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# SOIL AND GEOLOGY STUDY FALCON HIGHLANDS WOODMAN ROAD AND TAMLIN ROAD EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO

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### 1.0 SUMMARY

### **Project Location**

The project lies in a portion a of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 65 West, in El Paso County, Colorado. The site is south of Woodmen Road and west of Meridian Road and Tamlin Fload, northwest of Falcon, Colorado.

### Froject Description

Total acreage involved in the development is approximately 400 acres. It is our understanding that the development is to consist of approximately 532 residential lots ranging from 8,000 square feet to 37,000 square feet in size. A school site and open space are also proposed. We also understand that the development will utilize a central water and sewer system with Woodmen Hills Metropolitan District.

### Scope of Report

This report is intended to present a geologic investigation and treatment of engineering geologic hazards.

### Land Use and Engineering Geology

This site was found to have hazards associated with shallow groundwater, surface waters and a floodplain which will impose constraints on development and land use. Shallow groundwater will result in constraints with respect to depth of excavation. Other hazards include hydocompaction, expansive soils, and artificial fill. These conditions will be discussed in greater detail in Section 5.3 of this report.

It is our opinion that the proposed development can be completed if the groundwater and surface drainage are properly mitigated. If the recommended mitigation techniques are followed, groundwater problems after development will be minimal. All recommendations are subject to the limitations discussed in the report.

### 2.0 GENERAL SITE CONDITIONS AND PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The site is located in a portion of Section 12, Township 13 South, Range 65 West, in El Paso County, Colorado. The site is located south of Woodmen Road and west of Tamlin Road, riorthwest of Falcon, Colorado. The approximate boundaries of the site are as shown on the Vicinity Map, Figure 1.

The topography of the site is gently sloping over the majority of the site. The major drainages on-site trend in southerly to southeasterly directions. No water was observed flowing in any of the drainages on site at the time of this investigation, however, evidence of periodic shallow water was observed in the vegetation and surface soils. The boundaries of the site are shown on the USGS map, Figure 2. Previous land uses have been agricultural as the area has been primarily used as grazing and pasture land. The site contains primarily low grasses over the entire site. A few scattered trees were observed on the small property east of Tamlin Road. Site photographs are included in Appendix C. The approximate locations and directions of the photographs are indicated on the Geology Map, Figure 9.

Total acreage involved in the proposed development is approximately 400 acres. It is our understanding that the proposed development will consist of approximately 532 single family residential lots ranging in size from 8,000 to 37,000 square feet. Open space and a school are also proposed. The Development Plan is presented in Figure 3. The area will be serviced by central water and sewer system with Woodmen Hills Metropolitan District.

### 3.0 SCOPE OF THE REPORT

The scope of this report will include the following:

A general geologic analysis utilizing published geologic data. Detailed site-specific mapping
will be conducted to obtain general information in respect to major geographic and geologic
features, geologic descriptions and their effects on the development of the property.

### 4.0 FIELD INVESTIGATION

Our field investigation consisted of the preparation of a geologic map of any bedrock features and significant surficial deposits. The Soil Conservation Service (SCS) survey was also reviewed to evaluate the site.

The positions of mappable units with the subject property are shown on the Geologic Map. Our rnapping procedures involved both field reconnaissance and measurements, and air photo reconnaissance and interpretation. The same mapping procedures have also been utilized to produce the Engineering Geology Map, which identified pertinent geologic conditions affecting development.

A subsurface investigation was performed as part of the field investigation. This investigation consisted of drilling 22 test borings. The borings were drilled with a power driven continuous flight auger drill rig to depths of 15 and 20 feet. Samples were obtained during drilling using the Standard Penetration Test, ASTM D-1586, utilizing a 2-inch O.D. Split Barrel Sampler and a California Sampler. Results of the penetration tests are shown on the drilling logs to the right of the sampling point. The drilling logs are included in Appendix A of this report. The locations of the test borings are shown on the Development Plan (Figure 3), the Geology Map (Figure 9) and the Depth to Bedrock Map (Figure 10).

Laboratory testing was performed to classify and determine soils engineering characteristics. Laboratory tests include moisture content, ASTM D-2216, grain size analysis, ASTM D-422, and Atterberg Limits, ASTMD-4318. Swell tests include FHA swell testing and Denver Swell/Consolidation Testing. Results of the laboratory testing are included in Appendix B. A Summary of Laboratory Test Results is presented in Table 1.

Reports by others performed on this site include a Master Development Drainage Plan and Preliminary Drainage Report by URS, dated July 13, 2001 (Reference 1), a Drainage Basin Planning Study for the Falcon Area by URS, dated December 15, 2000 (Reference 2), and a Wetlands Delineation Study by K-S and Company, dated August 3, 2000 (Reference 3). Other investigations done in the area of the site have included a Soil and Geology Study performed for Falcon Vista Subdivision south of the site by Entech Engineering, Inc. (Reference 4). These investigations were used in evaluating this site.

## 5.0 SOIL GEOLOGY AND ENGINEERING GEOLOGY

### 5.1 General Geology

Physiographically, the site lies in the western portion of the Great Plains Physiographic Province. Approximately 15 miles or so to the west is a major structural feature known as the Rampart Range Fault, marking the boundary between the Great Plains Physiographic Province and the Southern Rocky Mountain Province. The site exists within the southern edge of a large structural feature known as the Denver Basin. Bedrock in the area tends to be very gently dipping in a northerly direction. The rocks in the area of the site are sedimentary in nature, and typically Tertiary to Upper Cretaceous in age. The bedrock underlying the site itself are the Dawson-Denver formations. Overlying these formations are unconsolidated deposits of alluvium, eolian, man-made and residual soils. The site's stratigraphy will be discussed in more detail in the following section.

### 5.2 Soil Conservation Service

The Soil Conservation Service has mapped 3 soil types on the site (Figure 4)(Reference 5). In general, they are fairly similar ranging from loamy sand to sandy loam. Soils are described as follows:

Type	<u>Description</u>
8	Blakeland loamy sand, 1-9% slopes
9	Blakeland Complex loamy sand, 4-9% slopes
19	Columbine gravelly sandy loam, 0-3% slopes

Complete descriptions of each soil type are presented in Figures 5 through 7. The soils have generally been described to have rapid to very rapid permeabilities. All the types have been described by the Soil Conservation Service to provide good support for home sites. The potential for flooding is present in some areas on Soil Type 19. Possible hazards with soil erosion are present on the site. The erosion potential can be controlled with vegetation. The majority of the soils have been described to have slight to moderate erosion hazards with the hazard of soil blowing severe.

### 5.3 Site Stratigraphy

Five mappable units were identified on this site which, from youngest to oldest, are identified as follows:

- Qaf Artificial Fill of Holocene Age: These are man-made fill deposits associated with erosion berms on-site
- Qal Recent Alluvium of Holocene Age: These are recent stream deposits
  associated with some of the drainages on-site.
- Qp Piney Creek Alluvium of Holocene Age: This material is a water deposit
  alluvium, typically classified as a silty to well-graded sand, brown to dark brown
  in color and of moderate density. The Piney Creek Alluvium can sometimes be
  very highly stratified containing thin layers of very silty and clayey soil.
- Qes Eolian Sand of Quaternary Age: These deposits are medium to fine grained soil deposited on the site by the action of the prevailing winds from the west and northwest. They typically occur as large dune deposits or narrow ridges. These soil types are typically tan to brown in color, and tend to have a very uniform or well sorted gradation. These materials tend to have a relatively high permeability and low density.
- TKd Dawson-Denver Formations of Tertiary to Cretaceous Age (undifferentiated): These formations typically consist of Arkosic Sandstone with interbedded fine grained sandstone, siltstone and claystone. The bedrock encountered in the test borings consisted of gray sandy claystone and some clayey sandstone. Overlying this formation is a variable layer of residual soil derived from the in-situ weathering of the bedrock on site. The clays and claystones are typically expansive.

The formations listed above were mapped from field reconnaissance, the test borings drilled on site, and the Geologic Map of the Pueblo 1x2 Quadrangle, South-Central Colorado, distributed by the USGS in 1979 (Reference 6). (Figure 8) These deposits were difficult to differentiate in the field during the course of our investigation; therefore, locations and boundaries are approximate, as shown on the Geology Map, Figure 9.

### 5.4 Soil Conditions

The soils encountered in the test borings consisted of slightly silty to silty and clayey sand (SW-SM, SM, SC), silt (ML), and clay (CL), overlying claystone (CL, CH), and slightly silty to clayey sandstone (SW-SM, SC). The upper soils were encountered at loose to dense states and moist to wet conditions. The clayey soils and claystone are slightly to very highly expansive. An FHA swell pressure of 1515 psf was measured in the clayey silts. A Denver Swell of 0.1% was measured on the clays. An FHA Swell pressure of 574 psf and a Denver Swell of 0.1% were measure on the clayey sands. An FHA Swell pressure of 933 psf and a Denver Swell of 2.0% were measured on the clayey sandstone. FHA Swell pressures of 1563 psf, 1970 psf and 3939 psf were measured on the claystone. Denver Swells of 1.2% and 6.3% were measured on the claystone. Bedrock was encountered at depths ranging from 1 to greater than 15 feet in the test borings. A Summary of Laboratory Test Results is presented in Table 1. The Depth to Bedrock and Groundwater is shown on Table 2. A Depth to Bedrock Map is presented in Figure 10.

### 5.5 Groundwater

Groundwater was encountered at depths ranging from 3 feet to 13 feet in many of the test borings. Groundwater was encountered at depths shallower than 10 feet in Test Boring Nos. 2, 3, 5, 7, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 20. Groundwater was not encountered in Test Boring Nos. 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 18, 21 and 22 during or subsequent to drilling which were drilled to 15 feet. A table showing the depth to groundwater is presented in Table 2.

Fluctuation in groundwater conditions may occur due to variations in rainfall and other factors not readily apparent at this time. Isolated sand layers within the variable soil profile, sometimes only a few feet in thickness and width, can carry water in the subsurface. Water may also flow on top of the bedrock. Contractors should be cognizant of the potential for the occurrence of such subsurface water features during construction on-site.

# 6.0 ENGINEERING GEOLOGY – IDENTIFICATION AND MITIGATION OF GEOLOGIC HAZARDS

As mentioned previously, mapping has been performed on this site to produce an Engineering Geology Map (Figure 9). This map shows the location of various geologic conditions of which the developers should be cognizant during the planning, design and construction stages of the project. These geologic conditions and the recommended mitigation techniques are as follows:

### sw Seasonal High Groundwater Area

In these areas, we would anticipate periodically high subsurface moisture conditions and frost heave potential. The Engineering Geology Map shows areas with high groundwater conditions during our investigation. Seepage areas on the north side of the site are also indicated.

Mitigation: In these locations, shallow foundations are recommended. Foundations must have a minimum 30-inch depth for frost protection. This recommendation applies to residential as well as commercial development. In areas where high subsurface moisture conditions are anticipated periodically, subsurface perimeter drains and underslab drains or capillary breaks may be necessary to dewater the excavation. Drain details are presented in Figures 11 and 12. Basements or useable areas located below grade are not recommended. It may be desirable on some lots to build up the building area to raise the foundation further above the groundwater level. Any grading in these areas should be done to direct surface flow around construction to avoid areas of ponded water. Further investigation will be necessary to determine the goundwater depth at each individual building site. Some areas along the northern portions of the site appear to be caused from seepage, possibly at the Dawson-Denver Contact (Reference 3). Areas of shallow groundwater are also indicated by the dark areas on the aerial photograph of the site (Figure 13). Areas of perched water are also possible across much of the site due to permeable sands associated eolian sands overlying impermeable claystones. Some dewatering may be necessary on the site.

