

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATION

Vegetated Treatment Area, CODE 635

1. Applicability

This specification is applicable for the construction of an area of permanent vegetation used for agricultural wastewater treatment.

2. Items to be included in the "ITEMS OF WORK AND CONSTRUCTION DETAILS" or on the Construction Drawings.

- a. Critical construction perimeters, necessary construction sequence, vegetation establishment requirements, level spreader mechanism requirements, associated practices and agronomic nutrient removal.
- b. Details of the length, width, and slope of the treatment area to accomplish the planned purpose (length refers to flow length down the slope of the treatment area).
- c. Herbaceous species, seed selection, and seeding rates to accomplish the planned purpose.
- d. Planting dates, care, and handling of the seed to ensure that planted materials have an acceptable rate of survival.
- e. Site preparation sufficient to establish and grow selected species.