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Application No. 2003-00991

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JOINT PUBLIC NOTICE
US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
AND
STATE OF TENNESSEE

SUBJECT: Proposed Discharge of Fill Material into 0.93 acres of emergent wetlands and 1,140 linear feet of intermittent stream for the construction of the Mt. Juliet Crossings multi-business complex, Wilson County, Tennessee

TO ALL CONCERNED: The application described below has been submitted for a Department of the Army Permit pursuant to **Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA)**. Before a permit can be issued, certification must be provided by the Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation, pursuant to Section 401(a)(1) of the CWA, that applicable water quality standards will not be violated. By copy of this notice, the applicant hereby applies for the required certification.

APPLICANT: **Mr. Kenneth Powers**
South Mt. Juliet Holdings
2605 Elm Hill Pike, Suite E
Nashville, TN 37214

LOCATION: A 37.3-acre parcel in the SW corner of the intersection of South Mt. Juliet Road and Adams Lane, Rutherford County, TN. The wetlands are contiguous to two unnamed tributaries to North Creek at Mile 2.8 Right Bank. USGS Hermitage Quad Map. Latitude N36° 09' 39.54", Longitude W86° 31' 12.67".

DESCRIPTION: The proposed action is the discharge of approximately 1,500 cubic yards (CY) of clean fill material into 0.93 acres of emergent wetlands and approximately 380 CY of material below the ordinary high water line within 1,140 feet of intermittent stream. This stream flow would be diverted via an underground drainage system (labeled as drainage structures C1 to C6 on the attached site plans) along the western edge of the property and discharged back into the existing stream at the northwestern edge of the gas line easement (Wetland 1A). The existing stream would remain unaffected through the gas easement

until it reached the proposed drainage structure B3. From this point, flow would be directed into another underground drainage system (B1to B3) to discharge into North Creek. In the area between drainage structure B3 and C1 is a proposed Stormwater Management pond that would be designed to detain a 25-year storm event. The pond would drain completely within 48 hours and is not designed to permanently impound water. The pipe (from C2 to C1) has a proposed slope of 1.0% to insure that exiting velocities are non-erosive to the slopes. A natural gas pipeline traverses the property and would not be impacted by the proposed construction. There would be no direct impacts to North Creek, and the applicant would maintain a 30-foot (from center line of creek) riparian buffer zone on both sides of the creek. The purpose of the proposed work is to develop a multi-business complex for public use.

MITIGATION: The applicant proposes the following mitigation:

1) Wetland Impacts: The purchase of 1.86 acres of wetland credits at the Harpeth Wetland Mitigation Bank for the loss of 0.93 acres of on-site wetlands

2) Stream Impacts: the applicant is currently searching for potential stream mitigation sites within the Stones River Basin. Any site would require authorization by both the Corps and TDEC prior to any mitigation work. If no viable site has been located within 18 months, the applicant will pay \$228,000 (\$200 per foot of impact) into the Tennessee In-Lieu-Fee Stream Mitigation Program for the 1,140 linear feet of stream encapsulation.

Plans of the proposed work are attached to this notice.

The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts including cumulative impacts of the activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefit that reasonably may be expected to accrue from the work must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the work will be considered including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are conservation, economics, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, cultural values, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, floodplain values, land use, navigation, shore erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food and fiber production, mineral needs, considerations of property ownership, and, in general, the needs and welfare of the people. In addition, the evaluation of the impact of the activity on the public interest will include application of the guidelines promulgated by the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, under authority of Section 404(b)(1) of the CWA (40 CFR Part 230). A permit will be granted unless the District Engineer determines that it would be contrary to the public interest.

The Corps of Engineers is soliciting comments from the public; federal, state, and local agencies and officials; Indian Tribes; and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate

the impacts of this proposed activity. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps of Engineers to determine whether to issue, modify, condition, or deny a permit for this proposal. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above. Comments are used in the preparation of an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Statement pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act. Comments are also used to determine the need for a public hearing and to determine the overall public interest of the proposed activity.

An Environmental Assessment will be prepared by this office prior to a final decision concerning issuance or denial of the requested Department of the Army Permit.

The National Register of Historic Places has been consulted and no properties listed in or eligible for the National Register are known which would be affected by the proposed work. This review constitutes the full extent of cultural resources investigations unless comment to this notice is received documenting that significant sites or properties exist which may be affected by this work, or that adequately documents that a potential exists for the location of significant sites or properties within the permit area. Copies of this notice are being sent to the office of the State Historic Preservation Officer.

