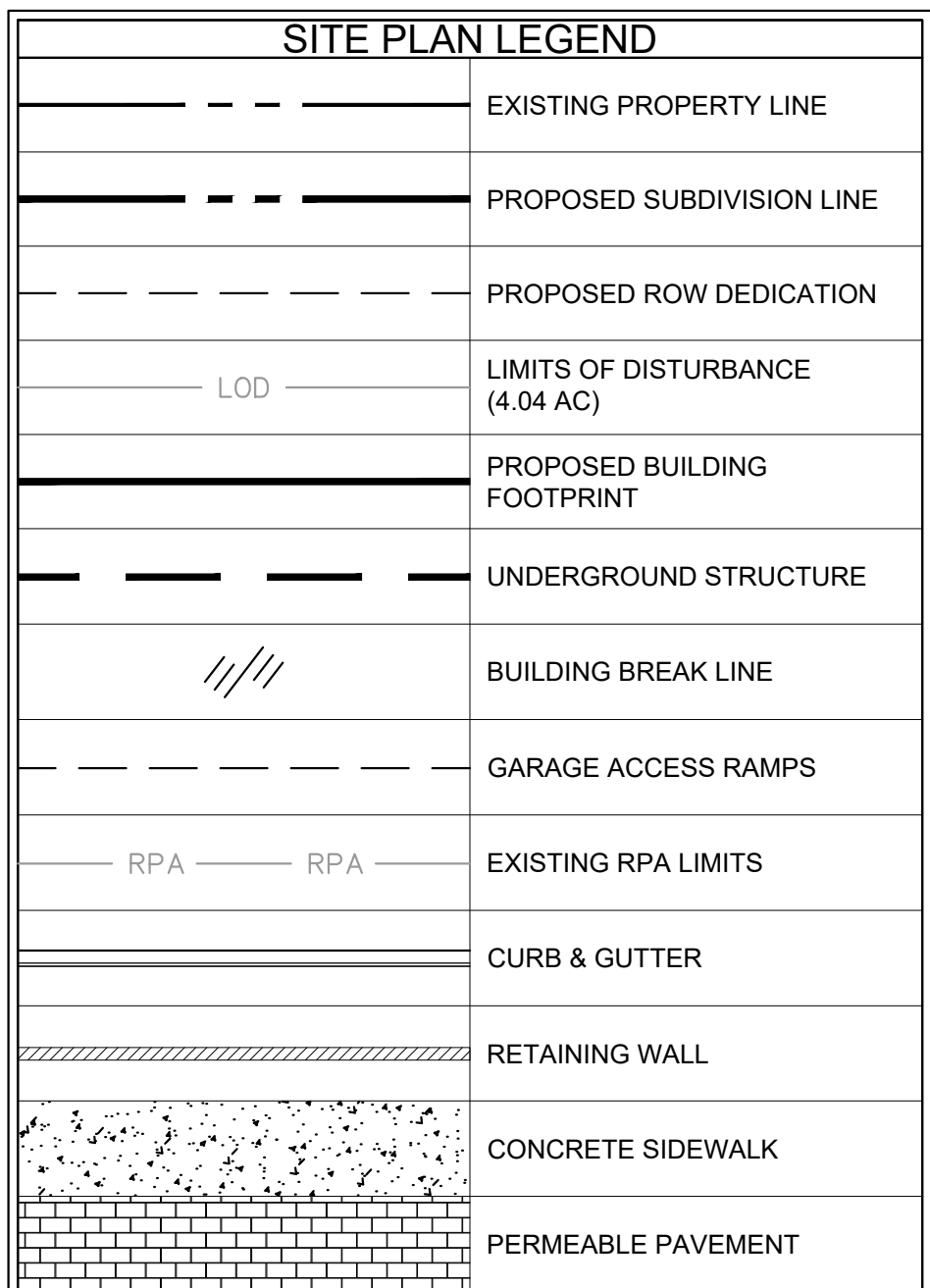


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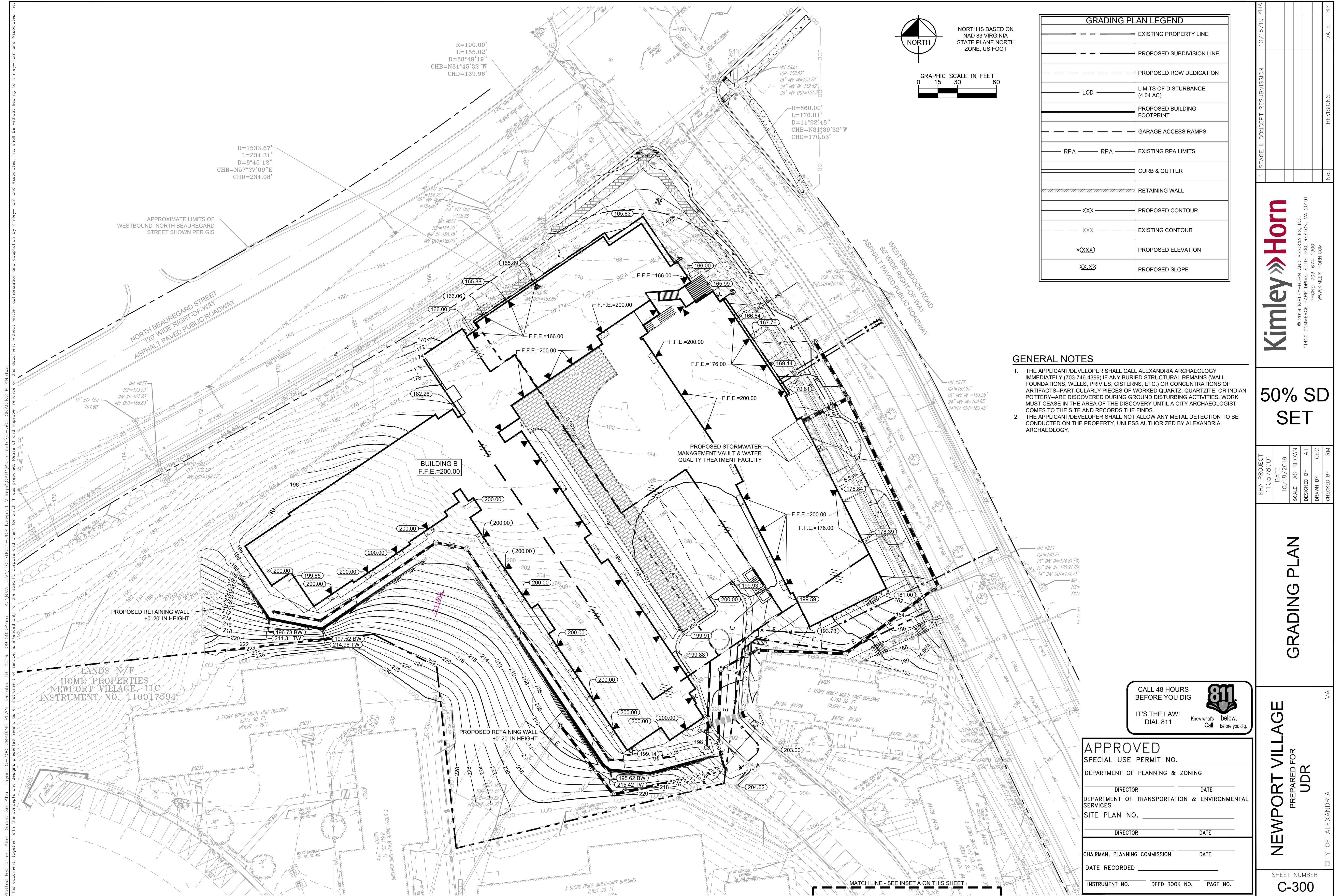
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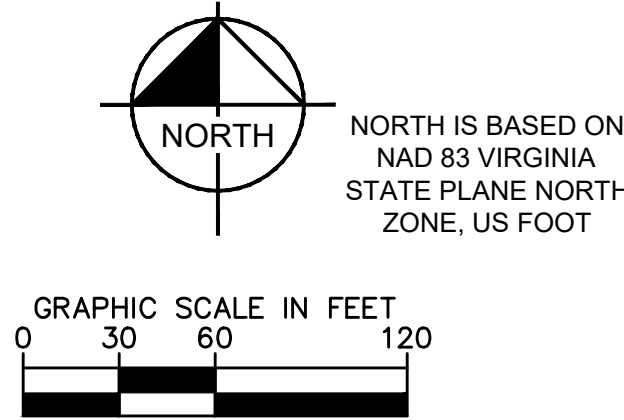
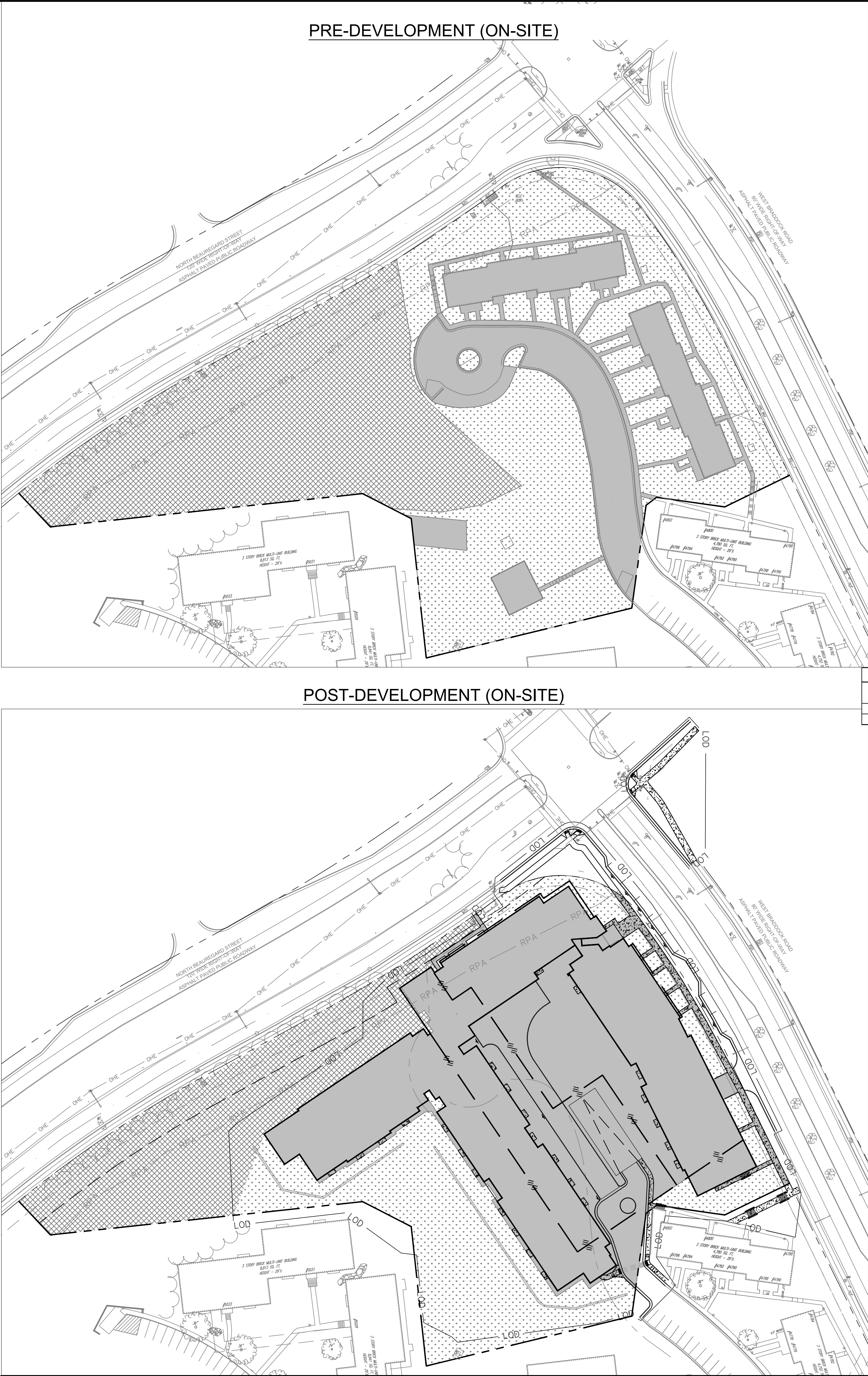
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- LOD
- LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE
- PROPOSED BUILDING FOOTPRINT
- RPA
- EXISTING RPA LIMITS
- IMPERVIOUS AREA (ON-SITE)
- GRASS AREA (ON-SITE)
- FOREST AREA (ON-SITE)

