

CITY OF AIRDRIE GENERAL DESIGN STANDARDS AND CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATIONS

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Prior to commencement of any work, all approvals must be in place. This includes but is not limited to: Development Permits; Subdivision Servicing Agreement; Engineering Services Approval and Safety Code requirements. Furthermore, the contractor is also responsible for giving notification within the timeframe outlined by each agency.

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Scope

These specifications form part of a contract document for construction and development within the City of Airdrie (*the City*). The primary focus of these specifications is to ensure that standard sets of overall performance objectives are realized for design and construction within the City. All work performed within the City of Airdrie, shall be carried out in accordance with the "*City of Airdrie General Design Standards and Construction Specifications*" (*current edition*). The City reserves the right to vary the standards to meet any site issue that may arise in order to update the City's development standards and protect public interest. As a result, specific site specifications may be applied where Engineering Services deems it to be necessary. All deviations from these specifications and approved construction drawings shall have the written approval of Engineering Services. In these specifications, the term Engineering Services shall mean the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Team Leader or his authorized representative. All development and construction issues not addressed within these specifications shall fall under the scope of the current "City of Calgary Standard Specifications" (current edition) unless otherwise specified.

Good Engineering Standards

Engineering Services may modify the General Design Standards and Construction Specifications from time to time; or at any time by written notice to the developer if, in the reasonably held view of Engineering Services, the General Design Standards and Construction Standards no longer remain consistent with good engineering practice.

Notwithstanding anything contained in this document, all designs shall meet the statutory requirements of the environmental protection policies adopted by the elected Council of the City of Airdrie.

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1. LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

Local Improvements as defined within the Subdivision Servicing Agreement shall be installed, where applicable, by the Developer at the Developer's cost. "Local Improvements" shall mean and include:

- 1. Water distribution mains, including all fittings, valves and hydrants and required appurtenances;
- 2. Sanitary sewer gravity mains, including all manholes and required appurtenances;
- 3. Storm sewer gravity mains, including all manholes, catch basins, catch basin leads and required appurtenances;
- 4. Service connections from the storm sewer, sanitary sewer and water mains to the required location referenced from property line; except in the case of industrial, commercial, mobile home parks, church and multi-unit lots and parcels; For exceptions only, refer to the "City of Airdrie Application for Development Permit".
- 5. Streets and roads with a stabilized base course and asphalt concrete surface;
- 6. Concrete curbs and gutters, concrete swales throughout the completed subdivision;
- 7. Concrete sidewalks and walkways of construction materials approved by the City;
- 8. Lanes and alleys, graveled and/or paved;
- 9. Street lighting and shallow utilities including, underground power, gas and telecommunications (phone, cable, fiber);
- 10. Landscaping of boulevards and medians, including areas between curbs and separate sidewalks to the property line and other public lands;
- 11. Park, pathway, and walkway development on dedicated lands in accordance with Plans approved by the City;
- 12. Sound attenuation fence or screen fence;
- 13. Traffic control signage, street signs and line marking;
- 14. Traffic control signals and controlled pedestrian crossings where required;
- 15. Overland drainage control facilities, stormwater ponds and related structures;
- 16. Other improvements that are described in the Subdivision Servicing Agreement.

2. STANDARDS AND REQUIREMENTS

2.1 Design and Construction

"City of Airdrie General Design Standards and Construction Specifications" shall be followed unless otherwise approved or required by Engineering Services. All exceptions to the City of Calgary specifications are outlined within this document. Engineering Services reserves the right to not accept any City of Calgary specification at the sole discretion of the Municipal Representative. These standards and specifications are intended to be the minimum standards. Where conditions dictate and good engineering practice requires, higher standards than those indicated shall be incorporated into the design. It shall be the Developer's responsibility to develop the subdivision or property in accordance with standards, which conform to good engineering and construction practices, and as approved by the City.

Subdivisions shall be designed:

- In accordance with an approved NSP (Neighborhood Structure Plan) or Concept Plan for the subdivision showing an overall proposal for development of un-subdivided lands; and/or
- 2. To be integrated with the City's infrastructure, GIS, drawing standards; and
- 3. To be referenced to the North American Datum 3TM (NAD83); and
- 4. To suit the use for which it is intended; and
- 5. To accommodate any possible future subdivision of adjacent lands; and
- 6. Lot areas shall be in conformity with the City of Airdrie Land Use Bylaw or as amended. Design work must be in accordance with the City of Airdrie Municipal Development Plan (MDP) (where appropriate). The City encourages and will show flexibility to accommodate alternative standards to promote conservation, sustainable best practice, and unique and innovative neighborhood design when done in the context of the MDP.

2.2 Cross Sections

- 1. Highway Arterial
- 2. Arterial
- 3. Primary Collector
- 4. Collector
- 5. Local

In the case of alternate road standards, the conceptual line assignments and road design cross sections shall be submitted to the City for approval at the NSP stage, prior to starting the detailed design.

In general, it is recommended that the line assignments be submitted to the City for approval at the start of a tentative subdivision application prior to detailed design.

2.3 Line Assignments

The City has developed line assignment diagrams <u>"Line Assignments" (Appendix A)</u>. When designing the line assignments for a development, the following shall be taken into consideration for deep utilities:

- 1. Minimum lateral spacing is 2.5m between water and sewer utilities. The spacing requirement may be increased at the discretion of Engineering Services when the depth of bury is deemed to be excessive.
- 2. Sanitary Sewer mains shall be aligned at the crown (center) of the roadway where possible. In the event of an inverted crown, cross fall, or lane, the sanitary sewer shall not be located near the lowest elevation in the cross section to minimize infiltration.
- 3. Unless otherwise approved by Engineering Services, right of way (R.O.W.) sizes for municipal utilities shall be a minimum of 9m for a single non sleeved main. If the utility is to be sleeved, the R.O.W. may be 6m in width. For each additional utility in either a sleeved or non-sleeved R.O.W., add 3m to its width. For example, a R.O.W. containing non sleeved water and sanitary mains would be 9m plus 3m for a total width of 12m. Utilities that are excessively deep may also require wider R.O.W.

2.4 Engineering Drawing Standards

All engineering drawings shall be prepared under the supervision of and sealed by a Professional Engineer (P.Eng) or a Professional Technologist (P.Tech) registered in the Province of Alberta. Detailed Engineering Drawings shall be submitted to the City for review and approval for all developments. New subdivision developments require a complete set of construction drawings that include cover sheets for all relevant local improvements and appropriate block profiles. Each set of drawings shall include (unless otherwise approved):

- 1. Oversize and boundary improvements clearly defined;
- 2. Proposed Land Use Classification map indicating the classification of all lots within the Development Area;
- 3. Neighborhood Structure Plan (NSP);
- 4. Location of all test holes with logs;
- 5. Location of all existing utilities and other improvements within or immediately adjacent to the Development area;
- 6. Registered or non-registered legal plan, easements and utility right of way (U/RW) plan;
- 7. Existing contour plan;
- 8. Watermain layout to show all lines, valves, fittings, line sizes, classification or type, bedding classification, pressure control facilities, pressure zone contours and park services;
- 9. Sanitary sewer layout to show all lines, line sizes, classification or type, bedding classification, manholes, lengths, slopes, invert am elevations, and direction offlow;
- 10. Storm sewer layout to show all lines, line sizes, classification or type, bedding classification, manholes, lengths, slopes, invert and rim elevations, drainage area boundaries, catchment areas, outfalls, catch basins, and direction of flow. *Show all stormwater management related features such as swales, LID's, catch basins etc. within all open spaces;*
- 11. Sidewalks, curb & gutter, roads & walkways layout to show all curb, gutter and sidewalk proposed as to type and location, radii, catch basins, carriage way and R.O.W. widths, proposed roadway design sections for asphalt (lifts), crushed gravel, pit-run gravel, proposed walkways;
- 12. Building grade plan to show all surface drainage swales and elevation, lot corner elevation, sanitary and storm invert elevations at property, lowest top of footing grades, landscaping building grades, terracing details, retaining wall locations, seasonally adjusted water table contours (0.5m interval); by legend, lots which require bearing certificate, connection of weep tile to storm, setback variation from standard, test hole locations, restriction of housing type due to grades, lot type (level, w/o, split, etc.), lot number, 1:100 flood contour line, ice jam level, size and type of water, storm, sanitary

service;

- 13. Landscape Plan showing grading as per 'City of Airdrie Standard Landscape Guidelines and Specifications'. Include all engineered features such as LID's, catch basins and leads, water re-circulation systems, etc.;
- 14. Overland drainage plan;
- 15. Stormwater management plan;
- 16. Erosion & Sediment control plan;
- 17. Signage and line marking Plan;
- 18. Plan Profiles.

2.4.1 Engineering Drawing Submission

Submissions include but are not limited to:

- 1. Drawings are to be signed and sealed to ensure a detailed review has been undertaken by the responsible engineer of record prior to submission.
- Preliminary Construction Drawings: Overall Servicing Plans which shall be submitted for preliminary approval at a scale of 1:1000 unless authorized otherwise by Engineering Services, showing work to be constructed, the area considered, and an insert site location plan at a scale not less than 1:2500. The Engineering consultant shall submit ONE (1) full size hard copy and a pdf version of the preliminary construction drawings
- 3. **Final Construction Drawings:** Upon receiving comments and/or approval of the Preliminary Construction Drawings from the City of Airdrie, the Engineering consultant shall submit ONE (1) full size set, TWO (2) 11x17 sets, and a CAD version. All drawings to be scalable.
- 4. **Shallow Utility Drawings:** Each utility company shall submit a digital drawing submission for each shallow utility line assignment application.
- 5. **Plan Profile Drawings:** Submitted at a scale of 1:500 horizontally and 1:50 vertically for water mains, sanitary sewer, storm sewers, services, roads and lighting. The geometric layout and dimensions of all above noted utilities including lanes, walkways and lots shall be shown clearly on the plan portion of the drawing. The profile section shall show the existing ground profile along centerline and the proposed design street grades, and proposed sanitary sewer, storm sewer, and water main grade. These plans are to accompany both the Preliminary and Final Construction Drawings.
- 6. Site Servicing Plan (Mechanical Site Plan): Overall Servicing Plan that shall be submitted for approval at a scale of 1:500 unless otherwise authorized by Engineering

Services, showing a detailed design of the servicing and stormwater management if required for a Development Permit. The Engineering consultant shall submit THREE (3) copies of this plan.

7. As-Built Drawings (Drawings of Record): Prior to, or in conjunction with any Construction Completion Certificate (CCC) applications, the consulting Engineer shall deliver the complete set of "as-built" original paper prints for review. As Built submission will be received by the City within NINETY (90) days of the CCC application. Upon receiving comments and/or approval of the "as-built" drawing set, profiles in digital format are to be submitted (see "Digital Submission" Section 2.6 for digital submission requirements). Maintenance periods will be extended for improvements for which as built drawings are not received by the City within NINETY (90) days.

As-Built Drawings for CCC submission

- 1. Cover Sheets (surface, water, sanitary storm)
- 2. Building Grade Plan
- 3. Storm Drainage Area

As-Built Drawings for FAC submission

- 1. Plan Profiles
- 2. Storm Pond (cross sections, profiles contours)

Development Permits: All site developments (private, commercial, industrial and multifamily residential sites) must complete an Application for Development Permit and provide all drawings/plans as indicated. Contact the Planning Team for more information. An As-Built submission of the site servicing plan will be required prior to DCC Inspection request. All As- Built submissions will adhere to the requirements of <u>"Digital Submission" Section</u> <u>2.6</u>.

2.5 Erosion and Sediment Control (ESC)

The City of Airdrie adheres to the City of Calgary Standard Specifications – Erosion Sediment Control. ESC Reports shall be submitted for each phase separately and shall address all ESC measures and practices submitted in the Issued for Construction ESC Plan as appropriate for the current stage of construction. ESC reports are to be submitted to the ESC email at esc@airdrie.ca every SEVEN (7) days, as an attachment rather than a link.

A request to relax the specified inspection frequency during the winter months (November 15 to April 15) can be submitted to the ESC email at esc@airdrie.ca for review. All requests will be reviewed on a site-specific basis (each phase). Depending on location, winter inspection frequency may be reduced to bi-weekly or monthly inspections. All corrective action items are to be rectified prior to winter inspection

frequency relaxation approval. Regular weekly inspections will be required starting April 15. The City reserves the right to revert back to the Standard Specifications at any time if deemed necessary.

2.6 Digital Submission

The City requires all plans and drawings to be submitted in most current edition of AutoCAD (contact Engineering Services for current edition). The coordinate system of all digital submissions must be <u>**3TM. NAD83**</u>. Each utility must have an individual layer that includes no other information. Separate layers for each utility are required for text, manholes, valves, reducers, elbows, etc. All drafting must exhibit proper connectivity of line work as well as a break in the line at manholes, valves, reducers, tees and fittings. All drawings must be topologically correct.

AutoCAD Files will:

- 1. Include the City of Airdrie logo;
- 2. Bind all x-refs;
- 3. Include pen settings/plot file;
- 4. Have excess title blocks cut off (or on a separate layer that is shut off);
- 5. Have no "future utility" reference (or on a separate layer that is shutoff).

Consultants and Developers are required:

- 1. Use the "City of Calgary Standards Block Profile Specifications" (current edition);
- 2. To contact Engineering Services for existing infrastructure information.

Digital drawings must be submitted such that all x-ref's, plot styles, photos, jpegs, pdf's, etc. and any other relevant information for viewing and printing of both the cover sheet drawings and the profile drawings are included. The digital drawings shall be provided such that they can be opened, viewed, and printed without any modifications or set-up requirements to the drawings by the City. All layers and information that are unrelated shall be removed from the digital drawings prior to submission.

- 1. The digital files for the above listed submissions must be included with final submissions;
- 2. The City will accept submission by CD-ROM or USB;
- 3. The City uses AutoCAD (current edition).

2.7 Compaction Testing

Compaction testing shall be performed during construction for: all areas requiring fill; the

backfill of any trenches; road base preparation; base preparation for any concrete placing at CCC/FAC (sidewalks, curbs, gutters, drainage swales, etc.); pathway and walkway installation; and any other areas that may be specified. The compaction testing, monitoring, and reporting shall be performed by a gualified geotechnical engineer in accordance with the

2.8 Geotechnical Borehole Abandonment Within Road R.O.W.

"City of Calgary Standard Specifications Roads Construction".

Boreholes are drilled for a variety of purposes for City of Airdrie projects. The following abandonment strategies shall apply:

- 1. For boreholes extending between 0 and 5.0m below existing ground surface the bottom portion of the borehole shall be backfilled with drill cuttings by dropping them in at ground surface, and using the auger to force the cutting into the borehole. Bentonite chips shall be used on the upper 0.5m to ensure that an opening at ground surface does not develop and surface water does not ingress into the borehole;
- 2. For borehole extending greater than 5.0m below existing ground surface the entire hole shall be backfilled with bentonite chips. Where possible, the backfilling process shall be interrupted to add water to the chips after each 2.0m portion is placed;
- 3. For boreholes in environmentally sensitive locations (regardless of depth) the entire hole shall be backfilled with bentonite chips that are hydrated after each 2.0m portion is placed, or shall be backfilled with bentonite-cement grout;
- 4. For boreholes containing specialized testing equipment (slope inclinometers, piezometers, standpipes, etc.) the borehole shall be backfilled in a manner most conducive to the proper functionality of those instruments.

NOTE: For Reclamation of Groundwater Monitoring Wells, please refer to Alberta Government – Agriculture and Forestry and Natural Resources Conservation Board's Technical Guideline Agdex 096-50.

2.9 Supporting Documents for CCC

Following the completion of construction of the local improvement(s), the Consultant may apply for Construction Completion Certificates. Refer to the <u>"CCC/FAC Checklists" (Appendix</u> <u>B)</u> for a complete list of submittal requirements. Incomplete submissions will be returned to the Consultant.

2.10 Supporting Documents for FAC

Following the required maintenance period, the Consultant may apply for Final Acceptance of the local improvement(s). Refer to the <u>"CCC/FAC Checklists" (Appendix B)</u> for a complete list of submittal requirements. Incomplete submissions will be returned to the Consultant.

2.11 Maintenance Periods

The required Maintenance Periods for each local improvement are noted on Schedule "D" <u>"Local Improvements Maintenance Periods" (Appendix C)</u>.

2.12 Road Work (R.O.W.)

2.12.1 Traffic Accommodation Strategy (TAS)

Traffic control for construction (i.e. road work, underground services, lane closures, etc.) and all related activities shall be in accordance with the "Alberta Transportation, Traffic Accommodation in Work Zones" or the "City of Calgary "Temporary Traffic Control Manual". Any work on or beside a public road; will require submission of a traffic accommodation plan to the Engineering Services prior to construction for review. Engineering Services must accept the TAS and the contractor must provide SEVENTY-TWO (72) hours' notice before the implementation of any traffic accommodation strategy once it has been approved. Refer to www.airdrie.ca for a complete list of requirements.

2.12.2 Rehabilitation Requirements

Utility Trench / or Surface Restoration in top lift Asphalt:

The actual dimensions of a top lift paving are larger than the excavation (saw cut) dimensions. The planed area must extend 0.5m beyond the outermost edges of the excavated area with a depth of 50mm (30mm for back lanes). Multiple cuts with less than 5.0m between them must be grouped together. Refer to <u>"Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing R0009</u> for more detailed information.

Concrete Sidewalk and Curb and Gutter Repairs:

Utility excavations in concrete sidewalks and curb and gutter must be repaired in accordance <u>"Roadways" Section 7</u> and with the "City of Calgary Standard Specifications Roads Construction".

A hot asphalt temporary surface repair, or cold mix in the winter season, must be provided for in any excavated concrete sidewalk, curb and gutter permit location. Temporary repairs shall be made between contraction joints that bound the area removed or damaged by the excavation work. Adjacent concrete damaged by utility work must be included in the repair.

Concrete utility cut repairs will require completion acceptance. Compaction reports and concrete tests are required for final acceptance. Maintenance periods are as specified in Schedule "D" <u>"Local Improvements Maintenance Periods" (Appendix</u> <u>C)</u>. Maintenance periods do not apply to post FAC lots in subdivision development.

2.13 Stripping and Grading

Only the Development Area shall be stripped and rough graded.

Prior to the commencement of stripping and rough grading of the Development Area, the Developer shall submit the following items for approval:

- 1. TWO (2) copies of the cut and fill plans identifying those areas with more than 2m of fill;
- 2. A Deep Fills Report for those areas being filled more than 2m deep, containing recommendations on any development restrictions, including but not limited to bearing certificates, special foundation designs, that may be necessary to ensure the integrity of any structure constructed on fill areas, including but not limited to buildings, roads and utilities;
- 3. TWO (2) copies of an Erosion and Sediment Control Report;
- 4. A letter from the Developer stating that all affected utility companies have been contacted regarding the relocation or disposition of that utility;
- 5. Plans showing details of edge conditions and/or backsloping requirements and areas to be reloaded, seeded and maintained until natural conditions occur;
- 6. A list identifying the owners of all lands adjacent to the proposed stripping and grading area and provide written documentation from the affected adjacent property owners giving permission to access such lands (when applicable and required), including City owned R.O.W. used for backsloping or other purposes and where the stripping and grading boundary abuts other property owners, cross sections must be submitted; a plan showing the location where stripped loam will be stock piled, the location of which shall be outlined in green on the plan attached to the Erosion and Sediment Control Report;
- 7. A letter from the Parks and/or the School Board affected (where applicable) approving the location of the loam stock pile on a Municipal Reserve, School Reserve or Municipal/ School Reserve site, as contemplated in the Municipal Government Act, and outlining any conditions that may be required; and
- 8. A letter from the City approving the stockpiling of loam on interchange areas, or grading adjacent to existing or proposed roadways, and outlining other required conditions.