Based on available information, the proposed work will not destroy or endanger any federally-listed, threatened, or endangered species or their critical habitats, as identified under the Endangered Species Act. Therefore, we have reached a no effect determination and initiation of formal consultation procedures with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is not planned at this time.

Other federal, state, and/or local approvals required for the proposed work are as follows:

Water quality certification from the state of Tennessee Department of Environmental Conservation (TDEC) in accordance with Section 401(a)(1) of the CWA.

Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified in this notice, that a public hearing be held to consider this application. Requests for public hearings shall state, with particularity, the reasons for holding a public hearing.

Written statements received in this office on or before July 14, 2004, will become a part of the record and will be considered in the determination. Any response to this notice should be directed to the Regulatory Branch, Attention: Kathleen Kuná, at the above address, telephone (615) 369-7506, or at kathleen.j.kuna@usace.army.mil

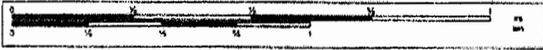
Site Vicinity Map
Mt. Juliet Crossings
Mt. Juliet, Wilson County, TN



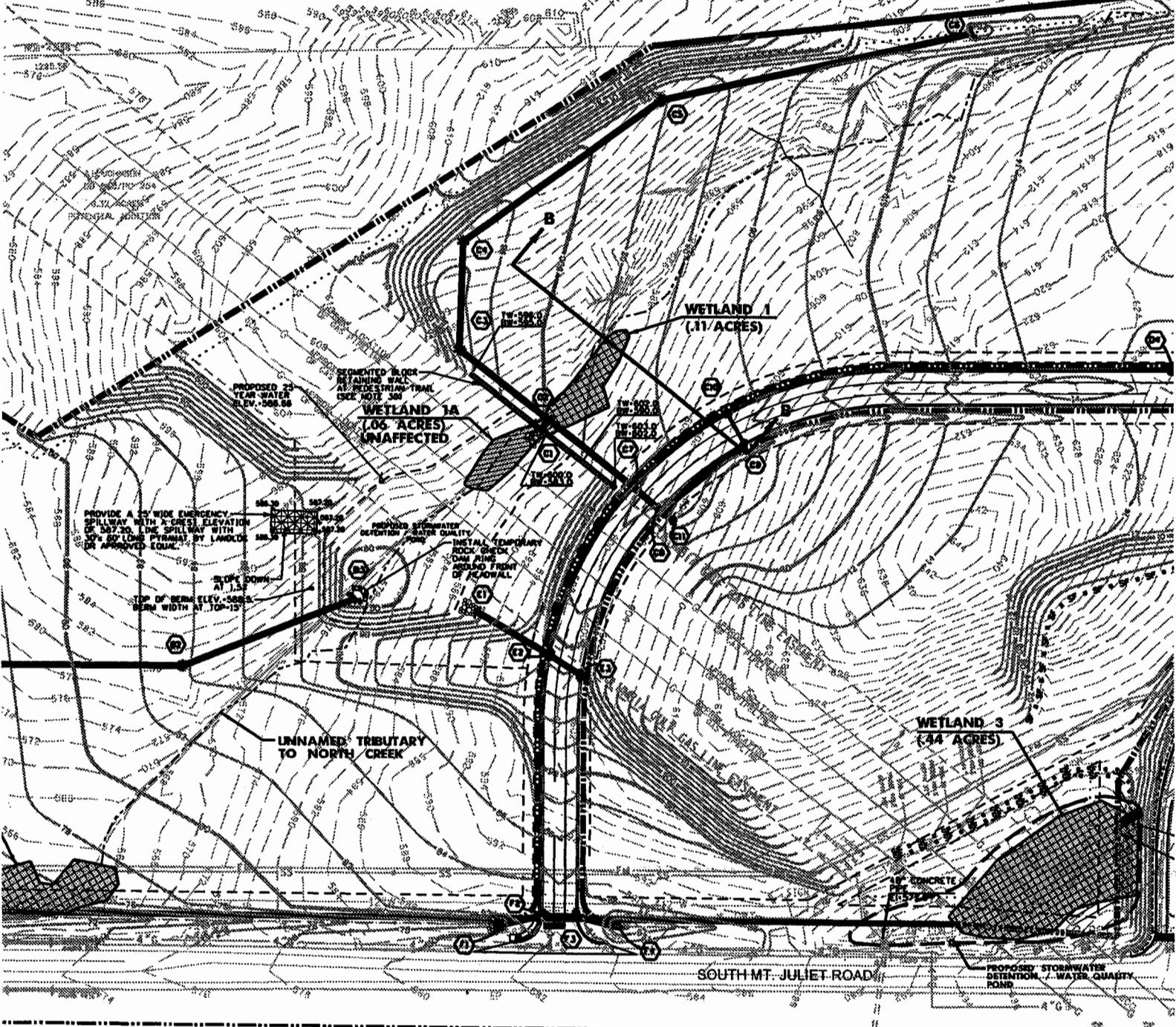
Hermitage Quad Map

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19. Remove sediment from all drainage structures before acceptance by local governing agency, or as directed by the owner's representative.
20. Contractor shall conform to all applicable codes and obtain approval as necessary before beginning construction.
21. Remove the temporary erosion and water pollution control devices only after a solid stand of grass has been established on graded areas and when in the opinion of the owner's representative, they are no longer needed.
22. Provide temporary construction accesses at the points where construction vehicles exit the construction area. Maintain public roadways free of tracked mud and dirt.
23. All earthwork, including the associated subgrade and each layer of fill, shall be monitored and approved by a qualified geotechnical engineer, or his representative.
24. All fill material shall be approved by the geotechnical engineer prior to placement. The material shall be placed in lifts and compacted as directed by the geotechnical engineer.
