### NOTICE OF INTENT

pursuant to

The Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act

and

Town of Wayland Wetlands and Water Resources Protection Bylaw

### **Snake Brook Dam Rehabilitation**

Wayland, Massachusetts

**Applicant:** 

Town of Wayland c/o Linda Hansen, Conservation Administrator 41 Cochituate Road Wayland, MA 01778

AUGUST 2023

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August 11, 2023

CORPORATION

Mr. Sean Fair, Chair Wayland Conservation Commission Wayland Town Hall 41 Cochituate Road Wayland, MA 01778

Re: Notice of Intent Town of Wayland Snake Brook Dam Rehabilitation Wayland, MA 01778 (Pare Project No. 19167.02)

Dear Mr. Fair and Members of the Wayland Conservation Commission:

On behalf of the Town of Wayland and pursuant to the Regulations of the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act 310 CMR 10.00 and Town of Wayland Wetlands Water Resources Protection Bylaw, Pare Corporation (Pare) is submitting the attached Notice of Intent (NOI) for your review. This NOI addresses the rehabilitation of Snake Brook Dam and is submitted under the Limited Project provisions of 310 CMR 10.53(3)(i) for the maintenance and repair of a dam and appurtenant works which existed on April 1, 1983.

Enclosed for your review are one (1) original and one (1) copy of the NOI for the above-referenced project, including the required state and municipal forms, Figures, Abutter Notification Documentation, Narrative Project Description, Wetland Delineation Documentation, and Design Basis Report; and two (2) full size sets of Project Plans prepared by Pare. An electronic copy of the NOI and Plans will be sent to Conservation Administrator Linda Hanson via email at the time of filing. Please note that abutters are being notified via certificate of mailing as provided for under 310 CMR 10.05(4)(a). Proof of mailing will be supplied at the public hearing. As a municipality, the Town is exempt from the filing fee requirements of the Wetlands Protection Act and the Bylaw.

The Snake Brook Dam (National ID MA00119/State ID 4-09-315-03, referred to herein as the Dam) impounds water along Snake Brook to form the Old Wayland Reservoirs. Originally constructed as part of the municipal water supply system, the dam currently impounds water for recreational uses. The Dam is classified as an Intermediate sized, Significant hazard potential structure under Commonwealth of Massachusetts dam safety rules and regulations. Dam inspections performed by Pare in 2022 found the dam to be in poor condition due to numerous deficiencies including:

- Routine and persistent beaver activity / accumulated debris issues at the spillway, causing elevated pool levels, limited freeboard during normal operations, and restricted discharge capacity;
- Inadequate discharge capacity to accommodate the SDF, even with a cleared spillway;
- Inoperable low level outlet system;
- Steep and irregular downstream slope that does not meet the required factors of safety for slope stability;
- Areas of overgrown tree and brush vegetation along the dam embankment;
- Areas of apparent sinkholes/vertical irregularities within the downstream area in the vicinity of the alignment of both the water supply distribution line and the stone culvert;
- Gatehouse deficiencies including collapsed roof, inoperable door, and lack of safe access to mechanical equipment;
- Sediment/leaf accumulation as well several downed trees and limbs; and
- Additional maintenance and dam safety concerns.

10 LINCOLN ROAD, SUITE 210 FOXBORO, MA 02035 508.543.1755

8 BLACKSTONE VALLEY PLACE LINCOLN, RI 02865 401.334.4100 14 BOBALA ROAD, SUITE 2B HOLYOKE, MA 01040 413.507.3448



Based upon the findings of these evaluations, Pare developed a Design Basis Report summarizing alternatives for addressing the observed deficiencies and recommended approaches for repair. Based upon these recommendations Pare has developed a dam rehabilitation design, addressed in this NOI, which includes the following repairs and improvements:

a. Embankment Work:

- i. Raise Core Wall to El. 227.5 (2 feet above existing)
- ii. Raise dam crest to El. 228.0 (0.5 to 2.5 feet above existing)
- iii. Regrade downstream slope to 2H:1V (of flatter if desired by the Town)
- iv. Establish maintainable grass vegetation throughout site
- b. Spillway Improvements
  - i. Remove beaver debris and previous beaver deceiver devices
  - ii. Enlarge spillway, install new control weir and spillway channel improvements
  - iii. Install new beaver deceiver/deterrence devices
- c. Establish Low Level Outlet Capabilities
  - i. Install Upstream Low-Level Outlet Control System
  - ii. Slip Lining Existing 18-inch Low-Level Outlet
  - iii. Establish a restored outlet conduit
  - iv. Address other gatehouse concerns

Wetland resource areas in the project vicinity include Bank, Land Under Waterbodies and Waterways, Bordering Vegetated Wetlands, and 200-Foot Riverfront Area associated with Snake Brook. Impacts to resource areas are unavoidable due to the water dependent use of the dam and nature of the maintenance work. A wetland replication area is being proposed to account for the dam rehabilitation project and is sized to provide 3:1 mitigation for impacts from the overall project. Detailed description of project activities, resource area impacts, and regulatory compliance of the project is provided in the Project Narrative enclosed in this NOI.

On behalf of the applicant, Pare respectfully requests that the Wayland Conservation Commission issue an Order of Conditions allowing the repairs to proceed as proposed. Thank you for your consideration of this application. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely, Pare Corporation

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Lauren Gluck Senior Environmental Scientist, P.W.S

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cc: DEP Northeast Regional Office, via Certified Mail Wayland Board of Health, via Certified Mail File

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### **SECTION 1**

Administrative Documentation



# **Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection** Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

### WPA Form 3 – Notice of Intent Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

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Note: Before completing this form consult your local Conservation Commission regarding any municipal bylaw or ordinance.

When filling out forms on the computer, use

only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return

### A. General Information

1. Project Location (Note: electronic filers will click on button to locate project site):

80 Rice Road		Wayland	01778
a. Street Address		b. City/Town	c. Zip Code
Latitude and Longit	tude:	42.337580	-71.341000
-	luue.	d. Latitude	e. Longitude
45		004A	
f. Assessors Map/Plat N	lumber	g. Parcel /Lot Number	
Applicant:			
Linda		Hansen	
a. First Name		b. Last Name	
Lown of Wayland C	Conservation Commissior	n	
41 Cochituate Roa	d		
d. Street Address	<u>u</u>		
Wayland		MA	01778
e. City/Town		f. State	g. Zip Code
(508) 358-7701	(508) 358-3627	lhansen@wayland.ma.u	•
h. Phone Number	i. Fax Number	j. Email Address	
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### A General Information (continued)

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6. General Project Description:

1. Single Family Home

Rehabilitating Snake Brook Dam and addressing numerous deficiencies located along the dam and spillway channel.

#### 7a. Project Type Checklist: (Limited Project Types see Section A. 7b.)

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3. Commercial/Industrial	4. Dock/Pier
5. 🗌 Utilities	6. 🗌 Coastal engineering Structure
7. Agriculture (e.g., cranberries, forestry)	8. Transportation

- 9. X Other
- 7b. Is any portion of the proposed activity eligible to be treated as a limited project (including Ecological Restoration Limited Project) subject to 310 CMR 10.24 (coastal) or 310 CMR 10.53 (inland)?

1. 🛛 Yes 🗌 No	If yes, describe which limited project applies to this project. (See 310 CMR 10.24 and 10.53 for a complete list and description of limited project types)
310 CMR 10.53(3)(i) -	dam maintenance
2. Limited Project Type	

If the proposed activity is eligible to be treated as an Ecological Restoration Limited Project (310 CMR10.24(8), 310 CMR 10.53(4)), complete and attach Appendix A: Ecological Restoration Limited Project Checklist and Signed Certification.

8. Property recorded at the Registry of Deeds for:

Middlesex	
a. County	b. Certificate # (if registered land)
1493	0134
c. Book	d. Page Number

#### B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent)

- 1. Buffer Zone Only Check if the project is located only in the Buffer Zone of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland, Inland Bank, or Coastal Resource Area.
- 2. Inland Resource Areas (see 310 CMR 10.54-10.58; if not applicable, go to Section B.3, Coastal Resource Areas).

