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TYPICAL BENCHING DETAIL
FOR EMBANKMENT

__ 2'-0" (600) MAXIMUM

PROPOSED FORESLOPE
2:1 MAXIMUM

12'-0"

(3.6 m MAX.)

MERGER POINT

ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES (MILLIMETERS)

NOTES:

GUARDRAIL OR

CONCRETE BARRIER

(2.4 m MIN.)

- CONSTRUCT SUCCEEDING BENCH CUTS AND EMBANKMENT PLACEMENT AND COMPACTION FROM BOTTOM TO TOP IN STAIRSTEP FASHION.
- EXISTING FORESLOPE PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 205.03 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- BENCH CUT EXISTING SLOPE TYPICAL FOR EACH STEP.

PROP. EMBANKMENT

WIDENING (VARIES)

- TRIM TO FINAL SLOPE.
- 5 EQUAL 8-INCH (200) LIFTS OF EMBANKMENT COMPACTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 205.05 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- EXCAVATION OF BENCH CUTS WITHIN EXISTING EMBANKMENT WILL BE PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER CUBIC METER OR CUBIC YARD FOR "EARTH EXCAVATION". THIS PRICE WILL INCLUDE ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL, NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED.
- SLOPES SHALL BE BENCHED ACCORDING TO THIS DETAIL WHEN THE SLOPE IS STEEPER THAN 4:1 AND THE HEIGHT IS GREATER THAN 5' (1.5 m).