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D. All subdivision lots shall have **frontage** on and access to an existing or proposed paved **public street**.

- **E.** Double **frontage** or **through lots** shall be required to have:
 - **1.** A planted, non-encroachable **buffer** strip, pursuant to the standards set forth in Section 4.07.06.
 - **2.** The location of the non-encroachable **buffer** strip shall be approved by the County Engineer.
- **F.** Rights-of-way for pedestrian **crosswalks** in all **subdivisions** may be required in order to provide direct pedestrian access to schools, **shopping centers**, and parks. Such rights-of-way shall comply with the standards set forth in Section 6.01.02 and the *Technical Standards Manual*.

G. Easements

- 1. All **lots** within a **subdivision** shall provide **easements** for stormwater drainage, water systems, sanitary sewer systems, gas lines, electric lines, cables, telephone lines, and **utility** poles. Standards for such **utility easements** are set forth in Section 6.03.02.
- **2.** Where a **subdivision** is traversed by a river, stream, **watercourse**, or drainage way, there shall be provided a **drainage easement** along each side of the **watercourse** for the purpose of widening, deepening, improving, relocating, or protecting **watercourse**. The **easement**, an undisturbed **buffer**, shall be at a width specified in Chapter 3.

4.04.04 Specific Provisions for Family Ties Land Division

A. Applicability

The provisions of this section apply to land divisions in the E-A or R-A **zoning districts**.

B. Exemptions from Requirements

- 1. Lots created as a result of the Family Ties Land Division are exempt from the subdivision standards set forth in Section 4.04.00, the water/sewer connection requirements in Chapter 4 and 6, and the platting requirements set forth in Chapter 10, provided that the lots are conveyed to a grandparent, parent, spouse, stepparent, adopted parent, sibling, child, stepchild, adopted child, or grandchild of the owner(s) of the parcel to be divided (parent parcel). These exemptions do not exclude any state requirements for development.
- **2.** Applications to create **lots** under the **Family** Ties Land Division process shall be processed by the TRC as set forth in Chapter 10.

C. Design Standards for Lots to be Conveyed

- 1. All **lots** created under the **Family** Ties Land Division process shall comply with all design standards for the **zoning district** in which the **lots** are located, except as specifically provided in this section.
- **2.** The minimum **lot** area is one (1) acre.
- **3.** All **lots** created under the **Family** Ties Land Division process shall meet one (1) of the following requirements for access: