

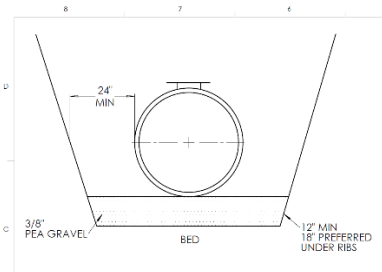


BELOW-GRADE TANK INSTALLATION GUIDELINES

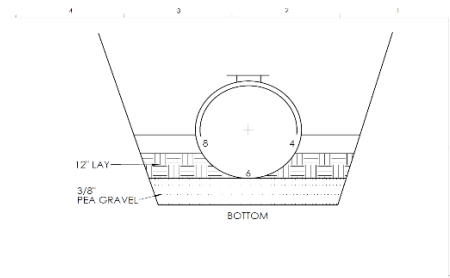
****NOTE: Failure to follow the instructions will invalidate the warranty and my result in tank failure.**

Do not tamp backfill with bulldozer or front end loader.

DRY HOLE INSTALLATION

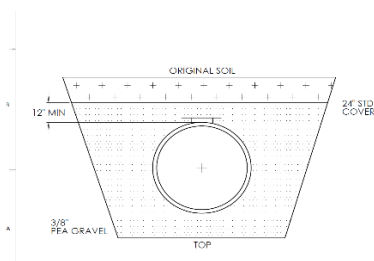


Provide a 12" minimum backfill bed over whole Bottom or concrete slab. Do not place tank directly On concrete slab. Do not use timber, beams or Cradles to support tank. Only 1/8" – 3/8" pea gravel or equivalent material is allowed for bedding or backfill SAND is NOT an acceptable back fill material. Use of sand will void warranty

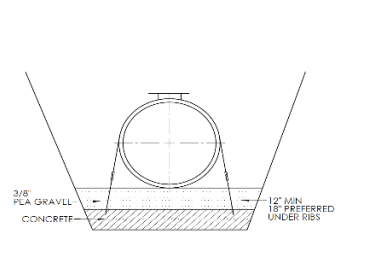


Continue backfilling with the same material in uniform layers not greater than 12". The quality of the backfill around the tank between the 4 to 8 o'clock positions is critical to ensure good tank performance. Make sure all voids between ribs are filled

ANCHORED TANK FOR HIGH WATER TABLE APPLICATION



Continue to backfill with the same material to the top of the tank in 12" lifts. After testing tank continue backfilling with the same material until a minimum 12" of overburden is achieved. Finish backfilling with original soil until ground cover requirements are met.



Site evaluation, preparation and selection of anchoring method is the responsibility of the owner. To prevent flotation over the life of the tank due to high water table, Equinox recommends use of concrete pad and anchoring straps (not cables) fitted with turnbuckles. Tighten only enough to straighten straps; backfill as as per above instructions. DO NOT pour concrete over tank for ballast

