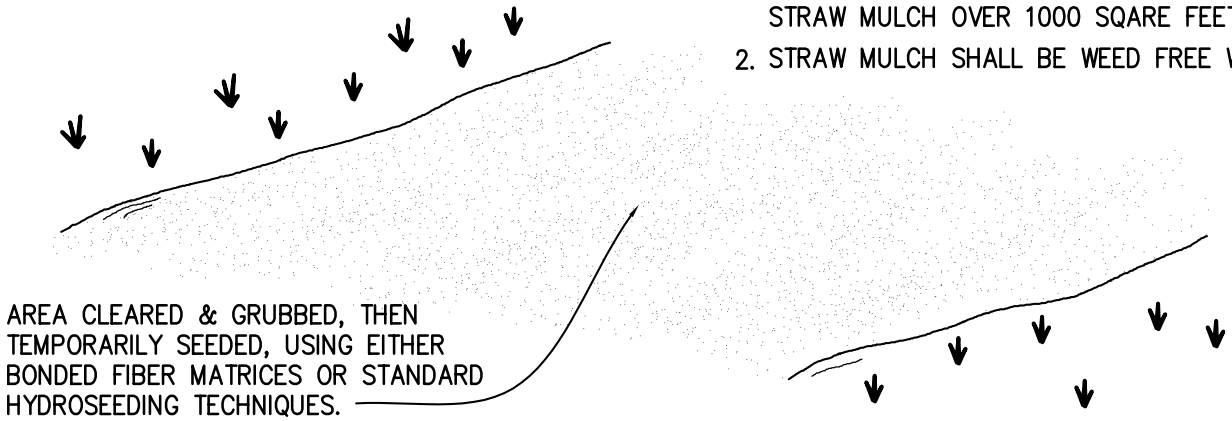
STRAW MULCHING:

1. FOR AREAS OF SITE WITH LESS THAN 30% SLOPE; 2–3 BALES OF STRAW EQUALS 2–INCHES OF STRAW MULCH OVER 1000 SQARE FEET.
2. STRAW MULCH SHALL BE WEED FREE WHEAT STRAW.



NOTE: REFER TO OTHER SPECIFICATION SECTIONS FOR EROSION CONTROL HYDROSEEDING PROCEDURES. SEED MIXES & FERTILIZERS. IF THOSE SECTIONS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE PROJECT MANUAL USE THE FOLLOWING MIXTURE OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

ALTERNATE SEEDING MIXTURE (AS DIRECTED)			
NAME	PROPORTIONS BY WEIGHT	% PURITY	% GERMINATION
REDTOP (AGROSTIS ALBA)	10%	92	90
ANNUAL RYE (LOLIUM MULTIFLORUM)	40%	98	90
CHEWINGS FESCUE (FETUCA RUBRA COMMUTATA)	40%	97	80
WHITE DUTCH CLOVER (TRIFOLIUM PEPENS)	40%	96	90

PURPOSE: TO PROVIDE TEMPORARY SOIL STABILIZATION BY PLANTING GRASSES AND LEGUMES TO AREAS THAT WOULD REMAIN BARE FOR MORE THAN 7 DAYS WHERE PERMANENT COVER IS NOT NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE.