

# City of Ketchum

### CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA MEMO

Meeting Date: | January 5, 2026 | Staff Member/Dept: | Robyn Mattison, City Engineer

Agenda Item: Recommendation to approve amended Right-of-Way Encroachment Agreement 22825A

for the placement of a steel edging retaining wall in the public right-of-way at 671 E 5<sup>th</sup>

Street.

# **Recommended Motion:**

I move to authorize the Mayor to sign amended Right-of-Way Encroachment Agreement 22825A with 671 E 5<sup>th</sup> Street Holdings LLC.

# Reasons for Recommendation:

- City Council has previously approved a right-of way encroachment agreement for 671 E 5<sup>th</sup> Street for a snowmelt system in the right-of-way due to the steep grade of the driveway exceeding Fire Department standards.
- Since the City Council approved the prior agreement, the applicant has submitted a Building Permit Modification and ROW Encroachment application for extension of a steel edging plate retaining wall along the east side of the driveway into the right-of-way. The steel plate retaining wall along the narrow driveway permitted the applicant to reduce the grade of the driveway without affecting the grade of the neighboring property. Construction fencing currently surrounding the neighboring property and adjacent ROW prevented the contractor from performing the city-approved regrading within the right-of-way as initially planned. Consequently, the steel edging plate retaining wall (< 1-ft tall) was extended into the right-of-way (see figure below).



• The applicant's extension of the steel retaining plate for the existing driveway has been reviewed and approved by the City Engineer, Streets Department, and Planning Department. The proposed driveway improvements will not impact drainage, snow removal, or city operations along 5<sup>th</sup> Street and comply with the standards for permanent right-of-way encroachments specified in Ketchum Municipal Code §12.12.060.

Policy Analysis and Background (non-consent	t items only):
Sustainability Impact:	
None OR state impact here: None	
Financial Impact:	
None OR Adequate funds exist in account:	There is no financial requirement from the city for this action.
Attachments:	
1. Amended Right-of-Way Encroachme	ent Agreement 22825A

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OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK CITY OF KETCHUM POST OFFICE BOX 2315 KETCHUM, IDAHO 83340

# **RIGHT-OF-WAY ENCROACHMENT AGREEMENT 22825A**

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026, by and between the CITY OF KETCHUM, IDAHO, a municipal corporation ("Ketchum"), whose address is Post Office Box 2315, Ketchum, Idaho 83340 and CHARLES STEVENSON, representing 671 E 5<sup>th</sup> Street Holdings LLC ("Owner"), whose address is 611 North Street, Grennwich, Connecticut 06830.

### RECITALS

WHEREAS, Owner is the owner of real property described as 671 E 5<sup>th</sup> Street and legally described as KETCHUM LOT 6A BLK 90 ("Subject Property"), located within the City of Ketchum, State of Idaho; and

WHEREAS, Owner wishes to permit the placement of a concrete driveway with a snowmelt system and steel edging plate retaining wall within the public right-of-way on East 5th Street. These improvements are shown in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein (collectively referred to as the "Improvements"); and,

WHEREAS, Ketchum finds that said Improvements will not impede the use of said public right-of-way at this time subject to the terms and provisions of this Agreement;

WHEREAS, the Owner will restore the sidewalk, street, curb and gutter and any landscaping back to the original condition acceptable to the Streets and Facilities Director;

NOW, THEREFORE, in contemplation of the above stated facts and objectives, it is hereby agreed as follows:

### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1. Ketchum shall permit Owner to install the concrete driveway with a snowmelt system and steel plate retaining wall identified in Exhibit "A" within the public right-of-way on East 5<sup>th</sup> Street, until notified by Ketchum to remove the infrastructure at which time Owner shall remove infrastructure at Owner's expense.
- 2. Owner shall be responsible for the maintenance of said Improvements and shall repair said improvements within 48 hours upon notice from Ketchum that repairs are needed. Any modification to the improvements identified in Exhibit "A" shall be approved by the City of Ketchum prior to any modifications taking place.

- 3. Snowmelt systems installed in the public right-of-way shall be installed as certified in Exhibit "B Residential Snowmelt Installation Certificate" and operate at all times during the winter according to the following:
  - The system shall meet the requirements of the International Energy Conservation Code (2018 IECC, 403.12.2)
  - The system shall have an electronic main control board to operate the system that is programmable and optimizes the way the system functions.
  - Installation of in-ground control sensors linked to the main control board that detect snow and ice on the surface, monitor the sidewalk or driveway temperature, and automatically activates the system to be turned on or off based on the snow condition and air temperature.
- 4. Owner shall be responsible for restoring the sidewalk, curb and gutter and landscaping that is altered due to the construction and installation of the Improvements, to the satisfaction of the Director of Streets and Facilities.
- 5. In consideration of Ketchum allowing Owner to maintain the Improvements in the public right-of-way, Owner agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Ketchum from and against any and all claims of liability for any injury or damage to any person or property arising from the Improvements constructed, installed and maintained in the public right-of-way. Owner shall further indemnify and hold Ketchum harmless from and against any and all claims arising from any breach or default in the performance of any obligation on Owner's part to be performed under this Agreement, or arising from any negligence of Owner or Owner's agents, contractors or employees and from and against all costs, attorney's fees, expenses and liabilities incurred in the defense of any such action or proceeding brought thereon. In the event any action or proceeding is brought against Ketchum by reason of such claim, Owner, upon notice from Ketchum, shall defend Ketchum at Owner's expense by counsel satisfactory to Ketchum. Owner, as a material part of the consideration to Ketchum, hereby assumes all risk of damages to property or injury to persons in, upon or about the Improvements constructed, installed and maintained in the public right-of-way arising from the construction, installation and maintenance of said Improvements and Owner hereby waives all claims in respect thereof against Ketchum.
- 6. Ketchum shall not be liable for injury to Owner's business or loss of income therefrom or for damage which may be sustained by the person, goods, wares, merchandise or property of Owner, its tenants, employees, invitees, customers, agents or contractors or any other person in or about the Subject Property caused by or resulting from the Improvements constructed, installed, removed or maintained in the public right-of-way.
- 7. Owner understands and agrees that by maintaining the Improvements in the public right-of-way pursuant to this Agreement, Owner obtains no claim or interest in said public right-of-way which is adverse to that of Ketchum and that Owner obtains no exclusive right to said public right-of-way nor any other right to use the public right-of-way not specifically described herein.
- 8. In the event either party hereto retains an attorney to enforce any of the rights, duties and obligations arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover from the non-prevailing party reasonable attorney's fees at the trial and appellate levels and, whether or not litigation is actually instituted.

- 9. This Agreement shall be governed by, construed, and enforced in accordance with the laws and decisions of the State of Idaho. Venue shall be in the District Court of the fifth Judicial District of the State of Idaho.
- 10. This Agreement sets forth the entire understanding of the parties hereto and shall not be changed or terminated orally. It is understood and agreed by the parties hereto that there are no verbal promises or implied promises, agreements, stipulations or other representations of any kind or character pertaining to the Improvements maintained in the public right-of-way other than as set forth in this Agreement.
- 11. Successors and Assigns This Agreement shall be binding upon and inures to the benefit of each of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.
- 12. No presumption shall exist in favor of or against any party to this Agreement as the result of the drafting and preparation of this document.
  - 13. This Agreement shall be recorded with the Blaine County Recorder by Ketchum.
- 14. The parties fully understand all of the provisions of this Agreement, and believe them to be fair, just, adequate, and reasonable, and accordingly accept the provisions of this Agreement freely and voluntarily.

OWNER:	CITY OF KETCHUM:
By:	Ву:
Charles Stevenson 671 E 5 <sup>th</sup> Street Holdings LLC	Neil Bradshaw Its: Mayor
Its: Member	,,

