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Standard Erosion Control Plan for Minor Land Disturbances Category A Sites Only

I. <u>APPLICABILITY</u>

Submit this STANDARD PLAN if all conditions in I. A. thru E. are met. S.21.10(1)(a)

- A. The site where the land disturbance occurs is less than 12% slope.
- B. No more than 20,000 square feet of area will be disturbed.
- C. No more than 1,000 cubic yards of excavation and/or filling occur.
- D. No land disturbing activity occurs within a shoreland zone.
- E. No final grades will be steeper than 3 horizontal units to one vertical unit.

II. <u>CONDITIONS</u>

- A. The county shall have access to the site for inspection. S.21.11(1)
- B. The Land Conservation Department shall be notified at least 24 hours prior to the start of a land disturbance activity. S.21.10(6)(c)1
- C. All control measures shall be maintained by the landowner or user. Inspection will follow S.21.11.
- D. The applicant shall repair any siltation or erosion damage to adjoining areas [S.21.10(6)(c)4] and be subject to S.21.12 of the county ordinance.
- E. All other Federal, State, County, or Town regulations still apply.
- F. The permit plaque must be kept posted so as to be visible from a public roadway at the entrance to the site. S.21.10(6)(c)7.

III. **<u>REQUIREMENTS</u>**

- A. Where surface runoff from any disturbed or graded areas flows off the site, silt fences, straw bales or equivalent measures shall be installed to specifications prior to the land disturbance.
- B. Access roads shall be of sufficient size to minimize sediment being tracked onto public roadways. Any sediment reaching public roads shall be removed, not flushed, at the end of each workday. S.21.07(3)(b)
- C. Swales and channels that transport concentrated runoff shall be stabilized by sodding, erosion control mats, or other means according to S.21.08(3).
- D. Final grading shall not impair existing surface drainage, create erosion hazards or a source of sediment to adjacent waters or property. S.21.07(2)(e).
- E. Final grades shall be completed as soon as practical.
- F. A site sketch shall be submitted. Plans shall include directional arrows indicating the drainage patterns of the site before and after development; location of access points to public roads, area of land disturbance, control measures, and steepness of slopes in percent.

IV. STABILIZATION

- A. All disturbed ground shall be stabilized according to the requirements in S.21.08.
- B. Once disturbed areas are stabilized, temporary structural BMP's shall be removed. S.21.07(4).

V. <u>SPECIFICATIONS</u>

Erosion control measures shall be in accordance with approved standards and specifications.