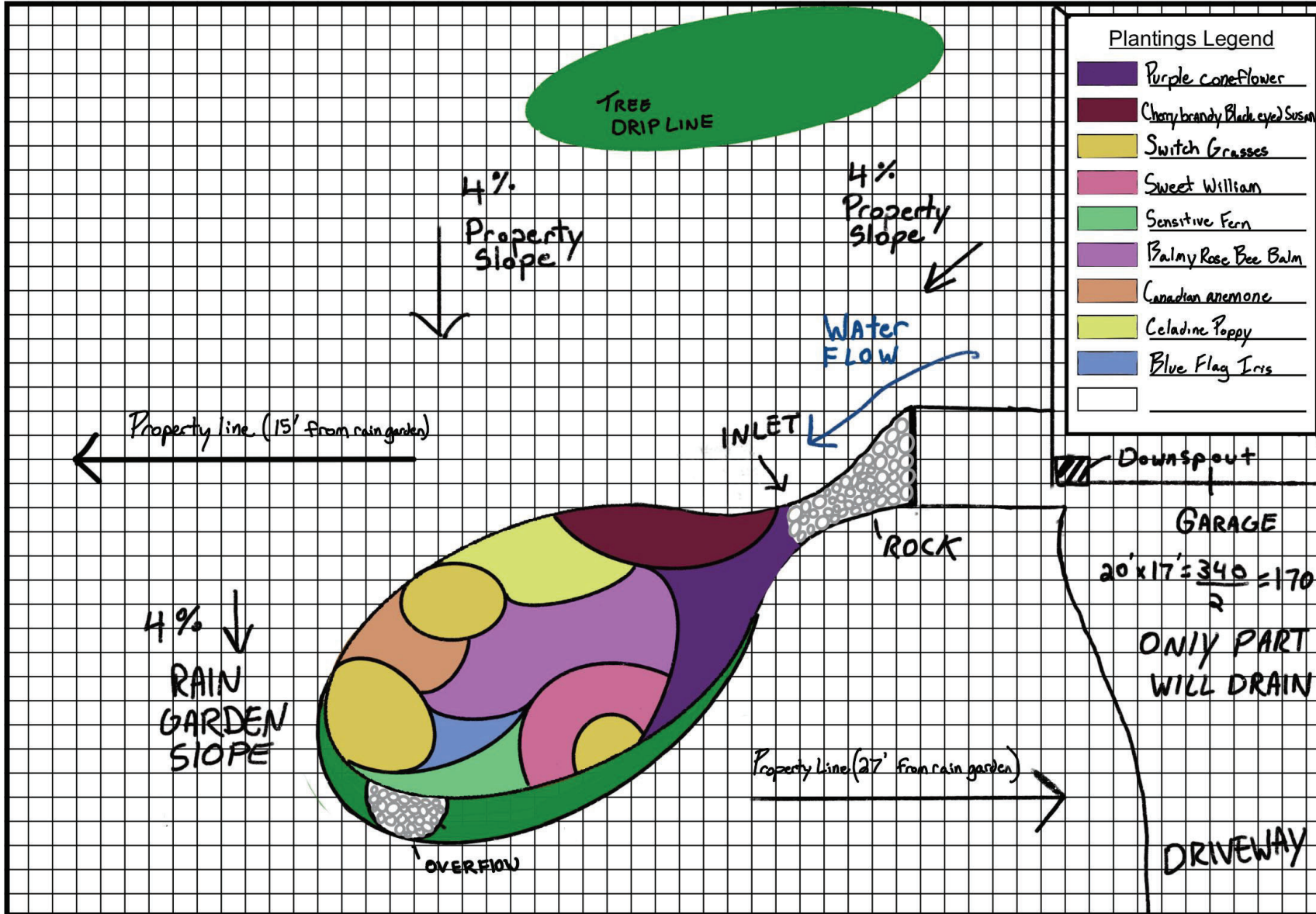


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### Plantings Legend

- Purple coneflower
- Cherry-brandy Black-eyed Susan
- Switch Grasses
- Sweet William
- Sensitive Fern
- Palmy Rose Bee Balm
- Canadian anemone
- Celadine Poppy
- Blue Flag Iris
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### Design Checklist

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Property Lines (label distance)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Berm
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Structures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Flow Direction
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees (with dripline)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of property)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Inlet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of rain garden)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Outlet	

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**  
Infiltration Rate = 1.25 inches/hour (from infiltration test)

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**  
 $170 \times .19 = 32.3$   
 Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)      Sizing Multiplier      Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**  
 $45.9 \div 2.25 = 21$   
 Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden      Estimated Number of Plants

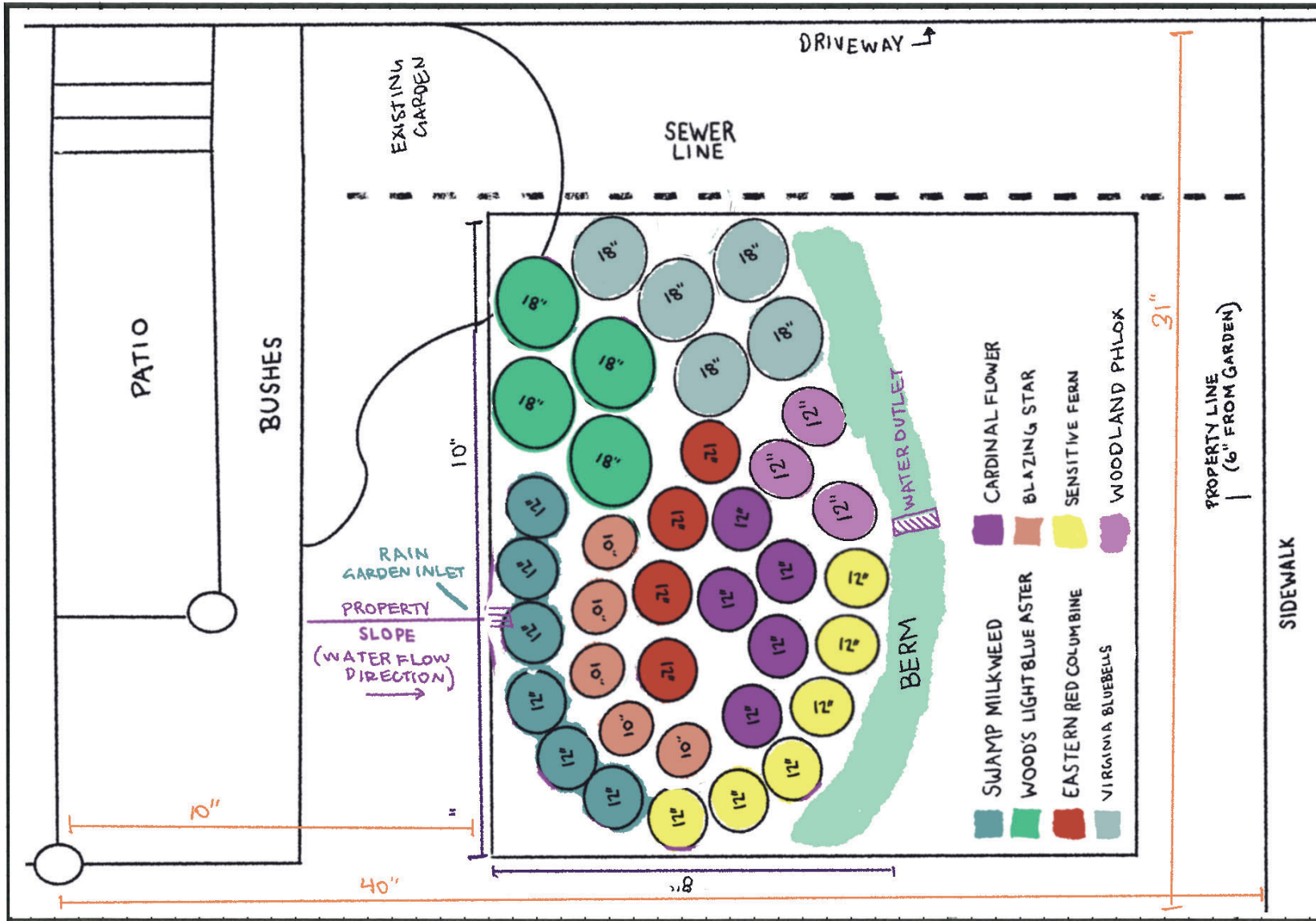
**Step 5: Design Check**  
 $45.9$  Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

Downspout  
GARAGE  
 $20' \times 17' = \frac{340}{2} = 170$   
ROCK  
ONLY PART WILL DRAIN  
DRIVEWAY

- 1 Block =  $\frac{1}{2}$  Square Foot
- ### Notes
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## Design Checklist

- Property Lines (label distance)
- Structures
- Trees (with dripline)
- Rain Garden Inlet
- Rain Garden Outlet
- Berm
- Water Flow Direction
- Slope Direction (of property)
- Slope Direction (of rain garden)

## Rain Garden Sizing

### Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

### Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test

Infiltration Rate (from infiltration test) = 1.6 inches/hour

### Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
25-50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

### Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size

$$251 \times 0.19 = 48$$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
251	0.19	48

### Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed

$$96 \div 2.25 = 42.6$$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
96	42.6