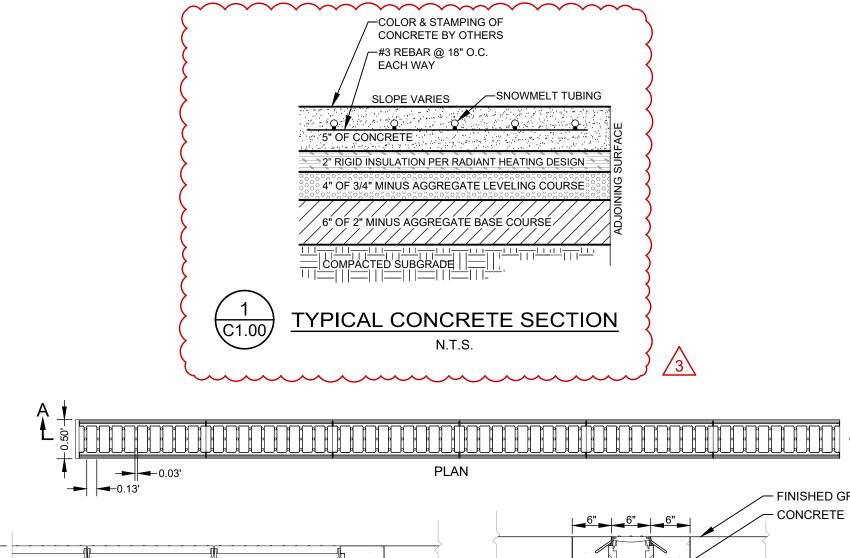
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County of ) ss.	
and for said State, personally appeared	, 2026, before me, the undersigned Notary Public in CHARLES STEVENSON, known to me to be a member he person who executed the foregoing instrument and he same.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have day and year first above written.	e hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the
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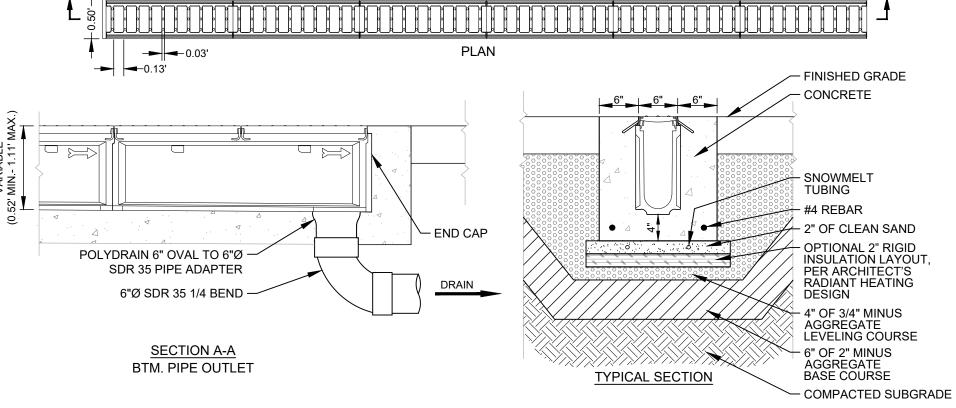
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County of Blaine	) SS. )			
for said State, person	onally appeared TCHUM, IDAHO nicipal corporatio	NEIL BRADSHAW, ), and the person w	me, the undersigned No known or identified to n who executed the forego ed to me that said mur	ne to be the Mayor ping instrument on
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# **EXHIBIT A**