25. All drainage construction materials and installation shall conform to the requirements and specifications of the City of Mt. Juliet. If there are any discrepancies between the City's specifications and the information on these plans, the City's specifications shall govern.
26. It shall be the contractor's responsibility to work excess earth material off site at no additional cost to the owner. The contractor shall first offer the excess material to the owner. If not accepted by the owner, the contractor shall dispose of surplus material off site. It shall also be the contractor's responsibility to import suitable material (at no additional cost to the owner) for earthwork operations if sufficient amounts of earth material are not available on site.
27. The contractor shall check all existing grades and dimensions in the field prior to beginning work and report any discrepancies to the engineer.
28. Fill slopes 3:1 and steeper shall be placed and compacted 3' beyond proposed limits and then excavated back to the proposed location.
29. Slope topsoil from cleared areas and steeper slopes. Upon completion of general grading, the topsoil over disturbed areas, to a minimum depth of 4". Contractor shall supply additional topsoil in sufficient quantities until on site. Remove dry grass topsoil from the site if not needed by the owner.
30. The contractor shall take special care to compact fill/loam/loess and dry all these structures where shown, also, under any proposed paved grade to avoid settlement. Any settlement during construction shall be restored by the contractor at no additional cost to the owner.
31. The location of all diversion canals and ditches shall be field established to avoid trees as possible. The contractor shall mark the alignment of these canals and ditches in the field to verify.
32. In no case shall slope height, slope inclination, or excavation depth, including trench construction, exceed those specified in local state and federal regulations, specifically the current OSHA Health, Safety and Hazard Regulations, specifically the current OSHA Safety Standards for Excavations (29 CFR Part 1926) shall be followed.
33. Erosion control devices shall be placed and inspected / approved by the Mt. Juliet Dept. of Public Works prior to the start of any construction on the site.



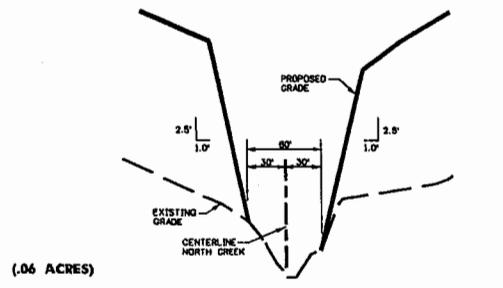
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STORM STRUCTURE AND PIPE TABLE