Once the approvals are in place, prior to commencement of stripping and grading:

- Install all erosion and sediment control features, which shall be inspected, maintained and repaired regularly and as necessary, in accordance with the Erosion and Sediment Control Report and to the satisfaction of the City;
- 2. Ensure that water trucks are on site with sufficient frequency to control dust within the Development Area to the satisfaction of the City;

- 3. Submit a copy of the approval by the Province of Alberta for any stripping and grading encroachments within Alberta Infrastructure and Transportation Highway Corridor;
- Notify the individual appointed by the City TWENTY-FOUR (24) hours in advance of commencing the stripping and grading operations and arrange a site meeting with the Consulting Engineer and Contractor;
- 5. Where applicable, erect fencing and provide other measures satisfactory to the City to ensure the stripping and grading does not encroach into any land designated as Environmental Reserve;
- 6. The developer, at its sole cost and expense, shall erect "Private Property" and "No Trespassing" signs on the perimeter of the Lands, stating the Developer's name and the phone number of a representative.
- 7. Any and all loam stock pile(s) created in connection with the stripping and grading of the Development Area shall be neat in appearance, free from any hazardous condition, treated to prevent soil erosion from wind and rainfall, be posted with signs prohibiting dumping and designating the Lands as "Private Property", "No Trespassing" and "No Unauthorized Personnel Beyond this Point", all to the satisfaction of the City; and

Once stripping and grading has commenced:

- 1. Details of loam stock piles including height, width, length and volume shall be submitted to the City.
- 2. The Developer shall be responsible for controlling noxious weeds as contemplated in the Weed Control Act, RSA 2000, c.W-5, as amended.
- Any and all loam stock pile(s) created in connection with the stripping and grading shall be removed by the Completion Date, unless an extension of time is granted in writing by the City prior to the said date; and
 - a. Extension applications must be requested in writing THIRTY (30) days prior to the Completion Date of this Agreement or the request will be automatically denied and removal procedures will be initiated.
- 4. No grading, filling or excavation is permitted within utility and road R.O.W., under any overhead utility lines, or over any underground utilities, unless prior written authorization has been obtained from the utility agencies or City Departments concerned.
- 5. The Developer shall submit modifications to the Erosion and Sediment Control Drainage Plans and Erosion and Sediment Control Report that may be necessary from time to time for various reasons, including but not limited to development of portions of the Development Area or adjacent lands, or drainage and/or erosion control facilities that may require rerouting or redesigning.
- 6. The Developer, at its sole cost and expense, before, during and after the stripping and grading and development of the Development Area, shall fulfill the obligations contained

in the City Specifications regarding the control and disposal of all stormwater in and from the Development Area and stormwater which may be cut off from its natural drainage route by the development, including but not limited to inlet protection to any adjacent stormwater sewer system.

- 7. The Developer shall employ appropriate measures in accordance with but not limited to the requirements contained in both the "Erosion and Sediment Control Report and the City of Calgary Standard Specifications Erosion and Sediment Control", and to the satisfaction of the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department to control any dust, particularly in the vicinity of highways or occupied dwellings, to ensure traffic safety and minimize dust nuisance complaints from the public, and to minimize drainage, soil erosion, soil instability and other problems arising from stripping, rough grading, associated loam stock pile and all operations related thereto.
- 8. If during stripping and grading operations or any other construction within the Development Area, the applicant, owner of the development site, or any of their agents or contractors become aware of any contamination:
 - a. The Developer shall ensure that any person discovering such contamination shall forthwith report the contamination to Alberta Environmental Protection, Calgary Health Region and the City Manager.
 - b. The Developer, prior to the release of any building permits, shall submit a Phase 2 Environmental Site Assessment acceptable to Alberta Environmental Protection, Calgary Health Region and the City Manager.
 - c. If required to do so by Alberta Environmental Protection or Calgary Health Region or the City Manager, the applicant shall submit to Alberta Environmental Protection or Calgary Health Region or the City Manager, a remediation plan or risk management plan (Phase 3 ESA), acceptable to Alberta Environmental Protection or Calgary Health Region or the City Manager.
- 9. Before the City's Planning Department provides a clearance letter to the City's Building Inspections Department to facilitate the release of Building Permits, the Developer shall submit to the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department, a letter, in a form satisfactory to the Manager, Engineering Services and Public Works, certifying that the physical components identified in the Phase 3 ESA have been installed.
- 10. If the Developer encroaches into the adjacent land during the stripping and grading of the Development Area, the Developer, at its sole expense, shall rehabilitate the adjacent lands to the satisfaction of the adjacent land owners immediately after cessation of use of the adjacent land.
- 11. The Developer, at its sole cost and expense, and to the satisfaction of the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department, shall rehabilitate in a timely manner any offsite areas or operations, stormwater runoff, soil erosion, soil instability, sedimentation, dust or other problems which may arise from the stripping and grading, and shall employ the use of gravel pads to curb dirt, mud or other debris from being tracked out onto any streets located within and adjacent to the Development Area and reduce or stop activity when the

site has excessive dust emissions in the sole opinion of the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department.

- 12. Stripping and Rough Grading Compaction Report shall be submitted by the Consulting Engineer to the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department certifying that rough grading is in compliance as set out in the Consulting Engineer's Field Services Guidelines.
- 13. The Developer shall provide written notification to the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department that all septic systems, including but not limited to fields, tanks and water wells located within the Development Area have been decommissioned to the satisfaction of the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department and that the impacted areas have been rehabilitated and are suitable for the intended use.
- 14. In the event that any septic systems, including but not limited to fields and tanks and water wells, located within the Development Area have not been decommissioned, the Developer shall provide written notification to the City of Airdrie Engineering Services Department indicating why they have not been decommissioned and when they will be decommissioned in the future.
- 13. Large hauling operations of fill material on/off site require a Road Use agreement between the City and the Developer/contractor. This agreement requires, but is not limited to:
 - a. Haul route map
 - b. TAS
 - c. Pre/post inspection with Engineering Services
 - d. Securities in the form of a LOC
- 14. The developer shall pay a fee to the City to replace any or all survey control stations/markers that have been destroyed or damaged due to the development of the area. The replacement charges, per survey controls station, are as follows:
 - a. 1st Order (Deep Bench Mark) \$10,000.00
 - b. High Precision Network Marker (H.P.N.) \$7,500.00

2.14 Construction in Proximity to Critical Infrastructure: Water Feedmains, Critical Water Distribution Mains, Sanitary Forcemains, and Critical Collection Mains

Refer to the City of Calgary Water Resources Guildelines for Safe Construction in Proximity of Feedermains, Critical Distribution Mains, Sanitary/Storm Forcemains, and Critical Collection Mains. In addition, any construction activities including equipment crossings, within 3.0m (measured from edge of pipe) of the City's critical infrastructure requires a Working in Proximity/Crossing Agreement prior to commencing work. In general, the following will be required to obtain a Work in Proximity/Crossing Agreement:

- 1. A work plan describing the construction activities and scope of work, including:
 - a. List of parties involved in the project
 - *i.* Owner of the project
 - ii. Owners agent/consultant engineer(s)
 - *iii.* Contractor(s) performing the work
 - b. Legal land description of the work site
 - c. Equipment being used
 - d. Steps to locate and protect the City's infrastructure
 - e. Steps to install proposed works
 - i. Excavating procedure
 - ii. Installation procedure
 - iii. Backfilling procedure
 - f. Construction monitoring and reporting activities
- 2. Construction drawings sealed by a Professional Engineer detailing the following:
 - a. Location of the City's infrastructure
 - b. Location of proposed works
 - c. Distance maintained from the City's infrastructure (vertical and horizontal distance)
 - d. Changes to grade
 - e. Cross sections showing alignment of proposed works and the City's Infrastructure
 - f. Equipment crossings details indicating method to protect (rig mats, berms, etc.) the City's Infrastructure
 - g. Location of launch and receiving pits (if using trenchless technology)
- 3. Any additional information requested by the City.

3. WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

3.1 Design

Water distribution facilities including water mains, valves, hydrants, and service connections shall be provided by the Developer. Engineering drawings showing detailed design of the necessary work shall be submitted to and approved by Engineering Services prior to commencement of construction. The drawings shall show alignment and size of pipes, material, classification, location and details of all fittings, valves and hydrants, service connections and all other details as may be required.

The water distribution system shall be adequate to supply the peak hourly demands or the peak daily demands plus fire flows, whichever is greater. Fire flow requirements shall be as recommended by the Insurer's Advisory Organization of Canada. In addition, the City may require a pressure distribution analysis. Water mains shall be looped wherever possible.

These drawings shall show alignment and size of pipes, pipe classification, bedding classification, proposed grades, distances between manholes, manhole invert elevations, existing ground line, proposed final ground line, location of all service connections to the property line, all easements, and all other such details as specified in <u>"Engineering Drawing Standards" Section 2.4</u>.

Refer to the "City of Calgary Standard Specifications Waterworks Construction" for detailed specifications. The following are City of Airdrie requirements that may differ from the City of Calgary:

3.2 Water Mains

- 1. Main sizes may be increased by the City as considered necessary. Mains shall be located within streets, lanes, or U/RW wherever possible.
- 2. Any water system or part of a system must be designed to serve not only the area within the development boundary, but also any area that requires a contributing flow from the system. The City will pay for oversizing, refer to the SSA for detailed information.
- 3. Once the mainline is pressurized, mainline valves are to be operated in accordance with the current City of Airdrie Waterworks Bylaw.

3.3 **Preliminary Flushing of Water Mains**

When flushing through a hydrant, the number of steamed outlets to be used shall be as listed below or at the approval of the Water Services Department:

Pipe size (mm)	100	150	200	250	300	400
Temp. Connections	1	1	1	1	2	2

3.4 Hydrants

- 1. Acceptable Hydrants:
 - a. Brigadier M67 (Including Heritage style5)
 - b. 1/4" main valve opening
 - c. Hose Outlets AMA 2.987" 8TPI
 - d. Steamer Outlet Seagrave 6.112" 4TPI
 - e. Operating nut size and shape $-1 \frac{1}{4}$ " square
 - f. Outlet nut size and shape 1 ¼" square
- 2. All Hydrants shall be painted with epoxy paint Lime Green with Black caps and top.
- 3. All Hydrants shall be supplied with a break feature at ground line.
- 4. Metal bollards may be required to safeguard the fire hydrant from vehicle damage, as specified by Engineering Services.
- 5. Refer to "Line Assignments" Section 2.3 for hydrant and valve placement locations.
- 6. Base flange will be installed 50mm above finished grade. The 150mm port (front or steamer outlet) must face directly to the Fire Department pump operating area. A 2-meter clearance is required on the port sides of the hydrants and 1 meter clearance on the back or blank side. This area must contain no obstruction that could hamper visibility of the hydrant from the road, within a 3m radius.
- 7. After installation, each hydrant shall be tested for proper operation and flow. Upon completion of the tests, the Consulting Engineer shall forward a "Hydrant Certificate" to the City Fire Chief, stating the test data (date, time, pressure and flow results) and that the hydrant has been tested and is now in operation. No testing shall be carried out without Public Works staff being present. The City shall be given at least two full working days' notice prior to the testing being undertaken.
- 8. The use of fire hydrants is detailed in the City of Airdrie Waterworks Bylaw.

3.5 Bulk Water Stations

- 1. Bulk water stations are available for all Contractors for construction purposes.
- 2. The locations of the stations may change. A map of current locations can be found on the website by searching "Bulk Water".
- 3. An account is required to fill from the bulk water stations. An account can be setup from the Utilities Department.

3.6 Valves

1. If there is a benefit or an increased reliability of service, Engineering Services may require additional valves other than those outlined by City of Calgary specifications. Valves on

distribution mains are to be located at the extension of the street property line at street intersections. Valves are required on all hydrant leads. Valves installed in the City of Airdrie differ from City of Calgary specifications in the following ways:

- a. All valves shall turn counterclockwise to open
- b. The top nut shall be 50mm (2 inches) square
- c. No valves will be installed in City of Airdrie owned sidewalks (full or partial)
- d. Refer to <u>"Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing W0001.</u>
- Once the mainline is pressurized, valve operation is to be undertaken only by a City of Airdrie employee who is a certified operator in accordance with the current City of Airdrie Waterworks Bylaw.

3.7 Service Connections

- 1. Where service connections tie into a water main that is **not** PVC, an isolating full wrap clamp/saddle (Robar or approved alternate) must be used for all service sizes.
- 2. Abandonment of services connections shall adhere to City of Calgary Standard Specifications Waterworks Construction. Tapping the main for temporary construction use (such as for chlorine injection) shall not be permitted unless otherwise approved by Engineering Services.
- 3. Do not cut stem on or below the 'S' curve on the rod within curb stops.
- 4. All PEX services that are not perpendicular from the main to the curb stop must be installed complete with tracer wire from curb stop to main stop.
- 5. All service connections shall be installed via HotTap:
 - a. 50mm diameter and smaller to the City of Calgary specifications
 - b. Larger than 50mm approved by Engineering Services
- 6. Services shall be a minimum of 4.0m from side property lines where shallow utility boxes exist. Mark all service valves with a 2.5m length of 100mm x 100mm extending 1m above the top of finished grade immediately adjacent to the service valve.
- 7. Duplex or semi-detached lots shall be serviced with separate services.
- 8. In condominium developments, each service shall be labeled to the corresponding address and installed in a sequential order matching the house number orientation.

3.8 Hydrostatic Testing

City of Calgary Hydrostatic Pressure Testing and Disinfecting Procedures shall be followed for all new main installations. The City shall be given at least TWO (2) full working days' notice prior to the testing being undertaken in accordance with the current City of Airdrie Waterworks Bylaw, the Developer shall not operate any existing water valves. Should any test disclose leakage greater than the allowable, the Contractor shall, at his own expense, locate and repair

the defect. Any failed test attempt must be rescheduled with at least TWO (2) full working days' notice. The contractor is responsible for collecting the clean water sample(s) and arranging for analysis. The main may not be put into service until the water sample results have been forwarded to and accepted by the City.

4.1 Design

Sanitary and Storm sewer facilities including gravity mains, pump stations and force mains (if required), manholes, catch basins, culverts, inlet and outlet structures, service connections, lot drainage systems and all other related appurtenances shall be provided by the Developer. Engineering drawings showing detailed design of the necessary works shall be submitted to Engineering Services for approval prior to commencement of any construction.

These drawings shall show alignment and size of pipes, pipe classification, bedding classification, proposed grades, distances between manholes, manhole invert elevations, existing ground line, proposed final ground line, location of all service connections to the property line, all easements, and all other such details as specified in <u>"Engineering Drawing Standards" Section 2.4.</u>

4.2 Sanitary Sewer

The sanitary sewage collection system shall be designed using the "*City of Calgary Subdivision Design Guidelines*".

4.2.1 Sanitary Sewer Construction

Refer to the "*City of Calgary Standard Specifications for Sewer Construction*" for detailed specifications.

- 1. Sanitary Plugs:
 - a. At the commencement of a new phase of underground construction, the Consultant is required to notify Engineering Services.
 - b. Upon notification, Engineering will coordinate with Public Works, the Public Works Team will install a sanitary plug in the low end of the new system.
 - c. The plug will remain in place until flushing and CCTV inspection has been completed. The plug may not be removed by any person other than a member of the City of Airdrie Water Services Department.
 - d. Unauthorized removal or tampering with the plug will result in CCTV inspection and flushing of existing mains to the satisfaction of Engineering Services.
- 2. Interior Drop Manhole:
 - a. Standard unit is the Reliner ®
 - b. Refer to "Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing S0003.
- 3. Exterior Drop Manholes are not permitted for use in the City.

4.3 Storm Sewer

The stormwater collection system shall be designed using the "*City of Calgary Subdivision Design Guidelines*" and the "*City of Calgary Stormwater Management and Design Manual*".

NOTE: Should the Report on the Water Table indicate a high level, the Developer may be required to lower the elevation of the storm mains below the water and sanitary mains in order to intercept the flow at clay dams in the other trenches. **Refer to the** "*City of Calgary Standard Specifications for Sewer Construction*" for detailed specifications.

4.4 Stormwater Quality and Quantity

Stormwater treatment, flow control and volume control are requirements of every development. Best Management Practices shall be used to reduce pollutants at the source and provide stormwater treatment as necessary. "Alberta Environmental Protection Stormwater Management Guidelines", "Nose Creek Watershed Water Management Plan", and the "City of Calgary Stormwater Management & Design Manual" shall be followed in all cases unless otherwise approved by Engineering Services.

4.5 Stormwater Management Facilities

Supervisory Control Data Acquisition (SCADA) System required as per <u>"Supervisory</u> <u>Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) System" Section 5.3.3.23</u>.

4.6 Storm Pond Fountains

Pumps shall be 208V, 3 phase meeting all requirements of Canadian Electrical Code Section 29-956 Submersible Pumps Installed in Bodies of Water, Sub-Rule 1. Fountains shall be sufficiently anchored either by tethering or as approved by Engineering Services.

4.7 Stormwater Recirculation Systems

Recirculation System design will follow requirements found in <u>"Products" Section</u> 5.3.3.

4.8 Sewer Mains

The City as considered necessary may increase main sizes. Mains shall be located within the streets, lanes, or U/RW wherever possible. In addition, improved bedding shall be provided where soil conditions and/or trench load conditions dictate. Insulation will be required for any main that is installed with less than the minimum cover.

4.9 Manholes

- Manhole covers shall be cast in accordance with City of Calgary Standard Specifications Sewer Construction; however, they shall be cast to read "AIRDRIE SEWER MANHOLE" for both Storm and Sanitary manholes. Refer to "<u>Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing S0001</u> and <u>ST0001</u>.
- 2. Where a sanitary or *storm* manhole base has a "dead end invert" the dead end will be benched to prevent buildup of solid material. If the dead end is temporary and will be used for future development, benching is not required.

4.10 Inlet Control Device (ICD)

ICD's are not to be bolted in place.

4.11 Catch Basins

- 1. Catch Basins will have a sump in the bottom of each unit:
 - a. Sump will be 250mm in depth, measured from the interior base of the catch basin
 - **b.** Refer to <u>"Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing ST0002</u> for more information.
- 2. **Subdrains** are required at the Edge of Pavement (EOP) from the Catch Basin (CB) to the outer limits of the trap low.
- 3. Where a Type "C" CB conflicts with a driveway, the City may approve a standard "K2" rolled CB will be installed. The "K2" will have the same inlet capacity as the Type "C".

4.12 Service Connections

- 1. All commercial, industrial, and multi-unit developments require a sanitary test manhole. The test manhole must meet all City of Calgary requirements plus the following conditions:
 - a. Within the property line boundary
 - b. Maintain a 24 hour/7 day a week accessibility by City of Airdrie employees. (Manhole is not to be placed in a through traffic area.)
 - c. Refer to "Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing S0002.
- 2. Use of Insert-Tee on sanitary main lines 200mm and larger is approved. Proper installation techniques must be applied to ensure the "T" is not inserted further than directed by the manufacturer.
- 3. Surface drainage that may be contaminated from industrial, agricultural, or commercial operations shall not be discharged to the storm sewer. Refer to the "*City of Calgary Development Site Servicing Plan Guidelines*" for more information.
- 4. Connections from roof leaders shall not be made to the storm sewer system, unless approval is received from Engineering Services. Roof drainage from residential housing

units, apartments, commercial, and industrial buildings shall discharge to grassed or pervious areas.

4.13 Lot Drainage

Refer to the City of Airdrie Lot Grading Bylaw.

4.14 Deflection Testing of Storm and Sanitary Sewers

- 1. CCTV inspection for CCC shall occur no sooner than THIRTY (30) days after complete backfill.
- 2. A detailed report of the CCTV inspection must be submitted along with CCC submission. The report must include:
 - a. Consultants notes for each video review
 - b. Detailed information of anomalies (pictures, chainage, location) noted within each video review
 - c. Declaration of review from the consultant that a detailed review has occurred
- 3. Short term deflection testing (by mandrel) is not required for CCC submission.
- 4. CCTV inspection for FAC shall occur no sooner than ONE (1) year after complete backfill.
- 5. A detailed report of the CCTV inspection must be submitted along with FAC submission. The report must include:
 - a. Consultants notes for each video review
 - b. Detailed information of anomalies (pictures, chain age, location) noted within each video review
 - c. Declaration of review from the consultant that a detailed review has occurred
 - d. Long term deflection test (by mandrel) of individual lines **only** where anomalies were noted and deemed necessary
- 6. Upon review of the FAC CCTV inspection report, Engineering Services may request mandrel testing on any segment of underground utilities detailed in the report.

NOTE: Where long-term testing indicates failure, (i.e. vertical deflection in excess of 7.5%) the failed pipe section must be excavated and repaired to the satisfaction of Engineering Services. FAC will not be approved by Engineering Services in these cases, until CCTV and 7.5% mandrel testing are completed in the repaired lines. Deflection test and CCTV review will be required on all repaired lines, once repairs have been completed.

5. IRRIGATION – STORMWATER FOR USE

5.1 Irrigation System Design

Intake Line – the portion of the pipe system between the pump house wet well and the intake screen in the stormwater pond. The intake line supplies untreated stormwater to the wet well and treatment system.

Supply Line – the portion of the pipe system from the discharge of the stormwater use treatment system to the serviced MR parcel, includes all sections of pipe located under the road (R.O.W.) and into MR parcel up to the Parks water service valve (including valve). The supply line provides treated stormwater to the distribution line system.

Distribution Line – the portion of the pipe system located within MR beginning at the Parks water service valve. The distribution system provides treated stormwater to the terminal point of the irrigation system (irrigation heads/other appurtenances).

The purpose of the Irrigation Supply Line System section in this document is to provide the requirements for irrigation systems where the irrigation supply line system is the primary source of using stormwater for irrigation purposes.

The following section provides the design and submission requirements for the irrigation system. For items not specified in this section, the following shall apply:

- 1. Irrigation Pump Station Design as per "Irrigation Pump Station" Section 5.3 and "Irrigation Infrastructure within Open Spaces" Section 6.
- 2. All of the Irrigation System components shall be supplied and installed by the Developer.

5.1.1 Preliminary Design

Prior to City approval of the irrigation system, a preliminary design and Master Irrigation Report (MIR) for the development area shall be submitted and approved by Engineering Services. The MIR shall provide sufficient information to confirm that the system will be designed in accordance with these guidelines and will operate effectively both during the various phases of development as well as at ultimate development completion.

The MIR shall be prepared to align with the Staged Master Drainage Plan (SMDP). The Irrigation Pump Station Design shall be based on the MIR. The engineer of record shall provide written confirmation that the MIR conforms to the requirements of the SMDP. The MIR will be a separate report submitted to the City and shall be submitted in conjunction with the Pond report for the development.

The MIR and preliminary design drawings shall include:

- Design assumptions and design criteria based on <u>"Design Guidelines for</u> <u>Irrigation Pump Stations" (Appendix E);</u>
- Modeling parameters and analysis of irrigation piping network for each phase of subdivision (confirming pipe size and adequate available pressure). The modelling results shall be included in the appendix of the report;
- **3.** Modeling parameters and analysis of irrigation piping network for entire development area serviced by the irrigation system (confirming pipe size and adequate available pressure);
- 4. Pressure variance within the irrigation infrastructure due to staging and operations;
- 5. Proposed irrigation schedule (as approved by the Airdrie Parks Department) at a preliminary level including overall water demand for the park, number of hours of operation per week, and required flow rate;
- 6. Proposed operations in terms of the number of locations/zones that can be irrigated at a given time (i.e. 50% of the system, 100% of the system, etc.); Demands and resulting pressures at delivery points under proposed operations scenario;
- 7. General flushing and drainage information and overall winterization/maintenance plan (including estimated compressed air "blow down" flowrates);
- 8. Water balance of irrigation system using stormwater pond and potable source water;
- 9. Confirmation of main line capacity from the applicable irrigation pump station;
- 10. Phasing strategy (Supply Line system, stormwater pond volumes, etc.). The phasing strategy must conform to the proposed subdivision staging and identify at each stage how the water balancing needs to be managed. Additionally, the phasing strategy shall consider valve locations and proper sequencing of construction relative to subdivision phasing; and
- 11. The MIR is to be signed and stamped by a certified Irrigation system designer, registered and in good standing with the Irrigation Association (Canadian Prairie Chapter) or a Professional Engineer.

The preliminary design drawings shall include:

 An overall coversheet showing Supply Line layout (including phasing boundaries) including main lines from the irrigation station, any service lines through MR or other green spaces that are required to facilitate distribution, and all mains and services in the City's roadways;

- 2. Coversheet to include proposed valves, blow off valves, drains, services and other required facilities;
- 3. Show all proposed areas that are to be irrigated;
- 4. Provide the location of the irrigation pump station;
- 5. Make reference to the SMDP and Irrigation Pump Station Design as the basis for design in the 'Notes' section.

5.1.2 Detailed Design

Subsequent to the approval of the preliminary design, the MIR, and the Irrigation Pump Station design, detailed design drawings will be required for each stage of the subdivision. The detailed design submission for the irrigation system is part of the overall engineering design submission and thus the design drawings and submission shall be provided in accordance with "Engineering Drawing Standards" Section 2.4. The irrigation portion of the submission shall include, but is not limited to the following:

- 1. Irrigation cover sheet drawing; Profile drawings including pipe alignment, depth, length, slope, pipe size, pipe type and rating, bedding information, and stations for all valves, air releases, drain ports, and flushing assemblies;
- 2. Pipe sizes, materials, classifications, slopes and directions, location of all valves/fittings, drain points, flushing locations, air release valves, storm manholes, irrigation controllers, and other details;
- 3. Details for Park Water Service into MR's, PUL's, and other areas to be irrigated;
- 4. Reference to the SMDP as the basis for design in the notes' section.

5.1.3 System Design

The irrigation Supply Lines are to be installed in the same alignment and directly above the storm sewer. Where a storm system does not exist, the irrigation Supply Lines shall be installed in the same line assignment as if the storm sewer existed based on the typical road cross sections in <u>"Line Assignments" (Appendix A)</u>. The alignment is to be within streets, lanes, or U/RW. Irrigation Supply Line shall be located only in Residential, Industrial, or Collector road classifications. Irrigation Supply Lines shall not be located in roadways classified as Major, Arterial, or Highway Arterial.

The alignment shall be designed to facilitate gravity drainage of the irrigation lines to the storm system as part of the required winterization maintenance process. Drainage points will be provided from the mains, at a maximum spacing of 300m unless otherwise approved by Engineering Services.

Looped irrigation Supply Lines are not required.

If required, any irrigation system or part of a system must be designed to serve not only the area within the development boundary, but also any area that requires a contributing flow from that system.

The minimum irrigation water supply pressure at the check valve/property line connection to the MR is 415 kPa (60 psi), throughout the Supply Lines; unless irrigation is being supplied to a sports field where the required supply pressure is 485 kPa (70 psi). The maximum supply pressure is 690 kPa (100 psi) unless otherwise approved by the City. Note: supply pressures and rates are subject to an approved MIR and approved Irrigation Pump Station design.

Pipes are to be sized such that Supply Line flows are not to exceed 1.5 m/s during peak demands, as detailed in the MIR.

The minimum depth of bury is 800mm and the maximum depth of bury is 3.0m. The minimum vertical separation between the irrigation Supply Line pipe and the top of the storm sewer shall be 200mm. Irrigation Supply Line must be placed below the road structure, and substantially deep to permit H-20 live loading above.

Standard roadway cross sections for the irrigation Supply Line within R.O.W. can be found in <u>"Line Assignments" (Appendix A)</u>.

5.2 Irrigation Infrastructure within Road R.O.W. (Irrigation Supply Line)

5.2.1 Pipes

The preferred routing for the irrigation Supply Line system is within the road R.O.W. The City will consider routing through MR's on a case by case basis. All pipe and fittings for the irrigation Supply Line system shall be jointless HDPE 4710 or fusible PVC, rated to a minimum pipe pressure rating of 1,100kPa (160psi - series 160). Connections to existing irrigation Supply Line shall match the existing pipe.

HDPE used for irrigation systems shall be manufactured to meet CSA Standard B137.1 or an approved equivalent.

Fusible PVC shall be manufactured to meet CSA Standard B137.3 or an approved equivalent.

Any piping system used shall be capable of handling H-20 live loading under proposed shallow bury conditions.

Fittings must meet or exceed the SDR/DR rating of the pipe that they will be connected to and be manufactured to the equivalent standard of the approved piping being connected too.

Installation shall be in accordance with installation standards for waterworks system piping as per the City of Calgary Standard Specifications Waterworks Construction. Operator

certifications for each fusing method employed on a project shall be presented for inspection and shall have a date no more than one calendar year previous to be considered valid. Butt fusing shall not commence on site until the Fusing Operator has successfully completed a "Bent Strap" test (as per the Plastics Pipe Institute Handbook) to the satisfaction of the Engineer. Bedding and compaction for the irrigation Supply Line within the road R.O.W. shall be as per the recommendations of a geotechnical engineer to ensure compaction above and below the irrigation mainline can be provided.

5.2.2 Services and Service Connections

Services shall be sized to not exceed 1.5 m/s flow at peak demand, or as per the table below (whichever is greater). The minimum service size is 50mm:

Minimum Nominal Service size (mm)	Maximum Irrigated Site size (ha)
50	0.83
100	3.02
150	6.79
200	11.17

Services shall be installed to facilitate winterization maintenance; this could include:

- 1. Sufficient slope back towards the irrigation Supply Line to facilitate drainage. The slope of the stormwater system located below the irrigation Supply Line would be considered sufficient.
- 2. Any other method proposed by the consultant and approved by Engineering Services.

Service connections shall be fused connections, using suitable fittings approved by the City and installed as per the manufacture's specifications.

No cross connection of irrigation and potable water systems is permitted.

5.2.3 Valves

Isolation valves are required on the Supply Line to allow the system to be isolated for repair, maintenance and operational considerations. Valves are required as follows:

- A service valve be located on every irrigation service entering an MR, PUL or other green space. Service valves shall conform to City of Airdrie specifications for the size and type of valve. For valves larger than 50mm, gate valves conforming to City of Airdrie Guidelines shall be used with the exception that where HDPE pipe is used the valves will need to be flange by flange to facilitate connection. For smaller services (50mm and less), valves shall be self-draining curb stops;
- 2. A single flap gate check valve shall be located on every irrigation service entering an MR, PUL or other green space;

- Isolation valves shall be located on the irrigation Supply Line to facilitate drainage or winterization "blow-down". Valves within the manholes for the main line system shall be flanged;
- 4. Isolation valves shall be installed at multi-directional junctions to the irrigation main similar to a water distribution system. A three-way junction requires a minimum of two valves and a four-way junction requires a minimum of three valves;
- 5. A valve shall be installed to permit the installation of new services or additional phases of Supply Line without shutting down any existing irrigation services;
- 6. Isolation valves for services or mains smaller than 100mm, shall be service valves and shall conform to the City's Engineering guidelines for water distribution systems;
- 7. Isolation valves for mains 100mm and larger shall be gate valves and shall conform to the City's Engineering guidelines for water distribution systems with be exception that in order to connect to HDPE the valves will be flange by flange;
- 8. All valves 100mm and larger are to be installed complete with thrust blocks, anode protection and required supports as required for an equivalent waterworks valve.

Valves installed in the City of Airdrie differ from City of Calgary specifications in the following ways

- 1. All valves shall turn counterclockwise to open.
- 2. The top nut shall be 41.275mm square.
- 3. No valves will be installed in City of Airdrie owned sidewalks (full or partial). Refer to <u>"Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing W0001</u>.

5.2.4 Air Relief Valves

Air relief valves are to be located at high points to facilitate winterization and filling maintenance of the system. They are to be installed as per "City of Calgary Development Guidelines and Standard Specifications Landscape Construction" or installed securely within a storm system manhole completed with isolation valve and 50mm (min) lead, as approved by Engineering Services.

5.2.5 Flushing/Draining Points

Flushing/Draining points are to be connected to the storm sewer system.

All drain points are to be 50mm or larger. Drain points shall be provided using a fused tee located at every manhole to facilitate winterization and maintenance.
5.2.6 Meters

Irrigation meters, if required, shall be as per the Standard Landscape Guidelines and Specifications, City of Airdrie, Parks Department.

5.2.7 Thrust Blocks

Thrust blocking is required for the irrigation Supply Line, as per *"City of Calgary Standard Specifications Waterworks Construction"*. Thrust blocking is required for all changes of direction in piping, reducers, isolation valves and to support all valves.

Installation shall be in accordance with installation standards for waterworks system piping as per the *"City of Calgary Standard Specifications Waterworks Construction"*.

5.2.8 Cased Crossing

Where the irrigation Supply Line crosses a roadway and does not parallel the stormwater system, the Supply Line shall be encased, adhering to the carrier and encasement requirements outlined in the *"City of Calgary Standard Specifications Waterworks Construction"*.

5.2.9 Hydrostatic Testing

The City shall be given at least TWO (2) full working days' notice prior to the testing being undertaken. The Developer shall not operate any existing water valves.

ASTM Designation F 2164-02 Standard Practice for Testing of Polyethylene (PE) Pressure Piping Systems Using Hydrostatic Pressure shall be used for testing of irrigation mains within roadways.

- 1. Make-up water to be added as needed to maintain the maximum test pressure for a period of FOUR (4) hours;
- 2. Reduce test pressure by 70 kPa (10 psi) and monitor for a period of ONE (1) hour;
- 3. If no visual leakage is observed and the pressure test phase remains steady (within 5% of the test phase pressure) for the ONE (1) hour, the test will be considered a pass.

All hydrostatic tests shall be made only in the presence of the City. The developer shall furnish necessary water supply, pumps and all other test equipment. Upon completion of each phase of work, the entire system shall be tested and adjusted to meet site requirements.

Pressure testing can be completed on the irrigation Supply Line if the Irrigation Pump Station is not yet operational.

5.2.10 Acceptance

Acceptance of a new irrigation system will follow the current City of Airdrie Construction Completion Certificate (CCC) and Final Acceptance Certificate (FAC) process. Inspections will be carried out by the Engineering Services Department as per water main construction.

5.2.11 Construction Completion Certification (CCC)

Upon completion of construction of the irrigation system, an application for CCC will be required. The CCC application will require submission of:

- 1. CCC application form based on the template "CCC/FAC Checklists" (Appendix B);
- 2. Pressure test results;
- 3. Compaction test results;
- 4. As-Built Drawings.

The developer is required to maintain the system for a minimum of ONE (1) year which must include:

- 1. ONE (1) summer of operation;
- 2. ONE (1) fall winterization and shutdown;
- 3. ONE (1) spring start-up operation.

All maintenance or repairs required during the maintenance period will be the responsibility of the developer.

5.2.12 Final Acceptance Certificate (FAC)

Upon completion of the maintenance period for the irrigation system, an application for FAC will be required. The FAC application will require submission of:

1. FAC application form based on the template <u>"CCC/FAC Checklists" (Appendix B)</u>.

In the event that the irrigation Supply Lines are part of a staged irrigation system where the system could not be placed into operation due to the staging, the maintenance obligation for the irrigation system will be the responsibility of the developer up to the time an FAC is approved for the Roads. Just prior to placement of the top lift of asphalt for the roadway, an inspection with the City for a second pressure test shall be completed to verify the irrigation system has not been compromised. The FAC application for the irrigation in this circumstance shall include a copy of the second pressure test.

5.3 Irrigation Pump Station

5.3.1 Introduction

This section outlines the City's guidelines for irrigation pump station design, installation and maintenance where stormwater is the primary water source for the irrigation system(s).

The City is aware that standards and guidelines governing stormwater use are pending. Once the standards are published, the more conservative requirements will be adhered to.

Until the new standards are published the City requires that the "Guidelines for Canadian Recreational Water Quality" be used to determine the level of treatment concerning microbiological levels and the water quality conditions needed for optimal ultra violet water treatment systems. In addition, both soil properties and water quality need to be considered with respect to current agricultural guidelines to ensure sustainable growing conditions are maintained.

- 1. Primary Contact: Activities in which the whole body or the face and trunk are frequently immersed or the face is frequently wetted by spray, and where it is likely that some water will be swallowed (e.g., swimming, surfing, water skiing, whitewater canoeing/rafting/kayaking, windsurfing, subsurface diving).
- 2. Secondary Contact: Activities in which only the limbs are regularly wetted and in which greater contact (including swallowing water) is unusual (e.g., rowing, sailing, canoe touring, fishing).

There are no secondary contact parameters or limits provided in *"Guidelines for Canadian Recreational Water Quality"* document so primary contact values were used to provide reference values for the level of contact with the stormwater and treated irrigation water that users of parks and sports facilities are likely to experience.

All components of the irrigation system that convey potable water must be labelled as per ASME (ANSI) A13.1-2007 standard or marking as approved by the City. The components include pipe, valves, and fittings. The labelling may be available from the manufacturers or labels that can be attached to the components may be used.

5.3.2 General Requirements

5.3.2.1 Intent

This section shall outline the design and installation requirements for:

1. irrigation pump stations / wetwells;

- 2. stormwater intake, filtration, treatment and conveyance; and
- 3. stormwater testing.

5.3.2.2 Quality Assurance

- 1. Professional Qualifications
 - a. Pump house, pump station, wetwell, stormwater treatment systems and all other items associated shall be prepared and installed under the supervision of and sealed by a Professional Engineer (P.Eng) or Professional Technologist (P. Tech) registered in the Province of Alberta. Detailed Engineering Drawings shall be submitted to the City for review and approval.
 - b. All designers, contractors, auditors, technologists, technicians, installers etc. engaged in the design and construction of irrigation pump stations shall be qualified according to the governing body of the appropriate discipline.

5.3.2.3 Codes/Standards/Guidelines

All products specified and installed as well as all processes used in the design and construction of the pump station shall conform to all applicable codes, standards and guidelines including but not limited to:

- 1. National Building Code
- 2. National Electrical Code
- 3. National Plumbing Code
- 4. CSA Standards NEMA
- 5. ULC

5.3.2.4 Design Criteria

- 1. The Irrigation Pump Station shall be designed based on the criteria and information contained in the MIR. The engineer of record shall provide written confirmation that this document was considered in the pump station design.
- 2. The Irrigation Pump Station design shall include details on any required staging of the pump station to ensure that the pump station operations in both the initial stages and ultimate stages of the overall development are appropriate. Any requirements for staging shall be clearly defined on the drawings or in a separate document outlining when the various stages need to be implemented.
- 3. Pump station designs shall be drawn according to "<u>Engineering Drawing</u> <u>Standards" Section 2.4</u>.

4. Detail drawings shall be provided for but not limited to the following as they apply to the pump station design:

- a. Pump and Pump Controls
- b. Valves
 - i. Control valves
 - ii. Isolation valves
 - iii. Specialty valves
- c. Sleeves
- d. Pipe bedding
- e. Electrical power cables
- f. Electrical components
 - i. Control panels
 - ii. Cabinets
 - iii. Meters
- g. Aeration systems
 - i. Piping
 - ii. Compressor(s)Wiring
 - iii. Concrete pads
 - iv. Housing
 - v. Control panel(s)
- h. Filter systems and controls
 - i. Mesh filters
 - ii. Disc filters
 - iii. Media filter
- i. Water treatment systems and controls
 - i. Ultra-violet
- j. Pump house
 - i. Concrete pad
 - ii. Servicing plan c/w grading
 - iii. Sub-grade structure
 - iv. Building structure
- k. Water meter
- I. Wet Well
- m. Intake Pipe
- n. Supervisory Control Data Acquisition (SCADA) Systems
- o. Piping and Instrumentation Diagrams (P&ID)
- p. Electrical Single Line Diagrams

5.3.2.5 Ordinance, Regulations, Permits and Fees

- 1. The Consultant/Contractor shall obtain and pay for any and all permits and all inspections as required. Building Permits are required for pump house construction.
- 2. All local, municipal and provincial codes, rules, and regulations governing or relating to any portion of this work are hereby incorporated into and made a part of this specification. The Consultant shall ensure that their provisions shall be carried out by the Contractor. Anything contained in this

specification shall not be construed to conflict with any local, municipal and provincial codes rules and regulations or requirements of the same. However, when this specification calls for or describes materials, workmanship or construction of a better quality, higher standard, or larger size than is required by the local, municipal and provincial codes rules and regulations, the provisions of this specification shall take precedence.

5.3.2.6 Specifications and Drawings

- Drawings shall indicate all offsets, fittings, sleeves, etc., which may be required to allow for the City to review the design and the contractor to construct the work. Design shall include consideration of the structural and finished conditions of all work and plan work accordingly, furnishing such fittings, etc., as may be required to meet such conditions. The work shall be installed in such a manner as to avoid conflicts between piping systems, plantings, utilities and architectural features.
- 2. All work called for on the Drawings by notes or details shall be furnished and installed.
- 3. The Consultant/Contractor shall not willfully install any component of the intake, conveyance, pumping, filtration, treatment systems as shown on the drawings when it is obvious in the field that previously unknown obstructions, grade differences or discrepancies in area dimensions exist that might not have been considered in the design. Such obstructions or differences shall be brought to the attention of the Consultant and the City. In the event this notification is not completed, the Consultant/Contractor shall assume full responsibility for any revision necessary. Notations in the Specifications or drawings prepared by the Consultant shall be included to the above effect.

5.3.2.7 Manufacturer's Directions

Manufacturer's directions and detail drawings shall be followed in all cases where the manufacturers of equipment or materials are used in the design.

5.3.2.8 Material List

- 1. All equipment and materials shall be approved by CSA, ULC, NEMA or other agency acceptable to the City.
 - a. The Contractor shall submit a complete material list prior to completing any work for approval by the Consultant and, if desired by the City. Material list shall include the manufacturer, model number and description of all materials and equipment to be used.
 - b. The Contractor shall not furnish any equipment or materials, or processes not specified by name in the specifications and drawings. No substitutions will be allowed without prior written acceptance by the City.
 - c. Equipment or materials substitutions installed or furnished without prior written acceptance of the City shall be rejected and removed from the site at no expense to the City see Product Substitution below.

5.3.2.9 Product Substitution

- 1. To substitute equipment or materials the Consultant/Contractor must apply in writing to the City. The application shall include the following:
 - a. Make, model and description of the equipment or material to be substituted
 - b. Make, model and description of the substitute equipment or material
 - c. Substitute equipment or material manufacturer's data/specification sheets including cost difference
 - d. Explanation by the Consultant of why the substitution is necessary

5.3.2.10 Warranty

- 1. Warranty
 - a. A copy of all manufacturer warranties shall be supplied to the City with the Operations and Maintenance Manuals.
- 2. Construction Completion
 - a. The City will issue a Construction Completion Certificate once all work is deemed complete by phase and all operations and maintenance manuals and As-Built Drawings have been received by the City and City staff have been trained on all aspects of the system.
 - b. The Construction Completion Certificate for the pump station and all appurtenances shall be completed by the Consultant as per <u>"CCC/FAC Checklists" (Appendix B).</u>
 - c. The Consultant and the Contractor shall ensure the pump station and all its appurtenances are fully operational before applying for the Construction Completion Certificate. Upon the application being submitted, the City will provide a date for the initial inspection with the Consultant and the Contractor to verify all systems are operational.
 - d. Upon verification by the City that all systems are operational the City will provide suitable dates for operator training to be provided by the Consultant and the Contractor. This date may be the same as the initial Construction Completion inspection if deemed appropriate by the City, the Consultant and the Contractor.
 - e. Should the pump station and appurtenances not be ready when the Construction Completion application is made, and the City has attended either the Construction Completion inspection or the training which must be cancelled or rescheduled, the City reserves the right to require the costs for their time be reimbursed for each visit that is deemed non-productive by the City.
 - f. A copy of the Construction Completion Certificate form shall be included in the Operations and Maintenance manual.
 - g. Upon the Construction Completion Certificate being signed off, the City will commence responsibility for regular operations of the pump station. The Consultant/Contractor will be responsible for maintenance and repairs per Item 3 Maintenance below.

- 3. Maintenance
 - a. The Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor shall, as part of their contract, be responsible for providing all necessary training concerning the operation and maintenance of all pump station components to City personnel.
 - b. The Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor is responsible for all maintenance and repairs (except maintenance agreed to be done by the City as part of regular operations) for a period of TWO (2) years from the date of the Construction Completion Certificate for each pump station and its appurtenances. After the maintenance period, a final inspection will be completed per Item 4 Final Acceptance below.
- 4. Final Acceptance
 - a. The City will Issue a Final Acceptance Certificate when the maintenance period has been completed and all requirements have been met.
 - b. The Final Acceptance Certificate for the pump station and all appurtenances shall be completed by the Consultant as per the <u>"CCC/FAC Checklists"</u> (Appendix B).
 - c. Upon the application being submitted, the City will provide a date for the final inspection with the Consultant (and the Contractor if necessary) to verify all systems are operational. Any system(s) identified as non-operational or requiring maintenance or repair shall be corrected and another inspection undertaken.

5.3.2.11 Records and As-Built Drawings

- The Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor shall provide and keep up-to-date a complete as-built record set of reproducible prints which shall be corrected daily and show every deviation from the original specifications and drawings and the exact as-built locations, sizes and kinds of equipment and materials. This set of drawings shall be kept on the site and shall serve as work progress sheets and be used for preparing the As-Built Drawings.
- 2. Before the date of application for Construction Completion, the Contractor shall provide all information to the Consultant for preparation of As-Built Drawings which will be submitted to the City prior to the Construction Completion application submission.
- 3. As-Built Drawings shall be prepared on the electronic copy of the original drawings in the same scale, font(s), line weights, etc. as the original drawings.
- 4. The completed As-Built Drawings shall include:
 - a. Labeled as "Project Name As-Built Drawing".
 - b. All variances to any of the systems from the original design including the detail sheets.

- c. Dimensions from TWO (2) permanent points of reference such as building corners, sidewalk, road intersections or other permanent on-site structure, the location of the following items as applicable:
 - i. Outside the pump house
 - 1. Connection to existing pipe systems
 - 2. Connection to existing electrical power
 - 3. Intake pipe and components
 - 4. Pump(s)
 - 5. Valves
 - 6. Pipe/tubing routing
 - 7. Electrical wiring and cable routing
 - 8. Wet well
 - 9. Backwash pit
 - 10. Irrigation Supply Line connection point(s)
 - 11. Other related equipment as directed by the City
 - ii. Inside the pump house
 - 1. Connection to pipe system(s)
 - 2. Connection to electrical power
 - 3. Pump(s)
 - 4. Valves
 - 5. Wet well
 - 6. Pipe/tubing routing
 - 7. Flow meter(s)
 - 8. Water meter(s)
 - 9. Conduit
 - 10. Control Panels
 - 11. Electrical wiring and cable routing
 - 12. Filter system(s)
 - 13. Water treatment system(s)
 - 14. SCADA Systems
 - 15. P&ID
 - 16. Electrical Single Line Diagrams
 - 17. Other related equipment as directed by the City
- 5. The Consultant shall deliver ONE (1) set of the completed As-Built Drawings as well as the digital CAD files and a set of the Drawings in pdf format to the City no less than TEN (10) days prior to Construction Completion Certification. Delivery of the drawings will not relieve the Consultant of the responsibility of furnishing required information that may be omitted from the drawings.
- 6. The Consultant shall ensure the Contractor deliver a copy of all manufacturer warranties to the Consultant.
- 7. The Consultant shall deliver a copy of all manufacturer warranties (which may be included as part of the operations and maintenance manuals) and the As-Built Drawings to the City TEN (10) days prior to the Construction Completion inspection.

5.3.2.12 Operation and Maintenance Manuals

- Contractor/Consultant shall prepare and deliver to the City within TEN (10) calendar days prior to Construction Completion, TWO (2) binders along with TWO (2) data sticks containing the following information:
 - a. Index sheet stating Contractor's address and telephone number, list of equipment with name and addresses of local manufacturer's representatives.
 - b. Catalogue and parts sheets for all material and equipment installed.
 - c. Complete operating and maintenance instructions on all major equipment.

Operation and maintenance manuals will be organized by 2018 MasterFormat as specified and as applicable:

General Requirements Subgroup

• Division 01 — General Requirements

Facility Construction Subgroup

- Division 02 Existing Conditions
- Division 03 Concrete
- Division 04 Masonry
- Division 05 Metals
- Division 06 Wood, Plastics, and Composites
- Division 07 Thermal and Moisture Protection
- Division 08 Openings
- Division 09 Finishes
- Division 10 Specialties
- Division 11 Equipment
- Division 12 Furnishings
- Division 13 Special Construction
- Division 14 Conveying Equipment

Facility Services Subgroup:

- Division 21 Fire Suppression
- Division 22 Plumbing
- Division 23 Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning (HVAC)
- Division 25 Integrated Automation
- Division 26 Electrical
- Division 27 Communications
- Division 28 Electronic Safety and Security

Site and Infrastructure Subgroup:

- Division 31 Earthwork
- Division 32 Exterior Improvements
- Division 33 Utilities
- Division 34 Transportation
- Division 35 Waterway and Marine Construction

Process Equipment Subgroup:

- Division 40 Process Interconnections
- Division 41 Material Processing and Handling Equipment
- Division 42 Process Heating, Cooling, and Drying Equipment
- Division 43 Process Gas and Liquid Handling, Purification and Storage Equipment
- Division 44 Pollution and Waste Control Equipment
- Division 45 Industry-Specific Manufacturing Equipment
- Division 46 Water and Wastewater Equipment
- Division 47 RESERVED FOR FUTURE EXPANSION
- Division 48 Electrical Power Generation
- 2. In addition to the above-mentioned maintenance manuals, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor provides the City maintenance personnel with operational training for all equipment systems and provide written confirmation within the operations and maintenance manuals that this service has been rendered.
- 3. The City will not undertake general operation of the work and issue Construction Completion Certification until all manuals, As-Built Drawings and personnel training have been completed.

5.3.2.13 Maintenance Materials

The Contractor shall supply the following spare materials for maintenance purposes:

- 1. ONE (1) complete set of UV components required to carry out a complete service, including, but not limited to, lamps, sleeves and wipers.
- 2. ONE (1) set of fuses.
- 3. ONE (1) mechanical seal for each mechanical seal installed on each pump including spare pump gland and packing.
- 4. ONE (1) spare set of filter material.

The above-mentioned equipment shall be turned over to the City at the time of Construction Completion Certification. Certification will be provided only upon confirmation that the City has received these materials.

5.3.2.14 Site Examination

The Consultant shall visit the site and conduct a site examination prior to submitting the design drawings for review and approval by the City.

5.3.2.15 Product Delivery, Storage and Handling

- 1. Handling of Pipe and Fittings
 - a. The Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor exercises due care in handling, loading, unloading, and storing pipe and fittings to prevent damage to pipe and/or fittings.
 - b. All pipe shall be transported in a vehicle which allows the length(s) or coils of pipe to lie flat so as not to subject it to undue bending or concentrated external load at any point.
 - c. All pipe and fittings shall be inspected before installation. Any section of pipe or fitting(s) that displays any of the following characteristics shall be rejected and removed from the site:
 - i. Appears to be previously used
 - ii. Dented or damaged
 - iii. Does not have the necessary Class, Schedule, CSA, ULS stamps
 - d. Any pipe or fitting that has been installed and displays any of the following characteristics as described in Item 1c above shall be removed, discarded and replaced with new pipe and/or fitting(s).
- 2. Handling of Equipment and Controls
 - a. The Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor exercises due care in handling, loading, unloading, and storing equipment and controls.
 - b. All equipment and controls shall be transported in a vehicle which allows the equipment and controls to lie flat or vertically so as not to subject the equipment and controls to undue bending or concentrated external load at any point.
 - c. All equipment and controls shall be inspected before installation. Any equipment and/or control(s) that displays any of the following characteristics shall be rejected and removed from the site:
 - i. Appears to be previously used
 - ii. Dented or damaged
 - iii. Does not have the necessary NEMA, CSA, ULS stamps
 - d. Any equipment or control(s) that has been installed and displays any of the characteristics described in Item 2c above, shall be removed, discarded and replaced with new equipment and/or control(s).

5.3.2.16 Field Quality Control and Site Visits

- 1. The Consultant will visit the site to review the pump station construction as it progresses and coordinate inspections with the City as required. The number and type of visit will be determined by the Consultant/Engineer in consultation with the City according to the requirements of each project.
- 2. The following are minimum site meetings the Consultant shall coordinate. The City shall be notified a minimum of THREE (3) days in advance for any required site meetings.

- a. Pre-construction meeting
- b. Installation of intake pipe and wet well
- c. Pump house layout review
- d. Installation progress review
- e. Completion of pump house including all filtration, treatment and control systems review
- f. Pipe pressure test review
- 3. Required Site Visit After Construction:
 - a. City will attend the Construction Completion Site Visit (for Construction Completion Certification) and the Personnel training as per <u>"Warranty" Section</u> <u>5.3.2.10, Item 2.</u>
 - b. Required Site Visit Notification
 - c. Contractor/Consultant shall be responsible for notifying the City a minimum of THREE (3) days in advance for any required site visits

5.3.2.17 Potable Water Source

Potable water source shall be the point of connection with the municipal water supply specified by the City to be used as the backup water supply.

- 1. Potable water shall be used as a backup water source for irrigation Supply Lines and shall be supplied to the irrigation Supply Lines through the pump station.
- 2. Where potable water is used as the backup water source the following shall apply:
 - a. "City of Airdrie Standard Landscape Guidelines & Specifications".
 - *b.* Potable water shall flow into the wet well and then be supplied to the irrigation system(s) via the pump station.
 - *c.* Backflow device(s) conforming to CSA standard B64.10-07/B64.10.1- 07 and the National Plumbing Code shall be used to protect the potable water supply.
 - *d.* An isolation valve shall be installed on the pump station intake pipe to prevent potable water flowing from the pump station into the non-potable water source.

5.3.2.18 Non-Potable Water Source

- 1. Only water collected and stored in stormwater ponds shall be the source(s) of nonpotable water used in irrigation Supply Lines.
- 2. Water samples shall be collected from the stormwater ponds for testing by an accredited laboratory.
- 3. Sampling Methodology:
 - a. Water samples will be collected to determine the water quality.
 - b. Water sampling schedule will begin with monthly collections during the irrigation season until such time as it is determined that a less frequent

collection schedule would be appropriate. <u>"Design Guidelines for Irrigation</u> <u>Pump Stations" (Appendix E)</u> lists the minimum test parameters and the currently acceptable levels of these substances.

- c. This list may change as government regulations or guidelines are revised.
- 4. Treatment systems shall be designed to prepare non-potable water for irrigation use based on the results of the laboratory testing and to meet water quality parameters listed in the <u>"Design Guidelines for Irrigation Pump Stations" (Appendix E).</u>

5.3.2.19 Pump Station Design

Pump stations shall be comprised of several sub-systems designed to work together to collectively filter, treat and distribute stormwater to the irrigation system(s).

The Pump station shall consist of but not limited to the following components:

- 1. Pump house
- 2. Pump station
- 3. Aeration system(s)
- 4. Filter system(s)
- 5. Treatment system(s)
- 6. SCADA Systems
- 7. Any other systems as required

5.3.3 Products

5.3.3.1 General

The Consultant shall specify that pump station and irrigation system shall use only new equipment and materials of brands and types noted on Drawings. All products specified and noted on the Drawings shall meet the requirements set out in the following sections.

5.3.3.2 Pipe and Fittings

- 1. Pipe and fittings shall be as follows:
 - a. High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) pipe shall be DR 11 (160 PSI) or greater.
 - b. HDPE fittings shall have the same DR rating, or greater, as the pipe used.
 - c. Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) pipe shall be SDR 21 (CSA Series 200) or Schedule 40 and conform to CSA B137.3-93.

- d. PVC fittings shall be shall be Schedule 40 or 80, 1-2, II-I NSF approved conforming to ASTM test procedure D2466 as appropriate to site conditions.
- e. Solvent cement and primer for PVC solvent-weld pipe and fittings shall be of type and installation methods prescribed by the manufacturer.
- f. Drainage Pipe shall be single wall corrugated plastic pipe.
- g. Drain pipe fittings shall be shall have the same rating as the drain pipe. All pipe must bear the following markings:
 - i. Manufacturer's name
 - ii. Nominal pipe size
 - iii. Schedule/Class/SDR/DR
 - iv. Pressure rating in P.S.I
 - v. Date of extrusion
- h. All fittings shall bear the manufacturer's name or trademark, material designation, size, applicable I.P.S. schedule and NSF seal of approval.
- i. If steel pipe is used in place of HDPE DR11 pipe then the steel pipe shall meet or exceed the criteria outlined above for HDPE DR11 pipe.
- 2. Threaded Fittings Riser & Nipples

Threaded risers or nipples shall be constructed of Schedule 80 PVC or galvanized steel.

5.3.3.3 Sleeves

Sleeve material shall be as follows:

- a. Where sleeves pass through concrete floors PVC pipe SDR 35 or greater.
- **b.** Where sleeves pass building walls PVC pipe SDR 35 or greater where sleeves pass paths or walkways PVC pipe CSA Series 200 or greater.

5.3.3.4 Conduit

Conduit material shall be as follows:

- **a.** Of the size and type appropriate to wet environment and underground installation that conform to the appropriate CSA and any other applicable standard.
- **b.** Shall bear the appropriate CSA approval label.

5.3.3.5 Electrical Cable

Electrical cable shall be as follows:

- **a.** Electrical wiring and cabling shall be of the size and type appropriate to wet environment and underground installation that conform to the appropriate Canadian Standards Association and any other applicable standard.
- **b.** All power cables shall bear the appropriate CSA approval label.

5.3.3.6 Transformer Transformers shall be:

- **a.** Be of the size and type that conform to the appropriate CSA standards.
- **b.** Have input voltage and phase shall match the voltage requirements of the pump(s).
- c. Shall bear the appropriate CSA approval label.
- *d.* Transformer cabinet shall have the appropriate NEMA rating for the installation environment.

5.3.3.7 Cabinets & Control Panels

Cabinets and control panels shall meet the following requirements:

- **a.** Cabinets, control panels, breaker panels, junction panels, transformers shall be moisture-proof and lockable if mounted inside the pump house and weather-proof and lockable if mounted outside of the pump house.
- **b.** Cabinets shall be of the size and type that conform to the applicable CSA standards and have the appropriate NEMA rating.
- c. Cabinets shall bear the appropriate CSA and/or NEMA approval label.
- *d.* There shall be sufficient control panels to provide adequate circuits after the transformer.
- e. Service receptacles inside pump house (1 per wall).

5.3.3.8 Light Fixtures

Light fixtures shall meet the following requirements:

- **a.** Light fixtures shall be of the size and type that conform to the applicable CSA standards.
- **b.** Light fixtures shall bear the appropriate CSA approval label.
- *c.* Light fixtures and enclosures shall have IP rating suitable for the pump house environment.

5.3.3.9 Miscellaneous Electrical Fixtures

The following is required for miscellaneous electrical:

- **a.** At least ONE (1) service receptacle complete with weatherproof covering and elevated mounting shall be provided on the exterior of the pump house.
- **b.** Service receptacles installed inside the pump house shall be fitted with an enclosure suitable for the environment.
- **c.** Service receptacles shall be of the size and type that conform to the applicable CSA standards.
- d. Service receptacles shall bear the appropriate CSA approval label.

5.3.3.10 Valve Boxes & Reach Wells

The following is required for valve boxes and reach wells:

- **a.** Valve boxes and reach wells (a reach well is where in ground wire connections, between valve boxes, are located) shall be constructed of HDPE, structural foam polyethylene or polymer concrete and be fitted with a locking lid.
- **b.** Valve boxes shall be large enough to allow disassembling and/or removal of complete components housed within it, through the opening at the top of the valve box without excavating or removing the valve box.
- c. Reach well opening shall be at least twice the diameter of the wire bundle housed within it.
- *d.* Provide valve box/reach well extensions as required to ensure boxes/wells tops are flush with finish grade.

5.3.3.11 Water Meter

Water meters shall be of the size noted on the drawings and of a make and model approved by City.

5.3.3.12 Valves

The following specifies the valve types suitable for the pump station:

- *a.* Valve types shall include but not limited to isolation, drain, pressure regulating, flow restriction and backflow prevention.
- **b.** Isolations valves shall be either of the following types:
 - i. Butterfly Valve
 - 1. Butterfly valves shall be of City approved make and model.
 - ii. Gate Valve
 - 1. Gate valves shall have a minimum pressure rating of 861 kPa (125 psi) SWP bronze gate valve with screw-in bonnet, nonrising steam and solid wedge disc and shall meet City of Calgary Standard Specifications Waterworks Construction.
- c. Drain valves shall meet City of Calgary Standard Specification Waterworks Construction.
- d. Pressure Regulation Valves.
- e. Flow Restriction Valves.
- f. Flow restrictor valves shall have the following characteristics:
 - *i.* Sized to match the inlet pipe size of the ultra violet reactors
 - *ii.* Restrict output flow to that required by the ultraviolet reactors to ensure the specified dosage at the input pressure provided by the pump system
 - *iii.* Valve body shall be constructed of lead-free brass or City approved equivalent and shall be fitted with a #20 mesh or finer stainless-steel screen

5.3.3.13 Aeration System

Aeration system(s) shall consist of any of the following types of components or combination of components:

- a. Surface spray
- **b.** Horizontal aspirator/mixer
- c. Air diffuser

Aerators shall be designed and sized appropriately by the system designed to meet the required water quality standards for the treatment system. Aerator(s) control panel cabinet(s) shall be constructed to NEMA 3R or greater.

Diffuser air tubing shall be constructed of weighted, high density, UV resistant PVC pipe all components that will be submerged in water shall be fitted with corrosion resistant casing such as stainless steel or City approved equivalent.

5.3.3.14 Intake Screen

Intake screens shall meet the following:

- a. Intake screen shall have the features described below:
 - *i.* Continuous self-cleaning. Self-cleaning method can be accomplished by either a continuously rotating arm located inside the screen and fitted with spray nozzles or a fixed arm located inside the screen and the screen continuously rotating
 - *ii.* #30 mesh, or finer, stainless steel
 - *iii.* Flow-through volume capability at least equal to the required pump station
 - *iv.* Flange mounted
 - v. Installed on rigid supports (concrete or other approved alternative material). Support shall be designed, inspected, stamped and sealed by a Professional Engineer.
- **b.** Connection to the intake pipe shall be a flexible hose/pipe fitted with flanges at both ends.

5.3.3.15 Intake Pipe

Intake pipes shall meet the following:

- a. Intake pipe shall be constructed of HDPE DR11 pipe and be sized to permit water to flow through the pipe at a velocity no greater than 0.3 m/s. Intake pipe shall be fitted with an appropriately sized isolation valve of a make and model approved by the City as described in <u>"Water Distribution System" Section 3.</u> The isolation valve shall be installed on the intake pipe on the storm pond side of and adjacent to the overflow pipe.
- **b.** Intake pipe shall penetrate the wet well wall at or below the elevation of the intake pipe screen and shall be no lower than the length of the pump plus 0.46 meters above the wet well floor.
- **c.** An approved gasket and/or caulking compound shall be used to provide a watertight seal at the penetration point.
- d. The inlet end of the intake pipe shall be installed at an elevation in the storm pond, in either a horizontal or vertical position so that the intake screen shall be located within 1m of the pond surface and supported by a corrosion resistant metal stand constructed of aluminum, stainless steel, powder coat painted steel or other material approved by the City.

e. The inlet end of the intake pipe shall have a flange fitting installed that will facilitate connecting the flexible hose/pipe connection between the intake screen and the intake pipe to the intake pipe.

5.3.3.16 Wet Well & Overflow Pipe

The wet well shall meet the following:

- *a.* Wet well shall be placed in a location under the floor of the pump house such that:
 - *i.* If a self-contained vertical turbine pump is used, the pump, motor, and other components can be placed above the wet well with adequate space around the station components to allow for service and maintenance to be carried out unencumbered.
 - *ii.* If a submersible pump(s) is used the shaft cover shall be a lockable, hinged steel plate sized to overhang the edges of the shaft by 25mm 75mm. The cover shall be shaped to fit around or allow piping and fittings to pass though the cover and still allow the cover to be opened and closed securely. There shall be no gap between the cover and the pump house floor.
 - *iii.* There shall be no gap between the top of the wet well and the underside of the pump house floor. An approved gasket and/or caulking compound shall be placed between the top wet well segment and the pump house floor to provide a watertight seal
- **b.** Wet well shall be constructed of concrete and shall either be pre-engineered pre-cast structures or cast in place concrete as designed and stamped by a professional engineer.
- **c.** The wet well/slab shall sit level on a bed of compacted crushed gravel mix. The gravel bed shall have minimum thickness of 150mm, but is subject to geotechnical confirmation by the Consultant. Drawings detailing the structural foundation requirements shall be stamped by the Consultant.
- d. Overflow:
 - *i.* An overflow pipe of the same size and type as the intake pipe shall be installed at the top of the wet well so that it penetrates the wet well wall at a point so that the top of the overflow pipe is 450mm below the pump house floor and connect to the intake pipe upstream of the intake pipe isolation valve
 - *ii.* Overflow pipe shall be connected to the intake pipe using an HDPE DR11 Tee fitting
 - *iii.* An approved gasket and/or caulking compound shall be used to provide a watertight seal at the penetration point.
 - *iv.* An appropriately sized isolation valve of a make and model approved by City as described in <u>"Water Distribution System" Section 3</u> shall be installed on the overflow pipe no closer than 1.2m from the pump house.

5.3.3.17 Pump(s) & Controls

Pumps and controls shall be as follows:

- a. Pump(s)
 - *i.* Pump(s) shall be sized to meet or exceed the following flow requirements simultaneously at the required pressure, without infringing on the Service Factor, at the irrigation system(s) connection point(s):
 - 1. Required irrigation system flow
 - 2. Intake screen backflush flow
 - **3.** Filtration system(s) backflush
 - *ii.* Duplex pump system shall be employed with each pump or set of pumps being capable of supply the full flow requirements of the irrigation system(s)
 - iii. Pump(s) shall be of either submersible or vertical turbine configuration
 - *iv.* Pump(s) shall have the following features
 - 1. Minimum efficiency of 65% at rated flow
 - 2. Preferred voltage of 600 VAC 3 phase
 - 3. Minimum motor voltage of 240 VAC 3 phase
 - 4. Flow sleeve
 - 5. Low water level shutdown capability
 - 6. High water level shutdown capability

5.3.3.18 Filtration Systems

The filtration system shall meet the following:

- a. Filtration system shall include disc, media, a combination of disc and media, screen, or other alternatives approved by the City.
- **b.** Filtration systems shall be automatically self-cleaning.
- c. Disc filtration system(s) shall have the following characteristics:
 - *i.* Equipped with a back-flush controller with the following characteristics:
 - **1.** Powder coated, lockable metal cabinet
 - a. Input voltage shall be 110-120 VAC
 - b. Output voltage shall be 24 VAC
 - 2. Capable of operating up to 3 stations plus master valve
 - **3.** Backwash count capable of being reset
 - a. Back flush cycle shall be actuated by pressure differential with the options of manual or periodic actuation
 - 4. Constructed of UV protected polypropylene or City approved equivalent
 - 5. Operating voltage 24 VAC
 - **6.** Multiple disc filters that together shall meet or exceed the flow requirements of the irrigation system(s)
 - 7. Minimum filtration Level of 200 mesh or 75 micron
 - **8.** Maximum operating pressure equal to greater than the discharge pressure the pump system
 - 9. Pressure loss at pump full discharge flow <1 psi (7 kPa)
 - 10. Media Filtration System
- *d.* Media filtration system(s) shall have the following characteristics:
 - *i.* ONE (1) or more tanks as dictated by site conditions
 - *ii.* Where multiple tanks are used, they shall be installed in parallel

- *iii.* Each tank shall be fitted with an isolation valve on the inlet and discharge pipes
- *iv.* Each tank equipped with a back-flush control system
- v. Tank(s) shall have the following characteristics:
 - 1. Constructed of fiberglass composite with virgin polyethylene liner or City approved equivalent
 - 2. Filtration Media: sand or City approved equivalent
 - **3.** Filtration Level: 2 7 micron
 - **4.** Service Flow or combined service flow equal to or greater than the irrigation system(s) requirement(s)
 - **5.** Service Pressure: equal to or greater than the static pressure of the pump system

5.3.3.19 Backflow Prevention

Backflow prevention is required and shall be installed as follows:

- **a.** Backflow prevention shall be installed at the point where the potable water make-up system connects to the municipal potable water supply and where the potable water make-up system connects to the wet well.
- b. Municipal Potable Water Connection:
 - *i.* A double check valve assembly (DCVA) conforming to CSA standard B64.10-07/B64.10.1-07 and the National Plumbing Code shall be installed on the potable water make-up system pipe at the connection point with the municipal potable water supply
- c. Wet Well Connection:
 - *i.* An air gap conforming to the National Plumbing shall be installed between the potable water make-up system and the wet well

5.3.3.20 Ultra Violet System

The UV system shall meet the following requirements:

- a. The ultra violet system shall have the following characteristics:
 - *i.* Provide minimum UV dosage of 30 mJ/ cm2 @ 95% UVT based on the flow requirements for the pump station
 - *ii.* When multiple ultra violet units are to be used then ultra violet units shall be mounted in parallel
 - *iii.* Each reactor shall be fitted with an isolation valve on the inlet and discharge pipes
- b. Chamber: Stainless Steel
- *c.* Lamp Sleeve: quartz
- *d.* Input voltage: 120 VAC at 50 60 Hz
- e. Operating pressure: 70 kPa (10 psi) pump system discharge pressure
- f. Ambient air temperature: 0° C 40° C
- *g.* Ambient water temperature: 0° C 40° C
- *h.* Maximum water hardness: =< 120 mg/L
- *i.* Maximum iron content: =< 0.3 mg/L
- j. Minimum UVT: 75%

- k. Installation orientation: vertical
- *I.* Colour coded plug and play connections
- m. Audible alarm
- n. Alarm mute button
- o. Cooling fan/valve
- **p.** Fan operation indicator
- q. Lamp reset button
- *r*. Lamp age indicator
- s. Lamp operation indicator
- t. Power supply operation indicator
- u. Solenoid operation indicator
- v. Sensor reading output

5.3.3.21 Pump House

The pump house shall be designed as follows:

- **a.** Pump house shall be either wood frame or steel construction mounted on a concrete slab.
- **b.** Pump house architectural features shall conform to that of the surrounding area.
- **c.** Pump house framing dimensions shall match the outside dimensions of the concrete slab so the external sheathing can overlap the edge of the concrete slab without coming into contact with the ground.
- *d.* Pump house roof will be fitted with a hatch large enough to allow the passage of the largest component of the system that can be readily removed/isolated. *Hatch requirements include:*
 - i. Single leaf
 - *ii.* Capable of being opened with a single hand (lift assistance required)
 - iii. Weather proof
 - iv. Stainless steel Construction
- e. Wood frame pump house shall be constructed as follows:
 - *i.* Conform to part 9 of the building code
 - ii. 2x6 frame construction
- *f.* Roof trusses shall be engineered.
- g. Shall have proper ventilation and doors.
- h. The interior pump house shall be drywalled, mudded, tapped and painted to the City's satisfaction.
- i. Finished proposed grading around the exterior perimeter of the pump house to include an area encompassing a minimum 4.0m distance from the structure in all directions. The grading shall demonstrate positive drainage away from the building and how it ties into the surrounding grading. Directional drainage arrows to indicate the percentage of grade to be provided.

5.3.3.22 Backwash Pit

The backwash pit shall meet the following requirements:

- **a.** Backwash pit shall be a drain rock filled excavation whose volume shall be large enough to hold the combined ONE (1) day flow of all the filtration systems and the pump house floor drain until the water can soak away into the neighboring soil.
- **b.** Backwash pit shall be lined on all sides with geotextile material to permit water to soak away into the neighboring soils and prevent the neighboring soils from entering the pit.
- c. Top of the backwash pit shall be flush with the finished grade.

5.3.3.23 Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) System

All stormwater use pump stations and stormwater pond monitoring stations shall have the ability to connect to the City SCADA System using an Ethernet connection. An Allen-Bradley MicroLogix 1400 PLC shall be installed and connected to an unmanaged DIN rail mounted Ethernet switch; Phoenix Contact 2891001 or approved equal.

- a. As a minimum storm pond stations shall report the following signals to the SCADA system:
 - i. High water alarm
 - ii. Upper and lower normal water level status
 - *iii.* All equipment or device failure alarms
 - iv. Intrusion alarm
 - v. Any additional signals requested by the City during detailed Engineering review
- b. As a minimum, pump stations shall report the following signals to the SCADA System:
 - *i.* Wet well high- and low-level alarms
 - ii. Run status of pumps and any treatment equipment
 - iii. Run hours for pumps
 - iv. Volume of irrigation water pumped
 - v. Position (open/closed) of potable water feed valve
 - vi. Unit or common alarms from any treatment equipment
 - vii. All equipment or device failure alarms
 - viii. Any additional signals requested by the City during detailed Engineering review
- c. All data points made available to the SCADA System in the MicroLogix PLC shall be mapped to an integer data file using continuous bit word addresses in order to minimize poll size.
- d. Connection from the Ethernet switch to the City network is by others.

5.3.3.24. Miscellaneous Installation Materials

a. HDPE pipe couplings and other appurtenances shall be of make and type approved by manufacturer(s) of the pipe and fittings Solvent cement and primers for solvent weld joints shall be of make and type approved by manufacturer(s) of pipe and fittings. Cement shall be maintained at proper consistency throughout use.

- b. Threaded fittings connections shall be sealed as described below:
 - i. For movable components such as swing the threaded fittings shall be sealed using Teflon tape sufficient to prevent leakage AND allow movement of the components
 - ii. For fixed components the threaded fittings shall be sealed using Teflon tape AND liquid Teflon sealer

5.3.3.25 Miscellaneous Equipment

Provide all equipment called for on the by the approved drawings.

5.3.3.26 Drain Rock

Drain rock for the pump station shall be non-fractured rock, 100% passing a 38mm square sieve and 0 percent passing a 19mm sieve.

5.3.3.27 Gravel Bedding

Gravel bedding for the pump station shall be non-fractured rock and sand mix, 100% passing a 19mm square sieve and 0 percent passing a 4mm sieve.

5.3.4 Execution

5.3.4.1 Preparation

- 1. Site Review the Consultant shall visit the site prior to commencing work to determine the following:
 - a. Location of all services, system, etc. that will be connected with in the completion of the work.
 - b. Location of all services, systems, R.O.W., easements etc. That may affect or delay the completion of work.
 - c. The Consultant will notify the City, in writing, of any discrepancies or points of concern and recommended solutions.
- 2. Physical Layout
 - a. Prior to installation, Consultant/Contractor shall stake out the pump house and wet well including all sleeves, pipes, wet well intake pipe, isolation valve(s), valve box(es) and other component locations. The City should attend a preconstruction meeting with the Consultant and Contractor to review staked locations.
 - b. Consultant/Contractor can make minor changes to conform to ground conditions. Changes to be noted on Contractor's As-Built Drawings.

5.3.4.2 Potable Water Sampling

1. Sampling Methodology

- a. If the City is unable to provide a copy of the most current water testing for hardness, iron and manganese then the Consultant shall, with the written permission of the City, collect and test water sample at a location closest to the pump station location.
- b. The ultra violet treatment system designer shall determine and provide written confirmation that the potable water quality is acceptable for ultra violet treatment.

5.3.4.3 Non-Potable Water Sampling

Sampling Methodology

- 1. The initial set of water samples shall be collected as follows:
 - a. Minimum of ONE (1) set of samples shall be taken within 4.5m of each stormwater outfall that supplies water to the storm pond no less than 200mm and no deeper than 900mm below the water surface.
 - b. Minimum of ONE (1) set of samples shall be taken along the shoreline approximately half way between stormwater outfalls no less than 200mm and no deeper than 900mm below the water surface.
 - c. Minimum of ONE (1) set of samples shall be taken within 3.0m of the pump intake and at the depth of the intake.
- 2. If it is not feasible to collect water samples prior to the pump station construction then the filtration system(s) shall be designed to meet the required level of filtration to meet the water quality parameters in <u>"Design</u> <u>Guidelines for Irrigation Pump Stations" (Appendix E).</u>

5.3.4.4 Installation

- 1. Utility Crossing
 - a. Expose utilities pipelines or cables using hydro-vac or by hand.
 - b. The Consultant may adjustment utility crossing location(s), if necessary, in consultation with City.
- 2. Electrical Supply
 - a. Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor obtains all necessary permits required for electrical connections for pumps and pump controls.
 - b. All electrical connections shall be done by a qualified electrician.
 - c. All electrical components shall be installed per NMS and CEC:
 - i. Confirm total electrical power requirements of all pump station components using surge values where available. Components shall include but not limited to: Pump(s)
 - ii. Pump Control(s)
 - iii. Disc Filtration System(s)
 - iv. Media Filtration System(s)

- v. Ultra Violet System(s)
- vi. Light Fixture(s)
- 3. Components
 - a. The Consultant may adjust component locations to compensate for site conditions ONLY in consultation with the City and with the written permission of the City.
 - b. Pipe and pipe fittings shall be of the types described in <u>"Pipes and Fittings"</u> <u>Section 5.3.3.2</u> above and of the sizes shown on the Drawing and installed as shown on the drawing. If the pipe(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the asbuilt Drawing.
 - i. Underground Installation
 - 1. Pipe shall be installed to depths necessary to achieve minimum cover of 380mm.
 - 2. Pipe shall be installed using either trenching or "pulling" methods at the Consultant's discretion. Using either method the Consultant must ensure the pipe is not stretched or damaged in any way during the installation.
 - 3. Thrust blocks shall be installed to support PVC pipe fittings in trenches where the fitting causes the pipe to changes directing by 11 degrees or greater.
 - 4. Where thrust blocks are to be installed, all loose material shall be removed from the trench wall so the thrust block shall rest against undisturbed sub soil.
 - 5. Thrust blocks shall be constructed of concrete
 - ii. Inside Pump House Installation
 - 1. Pipes and fittings shall be installed according to local codes and standards.
 - c. Threaded fittings, nipples and risers materials shall be as described in <u>"Pipes</u> and Fittings" Section 5.3.3.2
 - i. Threaded fitting connections that may be subject to movement, such as swing joints, shall be sealed using a sufficient quantity of Teflon tape to ensure the connections are water-tight and will allow the connection to move as required.
 - ii. All other threaded fitting connections shall be sealed using a sufficient quantity of Teflon tape and a thin layer of liquid Teflon sealant to ensure the connections are water-tight.
 - d. Sleeve material shall be installed as shown on the Drawing. If the sleeve(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
 - i. Sleeve(s) shall have a diameter at least TWO (2) times the diameter of the pipe or other objects that it shall house
 - ii. Sleeve(s) shall protrude at least 50mm above the finished concrete
 - iii. Sleeve(s) shall protrude at least 50mm in from the finished interior wall
 - e. Conduit material shall be installed as shown on the Drawing(s) and according to local codes and standards. If the conduit(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be

noted on the as-built Drawing.

- f. Electrical cable and wiring shall be installed as shown on the Drawing and according to local codes and standards. If the cable(s) or wiring location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
- g. Transformer shall be installed as shown on the Drawing and according to local codes and standards.
 - i. Transformer shall be installed with adequate clearance from walls and at least 100mm above the building floor or at a height specified by the electrical code, whichever is higher
 - ii. If the location of the transformer must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure the new location shall not conflict with any other electrical or mechanical components and the new location shall be noted on the asbuilt Drawing
- h. Cabinets and control panels shall be as described in <u>"Cabinets and Control Panels" Section 5.3.3.7</u> and shall be installed as shown on the Drawing and according to local codes and standards. If the cabinet(s) or control panel(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
- i. Light fixtures shall be installed as shown on the Drawing and according to local codes and standards.
 - i. Light fixture control shall be installed on the inside wall of the pump house beside the entry door according to the applicable electrical code and local codes.
 - ii. If the light fixture(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
- j. Miscellaneous electrical fixtures shall be installed as shown on the Drawing and according to local codes and standards. If the conduit(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
- k. Valve boxes and reach wells shall be installed as shown on the Drawing. If valve box(es) or reach well(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
 - i. Valve boxes and reach wells shall be installed on concrete blocks which in turn shall rest on a compacted bed of gravel shall be as described in <u>"Valve Boxes and Reach Wells" Section 5.3.3.10</u> at least 100mm deep and in accordance with the Detail Drawing.
- Water meter(s) meter shall be installed at the locations shown on the Drawing. If the water meter(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
- m. Valves shall be installed as shown on the Drawing:
 - i. Valves that are installed in-ground shall be installed in correctly sized valve boxes as described in <u>"Valve Boxes and Reach Wells" Section</u> <u>5.3.3.10</u>. Valves installed in-ground shall be supported by a concrete block, or poured concrete support, adequately sized to support the weight of the isolation valve and ensure there is no strain on the fitting's

connection from the isolation valve to the pipe.

- *i.* Valves installed inside the pump house shall be supported by concrete blocks, or metal supports, adequately sized to support the weight of the isolation valve and ensure there is no strain on the fitting's connection from the isolation valve to the pipe.
- n. Intake Screen shall be installed as shown on the Drawing. If the intake screen location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
- o. Intake Pipe shall be installed as shown on the Drawing. If the intake pipe location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
 - i. The excavation and trench to install the intake pipe and connect it to the wet well shall be excavated in accordance with the excavation and trenching section on the following pages and all provincial and local safety codes.
 - ii. Backfill material shall conform to the backfilling section on the following pages.
 - *iii.* The trench and excavation backfill material shall be compacted to **97%** of the compaction of the surrounding undisturbed material.
- p. Wet well and overflow pipe shall be installed as shown on the Drawing. If the wet well and/or overflow pipe location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
 - i. The excavation and trench to install the wet well and overflow pipe shall be excavated in accordance with the excavation and trenching section on the following pages and all provincial and local safety codes.
 - ii. Backfill material shall conform to the backfilling section on the following pages. The trench and excavation backfill material shall be compacted to as per the geotechnical consultant's recommendations.
- q. Pump(s) and controls shall be installed as shown on the Drawing. The Consultant shall make necessary placement adjustments to ensure there is adequate space around each of the components for servicing. If the pump(s) and/or control(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as- built Drawing.
- r. Filtration system(s) shall be installed as shown on the Drawing. The Consultant shall make necessary placement adjustments to ensure there is adequate space around each of the filtration system(s) components for servicing. If the component(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as-built Drawing.
 - i. The backflush cycles shall be configured to run automatically. The backflush discharge pipe shall empty into the backwash pit or into the stormwater pond.
- s. Backflow prevention shall be installed as shown on the drawings. The Consultant shall make necessary placement adjustments to ensure there is adequate space around each of the components for testing and servicing. If the backflow preventer(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the as- built Drawing.
- t. Ultra violet system(s) shall be installed as shown on the drawings. The

Consultant shall make necessary placement adjustments to ensure there is adequate space around each of the components for servicing. If the ultra violet system component(s) location must be adjusted, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor notes new location(s) shall be noted on the As-Built Drawings.

- u. Pump house shall be installed at the location shown on the drawing and in accordance with the engineered drawings.
- v. Backwash pit shall be installed as shown on the Drawings and as per <u>"Backwash Pit" Section 5.3.3.22</u>. Drain rock shall be as described in <u>"Drain Rock" Section 5.3.3.26</u>.
- w. Miscellaneous equipment shall be installed at the location shown on the Drawings in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations:
 - i. All miscellaneous equipment that is to be installed inside the wet well, or other locations where the equipment will be regularly submerged in water, shall be manufactured of stainless steel, brass or other City approved non- corroding materials

5.3.4.5 Excavation and Trenching

- 1. Excavation shall be, in all cases, ample in size to permit the pipes to be laid at the intended elevations and to permit ample space for joining.
- 2. Trench shall be deep enough to provide 380mm minimum cover from finish grade.
- 3. Restore surfaces, existing underground installations, etc., damaged or cut as a result of excavations, to original conditions in manner approved by the City.
- 4. Where other utilities interfere with irrigation trenching and pipe work, adjust the trench depth or location as instructed by the City.

5.3.4.6 Backfilling

- 1. Backfill material for the pump station shall be as per <u>"Gravel Bedding" Section</u> <u>5.3.3.27</u> and <u>"Drain Rock" Section 5.3.3.26</u>.
- 2. Place backfill materials in 150mm lifts and compacted to a minimum compaction of **97** *percent* of original soil density or as recommended by a geotechnical engineer.
- 3. Dress off areas to finish grades and remove excess soil, rocks or debris remaining after backfill work is completed.
- 4. If settlement occurs at excavations or along trenches, the Consultant shall ensure that the Contractor corrects for the settling and adjusts valves, soil, sod, or paving to the proper level or the final grade.

5.3.4.7 Pipe

1. Use pipe as specified in this document or as indicated on drawing. Install in

accordance with industry standards and manufacturer's recommendations. Connect HDPE piping using butt fusion method. Allow connection to "cure" at least TWENTY-FOUR (24) hours.

- 2. Connect PVC piping using the appropriate primer and solvent cement. Allow connection to "cure" at least TWENTY-FOUR (24) hours.
- 3. Paint all galvanized pipe below grade with one heavy coat of approved paint to prevent corrosion.
- 4. Cap or plug openings as pipeline is assembled to prevent entrance of dirt or obstruction. Remove caps or plugs only when necessary to continue assembly.
- 5. Where pipes pass through sleeves, provide removable non-decaying plug at ends of sleeve to prevent entrance of earth.

5.3.4.8 Winterizing of Pump Station Appurtenances

- 1. The winterizing procedures, in the Operations and Maintenance manuals, for the pump station, filtration system(s), ultra violet system(s) and all other related systems will be followed.
- 2. Winterizing will take place early enough in the autumn that there will be no risk of ice damage to any of the system(s) components.
- 3. The City requires that the first winterization be completed as part of the regular Maintenance by the Contractor.

5.3.4.9 Spring Startup of Pump and Appurtenances

- 1. The startup procedures, in the Operations and Maintenance manuals, for the pump station, filtration system(s), ultra violet system(s) and all other related systems will be followed.
- 2. The spring startup will take place late enough in the spring that there will be no risk of freezing or ice damage to any of the system(s) components.
- 3. The City requires that the first spring startup be completed as part of the regular Maintenance by the Contractor.

5.3.4.10 Existing Trees

- 1. Removal of existing trees shall be approved by Parks and be included in the Landscape Drawings.
- 2. Construction within 6m of a public tree requires the submittal and approval of a tree protection plan as per the City of Airdrie Parks Bylaw.

5.3.4.11 Field Quality Control

Hydrostatic Pressure Testing

City of Calgary Hydrostatic Pressure Testing Procedures shall be followed for all piping related to the pump station. The City shall be given at least TWO (2) full working days' notice prior to the testing being undertaken. The Developer shall not operate any existing water valves. Should any test disclose leakage greater than the allowable, the Contractor shall, at his own expense, locate and repair the defect. Any failed test attempt must be rescheduled with at least TWO (2) full working days' notice. The main may not be put into service until the test results have been forwarded to and accepted by Engineering Services.

5.3.4.12 Clean Up

Clean-up site as each portion of work progresses. Remove refuse and excess dirt from the site. Sweep or wash all walks and paving. Repair any damage sustained to the work of others to original conditions.

6. IRRIGATION INFRASTRUCTURE WITHIN OPEN SPACES

6.1 Irrigation

All specifications as per "*City of Airdrie Standard Landscape Guidelines and Specifications*" except where noted below:

1. Water Service Connection:

The point of connection (POC) refers to the place where the irrigation system is connected to the water source. The POC will be drainable and include, but not limited to, a backflow preventer, meter, master valve, flow sensor, isolation valve and a blowout connection. Refer to "Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawings <u>IR0002A</u>, <u>IR0002B</u>, <u>IR0003A</u>, <u>IR0003B</u> for design and installation purposes.

- a. Backflow preventer- shall be a double check valve assembly (DCVA), equipped with a drain, and sized to meet flow requirements.
- b. Meters will be supplied by the *Contractor*. Refer to <u>"Drawings" (Appendix D)</u>.
- c. Vaults shall be big enough to house the backflow preventer and meter with adequate room to service these components. No flanges are to be within 300mm of the vaults wall. A spool is required between the two components to meet the installation recommendations from the manufacturer.
- d. Master Valves A Hunter IBV valve is recommended and sized to meet the design criteria. If selecting a valve from another product line a pump start relay shall be installed inside the electrical cabinet.
- e. Flow sensors A Hunter Flow Sync with a schedule 80 receptacle tee shall be used. It will be sized to maximize flow rates to minimize water windows. Installation shall be in accordance with manufactures recommendations. Flow charts comparing design and actual flows shall be included with the as-builts. The wire shall be rated for direct burial, be a continuous run with no splices, housed into a separate sleeve leading into the electrical cabinet and not bundled with the 24v AC control wire. The wire shall follow the parameters of being a pair of 18AWG stranded conductor wire with aluminum mylar foil shield enclosed in a polyvinyl chloride jacket.
- f. Isolation valves / Drains / Blowouts refer to the Calgary Parks specifications.

Note: Where a non-potable water source is being utilized, refer to <u>"Irrigation - Storm Water for</u> <u>Use" Section 5</u>.

2. Irrigation System Requirements:

Hunter's Irrigation Management & Monitoring Software (IMMS) utilizes the ACC controller to communicate and manage schedules, flow and other pertinent features and accessories. Communication hardware for each site shall include: Hunter ACC-COM-HWR or ACC-HWR-LAN and Hunter's radio product # RAD3. It is the responsibility of the contractor to ensure

there is communication to the central control prior to FAC. If an alternate antenna is necessary it shall follow industry standards and approved by City of Airdrie Parks.

- a. Where a communication hub is required, City of Airdrie Parks will notify the developer/ designer.
- b. When a weather station is required, determined by City of Airdrie Parks, a Hunter ET sensor shall be installed in accordance with the manufacture's recommendations.
- 3. Electrical enclosures shall be configured to match <u>"Drawings" (Appendix D) Drawing</u> <u>IR0004.</u>
 - a. For outdoor installations, the controller enclosure shall be fixed to a concrete pad and offer a superior level of protection from corrosion and extreme environments. It shall not be shaded by other site structures, houses and trees and/ or their potential growth, ensuring a strong radio communication signal. The omni antenna shall be mounted flush to the top of the enclosure.
 - b. For indoor installations, the controller shall be installed in an approved cabinet, centered 1650mm above the floor, grounded per building code with lightning protection. A conduit shall be run to the exterior of the building to house the antenna wire. Whenever possible, an Ethernet connection will be provided by the City.
 - c. Different voltages require separate conduits with all visual wires being labeled.

All electric zone valves can be plastic, glass-filled nylon construction with fabric reinforced rubber diaphragms

- 4. Irrigation Controller Requirements:
 - a. All irrigated sites will require the installation of the Hunter ACC or Hunter ACC99-D Controller.
 - b. Sites exceeding 40 zones require Hunter ACC99-D controller and appropriate wiring configuration.
 - c. Sites constructed in phases, regardless of system size, require Hunter ACC99-D controller and appropriate wiring configuration.
 - d. System designers are required to consult with the City of Airdrie Parks department to fine tune Hunter ACC controller communication hardware requirements.
 - e. To facilitate the City's manufacturer's warranty coverage on communication components, communication hardware must be installed and tested with central point no earlier than THIRTY (3) days prior to the FAC inspection. Written notice with the date of installation must be forwarded to the Parks Department.
 - f. Wire for Hunter ACC99-D controller configurations shall be Hunter ID1 (14 AWG) or Hunter ID2 (12 AWG) decoder cable, depending on wire-run length.
 - i. Hunter ID1 up to 10,000 foot wire run
 - ii. Hunter ID2 between 10,000 and 15,000 foot wire run
 - g. Separate two-wire paths originating from the controller must have contrasting cable jacket colouring.
 - h. Spare wires are not required for Hunter ACC99-D controller wiring configurations.
 - i. ACC99-D controller wiring details:

The following decoder modules are to be used, wired according to detail drawings, depending on number of adjacent zone valves:

- 1. 1 valve: Hunter IDS-100
- 2. 2 valves: Hunter IDS-200
- 3. 3 valves: Hunter IDS-400*
- 4. 4 valves: Hunter IDS-400
- 5. 5 valves: Hunter IDS-600*
- 6. 6 valves: Hunter IDS-600
- 7. Flow Sensor: Hunter IDS-SEN
- 8. *last wire pair on decoder module to be left empty. Note the zone number of empty wire pair during installation, as this must be left blank in the controller. For example, a three valve manifold followed downstream by a two valve manifold will use one IDS-400 and one IDS-200. The empty wire pair will be assigned as Zone 4, resulting in valves being assigned zones 1,2,3,5, and 6.
- j. Decoder modules must be grounded using a 48"x4" copper grounding plate every 1000 feet or every 12th decoder module, whichever comes first.
- k. During phased construction of parks, the decoder wire ends at the future tie-in point must be protected from short-circuit using 1 DBY wire splice kit on each of the wires. Wire ends shall be enclosed in a round valve box with approximately 600mm extra wire.
- 5. Filter Fabric for Valve Boxes:
 - a. Line the excavated area for irrigation boxes with landscape filter fabric prior to installation of gravel. Wrap filter fabric around the sides and pipe access to prevent dirt from entering the box.
- 6. Thrust Blocking:
 - a. Install thrust blocks or anchoring for 63mm and larger fittings, in strict accordance with the manufacture's recommendations, for all changes of direction in piping, reducers and isolation valves. Install the thrust block of the appropriate bearing area against solid ground. Concrete thrust block shall not touch the pipe or wires thus allowing access for repair. Wrap all changes of direction in piping (bends), reducers, and isolation valves. Use 6 mil plastic to prevent direct contact with the concrete blocking. In no case will field stone, concrete or cinder blocks or wood of any form, be acceptable for thrusting.

- 7. Utilities and Billing:
 - a. Water Service
 - i. Contractor will pay for all water until project is accepted and account transferred to the City. Proof of request for transfer of account must be presented at FAC. Contractor remains responsible for water used and payment thereof until transfer.
 - b. Electrical Service Installation
 - i. The contractor must obtain account with power company and pay for all power used until project accepted. At Final Acceptance, Contractor will submit electrical meter account numbers and proof of request for account transfer to the City. Contractor remains responsible for electricity used and payment thereof until transfer.
- 8. Shared Sites and Shared Controllers:
 - a. TWO (2) developers will require separate water services and electrical cabinets, one per site.
 - b. ONE (1) developer (shared water supply) at the end of the main line in any phases, a quick coupler and isolation valve shall be installed. The developer will not have access to the point of connection. A watering schedule shall be submitted before design approval to ensure it fits within the City water window.
 - c. ONE (1) developer (shared controller) When programming changes are required by the developer, they are to email City of Airdrie Parks (<u>parks@airdrie.ca</u>) with all the necessary information. Upon receiving the email, the City will evaluate the request and carry out the request within the City water window. The City will coordinate changes within TWENTY-FOUR (24) hours with the developer. The developer will not have access into the electrical cabinet.

