

# CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

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Alan Varela, Director



Mayor Timothy M. Keller

December 13, 2022

Verlyn Miller, P.E.  
Miller Engineering Consultants, Inc  
3500 Comanche NE Bldg. F  
Albuquerque, NM 87107

**RE: Explore Academy - Addition  
6600 Gulton Ct NE  
Grading & Drainage Plans  
Engineer's Stamp Date: 12/12/22  
Hydrology File: E17D012**

Dear Mr. Miller:

PO Box 1293

Based upon the information provided in your submittal received 11/15/2022, the Grading & Drainage Plan is approved for Building Permit and Grading Permit. Please attach a copy of this approved plan in the construction sets for Building Permit processing along with a copy of this letter.

Albuquerque

**PRIOR TO CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY:**

NM 87103

1. Engineer's Certification, per the DPM Part 6-14 (F): *Engineer's Certification Checklist For Non-Subdivision* is required.
2. Please provide the executed paper Drainage Covenant (latest revision) printed on one-side only with Exhibit A and a check for **\$25.00** made out to "**Bernalillo County**" for the stormwater quality ponds per Article 6-15(C) of the DPM to Hydrology for review at Plaza de Sol. Once the review is done, Hydrology will send back an email stating our approval/comments.
3. Please pay the Payment-in-Lieu of **\$ 5,320.00** by emailing the attached approved Waiver Application from Stormwater Quality Volume Management On-site to [PLNDRS@cabq.gov](mailto:PLNDRS@cabq.gov). Once this is received, a receipt will then produce and email back with instructions on how to pay online. Once paid, please email me proof of payment.

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As a reminder, if the project total area of disturbance (including the staging area and any work within the adjacent Right-of-Way) is 1 acre or more, then an Erosion and Sediment Control (ESC) Plan and Owner's certified Notice of Intent (NOI) is required to be submitted to the Stormwater Quality Engineer (Doug Hughes, PE, [jhughes@cabq.gov](mailto:jhughes@cabq.gov), 924-3420) 14 days prior to any earth disturbance.

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If you have any questions, please contact me at 924-3995 or [rbrissette@cabq.gov](mailto:rbrissette@cabq.gov).

Sincerely,

*Renée C. Brissette*

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## DRAINAGE AND TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION SHEET (REV 11/2018)

**Project Title:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Building Permit #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Hydrology File #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DRB#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EPC#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work Order#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Legal Description:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Owner:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TYPE OF SUBMITTAL:** \_\_\_\_\_ PLAT (\_\_\_# OF LOTS) \_\_\_\_\_ RESIDENCE \_\_\_\_\_ DRB SITE \_\_\_\_\_ ADMIN SITE

**IS THIS A RESUBMITTAL?:** \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**DEPARTMENT:** \_\_\_\_\_ TRAFFIC/ TRANSPORTATION \_\_\_\_\_ HYDROLOGY/ DRAINAGE

Check all that Apply:

**TYPE OF SUBMITTAL:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGINEER/ARCHITECT CERTIFICATION
- \_\_\_\_\_ PAD CERTIFICATION
- \_\_\_\_\_ CONCEPTUAL G & D PLAN
- \_\_\_\_\_ GRADING PLAN
- \_\_\_\_\_ DRAINAGE MASTER PLAN
- \_\_\_\_\_ DRAINAGE REPORT
- \_\_\_\_\_ FLOODPLAIN DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLIC
- \_\_\_\_\_ ELEVATION CERTIFICATE
- \_\_\_\_\_ CLOMR/LOMR
- \_\_\_\_\_ TRAFFIC CIRCULATION LAYOUT (TCL)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TRAFFIC IMPACT STUDY (TIS)
- \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER (SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ PRE-DESIGN MEETING?

**TYPE OF APPROVAL/ACCEPTANCE SOUGHT:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ BUILDING PERMIT APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY
- \_\_\_\_\_ PRELIMINARY PLAT APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ SITE PLAN FOR SUB'D APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ SITE PLAN FOR BLDG. PERMIT APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ FINAL PLAT APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ SIA/ RELEASE OF FINANCIAL GUARANTEE
- \_\_\_\_\_ FOUNDATION PERMIT APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ GRADING PERMIT APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ SO-19 APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ PAVING PERMIT APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ GRADING/ PAD CERTIFICATION
- \_\_\_\_\_ WORK ORDER APPROVAL
- \_\_\_\_\_ CLOMR/LOMR
- \_\_\_\_\_ FLOODPLAIN DEVELOPMENT PERMIT
- \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER (SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE SUBMITTED:** \_\_\_\_\_ **By:** \_\_\_\_\_

COA STAFF:

ELECTRONIC SUBMITTAL RECEIVED: \_\_\_\_\_

FEE PAID: \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE  
PLANNING DEPARTMENT  
HYDROLOGY DEVELOPMENT SECTION**

**WAIVER APPLICATION FROM STORMWATER  
QUALITY VOLUME MANAGEMENT ON-SITE**

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**GENERAL INFORMATION**

APPLICANT: EXPLORE ACADEMY FOUNDATION      DATE: 12-13-2022

DEVELOPMENT: Explore Academy Albuquerque

LOCATION: 6605 Gulton Ct. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109

\*3-C A REPLAT LOT 3 INTERSTATE INDUSTRIAL TRACT UNIT II

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**STORMWATER QUALITY POND VOLUME**

Per the DPM Article 6-12 - Stormwater Quality and Low-Impact Development, the calculated sizing for required Stormwater Quality Pond volume is equal to the impervious area draining to the BMP multiplied by 0.42 inches for new development sites and by 0.26 inches for redevelopment sites.

The required volume is 1115 cubic feet

The provided volume is 450 cubic feet

The deficient volume is 665 cubic feet

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**WAIVER JUSTIFICATION**

Per the DPM Article 6-12(C), private off-site mitigation and payment-in-lieu may only be considered if management on-site is waived in accordance with the following criteria and procedures.

1. Management on-site shall be waived by the City Engineer if the following conditions are met:

- a. Stormwater quality can be effectively controlled through private off-site mitigation or through an arrangement (approved by the City) to use a cooperator's existing regional stormwater management infrastructure or facilities that are available to control stormwater quality.
  - b. Any of the following conditions apply:
    - i. The lot is too small to accommodate management on site while also accommodating the full plan of development.
    - ii. The soil is not stable as demonstrated by a geotechnical report certified by a professional engineer licensed in the State of New Mexico.
    - iii. The site use is inconsistent with the capture and reuse of stormwater.
    - iv. Other physical conditions exist where compliance with on-site stormwater quality control leaves insufficient area.
    - v. Public or private off-site facilities provide an opportunity to effectively accomplish the mitigation requirements of the Drainage Ordinance (Part 14-5-2 ROA 1994) as demonstrated on as-built construction drawings and an approved drainage report.
    - vi. The developer constructs a project to replenish regional groundwater supplies at an off-site location.
    - vii. A waiver to State water law or acquisition of water rights would be required in order to implement management on site.
2. The basis for requesting payment-in-lieu or private off-site mitigation is to be clearly demonstrated on the drainage plan.

This project's justification: \_\_\_\_\_

The site is currently developed and there are limited areas available for a water quality pond as a part of the  
\_\_\_\_\_ redevelopment of this site. As such, the owner is requesting to make payment in lieu of water quality ponding for this project.  
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Professional Engineer or Architect

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**PAYMENT-IN-LIEU**

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Per the DPM Article 6-12(C)(1), the amount of payment-in-lieu is deficient volume (cubic feet) times \$6 per cubic feet for detached single-family residential projects or \$8 per cubic feet for all other projects.

AMOUNT OF PAYMENT-IN-LIEU = \$ 5,320.00

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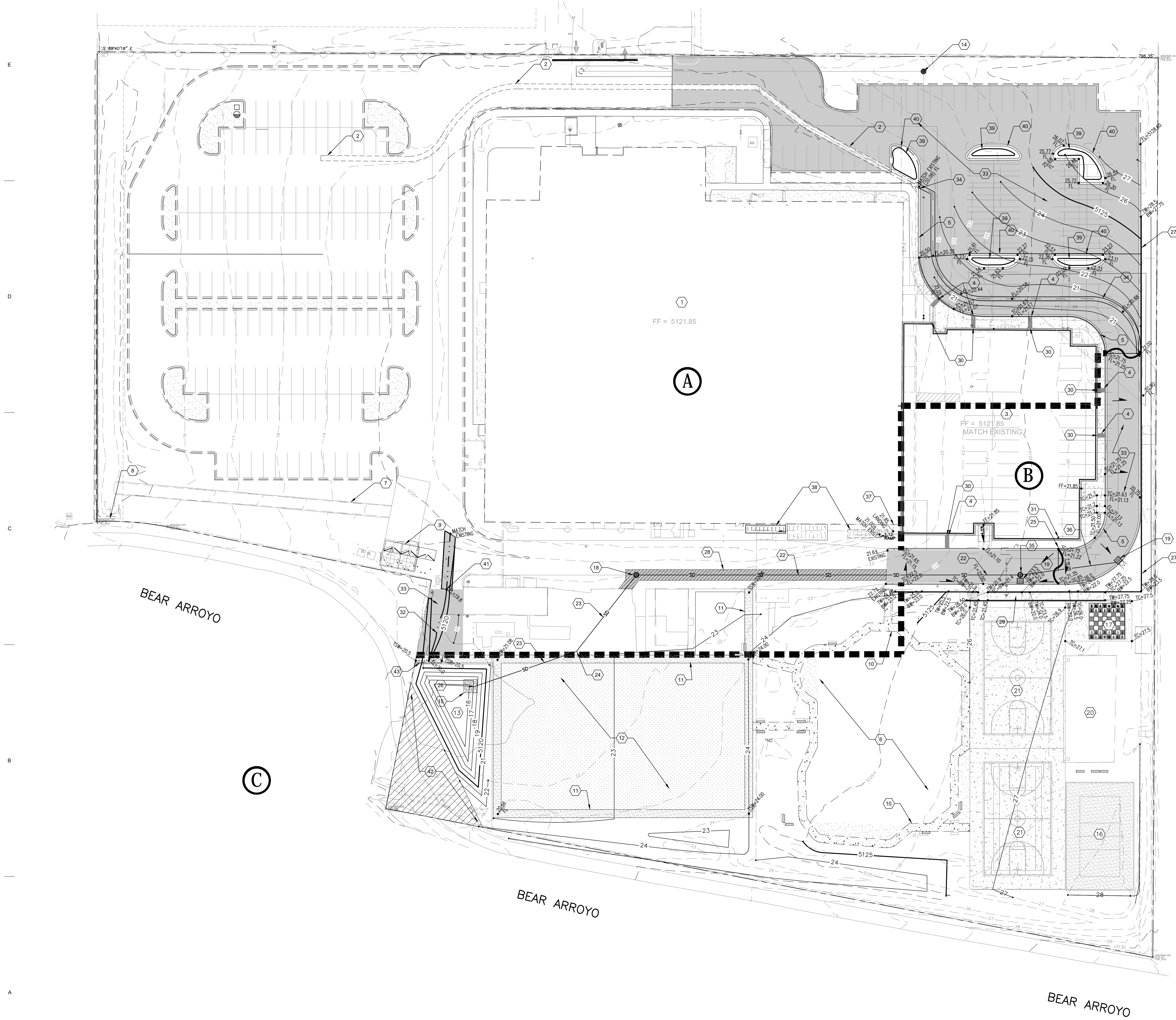
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- Waiver is approved. The amount of payment-in-lieu from above must be paid prior to Certificate of Occupancy.
  
- Waiver is DENIED.

*Renée C. Brissette* 12/13/22  
City of Albuquerque  
Hydrology Section





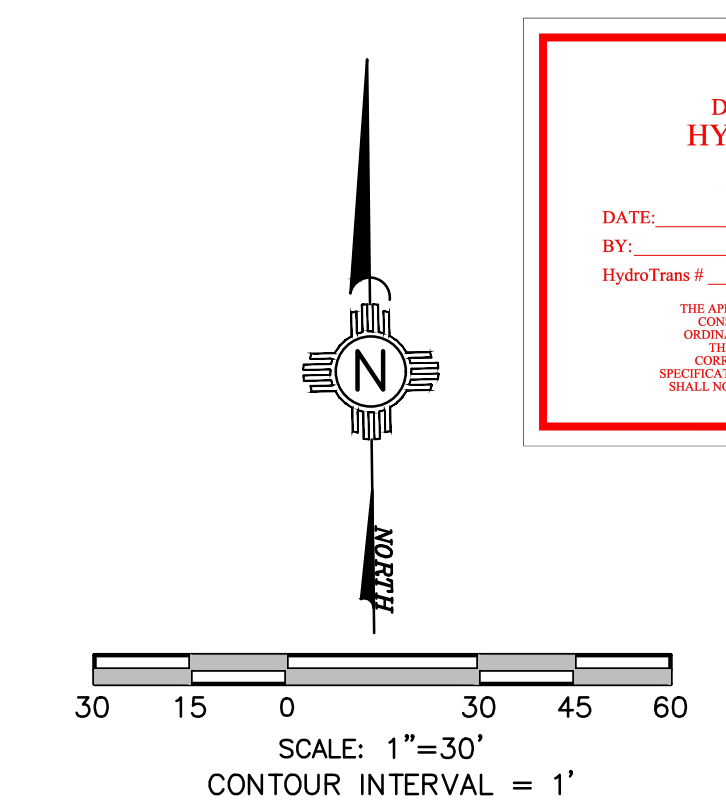
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- 5895 EXISTING MAJOR CONTOUR
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- BASIN BOUNDARY
- (B) BASIN DESIGNATION

**KEYED NOTES:**

1. EXISTING BUILDING TO REMAIN.
2. EXISTING 4" CONCRETE VALLEY GUTTER TO REMAIN.
3. PROPOSED GYM AND CLASSROOM ADDITION.
4. NEW 12" WIDE SIDEWALK CULVERT. SEE DETAIL SHEET C1/C-505.
5. NEW CURB AND GUTTER. SEE ARCHITECTURAL DETAILS.
6. EXISTING PLAYGROUND TO REMAIN.
7. EXISTING ASPHALT RUNDOWN TO REMAIN.
8. EXISTING 48" CMP TO BEAR ARROYO CHANNEL.
9. EXISTING TRASH DUMPSTER AND DRIVE PAD TO REMAIN.
10. EXISTING CONCRETE SIDEWALK TO REMAIN.
11. NEW 6" WIDE GRAVEL PATHWAY.
12. NEW GRASS PLAYGROUND AREA.
13. NEW WATER HARVEST POND. SEE DETAIL SHEET C2/C-505.
14. SANITARY SEWER MANHOLE PER DETAIL A1/C-505.
15. 12" LOOSE RIP-RAP. SEE DETAIL SHEET C1/C-505.
16. NEW VOLLEY BALL COURT.
17. NEW CHESS BOARD AREA.
18. 4" DIAMETER STORM DRAIN MANHOLE PER DETAIL A1/C-505. INV=17.43.
19. TYPE "D" (MEDIA TYPE) STORM DRAINAGE CATCH BASIN PER DETAIL A5/C-505.
20. EXISTING OVERHEAD CANOPY TO REMAIN.
21. NEW CONCRETE BASKETBALL COURT.
22. 18" HDPE STORM DRAIN LINE INSTALLED PER DETAIL D3/C-505.
23. 24" HDPE STORM DRAIN LINE INSTALLED PER DETAIL D3/C-505.
24. 24"x45" HDPE STORM DRAIN BEND.
25. CONNECT NEW 6" HDPE STORM DRAIN LINE TO BUILDING ROOF DRAIN.
26. HDPE END SECTION INSTALLED PER DETAIL D5/C-503.
27. NEW RETAINING WALL. SEE STRUCTURAL DETAILS.
28. SAWCUT TO A CLEAN STRAIGHT EDGE, REMOVE AND REPLACE EXISTING ASPHALT IN THIS AREA. MATCH EXISTING ELEVATIONS.
29. NEW ACCESS ROUTE TO PLAYGROUND AREA. SEE ARCHITECTURAL PLANS FOR DETAILS.
30. DOWNSPOUT LOCATIONS. SEE ARCHITECTURAL SHEET A-106.
31. ROOF DRAIN LOCATION. SEE ARCHITECTURAL SHEET A-106.
32. POND OVERFLOW SWALE LOCATION. GRADE TO DRAIN NORTH.
33. NEW ASPHALT PAVEMENT PER DETAIL E2/C-502.
34. NEW 3" WIDE CONCRETE VALLEY GUTTER. S=0.35%. SEE DETAIL SHEET E1/C-505.
35. NEW 4" DIAMETER STORM DRAIN MANHOLE PER DETAIL A1/C-501R. INV (E)=18.30, INV (W)=18.25, INV (S)=18.30.
36. 12" HDPE STORM DRAIN LINE INSTALLED PER DETAIL D3/C-505.
37. 6"x10" EMERGENCY EXIT CONCRETE LANDING AT DOOR WITH A 5' WIDE CONCRETE RAMP @ 1:12 MAX. SLOPE TO WEST. MATCH EXISTING ELEVATIONS.
38. MOVE EXISTING BICYCLE RACK TO NEW LOCATION TO MAKE ROOM FOR NEW RAMP. SEE ARCHITECTURAL FOR DETAILS.
39. NEW SWQ POND (5 TYPICAL) WITH 6" INCHES OF DEPTH.
40. PLACE 6" CURB CUTS AT 5' ON CENTER ON UP STREAM SIDE SO RUNOFF CAN ENTER WATER HARVEST AREAS.
41. SAW CUT TO A CLEAN STRAIGHT LINE 8' WIDTH OF EXISTING HMA AND REMOVE TO INCORPORATE SWALE.
42. EXISTING AMAFCA EASEMENT.
43. NEW 20"x6" WIDE CONCRETE OVERFLOW SPILLWAY FROM POND. SEE DETAIL ON SHEET C-200.

