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SUMMARY OF INFILTRATION PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

Required %Infiltration Rate of Pre-Development Infiltration Volume Based on Average Annual Rainfall

Development Type (Disturbing 1 or More Acres)	% Infiltration
New Development or In-Fill <u>></u> 5 Acres	< 10% Connected Impervious – Exempt 10 - 40% Connected Impervious – 90% > 40% - 80% Connected Impervious – 75% > 80% Connected Impervious – 60%
New Transportation Facilities	80 % For Non-Arterial Roads in Residential Areas All Others Exempt
Re-Development or Highway Reconstruction	Exempt

Projects Disturbing Less Than One Acre That Require a Storm Water Permit			
Residential Development (1 or 2 Family Dwellings)	Meet Standards in Table Above OR Infiltrate 25% of Post-Development Runoff from the 2-Year 24-Hour Design Storm		
Non-Residential Development	Meet Standards in Table Above OR Infiltrate 10% of Post-Development Runoff From the 2-Year 24-Hour Design Storm		

Pre-Development Runoff Curve Numbers to Be Used For Cropland Areas When Determining Required Infiltration					
Hydrologic Soil Group	Α	В	С	D	
Runoff Curve Number	55	69	78	83	



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SUMMARY OF INFILTRATION PERFORMANCE STANDARDS - continued

Required Separation Between Bottom of Infiltration System and Seasonal High Groundwater				
or				
Top of Bedrock				
Development Type	Minimum Separation Distance			
Industrial, commercial, institutional parking lots and roads	5 Feet of Native Soil* or Engineered Soil			
All Other Impervious Surfaces Other Than Rooftop	3 Feet of Native Soil* or Engineered Soil			
Rooftop Draining to Subsurface Infiltration Practice	1 Foot of Native Soil* or Engineered Soil (finer than course sand)			
Rooftop Draining to Vegetated Surface Infiltration Practice or Lawn	No Separation Requirement			

*Soil Requirements for Infiltration Practices		
Soil Layer Depth	Minimum Percent Fines	
3 Feet Minimum	20% or greater	
5 Feet Minimum	10% or greater	
Varies	Engineered Soil Provides Equivalent Level of Protection	

Area Used as Effective Infiltration				
Development	Site Conditions / Development Type	Maximum % of Site Required for <u>Effective</u> Infiltration		
All <u>New</u> Development Disturbing <u>1 or More</u> Acres	10 - 40% Connected Impervious	1%		
	> 40% - 80% Connected Impervious	2%		
	> 80% Connected Impervious	2%		
Development Disturbing	Residential Development	1%		
<u>< 1</u> Acre	Commercial Development	2%		