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ODOT PRODUCT NO: 2972
PRODUCT: Earthguard Fiber Matrix
CATEGORY: (1) Slope Matting – Type C
(2) Slope Matting – Type D

Your Product was submitted for review to the Product Evaluation Committee of the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT). In reviewing your product, it appears to be suitable for the intended use. We are adding your product to our Conditional Use List subject to a trial installation.

It is understood that this product shall be applied with wood and or paper fiber from section 00280.14d of the QPL, with a minimum of 50% wood fiber. Please inform the contractor prior to each application.

It is your responsibility to find a District Manager or a contractor willing to use the product on an active State highway project. The contractor must submit the product through the Project Manager for consideration prior to use. Be sure to indicate that the product is on the "Conditional Use List" and that they should contact the Materials Laboratory for conformation. A contract change order may be necessary.

This status will be effective for two years. At that time, if there are no indications the product has or will be used in Oregon, conditional status will be revoked.

This conditional use will permit the product to be used and evaluated on the approved project only. If the trial installation and evaluation is successful, the product will be included on our Qualified Products List. Further testing and qualification on a job-by-job basis may be necessary.

The information you have provided is on file at the Materials Laboratory. Please keep us advised on any changes with regards to this product so that we may keep our files current.

If you have further questions, please contact me at the Materials Lab 503-986-3059.

Sincerely,

Mike Dunning
New Products Coordinator

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