

# Erosion prevention and sediment control

## Perimeter control

Retains sediment on a construction site. Intended to slow and hold flow, filter runoff, and promote the settling of sediment out of runoff via ponding.



## Dewatering

The removal of surface or ground water to dry and/or solidify a construction site. Examples include pumped discharges, trenches, and ditch cuts used for drainage.



## Stabilization

Covers exposed soils to reduce erosion during rain events or snowmelt. Practices include mulch, erosion control blankets, construction phasing, and horizontal slope grading.