Check all that apply below. Attach narrative and any supporting documentation describing how the project will meet all performance standards for each of the resource areas altered, including standards requiring consideration of alternative project design or location.



# A. General Information (continued)

2. Residential Subdivision



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### B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) (cont'd)

	<u>Resou</u>	<u>rce Area</u>	Size of Proposed Alteration	Proposed Replacement (if any)			
	а. 🔀	Bank	455 (Perm.), 76 (Temp.), 1. linear feet	2. linear feet			
For all projects affecting other	b. 🖂	Bordering Vegetated	150(Perm), 5 (Temp)	465			
Resource Areas,		Wetland	1. square feet	2. square feet			
please attach a narrative	c. 🖂	Land Under	2,901 (Perm.), 3,544 (Temp.)				
explaining how the resource	С. 🖂	Waterbodies and Waterways	1. square feet	2. square feet			
area was delineated.		Water ways	3. cubic yards dredged				
	<u>Resou</u>	rce Area	Size of Proposed Alteration	Proposed Replacement (if any)			
	d. 🗌	Bordering Land					
		Subject to Flooding	1. square feet	2. square feet			
			3. cubic feet of flood storage lost	4. cubic feet replaced			
	е. 🗌	Isolated Land					
	0.	Subject to Flooding	1. square feet				
			2. cubic feet of flood storage lost	3. cubic feet replaced			
	5-7		Snake Brook				
	f. 🛛	Riverfront Area	1. Name of Waterway (if available) - sp	ecify coastal or inland			
	2.	2. Width of Riverfront Area (check one):					
		🗌 25 ft Designated [	Densely Developed Areas only				
		100 ft New agricul	ltural projects only				
		200 ft All other pro	ojects				
	3	Total area of Riverfront Ar	ea on the site of the proposed proje	26,725			
	5.		ca on the site of the proposed proje	square feet			
	4.	Proposed alteration of the	Riverfront Area:				
	26	6,725	22,030	4,695			
	а.	total square feet	b. square feet within 100 ft.	c. square feet between 100 ft. and 200 ft.			
	5.	Has an alternatives analys	sis been done and is it attached to t	his NOI? Yes 🗌 No			
	6.	Was the lot where the acti	ivity is proposed created prior to Au	gust 1, 1996? 🛛 🛛 Yes 🗌 No			
3	3. 🗌 Co	astal Resource Areas: (Se	ee 310 CMR 10.25-10.35)				

**Note:** for coastal riverfront areas, please complete **Section B.2.f.** above.



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### B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) (cont'd)

Check all that apply below. Attach narrative and supporting documentation describing how the project will meet all performance standards for each of the resource areas altered, including standards requiring consideration of alternative project design or location.

Online Users: Include your document		<u>Resou</u>	rce Area	Size of Proposed Alteration	n Proposed Replacement (if any)
transaction number		a. 🗌	Designated Port Areas	Indicate size under Land I	Under the Ocean, below
(provided on your receipt page) with all		b. 🗌	Land Under the Ocean	1. square feet	
supplementary information you submit to the				2. cubic yards dredged	
Department.		c. 🗌	Barrier Beach	Indicate size under Coastal	Beaches and/or Coastal Dunes below
		d. 🗌	Coastal Beaches	1. square feet	2. cubic yards beach nourishment
		e. 🗌	Coastal Dunes	1. square feet	2. cubic yards dune nourishment
				Size of Proposed Alteration	<u>Proposed Replacement (if any)</u>
		f. 🗌	Coastal Banks	1. linear feet	
		g. 🗌	Rocky Intertidal Shores	1. square feet	
		h. 🗌	Salt Marshes	1. square feet	2. sq ft restoration, rehab., creation
		i. 🗌	Land Under Salt Ponds	1. square feet	
				2. cubic yards dredged	
		j. 🗌	Land Containing Shellfish	1. square feet	
		k. 🗌	Fish Runs		Banks, inland Bank, Land Under the Under Waterbodies and Waterways,
		ı. 🗖	Land Subject to	1. cubic yards dredged	
	4		Coastal Storm Flowage	1. square feet	
2	4.	If the p	footage that has been enter		land resource area in addition to the a above, please enter the additional
		a. squar	e feet of BVW	b. square fe	eet of Salt Marsh
	5.	🗌 Pro	oject Involves Stream Cross	sings	
		a. numb	er of new stream crossings	b. number o	of replacement stream crossings



