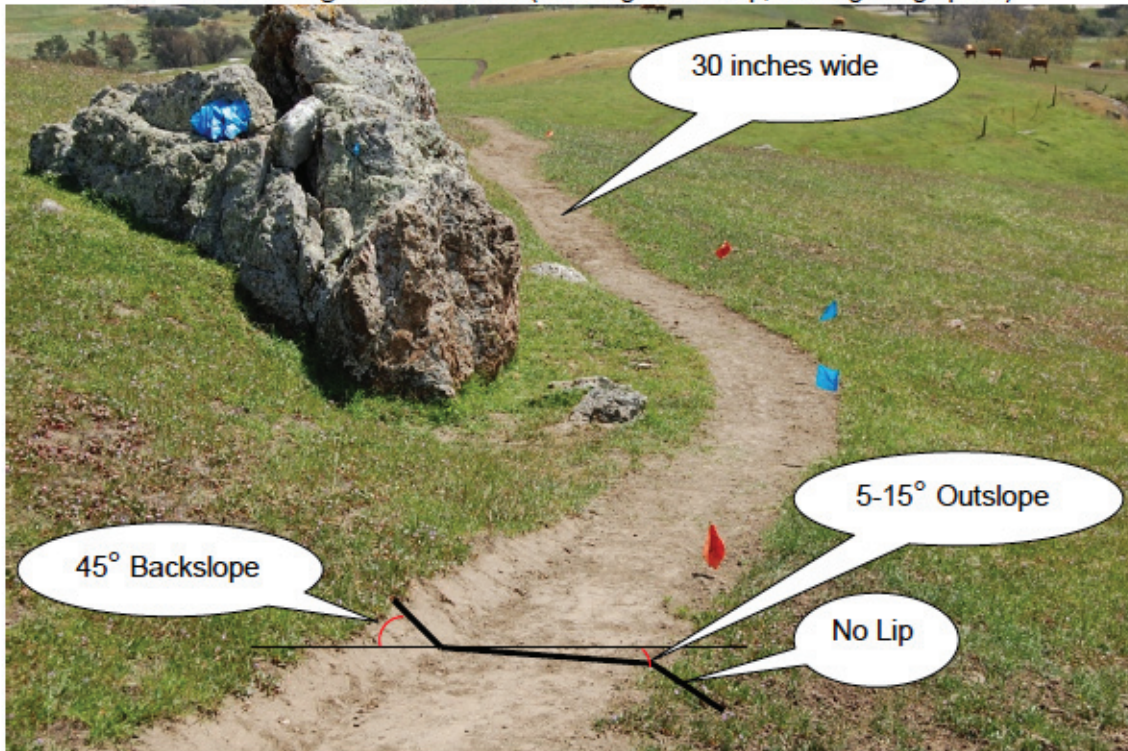


BUILDING BENCH CUT TRAIL: THE BASICS

- 5-15° outslope
- 30 inch trail width
- No downhill lip/berm
- 45° backslope
- 3% minimum grade reversal (blue flag = drain dip, red flag = high point)



- 3% minimum grade reversals
- blue flag = drain dip, red flag = high point
- trail curvy from flag to flag

The Process:

1. Scratch line for tread width approximately 30" uphill from flags
2. Dig; broadcast debris downhill
3. Cut 45° backslope at a sharp angle
4. Outslope tread 5 to 15°
5. Compact the tread; leave no berm

