



**HILL COUNTRY
CONCRETE PRODUCTS, INC.**

IMPORTANT INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS AND SITE PREP INFO

**NO PRODUCTS MANUFACTURED OR SOLD BY HILL COUNTRY CONCRETE PRODUCTS, INC.
ARE TO BE USED WITH HAZARDOUS MATERIALS.**

Please follow these instructions carefully in order that we can give you the best possible service when we arrive at your job site. *The customer is responsible for arranging a safe route for our truck to use at the site. We cannot be responsible for damage to lawns, driveways, underground objects, etc. Thank you.*

I. MAXIMUM BURIAL DEPTHS

Hill Country Concrete Products, Inc. Recommends the following depth limitations on our products:

A. STANDARD LOW PROFILE SERIES TANKS AND INTERCEPTORS :

The **STANDARD** low profile series tanks and interceptors EVEN WHEN FITTED WITH TRAFFIC LIDS should be buried to a maximum depth of 24 inches below the ground surface depending on soil conditions.

B. HEAVY DUTY SERIES OF TANKS AND INTERCEPTORS (RATED ASHTO H-20):

Our **HEAVY DUTY** Series of H-20 Traffic Rated tanks and interceptors are ASHTO H-20 Traffic rated to the maximum depth stated on the HCCP drawing for the particular product. Not all of HCCP's Heavy Duty tanks and interceptors have the same depth rating, so please refer to the product specific drawing for this important depth limitation.

II. PROPERLY "BEDDING" OUR CONCRETE PRODUCTS:

All of our concrete products should be placed on a 6 inch bed of washed sand (not manufactured sand) capable of supporting at least 2000 p.s.i. and backfilled with gravel or crushed stone to promote drainage around the structure.

III. GENERAL SITE PREPARATION:

- A. Dig the hole as close as possible to our recommended size. We require a minimum of approximately 1 foot clearance around the tank.
- B. Plan a safe route for our truck. We cannot drive on "sugar" sand or "beach" sand. The rail trucks are approximately 14 feet tall. The knuckle boom truck requires approximately 25 feet of vertical clearance, and needs room to rotate the load. All deliveries must be made off the rear of the truck.
- C. Do not put us on steep slopes, under low trees or power lines. Clearly mark all underground objects, water lines, drain fields, etc. **Our truck must be able to move under its own power.**
- D. There **MUST** be someone familiar with the job site on the job to direct our driver.
- E. Keep at least one side of the hole vertical to which we can back up our truck. Move all dirt away from the side of the hole.
- F. After leveling the bottom of the hole, place a 6 inch pad of washed sand or washed gravel in the bottom and level it.
- G. **Do not use mechanical compaction around any of our products. If mechanical compaction must be used, use a hand tamper and stay at least 2 feet back from the walls of our product.**
- H. Get special instructions for above ground installations.

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