NOTE:  
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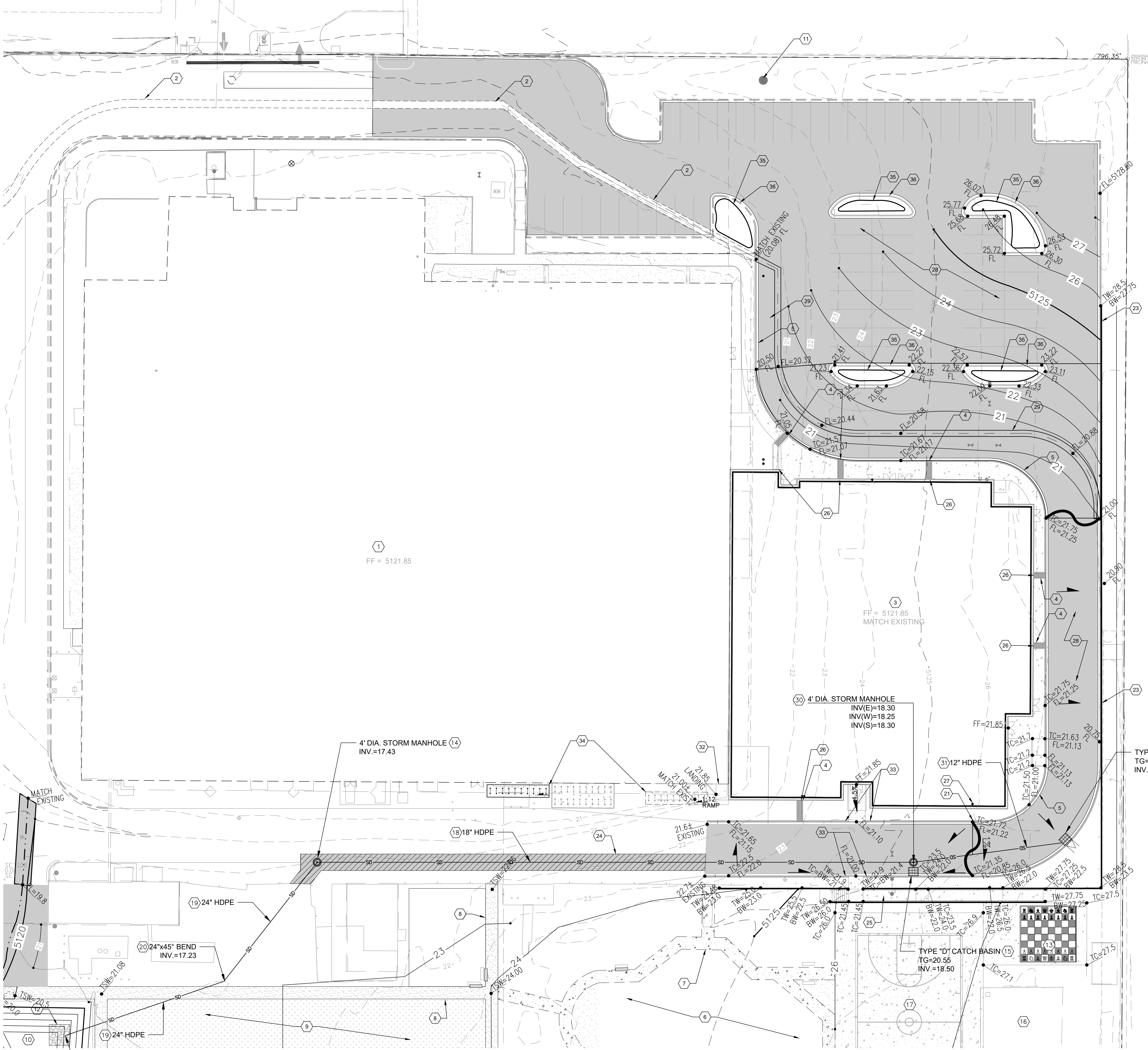
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**A1 OVERALL SITE GRADING PLAN**  
 SCALE: 1" = 30'-0"

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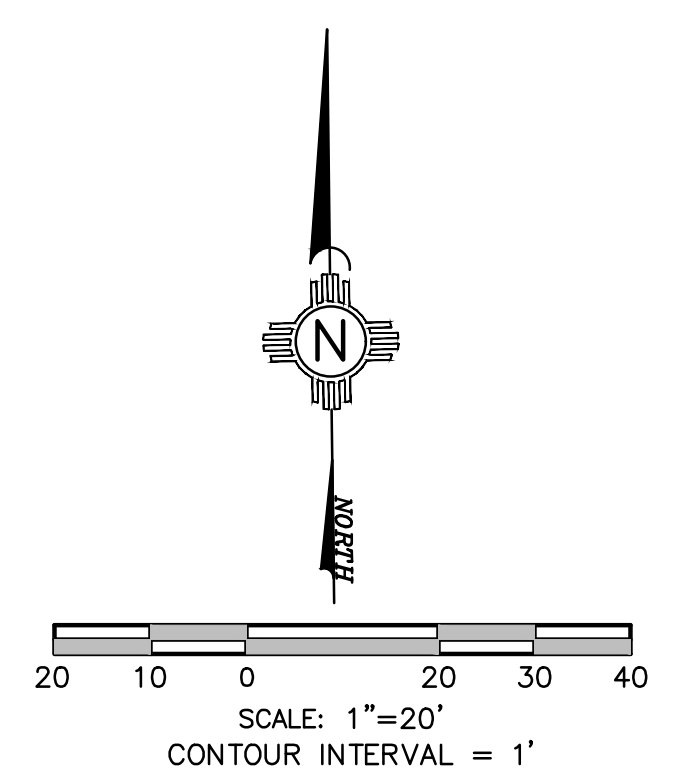
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