

Watershed Coordinator Quarterly Report A Project of Safe, Clean Water L.A.

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March 31, 2021 – June 30, 2021

A. Summary of Activities

Provide a high-level summary of activities completed this quarter and progress made toward completion of the annual scope of work.

Required elements of the Quarterly report to achieve in this summary are:

- *Strategies used to integrate priorities for the community, municipalities, the watershed area, and the region*
 - Primary focus: creating, writing and revising the [North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Strategic Outreach and Engagement Plan](#) (NSMB SOEP). This took three drafts, many conversations and four months.
 - Met one on one with NSMB Watershed Area stakeholders, including city staff, water district staff, key agencies such as California Department of State Parks, National Park Service, Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy, National Park Service and local elected officials' staff and community leaders to learn about community priorities. The tone was set with a spectacular first one-on-one meeting with Alex Farassati of City of Calabasas, who provided input for the NSMB SOEP and immediately offered meaningful partnership support, such as offering Founders' Hall in Calabasas for a proposed conference or suggesting we invite highly regarded media team at City of Calabasas to consider filming and editing a film about water quality in the Santa Monica Mountains, while sharing multiple compelling water quality design projects created by City of Calabasas. In addition, a tour of the stunning Las Virgenes-Triunfo Pure Water Project demonstration site lead by Dave Pedersen, General Manager of Las Virgenes Municipal Water District (LVMWD) was inspiring.
 - With Los Angeles County Public Works and key stakeholders, researched how to meet and comply with the Brown Act while functioning as an effective coordinator.
 - Began reaching out to local community leaders like Martin and Sue Schmitt of Topanga, Kian and Joel Shulman of Malibu, Don Schmitz of Malibu / Agoura Hills, Joel and Kian Schulman of Malibu and others.
 - Focused on insights from Tevin Schmitt of Wishtoyo about connecting with local First Nations peoples and from Terry Dipple of Las Virgenes Council of Government, who is helping the COG to better assist unhoused community members, to learn how to better serve members of Disadvantaged Communities.
 - Tried to help obtain support and funding for the proposed Morrison Ranch Parking lot project, located on National Park Service (NPS) property, designed and championed by City of Calabasas to address non-point source pollution on city-adjacent NPS properties, including trash, nutrients, bacteria, and copper. Coordinator began to set up a site tour on July 8 to explore project feasibility. Profoundly moved by City of Calabasas' offer to share design, for free, with all local open space agencies, to help improve local water quality; shared this remarkable offer at the North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Area Steering Committee (NSMB WASC) meeting.
 - Connected with green architect Isabelle Duvivier to discuss the feasibility of doing a demonstration project that would use limestone roofing / limestone cisterns to mimic the rainwater capture architecture from Bermuda, which has no natural water sources on the island except rainwater capture.
 - Based on conversation with diverse stakeholders such as Tevin Schmitt of Wishtoyo, Dave Roberts of LVMWD, Dave Rydman of Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 29, and a look at NSMB WASC Vice Chair Madelyn Glickfeld's magical wildflower meadow front yard, it is evident that Nativescaping, as

a tool for water conservation (and thus increase of access to current water supply), is a top priority in the NSMB Watershed Area.

- *Document the extent of partnerships and networks you have engaged*
 - Connected with community members in Topanga at Viewridge Estates, during water quality project meeting held by Bruce Hamamoto of Los Angeles County Public Works on Coordinator's first day, March 31, 2021.
 - Reached out to United States Department of Agriculture – Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS) to explore potential funding, attended a Funders' Fair event in Sacramento (via Zoom), later sharing California Funding Fairs Handbook and the new California State Library Grant Portal with coordinators and stakeholders, and reached out to One Cause about fundraising.
 - Facilitated community engagement in the Safe, Clean Water Program that focused on writing the draft Strategic Outreach and Engagement Plan, which has been co-created with input from members of the NSMB WASC that the Coordinator has connected to as individuals and with input from concerned community members, including but not limited to Chad Christensen, Tevin Schmitt, Roxanne Hughes, Katie Yaroslavsky, Sophie Freeman, Joe Bellomo, Kelsey Reed, Dave Roberts and Madelyn Glickfeld. Coordinator plans to meet with Francine Diamond, Dr. Richard Ambrose, Jerry West and David Szymanski.
 - Connected via telephone with Janet Turner from Office of Congressman Lieu, to explore using federal funding via The Great American Outdoors Act to support proposed Morrison Ranch Parking project.
 - At the suggestion of NSMB WASC Vice Chair Madelyn Glickfeld, Coordinator has invited the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board staff to come present to the NSMB WASC about the trash conditional permit and connected with both staff and leaders at State Parks, National Park Service and Mountains Recreation Authority to invite them to come hear this presentation and to connect with project ideas that could be funded by Safe, Clean Water Program to better serve the entire Watershed Area.
 - Began to connect City of Malibu staff and Water District 29 to LVMWWD, TreePeople and TreeTrust to collaborate on their Native Plants initiative that could become watershed-wide.

- *Document your effort to engage a broad set of conventional and unconventional stakeholders*
 - While staying in touch with community members at Viewridge Estates, Coordinator became aware of local angst about perceived maintenance gaps for newly planted trees on Viewridge. Coordinator connected with Art Murphy, District Tree Superintendent at County of Los Angeles Public Works, to allow community members to feel heard. Kudos to Alberto Grajeda, Los Angeles County Public Works for grace in working to resolve dilemmas.
 - Attended a class on growing native plants lead by Antonio Sanchez, Santa Monica Mountains Fund, became aware of his deep concern for the under-funded low-income BIPOC interns (\$20 per day) he has on staff who are in need of a living wage to sustain their work on Woolsey Fire restoration.
 - Committed to reaching out to fellow Watershed Coordinators Carlos Moran and Rich Watson, to learn more about workforce development opportunities.
 - Community members who engaged in NSMB SOEP development and/or watershed insights include: Nathan Hamburger of City of Agoura Hills, Kirsten James of community member / water quality expert and Dr. David White from Once Upon a Watershed in Ojai working in Ventura County.
 - Joined the Board of Directors of the California Watershed Network; shared their assessments of upcoming watershed-related legislation both within the NSMB WASC and with the Regional Watershed Coordinators group.

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- Additional time with valuable connections includes lunch with former watershed coordinator Blake Whittington, phone calls with Debra Sharpton, focusing on a potential project at Seminole Springs, a meeting with Tom Hicks, a water rights lawyer, to learn about his current work in sustaining streamflow in Ventura and elsewhere and a phone call with community member Michael Almory focusing on his projects to improve water quality.
- Invited Erik Ringelberg of California Director of Freshwater Trust to become potential board member for California Watershed Network. Strongly support CA Watershed Network aspirations to include more BIPOC on Board of Directors.
- Established a good rapport with Heather McIntire, a grant administrator at the California Wildlife Board.
- Reconnected with former State Senator Fran Pavley.
- Connected green architect/sustainability star Isabelle Duvivier to Katy Yaroslavsky of Office of Supervisor Kuehl, because of their shared perspective on the value of trees in Nature Based Solutions.
- Jeremy Wolf, Chief of Staff for Senator Henry Stern and Coordinator met Jerry West, Interim Director of California Department of State Parks (Malibu) and staffer Danielle LeFer to invite them to participate in the Safe, Clean Water Program funding opportunities.

Required elements detailed below that you should mention here:

- *Any of the four required engagement meetings you held during the quarter*

The first quarter, the twin priorities were to learn to work within the constraints of the Brown Act and to coordinate and complete the NSMB SOEP.

Please note that four required engagement meetings are to be spread over the whole year of the contract.

Planned engagement meetings include:

- Liberty Canyon Water Quality Project Community Tour, set for July 15, 2021
- First North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Community Meeting, set for September 23, 2021
- Invited to attend Calabasas Pumpkin Festival on October 16, 2021
- Invited to speak to the Calabasas Environmental Commission on November 2, 2021

- *Either of the two required educational events you held during the quarter*

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Planned educational events include:

- First NSMB Watershed Area Community Meeting, set for September 23, 2021
 - Featured: architect / artist John Gardner talking about Bermuda stepped white roofs + cisterns
 - Featured: Abel Cruz Gutierrez, [Peruanas Sin Agua](#), talking about fog catchers
- Invited to attend Calabasas Pumpkin Festival to provide watershed education on October 17, 2021
- Invited to speak at Calabasas Environmental Committee meeting on November 2, 2021
 - Preparing PowerPoint that addresses Safe, Clean Water Program, water quality / water supply opportunities and Calabasas' role in local watershed work, emphasizing Nature Based Solutions

Additional outreach for educational purposes:

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- Per the request of City of Calabasas, a press release about the Watershed Coordinator was sent out, resulting in this coverage on page 3, <https://valleynewsgroup.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/WCN-1.pdf>
- Coordinator invited to write for *Earth Island Journal* on local native plants nursery lead, Antonio Sanchez; piece in progress.
- Created presence on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn and Instagram for NSMB Watershed Area Community.
- Addressing the concerns of Madelyn Glickfeld and other stakeholders that open space agencies have been putting aside the subject of the Trash TMDL, connected with Ivar Ridgeway from the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board to invite Dr. Jun Zhu and Dr. Alexander Prescott speak about the Conditional Trash Permit Waiver in the Northern Santa Monica Bay Watersheds and then invited both leadership and water-related staff from NPS, SMRCA and State Parks to attend the NSMB WASC to hear this presentation and have the opportunity to engage in a conversation about how to begin to meet the trash TMDL.
- *Highlights or summary of types of meetings you attended held by others*
 - March 31, 2021: Tour of the proposed Viewridge Estates water quality project lead by Bruce Hamamoto, Los Angeles County Public Works
 - April 22, 2021: Invited to serve on Board of Directors, California Watershed Network, will attend monthly meetings.
 - April 28, 2021: Introduced self + attended Las Virgenes Municipal Council of Government meeting
 - May 1, 2021: Agoura Hills Creek Clean Up
 - May 6, 2021: Malibu Creek Watershed Enhanced Watershed Management Event
 - May 25, 2021: Senator Henry Stern's Community Townhall: Preparing for the Next Fire.
 - June 20, 2021: Funders' Fair hosted by multiple Sacramento / Federal agencies (online)
 - Project filled to capacity early on, thus was only watershed coordinator able to register; shared Funding Fair Handbook and California State Library grant portal with other coordinators + stakeholders
 - June 21; Attended "Watershed Coordinators, Coordinate!" Event hosted by Mike Antos and Tori Klug of Stantec, this was incredibly helpful for growing knowledge + creating *esprit de corps*
 - June 23: Toured met Santa Monica Mountains Fund's Nursery Manager Antonio Sanchez, growing out plants for NPS for Woolsey Fire recovery work.
- Monthly:
 - Attended monthly California Watershed Network board meetings
 - Attended monthly Safe, Clean Water Program Regional Watershed Coordinator meetings
 - Attended and spoke at monthly NSMB WASC meetings
 - Started to attend Las Virgenes-Malibu Council of Government meetings
 - Initially held off attending IRWM meetings out of concern for Brown Act, later on, able to start attending in subsequent quarter
- *Summary of cost-share partner relationship development*
 - Connected with Office of Congressman Lieu to see if funding would be available for potential project on NPS site; it was not
 - Connected with staff at Wildlife Conservation Board to discuss potential project on NPS site
 - Connected with Dawn Afman of USDA-NRCS to explore funding and saddened to learn that funds are only allocated for agricultural sites now

- Connected via email with staff at One Cause (fundraising website)
- *Summary of leverage funding pursuits*
 - Leveraging funding is vital to future project implementation. Numerous local NSMB projects could become Wildlife Conservation Board funding recipients. Key information about the relevant funding opportunities was shared both with NSMB stakeholders and Regional Watershed Coordinator group, focusing on the Habitat Enhancement and Restoration program, the California Riparian Habitat Conservation program and the Public Access program. Prior to submitting a potential project concept proposal for planning for the Wildlife Conservation Board for Public Access, the NSMB Watershed Coordinator asked the other coordinators if any of them were thinking of applying, clearing the way for a potential ask by the NSMB via City of Calabasas / NPS, should NPS decide to consider some version of the Morrison Ranch project proposal idea.

B. Engagement Meetings Held or Attended

Use the table below for high-level summary of all engagement events held or attended. Flag for events held, and attach attendance records and materials provided. Add an attachment number here and on the attachment to correlate. Add rows when needed.