# CONSTRUCTION NOTES

- 1. ALL CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE IN CONFORMANCE WITH THE MOST CURRENT EDITION OF THE "IDAHO STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION" (ISPWC) AND CITY OF KETCHUM STANDARDS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING AND KEEPING A COPY OF THE ISPWC AND CITY OF KETCHUM STANDARDS ON SITE DURING CONSTRUCTION.
- 2. THE LOCATION OF EXISTING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS IN AN APPROXIMATE WAY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR LOCATING EXISTING UTILITIES PRIOR TO COMMENCING AND DURING THE CONSTRUCTION. THE CONTRACTOR AGREES TO BE FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY AND ALL DAMAGES WHICH RESULT FROM HIS FAILURE TO ACCURATELY LOCATE AND PRESERVE ANY AND ALL UNDERGROUND UTILITIES. CONTRACTOR SHALL CALL DIGLINE (1-800-342-1585) TO LOCATE ALL EXISTING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES A MINIMUM OF 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF EXCAVATION.
- 3. CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE RELOCATIONS OF DRY UTILITY FACILITIES (POWER, CABLE, PHONE, TV) WITH THE APPROPRIATE UTILITY FRANCHISE.
- 4. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CLEAN UP THE SITE AFTER CONSTRUCTION SO THAT IT IS IN A CONDITION EQUAL TO OR BETTER THAN THAT WHICH EXISTED PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
- 5. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL OBTAIN ALL NECESSARY PERMITS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION (THIS MAY INCLUDE ENCROACHMENT PERMITS AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) CONSTRUCTION GENERAL PERMIT (CGP) PERMIT COVERAGE).
- 6. ALL CLEARING & GRUBBING SHALL CONFORM TO ISPWC SECTION 201.
- 7. ALL EXCAVATION & EMBANKMENT SHALL CONFORM TO ISPWC SECTION 202. SUBGRADE SHALL BE EXCAVATED AND SHAPED TO LINE, GRADE, AND CROSS-SECTION SHOWN ON THE PLANS. THE SUBGRADE SHALL BE COMPACTED TO 95% OF MAXIMUM DENSITY AS DETERMINED BY ASTM D-698. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL WATER OR AERATE SUBGRADE AS NECESSARY TO OBTAIN OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT. IN-LIEU OF DENSITY MEASUREMENTS, THE SUBGRADE MAY BE PROOF-ROLLED TO THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER.
- PROOF-ROLLING: AFTER EXCAVATION TO THE SUBGRADE ELEVATION AND PRIOR TO PLACING COURSE GRAVEL, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROOF ROLL THE SUBGRADE WITH A 5-TON SMOOTH DRUM ROLLER, LOADED WATER TRUCK, OR LOADED DUMP TRUCK, AS ACCEPTED BY THE ENGINEER. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE ENGINEER OF UNSUITABLE SUBGRADE MATERIAL AREAS, AND/OR AREAS NOT CAPABLE OF COMPACTION ACCORDING TO THESE SPECIFICATIONS. UNSUITABLE OR DAMAGED SUBGRADE IS WHEN THE SOIL MOVES, PUMPS AND/OR DISPLACES UNDER ANY TYPE OF PRESSURE INCLUDING FOOT TRAFFIC LOADS.
- IF, IN THE OPINION OF THE ENGINEER, THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS RESULT IN DAMAGE TO, OR PROTECTION OF, THE SUBGRADE, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL, AT HIS OWN EXPENSE, REPAIR THE DAMAGED SUBGRADE BY OVER-EXCAVATION OF UNSUITABLE MATERIAL TO FIRM SUBSOIL, LINE EXCAVATION WITH GEOTEXTILE FABRIC, AND BACKFILL WITH PIT RUN GRAVEL.
- 8. ALL 2" MINUS GRAVEL SHALL CONFORM TO ISPWC 802, TYPE II (ITD STANDARD 703.04, 2"), SHALL BE PLACED IN CONFORMANCE WITH ISPWC SECTION 801 AND COMPACTED PER SECTION 202. MINIMUM COMPACTION OF PLACED MATERIAL SHALL BE 90% OF MAXIMUM LABORATORY DENSITY AS DETERMINED BY AASHTO T-99.
- ALL 3/4" MINUS CRUSHED GRAVEL SHALL CONFORM TO ISPWC 802, TYPE I (ITD STANDARD 703.04, 3/4" B), SHALL BE PLACED IN CONFORMANCE WITH ISPWC SECTION 802 AND COMPACTED PER SECTION 202. MINIMUM COMPACTION OF PLACED MATERIAL SHALL BE 95% OF MAXIMUM LABORATORY DENSITY AS DETERMINED BY AASHTO T-99 OR ITD T-91.
- 10. ALL CONCRETE WORK SHALL CONFORM TO ISPWC SECTIONS 701, 703, AND 705. ALL CONCRETE SHALL BE 3,000 PSI MINIMUM, 28 DAY, AS DEFINED IN ISPWC SECTION 703, TABLE 1.C. IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLACEMENT PROTECT CONCRETE BY APPLYING MEMBRANE-FORMING CURING COMPOUND, TYPE 2, CLASS A PER ASTM C 309-94. APPLY CURING COMPOUND PER MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS.
- 11. ASPHALT SAWCUTS SHALL BE AS INDICATED ON THE DRAWINGS, OR 24" INCHES FROM EDGE OF EXISTING ASPHALT, IF NOT INDICATED OTHERWISE SO AS TO PROVIDE A CLEAN PAVEMENT EDGE FOR MATCHING. NO WHEEL CUTTING SHALL BE ALLOWED.
- 12. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING TRAFFIC CONTROL PER THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE US DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION MANUAL OF UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES (MUTCD).
- 13. ALL TRENCHING SHALL CONFORM TO ISPWC STANDARD DRAWING SD-301. TRENCHES SHALL BE BACKFILLED AND COMPACTED TO A MINIMUM OF 95% OF MAXIMUM DENSITY AS DETERMINED BY AASHTO T-99.
- 14. PER IDAHO CODE § 55-1613, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL RETAIN AND PROTECT ALL MONUMENTS, ACCESSORIES TO CORNERS, BENCHMARKS AND POINTS SET IN CONTROL SURVEYS; ALL MONUMENTS, ACCESSORIES TO CORNERS, BENCHMARKS AND POINTS SET IN CONTROL SURVEYS THAT ARE LOST OR DISTURBED BY CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE REESTABLISHED AND RE-MONUMENTED, AT THE EXPENSE OF THE AGENCY OR PERSON CAUSING THEIR LOSS OR DISTURBANCE AT THEIR ORIGINAL LOCATION OR BY SETTING OF A WITNESS CORNER OR REFERENCE POINT OR A REPLACEMENT BENCHMARK OR CONTROL POINT, BY OR UNDER THE DIRECTION OF A PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR.
- 15. BOUNDARY AND TOPOGRAPHIC INFORMATION IS PER A SURVEY BY GALENA ENGINEERING DATED 05/26/2021.