### psw Potentially seasonal High Groundwater Area

In these areas, we would anticipate the potential for periodic high subsurface moisture conditions and frost heave potential. These areas did not indicate the yearly presence of shallow groundwater as the seasonal high groundwater areas did, however, based on

topography, site conditions or groundwater measured in the test borings. These areas were mapped as having the potential for high groundwater during high moisture periods or years. The same mitigation recommendations for Seasonal High Groundwater areas apply to these Potentially Seasonal High Groundwater areas. Further investigation of each building site may be necessary to delineate the depth to groundwater. Groundwater may be at sufficient depth to not affect shallow foundations in these areas.

### fo Floodplain

Portions of the site lie within a floodplain zone according to the FIRM Map No. 08041CO575F, dated March 17, 1997 (Figure 14)(Reference 7). The approximate FEMA floodplain boundaries are also indicated on the Engineering Geology Map, Figure 9. The FEMA floodplain boundaries do not follow existing drainages and proposed development of the site includes channelizing the floodplain (Reference 1). It is our understanding a Conditional Letter of Map Revision (CLOMR) is to be submitted for the site. The exact location of the floodplain will be required prior to development. Exact locations of floodplain and specific drainage studies are beyond the scope of this report. Those areas that currently lie within the FEMA floodplain area will require approval of the Drainage Basin Report prior to construction. Finished floor levels must be located a minimum of one foot above floodplain levels.

### af Artificial Fill

These are man-made fill deposits associated with small erosion berms on site.

<u>Mitigation</u>: Small erosion berms could be penetrated by foundations. Should any uncontrolled fill be encountered beneath foundations, removal and recompaction at 90% of Modified Proctor Dry Density, ASTM D-1557 will be required.

### ex Expansive Soils

Expansive soils were encountered in some of the test borings drilled on site. The expansive soils are highly sporadic, therefore, none have been indicated on the map. Additionally, expansive claystones were encountered at depths that may affect foundations on site. The soils are slightly to very highly expansive and can cause differential movement in the structure foundations.

Mitigation: Should expansive soils be encountered within 3 feet below the foundation, mitigation will be necessary. Mitigation of expansive soils may include overexcavation and replacement with non-expansive structural fill at 90% of Modified Proctor Dry Density, ASTM D-1557. Drilled pier foundation systems are another option in areas of highly expansive soils. Floor slabs on expansive soils should be expected to experience movement. Overexcavation and replacement with compacted non-expansive soils has been successful in minimizing slab movements. Final recommendations should be determined after additional investigation of each building site.

<u>Hydrocompaction</u>: Areas in which this hazard has been identified are acceptable as building sites. However, in areas identified for this hazard classification, we anticipate a potential for settlement movements upon saturation of these surficial soils. The low density, uniform grain sized, windblown sand deposits are particularly susceptible to this type of phenomenon.

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Mitigation: The potential for settlement movement is directly related to saturation of the soils below the foundation areas. Therefore, good surface and subsurface drainage is extremely critical in these areas in order to minimize the potential for saturation of these soils. The ground surface around all permanent structures should be positively sloped away from the structure to all points, and water must not be allowed to stand or pond anywhere on the site. We recommend that the ground surface within 10 feet of the structures be sloped away with a minimum gradient of five percent. If this is not possible on the upslope side of the structures, then a well-defined swale should be created to intercept the surface water and carry it quickly and safely around and away from the structures. Roof drains should be made to discharge well away from the structures and into areas of positive drainage. Where several structures are involved, the overall drainage design should be such that water directed away from one structure is not directed against an adjacent building. Planting and watering in the immediate vicinity of the structures, as well as general lawn irrigation, should be minimized.

Areas of loose soils may also be encountered in these areas. Should loose soils be encountered beneath foundations, recompaction of the upper 2 feet of soil at 90% of Modified Proctor Dry Density, ASTM D-1557 may be required.

It should be noted that periodic shallow groundwater is anticipated across much of the site. Minimal excavation is recommended for the site. A minimum 30-inch depth is recommended for frost protection; however, deeper (basements) excavations are not recommended. Excavation depths can be reduced by building or filling the areas around the houses to provide frost protection. Unstable soil conditions will be encountered where groundwater is present. Some dewatering and soil stabilization of the excavation using shot rock or geofabric may be necessary. Builders should be cognizant of the potential for the occurrence of subsurface water during construction on-site. Installation of utilities will likely require trench stabilization.

### 6.1 Relevance of Geologic Conditions to Land Use Planning

As mentioned earlier in this report, the development will be primarily residential with school and open space areas. The existing geologic and engineering geologic conditions will impose constraints on some development and construction. The most significant problems affecting development will be those associated with shallow groundwater and surface drainage on site. Basements or useable areas below grade are not recommended for areas with shallow water. Sine grading may allow for basement construction. Soil stabilization will likely be required where groundwater is encountered in excavations and utility trenches. Building elevations should be kept as high as possible with the ground surface positively slopes away from the structure at all points. Dewatering of some of the building sites may be necessary.

Soil susceptible to erosion will also require consideration during development. Erosion problems are extremely common throughout the region and may be satisfactorily mitigated through proper engineering design and construction of drainage systems.

Floodplain determination is beyond the scope of this report. Channelization of the floodplain has been proposed. Some areas may require approval of the Drainage Report that excludes them from the FEMA floodplain prior to construction. The potential exists for seasonally high subsurface moisture conditions across much of the site. The proposed drainage channel on the east side of the site will help to control and lower groundwater conditions. Areas of groundwater seepage on the northern portions of the site may require drainage systems in order to dewater the area.

The soils were encountered at loose to dense states. Spread footing foundations are anticipated for the site. Areas of loose soils may require recompaction of the upper 2 feet of soil. Expansive layers may also be encountered in the soil and bedrock on this site. These areas are sporadic, therefore no areas were indicated on the maps. Expansive soils, if encountered, will require special foundation design. These soils will not prohibit development.

Areas of hydrocompaction are associated with the eolian sand deposits on site. The potential for settlement due to saturation of the soils exists in these areas. Good surface and subsurface drainage is required in these areas in order to minimize the potential for saturation of these soils.

Ir summary, the soils will provide suitable support for shallow foundations on site. Groundwater and surface drainage will affect construction on the site. Stabilization of soils will likely be required where groundwater is encountered in the excavations.

### 7.0 ECONOMIC MINERAL RESOURCES

Some of the sand associated with the eolian and alluvial materials on-site could be considered a low grade sand resource. According to the Aggregate Resource Maps, the site is mapped as upland deposits (Reference 8). Considering the silty nature of these soils and the relative abundance of similar materials throughout the region, they would be considered to have little significance as an economic resource.

### 8.0 EROSION CONTROL

The soil types observed on the site are mildly to moderately susceptible to wind erosion, and moderately to highly susceptible to water erosion. A minor wind erosion and dust problem may be created for a short time during and immediately after construction. Should the problem be considered severe enough during this time, watering of the cut areas or the use of chemical palliative may be required to control dust. However, once construction has been completed, and vegetation reestablished, the potential for wind erosion should be considerably reduced.

With regard to water erosion, loosely compacted soils will be the most susceptible to water erosion, residually weathered soils and weathered bedrock materials become increasingly less susceptible to water erosion. For the typical soils observed on site, allowable velocities for univegetated and unlined earth channels would be on the order of 3 to 4 feet/second, depending upon the sediment load carried by the water. Permissible velocities may be increased through the use of vegetation to something on the order of 4 to 7 feet/second, depending upon the type of vegetation established. Should the anticipated velocities exceed these values, some form of channel lining material may be required to reduce erosion potential. These might consist of some of the synthetic channel lining materials on the market or conventional riprap. In cases where ditch lining materials are still insufficient to control erosion, small check dams or sediment traps may be required. The check dams will serve to reduce flow velocities, as well as provide small traps for containing sediment. The determination of the amount, location and placement of ditch linings, check dams and of the special erosion control features should be performed by or in conjunction with the drainage engineer who is more familiar with the flow quantities and velocities.

Cut and fill slope areas will be subjected primarily to sheetwash and rill erosion. Unchecked rill erosion can eventually lead to concentrated flows of water and gully erosion. The best means to combat this type of erosion is, where possible, the adequate revegetation of cut and fill slopes. Cut and fill slopes having gradients more than three (3) horizontal to one (1) vertical become increasingly more difficult to revegetate successfully. Therefore, recommendations pertaining to the vegetation of the cut and fill slopes may require input from a qualified lanciscape architect and/or the Soil Conservation Service.

### 9.0 CLOSURE

It is our opinion that constraints associated with shallow groundwater and drainage will be imposed on development and construction of the site. Shallow foundations are recommended for the site. Basements are not recommended on much of the site in its present grade. Site grading may allow for basements in some areas, should they be raised high enough above the groundwater level.

It should be pointed out that because of the nature of data obtained by random sampling of such variable and nonhomogeneous materials as soil and rock, it is important that we be informed of

any differences observed between surface and subsurface conditions encountered in construction and those assumed in the body of this report. Individual investigations for building sites will be required prior to construction. Construction and design personnel should be made familiar with the contents of this report. Reporting such discrepancies to Entech Engineering, Inc. soon after they are discovered would be greatly appreciated and could possibly help avoid construction and development problems.

This report has been prepared for Realty Development Services for application to the proposed project in accordance with generally accepted geologic soil and engineering practices. No other warranty expressed or implied is made.

We trust that this report has provided you with all the information that you required. Should you require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Entech Engineering, Inc.

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# **TABLES**

TABLE 1

# SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

REALTY DEVELOPMENT FALCON HIGHLANDS 39431 CLIENT PROJECT JOB NO.

	_		-	_	_	_		_		_		_		_	_	_	_
SOIL DESCRIPTION	SILT, CLAYEY	SAND, SLIGHTLY SILTY	SAND, CLAYEY, SILTY	SAND, CLAYEY	SAND, CLAYEY	SAND, SILTY	SAND, VERY SILTY	SAND, SLIGHTLY SILTY	CLAY, SANDY	SANDSTONE, VERY CLAYEY	SANDSTONE, VERY CLAYEY	SANDSTONE, SILTY	CLAYSTONE, SANDY	CLAYSTONE, SANDY	CLAYSTONE, SANDY	CLAYSTONE	CLAYSTONE
UNIFIED	ML	SW-SM	SC	SC	SC	SM	SM	SP-SM	ರ	SC	SC	SW-SM	5	75	J.	5	공
SWELL/ CONSOL (%)					0.1%				0.1%		2.0%			1.2%			6.3%
FHA SWELL (PSF)	1515		574							933			1970		1563	3939	1,0,5
PLASTIC INDEX (%)	12	NP	11	14		dN	1	M				1	15			39	
LIQUID LIMIT (%)	40	N	26	27		N	21	N				27	30			99	
PASSING NO. 200 SIEVE (%)		. %9.2	27.7%	26.4%		16.8%	33.3%	%0.6	6 1000000000000000000000000000000000000	47.2%		11.4%	%8.99			%2'66	
DEPTH (FT)	9-10,	2-3'	2-5'	10,	10,	2-3'	2-3'	2-3'	9,	2-3,	2-3'	15'	15'	15'	10,	10,	10,
TEST BORING NO.	TB20	TB3	TB6	TB7	TB7	TB13	TB16	TB20	TB19	TB9	TB9	TB13	TB1	TB1	TB4	TB12	TB12
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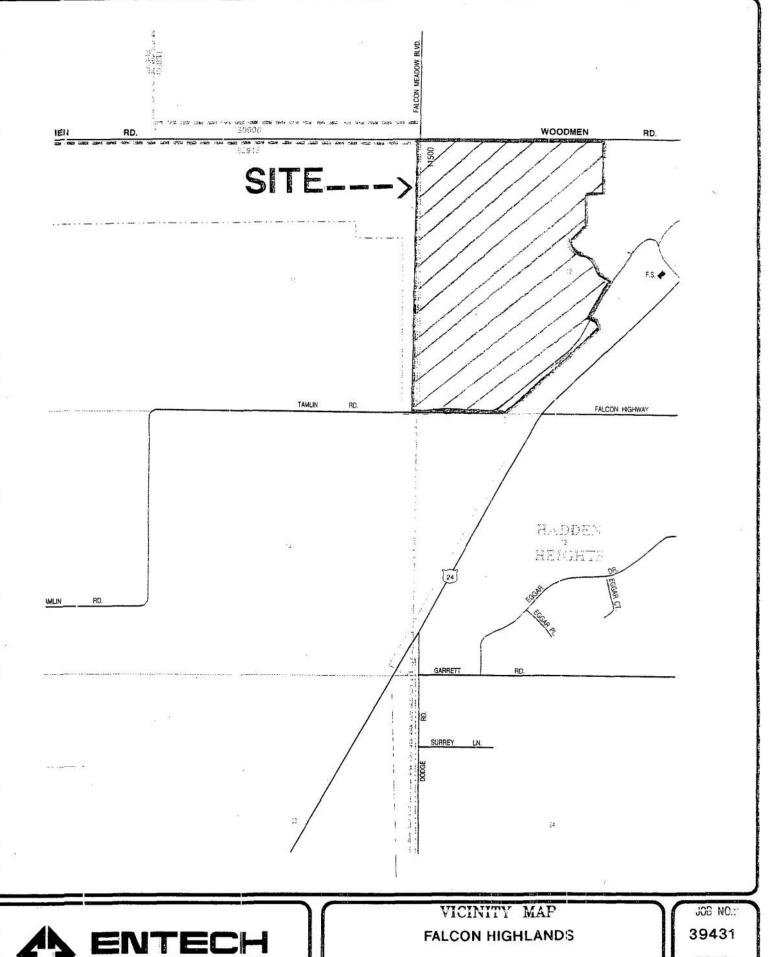
Table 2
Depth to Bedrock And Groundwater

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Test Boring No.	Depth to Bedrock (ft.)	Depth to Groundwater (ft.)
1	11	10.5
2	10	3
3	14.5	. 3
4 5	7	12
5	6	7
6	10	dry to 13
7	11	6
8	9.5	8.5
9	1	dry to 13
10	12	dry to 12.5
11	7	dry to 11.5
12	3	dry to 11.5
13	11	9.5
14	8.5	8
15	12	8.5
16	11	8
17	9.5	11.5
18	6	dry to 13
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22	6	dry to 11.5

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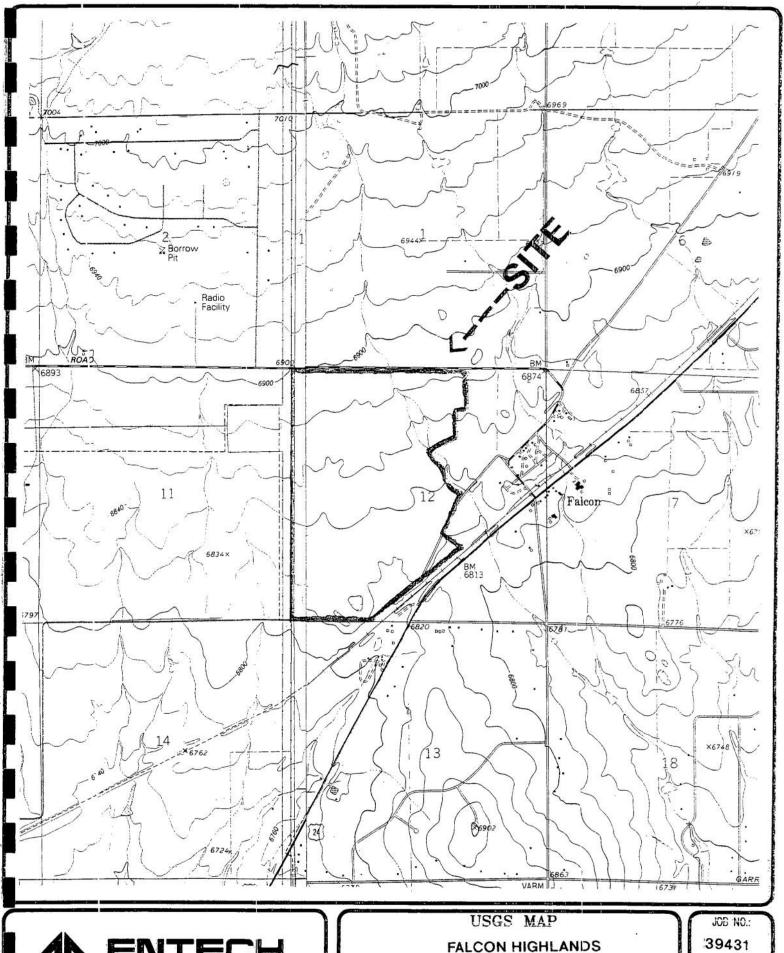
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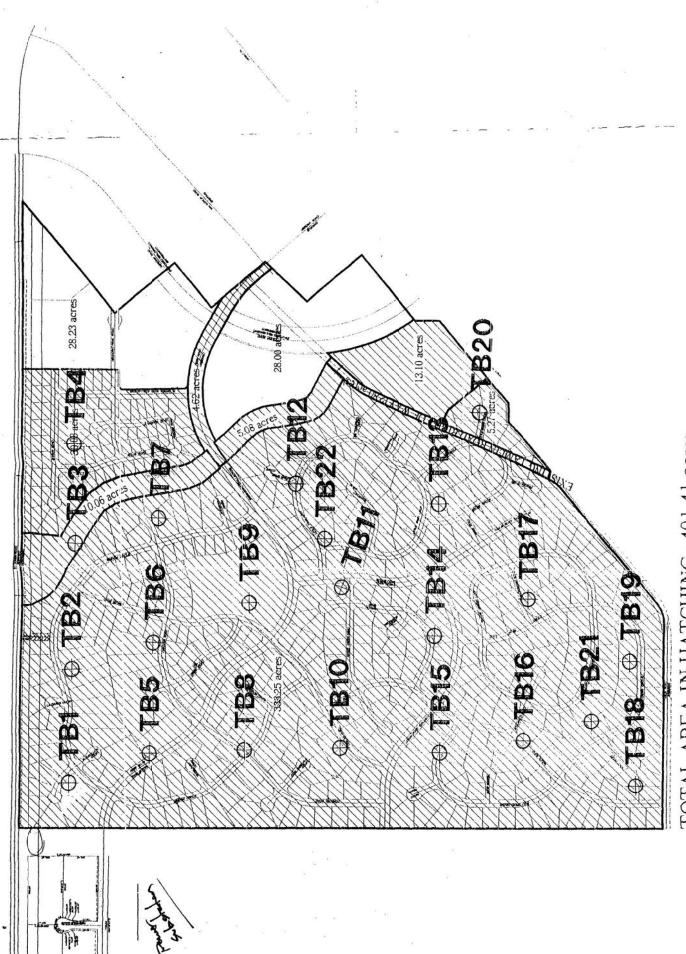
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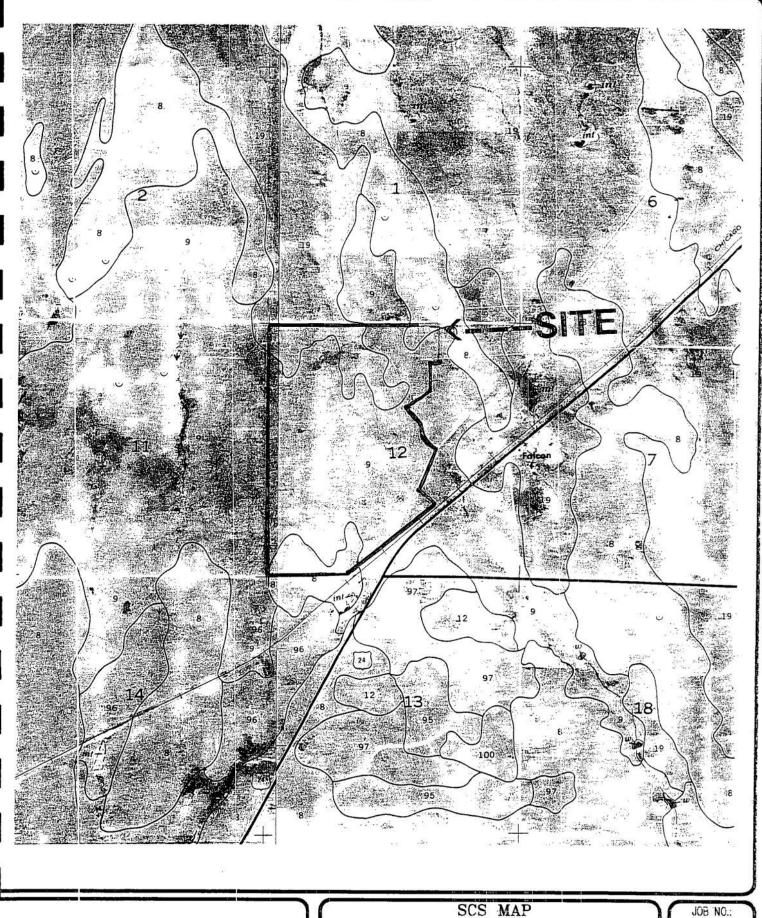


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TOTAL AREA IN HATCHING -401.41 acres





FALCON HIGHLANDS

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8—Blakeland loamy sand, 1 to 9 percent slopes. This deep, somewhat excessively drained soil formed in alluvial and eolian material derived from arkosic sedimentary rock on uplands. The average annual precipitation is about 15 inches, the average annual air temperature is about 47 degrees F, and the average frost-free period is about 135 days.

Typically, the surface layer is dark grayish brown loamy sand about 11 inches thick. The substratum, to a depth of 27 inches, is brown loamy sand; it grades to pale brown sand that extends to a depth of 60 inches.

Included with this soil in mapping are small areas of Bresser sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes; Bresser sandy loam, 3 to 5 percent slopes; Truckton sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes; Truckton sandy loam, 3 to 9 percent slopes; and Stapleton sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes. In some areas, mainly north of Colorado Springs in the Cottonwood Creek area, arkosic beds of sandstone and shale are at a depth of 0 to 40 inches.

Permeability of this Blakeland soil is rapid. Effective rooting depth is 60 inches or more. Available water capacity is low to moderate. Organic matter content of the surface layer is medium. Surface runoff is slow, the hazard of erosion is moderate, and the hazard of soil blowing is severe.

Most areas of this soil are used for range, homesites, and wildlife habitat.

