

Intersection Design - 3D Model Detailing

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OpenRoads Designer CONNECT Edition

OpenRail Designer CONNECT Edition

About this Practice Workbook...

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- This PDF file includes bookmarks providing an overview of the document. Click on a bookmark to quickly jump to any section in the file.
- Imperial files are included in the dataset.
- This course workbook uses the *Training and Examples* Workspace and the *Training-Imperial* WorkSet delivered with the software.
- The terms “Left-click”, “Click”, “Select” and “Data” are used interchangeably to represent pressing the left mouse button. The terms “Right-click” and “Reset” are also used interchangeably to represent pressing the right mouse button. If your mouse buttons are assigned differently, such as for left-handed use, you will need to adjust accordingly.

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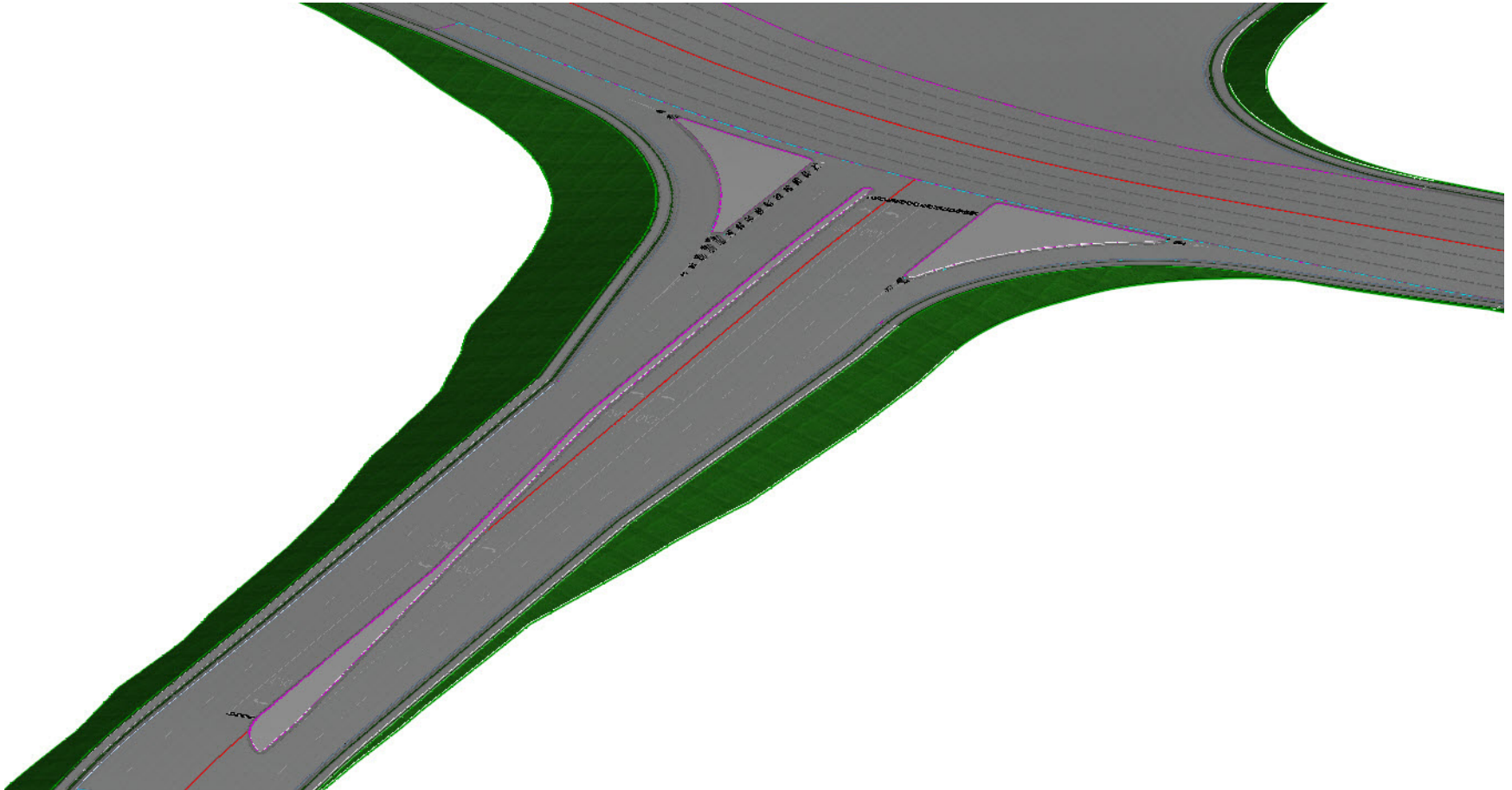


Course Overview

This course teaches tools and techniques that can be used to accurately model a complex intersection in 3D.

In this course, you will learn how to:

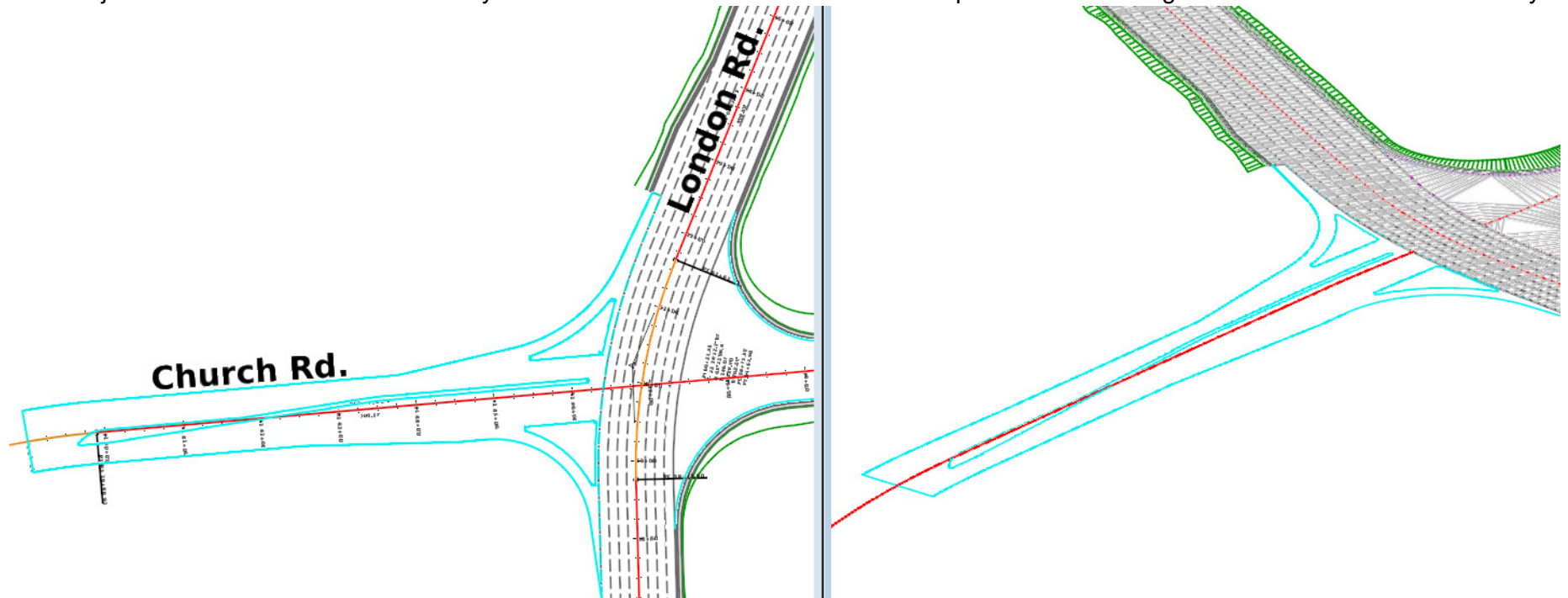
- Use Linear Templates to create the curb, sidewalk and side slope grading along the edges of pavement and islands.
- Use Surface Templates to apply material thickness to the pavement surface and median islands.
- Create a Finished Grade Terrain Model using Graphical Filters and Design Meshes.
- Export Finished Grade Terrain Model to LandXML format.



Intersection Layout

The intersection layout is shown below in 2D and 3D. The finished grade terrain model that represents the pavement surface and all of the 2D and 3D geometry has already been defined. To learn how this was accomplished see the course titled: *Intersection Design-Horizontal and Vertical Geometry*.

The objective of this course is to accurately model this intersection in a 3D model and produce a finished grade terrain model for all roadways.



Exercise 1: Model the Islands and Median

Description

In this exercise, you will model the islands and the raised median.

Skills Taught

- Create a 3D Model of an Island using Linear Templates and Surface Templates
- Create a 3D Model of the Raised Median using Linear Templates and Surface Templates

Open Intersection Layout Design File

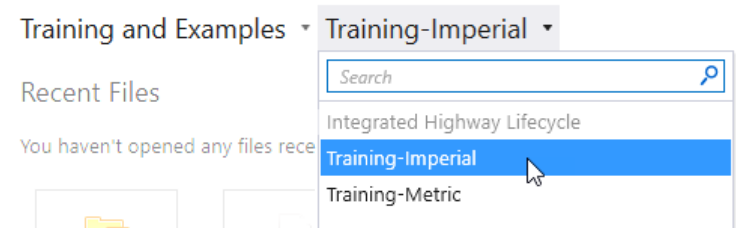
In this section you will open the intersection design file. All the necessary references have already been attached.

1. Start the software.
2. Set the WorkSpace and WorkSet.

The WorkSpace and WorkSet define standards that are used by the software, and the ones used for this training are installed during the software installation.

Typically, the WorkSpace contains organizational standards and the WorkSet contains project standards.

- a. Select **Training and Examples** from the *WorkSpace* drop-down menu.
- b. Select **Training-Imperial** [Training-Metric] from the *WorkSet* drop-down menu.



3. Open the Intersection layout file.

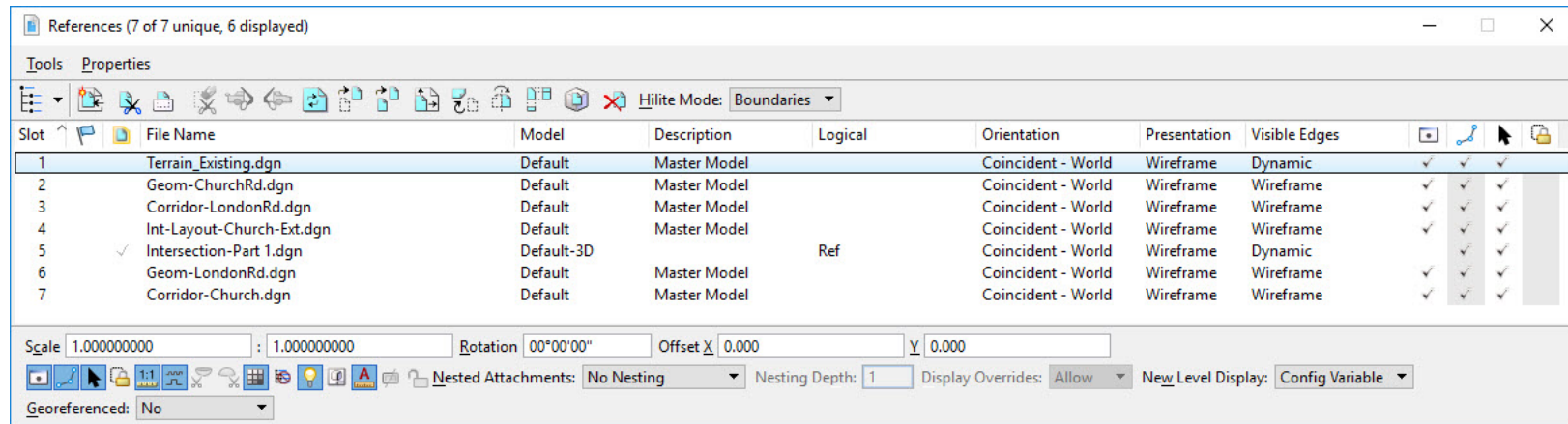


- a. Browse to the folder where you unzipped the dataset files and select the design file **Intersection-Model.dgn**.

4. Review the attached reference files.



a. Select *Home > Primary > Attach Tools > References*



b. Note that we have several files attached. We will be using these files as we progress through the course

c. Close the References dialog.

5. Review the 2D and 3D views.

- 2D and 3D horizontal edge of pavement geometric elements have already been defined.
- A proposed terrain model representing the top finished grade pavement surface has already been created.

Apply Linear Templates to Model the Curb within the Islands and Median

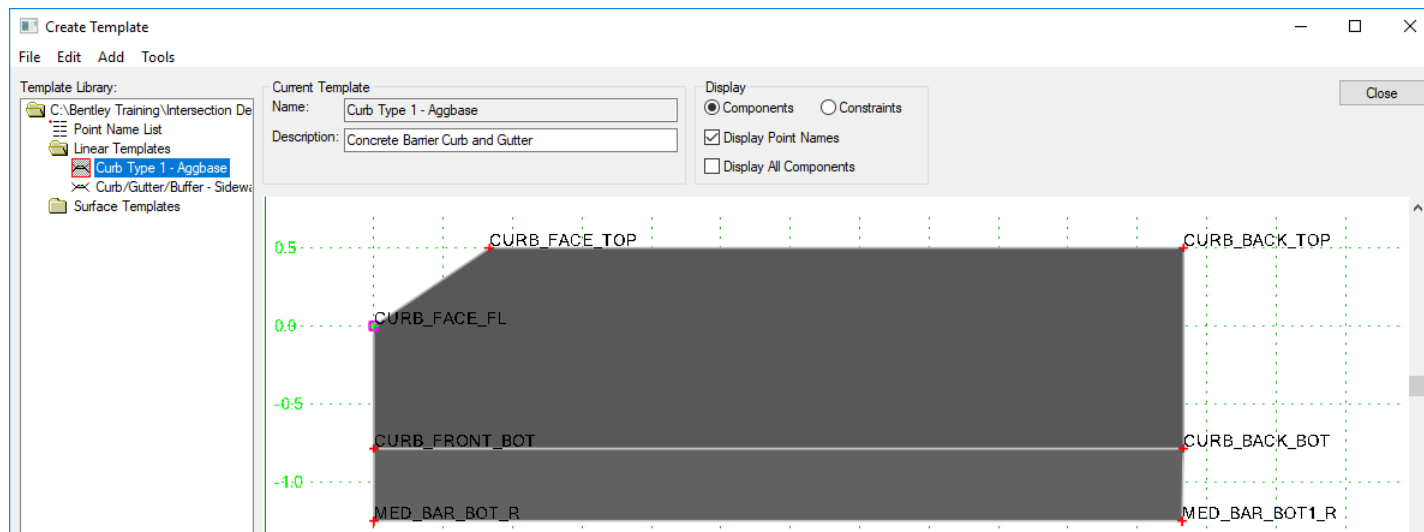
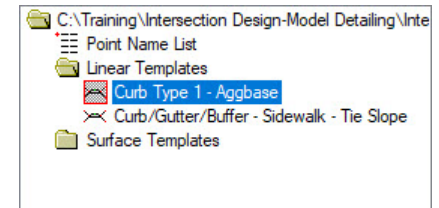
In this exercise, you will model the island and median curbs using Linear Templates. The *Apply Linear Template* tool allows you to create 3D components within the model by selecting a template from the active template library and applying it along a 3D linear element.

This tool is very useful in modeling design elements such as curbs, medians, ditches, walls, levees, and channels. In order to apply the linear template the civil geometry must have a profile associated with it.

1. Open the Template Library and Review the Linear Templates



- Select *Corridors > Create > Template > Create Template*, the *Create Template* window will appear and load the default template library.
- Select *File > Open* and Select the *Intersection Detailing.itl* file.
- Expand the *Linear Templates* folder.
- Double Left Click* on *Curb Type 1 - Aggbase* to set it as the active template.
- Review the template and note this template is composed of a concrete curb and aggregate base. You are going to apply this template to the islands and the median.

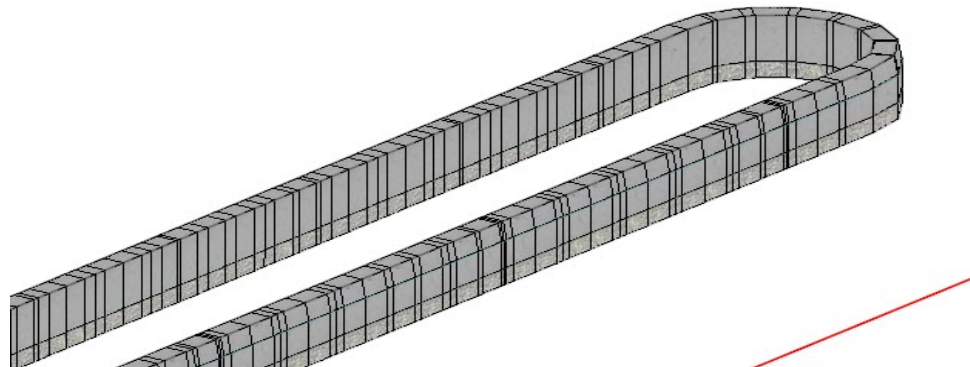


- Close* the *Create Template* window.



2. Apply the Linear Template to Create the Curb Along the Median
 - a. Select *Model Detailing* > *3D Tools* > **Apply Linear Template**
 - b. In *View 1*, Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):
 - *Feature Definition: Linear Template* > **Final**
 - *Name:* **Median Curb**
 - *Locate Element to Apply Template:* Select the median edge of pavement geometry.
 - *Template:* **Press <ALT> and the Down Arrow** to open the template library. The *Pick Template* window will appear.
 - Browse to the *Linear Templates* folder and select **Curb Type 1 - Aggbase** and click **OK**
 - *Start Station:* **Press <ALT> to lock to start**
 - *End Station:* **Press <ALT> to lock to end**
 - *Select Side - Reflect Option:* Move the cursor to the **Inside** of the median.

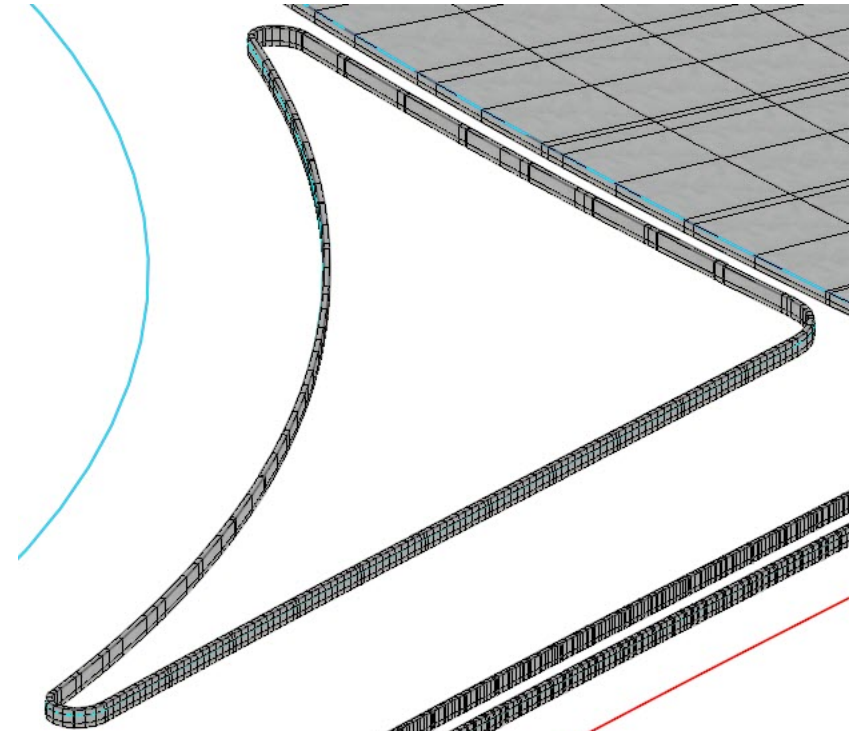
Tip: If the curb displays on the wrong side, the **Properties** dialog can be used to flip the *Reflect* option.
 - *Exterior Corner Sweep Angle:* Do not change the setting.
 - *Description:* **Median Curb**
 - c. The linear template is placed and the components displayed in the 3D model (View 2).



3. Apply the *Curb Type 1 - Aggbase* Linear Template to the north island.



- a. Select the **Apply Linear Template** tool.
- b. On the dialog box, toggle off all the check boxes to **UNLOCK** all the tool settings.
- c. In *View 1*, Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):
 - *Locate Element to Apply Template:* Select the north island edge of pavement element.
 - *Feature Definition: Linear Template > Final*
 - *Name:* **North Island Curb**
 - *Template:* Press **<ALT> and the Down Arrow** to open the template library. The *Pick Template* window will appear.
 - Browse to the *Linear Templates* folder and select **Curb Type 1 - Aggbase** and click **OK**
 - *Start Station:* Press **<ALT> to lock to start**
 - *End Station:* Press **<ALT> to lock to end**
 - *Select Side - Reflect Option:* Move the cursor to the inside of the north island.
 - *Exterior Corner Sweep Angle:* Do not change the setting.
 - *Description:* **North Island Curb**



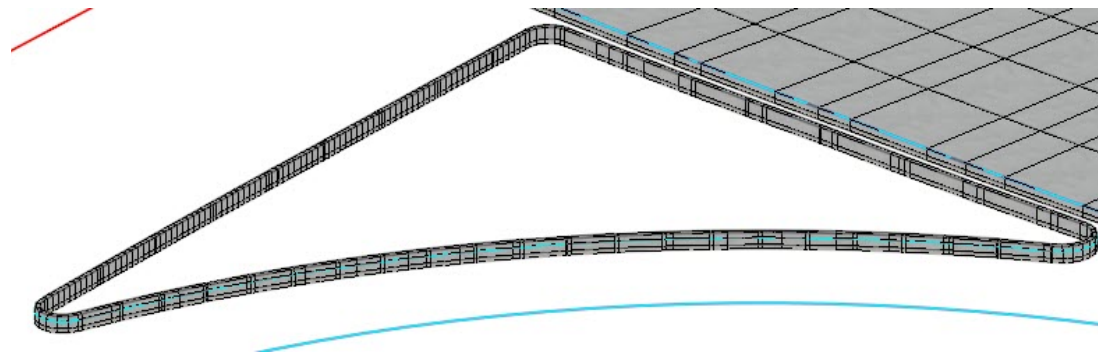
The North Island Linear Template is now placed and the components are displayed in the 3D model (View 2).

