Construction of Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Controls

As described in Chapter 1, soil erosion and sedimentation control is addressed through the Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Act (Section 22a-325 through 22a-335, inclusive) as well as related local and state permitting requirements. The primary goal of the Act is to reduce soil erosion from stormwater runoff and nonpoint sediment pollution from land that is being developed. Measures for controlling soil erosion and sedimentation during construction are described in a site-specific Soil Erosion and Sediment Control (SESC) Plan. The post-construction stormwater management standards addressed in Chapter 4 of this Manual include the development and implementation of an SESC Plan. Erosion and sedimentation control measures should be designed in accordance with the Connecticut Guidelines for Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Guidelines (as amended) and applicable local and state permit requirements.