7. ROADWAYS

7.1 Design

Engineering drawings showing detailed design of the streets shall be submitted to Engineering Services for approval prior to any construction. These drawings shall show details as specified in the "Engineering Drawing Standards" (Section 2.4).

All Local and Collector roadways shall be designed utilizing the *"City of Calgary Design Guidelines for Subdivision Servicing"*. Residential roadway design shall be designed utilizing the following criteria:

- 1. The City requires a Structural Pavement Design to support the road design and specifies a minimum pavement structure for all roads, regardless of traffic volumes or in-place site conditions.
- 2. Staged paving is required for all roadways.
- 3. Inverted Crown and Cross-Fall road sections will only be considered at the City's discretion.
- 4. The City requires the minimum pavement structure shall be evaluated to allow for a structural equivalency when roads are serving relatively low traffic volumes or when site conditions do not require it i.e. roads on bedrock.
- 5. The City requires all proposed road structures require a design in accordance with the geotechnical engineer's recommendation and to the satisfaction of the Engineering Services.

The table below illustrates current and proposed minimum pavement structure for the City roadways:

Road Structure	Old Local Airdrie SN = 67	New Local Airdrie SN = 66	New Collector Airdrie	Arterial is to AASHTO standards
Pit run	300	200	300	varies
GBC	50	100	100	varies
APC	75	80	160	varies

Local roads will be paved in TWO (2) separate lifts.

Bottom lift will be 50mm (minimum) at CCC and top lift will be 30mm (minimum) at FAC.

6. Lanes shall be designed and constructed with a granular section having due regard for normally imposed loads such as construction traffic (i.e. concrete trucks, dump trucks, etc.) and garbage pick-up trucks. Minimum granular section for normal lane construction shall consist of 100mm of 50mm crushed gravel, on top of compacted sub-grade.
- 7. Paved lane ends (with a minimum width of 5.0m) for a minimum distance of 12.0m from street property line. Construct re-enforced concrete apron where sidewalk is separate at lane.
- 8. Dead-end lanes are not permitted.
- 9. Temporary road turnarounds (10.5m radius) where approved shall be graveled, oiled and the perimeter shall be post and cable fence at the time of construction and shall be paved prior to F.A.C (if required).
- 10. All Weather Access Roads are required prior to the release of Building permits.

All weather access includes the following minimum requirements:

- a. An engineered road base
- b. A stamped and signed letter from a registered Engineer confirming adequate construction of the road base
- c. Sidewalks, curb and gutter
- d. Approved access points and turn-around room for emergency vehicles
- e. An inspection by Engineering Services
- f. Roadway maintenance to the City's satisfaction

Refer to the *"City of Calgary Standard Specifications For Road Construction"* for detailed specifications.

7.2 Pavement Structure

- All pavement designs shall be submitted by the Developer to Engineering Services for approval. A qualified Professional Engineer shall prepare pavement designs based on the appropriate CBR and DTN values as per City of Calgary specifications, with a design life of FIFTEEN (15) years. All pavement designs shall consist of a minimum of TWO (2) lifts (with the exception of one lift only for back lanes), a base lift and a final lift (top lift) at the time of FAC. Pavement designs shall include a review of sub-grade drainage and/or water table conditions and shall provide recommendations for the use of continuous subdrains and separation membranes.
- 2. The asphalt concrete base lift shall be paved once a satisfactory granular base course is prepared. The granular base course shall be proof rolled and inspected by a qualified geotechnical engineer in the presence of a City representative within 24 hours of passing densities. Base course shall be sealed within 24 hours of proof roll passing. Failure to abide by the above will require retesting. The asphalt concrete surface lift shall be paved immediately prior to the FAC date, after all maintenance work is completed.
- 3. Positive drainage to the storm sewer system by means of catch basin or storm manhole weeper holes shall be provided from all granular bases.
- 4. Recycled concrete may be used as an alternate to pit run road base as approved by Engineering Services.

7.3 Asphalt Testing

- 1. All asphalt must meet City of Calgary specifications. Core sample testing shall be provided for all paving projects. The Consultant shall provide a minimum of ONE (1) representative test sample per 1000 square meters of paved area, or a minimum of TWO (2) test samples per day of paving. Core samples are required in order to determine full depth of Asphaltic Concrete has been achieved. All test results shall be clearly summarized in a report, certified by a Professional Geotechnical Engineer and submitted with CCC and FAC applications.
- 2. For longitudinal joints, the following shall apply:
 - 2.1 Longitudinal Joint Density
 - a. Informational tests
 - i. Perform joint density evaluations utilizing a nuclear densometer gauge while establishing the rolling pattern and verify that the joint density is no less than 90.0 % of Maximum Theoretical Density (MTD) for the Job Mix Formula (JMF) of the Hot Mix Asphalt utilized for the project, and on average no less than 91.0 % of MTD. Adjust the rolling pattern, if needed, to achieve the desired joint density. Perform additional joint density evaluations, at least once per sublot (day of paving), unless otherwise directed.
 - *ii.* The joint area is defined as the area within 300 mm of the longitudinal joint edge of the paving matt.
 - iii. Investigate potential joint density failures and take corrective actions during production and placement to improve the joint density. Suspend production if the evaluations on 2 consecutive sublots fail unless otherwise approved. Resume production after the Engineer approves changes to production or placement methods.
 - b. Record tests
 - i. For acceptance level testing utilizing a nuclear densometer gauge, it is required that correction factors are determined using the Alberta Transportation Test method ATT-48-95. Corrections can be made utilizing the acceptance cores obtained for measurement from within the paving matt.
 - *ii.* Please note that joint density measurements are to be recorded and reported separate from the internal matt core density measurements.
 - iii. Perform a joint density evaluation for each sublot (day of paving) at each pavement edge that is or will become a longitudinal joint. Determine the joint density utilizing a nuclear densometer gauge in accordance with ASTM D2950-14. Record the joint density information and submit results with the CCC and/or FAC compliance reports to the Engineer. The evaluation is considered failing for the project if the average joint density is less than 91.0 % of MTD and no individual test shall be less than 90.0 % of MTD. The Engineer may make independent joint density verifications at the random sample locations. The Engineer's joint density test results will be used when available.

- 2.2 Rectification for Non-Compliant Joint Densities
 - a. Field review to be conducted between the Engineer, Contractor, and Consultant. <u>Step 1</u> review and localize the joint area.
 - <u>Step 2</u> conduct field evaluation of joint area, focusing on visual condition (e.g. segregation, spalling/raveling).
 - <u>Step 3</u>* determine corrective measures to be taken, rectification options are as follows (This is highly dependent upon the combined factors of density measurement values and visual condition):
 - Establish an extended FAC maintenance and monitoring period.
 - Seal the joint area with a Fog Coat material (SS-1 or MC-30) as per Alberta Transportation Specification for Highway Construction, Section 3.19.
 - Remove and replace the joint area.

*The corrective action taken may be one of or a combination of the noted measures.

7.4 Traffic Calming

Where traffic calming includes 'pinch points', bollards must be installed at each curve radius. Decorative bollards may be required/approved by Engineering Services. All traffic-calming features are to have vertical face curb. Pinch points shall be a minimum 6.5m face of curb to face of curb. Alternative traffic calming measures are encouraged.

7.5 Sidewalks, Walkways and Pathways

- 1. Curbs shall be low profile except adjacent to reserve, commercial or industrial areas where standard curb shall be constructed. Both sides of all streets constructed shall be complete with low profile curb and gutter with a separate sidewalk or a monolithic curb, gutter and sidewalk unless otherwise approved by the City. Sidewalk is not a normal requirement in an industrial subdivision and shall only be provided in specific locations as may be requested by the City at the time of approval of construction plans and specifications.
- Typical sidewalk widths can be found on the standard line assignment drawings <u>"Line Assignments</u>" (Appendix A). Adjacent to school sites or commercial areas the width of the sidewalk shall be 2.0m.
- 3. FAC concrete replacement for separate walk and monowalk will be tied to existing sidewalk using epoxy coated rebar dowels. 10M rebar will be placed every 300mm, placed horizontally between new and existing sidewalk. Refer to "Drawings" (Appendix D) <u>Drawings R0007</u> and <u>R0008</u> for more information.
- 4. Construct granular base materials under curb and gutter and under monolithic sidewalk to 150mm behind the concrete structure.
- 5. A 100mm minimum base structure consisting of 20mm crushed road gravel shall be placed under the concrete walk, curb and gutter as outlined in "Drawings" (Appendix D) <u>Drawings R0005</u> and <u>R0006</u>.

- 6. Wheelchair ramps are required at all intersections, and at designated crosswalks.
- 7. Crosswalks are to be provided and shown on design plans at high profile intersections as required by the City. All required crosswalks shall be installed prior to applying for FAC.
- 8. Mid-block crossings are discouraged, however with approval from Engineering Services may be utilized. Upon approval, special treatment and consideration to pedestrians is required. Special treatment may include, but is not limited to paving stones, lighting, signage, landscaping, etc.
- 9. Pathways shall be constructed as per the "City of Airdrie Standard Landscape Guidelines and Specifications". Channelized drainage crossing pathways will not be approved. Drainage shall be via culvert or other piped method as approved by Engineering Services.

7.6 Road Markings

All road markings within the City shall be inlaid durable markings equivalent to Lafrentz System 400 and covered by a minimum TWO (2) year warranty period. Engineering Services will consider alternate solutions only upon viewing of samples and product information submissions.

7.7 Concrete

- 1. Concrete for all sidewalk and curb and gutter construction shall be Class "A". All concrete shall meet or exceed City of Calgary specifications. Higher concrete specifications may be applied at the discretion of Engineering Services on a site by site basis.
- 2. Concrete testing will be conducted as per the City of Calgary Specifications.

7.8 Road Crossings

Developed roads shall be returned to their original condition when it is necessary to excavate an existing road or lane for the purpose of providing a crossing for water or sewer main, gas main, telephone, cable, or other public utilities. Such excavations must be backfilled and compacted. All concrete, asphalt, landscaping and other disturbances shall be replaced in accordance with City of Airdrie Design Standards and Construction Specifications and to the satisfaction of the Engineering Services. Full time geotechnical testing, monitoring, and reporting are required for any such work.

1. For sites that require a Development Permit (not associated with the SSA), owner/contractor must complete an Application Authorizing Work on or Within a City of Airdrie Street or R.O.W. See <u>www.airdrie.ca</u> for more information.

8. SOUND AND SCREEN FENCE

Sound attenuation shall be in accordance with the City of Airdrie Transportation Noise Policy.

- 1. Sound fence shall be constructed as per the City of Calgary Standard Specifications with the following exceptions:
 - a. Sound fence is to be constructed entirely within the City road R.O.W.
- 2. Screen fence shall be located on Private property.

8.1 Sound Fence

The purpose of these standards and specifications is to ensure that the design and construction of traffic noise barriers is performed in a safe and costeffective way. The standards are organized into two main categories:

- 1. General Considerations, which apply to all potential new barrier designs and barrier replacements throughout the City; and,
- 2. Location-Specific Considerations, which are sub-categorized to specifications that apply to three categories of roadways: Gateway, Arterial, and Other. These categories are defined later in the document.

All noise barrier construction drawings must be stamped by a Professional Engineer licensed to practice in Alberta and are subject to approval by Engineering Services.

8.1.1 General Considerations

8.1.1.1 Safety/vehicle impacts

1. Will be designed in accordance with AASHTO's A Policy on Geometric Design of Highways and Streets, 7th Edition, commonly referred to as the Green Book. The Green Book contains the current design research and practices for highway and street geometric design. The 7th Edition presents an updated framework for geometric design that is more flexible, multimodal, and performance-based than in the past. It also provides guidance for unique design solutions that meet the needs of all highway and street users on a project-by-project basis. Not only are the traditional functional classifications for roadways (local roads and streets, collectors, arterials, and freeways) presented, but also an expanded set of context classifications (rural, rural town, suburban, urban, and urban core) to guide geometric

design. The completely rewritten Chapter 1: A New Framework for Geometric Design, introduces the updated approach to design, with specific design guidance throughout each chapter.

In general, no fixed objects shall be in the clear recovery area, determined by the design speed in accordance with the current edition of AASHTO's Green Book. When this is not possible, alternative options will be compliant with the AASHTO Green Book and are subject to approval by the City.

- 2. The designer will ensure that replacement materials are available to reconstruct the noise barrier with appropriate materials in the event of an accident.
- 8.1.1.2 Stopping sight distances

Stopping site distances will be designed to meet the geometric design standard currently in place by the City.

8.1.1.3 Provision for public transit and related access

Provisions for public and related transit access will be approved at the discretion of the City.

8.1.1.4 *Emergency access considerations*

Emergency access will be defined by the City as needed and must be planned in consultation with emergency service providers.

8.1.1.5 Absorptive versus reflective materials

Sound absorptive wall systems will be considered at the discretion of the City in areas where R.O.W. are narrow and walls are parallel to each other to avoid multiple barrier reflections, or when noise-sensitive areas on the opposite side may be negatively impacted by the placement of the new noise barrier. The application of absorptive barriers will be at the discretion of the acoustical consultant performing the assessment and subject to approval by the City.

8.1.1.6 Transparent noise barriers

The use of transparent barrier materials will be solely at the discretion of the City.

8.1.1.7 Required openings in barrier wall systems

Walls openings will be designed in order to not compromise the acoustical properties of the wall systems and will overlap where appropriate. Locations of required openings will be subject to approval by the City.

8.1.1.8 Lighting considerations

Required lighting on both sides of the wall needs to be checked to ensure that Illuminating Engineering Society of North America (IESNA) lighting design standards are met following the erection of any new noise barrier system.

8.1.1.9 Private backyard fence connections

All private fences must be extended if a standard privacy fence is to be replaced by a noise barrier. The length and type of fence used for the extension(s) shall be of a similar height and type as the existing fencing. Private fence connections to sound walls will be approved at the discretion of the City.

8.1.1.10 Wall columns and foundations

Noise barrier footings and posts will be designed to meet a reference wind pressure and must be designed to comply with the current versions of both the National and Alberta Building Codes, as well as the Canadian Bridge Design Code. The final construction drawings must be stamped by a Professional Engineer and final approval will be at the discretion of the City.

8.1.1.11 Drainage and utilities

Barrier foundations and embedment into the ground will be designed in such a way that they do not hinder existing surface drainage patterns and are compliant with the Alberta Water Act.

Barrier foundations must be designed to minimize conflict with underground utilities, and to meet the requirements of the local utilities.

8.1.1.12 Aesthetics

Paint and other aesthetic considerations will be given to the barrier designer. Some barriers may include artwork such as a mural to improve its appearance. The colour, material, and artistic nature of the barrier will be approved at the discretion of the City.

8.1.2 Location-Specific Considerations

The three main City "Locations" referenced below are as follows:

- 1. Gateway refers to key urban entry-points throughout the City and typically contains highway interchanges and high-volume arteries.
- 2. Arterial key routes that carry medium-to-high volumes of traffic adjacent to residential areas (i.e., 8th Street and Yankee Valley Blvd).
- 3. Other refers to rail corridors and other low-volume and low-velocity traffic routes.

8.1.2.1 Choice of materials

- 1. Gateway: Primarily will be made of pre-cast concrete or a pre-approved interlocking block system.
- 2. Arterial: either wood panel or concrete/interlocking block may be accepted. Wood is appropriate for barrier systems up to 2.4m tall, assuming it provides sufficient sound reduction for the location. Within the 2–3m height range the City will require a cost-benefit analysis for wood construction vs concrete/interlocking block before the barrier material is approved.
- 3. Other: wood construction will be accepted assuming it provides sufficient sound reduction for the location.
- 4. Consideration of materials would include meeting the lifecycle requirements outlined in the most current version of the City's Transportation Noise Policy.
- 5. In all locations only one wall system shall be used at each wall location. It is not acceptable to have a 2.4m wooden wall transition it to a 3m concrete block wall for example. If concrete is required for the 3m wall it must be used for the lower height wall as well.

8.1.2.2 Pre-manufactured systems/materials

Pre-manufactured systems will be accepted for Gateway and Arterial barrier locations, providing they are cost-effective in relation to wood barriers. In cases where the preliminary design assessment shows that future traffic volumes will increase in future such that the initial wall height will no longer be effective for noise reduction, or if an evolving construction approach is desired, a premanufactured system that has inherent design flexibility will be preferred. In some cases, if it is known that a higher wall will be required in the future, the footings and the posts must be overdesigned to accommodate the future height increase. If this is not done a complete reconstruction of the wall will be required in the future to increase the wall height at a greatly increased cost.

The City will have final approval for all noise barriers constructed on City R.O.W., including location, height and material type.

9. CLOSING OF ROADS

The Developer must apply in writing to Engineering Services to obtain permission for any closing of developed City streets. This application must be received prior to the proposed interruption, and the Developer is required to notify all residents, businesses, schools, affected by the interruption.

Traffic control for construction (i.e. road work, underground services, lane closures, etc.) and all related activities shall be in accordance with the *"Alberta Transportation, Traffic Accommodation in Work Zones"* or the *"City of Calgary "Temporary Traffic Control Manual"*. Any work on or beside a public road; will require submission of a traffic accommodation plan to the Engineering Services prior to construction for review. Engineering Services must accept the TAS and the contractor must provide SEVENTY-TWO (72) hours' notice before the implementation of any traffic accommodation strategy once it has been approved. Refer to <u>www.airdrie.ca</u> for a complete list of requirements.

10. STREET LIGHTING

Street lighting shall be arranged by the Developer to a standard of lighting in accordance with the *"Illuminating Engineering Society of North America (IESNA)"* for all street types. Street light cables shall be installed underground and an acceptable type of steel post with fixtures shall be provided. All street lighting and underground electrical power distributions systems are to be paid for by the Developer or constructed by the electrical franchisee pursuant to the "Investment Rate Option". The City shall approve the street lighting layout and line assignments prior to installation. Street lights shall be placed at locations not interfering with proposed driveways and in general, shall be located in line with the extension of common property lines between two lots. All street light fixtures must be approved by Fortis Alberta Inc.

Street lighting is required for all public roadways, including Green Street roadways (rows of homes that face onto Municipal Reserve land). Street lighting is not required for lanes.

11. TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNS AND STREET NAME DEVICE

Standards: Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices of Canada

Street Names: Refer to "City of Airdrie Policy P-9/2001" for more information.

11.1 Installation

Refer to "Subdivision Servicing Agreement" Section 2.15 for more information.

12. TRAFFIC SIGNALS

Traffic signals installations follow the "City of Airdrie Traffic Signal Specifications".

Developer obligations to financially contribute to the installation of traffic signals, as agreed upon in the local improvements section of the Subdivision Servicing Agreement must be coordinated with Engineering Services.

