

TRAILS AND WALKWAYS

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF SPECIFICATION 575

1. APPLICABILITY

Specification PA575 is applicable to installation of trails and walkways.

2. ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN SECTION 8 AND/OR DRAWINGS

a. Material requirements, including but not limited to:

(1) Specify location, type, dimensions, and quantity of aggregate(s) required.

(2) Surface material. Include special requirements such as minimum of 15% passing the #100 sieve for 2RC or AASHTO/PennDOT No. 10, or required lime or cement additions to the Coal Combustion By-Products (CCB).

(3) Minimum requirements for non-woven geotextile are shown in the specification to provide separation between the foundation and the base course. If site conditions warrant, change this in Section 8 or the drawings.

(4) Specify the type, size, and quality of pipe(s) required.

(5) If wood other than AWPA C16 pressure treated is acceptable or required, specify in Section 8 or the drawings.

(6) Add any other material requirements that are applicable & not covered by other specs.

- b. Designate any pre-determined disposal, spoil, and/or topsoil stockpile areas.
- c. Specify the compaction requirements (moisture, equipment, passes, method, etc.) for earth fill and aggregates.
- d. Designate borrow areas outside the excavation where applicable.
- e. Designate locations, types, sizes, inlet, and outlet provisions for all required surface and subsurface drainage.
- f. If geotextiles are required, indicate location, extent, lapping and anchoring details if other than manufacturer recommendations.
- g. If there is to be a base and/or binder course, indicate locations and dimensions
- h. Specify surface material by location and dimensions.
- i. Reference to other practice specifications (e.g. PA561, PA578, PA528, PA472, PA382), if applicable.
- j. Erosion and sediment control.
- k. Vegetative requirements, including PA342, if needed.