LAND COVER SUMMARY (ON-SITE)

	FOREST AREA		PERVIOUS AREA		IMPERVIOUS AREA		TOTAL SITE AREA	
	SF	AC	SF	AC	SF	AC	AC	AC
PRE-DEVELOPMENT	63,962	1.47	75,180	1.73	43,284	0.99		4.19
POST-DEVELOPMENT	39,000	0.90	46,220	1.06	97,356	2.23		4.19

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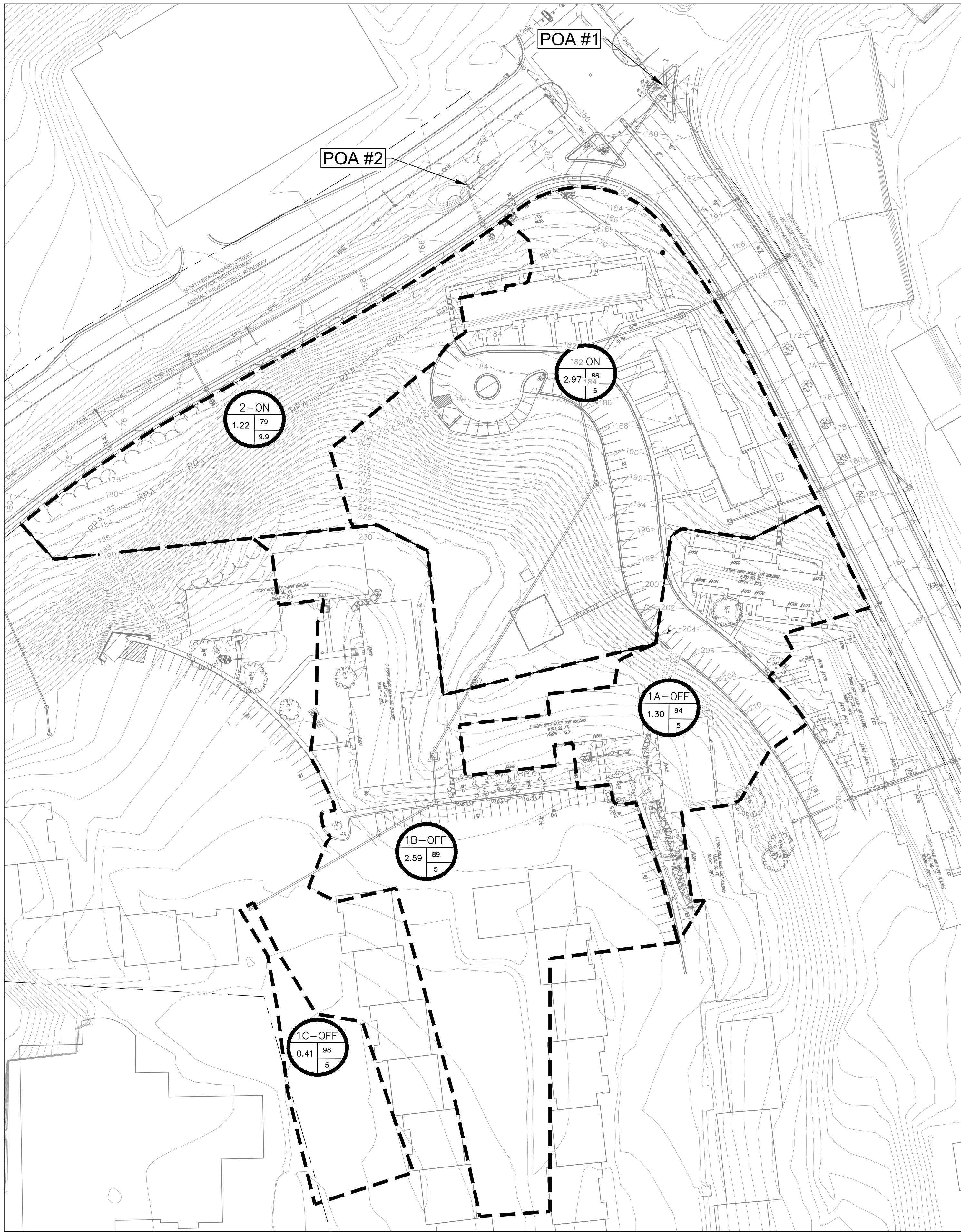
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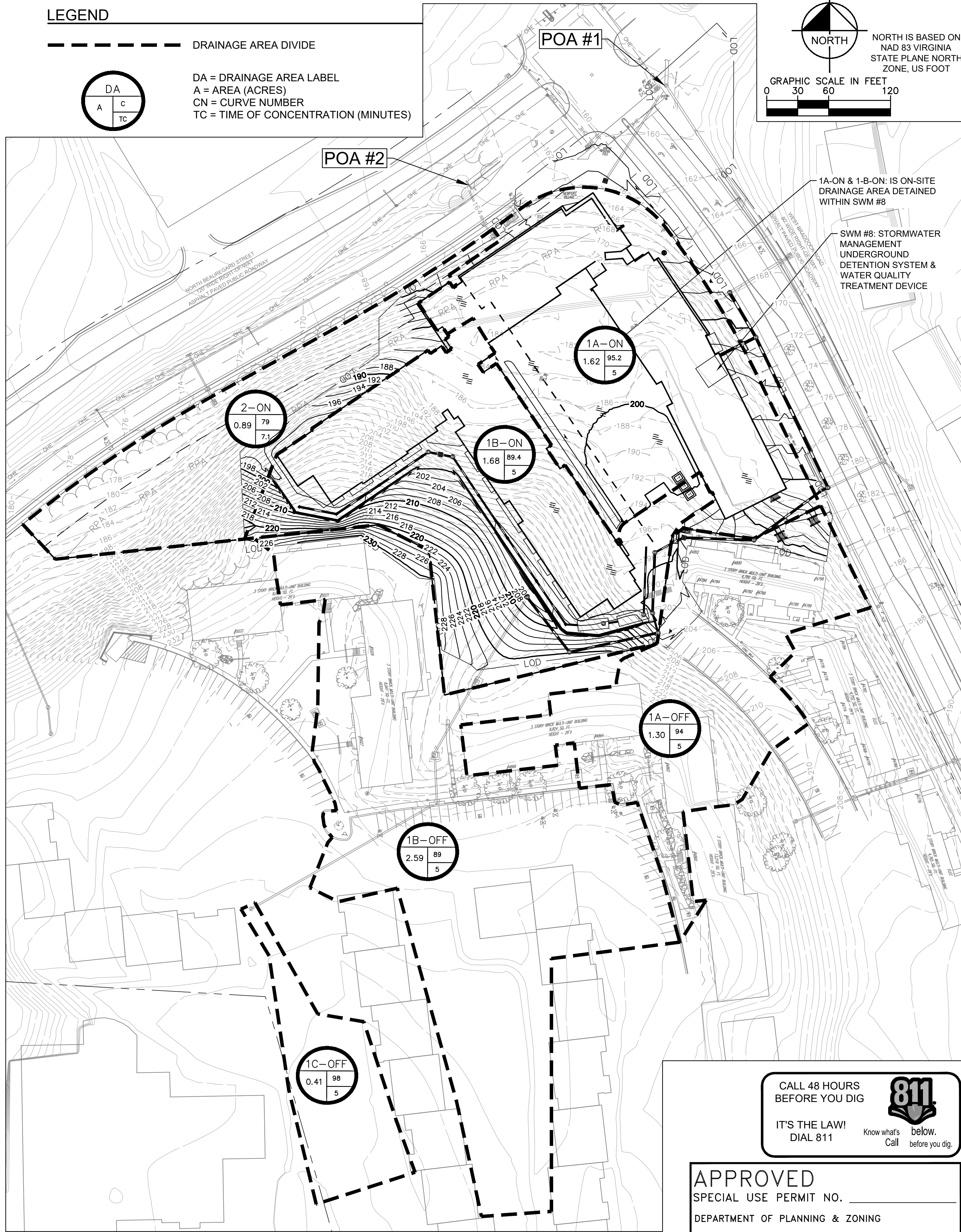
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PRE-DEVELOPMENT DRAINAGE AREA MAP



POST-DEVELOPMENT DRAINAGE AREA MAP

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1-YEAR PEAK FLOW SUMMARY

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1	SCS Runoff	6.974	2	716	14,096	----	----	----	PRE-1-ON
2	SCS Runoff	1.725	2	722	4,549	----	----	----	PRE-2-ON
3	Combine	8.469	2	718	18,646	1, 2	----	----	PRE-SITE
4	SCS Runoff	6.007	1	717	13,201	----	----	----	POST-1A-ON
5	SCS Runoff	5.065	1	717	10,455	----	----	----	POST-1B-ON
6	SCS Runoff	1.450	1	719	3,068	----	----	----	POST-2-ON (UNDETAINED)
7	SCS Runoff	220.95	2	722	623,126	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION A
8	SCS Runoff	274.22	2	722	776,955	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION B
9	SCS Runoff	270.39	2	724	851,430	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION C
10	SCS Runoff	220.95	2	722	623,126	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION A
11	SCS Runoff	274.22	2	722	776,955	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION B
12	SCS Runoff	270.39	2	724	851,430	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION C
13	Combine	11.07	1	717	23,657	4, 5,	----	----	POST-1 (DETAINED)
14	Reservoir	3.166	1	725	23,652	13	174.70	7,520	SWM #8
15	Combine	4.335	1	720	26,720	6, 14	----	----	POST-SITE
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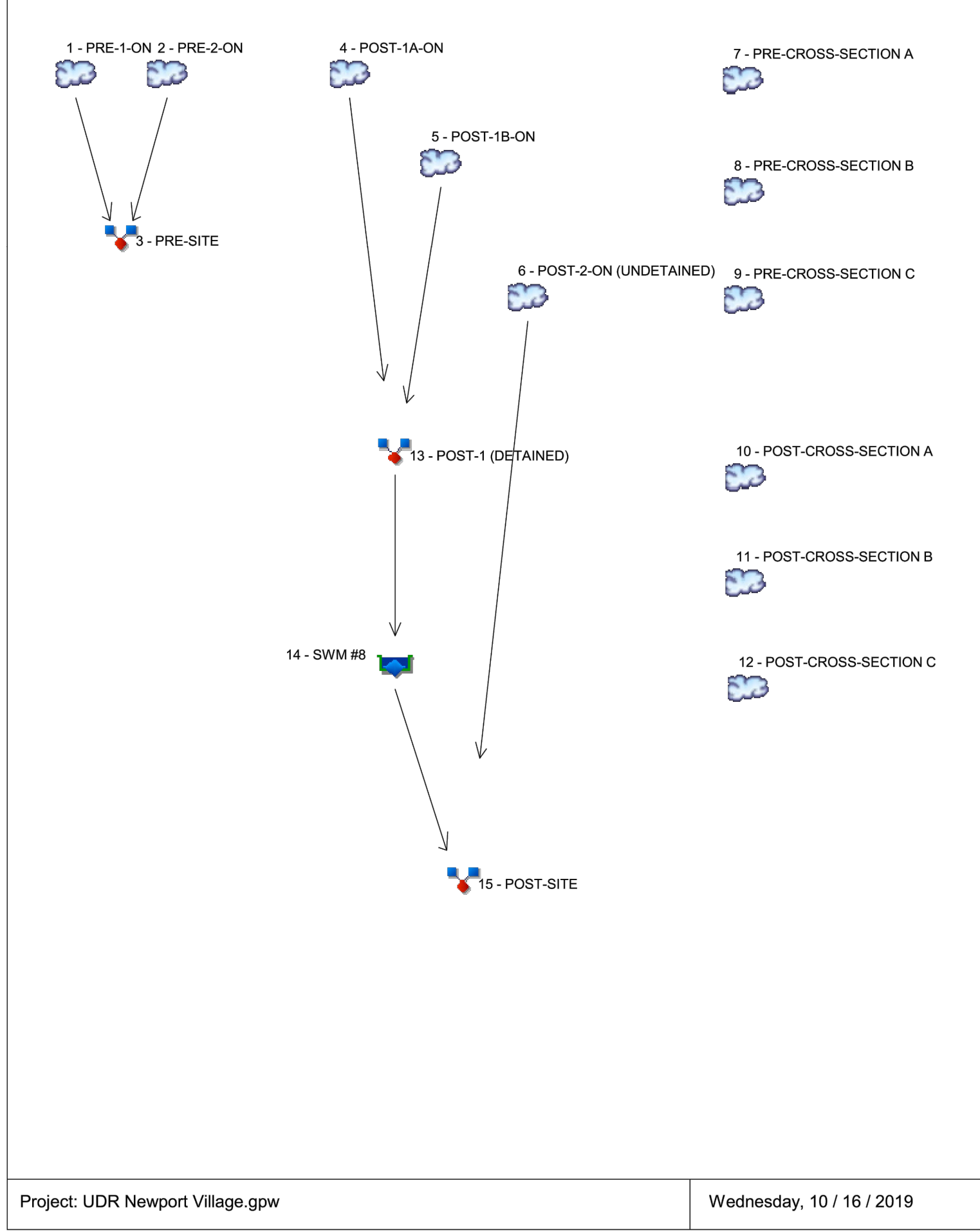
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2	SCS Runoff	2.378	2	722	6,223	----	----	----	PRE-2-ON
3	Combine	11.09	2	718	24,612	1, 2	----	----	PRE-SITE
4	SCS Runoff	7.257	1	717	16,165	----	----	----	POST-1A-ON
5	SCS Runoff	6.380	1	717	13,308	----	----	----	POST-1B-ON
6	SCS Runoff	1.997	1	719	4,211	----	----	----	POST-2-ON (UNDETAINED)
7	SCS Runoff	278.12	2	722	789,933	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION A
8	SCS Runoff	342.43	2	722	978,368	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION B
9	SCS Runoff	338.06	2	724	1,072,150	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION C
10	SCS Runoff	278.12	2	722	789,933	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION A
11	SCS Runoff	342.43	2	722	978,368	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION B
12	SCS Runoff	338.06	2	724	1,072,150	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION C
13	Combine	13.64	1	717	29,472	4, 5,	----	----	POST-1 (DETAINED)
14	Reservoir	8.194	1	722	29,467	13	175.32	8,505	SWM #8
15	Combine	9.747	1	722	33,678	6, 14	----	----	POST-SITE
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Watershed Model Schematic