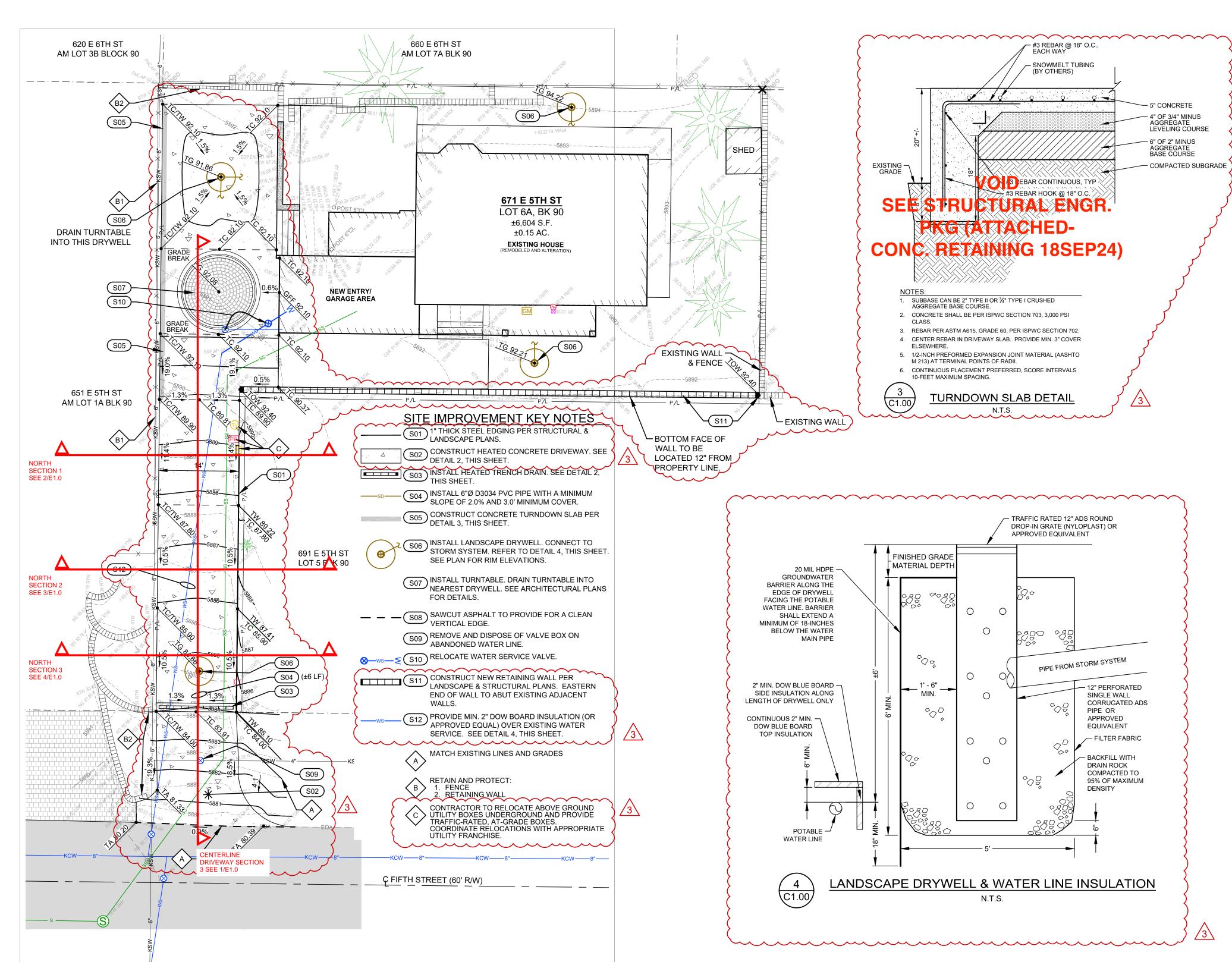


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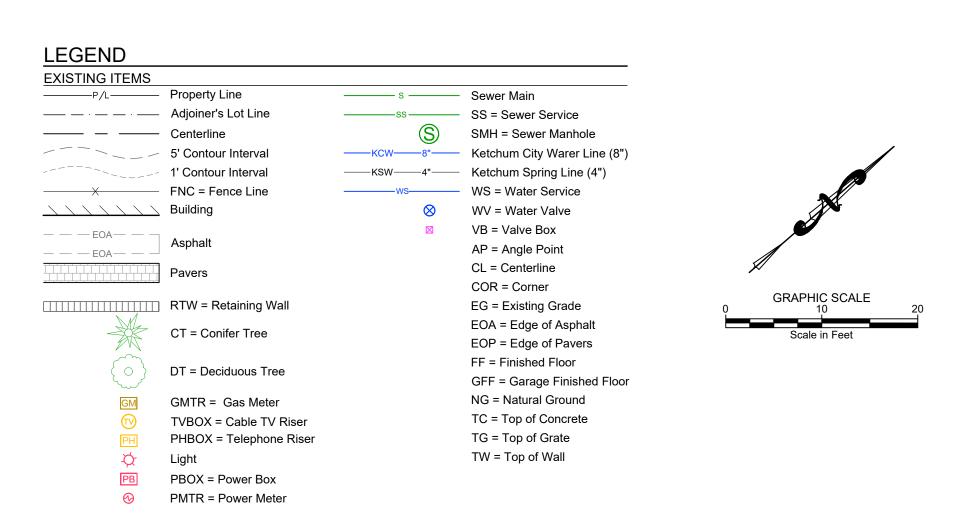
- 1. LINE DRAIN IS SUITABLE FOR APPLICATIONS FOR CONTROLLING SPREAD IN GUTTER FLOW CONDITIONS OR TO INTERCEPT SHEET FLOW. TYPICAL APPLICATION IS AT THE STREET CURB OR BARRIER.
- 2. THE FRAME AND GRATE IS SUITABLE FOR PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE TRAFFIC AND RATED FOR H-25 AND HS-25 LOADS.
- 3. CONCRETE THICKNESS, TYPE, AND AMOUNT OF REINFORCEMENT TO BE SAME AS ADJACENT PAVEMENT OR GREATER. PERFORM STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS TO DETERMINE REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION.

