

December 8th, 2017

Nick Johnson
City of Bloomington Planner
1800 West Old Shakopee Road
Bloomington, MN 55431

SUBJECT: Friendship Village
 MnDOT Review P17-031A
 SE quad US169 and I-494
 Bloomington, Hennepin County
 Control Section 2776

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Please label the drainage easement on the plans, refer to the attached sheets marking the easements.

For questions regarding these comments please contact Doug Nelson at 651-234-7583 or douglas.nelson@state.mn.us.

Design:

It appears from this revised set of plans that the grading limits on MnDOT right of way are much less than the previous version. However, there will be impacts to trees on MnDOT right of way. These plants need to be protected and in some cases, they need to be moved. Please contact Todd Carroll (Todd.Carroll@state.mn.us or (651) 366-4617) to discuss the options of how and where they will be moved. Also incorporate the following detail sheets into the plan set in order to provide guidance for planting, protecting, and moving plants on MnDOT right of way. <http://dotapp7.dot.state.mn.us/edms/download?docId=1643381>

Geotechnical:

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Permits:

Any use of or work within or affecting MnDOT right of way requires a permit. Permit forms are available from MnDOT's utility website at <http://www.dot.state.mn.us/utility/>.

Please include one plan set formatted to 11 x 17 size with each permit application. Please direct any questions regarding permit requirements to Buck Craig (651-234-7911 or buck.craig@state.mn.us) of MnDOT's Metro Permits Section.

Review Submittal Options:

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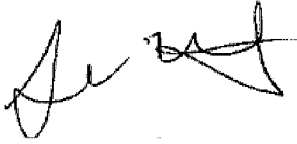
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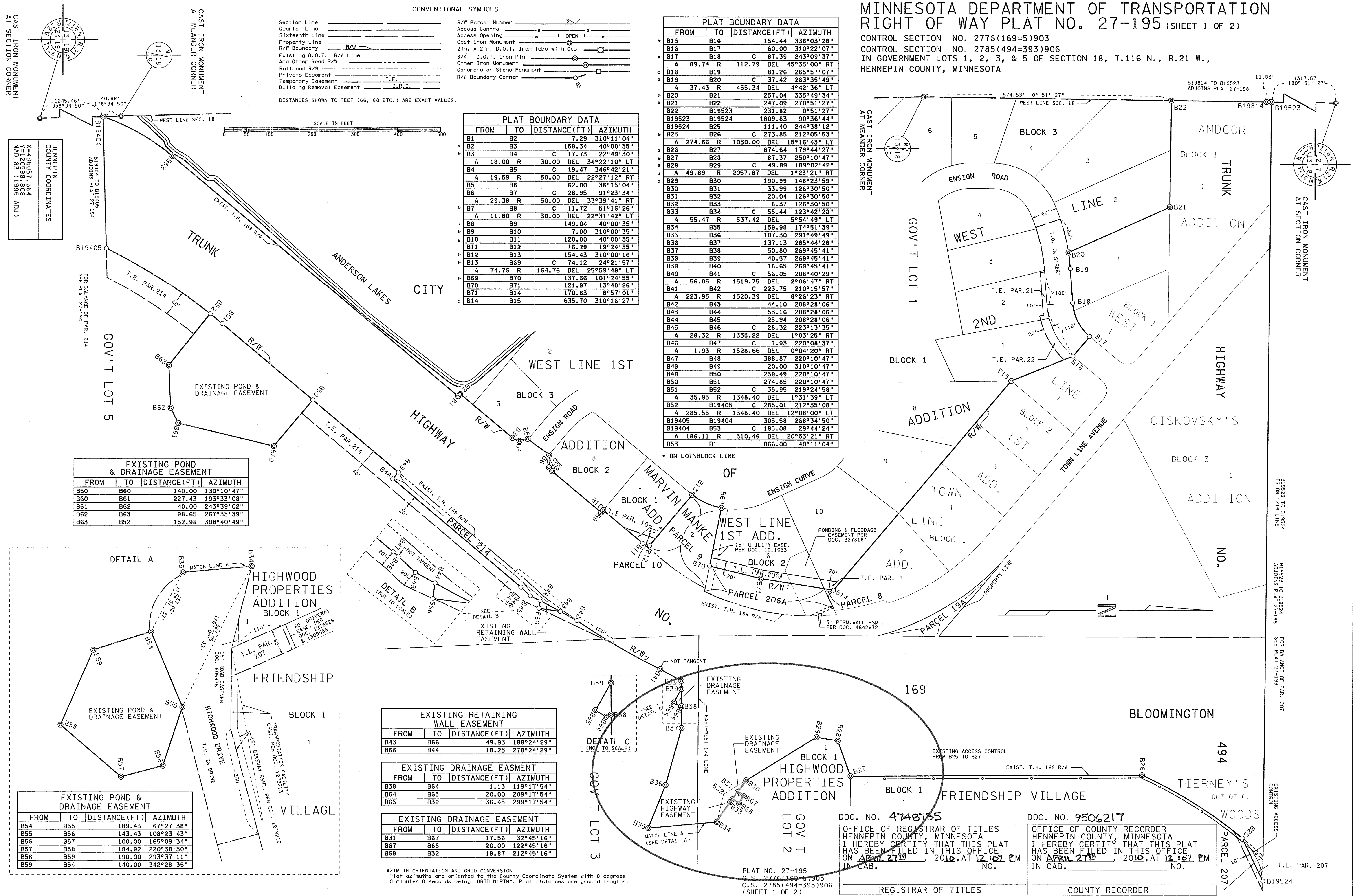
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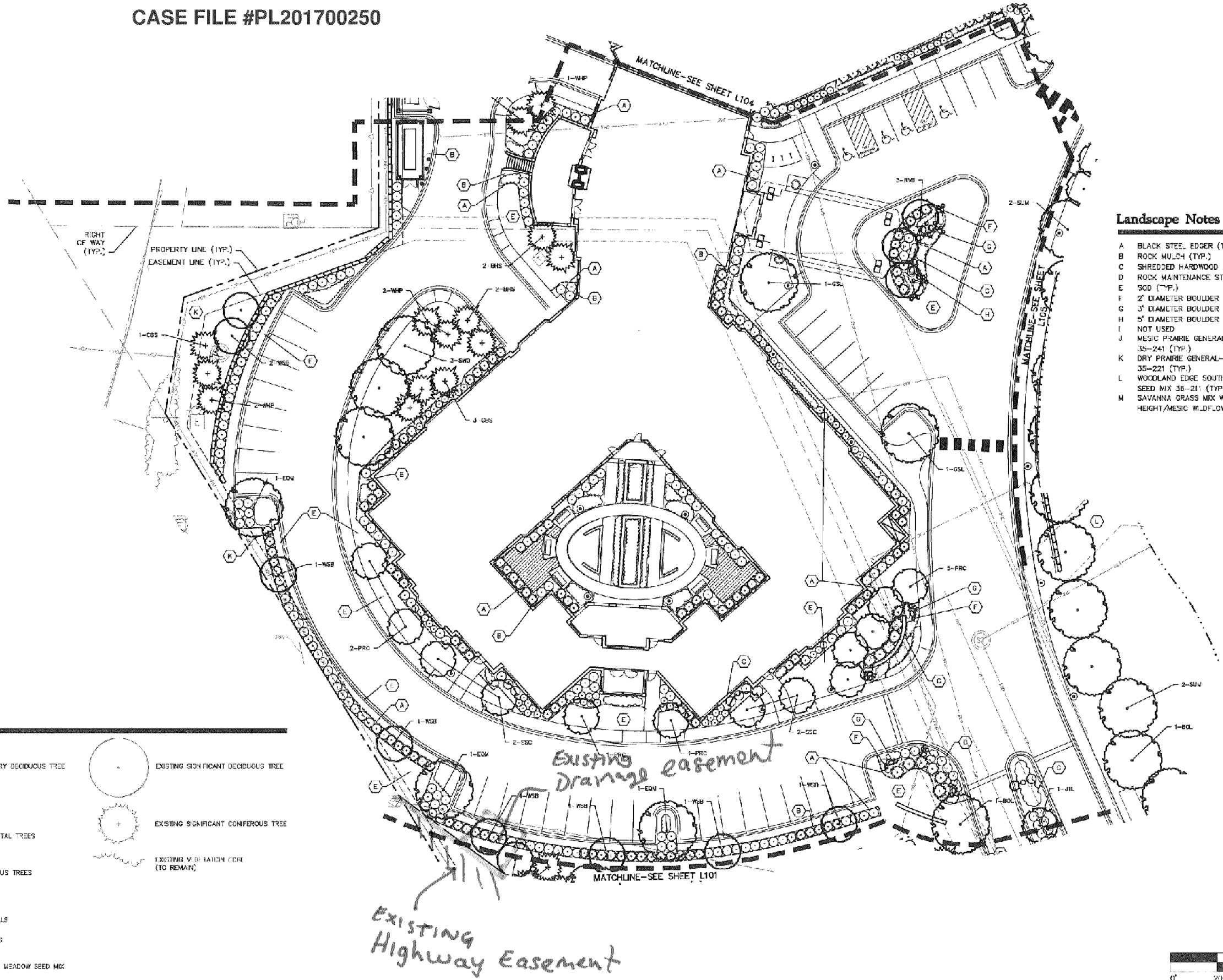
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CASE FILE #PL201700250



