# DRAINAGE LETTER

# ROLLING THUNDER BUSINESS PARK FILLING NO. 2

A REPLAT OF LOTS 2 AND 3, ROLLING THUNDER BUSINESS PARK

Add PCD File No. SF209 and PPR2010

January 22, 2020

Please be sure to reference any other drainage reports that may have revised the storm facilities, conveyance, flows etc. from the original approved final drainage report (see PPR1835)

prepared for

2C Construction and Consulting, Inc.

Oliver E. Watts, Consulting Engineer, Inc. Colorado Springs, Colorado

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January 22, 2020

El Paso County Planning and Community Development 2880 International Circle Colorado Springs, CO 80910

ATTN: Jennifer Irvine, P.E.

SUBJECT: Drainage Letter Rolling Thunder Business Park, Filing No. 2

Gentlemen

Transmitted herewith for your review and approval is the drainage letter for the Rolling Thunder Business Park, Filing No. 2, which is a replat of Lots 2 and 3, Rolling Thunder Business Park.

There will be no change in the approved runoff as a result of this subdivision. Please contact our office if we may provide any further information.

Oliver E. Watts, Consulting Engineer, Inc.

BY:

Oliver E. Watts, President

Encl:

Drainage Letter 2 pages Computations, 1 sheet FEMA Flood Panel 08041C0752 G, December 7, 2018 Soils Map and Interpretation Sheet Backup Information, 4 pages Drainage Plan, Dwg No. 19-5348-07 Rolling Thunder Business Park Filling No. 2 Drainage Letter

### **1. ENGINEER'S STATEMENT:**

The attached drainage plan and report were prepared under my direction and supervision and are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Said drainage report has been prepared according to the criteria established by the County for drainage reports and said report is in conformity with the applicable master plan of the drainage basin. I accept responsibility for any liability caused by any negligent acts, errors or omissions on my part in preparing this report.

Oliver E. Watts, Consulting Engineer, Inc.

Oliver E. Watts Colo. PE-LS No. 9853

## 2. OWNERS / DEVELOPER'S STATEMENT:

I the owner / developer have read and will comply with all of the requirements specified in this drainage report and plan.

2C Construction and Consulting, Inc.

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_ 3430 Sloan Peak Heights Colorado Springs, CO 80922 499-2377

### 3. EL PASO COUNTY:

Filed in accordance with the requirements of the El Paso Land Development Code, Drainage Criteria Manual Volumes 1 and 2, and the Engineering Criteria Manual, as amended.

Jennifer Irvine, P.E., County Engineer / ECM Administrator date

Conditions:

Rolling Thunder Business Park Filling No. 2 Drainage Letter

Provide the name, date, engineer or the previously approved final drainage report

Please provide the evaluation of the 4-step process. Refer to ECM Appendix I.7.2

# 4. LOCATION AND DESCRIPTION:

The Rolling Thunder Business Park, Filing No. 2 is located on the South side of Woodmen Road just West of Falcon Meadows Boulevard, as shown on the enclosed drainage plan. It is a replat of Lot 2 and 3, Rolling Thunder Business Park and lies in the NE1/4 of Section 11, Township 13 South, Range 65 West of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M. in El Paso County, Colorado. The total size of the subdivision is 1.02 acres. The purpose of the subdivision is to combine the two existing lots and construct a commercial building as shown on the enclosed drainage plan.

# **5. FLOOD PLAIN STATEMENT:**

This subdivision is not within the limits of a designated flood plain or flood hazard area, as identified on FEMA panel no/08041 please provide the developed flows from the previous report. How enclosed for reference. do your flows compare to the original design? Is your sites imperviousness higher/lower than the previously approved report?

## 6. CRITERIA:

Please address. Runoff is computed as prescribed by the City/County Drainage Criteria Manual, using the rational method for areas the size of this subdivision. Computations are enclosed for reference and review.

The area has bee mapped by the USDA/SCS, and soils type in this are is the Blakeland Series, having hydrologic group "A". A soils map and interpretation sheet are enclosed for reference.

# 7. DESCRIPTION OF RUNOFF:

As stated above, this Site was previously platted as the Rolling Thunder Business Park. At that time a drainage report was submitted and approved by El Paso County, Colorado. This lot has been zoned for industrial or commercial uses since that time, and runoff was computed on that basis. The subdivision lays South of Woodmen on the North side of Maltese Drive. Runoff is divided by a high point in the existing curb and gutter where shown on the drainage plan.