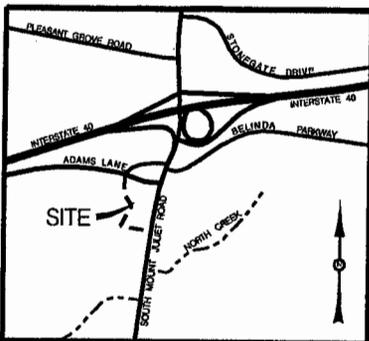
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03	HW	01 01 03	18	RCP	200	1:25	N/A	578.50	
04	HW	02 10 01	18	RCP	20	1:00	N/A	582.50	
05	UB	02 10 02	24	RCP	20	1:00	600.1	593.70	
06	CA	04 10 01	18	RCP	120	2:00	583.4	590.00	
07	CA	04 10 02	18	RCP	120	1:00	583.4	590.00	
08	CA	04 10 03	18	RCP	280	1:00	583.4	590.00	
09	CA	04 10 04	18	RCP	350	1:20	583.4	590.00	
10	CA	04 10 05	18	RCP	110	1:20	583.4	590.00	
11	UB	04 10 06	24	RCP	81	1:30	600.1	593.70	
12	UB	04 10 07	24	RCP	120	1:00	600.1	593.70	
13	UB	04 10 08	18	RCP	120	1:00	600.4	601.40	601.30
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21	HW	02 10 04	18	RCP	30	1:30	583.4	590.00	583.40
22	HW	02 10 05	18	RCP	30	1:30	583.4	590.00	583.40
23	HW	02 10 06	18	RCP	30	1:30	583.4	590.00	583.40
24	HW	02 10 07	18	RCP	30	1:30	583.4	590.00	583.40

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HW = HEADWALL
CB = CATCH BASIN
JB = JUNCTION BOX



