

## GUIDELINES FOR RANGE PHOTOGRAPHS

The purpose of range photos is to provide MSF with a 360-degree view of the entire range (including the middle) and the 20' run-off area in order to evaluate the range area, including the overall surface condition.

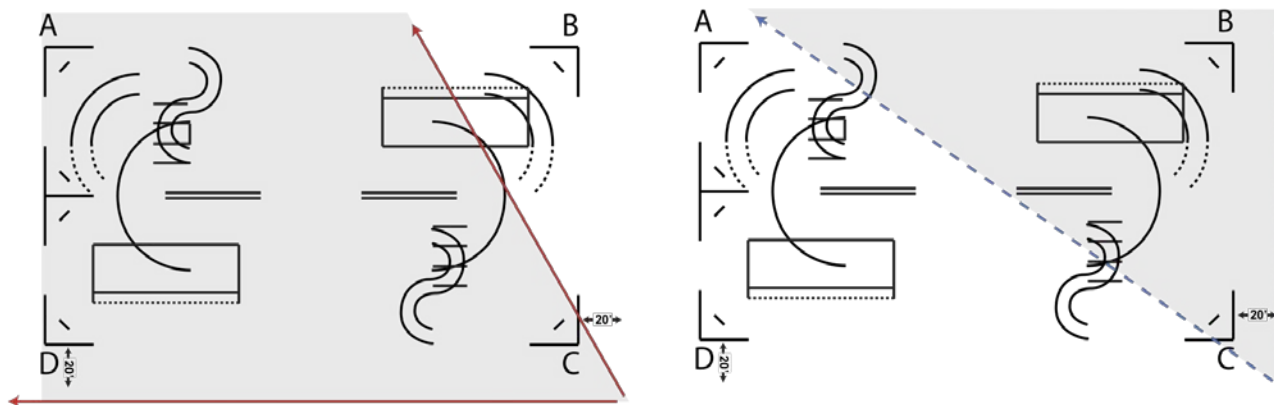
Since it is possible that your range design may not be accepted as submitted, it is strongly recommended that you **DO NOT** paint the range until you have received a range recognition letter from MSF.

### Requirements:

- **Photos must have been taken with one year of submission**
- Photos must be clear and sharp
- At least eight color photos, two from each of the four corners (1 long side view & 1 short side view), are required.
- Include photos of drains and other surface conditions located on the range or run-off
- Satellite images are *not* acceptable as replacements for ground level photos
- Digital files only (scanned pdf files of photos are not acceptable)

### Instructions:

- 1.) Before taking photos, place a **visible** marker (i.e.: large traffic cones, people, chairs) at each corner of the proposed range. *Only four markers are needed*, using extra markers makes it difficult for the reviewer to identify the actual range area.
  - **Tip:** Be sure there are no vehicles, snow, equipment, etc. on the range and run-off
- 2.) Take two photos from each corner: See the diagram below and example photos on page two.
  - **Photo 1: Long-side View:** Must include 3 markers: the corner nearest the photographer and the two farthest corners (area within the red lines below)
  - **Photo 2: Short-side View:** Must include 2 markers: the corner nearest the photographer and the next closest corner (area within the blue dashed lines below)
  - **Tip:** Photographer should stand 15 - 20 ft. back from each corner
- 3.) Use descriptive file names when saving each photo (e.g., C-longside.jpg)
- 4.) E-mail photos with your range application paperwork to [rep@msf-usa.org](mailto:rep@msf-usa.org)



**EXAMPLE PHOTOS:**

Long side view includes 3 cones/markers. File name "A Long"



Short side view includes 2 cones/markers. File name "A Short"

