Ordinance No. 859

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MEDINA, WASHINGTON AMENDING SECTION 12.08.030 OF THE MEDINA MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO THE ADOPTION OF INTERIM ARTERIAL STREET DESIGN STANDARDS

WHEREAS, the City of Medina is classified as a non-charter code City under title 35A RCW; and

WHEREAS, RCW 35A.47.020 sets forth regulations for code cities for the acquisition, construction, maintenance, use and vacation of city streets, sidewalks and in the design standards thereto; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to promote uniform and standardized street construction with the city; and

WHEREAS, the Medina Comprehensive Plan sets forth the goal of maintaining existing roadway surfaces; and

WHEREAS, Policy T-P2.5 of the Medina Comprehensive Plan states that pedestrian and non-motorized improvements should be designed and prioritized to improve pedestrian and non-motorized safety;

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 36.70A.106, a notice of intent to adopt was transmitted to the Washington State Department of Commerce on September 14, 2010, and expedited review was granted on September 29, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the planning commission at their September 28, 2010, meeting voted to recommend approval of the ordinance on interim arterial street standards; and

WHEREAS, the city council provided notice and held a public hearing on October 11, 2010, to receive public testimony for and against the proposed code amendment; and

WHEREAS, a State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) threshold Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS) for the proposed code amendment was issued on September 24,2010, pursuant to WAC 197-11-340(1).

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEDINA, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS

Section 1. A new Section 12.08.035 of the Medina Municipal Code is hereby adopted to read as follows:

12.08.035 Interim street design standards.

- A. The engineering street standard details set forth in "Attachment A" of Ordinance No. ___ are adopted as the interim Medina street design standards.
- B. The City Engineer may approve deviations in writing from the engineering standards provided:
 - 1. The deviation is necessary due to geotechnical, topographical, or other physical constraints;
 - 2. The public safety and welfare will not be adversely impacted by the deviation; and
 - 3. The deviation will not detract from the intent and purpose of this chapter or the engineering standards.
- C. The City Engineer may adopt and incorporate by reference into the Medina street design standards other federal, state and local design standards and specifications and other professionally accepted engineering standards and specifications.
- **Section 2.** <u>Severability.</u> If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance should be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity of any other section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance.
- **Section 3.** Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after its publication or the publication of a summary of its intent and contents.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON THIS 11 DAY OF OCTOBER, 2010 AND SIGNED IN AUTHENTICATION OF ITS PASSAGE ON THE 11 DAY OF OCTOBER, 2010.

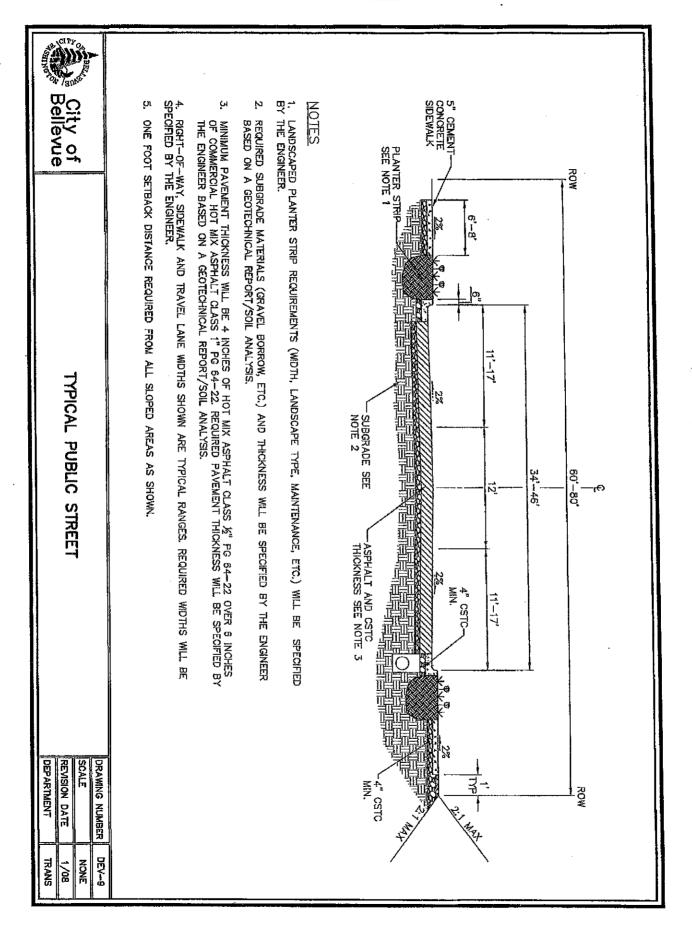
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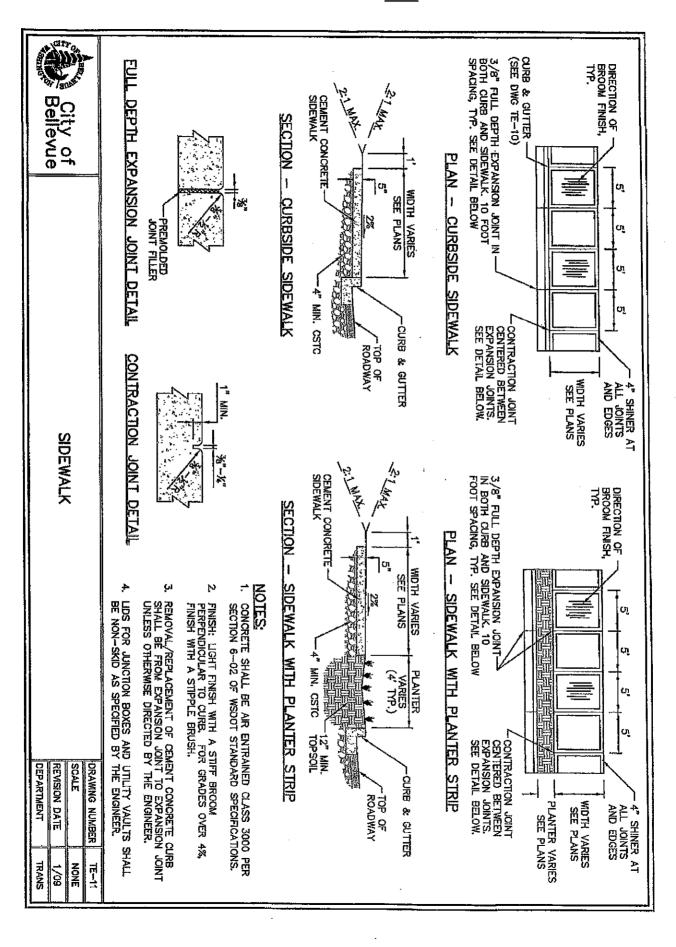
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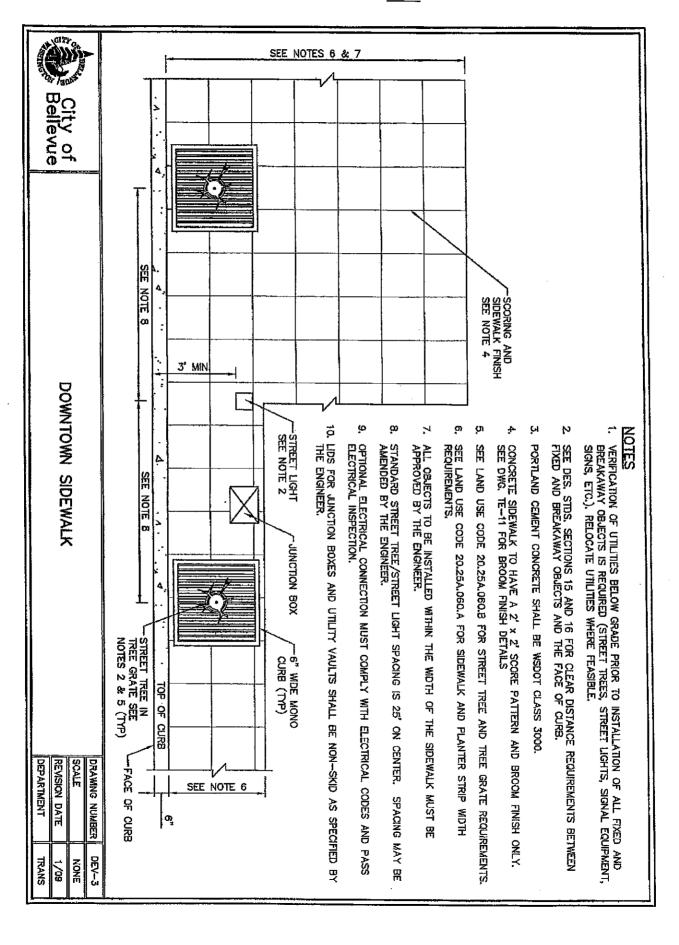
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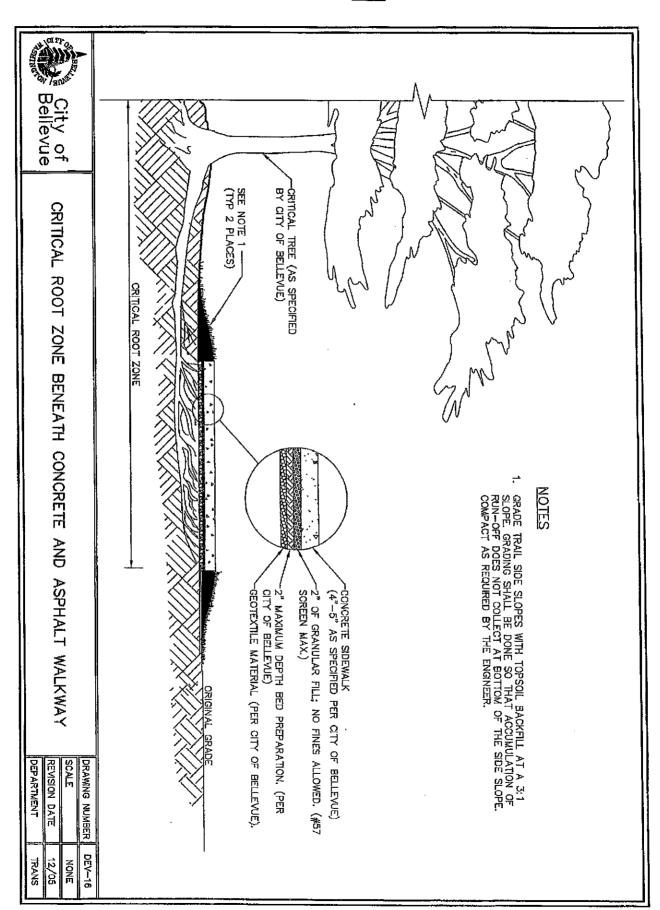
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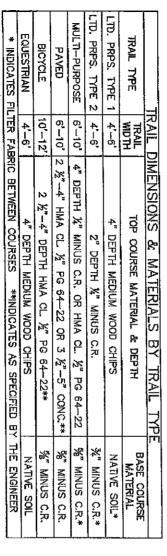