Native vegetation is dominantly western wheatgrass, side-oats grama, and needleandthread. This soil is best suited to deep-rooted grasses.

Proper range management is necessary to prevent excessive removal of plant cover from the soil. Interseeding improves the existing vegetation. Deferment of grazing in spring increases plant vigor and soil stability. Proper location of livestock watering facilities helps to control grazing.

Windbreaks and environmental plantings are fairly well suited to this soil. Blowing sand and low available water capacity are the main limitations for the establishment of trees and shrubs. The soil is so loose that trees need to be planted in shallow furrows and plant cover needs to be maintained between the rows. Supplemental irrigation may be needed to insure survival. Trees that are best suited and have good survival are Rocky Mountain juniper, eastern redcedar, ponderosa pine, and Siberian elm. Shrubs that are best suited are skunkbush sumac, lilac, and Siberian peashrub.

This soil is suited to wildlife habitat. It is best suited to habitat for openland and rangeland wildlife. Rangeland wildlife, such as pronghorn antelope, can be encouraged by developing livestock watering facilities, properly managing livestock grazing, and reseeding range where needed.

This soil has good potential for urban development. Soil blowing is a hazard if protective vegetation is removed. Special erosion control practices must be provided to minimize soil losses. Capability subclass VIe.

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9—Blakeland complex, 1 to 9 percent slopes. This complex is on uplands, mostly in the Falcon area. The average annual precipitation is about 15 inches, the average annual air temperature is about 47 degrees F, and the frost-free period is about 135 days.

This complex is about 60 percent Blakeland loamy sand, about 30 percent Fluvaquentic Haplaquolls, and 10 percent other soils.

Included with these soils in mapping are areas of Columbine gravelly sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, Ellicott loamy coarse sand, 0 to 5 percent slopes, and Ustic Torrifluvents, loamy.

The Blakeland soil is in the more sloping areas. It is deep and somewhat excessively drained. It formed in sandy alluvium and eolian material derived from arkosic sedimentary rock. Typically, the surface layer is dark grayish brown loamy sand about 11 inches thick. The substratum, to a depth of 27 inches, is brown loamy sand; it grades to pale brown sand that extends to a depth of 60 inches or more.

Permeability of the Blakeland soil is rapid. The effective rooting depth is more than 60 inches. The available water capacity is moderate to low. Surface runoff is slow, and the hazard of erosion is moderate.

The Fluvaquentic Haplaquolls are in swale areas. They are deep, poorly drained soils. They formed in alluvium derived from arkosic sedimentary rock. Typically, the surface layer is brown. The texture is variable throughout. The water table is at a depth of 0 to 3 feet.

The Blakeland soil is well suited to deep-rooted grasses. Native vegetation is dominantly western wheatgrass, side-oats grama, and needleandthread. Rangeland vegetation on the Fluvaquentic Haplaquolls is dominantly tall grasses, including sand bluestem, switchgrass, prairie cordgrass, ittle bluestem, and sand reedgrass. Cattails and bulrushes are common in the swampy areas.

Proper range management is needed to prevent excess removal of plant cover from these soils. It is also needed to maintain the productive grasses. Interseeding improves the existing vegetation. Deferment of grazing during the growing season increases plant vigor and soil stability,

and it helps to maintain and improve range condition. Proper location of livestock watering facilities helps to control grazing of animals.

Windbreaks and environmental plantings are fairly well suited to these soils. Blowing sand and low available water capacity are the main limitations to the establishment of trees and shrubs. The soils are so loose that trees need to be planted in shallow furrows and plant cover needs to be maintained between the rows. Supplemental irrigation may be needed to insure survival. Trees that are best suited and have good survival are Rocky Mountain juniper, eastern redcedar, ponderosa pine, and Siberian elm. Shrubs that are best suited are skunkbush sumac, lilac, and Siberian peashrub.

The Blakeland soil is well suited to wildlife habitat. It is best suited to habitat for openland and rangeland wildlife. Rangeland wildlife, such as pronghorn antelope, can be encouraged by developing livestock watering facilities. properly managing livestock grazing, and reseeding range where needed. Wetland wildlife can be attracted to the Fluvaquentic Haplaquolls and the wetland habitat can be enhanced by several means. Shallow water developments can be created by digging or by blasting potholes to create open-water areas. Fencing to control livestock grazing is beneficial, and it allows wetland plants such as cattails, reed canarygrass, and rushes to grow. Control of unplanned burning and prevention of drainage that would remove water from the wetlands are good practices. Openland wildlife use the vegetation on these soils for nesting and escape cover. These shallow marsh areas are especially important for winter cover if natural vegetation is allowed to grow.

The Blakeland soil has good potential for homesites. roads, and streets. It needs to be protected from erosion when vegetation has been removed from building sites. The Fluvaquentic Haplaquolls have poor potential for homesites. Their main limitations for this use are the high water table and the hazard of flooding. Capability subclass VIe.



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19—Columbine gravelly sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes. This deep, well drained to excessively drained soil formed in coarse textured material on alluvial terraces and fans and on flood plains. Elevation ranges from 6,500 to 7,300 feet. The average annual precipitation is about 15 inches, the average annual air temperature is about 47 degrees F, and the average frost-free period is about 135 days.

Typically, the surface layer is grayish brown gravelly sandy loam about 14 inches thick. The underlying material is light yellowish brown very gravelly loamy sand.

Included with this soil in mapping are small areas of Stapleton sandy loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes; Blendon sandy loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes; Louviers silty clay loam, 3 to 18 percent slopes; and Fluvaquentic Haplaquolls, nearly level. In places the parent arkose beds of sandstone or shale are at a depth of 0 to 40 inches.

Permeability of this Columbine soil is very rapid. Effective rooting depth is 60 inches or more. Available water capacity is low to moderate. Surface runoff is slow, and the hazard of erosion is slight to moderate.

This soil is used mainly for grazing livestock and for wildlife habitat. It is also used for homesites.

Native vegetation is mainly western wheatgrass, sideoats grama, needleandthread, and little bluestem. The main shrub is true mountainmahogany.

Proper location of livestock watering facilities helps to control grazing.

Windbreaks and environmental plantings are fairly well suited to this soil. Blowing sand and low available water capacity are the principal limitations to the establishment of trees and shrubs. The soil is so loose that trees need to be planted in the rows. Supplemental irrigation may be needed to insure survival. Trees that are best suited and have good survival are Rocky Mountain juniper, eastern redcedar, ponderosa pine, and Siberian elm. Shrubs that are best suited are skunkbush sumac, lilac, and Siberian peashrub.

Rangeland wildlife, such as pronghorn antelope, cottontail, coyote, and scaled quail, is best adapted to life on this droughty soil. Forage production is typically loam, and proper livestock grazing management is necessary if wildlife and livestock share the range. Livestock watering developments are also important and are used by various wildlife species.

The main limitation of this soil for urban development is a hazard of flooding in some areas. Care must be taken when locating septic tank absorption fields because of possible pollution as a result of the very rapid permeability of this soil. Capability subclass VIe.