4. Apply the *Curb Type 1 - Aggbase* Linear Template to the south island.



- a. Select the **Apply Linear Template** tool.
- b. On the dialog box, toggle off all the check boxes to **UNLOCK** all the tool settings.
- c. In *View 1*, Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):
 - *Locate Element to Apply Template*: Select the south island edge of pavement element.
 - *Feature Definition: Linear Template* > **Final**
 - *Name*: **South Island Curb**
 - *Template*: Press <ALT> and the Down Arrow to open the template library. The *Pick Template* window will appear.
 - Browse to the *Linear Templates* folder and select **Curb Type 1 - Aggbase** and click **OK**
 - *Start Station*: Press <ALT> to lock to start
 - *End Station*: Press <ALT> to lock to end
 - *Select Side - Reflect Option*: Move the cursor to the inside of the south island.
 - *Exterior Corner Sweep Angle*: Do not change the setting.
 - *Description*: **South Island Curb**

The South Island Linear Template is now placed and the components are displayed in the 3D model (View 2).



TIP: Sometimes it's necessary to adjust the stroking definition values to increase or decrease the accuracy of the linear templates when placed along linear elements, curves and profiles.

To review or modify the stroking definition values, select the geometric element that the linear template is attached to in 2D or 3D. Then select *Home > Primary > Properties* to access the full properties of the element. This will give you access to all of the element properties as well as the **Stroking Definition** where adjustments can be made.

Stroking Definition	
Curve Stroking	0.066
Linear Stroking	8.202
Profile Stroking	0.066
Stroking Step Methc	Increment

The default Stroking Definition values are defined with the following configuration variables in the workspace.

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CIVIL_DEFAULT_CURVE_STROKING
CIVIL_DEFAULT_LINEAR_STROKING
CIVIL_DEFAULT_PROFILE_STROKING
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Exercise 2: Model the Interior Areas of the Islands and Median

Description

In this exercise, you will model the area inside of the islands and the median by creating a terrain for each and then applying a surface template that will create the concrete caps.

Skills Taught

- Use the terrain tools to create the interior of the islands and the median.
- Use Surface Templates to create concrete caps on the islands and median.

Model the Interior Areas of the Islands and Median

In this exercise, you will use the terrain tools to create the interior of the islands and the median. The interiors of the islands and median are composed of concrete. In order to model these areas you must first create a terrain model and then apply a surface template.

1. Create a terrain model of the area inside the north island.

a. In *View 2*, zoom to the north island.

b. Select *Terrain > Create > Create From Elements*

c. On the dialog box, set the following:

- *Feature Definition:* **Proposed Triangles**

- *Name:* **North Island Cap**

d. Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

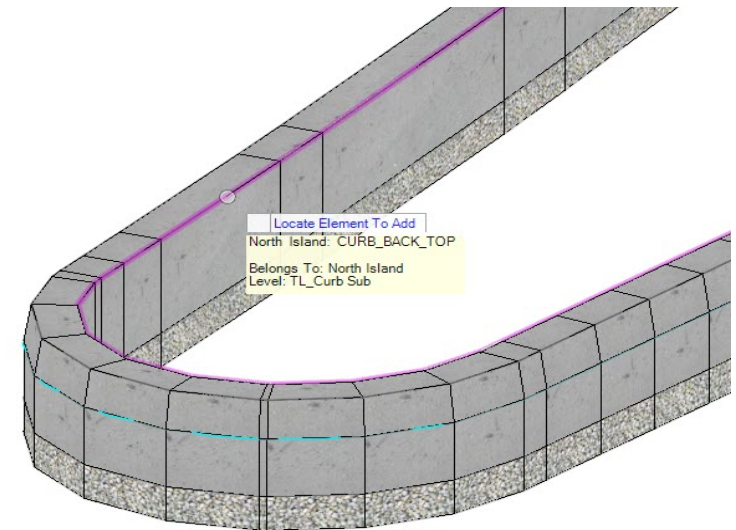
- *Locate Element To Add:* In the 3D View, select the **CURB_BACK_TOP** feature.

- *Locate Next Element to Add - Reset When Done:* Right click or reset.

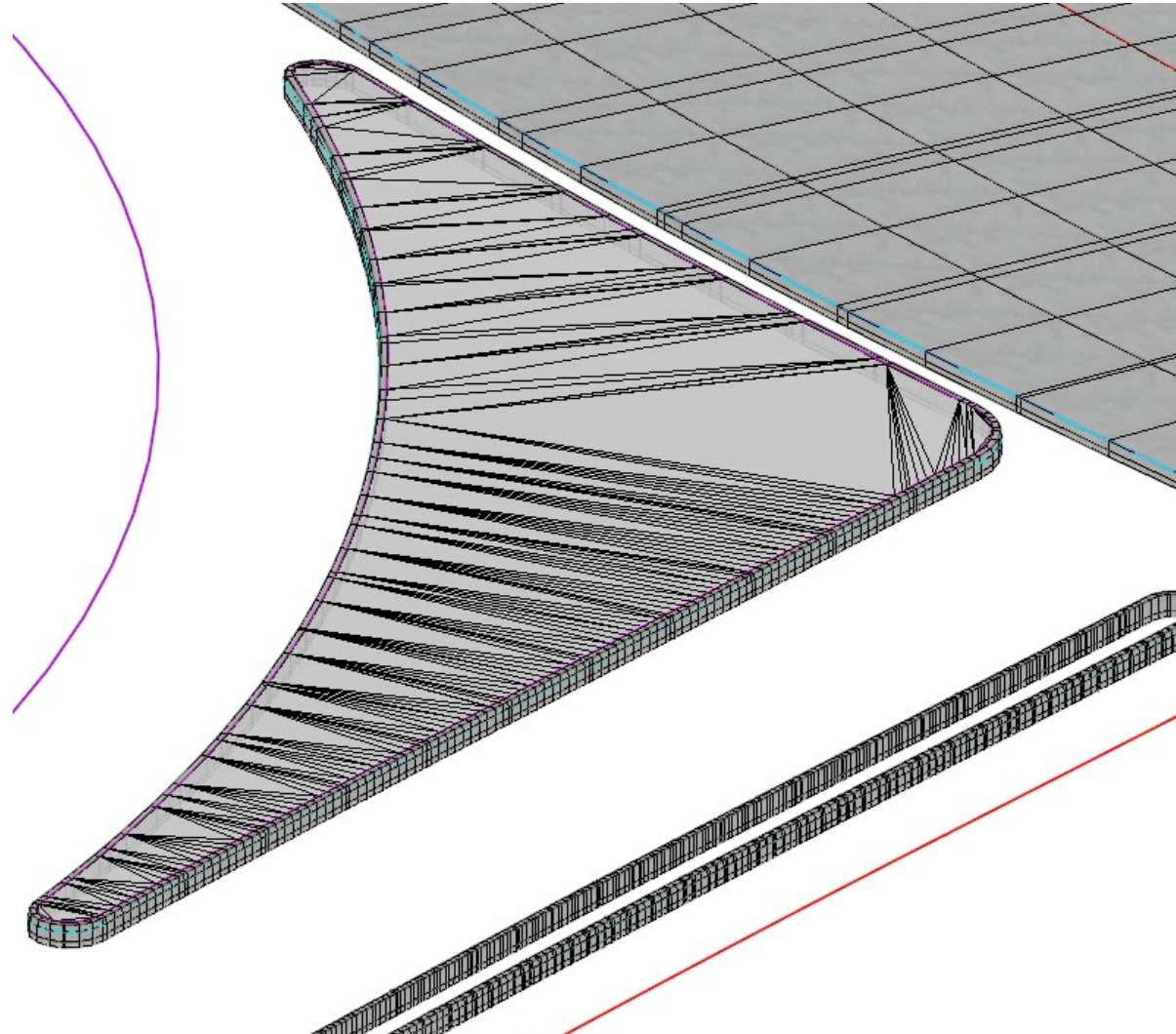
- *Feature Type:* **Boundary**

- *Edge Method:* **None**

- **Data Point** to complete.



The terrain is created and the island area is filled.



The next step is to assign a surface template the terrain model. The Apply Surface Template tool gives you the ability to add material depth and thickness to terrain models.

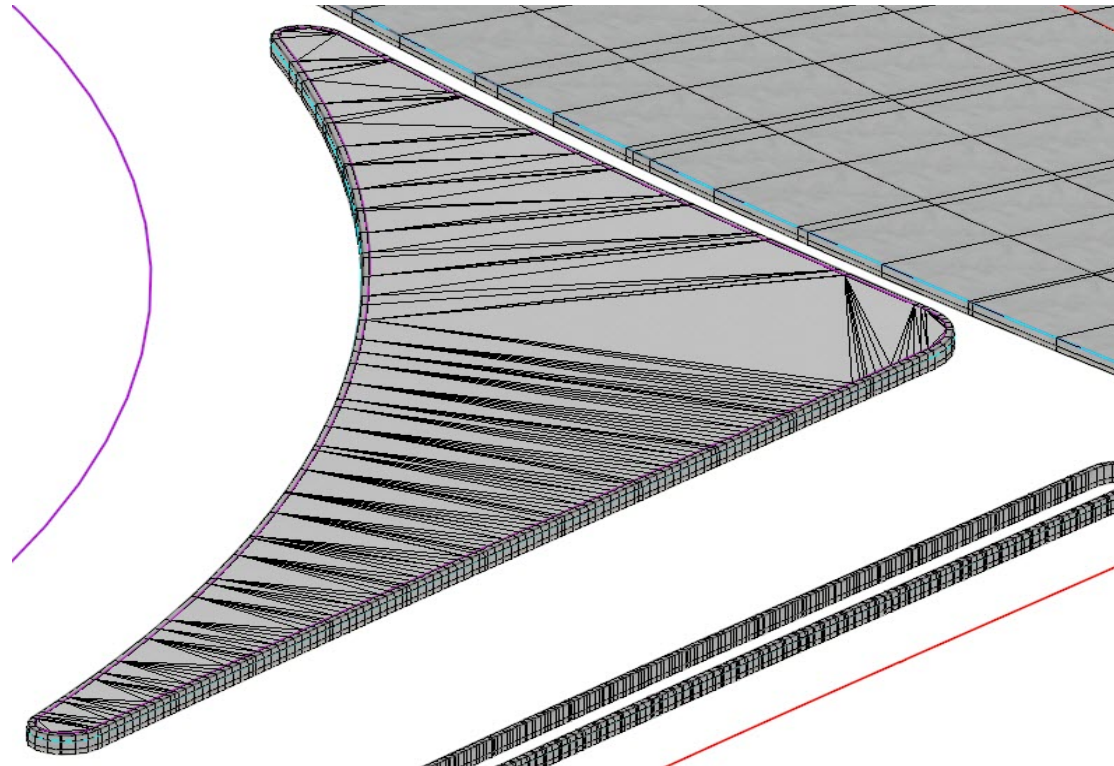


2. Apply a concrete surface template to the North Island terrain model.

a. Select *Model Detailing* > *3D Tools* > **Apply Surface Template**

b. Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

- *Feature Definition:* **Enable Linear Features**
- *Name:* **North Island Cap**
- *Locate a Terrain Model:* Select **North Island Cap** terrain
- *Apply External Clip Boundary:* **No**
- *Select Template - <ALT> Down To Browse Templates:* **Press <ALT> Down Arrow**
- Select > *Surface Templates* > **Concrete Median**
- Click **OK** to complete



3. Create a terrain model of the area inside the South Island.

a. In *View 2*, zoom to the south island.

