

THE CONTRACTOR IS SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR UTILITY CLEARANCES AND CONSTRUCTION SITE SAFETY. PATERSON GROUP SHALL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MEANS OR METHODS OF CONSTRUCTION OR FOR SAFETY OF WORKERS OR

**FOUNDATION MEDIUM (1)** STIFF SILTY CLAY

MATERIAL PROPERTIES ARE BASED ON SITE EVALUATION BY PATERSON GROUP AND DISCUSSIONS WITH CONTRACTOR. SEISMIC LOADING WAS EVALUATED ACCORDING TO THE CURRENT CHBDC WITH A PEAK

- THE DESIGN ELEVATIONS USED WERE BASED ON DRAWING GP-1, GRADING PLAN, REVISION 1 DATED MARCH 24, 2021, PROVIDED BY STANTEC CONSULTING LTD. THE WALL BASE DESIGN ASSUMES A BEARING RESISTANCE AT SLS OF 100 kPa ON SILTY CLAY. PATERSON GROUP ENGINEER SHOULD OBSERVE THE BEARING CONDITIONS AND ADJUST THE THICKNESS OF THE GRANULAR BASE TO ACCOMMODATE THE SITE
- THE DESIGN HAS BEEN REVIEWED FOR THE STABILITY OF THE PRECAST MODULAR RETAINING WALL SYSTEM AND GLOBAL STABILITY WITH A FACTOR OF SAFETY OF 1.5 FOR STATIC CONDITIONS AND 1.1 UNDER SEISMIC CONDITIONS. WALL GEOMETRY AND GRADE ELEVATIONS ABOVE AND BELOW THE WALL SHOULD CONFORM WITH THE GRADING PLAN PROVIDED HERE IN. IF ACTUAL SITE GRADES VARY SIGNIFICANTLY FROM THOSE SHOWN OR IF THE BACK SLOPE DOES NOT CONFORM, INSTALLATION SHALL NOT PROCEED UNTIL THE DESIGN
- PRECAST UNITS SHALL BE REDI-ROCK RETAINING WALL UNITS MANUFACTURED UNDER LICENSE FROM
- THE WALL BASE FOR THE WALL SHALL CONSIST OF A MIN. 300mm THICK OPSS GRANULAR B TYPE II COMPACTED TO MIN. 98% OF THE MATERIALS SPMDD AND TESTED BY PATERSONGROUP GEOTECHNICAL PERSONNEL AT THE TIME OF CONSTRUCTION. SURFACE OF GRANULAR BASE MAY BE DRESSED WITH FINER AGGREGATE TO AID LEVELING. ENSURE GRADATION OF DRESSING MATERIAL IS SUCH AS TO PRECLUDE LOSS OF FINES INTO BASE. THE THICKNESS OF DRESSING LAYER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 3 TIMES THE MAXIMUM
- WALL IS DESIGNED WITH A MIN. 200mm TOE EMBEDMENT WITH A MIN. HORIZONTAL LEDGE WITH A GRANULAR BEDDING LAYER EXTENDING A MIN. 300mm BEYOND THE FACE AND HEEL OF THE BASE BLOCK
- INSTALL 100mm DIAMETER PERFORATED PIPE WRAPPED WITH A GEOSOCK DRAIN BEHIND HEEL OR UNDER THE WALL. PROVIDE CLEAR STONE SURROUND TO PROTECT PIPE FROM CLOGGING AND DAMAGE. PROVIDE OUTLETS THROUGH WALL, NO FURTHER APART THAN 10.0m ON CENTRES. THE DRAINAGE PIPE SHOULD BE CONNECTED TO A POSITIVE OUTLET ON BOTH ENDS OF THE RETAINING WALL SUCH AS AN EXISTING DITCH
- 9. THE CONDITIONS WILL BE EVALUATED BY THE GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEER DURING PREPARATION FOR WALL CONSTRUCTION IN EACH AREA. WHERE GRANULAR BEDDING WILL NOT BE SUFFICIENT THE USE OF
- 10. ALIGNMENT OF THE BOTTOM WALL UNIT COURSE SHOULD BE PLANNED TO CONSIDER THAT A NOMINAL 41mm AUTOMATIC SETBACK WILL OCCUR WITH EACH 0.46m INCREMENT OF HEIGHT
- SHOULD CONSIST OF OPSS GRANULAR B TYPE II B FOLLOWED BY SUITABLE BACKFILL MATERIAL. ALL FILL WITHIN A 1H:1V ZONE UP AND BACK FROM THE HEEL SHOULD ALSO BE COMPACTED. BACKFILL SHALL BE PLACED IN MAXIMUM 300mm LOOSE LIFTS AND COMPACTED TO A MINIMUM OF 95% OF SPMDD. MOISTURE CONTENT SHOULD BE CONTROLLED AND MAINTAINED WITHIN -3 TO +4 PERCENT OF OPTIMUM.
- 12. MAINTAIN TEMPORARY GRADES TO DIVERT SURFACE WATER AWAY FROM THE RETAINING WALL EXCAVATION SLOPE FINAL BACKFILL TO PROVIDE POSITIVE DRAINAGE AND TO ELIMINATE PONDING.
- 13. BACKSLOPE SHOULD BE CUT BACK TO A MINIMUM OF 2H:1V TO 3H:1V TO MAINTAIN A LONG TERM SAFE SLOPE BEHIND THE RETAINING WALL. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT WHERE TREES ARE PRESENT WITHIN THE TOP OF SLOPE. A MINIMUM 1.0m SET BACK IS REQUIRED FOR EXCAVATION FROM THE EDGE OF THE TREE LINE
- 14. EXCAVATION SIDE SLOPES SHOULD BE PROTECTED TEMPORARILY DURING CONSTRUCTION FROM
- 15. ALL RETAINING WALL RELATED INSPECTIONS (BEARING SURFACE, COMPACTION, BLOCK INSTALLATION, ETC.) MUST BE COMPLETED BY PATERSON GROUP. ONCE THE WALL CONSTRUCTION IS COMPLETED AND REVIEWED BY PATERSON DURING CONSTRUCTION, A CERTIFICATE LETTER WILL BE ISSUED BY PATERSON GROUP
- 16. ANY CUTTING OF BLOCKS TO SUIT SITE CONDITIONS OR WALL DESIGN WILL BE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE
- 17. IF WINTER CONSTRUCTION IS CONSIDERED, HEAT MUST BE MAINTAINED WHEN THE BASE IS EXPOSED. THE WALL BASE MUST BE COVERED WITH HIGH GRADE INSULATION TARPS TO MAINTAIN HEAT AND PROTECT THE BASE FROM POTENTIAL FROST HEAVE. ONCE THE BASE IS BACKFILLED, THE TOP OF THE WALL MUST BE COVERED WITH INSULATION TARPS OVERNIGHT UNTIL THE WALL CONSTRUCTION IS COMPLETED. ADDITION INSPECTIONS WILL BE REQUIRED DURING THE WINTER CONSTRUCTION TO ENSURE THE WALL CONSTRUCTION IS IN GENERAL CONFORMANCE WITH PATERSON'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

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