	Meeting or Event	Date	Summary of Meeting or Event	Stakeholders Engaged	Held or Attended?	Attachments #
<i>Ex.</i>	<i>GLAC IRWM Leadership Meeting</i>	<i>7/4/21</i>	<i>Quarterly business meeting</i>	<i>GLAC Leadership</i>	<i>Attended</i>	<i>B-1</i>
1	Viewridge Estates Tour	03/31/21	Bruce Hamamoto leads community outreach event	Viewridge homeowners	Attended	
2	NSMB WASC	04/14/21	Presented update	NSMB WASC	Attended	B-2
3	Brown Act Discussion	04/16/21	Establishing clear standards	Dave, Madelyn, Melina	Discussion	
4	CA Watershed Network	04/22/21	Invited to serve on board	CA Watershed Network	Attended	
5	City of Calabasas	04/27/21	SOEP + project discussions	Alex Farassati	Held	
6	Malibu-Las Virgenes Council of Governments	04/28/21	Introduced self, listened to discussions	Terry Dipple + COG attendees	Attended	
7	LVMWD	04/28/21	SOEP + project discussions	Dave Pedersen	Held	
8	Watershed Discussion	04/29/21	SOEP + project discussions	Jeremy Wolf	Held	
9	Joe Bellomo	04/29/21	SOEP + project discussions	Joe Bellomo	Held	
10	Agoura Hills Creek Cleanup	05/01/2021	Community outreach	Jeremy Wolf, community	Attended	
11	Westlake Village	05/03/21	SOEP + project discussions	Roxanne Hughes	Held	
12	Wishtoyo Foundation	05/04/21	SOEP + project discussions	Tevin Schmitt	Held	

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13	Katie Yaroslavsky + Sophie Freeman	05/05/21	SOEP + project discussions	Katie Yaroslavsky + Sophie Freeman	Held	
14	Malibu Creek Watershed Enhanced Watershed Management	05/06/2021	Listened to discussions	Stakeholders	Attended	
15	Isabelle Duvivier	05/10/21	SOEP + project discussions	Isabelle Duvivier	Held	
16	NSMB WASC	05/11/21		Stakeholders	Attended	B-16A, B-16B
17	Wildlife Conservation Board/Calabasas	05/19/21; 5/25/21	Morrison Ranch Parking project + Las Virgenes Creek Restoration III	Heather McIntyre / Alex Farassati	Held	
18	Funders' Fair	5/20/21	Listened to presentations, shared key links	Sacramento funders	Attended	
19	Senator Stern Community Townhall: Preparing for the Next Fire.	05/25/2021	Listened to discussions	Community	Attended	
20	Dave Roberts	06/01/21	SOEP + project discussions	Dave Roberts	Held	
21	Madelyn Glickfeld, Co-Chair NSMB WASC	06/03/21	SOEP + project discussions	Madelyn Glickfeld	Held	
22	Jerry West, Jeremy Wolf, MSW	06/07/21	SCWP intro + project discussions	Jerry West, Jeremy Wolf, MSW	Held	B-22; PDF of email invite
23	Kirsten James (call)		SOEP + project discussions	Kirsten James	Held	
24	NSMB WASC	06/10/21	Presented update	NSMB WASC	Attended	B-24
25	Mike Antos + Tori Klug	06/15/21	SOEP revision	Mike Antos + Tori Klug	Attended	
26	Dave Rydman	06/16/21	SOEP + project discussions	Dave Rydman	Held	
27	Blake Whittington	06/17/21	Watershed ideas	Blake Whittington	Held	
28	Watershed Coordinators, Coordinate!	06/21/21	Watershed ideas	Mike Antos, Tori Klug + all SCWP Coordinators	Attended	
29	L.A. Regional Water Quality Control Board	6/22/21	Clean water	Stakeholders	Attended	

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30	Santa Monica Mountains Fund / Native Plants class	6/23/21	Nativescaping	Antonio Sanchez	Attended	
31	Cung Nguyen	6/24/21	SOEP + project discussions	Cung Nguyen	Held	
32	Mike Antos	06/29/21	SOEP revision	Mike Antos	Attended	

C. Potential Cost-Share Partners Contacted

Provide a list of potential cost-share partners contacted for projects within and adjacent to the Watershed Area. Attach relevant materials. Add an attachment number here and on the attachment to correlate. Add rows when needed.

	Potential Partner Name	Date First Contacted	Project name / type	Nature of potential partnership	Attachments #
Ex	County of Ventura	7/4/21	Malibu Creek Watershed Awesomeness Project	MOU for project that crosses county boundary	
1	Wildlife Conservation Board; Heather McIntyre	5/17/2021	Morrison Ranch Parking Project; Las Virgenes Creek Restoration	Potential funder	C-1
2	USDA-NRCS; Dawn Afman	04/30/2021	Nature Based Solutions funding needs	Potential funder	See: D-3
3	Santa Monica Mountains Fund	06/23/2021	Native Plants Kit	Potential plant supplier for LVMWD Native Plants projects	In person
4	RCDSMM	06/02/21	Looking to see what projects are underway at RCDSMM	Searching for community-based water quality / water supply projects	Phone calls
5	National Park Service, David Szymanski	04/28/2021	Morrison Ranch Parking Project + other potential projects	Potential collaboration with Calabasas / WCB funding / general water quality projects	C-5
6	Congressman Lieu's Office /Janet Turner	05/28/2021	Morrison Ranch Parking Project	Potential collaboration with NPS to fund Morrison Ranch Parking Project	C-6

D. Leveraged / Outside Funding Pursued

Share all outside funding opportunities pursued and the status or outcome of the pursuit. Attach relevant materials. Add an attachment number here and on the attachment to correlate. Add rows when needed.

	Potential Outside Funding Source	Status or Outcome of the Pursuit	Attachments #
Ex	USEPA EJ Small Grants	Grant co-written with Pacoima Beautiful, submitted June 30, 2021, expect to hear by August 12, 2021.	
1	Wildlife Conservation Board	Pursued regarding potential Morrison Ranch Parking Lot project; as community partners have not co-committed had to let this set.	D-1, project design
2	Funders' Fair	Attended event via Zoom and shared Funders' Fair booklet with other watershed coordinators and interested stakeholders.	D-2 Funders Fair Handbook

3	USDA-NRCS	In the past NRCS supported many watershed projects; Dawn Afman stated that they are currently only supporting agricultural projects, not creek restoration / habitat projects. Connecting with Karen Buhr, California Association of Resource Conservation Districts for clarification.	D-3 email; PDF
4	Congressman Lieu's office	Potential funding for NPS project at Morrison Ranch, Calabasas Design	See: C-6

E. Detailed Progress Report

Provide an update on the amount of effort expended for each Task this quarter and note percentage complete:

Task #	Task	Total Task Level of Effort (from workplan)	LOE this quarter	Accumulated LOE to-date (from monthly reports)
1	Facilitate Community Engagement	15%	40%	40%
2	Identify and Develop Project Concepts	15%	12%	12%
3	Work with Technical Assistance Teams	5%	0%	0%
4	Facilitate Identification and Representation of Community Priorities	10%	18%	18%
5	Integrate Priorities through Partnerships and Extensive Networks	15%	12%	12%
6	Cost-share Partners	10%	4%	4
7	Leverage Funding	10%	4%	4%
8	Local Stakeholder Education	10%	6%	6%
9	Watershed Coordinator Collaboration	10%	4%	4%
	OVERALL	100%	100%	100%

F. Engagement efforts benefitting Disadvantaged Communities

Summarize activities undertaken which have benefitted members of disadvantaged communities. Distinguish between targeted efforts and ones that could benefit all communities.

Spoke with Tevin Schmitt, Wishtoyo about opportunities to collaborate with Chumash community members.

Met Antonio Sanchez, Nursery Manager of Santa Monica Mountains Fund, on June 23 and was inspired by his program to teach BIPOC low-income students and young adults horticulture, focusing on locally sourced native plant on NPS properties. His interns are grossly underfunded, earning \$20 a day for a five-day week, and frequently have to abandon the program to support themselves and their families. The NSMB WASC needs to consider workforce funding opportunities for this brilliant program.

At the first Regional Watershed Coordinators coordination event on June 21 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mike Antos emphasized that each of us need to become "experts in Measure W" which everyone took to heart. The comments of

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Carlos Moran, Richard Watson and a number of other coordinators on how they aim to use Watershed Coordinator work to foment local job opportunities was particularly inspiring.

G. Scheduling concerns or issues

Discuss any scheduling concerns and issues encountered that may delay completion of the program or project. Describe any anticipated schedule or budget modifications.

Initially, Los Angeles County Counsel expressed concern over Watershed Coordinator's outreach to stakeholders inadvertently triggering the Brown Act. This severely limited outreach in the early stages. With thoughtful leadership from Mr. Dave Pedersen, General Manager at LVMWD, and carefully crafted language processed by Los Angeles County Counsel, the NSMB WASC has been able to begin to allow the Watershed Coordinator to reach out to individual stakeholders one on one. This was vital because creating a meaningful NSMB SOEP was predicated upon deep conversations with stakeholders and community leaders.

Writing and rewriting the NSMB SOEP took multiple drafts. Though multiple drafts were available to stakeholders prior to the end of the first quarter, the vote for the current draft will happen on August 12, 2021. Coordinator would like to point out that Mike Antos' insight that projects and programs created and/or funded by the coordinator's efforts will need to be implemented by other entities was the deciding point that will (as per the next quarterly report) allow the NSMB WASC to pass the plan.

H. Expected activities next quarter

Summarize expected activities in the next quarter, include dates if know for outreach or education events being held.

Invited to attend Las Virgenes-Malibu Council of Governments on July 20 and introduced leadership and attendees to the potential for the coordinator to assist in the community's work to meet Measure W related goals and opportunities.

Facilitating community engagement meeting in support of Los Angeles County Department of Public Works' Liberty Canyon Green Street project for an application due on July 30 with the goal of eliciting community support letters; event to be set for July 15.

First public NSMB Watershed Area Community meeting will be set for Thursday, September 23, 2021 in the evening. Coordinator plans to invite guest speakers, Bermuda architect / artist John Gardner and fog catcher creator Abel Cruz Gutierrez from Peruanas Sin Agua. In order to increase community participation, Coordinator will ask community leaders to function as co-hosts.

Invited to attend weekly native plants outreach planning group run by Dave Roberts of LVMWD along with a team from TreePeople / TreeTrust.

Looking forward both to being a part of the Calabasas Pumpkin Festival and speaking at the Calabasas Environmental Committee meeting in November.

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Watershed Co-Coordination

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Photo by Shannon Watts

Community Facilitation

- A watershed coordinator is a neutral community facilitator.
 - A public servant, not an advocate
- Primary role, listening
- Initial stakeholder / community input is foundational for project / program development.
- A watershed coordinator can seek funding for and support / coordinate implementation of projects and programs *only* after clarity is achieved as to what the North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Advisory Steering Committee selects.



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Task 1: Facilitate Community Engagement in Safe, Clean Water Act Program

Strategic Outreach and Engagement Plan

This is your plan, not my plan, your goals and ideas *are* the plan.

The Strategic Outreach and Engagement Plan will drive my work; I have 12 (10 now?) weeks to co-create this. The Strategic Outreach and Engagement Plan will be a living document.

Tasks include:

- Engage watershed community members
- Gather diverse ideas / share funding opportunities for Stormwater Investment Plan
- Connect with people from disadvantaged communities
- Create educational opportunities
- **Create 4 outreach events each year**

The last slide has questions that will help us commence this task.

Monthly, Quarterly and Annual Reports

These will be a simple written and visual show and tell of what we've done together.



Task 2: Identify and Develop Project Concepts

Determining what our watershed has done, is doing and wants to do is an exciting **results-oriented collaborative process.**

The last slide has questions that will help us commence this task.

