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SECOND ADDENDUM TO THE TECHNICAL STAFF REPORT

TO: The Prince George's County Planning Board

VIA: Hyojung Garland, Supervisor, Urban Design Section, Development Review Division #9

Sherri Conner, Acting Chief, Development Review Division \mathcal{S}

FROM: Natalia Gomez Rojas, Planning Director's Office N G

SUBJECT: McDonald's Ager Road — DSP-22001 and TCP2-004-2024

The subject application was continued from the Planning Board hearing on November 21, 2024 to January 16, 2025. The Development Review Division coordinated with the Planning Director's Office, the Countywide Planning Division (i.e. Transportation Unit), the Prince George's County Department of Permitting, Inspections, and Enforcement, and the Maryland State Highway Administration to review the additional analysis on the following limited scope items:

- a. Vehicular and pedestrian circulation in the shopping center (i.e., crosswalk deficiencies, improvements in internal circulation, drive-through queuing analysis, and Maryland State Highway Administration's associated plans in the right of way of the site).
- b. Preserving the bufferyard on the east side of the property due to incompatible use with the adjacent property.
- c. Markers or other historic elements signifying relevance to the site or area.

Pursuant to the Prince George's County Planning Board's guidance, the applicant submitted additional materials and revised plans considering the items above, which were identified at the November 21, 2024 hearing. This second addendum provides supplemental information and recommendations, which are detailed below:

1. Vehicular and pedestrian circulation

Exhibits 1 and 2, attached hereto, present a general circulation analysis of the Green Meadows Shopping Center, which is considered an integrated shopping center, consistent with the Transportation Planning staff exhibit submitted to the Planning Board at the hearing on November 21, 2024. A revised detailed site plan (DSP) was submitted by the applicant and the proposed improvements are discussed below:

a. **Improvements to internal circulation:** Exhibit 2 shows an internal circulation design that facilitates accessibility to all buildings within the shopping center, as users may navigate through drive aisles, sidewalks, or crosswalks; thereby, reducing the need for vehicles or pedestrians to utilize the adjacent roadways.

To reduce the speed of entering vehicles and protect pedestrians from the existing on-site traffic, high-visibility traffic calming elements are proposed within the site. As shown in the figure below, additional pavement markings, crosswalks (highlighted in red), and speed bumps (highlighted in green) were added near the driveway entrances and along the drive aisle to the east of the proposed building.

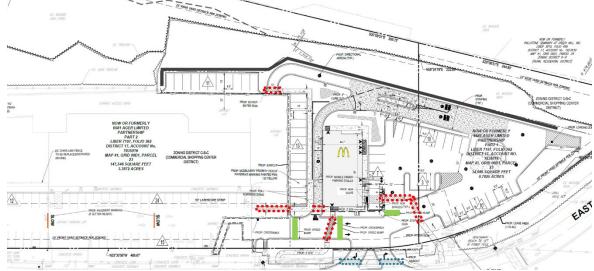


Figure 1. Internal Traffic Calming Elements

To enhance safety and navigation for drivers, additional traffic signage has been proposed to alert vehicles about circulation patterns and one-way traffic throughout the area. This includes signs for stop, do not enter, right-turn only, and no pedestrian access. Proposed crosswalk marking aims to create a safe crossing for pedestrians at the rear of the shopping center.

In addition to the previously outlined improvements, staff reiterate the recommendation to reduce the proposed parking spaces further to align with the minimum requirements. This adjustment intends to enhance traffic flow and mitigate possible conflicts that may arise with circulation patterns in the area. Furthermore, staff suggest exploring the implementation of angled parking, where appropriate, as this could optimize space utilization and improve overall accessibility.

- b. **Pedestrian circulation:** To improve pedestrian access and connections to the shopping center, including the proposed standalone pad site building, additional striped crosswalks are planned at several key locations. These include (*See illustration below*):
 - The northern edge of the property, north of the intersection of Van Buren Street and Ager Road
 - East of the existing building
 - At the drive-through exit

- Along the western edge of the property
- Near the southernmost driveway, close to the existing crosswalk across MD 410 (East West Highway)

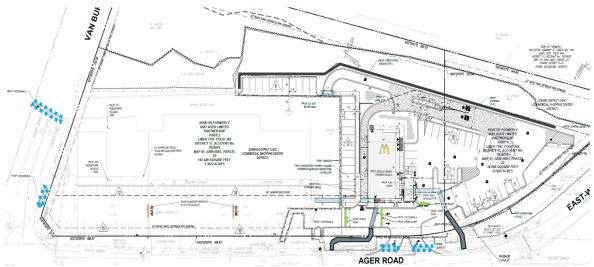


Figure 2. Proposed Crosswalks and Sidewalk

The applicant also proposed one additional mid-block crossing on Van Buren Street, directly into the parking lot. However, per an email from Lord-Attivor to Hancock, attached herein, the Prince George's County Department of Permitting, Inspections and Enforcement (DPIE) does not support the proposed mid-block crossing, due to safety concerns. This crossing is, therefore, deemed not feasible. On the other hand, in the same email, DPIE supports and recommends installing a high-visibility crosswalk at the intersection of Van Buren and Ager Road where the intersection is controlled by a stop sign as "[t]his crosswalk would connect to our proposed crosswalk at the intersection of Van Buren Street and Ager Road; thus, connecting the sidewalk that leads into the apartment complex/subdivision with the Shopping Center/ McDonalds." Furthermore, "[u]pgrading this intersection with ADA compliant sidewalks, pedestrian ramps and a high visibility crosswalk that meets the County's standards is recommended, beneficial and critical to the pedestrian experience."

c. **Drive-through queuing analysis:** Exhibit 3 includes a queuing analysis submitted by the applicant for the drive-through lane portion of the proposed development. As shown below, the plan allows for approximately 12 to 14 vehicles in the double drive-through lanes, from the order lane to the drive-through entrance, and additional space is available to accommodate 6 more vehicles between the pickup window and the order board. More importantly, the illustration shows that, according to Section 27-274(C)(6) of the prior Zoning Ordinance, the design of the drive-through does not conflict with circulation traffic patterns or pedestrian access.

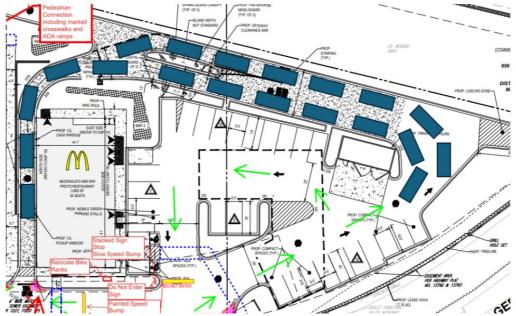


Figure 3. Drive-through Queuing

Furthermore, and as stated in previous submissions, Transportation Planning staff found that the proposed eating and drinking establishment with drive-through has a *de minimus* impact, based on the 2022 "Transportation Review Guidelines". Staff also determined that the proposed development would meet the requirements of the three-step process for average vehicle delay at an unsignalized intersection, if an adequacy test were to be required. The access meets the first step of the three-step process, and no further analysis would be required, if this access point was included in a formal traffic impact study.

d. **Maryland State Highway Administration's (SHA) associated plans**: On December 20, 2024, Planning Department staff, the applicant, and SHA held a meeting to discuss the proposed/ongoing plans on the right-of-way of MD 410 (East West Highway) and any potential impact to the proposed DSP.

In email from Patrick to Gomez, attached herein, SHA confirmed that the proposed development is within the MD 410 Pedestrian Safety Action Plan project that starts from MD 212 (Riggs Road) and goes to MD 500/Adelphi Road, which is in a design stage and is not expected to begin construction until 2027.

In regard to improvements that could potentially affect the site of the shopping center, SHA stated that the plan includes widening along westbound MD 410 approaching MD 212 which impacts a portion of the frontage of the site. This widening will impact one access driveway and a portion of the sidewalk along the site's frontage. Both will be removed and replaced to accommodate the widening and will include Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) ramps and a crosswalk at the intersection of Van Buren Street and MD 410. During the meeting, it was determined that the modifications proposed by SHA would not have any impact on the landscaping plans outlined in the current application.

SHA also confirmed during the meeting that they have no additional comments and are not requesting the elimination of any existing access driveways. However, modification to the access driveways and the additional sidewalk connection will require a permit for construction through SHA's permitting process. Lastly, SHA is in support of an additional pedestrian sidewalk connection at the eastern portion of the site, as shown on Exhibit 1.

Based on the improvements presented by the applicant, and as stated in the addendum presented to the Planning Board at the hearing on November 21, 2024, the Transportation Planning Section recommends approval, subject to the additional conditions included herein.

2. **Buffering incompatible uses**

After the Alternative Compliance Committee determined that the request for Alternative Compliance AC-23017 fails to meet the approval criteria, and after staff acknowledged that the proposed Departure from Design Standard DDS-23001 may not completely resolve the shopping center's trespassing problem, the applicant withdrew DDS-23001 and AC-23017 on December 18 and December 20, 2024, respectively.

Therefore, the subject DSP must conform to Section 4.7 of the 2010 *Prince George's County Landscape Manual* (Landscape Manual). Section 4.7 requires a Type D bufferyard along the eastern property line adjacent to a historic site, which includes a 50-foot-wide building setback and a 40-foot-wide landscape yard to be planted with 160 plant units per 100 linear feet of property line. However, to comply with crime prevention through environmental design principles regarding surveillance and minimizing blind spots that could facilitate illegal activities, staff recommend the applicant consider trimming any low-hanging branches of existing trees to create a minimum clearance height of 8 feet. As previously stated, the feasibility of trimming the trees will depend on their health and species.

Exhibit 1 attached to this document includes a revised landscape plan, which reflects compliance with the required bufferyard using existing and proposed plantings, pursuant to Section 4.7 of the Landscape Manual. Therefore, staff determined that DSP-22001 is in conformance with the Landscape Manual requirements.

3. Preservation of historic features

In response to the Planning Board's request to highlight the historic features of the area, the applicant has committed to design and install posters regarding enslaved persons, in English and Spanish, within the dining and drinking establishment. These posters will highlight the unique historical features and significance of the area, providing patrons with a deeper appreciation of the locale's rich heritage. A condition is included herein for the poster to be reviewed and approved by the Historic Preservation Section.

RECOMMENDATION

After reviewing the revised plans and additional information submitted by the applicant, staff determined that the following conditions listed in the staff report are no longer applicable: 1c, 2a, 2c, 3a, and 3c. In addition, the following conditions from the First Addendum are no longer

relevant: 1(b), 1(c), 1(d), 1(e), 1(f), 1(g), 1(h), 1(i), 1(j), and 1(k). Furthermore, additional recommended conditions of approval have been outlined below, in addition to those from the staff report and the First Addendum that remain applicable.

A. Additional conditions of approval

- 1. Prior to certification of the detailed site plan, update the plan to include the following:
 - (a) Comply with Conditions: 1a, 1b, 1d, 1e, 1f, 1g, 2b and 2d listed in the staff report; and with Conditions 1(a), 1(l), 1(m), 2, and 3, listed in the First Addendum.
 - (b) Revise the Type 2 tree conservation plan as follows:
 - (i) All existing woodland as shown on NRI-026-2022 that is outside of the limits of disturbance shall be retained. The woodland shall be identified as woodland retained not credited or shall meet the design criteria requirements in Section 25-122(b) of the County Code to be credited as woodland preservation. Update the woodland clearing amount in the woodland conservation worksheet as necessary.
 - (ii) Remove proposed natural regeneration from the plans and the woodland conservation worksheet.
 - (iii) The remaining balance of the woodland conservation requirement shall be revised to be met with off-site woodland conservation credits.
 - (c) Add a note on the landscape plan indicating that low-hanging branches will be trimmed to create a minimum clearance height of 8 feet. The ability to limb the existing trees will depend on the health and species of the tree, as determined by a licensed professional.
- 2. Prior to approval of the building permit, obtain approval from the Historic Preservation Section for the wording to be used in the historic informational posters.

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SEGUNDA ADENDA AL INFORME DEL PERSONAL TÉCNICO

PARA: La Junta de Planificación del Condado de Prince George

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División de Revisión de Desarrollo

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ASUNTO: McDonald's Ager Road: DSP-22001 y TCP2-004-2024

La solicitud en cuestión se continuó desde la audiencia de la Junta de Planificación del 21 de noviembre de 2024 hasta el 16 de enero de 2025. La División de Revisión de Desarrollo se coordinó con la Oficina del Director de Planificación, la División de Planificación del Condado (es decir, la Unidad de Transporte), el Departamento de Permisos, Inspecciones y Cumplimiento del Condado de Prince George y la Administración de Carreteras del Estado de Maryland para revisar el análisis adicional sobre los siguientes elementos de alcance limitado:

- a. Circulación vehicular y peatonal en el centro comercial (es decir, deficiencias en los cruces peatonales, mejoras en la circulación interna, análisis de las colas de autoservicio y planes asociados de la Administración Estatal de Carreteras de Maryland en el derecho de paso del sitio).
- b. Preservación del patio de protección en el lado este de la propiedad debido al uso incompatible con la propiedad adyacente.
- c. Marcadores u otros elementos históricos que signifiquen relevancia para el sitio o área.

De conformidad con la orientación de la Junta de Planificación del Condado de Prince George, el solicitante presentó materiales adicionales y planes revisados considerando los elementos anteriores que se identificaron en la audiencia del 21 de noviembre de 2024. Esta segunda adenda proporciona información complementaria y recomendaciones que se detallan a continuación:

1. Circulación vehicular y peatonal

Los anexos 1 y 2 adjuntos en este documento presentan un análisis de la circulación general del Centro Comercial Green Meadows, que se considera un centro comercial integrado, de acuerdo con el anexo del Personal de Planificación de Transporte presentado ante la Junta de Planificación para la audiencia del 21 de noviembre de 2024. El solicitante presentó un plano detallado revisado del sitio y las mejoras propuestas se analizan a continuación:

a. Mejoras en la circulación interna: El anexo 2 muestra un diseño de circulación interna que facilita la accesibilidad a todos los edificios dentro del centro comercial, ya que los usuarios pueden navegar a través de pasillos de vehículos, aceras o cruces peatonales, reduciendo así la necesidad de que los vehículos o peatones utilicen las calzadas adyacentes.

Para reducir la velocidad de los vehículos que ingresan y proteger a los peatones del tráfico existente en el lugar, se proponen elementos de calmado del tráfico de alta visibilidad dentro del sitio. Como se muestra en la figura siguiente, se agregaron marcas en el pavimento, cruces peatonales (resaltados en rojo) y reductores de velocidad (resaltados en verde) cerca de las entradas de vehículos y a lo largo del pasillo de entrada al este del edificio propuesto.

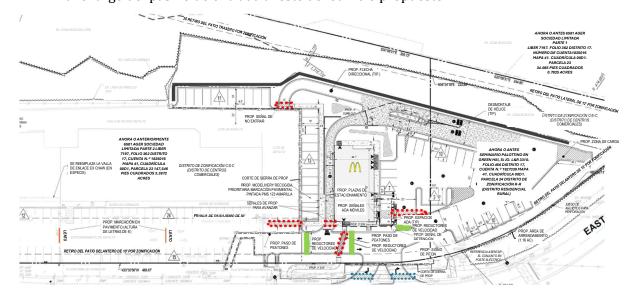


Figura 1. Elementos internos para calmar el tráfico

Para mejorar la seguridad y la navegación de los conductores, se ha propuesto señalización de tráfico adicional para alertar a los vehículos sobre los patrones de circulación y el tráfico en un solo sentido en toda el área. Esto incluye señales de pare, no entrar, solo girar a la derecha y sin acceso para peatones. La propuesta de demarcación de cruce de peatones tiene como objetivo crear un cruce seguro para los peatones en la parte trasera del centro comercial.

Además de las mejoras descritas anteriormente, el personal reitera la recomendación de reducir aún más los espacios de estacionamiento propuestos para alinearse con los requisitos mínimos. Con esta adecuación se pretende mejorar la fluidez vehicular y mitigar posibles conflictos que puedan surgir con los patrones de circulación en la zona. Además, el personal sugiere explorar la implementación de estacionamiento en ángulo cuando sea apropiado, ya que esto podría optimizar la utilización del espacio y mejorar la accesibilidad general.

b. **Circulación peatonal**: Para mejorar el acceso peatonal y las conexiones con el centro comercial, incluido el edificio independiente propuesto para el sitio de la plataforma, se planean cruces peatonales rayados adicionales en varios lugares clave. Estos incluyen (*Ver ilustración a continuación*):

- El borde norte de la propiedad, al norte de la intersección de Van Buren Street y Ager Road
- Al este del edificio existente
- En la salida del autoservicio
- A lo largo del borde occidental de la propiedad
- Cerca del camino de entrada más al sur, cerca del cruce de peatones existente en MD 410 (East West Highway)

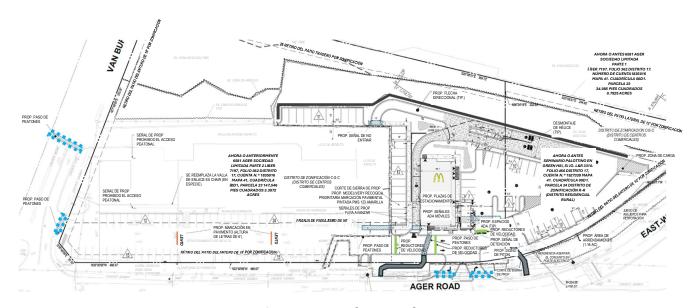


Figura 2. Propuestas de pasos de peatones y aceras

El solicitante también propuso un cruce adicional a mitad de cuadra en Van Buren Street directamente hacia el estacionamiento. Sin embargo, según un correo electrónico de Lord-Attivor a Hancock, adjunto aquí, el Departamento de Permisos, Inspecciones y Cumplimiento del Condado de Prince George (DPIE) no apoya el cruce a mitad de cuadra propuesto, debido a preocupaciones de seguridad. Por tanto, se considera que este cruce no es factible. Por otra parte, en el mismo correo electrónico, DPIE apoya y recomienda instalar un cruce peatonal de alta visibilidad en la intersección de Van Buren y Ager Road, donde la intersección está controlada por una señal de pare, ya que "[e]ste cruce peatonal se conectaría con nuestro cruce peatonal propuesto en la intersección de Van Buren Street y Ager Road; conectando así la acera que conduce al complejo de apartamentos/subdivisión con el centro comercial/McDonalds". Además, "se recomienda mejorar esta intersección con aceras que cumplan con la ADA, rampas para peatones y un cruce peatonal de alta visibilidad que cumpla con los estándares del condado, lo cual es beneficioso y fundamental para la experiencia de los peatones".

c. Análisis de colas de autoservicio: El anexo 3 incluye un análisis de colas presentado por el solicitante para la parte del desarrollo propuesto con carril de acceso vehicular. Como se muestra a continuación, el plan permite aproximadamente de 12 a 14 vehículos en los carriles dobles de acceso desde el carril de pedidos hasta la entrada de autoservicio, y hay espacio adicional disponible para acomodar 6 vehículos más entre la ventana de recogida y el tablero de pedidos. Más importante aún, la ilustración muestra que, de acuerdo con la Sección 27-274(C)(6) de la Ordenanza de Zonificación, el diseño del acceso vehicular- no entra en conflicto con los patrones de tráfico de circulación o el acceso peatonal.

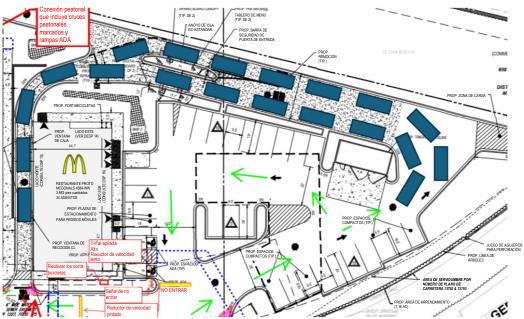


Figura 3. Colas para autoservicio

Además, y como se indicó en presentaciones anteriores, el personal de Planificación de Transporte encontró que el establecimiento de comida y bebida propuesto con autoservicio tiene un impacto *de minimus* según las Pautas de Revisión de Transporte de 2022. El personal también determinó que el desarrollo propuesto cumpliría con los requisitos del proceso de tres pasos para el retraso promedio del vehículo en una intersección sin semáforos, si se requiriera una prueba de idoneidad. El acceso cumple con el primer paso del proceso de tres pasos y no se requeriría ningún análisis adicional si este punto de acceso se incluyera en un estudio formal del impacto del tráfico.

d. Planes asociados de la Administración de Carreteras del Estado de Maryland (SHA): El 20 de diciembre de 2024, el personal del Departamento de Planificación, el solicitante y SHA celebraron una reunión para analizar los planes propuestos/en curso sobre el derecho de paso de MD 410 (East West Highway) y cualquier posible impacto en el DSP propuesto.

En un correo electrónico de Patrick a Gómez, adjunto, SHA confirmó que el desarrollo propuesto está dentro del proyecto del Plan de Acción de Seguridad Peatonal MD 410 que comienza en MD 212 (Riggs Road) y llega hasta MD 500/Adelphi Road, que se encuentra en una etapa de diseño y no se espera que comience la construcción hasta 2027.

Con respecto a las mejoras que podrían afectar potencialmente el sitio del centro comercial, SHA indicó que el plan incluye la ampliación a lo largo de la MD 410 en dirección oeste en dirección a la MD 212, lo que afecta una parte del frente del sitio. Esta ampliación afectará un camino de acceso y una parte de la acera a lo largo del frente del sitio. Ambos serán removidos y reemplazados para dar cabida a la ampliación e incluirán rampas de la Ley de Estadounidenses con Discapacidades (ADA) y un cruce de peatones en la intersección de Van Buren Street y MD 410. Durante la reunión, se determinó que las modificaciones propuestas por SHA no tendrían ningún impacto en los planes de paisajismo delineados en la solicitud actual.

SHA también confirmó durante la reunión que no tienen comentarios adicionales y que no están solicitando la eliminación de ningún camino de acceso existente. Sin embargo, la modificación de los caminos de acceso y la conexión de aceras adicionales requerirán un permiso de construcción a través del proceso de permisos de SHA. Por último, SHA apoya una conexión de acera peatonal adicional en la parte este del sitio como se muestra en el Anexo 1.

Con base en las mejoras presentadas por el solicitante, y como se establece en la adenda presentada a la Junta de Planificación en la audiencia del 21 de noviembre de 2024, la Sección de Planificación de Transporte recomienda la aprobación, sujeta a las condiciones adicionales aquí incluidas.

2. Usos incompatibles de almacenamiento en búfer

Después de que el Comité de Cumplimiento Alternativo determinó que la solicitud de Cumplimiento Alternativo AC-23017 no cumple con los criterios de aprobación, y después de que el Personal reconoció que la Desviación propuesta del Estándar de Diseño DDS-23001 podría no resolver por completo el problema de intrusión del centro comercial, el solicitante retiró DDS-23001 y AC-23017 el 18 de diciembre y el 20 de diciembre de 2024 respectivamente.

Por lo tanto, el DSP en cuestión debe cumplir con la Sección 4.7 del *Manual de Paisaje del Condado de Prince George* de 2010 (Manual de Paisaje). La Sección 4.7 requiere un patio de protección Tipo D a lo largo de la línea de propiedad este adyacente a un sitio histórico, que incluye un retiro de construcción de 50 pies de ancho y un patio paisajístico de 40 pies de ancho que se plantará con 160 unidades de plantas por cada 100 pies lineales de línea de propiedad. Sin embargo, para cumplir con los principios de prevención del delito a través del diseño ambiental con respecto a la vigilancia y la minimización de los puntos ciegos que podrían facilitar las actividades ilegales, el personal recomienda que el solicitante considere podar las ramas bajas de los árboles existentes para crear una altura libre mínima de 8 pies. Como ya hemos comentado anteriormente, la viabilidad de podar los árboles dependerá de su estado de salud y especie.

El Anexo 1 adjunto a este documento incluye un plan de paisaje revisado, que refleja el cumplimiento del patio de protección requerido utilizando plantaciones existentes y propuestas, de conformidad con la Sección 4.7 del Manual de Paisaje. Por lo tanto, el personal determinó que DSP-22001 cumple con los requisitos del Manual de Paisaje.

3. Conservación de elementos históricos

En respuesta a la solicitud de la Junta de Planificación de resaltar las características históricas del área, el solicitante se ha comprometido a diseñar e instalar carteles sobre personas esclavizadas en inglés y español dentro del establecimiento de comida y bebida. Estos carteles resaltarán las características históricas únicas y la importancia del área, brindando a los visitantes una apreciación más profunda del rico patrimonio local. Se incluye una condición para que el cartel sea revisado y aprobado por la Sección de Preservación Histórica.

RECOMENDACIÓN

Después de revisar los planes revisados y la información adicional presentada por el solicitante, el personal determinó que las siguientes condiciones enumeradas en el informe del personal ya no son aplicables: 1c, 2a, 2c, 3a y 3c. Además, ya no son relevantes las siguientes condiciones de la Primera Adenda: 1(b), 1(c), 1(d), 1(e), 1(f), 1(g), 1(h), 1(i), 1(j) y 1(k). Además, a continuación se describen condiciones de aprobación recomendadas adicionales, además de las del informe del personal y de la Primera Adenda que siguen siendo aplicables.

A. Condiciones adicionales de aprobación

- 1. Antes de certificar el plano detallado del sitio, actualice el plano para incluir lo siguiente:
 - (a) Cumplir con las condiciones: 1.a, 1.b, 1.d, 1.e, 1.f, 1.g, 2.b y 2.d enumerados en el Informe del Personal; y con las condiciones 1(a), 1(l), 1(m), 2 y 3, enumeradas en la Primera Adenda.
 - (b) Revisar el plan de conservación de árboles Tipo 2 de la siguiente manera:
 - (i) Se conservarán todos los bosques existentes que se muestran en NRI-026-2022 que estén fuera de los límites de perturbación. El bosque se identificará como bosque retenido, no acreditado, o deberá cumplir con los requisitos de los criterios de diseño de la Sección 25-122(b) del Código del Condado para ser acreditado como preservación del bosque. Actualizar la cantidad de tala de bosques en la hoja de trabajo de conservación de bosques según sea necesario.
 - (ii) Eliminar la regeneración natural propuesta de los planes y de la hoja de trabajo de conservación de bosques.
 - (iii) El saldo restante del requisito de conservación de bosques se revisará para que se cumpla con créditos de conservación de bosques fuera del sitio.
 - (c) Agregue una nota en el plano paisajístico indicando que las ramas bajas se podarán para crear una altura libre mínima de 8 pies. La capacidad de podar los árboles existentes dependerá de la salud y la especie del árbol determinada por un profesional autorizado.
- 2. Antes de aprobar el permiso de construcción, obtenga la aprobación de la Sección de Preservación Histórica para el texto que se utilizará en los carteles informativos históricos.

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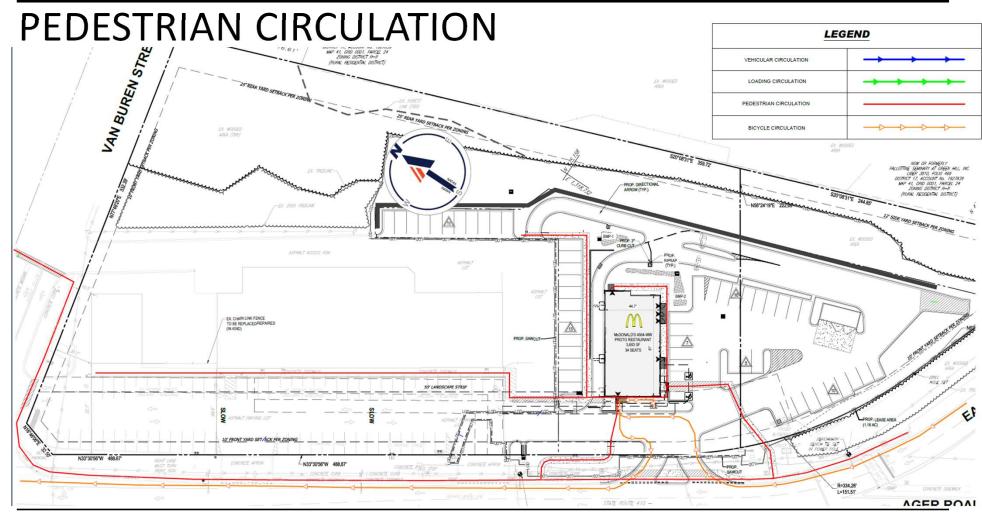
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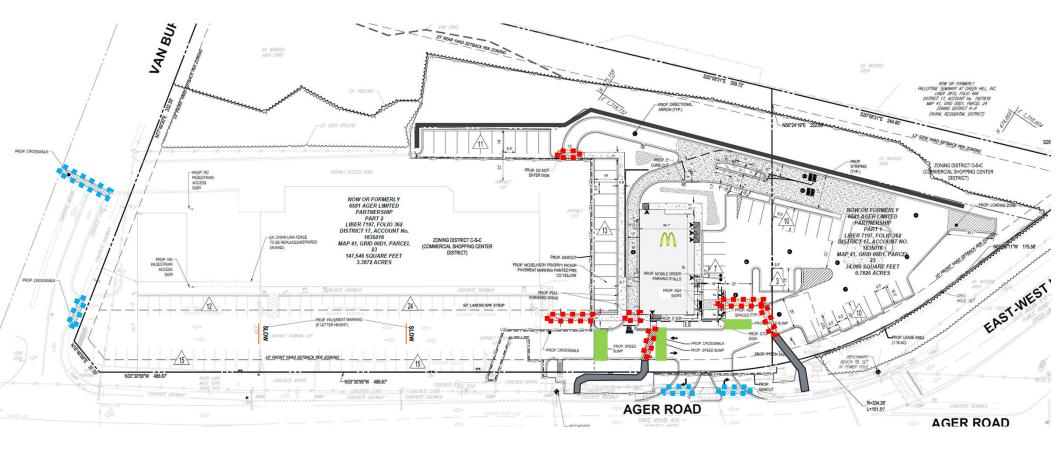




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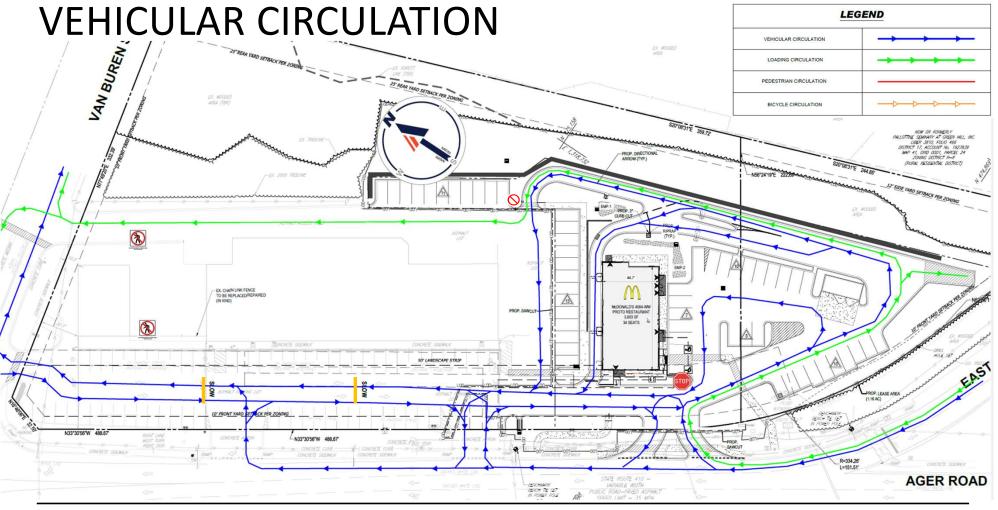
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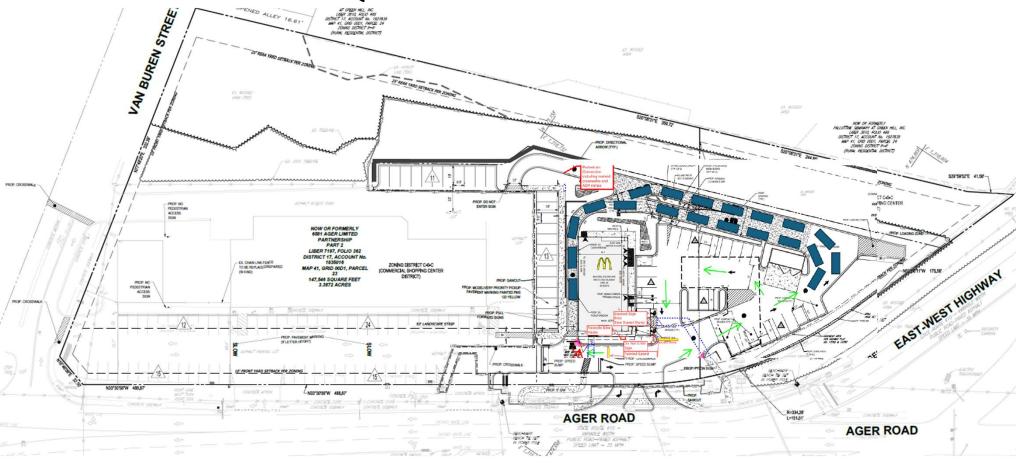
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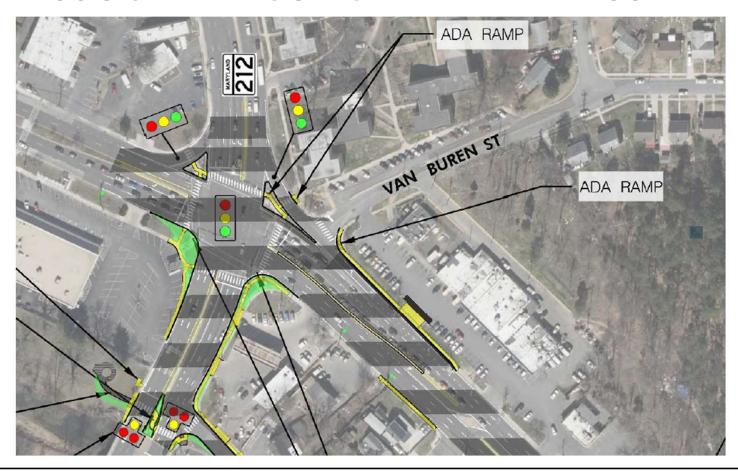
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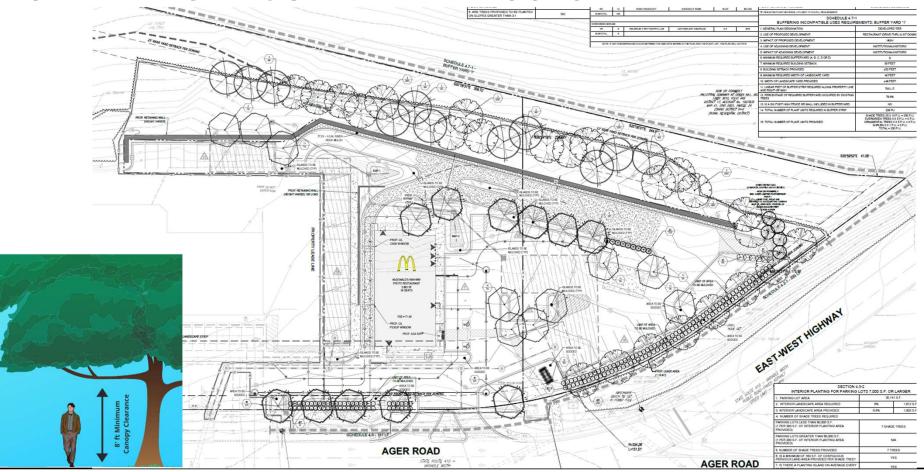
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IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR TO REVIEW ALL OF THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS PROJECT RK SCOPE PRIOR TO THE INITIATION OF CONSTRUCTION. SHOULD THE CONTRACTOR FIND A CONFLICT WITH THE DOCUMENTS RELATIVE SPECIFICATIONS OR APPLICABLE CODES. IT IS THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO NOTIFY THE PROJECT ENGINEER OF RECORD IN

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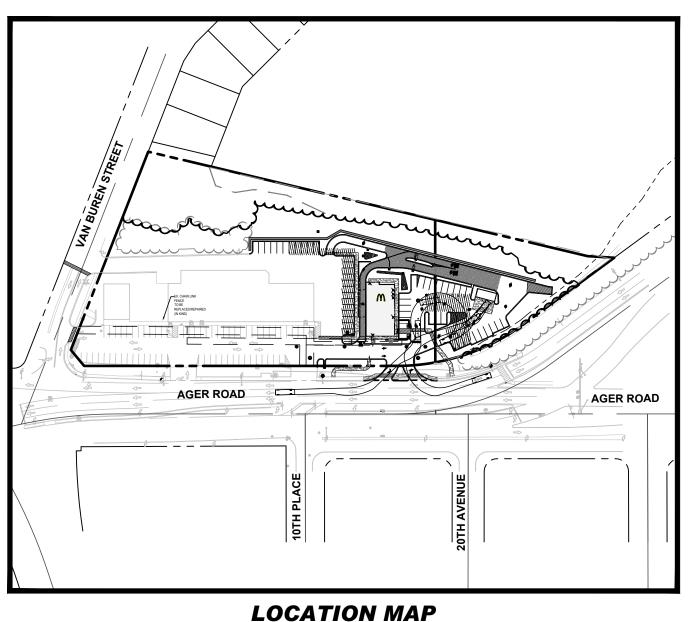
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LOCATION OF SITE 6565 AGER ROAD **HYATTSVILLE**

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MD

TAX MAP: 41 GRID: D1 PARCEL: 23, PART 1 & PART 2



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- 1. DURING THE DEMOLITION/CONSTRUCTION PHASES OF THIS PROJECT, NOISE SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO ADVERSELY IMPACT ACTIVITIES ON THE ADJACENT PROPERTIES. INDICATE INTENT TO CONFORM TO CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY NOISE CONTROL REQUIREMENTS AS SPECIFIED IN SUBTITLE 19 OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY CODE.
- 2. DURING THE DEMOLITION/CONSTRUCTION PHASES OF THIS PROJECT, NO DUST SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO CROSS OVER PROPERTY LINES AND IMPACT ADJACENT PROPERTIES. INDICATE INTENT TO CONFORM TO CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY DUST CONTROL REQUIREMENTS AS SPECIFIED IN THE 2011 MARYLAND STANDARDS FOR EROSION AND

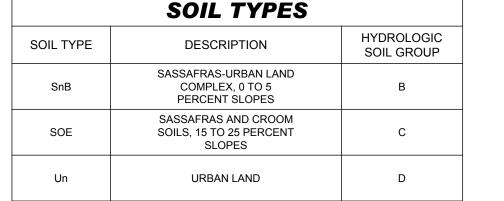


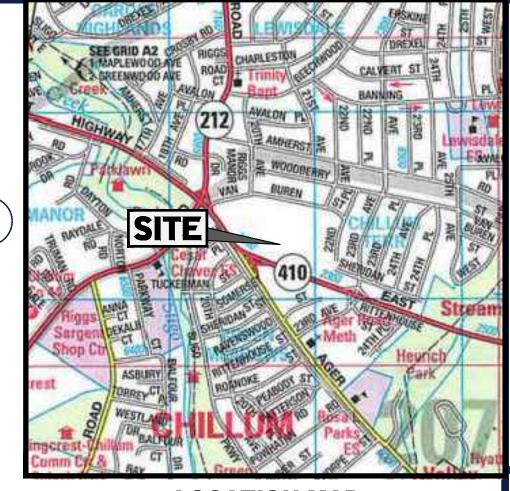


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LOCATION MAP SCALE: 1" = 2000'

REFERENCES AND CONTACTS

ALTA/ACSM LAND TITLE SURVEY: "ALTA/NSPS LAND TITLE SURVEY MCDONALD'S USA,LLC - L/C 19-1437 6543 AGER ROAD" DATED: 03/16/21

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SITE DEVELOPMENT CONCEPT PLAN: "SITE DEVELOPMENT CONCEPT PLAN FOR MCDONALD'S PREPARED BY: BOHLER

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GENERAL NOTES

- 1 THIS PLAN IS BASED ON "ALTA/NSPS LAND TITLE SURVEY MCDONALD'S USA,LLC - L/C 19-1437 6543 AGER ROAD"
- 2. SITE AREA = 4.17 ACRES LOD = 2.40 ACRES McDONALD'S DEVELOPMENT SITE: 1.16 ACRES
- EXISTING IMPERVIOUS = 0.49 ACRES TOTAL NET IMPERVIOUS = 1.16 ACRES
- 3. TAX ACCOUNT NUMBER: 1835016
- 4. PRIOR ZONING: CSC COMMERCIAL SHOPPING CENTER
- CURRENT ZONING: CGO COMMERCIAL, GENERAL, OFFICE ZONE EXISTING USE: RESTAURANT
- 6. NUMBER OF LOTS, PARCELS, OUTLOTS & OUTPARCELS: PARCEL 23, PART 1 AND

PROPOSED USE: RESTAURANT

- EXISTING GROSS FLOOR AREA: 1,995 SF. PROPOSED GROSS FLOOR AREA: 3,683 SF
- 8. WSSC GRID: 208NE02 9. TAX MAP & GRID: TM 41 GRID: D1
- 10. AVIATION POLICY NUMBER AND GRID: NONE
- 11. EXISTING WATER/SEWER DESIGNATION: W-3. S-3 PROPOSED WATER/SEWER DESIGNATION: W-3, S-3
- 12. STORMWATER MANAGEMENT CONCEPT NUMBER: SDCP #30395-2021
- 13. 10-FOOT PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENT ALONG ALL RIGHTS-OF-WAY.
- 14. MANDATORY PARK DEDICATION: NONE
- 15. CEMETERIES LOCATED IN VICINITY OF THE PROPERTY: NONE
- 16. HISTORIC SITES LOCATED IN THE VICINITY OF THE PROPERTY: THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IS BOUNDED ON THE WEST BY THE GREEN HILL HISTORIC SITE
- 17. NO WETLANDS OR STREAMS ARE LOCATED ON-SITE
- 18. 100-YR FLOOD PLAIN: NO
- 19. CHESAPEAKE CRITICAL BAY AREA: NO
- 20. THERE ARE NO KNOWN SPRINGS OR SEEPS.
- 21. MARLBORO CLAY AND CHRISTIANA CLAY ARE NOT FOUND TO OCCUR ON OR WITHIN THE VICINITY OF THE PROPERTY.
- 22. THE SITE IS LOCATED IN A WATERSHED WITH TMDLs FOR SEDIMENT, NITROGEN, AND PHOSPHORUS.
- 23. THE SITE IS NOT LOCATED WITHIN A TIER II CATCHMENT.
- 24. THE SITE IS LOCATED IN THE ANACOSTIA RIVER WATERSHED.
- 25. EXISTING FLOW PATTERNS WERE CONSIDERED AND MAINTAINED WITH THE PROPOSED DESIGN.
- 26. A COMBINATION OF SILT FENCE, SUPER SILT FENCE, STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE, AND INLET PROTECTION WILL BE UTILIZED AS THE PRIMARY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES
- 27. THE EXISTING SITE IS A RETAIL COMMERICAL SHOPPING CENTER CONSITING OF 3
- 28. PERMANENT STABILIZATION MATTING WILL BE PROVIDED IN AREAS WHERE

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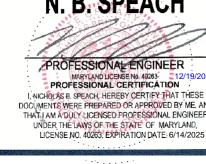
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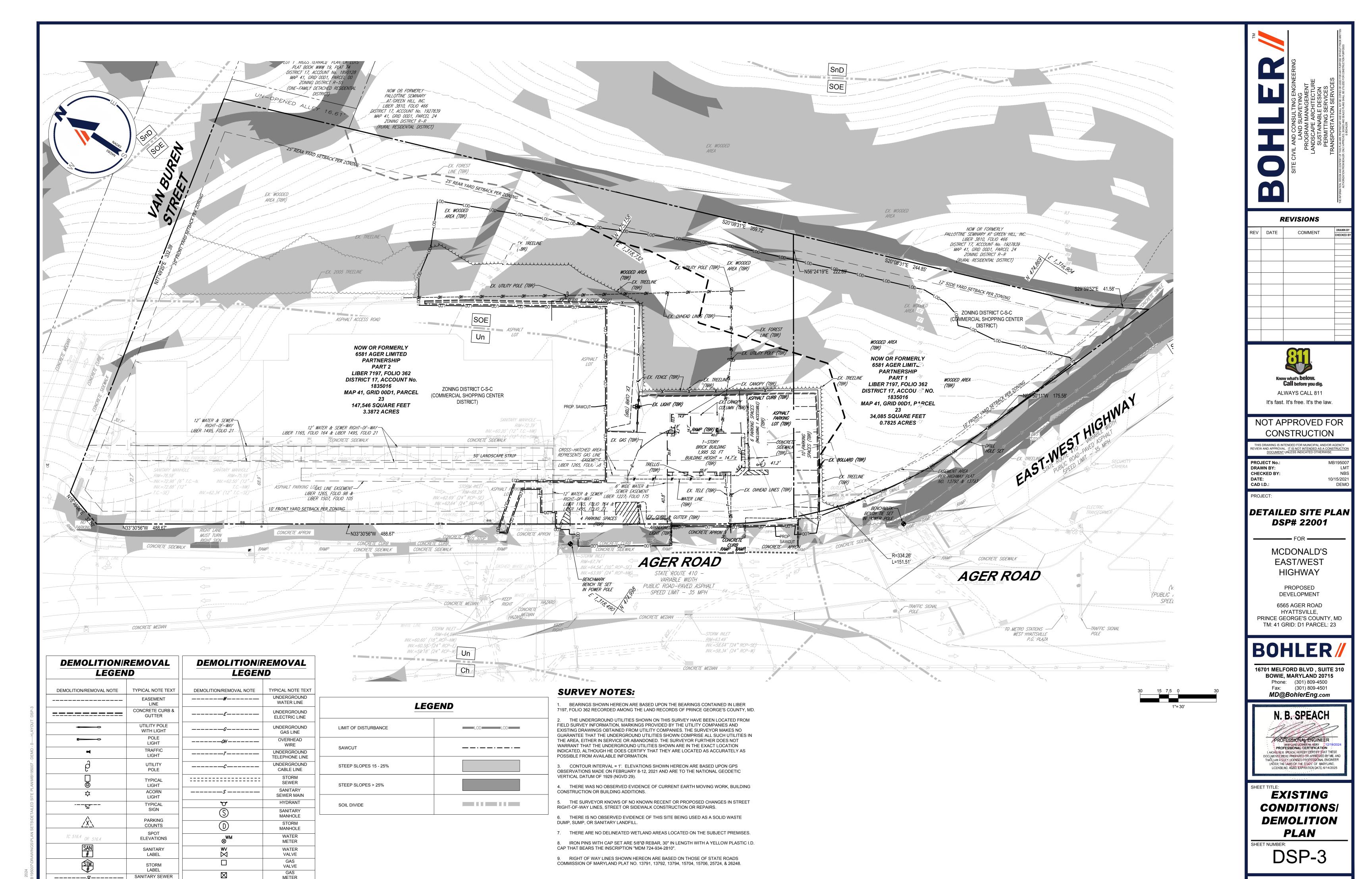
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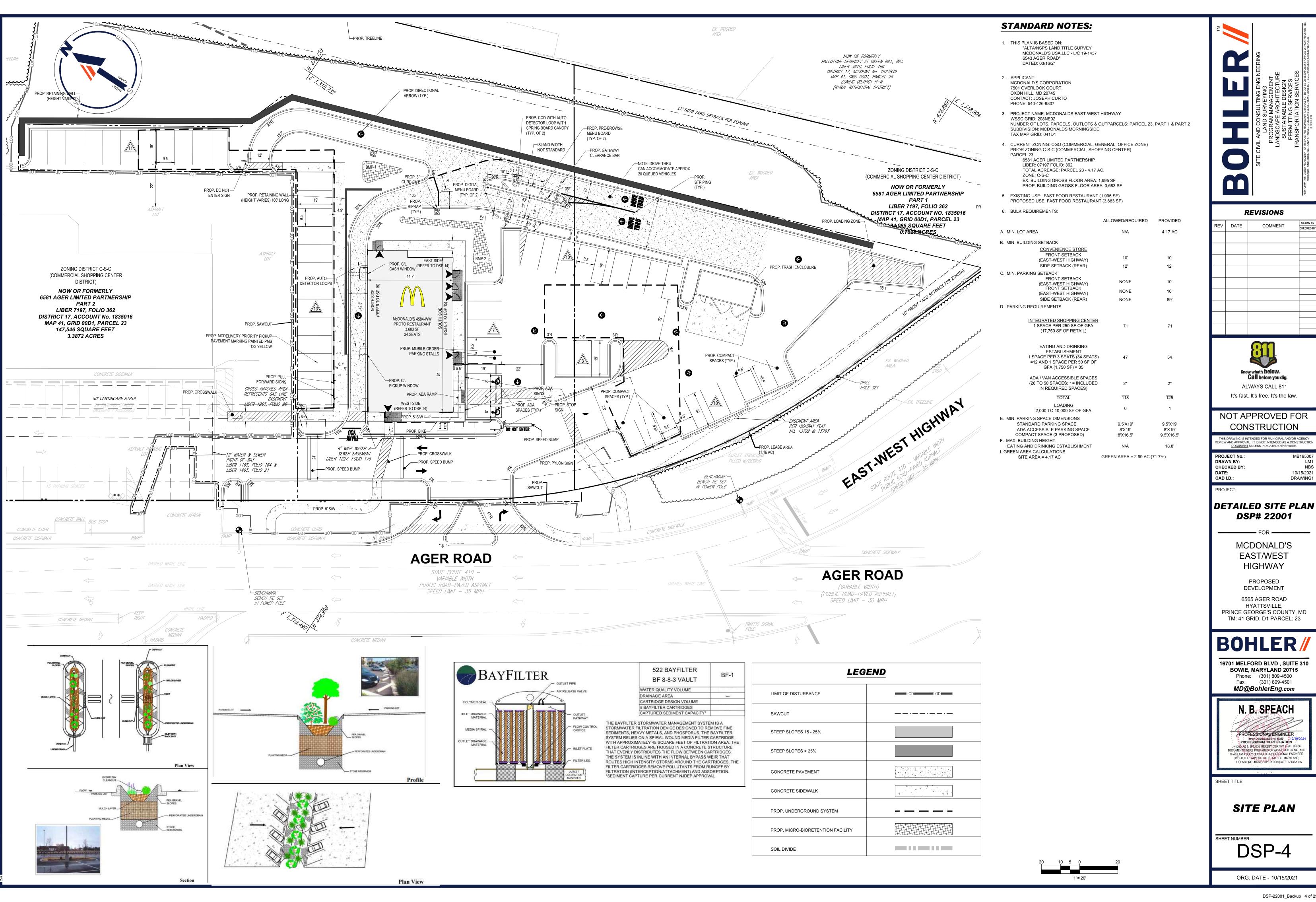
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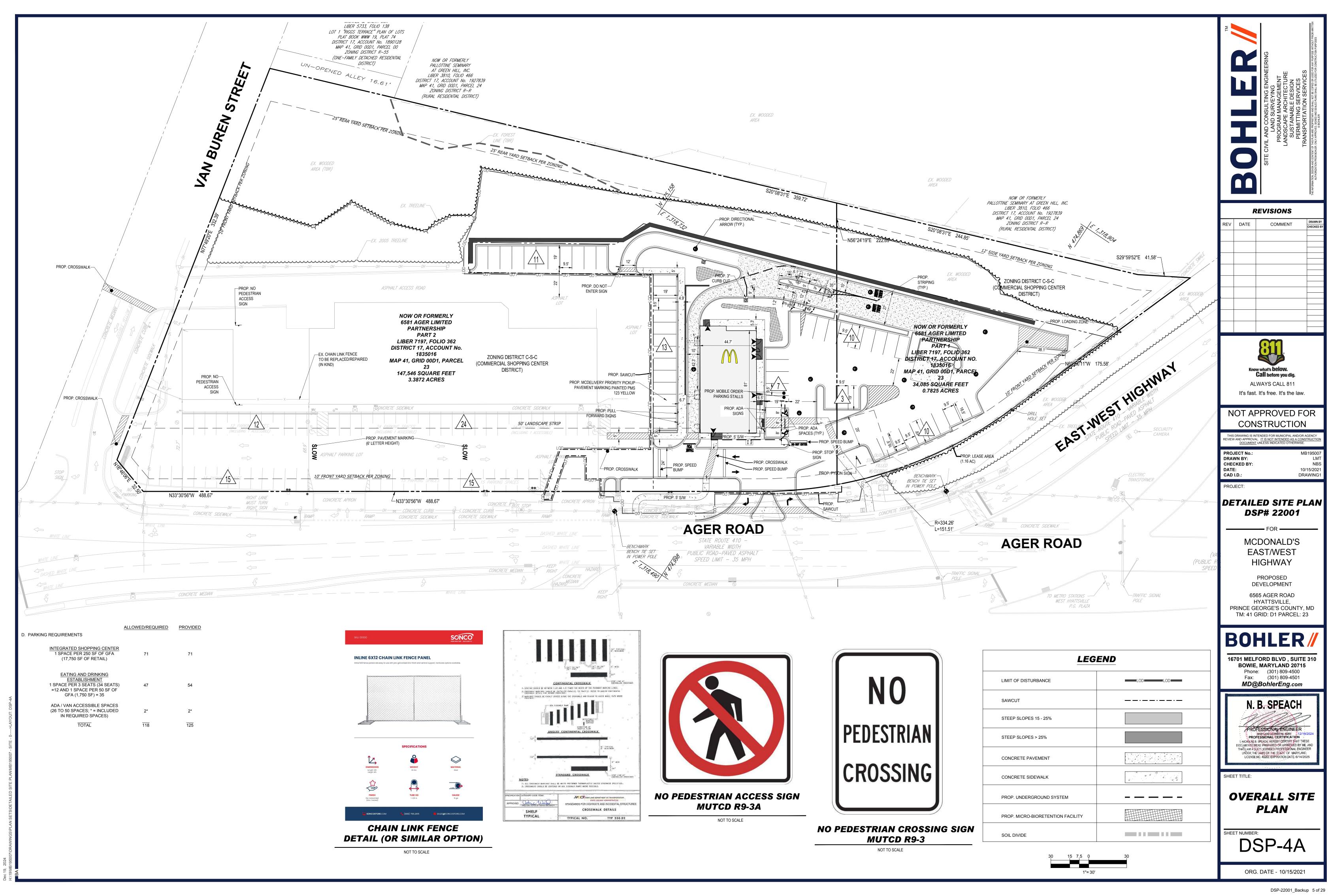
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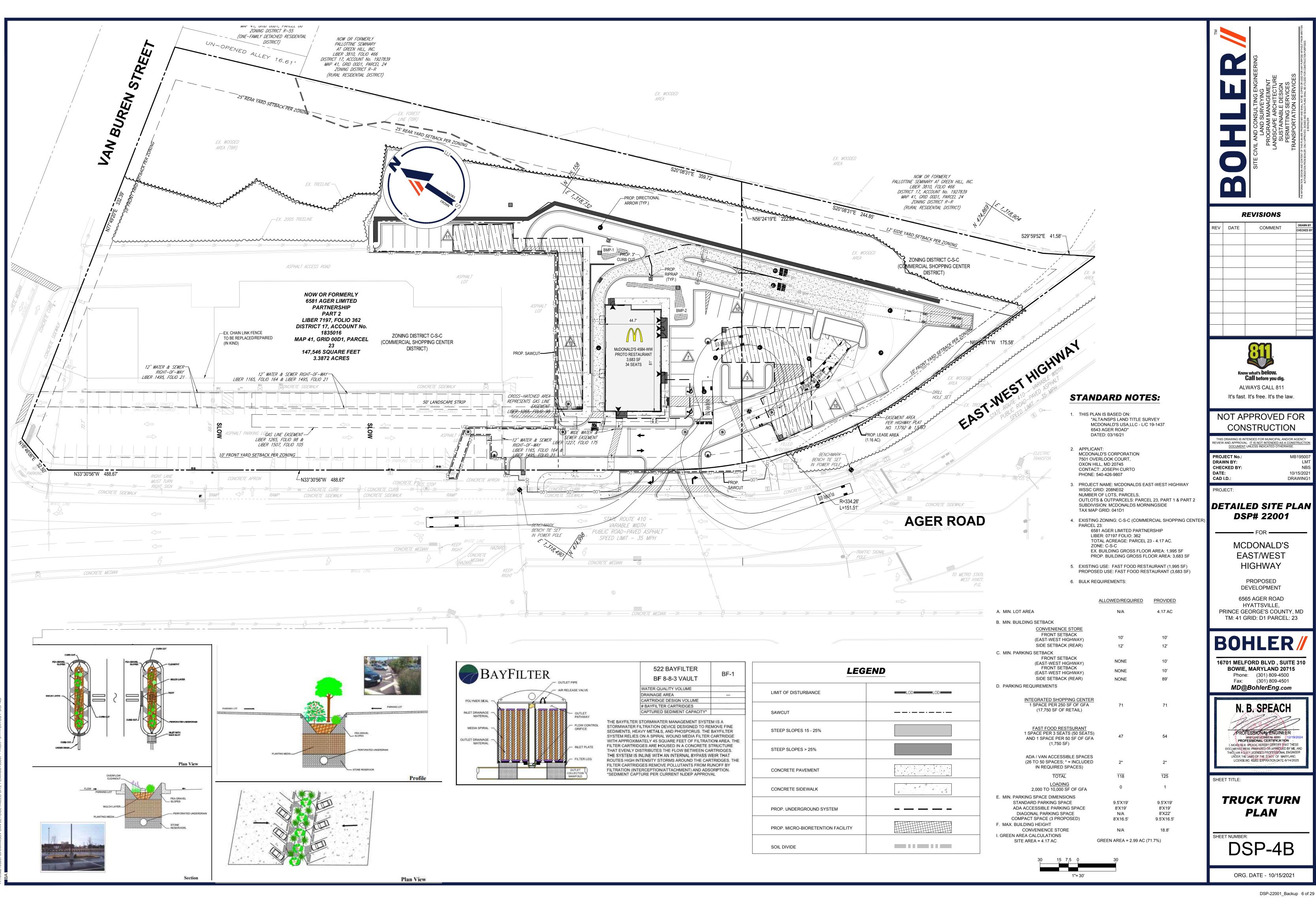
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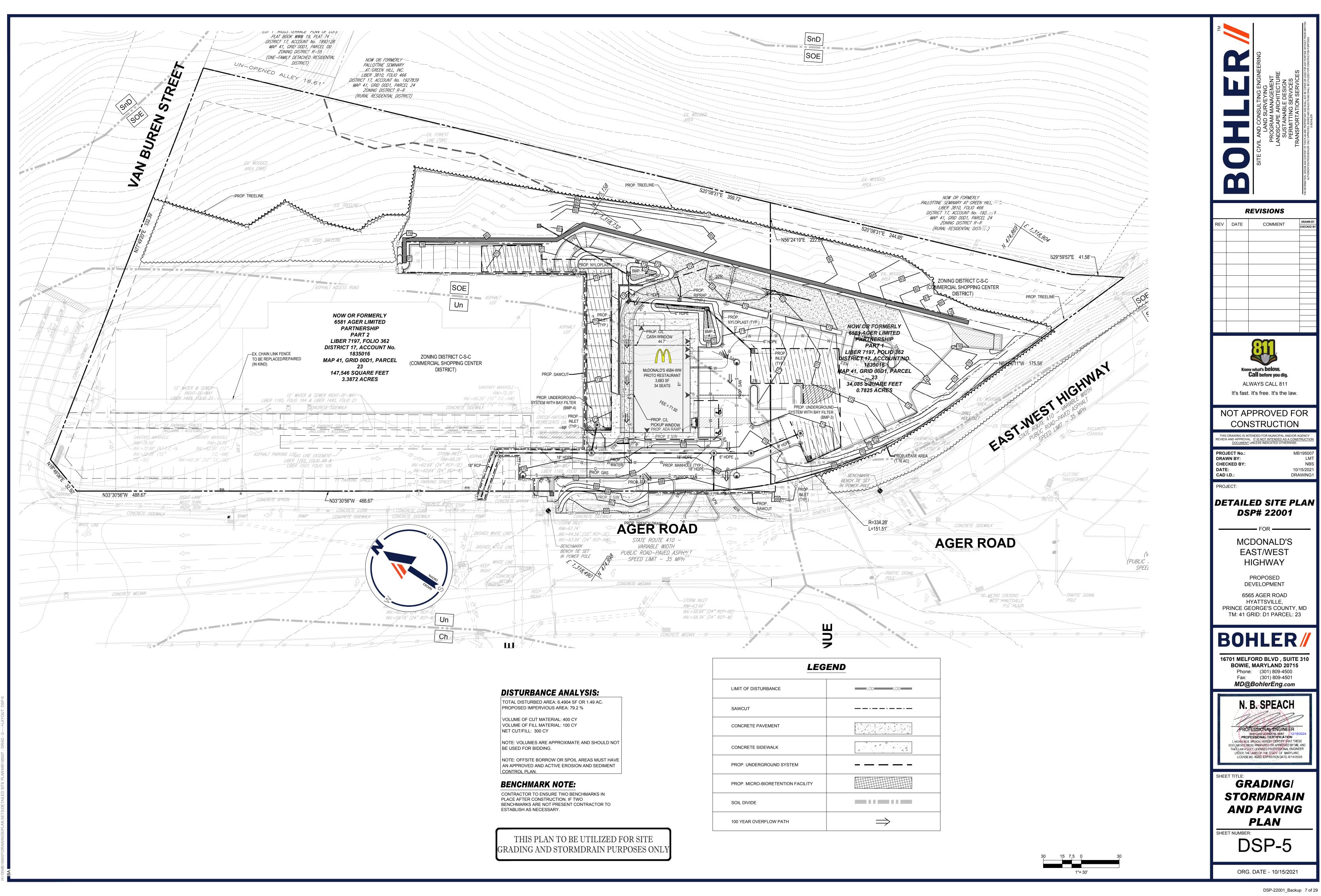


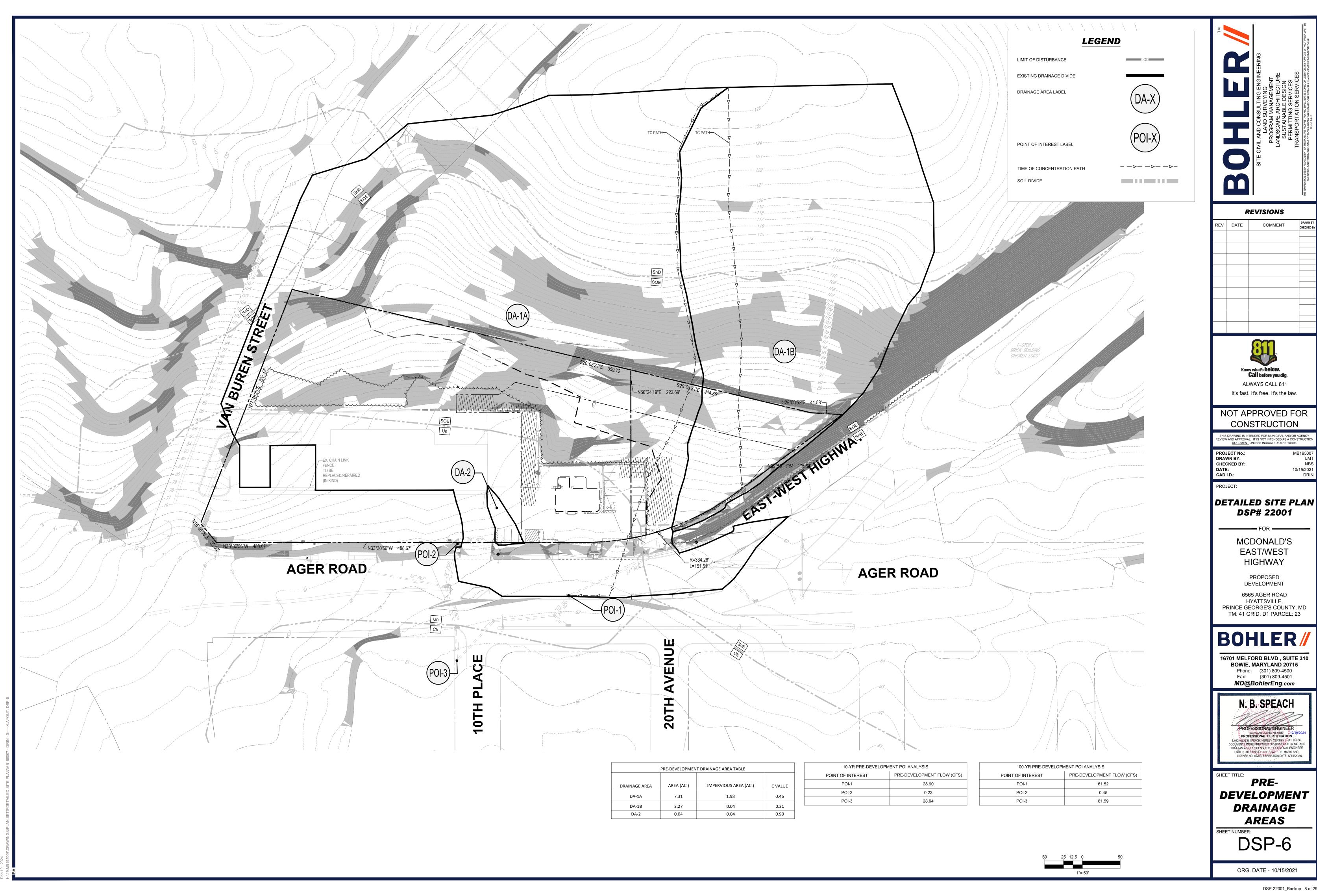
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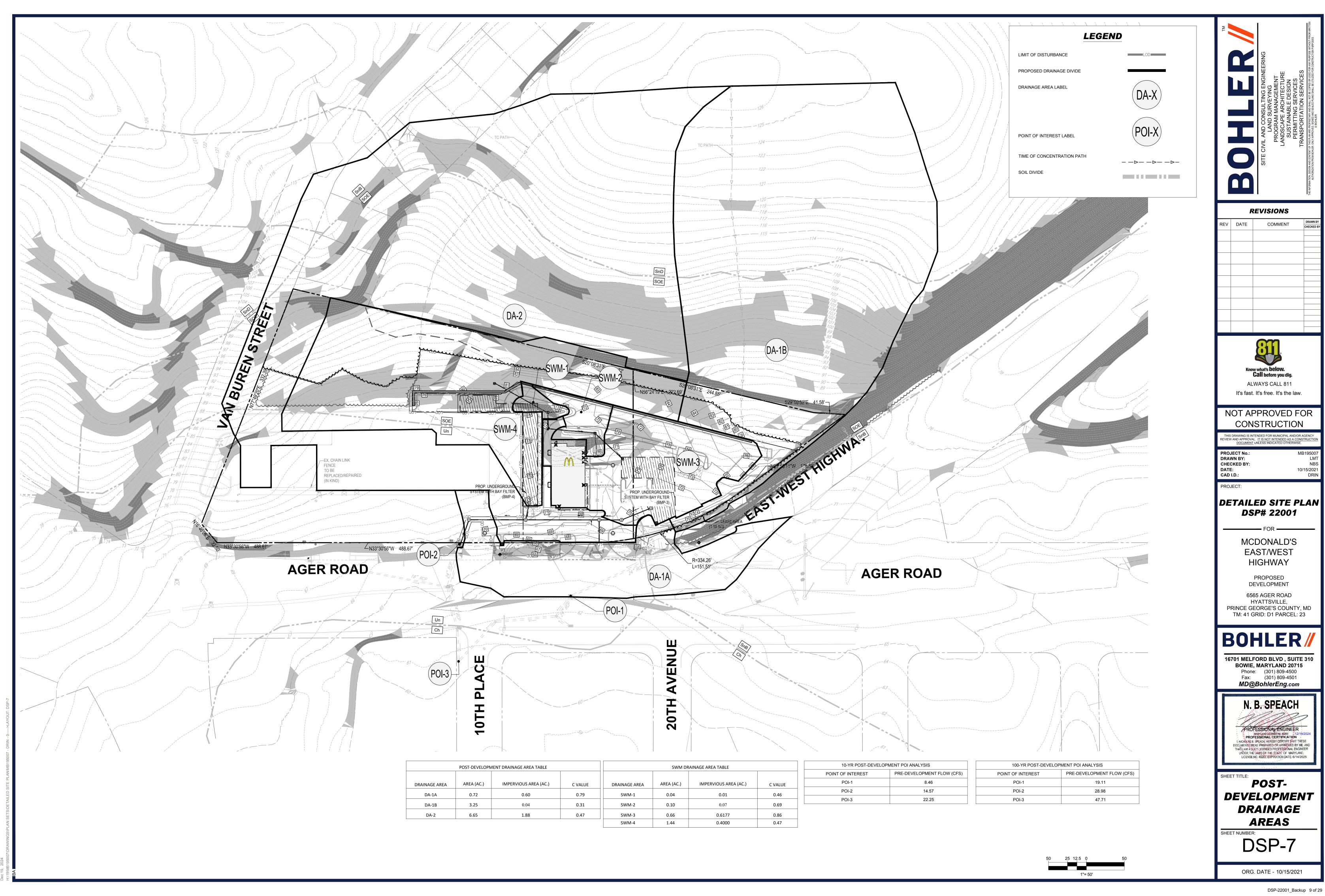
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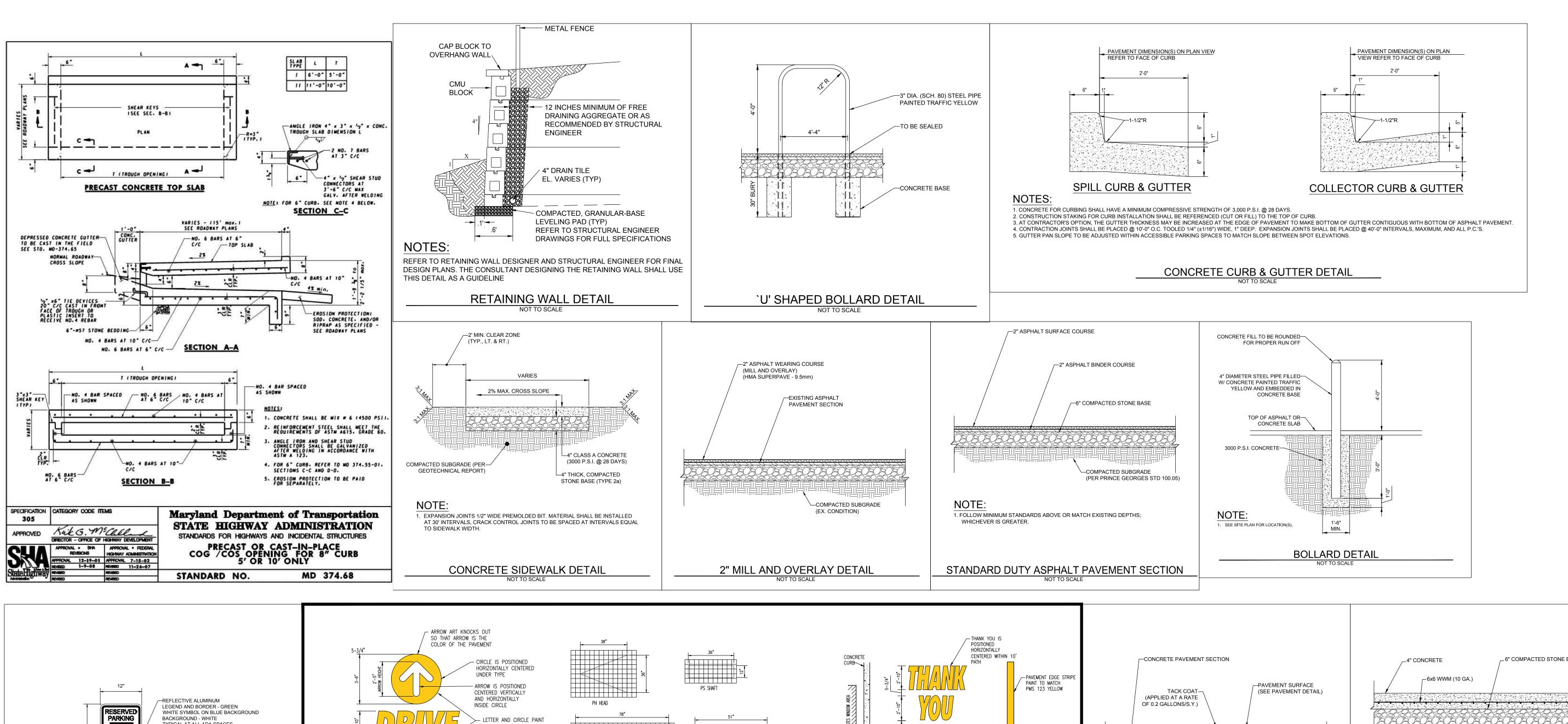


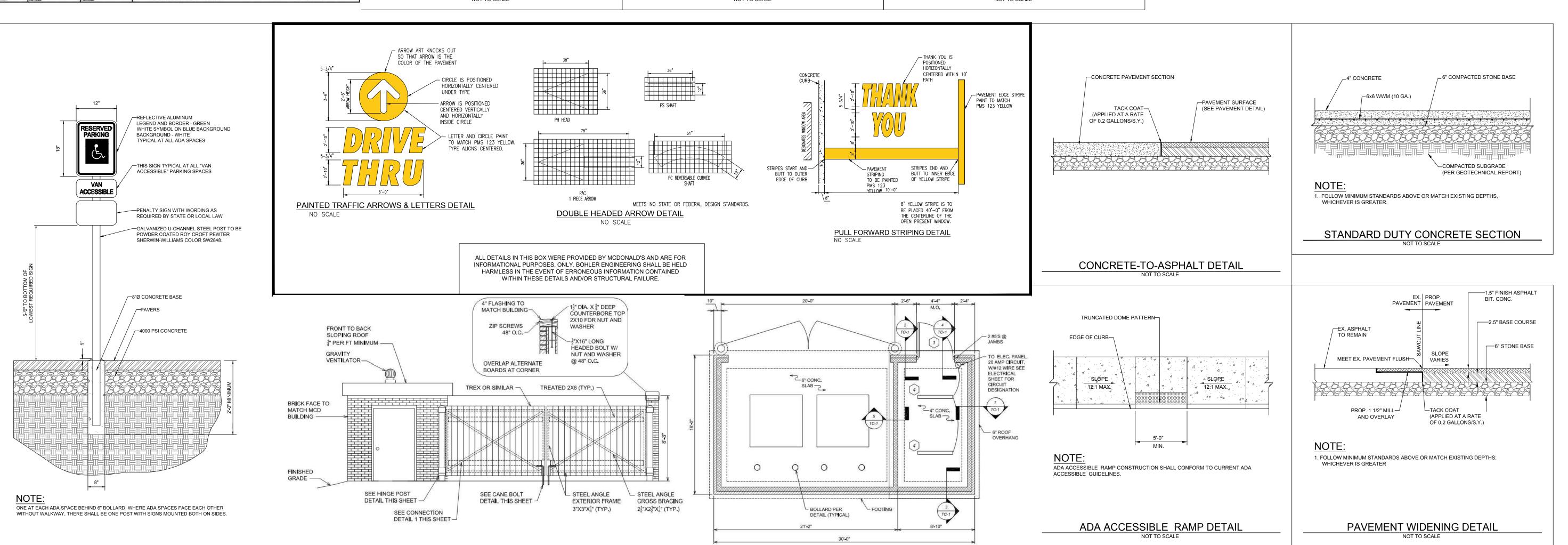










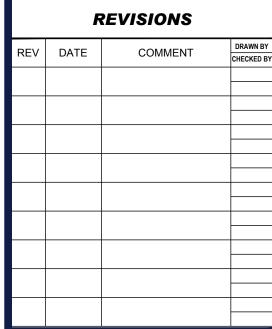


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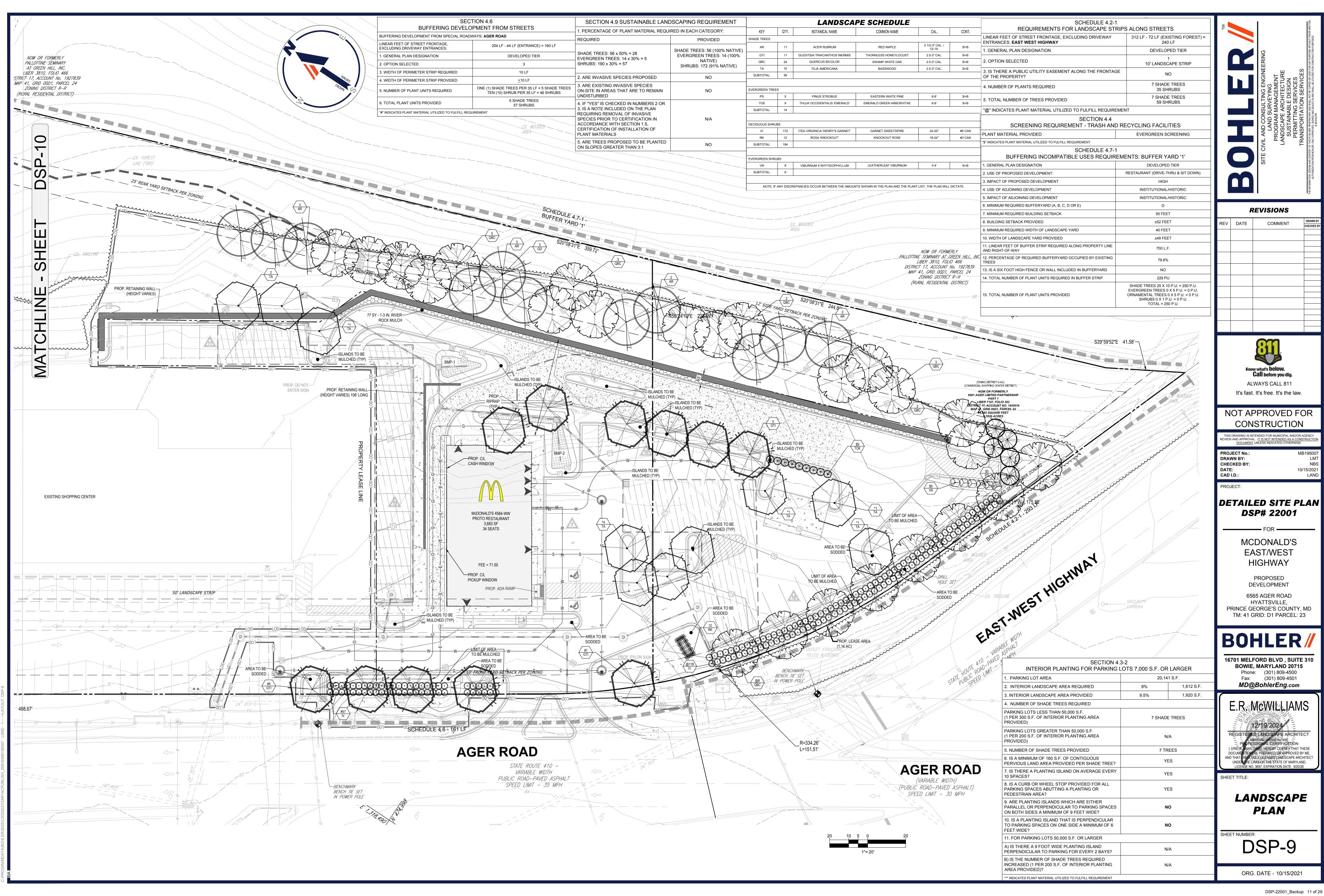
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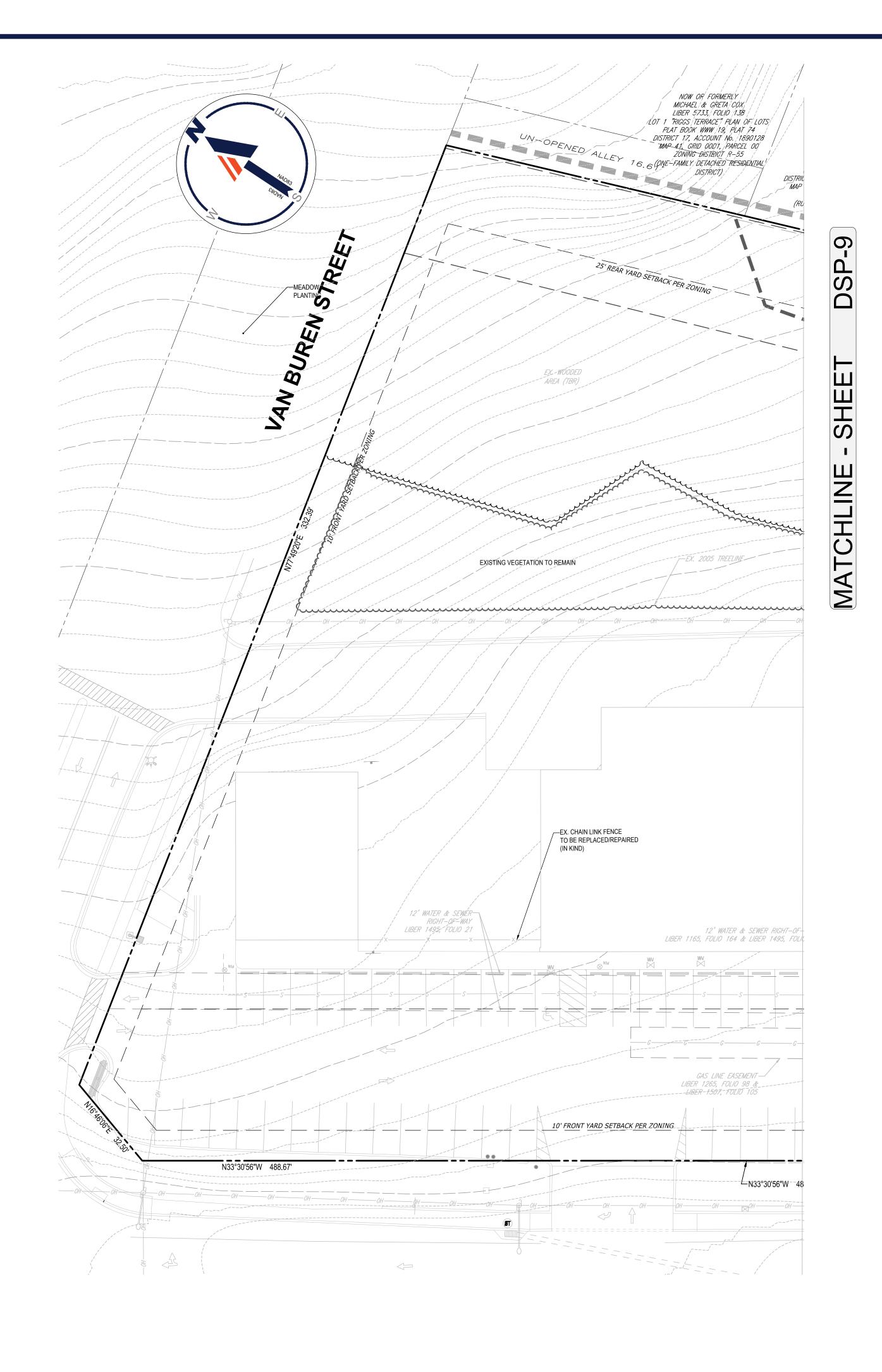
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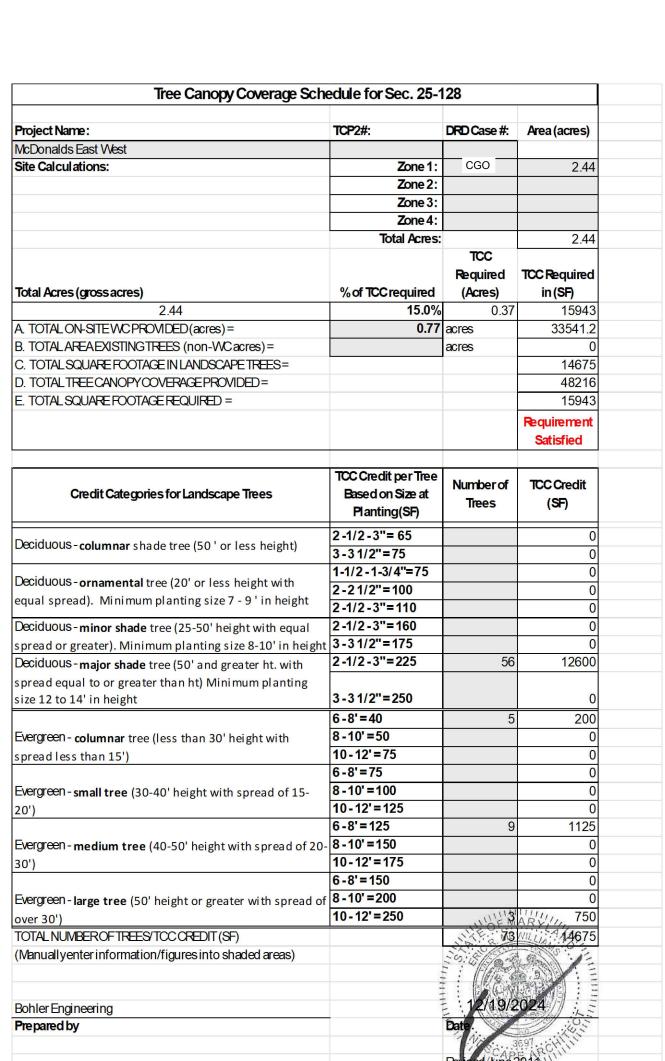
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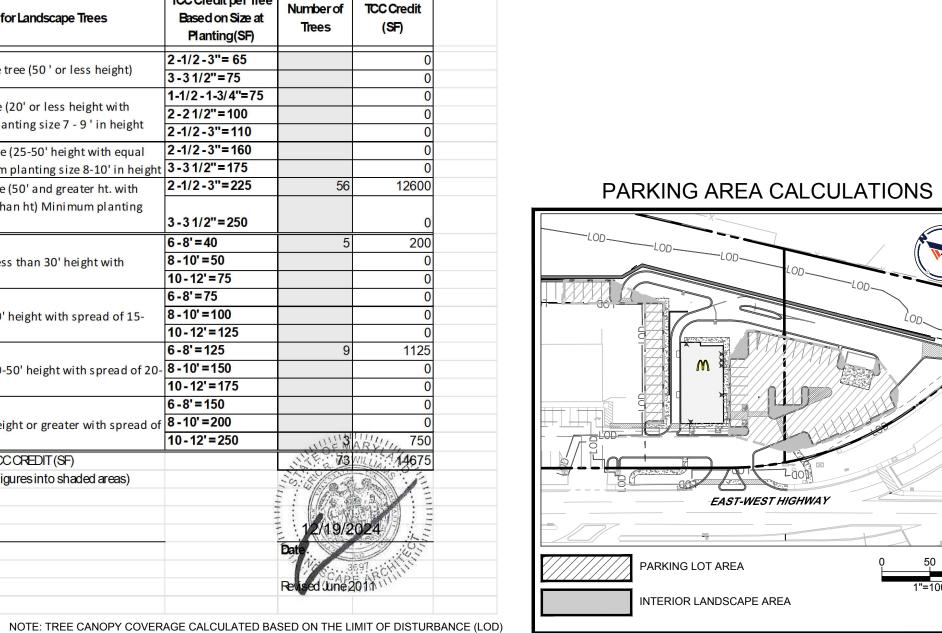
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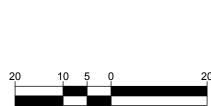
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LANDSCAPE PLAN

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LANDSCAPE SPECIFICATIONS

HE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PERFORM ALL CLEARING, FINISHED GRADING, SOIL PREPARATION, PERMANENT SEEDING OR SODDING, PLANTING AND MULCHING INCLUDING ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETION OF THIS PROJECT, UNLESS OTHERWISE CONTRACTED BY THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR.

- A. GENERAL ALL HARDSCAPE MATERIALS SHALL MEET OR EXCEED SPECIFICATIONS AS OUTLINED IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S SPECIFICATIONS
- B. TOPSOIL NATURAL, FRIABLE, LOAMY SILT SOIL HAVING AN ORGANIC CONTENT NOT LESS THAN 5%, A PH RANGE BETWEEN 4.5-7.0. IT SHALL BE FREE OF DEBRIS, ROCKS LARGER THAN ONE INCH (1"), WOOD, ROOTS, VEGETABLE MATTER AND CLAY CLODS
- C. LAWN ALL DISTURBED AREAS ARE TO BE TREATED WITH A MINIMUM SIX INCH (6") THICK LAYER OF TOPSOIL, OR AS DIRECTED BY THE LOCAL ORDINANCE OR CLIENT, AND SEEDED OR SODDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PERMANENT STABILIZATION METHODS INDICATED WITHIN THE SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL NOTES. 1.1. LAWN SEED MIXTURE SHALL BE FRESH, CLEAN NEW CROP SEED 1.2. SOD SHALL BE STRONGLY ROOTED. WEED AND DISEASE/PEST FREE WITH A UNIFORM THICKNESS. 1.3. SOD INSTALLED ON SLOPES GREATER THAN 4:1 SHALL BE PEGGED TO HOLD SOD IN PLACE.
- D. MULCH THE MULCH AROUND THE PERIMETER OF THE BUILDING SHALL BE A 3" LAYER OF DOUBLE SHREDDED BLACK CEDAR MULCH ONLY. ALL OTHER AREAS SHALL BE MULCHED WITH A 3" LAYER OF DOUBLE SHREDDED DARK BROWN HARDWOOD BARK MULCH, UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED ON THE LANDSCAPE PLAN.

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- 1.1. FERTILIZER SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE SITE MIXED AS SPECIFIED IN THE ORIGINAL UNOPENED STANDARD BAGS SHOWING WEIGHT, ANALYSIS AND NAME OF MANUFACTURER. FERTILIZER SHALL BE STORED IN A
- WEATHERPROOF PLACE SO THAT IT CAN BE KEPT DRY PRIOR TO USE. 1.2. FOR THE PURPOSE OF BIDDING, ASSUME THAT FERTILIZER SHALL BE 10% NITROGEN, 6% PHOSPHORUS AND 4% POTASSIUM BY WEIGHT. A FERTILIZER SHOULD NOT BE SELECTED WITHOUT A SOIL TEST PERFORMED BY A CERTIFIED SOIL LABORATORY

F PLANT MATERIAL

- 1.1. ALL PLANTS SHALL IN ALL CASES CONFORM TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE "AMERICAN STANDARD FOR NURSERY STOCK" (ANSI Z60.1), LATEST EDITION, AS PUBLISHED BY THE AMERICAN NURSERY & LANDSCAPE
- 1.2. IN ALL CASES, BOTANICAL NAMES SHALL TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER COMMON NAMES FOR ANY AND ALL PLANT MATERIAL
- 1.3. PLANTS SHALL BE LEGIBLY TAGGED WITH THE PROPER NAME AND SIZE. TAGS ARE TO REMAIN ON AT I FAST ONE PLANT OF EACH SPECIES FOR VERIFICATION PURPOSES DURING THE FINAL INSPECTION. 1.4. TREES WITH ABRASION OF THE BARK, SUN SCALDS, DISFIGURATION OR FRESH CUTS OF LIMBS OVER 11/4", WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN COMPLETELY CALLUSED. SHALL BE REJECTED PLANTS SHALL NOT BE BOUND WITH
- WIRE OR ROPE AT ANY TIME SO AS TO DAMAGE THE BARK OR BREAK BRANCHES. 1.5. ALL PLANTS SHALL BE TYPICAL OF THEIR SPECIES OR VARIETY AND SHALL HAVE A NORMAL HABIT OF GROWTH: WELL DEVELOPED BRANCHES, DENSELY FOLIATED, VIGOROUS ROOT SYSTEMS AND BE FREE OF DISEASE, INSECTS, PESTS, EGGS OR LARVAE
- 1.6. CALIPER MEASUREMENTS OF NURSERY GROWN TREES SHALL BE TAKEN AT A POINT ON THE TRUNK SIX INCHES (6") ABOVE THE NATURAL GRADE FOR TREES UP TO AND INCLUDING A FOUR INCH (4") CALIPER SIZE. IF THE CALIPER AT SIX INCHES (6") ABOVE THE GROUND EXCEEDS FOUR INCHES (4") IN CALIPER, THE CALIPER SHOULD BE MEASURED AT A POINT 12" ABOVE THE NATURAL GRADE.
- 1.7. SHRUBS SHALL BE MEASURED TO THE AVERAGE HEIGHT OR SPREAD OF THE SHRUB, AND NOT TO THE LONGEST BRANCH

1.8. TREES AND SHRUBS SHALL BE HANDLED WITH CARE BY THE ROOT BALL

- A. CONTRACTOR TO UTILIZE WORKMANLIKE INDUSTRY STANDARDS IN PERFORMING ALL LANDSCAPE CONSTRUCTION. THE SITE IS TO BE LEFT IN A CLEAN STATE AT THE END OF EACH WORKDAY. ALL DEBRIS, MATERIALS AND TOOLS SHALL BE PROPERLY STORED. STOCKPILED OR DISPOSED OF
- B. WASTE MATERIALS AND DEBRIS SHALL BE COMPLETELY DISPOSED OF AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE. DEBRIS SHALL NOT BE BURIED, INCLUDING ORGANIC MATERIALS, BUT SHALL BE REMOVED COMPLETELY FROM THE SITE.
- A. BEFORE AND DURING PRELIMINARY GRADING AND FINISHED GRADING, ALL WEEDS AND GRASSES SHALL BE DUG OUT BY THE ROOTS AND DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL WORK PROCEDURES OUTLINED HEREIN.
- B. ALL EXISTING TREES TO REMAIN SHALL BE PRUNED TO REMOVE ANY DAMAGED BRANCHES. THE ENTIRE LIMB OF ANY DAMAGED BRANCH SHALL BE CUT OFF AT THE TRUNK. CONTRACTOR SHALL ENSURE THAT CUTS ARE SMOOTH AND STRAIGHT. ANY EXPOSED ROOTS SHALL BE CUT BACK WITH CLEAN, SHARP TOOLS AND TOPSOIL SHALL BE PLACED AROUND THE REMAINDER OF THE ROOTS. EXISTING TREES SHALL BE MONITORED ON A REGULAR BASIS FOR ADDITIONAL ROOT OR BRANCH DAMAGE AS A RESULT OF CONSTRUCTION. ROOTS SHALL NOT BE LEFT EXPOSED FOR MORE THAN ONE (1) DAY. CONTRACTOR SHALL WATER EXISTING TREES AS NEEDED TO PREVENT SHOCK OR DECLINE
- C. CONTRACTOR SHALL ARRANGE TO HAVE A UTILITY STAKE-OUT TO LOCATE ALL UNDERGROUND UTILITIES PRIOR TO INSTALLATION OF ANY LANDSCAPE MATERIAL. UTILITY COMPANIES SHALL BE CONTACTED THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF WORK

- A. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROTECTION OF ALL EXISTING TREES TO REMAIN. A TREE PROTECTION ZONE SHALL BE ESTABLISHED AT THE DRIP LINE OR 15 FEET FROM THE TRUNK OR AT THE LIMIT OF CONSTRUCTION DISTURBANCE, WHICHEVER IS GREATER. LOCAL STANDARDS THAT MAY REQUIRE A MORE STRICT TREE PROTECTION ZONE SHALL BE HONORED.
- . A FORTY-EIGHT INCH (48") HIGH WOODEN SNOW FENCE OR ORANGE COLORED HIGH-DENSITY 'VISI-FENCE', OR APPROVED EQUAL, MOUNTED ON STEEL POSTS SHALL BE PLACED ALONG THE BOUNDARY OF THE TREE PROTECTION ZONE. POSTS SHALL BE LOCATED AT A MAXIMUM OF EIGHT FEET (8') ON CENTER OR AS INDICATED WITHIN THE TREE PROTECTION DETAIL.
- C. WHEN THE TREE PROTECTION FENCING HAS BEEN INSTALLED, IT SHALL BE INSPECTED BY THE APPROVING AGENCY PRIOR TO DEMOLITION, GRADING, TREE CLEARING OR ANY OTHER CONSTRUCTION. THE FENCING MAINTAINED UNTIL ALL CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY HAS BEEN COMPLETED.
- D. AT NO TIME SHALL MACHINERY, DEBRIS, FALLEN TREES OR OTHER MATERIALS BE PLACED, STOCKPILED OR LEFT STANDING IN THE TREE PROTECTION ZONE.

- A. CONTRACTOR SHALL ATTAIN A SOIL TEST FOR ALL AREAS OF THE SITE PRIOR TO CONDUCTING ANY PLANTING. SOIL TESTS SHALL BE PERFORMED BY A CERTIFIED SOIL LABORATORY
- THE GROWTH OF PLANT MATERIAL. SOIL MODIFICATIONS, AS SPECIFIED HEREIN, MAY NEED TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR DEPENDING ON SITE CONDITIONS.
- PERFORMED BY A CERTIFIED SOIL LABORATORY
- 1.1. TO INCREASE A SANDY SOIL'S ABILITY TO RETAIN WATER AND NUTRIENTS, THOROUGHLY TILL ORGANIC MATTER INTO THE TOP 6-12". USE COMPOSTED BARK, COMPOSTED LEAF MULCH OR PEAT MOSS. ALL
- 1.2 TO INCREASE DRAINAGE MODIFY HEAVY CLAY OR SILT (MORE THAN 40% CLAY OR SILT) BY ADDING COMPOSTED PINE BARK (UP TO 30% BY VOLUME) AND/OR AGRICULTURAL GYPSUM. COARSE SAND MAY BE USED IF ENOUGH IS ADDED TO BRING THE SAND CONTENT TO MORE THAN 60% OF THE TOTAL MIX.

- A. UNLESS OTHERWISE CONTRACTED, THE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF TOPSOIL AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF FINE-GRADING WITHIN THE DISTURBANCE AREA OF THE
- B. LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THAT SUBGRADE FOR INSTALLATION OF TOPSOIL HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED. THE SUBGRADE OF THE SITE MUST MEET THE FINISHED GRADE LESS THE REQUIRED TOPSOIL
- C. ALL LAWN AND PLANTING AREAS SHALL BE GRADED TO A SMOOTH, EVEN AND UNIFORM PLANE WITH NO ABRUPT CHANGE OF SURFACE AS DEPICTED WITHIN THIS SET OF CONSTRUCTION PLANS, UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED 13. CLEANUF BY THE PROJECT ENGINEER OR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT.
- D. ALL PLANTING AREAS SHALL BE GRADED AND MAINTAINED TO ALLOW FREE FLOW OF SURFACE WATER IN AND AROUND THE PLANTING BEDS. STANDING WATER SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED IN PLANTING BEDS.
- LOCAL ORDINANCE OR CLIENT, IN ALL PLANTING AREAS. TOPSOIL SHOULD BE SPREAD OVER A PREPARED SURFACE IN A UNIFORM LAYER TO ACHIEVE THE DESIRED COMPACTED THICKNESS.
- B. ON-SITE TOPSOIL MAY BE USED TO SUPPLEMENT THE TOTAL AMOUNT REQUIRED. TOPSOIL FROM THE SITE MAY
-). ALL PLANTING AND LAWN AREAS ARE TO BE CULTIVATED TO A DEPTH OF SIX INCHES (6"). ALL DEBRIS EXPOSED FROM EXCAVATION AND CULTIVATION SHALL BE DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERAL WORK PROCEDURES SECTION ABOVE. THE FOLLOWING SHALL BE TILLED INTO THE TOP FOUR INCHES (4") IN TWO DIRECTIONS (QUANTITIES BASED ON A 1 000 SQUARE FOOT AREA) 1.1. 20 POUNDS 'GROW POWER' OR APPROVED EQUAL
- E. THE SPREADING OF TOPSOIL SHALL NOT BE CONDUCTED UNDER MUDDY OR FROZEN CONDITIONS.

- A. INSOFAR THAT IT IS FEASIBLE, PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE PLANTED ON THE DAY OF DELIVERY. IN THE EVENT THAT THIS IS NOT POSSIBLE, LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT UNINSTALLED PLANT MATERIAL. PLANTS SHALL NOT REMAIN UNPLANTED FOR LONGER THAN A THREE DAY PERIOD AFTER DELIVERY. PLANTS THAT WILL NOT BE PLANTED FOR A PERIOD OF TIME GREATER THAN THREE DAYS SHALL BE HEALED IN WITH
- B PLANTING OPERATIONS SHALL BE PERFORMED DURING PERIODS WITHIN THE PLANTING SEASON WHEN WEATHER AND SOIL CONDITIONS ARE SUITABLE AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACCEPTED LOCAL PRACTICE
- C. ANY INJURED ROOTS OR BRANCHES SHALL BE PRUNED TO MAKE CLEAN-CUT ENDS PRIOR TO PLANTING
- D. ALL PLANTING CONTAINERS AND NON-BIODEGRADABLE MATERIALS SHALL BE REMOVED FROM ROOT BALLS DURING PLANTING. NATURAL FIBER BURLAP MUST BE CUT FROM AROUND THE TRUNK OF THE TREE AND FOLDED DOWN AGAINST THE ROOT BALL PRIOR TO BACKELLING
- E. POSITION TREES AND SHRUBS AT THEIR INTENDED LOCATIONS AS PER THE PLANS AND SECURE THE APPROVAL OF THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT PRIOR TO EXCAVATING PITS, MAKING NECESSARY ADJUSTMENTS AS DIRECTED.
- F. PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF ANY CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY, THE PROPOSED LANDSCAPE, AS SHOWN ON THE APPROVED LANDSCAPE PLAN. MUST BE INSTALLED. INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE APPROVING AGENCY. THE APPROVING AGENCY SHALL TAKE INTO ACCOUNT SEASONAL CONSIDERATIONS IN THIS REGARD AS FOLLOWS. THE PLANTING OF TREES, SHRUBS, VINES OR GROUND COVER SHALL OCCUR ONLY DURING THE FOLLOWING PLANTING SEASONS
- 1.1. PLANTS: MARCH 15 TO DECEMBER 15
- 1.2. LAWN: MARCH 15 TO JUNE 15 OR SEPT. 1 TO DECEMBER 1
- G. PLANTINGS REQUIRED FOR A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY SHALL BE PROVIDED DURING THE NEXT APPROPRIATE SEASON AT THE MUNICIPALITY'S DISCRETION. CONTRACTOR SHOULD CONTACT APPROVING AGENCY FOR POTENTIAL SUBSTITUTIONS.
- H. FURTHERMORE, THE FOLLOWING TREE VARIETIES ARE UNUSUALLY SUSCEPTIBLE TO WINTER DAMAGE. WITH TRANSPLANT SHOCK AND THE SEASONAL LACK OF NITROGEN AVAILABILITY. THE RISK OF PLANT DEATH IS GREATLY INCREASED. IT IS NOT RECOMMENDED THAT THESE SPECIES BE PLANTED DURING THE FALL PLANTING
- ACER RUBRUM PLATANUS X ACERIFOLIA BETULA VARIETIES POPULOUS VARIETIES CARPINUS VARIETIES PRUNUS VARIETIES CRATAEGUS VARIETIES PYRUS VARIETIES QUERCUS VARIETIES LIQUIDAMBER STYRACIFLUA TILIA TOMENTOSA LIRIODENDRON TULIPIFERA ZELKOVA VARIETIES
- PLANTING PITS SHALL BE DUG WITH LEVEL BOTTOMS, WITH THE WIDTH TWICE THE DIAMETER OF ROOT BALL. THE ROOT BALL SHALL REST ON UNDISTURBED GRADE. EACH PLANT PIT SHALL BE BACKFILLED IN LAYERS WITH THE FOLLOWING PREPARED SOIL MIXED THOROUGHLY: • 1 PART PEAT MOSS
- 1 PART COMPOSTED COW MANURE BY VOLUME • 3 PARTS TOPSOIL BY VOLUME
- 21 GRAMS 'AGRIFORM' PLANTING TABLETS (OR APPROVED EQUAL) AS FOLLOWS:
- A) 2 TABLETS PER 1 GALLON PLANT B) 3 TABLETS PER 5 GALLON PLANT
- C) 4 TABLETS PER 15 GALLON PLANT D) LARGER PLANTS: 2 TABLETS PER ½" CALIPER OF TRUNK
- J. FILL PREPARED SOIL AROUND BALL OF PLANT HALF-WAY AND INSERT PLANT TABLETS. COMPLETE BACKFILL AND
- K. ALL PLANTS SHALL BE PLANTED SO THAT THE TOP OF THE ROOT BALL. THE POINT AT WHICH THE ROOT FLARE BEGINS, IS SET AT GROUND LEVEL AND IN THE CENTER OF THE PIT. NO SOIL IS TO BE PLACED DIRECTLY ON TOP
- ALL PROPOSED TREES DIRECTLY ADJACENT TO WALKWAYS OR DRIVEWAYS SHALL BE PRUNED AND MAINTAINED TO A MINIMUM BRANCHING HEIGHT OF 7' FROM GRADE.
- M. GROUND COVER AREAS SHALL RECEIVE A 1/4" LAYER OF HUMUS RAKED INTO THE TOP 1" OF PREPARED SOIL PRIOR TO PLANTING. ALL GROUND COVER AREAS SHALL BE WEEDED AND TREATED WITH A PRE-EMERGENT CHEMICAL AS PER MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATION
- N. NO PLANT, EXCEPT GROUND COVERS, GRASSES OR VINES, SHALL BE PLANTED LESS THAN TWO FEET (2') FROM EXISTING STRUCTURES AND SIDEWALKS.
- O. ALL PLANTING AREAS AND PLANTING PITS SHALL BE MULCHED AS SPECIFIED HEREIN TO FILL THE ENTIRE BED AREA OR SAUCER. NO MULCH IS TO TOUCH THE TRUNK OF THE TREE OR SHRUB.
- P. ALL PLANTING AREAS SHALL BE WATERED IMMEDIATELY UPON INSTALLATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WATERING SPECIFICATIONS AS LISTED HEREIN.

MUNICIPALITY'S TREE REPLACEMENT GUIDELINES.

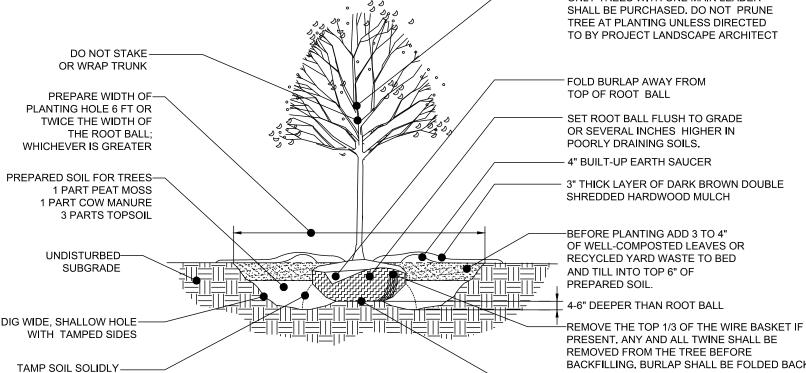
- A. ALL TRANSPLANTS SHALL BE DUG WITH INTACT ROOT BALLS CAPABLE OF SUSTAINING THE PLANT. B. IF PLANTS ARE TO BE STOCKPILED BEFORE REPLANTING, THEY SHALL BE HEALED IN WITH MULCH OR SOIL,
- ADEQUATELY WATERED AND PROTECTED FROM EXTREME HEAT, SUN AND WIND.
- C. PLANTS SHALL NOT BE DUG FOR TRANSPLANTING BETWEEN APRIL 10 AND JUNE 30.
- D. UPON REPLANTING, BACKFILL SOIL SHALL BE AMENDED WITH FERTILIZER AND ROOT GROWTH HORMONE.
- E. TRANSPLANTS SHALL BE GUARANTEED FOR THE LENGTH OF THE GUARANTEE PERIOD SPECIFIED HEREIN. F. IF TRANSPLANTS DIE, SHRUBS AND TREES LESS THAN SIX INCHES (6") DBH SHALL BE REPLACED IN KIND. TREES GREATER THAN SIX INCHES (6") DBH MAY BE REQUIRED TO BE REPLACED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
- A. NEW PLANTINGS OR LAWN AREAS SHALL BE ADEQUATELY IRRIGATED BEGINNING IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLANTING. WATER SHALL BE APPLIED TO EACH TREE AND SHRUB IN SUCH MANNER AS NOT TO DISTURB BACKFILL AND TO THE EXTENT THAT ALL MATERIALS IN THE PLANTING HOLE ARE THOROUGHLY SATURATED. WATERING SHALL CONTINUE AT LEAST UNTIL PLANTS ARE ESTABLISHED
- B. SITE OWNER SHALL PROVIDE WATER IF AVAILABLE ON SITE AT TIME OF PLANTING. IF WATER IS NOT AVAILABLE ON SITE, CONTRACTOR SHALL SUPPLY ALL NECESSARY WATER. THE USE OF WATERING BAGS IS RECOMMENDED FOR ALL NEWLY PLANTED TREES.
- C. IF AN IRRIGATION SYSTEM HAS BEEN INSTALLED ON THE SITE, IT SHALL BE USED TO WATER PROPOSED PLANT MATERIAL, BUT ANY FAILURE OF THE SYSTEM DOES NOT ELIMINATE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY OF MAINTAINING THE DESIRED MOISTURE LEVEL FOR VIGOROUS, HEALTHY GROWTH.

- A. THE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL GUARANTEE ALL PLANTS FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR FROM APPROVAL OF LANDSCAPE INSTALLATION BY THE APPROVING AGENCY. CONTRACTOR SHALL SUPPLY THE OWNER WITH A MAINTENANCE BOND FOR TEN PERCENT (10%) OF THE VALUE OF THE LANDSCAPE INSTALLATION WHICH WILL BE RELEASED AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE GUARANTEE PERIOD AND WHEN A FINAL INSPECTION HAS BEEN COMPLETED AND APPROVED BY THE OWNER OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE.
- B. ANY DEAD OR DYING PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE REPLACED FOR THE LENGTH OF THE GUARANTEE PERIOD. REPLACEMENT OF PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE CONDUCTED AT THE FIRST SUCCEEDING PLANTING SEASON. ANY DEBRIS SHALL BE DISPOSED OF OFF-SITE, WITHOUT EXCEPTION.
- C. TREES AND SHRUBS SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE CONTRACTOR DURING CONSTRUCTION AND THROUGHOUT THE 90 DAY MAINTENANCE PERIOD AS SPECIFIED HEREIN. CUI TIVATION, WEEDING, WATERING AND THE PREVENTATIVE TREATMENTS SHALL BE PERFORMED AS NECESSARY TO KEEP PLANT MATERIAL IN GOOD CONDITION AND FREE OF INSECTS AND DISEASE.
- D. LAWNS SHALL BE MAINTAINED THROUGH WATERING, FERTILIZING, WEEDING, MOWING, TRIMMING AND OTHER OPERATIONS SUCH AS ROLLING, REGARDING AND REPLANTING AS REQUIRED TO ESTABLISH A SMOOTH. ACCEPTABLE LAWN, FREE OF ERODED OR BARE AREAS.

- A. UPON THE COMPLETION OF ALL LANDSCAPE INSTALLATION AND BEFORE THE FINAL ACCEPTANCE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REMOVE ALL UNUSED MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND DEBRIS FROM THE SITE. ALL PAVED
- B. THE SITE SHALL BE CLEANED AND LEFT IN A NEAT AND ACCEPTABLE CONDITION AS APPROVED BY THE OWNER OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

ONLY TREES WITH ONE MAIN LEADER SHALL BE PURCHASED. DO NOT PRUNE TREE AT PLANTING UNLESS DIRECTED TO BY PROJECT LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT DO NOT STAKE OR -FOLD BURLAP AWAY FROM TOP OF WRAP TRUNK ROOT BALL SET ROOT BALL FLUSH TO GRADE OR PREPARE WIDTH OF -PLANTING HOLE 6 FT SEVERAL INCHES HIGHER IN POORLY DRAINING SOILS. OR TWICE THE WIDTH OF THE ROOT BALL; - 4" BUILT-UP EARTH SAUCER WHICHEVER IS GREATER - 3" THICK LAYER OF DARK BROWN DOUBLE SHREDDED HARDWOOD MULCH PREPARED SOIL FOR-TREES 1 PART PEAT MOSS 1 BEFORE PLANTING ADD 3 TO 4" PART COW MANURE 3 OF WELL-COMPOSTED LEAVES PARTS TOPSOIL OR RECYCLED YARD WASTE TO BED AND TILL INTO TOP 6" OF PREPARED SOIL. 4-6" DEEPER THAN ROOT BALL UNDISTURBED-SUBGRADE - REMOVE THE TOP 1/3 OF THE WIRE BASKET IF PRESENT. ANY AND ALL TWINE SHALL BE REMOVED DIG WIDE. SHALLOW HOLE-FROM THE TREE BEFORE BACKFILLING. BURLAP SHALI WITH TAMPED SIDES BE FOLDED BACK INTO PLANTING HOLE TAMP SOIL SOLIDLY AROUND-BASE OF ROOT BALL - SET ROOT BALL ON FIRM REFERENCE: ARCHITECTURAL GRAPHIC STANDARDS 1998 CUMULATIVE SUPPLEMENT

EVERGREEN TREE PLANTING DETAIL NOT TO SCALE



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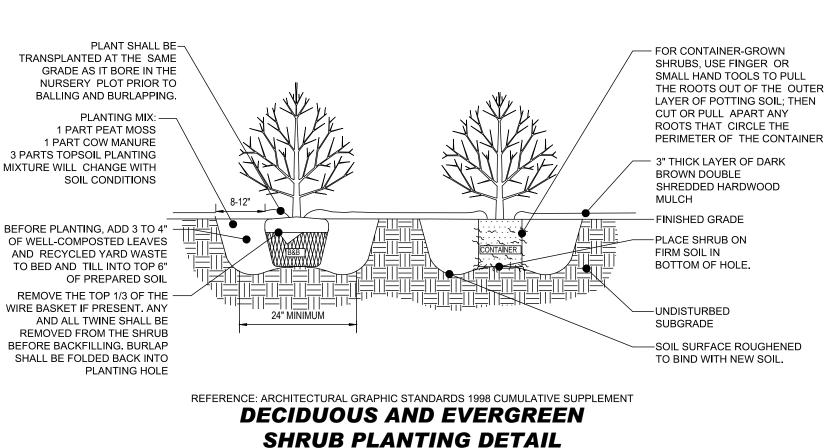
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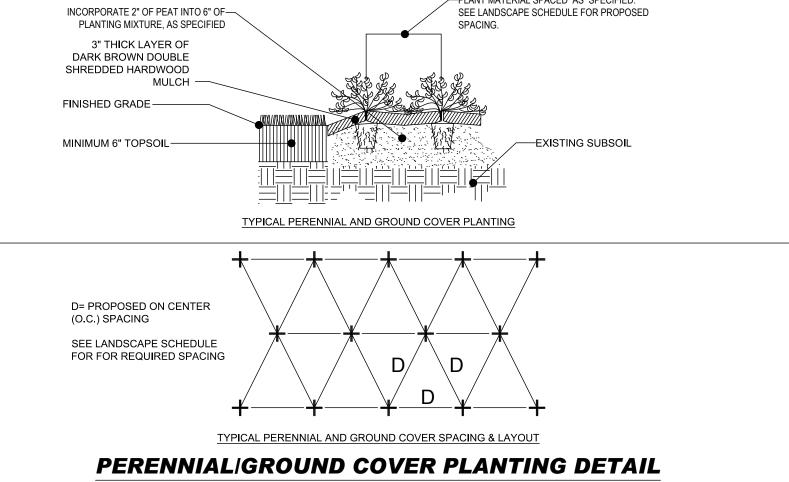
INTO PLANTING HOLE

-SET ROOT BALL ON FIRM

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SHRUB PLANTING DETAIL



AFTER 2 GROWING SEASONS DO NOT WRAP TRUNK-ONLY TREES WITH ONE MAIN LEADER SHALL BE REINFORCED RUBBER HOSE (1/2"-PURCHASED. DO NOT PRUNE TREE AT PLANTING UNLESS DIRECTED TO BY PROJECT LANDSCAPE 12 GAUGE GALVANIZED WIRE GUYS TWISTED-2" DIA. HARDWOOD STAKES 2/3 TREE HT.--SET ROOT BALL FLUSH TO GRADE OR 2 PER TREE SEVERAL INCHES HIGHER IN POORLY EXISTING GRADE-DRAINING SOILS. PREPARED SOIL FOR TREES-1 PART PEAT MOSS -3" THICK LAYER OF DARK BROWN 1 PART COW MANURE DOUBLE SHREDDED HARDWOOD 3 PARTS TOPSOIL -4" BUILT-UP FARTH SAUCER UNDISTURBED SUBGRADE--BEFORE PLANTING ADD 3 TO 4" OF WELL-COMPOSTED LEAVES OR RECYCLED YARD WASTE TO BED AND TII INTO TOP 6" OF PREPARED SOIL. -REMOVE THE TOP 1/3 OF THE WIRE BASKET IF PRESENT. ANY AND ALL TWINE SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THE TREE BEFORE BACKFILLING, BURLAP SHA BE FOLDED BACK INTO PLANTING HOLE TAMP SOIL SOLIDLY AROUND BASE-OF ROOT BALL -SET ROOT BALL ON FIRM PAD IN BOTTOM OF HOLE

TREE PLANTING ON SLOPE DETAIL

PRIOR TO SEEDING. AREA IS TO BE TOPSOILED, FINE GRADED, AND RAKED OF

PRIOR TO SEEDING, CONSULT MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS AND

SEEDING RATES: PERENNIAL RYEGRASS KENTUCKY BI UEGRASS RED FESCUE SPREADING FESCUE FERTILIZER (20:10:10)

GERMINATION RATES WILL VARY AS TO TIME OF YEAR FOR SOWING. COVER IS ESTABLISHED BY OWNER.

OWNER MAINTENANCE RESPONSIBILITIES

UPON OWNER'S (OR OWNER CONTRACTOR'S) COMPLETION OF LANDSCAPING WORK. THE OWNER IS FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL FUTURE MAINTENANCE, CARE, UPKEEP, WATERING, AND TRIMMING OF ALL INSTALLED VEGETATION, PLANTS, TREE, BUSHES, SHRUBS, GRASSES, GRASS, ORNAMENTAL PLANTS AND FLOWERS, FLOWERS, GROUND COVER, AND LANDSCAPING, INCLUDING ALL LANDSCAPE ISLANDS AND AREAS ADJACENT OR PART OF THE LANDSCAPED AREAS. THIS RESPONSIBILITY INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING:

- VEGETATIVE GROUND COVER. SHRUBS AND ORNAMENTAL PLANTS AND GRASSES MUST BE TRIMMED SO THAT NO PORTION OF THE PLANT EXCEEDS 30 INCHES ABOVE GRADE (OF ALL PAVED, TRAVEL
- FALLEN PLANT FLOWERS. FRUIT. SEEDS AND DEBRIS DROPPINGS ARE TO BE REMOVED IMMEDIATEL' FROM VEHICULAR AND PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC AREAS TO PREVENT TRIPPING, SLIPPING OR ANY OTHER HAZARDS.

THESE REQUIREMENTS DO NOT AFFECT THE PLANT LIFE GUARANTEES THE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE

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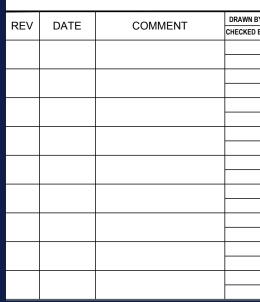
- ALL DEBRIS LARGER THAN 2" DIAMETER.

NOTE: TREE STAKING TO BE REMOVED

1/2 LB/1,000 SQ FT 1 LB/1 000 SQ FT 1 1/2 I BS/1 000 SQ F 1 1/2 LBS/1,000 SQ FT 14 LBS/1,000 SQ FT 90 LBS/1,000 SQ FT

CONTRACTOR TO IRRIGATE SEEDED AREA UNTIL AN ACCEPTABLE STAND OF

- TREES ADJACENT TO WALKWAYS AND AREAS OF PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC MUST BE MAINTAINED TO ASSURE THAT ANY BRANCHES MUST BE LIMBED UP TO A CLEARANCE HEIGHT OF 7 FT. (FROM ALL PEDESTRIAN SURFACES) OR PRUNED BACK TO AVOID ANY INTERFERENCE WITH THE TYPICAL PATH
- TREES WITHIN VEHICULAR SIGHT LINES, AS ILLUSTRATED ON THE LANDSCAPE PLAN, ARE TO BE TRIMMED TO A CLEARANCE HEIGHT OF 7 FT. (FROM ALL PAVED, TRAVELED SURFACES), OR AS OTHERWISE INDICATED ON THE PLANS.
- SURFACES) ALONG AND WITHIN THE SIGHT LINES OF PARKING LOTS AND INGRESS-EGRESS WAYS.



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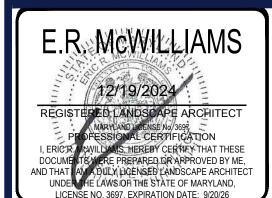
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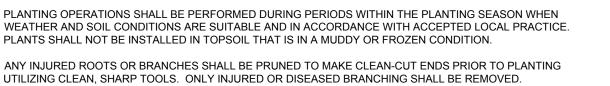
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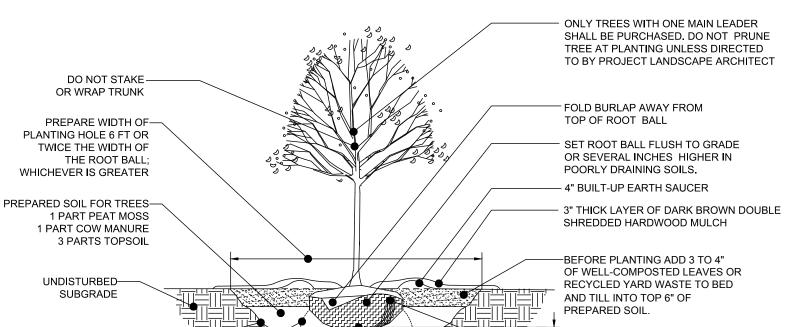
- 3. GENERAL WORK PROCEDURES

- ALONG THE TREE PROTECTION ZONE SHALL BE REGULARLY INSPECTED BY THE LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR AND
- B. LANDSCAPE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPORT ANY SOIL OR DRAINAGE CONDITIONS CONSIDERED DETRIMENTAL TO
- C. THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS AND QUANTITIES ARE APPROXIMATE AND ARE FOR BIDDING PURPOSES ONLY. COMPOSITION OF AMENDMENTS SHOULD BE REVISED DEPENDING ON THE OUTCOME OF A TOPSOIL ANALYSIS
- PRODUCTS SHOULD BE COMPOSTED TO A DARK COLOR AND BE FREE OF PIECES WITH IDENTIFIABLE LEAF OR WOOD STRUCTURE. AVOID MATERIAL WITH A PH HIGHER THAN 7.5.
- SUBSURFACE DRAINAGE LINES MAY NEED TO BE ADDED TO INCREASE DRAINAGE. 1.3. MODIFY EXTREMELY SANDY SOILS (MORE THAN 85%) BY ADDING ORGANIC MATTER AND/OR DRY, SHREDDED CLAY LOAM UP TO 30% OF THE TOTAL MIX.

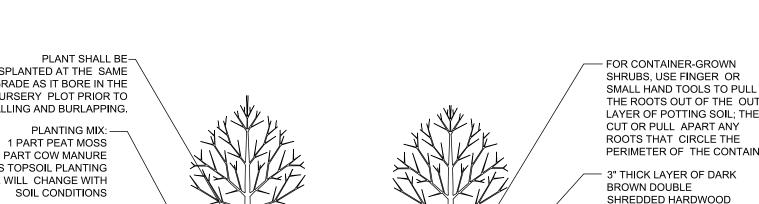
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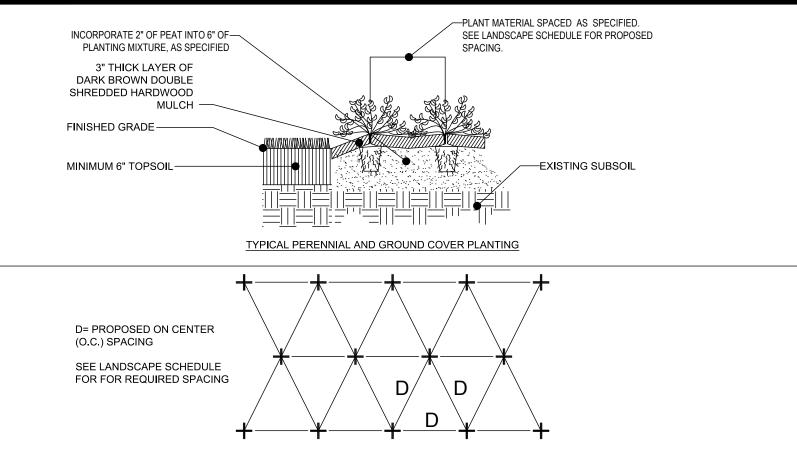
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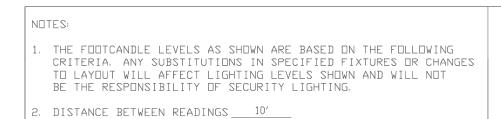
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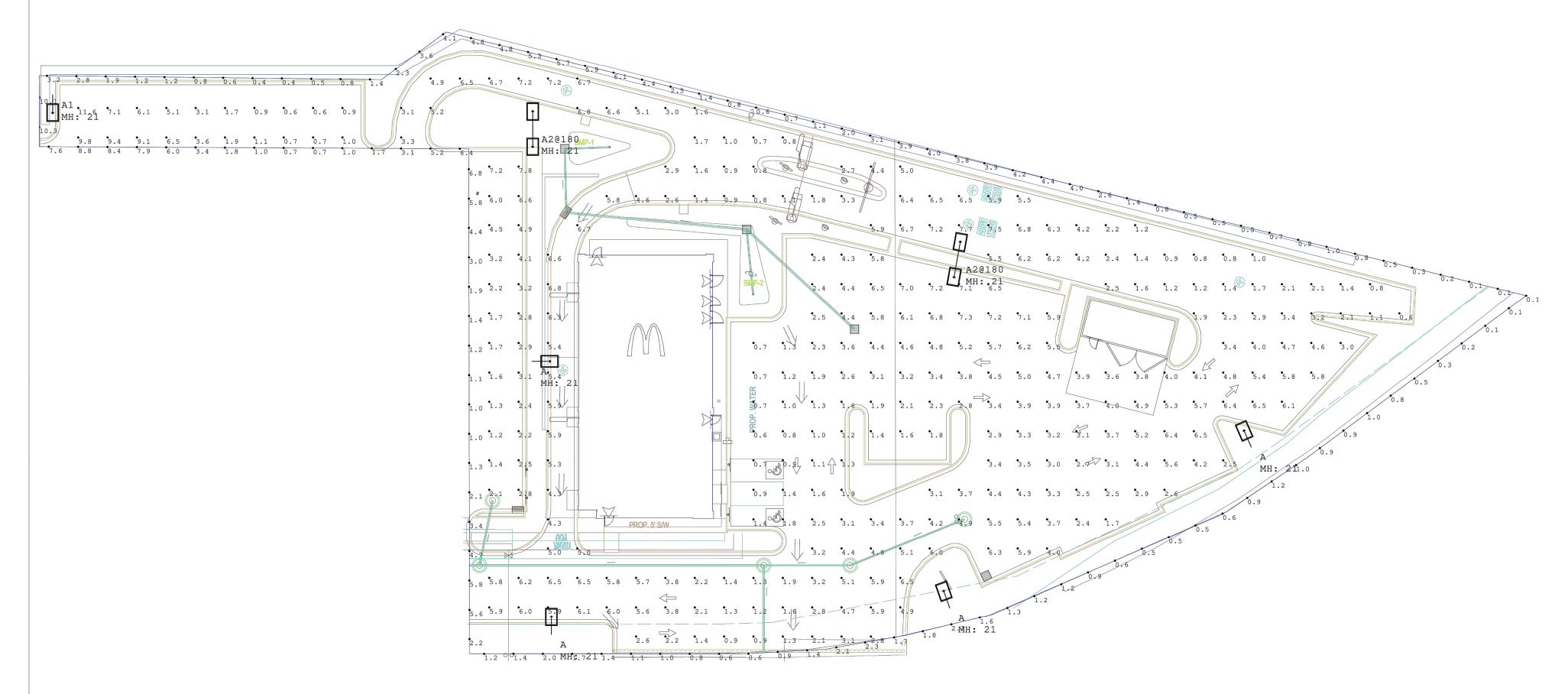




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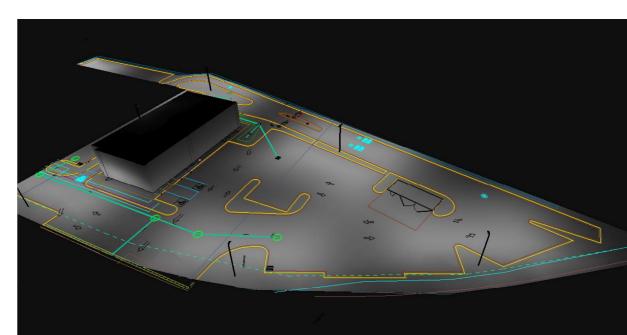
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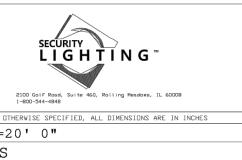


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PROPERTY LINE READINGS	Illuminance	Fc	2.31	10.3	0.1	23.10	103.00

Luminaire Schedule									
Symbol	Qty	Label	Arrangement	LLF	Description	Lum. Watts	EPA	Mtg Height	Pole Type
	1	A1	Single	0.900	RAR2-480L-240-5K7-2	226.9	0.607	21	SES-18-40-1-TA-GL-xx (4")
-	4	Α	SINGLE	0.900	RAR2-480L-240-5K7-4W	226.9	0.607	21	SES-18-40-1-TA-GL-xx (4")
	2	A2@180	BACK-BACK	0.900	RAR2-480L-240-5K7-4W	226.9	1.214	21	SES-18-40-1-TA-GL-xx (4")



Pole Fixtures Are Full Cutoff Tilt=0 Calculation Grids Are At Grade Pole Light Mounting Height=21ft



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2. LUMINAIRE DATA IS TESTED TO INDUSTRY STANDARDS UNDER LABORATORY CONDITIONS. OPERATING VOLTAGE AND NORMAL MANUFACTURING TOLERANCES OF LAMP, BALLAST, AND LUMINAIRE MAY AFFECT FIELD RESULTS. 3. CONFORMANCE TO FACILITY CODE AND OTHER LOCAL REQUIREMENTS IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE OWNER AND/OR THE OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE. 4. THIS LAYOUT MAY NOT MEET TITE 24 OR LOCAL ENERGY REQUIREMENTS. IF
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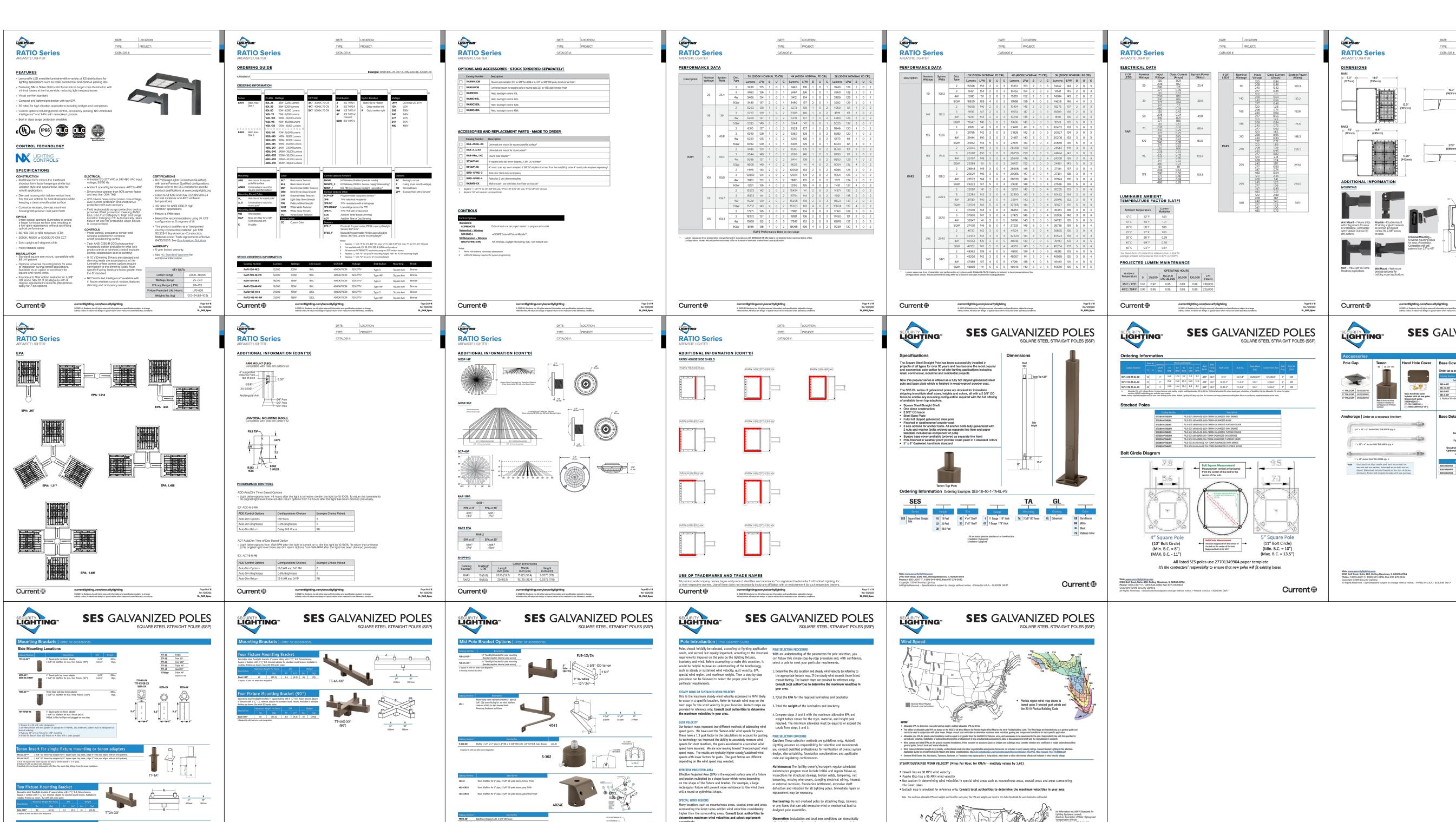
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(18' Pole + 3' Base)

Luminalie Schedule										
	Symbol	Qty	Label	Arrangement	LLF	Description	Lum. Watts	EPA	Mtg Height	Pole Type
		1	A1	Single	0.900	RAR2-480L-240-5K7-2	226.9	0.607	21	SES-18-40-1-TA-GL-xx (4")
	-	4	Α	SINGLE	0.900	RAR2-480L-240-5K7-4W	226.9	0.607	21	SES-18-40-1-TA-GL-xx (4")
		2	A2@180	BACK-BACK	0.900	RAR2-480L-240-5K7-4W	226.9	1.214	21	SES-18-40-1-TA-GL-xx (4")

SHEET TITLE:



Observation: Installation and local area conditions can dramatically affect lighting pole performance. Excessive whatton may result from some wind and mounting conditions. Only individuals with local knowledge, who have observed or inspected the site can effectively evaluate site specific issues. Consult the factory for information on wibration dampers, special corrosion, foundation settlement, excessive shaft deflection and vibration for all lighting poles. Immediate repair

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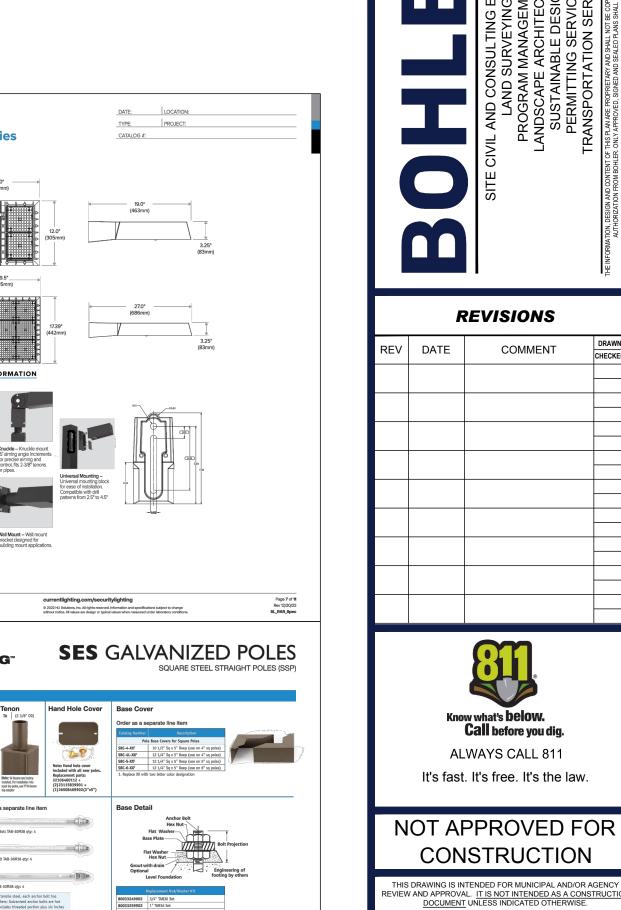
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—— FOR —— MCDONALD'S EAST/WEST HIGHWAY

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

6565 AGER ROAD HYATTSVILLE, PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MD TM: 41 GRID: D1 PARCEL: 23

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PHOTOMETRIC DETAILS

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SIGNAGE AND DRIVE-THRU ELEVATIONS

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TYPICAL BB20 RENDERED ELEVATIONS

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2021 NOVEMBER

BB20 Color Schemes & Material Options DESERT SCHEME FIBER CEMENT SIDING AS PRIMARY BUILDING FINISH





PRODUCT INFORMATION:



BASE BUILDING FINISH

HARDIE PLANK BY JAMES HARDIE CLIMATE ZONES 1-5: HZ5 CLIMATE ZONES 6-10: HZ10 FINISH: BEADED SMOOTH SIZE: 8.25" WIDTH // 7" EXPOSURE TRIM: 3/4" THICKNESS X 3 1/2" WIDTH **COLOR: TIMBER BARK**



FEATURE WALL

REVEAL PANEL SYSTEM BY JAMES HARDIE CLIMATE ZONES 1-5: HZ5 CLIMATE ZONES 6-10: HZ10 FINISH: SMOOTH **FASTENING: COUNTERSUNK** SIZE: 48" PANEL WIDTH COLOR: PRIMED FOR PAINT //



STOREFRONT KNEE WALL: **EUROWEST**

ABSOLUTE BLACK 12"X24" **GROUT: MAPEL 47 CHARCOAL**



PARAPET FASCIA

ANCHOR TITE BY METAL ERA COLOR: CITYSCAPE



FIELD PAINTED RAL 7022

PARAPET FASCIA

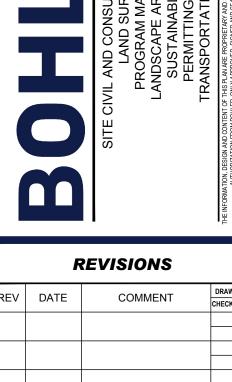
ANCHOR TITE BY METAL ERA COLOR: COLOR MATCH RAL 7022



- Refer to manufacturer's Installation guide for details and best practices
- Metal Reveal Panel system is omitted when lap siding is used as base building finish.
- Storefront knee wall to be exterior tile.
- Extend drive-thru window surround material to top of parapet
- Indicate trim at all window and door openings and at material transitions to battens and panel systems.
- Refer to page 29 for Feature wall reveal spacing

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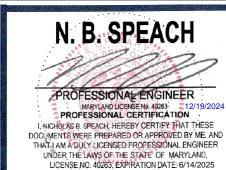
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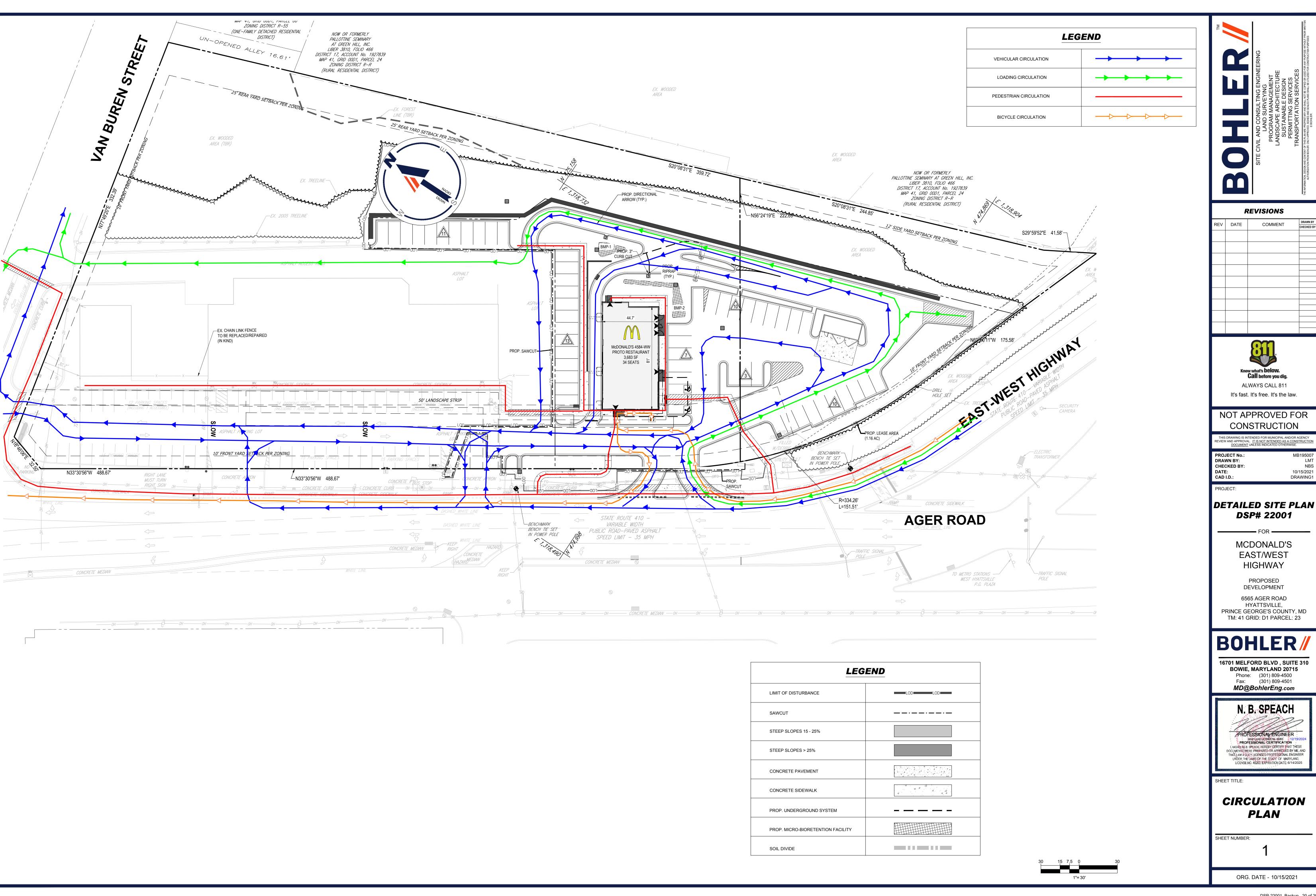
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TO: M-NCPPC - Development Review Division

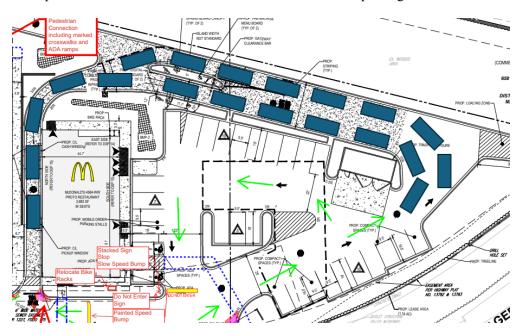
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RE: Drive-Thru Queuing Analysis for McDonalds Ager Road (DSP-22001)

This updated analysis has been prepared for the referenced McDonald's for the purpose of showing the amount of queuing provided in the drive-thru lanes.

The following exhibit reflects vehicles 19' in length based on AASHTO design length. The plan allows for 12 to 14 vehicles in the double drive-thru from the order boards back to the entrance of the drive-thru. The queuing does not exceed back into the parking lot circulation area. Additionally, there are sufficient queuing spaces for another 6 vehicles between the pick-up window and the order board. This provides a total queuing area for 18 to 20 vehicles which is more than sufficient to accommodate the queues.

It should be noted that Section 27-274-C-6 of the prior ordinance does not have specific requirements for drive thru queuing but states that "Drive-through establishments should be designed with adequate space for queuing lanes that do not conflict with circulation traffic patterns or pedestrian access.". Section 27-6206.m.1.A of the new ordinance does include specificity requiring 6 stacking spaces from the order box. This project can queue 10 to 12 vehicles from the order box without impacting onsite circulation.



Thanks, Mike Lenhart



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STANDAR	PD DRAWING FOR ENTIRE PLAN SET	LEGEND	AE	STANDARD BBREVIATIONS
LIMIT OF WORK		-LOWLOW	F	OR ENTIRE PLAN SET
LIMIT OF DISTUR	RBANCE ———	_LODLOD	AC	ACRES
EVISTING NOTE	TYPICAL NOTE TEYT	DDODOSED NOTE	ADA	AMERICANS WITH DISABILITY ACT
EXISTING NOTE	ONSITE PROPERTY	PROPOSED NOTE	ARCH	ARCHITECTURAL
	LINE / R.O.W. LINE NEIGHBORING		BC	BOTTOM OF CURB
	PROPERTY LINE / INTERIOR PARCEL LINE		BF BK	BASEMENT FLOOR BLOCK
	EASEMENT LINE		BL	BASELINE
	SETBACK		BLDG	BUILDING BUILDING BENCHMARK
	LINE		BRL	BUILDING RESTRICTION LINE
			CF	CUBIC FEET
		CURB AND GUTTER	CL	CENTERLINE CORRUGATED METAL PIPE
	CONCRETE CURB &	SPILL TRANSITION	CONN	CONNECTION
	GUTTER	DEPRESSED CURB AND GUTTER	CONC	CONCRETE CORRUGATED PLASTIC PIPE
			CY	CUBIC YARDS
	UTILITY POLE WITH LIGHT		DEC	DECORATIVE
E	POLE LIGHT	•	DEP	DEPRESSED DUCTILE IRON PIPE
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	TYPICAL	_v_	FES	FLARED END SECTION
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			G	GRADE
— — — 170—— — —	CONTOUR	190	GF	GARAGE FLOOR (AT DOOR)
169	LINE	187	GH GL	GRADE HIGHER SIDE OF WALL GRADE LOWER SIDE OF WALL
TC 516.4 OR 516.4	ELEVATIONS	TC 516.00 TC 516.00 MATCH EX (518.02 ±)	GRT	GRATE
			GV	GATE VALVE HIGH DENSITY
SAN #	SANITARY LABEL	SAN #	HDPE	POLYETHYLENE PIPE
	STORM	X #	HP HOR	HIGH POINT HORIZONTAL
	LABEL	V	HW	HEADWALL
S <u>Z</u>	SANITARY SEWER LATERAL	SL	INT	INVERT
	UNDERGROUND WATER LINE	w	LF	LINEAR FOOT
E	UNDERGROUND	Е	LOC	LIMITS OF CLEARING
	UNDERGROUND		LOD	LIMITS OF DISTURBANCE LINE OF SIGHT
	GAS LINE	G	LP	LOW POINT
OH	OVERHEAD WIRE	——ОН ———	L/S	LANDSCAPE
	UNDERGROUND TELEPHONE LINE	т	MAX MIN	MAXIMUM MINIMUM
C	UNDERGROUND	c	МН	MANHOLE
	CABLE LINE STORM		MJ	MECHANICAL JOINT
	SEWER		OC PA	ON CENTER POINT OF ANALYSIS
	SANITARY SEWER MAIN	s ————	PC	POINT CURVATURE
V	HYDRANT	A	PCCR	POINT OF COMPOUND CURVATURE, CURB RETURN
(5)	SANITARY	(\$)	PI	POINT OF INTERSECTION
	MANHOLE STORM		POG PROP	POINT OF GRADE PROPOSED
(D)	MANHOLE	(@)	PT	POINT OF TANGENCY
\otimes^{WM}	WATER METER	•	PTCR	POINT OF TANGENCY, CURB RETURN
WV 	WATER	•	PVC	POLYVINYL CHLORIDE PIPE
	VALVE GAS		PVI	POINT OF VERTICAL INTERSECTION
	VALVE		PVT	POINT OF VERTICAL TANGENCY
	GAS METER		R RCP	RADIUS REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE
	TYPICAL END SECTION	Δ	RET WALL	RETAINING WALL
OP OP	HEADWALL OR	Jor [R/W	RIGHT OF WAY
	ENDWALL GRATE	_	SAN	SLOPE SANITARY SEWER
	INLET	(III)	SF	SQUARE FEET
	CURB INLET	<u></u>	STA STM	STATION
0	CLEAN OUT	0	S/W	SIDEWALK
(E)	ELECTRIC	E	TBR	TO BE REMOVED
	MANHOLE TELEPHONE		TBRL TC	TO BE RELOCATED TOP OF CURB
(7)	TELEPHONE MANHOLE	(T)	TELE	TELEPHONE
EB	ELECTRIC BOX	EB	TPF	TREE PROTECTION FENCE
EP	ELECTRIC PEDESTAL	EP	TYP	TOP OF WALL TYPICAL
	LEDESTAL		UG	UNDERGROUND
			UP	UTILITY POLE
	MONITORING WELL		W W/L	WATER LINE
	TEST PIT		W/M	WATER METER
<u> </u>	BENCHMARK	•	± .	PLUS OR MINUS DEGREE
7			Ø	DIAMETER
	BORING	/ 🛋		

TREE CONSERVATION PLAN TYPE 2

TCP2 - 004 - 2024

FOR —

MCDONALD'S EAST-WEST HIGHWAY

LOCATION OF SITE 6565 AGER ROAD HYATTSVILLE

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MD

TAX MAP: 41 GRID: D1 PARCEL: 23, PART 1 & PART 2

OWNER

6581 AGER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
7811 MONTROSE ROAD,

O.777 ACRES PRESERVATION AREA AGER ROAD AGER ROAD AGER ROAD

SOIL TYPES

SASSAFRAS-URBAN LAND

COMPLEX, 0 TO 5

PERCENT SLOPES

SASSAFRAS AND CROOM

SOILS, 15 TO 25 PERCENT

SLOPES

URBAN LAND

CONSERVATION PLAN NOTES

THIS PLAN IS SUBMITTED TO FULFILL THE WOODLAND CONSERVATION

REQUIREMENTS FOR DETAILED SITE PLAN DSP - 22001. IF THE

DETAILED SITE PLAN DSP - 22001 EXPIRES, THEN THIS TCP2 ALSO

CUTTING OR CLEARING OF WOODLAND NOT IN CONFORMANCE WITH

PLANNING DIRECTOR OR DESIGNEE SHALL BE SUBJECT TO A \$9.00

3. A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO THE

ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES, AS APPROPRIATE, SHALL BE CONTACTED PRIOR TO THE START OF ANY WORK ON THE SITE TO

THIS PLAN OR WITHOUT THE EXPRESSED WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE

ISSUANCE OF GRADING PERMITS. THE DEPARTMENT OF PERMITTING, INSPECTIONS, AND ENFORCEMENT OR THE DEPARTMENT OF

CONDUCT A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING WHERE IMPLEMENTATION OF WOODLAND CONSERVATION MEASURES SHOWN ON THIS PLAN

4. THE DEVELOPER OR BUILDER OF THE LOTS OR PARCELS SHOWN ON THIS PLAN SHALL NOTIFY FUTURE BUYERS OF ANY WOODLAND

CONSERVATION AREAS THROUGH THE PROVISION OF A COPY OF

THIS PLAN AT TIME OF CONTRACT SIGNING. FUTURE PROPERTY

OWNERS ARE ALSO SUBJECT TO THIS REQUIREMENT.

5. THE OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THIS TREE

CONSERVATION PLAN ARE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR

CONFORMANCE TO THE REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED HEREIN.

6. THE PROPERTY IS WITHIN THE ENVIRONMENTAL STRATEGY AREA

PREVIOUSLY ZONE, COMMERCIAL SHOPPING CENTER (C-S-C)

8. THIS PLAN IS NOT GRANDFATHERED UNDER CB-27-2010, SECTION

9. THE PROPERTY IS ADJACENT TO AGER ROAD WHICH IS CLASSIFIED

DEVELOPMENT SHOWN ON THIS TCP2, ALL OFF SITE WOODLAND

THE LAND RECORDS OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, PROOF OF RECORDATION OF THE OFF-SITE CONSERVATION SHALL BE PROVIDED

CONSERVATION REQUIRED BY THIS PLAN SHALL BE IDENTIFIED ON AN

APPROVED TCP2 PLAN AND RECORDED AS AN OFF-SITE EASEMENT IN

TO THE M-NCPPC PLANNING DEPARTMENT PRIOR TO THE INSURANCE

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AREAS MAP AS DESIGNATED BY PLAN

CURRENTLY ZONE, COMMERCIAL, GENERAL AND OFFICE (CGO), AND

ONE (FORMERLY THE DEVELOPED TIER) OF THE REGULATED

PRINCE GEORGE'S 2035 APPROVED GENERAL PLAN AND IS

7. THE PROPERTY IS ADJACENT TO AGER ROAD WHICH IS A

10. PRIOR TO THE INSURANCE OF THE FIRST PERMIT FOR THE

DESIGNATED HISTORIC ROADWAY.

OF ANY PERMIT FOR ASSOCIATED PLAN.

AS AN ARTERIAL ROADWAY.

STANDARD TYPE 2 TREE

EXPIRES AND IS NO LONGER VALID.

PER SQUARE FOOT MITIGATION FEE.

WILL BE DISCUSSED IN DETAIL.

HYDROLOGIC

SOIL GROUP

LOCATION MAP

SCALE: 1" = 150'

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COVER SHEET	C - 101			
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GENERAL NOTES

- 1. THIS PLAN IS BASED ON:

 "ALTA/NSPS LAND TITLE SURVEY

 MCDONALD'S USA,LLC L/C 19-1437

 6543 AGER ROAD"
- 2. SITE AREA = 4.17 ACRES
 LOD = 2.40 ACRES
 McDONALD'S DEVELOPMENT SITE: 1.16 ACRES
 EXISTING IMPERVIOUS = 0.49 ACRES
 TOTAL NET IMPERVIOUS = 1.16 ACRES
- 8. TAX ACCOUNT NUMBER: 1835016
 8. EXISTING ZONING: CSC COMMERCIAL SHOPPING
- 5. EXISTING USE: RESTAURANT PROPOSED USE: RESTAURANT
- 6. NUMBER OF LOTS, PARCELS, OUTLOTS & OUTPARCELS: PARCEL 23, PART 1 AND PART 2.
- 7. EXISTING GROSS FLOOR AREA: 1,995 SF. PROPOSED GROSS FLOOR AREA: 4,073 SF
 8. WSSC GRID: 208NE02
- 9. TAX MAP & GRID: TM 41 GRID: D1
- 10. AVIATION POLICY NUMBER AND GRID: NONE11. EXISTING WATER/SEWER DESIGNATION: W-3, S-3 PROPOSED WATER/SEWER DESIGNATION: W-3, S-3
- 12. STORMWATER MANAGEMENT CONCEPT NUMBER: SDCP #30395-2021

13. 10-FOOT PUBLIC UTILITY EASEMENT ALONG ALL

- RIGHTS-OF-WAY.

 14. MANDATORY PARK DEDICATION: NONE
- 15. CEMETERIES LOCATED IN VICINITY OF THE PROPERTY:
- 16. HISTORIC SITES LOCATED IN THE VICINITY OF THE PROPERTY: GREEN HILL HISTORIC PROPERTY (65-008)
- 17. NO WETLANDS OR STREAMS ARE LOCATED ON-SITE.
- 18. 100-YR FLOOD PLAIN: NO
- 19. CHESAPEAKE CRITICAL BAY AREA: NO
- 20. THERE ARE NO KNOWN SPRINGS OR SEEPS.21. MARLBORO CLAY AND CHRISTIANA CLAY ARE NOT
- FOUND TO OCCUR ON OR WITHIN THE VICINITY OF THE PROPERTY.
- 22. THE SITE IS LOCATED IN A WATERSHED WITH TMDLS FOR SEDIMENT, NITROGEN, AND PHOSPHORUS.
- 23. THE SITE IS NOT LOCATED WITHIN A TIER II CATCHMENT24. THE SITE IS LOCATED IN THE ANACOSTIA RIVER WATERSHED.
- 25. EXISTING FLOW PATTERNS WERE CONSIDERED AND MAINTAINED WITH THE PROPOSED DESIGN.
- 26. A COMBINATION OF SILT FENCE, SUPER SILT FENCE, STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE, AND INLET PROTECTION WILL BE UTILIZED AS THE PRIMARY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES.
- 27. THE EXISTING SITE IS A SINGLE STORY RETAIL BUILDING
- 28. PERMANENT STABILIZATION MATTING WILL BE PROVIDED IN AREAS WHERE PROPOSED GRADING EXCEEDS 25%.

REFERENCES AND CONTACTS

UTILITY CONTACTS

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COMCAST - UTILIQUEST

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ALTA/ACSM LAND TITLE SURVEY:
"ALTA/NSPS LAND TITLE SURVEY
MCDONALD'S USA,LLC - L/C 19-1437
6543 AGER ROAD"
DATED: 03/16/21

SOIL REPORT

GIS TOPO
GIS OPEN DATA PORTAL
ENTITLED: "CONTOUR 2018"

DATED: JULY 16, 2021

SITE DEVELOPMENT CONCEPT PLAN:
"SITE DEVELOPMENT CONCEPT PLAN FOR
MCDONALD'S EAST-WEST HIGHWAY"
PREPARED BY: BOHLER

FILE NO. #30395-2021 DATED: 07/04/2021 APPROVED: PENDING

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Standard Woodland Conservation Worksheet for Prince George's County SECTION I-Establishing Site Information- (Enter acres for each zone)

1 Zone:	C-S-C			
2 Gross Tract:	4.17	0.00	0.00	
3 Floodplain:	0.00	0.00	0.00	
4 Previously Dedicated Land:	0.00	0.00	0.00	
5 Net Tract (NTA):	4.17	0.00	0.00	
6 TCP Number	TCPX-XXX-X	XXXX	Revision #	0
7 Property Description or Subdivision Name:	McDonald's	McDonald's East West Highway		

7 Property Description or Subdivision Name: McDonald's East West Highway

8 Is this site subject to the 1989 or 1991 Ordinance

9 Is this site subject to the 1991 Ordinance

10 Subject to 2010 Ordinance and in PFA (Priority Funding Area)

11 Is this one (1) single family lot? (Y or N)

12 Are there prior TCP approvals which include a

13 combination of this lot/s? (Y or N)

14 Is any portion of the property in a WC Bank? (Y or N)

15 Break-even Point (preservation) =

16 Clearing permitted w/o reforestion=

17 McDonald's East West Highway

N

N

N

Subject to 2010 Ordinance
N

N

N

N

Are there prior TCP approvals which include a
N

Combination of this lot/s? (Y or N)

N

16 Clearing permitted w/o reforestion=

17 McDonald's East West Highway

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	SECTION II-Determining Requirements (Enter acres for each	correspond	ing column)		
		Column A	Column B	Column C	Column D
		WCT/AFT %	Net Tract	Floodplain	Off-Site
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17	Existing Woodland		2.04	0.00	
18	Woodland Conservation Threshold (WCT) =	15.00%	0.63		
19	Smaller of 17 or 18		0.63		
20	Woodland above WCT		1.41		
21	Woodland cleared		1.27	0.00	0.00
22	Woodland cleared above WCT (smaller of 16 or 17)		1.27		
23	Clearing above WCT (0.25 : 1) replacement requirement		0.32		
24	Woodland cleared below WCT		0.00		
25	Clearing below WCT (2:1 replacement requirement)		0.00		
26	Afforestation Required Threshold (AFT) =	15.00%	0.00		
27	Off-site WCA being provided on this property		0.00		
28	Woodland Conservation Required		0.94	acres	

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	SECTION III-Meeting the Requirements (Enter acres for each	ncorrespond	ging column)		
29	Woodland Preservation		0.77		
30	Afforestation / Reforestation		0.00	Bond amount:	\$ 4,443.1
31	Natural Regeneration		0.34		
32	Landscape Credits		0.00		
33	Specimen/Historic Tree Credit (CRZ area * 2.0)	0.00	0.00		
34	Forest Enhancement Credit (Area * .25)	0.00	0.00		
35	Street Tree Credit (Existing or 10-year canopy coverage)		0.00		
36	Area approved for fee-in-lieu		0.00	Fee amount:	\$0.0
37	Off-site Woodland Conservation Credits Required		0.00		
38	Off-site WCA (preservation) being provided on this property		0.00		
39	Off-site WCA (afforestation) being provided on this property		0.00		
40	Woodland Conservation Provided		1.11	acres	
11	Area of woodland not cleared	0.77	acros		

41 Area of woodland not cleared
42 Net tract woodland retained not part of requirements:
43 100-floodplain woodland retained
44 On-site woodland conservation provided
45 On-site woodland conservation alternatives provided
46 On-site woodland retained not credited

0.77 acres
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1.11 acres
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PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MD

TM: 41 GRID: D1 PARCEL: 23

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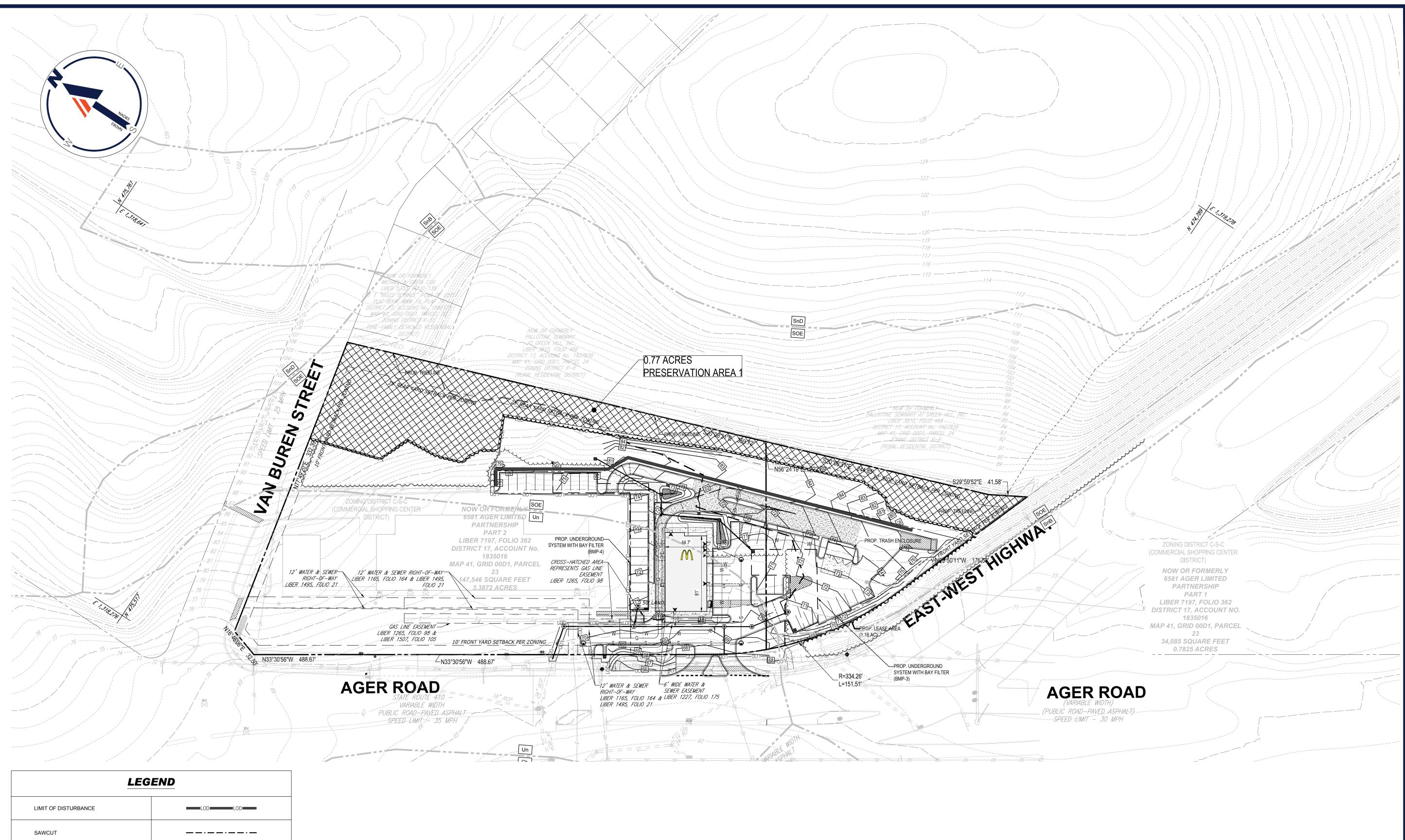
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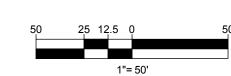
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December 18, 2024

Ms. Natalia GomezRojas Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission 1616 McCormick Drive Largo, Maryland 20774

Re: DSP-22001/McDonald's/Ager Road

Dear Natalia:

At the conclusion of the most recent hearing, the Planning Board had inquired as to whether it might be possible for the applicant to make a proffer regarding the provision of an amenity to recognize the historic nature of the area and in particular to provide recognition of the history regarding enslaved persons. I have discussed this with my client and my client proposes to consult with James Gibb, the archeologist who prepared the site analysis. We will prepare informational posters to be framed and placed within the restaurant. These posters will include photographs and textual information addressing the history of the site. The textual material would appear on the posters in both English and Spanish.

There was also a request for consideration of a proffer as to how to make the restaurant "more of a destination for others to gather". McDonald's always welcomes groups who choose to meet and enjoy conversation with one another. However, my client is not able to provide a proffer as to how they could actually make such destination activities occur.

Hopefully, this addresses the proffer issue. As always, thank you for your assistance.

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Edward C. Gibbs, Jr

cc: Brian Redder



RE: McDonalds East/West DSP-22001 Resubmission

From Patrick, Benjamin < Benjamin.Patrick@ppd.mncppc.org>

Date Fri 12/20/2024 12:12 PM

GomezRojas, Natalia < Natalia.GomezRojas@ppd.mncppc.org>

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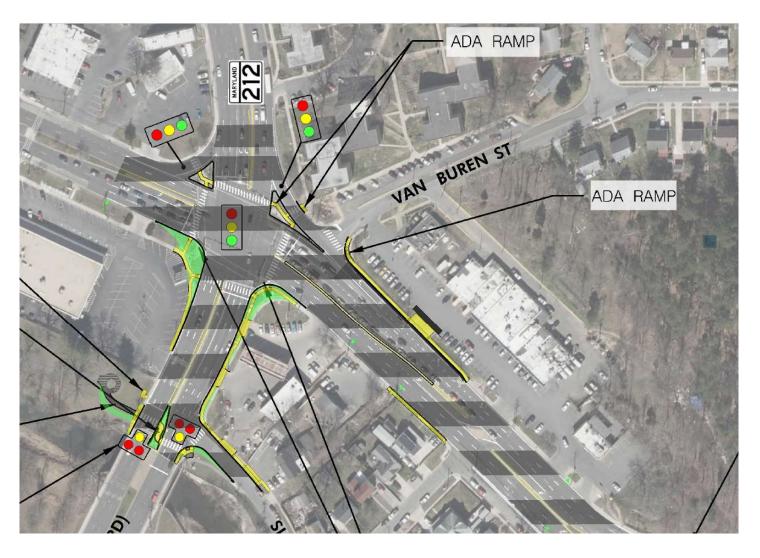
The Transportation Planning Section met with MDOT SHA in reference to DSP-22001. This development is within the MD 410 Pedestrian Safety Action Plan (PSAP) project that starts from MD 212 and goes to MD 500/Adelphi Road. At the intersection west of the site, improvements are being made at MD 212 to add an additional westbound left turn lane along MD 410 to southbound MD 212 and elimination of the channelized right turn islands on the southwest and southeast corners of the intersection to improve pedestrian safety. Part of the improvements proposed in the plan is widening along westbound MD 410 approaching MD 212 which impacts a portion of the frontage of the site. A conceptual plan is available to download here https://mdot-sha-md410-md212-to-md500-adelphi-rd-pga445176-maryland.hub.arcgis.com/ from SHA's PSAP project website. I've included an image from this plan below to show the areas of improvements included in the plan.

The widening of MD 410 will impact one access driveway and a portion of the sidewalk along the site's frontage. Both will be removed and replaced to accommodate the widening and will include ADA ramps and a crosswalk at the intersection of Van Burne Street and MD 410. SHA confirmed during the meeting that they have no additional comments and are not requesting the elimination of any existing access driveways.

The revised plans submitted by the applicant reflect the modifications to the existing access driveways near the proposed building to accommodate right-in/right-out access. SHA is in support of an additional pedestrian sidewalk connection at the eastern portion of the site as shown on the revised plan. The modification to the access driveways and the additional sidewalk connection will be require a permit for construction through SHA's permitting process.

Preliminary discussion during the initial review of the case indicated the project could be in construction beginning in 2027, however, SHA is only able to confirm that the project is in the design stage at this time.

There are no additional frontage improvements in the area of the right-in/right-out access near the proposed building, with the exception of addition lighting that is proposed in the channelized island.



Benjamin Patrick

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To: Gemezkojas, Natalia
Cc: Hancock, Crystal
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Natalia.

Here is the email we received from DPIE regarding the mid-block crossing along Van Buren and DPIE comments for pedestrian circulation from Van Buren. As you'll see below, DPIE also recommended a crosswalk at the entrance to the shopping center along Van Buren, which is shown on the revised plans.

Thanks,

Benjamin Patrick

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Sent: Friday, December 13, 2024 9:21 AM

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Subject: RE: McDonalds Ager Road follow-up

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Hi Crystal,

As you are aware, DPIE is the sister agency of DPW&T and typically speaks on their behalf on development related cases.

That said, in response to your questions below; we offer the following:

- Having pedestrian cross Van Buren Street directly into the parking lot mid-block of the street is not safe.
 - There is a parking lot adjacent to Van Buren Road.
 - There is no sidewalk adjacent to Van Buren Road and no public ROW (per our records) to construct one.
 - Per our records, the County does not own and maintain the sidewalk north and adjacent to the parking lot on Van Buren Street.
 - The parking lot north of Van Buren Street is privately owned and maintained.
 - Google earth street view as well as the image below shows a concrete median on Van Buren Street which may not be ADA compliant for safe pedestrian refuge.
 - The driveway opening into the parking lot creates un-controlled conflicts points between pedestrians and vehicles existing and entering he parking lot.
 - The vertical crest approximately 350 feet east of Ager Road and Van Buren Street creates sight distance challenges and may not meet the minimum AAASHTO
 required stopping sight distance if a crossing is proposed mid-block on Van Buren Street.
 - There are utility poles which may interfere with the location of the pedestrian crossing and may create constructability and cost challenges if a mid-block crossing is
 proposed.
 As a result of the above, installing safe pedestrian crossing traffic control devices (i.e. high visibility pedestrian crossing signs, crosswalk and/or RRFB) mid-block on Van

Buren Street to help facilitates safe pedestrian crossing into the Shopping Center /McDonalds is not feasible and practical.

A safer pedestrian crossing path across Van Buren Street to/from the Apartment Complex and the Shopping Center/McDonald is at the intersection of Van Buren and Ager Road where the intersection is controlled by a stop sign.

- Installing a high visibility crosswalk across the Shopping Center/McDonalds access point(s) is feasible and recommended. This crosswalk would connect to our proposed
 crosswalk at the intersection of Van Buren Street and Ager Road; thus, connecting the sidewalk that leads into the apartment complex/subdivision with the Shopping
 Center/McDonalds.
- Google earth street view shows a sidewalk and pedestrian ramps at the intersection of Ager Road and Van Buren Street, but no crosswalk. Upgrading this intersection with
 ADA compliant sidewalks, pedestrian ramps and a high visibility crosswalk that meets the County's standards is recommended, beneficial and critical to the pedestrian
 experience.

Please let me know if you have additional questions.

Thanks



Important Links

aming Convention|Pay Online|Eplan Training Video|Eplan User Guide|DPIE Forms and Checklists|DPIE Customer Satisfaction Survey

From: Hancock, Crystal < crystal.hancock@ppd.mncppc.org

Sent: Thursday, December 12, 2024 1:25 PM

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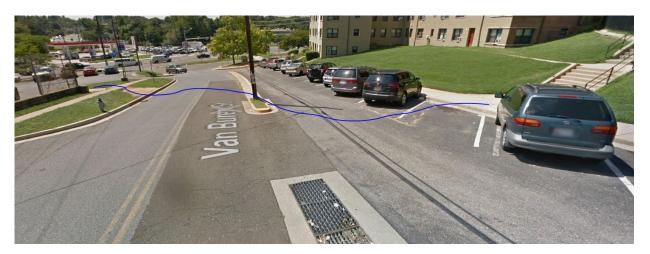
As a follow-up to our conversation in the weekly coordination meeting from November 26th, I asked about a few items based on a request from the Planning Board regarding the McDonalds Ager Road project. Specifically, the Board is looking for a holistic circulation and pedestrian approach to access for the entire site. This note is to follow-up and gain written documentation of these comments:

- 1. Is DPW&T staff amenable to a crosswalk across the motor vehicle access of the shopping center? The second access is for commercial vehicles. Please see 1st photo below.
- 2. Is DPW&T staff amenable to a mid-block crossing across Van Buren from the goat path to the apartment building?
- 3. As depicted below, we see that people from the apartment building along Van Buren are utilizing a goat path to access the shopping center. Please see 2nd photo below.
- 4. Is DPW&T staff in favor of the installation of a sidewalk and/or crosswalk at the intersection of Van Buren and Ager Roads along with MD 212?

We are planning to meet with SHA staff to discuss items related to their portion of the roadway next week as we know this response will take a collective approach. Finally, we are just trying to identify projects (if applicable) and recommend safety features for the patrons that utilize the shopping center. Also, the applicant would like to meet and discuss these (or other ideas you may have) about the project.

Sorry for the delay and thanks for your help with this, Crystal





Crystal Saunders Hancock

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For

DSP-22001 McDonald's Ager Road

My testimony focuses on the staff report and recommendation that McDonald's will use posters in their restaurant decor to address historic preservation concerns raised at all fall 24 Planning Board hearings.

That the wooded parcel will not be stripped of trees, offers opportunities for the *parcel to simultaneously serve environmental and history concerns.*

This wooded parcel can feature historic markers.

To be specific: poster decor is insufficient to meet historic preservation professional standards. I request professional and community-based curation of the history of enslavement, forced labor, and capitol extraction from people who lived on Chillum Castle Manor/Green Hill Plantation. Respectfully submitted, Marybeth Shea, 3100 Kimberly Rd. Hyattsville, MD 20782

January 16, 1925

A tale of two graves: when you matter and when you don't

In the early 50s, during Langley Park/Adelphi development, a grave was uncovered at what is now Adelphi Mill/Cottage historic property . By 1955 Ann Barber (1800-1825) had been re-interred into Rock Creek Park Cemetery. Research, including in the UK, fundraising, and even religious oversight of this complex process reflected concern, respect, and historical documentation of the gravity of this find.



Opportunity: Ann's existence is not included in MNCPPC historic markers but should be; furthermore, the connection between the Mill and Green Hill Plantation is worth telling.

During fall 24 Planning Board hearings, all learned of 39 (33 named) enslaved persons "chained" to the Digges/Riggs plantation. (See slide 4, next). Court documents attest to this.

Now, the developer proposes to include information posters as decor for the proposed Ager Rd. McDonalds. Consultation with MNCPPC historic preservation staff is assured.

Questions: Do indoor posters reflect the gravitas of this local history? Do these posters reflect professional standards of historic curation? Is the community served by such posters? Are the enslaved people of the Greenhill Plantation honored by such proproposed posters?

https://www.pgparks.com/facilities/adelphi-mill-historic-site

https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/53898075/ann-barber https://collections.digitalmaryland.org/digital/collection/pgjw/id/560/



Both images from Find a Grave, for Rock Creek Park Cemetery in Washington, DC https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/53898075/ann-barber Fuller 1954 article linked in last slide

They matter; WE MUST MEMORIALIZE THEM.

Presented 10/24

33 names of 39 enslaved persons inherited (1825):by WD Digges, Green Hill

Albert
Abel
Basil
Ben
Charles
Charles
Clara
Daly
Eliza
Giles
Gusty
Issac
Jane

John

Keasy Lewis Lithe Lucy Margaret Mary Mary Milly Nanny Nelly Priss Raechel Raechel Ruth Ann Sarah Sophy Washington William

SOURCE: NC Race and Slavery Petitions of the <u>Digital Library on American Slavery</u>

This web exhibit used Maryland Chancery Court records; these 39 people were willed to William Digges of GreenHill Plantation after a family dispute about who could claim these enslaved people as their property.

https://dlas.uncg.edu/petitions/

FROM EARLIER TESTIMONY: Respectfully submitted by Marybeth Shea, Hyattsville, MD: testimony 10/24/2024.

Historic preservation: marker standards

Standards should reflect dignity and solemnity to occasion: old, new samples



The Digges family also owned Melwood, as well as the land of what is now National Harbor.



https://collections.digitalmaryland.org/digital/collection/pgjw/id/550/https://www.hmdb.org/m.asp?m=237129

https://www.cathstan.org/local/part-1-descendants-of-ancestors-enslaved-by-jesuits-reconnect-with-family-members-and-heritage-in-southern-maryland-gathering

Proposed: professional attention/community consultation

Any historic markers at the Ager Road property should reflect community needs and historic preservation standards. The context is Prince George's County and Maryland history, with attention to the lived experience of enslaved persons.

Suggested (English/Spanish):

- Outdoor curation by historic markers
- Proposed posters require community consultation
- Web exhibits are also a way to document and share widely.

Recent curation of Lakeland by MNCPPC is a model -->



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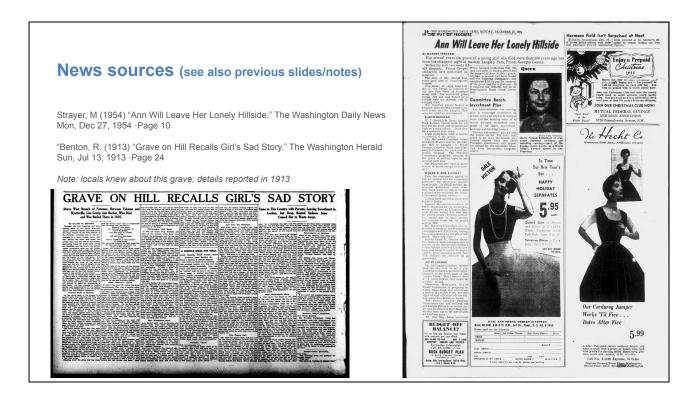
Last wish: Wooded buffer as a place to contemplate

In 1989, Toni Morrison called for historical markers commemorating slavery. She wrote *Beloved*, in part, because of an absence of knowledge about this history.

"There is no place you or I can go, to think about or not think about, to summon the presences of, or recollect the absences of slaves," she said. "There is no suitable memorial, or plaque, or wreath, or wall, or park, or skyscraper lobby. There's no 300-foot tower, there's no small bench by the road."

The Unitarian Universalist Bench-by-the-Road Foundation offers two-seat benches/four-seat benches (\$3,500/\$5,000) that can be part of historical curation at the Green Hill Plantation site.

https://www.uuworld.org/articles/a-bench-by-road



Images from Newspaper Archives, a commercial source. (two of ten articles re Ann Barber's grave)

I can share PDFs of these articles if you ask me. https://www.newspapers.com/image/1042244021/?match=1&terms=%22Ann%20Bar

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For

DSP-22001 McDonald's Ager Road

Ford, Ronda

From: Greg Smith <gpsmith@igc.org>

Sent: Thursday, November 21, 2024 11:10 AM

To: PPD-PGCPB; Jones, Jessica; GomezRojas, Natalia; Conner, Sherri **Subject:** DSP 22001 - Please add these materials to the public record

Attachments: DSP 22001 - Fast Food Environmental Impacts - G Smith.pdf; DSP 22001 - Questions

Regarding Trips and Traffic - Greg Smith - 20241121.pdf; DSP 22001 - Questions

Regarding Stormwater - Greg Smith - 20241121.pdf

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November 21, 2024

Request: Please add these materials to the record

Dear Planning Board and Planning Department staff.

Please ensure the attached materials are added to the record for DSP 22001.

As always, thanks for your time and assistance.

Best,

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DSP 22001 - McDonald's on Ager

Exhibits Regarding Fast Food Drive-Through Environmental Impacts

Submitted by Greg Smith

The scientific case to abolish fast-food drivethroughs has nothing to do with obesity

This service has become indispensable for many.

by Eugene Mohareb and Sybil Derrible

Updated: Feb. 20, 2024

Originally Published: Feb. 20, 2022



Getty Images

<u>Drive-throughs</u> — <u>services</u> that let people order and collect food and drink without needing to <u>leave their cars</u> — are designed with convenience in mind. Whether it's oppressively hot, uncomfortably cold, or we're just in a hurry, <u>drive-throughs</u> have become very appealing in an era characterized by a desire for <u>immediacy</u>.

In the U.K., where there are around 2,000 drive-throughs, it's not unusual to see snaking queues of vehicles whose drivers are waiting for their turn to make, pay for, and collect their orders.

In fact, drive-throughs are on an upward trajectory in the U.K. There was a <u>41 percent increase</u> in the number of drive-throughs between 2015 and 2020, and <u>12 percent of sales</u> at fast-food restaurants and coffee chains were made through their drive-through sites in the year to March 2021: jumping 50 percent from pre-Covid figures.

This service has become indispensable for many. Drive-throughs provide benefits for people with mobility challenges as well as those with intensely busy schedules or people wrangling small children. In the U.S., even some banks and pharmacies offer drive-through options. And by helping customers avoid indoor dining, drive-throughs may have also helped limit the spread of Covid-19. But drive-throughs come at a cost.

First, drive-throughs require excessive idling, something that is <u>banned</u> on public roads in the U.K. but regularly and casually done in drive-through queues. In addition to increasing emissions, <u>wasting fuel</u> and <u>damaging engines</u>, exhaust pipe emissions associated with idling create <u>local air pollution</u> with serious environmental and health consequences.

Poor air quality is already a widespread problem in the U.K., where more than two-thirds of local authorities <u>breach</u> air quality targets. Even if we were to meet these targets, the <u>Royal College of Physicians</u> has warned that only a fraction of incidences of air quality-related illnesses — <u>including</u> lung cancer, asthma attacks, and overall lower life expectancy — would be prevented. Currently, air pollution leads to <u>40,000 deaths</u> per year in the UK, with annual costs to the NHS of more than £20 billion (\$27.2 billion).



Idling in drive-through queues is bad for people and the planet.

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In light of the ongoing <u>transition</u> towards electric vehicles, the environmental concerns of idling will diminish. The U.K.'s plan to <u>phase out</u> sales of internal combustion engines will also reduce <u>exhaust pipe emissions</u> as we head towards 2050.

Yet, even so, emissions from brake wear and tire wear are respectively responsible for <u>16</u> to 55 percent and five to <u>30 percent</u> of non-exhaust emissions in U.K. towns and cities. That means air pollution and its associated health effects will not be completely resolved by the switch to electric cars.

Drive-throughs: The bottom line

Around the world, cities have begun to crack down on the drive-through, despite <u>renewed</u> investment following the pandemic.

Some regions in <u>Canada</u> and the <u>United States</u> have already banned or restricted new drive-throughs, while cities such as <u>Glasgow</u> are beginning to consider following suit. As the U.K. tries to reduce car ownership and use, drive-throughs will also inevitably be discouraged.

Curbing the expansion of drive-throughs now will not severely affect U.K. restaurants' revenue: especially given their relatively low market share when you consider that 70 percent of fast-food sales in the United States are made via drive-throughs. However, the negative implications of "drive-through culture" have deeper roots.

Car-centric transport planning has dominated U.K. urban development since the <u>Second World War</u>. It has increased congestion and contributed to public health problems such as the effects of poor air quality and the <u>growing incidence of obesity</u> while cutting the <u>share of trips</u> taken via more environmentally friendly options such as <u>public transport</u>, <u>cycling</u>, and <u>walking</u>.



In many countries, the huge amount of space reserved for cars could be used to improve health and wellbeing.

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Urban development that prioritizes cars is also inconsistent with U.K. government goals to improve <u>wellbeing</u>, <u>food systems</u>, and <u>public health</u>. Instead, building cities with wider pavements, segregated bicycle paths, and widespread public transport — where we can reduce our <u>reliance</u> on cars and fast food — represents the healthy urban future that <u>experts</u> suggest we should <u>try to create</u>.

And for those with mobility or childcare issues, the growth of smartphone apps enabling <u>restaurant-to-car delivery</u> outside of drive-throughs allows people to conveniently and safely collect food without needing to queue. Food <u>delivery apps</u> whose riders use bicycles can also help reduce car trips while maintaining convenience.

As a society, we need to reflect on the profoundly negative effects of living in a society that has become so <u>pressed for time</u> that we cannot afford to get out of our cars to collect food, let alone to <u>eat it</u>.

Fundamentally, drive-throughs are symptomatic of a mode of living from which we need to move away — for the sake of our planet. Limiting them in the U.K. would be a sign of progress not just for the environment but for our society too.

This article was originally published on <u>The Conversation</u> by Eugene Mohareb at the University of Reading and Sybil Derrible at University of Illinois at Chicago. Read the <u>original</u> <u>article here</u>.

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Nature and Biodiversity

These American cities are banning new drivethroughs to halt climate change

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Cities across America are banning the construction of fast-food drive-throughs, in a bid to cut air pollution and combat climate change.

Minneapolis is one of the latest to bring in rules <u>prohibiting new drive-through restaurants</u>, while towns in California, Missouri and New Jersey already have similar bans in place.

Measures to reduce idling – leaving a car's engine running while it's stationary – are also gaining in popularity and have been put in place in cities including Boston.

Drive-through lines – where people order food through a window and wait in their car while it's prepared – are a common place for this to happen.

<u>Idling engines contribute</u> to emissions and increased fuel consumption - bad for drivers' wallets and the planet. <u>US government advice</u> suggests that idling for more than 10 seconds uses more fuel and produces more emissions than restarting your engine.

Vehicle emissions contain gases including carbon dioxide, which contributes to climate change, as well as harmful pollutants nitrogen dioxide, carbon monoxide and hydrocarbons.

Around 7 million people die each year as a result of exposure to air pollution, according to the World Health Organization. This is equivalent to 13 early deaths every minute.

The US <u>Department of Energy</u> estimates that eliminating the idling of car engines would be the same as taking 5 million vehicles off the roads.

Advocates of these policies say eliminating drive-throughs will also help lower obesity rates and cut down on litter thrown from car windows. Opponents say there's <u>little evidence</u> to show that the policy will be effective in improving air quality or health.

Idling is becoming a focus for policy makers around the world as they look for ways to improve air quality. In the UK, motorists who won't turn off their engines can be fined. Even so, the BBC reported that the UK's National Institute for Health and Care Excellence could <u>not find strong</u> evidence that linked changes in driving style to cleaner air.

Still, with air pollution cited as one of our biggest killers, finding solutions and trying new legislation will probably continue.

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Food For Thought

Why U.S. Cities Are Banning New Fast-Food Drive-Throughs

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By Jodi Helmer



More cities are passing legislation to ban the construction of drive-through windows in an attempt to curb emissions, reduce litter and improve pedestrian safety. The bans are also sometimes touted as a way to help fight obesity, but past studies suggest they don't have that effect.

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Pulling into the drive-through lane to order a burger and fries is getting harder in some U.S. cities.

In August, Minneapolis became the latest city to pass an <u>ordinance</u> banning the construction of new drive-through windows. Similar legislation restricting or banning the ubiquitous windows has also passed in Creve Coeur, Mo.; Long Beach, Calif.; and Fair Haven, N.J.

Most bans focus on curbing emissions, reducing litter, improving pedestrian safety and enhancing walkability. In Minneapolis, City Council President Lisa Bender notes that the ordinance fits in with Minneapolis 2040, a plan for growth and development that includes achieving an 80% reduction in greenhouse gas emissions by 2050.

But such legislation is also sometimes promoted as an opportunity to create healthier food environments and curb obesity. In a <u>study</u> analyzing drive-through bans in 27 Canadian cities, researchers noted, "health promotion and chronic disease prevention are public health gains from the implementation of fast food drive-through service bylaws."

In South Los Angeles, where an estimated <u>45% of the 900 restaurants</u> in the area served fast food and almost <u>37% of adults and 30% of children</u> were obese, a 2008 regulation that prohibited opening or expanding stand-alone fast-food restaurants and drive-through windows was aimed at curbing that health epidemic.

In the report "The City Planner's Guide to the Obesity Epidemic: Zoning and Fast Food," researchers support the idea that zoning could help protect residents from high-calorie, high-fat foods, saying that the purported public health benefits provide "a logical and compelling justification for the regulation of fast food outlets by zoning laws to protect the public's health from the devastating obesity epidemic."

Roland Sturm, a senior economist at Rand Corp., a nonprofit research firm, calls the notion ridiculous. Proponents of the bans often tout potential health benefits, he explains, but there is no evidence to back up those claims.

Obesity rates went up, not down, after South Los Angeles banned new stand-alone fast-food restaurants and drive-through windows, according to <u>research</u> published in the journal *Social Science & Medicine* in 2015. Sturm, the lead author, notes that the rates of overweight and obesity continued climbing in the three years following the ban.

"We need to be careful not to overstate what these bans can do," says Sturm. "If we want to lower obesity and want people to be healthier, [drive-through bans] are not going to achieve that."

Indeed, the move appears to be less successful than other legislation aimed at controlling calories and reducing obesity. Soda taxes were linked to a 52% decrease in the consumption of sugar-sweetened beverages among low-income residents in Berkeley, Calif. Evidence about the impact of menu labeling is less clear, but <u>some studies have found</u> that it affects the number of calories in meals purchased at fast-food restaurants.

Hank Cardello, director of the <u>Hudson Institute's Food Policy Center</u> and author of *Stuffed: An Insider's Look at Who's (Really) Making America Fat and How the Food Industry Can Fix It*, warns that attempting to address obesity with legislation is a supersize task.

The bans are not meant to abolish fast food. Existing drive-through windows are often exempt from bans, and customers can still get out of their cars and venture inside for grab-and-go tacos,

burgers, chicken tenders and milkshakes. In the absence of a drive-through option, famished customers might order their dinner through an app like Uber Eats or Grubhub, which Cardello says he believes might be worse for the environment.

Change, he argues, needs to start with the industry, not local legislators. New <u>research</u> published in the *Lancet* medical journal implicates the food industry for fueling obesity and climate change and suggests restricting global brands such as McDonald's and Coca-Cola from participating in policy-related discussions.

"Instead of banning drive-throughs, we need to put pressure on the restaurant chains," Cardello says. "As an industry, they haven't stepped up to make a commitment to cutting calories and improving nutrition ... to make eating healthy more of a default choice."

Jodi Helmer is a North Carolina journalist and beekeeper who frequently writes about food.

- fast food
- obesity epidemic
- food industry
- greenhouse gas emissions
- <u>drive throughs</u>

DSP 22001 - McDonald's on Ager Road

Questions Regarding Trip Generation and Transportation Impacts From Greg Smith

- 1. Does whatever traffic impact analysis was done account for traffic along these roads that would be generated by approved projects in the Development Pipeline?
- 2. Does McDonald's have benchmarks for how much revenue or how many customers it generally takes to make a drive-through outlet like this to be profitable?
- 3. Does McDonald's have a specific revenue, customer, and trip analysis for this outlet?
- 4. How do we know whether the ITE trip generation rates are representative of McDonald's rates regionally or nationally?
- 5. How do we know whether the ITE trip generation are representative of the rates for existing McDonald's or fast food drive-through rates in Prince George's County or the region?
- 6. Are the ITE's trip generation rates based on data gathered before COVID, during peak COVID, or after peak COVID?
- 7. Has there been any effort by the agencies or the applicant to ground-truth the ITE rates?
- 8. How did the applicant decide to assume that 50 percent of the trips would be pass-by trips?
- 9. What happens to the overall number of peak trips into and out of the site if the number of trips if the pass-by percentage is higher or lower?
- 10. If the shopping center will have 75 parking spaces and the McDonald's will have another 54 for a total of 125 and if the McDonald's will have two drive-through ordering lanes, how can the applicant justify such a low peak-hour trip generation rate? Especially when the majority of revenues for these outlets come from
- 11. How would trips would be generated if the drive-through is busy and the parking lot is full or nearly full? How would that affect congestion and safety on local roads?

12. The applicant's trip generation calculation focuses on morning and evening "peak" hours, presumably on weekdays. But what about other weekend days, when youth sporting events or faith services tend to generate a lot of traffic, and may generate a lot of trips to this McDonald's?

DSP 22001 - McDonald's on Ager Road

Questions Regarding Climate ChangeStormwater Management and Impacts on the Environment and Community

From Greg Smith

- 1. Is the staff recommending that the applicant install permeable pavement on the entire McDonald's site or only on the area where the applicant plans to expand the parking area?
- 2. Either way, will that permeable pavement's performance decline over time?
- 3. Will the permeable pavement require maintenance to maintain performance? If so, which agency will ensure that maintenance is performed and is effective?
- 4. Has M-NCPPC or any other agency determined whether the stormwater system that would receive discharges from this site has the capacity to handle those flows? If so, how did the agency make that determination? Based on what precipitation data?
- 5. Has M-NCPPC or any other agency determined whether the stormwater flowing from this site will flow into a nearby stream, for example Sligo Creek?
- 6. Has M-NCPPC or any other agency considered the proximity of the Sligo Creek 100-year flood plain and how having a storm raising the levels of local streams and inundating that floodplain may affect stormwater flows from the site and the possibility of the onsite stormwater management failing?
- 7. Assuming the applicant has complied with Techno-gram 007-2016 and designed the on-site stormwater management on a 100-year storm of 8.5 inches rather than 7.4 inches:
 - a. Does the applicant's design assume those 8.5 inches are spread out evenly over 12 hours, 24 hours, or any other period?
 - b. Does the applicant's design take into account projected increases in storm intensities is it based solely on historic precipitation data?

- c. For example, does it consider the precipitation projections published two years ago by NOAA's Mid-Atlantic Mid-Atlantic Regional Integrated Sciences and Assessments, which project significantly more intense storms based on carbon emissions scenarios?
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Dear Planning Board and Planning Department staff.

Please ensure the attached materials are added to the record for DSP 22001.

As always, thanks for your time and assistance.

Best,

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Location for Atlas 15 Pilot

NOAA ATLAS 15:

Update to the National Precipitation Frequency Standard



NOAA is recognized by the engineering and floodplain management communities as the authoritative source of precipitation frequency data, and has a long history of generating these data that serve as the foundation for built infrastructure nationwide.

The National Weather Service (NWS) Office of Water Prediction (OWP) has produced an authoritative atlas of precipitation frequency estimates, published as volumes of the NOAA Atlas 14 Precipitation-Frequency Atlas of the United States. These estimates are currently posted on the NOAA Precipitation Frequency Data Server (PFDS),

with interactive tables and charts. Precipitation frequency estimates are defined as the precipitation depth at a particular location, for a given storm duration, that has a statistically-expected 1-in-YY chance of being exceeded in any given year, where YY is the statistical annual recurrence interval.

ND OR SD WY UT GA co KS MO TN AL NOAA Atlas 14 estimates are used to design, plan, and manage much of the Nation's States and territories associated with each NOAA infrastructure for a wide variety of purposes Atlas 14 volume





under federal, state, and local regulations.



NOAA Atlas 14 estimates replace estimates previously published by NOAA in the early 1960s and '70s and cover a range of storm durations from 5-minutes through 60-days, for average recurrence intervals of 1-year through 1,000-year. Compared to previous volumes, Atlas 14 estimates benefit from use of better-quality data (e.g. precipitation stations with longer period of record, increased station density, etc.), enhanced quality control methods, consideration of uncertainties, and improved frequency analysis and spatial interpolation methods that account for variation in terrain, proximity to the coastline etc.

First National Precipitation Frequency Analysis Accounting for Climate Change

Historically, NOAA precipitation frequency estimates have been funded by states and other users, on a cost-reimbursable basis, for individual subsets of the U.S. However, with the 2022 Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), OWP received first-ever direct Federal funding to (1) update the NOAA Atlas 14 precipitation frequency standard while accounting for climate change, and (2) develop precipitation frequency estimates for the entire U.S. and its territories.

These updated precipitation frequency estimates will be referred to as NOAA Atlas 15 and will be presented in two volumes. Volume 1 will account for temporal trends in historical observations, and Volume 2 will use future climate model projections to generate adjustment factors for Volume 1. To account for a changing climate, NOAA worked with the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the academic community to develop a new methodology for Atlas 15, which has undergone broad review by stakeholders and Federal partners over the past year, leveraging state of the art research in extreme value theory and climate model outputs and projections. The Atlas 15 estimates will provide critical information to support the design of state and local infrastructure nationwide under a changing climate.

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The generation of authoritative precipitation frequency information requires a rigorous development process and extensive quality control with significant stakeholder interaction.

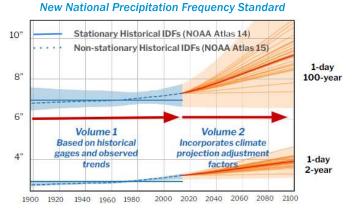
- Developing a seamless national analysis based on historical data and a non-stationarity assumption using the latest precipitation observations and future climate model projections.
 Storm durations will range from 5-minutes to 60-days and span average annual recurrence intervals of 1 to 1,000 years.
- Enhancing Web visualizations and data services, through NOAA's Service Delivery framework initiative, to better engage stakeholders and users.

Timeline for the Development and Deployment of Updated Authoritative Precipitation Frequency Estimates Nationwide

The NOAA Atlas 15 update enhances the production and provision of rigorously produced, authoritative precipitation frequency estimates by:

 Leveraging the results and recommendations from the "Analysis of Impact of Nonstationary Climate on NOAA Atlas 14 Estimates" assessment report.

NOAA Atlas 15



Historical and future intensity-duration-frequency estimates (IDFs)

2022/ 2023

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 public feedback.
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2024

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- Pilot Deliver Atlas 15
 Vol. 1 and Vol. 2 pilot over Montana.

Collect and adjudicate feedback on preliminary estimates and Web dissemination strategies. 2025

- CONUS Distribute preliminary CONUS estimates for Atlas 15 Vol. 1 and Vol. 2 (lower 48 states).
 - Initiate 60-day peer review for Atlas 15 Vol. 1 and Vol. 2.

Collect feedback and adjudicate comments on product.

2026

- CONUS Complete
 Atlas 15 Vol. 1
 and Vol. 2 and
 deliver estimates,
 documentation
 and supplementary
 products to
 stakeholders.
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Collect feedback and adjudicate comments on product.

2027

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The **FLOODS Act** signed into law in December 2022 and known as <u>Public Law No: 117-316</u>, authorizes NOAA to establish a program, to be known as the *NOAA Precipitation Frequency Atlas of the United States*. This program would compile, estimate, analyze, and communicate the frequency of precipitation in the United States and update these precipitation frequency estimates no less than once every 10 years.

For additional information, please contact OWP at hdsc.questions@noaa.gov.

NOAA Atlas 15 Extreme Precipitation Pilot Dataset Released for Review

ByNews Editor October 11, 2024

A key scientific NOAA resource on extreme precipitation that is widely used by floodplain managers, city planners, civil engineers, developers and communities across the nation will soon include climate trend data.

NOAA's <u>Precipitation Frequency Atlas of the United States</u> (Atlas) provides the statistical likelihood of an extreme precipitation event at a particular location in any given year, which — until recently — assumed a stationary climate. These statistics are the basis for planning and infrastructure design and for communicating the likelihood of extreme events, such as storms that have a 1% chance of occurring.

Recognizing that extreme precipitation and nationwide flood risk are getting worse in a warming climate, NOAA is changing the methodology used to produce the Atlas by factoring the future state of the climate into official precipitation frequency estimates

Beginning with a pilot project for the state of Montana, on October 9 NOAA's National Weather Service' Office of Water Prediction released an early look at the data used to produce Atlas 15 Volumes 1 and 2 to get stakeholder feedback before expanding nationwide. Volume 1 uses trends in observations and Volume 2 uses climate model output data to estimate future conditions.

Novice and experienced users of Atlas tools are asked to review and compare both volumes and provide feedback on the utility of each interface. Doing so will be the first step in a robust peer-review process that Atlas 15 will undergo before it is published for the continental U.S. in 2026, and the rest of the country in 2027. Next year, NOAA will release preliminary estimates for the lower 48 states to begin the peer review process. When Atlas 15 is published, these data will provide communities across the country with information necessary to adapt to future climate conditions.

The new Atlas will provide an update of the current Atlas 14 "point and click" system of spatially independent estimates of expected precipitation depth for specified storm durations from 5 minutes to 60 days, and is also presented as annual exceedance probabilities from 50 percent to 0.1% annual exceedance.

The move to Atlas 15 will bring numerous benefits, including:

- **Updated Historical Data**: Atlas 15 will refresh outdated data to the present. Many Atlas 14 products are 10–20 years old.
- **Seamless National Estimations**: It will ensure consistent precipitation estimates across the entire country.

• **Future Climate Projections**: Atlas 15 will include estimates of future conditions based on different greenhouse gas scenarios going forward, and it will display these side by side for easy comparison.

Instructions for accessing the Montana Atlas 15 pilot can be found here, along with a six-minute video explanation of its features and a 36-page detailed explanation of methodologies employed in developing the Atlas. This represents a huge accomplishment that ASFPM has strongly supported over the past five years, as part of a larger effort to improve flood estimation and, ultimately, mapping accuracy. We encourage our members to review the pilot data and complete the NOAA survey. Feedback will be accepted through December 31, 2024

NOAA Atlas 15: Update to the National Precipitation Frequency Standard

What is NOAA Atlas 15?

NOAA Atlas 15 is the new authoritative, spatially continuous and climate-informed National Precipitation Frequency Atlas of the United States, currently under development by the NOAA National Weather Service (NWS) Office of Water Prediction (OWP). As with previous Precipitation Frequency Atlases, NOAA Atlas 15 will provide spatially independent estimates of expected precipitation depth (or intensity) for a specified storm duration (e.g., 6 hours), at a particular location of interest (e.g., Tulsa, Oklahoma). The statistically expected precipitation estimates will be presented as exceedance probabilities ranging from 50% average annual exceedance to 0.1%, and will cover storm durations ranging from 5 minutes to 60 days. As an example, a NOAA Atlas 15 precipitation estimate with a 20% average annual exceedance probability has a 20% chance of being exceeded in the year of interest (see table below for a range of examples).

Annual Exceedance Probability (%)								
	Duration	50% □	20% □	10% 🗆	4 % 🗆	2% □	1% 🗆	
	60 minutes	0.499 (0.446 - 0.549)	0.729 (0.64 - 0.818)	0.919 (0.793 - 1.05)	1.21 (1.02 - 1.41)	1.48 (1.22 - 1.75)	1.79 (1.45 - 2.16)	
	120 minutes	0.619 (0.563 - 0.675)	0.841 (0.747 - 0.937)	1.01 (0.888 - 1.15)	1.3 (1.11 - 1.51)	1.56 (1.31 - 1.84)	1.86 (1.53 - 2.24)	
	3 hours	0.71 (0.649 - 0.771)	0.951 (0.851 - 1.06)	1.14 (1 - 1.28)	1.43 (1.23 - 1.64)	1.68 (1.42 - 1.96)	1.97 (1.64 - 2.35)	
	6 hours	0.89 (0.817 - 0.966)	1.18 (1.07 - 1.31)	1.4 (1.25 - 1.57)	1.71 (1.5 - 1.95)	1.96 (1.69 - 2.26)	2.23 (1.9 - 2.62)	

In contrast to NOAA Atlas 14, NOAA Atlas 15 will provide spatially continuous coverage over the entire United States and, for the first time, will also account for future climate variability (through the year 2100). When published, NOAA Atlas 15 will be the authoritative source for precipitation frequency information across the United States. The current standard, NOAA Atlas 14, is referenced in many engineering design standards and floodplain regulations, published by entities outside of NOAA, and engineers and other practitioners use those standards and regulations to make local decisions (designs for drainage infrastructure, city and regional planning, etc.) Among the civil engineering community, precipitation frequency estimates for various durations are often referred to as Depth-Duration-Frequency (DDF) or Intensity-Duration-Frequency (IDF) curves.

Why is NOAA Atlas 15 important?

NOAA Atlas 15 can help communities nationwide become more climate-resilient when planning for and designing new infrastructure. This objective will be supported by (1) the delivery of spatially continuous precipitation frequency estimates that cover the entire United States and (2) the incorporation of nonstationary statistical methods and information from climate models to account for future climate variability.

Although precipitation frequency estimates have existed for many decades (since the late 1930s) and have incrementally improved with advancements in data, science and technology, NOAA Atlas 15 represents a shift from a stationary (i.e., extreme precipitation events do not change significantly over time) to nonstationary assumption (i.e., extreme precipitation events change over time), a key modification that may impact the manner in which precipitation frequency information is applied. NOAA recognizes that projecting precipitation frequency information into the future introduces additional uncertainties, such as the degree to which global temperatures are increasing and climate model physics, and parameter configurations thus impacting stakeholders who use this information to assess risk across a range of applications, including the planning, management, and design of engineering infrastructure.

As a provider of high quality scientific data, NOAA's objective is to update national precipitation frequency estimates to include climate information, based on the best available and actionable science at the time of development. NOAA is committed to clearly describing the data that are generated, communicating how they were developed and providing service delivery to ensure equitable access to the information. As this dataset is used for a wide-range of applications, it will be up to users, organizations and government agencies to identify the appropriate bounds for the application of these estimates in the areas in which they have missions and expertise. To help with the transition from the current national standard, NOAA Atlas 14, to NOAA Atlas 15, NOAA plans to partner with several entities and to engage a wide range of stakeholders.

Who funded NOAA Atlas 15?

The United States Congress, through the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL), provided NOAA with funding to revise and update the current precipitation frequency standard, known as NOAA Atlas 14, and develop NOAA Atlas 15.

"...To support the design, development, and operation of our nation's built infrastructure, from new power plants to transportation systems, NOAA will update and revise precipitation frequency atlases for the United States that account for climate change..."

Who is developing NOAA Atlas 15?

NOAA's <u>Office of Water Prediction</u>, which is part of NOAA's National Weather Service, is developing NOAA Atlas 15.

The NOAA Atlas 15 Pilot dataset would not have been possible without the support and contributions of grantees, contractors, and individuals from government, private industry, and academia. For more information on the development of the NOAA Atlas 15 Pilot data, please refer to the NOAA Atlas 15 Pilot Technical Report.

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NOAA Atlas 15 Volume 2 will provide model-based precipitation frequency estimates projected into the future, utilizing climate model information. Volume 2 estimates will be developed by applying adjustment factors to Volume 1 estimates (i.e. future relative changes obtained from downscaled climate model data).

What is the NOAA Atlas 15 timeline and when will it be released?

All NOAA precipitation frequency standards will go through the public peer review process following the timeline presented below. Datasets will be released to the public at different points to ensure NOAA can collect feedback on NOAA Atlas 15, using NOAA's <u>service</u> <u>delivery model</u>, as guidance.

Montana

• 2024 - Pilot project available for early feedback

Contiguous United States (CONUS)

The lower 48 states

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Outside the Contiguous United States (oCONUS)

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Update to U.S. precipitation frequency standards now accounts for climate trends

NOAA seeks stakeholder feedback on Precipitation Atlas 15 pilot data before expanding nationwide

Focus areas: Weather

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September 26, 2024



Extreme rain causes culvert washout at Walker Brook in Becket, Massachusetts. (Image credit: Photo courtesy Massachusetts Division of Ecological Restoration.)

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"Atlas 15 will become the federal government's new authoritative dataset for the planning and design of infrastructure Americans rely on every day," said Ed Clark, director of NOAA's National Water Center. "With the increasingly complex water challenges facing the nation, Atlas 15 will build upon the foundational Atlas 14 standard and provide an equitable service for all communities seeking to become more climate resilient."

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NOAA precipitation frequency estimates are recognized by the engineering and floodplain management communities as the authoritative source of precipitation frequency data due to the rigor of the scientific methods and quality control applied, the extensive amount of data included in the analysis and the thorough peer review process conducted with a vast array of stakeholders.

With this early release for Montana, NOAA encourages stakeholders, including engineers, city planners and climate scientists, to <u>provide feedback on the pilot data offsite link</u>. Their input will help shape the final dataset, ensuring it meets the needs of communities nationwide.

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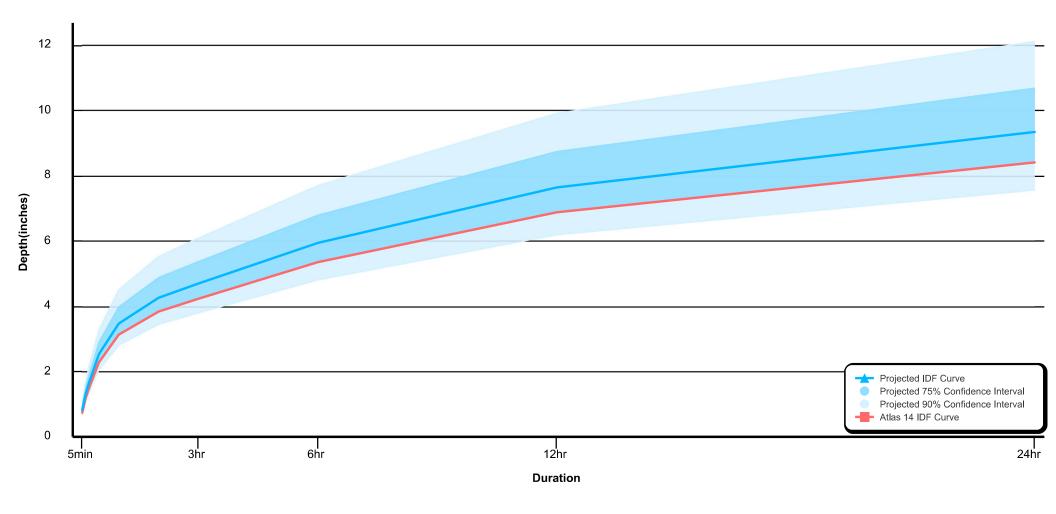
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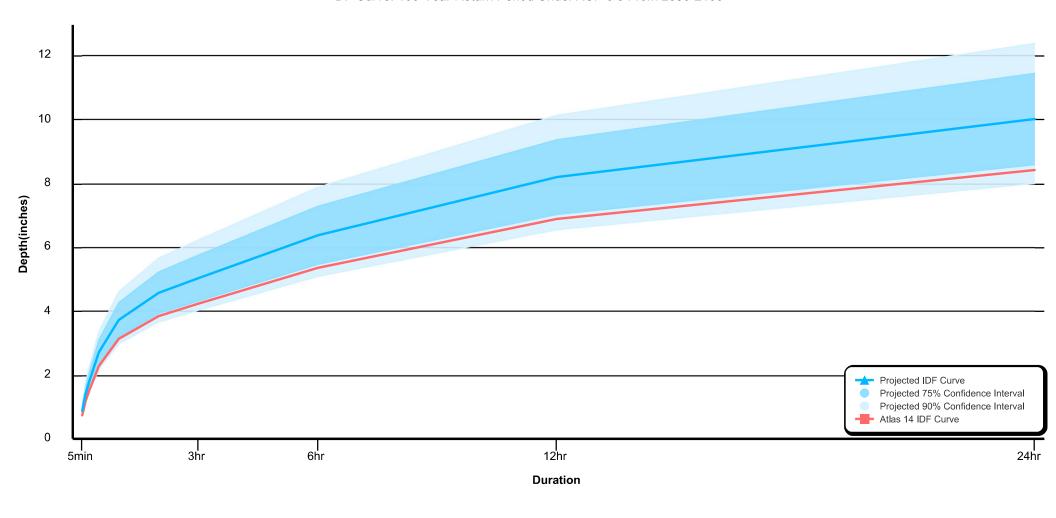
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From: Greg Smith <gpsmith@igc.org>

Sent: Thursday, November 21, 2024 3:12 PM

To: PPD-PGCPB; Jones, Jessica; GomezRojas, Natalia; Conner, Sherri

Subject: DSP 22001 - Comments on Trips, Traffic and Safety

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November 21, 2024

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To: PPD-PGCPB; Jones, Jessica; GomezRojas, Natalia; Conner, Sherri

Subject: DSP 22001 - Supplemental Comments Opposing DSP 22001 - McDonald's on Ager

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Item: Supplemental Comments

McDonald's on Ager Road DSP 22001, DDS 23001, and AC 23071

Request to Deny Approval of DSP 22001, DDS 23001, and AC 23071

Dear Planning Board Members:

For the reasons stated below, I respectfully request that the Planning Board disapprove McDonald's on Ager Road Detailed Site Plan 22001, Departure from Design Standards 23001, and Alternative Compliance 23071.

I am filing these supplemental comments for protective and cautionary reasons, and their filing does not preclude the raising of these and any other issues before the Planning Board.

Where they do not conflict with my own stated positions, I incorporate by reference comments submitted by Melissa Schweisguth, Alexi Boado, the Sierra Club, Friends of Sligo Creek, Neighbors of the Northwest Branch, and others.

Based upon the facts below and other evidence in the record, the applicant has failed to meet the requisite burden of proof and has failed to meet minimum requirements for the promotion of the purposes of Zoning Ordinance (Subtitle 27) and other county laws.

While I appreciate that the Planning Board continued this case in November 2024 to allow additional exploration of *certain* issues raised by the community in previous comments, I believe that the Planning Board has erred in refusing, generally, to consider off-site impacts and refusing to consider significant aspects of the site's context.

I also believe the Planning Board erred when it decided not to consider the potential public health impacts of this project, especially:

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- b. When those impacts fall upon a community that already is subject to multiple social, environmental, and economic stressors, so many that it appears to be an Environmental Justice Community, based on screening tools offered by the US EPA, MDE, and the University of Maryland School of Public Health.

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A Few Relevant Sections of the Zoning Ordinance

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The burden of proof in any zoning case shall be the applicant's.

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- (a) The purposes of the Zoning Ordinance are:
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- (3) To promote the conservation, creation, and expansion of communities that will be developed with adequate public facilities and services;
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- (9) To encourage economic development activities that provide desirable employment and a broad, protected tax base;
- (10) To prevent the overcrowding of land;
- (11) To lessen the danger and congestion of traffic on the streets, and to insure the continued usefulness of all elements of the transportation system for their planned functions;
- (12) To insure the social and economic stability of all parts of the County;
- (13) To protect against undue noise, and air and water pollution, and to encourage the preservation of stream valleys, steep slopes, lands of natural beauty, dense forests, scenic vistas, and other similar features;
- (14) To provide open space to protect scenic beauty and natural features of the County, as well as to provide recreational space; and
- (15) To protect and conserve the agricultural industry and natural resources.

Sec. 27-104. Minimum requirements.

In interpreting and applying the provisions of the Zoning Ordinance, they are the minimum requirements for the promotion of the purposes of this Subtitle.

This principle is so important that similar language appears, if I recall correctly. in the County's Subdivision Regulations, Water Resources Protection and Grading Ordinance, and Tree and Vegetation Ordinance.

To my knowledge, nothing in the Zoning Ordinance prevents the Planning Department or the Planning Board from requiring more and better from the applicant, especially in a community that clearly is already over-burdened with multiple environmental, public health, social, and economic stressors, including the facts that it:

• Exists in Food Swamp, with an over-abundance of unhealthy food options and a lack of healthy food options;

- Already suffers serious traffic congestion, high accident rates, high accident-related injuries, and pedestrian fatalities;
- Exists in an Intense Urban Heat Island due to an overabundance of pavement and buildings, and a serious lack of tree canopy, forests; and
- According to the US EPA and University of Maryland School of Public Health has multiple characteristics that typify an Environmental Justice community, including:
- Has a higher-than-average percentage of People of Color, children under five years of age, residents who do not speak English, who lack health insurance, etc.
- Is over-burdened with heavy traffic and elevated levels of ozone, diesel particulates, nitrogen dioxide, and probably other traffic-related air pollutants.

Notably, a significant body of research shows that people of color suffer from higher rates of Type 2 diabetes, obesity, and other conditions due to poor diets, lack of exercise, and other factors. Some studies have found a correlation between the proximity of fast food outlets and obesity in nearby communities. At least one study found this impact to be greatest among African American women.

Anyone of these stressors merits consideration, and the cumulative impacts of so many stressors certainly should weigh heavily against approving this project.

And why would you not demand more and better here?

To avoid inconveniencing a multi-national corporation that wants to build a high-volume fast-food drive-through next to one of the most dangerous intersections in the county?

And that has failed – in several ways – to meet the burden of proof or to meet the minimum requirements to demonstrate that its project helps to fulfill the purposes of the Zoning Ordinance?

Transportation Concerns: Impacts on Congestion and Safety, and a Flawed Analysis

The project fails to meet numerous goals and policies set forth in Plan 2035 and the County's Climate Action Plan, which call for reducing automobile use and increasing access via other modes of transportation.

The project is adjacent to a complex, five-point intersection that is routinely congested with long back ups, especially, but not exclusively during morning and evening rush hours. I know from experience biking through that intersection and crossing Riggs Road and Route 410 on the Sligo Creek path nearby that crossing those roads can be perilous.

The trip analysis submitted by the applicant apparently fails to take into account the fact that this McDonald's would have a drive through window. That analysis is so generic and context-free that it is at best meaningless and at worst misleading. By basing its trip generation calculation on a small strip shopping center rather than a high-volume fast-food drive-through, the applicant almost certainly has significantly understated the number of trips the project will generate throughout the day and during morning and evening peak traffic hours. In turn,

this leads to an underassessment of the project's potential impacts on congestion, safety, local air quality, and public health.

Concerns Regarding the Project's Potential Environmental, Community, and Public Heath Impacts

Impacts on Sligo Creek and the Northwest Branch

The project site is within roughly 500 feet of Sligo Creek, which is a major tributary of the Northwest Branch of the Anacostia River. Areas downstream of the site are prone to flooding.

Under Section 303(d) of the Clean Water Act, the Maryland Department of the Environment list the lower Northwest Branch and the Anacostia River as impaired for total suspended solids, biological oxygen demand, phosphorus, nitrogen, heptachlor epoxide, enterococcus, trash, and PCBs. The lower Northwest Branch may also be impaired for habitat alterations, lack of riparian buffer, chloride, and sulfate. Any additional loadings of those pollutants or degradation of those conditions should be avoided.

Impacts on Public Health, Climate Change and Environmental Justice

In addition, the US Environmental Protection Agency's Environmental Justice Screening Tool shows that the surrounding community is a vulnerable EJ community based on race, income, age, and existing environmental burdens, including elevated levels of traffic-related air pollution.

Specific relevant criteria include:

- Significantly higher than average percentages of people of color, residents who do not speak English, children under five, residents who lack health insurance, and residents with asthma;
- High traffic volumes, and elevated levels of traffic-related air pollutants, including nitrogen dioxide, diesel particulates, ozone, and almost certainly other toxic and carcinogenic emissions; and
- High temperatures

Maps provided by the Trust for Public Lands show the site and much of the surrounding area is part of an intense urban heat island, due to the replacement of forests and tree canopy with buildings and pavement. Please see the attached heat island maps and the attached pages excerpted from the County's Climate Action Plan. Satellite maps from Google Earth and street view photos from Google Maps, show that much the forested buffer on the site is, in fact, forest and substantial canopy contiguous with the forest and canopy on the Green Hill site.

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Cars idling in the drive-through queue will emit a toxic stew of air pollutants including carbon monoxide, nitrogen dioxide, and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons, and fine and ultrafine particles that penetrate deeply into the lungs. They also will emit planet-heating carbon dioxide.

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The Technical Staff Report, Staff Report Addenda, and the Technical Referral Memorandum submitted by the County Department of Health fail to address environmental justice or the distinct and cumulative impacts of these socio-economic factors, air pollution, excessive heat, the relative lack of access to healthy food options in this Food Swamp, and the excessive number of traffic accidents and injuries. Please see the attached County Environmental Justice Commission Report and EJ maps from the US EPA screening tool.

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The applicant's trip generation calculation assumes that 50 percent of the trips would be "pass-by" trips. There's no clear basis in the record for that assumption, and no analysis of what happens to the overall number of peak trips into and out of the site if the number of trips if the pass-by percentage is higher or lower.

The shopping center will have 75 parking spaces and the McDonald's will have another 54 – for a total of 125. This McDonald's will have a queuing capacity of approximately 20 vehicles. So how does the applicant justify such low peak-hour trip generation rates, especially when a significant share of the revenue for fast food outlets, perhaps a majority of revenues, comes from drive-through customers?

How many trips would be generated if the drive-through is busy and the parking lot is full or nearly full? How would that affect on-site circulation and safety? How would it affect congestion and safety on local roads?

The applicant's trip generation calculation focuses on morning and evening "peak" hours, presumably on weekdays. But what about weekend days, when youth sporting events or faith services tend to generate a lot of traffic, and may generate a lot of trips to this McDonald's?