### Step 5: Design Check

96 Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

## 1 Block = 1 Square Foot

### Notes

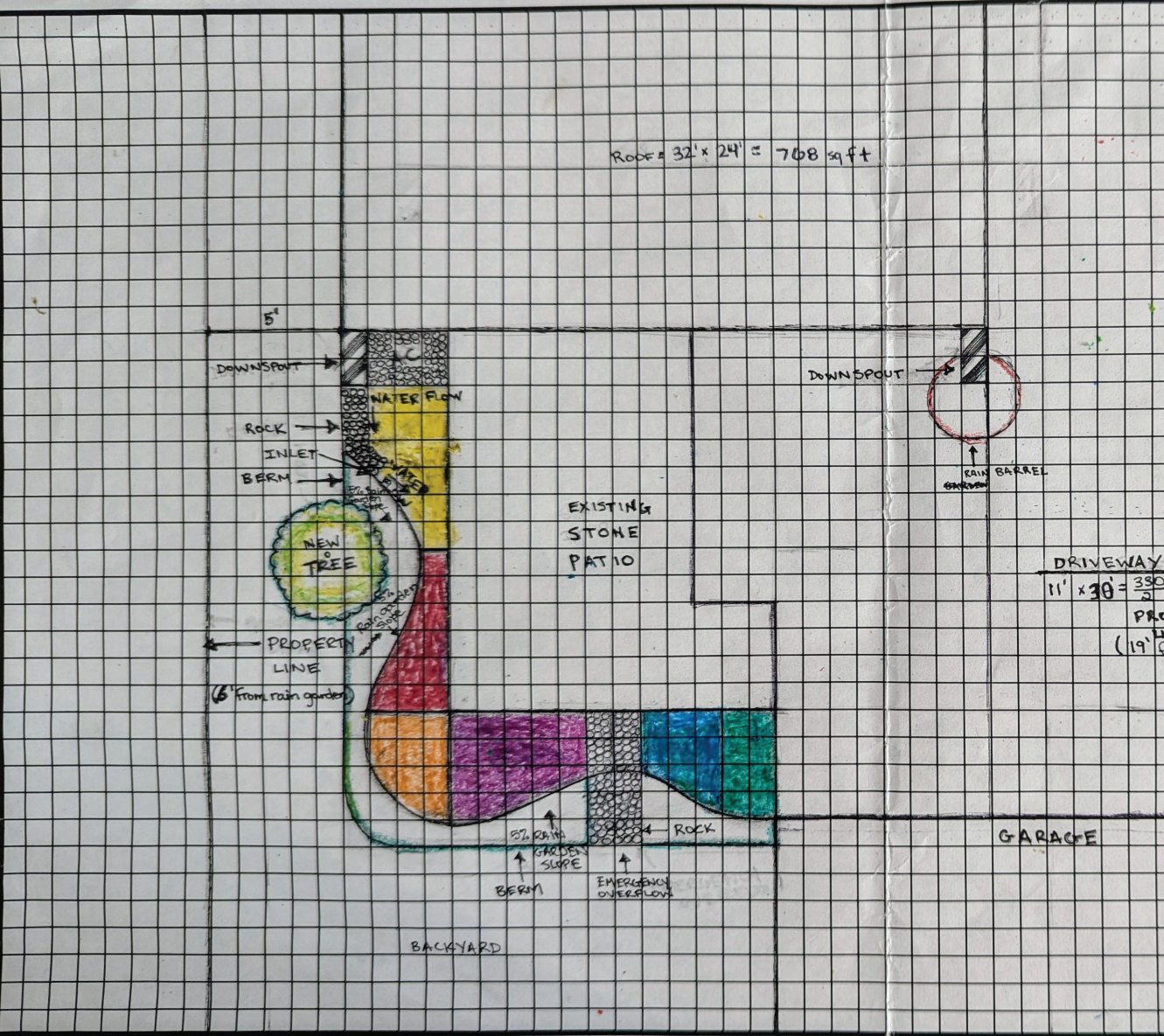
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### Plantings Legend

- Prairie Coreopsis (12)
- Prairie blazing Star (15)
- Rose Milkweed (15)
- Blue Mistflower (24)
- Ohio Spiderwort (24)
- Curly Wood Sedge (25)
- Amelanchier sp. "Sugar Plum" (11)



- ### Design Checklist
- Property Lines (label distance)
  - Structures
  - Trees (with dripline)
  - Rain Garden Inlet
  - Rain Garden Outlet
  - Berm
  - Water Flow Direction
  - Slope Direction (of property)
  - Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**  
 Infiltration Rate (from infiltration test) = \_\_\_\_\_ inches/hour

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

$(768 + 165) \times 0.25 = 233$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
1111	0.25	233

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

$250 \div 2.25 = 111$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
250	111

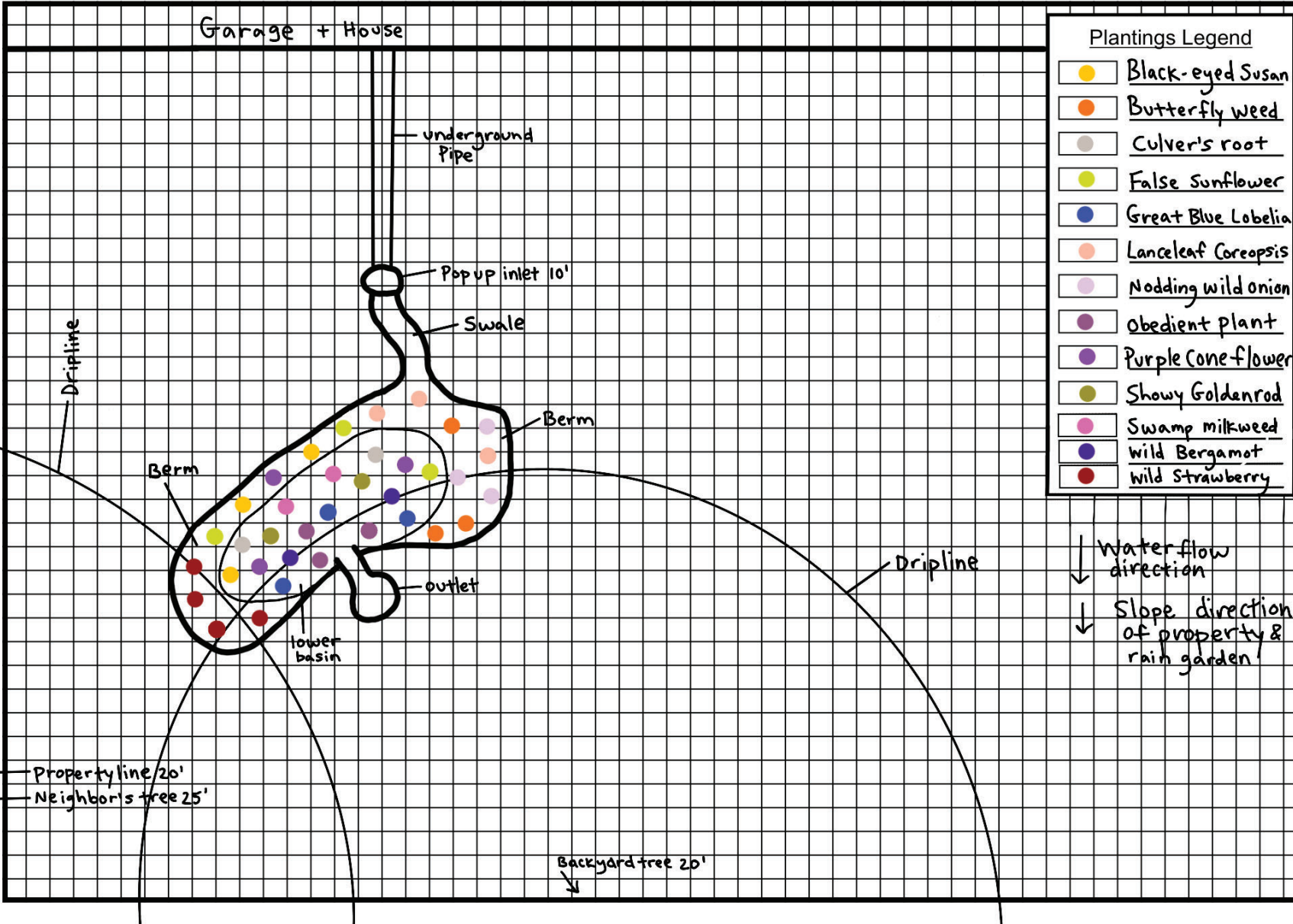
**Step 5: Design Check**

Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4): **250**

- ### 1 Block = 1 Square Foot Notes
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- ### Plantings Legend
- Black-eyed Susan
  - Butterfly weed
  - Culver's root
  - False sunflower
  - Great Blue Lobelia
  - Lanceleaf Coreopsis
  - Nodding wild onion
  - Obedient plant
  - Purple Cone-flower
  - Showy Goldenrod
  - Swamp milkweed
  - wild Bergamot
  - wild Strawberry

- ### Design Checklist
- Property Lines (label distance)
  - Structures
  - Trees (with dripline)
  - Rain Garden Inlet
  - Rain Garden Outlet
  - Berm
  - Water Flow Direction
  - Slope Direction (of property)
  - Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**

Infiltration Rate = 4 inches/hour (from infiltration test)

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

355 x .19 = 67.45

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)      Sizing Multiplier      Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

80 ÷ 2.25 = 36

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden      Estimated Number of Plants

**Step 5: Design Check**

80 (+20%)      Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

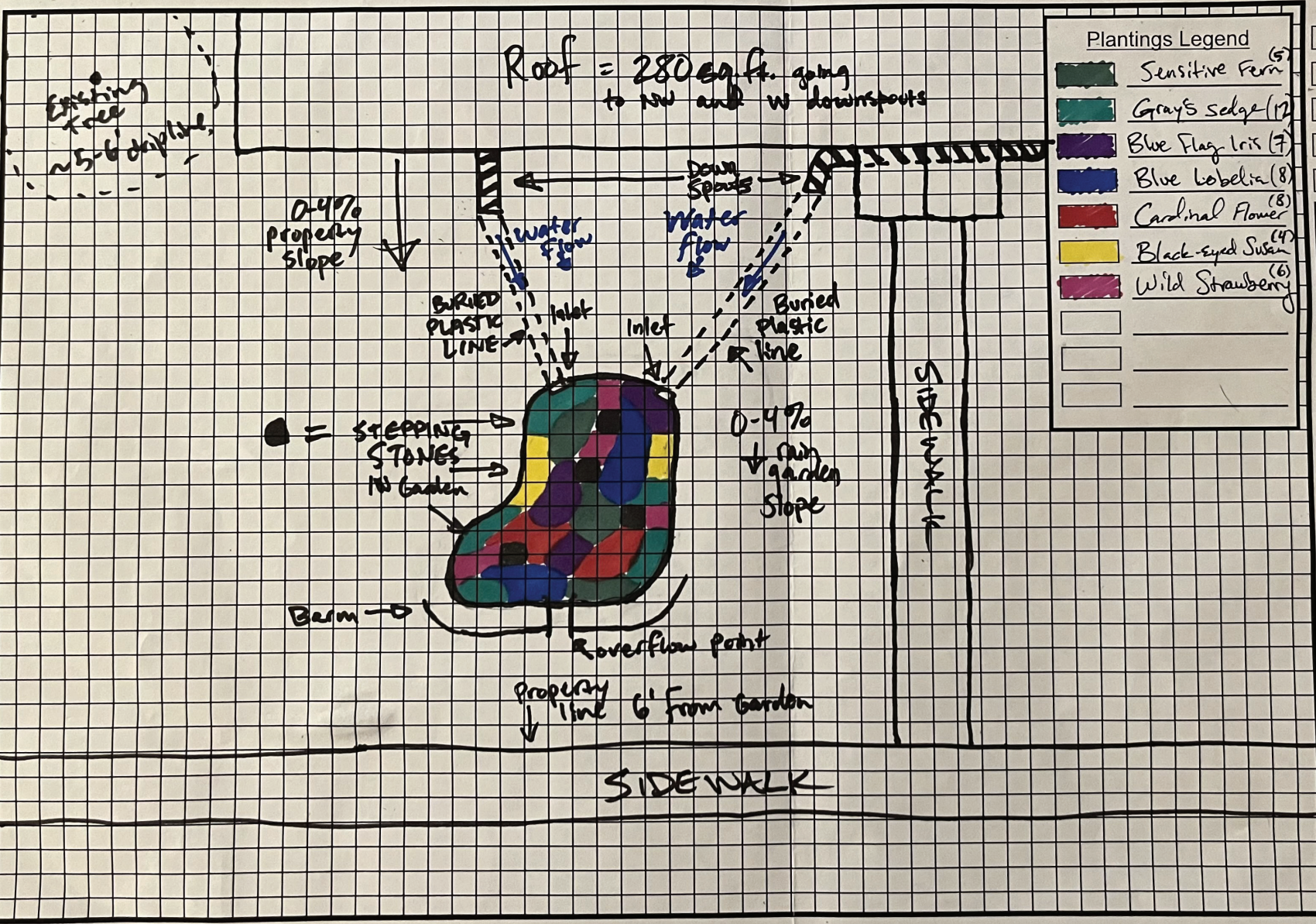
Water flow direction ↓

Slope direction of property & rain garden ↓

- 1 Block = 1 Square Foot**
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### Plantings Legend