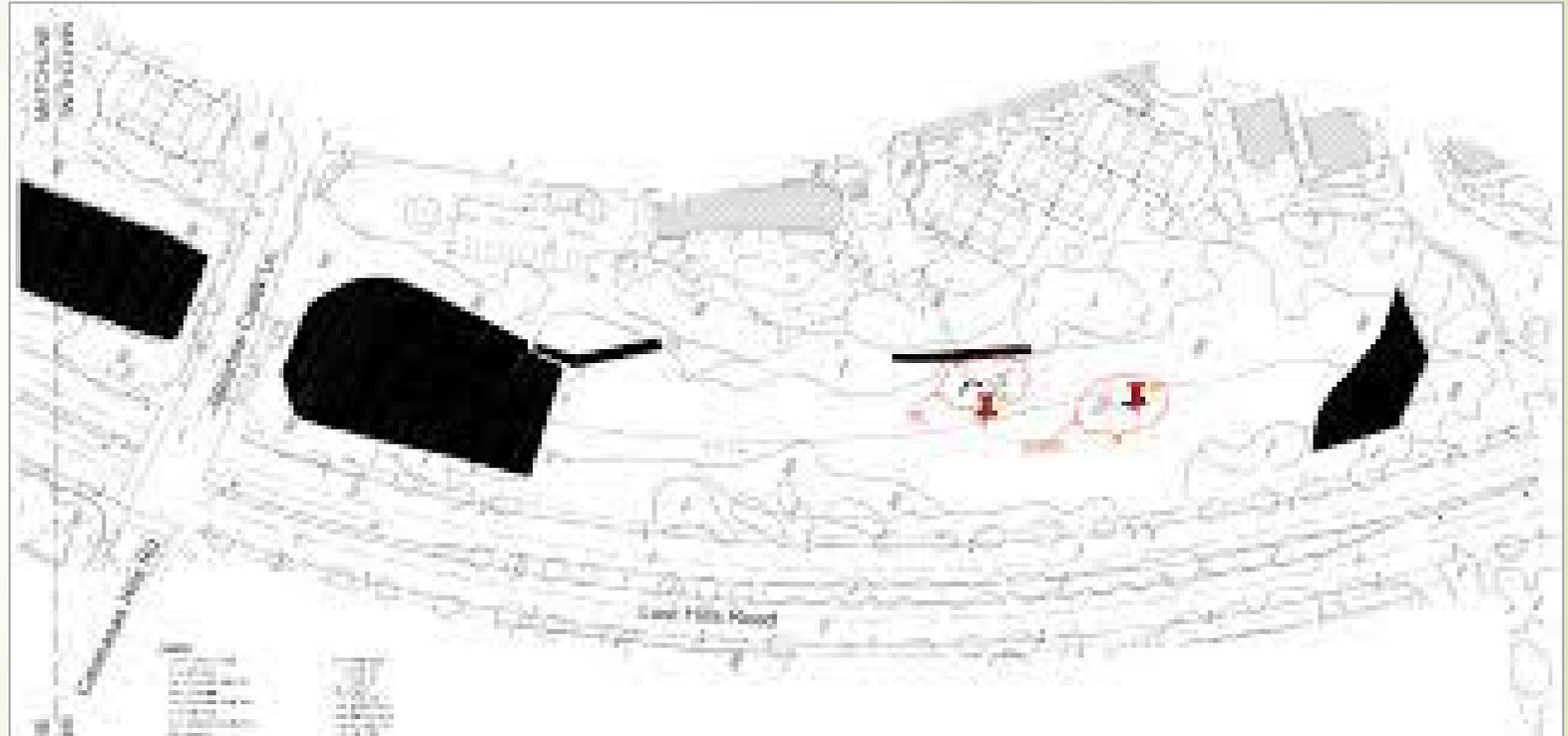


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Task 3: Work with Technical Assistance Teams

This task will come to the fore after we've found out what projects and programs we want to pursue. This will change as our project list evolves. For community-based projects, Technical Assistance Teams will be key.

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Task 4: Facilitate Identification and Representation of Community Priorities



The watershed coordinator program requires hosting quarterly public meetings.*

These quarterly public meetings are the perfect venue for beginning the process of identifying community priorities.

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*These are separate from public outreach meetings from Strategic Outreach and Engagement Plan.

Task 5: Integrate Priorities Through Partnership and Extensive Networks

- ▶ Layering in potential partners will assist us in achieving water quality / water supply goals, as will larger entities. Here is a partial list of partners:
 - ▶ CALTRANS
 - ▶ National Park Service
 - ▶ California Department of State Parks
 - ▶ U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service
 - ▶ Los Angeles County Fire Department
 - ▶ Los Angeles County Sheriffs Department Malibu/Lost Hills
 - ▶ Local public schools, school districts + private schools
 - ▶ Staff from local, regional, state and national elected officials' offices
 - ▶ Relevant non-profits such as TreePeople, Heal the Bay, The Nature Conservancy, Surfrider, Oceana and Center for Watershed Health
 - ▶ Pepperdine, UCLA, USC, California State Universities at Channel Islands and Northridge etc.
 - ▶ California Watershed Network
 - ▶ Resource Conservation District of the Santa Monica Mountains
 - ▶ California Association of Resource Conservation Districts
 - ▶ Elected officials + staff
 - ▶ Homeowners, business owners, renters and unhoused people
 - ▶ Local media
 - ▶ Philanthropic entities / potential donors
 - ▶ Community members



Photo by Caltrans

Task 6: Cost-share Partners

See Task 5.



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Task 7: Leverage Funding

- **See Tasks 5 and 6.**
- And...consider Joe Edmiston's approach to co-funding projects.



Task 8: Local Stakeholder Education

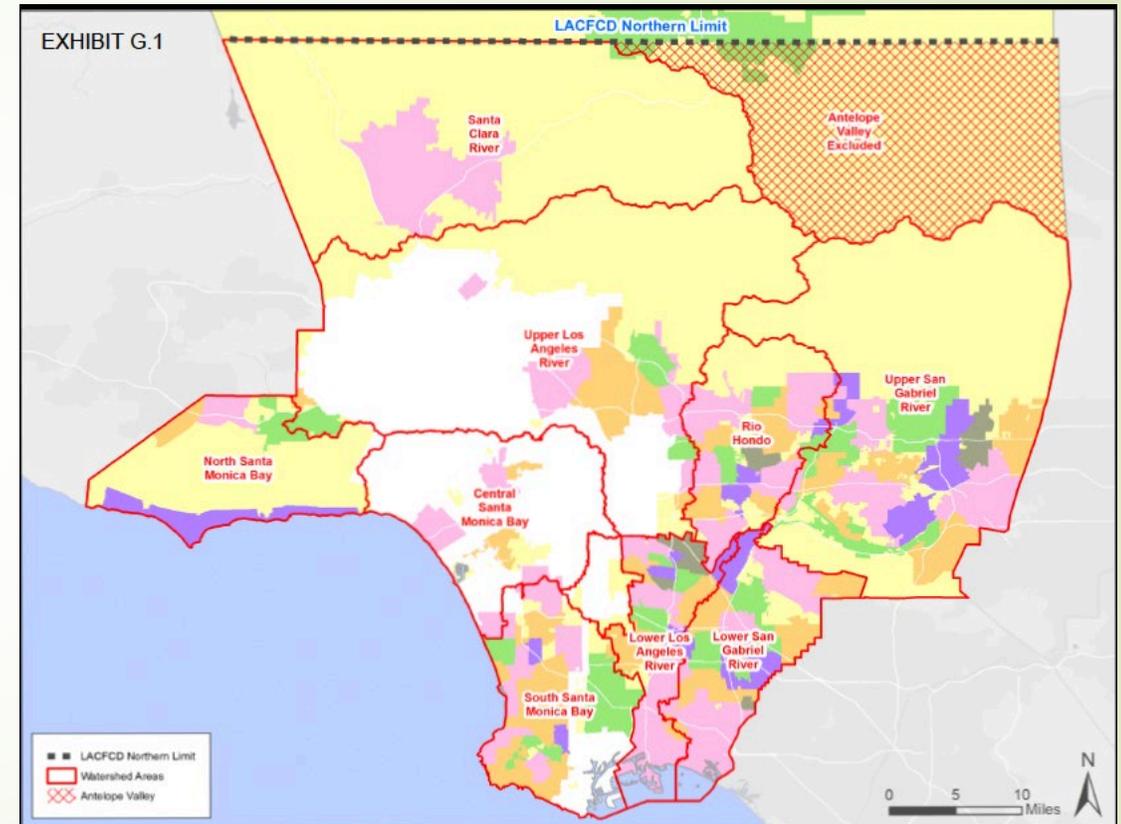
- ▶ See Task 1.
- ▶ Stakeholder visioning drives great stakeholder education.
- ▶ Based on earlier presentations, could it be helpful to put together an event / conference bringing in high level speakers to share examples of effective **Nature Based Solutions**?



Mayor Harry Schwartz at the
Opening of Medea Creek
Restoration Project at Chumash Park,
Photo by City of Agoura Hills

Task 9: Watershed Coordinator Collaboration

- Each of the other Watershed Area Steering Committees has selected inspiring watershed coordinators / watershed coordinator teams; each of the watersheds faces unique problems and opportunities.
- Watershed coordinators are obligated to meet once a month to learn from one another.
- The North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Area Steering Committee is the **first** watershed to have a coordinator commence work.
 - Looking forward to experiencing the Watershed Coordinator meetings Stantec is facilitating.



Starting Now: Stakeholder + Community Questions

- ▶ What – and where – are water quality concerns that need to be addressed?
- ▶ What are water supply opportunities that you see?
- ▶ What projects have been done to address water quality / water supply?
 - ▶ What projects are on deck? What are dream projects?
- ▶ What do you want to prioritize for community education?
 - ▶ How do you want to provide community education?
- ▶ What do you want to prioritize for community outreach?
 - ▶ How do you want to provide community outreach?
- ▶ What do you want to prioritize for stakeholder education?
 - ▶ How do you want to provide stakeholder education?
- ▶ Asking the same question(s) a different way, what formats do you want to see education / outreach take?
- ▶ Any thoughts on partnerships to explore?
- ▶ Any genius ideas on funding and co-funding to share?
- ▶ Any other questions we should be asking one another?



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North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Co-Coordination Updates

By Melina Sempill Watts

May 13, 2021

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Calabasas, Alex Farassati + Staff: NPS project idea

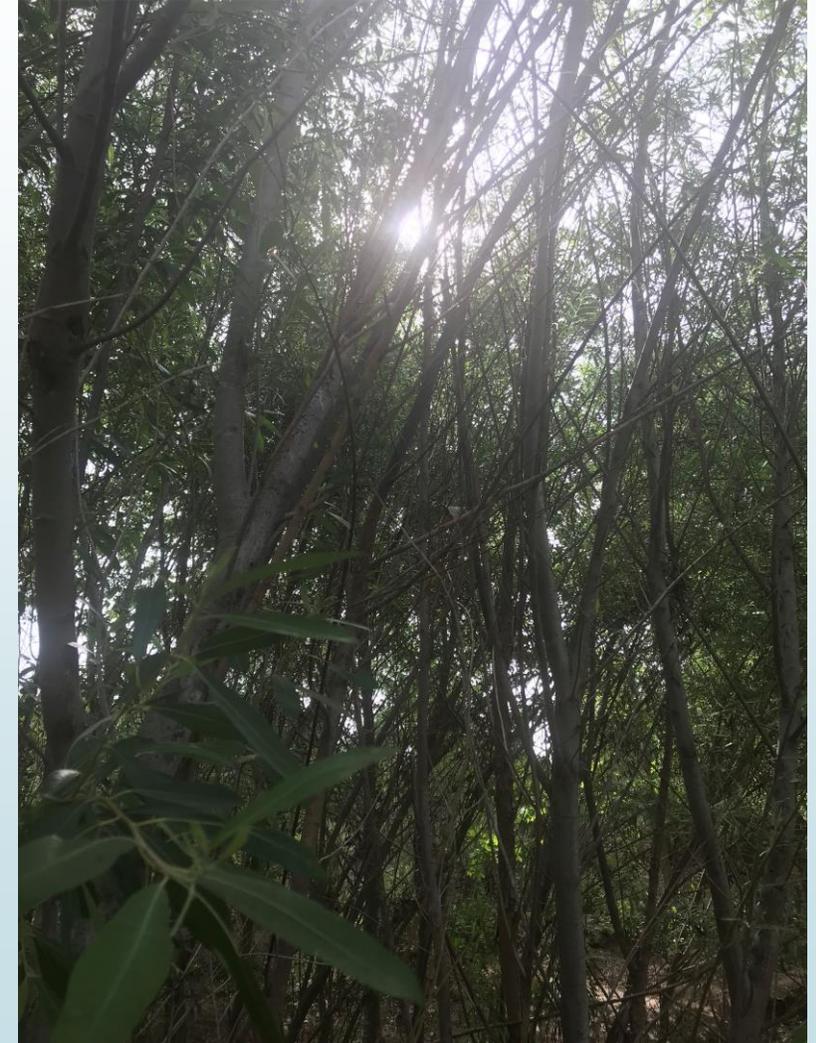
- ▶ City staff designed + **donated** design of permeable parking lot, biofiltration strips + bathrooms for NPS at Las Virgenes' end
- ▶ Potentially replicable throughout the Santa Monica Mountains



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Mike Antos' Nature Based Solutions Interim Guidance

- ▶ A must-read document
- ▶ A powerful tool to increase viability/
scoring potential of creek restoration
and open space projects



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Senator Henry Stern +
Chief of Staff Jeremy Wolf
want to share
information on AB 54



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Trash in the Parks

- ▶ Per Madelyn Glickfeld, please add conditional waiver permit for trash for the parks to June agenda
- ▶ Invite parks leadership to attend



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The Brown Act

- ▶ Continuing to be mindful of county recommendations on Brown Act compliance
- ▶ Committed to meeting with/talking with each of you individually



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Draft of Draft: Strategic Outreach and Education Plan → Ready

- ▶ Half a dozen outreach event ideas, including Roxanne Hughes' idea of a TikTok series with kids showing water quality problems at each testing site that could be integrated into a video for people to see the scale of the problem
- ▶ Demonstration projects
- ▶ Need **your** input



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North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Community Workshops

- ▶ 4 required per year
- ▶ Shall we start in September?
- ▶ Can we set up a regular quarterly schedule?