13. SHALLOW UTILITIES

The Developer shall arrange with the gas, power and telecommunications companies to have the respective services located or installed. The services shall be installed underground and the line assignments shall be submitted to and approved by Engineering Services. The Developer shall pay any cost for these services charged by the respective utility companies.

The Developer shall provide Utility Right of Ways (U/RWs) and register easements in the name of the City for the purpose of utility services of sufficient size and location to the satisfaction of the City.

U/RWs shall be 3.5m from property line unless there is a single utility, in which case, the U/RW will be 2.4m from property line (unless otherwise approved by Engineering Services).

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□ Sanitary Sewer / □ Storm Sewer

Subdivision:_____

Phase:_____

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including sanitary/storm) Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Compaction Reports Inspector's installation reports Detailed video inspection report 	 NOTE: Engineering Services requests one set of digital (CAD) drawings for review prior to final digital as- built profile submissions. Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Detailed video inspection report Mandrel report (if required) Declaration letter from the consultant confirming detailed review of CCTV video has occurred
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor – Equipped to remove/replace MH lids Water Services Representative (optional) 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor – Equipped to remove/replace MH lids Water Services Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 Collars are aligned Collars are grouted Steps are installed Offset steps installed (if required) Benching is completed on dead end invert Mains and services are trimmed and flush to barrels and grouted MH's are clean and free of debris (gravel, asphalt, garbage, etc.) 	 MH lids are "City of Airdrie" Collars are aligned Collars are grouted MH's are clean and free of debris (gravel, asphalt, garbage, etc.) Mains and services are trimmed and flush to barrels and grouted Other
Other	
Date:	Date:



Watermains and Hydrants

Subdivision:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:_Pha

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including water) Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Compaction Reports Inspector's installation reports Letter to Fire Chief Hydrostatic test results Health Unit test results 	 NOTE: Engineering Services requests one set of digital (CAD) drawings for review prior to final digital as- built profile submissions. Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative Water Services Representative (to turn valves) 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative Water Services Representative (to turn valves)
Field Items:	Field Items:
 All mains and hydrants All main and hydrant valves are accessible, operational (open CCW by Water Services) and complete with rods Valve dust caps and lids installed Valve rods have 2" top nut Hydrants installed at grade 	 All main and hydrant valves are accessible, operational (open CCW) and complete with rods Valve lids adjusted to grade, dust caps installed and casing clean Valve rods have 2" top nut Other
□ Other	
Date:	Date:



Sewer and Water Connections

Subdivision:______Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:______Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:_Ph

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

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CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including BGP) As-built AutoCAD point file with location and elevation of the service valves Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Compaction Reports Inspector's installation reports 	□ Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative Water Services Representative (optional) 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor – Equipped to remove/replace all curb stop caps Water Services Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 All services and curb stops are installed All curb stops are accessible and operational Other	 All curb stops installed at final grade All curb stops are accessible and operational Occupancy permits obtained for 75% of lots within phase Other
Date:	Date:



□ Sidewalks, Curb and Gutter / □ Catch Basins

Subdivision:______Phase:______

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the catch basins, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint first sidewalk curb and gutter inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including surface) Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Inspector's installation reports Compaction reports Concrete test results 	 Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Compaction reports (replacement work) Concrete test results (replacement work)
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Roads Representative (optional) Water Services Representative (optional) 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor – Equipped to string line for settlements Roads Representative Water Services Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 Sidewalk, curb and gutter installed as per design Catch basins installed at final grade, aligned and grouted Damaged collars, slab top, frame and cover replaced ICD's and sub-drains installed as per design Catch basins are clean and free of debris 	 Replace concrete deficiencies as identified on site Catch basins grouted Catch basins are clean and free of debris ICD's and sub-drains installed as per design Other
□ Other	
Date:	Date:



Overland Drainage

Subdivision:______Phase:______

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including surface) Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Inspectors installation reports Compaction reports Concrete test results 	 Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Compaction reports (replacement work) Concrete test results (replacement work)
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor – equipped with water truck Water Services Representative 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative Water Services Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 All swales are installed as per design, operational and clean of debris Water drainage slope test Grass swales are shaped correctly Other	 All swales are operational and clean of debris Grass swales are shaped correctly and established Other
Date:	Date:



🗆 Sound Fence / 🗆 Screen Fence

Subdivision:______Phase:_____Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:______Phase:______Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:_Phase

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Inspector's installation reports Concrete test results (if applicable) 	 Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Paint colours (name and code) sent to Parks Representative
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative Parks Representative 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative Parks Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 Alignment as per design Panel height and width as per design Columns centered on piles (if applicable) Major defects repaired (sections without paint, boards missing, major cracking) Bottom of fence +/- 50mm from finished grade Fence elevation exceeds overland drainage infrastructure (if applicable) Other 	 Esthetics intact (paint, chips, cracks) Finished grade for applicable stage of construction Fence elevation exceeds overland drainage infrastructure (if applicable) Bottom of fence +/- 50mm from finished grade Other

Date:_____ Date:_____



Paved Lanes / Graveled Lanes

Subdivision:______Phase:______

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including surface) Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Inspector's installation reports Compaction reports Asphalt test results (Marshall analysis and core tests) Proof-roll sign off sheet 	 Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Asphalt test results (Marshall analysis and thickness cores)
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Roads Representative (optional) 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Roads Representative Water flow test for lanes under 2% longitudinal slope
Field Items:	Field Items:
 No Segregation Smoothness and slope as per design Continuous bond at Longitudinal and Transverse Joints MH and CB adjustments are completed as per specification MH's, CB's and valves are clean of asphalt Other	 No Segregation Smoothness and slope as per design Continuous bond at Longitudinal and Transverse Joints Manholes, catch basins, valves and all other appurtenances are at finished grade MH and CB adjustments are completed as per specification MH's, CB's and valves are clean of asphalt Other
Date:	Date:

AIRDRIE	Proof Roll Sign-off Sheet
COMMUNITY & OPPORTUNITY	□ Sub-grade / □ Base
Subdivision:	Phase:
Developer:	
Consulting Engineer:	
The consulting engineer shall repairs are complete and the scheduled.	proof roll with contractor, and record and repair any deficiencies. After consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections, a joint inspection can be
Start Time:	Stop Time:
Equipment Used:	
Area Rolled:	
Station:	To Station:
Failures:	
Station:	To Station:
Cause of Failure	
Method of Correction:	
Remarks:	
	Consultant Site Inspector:
	Geotechnical Engineer:
	City of Airdrie Representative:



Paved Roads

Subdivision:______Phase:______

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including surface) Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Inspector's installation reports Compaction reports Asphalt test results (Marshall analysis and core tests) Proof-roll sign off sheet Email Signing request to Roads 	 Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Asphalt test results (Marshall analysis and thickness cores)
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Roads Representative (optional) 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Roads Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 No Segregation Smoothness and slope as per design Continuous bond at Longitudinal and Transverse Joints MH and CB adjustments are completed as per specification MH's, CB's and valves are clean of asphalt Other	 No Segregation Smoothness and slope as per design Continuous bond at Longitudinal and Transverse Joints Manholes, catch basins, valves and all other appurtenances are at finished grade MH and CB adjustments are completed as per specification MH's, CB's and valves are clean of asphalt Other
Date:	Date:

AIRDRIE	Proof Roll Sign-off Sheet
COMMUNITY & OPPORTUNITY	Li Sub-grade / Li Base
Subdivision:	Phase:
Developer:	
Consulting Engineer:	
The consulting engineer shall repairs are complete and the scheduled.	proof roll with contractor, and record and repair any deficiencies. After consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections, a joint inspection can be
Start Time:	Stop Time:
Equipment Used:	
<u>Area Rolled:</u>	
Station:	To Station:
<u>Failures:</u>	
Station:	To Station:
Cause of Failure:	
Method of Correction:	
Remarks:	
	Consultant Site Increatory
	Geotechnical Engineer:
	City of Airdria Paprosantativa:



Bridges

Subdivision:______Phase:______

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Construction Summary Report Inspection Reports Supplier lists Operations and Maintenance Manuals System capabilities Compaction reports Asphalt test results (Marshall analysis) Concrete test results Operational Information and manuals Maintenance requirements (routine, event driven, etc.) Operating levels (high water/low water etc.) Level 1 Bridge Inspection Completed by an Alberta Transportation certified inspector Bridge Registration (Alberta Transportation) 	 Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Asphalt test results (Marshall analysis and thickness cores) Concrete test results Level 1 Bridge Inspection (If FAC site inspection surpasses 28 months)
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Roads Representative (optional) 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Roads Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
□ As per Level 1 Bridge Inspection	□ As per Level 1 Bridge Inspection
Other	Other
Date:	Date:



□ Irrigation Supply Line □ Irrigation Distribution Line □ Intake Line

Subdivision: _____ Phase: _____

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets (including surface/storm/sanitary/water/BGP) Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Inspector's installation reports Pressure test results Compaction reports Concrete test results Operations and Maintenance Manuals Electrical Schematics 	 NOTE: Engineering Services requests one set of digital (CAD) drawings for review prior to final digital as- built profile submissions. Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Second pressure test results (if required) Water quality performance data for irrigation
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative (Optional) Parks Representative Water Services Representative 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Representative (Optional) Parks Representative Water Services Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 All valves are accessible, operational and to final grade for current stage of construction (Supply Line / Intake Line) System drains back to storm pond (demonstrated) Intake Screen self-cleaning operation is demonstrated Distribution Line – checklist as supplied by Parks 	 All valves are accessible, operational and to final grade (Supply Line / Intake Line) System drains back to storm pond (demonstrated) Intake Screen self-cleaning operation is demonstrated Distribution Line – checklist as supplied by Parks Other
□ Other	
Date:	Date:



□ Stormwater Retention Facilities

Subdivision:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:______Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:_____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:____Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:___Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:__Phase:_Pha

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE	FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE
Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built coversheets Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Cross section of retention pond (representative of pond depth Compaction reports Concrete test results (if applicable) Inspector's installation reports 	 Digital (CAD) copy of all final as-built profile sheets Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Surveyed cross section of retention pond (corresponding to locations from CCC)
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Parks Representative Water Services Representative 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor Parks Representative Water Services Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
□ List supplied by Water Services	□ List supplied by Water Services
□ Other	□ Other
Date:	Date:



Storm Irrigation Pump Station

Subdivision: Phase:

Developer:_____

Consulting Engineer:_____

The consulting engineer shall inspect the utility, record and report to the City any deficiencies and advise the contractor to repair them. After repairs are complete and the consulting engineer is satisfied with corrections and field items below, a joint inspection can be scheduled.

CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION CERTIFICATE FINAL ACCEPTANCE CERTIFICATE

Documentation Requirements:	Documentation Requirements:
 Digital (CAD) copy of all as-built plans Three copies of the CCC applications with reduced plans Compaction Reports Concrete test results Inspector's installation reports Operations and Maintenance Manual(s) Electrical Schematic(s) 	 Three copies of the FAC applications with reduced plans Digital (CAD) copy of current operational parameters for maintenance FAC's for Landscaping sent to Parks FAC's for Screen Fence sent to Parks Water quality performance data for irrigation
Inspection Requirements:	Inspection Requirements:
 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor (Optional) Parks Representative Water Services Representative 	 Engineering Services Representative Consultant Representative Contractor (Optional) Parks Representative Water Services Representative
Field Items:	Field Items:
 Operational Training (Start-up / Winterization) for City Staff Other 	 Operational Training (Start-up / Winterization) for City Staff All equipment is tested, functioning properly and is in good working order Electrical schematics match site installation Other
Date:	Date:

Appendix C – Local Improvements Maintenance Periods

SCHEDULE "D" - LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS MAINTENANCE PERIODS

Subject to SCHEDULE "G" – LOCAL IMPROVEMENT COMPLETION

1.1 LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS MAINTENANCE PERIODS

1.2 Sanitary Sewers

The maintenance period for Sanitary Sewers shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC.

1.3 Storm Sewers

The maintenance period for Storm Sewers shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC.

1.4 Water Mains & Hydrants

The maintenance period for Water Mains and Hydrants shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC.

1.5 Sewer & Water Connections

Typically, the maintenance period for Sewer and Water Connections shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC; however, the Developer's obligations for maintenance in respect to water and sewer connections shall not terminate until THIRTY (30) days after the granting by the Municipality, of occupancy permits, pursuant to the Alberta Safety Codes Act Regulations, for buildings on SEVENTY-FIVE percent (75%) of the lots created by the subdivision.

1.6 Sidewalks, Curbs, Gutters and Catch Basins

The maintenance period for Sidewalks, Curbs, Gutters and Catch Basins shall be TWO (2) winter seasons from signing of the CCC, provided that requested documentation and reports are provided within TWO (2) months of the date of inspection. Additionally, the developer shall be responsible for any and all repairs and replacements necessitated by builder damage to sidewalks, curbs and gutters (after the acknowledgement of the FAC as outlined in Article 5.00).

To secure the performance of its obligation to repair building damage to sidewalks, curbs and gutters (when located adjacent to undeveloped lots (occupancy has not been issued) requiring building, driveway or landscape construction) that occurs after the acknowledgement of the FAC for the same, the Developer may choose either:

- a) To continue to maintain and repair the said sidewalks, curbs and gutters following the acknowledgment of the FAC and provide security to the City (that the City will be entitled to use in the event of a default of the obligation to maintain and repair) in the amount of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500) per undeveloped lot prior to the acknowledgement of the FAC. These securities will not be released until development of the adjacent lot is completed and all repairs to the said sidewalks, curbs and gutters have been completed to the satisfaction of the City; or
- b) To cease to maintain and repair the said sidewalks, curbs and gutters following the acknowledgement of the FAC. The City will assume the maintenance of the said sidewalks, curbs and gutters, and the developer shall pay to the City ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000) per undeveloped lot. The City will be entitled to keep this payment regardless of whether any or all of it is expended by the City for said maintenance and repair.

1.7 Paved Roads, Lanes and Walkways (excepting Top Lift)

The maintenance period for Paved Roads, Lanes and Walkways is to be a period of TWO (2) years [TWO (2) winter seasons] from signing of the CCC.

Major road standard at any time: TWO (2) years limited to installation work and performance of materials. The developer shall be responsible for correction of defects arising from accidental damage or damage caused by settlement, subsidence or failure of the carriageway on which the surfacing material has been laid. *FAC site inspection for Paved Roads will not be granted between October 31 and May 1.*

Roads other than major road standard after September 15: ONE (1) year limited to installation work and performance of materials, excluding third party damage or settlements.

1.8 Graveled Lanes

The maintenance period for Graveled Lanes shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC. Including but not limited to manhole frames and covers, watermain and hydrant valves and valve operating mechanisms, cathodic test points, water service connection valves and valve operating mechanisms, and catch basin leads installed in these lanes.

If the developer fails to obtain the FAC prior to the onset of the Second Winter Season following the installation of the infrastructure located underground, the Developer shall reshape lanes to the design grades and slopes, gravel where necessary, repair and adjust manholes, hydrants and all valves, cathodic protection test points, catch basin leads provided that:

- a) A minimum of SEVENTY-FIVE percent (75%) of the lots in the development area that are lane serviced all have underground services installed by the developer, natural gas provider, electrical, telephone and cable service providers, and
- b) No single lane has less than FIFTY percent (50%) of all the house services installed.

1.9 Overland Drainage Facilities

The maintenance period for Overland Drainage Facilities shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC.

1.10 Landscaping

The maintenance period for Landscaping shall be a period of ONE (1) growing season, to include ONE (1) winter season, from signing of the CCC, unless otherwise specified in the "*City of Airdrie Standard Landscape Guidelines and Specifications*". As-built information is to be submitted showing the approved surface contours are met.

1.11 Pumping Stations and Pressure Control Facilities

The maintenance period for Pumping Stations and Pressure Control Facilities shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC.

1.12 Stormwater Management Facilities (Wet and Dry Ponds, Constructed Wetlands)

The maintenance period for stormwater management facilities shall be a period of FOUR (4) years from signing of the CCC. If a stormwater management facility abuts a Municipal Reserve parcel, the Municipal Reserve portion of the site lying outside of the High Water Level of the storm management facility shall be subject to a maintenance period of ONE (1) growing season, to include ONE (1) winter season, from the signing of the CCC, following a satisfactory catch of all plant material. If during the four-year Maintenance schedule applicable to the stormwater management facility any deficiency that includes the MR area (even after MR FAC) this portion shall be subject to the same four-year Maintenance schedule as applies to the stormwater management facility. This additional Maintenance schedule may be reduced at the option of the City upon being satisfied with the repairs to the Municipal Reserve site.



1.13 Stormwater Irrigation Supply Line and Distribution Line

The maintenance period for the Stormwater Irrigation Supply Line and Distribution Line shall consist of ONE (1) summer of operation, ONE (1) winterization and shutdown and ONE (1) spring startup operation from the signing of the CCC.

1.14 Stormwater Irrigation Pump Station

The maintenance period for the Stormwater Irrigation Pump Station (including Intake Line) shall be a period of TWO (2) years from signing of the CCC.

1.15 Bridges

The maintenance period for a bridge shall be a period of TWO (2) years from signing of the CCC.

1.16 Sound Fence

The maintenance period for sound fence shall be a period of ONE (1) year from signing of the CCC.

Appendix D - Drawings

WATER:

W0001 - Standard Water Valve

SANITARY:

- S0001 Standard Sanitary Manhole Cover
- S0002 Sanitary Test Manhole
- S0003 Interior Drop Manhole

STORM:

- ST0001 Storm Manhole Cover
- ST0002 Standard Catch Basin with Sump

IRRIGATION:

- IR0001 Air/Vacuum Relief Valve for Irrigation Main
- **IR0002A** 50mm Water Service Plan
- IR0002B 50mm Water Service Elevation
- IR0003A 100mm Water Service Plan
- IR0003B 100mm Water Service Elevation
- IR0004 Controller Cabinet
- IR0005A 100mm Irrigation Vault Plan
- IR0005B 100mm Irrigation Vault Detail
- **IR0005C** 100mm Irrigation Vault Detail
- IR0005D 100mm Irrigation Vault Detail
- **IR0005E** 100mm Irrigation Vault Detail

ROADWAYS:

- R0001 Rural Crossing
- R0005 Separate Sidewalk
- R0006 Monolithic Sidewalk
- R0007 Repair of Separate Sidewalk
- R0008 Repair of Monolithic Sidewalk
- R0009 Utility Trench / Surface Restoration














































Appendix E – Design Guidelines for Irrigation Pump Stations

Parameter	Limit
Sodium Absorption Ratio (SAR)	< 5
Electrical Conductivity	<1 dS/m
рН	6.5 to 8.5
Iron	5mg/L
Turbidity	< 50 NTU (unless UV filter is less – i.e., 5 NTU)
Manganese	< 200 μg/L
Total Suspended Solids (TSS)	10 mg/L
Alkalinity (as CaCO3)	< 20 mg/L
Total Microcysten	≤ 20 μm/L
Cyanobacteria	≤ 100,000 cells/mL
Fecal Coliform/E. Coli	< 200 CFU/100 mL
Hardness	≤ 275mg/L (unless UV or MIR requires a lower limit)

Non – Potable Water Testing Parameters