	Sensitive Fern (5)
	Gray's sedge (12)
	Blue Flag Iris (7)
	Blue Lobelia (8)
	Cardinal Flower (8)
	Black-eyed Susan (4)
	Wild Strawberry (6)

### Design Checklist

- Property Lines (label distance)
- Structures
- Trees (with dripline)
- Rain Garden Inlet
- Rain Garden Outlet
- Berm
- Water Flow Direction
- Slope Direction (of property)
- Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test  
 Infiltration Rate = 2 inches/hour (from infiltration test)

Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr	0.43	0.32	0.20

Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size  
 $280 \times 0.19 = 53.2$   
 Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)      Sizing Multiplier      Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)

Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed  
 $64 \text{ (25\% red)} \div 2.25 = 28$   
 Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden      Estimated Number of Plants

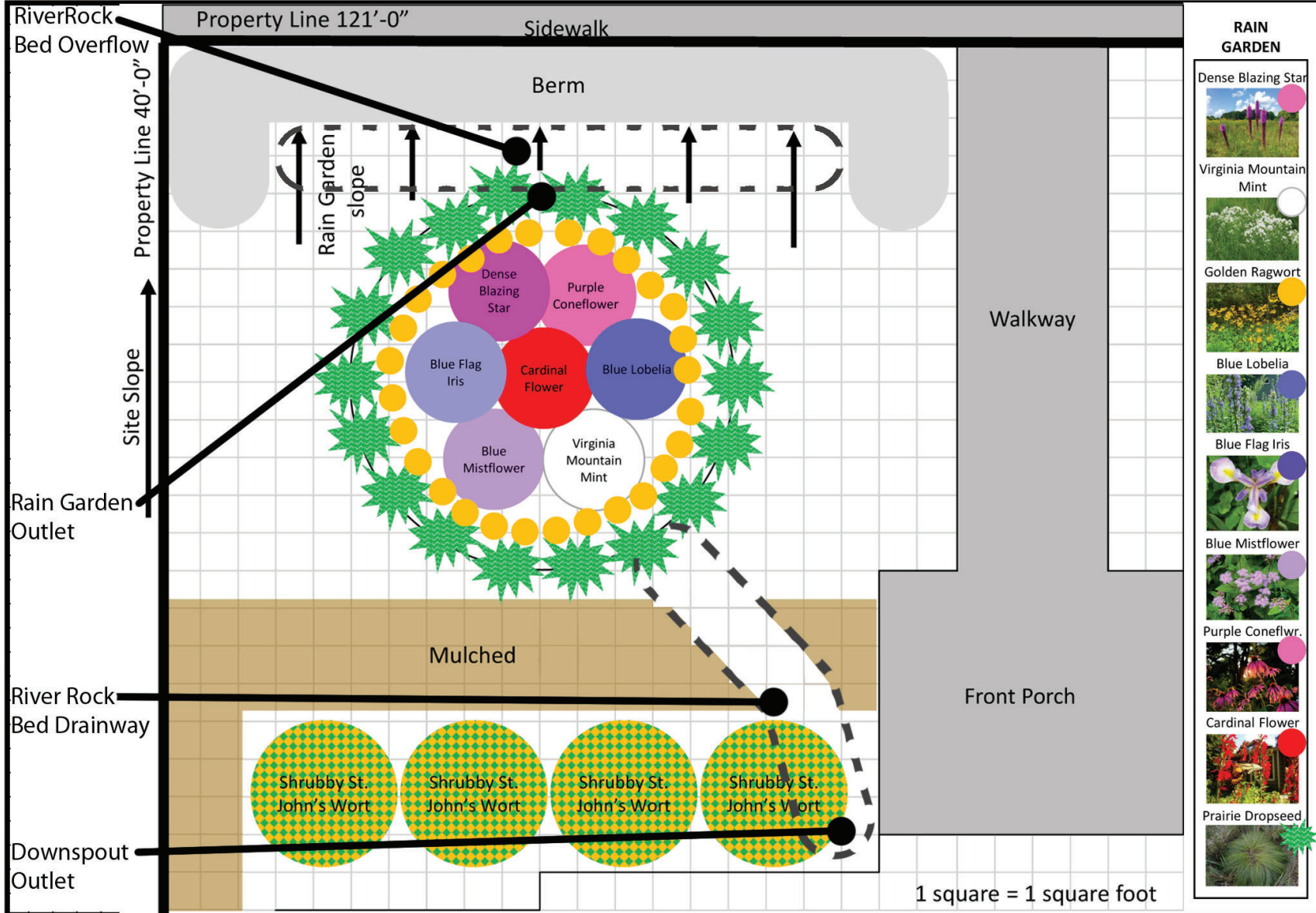
Step 5: Design Check  
 $64$       Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)  
*We'll probably use 50 and plants here*

1 Block = 1 Square Foot

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**RAIN GARDEN**

- ### Design Checklist
- Property Lines (label distance)
  - Structures
  - Trees (with dripline)
  - Rain Garden Inlet
  - Rain Garden Outlet
  - Berm
  - Water Flow Direction
  - Slope Direction (of property)
  - Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
<input type="radio"/> 3-4%	3-5"
<input checked="" type="radio"/> 5-7%	6-7"
<input type="radio"/> 8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**  
 Infiltration Rate = \_\_\_\_\_ inches/hour (from infiltration test)

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 0.45	0.08
75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	<input type="radio"/> 0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

$$478 \times 0.25 = 133$$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.) = 478  
 Sizing Multiplier = 0.25  
 Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft) = 133

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

$$133 \div 2.25 = 60$$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden = 133  
 Estimated Number of Plants = 60

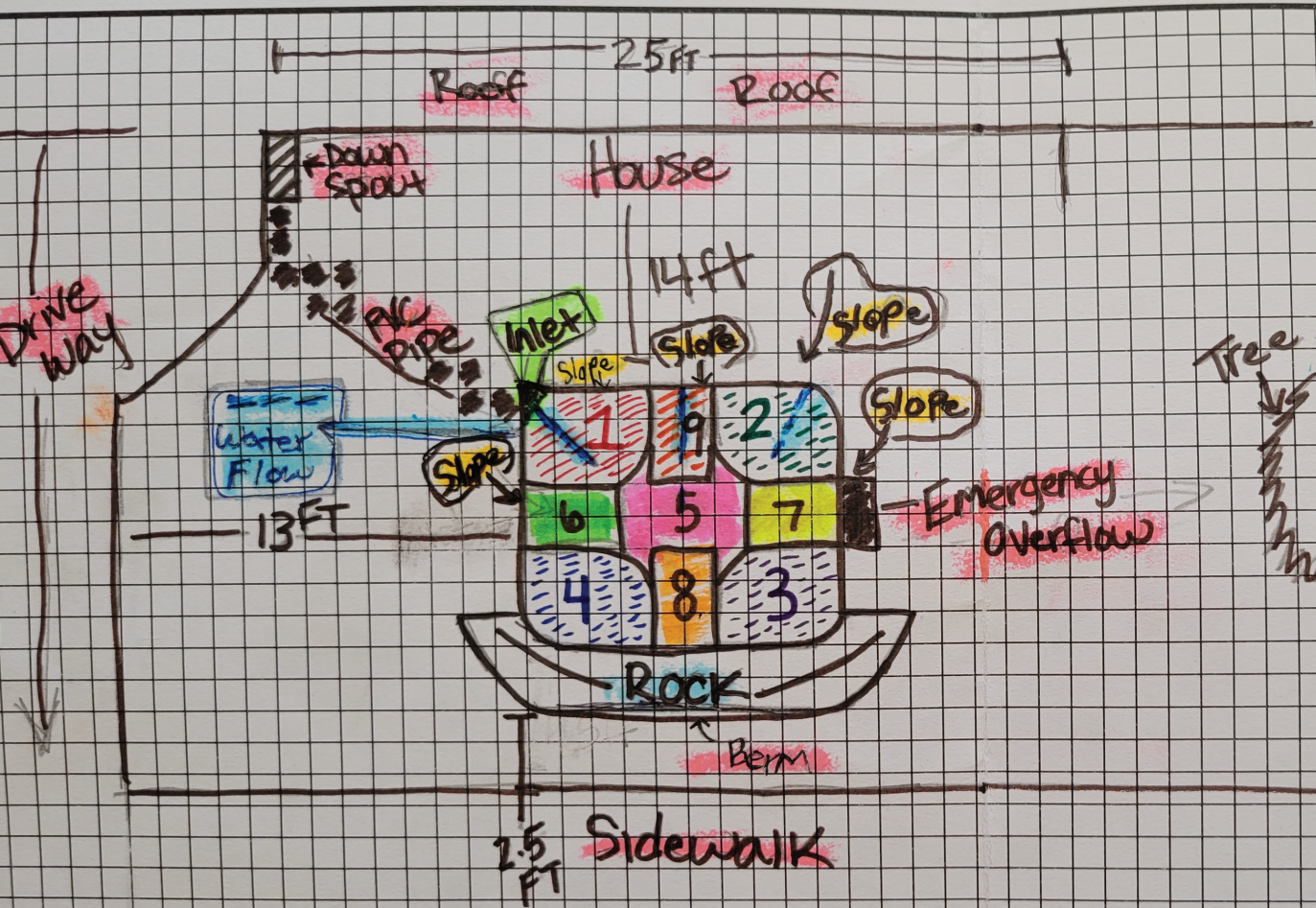
**Step 5: Design Check**

144 sq ft Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

- 1 Block = 1 Square Foot**
- ### Notes
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**Plantings Legend**

1	White Beardtongue (5)
2	Snow Cone Flower (5)
3	Canada Anemone (5)
4	Kobold Blazing Star (5)
5	Red Bud (1)
6	Swamp Buttercup (2)
7	Magnus Purple Cone Flower (2)
8	Wild Geranium (2)
9	Woods Blue Aster (3)
Total = 35	

**Design Checklist**

- Property Lines (label distance)
- Structures
- Trees (with dripline)
- Rain Garden Inlet
- Rain Garden Outlet
- Berm
- Water Flow Direction
- Slope Direction (of property)
- Slope Direction (of rain garden)

**Rain Garden Sizing**

Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test

Infiltration Rate = 1.25 inches/hour (from infiltration test)

Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Sizing

(276) x 0.19 = 52.25

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)

Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed

68 ÷ 2.25 = 30

Step 5: Design Check  
Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

68

1 Block = 1 Square Foot

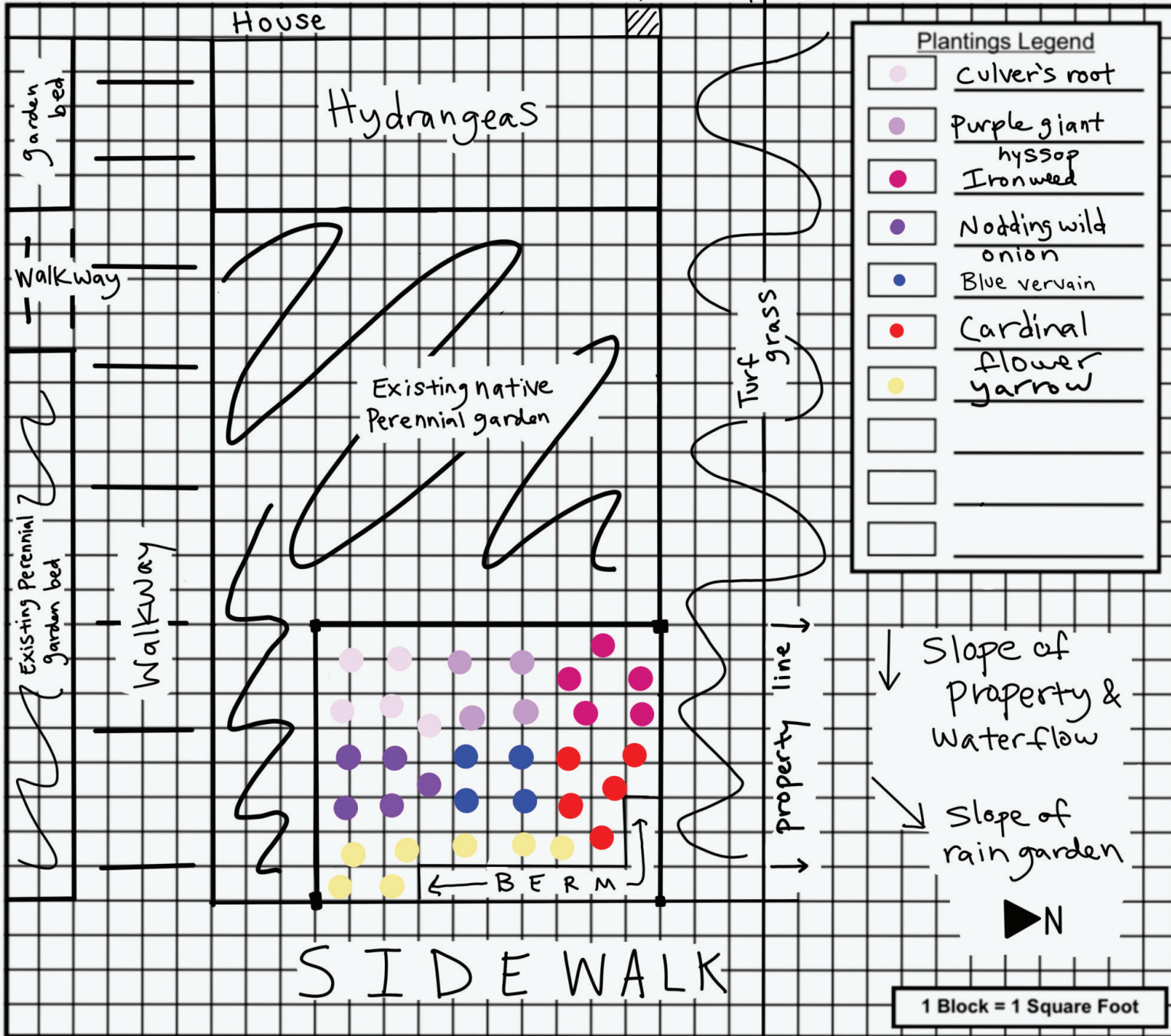
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Note: my neighbor could not care less about what I do in my yard, so it is o.k. being so close to the property line. I would've gone up to the line, but I want him to have room to get out of his car. → down spout

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### Plantings Legend

<input type="checkbox"/>	Culver's root
<input type="checkbox"/>	Purple giant hyssop
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ironweed
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nodding wild onion
<input type="checkbox"/>	Blue vervain
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cardinal flower
<input type="checkbox"/>	Yarrow
<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	
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### Design Checklist

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|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Property Lines (label distance) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Berm                                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Structures                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Flow Direction                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees (with dripline)           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of property)        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Inlet               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of rain garden)     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Outlet              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> existing garden will act as overflow |

### Rain Garden Sizing

Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test  
Infiltration Rate = 3-5" inches/hour

Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size

200 × 0.34 = 68

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
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Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed

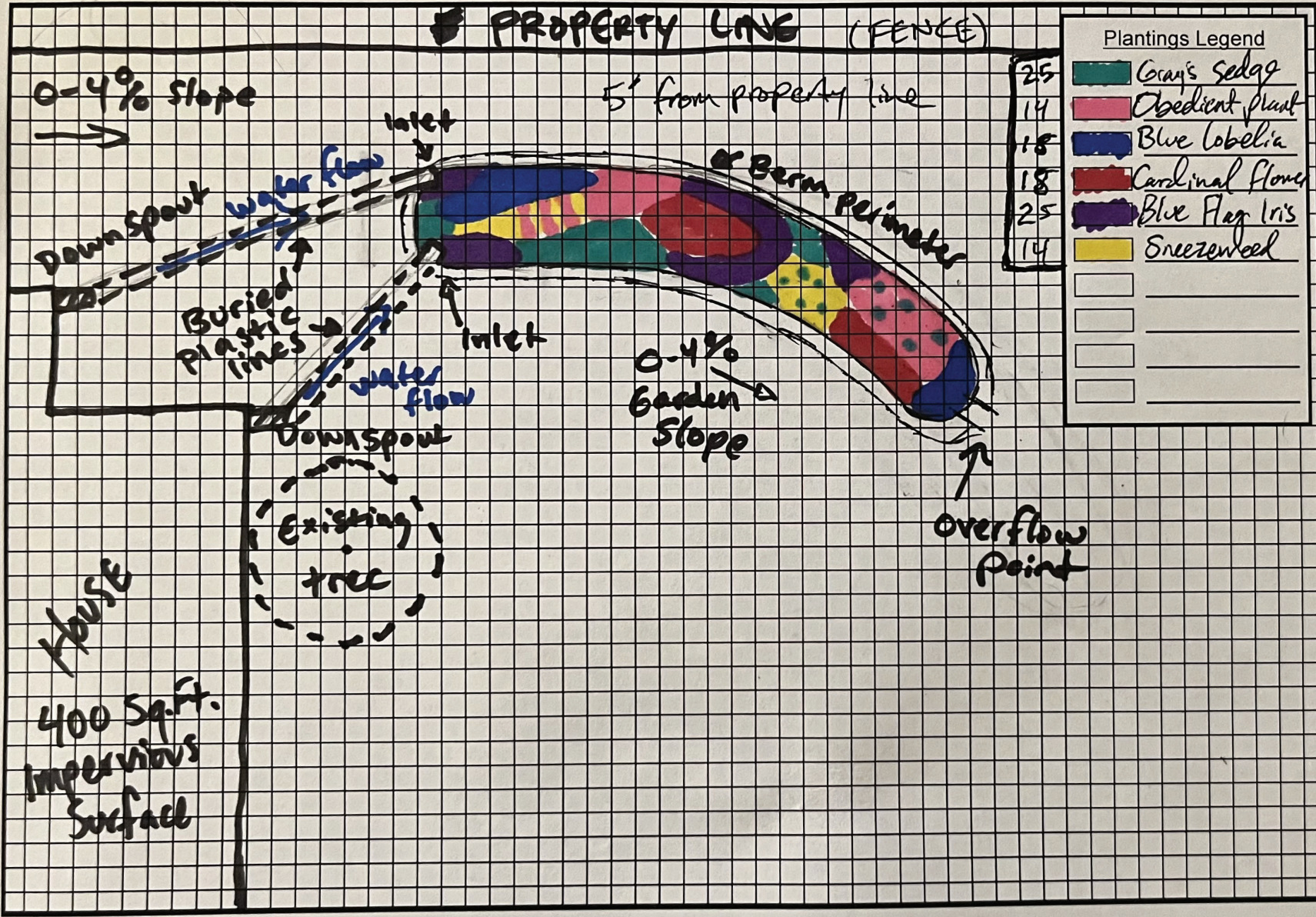
80 ÷ 2.25 = 35

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
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Step 5: Design Check

80 Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

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**Plantings Legend**

25	Gray's Sedge
14	Obedient plant
18	Blue Lobelia
18	Cardinal Flower
25	Blue Flag Iris
14	Sneezeweed

**Design Checklist**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Property Lines (label distance)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Berm
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Structures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Flow Direction
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees (with dripline)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of property)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Inlet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of rain garden)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Outlet	

**Rain Garden Sizing**

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**

Infiltration Rate = 1.25 inches/hour  
(from infiltration test)

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr	0.19	0.15	0.08
75-1.00"/hr	0.34	0.25	0.16
25-50"/hr	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

400 x 0.19 = 76

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)*	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
400	0.19	76

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

91 (20% average) x 2.25 = 40

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
91	40

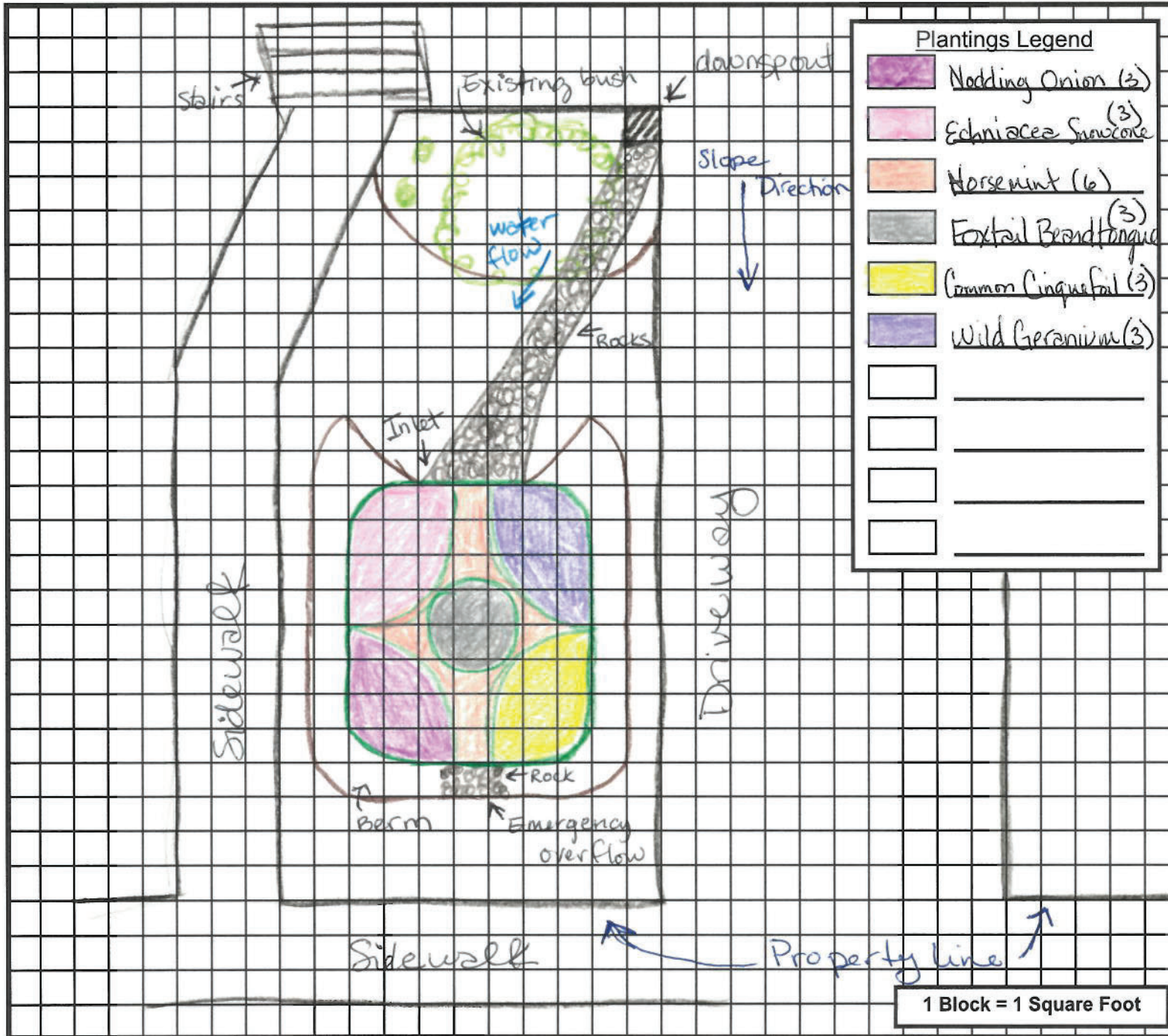
**Step 5: Design Check**

91 Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

- 1 Block = 1 Square Foot**
- Notes**
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### Plantings Legend

- Nodding Onion (3)
- Echinacea Snowflake (3)
- Horsemint (6)
- Foxtail Beardtongue (3)
- Common Cinquefoil (3)
- Wild Geranium (3)

### Design Checklist

- Property Lines (label distance)
- Structures
- Trees (with dripline)
- Rain Garden Inlet
- Rain Garden Outlet
- Berm
- Water Flow Direction
- Slope Direction (of property)
- Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test

Infiltration Rate = 12 inches/hour (from infiltration test)

Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size

$200 \times .19 = 40$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)      Sizing Multiplier      Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)

Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed

$40 \div 2.25 = 17.8$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden      Estimated Number of Plants

Step 5: Design Check

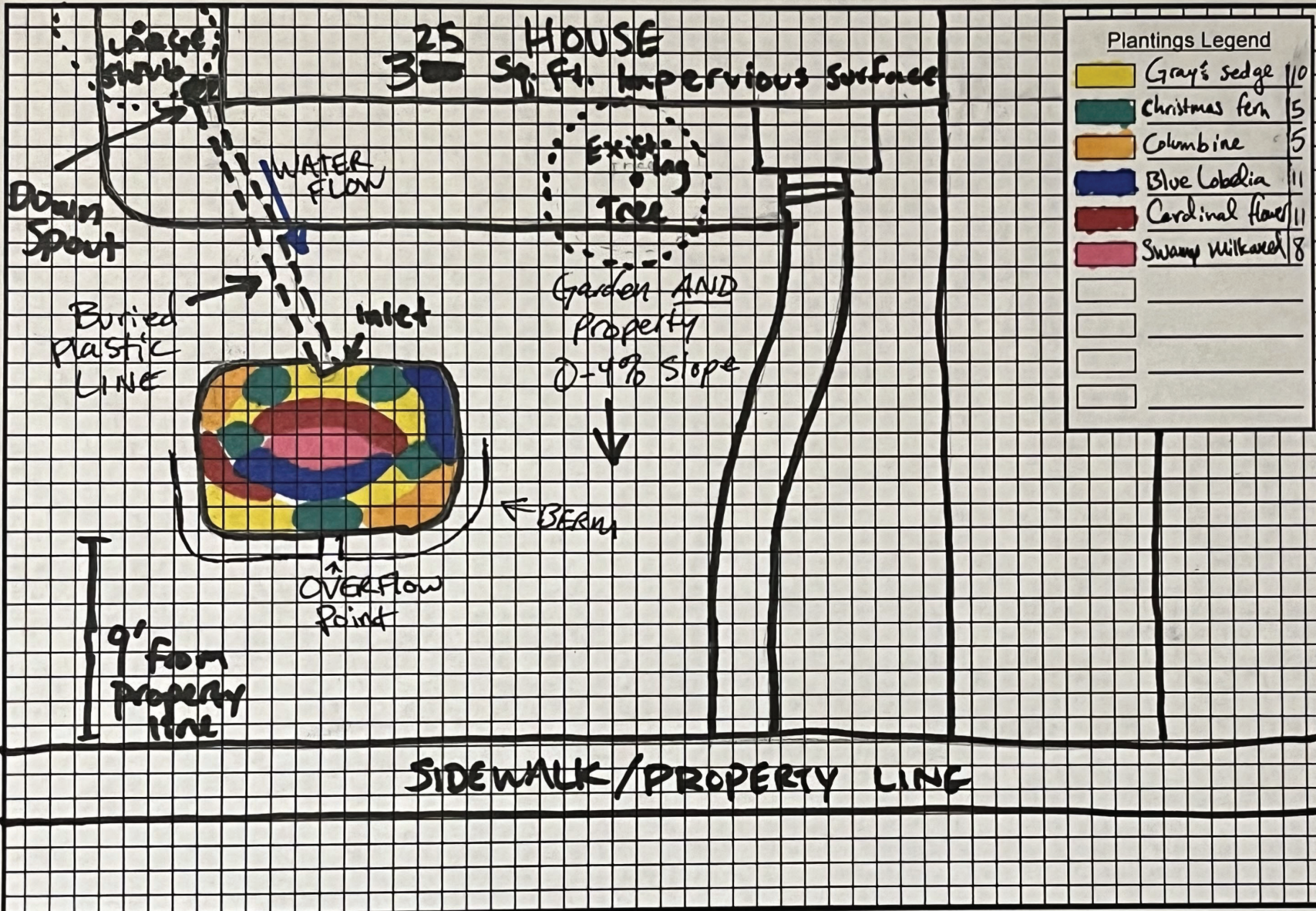
48 Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

### Notes

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**Plantings Legend**

	Gray's sedge	10
	Christmas fern	5
	Columbine	5
	Blue Lobelia	11
	Cardinal flower	11
	Swamp Milkweed	8

- Design Checklist**
- Property Lines (label distance)
  - Structures
  - Trees (with dripline)
  - Rain Garden Inlet
  - Rain Garden Outlet
  - Berm
  - Water Flow Direction
  - Slope Direction (of property)
  - Slope Direction (of rain garden)

**Rain Garden Sizing**

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**

Infiltration Rate = 2 inches/hour

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr	0.15	0.15	0.08
75-1.00"/hr	0.31	0.25	0.16
25-50"/hr	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

$325 \times 0.19 = 62$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
325	0.19	62

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

$62 \div 2.25 = 28$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
62	28

**Step 6: Design Check**

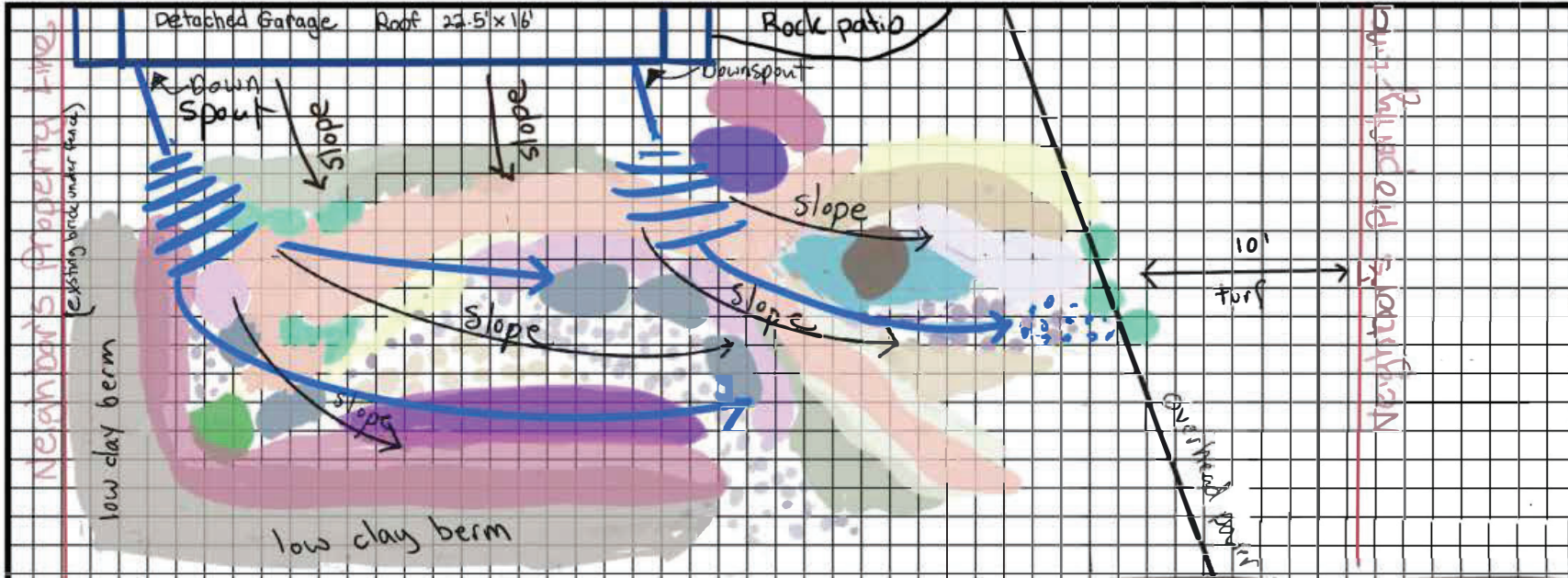
74 Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

(2070 over calculation) 1 Block = 1 Square Foot

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- ### Design Checklist
- Property Lines (label distance)
  - Structures
  - No Existing Trees (with outline)
  - Rain Garden Inlet
  - Rain Garden Outlet
  - Berm
  - Water Flow Direction
  - Slope Direction (of property)
  - Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (whole one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**  
 Infiltration Rate = 12 inches/hr  
 (from infiltration test)

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**  
 $360 \text{ sq ft} \times .19 = 68.4 \text{ sq ft}$   
 Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**  
 $\text{est } 377 \text{ sq ft} \div 2.25 = 167$   
 Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden

**Step 5: Design Check**  
 Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

- ### Plantings Legend
- Geranium Maculatum* Wild Geranium
  - Fragaria Virginiana* Wild Strawberries
  - Syrinchium Angustifolium* Stout Blue Eyed Grass
  - Anemone Canadense* Canada Anemone
  - Oligoneuron Album* Upland White Aster
  - Baptisia Bracteata* Cream Wild Indigo
  - Baptisia Australis* Blue Wild Indigo
  - Lobelia Siphilitica* Great Blue Lobelia
  - Baptisia Alba* White Wild Indigo