4. TOP OF GRATE TO BE INSTALLED FLUSH TO 1/8 IN BELOW FINISHED GRADE. BEVEL CONCRETE TO TOP OF GRATE IF BELOW FLUSH.





# PLAN VIEW



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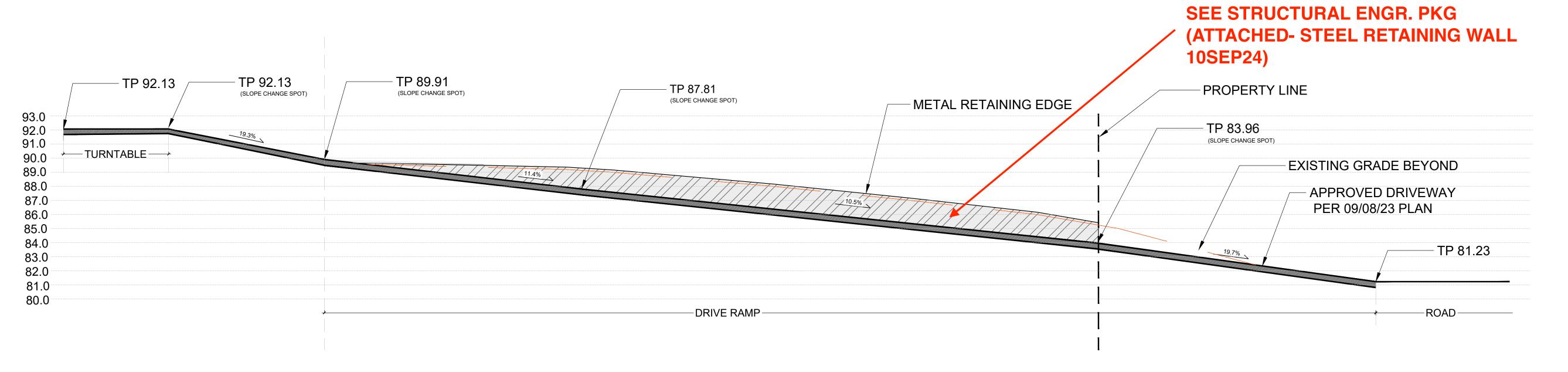
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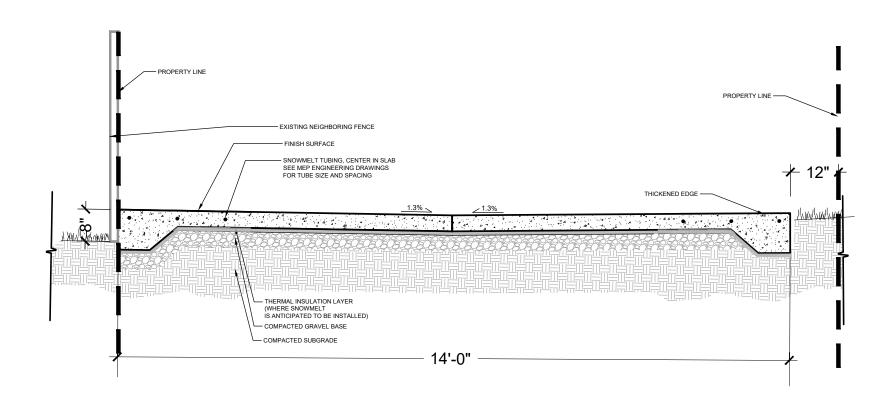
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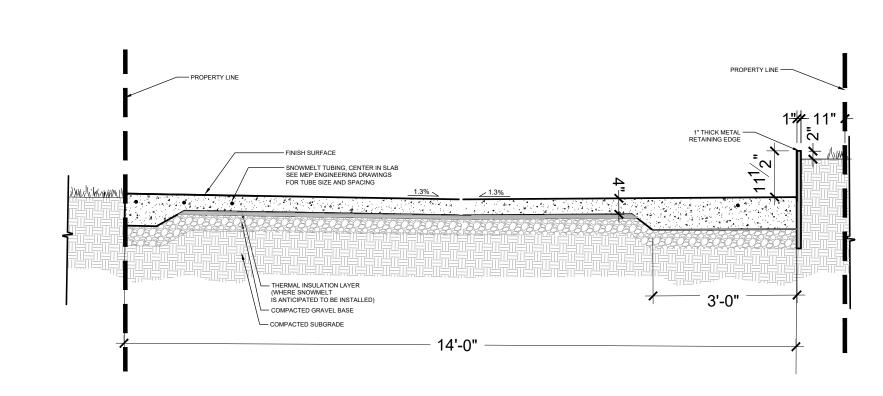
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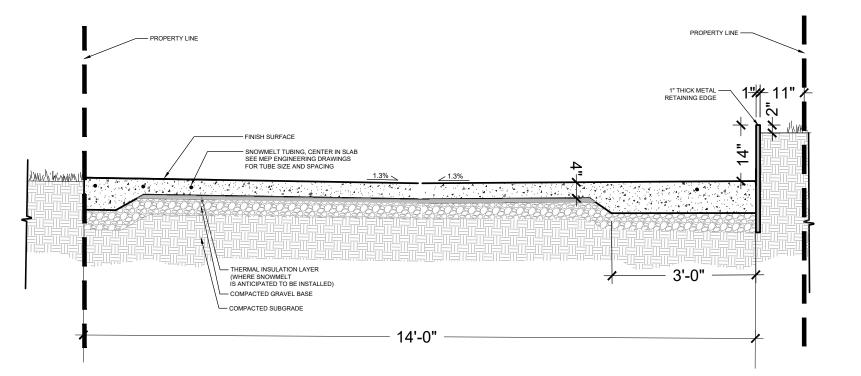
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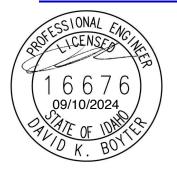
