

## GENERAL NOTES

- A Soil Tracking Prevention Device (STPD) shall be constructed at locations designated by the engineer for points of egress from unstabilized areas of the project to public roads where offsite tracking of mud could occur. Traffic from unstabilized areas of the construction project shall be directed thru a STPD. Barriers, flagging, or other positive means shall be used as required to limit and direct vehicular
- 2. The Contractor may propose an alternative technique to minimize offsite tracking of sediment. The alternative must be reviewed and approved by the Engineer prior to its use.
- 3. All materials spilled, dropped, or tracked onto public roads (including the STPD aggregate and construction mud) shall be removed daily, or more frequently if so directed by the Engineer.
- Aggregates shall be as described in Section 90l excluding 90l-2.3.
  Aggregates shall be FDOT size #l. If this size is not available, the next available smaller size aggregate may be substituted with the approval of the Engineer. Sizes containing excessive small aggregate will track off the project
- 5. The sediment pit should provide a retention volume of 3600 cubic feet/acre of surface area draining to the pit. When the STPD is isolated from other drainage areas, the following pit volumes will satisfy this requirement:

30' x 50' = 200 ft<sup>3</sup>

As an option to the sediment pit, the width of the swale bottom can be increased to obtain the volume. When the sediment pit or swale volume has been reduced to one half, it shall be cleaned. When a swale is used, hay bales or silt fence shall be placed along the entire length.

- 6. The swale ditch draining the STPD shall have a 0.2% minimum and a 1.0% maximum grade along the STPD and to the sediment pit.
- 7. Mitered end sections are not required when the sidedrain pipe satisfies the clear zone requirements.
- 8. The STPD shall be maintained in a condition that will allow it to perform its function. To prevent offsite tracking, the STPD shall be rinsed (daily when in use) to move accumulated mud downward thru the stone. Additional stabilization of the vehicular route leading to the STPD may be required to limit the mud tracked.
- A STPD shall be paid for under the contract unit price for Soil Tracking Prevention Device, EA. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for construction, maintenance, replacement of materials, removal, and restoration of the area utilized for the STPD; including but not limited to excavation, grading, temporary pipe (including MES when required), filter fabric, aggregate, paved turnout (including asphalt and base construction), ditch stabilization, approach route stabilization, sediment removal and disposal, water, rinsing and cleaning of the STPD and cleaning of public roads, grassing and sod. Hay bales shall be paid for under the contract unit price for Hay or Straw Baled, EA. Silt fence shall be paid for under the contract unit price for Staked Silt Fence, LF.
- 10. The nominal size of a standard STPD is 15'x 50'unless otherwise shown in the plans. If the volume of entering and exiting vehicles warrant, a 30'width STPD may be used if approved by the Engineer. When a double width (30') STPD is used, the pay quantity

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