- ### Plantings Legend
- Salizachyrium Sparangium* Little Blue Stem Grass
  - Salvia Yangii* Russian Sage (non-native)
  - Veronica Fasciculata* Ironweed
  - Eryngium Yuccifolium* Rattlesnake Master
  - Eutrochium Maculatum* Spotted Joe Pye Weed
  - Amelanchier* Joncherry Serviceberry
  - Ostrya Virginiana* Hop Hornbeam
  - Echinacea Purpurea* Purple Coneflower

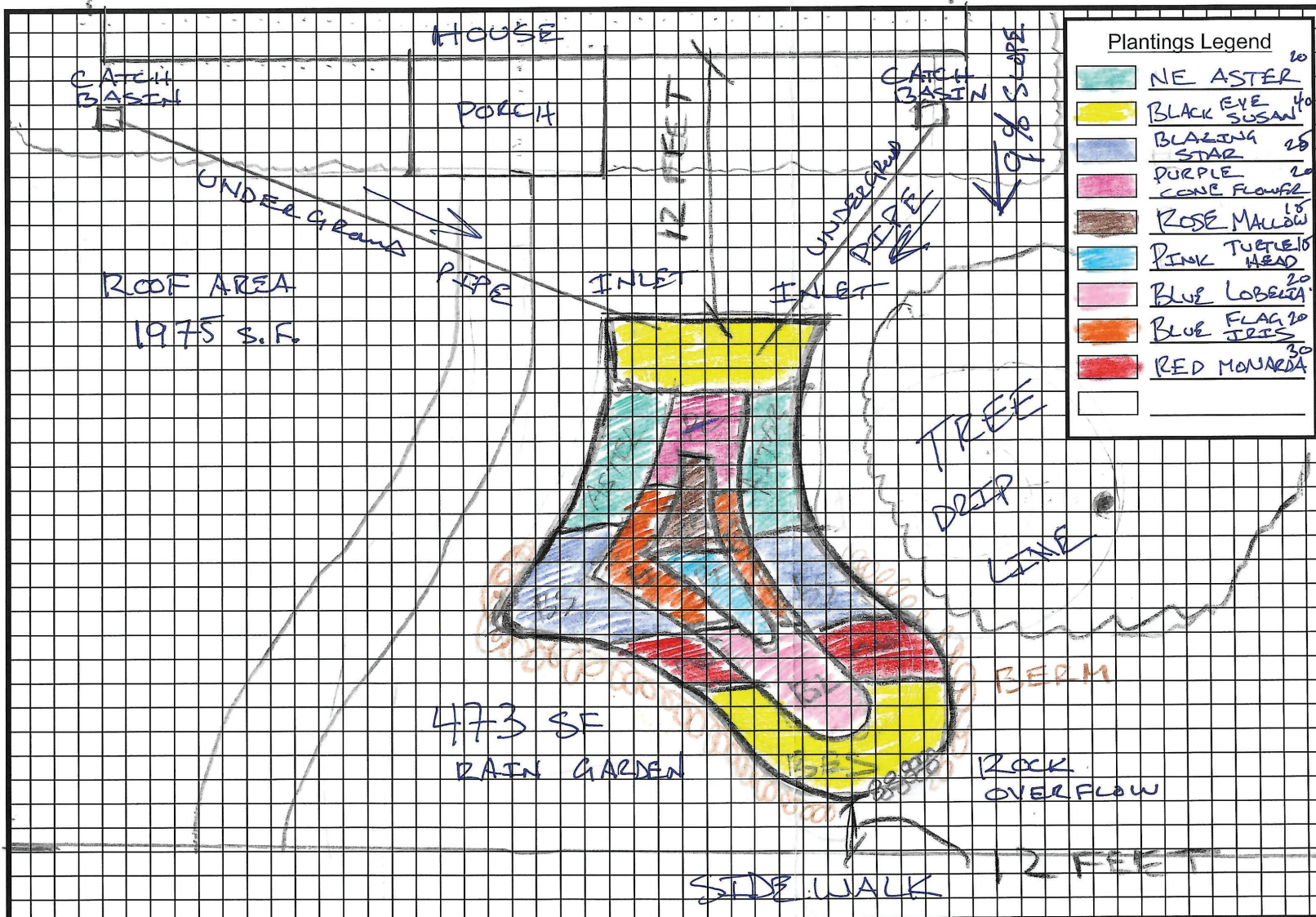
**Notes:**  
 The detached garage is on a cement slab and has never had gutters and the water has been presumably dripping against the cement slab for 100 years. Gutters are being added by the homeowner before starting the rain garden project so the runoff beginning from a 3' downspout away from the cement slab is a massive improvement. 10' clearance would be limiting given the small scale of the property. The water will be directed additionally with rock-laid channels and grading. Mainly Wild Geranium and Wild Strawberries would serve as ground cover in that currently unplanted area to prevent undesirable weeds and absorb water.

The homeowner's have a 6' wood privacy fence with brick buried under it to prevent plants from spreading. The neighbor's homes are not adjacent to the property line. There is currently just woodchips and no turf along the fence/property line. A low berm with a high clay content, that is planted on the near side would help prevent run off from reaching the neighbor's yard. Planting the entire berm with low maintenance native plants (if allowed as part of the project) might be even better as left unplanted the area would be susceptible to undesired weeds, there is an existing weed barrier (bricks buried under the fence) and the neighbor's can't see the rain garden.

**1 Block = 1 Square Foot**  
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### Plantings Legend

	NE ASTER	20
	BLACK EYE SUSAN	40
	BLAZING STAR	25
	PURPLE CONE FLOWER	20
	ROSE MALLOW	15
	PINK TURTLE HEAD	10
	BLUE LOBELIA	20
	BLUE FLAG IRIS	20
	RED MONARDA	30

- ### Design Checklist
- Property Lines (label distance)
  - Structures
  - Trees (with dripline)
  - Rain Garden Inlet
  - Rain Garden Outlet
  - Berm
  - Water Flow Direction
  - Slope Direction (of property)
  - Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**  
 Infiltration Rate = 1 inches/hour  
 (from infiltration test)

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

$$1975 \times .16 = 316$$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
1975	.16	316

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

$$473 \div 2.25 = 210$$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
473	210

**Step 5: Design Check**  
 Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)  
473

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*Cercis canadensis* • Eastern Redbud

*Sassafras albidum* • Sassafras Tree

### RAIN GARDEN PERFORMANCE

Basin bottom area=130ft<sup>2</sup>  
Basin upper ponding area=150 ft<sup>2</sup>  
Average rain garden basin area=140 ft<sup>2</sup>

Rain garden ponding depth=6in  
Ponding Surface Storage=70ft<sup>3</sup>

Disconnected Downspout 1

144 ft<sup>2</sup>  
Impervious  
Surface

Disconnected Downspout 2

Overflow

Rain Barrell 1

### Plant List

- ★ *Adiantum pedatum* • Maidenhair Fern
- *Anemone virginiana* • Tall Thimbleweed
- *Aquilegia canadensis* • Wild Columbine
- *Astragalus canadensis* • Canada Milk Vetch
- ★ *Carex bicknellii* • Copper-shoulder Oval Sedge
- ★ *Carex eburnea* • Ivory Sedge
- ★ *Carex flacca* • Blue Sedge
- ★ *Carex muskingumensis* • Palm Sedge
- *Chamerion angustifolium* • Fireweed
- *Chelone glabra* • White Turtlehead
- *Cornus sericea* • Red Twig Dogwood
- *Eupatorium maculatum* 'Atropurpureum' • Joe Pye Weed
- ★ *Elymus hystrix* • Bottlebrush Grass
- *Iris virginica shrevei* • Southern Blue Flag Iris
- ★ *Juncus tenuis* • Path Rush
- *Phlox divaricata* 'Blue Moon' • Blue Moon Phlox
- ★ *Schyzacharium scoparium* • Little Bluestem
- *Thalictrum aquilegifolium* • Meadow Rue
- *Veronicastrum virginicum* • Culver's Root
- *Viburnum plicatum tomentosum* 'Summer Snowflake'



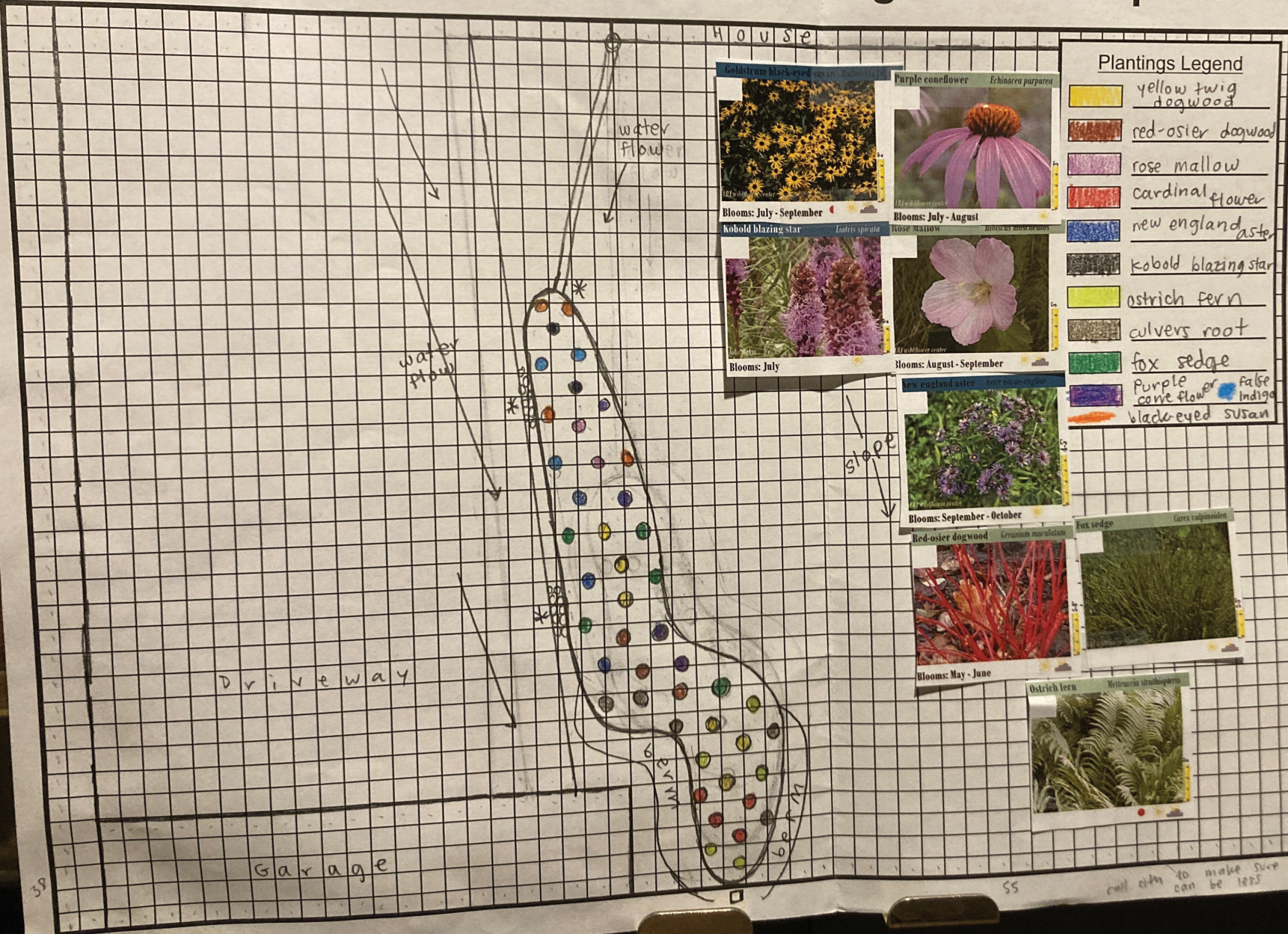
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Rain Barrell 2



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### Plantings Legend

- yellow twig dogwood
- red-osier dogwood
- rose mallow
- cardinal flower
- new england aster
- kobold blazing star
- ostrich fern
- culvers root
- fox sedge
- Purple cone flower
- black-eyed susan
- False Indigo

**Goldstrum black-eyed susin**  
Blooms: July - September

**Purple coneflower**  
Blooms: July - August

**Kobold blazing star**  
Blooms: July

**new england aster**  
Blooms: August - September

**Red-osier dogwood**  
Blooms: May - June

**fox sedge**  
Blooms: September - October

**Ostrich fern**

**Culvers root**

**Purple cone flower**

**black-eyed susan**

### Design Checklist

- Property Lines (label distance)  Berm
- Structures  Water Flow Direction
- Trees (with dripline)  Slope Direction (of property)
- Rain Garden Inlet  Slope Direction (of rain garden)
- Rain Garden Outlet

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**  
Infiltration Rate = 12" inches/hour

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)
>1.25"/hr	3-5"
0.75-1.00"/hr	6-7"
0.25-0.50"/hr	8"

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**  
 $448 + 240 \times 0.15 = 103.2$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)  $\times$  Sizing Multiplier = Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**  
 $103.2 \div 2.25 = 45.86$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden = Estimated Number of Plants

**Step 5: Design Check**  
Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)


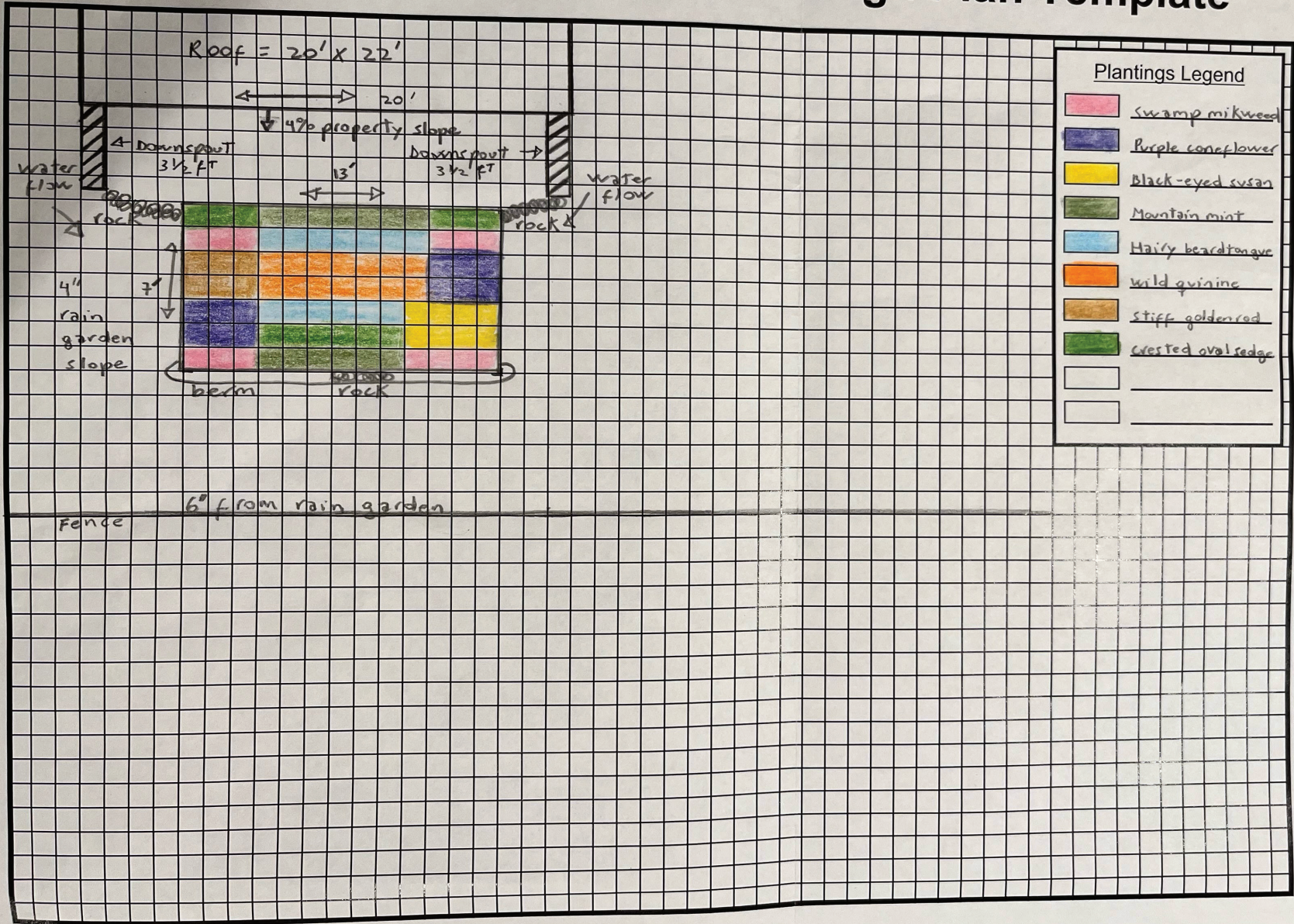
1 Block = 1 Square Foot

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


call city to make sure distance from garage can be less

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### Plantings Legend

	Swamp milkweed
	Purple coneflower
	Black-eyed susan
	Mountain mint
	Hairy beardtongue
	Wild quinine
	Stiff goldenrod
	Wetted oval sedge
	
	

- ### Design Checklist
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|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Property Lines (label distance) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Berm                             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Structures                      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Flow Direction             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees (with dripline)           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of property)    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Inlet               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of rain garden) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Outlet              |  |

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**

Infiltration Rate (from infiltration test) = 2 inches/hour

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
.75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
.25-.50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

$490 \times 0.19 = 93.60$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
490	0.19	93.60

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

$93.60 \div 2.25 = 42$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
93.60	42

**Step 5: Design Check**

Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

93.60

- 1 Block = 1 Square Foot**
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### Plantings Legend

- Purple Cone flower
- hosta
- Aster
- Wild geranium
- Black-eyed Susan
- Shasta Daisy
- Rhodo & Azalea
- Japanese maple
- Existing Arborvitae
- New Flowering Dogwood

### Design Checklist

- Property Lines (label distance)
- Structures
- Trees (with dripline)
- Rain Garden Inlet
- Rain Garden Outlet
- Berm
- Water Flow Direction
- Slope Direction (of property)
- Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

#### Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

#### Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test

Infiltration Rate (from infiltration test) = 3.4 inches/hour

#### Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr	0.19	0.15	0.08
75-100"/hr	0.34	0.25	0.16
25-50"/hr	0.43	0.32	0.20

#### Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size

$200 \times .15 = 30$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
200	.15	30

#### Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed

$30 \div 2.25 = 22$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
30	22

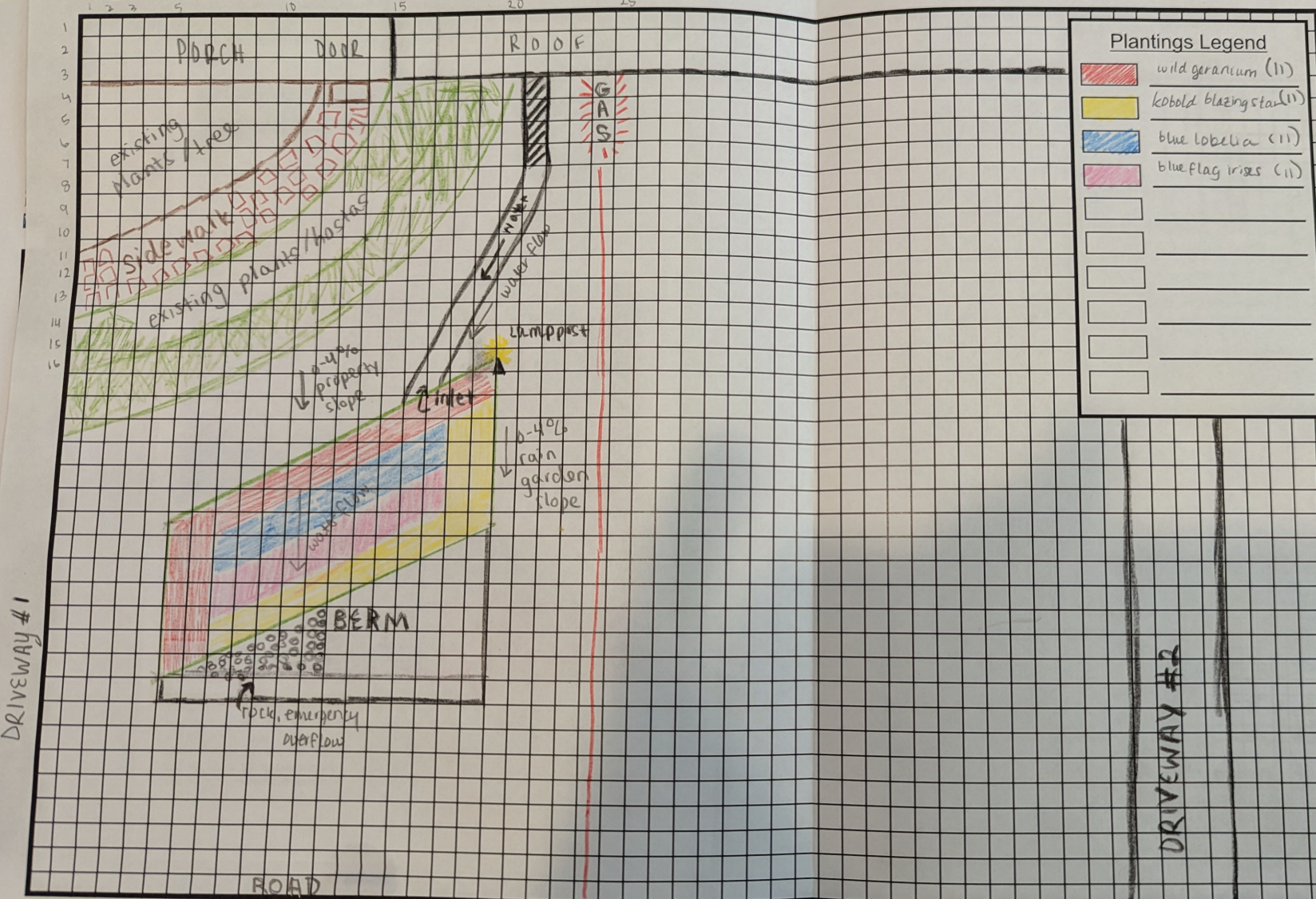
**Step 5: Design Check**  
Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

### 1 Block = 1 Square Foot

### Notes

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### Plantings Legend

	wild geranium (11)
	kobold blazing star (11)
	blue lobelia (11)
	blue flag irises (11)

### Design Checklist

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Property Lines (label distance)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Berm
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Structures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Water Flow Direction
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trees (with dripline)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slope Direction (of property)
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rain Garden Outlet	

### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test**

Infiltration Rate (from infiltration test) = 4 inches/hour

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
25-50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

430 x 0.19 = 81.7

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)      Sizing Multiplier      Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

98 ÷ 2.25 = 44

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden      Estimated Number of Plants

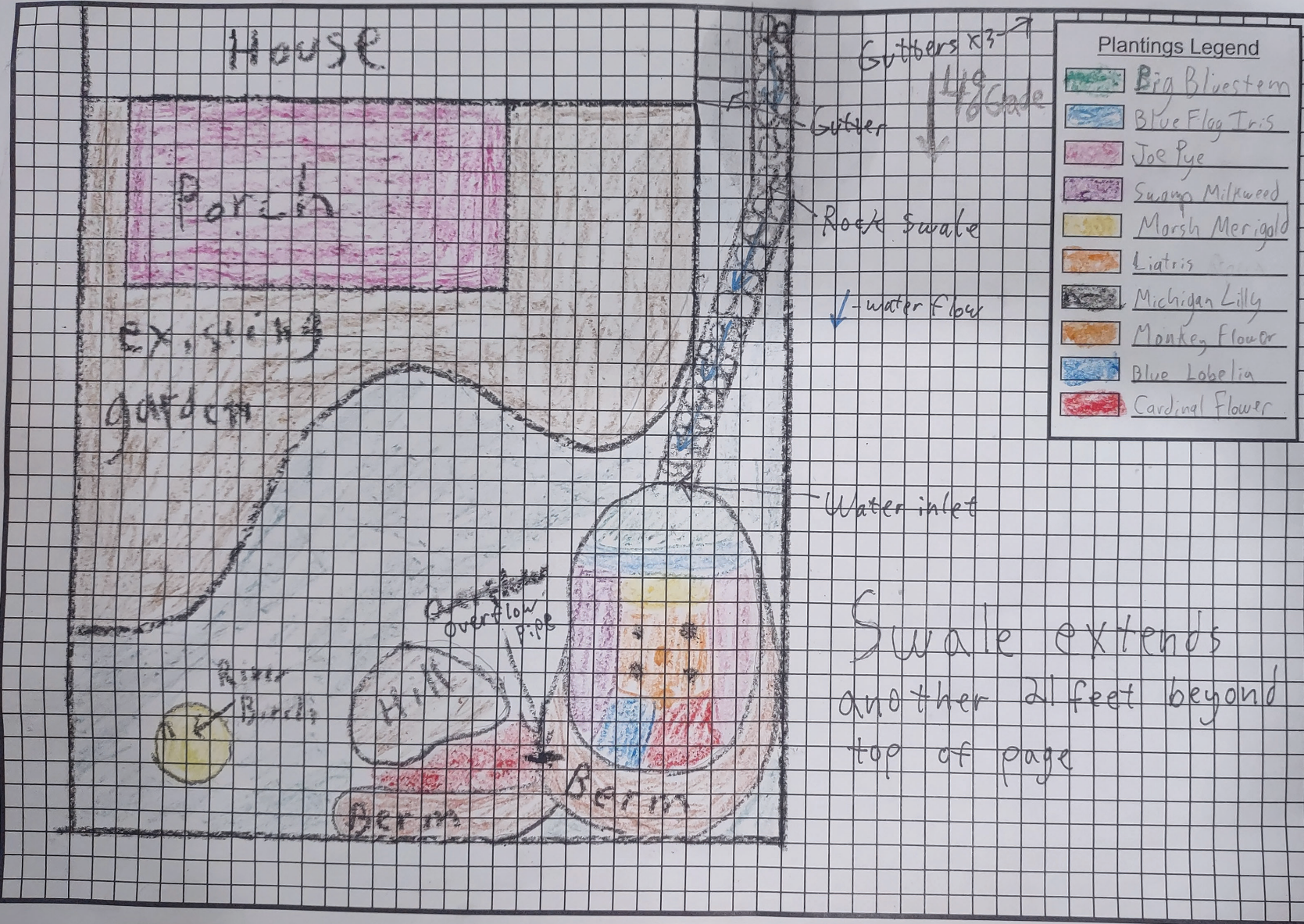
**Step 5: Design Check**

98      Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

- 1 Block = 1 Square Foot**
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# Rain Garden Design Plan Template

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### Plantings Legend

- Big Bluestem
- Blue Flag Iris
- Joe Pye
- Swamp Milkweed
- Marsh Marigold
- Liatris
- Michigan Lilly
- Monkey Flower
- Blue Lobelia
- Cardinal Flower

### Design Checklist

- Property Lines (label distance)
- Structures
- Trees (with dripline)
- Rain Garden Inlet
- Rain Garden Outlet
- Berm
- Water Flow Direction
- Slope Direction (of property)
- Slope Direction (of rain garden)

### Rain Garden Sizing

Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test  
Infiltration Rate (from infiltration test) = \_\_\_\_\_ inches/hour

Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.19	0.15	0.08
7.5-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
2.5-50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size

$$1786 \times 0.15 = 267$$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)      Sizing Multiplier      Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)

Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed

$$129 \div 2.25 = 57$$

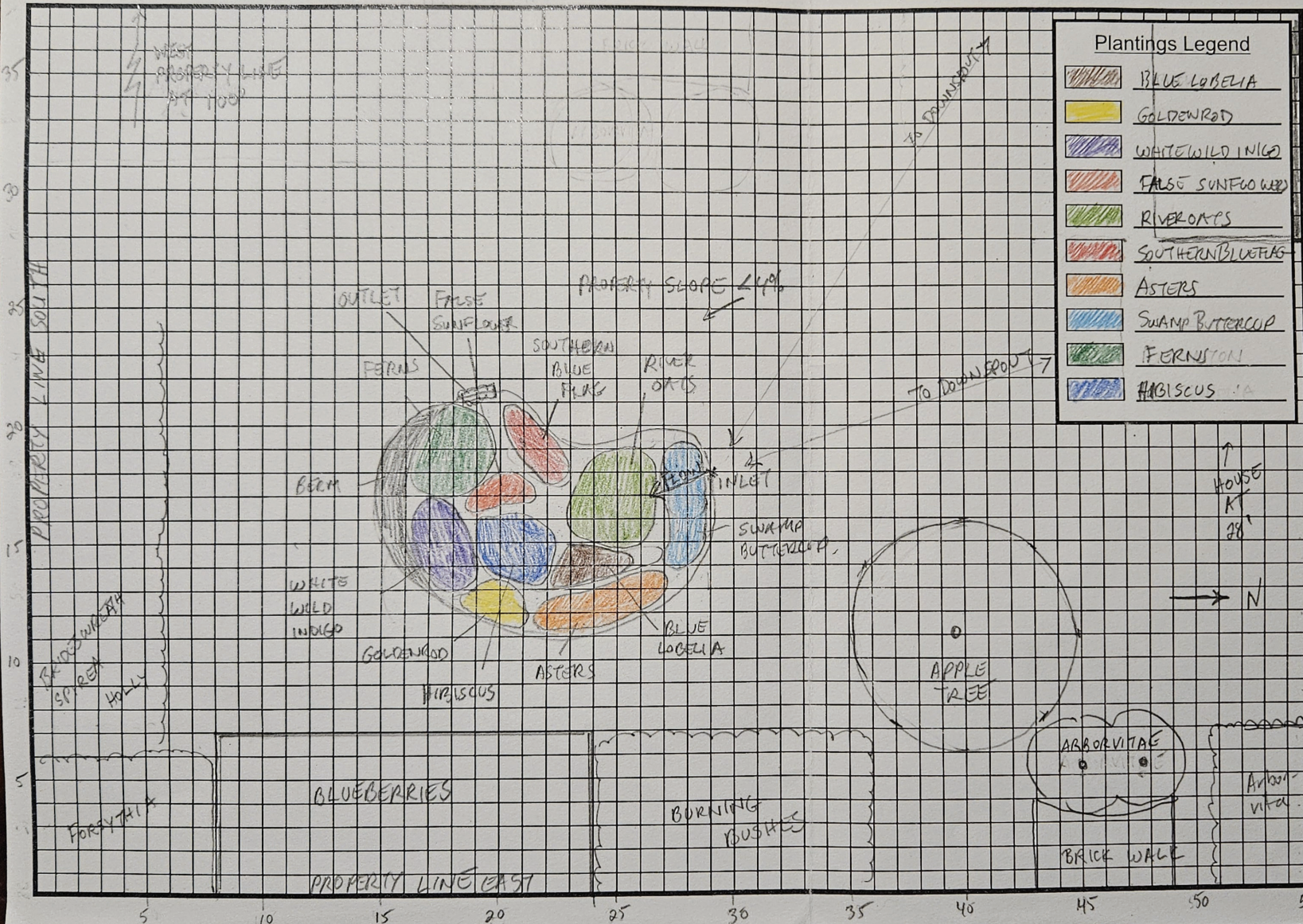
Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden      Estimated Number of Plants

Step 5: Design Check  
Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

1 Block = 1 Square Foot

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### Plantings Legend

	BLUE LOBELIA
	GOLDENROD
	WILDS WILD INDIGO
	FALSE SUNFLOWER
	RIVER OATS
	SOUTHERN BLUE FLAG
	ASTERS
	SWAMP BUTTERCUP
	FERNS
	ABISCUS

### Design Checklist

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### Rain Garden Sizing

**Step 1: Determine Depth of Rain Garden**

Rain Garden Slope (circle one)	Required Depth
0-4%	3-5"
5-7%	6-7"
8-12%	8"

**Step 2: Perform Soil Infiltration Test Actually**

Infiltration Rate = 12 inches/hour 15 minutes

**Step 3: Determine Sizing Multiplier**

Infiltration Rate	Sizing Multiplier (circle one)		
	3-5"	6-7"	8"
>1.25"/hr.	0.13	0.15	0.08
75-1.00"/hr.	0.34	0.25	0.16
25-50"/hr.	0.43	0.32	0.20

**Step 4: Calculate Required Rain Garden Size**

$550 \times .19 = 104.5$

Total Area (sq ft) of Impervious Surfaces Draining to Garden (roofs, drives, etc.)	Sizing Multiplier	Required Area of the Rain Garden (sq ft)
550	0.19	104.5

**Step 5: Estimate Number of Plants Needed**

$104.5 \div 2.25 = 46$

Total Area (sq ft) of Rain Garden	Estimated Number of Plants
116	46

**Step 5: Design Check**

Total Area (sq ft) of Designed Rain Garden (must be greater than or equal to the required area from Step 4)

116

- ### 1 Block = 1 Square Foot
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