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Safe, Clean Water in the North Santa Monica Bay



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B-22



Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Introduction

Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>
To: "Wolf, Jeremy" <Jeremy.Wolf@sen.ca.gov>
Cc: "Jerry.West@parks.ca.gov" <Jerry.West@parks.ca.gov>

Thu, May 27, 2021 at 3:42 PM

Hello Jerry,

First things first, I'd love to meet -- in person or in zoom or via phone -- in the next week or so to chat about State Parks current work and potential funding needs, and then to talk about how Measure W could become a tool to help you help our open space. In the past "Nature Based Solutions" which solve water quality programs had a limited definition, but there is big (big) pressure to make this support creek restoration / riparian habitat, which could serve State Parks' goals while addressing water quality goals. It would be helpful if you or your staff could provide insights about how creek restoration / riparian habitat improves water quality in stream (i.e. reduces nutrients / bacteria via natural processes.)

Next, there's a charismatic potential project at Morrison Ranch at the mouth of Las Virgenes Canyon in which City of Calabasas has donated (!) staff time to provide NPS with a free concept / engineering drawings for a trailhead with signage, ADA, permeable paving, trash pick up, bathrooms, biofiltration, in order to address water quality coming out of the park...which of course is incoming into Calabasas and thus becomes Calabasas' problem downstream.

This is a pretty innovative approach and might become a template for work in other open spaces areas. I'd like to invite you and your staff to join us for a tour on foot in July to consider how this could work at that site. Currently I'm doing a WCB concept proposal to try to get planning money for the project and Alex Farassati (city staff) and I will work on funding implementation for the whole thing if all goes well. City staff will manage implementation if the grants are funded, with NPS (probably) as project lead.

Next, we're getting regional board to come to the next North Santa Monica Bay Watershed steering committee to talk trash -- which I know is probably your least favorite subject running the State Parks in the Santa Monica Mountains -- but between proposed trash reduction legislation from Senator Sterns's office and the idea of the watershed potentially working collaboratively on trailheads to reduce trash. /human waste concerns, maybe we can all collectively make some forward progress.

As a lifelong hiker in the Santa Monica Mountains, I just want you to know how much I appreciate the work that you and your staff do every day.
Melina

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Via twitter: @melinaswatts

On Wed, May 26, 2021 at 1:01 PM Wolf, Jeremy <Jeremy.Wolf@sen.ca.gov> wrote:
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North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Co-Coordination Updates

By Melina Sempill Watts

June 10, 2021

Photo by Watts

Funding Fair 2021

- ▶ Best new thing: California Grants Portal
<https://www.grants.ca.gov/>
- ▶ iBank, lending + loans
 - ▶ California Infrastructure and Development Bank
 - ▶ Climate Catalyst Revolving Fund
 - ▶ Small Business Fund up to 10K
- ▶ FEMA, administered by CALOES
 - ▶ Hazard mitigation, flood, drainage, dam retrofit, structural retrofit disaster, fuels, defensible space
 - ▶ Notice of interest on ongoing basis, or asap if Presidential declaration of disaster
- ▶ **Department of Water Resources, 6 funding opportunities**
 - ▶ Of interest:
- ▶ **CA Water Boards; 16 funding opportunities**
 - ▶ **Alex Huang hilariously observes, “FAAST system doesn’t really live up to its names”**
 - ▶ **Happy to give a breakdown of opportunities if requested.**
- ▶ **Grants.gov**
 - ▶ Search for opportunities by areas of interest

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- Suitable for Pure Water Program?
Economic Development Administration Investment Opportunities
Malinda Matson

- Facilities and equipment
- ARPA = 3 billion
- Still have apps out for 2020, new ones out in next few months
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- Person in Southern California, Wilford Marshall
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- Support business growth, for water, water system expansions or new water lines...
- Concerned about outcome (Jobs) rather than project

- **Economic Development Administration Investment Opportunities**
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Social Media Outreach

- ▶ Twitter: [@NSMBWatershed](https://twitter.com/NSMBWatershed)
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- ▶ Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/NSMBWatershed/>
- ▶ Instagram: NorthSantaMonicaBay Watershed
- ▶ Youtube: North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Community
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UColzVFY4jZyhyFYM4kseSCA>
- ▶ Linked In: North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Community, <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/9059904/>
- ▶ And I've started a new email account: nsmbwatershedcoordinator@gmail.com



In the News



- ▶ Interviewed for conversation about conservation in documentary by filmmaker John D. Lieu
- ▶ Connected with editor at Valley News Group; story ran last week



Reaching Out



- ▶ Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board presenting today
- ▶ Attending today are, I hope, staff from NPS, State Parks and MRCA; offices of Congressman Lieu, Senator Stern ,Assemblymember Bloom
- ▶ Connecting with Funders, starting with Wildlife Conservation Board
- ▶ Connecting with Watershed Coordinators

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And...that draft Strategic Outreach
Education Plan...

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Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Project eligibility

McIntire, Heather@Wildlife <Heather.McIntire@wildlife.ca.gov>

Tue, Jun 1, 2021 at 7:17 AM

To: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>, Alex Farassati <afarassati@cityofcalabasas.com>, "SafeCleanWaterLA@pw.lacounty.gov" <SafeCleanWaterLA@pw.lacounty.gov>

Hello Melina,

A property owned by NPS and managed by the City should be fine. WCB requires all successful projects to be maintained and open to the public for 25 years. You will need to provide a lease or some other agreement that enables you to manage the property for that length of time.

Thank you for your inquiry,

Heather

From: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, May 28, 2021 11:47 AM

To: McIntire, Heather@Wildlife <Heather.McIntire@wildlife.ca.gov>; Alex Farassati <afarassati@cityofcalabasas.com>; SafeCleanWaterLA@pw.lacounty.gov

Subject: Project eligibility

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Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

The Great American outdoors Act

Szymanski, David M <David_Szymanski@nps.gov>

Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 9:27 AM

To: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>, Alex Farassati <afarassati@cityofcalabasas.com>, "Turner, Janet" <Janet.Turner@mail.house.gov>, "Glickfeld, Madelyn" <madelyn.glickfeld@ioes.ucla.edu>, "Yee, Justin" <Justin_Yee@nps.gov>

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David

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Sent: Tuesday, June 1, 2021 6:03 PM

To: Szymanski, David M <David_Szymanski@nps.gov>; Alex Farassati <afarassati@cityofcalabasas.com>; Turner, Janet <Janet.Turner@mail.house.gov>; Glickfeld, Madelyn <madelyn.glickfeld@ioes.ucla.edu>

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Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

The Great American outdoors Act

16 messages

Turner, Janet <Janet.Turner@mail.house.gov>
To: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Fri, May 28, 2021 at 3:28 PM

<https://www.npca.org/articles/2567-senate-passes-momentous-bill-to-fix-national-parks-and-public-lands>

Washington, DC – Today, the United States Senate passed **The Great American Outdoors Act**, historic legislation that would provide dedicated funding to reduce the **National Park Service's deferred maintenance backlog** – nearly \$12 billion in needed repairs across the National Park System – and provide full funding for the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF). For five years, the National Parks Conservation Association (NPCA) has urged lawmakers to fix national parks' crumbling roads, worn-out recreational trails, failing water and sewer systems, and other critical maintenance issues. Today's momentous vote brings us one step closer to protecting our parks now and for generations to come.

National parks protect some of our most iconic natural wonders, from Half Dome at Yosemite to the Chimney Tops at the Great Smoky Mountains to the Maritime Heritage Trail at Biscayne. Parks also preserve our heritage and the stories that unite and inspire us, from the battlefields at Gettysburg to human rights battles at César E. Chávez National Monument. But over the past decade, the National Park System has experienced chronic underfunding, a 14 percent reduction in staffing, and a growing backlog of needed repairs, all while dealing with record visitation, making it extremely difficult for staff to ensure the protection of our national parks and the resources they hold.

The Great American Outdoors Act would provide funding to repair aging infrastructure in America's more than 400 national park sites, dedicating up to \$6.5 billion to infrastructure repairs over five years. This legislation would address the highest priority repair needs at parks across the country and would generate tens of thousands of **infrastructure-related jobs**. Additionally, the bill would provide \$900 million per year to LWCF to protect land in our national parks and other public lands from development and to support recreational facilities.

Statement by Theresa Pierno, President and CEO for National Parks Conservation Association:

“For five years, NPCA, park advocates and communities across the country have urged Congress to fix our parks. NPCA's members and supporters sent nearly 100,000 letters, made hundreds of phone calls and countless visits to members of Congress. Today, those efforts paid off as we moved closer than ever before to ensuring that our national parks get the funding they need and deserve. This bill is one of our best opportunities to do this in more than 50 years.

“Chronic underfunding, cuts in staffing, record visitation, and billions of dollars in repairs have burdened our national parks for years. Park roads and bridges are collapsing, water systems are failing, and visitor centers are crumbling. This momentous bill not only provides an opportunity to better care for these treasured places, it will help to increase access to public lands across the country, provide jobs and bring much-needed relief to local communities suffering through hard times.

“The overwhelming bipartisan support for this bill demonstrates the value and power our national parks have to bring people together. Today, Senators from across the country and across the aisle stood together in support of our parks, public lands and communities. But there is more work to be done to get this bill over the finish line. Congress must protect America’s legacy and help this bill become law.”

From: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, May 28, 2021 12:48 PM

To: Turner, Janet <Janet.Turner@mail.house.gov>; Szymanski, David <david_szymanski@nps.gov>; Alex Farassati <afarassati@cityofcalabasas.com>; SafeCleanWaterLA@pw.lacounty.gov

Subject: Fwd: An Invitation: Proposed Tour of Morrison Ranch Trailhead Project at the Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve

Good afternoon Ms. Turner,

I'm the new watershed coordinator working for Los Angeles County on behalf of the North Santa Monica Bay Watershed Advisory Steering Committee and the community.

I recently learned about a project concept created by City of Calabasas staff and offered to National Park Service to address shared water quality / public access concerns at the Morrison Ranch gate entry to the Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve. This project would provide parking for visitors, including RV and horse trailers, using permeable paving, and provide bathrooms, trash receptacles, be ADA compliant, offer bilingual trail kiosks, include biofiltration strips and would incorporate a turning point in the street to make this safe.

This would address stormwater run-off and help NPS and Calabasas meet L.A> Regional Water Quality Control Board total maximum daily loads for trash, nutrients, bacteria and metals.

We're exploring how to fund planning, permitting and implementation.

On July 8th at 9:00 a.m. NPS and City of Calabasas will be meeting up to walk the site, along with Chad Christensen from MRCA and Jeremy Wolf from the office of Senator Stern. We'd love to have you join us if your schedule permits.

Let me know your thoughts.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Melina Watts

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Via twitter: [@melinaswatts](#)

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From: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Date: Tue, May 25, 2021 at 4:19 PM

Subject: An Invitation: Proposed Tour of Morrison Ranch Trailhead Project at the Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open

Space Preserve

To: Szymanski, David <david_szymanski@nps.gov>, Melanie Beck <Melanie_Beck@nps.gov>
Cc: Alex Farassati <afarassati@cityofcalabasas.com>, <SafeCleanWaterLA@pw.lacounty.gov>

Mr. David Szymanski
Superintendent

and

Ms. Melanie Beck
Outdoor Recreation Planner

Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area, National Park Service
[401 West Hillcrest Drive](#)
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360

An Invitation: Proposed Tour of Morrison Ranch Trailhead Project at the Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve

Good afternoon Mr. Szymanski and Ms. Beck,

I want to introduce you to an intriguing project that would support long-term NPS goals for the Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve, located at the Morrison Ranch trailhead.

As the city downstream of the Upper Las Virgenes Canyon Open Space Preserve, Calabasas shares the same pressure to address water quality concerns that are defined by the Regional Water Quality Control Board via total maximum daily loads, including trash, metals and oil coming off of parked cars, nutrients and bacteria.

Thinking holistically, Alex Farassati, Environmental Services Manager at Calabasas, convinced the city that creating a project concept with design to include parking with permeable paving for cars, RVS and horse trailers, trash containers, a bathroom, biofiltration strips using native plants, a trailhead kiosk with map and signage in English and Spanish and creating a turnaround point in the street to access these facilities, would help NPS -- and downstream neighbor Calabasas -- address many elements of water quality concerns, while creating a charismatic entry point into the mountains.

The design is a conceptual plan and is 80% ready, but the construction plans need to be developed from scratch. The City of Calabasas is offering to donate this design, help seek funding with the support of the new watershed coordinator, Melina Watts (me) and manage project implementation on behalf of NPS.

This morning, Alex and I met with Heather McInstire at the Wildlife Conservation Board via Zoom this morning. Alex and I think our community has a good shot at getting \$250K for planning funds from the WCB. If successful, the next step would be to seek funding for project implementation, at an estimated cost of \$700K. The City of Calabasas is willing to seek both rounds of funding and to provide staff to manage construction. To move forward, NPS would need to sign off on grant applications and we would need a letter of commitment from NPS to manage operations and management for 25 years to submit to funders.

Alex and I would like to set up a tour of the proposed Morrison Ranch project opportunity, potentially on either June 22 or June 23 at 9:00 a.m.

We can change the date if these options are not a good fit for NPS.

Is this project idea something that NPS would want to consider?