Basins O-1 and O-2 are the inflows to the subdivision from adjacent Woodmen Road, south of the centerline of the pavement. 0.5 cfs / 0.9 cfs (5-year / 100-year runoffs) will flow into the subdivision in each basin. This will combine with the runoff from each half of the development and exit to the West and East long the north curb line of Maltese Drive. The combined runoff exiting the subdivision is 1.6/3.3 cfs westerly and 1.9/4.0 cfs easterly, well within the capacity of the roadway. The runoff is unchanged from that developed by the existing zoning at the time of the original subdivision, and no have will be incurred to downstream facilities.

# **7. FEES:**

This Site has been previously platted; therefore fees are not due at this time.

Please elaborate on your description of the runoff. How will the runoff exit the site (curb/gutter, cross pans etc.)

Although fees where previously addressed with the previous plat, fees may still be required if there is an increase in imperviousness. Please indicate what the previous imperviousness was and how it compares to the proposed development.

Water quality shall be provided for your developed flows. Please indicate to what facilities the developed flows are discharging into. Is it a water quality/detention pond? Do the existing facilities account for your sites developed flows? How is your flow conveyed to these facilities? Describe the conditions of the existing facilities. Is any maintenance or retrofitting required prior to your discharge into them? Please address.

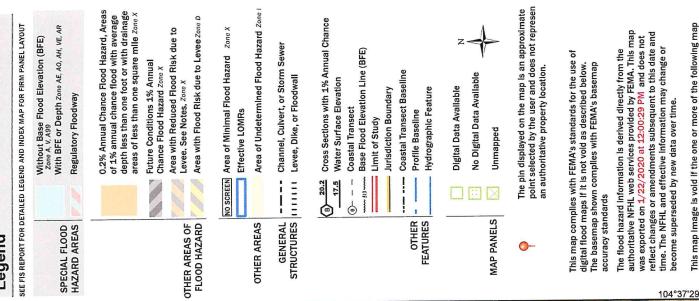
Please show how you calculated your coefficients for basins A & B. It appears that the majority of these basins are pavement and roof (100% & 90% impervious)

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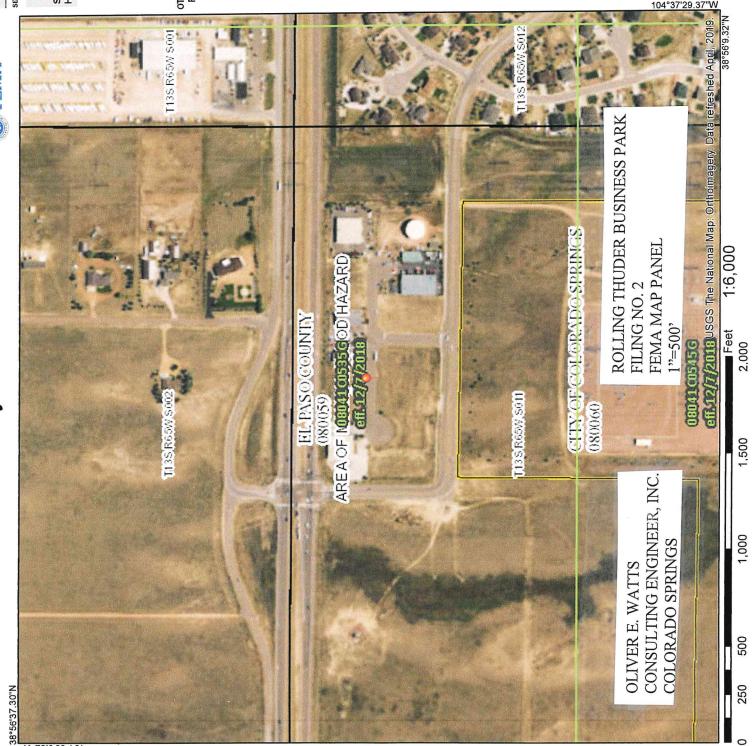
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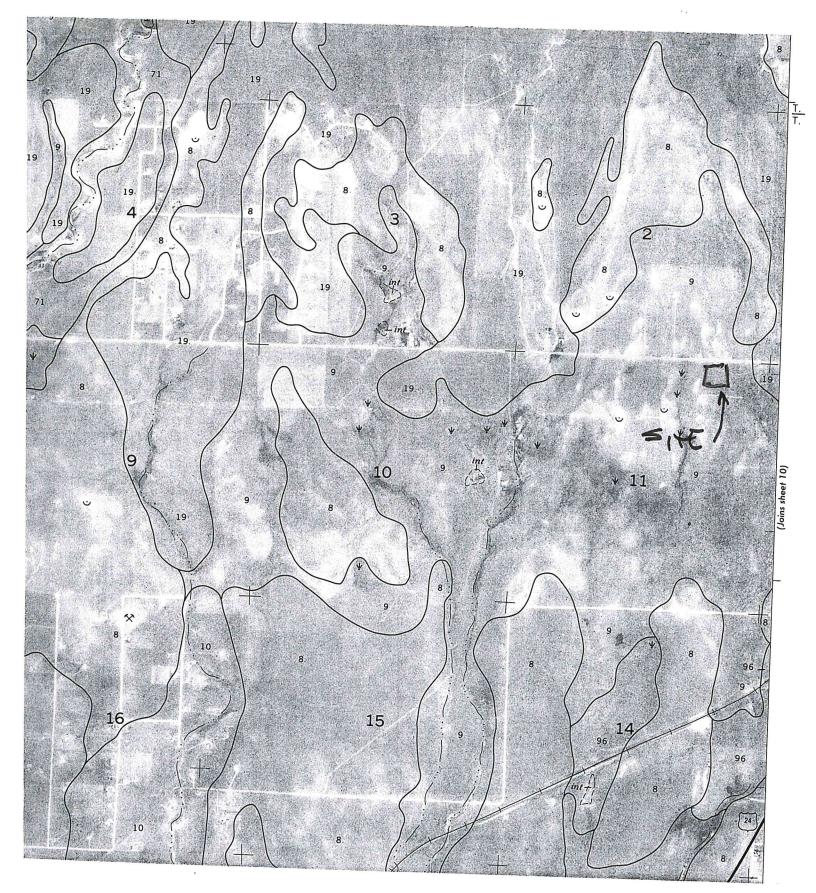
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ROLLING THUDER BUSINESS PARK FILING NO. 2 SOILS MAP 1"=2000'