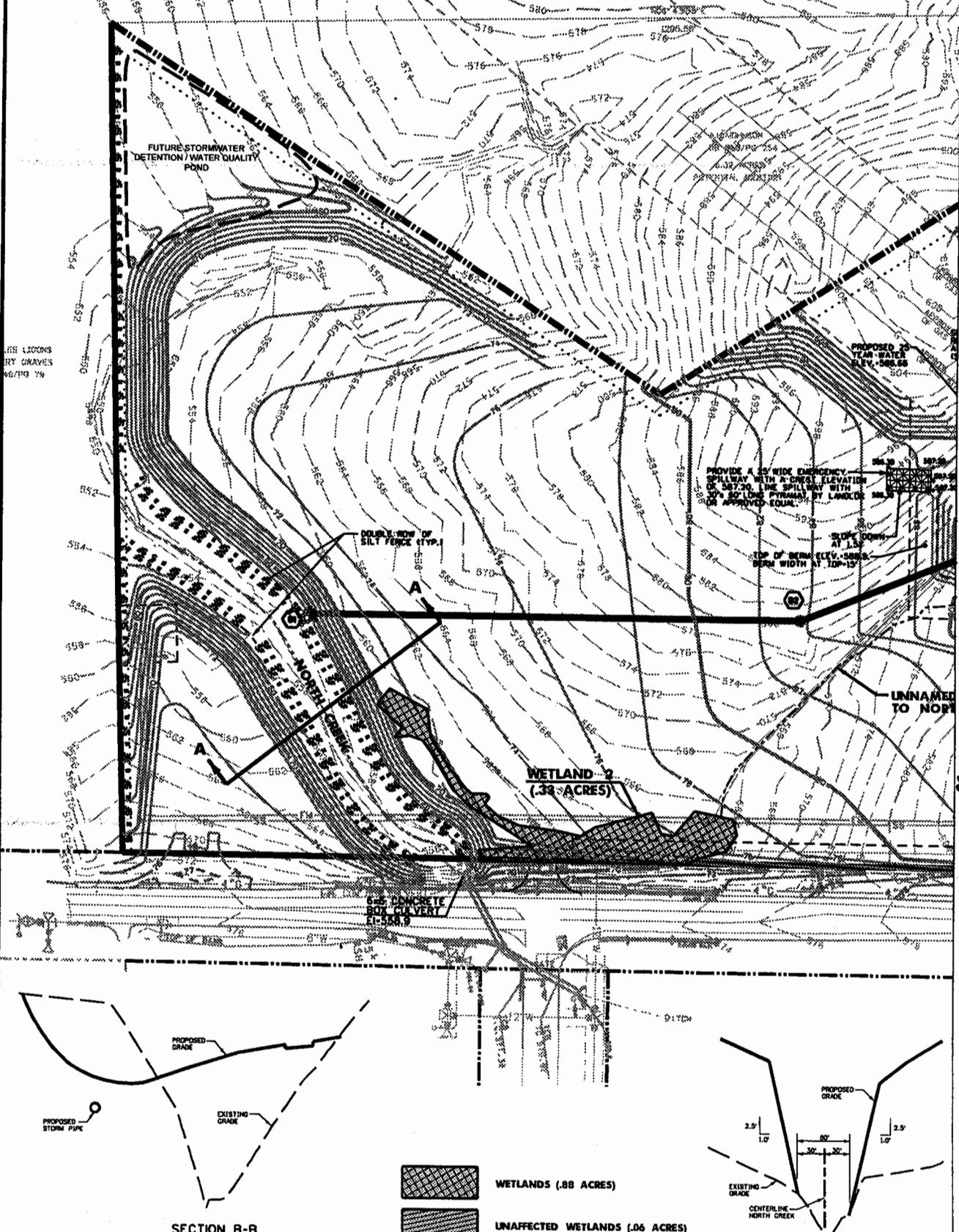


SITE GRADING & EROSION CONTROL NOTES

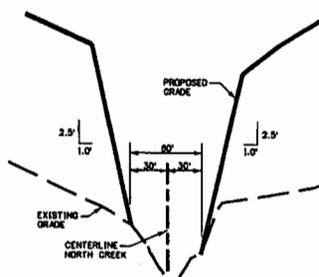
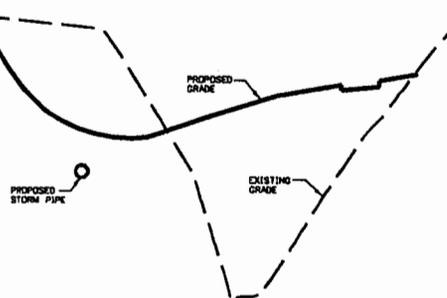
1. The disturbed area for this project is approximately 31.5 acres.
2. The contractor shall comply with all pertinent provisions of the Federal Clean Air Act and construction laws by AQZ of America, Inc. and the safety and health regulations of construction issued by the U.S. Department of Labor.
3. The contractor shall call "Tennessee One Call" (1-800-351-1111) 72 hours prior to proceeding with any excavation.
4. If any springs or underground streams are exposed during construction, permanent French drains may be required. The drains shall be specified and located during construction as required by the conditions which are encountered, and shall be approved by the engineer.
5. Stockpiled topsoil or fill material shall be treated as no sediment runoff will contribute surrounding areas or enter nearby streams. Provide a silt fence around the toe of the stockpile.
6. Clean silt barriers when they are approximately 50% filled with sediment or as directed by the owner's representative. Silt barriers shall be replaced by effectiveness is significantly reduced, or as directed by the owner's representative.
7. All pipes under existing paved areas shall be backfilled to the top of subgrade with #57 crushed stone.
8. Sediment removed from sediment control structures is to be placed at a site approved by the engineer. It shall be treated in a manner so that the area around the disposal site is not contaminated or polluted by the sediment in the run-off. Cost for this treatment is to be included in bid price for earthwork. The contractor shall obtain the disposal site as part of his work.
9. All storm drainage pipes shall be Reinforced Concrete Pipe, Class III.
10. Minimum grade on asphalt or concrete paving shall be 1.0%.
11. Construct all barriers before beginning grading operations.
12. This grading & drainage plan is not a determination or guarantee of the suitability of the subsurface conditions for the work indicated. Determination of the subsurface conditions for the work indicated is solely the responsibility of the contractor.
13. Do not disturb vegetation or trees for grading purposes.
14. Top of grade elevations and lot structures shall be as shown on the site plan and shall slope longitudinally to the street.
15. Any site used for disposal must be properly permitted for such activity prior to use. A copy of the permit shall be provided to the inspector prior to commencement of work. Failure to do so may result in the heavily placed material on his own.
16. Seed and straw on disturbed areas shall be compacted, unless otherwise specified.
17. Proposed contour lines and spot elevations shall be established as the first order of work and shall be maintained at all times during and after construction. All sections for proposed water in foundation and pavement areas must be underlain and replaced with suitable fill materials.
18. All cut and fill slopes shall be 3 to 1 unless otherwise indicated on the plans.
19. Positive drainage shall be established as the first order of work and shall be maintained at all times during and after construction. All sections for proposed water in foundation and pavement areas must be underlain and replaced with suitable fill materials.
20. Remove equipment from all grading by local operating agency or its representative.
21. Contractor shall conform to all local approval as necessary before work.

