

31 20 00 EARTH MOVING

1. General

1.1. Permits

- 1.1.A. For the purposes of sedimentation control, certain land disturbing activities will require a Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) Construction Stormwater permit and/or University of Minnesota Grading Permit (refer to Table 1 in 31 25 00 Section 2.1.).
- 1.1.B. A Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Public Waters Work Permit is required when disturbing soil below the Ordinary High Water Level (OHWL) of any Public Water or Public Water Wetland. Initial and ongoing contact with the DNR shall be made by the University Project Manager or designee.
 - 1.1.B.1. As the local government unit, a University of Minnesota Grading Permit is required for work requiring a DNR Public Waters Work Permit.
- 1.1.C. An Army Corps of Engineers 404 Permit is required for the discharge of dredged or fill material into waters of the U.S., which include wetlands. Regulated discharges include filling wetlands for development, grading or pushing material around within a wetland, disturbing wetland soil during land clearing, etc. Initial and ongoing contact with the Army Corps of Engineers shall be made by the University Project Manager or designee.
 - 1.1.C.1. As the local government unit, a University of Minnesota Grading Permit is required for work requiring an Army Corps of Engineers 404 Permit.

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