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10-YEAR PEAK FLOW SUMMARY

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Hyd. No.	Hydrograph type (origin)	Peak flow (cfs)	Time interval (min)	Time to Peak (min)	Hyd. volume (cuft)	Inflow hyd(s)	Maximum elevation (ft)	Total strge used (cuft)	Hydrograph Description
1	SCS Runoff	17.59	2	716	36,728	----	----	----	PRE-1-ON
2	SCS Runoff	5.298	2	720	13,755	----	----	----	PRE-2-ON
3	Combine	22.01	2	718	50,483	1, 2	----	----	PRE-SITE
4	SCS Runoff	12.20	1	717	28,141	----	----	----	POST-1A-ON
5	SCS Runoff	11.65	1	717	25,193	----	----	----	POST-1B-ON
6	SCS Runoff	4.396	1	718	9,370	----	----	----	POST-2-ON (UNDETAINED)
7	SCS Runoff	507.24	2	722	1,482,325	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION A
8	SCS Runoff	614.37	2	722	1,809,404	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION B
9	SCS Runoff	608.13	2	724	1,982,844	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION C
10	SCS Runoff	507.24	2	722	1,482,325	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION A
11	SCS Runoff	614.37	2	722	1,809,404	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION B
12	SCS Runoff	608.13	2	724	1,982,844	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION C
13	Combine	23.84	1	717	53,333	4, 5,	----	----	POST-1 (DETAINED)
14	Reservoir	17.37	1	721	53,328	13	177.51	12,007	SWM #8
15	Combine	21.16	1	720	62,698	6, 14	----	----	POST-SITE
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100-YEAR PEAK FLOW SUMMARY

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Hyd. No.	Hydrograph type (origin)	Peak flow (cfs)	Time interval (min)	Time to Peak (min)	Hyd. volume (cuft)	Inflow hyd(s)	Maximum elevation (ft)	Total strge used (cuft)	Hydrograph Description
1	SCS Runoff	30.40	2	716	65,713	----	----	----	PRE-1-ON
2	SCS Runoff	9.920	2	720	26,222	----	----	----	PRE-2-ON
3	Combine	38.61	2	718	91,936	1, 2	----	----	PRE-SITE
4	SCS Runoff	19.52	1	717	46,238	----	----	----	POST-1A-ON
5	SCS Runoff	19.44	1	717	43,588	----	----	----	POST-1B-ON
6	SCS Runoff	8.192	1	718	17,937	----	----	----	POST-2-ON (UNDETAINED)
7	SCS Runoff	846.48	2	722	2,550,726	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION A
8	SCS Runoff	1016.17	2	722	3,085,522	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION B
9	SCS Runoff	1007.40	2	724	3,381,286	----	----	----	PRE-CROSS-SECTION C
10	SCS Runoff	846.48	2	722	2,550,726	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION A
11	SCS Runoff	1016.17	2	722	3,085,522	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION B
12	SCS Runoff	1007.40	2	724	3,381,286	----	----	----	POST-CROSS-SECTION C
13	Combine	38.96	1	717	89,826	4, 5,	----	----	POST-1 (DETAINED)
14	Reservoir	38.54	1	718	89,821	13	177.93	12,684	SWM #8
15	Combine	46.73	1	718	107,758	6, 14	----	----	POST-SITE
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TIME OF CONCENTRATION TABULATION FOR STREAM ANALYSIS

Cross-Section A - Lag Time Calculations																	
Seg. Type	PRE-1 Desc.	Length	Elev Up (ft.)	Elev. Dn (ft.)	Slope (ft./ft.)	P2 (in.)	Cover Type	n value	Ripe Diameter (ft.)	Channel Width (ft.)	Channel S. Slopes H/V	Channel Depth (ft.)	Velocity (fps)	Tc (min)	Area (sq. ft.)	Rh	Q (cfs)
1	Overland Flow (TR-55)	100	255.00	253.00	0.020	3.2	G	0.150						9.80			
2	Shallow Conc. 1	980	253.00	214.00	0.040		U						3.22	5.07			
	Shallow Conc. 2				0.000		P						0.00	0.00			
3	Pipe 1	473	214.00	186	0.059			0.013	3.5				25.50	0.31	9.6	0.9	245
3	Pipe 2	223	186	180	0.027			0.013	4				18.80	0.20	12.6	1.0	236
3	Channel 1	813	180.00	154.00	0.0320			0.045		5	2.5	8	15.32	0.88	200.0	4.2	3063
3	Pipe 3	0	154	148	0.000			0.013	4				0.00	0.00	12.6	1.0	0
	Channel 3	0	148.00	147.75	0.000			0.050		6	1.67	6	0.00	0.00	96.0	3.3	0
	Total Length	2589			0.0367								Total Tc (mins)	16.26			
													Total Travel Time, Tc (hrs)	0.271			
													Lag Time (hrs)	0.163			
													Lag Time (min)	9.758			
													Avg. Velocity (ft/s)	2.7			

Table 1. Overland Flow Manning's n values				Table 2. Typical Pipe and Channel Manning's n values			
Description	Code	n value		Description	n value		
Smooth surfaces: concrete, asphalt, packed soil etc.	C	0.011		Concrete	0.013		
Bare Soil	B	0.060		Corrugated Metal Pipe (CMP)	0.024		
Cultivated soils avg.	S	0.120		Concrete channel	0.018		
Short grass	G	0.150		Grass channel mowed	0.035		
Dense grasses	D	0.240		Grass channel not maintained	0.050		
Light woods/Bermuda Grass	W	0.400		Rip-rap channel	0.040		
Woods Heavy Cover	H	0.800		Channels with significant weeds and flow obs.	0.075		
Unpaved	U	16.1345*(slope)^0.5					
Paved	P	20.3282*(slope)^0.5					

Cross-Section B - Lag Time Calculations																	
Seg. Type	PRE-1 Desc.	Length (ft.)	Elev. Up (ft.)	Elev. Dn (ft.)	Slope (ft./ft.)	P2 (in.)	Cover Type	n value	Ripe Diameter (ft.)	Channel Width (ft.)	Channel S. Slopes H/V	Channel Depth (ft.)	Velocity (fps)	Tc (min)	Area (sq. ft.)	Rh	Q (cfs)
1	Overland Flow (TR-55)	100	255.00	253.00	0.020	3.2	G	0.150						9.80			
2	Shallow Conc. 1	980	253.00	214.00	0.040		U						3.22	5.07			
	Shallow Conc. 2				0.000		P						0.00	0.00			
3	Pipe 1	473	214.00	186	0.059			0.013	3.5				25.50	0.31	9.6	0.9	245
3	Pipe 2	223	186	180	0.027			0.013	4				18.80	0.20	12.6	1.0	236
3	Channel 1	813	180.00	154.00	0.0320			0.045		5	2.5	8	15.32	0.88	200.0	4.2	3063
3	Pipe 3	223	154	148	0.027			0.013	4				18.80	0.20	12.6	1.0	236
	Channel 3	0	148.00	147.75	0.000			0.050		6	1.67	6	0.00	0.00	96.0	3.3	0
	Total Length	2812			0.0359								Total Tc (mins)	16.46			
													Total Travel Time, Tc (hrs)	0.274			
													Lag Time (hrs)	0.165			
													Lag Time (min)	9.877			
													Avg. Velocity (ft/s)	2.8			

Table 1. Overland Flow Manning's n values				Table 2. Typical Pipe and Channel Manning's n values			
Description	Code	n value		Description	n value		
Smooth surfaces: concrete, asphalt, packed soil etc.	C	0.011		Concrete	0.013		
Bare Soil	B	0.060		Corrugated Metal Pipe (CMP)	0.024		
Cultivated soils avg.	S	0.120		Concrete channel	0.018		
Short grass	G	0.150		Grass channel mowed	0.035		
Dense grasses	D	0.240		Grass channel not maintained	0.050		
Light woods/Bermuda Grass	W	0.400		Rip-rap channel	0.040		
Woods Heavy Cover	H	0.800		Channels with significant weeds and flow obs.	0.075		
Unpaved	U	16.1345*(slope)^0.5					
Paved	P	20.3282*(slope)^0.5					

Cross-Section C - Lag Time Calculations																	
Seg. Type	PRE-1 Desc.	Length (ft.)	Elev Up (ft.)	Elev. Dn (ft.)	Slope (ft./ft.)	P2 (in.)	Cover Type	n value	Pipe Diameter (ft.)	Channel Width (ft.)	Channel S. Slopes H/V	Channel Depth (ft.)	Velocity (fps)	Tc (min)	Area (sq. ft.)	Rh	Q (cfs)
1	Overland Flow (TR-55)	100	255.00	253.00	0.020	3.2	G	0.150						9.80			
2	Shallow Conc. 1	980	253.00	214.00	0.040		U						3.22	5.07			
	Shallow Conc. 2				0.000		P						0.00	0.00			
3	Pipe 1	473	214.00	186	0.059			0.013	3.5				25.50	0.31	9.6	0.9	245
3	Pipe 2	223	186	180	0.027			0.013	4				18.80	0.20	12.6	1.0	236
3	Channel 1	813	180.00	154.00	0.0320			0.045		5	2.5	8	15.32	0.88	200.0	4.2	3063
3	Pipe 3	223	154	148	0.027			0.013	4				18.80	0.20	12.6	1.0	236
3	Channel 3	150	148.00	147.75	0.002			0.050		6	1.67	6	2.68	0.93	96.0	3.3	258
	Total Length	2962			0.0342								Total Tc (mins)	17.39			
													Total Travel Time, Tc (hrs)	0.290			
													Lag Time (hrs)	0.174			
													Lag Time (min)	10.436			
													Avg. Velocity (ft/s)	2.8			

