

CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

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October 30, 2024

Robert Fierro, P.E.
Fierro & Company
3201 4th Street NW, Suite C
Albuquerque, NM 87107

**RE: Event Center
1611 Airtech Ct. SE
Grading Plan
Engineer's Stamp Date: 6/11/2024
Hydrology File: L11D071**

Dear Mr. Fierro:

PO Box 1293

Based upon the information provided in your submittal received 10/28/2024, the Grading & Drainage Plans **are not** approved for Grading Permit and SO-19 Permit. The following comments need to be addressed for approval of the above referenced project:

Albuquerque

1. Payment in Lieu (Amount = 4007CF x \$8/CF = \$32,056) of onsite management of the SWQV must be made. Take three copies of the treasury deposit slip to the Treasury and then include one copy of the paid deposit slip when resubmitting.
2. Please add a note which states, "The Owner has elected to pay the Payment in Lieu for the required Stormwater Quality Volume."

NM 87103

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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, 505-924-3420) 14 days prior to any earth disturbance.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 505-924-3314 or amontoya@cabq.gov.

Sincerely,

Anthony Montoya, Jr., P.E.
Senior Engineer, Hydrology
Planning Department, Development Review Services

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

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

GENERAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT: _____ DATE: _____

DEVELOPMENT: _____

LOCATION: _____

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 _____ cubic feet

The provided volume is _____ cubic feet

The deficient volume is _____ cubic feet

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 cooperators 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 projects justification: _____

Professional Engineer or Architect

PAYMENT-IN-LIEU

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 = \$ _____

THIS SECTION IS FOR CITY USE ONLY

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



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