Are you available to meet us on site?

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Melina Watts
Watershed Coordinator

and

Alex Farassati

Environmental Services Manager
City of Calabasas

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Via twitter: @melinaswatts

Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>
To: "Turner, Janet" <Janet.Turner@mail.house.gov>

Tue, Jun 1, 2021 at 5:53 PM

Hello Janet,

This looks like an obvious fit for this project. I'm so glad to have your guidance on this.

I know we're doing the tour on July 8 and trying to get traction on moving forward with it.

I'm going to share this with both David and Alex so that they can think about this option too.

I appreciate your grace when the call went out on us last week and look forward to connecting soon.

Sincerely,
Melina
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Hello David, Alex, Janet and Madelyn,

Janet Turner, from the Office of Congressman Ted W. Lieu, sent over information about The Great American Outdoors Act. Perhaps this is an option for funding the proposed Morrison Ranch project. Thanks for the introduction, Madelyn.

Many options, and perhaps a need to layer in funding from multiple sources, but this does sound wonderful.

Sincerely,
Melina
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To: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Tue, Jun 1, 2021 at 9:54 PM

I will say tentatively I will attend, providing I have permission to go into the field by then.

Best,

Janet 😊

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Szymanski, David M <David_Szymanski@nps.gov>

Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 9:27 AM

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I feel your pain, David.

I'm forging ahead with listening to WCB webinar at 10 am today to continue exploring getting planning money for this...

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Glickfeld, Madelyn <madelyn.glickfeld@ioes.ucla.edu>
To: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 10:05 AM

Hi

Melina, this is what I would say if I could talk to Dave et al:

I understand that the Great American Outdoors Act may not be a good source for a project that is a "new improvement". However, is the \$14 M project that you have proposed also a good location to include stormwater capture and treatment as a part of the project? Deferred maintenance projects of this scope are a great opportunity for upgrading stormwater improvements if the location is right. So when I was on the Regional Board we encouraged cities to consider permeable paving and stormwater infiltration where it worked as a part of a repaving project.

Just a thought you might want to include in this or other communications with relevant people/organizations,

Madelyn Glickfeld

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Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>
To: "Glickfeld, Madelyn" <madelyn.glickfeld@ioes.ucla.edu>

Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 10:07 AM

Hello Madelyn,

I am not done advocating for the Feds to pay for this! I'd love to save WCB funds for water quality projects that co-support ecosystem restoration. However, I have found that when funding projects exploring multiple opportunities simultaneously tends to lead to best case scenario outcomes.

I think it would help if you shared this perspective with both Alex and David, it means more coming directly from you and you are better able to articulate your position.

Thank you for connecting me with Janet. She's excellent.

Melina Watts

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Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 1:56 PM

There is a big set of water bills going through Congress right now. Perhaps it would be good for Janet to attend our Watershed Advisory Stakeholders Group to hear about the new stormwater clean-up regulations for the SMMNRA and the National Forests. This is a whole new set of Clean Water Act Regulations on State and Federal Parks to control trash in stormwater.

Madelyn Glickfeld

Director, UCLA Water Resources Group

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Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 2:19 PM

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Madelyn,

Aurelia Friedman handles Water issues in our office and understands the subject matter better than I.

She will be back from parental leave on July 1

When does the group meet?

Janet

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Hi Madelyn - Justin Yee on our team is the best POC to attend the stakeholders group. Justin served as the Federal urban waters ambassador here in LA for several years and has assumed some of Melanie Beck's planning duties following her retirement.

David

David Szymanski

Superintendent
Santa Monica Mountains
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Office: 805-370-2342

From: Turner, Janet <Janet.Turner@mail.house.gov>
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The WASC meeting where this will be discussed, with the LA Regional Water Quality Control Board and State/Federal Parks in our Watersheds of Los Angeles County is on June 10, a week from now. Melina can tell you more.

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Hello Janet,

It would be nice if someone from your office could attend the meeting on July 10 at 1:00 p.m. via Webex as L.A. Regional Water Quality Control Board is making a presentation about the Trash Conditional Permit and my instinct is that engagement from your office can help lead us all towards productive solutions.

However, if that's not possible, I'll keep you apprised for the next meetings. I do not yet know the date for the July NSMB

WASC, but will double back to you.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Melina Watts

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Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 3:35 PM

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Wed, Jun 2, 2021 at 4:43 PM

Janet it would be wonderful if you could us on June 10 at

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MORRISON RANCH TRAIL HEAD, RESTROOM DESIGN, AND STREET IMPROVEMENT

STREET IMPROVEMENT PLANS GENERAL NOTES

- ALL WORK SHALL CONFORM TO THE CURRENT STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION (SSPWC), CALTRANS STANDARDS LATEST EDITION AND ALL "STANDARD PLANS" AND "SPECIAL PROVISIONS" REFERENCED.
- BEFORE WORK CAN BE STARTED, THE CONTRACTOR MUST OBTAIN AN ENCROACHMENT PERMIT TO WORK WITHIN THE EXISTING PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY FROM THE CITY PUBLIC WORKS DIVISION, 100 CIVIC CENTER WAY, CALABASAS, CA 91302.
- ALL WORK IN THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY SHALL BE PER CURRENT CITY OF CALABASAS STANDARDS, POLICIES, CODES, AND PERMIT REQUIREMENTS, AND SHALL BE DONE UNDER THE INSPECTION OF, AND TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE CITY ENGINEER. APPLICATION FOR INSPECTION BY THE CITY OF CALABASAS SHALL BE MADE BY THE CONTRACTOR AT LEAST TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS BEFORE THE SERVICES THEREOF WILL BE REQUIRED. PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY OF CALABASAS PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT AT (818) 224-1600.
- NO DEVIATION OR CHANGES FROM THESE PLANS SHALL BE MADE UNLESS A CHANGE ORDER IS PROCESSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY ENGINEER.
- WORK IN PUBLIC STREETS, ONCE BEGUN, SHALL BE PROSECUTED TO COMPLETION WITHOUT DELAY SO AS TO PROVIDE MINIMUM INCONVENIENCE TO ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNERS AND TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS REQUIREMENT IS A VIOLATION OF ORDINANCE 172, THE HIGHWAY PERMIT ORDINANCE.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE ALL NECESSARY AND PROPER PRECAUTIONS TO PROTECT ADJACENT PROPERTIES FROM ANY AND ALL WORK IN CONNECTION WITH HIS CONSTRUCTION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN VEHICULAR AND PEDESTRIAN ACCESS TO ADJACENT PROPERTIES AT ALL TIMES.
- ALL CONTRACTORS AND SUBCONTRACTORS DOING WORK WITHIN CITY LIMITS SHALL POSSESS A VALID CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.
- CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL JOB SITE SAFETY AND TRAFFIC CONTROL. CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH MINIMUM PUBLIC SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR OPEN EXCAVATIONS, AND CAL/OSHA SAFETY REQUIREMENTS.
- CONTRACTORS SHALL VERIFY ALL SITE CONDITIONS AND DIMENSIONS, AND SHALL REPORT ALL DISCREPANCIES TO THE CITY ENGINEER PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL HAVE EXISTING SURVEY MONUMENTS LOCATED AND REFERENCED BY OR UNDER THE DIRECTION OF A LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR OR REGISTERED CIVIL ENGINEER PRIOR TO STARTING CONSTRUCTION ON ANY STREET OR HIGHWAY. A CORNER RECORD OF THE REFERENCES SHALL BE FILED WITH THE COUNTY SURVEYOR. ALL MONUMENTS SHALL BE RESET IN THE SURFACE OF THE NEW CONSTRUCTION. A SUITABLE MONUMENT BOX SHALL BE PLACED THEREON IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOS ANGELES COUNTY REQUIREMENTS. PERMANENT WITNESS MONUMENTS SHALL BE SET TO PERPETUATE THEIR LOCATION AND A CORNER RECORD SHALL BE FILED WITH THE COUNTY SURVEYOR PRIOR TO ACCEPTANCE OF THE STREET IMPROVEMENTS. THE CITY OF CALABASAS WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS WORK AND THEY SHALL BE PAID BY THE DEVELOPER/CONTRACTOR.
- THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PROTECTING ALL EXISTING UTILITIES WHETHER SHOWN OR NOT SHOWN ON THESE DRAWINGS. THE CONTRACTOR FURTHER ASSUMES ALL LIABILITY AND RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE UTILITY PIPES, CONDUITS, OR STRUCTURES SHOWN OR NOT SHOWN ON THESE DRAWINGS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROTECTING ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY INsofar AS IT MAY BE AFFECTED BY THESE OPERATIONS. ALL COSTS FOR PROTECTING, REMOVING, AND RESTORING EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS SHALL BE BORNE BY THE CONTRACTOR. UTILITY TRENCH IN THE TRAVELED WAY SHALL BE COVERED WITH STEEL PLATES INSTALLED PER THE PUBLIC WORKS POLICY NO. 104.
- ALL CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE HOURS OF 7:00 AM TO 4:00 PM, MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY. RESTRICTED WORK HOURS PROVISIONS APPLY DURING THE LVSUD SCHOOL YEAR. (CONTACT CITY ENGINEER FOR DETAILS).
- IMPORTANT NOTICE - SECTION 4216/4217 OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE REQUIRES DIG ALERT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER BE ISSUED BEFORE ANY "PERMIT TO EXCAVATE" TO BE VALID. FOR YOUR DIG ALERT I.D. NUMBER, CALL UNDERGROUND SERVICE ALERT TOLL FREE AT (800) 422-4133, TWO (2) WORKING DAYS BEFORE YOU DIG.
- CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTOR AGREES THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH GENERALLY ACCEPTED CONSTRUCTION PRACTICES, CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTOR WILL BE REQUIRED TO ASSUME SOLE AND COMPLETE RESPONSIBILITY FOR JOB SITE CONDITIONS DURING THE COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROJECT, INCLUDING SAFETY OF ALL PERSONS AND PROPERTY. THIS REQUIREMENT SHALL BE IN EFFECT AT ALL TIMES.
- THE CONTRACTOR FURTHER AGREES TO DEPEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD THE DESIGN PROFESSIONAL HARMLESS FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, REAL OR ALLEGED, IN CONNECTION WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF WORK ON THIS PROJECT, EXCEPTING LIABILITY ARISING FROM THE SOLE NEGLIGENCE OF THE DESIGN PROFESSIONAL.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SECURING ALL APPLICABLE PERMITS AND PAYING ANY RELATED FEES.
- IF WORK IS TO BE DONE WITHIN A STATE RIGHT-OF-WAY, A PERMIT MUST BE OBTAINED FROM THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS, 120 SOUTH SPRING, LOS ANGELES, CA.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE FOR DRAINAGE CONTROL IN ALL ASPECTS OF THE WORK.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL SITE UTILITIES, STRUCTURE LOCATIONS AND APPLICABLE AGENCY STANDARDS PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK ON THOSE UTILITIES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE INSPECTOR, UTILITY OWNER AND THE PROJECT MANAGER OF ANY AFFECTED UTILITIES SEVEN (7) DAYS PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PRESERVING ALL GRADE STAKES UNTIL AUTHORIZED BY THE SURVEYOR TO REMOVE.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT ALL AREAS DISTURBED DURING CONSTRUCTION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT METHOD OF PROTECTION TO THE CITY ENGINEER FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK.
- WHEN TUNNELING UNDER EXISTING CONCRETE CROSS GUTTER, CURB AND GUTTERS, AND SPANDRELS, THE BACKFILL SHALL BE 1-1/2 SACK SAND SLURRY (NO EXCEPTIONS).

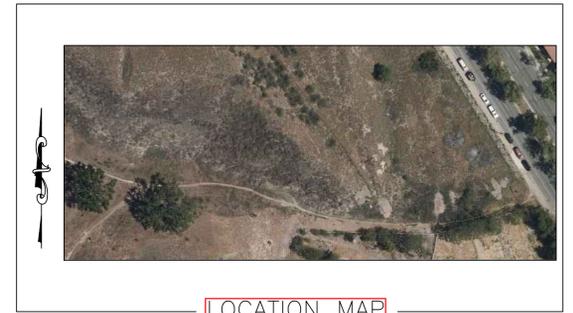
- ALL UNDERGROUND UTILITIES AND SERVICE LATERALS SHALL BE INSTALLED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OF CURBS, GUTTERS, SIDEWALKS, AND PAVING UNLESS OTHERWISE PERMITTED BY THE CITY ENGINEER.
- ALL TRENCH WORK SHALL BE IN CONFORMANCE WITH PUBLIC WORKS POLICY NO. 106 UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE CITY ENGINEER.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL JOIN ELEVATIONS PRIOR TO THE REMOVAL OF PAVEMENT, CURB, GUTTER, SIDEWALK AND/OR SLOPE GRADING. ANY DISCREPANCIES SHALL BE REPORTED TO THE CITY ENGINEER PRIOR TO REMOVALS WITHIN THE AREA OF DISCREPANCIES.
- ALL MATERIAL SHALL BE INSPECTED AND ACCEPTED BY THE PUBLIC WORKS INSPECTOR PRIOR TO BEING USED FOR CONSTRUCTION. THE CITY INSPECTOR HAS THE AUTHORITY TO REJECT THE USE OF MATERIALS WHICH ARE DAMAGED OR NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH PLANS OR SPECIFICATION.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE SURVEYED AS-BUILT PLANS TO THE CITY ENGINEER PRIOR TO ACCEPTANCE OF THE WORK.
- THE CONTRACTOR SHALL HAVE AN APPROVED TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN ONSITE AT ALL TIMES.

CAUTION: UNDERGROUND STRUCTURES

ALL UNDERGROUND UTILITIES OR STRUCTURES REPORTED BY THE OWNER OR THOSE SHOWN ON RECORDS EXAMINED ARE INDICATED WITH THEIR APPROXIMATE LOCATION AND EXTENT. THE DEVELOPER, BY ACCEPTING THESE PLANS OR PROCEEDING WITH IMPROVEMENTS PURSUANT THERETO, UNDERSTANDS THAT THEY AGREE TO ASSUME LIABILITY, AND AGREE TO HOLD THE UNDERSIGNED HARMLESS FOR ANY LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE RESULTING FROM THE EXISTENCE OF UNDERGROUND UTILITIES OR STRUCTURES NOT REPORTED TO THE UNDERSIGNED, NOT INDICATED ON THE PUBLIC RECORDS EXAMINED, LOCATED AT VARIANCE WITH THAT REPORTED OR SHOWN ON RECORDS EXAMINED. THE CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO TAKE DUE PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES TO PROTECT THE UTILITIES OR STRUCTURES FOUND AT THE SITE. IT SHALL BE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO NOTIFY THE OWNERS OF THE UTILITIES OR STRUCTURES CONCERNED BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH WORK.

LEGEND

BENCH MARK & VERTICAL DATUM



LOCATION MAP

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VICINITY MAP

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CITY ENGINEER/PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR

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PROJECT ENGINEER'S SIGNATURE DATE

PROJECT ENGINEER'S NAME CITY PUBLIC WORKS REPRESENTATIVE

COVER SHEET

PROJECT LOCATION

PREPARED FOR:
City of Calabasas
100 Civic Center Way,
Calabasas, CA 91302

DESIGNED BY:
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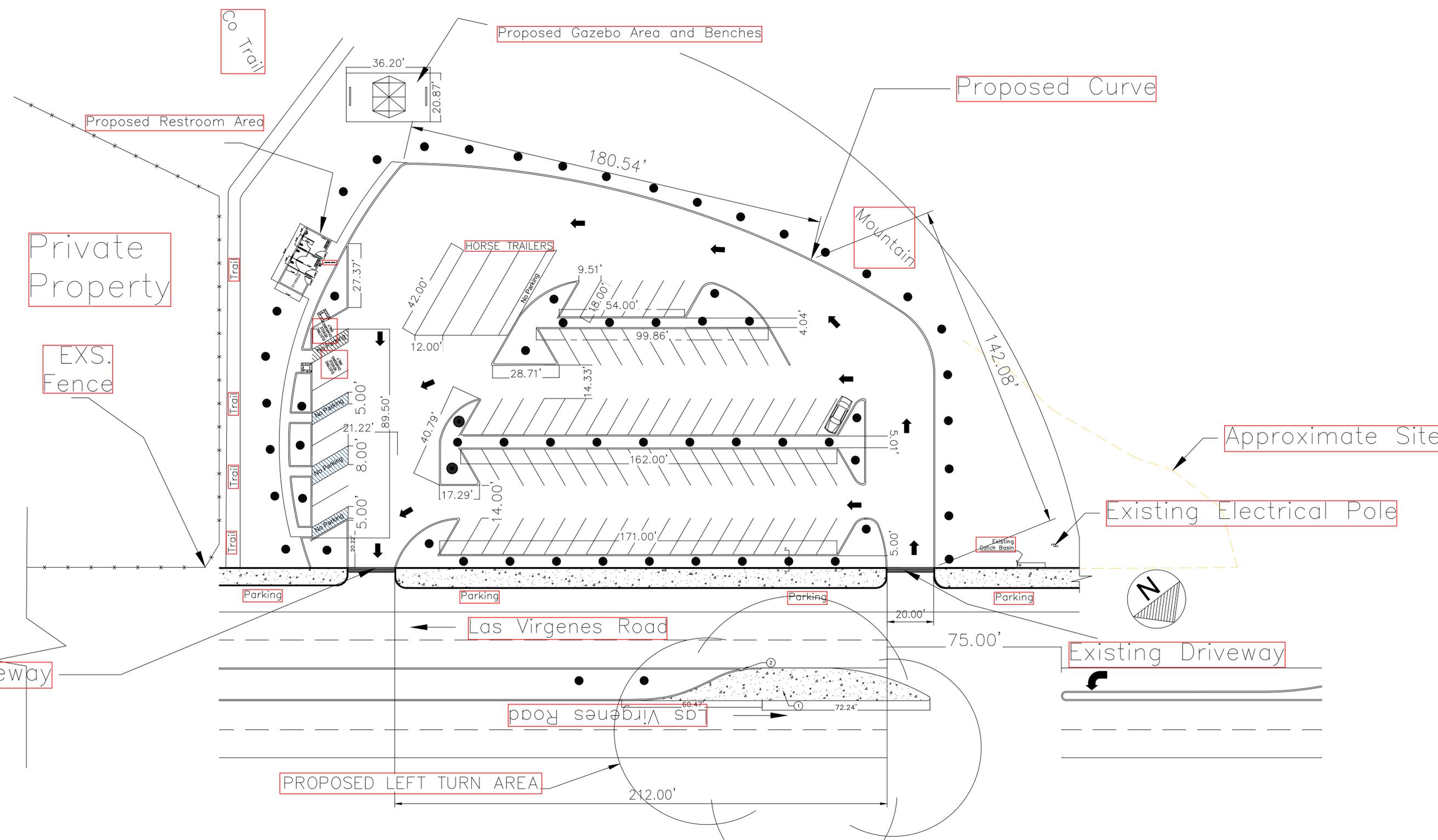
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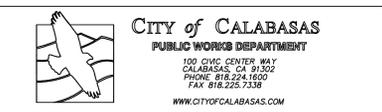
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Parking Lot Design Plan

PROJECT LOCATION

PREPARED FOR: City of Calabasas
100 Civic Center Way,
Calabasas, CA 91302

DESIGNED BY: Ashique Khandoker

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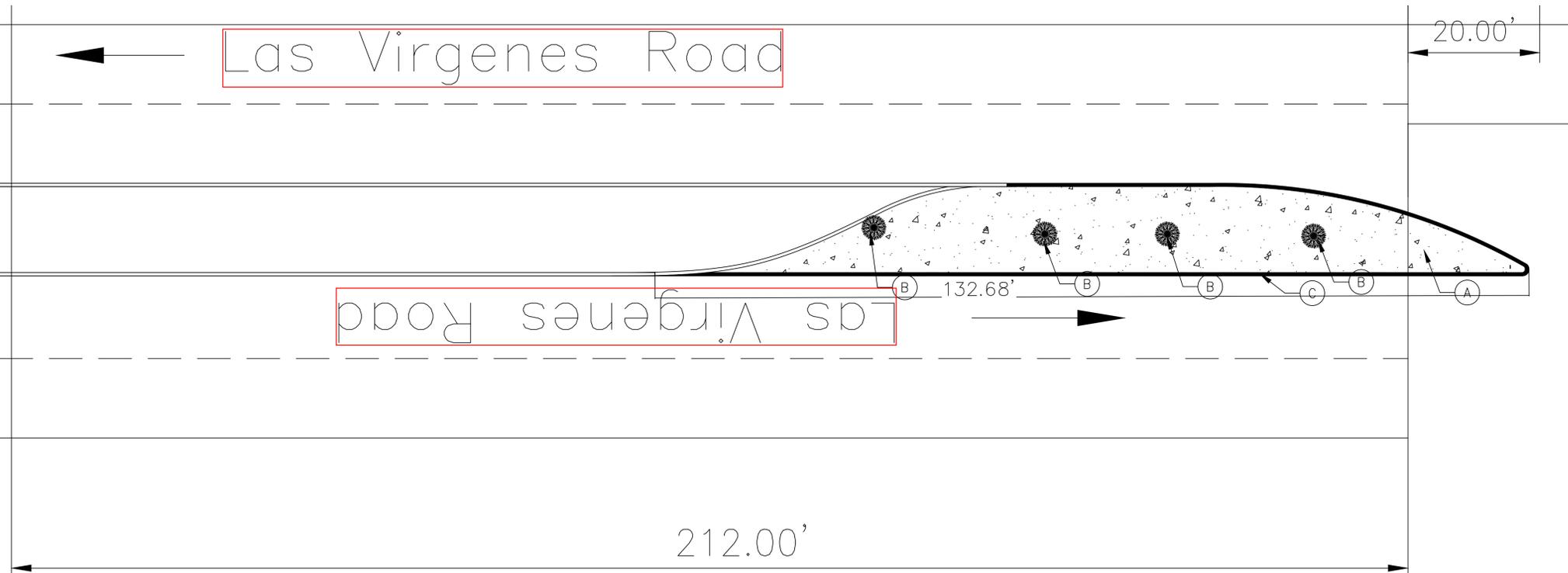
- (A) APPROXIMATE AREA OF DIRT AND STONES MUST BE REMOVED
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GENERAL NOTES

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3. SPRINKLER SYSTEM MUST BE READJUSTED.
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LEGEND

-  EXISTING TREES
-  EXISTING CURB CURB
-  NEW PAVEMENT



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SCALE: 1" = 10'