Table 1. Overland Flow Manning's n values				Table 2. Typical Pipe and Channel Manning's n values			
Description	Code	n value		Description	n value		
Smooth surfaces: concrete, asphalt, packed soil etc.	C	0.011		Concrete	0.013		
Bare Soil	B	0.060		Corrugated Metal Pipe (CMP)	0.024		
Cultivated soils avg.	S	0.120		Concrete channel	0.018		
Short grass	G	0.150		Grass channel mowed	0.035		
Dense grasses	D	0.240		Grass channel not maintained	0.050		
Light woods/Bermuda Grass	W	0.400		Rip-rap channel	0.040		
Woods Heavy Cover	H	0.800		Channels with significant weeds and flow obs.	0.075		
Unpaved	U	16.1345*(slope)^0.5					
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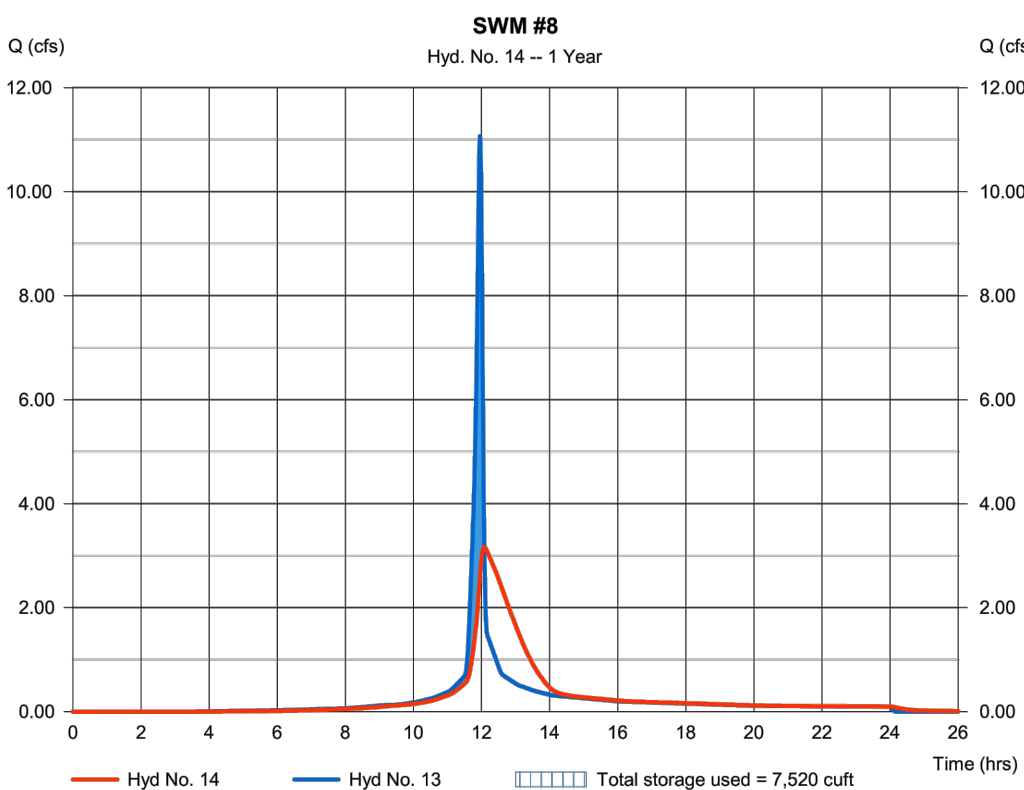
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Drainage Area (ac)	CN	Tc (min)	Solve For	Friction Method	Roughness Coefficient	Channel Slope (ft./ft.)	Water Surface Elevation (ft.)	Elevation Range	Discharge (cfs)	Flow Area (sf)	Wetted Perimeter (ft.)	Hydraulic Radius (ft.)	Top Width (ft.)	Normal Depth (ft.)	Critical Depth (ft.)	Critical Slope (ft./ft.)	Velocity (ft/s)	Velocity Head (ft.)	Specific Energy (ft.)	Frude Number	Flow Type	
Cross Section A - Pre	102.92	90	16.26	Normal Depth	Manning Formula	0.045	0.0357	160.31	154.00 to 164.20 ft	507.24	52.21	26.86	1.94	21.08	6.31	6.5	0.02687	9.72	1.47	7.78	1.09	Supercritical
Cross Section B - Pre	122.41	91	16.46	Normal Depth	Manning Formula	0.045	0.019	152.43	148.00 to 155.20 ft	614.37	67.31	23.7	2.84	20.06	4.43	4.1	0.02491	9.13	1.29	5.72	0.88	Subcritical
Cross Section C - Pre	130.79	91	17.39	Normal Depth	Manning Formula	0.045	0.019	151.86	148.00 to 153.20 ft	608.13	80.69	37.87	2.13	36.72	3.86	3.67	0.02398	7.54	1.88	4.74	0.8	Subcritical
Cross Section A - Post	102.92	90	16.26	Normal Depth	Manning Formula	0.045	0.0357	160.31	154.00 to 164.20 ft	507.24	52.21	26.86	1.94	21.08	6.31	6.5	0.02687	9.72	1.47	7.78	1.09	Supercritical
Cross Section B - Post	122.41	91	16.46	Normal Depth	Manning Formula	0.045	0.019	152.43	148.00 to 155.20 ft	614.37	67.31	23.7	2.84	20.06	4.43	4.1	0.02491	9.13	1.29	5.72	0.88	Subcritical
Cross Section C - Post	130.79	91	17.39	Normal Depth	Manning Formula	0.045	0.019	151.86	148.00 to 153.20 ft	608.13	80.69	37.87	2.13	36.72	3.86	3.67	0.02398	7.54	1.88	4.74	0.8	Subcritical

NOTE: FLOWMASTER PROGRAM USED FOR STREAM ANALYSIS

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Hyd. No. 14							
SWM #8							
Hydrograph type	= Reservoir	Peak discharge	= 3.166 cfs				
Storm frequency	= 1 yrs	Time to peak	= 12.06 hrs				
Time interval	= 1 min	Hyd. volume	= 23,632 cuft				
Inflow hyd. No.	= 13 - POST-1 (DETAINED)	Max. Elevation	= 174.70 ft				
Reservoir name	= SWM #8	Max. Storage	= 7,520 cuft				
Storage Indication method used.							

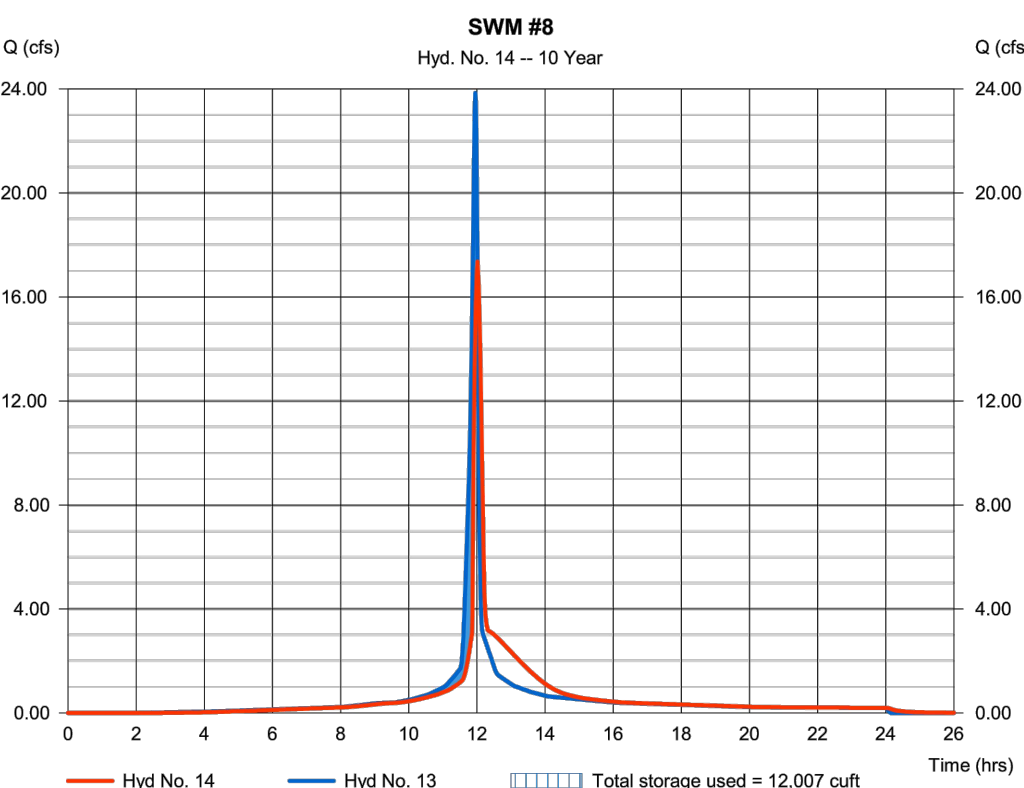
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Hyd. No. 14							
SWM #8							
Hydrograph type	= Reservoir	Peak discharge	= 17.37 cfs				
Storm frequency	= 10 yrs	Time to peak	= 12.02 hrs				
Time interval	= 1 min	Hyd. volume	= 53,328 cuft				
Inflow hyd. No.	= 13 - POST-1 (DETAINED)	Max. Elevation	= 177.51 ft				
Reservoir name	= SWM #8	Max. Storage	= 12,007 cuft				

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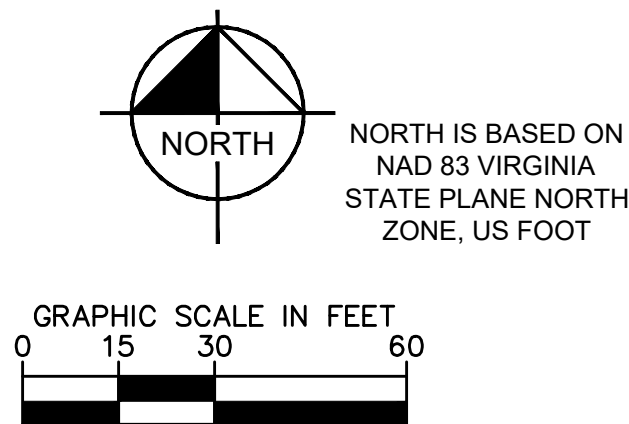
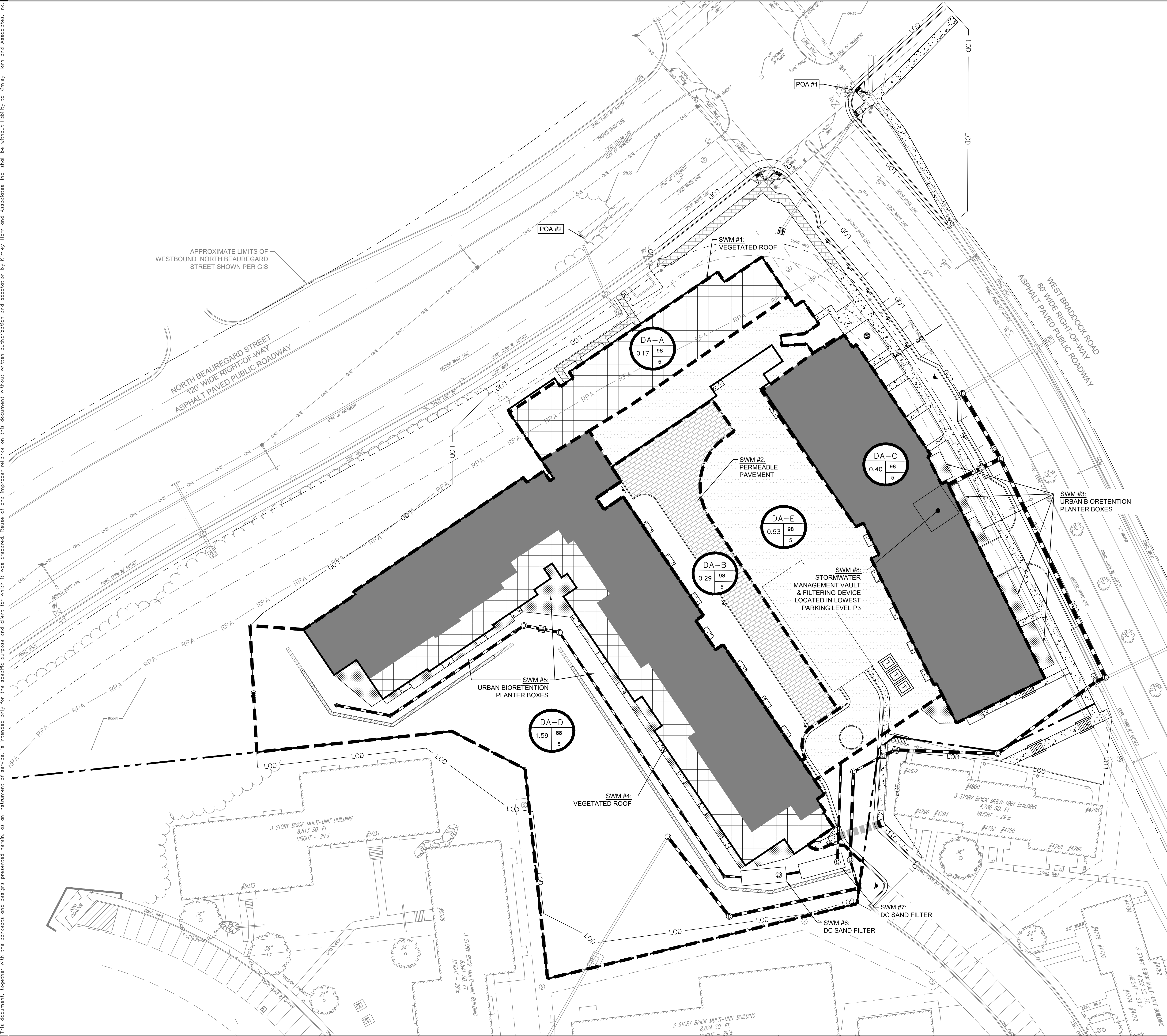
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Pond No. 1 - SWM #8			
Pond Data			
UG Chambers -invert elev. = 170.00 ft, Rise x Span = 8.00 x 40.00 ft, Barrel Len = 40.00 ft, No. Barrels = 1, Slope = 0.00%, Headers = No			