### EL PASO COUNTY AREA, COLORADO

### TABLE 16.--SOIL AND WATER FEATURES

[Absence of an entry indicates the feature is not a concern. See "flooding" in Glossary for definition of terms as "rare," "brief," and "very brief." The symbol > means greater than]

Soil name and	Hydro-		Flooding	1	Be	drock	_    Potential
Soil name and map symbol	logic group	Frequency	Duration	Months	Depth	Hardness	frost action
Alamosa: 1	с	Frequent	Brief	May-Jun	<u>In</u> >60		High.
Ascalon: 2, 3	В	None			>60		Moderate:
Badland: 4	D						
Bijou: 5, 6, 7	В	None			>60		Low.
Blakeland: 8	А	None			>60		Low.
<sup>1</sup> 9: Blakeland part-	A	None			>60		Low.
Fluvaquentic Haplaquolls part	D	Common	Very brief	Mar-Aug	>60		High.
Blendon: 10	В	None			>60		Moderate.
Bresser: 11, 12, 13	В	None			>60		Low.
Brussett: 14, 15	В	None			>60		Moderate.
Chaseville: 16, 17	А	None			>60		Low.
<sup>1</sup> 18: Chaseville part	A	None			>60		Low.
Midway part	D	None			10-20	Rippable	Moderate.
Columbine: 19	A	None to rare			>60		Low.
Connerton: <sup>1</sup> 20: Connerton part-	В	None			>60		High.
Rock outcrop part	D						
Cruckton: 21	В	None			>60		Moderate.
Cushman: 22, 23	С	None			20-40	Rippable	Moderate.
<sup>1</sup> 24: Cushman part	с	None		·	20-40	Rippable	Moderate.
Kutch part	С	  None			20-40	Rippable	  Moderate.
Elbeth: 25, 26	В	None			>60		Moderate.
<sup>1</sup> 27: Elbeth part	В	None			>60		Moderate.

See footnote at end of table.