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VICINITY MAP
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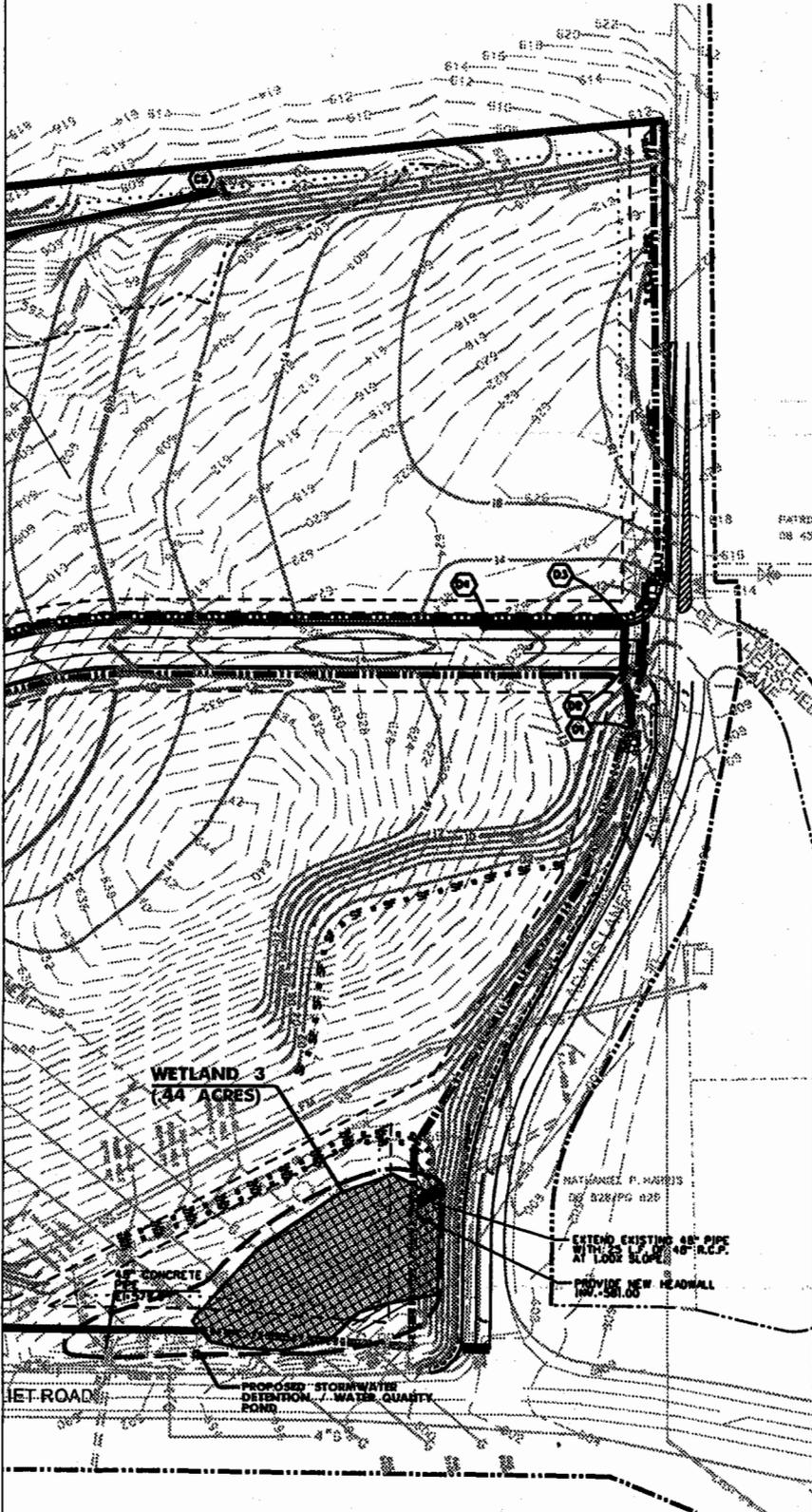


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- WETLANDS (.88 ACRES)
- UNAFFECTED WETLANDS (.06 ACRES)

SECTION B-B



PRELIMINARY MASS GRADING PLAN
MT. JULIET CROSSINGS
 SOUTH MOUNT JULIET ROAD-(SR 171) AT ADAMS LANE
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 MOUNT JULIET, WILSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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REVISION	COMMENTS
	REVISIONS AND UPDATES PER SITE PLANS
	REVISIONS AT NORTHEAST CORNER OF SITE
	REVISED SECTION 8-3
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 R/CV = ROCK COLLECTOR SHALL CONFORM TO TDOT STANDARD DETAIL NO. STD-15-36 AND STD-15-37
 RCP = REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE (CLASS 111)