Stage / Storage Table				
Stage (ft)	Elevation (ft)	Contour area (sqft)	Incr. Storage (cuft)	Total storage (cuft)
0.00	170.00	n/a	0	0
0.80	170.80	n/a	1,280	1,280
0.80	171.60	n/a	1,280	2,560
2.40	172.40	n/a	1,280	3,840
3.20	173.20	n/a	1,280	5,120
4.00	174.00	n/a	1,280	6,400
4.80	174.80	n/a	1,280	7,680
5.60	175.60	n/a	1,280	8,960
6.40	176.40	n/a	1,280	10,240
7.20	177.20	n/a	1,280	11,520
8.00	178.00	n/a	1,280	12,800

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- LEGEND**
- PERMEABLE PAVEMENT
0.15 ACRES TOTAL
 - ROOF AREA DRAINING TO URBAN BIORETENTION PLANTER BOXES
 - IMPERVIOUS AREA DRAINING TO SWM #8 (UNDERGROUND STORMWATER VAULT AND WATER QUALITY FILTERING DEVICE)
 - VEGETATIVE GREEN ROOF
0.35 ACRES TOTAL
 - URBAN BIORETENTION FILTER BED AREA
0.35 ACRES TOTAL
 - BMP DRAINAGE DIVIDE

- NOTES:**
- STORMWATER BMP DESIGN IS CONCEPTUAL AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITH DSUP AND FINAL SITE PLAN.
 - SEE SHEET C-406 FOR BMP CALCULATIONS.
 - THE STORMWATER BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMP) REQUIRED FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED AND INSTALLED UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF THE DESIGN ENGINEER OR THEIR DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE. THE DESIGN ENGINEER SHALL MAKE A WRITTEN CERTIFICATION TO THE CITY THAT THE BMPs ARE CONSTRUCTED AND INSTALLED AS DESIGNED AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED SITE PLAN. IN ADDITION, AGGREGATE LAYERS AND COLLECTOR PIPES MAY NOT BE INSTALLED UNLESS THE DESIGN ENGINEER OR THEIR REPRESENTATIVE IS PRESENT.
 - THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FURNISH THE CITY WITH AN OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL FOR ALL BMPs ON THE PROJECT. THE MANUAL SHALL INCLUDE AN EXPLANATION OF THE FUNCTIONS AND OPERATIONS OF EACH BMP AND ANY SUPPORTING UTILITIES, CATALOG CUTS ON ANY MECHANICAL OR ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND A SCHEDULE OF ROUTINE MAINTENANCE FOR THE BMPs AND SUPPORTING EQUIPMENT.

- WATER QUALITY NARRATIVE:**
- DRAINAGE AREA A:**
- 0.17 ACRES OF IMPERVIOUS ROOF AREA SHALL BE TREATED THROUGH THE USE OF A VEGETATED ROOF (SWM #1).
- DRAINAGE AREA B:**
- 0.29 ACRES OF IMPERVIOUS COURTYARD AREA SHALL BE TREATED THROUGH THE USE OF PERMEABLE PAVEMENT (SWM #2). THE PERMEABLE PAVEMENT IS LOCATED WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE FIRE LANE IN THE COURTYARD.
- DRAINAGE AREA C:**
- 0.40 ACRES OF IMPERVIOUS ROOF AREA SHALL BE TREATED THROUGH THE USE OF URBAN BIORETENTION PLANTER BOXES (SWM #3). THE ROOF WILL BE DESIGNED TO CAPTURE THE ROOF RUNOFF AND DIRECT THIS FLOW TO URBAN BIORETENTIONS ALONG FRONTAGE THROUGH A SYSTEM OF GUTTER DOWNSPOUTS.
- DRAINAGE AREA D:**
- THIS DRAINAGE AREA CORRESPONDS TO A TREATMENT TRAIN WHICH CONSISTS OF VEGETATED ROOF AREA, URBAN BIORETENTION PLANTER BOXES, AND DC SAND FILTERS.
 - 0.18 ACRES OF IMPERVIOUS ROOF AREA SHALL BE TREATED THROUGH THE USE OF A VEGETATED ROOF (SWM #4). THEN THE RUNOFF WILL BE DIRECTED TO URBAN BIORETENTION PLANTER BOXES (SWM #5) AND FINALLY DISCHARGE TO PEAT SAND FILTERS (SWM #6 & SWM #7) FOR FINAL TREATMENT.
 - 0.53 ACRES OF IMPERVIOUS ROOF AREA SHALL BE TREATED THROUGH THE USE OF URBAN BIORETENTION PLANTER BOXES (SWM #5) AND FINALLY DISCHARGE TO DC SAND FILTERS (SWM #6 & SWM #7) FOR FINAL TREATMENT.
 - 0.84 ACRES OF PERVIOUS AREA AND 0.04 ACRES OF IMPERVIOUS AREA WILL BE COLLECTED VIA YARD INLETS AND DRAIN TO DC SAND FILTERS (SWM #6 & SWM #7).
- DRAINAGE AREA E:**
- THIS DRAINAGE CONSISTS OF ENTIRELY IMPERVIOUS AREA FROM A PORTION OF THE ROOF, COURTYARD, DRIVE AISLE, AND CONCRETE SIDEWALK. THIS AREA WILL BE COLLECTED INTO SWM #8 AND TREATED BY A FILTERING DEVICE LOCATED WITHIN THE STORMWATER VAULT.
- RPA DISTURBANCE**
- TOTAL AMOUNT OF DISTURBANCE IN THE RPA: 15,810 SF
 - TOTAL AMOUNT OF IMPERVIOUS AREA REMOVED FROM THE RPA: 4,144 SF
 - TOTAL AMOUNT OF IMPERVIOUS AREA PROPOSED IN THE RPA: 7,883 SF
 - TOTAL AMOUNT OF REFORESTED AREA IN THE RPA: 1,465 SF

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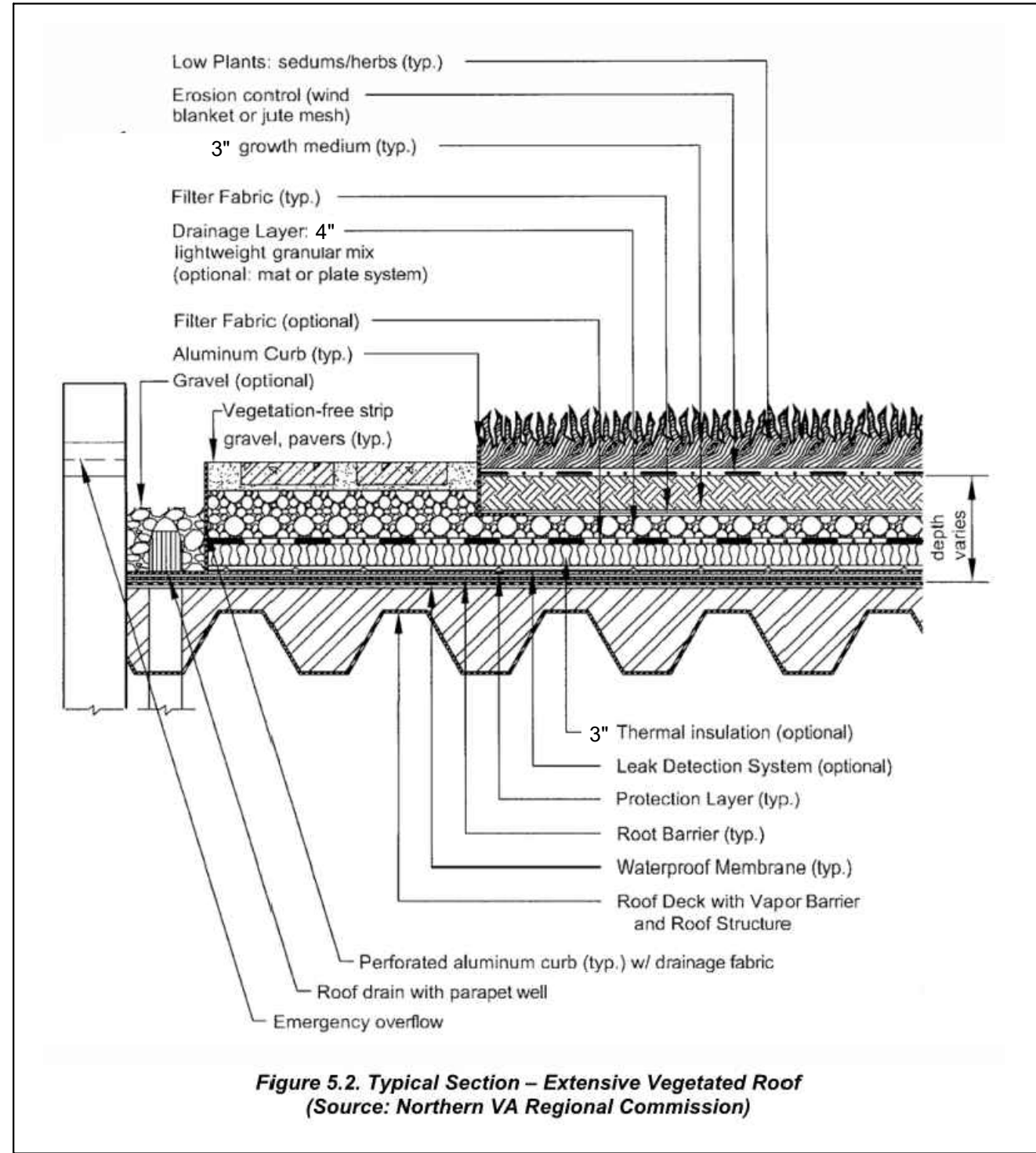


Figure 5.2. Typical Section - Extensive Vegetated Roof
(Source: Northern VA Regional Commission)

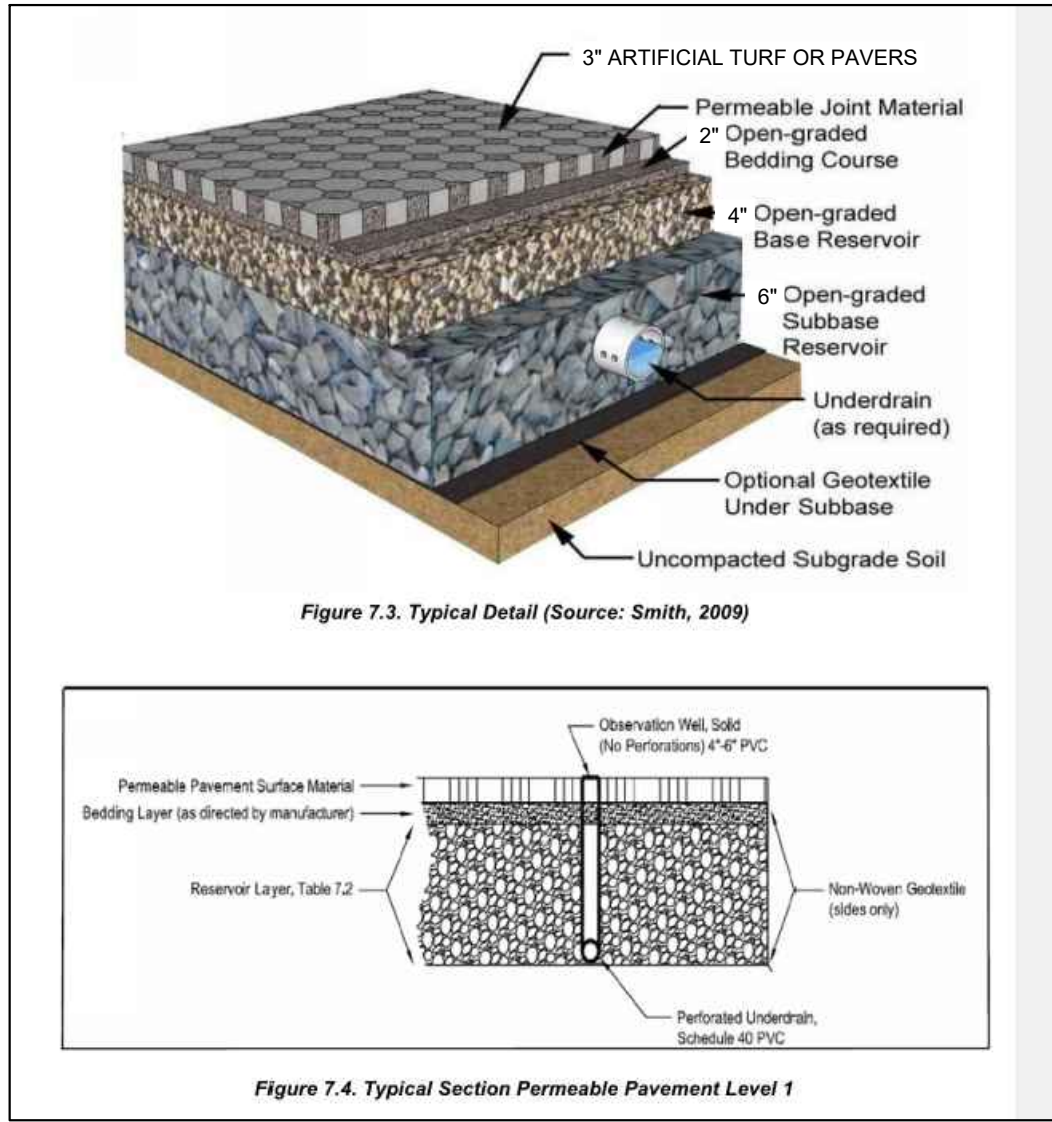


Figure 7.3. Typical Detail (Source: Smith, 2009)

Figure 7.4. Typical Section Permeable Pavement Level 1

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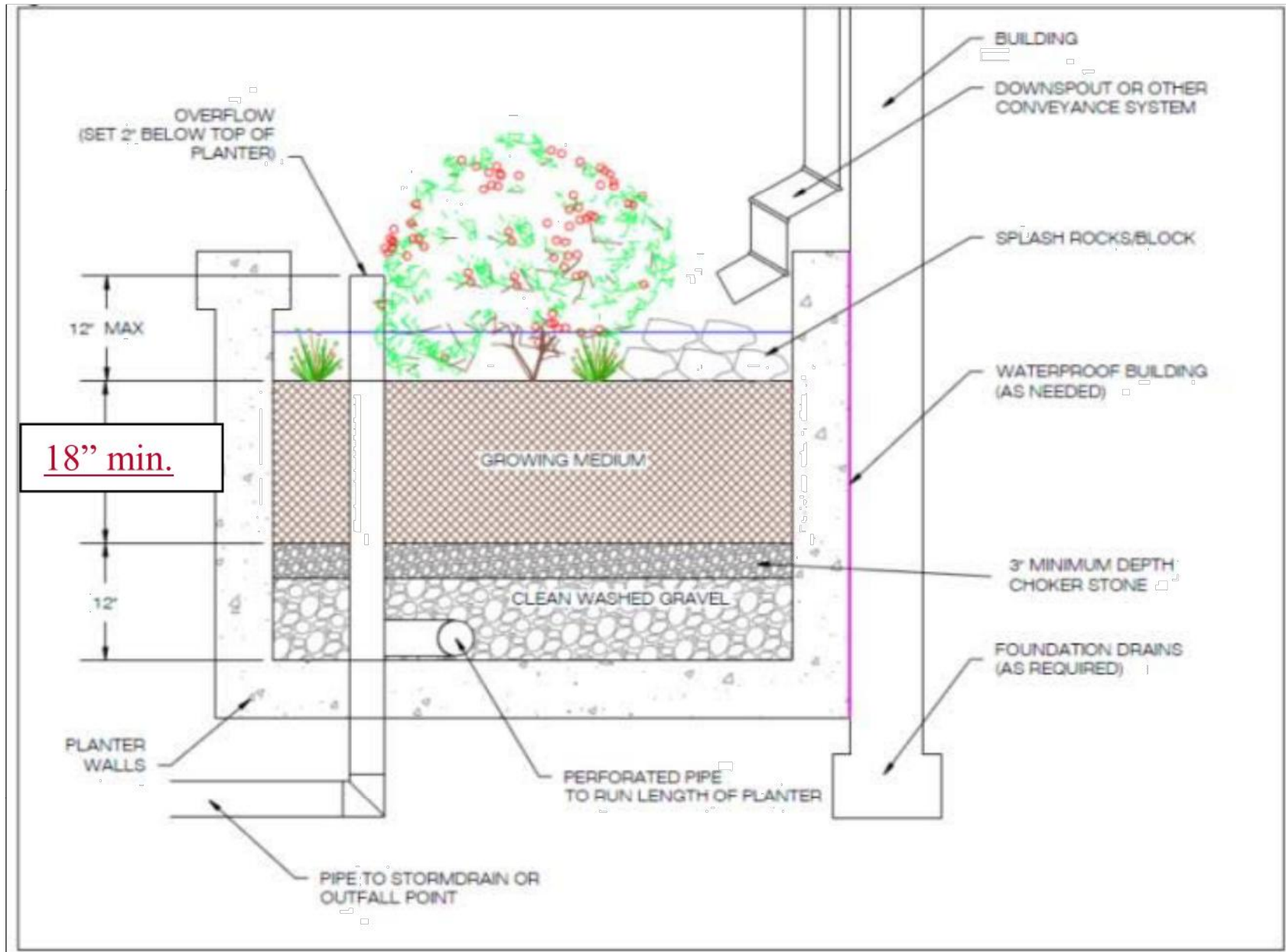


Figure 9-A.4. Stormwater Planter Cross-Section

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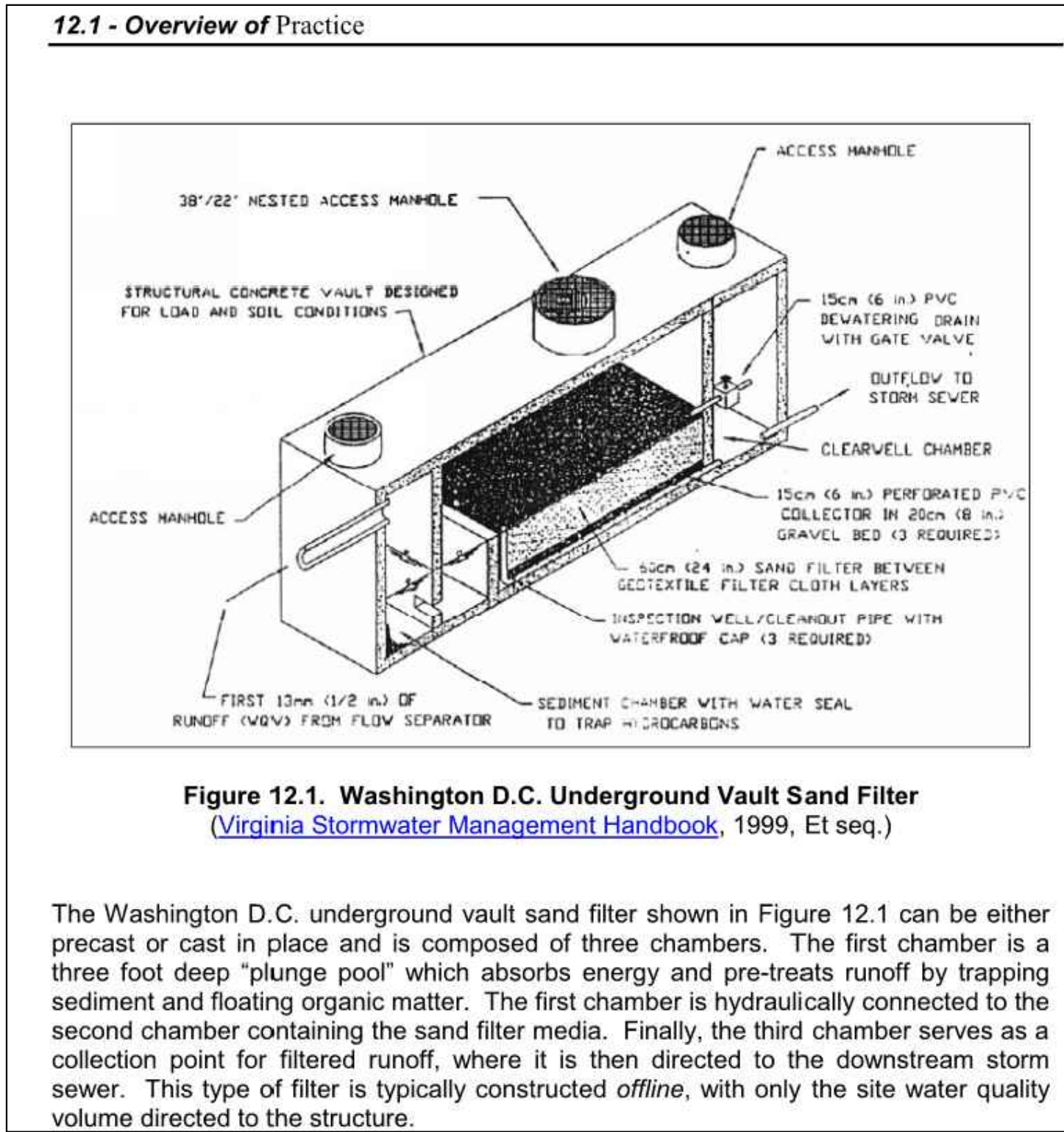


Figure 12.1. Washington D.C. Underground Vault Sand Filter
(Virginia Stormwater Management Handbook, 1999, Et seq.)

The Washington D.C. underground vault sand filter shown in Figure 12.1 can be either precast or cast in place and is composed of three chambers. The first chamber is a three foot deep "plunge pool" which absorbs energy and pre-treats runoff by trapping sediment and floating organic matter. The first chamber is hydraulically connected to the second chamber containing the sand filter media. Finally, the third chamber serves as a collection point for filtered runoff, where it is then directed to the downstream storm sewer. This type of filter is typically constructed *offline*, with only the site water quality volume directed to the structure.

