The Roadside Environmental Unit prepares separate plans for welcome centers, rest areas, landscape planting of roadways, junkyard screening, and reforestation.

The Roadway Design Unit is responsible for developing plans for roadways lighting and parking areas of the welcome centers and rest areas. The Product Services Unit is responsible for providing and/or contracting utility construction plans.

Usually these plans are incorporated into the construction of the main line roadway project and the normal plan preparation methods are followed.

The landscape planting and junkyard screening projects are prepared entirely by the Roadside Environmental Unit. The Special Design Engineer reviews these plans. Comments, recommendations and/or approvals are then returned to the Roadside Environmental Unit for incorporation into the plans.

The final plans are transmitted to the Roadway Design Unit for inclusion into the final plans.

The Roadside Environmental Unit is also involved in planning for erosion control measures as discussed in Chapter 11 of this manual.