Landscape Notes

- A BLACK STEEL EDGER (TYP.)
- B ROCK MULCH (TYP.)
- C SHREDDED HARDWOOD MULCH (TYP.)
- D ROCK MAINTENANCE STRIP (TYP.)
- E SOG (TYP.)
- F 2' DIAMETER BOULDER (TYP.)
- G 3' DIAMETER BOULDER (TYP.)
- H 5' DIAMETER BOULDER (TYP.)
- I NOT USED
- J MESIC PRAIRIE GENERAL- MNDOT SEED MIX 35-241 (TYP.)
- K DRY PRAIRIE GENERAL- MNDOT SEED MIX 35-221 (TYP.)
- L WOODLAND EDGE SOUTH & WEST- MNDOT SEED MIX 35-211 (TYP.)
- M SAVANNA GRASS MIX WITH MIXED HEIGHT/MESIC WILDFLOWER MIX (TYP.)

Plant Legend

- OVERSTORY DECIDUOUS TREE
- EXISTING SIGNIFICANT DECIDUOUS TREE
- ORNAMENTAL TREES
- EXISTING SIGNIFICANT CONIFEROUS TREE
- CONIFEROUS TREES
- EXISTING VIGOR BATHING CORE (TO REMAIN)
- SHRUBS
- PERENNIALS
- BOULDER'S
- 1/4" MCW MEADOW SEED MIX

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Designed: RJS
Checked: JFW
Drawn: RJS
Record Drawing by/date:

Revisions:
1 05/10/2017 DRC Submittal
2 06/08/2017 Per City Comments
3 11/15/2017 DRC Submittal

I hereby certify that this plan was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly certified PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT under the laws of the State of Minnesota.
Jeffery R. Westwood
Date: 11/15/2017 License No.:

DRC Submittal

Prepared for:
Lifespace Communities

Friendship Village

Bloomington, Minnesota

PHASE 1 NORTH LANDSCAPE PLAN

Date: 06/22/2017
Sheet: L102 of 44

March 29th, 2018

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For questions about LUPs or the LUP process please contact Dan Phelps at 651-234-7585 or dan.phelps@state.mn.us.

Vegetation:

The trees on MnDOT right-of-way will need to be protected during construction. The protection around the tree will need to be to the drip line, even if that is on private property. Please reference the attached sheet for details on tree protection.

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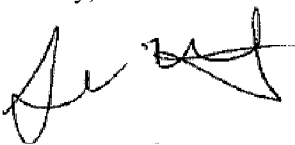
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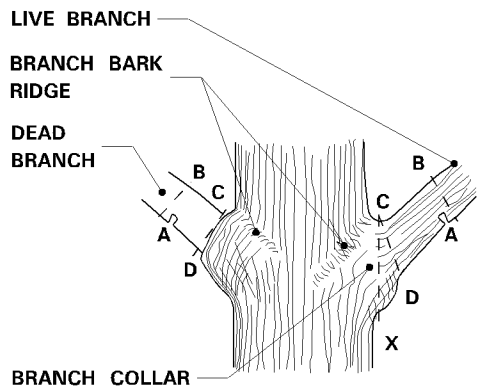
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- STEPS TO PRUNING WITH PRUNING SAW:
1. CUT PART WAY THROUGH THE BRANCH AT POINT A.
 2. CUT COMPLETELY THROUGH BRANCH FROM POINT B TO A.
 3. AT BRANCH COLLAR CUT FROM POINT C TO D.

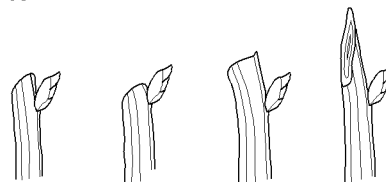
INCORRECT CUT FROM POINT C TO X (TOO CLOSE) WILL RESULT IN DISCONTINUOUS CALLUS FORMATION AFTER ONE SEASON OF GROWTH.

CORRECT CUT FROM POINT C TO D (LEAVING BRANCH COLLAR BUT NOT THE STUB FROM POINT B TO A) WILL RESULT IN CONTINUOUS DOUGHNUT SHAPED CALLUS FORMATION AFTER ONE SEASON OF GROWTH.

BRANCHES PRUNED AT TRUNK

(SHIGO METHOD)

CORRECT PRUNING CUT TOO CLOSE TOO LONG TOO SLANTED



LIVE BUD

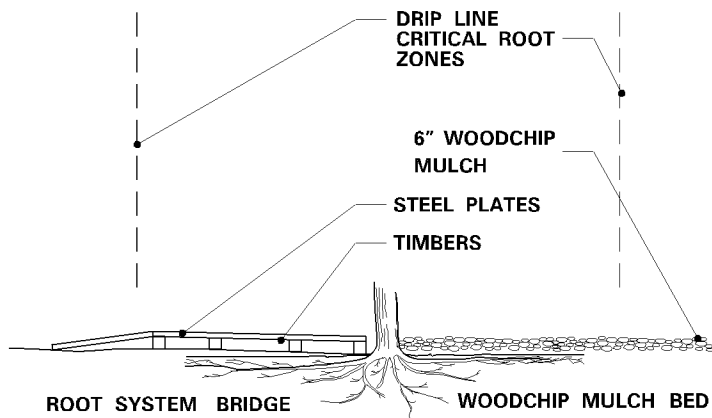
PRUNING NOTES:

1. PRUNE USING CLEAN AND SHARP SCISSOR-TYPE PRUNER OR PRUNING SAW.
2. THE BEST TIME TO PRUNE IS LATE DORMANT SEASON OR EARLY SPRING.
3. AVOID PRUNING OAKS IN APRIL, MAY, JUNE OR JULY.
4. IF PRUNING IS NECESSARY OR IF WOUNDS OCCUR TO OAK TREES IN APRIL, MAY, JUNE OR JULY, IMMEDIATELY PAINT CUT SURFACE OR WOUND WITH LATEX PAINT OR SHELLAC.

BRANCHES PRUNED TO LIVE BUD

PRUNING

(MnDOT 2571.3E.1 and 2571.3K.2.a(9))



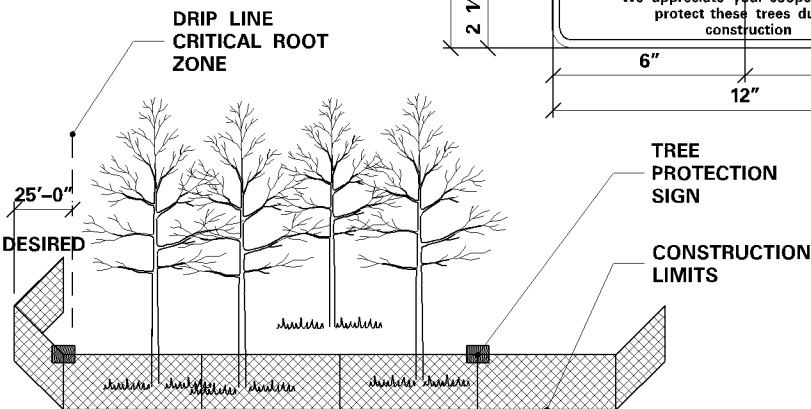
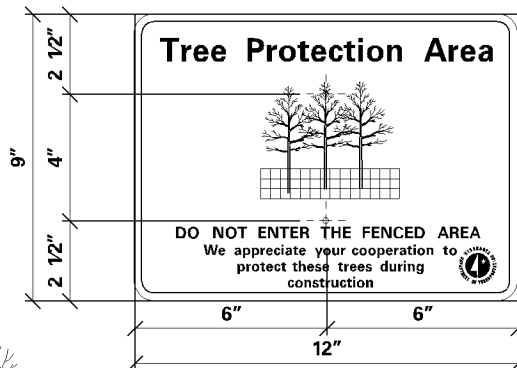
IF CONSTRUCTION VEHICLES MUST PASS OVER ROOT ZONES, THE CONTRACTOR MUST EITHER:

1. CONSTRUCT ROOT SYSTEM BRIDGES WITH STEEL PLATE SUPPORTED ON WOOD TIMBERS PLACED RADIALLY TO THE TREE TRUNK.
- OR
2. PLACE A 6 INCH LAYER OF WOODCHIP MULCH OVER A TYPE III GEOTEXTILE (MnDOT 3733).

OTHER VEGETATION PROTECTION MEASURES

(MnDOT 2572.3A.12)

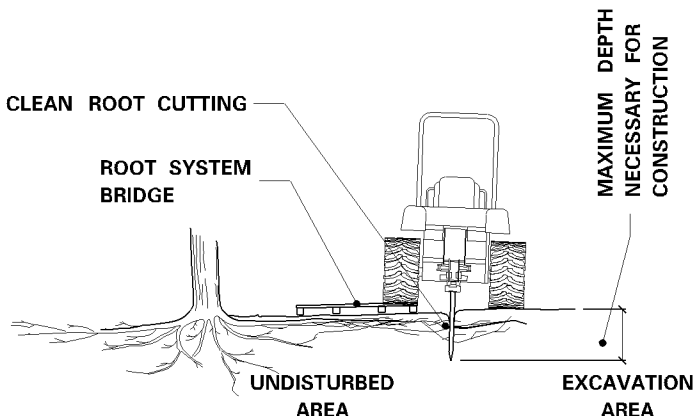
1. FABRICATE 12" X 9" X 3/8" SIGN WITH 0.75" RADIUS CORNERS.
2. SIGN SHALL BE WHITE WITH BLACK LETTERING.
3. ATTACH SIGN TO POST USING 1" LENGTH WOOD SCREWS.



1. FURNISH AND INSTALL TEMPORARY FENCE AT THE TREE'S DRIPLINE OR CONSTRUCTION LIMITS AS SPECIFIED, PRIOR TO ANY CONSTRUCTION.
2. WHEN POSSIBLE PLACE FENCE 25 FEET BEYOND THE DRIPLINE.
3. PLACE TREE PROTECTION SIGNS ALONG FENCE AT 50' INTERVALS.

TEMPORARY FENCE

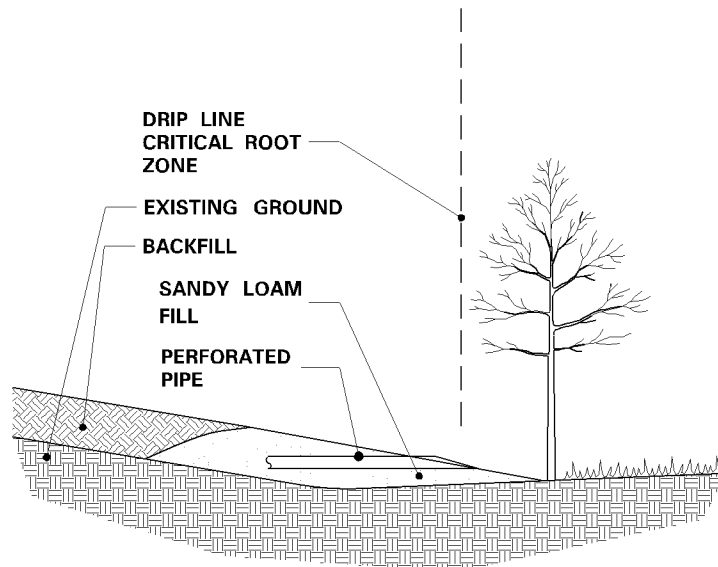
(MnDOT 2572.3A.1)



1. WHEN DESIGNATED IN THE PLAN OR DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, PRIOR TO EXCAVATION, ALL TREE ROOTS WILL BE CLEANLY CUT BY A VIBRATORY PLOW OR OTHER APPROVED ROOT CUTTER.
2. THE TREE ROOTS WILL BE CUT CLEANLY TO THE MINIMUM DEPTH NECESSARY FOR CONSTRUCTION.
3. IMMEDIATELY, AND CLEANLY CUT DAMAGED AND EXPOSED ROOTS.
4. ROOT ENDS EXPOSED BY EXCAVATION ACTIVITIES SHALL BE IMMEDIATELY COVERED WITH A 6" LAYER OF ADJACENT SOIL.
5. EXPOSED CUT OAK ROOTS SHALL BE IMMEDIATELY (WITHIN 5 MINUTES) TREATED WITH A WOUND DRESSING MATERIAL CONSISTING OF LATEX PAINT OR SHELLAC.

CLEAN ROOT CUTTING

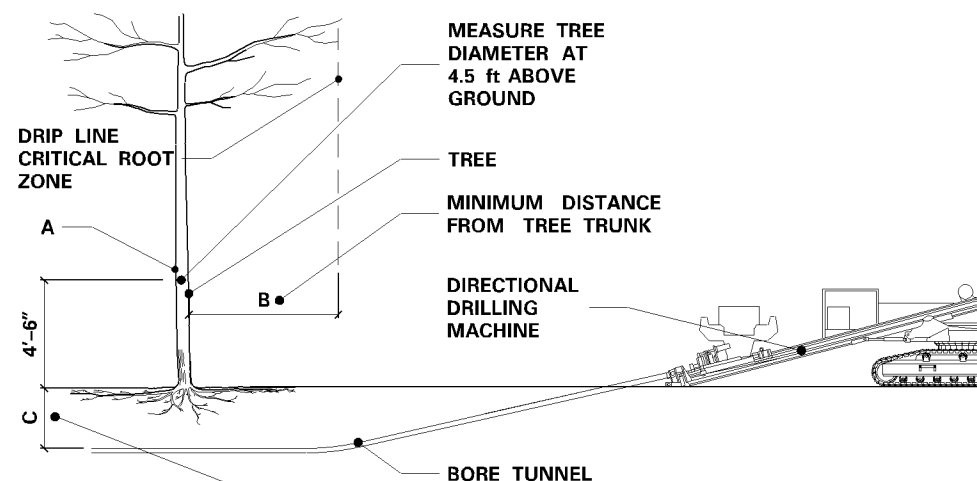
(MnDOT 2572.3A.2)



1. ANY FILL REQUIRED WITHIN THE DRIPLINE OF TREES, IS UNCOMPACTED ROOTING TOPSOIL BORROW.
2. EXCESSIVE FILL MAY REQUIRE PLACING PERFORATED PIPE WITH AT LEAST ONE DAYLIGHTED END OPENING AS AN AERATION SYSTEM.

ROOTING TOPSOIL BORROW

(MnDOT 2572.3A.4)



NOTE:

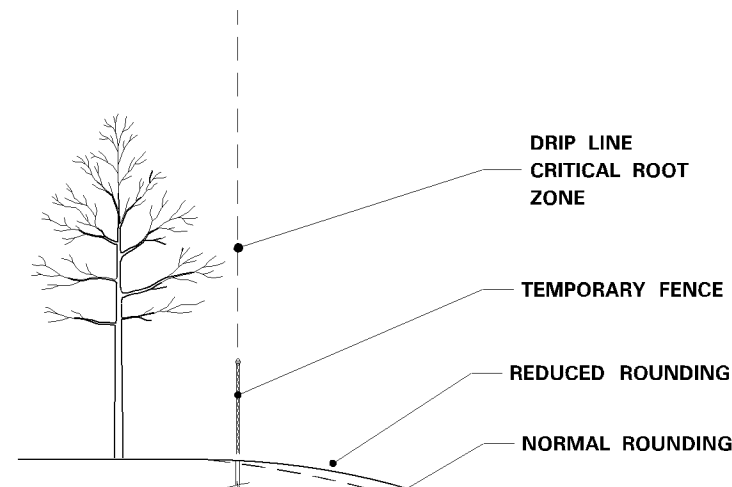
1. (A) IS THE DIAMETER OF TREES MEASURED 4'-6" FEET ABOVE THE GROUND AND IS TERMED THE "DIAMETER AT BREAST HEIGHT," (DBH).
2. USING A TREE DIAMETER TAPE, WRAP THE TAPE AROUND THE GIRTH OF THE TREE, AT THE DBH, BEING CAREFUL NOT TO TWIST THE TAPE.

TREE PROTECTION ZONE

A	B	C
< 2"	2'	2'
2-4"	4'	2.5'
> 4-9"	6'	2.5'
> 9-14"	10'	3'
> 14-19"	12'	3.25'
> 19"	15'	4'

UTILITY CONSTRUCTION

(MnDOT 2572.3A.5)



SIGNIFICANT TREES NEAR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION LIMITS WILL BE IDENTIFIED IN THE PLAN OR BY THE ENGINEER AND WILL BE PRESERVED BY THE CONTRACTOR.

1. PLACE THE TEMPORARY FENCE.
2. REDUCE SLOPE ROUNDING WHERE ROOT ZONES ARE DISTURBED BY NORMAL SLOPE ROUNDING.
3. VARY BACKSLOPE STEEPNESS TO AVOID TREE LOSS OR UNNECESSARY ROOT DAMAGE.

SLOPE ROUNDING

REVISION:
APPROVED: DECEMBER 11, 2015

CHIEF ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER

MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
STATE DESIGN ENGINEER

REVISED:

APPROVED:

12-11-2015

PROTECTION AND RESTORATION OF VEGETATION

STANDARD PLAN 5-297.302

1 OF 1