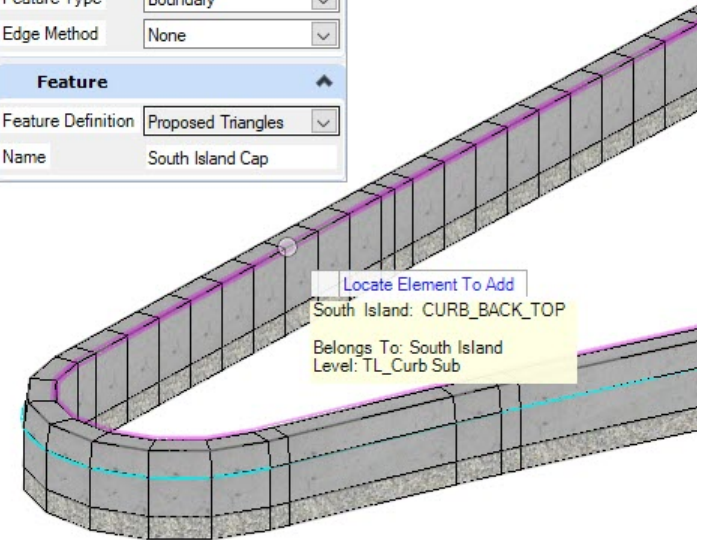
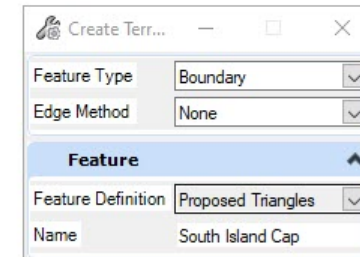
b. Select *Terrain > Create > Create From Elements*

c. On the dialog box, set the following:

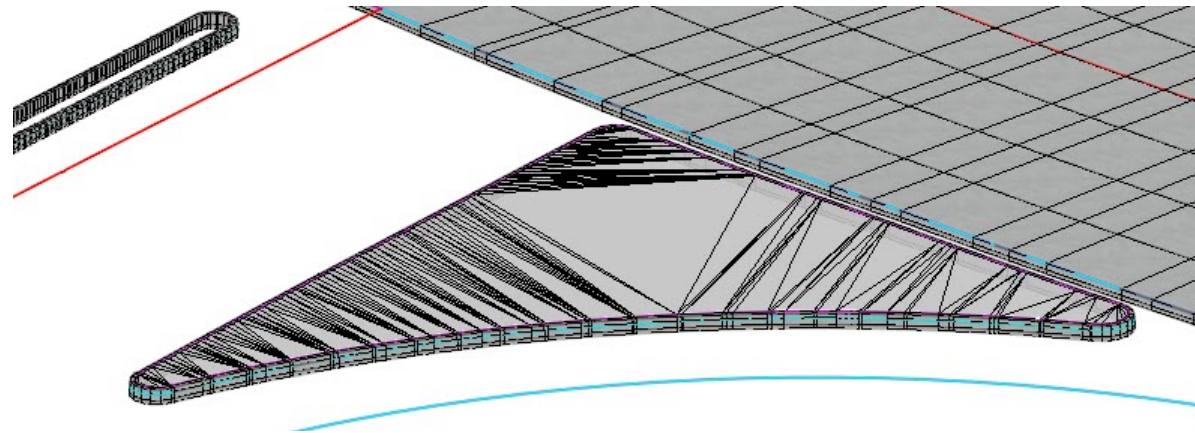
- *Feature Definition:* **Proposed Triangles**
- *Name:* **South Island Cap**

d. Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

- *Locate Element To Add:* In the 3D View, select the **CURB_BACK_TOP** feature.
- *Locate Next Element to Add - Reset When Done:* Right click or reset.
- *Feature Type:* **Boundary**
- *Edge Method:* **None**
- Data point to complete.



The terrain is created and the island area is filled.



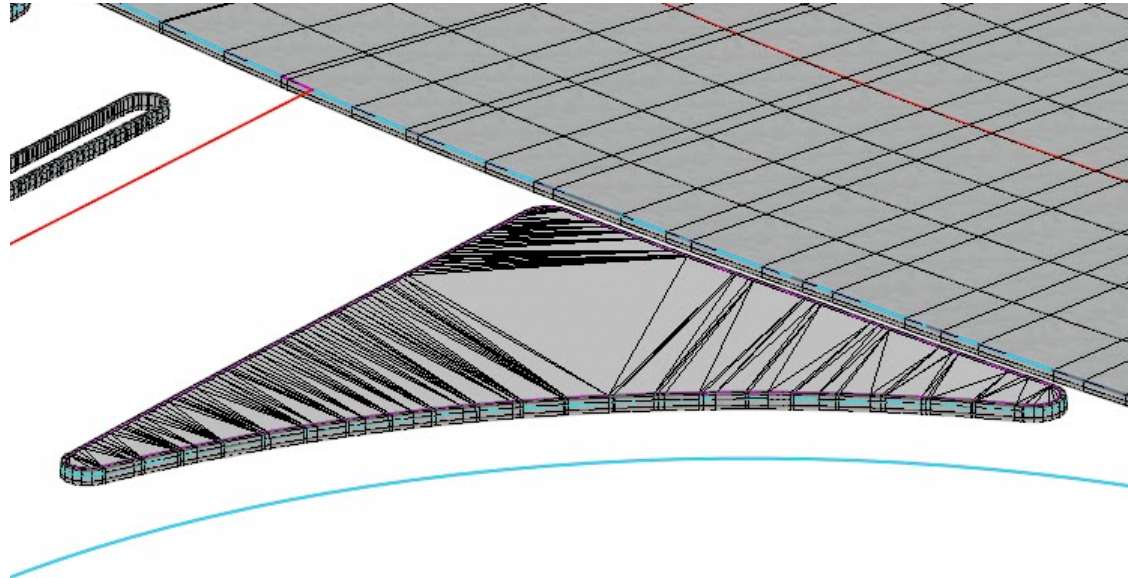
4. Apply a concrete surface template to the South Island terrain model.



a. Select *Model Detailing* > *3D Tools* > **Apply Surface Template**

b. Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

- *Feature Definition:* **Enable Linear Features**
- *Name:* **South Island Cap**
- *Locate a Terrain Model:* Select **South Island Cap** terrain
- *Apply External Clip Boundary:* **No**
- *Select Template - <ALT> Down To Browse Templates:* **Press <ALT> Down Arrow**
- Select > *Surface Templates* > **Concrete Median**
- **Data Point** to complete



5. Create a terrain model of the area inside the median.

a. In *View 2*, zoom to the median.



b. Select *Terrain > Create > Create From Elements*

c. On the dialog box, set the following:

- *Feature Definition*: **Proposed Triangles**

- *Name*: **Median Island Cap**

d. Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

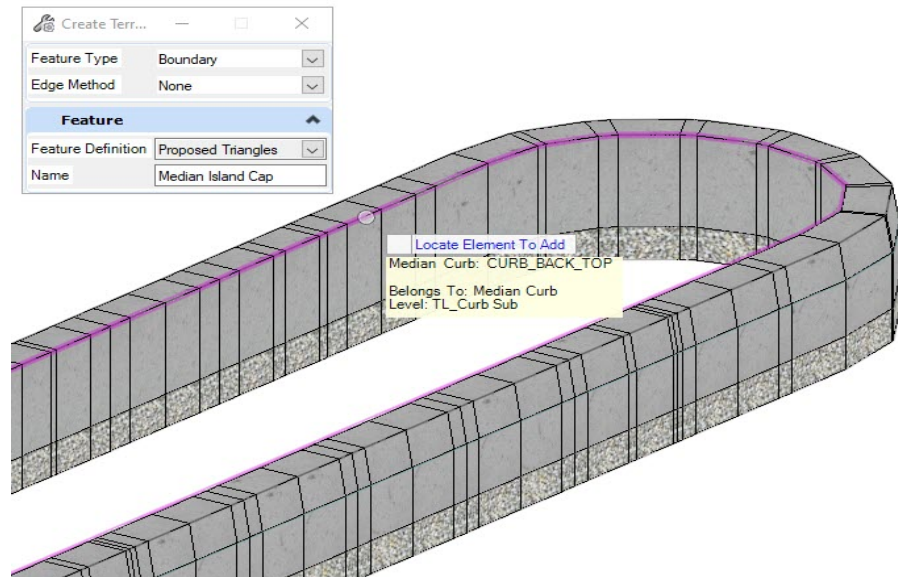
- *Locate Element To Add*: In the 3D View, select the **CURB_BACK_TOP** feature.

- *Locate Next Element to Add - Reset When Done*: Right click or reset.

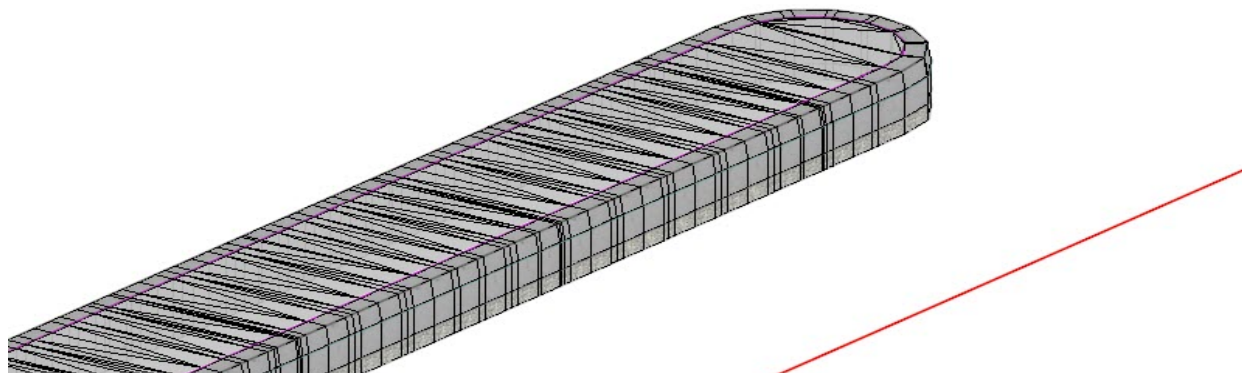
- *Feature Type*: **Boundary**

- *Edge Method*: **None**

- **Data Point** to complete.



The terrain is created and the median area is filled.



