

STATEMENT OF WORK

Pond Sealing or Lining (521a, b, c, and d)

These deliverables apply to this individual practice. For other planned practice deliverables refer to those specific Statements of Work.

DESIGN

Deliverables

1. Design documentation that will demonstrate that the criteria in NRCS practice standard have been met and are compatible with other planned and applied practices.
 - a. Practice purpose(s) as identified in the conservation plan.
 - b. List of required permits to be obtained by the client.
 - c. Compliance with NRCS national and state utility safety policy (NEM Part 503-Safety, Subpart A – Engineering Activities Affecting Utilities, Section Section 503.00 through 503.22 and NE503.02(d)).
 - d. Practice standard criteria related computations and analyses to develop plans and specifications including but not limited to:
 - i. Hydrogeology
 - ii. Type of Liner
 - iii. Liner design calculations
 - iv. Application Rate, Compaction Requirements and/or Liner Thickness
 - v. Liner Protection
 - vi. Liner material testing and post construction testing requirements.
2. Written plans and specifications including sketches and drawings shall be provided to the client that adequately describes the requirements to install the practice and obtain necessary permits.
3. Design Report and Inspection Plan as appropriate (NEM Part 511, Subpart B Documentation, 511.11 and Part 512, Subpart D Quality Assurance Activities, 512.30 through 512.32 and NE512.32(b)).
4. Operation and maintenance plan.
5. Certification that the design meets practice standard criteria and complies with applicable laws and regulations (NEM Subpart A, 505.03(b)(2))
6. Design modifications during installation as required.

INSTALLATION

Deliverables

1. Pre-installation conference with client and contractor.
2. Verification that client has obtained required permits.
3. Staking and layout according to plans and specifications including applicable layout notes.
4. Installation inspection.
 - a. Actual materials used
 - b. Inspection records
 - c. Liner testing
5. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer.
6. Advise client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during installation.
7. Certification that the installation process and materials meet design and permit requirements (for guidance, see NEM Subpart A, 505.03(c)(1)).

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CHECK OUT

Deliverables:

1. As-built documentation
 - a. Extent of practice units applied
 - b. Drawings
 - c. Final quantities
2. Certification that the installation meets NRCS standards and specifications and is in compliance with permits (NEM Subpart A, 505.03(c)(1))
3. Progress reporting.

REFERENCES

- Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV, Conservation Practice Standard, Pond Sealing or Lining - 521abc.
- National Engineering Manual
- NRCS National Environmental Compliance Handbook
- NRCS Cultural Resources Handbook