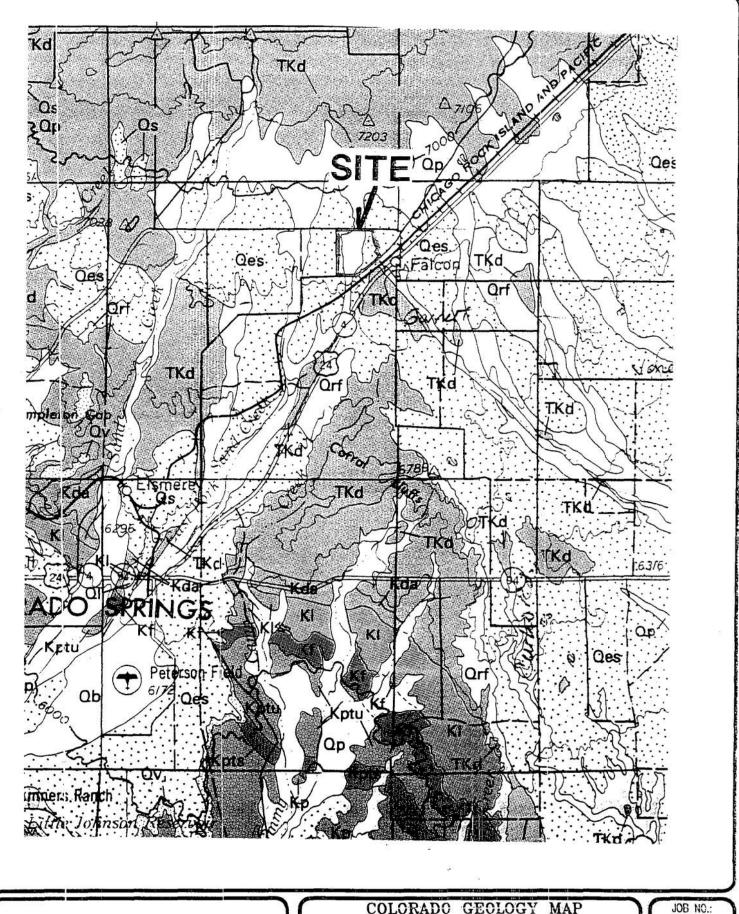


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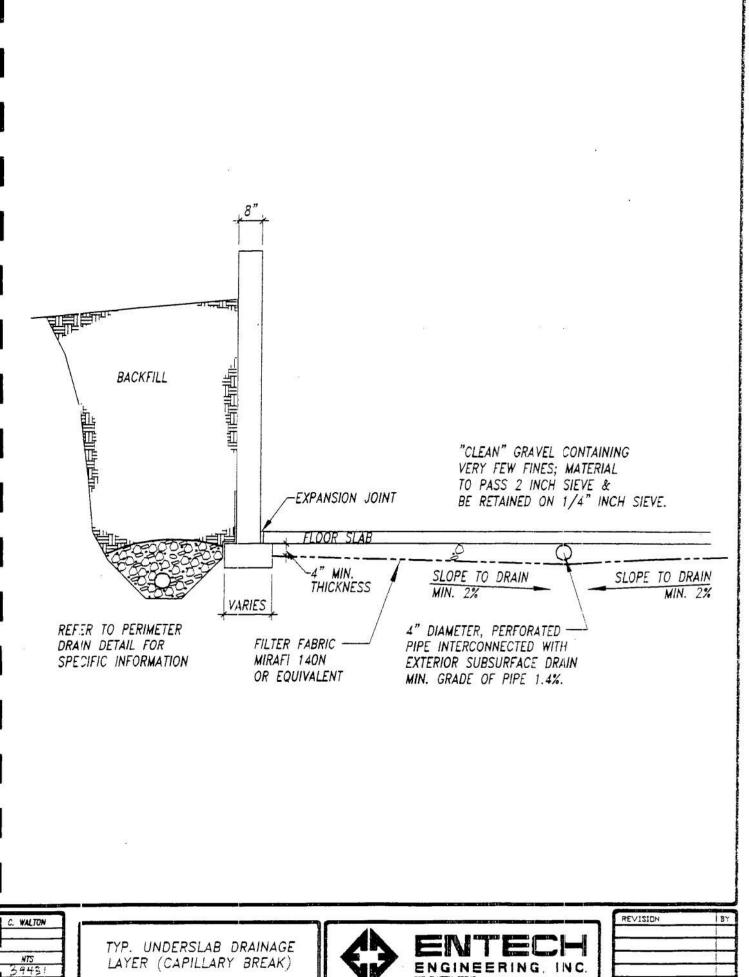
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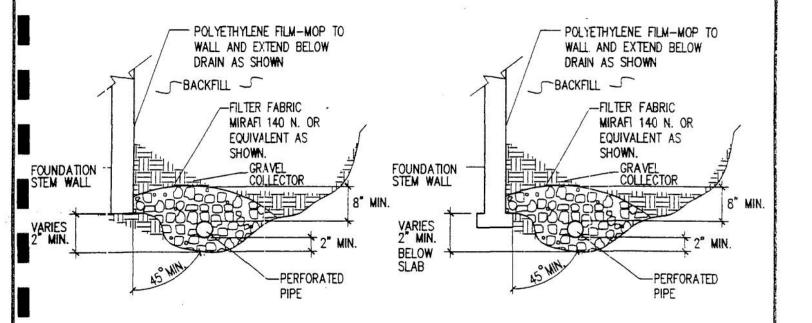
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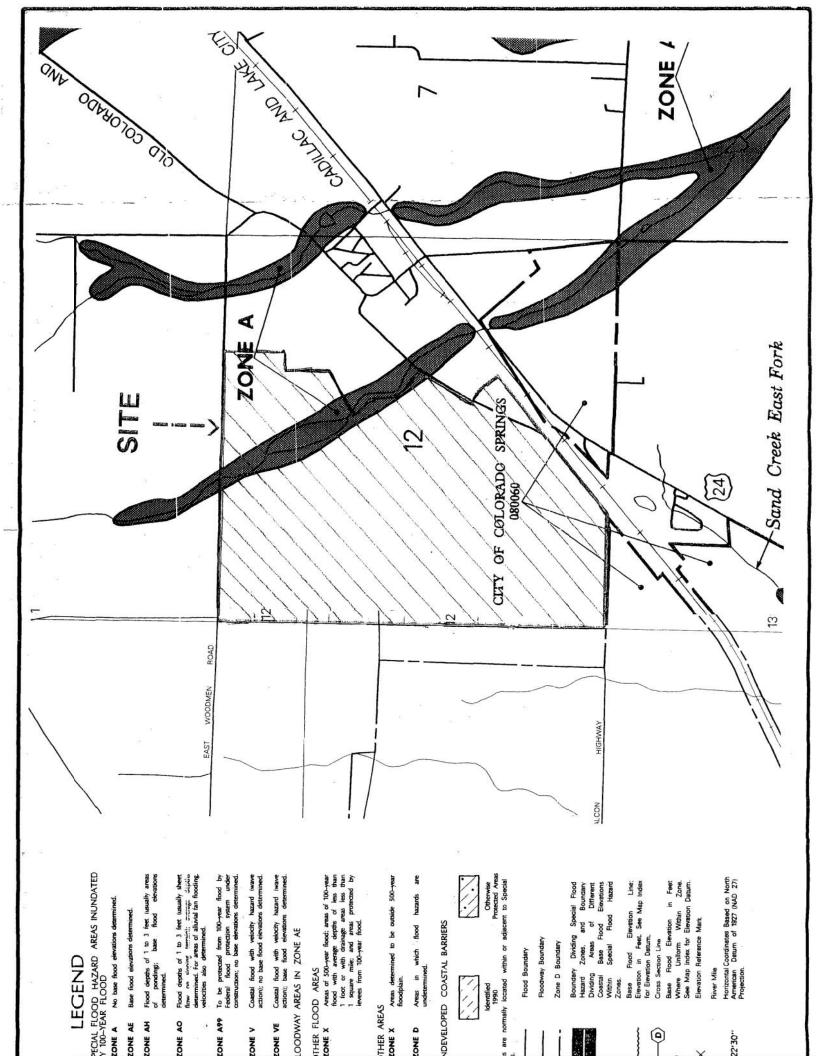
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- -PIPE DIAMETER DEPENDS UPON EXPECTED SEEPAGE. 4-INCH DIAMETER IS MOST OFTEN USED.
- -ALL PIPE SHALL BE PERFORATED PLASTIC. THE DISCHARGE PORTION OF THE PIPE SHOULD BE NON-PERFORATED PIPE.
- -FLEXIBLE PIPE MAY BE USED UP TO 8 FEET IN DEPTH, IF SUCH PIPE IS DESIGNED TO WITHSTAND THE PRESSURES. RIGID PLASTIC PIPE WOULD OTHERWISE BE REQUIRED.
- -MINIMUM GRADE FOR DRAIN PIPE TO BE 1% OR 3 INCHES OF FALL IN 25 FEET.
- -DRAIN TO BE PROVIDED WITH A FREE GRAVITY OUTFALL, IF POSSIBLE. A SUMP AND PUMP MAY BE USED IF GRAVITY OUT FALL IS NOT AVAILABLE.





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# **APPENDIX A: Test Borings**

TEST BORING NO. TEST BORING NO. DATE DRILLED 12/8/01 DATE DRILLED 12/8/01 Job# 39431 CLIENT REALTY DEVELOPMENT SERVICES LOCATION **FALCON HIGHLANDS** REMARKS REMARKS Watercontent Watercontent Blows per Depth (ft) Samples Symbol Symbol WATER AT 10.5', 12/13/01 SAND, SILTY, FINE TO COARSE TOPSOIL 0-1' GRAINED, LIGHT BROWN, DENSE, DRY 2 SAND, COARSE GRAINED, 37 1.6 2 25 14.6 LIGHT BROWN, MEDIUM 2 DENSE TO DENSE, WET 40 1.7 31 14.5 2 10 CLAY, SANDY, GRAYISH 29 | 15.0 CLAY, SANDY, GRAY, VERY 10 38 16.5 3 BROWN, STIFF, MOIST STIFF, WET CLAYSTONE, SANDY, GRAY, CLAYSTONE, SLIGHTLY HARD, MOIST SANDY TO VERY SANDY, 15 50 12.3 5 GRAY, HARD, MOIST 15 11.0 5 50 5" 4"



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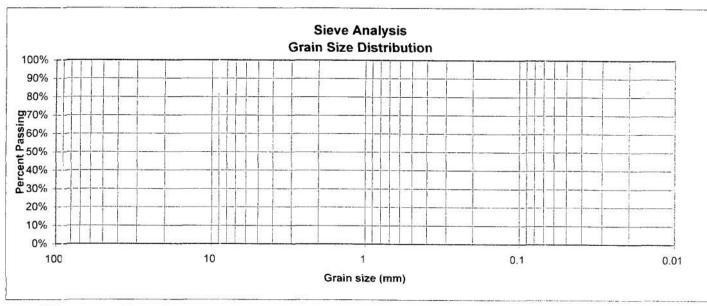
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# APPENDIX B: Laboratory Test Results

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U.S.	Percent	Atterberg	
Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>	Limits	
3"		Plastic Limit	28
1 1/2"		Liquid Limit	40
3/4"		Plastic Index	12
1/2"			
3/8"			
4		Swell	
10		Moisture at start	13.7%
20		Moisture at finish	31.5%
40		Moisture increase	17.8%
100		Initial dry density (pcf)	94
200		Swell (psf)	1515

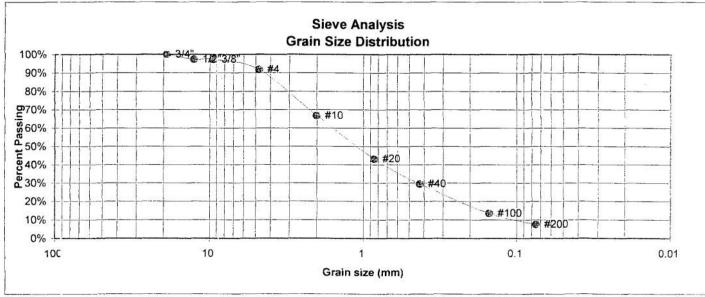


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DEPTH	2-3'	TEST BY	DG



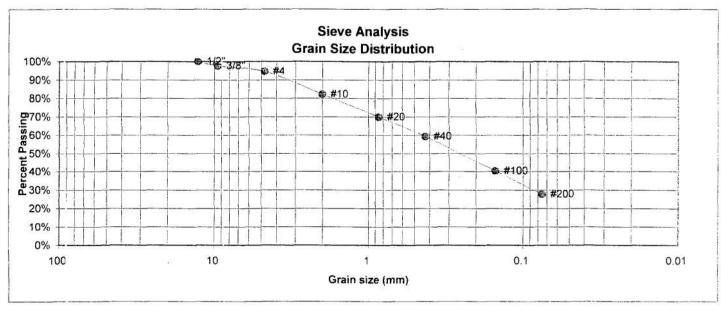
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Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>	<u>Limits</u>
3"		Plastic Limit NP
1 1/2"		Liquid Limit NV
3/4"	100.0%	Plastic Index NP
1/2"	97.3%	
3/8"	97.3%	
4	91.7%	Swell
10	66.7%	Moisture at start
20	43.2%	Moisture at finish
40	29.5%	Moisture increase
100	13.6%	Initial dry density (pcf)
200	7.6%	Swell (psf)



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SOIL TYPE #	2	<b>PROJECT</b>	FALCON HIGHLANDS
TEST BORING #	TB6	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	2-5'	TEST BY	DG



U.S.	Percent	Atterberg	
Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>	<u>Limits</u>	
3"		Plastic Limit 15	
1 1/2"		Liquid Limit 26	
3/4"		Plastic Index 11	
1/2"	100.0%		
3/8"	97.6%		
4	94.7%	Swell	
10	82.2%	Moisture at start	7.7%
20	69.9%	Moisture at finish	6.9%
40	59.3%	Moisture increase	9.2%
100	40.3%	Initial dry density (pcf)	106
200	27.7%	Swell (psf)	574

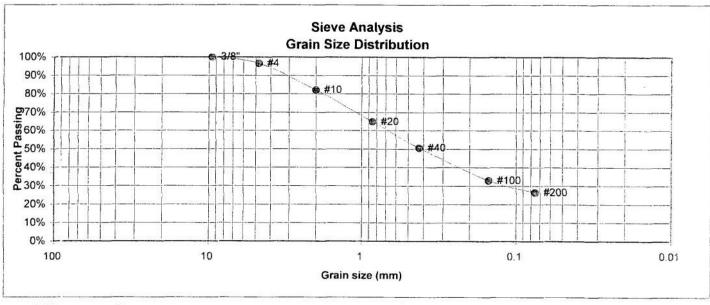


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SOIL TYPE #	2	PROJECT	FALCON HIGHLANDS
TEST BORING #	TB7	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	10'	TEST BY	DG



U.S.	Percent				Atterberg	
Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>				<u>Limits</u>	
3"					Plastic Limit	13
1 1/2"					Liquid Limit	27
3/4"					Plastic Index	14
1/2"			e e e	8		
3/8"	100.0%	10 m 17 m	84 Mile (S			
4	96.5%	35 50			Swell	
10	82.1%				Moisture at start	
20	64.8%				Moisture at finish	196
40	50.6%	28	25		Moisture increase	
100	33.0%				Initial dry density (pcf)	
200	26.4%				Swell (psf)	