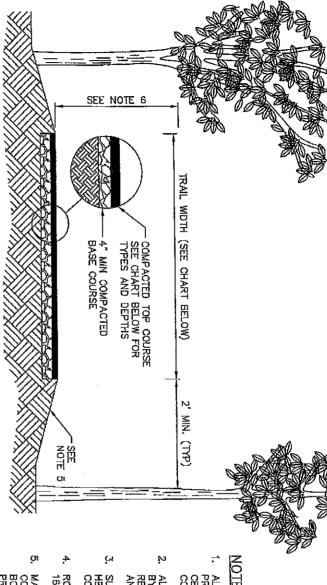




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- ALL PLANS MUST BE APPROVED BY THE CITY PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OF THE TRAIL TRAIL CENTERLINE TO BE STAKED IN THE FIELD BY CONTRACTOR AND APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER.
- ALL HAZARD TREES AND TREE LIMBS AS DEFINED BY THE WASHINGTON STATE DEPT. OF NATURAL RESOURCES HAZARD BULLETIN SHALL BE FELLED AND REMOVED FROM THE SITE.
- SUBGRADE TO BE TREATED WITH AN APPROVED HERBICIDE PRIOR TO PLACING ASPHALT OR CONCRETE.
- ROOT BARRIER MAY BE REQUIRED. SEE DWG. DEV— 16 IF REQUIRED.
- MAXIMUM SIDE SLOPE IS 3:1. GRADE WITH COMPACTED TOPSOIL BACKFILL AS REQUIRED. BOTTOM OF SIDESLOPE SHALL BE GRADED TO PREVENT ACCUMULATION OF RUN-OFF.
- MINIMUM BRANCH CLEARANCE ABOVE TRAIL SURFACE IS 7. FOR EQUESTRIAN TRAILS MINIMUM BRANCH CLEARANCE FROM TRAIL SURFACE IS 10.

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CROSS-SLOPE FOR TRAIL SURFACE IS 2% OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

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REVISION DATE	12/05
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