

CONSTRUCTED WETLAND POND

Constructed Wetland Ponds in Lincoln



S. 56th & Old Cheney



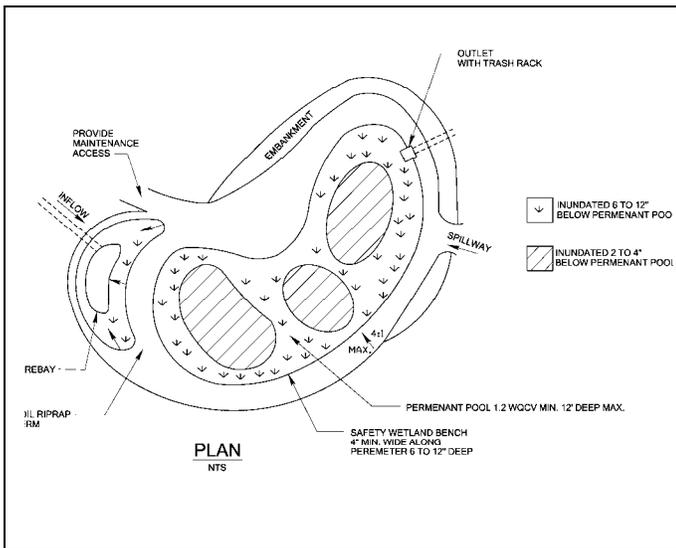
Tierra Park

Description:

A constructed wetland pond is similar to retention pond, but is designed to be more shallow and permits the growth of wetland plants such as rushes, willows, and cattails. Constructed wetlands slow runoff and allow time for sedimentation, filtering, and biological uptake. Constructed wetlands ponds differ from "natural" wetlands, as they are artificial and are built to enhance stormwater quality. A constructed wetland pond is best used as a follow-up BMP in a watershed, although it can serve as a stand-alone facility.

Benefits:

- Creates wildlife and aquatic habitat
- Provides open space opportunities
- Cost effective BMP for larger tributary watersheds



Peterson Park

More Information:

Links:

<http://lincoln.ne.gov/city/pworks/watrshed/educate/bmpguide/pdf/3.19.pdf>