

1. Outside of the bioretention gardens the drawings indicate gravel borrow for fill. The only reference I see is on sheet 7. Sheet L3 says for planting soils to till compost into existing soils. I'm assuming the port would like a layer of topsoil to be installed above the gravel borrow? If so, can you please clarify:
 - a. Topsoil section in sod areas? **On drawing 3, there is a detail showing 12-inches of the existing soils loosened with 1.75-inches of compost mixed into the upper 8-inches of soil. This also applies in the fill area with the gravel borrow.**
 - b. Topsoil section in planting beds? **On drawing 3, there is a detail showing 12-inches of the existing soils loosened with 3-inches of compost mixed into the upper 8-inches of soil and 2-inches of bark or mulch.**
 - c. On the west end of the project where the existing and proposed grades are about the same I'm assuming tilling compost into the native soil would be adequate? **This area would need to be loosened as shown on sheet 3 down 12-inches.**
2. Can you please provide a description or assembly instructions for the gazebo we install? Does it require any type of footings, and how does it secure to the concrete? **Port will share this information with the contractors.**
3. Does the Port have a jointing pattern for the concrete flatwork we need to follow? Often there is a jointing pattern in the larger areas that is different than the standard plan shown on sheet 7. **There are no different jointing patterns at this time.**
4. Alternate #1 for deleting the rain gardens:
 - a. I'm assuming this includes deleting the storm piping also? **Yes**
 - b. Does irrigation need to be left stubbed for future installation at these locations? **No, the rain garden zones (piping) will all get removed at this time.**
 - c. The deleted areas would be covered with sod as part of this deletion? **Yes**
5. As the scope of electrical work is unknown until the design is complete can an electrician be identified at a later date? The bid documents ask for subcontractors over 10% to be identified. **This is up to the Port but makes since to me at this time.**
6. Drawing L1 identifies cedar wood chips for a walkway east of the gazebo. Please clarify how thick the wood chip layer is to be? **This trail should be bid at 4-inch thickness.**