NOTES:
1. Construct Minibenches horizontally as the cut is being constructed.
2. The horizontal dimension of the bench is a function of the slanted slope.
3. Apply seeding for revegetation and permanent erosion control as the slope is being constructed to conform to the application limits of the seeding/mulching equipment. Refer to Standard Specifications Section 605 and these special provisions.
4. Construct each MINIBENCH parallel to horizontal contour lines along entire length.
5. Construct horizontal MINIBENCHES on all suitable soil and soil/rock slopes.
6. Use earth diversion ditches in lieu of crown ditch when suitable and per the direction of the Engineer. Refer to Earth Diversion Ditches.
7. Unless otherwise specified, sediment wattles and soil tillage are not required on top of MINIBENCHES.
8. Supplemental BMPs may be necessary in conjunction with crown ditches, earth ditches, or other run-on diversions measures to prevent scour.
9. No direct payment for minibenching of new slopes; all such costs shall be considered included in the cost of excavation.
10. Make tiles adjustments and connections to ensure NO sensitive biological resources (native species / habitats) will be adversely impacted.