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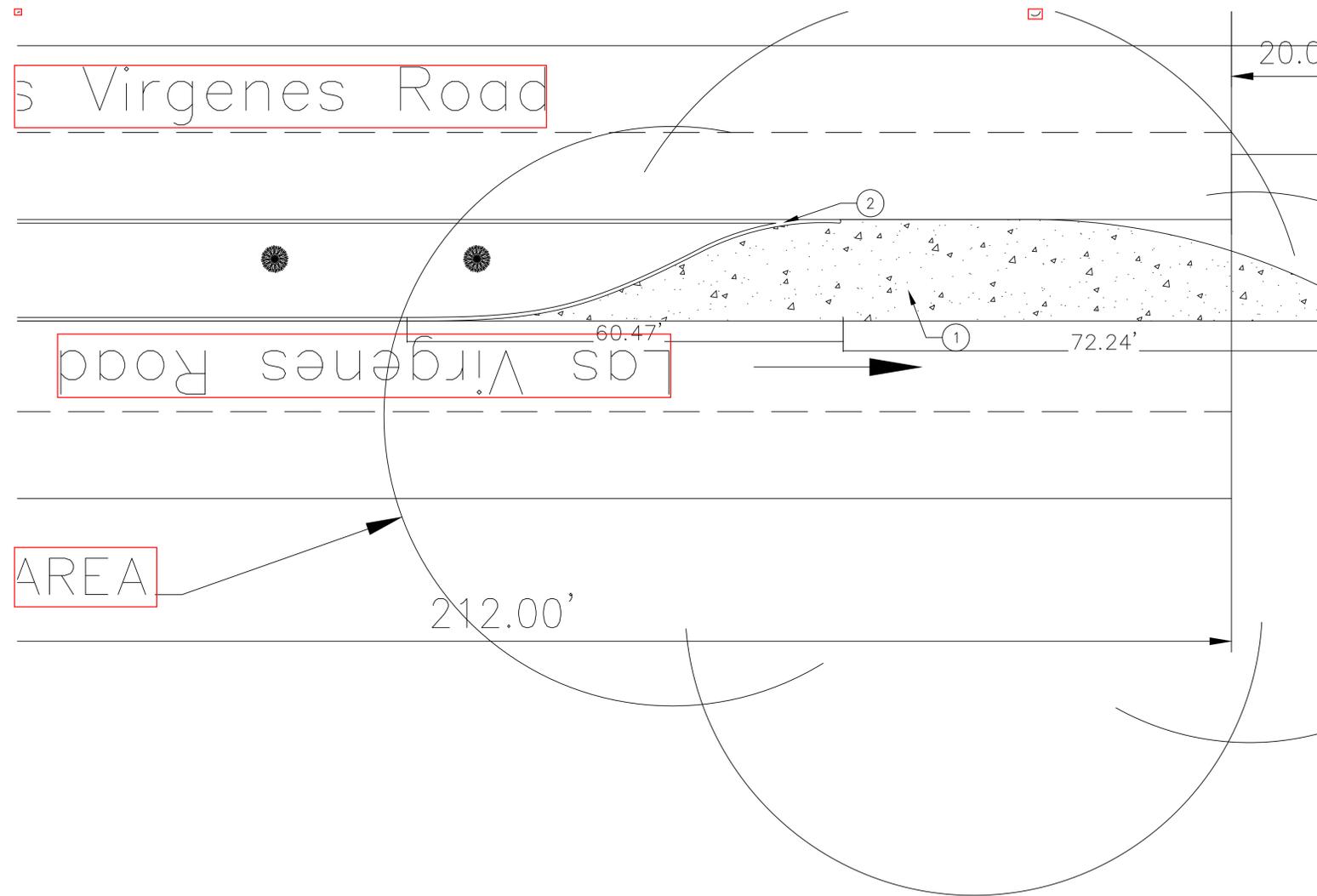
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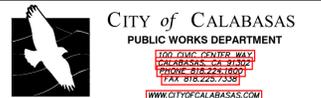
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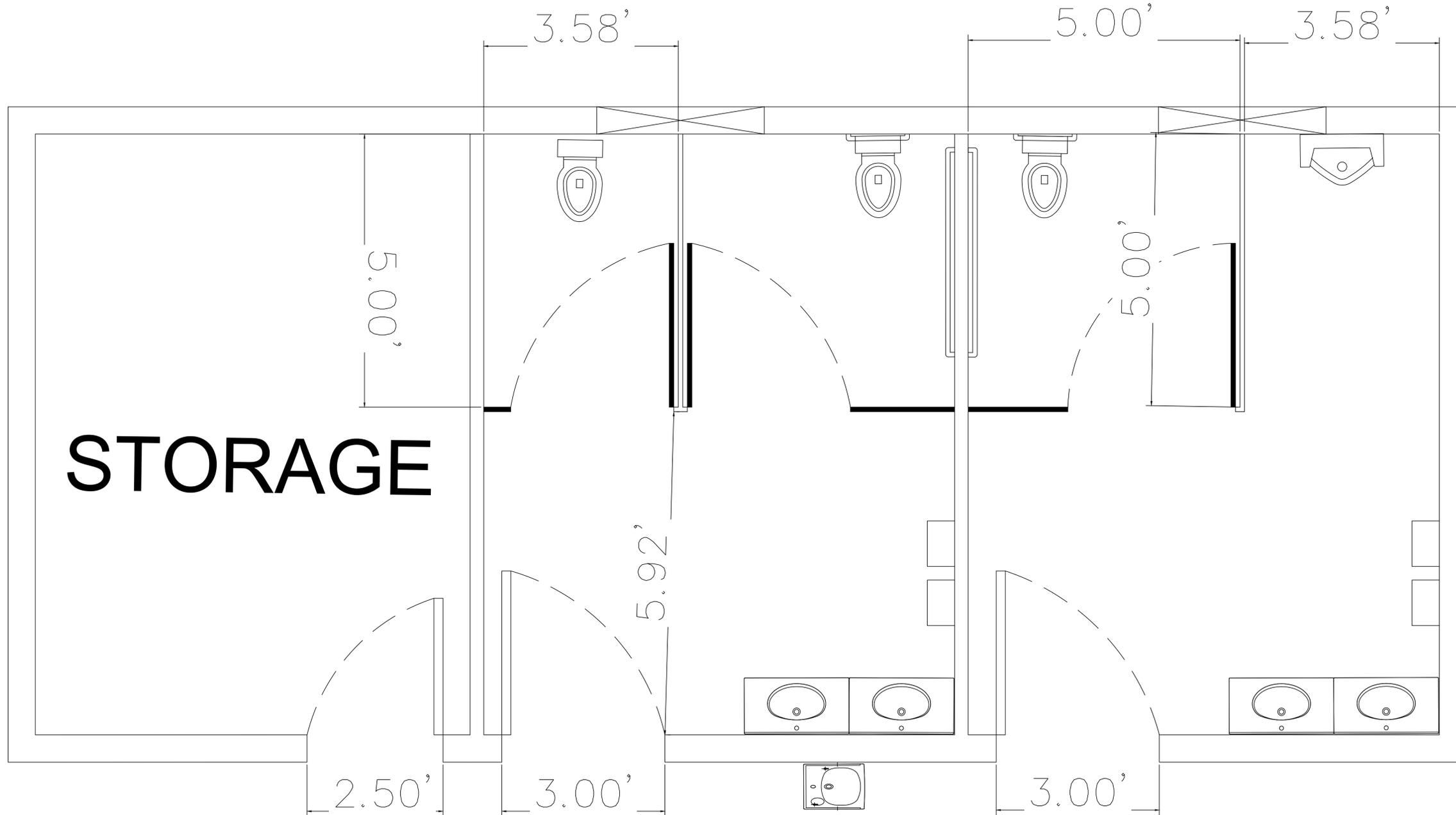
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MORRISON TRAILHEAD PARKING - CONSTRUCTION
PROJECT LOCATION

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Calabasas, CA 91302

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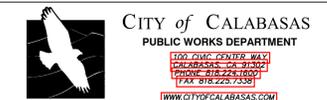
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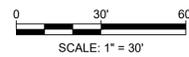
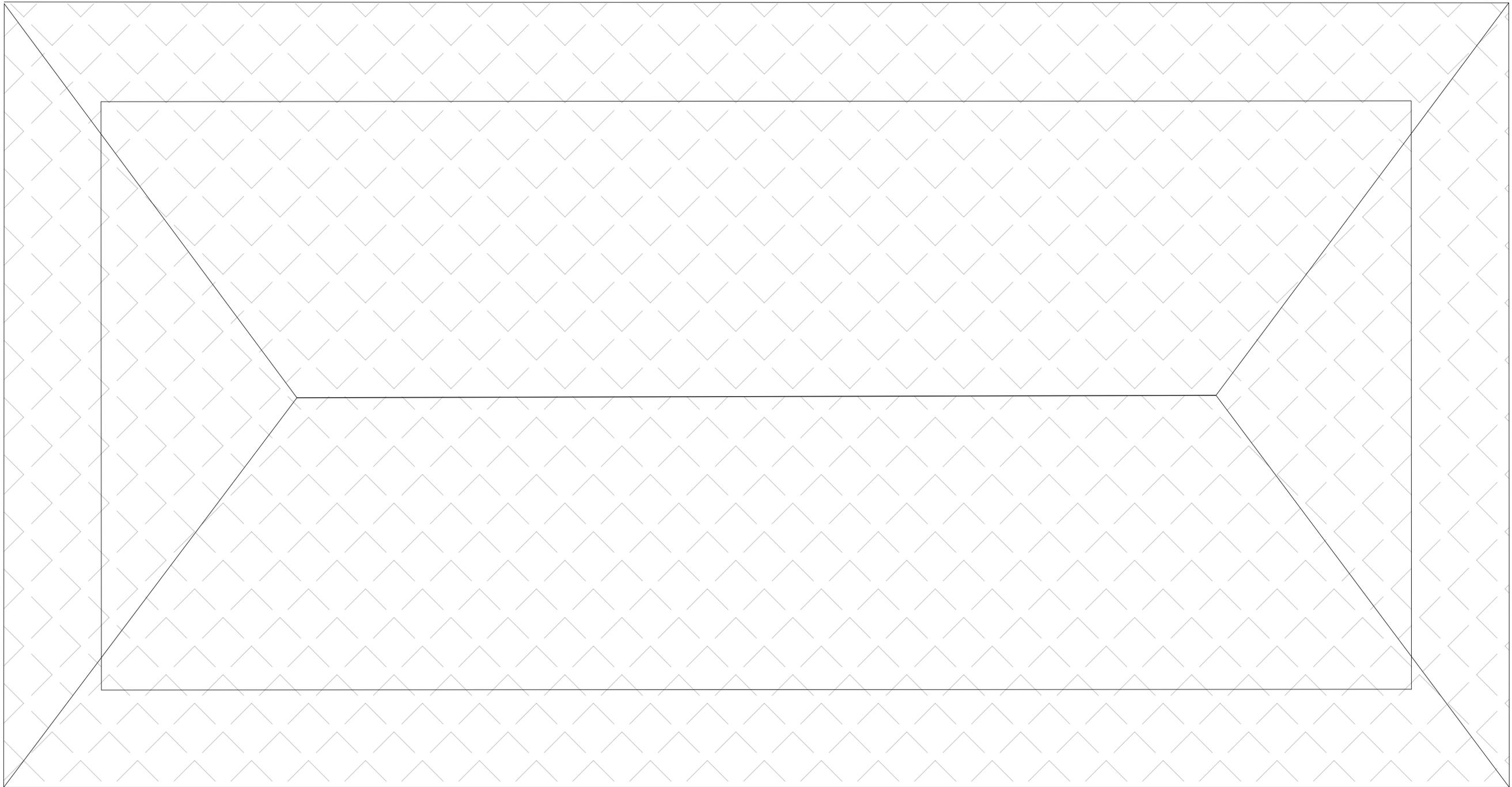
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RESTROOM ROOF PLAN

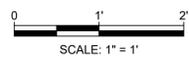
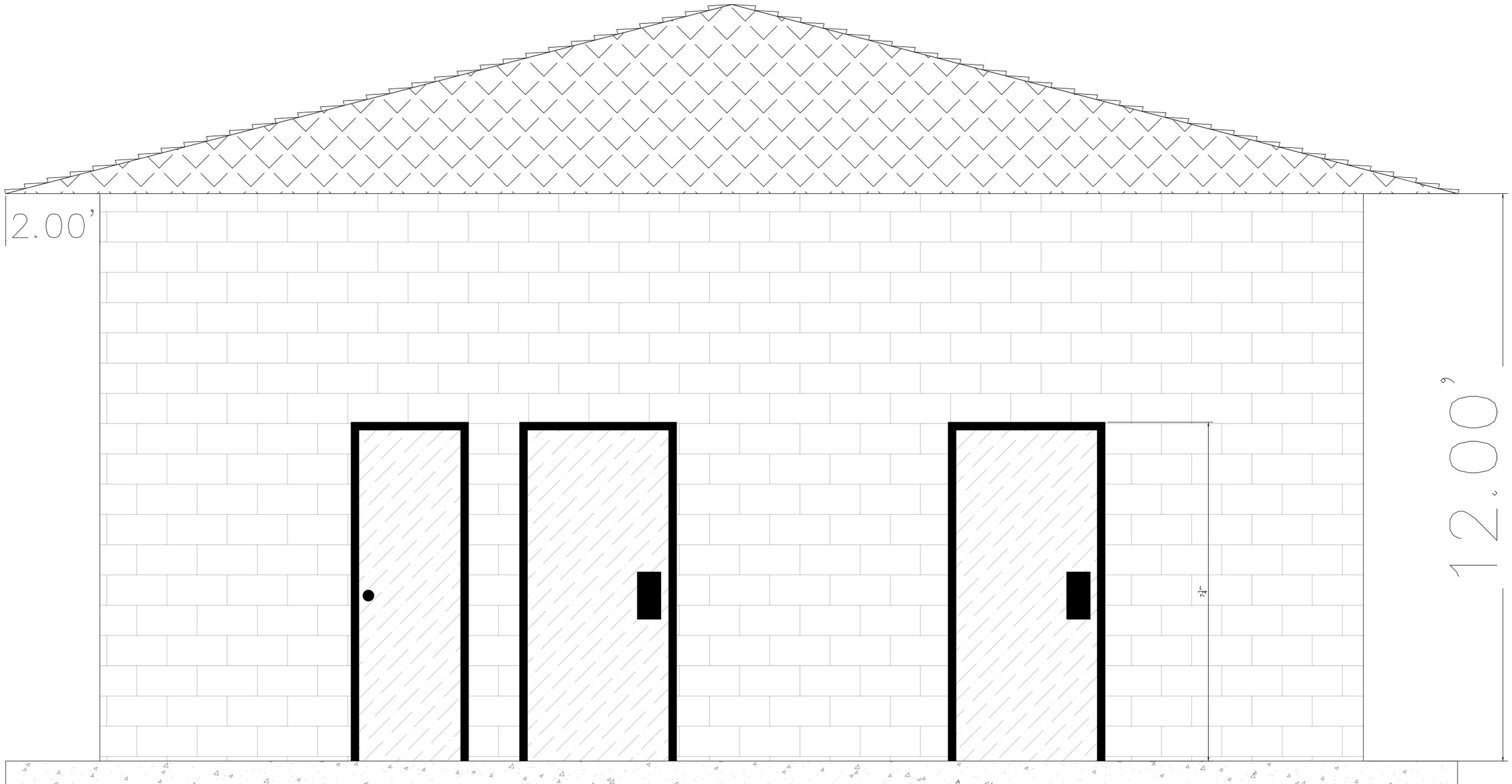
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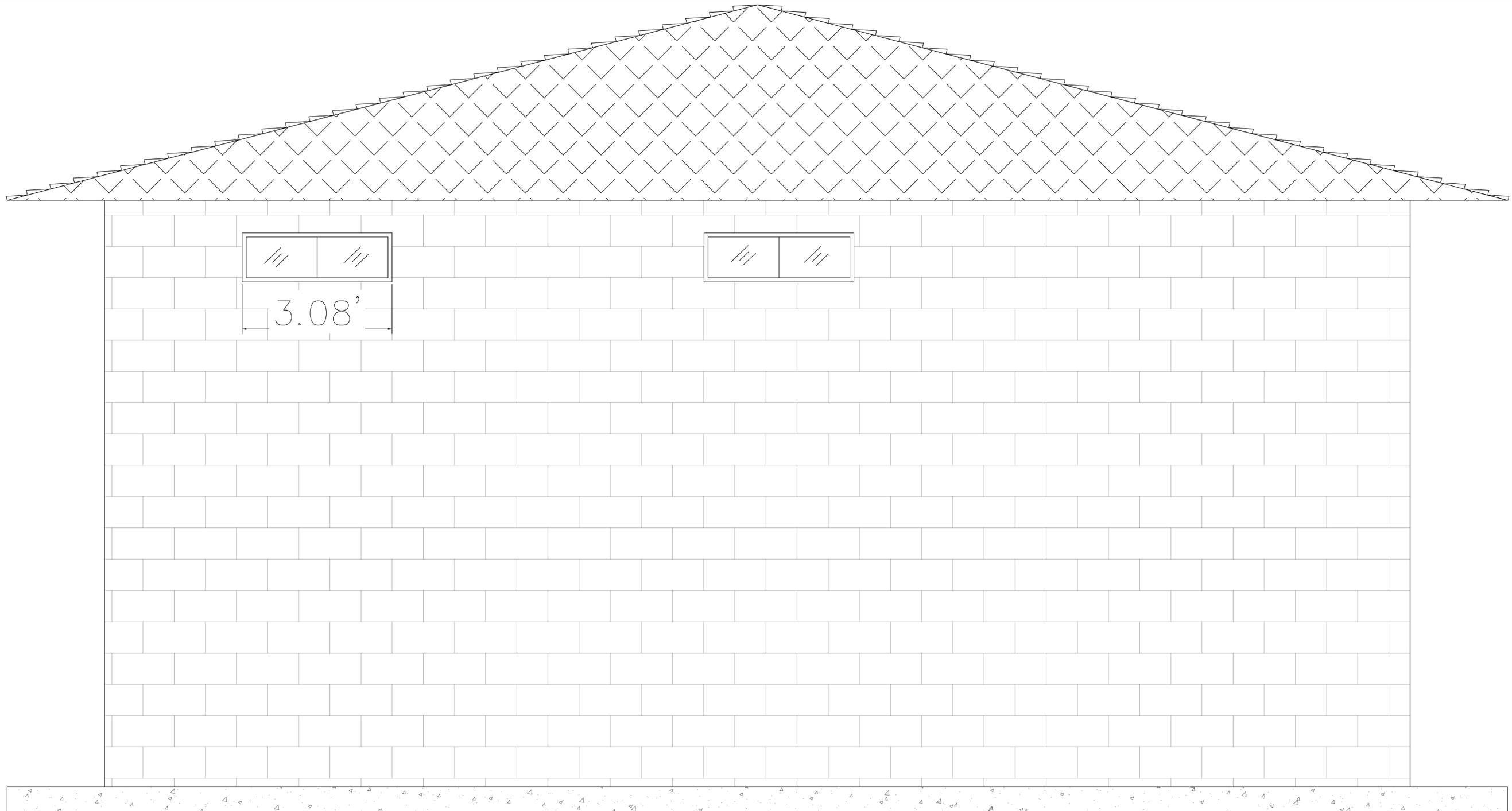
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DRAWN BY: *Shree Khandaker*

