

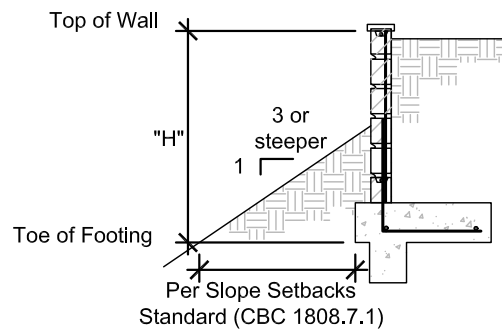
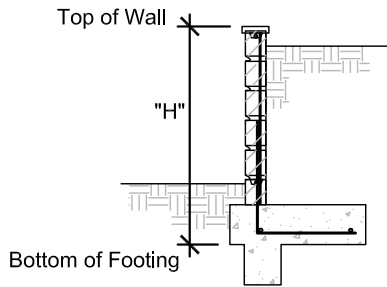


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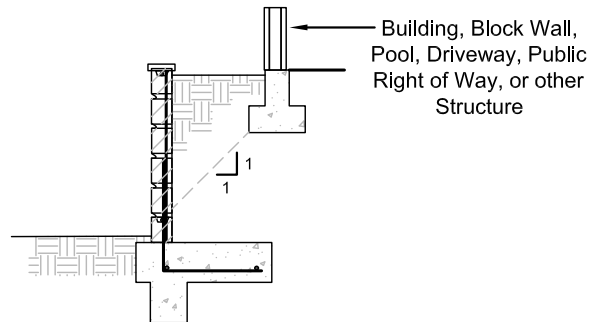
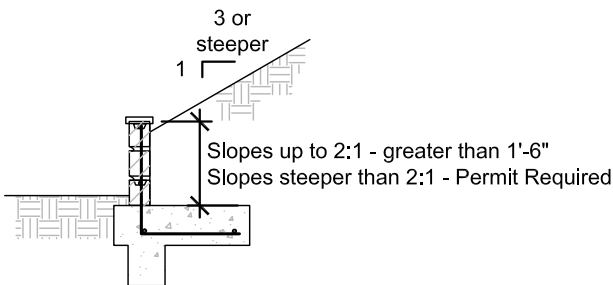
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## Retaining Walls Requiring A Permit

### A PERMIT IS REQUIRED WHEN....



(Level Backfill)  
When "H" is greater than 4'-0"  
**CONDITION-1**



(Surcharged Backfill)  
When supporting a surcharge due to a sloped backfill  
or an adjacent structure or driveway  
**CONDITION-2**

A permit is not required when retaining walls support less than 4 feet of level soil measured from the bottom of the footing to the top of the wall, unless supporting a surcharge.

**CODE SECTION**  
SCBC Section  
18.02.040