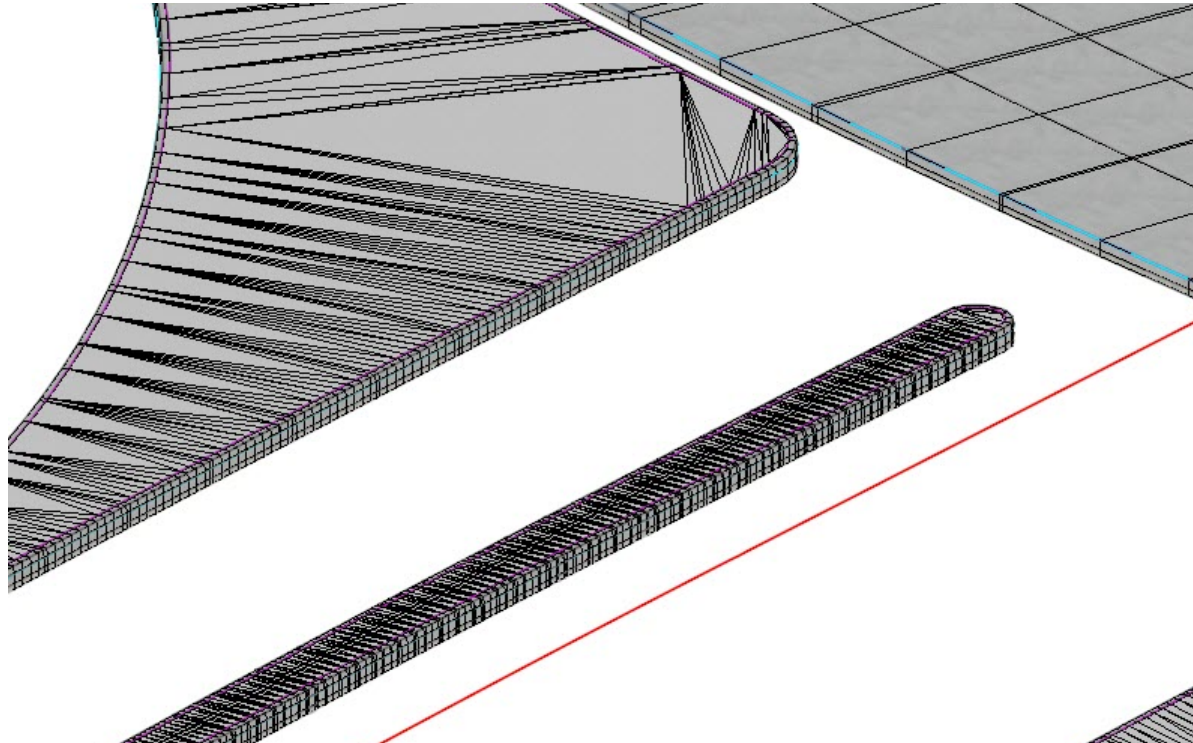
6. Apply a concrete surface template to the Median terrain model.



a. Select **Model Detailing > 3D Tools > Apply Surface Template**

b. Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

- *Feature Definition:* **Enable Linear Features**
- *Name:* **Median Island Cap**
- *Locate a Terrain Model:* Select **Median Island Cap** terrain
- *Apply External Clip Boundary:* **No**
- *Select Template - <ALT> Down To Browse Templates:* **Press <ALT> Down Arrow**
- Select > **Surface Templates > Concrete Median**
- **Data Point** to complete



Exercise 3: Model the Pavement Layers

Description

In this exercise, you will model the pavement layers.

Skills Taught

- Apply a Surface Template to the intersection pavement terrain model and create the pavement layers

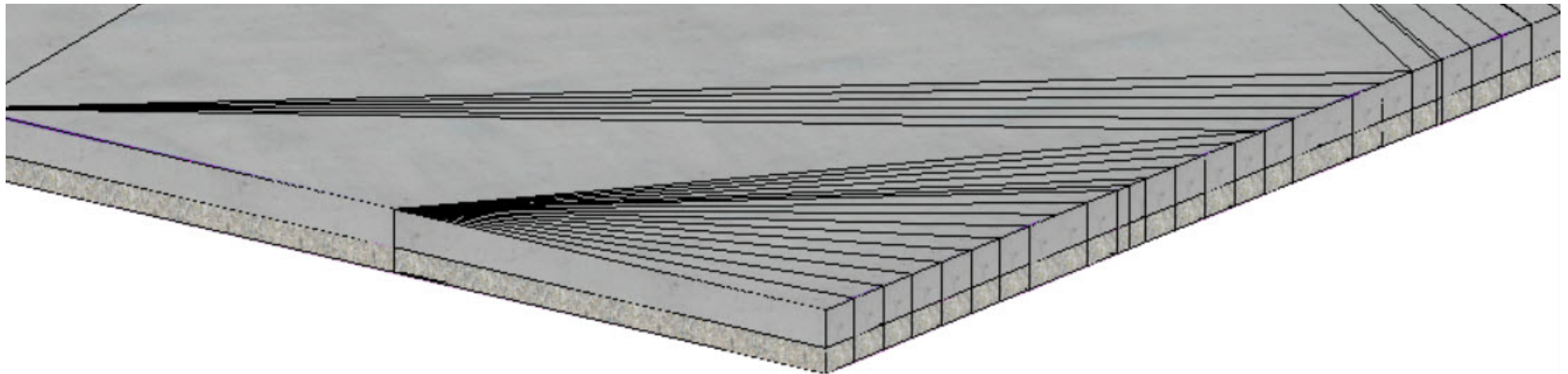
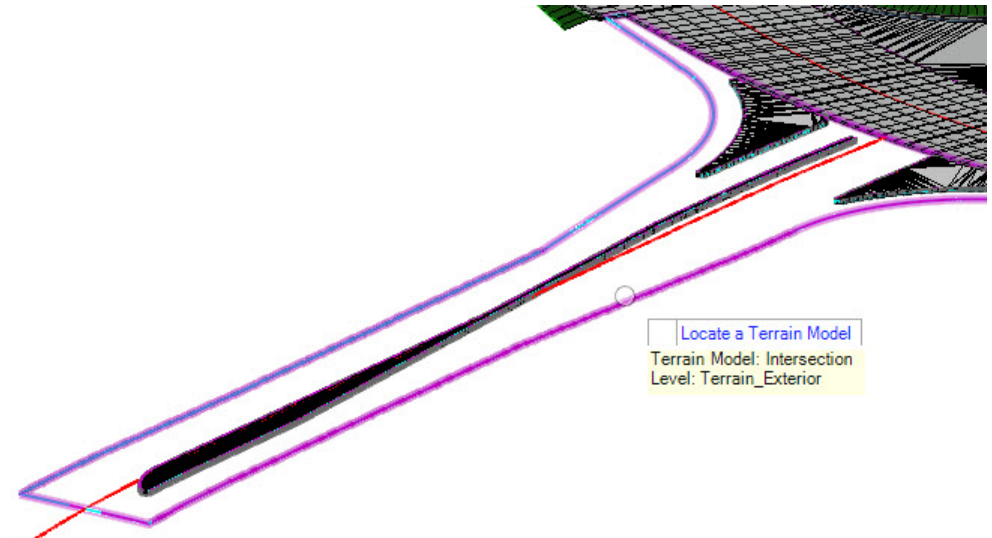
Apply a Surface Template to the Model Pavement Layers

In this exercise, you will model the pavement layers using a surface template.

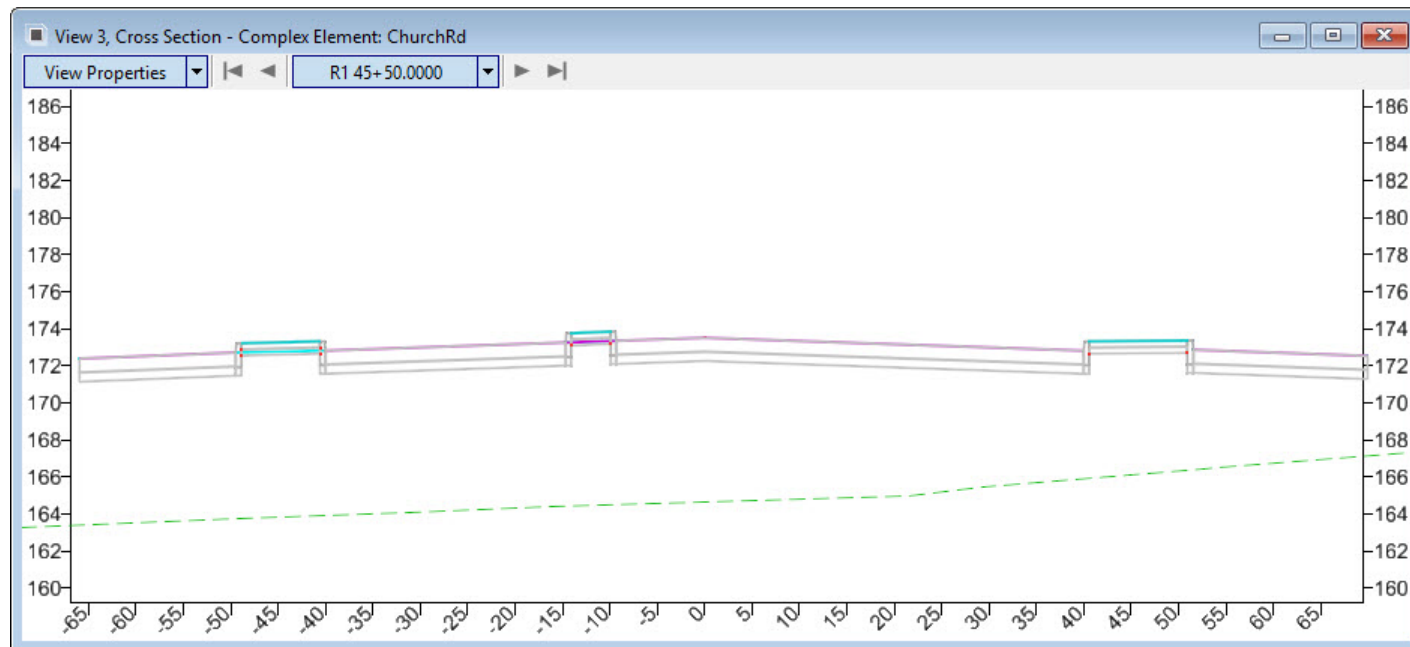
1. Model the Pavement Layers



- a. Select *Model Detailing* > *3D Tools* > **Apply Surface Template**
- b. Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):
 - *Feature Definition:* **Enable Linear Features**
 - *Name:* **Pavement Layers**
 - *Locate a Terrain Model:* Select **Intersection** terrain
 - *Apply External Clip Boundary:* **No**
 - *Select Template - <ALT> Down To Browse Templates:* **Press <ALT> Down Arrow**
 - Select > *Surface Templates* > **Concrete Pavement w/Agg Base**
 - Click **Ok** to complete. The surface template has now been applied to the terrain model.



2. Review the cross sections.
 - a. Open **View 3**.
 - b. Select *Corridors > Review > Dynamic Sections > Open Cross Section View*
 - c. *Locate Corridor or Alignment*: Select > **Church Rd**
 - *Left Offset*: -60
 - *Right Offset*: 60
 - *Station*: 39+25
 - *Interval*: 25
 - *Select or Open View*: **Left click in View 3**
3. Navigate and review the cross sections. Note that the pavement layers appear on the sections as well as the island and median caps.



Exercise 4: Model the Curb and Gutter, Sidewalks, and End Conditions

Description

In this exercise, you will model the curb and gutter, sidewalks, and external side slopes using a linear template.

Skills Taught

- Model the curb and gutter, sidewalks, and side slopes using a linear template.

Model the Curb and Gutter, Sidewalk, and End Conditions

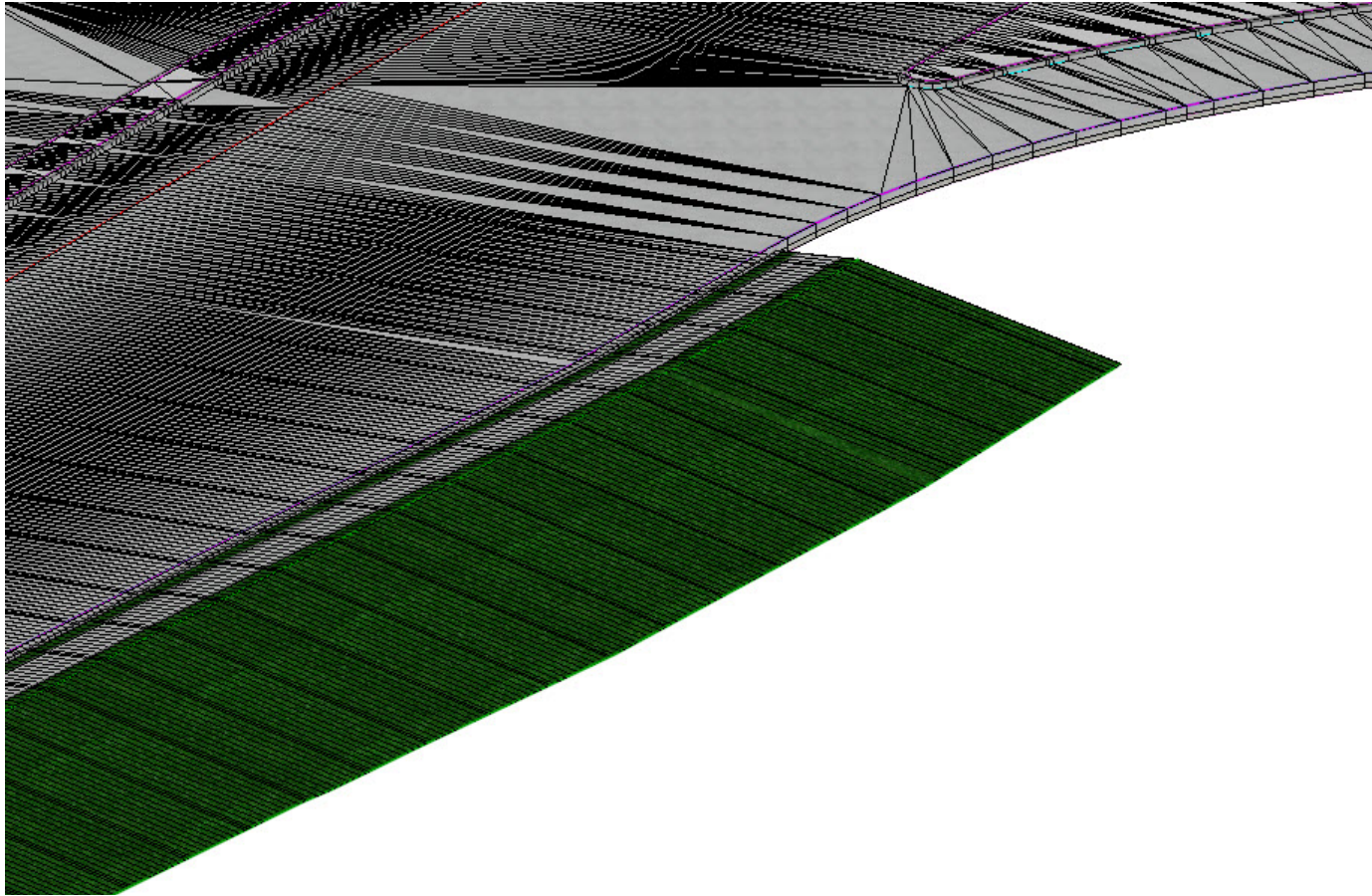
In this exercise, you will model the curb and gutter, sidewalks, and side slopes for the intersection using a linear template.

1. Apply the *Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope* Linear Template to the south edge of pavement.



- a. Select the **Apply Linear Template** tool.
- b. On the dialog box, toggle off all the check boxes to **UNLOCK** all the tool settings.
- c. In *View 1*, Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):
 - *Locate Element to Apply Template*: Select the south edge of pavement element.
 - *Feature Definition: Linear Template > Final*
 - *Name: RT Grading*
 - *Template: Press <ALT> and the Down Arrow* to open the template library. The *Pick Template* window will appear.
 - Browse to the *Linear Templates* folder and select **Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope** and click **OK**
 - *Start Station: Press <ALT> to lock to start*
 - *End Station: Press <ALT> to lock to end*
 - *Select Side - Reflect Option*: Move the cursor to the south away from the edge of pavement.
 - *Exterior Corner Sweep Angle*: Do not change the setting.
 - *Description: RT Grading*

The RT Grading Linear Template is now placed and the components are displayed in the 3D model (View 2).



2. Apply the *Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope* Linear Template to the south curve taper edge of pavement geometry.

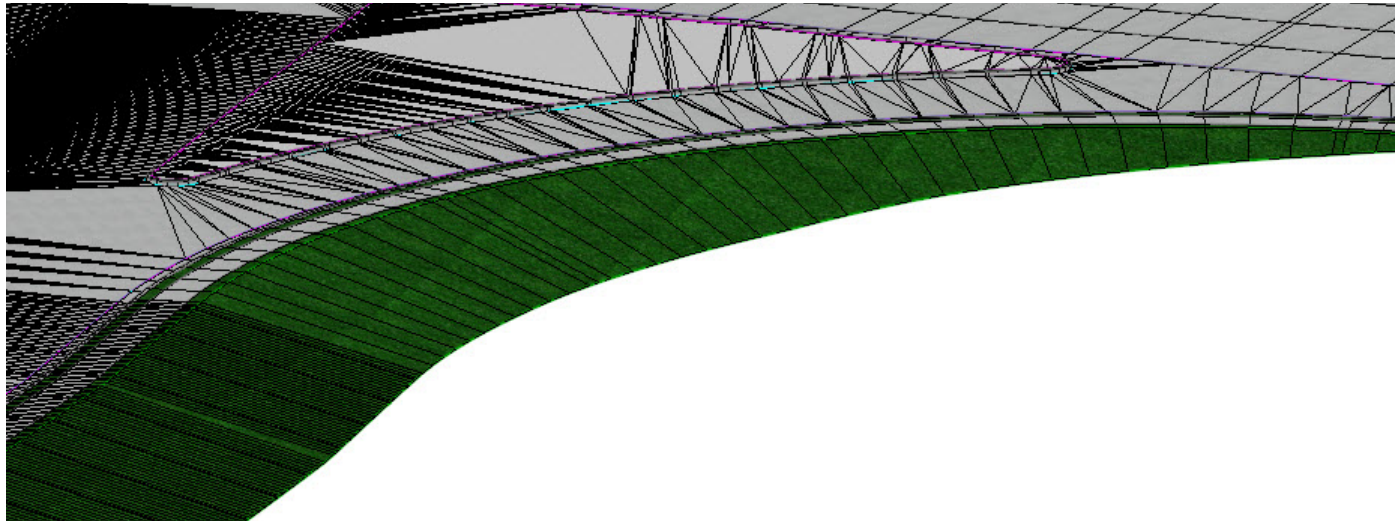


a. Select the **Apply Linear Template** tool.

b. On the dialog box, toggle off all the check boxes to **UNLOCK** all the tool settings.

c. In *View 1*, Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

- *Locate Element to Apply Template:* Select the south curve taper edge of pavement geometry.
- *Feature Definition: Linear Template > Final*
- *Name: RT Return Grading*
- *Template:* Press <ALT> and the Down Arrow to open the template library. The *Pick Template* window will appear.
- Browse to the *Linear Templates* folder and select **Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope** and click **OK**
- *Start Station: Press <ALT> to lock to start*
- *End Station: Press <ALT> to lock to end*
- *Select Side - Reflect Option:* Move the cursor to the southwest away from the curve taper geometry.
- *Exterior Corner Sweep Angle:* Do not change the setting.
- *Description: RT Return Grading*



3. Apply the *Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope* Linear Template to the north edge of pavement

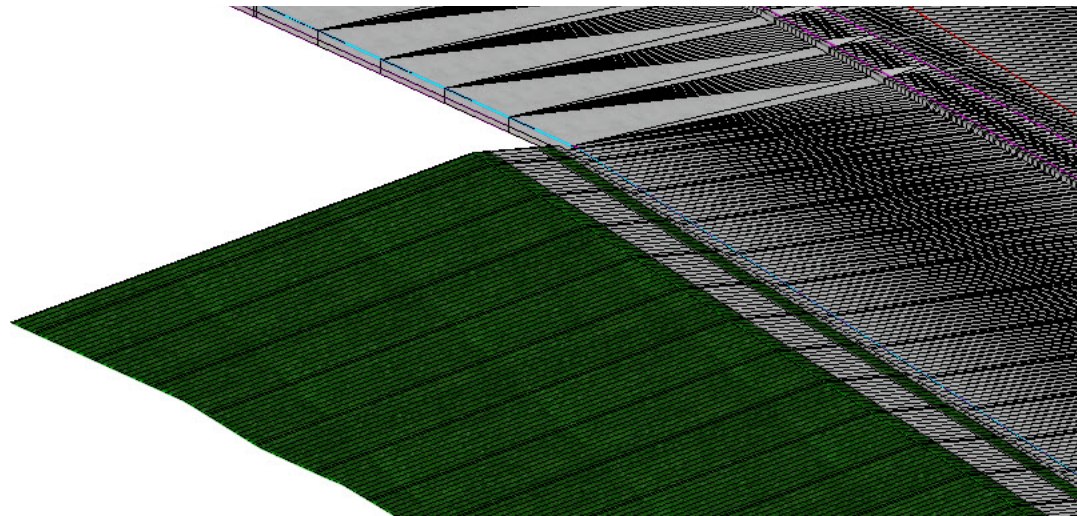


a. Select the **Apply Linear Template** tool.

b. On the dialog box, toggle off all the check boxes to **UNLOCK** all the tool settings.

c. In *View 1*, Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

- *Locate Element to Apply Template:* Select the north edge of pavement element.
- *Feature Definition: Linear Template > Final*
- *Name: LT Grading*
- *Template: Press <ALT> and the Down Arrow* to open the template library. The *Pick Template* window will appear.
- Browse to the *Linear Templates* folder and select **Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope** and click **OK**
- *Start Station: Press <ALT> to lock to start*
- *End Station: Press <ALT> to lock to end*
- *Select Side - Reflect Option:* Move the cursor to the inside of the south island.
- *Exterior Corner Sweep Angle:* Do not change the setting.
- *Description: LT Grading*



4. Apply the *Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope* Linear Template to the north taper-curve-taper edge of pavement geometry.

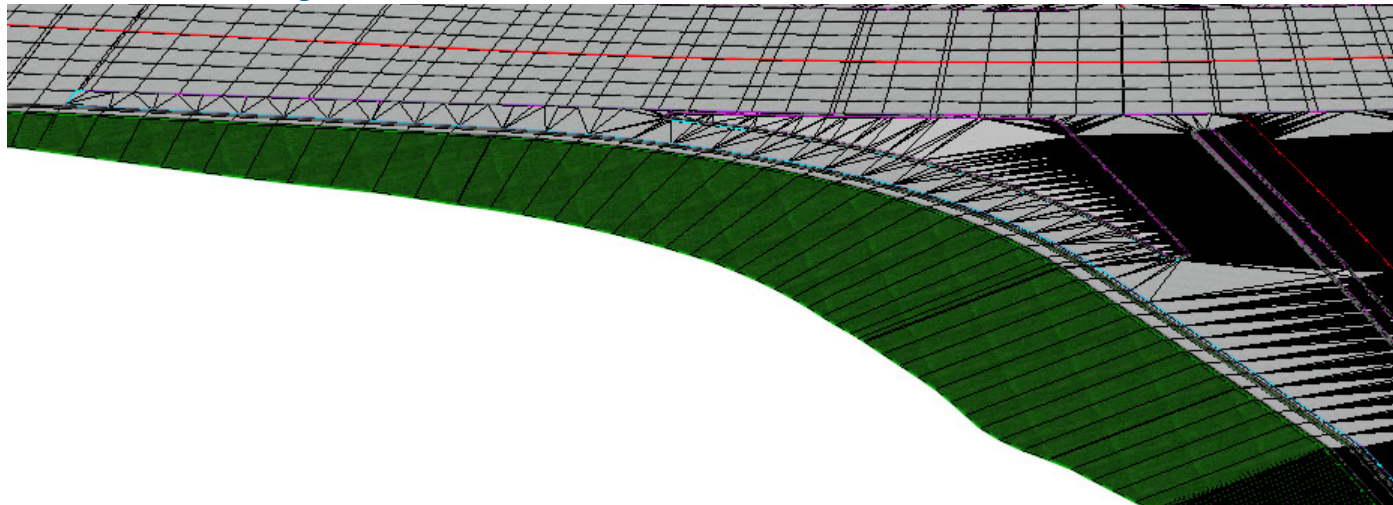


a. Select the **Apply Linear Template** tool.

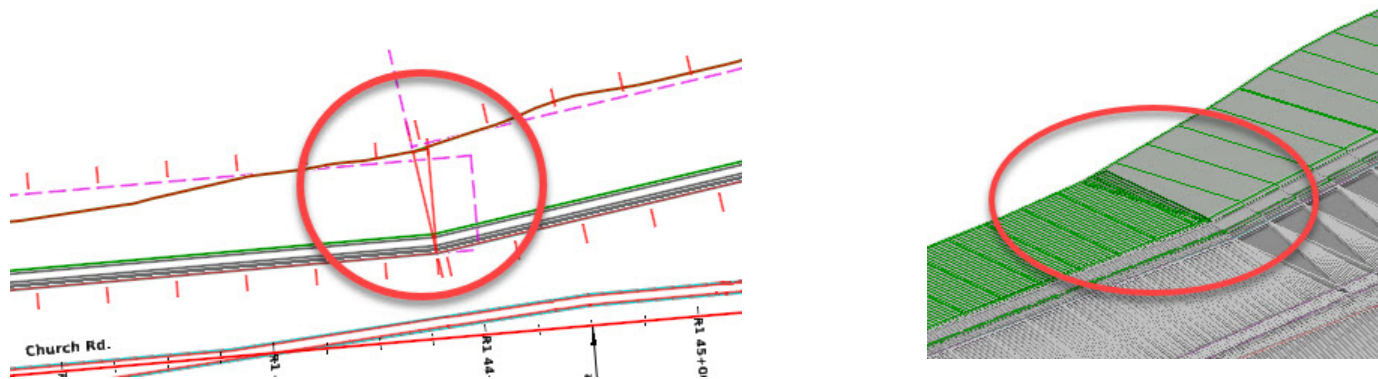
b. On the dialog box, toggle off all the check boxes to **UNLOCK** all the tool settings.

c. In *View 1*, Following the heads up prompts (after each prompt, **Left-click** to accept values and move to next prompt):

- *Locate Element to Apply Template:* Select the north taper-curve-taper edge of pavement geometry.
- *Feature Definition: Linear Template > Final*
- *Name: LT Return Grading*
- *Template:* Press <ALT> and the Down Arrow to open the template library. The *Pick Template* window will appear.
- Browse to the *Linear Templates* folder and select **Curb/Gutter/Buffer - Sidewalk - Tie Slope** and click **OK**
- *Start Station: Press <ALT> to lock to start*
- *End Station: Press <ALT> to lock to end*
- *Select Side - Reflect Option:* Move the cursor to the inside of the south island.
- *Exterior Corner Sweep Angle:* Do not change the setting.
- *Description: LT Return Grading*

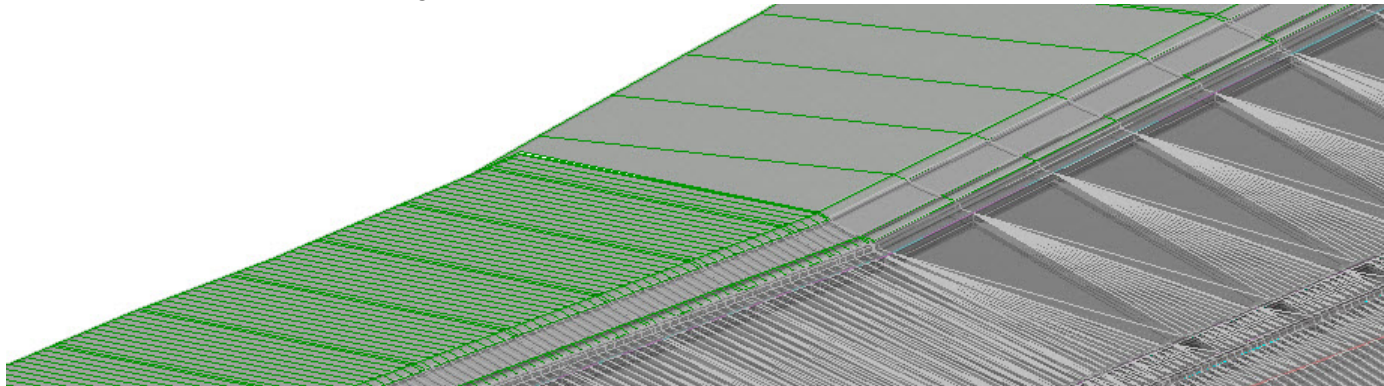


5. In the 3D View change the *Display Style* to **Transparent**.
6. Review the 3D model and notice there is an overlap between the LT Grading linear template and the LT Return Grading linear template.
We will address this by using Corridor Clipping.

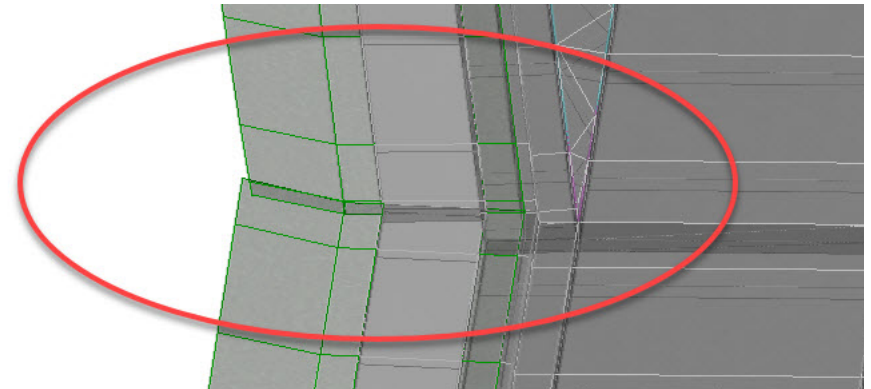
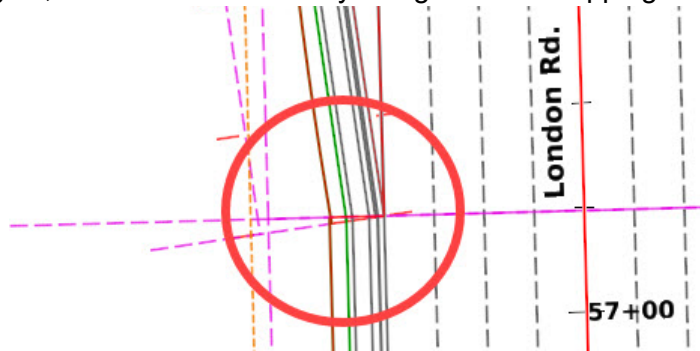


7. Clip the **LT Return Grading** Linear Template.
 - a. Left click in **View 1** to make it active.
 - b. Select *Corridors > Corridor Clipping > Add Clipping Reference*
 - *Select Corridor To Be Clipped*: Select the **LT Return Grading** linear template
 - *Locate First Clipping Reference*: Select the **LT Grading** linear template
 - *Locate Next Clipping Reference-Reset to Complete*: Right click or reset.

The components in the LT Return Grading linear template will be clipped out and the overlap will be removed.

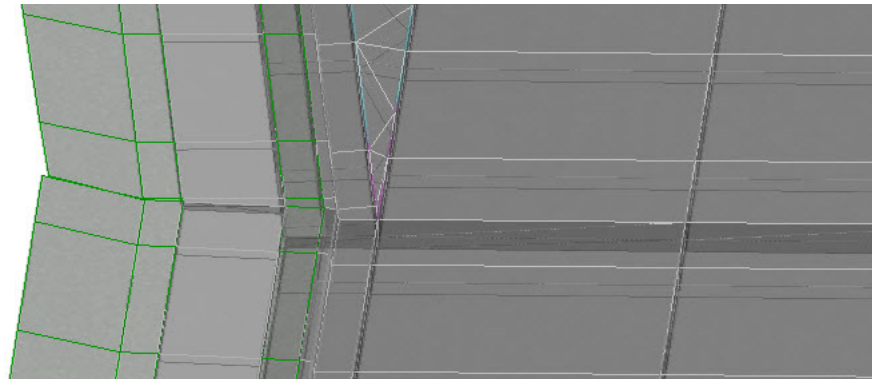


8. Review the 3D model and notice there is another overlap between the RT Return Grading linear template and the London Rd. corridor. Again, we will address this by using Corridor Clipping.



9. Clip the **RT Return Grading** Linear Template.
- Left click in **View 1** to make it active.
 - Select **Corridors > Corridor Clipping > Add Clipping Reference**
 - **Select Corridor To Be Clipped:** Select the **RT Return Grading** linear template.
 - **Locate First Clipping Reference:** Select the **London Rd.** corridor.
 - **Locate Next Clipping Reference-Reset to Complete:** Right click or reset.

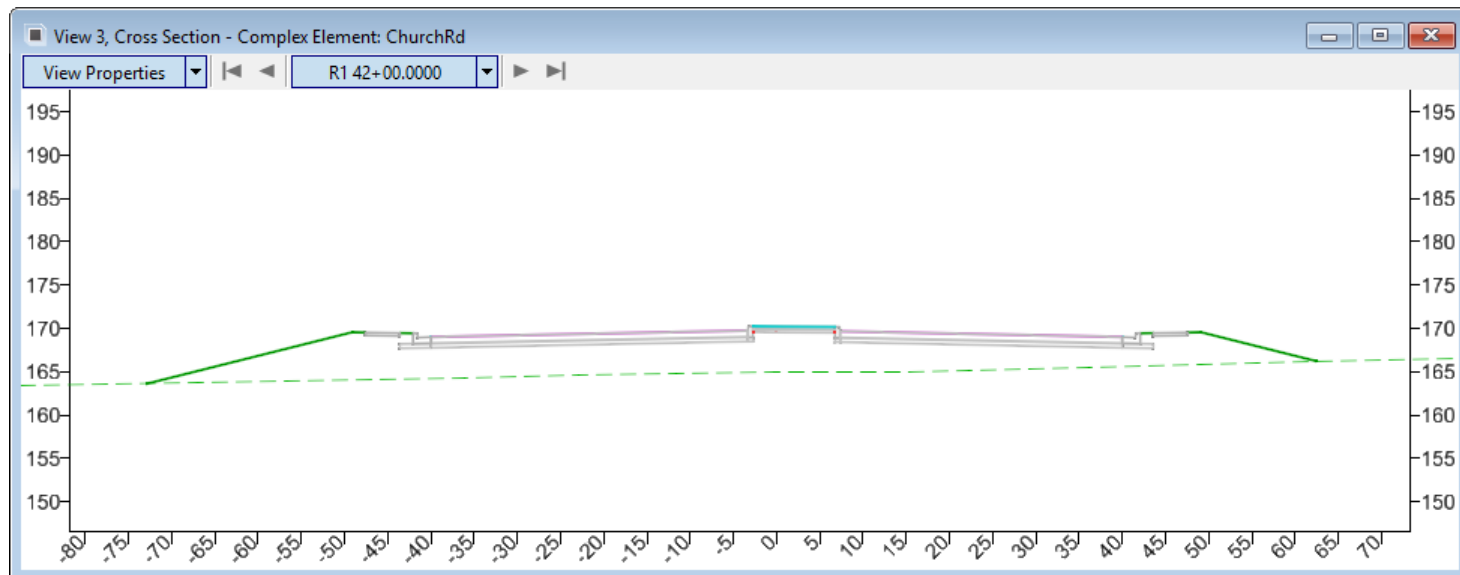
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10. Review the cross sections. If not already open, open the dynamic cross sections.

- a. Open **View 3**.
- b. Select *Corridors > Review > Dynamic Cross Sections*
- c. *Locate Corridor or Alignment*: Select the Church Rd. centerline
 - *Left Offset*: **-100**
 - *Right Offset*: **100**
 - *Station*: **39+25**
 - *Interval*: **25**
 - *Select or Open View*: **Left click in View 3**

11. Navigate and review the cross sections.



Exercise 5: Create Combined Finished Grade Terrain Model

Description

In this exercise, you will learn how to create a combined finished grade terrain model from the Church Rd. Corridor, Church Rd. Intersection, and the London Rd. Corridor. You will learn two different methods for creating the finished grade terrain. One method will use Graphical Filters and the other method will use Design Meshes.

Skills Taught

- Create Combined Finished Grade Terrain Model
- Display Finished Grade Terrain Model Contours
- Export Finished Grade Terrain Model to LandXML format

Method 1: Create Finish Grade Terrain Model Using Graphical Filters

Graphical Filters are used to create terrain models from a specific set of user defined features that are displayed in the 3D model. In this exercise, you will learn how to use predefined graphical filters to create the finished grade terrain model.



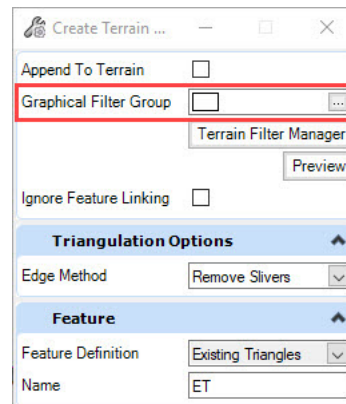
1. Open **Terrain_Proposed-FG.dgn**

This is a 3D design file. The related corridors and intersection design files have already been attached as reference files.

2. Create the proposed finished grade terrain model.



- a. Select **Terrain > Create > From Graphical Filter**. The Create Terrain Model Graphical Filter dialog will appear.



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- b. Select the browse button to the right of **Graphical Filter Group**, the **Graphical Filters** window will appear.

- c. In the **Graphical Filters** window, Select **Graphical Filter Group** named: **Proposed Finished Grade**

- d. Click the **Preview** button, the proposed finished grade 3D features will highlight.

- e. **Edge Method: None**

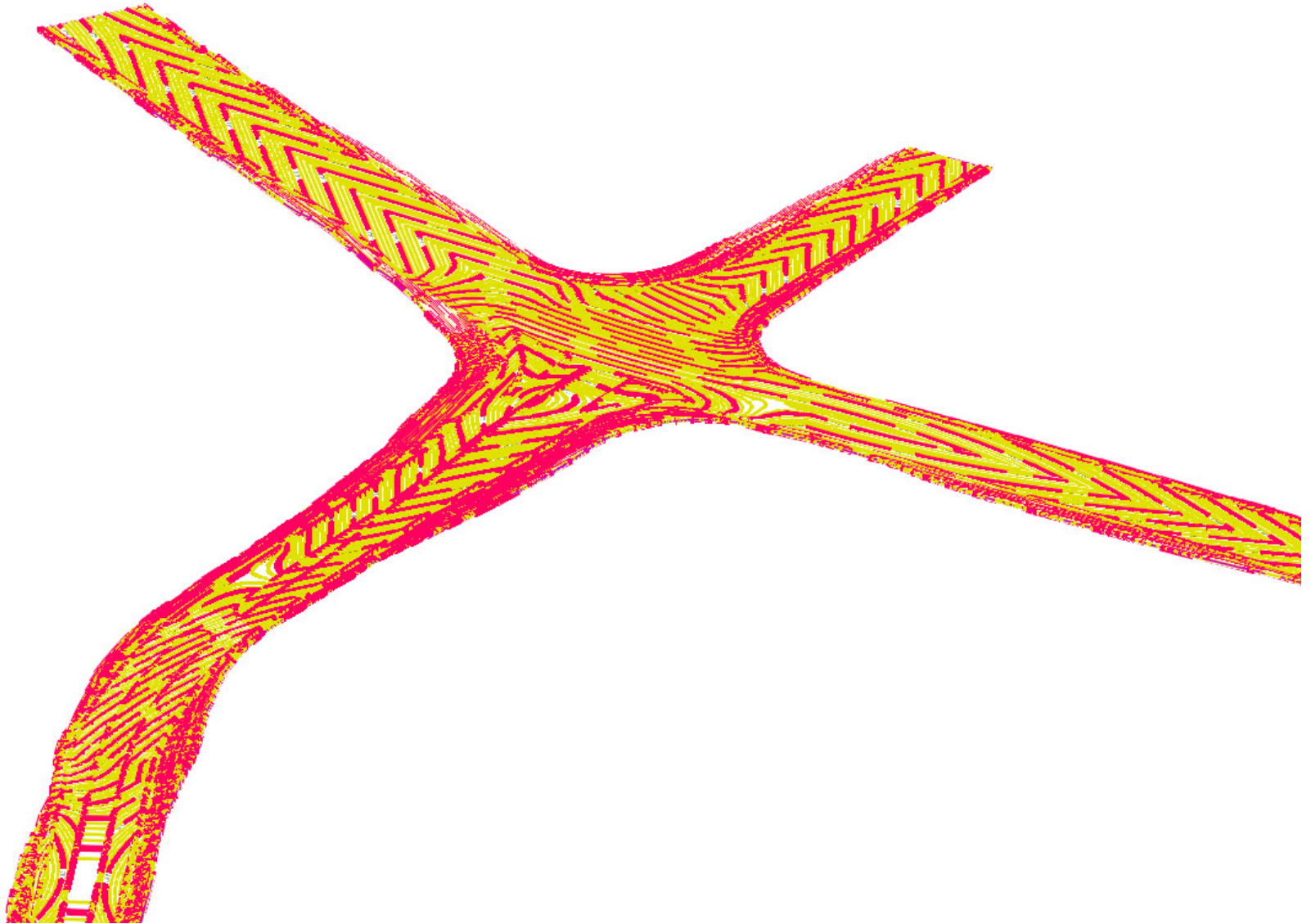
- f. **Feature Definition: Proposed Drainage Contours**

- g. **Name: Proposed FG**

- h. **Append To Terrain: No**

The terrain model will be created and displayed with the proposed contours.

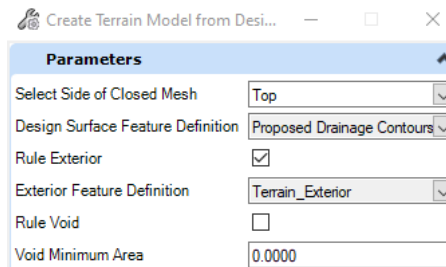
3. In the 3D View, Turn Off all reference files to better view the contours.
4. Review the 3D model contours.



Method 2: Create Finished Grade Terrain Model From Design Meshes

A finished grade terrain model can also be created using a tool called *Create Terrain Model From Design Meshes*. This tool will scan the design file and identify civil objects that are mesh elements (i.e. corridors, civil cells, etc.) and create a terrain model from those mesh elements. In this section, you will learn how to create a finished grade terrain model for the entire intersection project.

1. Create the finished grade terrain model from design meshes.
 - a. Open the file **Terrain_Proposed-FG-DM.dgn**
 - b. Observe this file has all the necessary corridors to create a terrain model for the intersection project.
 - c. Select *Terrain > Create > Additional Methods > Create Terrain From Design Meshes*



- *Select Side of Closed Mesh:* **Top**
- *Design Surface Feature Definition:* **Proposed Drainage Contours**
- *Rule Exterior:* **ON**
- *Exterior Feature Definition:* **Terrain_Exterior**
- *Void Minimum Area:* **0**

- d. Left click to complete.
2. Review the 3D model contours.
 - a. In the 3D View, **Turn Off** all reference files to better view the contours.

Export Terrain Model to LandXML

Sometimes it's necessary to export the proposed finished grade terrain model to other file formats. In this section, you will learn how to export the proposed finished grade terrain model to a LandXML file format.



1. Select **Terrain > Miscellaneous > Export To File**
2. Follow the heads-up prompts and left click to accept to move to the next prompt.
 - a. *Select Terrain to Export:* Select the proposed finished grade terrain model.
 - b. *Select File Format:* Set the format to **LandXML (.xml)**
 - c. *Export Options: Project Name:* **Proposed FG**
 - d. *Export Options: Project Description:* **Proposed FG**
 - e. *Export Options: Export Options:* **Export Both**
 - f. When the *Export Terrain* dialog appears, key-in **Proposed FG.xml** for the file name.
 - g. Click **Save** to save the file.

Skills Assessment

The questions below will test your retention of the skills covered in this course.

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 - a. True
 - b. False
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 - a. Adjust the Stroking Defintion in the element properties.
 - b. Adjust the Stroking Defintion using Configuration Variables.
 - c. Increase or Decrease the Template Drop Interval.
 - d. Choose a more accurate Feature Definition.
3. Surface Templates allow you to apply a template to a terrain model so that you can model a materials thickness or depth.
 - a. True
 - b. False
4. Corridor Clipping allows you to remove areas of overlap between 3D components.
 - a. True
 - b. False
5. Which tool can be used to create a proposed finished grade terrain model?
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 - b. Extract Graphical Features
 - c. Create Terrain Model From Graphical Filter

Skills Assessment - Answers

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Summary

In this course you have now learned the tools and techniques that can be used to accurately model a complex intersection in 3D.

You have learned:

- How to use Linear Templates to create the curb, sidewalk and side slope grading along the edges of pavement and islands.
- How to use Surface Templates to apply material thickness to the pavement surface and median islands.
- How to Create a Finished Grade Terrain Model using Graphical Filters and Design Meshes.
- Export Finished Grade Terrain Model to LandXML format.