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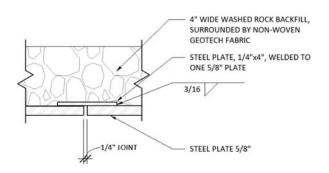
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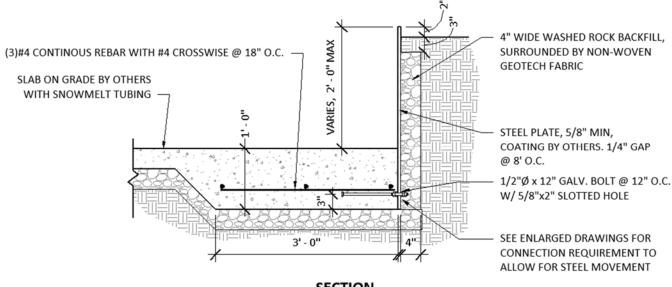
**DRIVEWAY SECTIONS** 







### JOINT PLAN VIEW



# <u>SECTION</u>

1/2"Ø x 12" GALV. BOLT @ 12" O.C.

EMBED CONCRETE CASTING NOTES: ONCE
CONCRETE IS FINISHED SETTING THE BOLTS
ARE TO BE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE SLOTTED
HOLE WITH A 1/16" GAP TO ALLOW FOR STEEL

5/8"x2" SLOTTED HOLE, PROTECT SLOTTED HOLE FROM BEING FILLED WITH CONCRETE WITH 3"x3"