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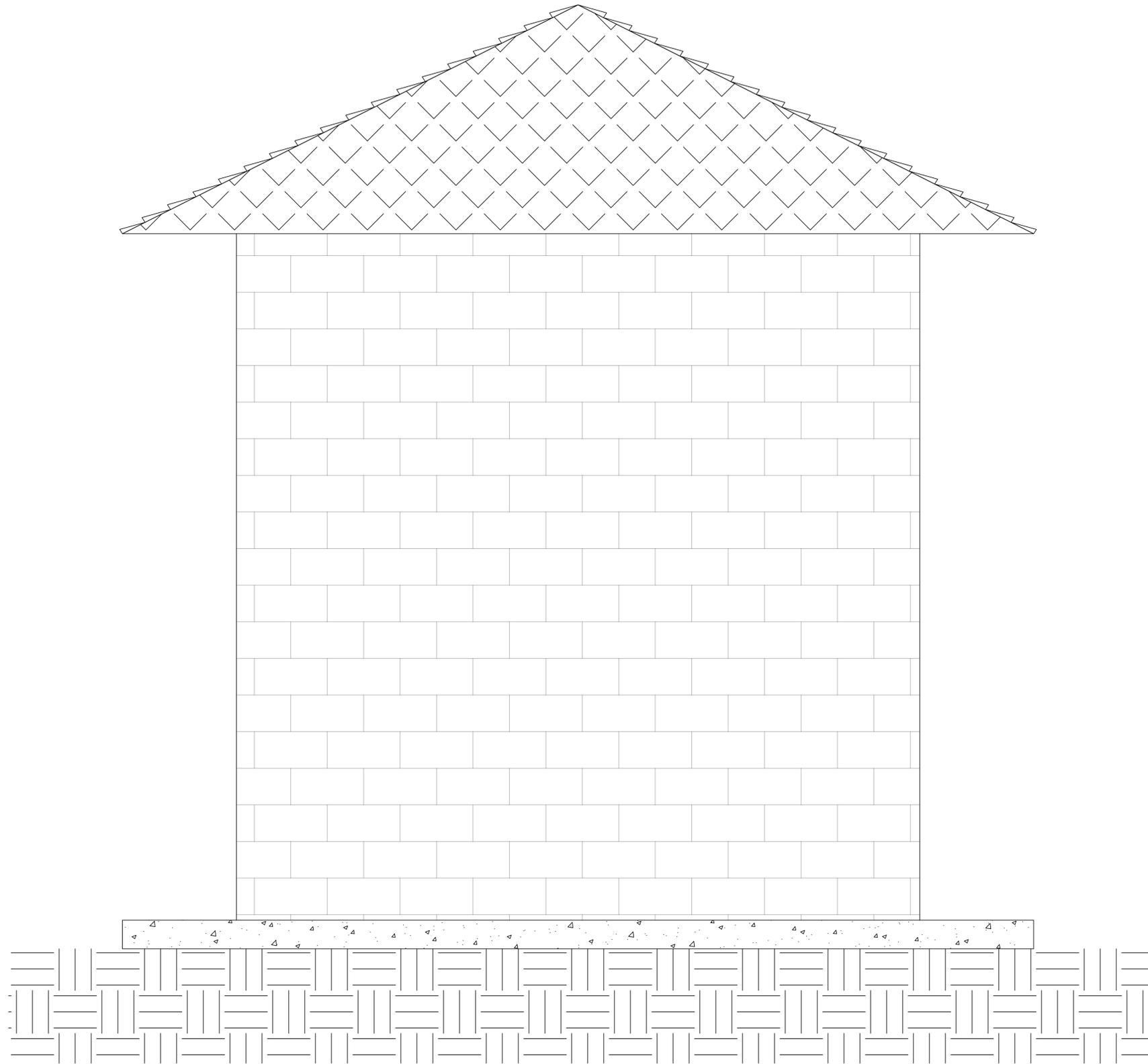
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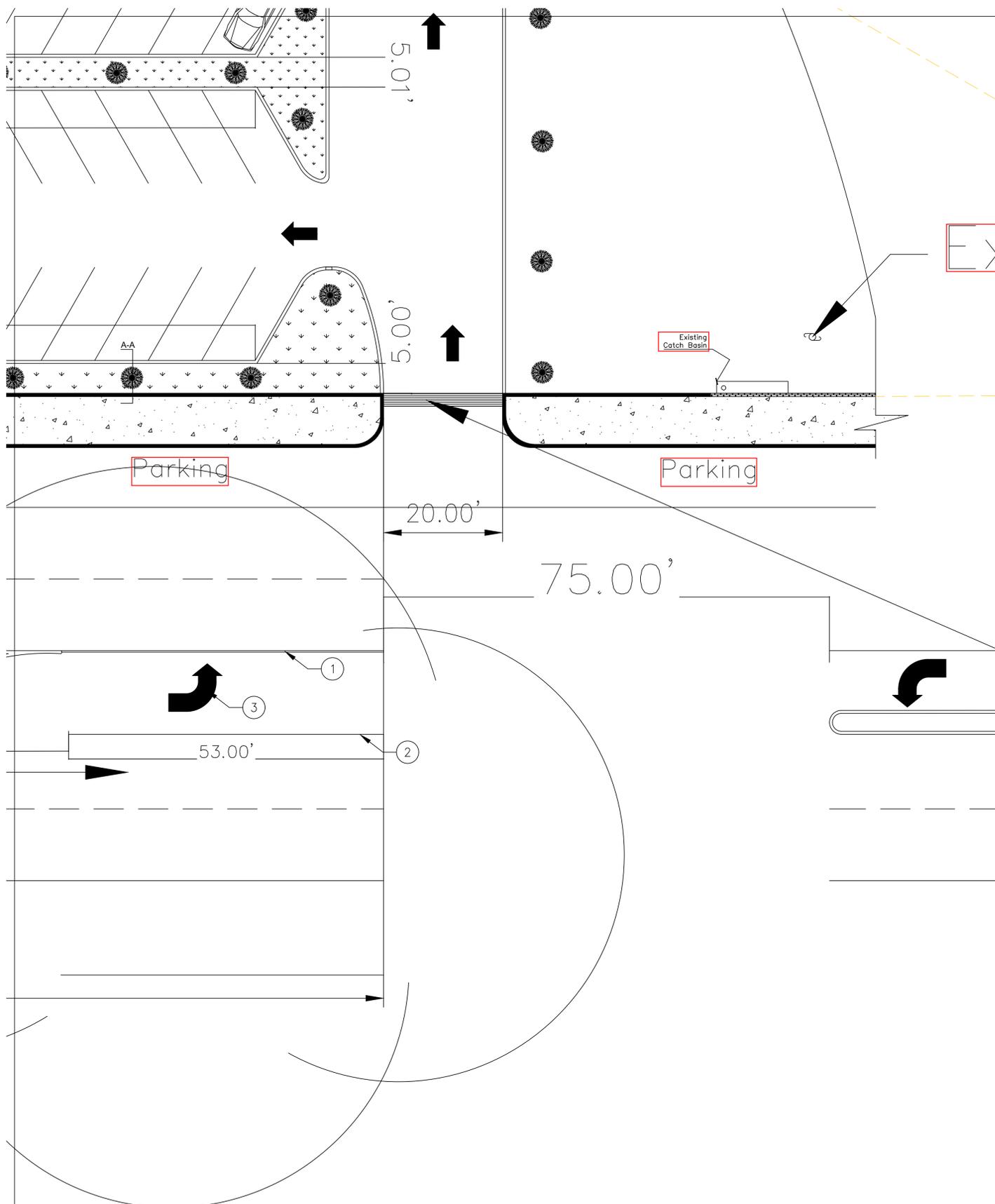
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STRIPING NOTES

- ① REFER TO DETAIL 21 PER MUTCD - YELLOW
- ② REFER TO DETAIL 38A PER MUTCD - WHITE
- ③ TYPE IV (L/R) TURN ARROW - WHITE



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Attachment

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Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

North Santa Monica Bay Watershed 2021

Afman, Dawn - NRCS, Oxnard, CA <dawn.afman@usda.gov>
To: "melinawatts@gmail.com" <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Tue, Aug 24, 2021 at 8:10 AM

Hey Melina, Blast from the Past Good to hear from you. Congrats on the new position. We don't have the WHIP Wildlife habitat incentives programs anymore so NRCS funding is only for farmers these days. People who produce food or fiber. The 2018 farm bill was pretty clear on that albeit we should get a new farm bill in 2023 so we can see what happen then. If you have farmers that need my help I would love to assist and will run with arms wide open if not I really don't have time like the good ole days to do wishes and brainstorm what may come..

Any questions just give me a call.

Dawn Afman

District Conservationist

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"let's say YES until we are forced to say NO"

From: Engelhardt, Brooks - NRCS, Oxnard, CA <brooks.engelhardt@usda.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, August 24, 2021 7:40 AM

To: Afman, Dawn - NRCS, Oxnard, CA <dawn.afman@usda.gov>

Subject: FW: [External Email]North Santa Monica Bay Watershed 2021

Hi Dawn,

Melina Watts is requesting a meeting.

Brooks

From: Melina Watts <melinawatts@gmail.com>

Sent: Monday, August 23, 2021 3:46 PM

To: Engelhardt, Brooks - NRCS, Oxnard, CA <brooks.engelhardt@usda.gov>; SafeCleanWaterLA@pw.lacounty.gov;
Melina Watts <nsmbwatershedcoordinator@gmail.com>

Subject: [External Email]North Santa Monica Bay Watershed 2021

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Dear Brooks,

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