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Land Use or Surface Characteristics	Percent Impervious	2-γ	ear	5-y	ear	10-1	year	25-1	year	50-year		100-	year
		HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D	HSG A&B	HSG C&D
Business											0.00	0.88	0.89
Commercial Areas	95	0.79	0.80	0.81	0.82	0.83	0.84	0.85	0.87	0.87	0.88	0.62	0.68
Neighborhood Areas	70	0.45	0.49	0.49	0.53	. 0.53	0.57	0.58	0.62	0.60	0.65	0.02	0.08
Residential												0.59	0.65
1/8 Acre or less	65	0.41	0.45	0.45	0.49	0.49	0.54	0.54	0.59	0.57	0.62	0.59	0.58
1/4 Acre	40	0.23	0.28	0.30	0.35	0.36	0.42	0.42	0.50	0.46	0.54		0.58
1/3 Acre	30	0.18	0.22	0.25	0.30	0.32	0.38	0.39	0.47	0.43	0.52	0.47	0.56
1/2 Acre	25	0.15	0.20	0.22	0.28	0.30	0.36	0.37	0.46	0.41	0.51	0.46	0.55
1 Acre	20	0.12	0.17	0.20	0.26	0.27	0.34	0.35	0.44	0.40	0.50	0.44	0.55
Industrial													0.74
Light Areas	80	0.57	0.60	0.59	0.63	0.63	0.66	0.66	0.70	0.68	0.72	0.70	0.74
Heavy Areas	90	0.71	0.73	0.73	0.75	0.75	0.77	0.78	0.80	0.80	0.82	0.81	0.85
Parks and Cemeteries	7	0.05	0.09	0.12	0.19	0.20	0.29	0.30	0.40	0.34	0.46	0.39	0.52
Playgrounds	13	0.07	0.13	0.16	0.23	0.24	0.31	0.32	0.42	0.37	0.48	0.41	0.54
Railroad Yard Areas	40	0.23	0.28	0.30	0.35	0.36	0.42	0.42	0.50	0.46	0.54	0.50	0.58
Undeveloped Areas													
Historic Flow Analysis Greenbelts, Agriculture	2	0.03	0.05	0.09	0.16	0.17	0.26	0.26	0.38	0.31	0.45	0.36	0.51
Pasture/Meadow	0	0.02	0.04	0.08	0.15	0.15	0.25	0.25	0.37	0.30	0.44	0.35	0.50
Forest	0	0.02	0.04	0.08	0.15	0.15	0,25	0.25	0.37	0.30	0.44	0.35	0.50
Exposed Rock	100	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.94	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.96
Offsite Flow Analysis (when landuse is undefined)	45	0.26	0.31	0.32	0.37	0.38	0.44	0.44	0.51	0.48	0.55	0.51	0.59
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Streets		0.00	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.94	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.96
Paved Gravel	100 80	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.52	0.66	0.66	0.70	0.68	0,72	0.70	0.74
Glavel													0.96
Drive and Walks	100	0.89	0.89	0.90	0.90	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.94	0.95	0,95	0.96	
Roofs	90	0.71	0.73	0.73	0.75	0.75	0.77	0.78	0,80	0.80	0.82	0.81	0.83
Lawns	0	0.02	0.04	0.08	0.15	0,15	0.25	0.25	0.37	0.30	0.44	0.35	0,30

### Table 6-6. Runoff Coefficients for Rational Method (Source: UDFCD 2001)

### 3.2 Time of Concentration

One of the basic assumptions underlying the Rational Method is that runoff is a function of the average rainfall rate during the time required for water to flow from the hydraulically most remote part of the drainage area under consideration to the design point. However, in practice, the time of concentration can be an empirical value that results in reasonable and acceptable peak flow calculations.

For urban areas, the time of concentration  $(t_c)$  consists of an initial time or overland flow time  $(t_i)$  plus the travel time  $(t_i)$  in the storm sewer, paved gutter, roadside drainage ditch, or drainage channel. For nonurban areas, the time of concentration consists of an overland flow time  $(t_i)$  plus the time of travel in a concentrated form, such as a swale or drainageway. The travel portion  $(t_i)$  of the time of concentration can be estimated from the hydraulic properties of the storm sewer, gutter, swale, ditch, or drainageway. Initial time, on the other hand, will vary with surface slope, depression storage, surface cover, antecedent rainfall, and infiltration capacity of the soil, as well as distance of surface flow. The time of concentration is represented by Equation 6-7 for both urban and non-urban areas.

(Eq. 6-7)

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$$t_1 = t_1 + t_2$$

Where:

 $t_c = \text{time of concentration (min)}$ 

 $t_i$  = overland (initial) flow time (min)

 $t_t$  = travel time in the ditch, channel, gutter, storm sewer, etc. (min)

### 3.2.1 Overland (Initial) Flow Time

The overland flow time,  $t_i$ , may be calculated using Equation 6-8.

$$t_i = \frac{0.395(1.1 - C_5)\sqrt{L}}{S^{0.33}}$$
(Eq. 6-8)

Where:

 $t_i$  = overland (initial) flow time (min)

 $C_5$  = runoff coefficient for 5-year frequency (see Table 6-6)

L = length of overland flow (300 ft <u>maximum</u> for non-urban land uses, 100 ft <u>maximum</u> for urban land uses)

S = average basin slope (ft/ft)

Note that in some urban watersheds, the overland flow time may be very small because flows quickly concentrate and channelize.

### 3.2.2 Travel Time

For catchments with overland and channelized flow, the time of concentration needs to be considered in combination with the travel time,  $t_t$ , which is calculated using the hydraulic properties of the swale, ditch, or channel. For preliminary work, the overland travel time,  $t_t$ , can be estimated with the help of Figure 6-25 or Equation 6-9 (Guo 1999).

$$V = C_{..}S_{...}^{0.5}$$

Where:

V = velocity (ft/s)

 $C_{\nu} =$ conveyance coefficient (from Table 6-7)

 $S_w$  = watercourse slope (ft/ft)

(Eq. 6-9)

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Type of Land Surface	$C_{\nu}$
Heavy meadow	2.5
Tillage/field	5
Riprap (not buried)*	6.5
Short pasture and lawns	7
Nearly bare ground	10
Grassed waterway	15
Paved areas and shallow paved swales	20

Table 6-7.	Conveyance	Coefficient,	$C_{\nu}$
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For buried riprap, select C, value based on type of vegetative cover.

The travel time is calculated by dividing the flow distance (in feet) by the velocity calculated using Equation 6-9 and converting units to minutes.

The time of concentration  $(t_c)$  is then the sum of the overland flow time  $(t_i)$  and the travel time  $(t_i)$  per Equation 6-7.

# 3.2.3 First Design Point Time of Concentration in Urban Catchments

Using this procedure, the time of concentration at the first design point (typically the first inlet in the system) in an urbanized catchment should not exceed the time of concentration calculated using Equation 6-10. The first design point is defined as the point where runoff first enters the storm sewer system.

$$t_c = \frac{L}{180} + 10 \tag{Eq. 6-10}$$

Where:

 $t_c$  = maximum time of concentration at the first design point in an urban watershed (min)

L =waterway length (ft)

Equation 6-10 was developed using the rainfall-runoff data collected in the Denver region and, in essence, represents regional "calibration" of the Rational Method. Normally, Equation 6-10 will result in a lesser time of concentration at the first design point and will govern in an urbanized watershed. For subsequent design points, the time of concentration is calculated by accumulating the travel times in downstream drainageway reaches.

### 3.2.4 Minimum Time of Concentration

If the calculations result in a  $t_c$  of less than 10 minutes for undeveloped conditions, it is recommended that a minimum value of 10 minutes be used. The minimum  $t_c$  for urbanized areas is 5 minutes.

# 3.2.5 Post-Development Time of Concentration

As Equation 6-8 indicates, the time of concentration is a function of the 5-year runoff coefficient for a drainage basin. Typically, higher levels of imperviousness (higher 5-year runoff coefficients) correspond to shorter times of concentration, and lower levels of imperviousness correspond to longer times of

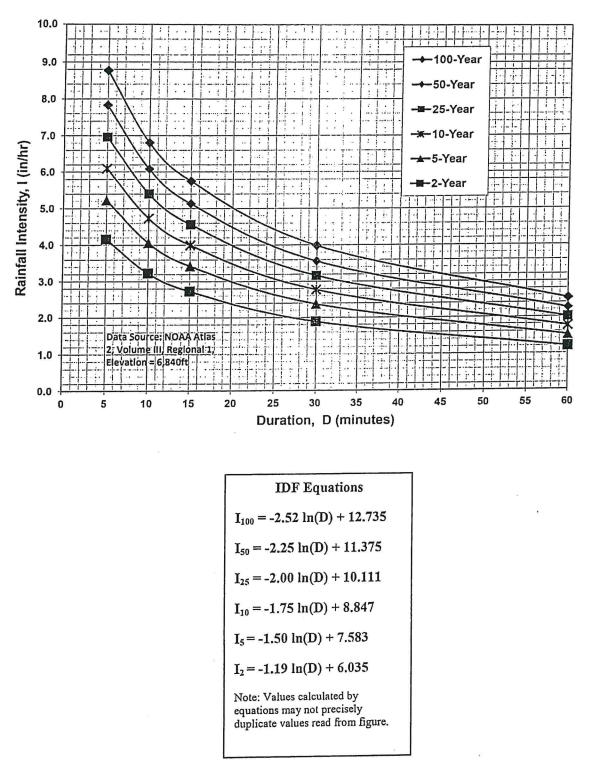


Figure 6-5. Colorado Springs Rainfall Intensity Duration Frequency