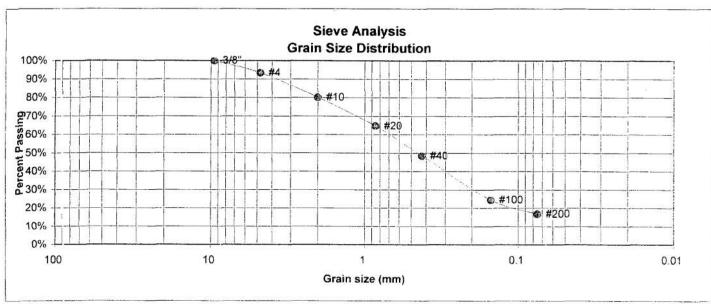


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TEST BORING #	TB13	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	2-3'	TEST BY	DG



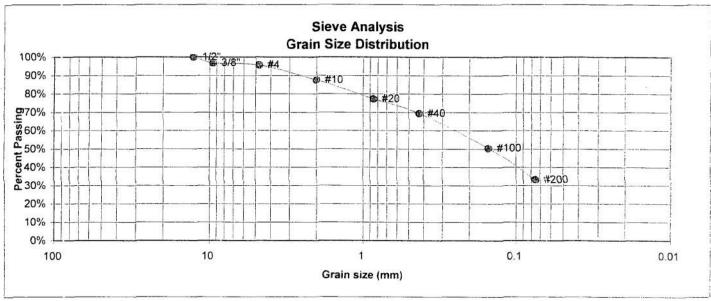
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Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>	<u>Limits</u>	
3"		Plastic Limit NP	
1 1/2"		Liquid Limit NV	
3/4"		Plastic Index NP	
1/2"			
3/8"	100.0%		
4	93.4%	Swell	
10	80.1%	Moisture at start	
20	64.7%	Moisture at finish	
40	48.4%	Moisture increase	
100	24.5%	Initial dry density (pcf)	
200	16.8%	Swell (psf)	



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UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	SM	CLIENT	REALTY DEVELOPMENT
SOIL TYPE #	2	PROJECT	FALCON HIGHLANDS
TEST BORING #	TB16	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	2-3'	TEST BY	DG



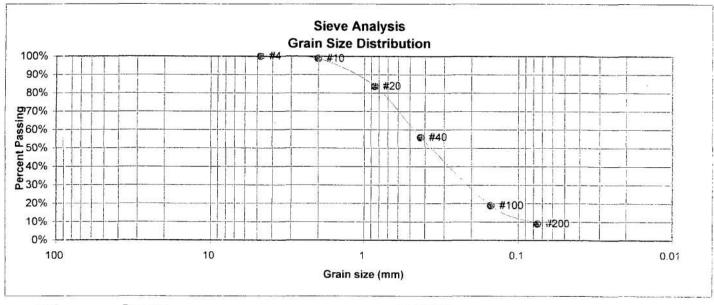
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Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>		Limits	
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1 1/2"			Liquid Limit	21
3/4"			Plastic Index	1
1/2"	100.0%			
3/8"	96.8%			
4	95.7%		Swell	
10	87.5%		Moisture at start	
20	77.3%		Moisture at finish	
40	69.4%		Moisture increase	
100	50.5%	69	Initial dry density (pcf)	
200	33.3%		Swell (psf)	



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UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	SP-SM	CLIENT	REALTY DEVELOPMENT
SOIL TYPE #	2	PROJECT	FALCON HIGHLANDS
TEST BORING #	TB20	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	2-3'	TEST BY	DG



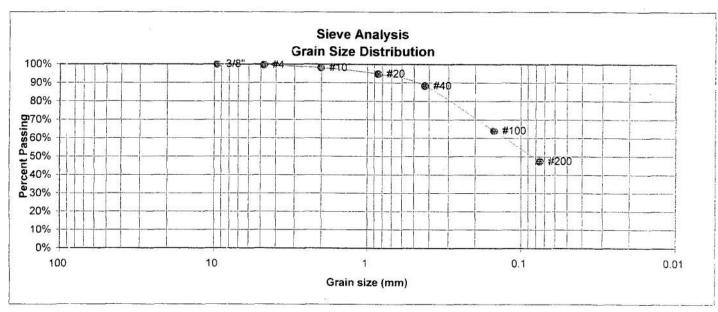
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Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>	<u>Limits</u>
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3/4"		Plastic Index NP
1/2"		
3/8"		
4	100.0%	Swell
10	98.8%	Moisture at start
20	83.7%	Moisture at finish
40	55.9%	Moisture increase
100	18.8%	Initial dry density (pcf)
200	9.0%	Swell (psf)



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UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	SC	CLIENT	REALTY DEVELOPMENT
SOIL TYPE #	4	PROJECT	FALCON HIGHLANDS
TEST BORING #	TB9	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	2-3'	TEST BY	DG



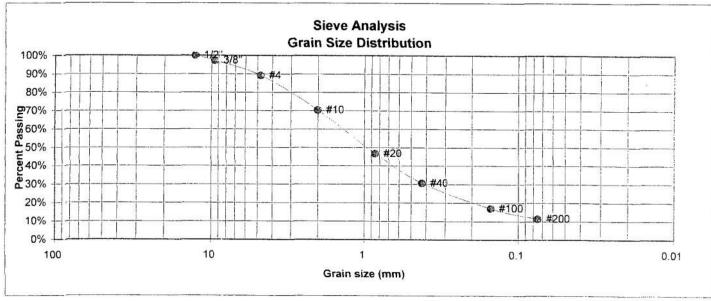
U.S.	Percent		Atterberg	
Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>		<u>Limits</u>	
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1 1/2'			Liquid Limit	
3/4"			Plastic Index	
1/2"				
3/8"	100.0%			
4	99.5%		Swell	
10	98.1%	*	Moisture at start	8.0%
20	94.8%		Moisture at finish	19.7%
40	88.3%		Moisture increase	11.7%
100	64.0%		Initial dry density (pcf)	105
200	47.2%		Swell (psf)	933



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UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	SW-SM	CLIENT	REALTY DEVELOPMENT	
SOIL TYPE #	4	PROJECT	FALCON HIGHLANDS	
TEST BC RING #	TB13	JOB NO.	39431	
DEPTH	15'	TEST BY	DG	



U.S.	Percent	Atterberg
Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>	<u>Limits</u>
3"		Plastic Limit
1 1/2"		Liquid Limit
3/4"	10	Plastic Index
1/2"	100.0%	
3/8"	97.3%	
4	89.2%	Swell
10	70.3%	Moisture at start
20	46.6%	Moisture at finish
40	30.6%	Moisture increase
100	17.0%	Initial dry density (pcf)
200	11.4%	Swell (psf)



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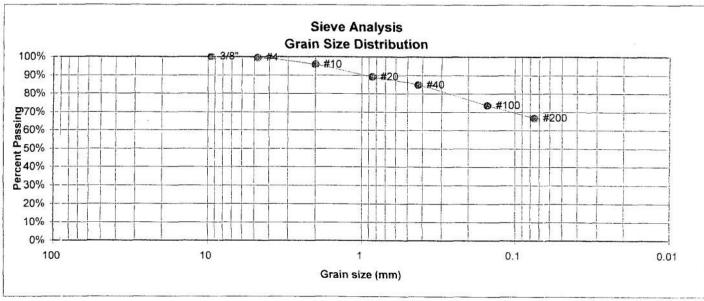
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SOIL TYPE #	5	PROJECT	FALCON HIGHLANDS	
TEST BORING #	TB1	JOB NO.	39431	
DEPTH	15'	TEST BY	DG	



U.S.	Percent	Atterberg	
Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>	Limits	
3"		Plastic Limit 15	
1 1/2"		Liquid Limit 30	
3/4"		Plastic Index 15	
1/2"			
3/8"	100.0%		
4	99.4%	Swell	
10	95.8%	Moisture at start	12.6%
20	89.2%	Moisture at finish	18.6%
40	84.8%	Moisture increase	6.0%
100	73.7%	Initial dry density (pcf)	110
200	66.8%	Swell (psf)	1970

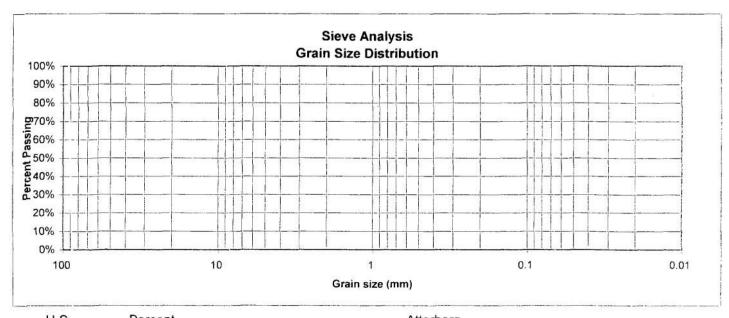


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SOIL TYPE #	5	<b>PROJECT</b>	FALCON HIGHLANDS
TEST BORING #	TB4	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	10'	TEST BY	DG



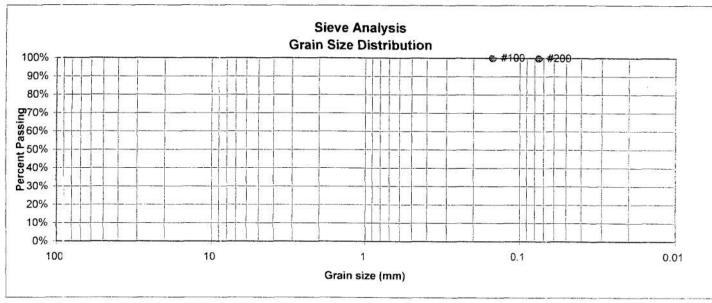
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Sieve #	Finer	Limits	
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1 1/2"		Liquid Limit	
3/4"		Plastic Index	
1/2"			
3/8"			
4		Swell	
10		Moisture at start	11.0%
20		Moisture at finish	18.8%
40		Moisture increase	7.8%
100		Initial dry density (pcf)	109
200		Swell (psf)	1563



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UNIFIED CLASSIFICATION	CH	CLIENT	REALTY DEVELOPMENT
SOIL TYPE #	5	PROJECT	FALCON HIGHLANDS
TEST BORING #	TB12	JOB NO.	39431
DEPTH	10'	TEST BY	DG



U.S.	Percent		Atterberg		
Sieve #	<u>Finer</u>		<u>Limits</u>		
3"			Plastic Limit	17	
1 1/2"			Liquid Limit	56	
3/4"			Plastic Index	39	
1/2"					
3/8"					
4			Swell		
10			Moisture at start		13.9%
20			Moisture at finish		23.8%
40			Moisture increase		10.0%
100	100.0%	37	Initial dry density (pcf)		103
200	99.7%		Swell (psf)		3939



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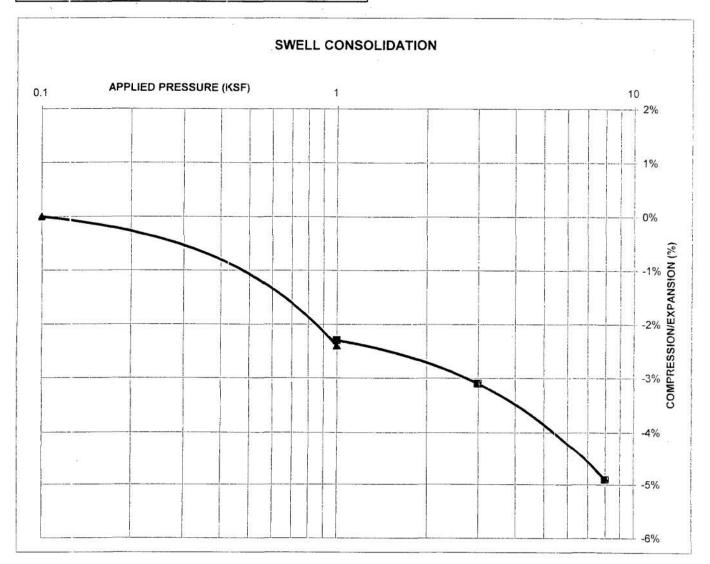
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#### **CONSOLIDATION TEST RESULTS**

