

**DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS  
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**

***SOIL STABILIZATION TIMEFRAMES***

<i>SITE DESCRIPTION</i>	<i>STABILIZATION TIME</i>	<i>TIMEFRAME EXCEPTIONS</i>
<b>PERIMETER DIKES, SWALES, DITCHES AND SLOPES</b>	<b>7 DAYS</b>	<b>NONE</b>
<b>HIGH QUALITY WATER (HOW) ZONES</b>	<b>7 DAYS</b>	<b>NONE</b>
<b>SLOPES STEEPER THAN 3:1</b>	<b>7 DAYS</b>	<b>IF SLOPES ARE 10' OR LESS IN LENGTH AND ARE NOT STEEPER THAN 2:1, 14 DAYS ARE ALLOWED.</b>
<b>SLOPES 3:1 OR FLATTER</b>	<b>14 DAYS</b>	<b>7 DAYS FOR SLOPES GREATER THAN 50' IN LENGTH.</b>
<b>ALL OTHER AREAS WITH SLOPES FLATTER THAN 4:1</b>	<b>14 DAYS</b>	<b>NONE, EXCEPT FOR PERIMETERS AND HOW ZONES.</b>