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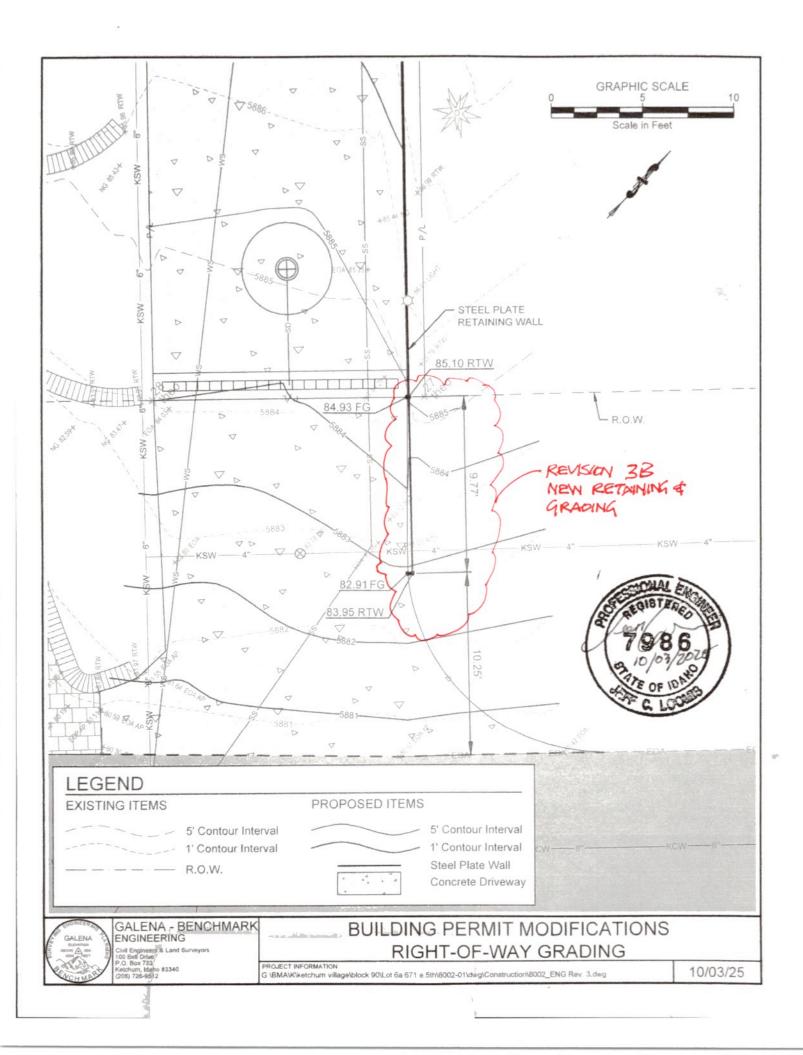
PLATE TO MOVE. THE FOLLOWING ARE RECOMMENDED STEPS.

 SETUP THE STEEL PLATE WITH THE ANCHOR BOLT PLACED IN THE MIDDLE OF THE SLOTTED HOLE THEN TIGHTEN THE NUTS ON EITHER SIDE OF THE PLATE TO PREVENT MOVEMENT DURING CONCRETE PLACEMENT.

 ONCE CONCRETE IS FINSHED SETTING LOOSEN THE DOUBLE NUT ON THE OUTSIDE TO ALLOW FOR THE 1/16" GAP, THEN TIGHTEN THE DOUBLE NUT TO ITSELF.

# STEEL PLATE, 5/8", COATING BY OTHERS. 1/16" GAP (POST POUR) DOUBLE NUT ON OUTSIDE, SINGLE NUT EMBEDDED INTO CONCRETE 3"x3" STEEL WASHER SIMPSON BP1/2-3HDG 3"x3" NYLON PAD, SAME SHAPE AS STEEL WASHER, PLACE NYLON PAD BETWEEN WASHER AND STEEL PLATE 1/2"Ø x 12" GALV. BOLT @ 12" O.C. W/ 5/8"x2" SLOTTED HOLE

# **ENLARGED SECTION**



# **EXHIBIT B**



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# EXHIBIT "B" RESIDENTIAL SNOWMELT INSTALLATION CERTIFICATE

STATE OF I CLUMO,	)		
	) ss.		
County of Blaine.	)		
On this 17th day o	of Ctober, 2022, bei	fore me, the undersigned Notary Public	in and for
said State, personally appear	red Anna Geist	(Owner), known to me to be the p	erson who

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year first above written.

executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

JENNIFER E STANHOPE COMMISSION #64074 NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF IDAHO

Notary Public for <u>ldaho</u>

Residing at Blaine County

Commission expires 8-11-26

By, Installation Contractor:		By, Owner:
Print Name: Matt 160	nter	Print Name: Anna Geist
Signature: Matt	honton	Signature:
Date: 10 ~21-24		Date: 10.17-24
STATE OF Iclaho	)	
	) ss.	
County of Blaine.	)	

On this 215<sup>th</sup> day of Chore we, 202<sup>th</sup> before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared Walt Worn to Mark (Installation Contractor), known to me to be the person who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year first above written.

JENNIFER E STANHOPE COMMISSION #64074 NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF IDAHO Notary Public for 1daho

Residing at Blaine County

Commission expires 8 - 11 - 26