SAMPLE FROM: TB7 AT DEPTH 10'
DESCRIPTION SC SOIL TYPE 2
NATURAL UNIT DRY WEIGHT (PCF) 116
NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT 15.4%
SWELL/CONSOLIDATION (%) 0.1%

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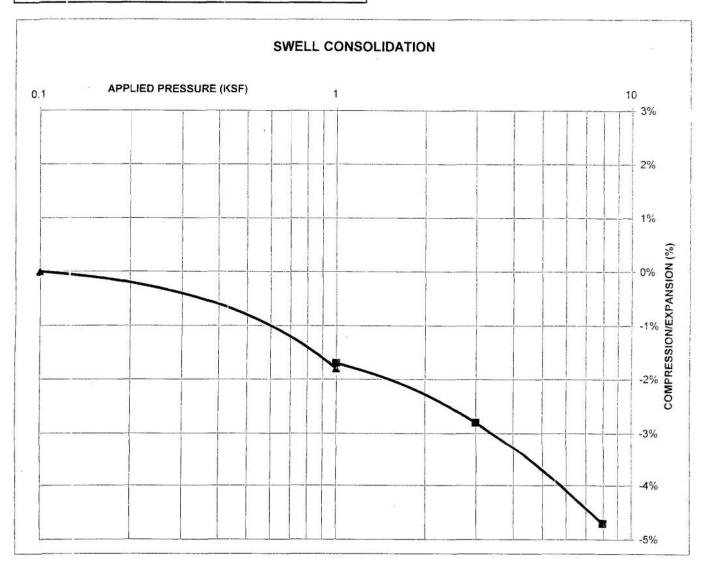
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DESCRIPTION CL SOIL TYPE 3
NATURAL UNIT DRY WEIGHT (PCF) 107
NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT 18.4%
SWELL/CONSOLIDATION (%) 0.1%

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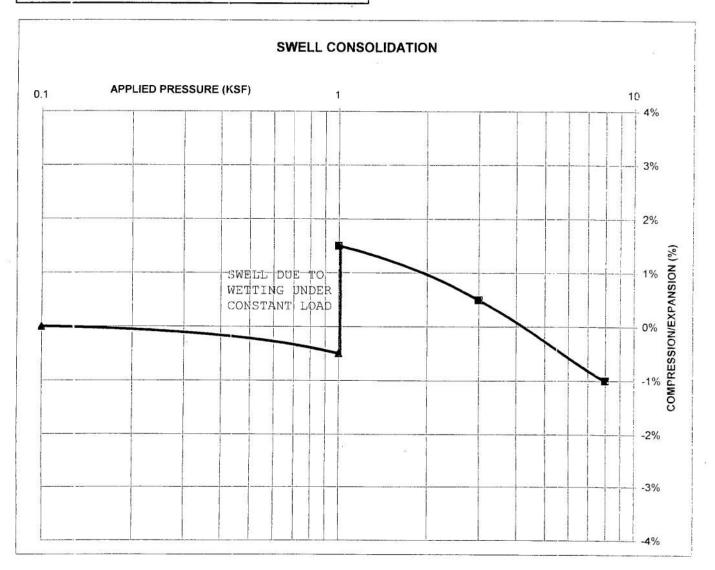
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#### **CONSOLIDATION TEST RESULTS**

SAMPLE FROM: TB9 AT DEPTH 2-3'
DESCRIPTION SC SOIL TYPE 4
NATURAL UNIT DRY WEIGHT (PCF) 119
NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT 8.6%
SWELL/CONSOLIDATION (%) 2.0%

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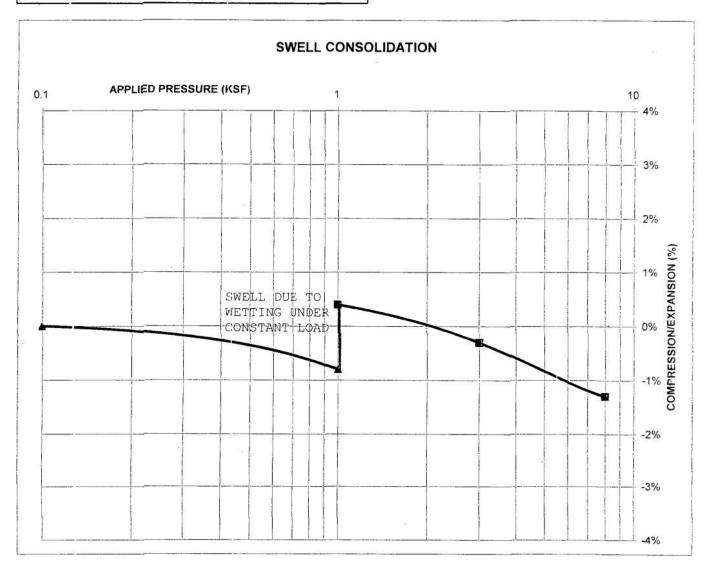
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#### CONSCLIDATION TEST RESULTS

SAMPLE FROM: TB1 AT DEPTH 15'
DESCRIPTION CL SOIL TYPE 5
NATURAL UNIT DRY WEIGHT (PCF) 122
NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT 12.4%
SWELL/CONSOLIDATION (%) 1.2%

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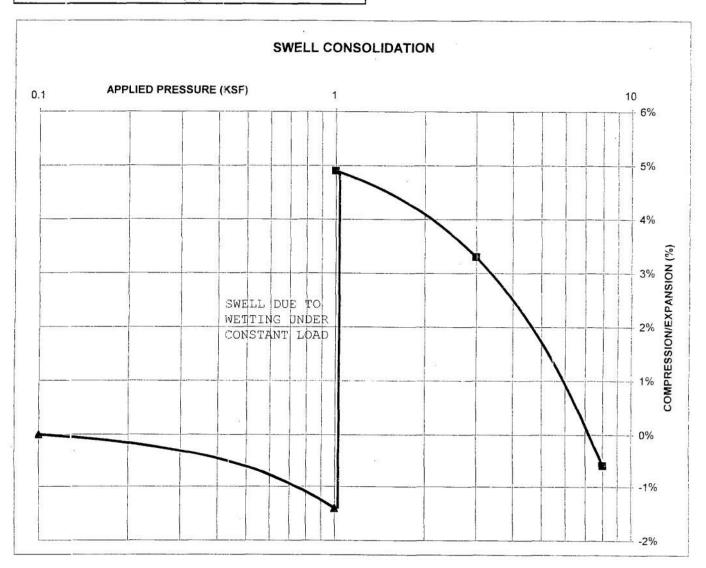
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#### CONSCILIDATION TEST RESULTS

SAMPLE FROM: TB12 AT DEPTH 10'
DESCRIPTION CH SOIL TYPE 5
NATURAL UNIT DRY WEIGHT (PCF) 105
NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT 23.1%
SWELL/CONSOLIDATION (%) 6.3%

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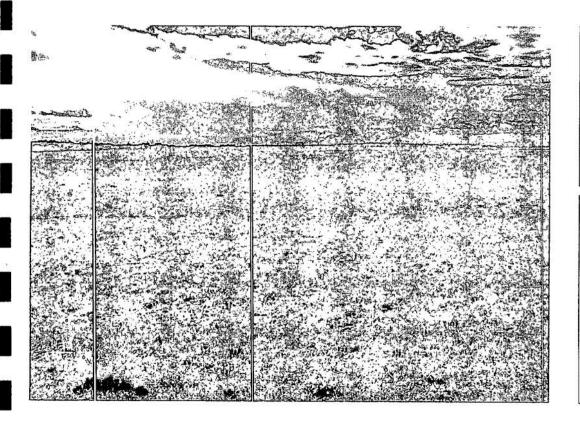
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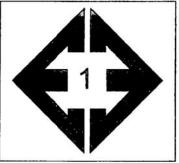
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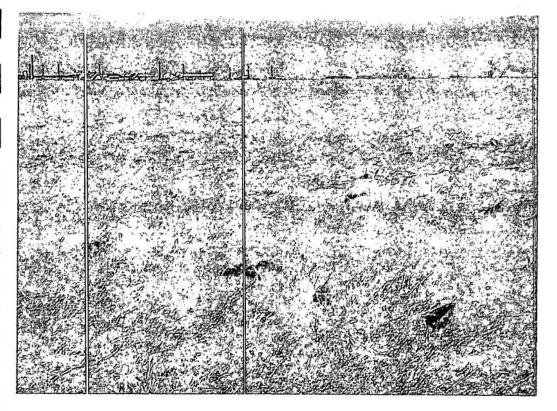
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## **APPENDIX C: Site Photographs**



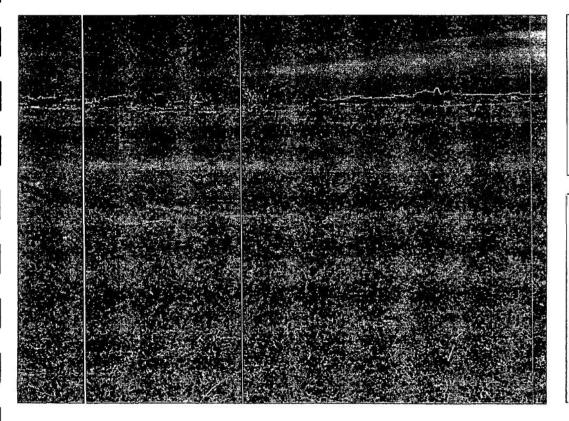


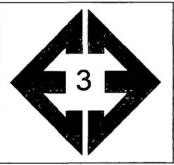
From center of site looking south.



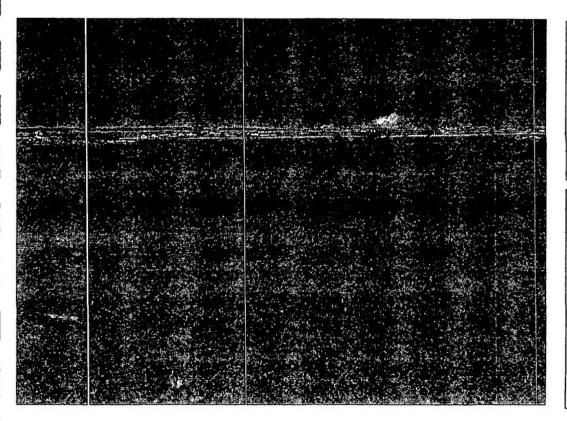


Northeast portion of site, seasonally wet area, looking east.



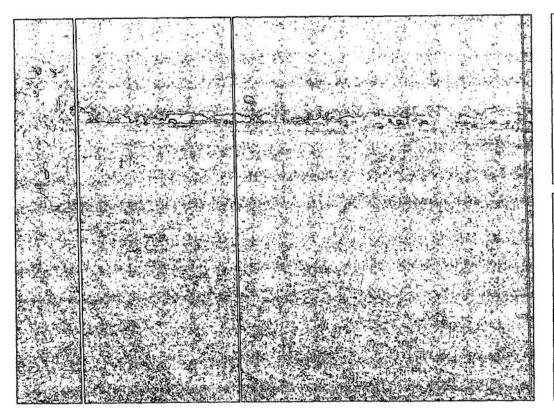


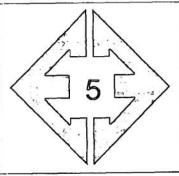
From southwest corner of site, looking east.



