

[Chapter 15.04 SUBDIVISIONS](#)

Section 15.04.680 Construction of embankments and fills.

Unsuitable materials that occur in the foundations for embankments and fills shall be removed by clearing, stripping and/or grubbing. Where suitable materials occur after stripping, the foundation shall be scarified to a depth of not less than six inches, and the loosened material shall be moistened and compacted as hereinafter specified for each layer. All materials in embankments and fills shall be placed, moistened, and compacted as provided in the following paragraphs.

When the embankment or fill exceeds the amount of excavation, sufficient additional material shall be obtained from borrow pits provided by the contractor. All material proposed to be imported shall be subject to the review and approval of the County prior to starting of hauling operations.

The materials used for embankment and fill construction shall be free from sod, grass, trash, rocks larger than four inches in diameter, and all other material unsuitable for construction of compacted fills.

Grading of completed embankments and fills shall bring the surfaces to a smooth, uniform condition with final grades being within 0.1 foot of the design grade. (Ord. 5-1988 § 1 (part); Development Code 4-5-4)