

104 BALED HAY OR STRAW.
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SUBARTICLE 104-6.4.9 (Page 121). The text is deleted and the following substituted:

Provide bales having minimum dimensions of 14 by 18 by 36 inches [350 by 450 by 900 mm] at the time of placement. Construct Baled Hay or Straw dams according to details shown in the plans, as directed by the Project Engineer or as shown in the Design Standards to protect against downstream accumulations of sediment.

Use natural baled hay or straw meeting the requirements of Section 981-3 or synthetic hay bales may be used as an alternative to natural baled hay or straw. Synthetic hay bales should be interlocking, have pre-made stake holes, are made of synthetic fibers (polypropylene, nylon, polyester) that meet the Environmental Protection Agency's TCLP standards, and produced into a filter medium with needle-punched fibers. Use synthetic hay bales listed on the QPL. Wash out and remove sediment deposits when the deposits reach 1/2 the height of the reusable synthetic hay bale or as directed by the Engineer. Dispose of the washout in accordance with Section 104-3 or in an area approved by the Engineer. Synthetic hay bales that have had sediment deposits removed may be reinstalled on the project as approved by the Engineer.

ARTICLE 104-9 (Pages 123 and 124) is expanded by the following:

The quantity of synthetic hay bales and relocated synthetic hay bales to be paid for will be the total number furnished, installed, and accepted at each location, regardless of whether materials are new or used or relocated from a previous location on the project.