4 DC SAND FILTER DETAIL (SWM #6 & SWM #7)
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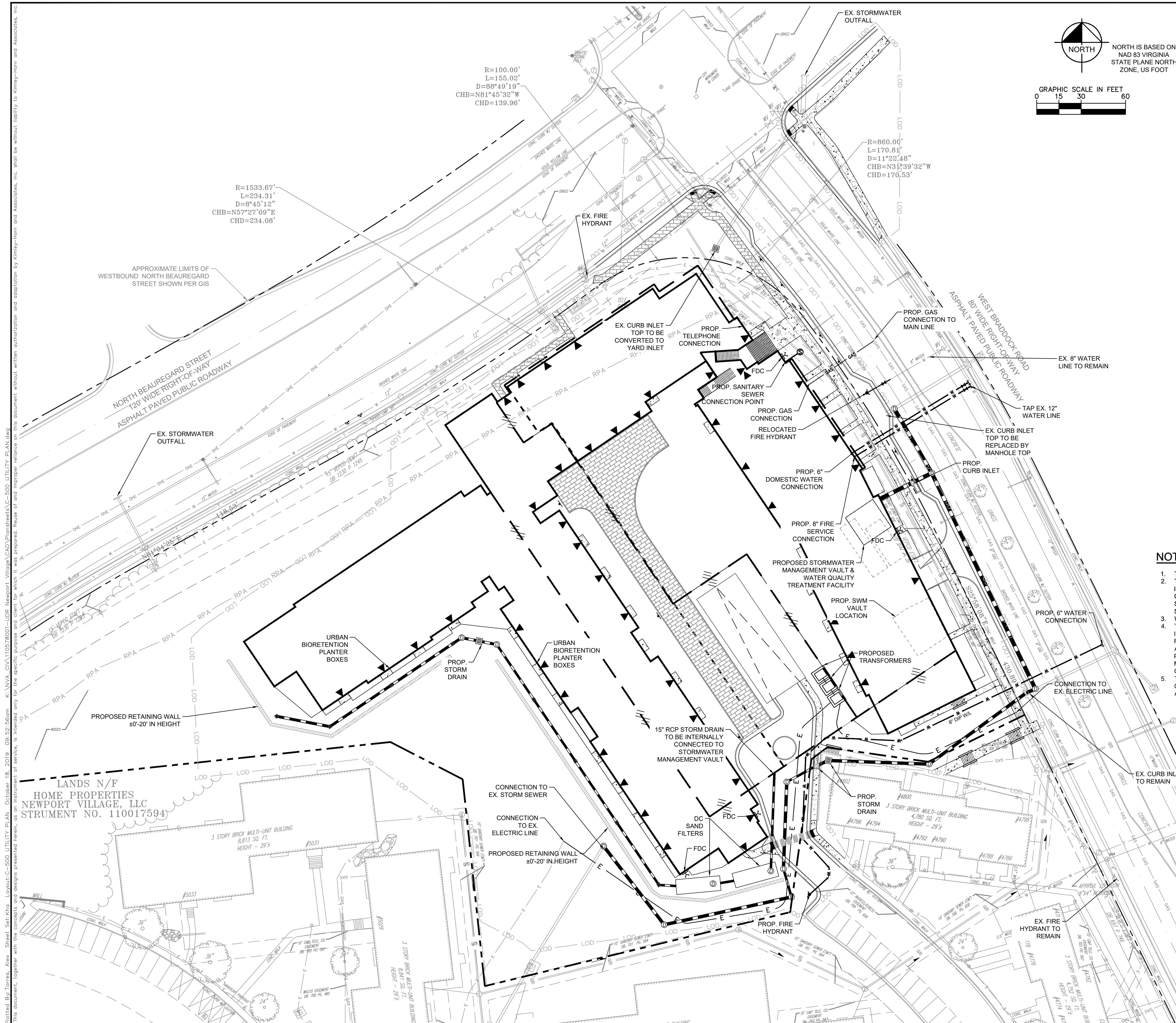
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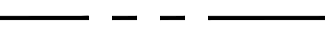

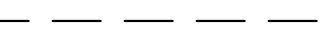










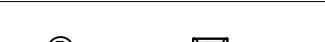




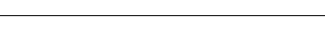


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September 5, 2019

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VIA EMAIL TO yon.lambert@alexandriava.gov

Yon Lambert, Director, Transportation and Environmental Services
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RE: Newport Village

Gentlemen:

On behalf of my client, UDR, I am submitting this request for City approval of an encroachment into the Resource Protection Area ("RPA") along the eastern side of Beauregard Street for the above referenced property. The applicant requests this exception to Zoning Ordinance Section 13-107 as permitted by Zoning Ordinance Section 13-119. As shown on the attached exhibits, the total improvements to the property will increase the impervious area within the RPA with offsets proposed by removing City impervious area associated with travel lanes at this intersection and replanting other areas within the RPA. This exception is appropriate because 1) the existing RPA is separated from the stream itself by several lanes of Beauregard Street, 2) the overall water quality will be improved by the proposed mitigation and 3) the proposed building line will create a better interaction between the building façade and the future BRT station.

I. Project Background

UDR is the owner of the Newport Village Apartments and has worked with your staff over the past several months to determine a viable redevelopment strategy for a small portion of the property located at the south western intersection of Beauregard Street and Braddock Road. UDR's initial concept was to demolish the three smaller scale buildings located at this intersection and redevelop their footprint with a larger multi-family building with below grade parking. See attached Exhibit A.

As you may know, the grade of the property is very steep as the property rises significantly to the south. During the initial design phase, the UDR team obtained updated construction pricing associated with pushing the new building into the grade which proved to be

extremely inefficient and costly. UDR and its team spent the past few months redesigning the new development proposal to move the new building out from the steep slope and save one of the existing buildings by revisiting the proposed project's footprint. *See* attached Exhibit B.

UDR and its team worked with the City to also design a better interaction of the new building with the proposed BRT stop at Beauregard Street and orient the active uses within the building towards the BRT stop. The team also proposes shifting a portion of the building slightly further into the RPA to enhance the pedestrian experience at the intersection and remove the City's existing impervious slip lanes. UDR is supportive of this approach and requests a positive EPC recommendation for the encroachment.

II. Existing RPA Conditions

The proposed redevelopment site is located at the south-west corner of N. Beauregard Street and W. Braddock Road. There is a 100-foot resource protection area (RPA) associated with the stream that runs in the N. Beauregard median. The RPA extends approximately 60 feet into the redevelopment site on the north side. There are existing improvements located within the RPA including the N. Beauregard travel lanes, sidewalks, buildings and other existing infrastructure. Within the redevelopment site, there is one building and its associated concrete walkways located within the RPA. The total on-site impervious area currently within the RPA is approximately 2,400 s.f. (0.06 Ac). *See* attached Exhibit C.

III. Proposed RPA Mitigation

The proposed redevelopment consists of the demolition of 2 existing buildings, associated walkways/sidewalks, parking, drive aisles and utilities, and the construction of a new multifamily building with associated walkways, drive aisles and utilities. Approximately 2,400 s.f. (0.06 Ac) of existing impervious area will be removed from the RPA to make way for the proposed improvements. Approximately 8,700 s.f. of the proposed building and 1,500 s.f. of associated walkways are proposed within the RPA. Therefore, the total on-site impervious area proposed within the RPA is approximately 10,200 s.f. (0.23 Ac).

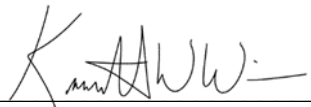
In order to mitigate the impacts of the proposed improvements within the RPA, the owner is proposing the following (*see* attached Exhibit C):

- 1. Removal of the existing slip lanes at the intersection of North Beauregard and West Braddock** - In order to reduce the impervious surface within the RPA, the two existing slip lanes at the intersection will be removed. The removal of the existing slip lanes will remove approximately 4,356 s.f. (0.1 Ac) of impervious area from the RPA. With the removal of the slip lanes, vehicular contact areas will be removed from the RPA and replaced with pervious cover. This will reduce the amount of high-concentration pollutants generated by surface runoff being conveyed into the RPA.
- 2. Reforestation** – For any additional areas of impacts within the RPA (estimated as 0.07 Ac), reforestation using native species will be provided within the RPA (approximately 3,300 s.f. is proposed).

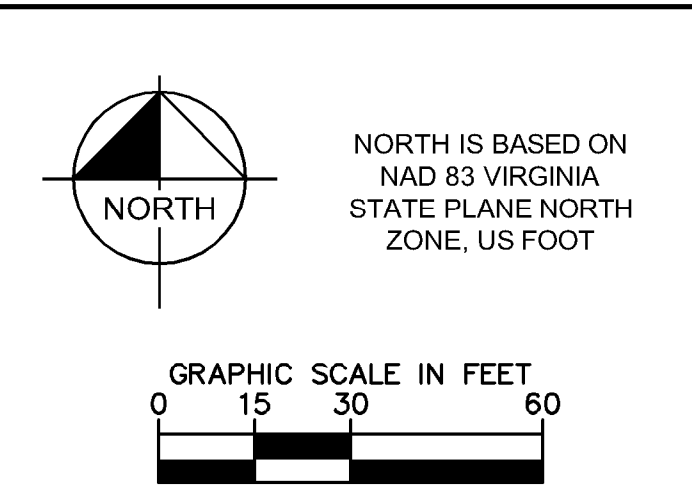
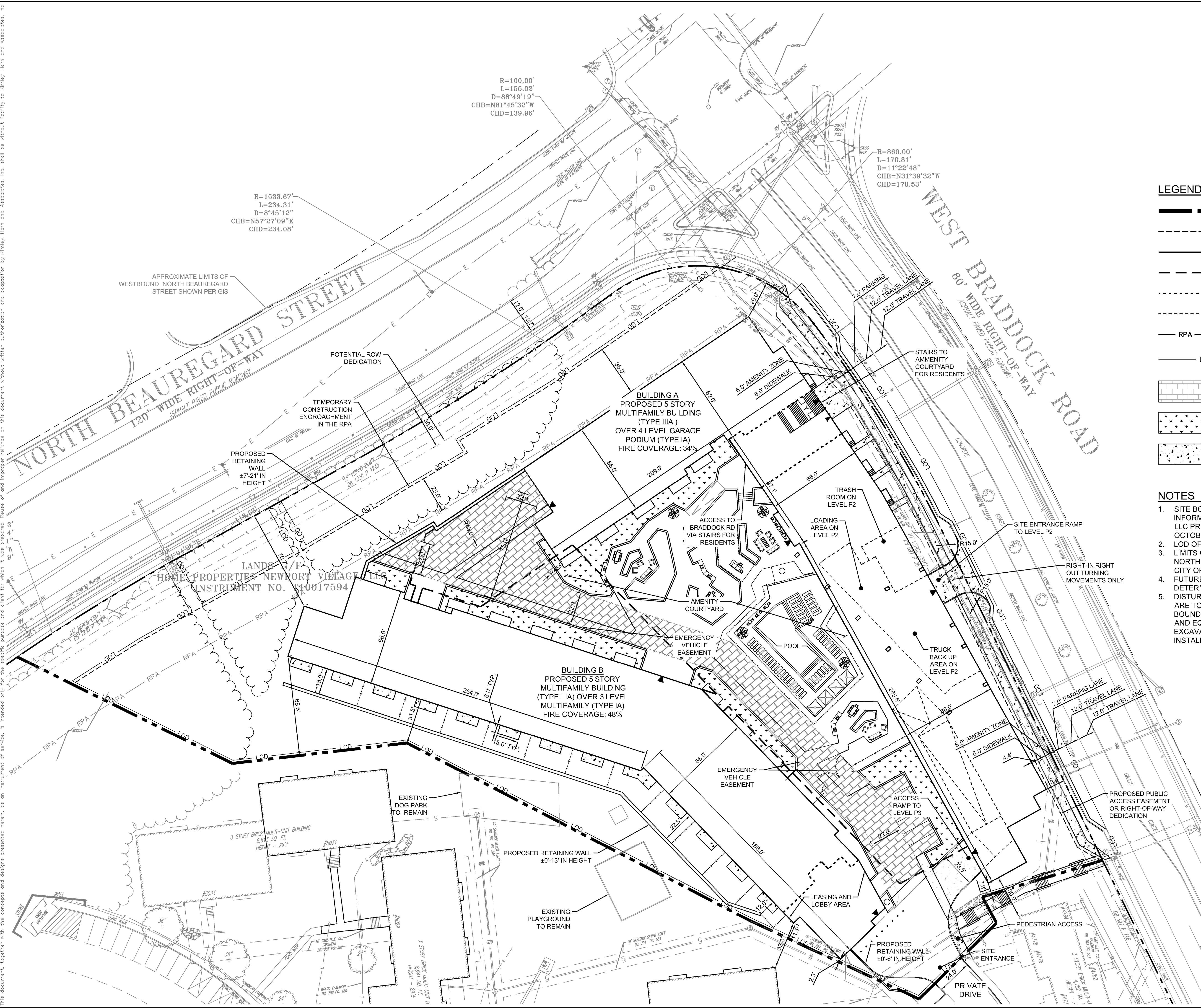
3. **Concentrate Green Roof Areas within the RPA** – In an effort to reduce stormwater runoff into the RPA and mimic natural ground cover, green roof areas on the roof of the proposed building will be concentrated in the portion of the building located within the RPA.

For each of these reasons, we respectfully request City approval of an exception to Zoning Ordinance Section 13-107 for the proposed encroachments and improvements within the RPA. If the EPC finds that it cannot recommend support of the proposed encroachment, UDR will proceed with a slightly revised project layout which removes all additional encroachments from the RPA and leaves the existing slip lanes and off-site RPA as is (Exhibit A).