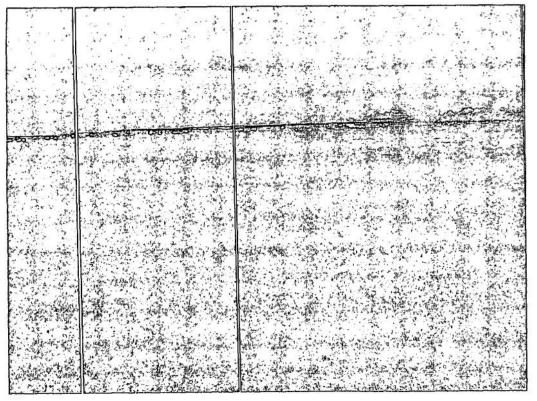


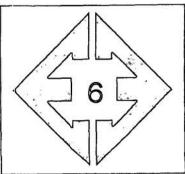
From southwest corner of site, looking north.





Looking northeast from Tamlin Road at southeast portion of site.

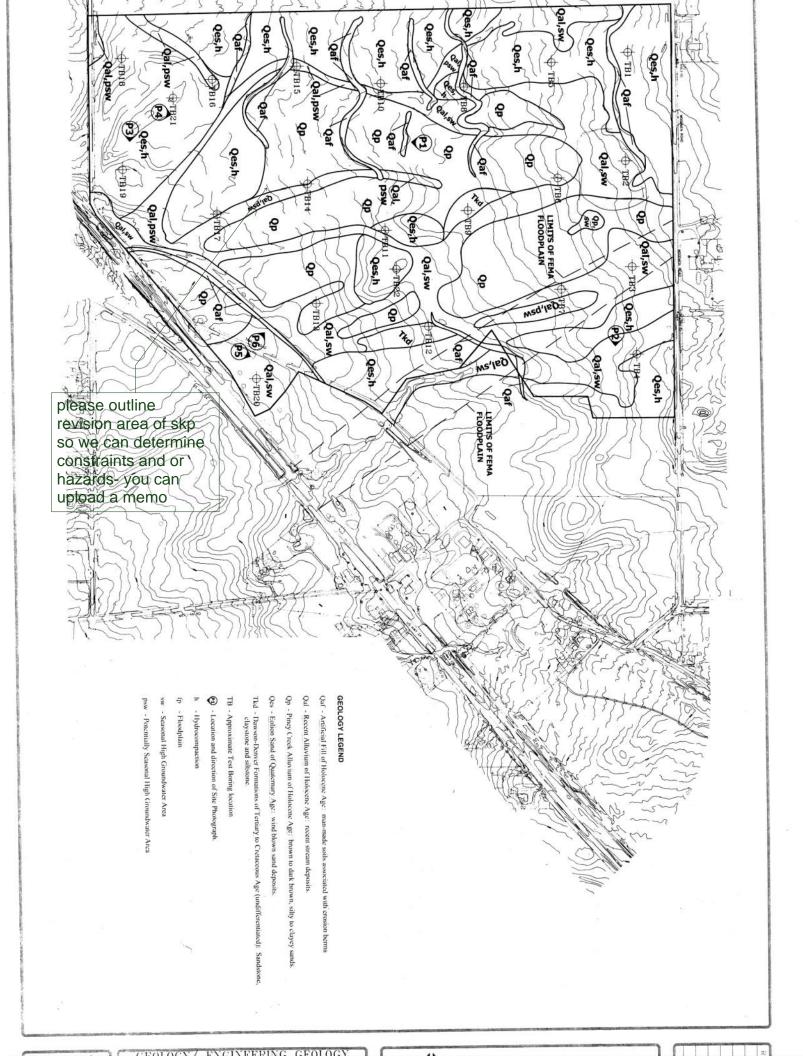


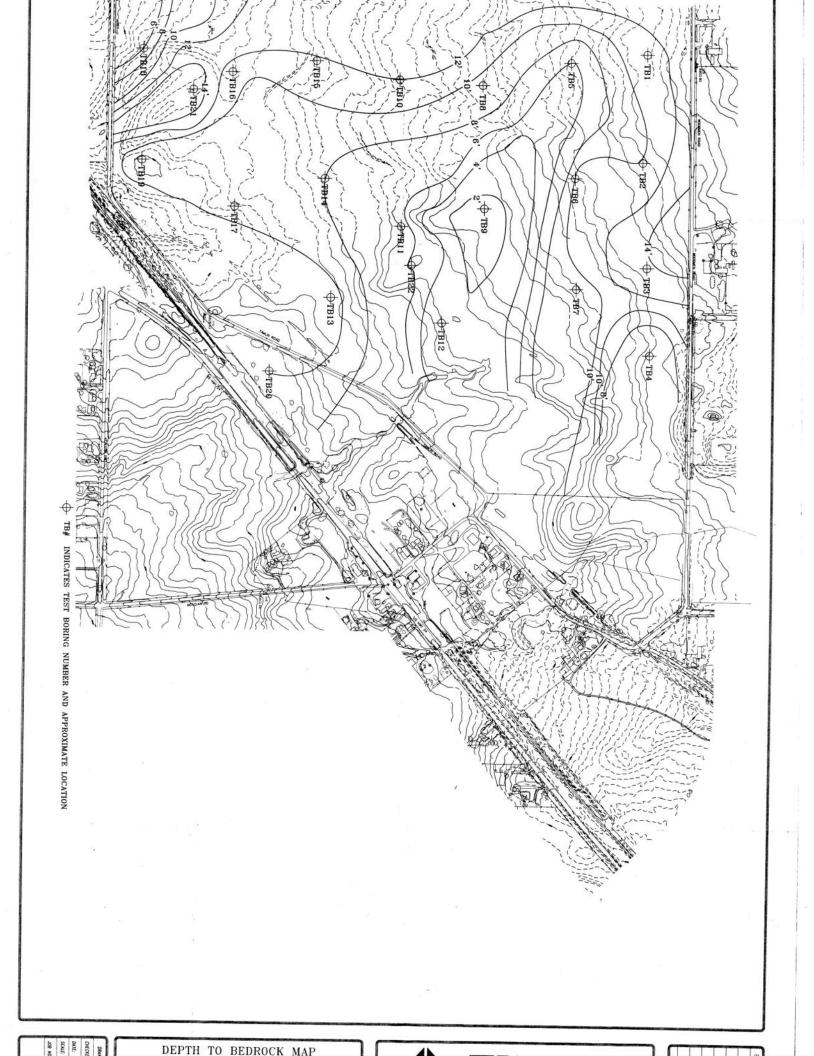


Looking northwest from southeast portion of site.

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November 22, 2004



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Addendum to Soil and Geology Study

Falcon Highlands Filing 2

Woodmen Road and Tamlin Road

El Paso County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Scott:

As requested, personnel of Entech Engineering, Inc. have reviewed the development and grading plans for Falcon Highlands Filing 2. Reference is made to the Soil and Geology Study for Falcon Highlands prepared by Entech Engineering, Inc., revised January 23, 2002 (Entech Job No. 39431).

The proposed development and grading plans are prepared by Terra Nova Engineering, inc., dated October 14, 2004 (Job No. 0429.00) are presented in Figure 1. Areas to be cut include knolls on the property composed of Eolian Sand where bedrock and groundwater is deeper and areas for detention ponds in the southern portion of the site. Areas where groundwater is shallower are to be filled. This will further raise many areas above the groundwater level. Mitigation for seasonal shallow groundwater may still be necessary in some areas where the groundwater level approaches foundation levels. Foundations should be kept as high as possible above the groundwater levels and should penetrate a minimum of 30 inches for frost protection. The use of subsurface drains may be necessary to help prevent the intrusion of water into areas below grade. Additional investigation of each building site may be necessary to delineate the depth to groundwater.

It is our opinion that the geologic conditions will impose some constraints on construction on this site. These conditions can be satisfactorily mitigated through proper engineering design and construction practices. The geologic conditions and recommended mitigation techniques have been discussed in the Soil and Geology Study (Entech Job No. 39431). It is our opinion that development of this site can be achieved if the geologic conditions are properly mitigated.

We trust that this has provided you with the information you required. If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully Submitted,

ENTECH ENGINEERING, INC.

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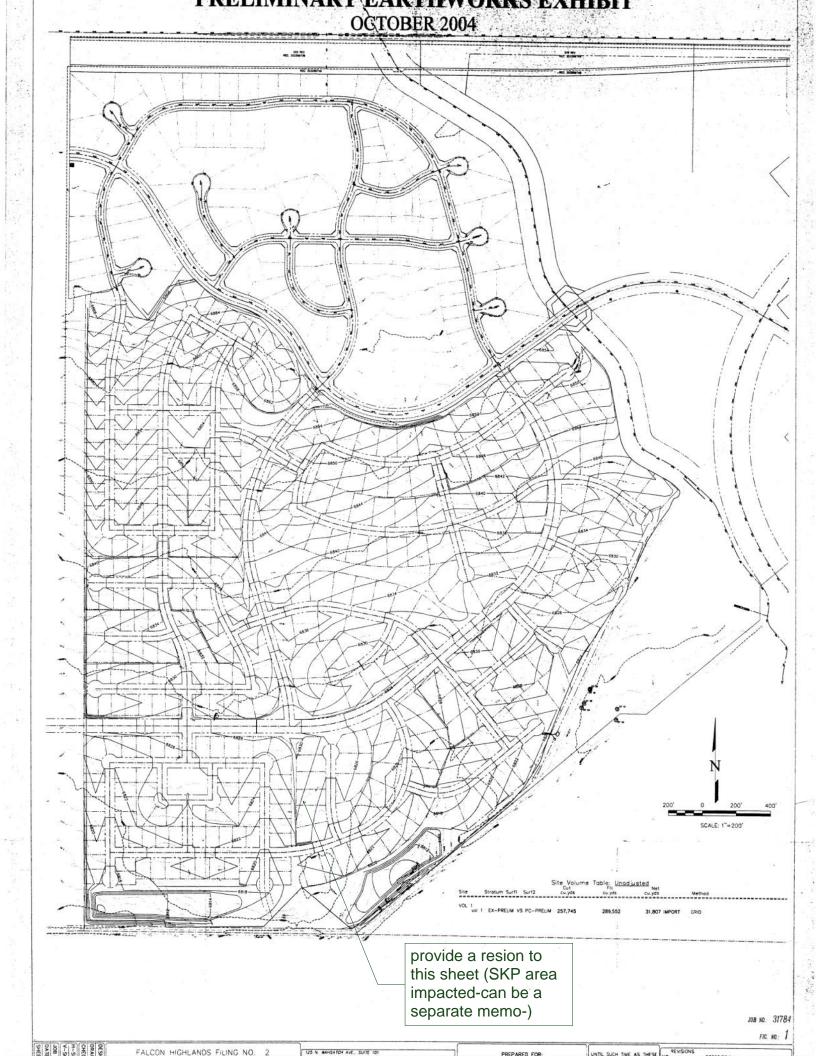
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