Sincerely,

By: 
Kenneth W. Wire, Wire Gill LLP

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January 23, 2020

City of Alexandria Planning Commission
301 King Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

RE: UDR Resource Protection Area (RPA) exception request

Members of the Planning Commission,

On December 16, 2019, the Environmental Policy Commission (EPC) voted 6-5 (with 1 abstention) to support City staff's position and recommend denial of UDR's request for a Resource Protection Area (RPA) exception to Section 13-107 of the zoning ordinance for the proposed development at Newport Village, located at 4898 W. Braddock Road. This letter is intended to inform the Planning Commission (Commission) of the EPC position, and to provide some context for this result and a summary of the deliberations before the vote was taken.

The divided vote reflects some confusion and disagreement within the EPC as to what factors could or ought to be considered in the recommendation. City staff indicated that EPC was to consider only the narrow range of factors present in Section 13-119 of the zoning ordinance in making this decision, which did not include potential environmental harm at the development site, nor proposed mitigation or other environmental benefits. The EPC's recommendation to support staff's position to deny the request for an exception should therefore not be interpreted as a finding that the proposed development would be environmentally harmful, nor should this letter be interpreted as a finding of a net environmental benefit. **The EPC did not make a determination of the net environmental impact of the proposed exception.**

City staff presented five (5) conditions that must all be met in order to grant an RPA exception. The discussion and decision by the EPC centered on the first of those conditions - that "*granting the exception will not confer upon the applicant any special privileges that are denied to other property owners in the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area (CBPA) overlay district.*" The primary concern expressed by EPC commissioners was that granting an exception to this development would set a precedent for granting exceptions to more detrimental proposals in the future, and thereby weaken the protections of the CBPA. The EPC steadfastly supports the goals of the CBPA and the use of RPAs as a tool for protecting the integrity of the city's water resources and downstream waters, including Chesapeake Bay.

Conversely, some commissioners felt that the RPA in question was not necessarily functioning as intended. An RPA is defined as "*consist[ing] of sensitive land that has either*

an intrinsic water quality value due to the ecological and biological processes such land performs, or that is sensitive to uses or activities such that the use results in significant degradation to the quality of state waters. In their natural condition, these lands provide for the removal, reduction, or assimilation of nonpoint source pollution entering the bay and its tributaries.” The RPA in question is a 100-foot buffer around a stream in the median of Beauregard Street. The land is not in a natural condition, and because the site of the development is separated from the stream by the eastbound lanes of Beauregard Street and multiple stormwater management structures, it is questionable whether the land affected by the proposed encroachment has intrinsic water quality value, or if the encroachment would result in significant degradation to water quality in the affected stream.

In summary, EPC’s vote to support staff’s position to deny the exception request reflects a view among the majority that the proposed development does not meet all five (5) statutory conditions for granting an exception, and a concern that granting an exception would create a precedent that could weaken the protections of the CBPA. The dissenting commissioners felt that an exception may be warranted since the proposed development does not appear to significantly diminish a functional resource and may provide environmental and social benefits.

Please feel free to contact me or Commission Chair Praveen Kathpal if you have additional questions about the EPC’s deliberations on this topic.

Thanks,



James (Trip) Hook III
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Reference: Docket issue #13 Feb. 4, 2020 Planning Commission Meeting: Newport Village Resource Protection Area (RPA) Exception Request

Please vote no for the Resource Protection Area (RPA) Exception Request. I'm a 26 year City of Alexandria resident and through the years I have seen significant growth within the city, we have witnessed five new developments within a two block radius (King St/North Beauregard St/Fillmore Ave) in the West End which has seemingly been under construction for the last few years. The noise, the traffic disruption (both travel times and patterns, the construction dirt, the roads being ripped up, the pile driving) and I have not once complained. These developments are restrictive rent/"affordable housing", I can't live in any of these since my rent is nearly \$2,000 for a one-bedroom apartment. I can't reap any of the benefits of this construction that I've been living around for years now. This is making the City a difficult place to live, in general, for middle class. In fact, I feel like all this development is running the middle class out of the city. We make too much for "affordable housing" and not enough for the \$3200 a month for a one bedroom at the new buildings. And at this point, this two block radius doesn't need anymore mid-rise or high rise buildings.

A few days ago I see a public notice regarding Newport Village Resource Protection Area (RPA) Exception Request and I'm floored. UDR is asking to remove 190+ mature, old trees on a beautiful untouched hill that has been one of the few places in the area that has retained natural beauty and a little nature in this concrete city. Some of these trees look to be at least 100 years old. They want to remove 180+ trees and replace them with 17 seedlings. As you already know this goes against the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act as that area and the stream is a natural Chesapeake Bay Watershed. They want to remove a natural stream. The requested exception does not meet the criteria outlined in Section 13-119 of the EMO, and therefore does not meet the requirements for approval from the planning commission. Going against the staff

recommendation to deny this exception would also go against Alexandria's Eco-City Charter and Environmental Action Plan and set a very negative precedence regarding the City's own Environmental plan as well as the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act. These plans and guidelines are set in place for situations exactly like this one. Please vote no.

The area residents were also "sold" other plans in July 2019 during the community outreach meeting with UDR. UDR has changed their plans for this location several times now, first it was going to be mixed use and "affordable housing" now it's apparently an age restricted building. Maybe all the boxes for affordable housing have now been checked in the City. Next, they were not going to take the road because "it was a watershed and protected," nor the trees and hill, now they want it all. There is dog park, play ground and picnic areas with grills on top of the very steep hill they said they were keeping as well and that will all be gone under these new plans. Park area even on private property is hard to come by in this city and we need to be doing more to protect the environment especially in times of massive growth. We were misled by UDR and their plans. I know both commission staff and the Environmental Policy Commission has recommended a denial of this but please vote no on this aggressive and "extremely large exception request."

I thank you so very much for your time and hope that my concerns can heard and shared at the Feb 4, 2020 planning commission meeting as I will not be able to make it as a speaker.

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The proposed Newport Village Resource Protection Area (RPA) Exception Request would be in clear defiance the city's goal of reducing several problems the Chesapeake Bay faces and in this proposed redevelopment it would adversely affect any progress that has been done to preserve the Chesapeake Bay. This encroachment into the RPA would increase the level of polluted stormwater runoff, add dog park animal waste and deforest directly along a natural perennial stream.

The Virginia General Assembly enacted the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act (Bay Act) in 1988. The beds of Virginia's streams, rivers and estuaries, and the waters above them are held and managed by the Commonwealth for the benefit of all Virginians. The Bay Act program is designed to improve water quality in the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries by requiring the use of effective conservation planning and pollution prevention practices when using and developing environmentally sensitive lands. The principle objective of the Bay Act is to promote land use and development in ways that minimize negative impacts on water quality.

In response to the Bay Act, the city of Alexandria adopted a RPA map in 1992 based on criteria provided in the Management Regulations. New State mandates require that all City streams with perennial flow must be protected by a 100 foot Resource Protection Area buffer. This proposed redevelopment into a RPA clearly violates the city's criteria to protect its natural resources locally with consideration of streams, rivers and bays beyond boundaries of the city. Again, this redevelopment would be damaging to the Alexandria's natural resources, damage the Chesapeake Bay and violate state mandates. The redevelopment should not now or ever be considered for an exception.

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Members of the Planning Commission,

I'm writing in hopes that my voice matters to the planning commission. I'm saddened by UDR'S Resource Protection Area exception request and hope that the commission will deny the request for the exception. The planning commission has been advised that staff recommends a denial as does the Alexandria Environmental Policy Commission. This request is in direct opposition of the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act and would be detrimental to the ecological environment of the area. I'm dismayed as to the drastic change of UDR's original site plan which was to completely spare the watershed, the entire large park area with green grass and trees, four or more grilling areas and picnic tables both covered and uncovered, park benches, a dog park, and a playground. They want to demolish lot's of wonderful green space for another few mid-rise buildings. Last February UDR stated that they wouldn't be disturbing the park area and "not to worry as they haven't even done soil samples for the hill, just on West Braddock Road." That is how much UDR cares about the environment: requesting a SUP for an area which has not had the proper soil samples taken and tested and has a dog park! What negative environmental impact will animal waste have on the watershed? They plan on removing 180 trees and in the new plans they mention throwing down seedlings, many of which probably won't take, in an small area that's 20 feet wide with balcony overhangs impeding future tree growth. There isn't enough space to support these plans.

This section of the city has had explosive growth (Fillmore Place, St. James Plaza, The Spire, The Array, 2000 N. Beauregard, The Mark Center office building conversion to rentals) with at least 1100 new rental units recently added and many more to come. All of this new housing plus the addition of the BRAC-133 Mark Center complex and the traffic that has created has made it difficult to remain a comfortable city resident. I am sick of living in a construction zone. The city is jamming all this into this one section of the city then creating "road diets" like the most recent one on Seminary Road for bike lanes that no one ever uses. Stop this insanity. The rental supply is now bigger than the demand. When is enough, enough? When there is not one blade of grass left in the city? When there are no trees to help us breathe? This section of the city is already much too dense, we're at full capacity. That should be enough alone to reject this SUP request.

Rachel S.

- Expected Response Date: Wednesday, February 5

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February 3, 2020 (as attachment to *E mail*) PlanComm@Alexandriava.gov;

To: Alexandria Planning Commission
Karl Moritz, Director, Planning and Zoning, City of Alexandria

From: STONEGATE FOUNDATION, INC., HOA
*Contact: Dina L. Biblin, Secretary-Treasurer of the Board of Directors
And Registered Agent for Stonegate Foundation*
[4650-4693 Kirkpatrick Lane; Kinsey Lane, all; Kell Lane, all]

Re: Agenda Item #13 for Feb. 4, 2020
Newport Village RPA Exception Request
4698 W. Braddock Road.

The Board of Directors of Stonegate Foundation, Inc., (“SFI”), a homeowner’s association in the State of Virginia, hereby registers its opposition to planning proposals submitted by Newport Village (“Newport”) for consideration on February 4, 2020. We concur with the Alexandria Planning Staff’s Opposition to the proposal but have additional concerns.

We are an association of 76 townhomes immediately adjacent to the Newport property, at the Northeast Corner of W. Braddock Road and N. Hampton Drive. The block on W. Braddock from N Hampton to Beauregard, where the Newport plan for increased density is located, is already highly developed with multi-family apartments and townhomes. Along this block there are five Homeowner Associations, with hundreds of individual townhomes and apartments, plus the entire Newport Village property, and one Section 8 townhome development.

We have significant concerns about overdevelopment of this area and thus are impacted by proposals by Newport Village, of which we have limited knowledge. As such, proper notice of the upcoming request for exception should have been given to our community, among others along Braddock Road, but it was not. Our Board of Directors found out about it by looking at the upcoming Planning Commission docket, which initially appeared to be benign, and then a single letter from Attorney Ken Wire delivered to one of our residents.

First, the Stonegate Foundation, Inc. (SFI or Association), a Virginia corporation, was not provided official Notice of this proposal via its Registered Agent or our Management Company, which has often been in contact with the property managers at Newport Village. Given our proximity to the property at Newport Village, planned development in that area is of major concern to us and Newport is aware of our existence.

Second, only one of our 76 homeowners (not a board member) received a confusing Notice last week from Attorney Ken Wire. The Notice did not specify the actual development plan, but provided a phone number to contact Mr. Wire. The owner made three attempts to call Attorney Wire this past week to get information, as directed by his letter. She never received a return phone call from the messages left with his office, so out of concern, she contacted our Board. Why he sent a notice only to one home in our development is unclear. There are over 30 homes at SFI that border the Newport Village Property and/or Braddock Road.

Third, we are unaware whether any of the other four homeowner associations along this road were contacted, but it is disappointing, to say the least, that Newport's attorney failed to give notice to communities neighboring the Newport development. Our existence is easily determined from City and State records.¹ The City should require that Newport Village, or any other development, must give proper Notice of planned development to the Associations/ neighborhoods that are adjacent and could be impacted by its proposal.

We ask that the Planning Commission please make our concerns known during the hearing on February 4, in lieu of our making an appearance as a speaker. Please know that SFI is appreciative of the work done by Commission staff to review and question the proposal for an exception on ecological grounds.

Respectfully,

STONEGATE FOUNDATION, INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

By **Dina L. Biblin**, Secretary-Treasurer and Registered Agent

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¹ The undersigned recently looked at a City map of Homeowner's Associations and noticed that our Stonegate development is erroneously grouped with four other independent HOA's, under the name of Stonegate at Hamptons. Your staff may wish to correct the map to reflect that Pulte divided the original plan into separate Associations back in 1994.