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### C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements

This is a proposal for an Ecological Restoration Limited Project. Skip Section C and complete Appendix A: Ecological Restoration Limited Project Checklists – Required Actions (310 CMR 10.11).

#### Streamlined Massachusetts Endangered Species Act/Wetlands Protection Act Review

 Is any portion of the proposed project located in Estimated Habitat of Rare Wildlife as indicated on the most recent Estimated Habitat Map of State-Listed Rare Wetland Wildlife published by the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP)? To view habitat maps, see the Massachusetts Natural Heritage Atlas or go to http://maps.massgis.state.ma.us/PRI\_EST\_HAB/viewer.htm.

a. 🗌 Yes 🖾 No	If yes, include proof of mailing or hand delivery of NOI to:
	Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program
	Division of Fisheries and Wildlife
8/2/2023	1 Rabbit Hill Road – Westborough, MA 01581
b. Date of map	- westborough, MA 01501

If yes, the project is also subject to Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (MESA) review (321 CMR 10.18). To qualify for a streamlined, 30-day, MESA/Wetlands Protection Act review, please complete Section C.1.c, and include requested materials with this Notice of Intent (NOI); OR complete Section C.2.f, if applicable. If MESA supplemental information is not included with the NOI, by completing Section 1 of this form, the NHESP will require a separate MESA filing which may take up to 90 days to review (unless noted exceptions in Section 2 apply, see below).

c. Submit Supplemental Information for Endangered Species Review\*

1. Dercentage/acreage of property to be altered:

(a) within wetland Resource Area

percentage/acreage

(b) outside Resource Area

percentage/acreage

- 2. C Assessor's Map or right-of-way plan of site
- 2. Project plans for entire project site, including wetland resource areas and areas outside of wetlands jurisdiction, showing existing and proposed conditions, existing and proposed tree/vegetation clearing line, and clearly demarcated limits of work \*\*
  - (a) Project description (including description of impacts outside of wetland resource area & buffer zone)
  - (b) Photographs representative of the site

<sup>\*</sup> Some projects **not** in Estimated Habitat may be located in Priority Habitat, and require NHESP review (see <u>https://www.mass.gov/ma-</u> endangered-species-act-mesa-regulatory-review).

Priority Habitat includes habitat for state-listed plants and strictly upland species not protected by the Wetlands Protection Act.

<sup>\*\*</sup> MESA projects may not be segmented (321 CMR 10.16). The applicant must disclose full development plans even if such plans are not required as part of the Notice of Intent process.



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### C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements (cont'd)

(c) MESA filing fee (fee information available at <u>https://www.mass.gov/how-to/how-to-file-for-a-mesa-project-review</u>).

Make check payable to "Commonwealth of Massachusetts - NHESP" and *mail to NHESP* at above address

Projects altering 10 or more acres of land, also submit:

- (d) Vegetation cover type map of site
- (e) Project plans showing Priority & Estimated Habitat boundaries
- (f) OR Check One of the Following
- 1. Project is exempt from MESA review. Attach applicant letter indicating which MESA exemption applies. (See 321 CMR 10.14, <u>https://www.mass.gov/service-details/exemptions-from-review-for-projectsactivities-in-priority-habitat</u>; the NOI must still be sent to NHESP if the project is within estimated habitat pursuant to 310 CMR 10.37 and 10.59.)

2.	Separate MESA review ongoing.		
2.	ocparate MEOA review origoing.	a. NHESP Tracking #	<ul> <li>b. Date submitted to NHESP</li> </ul>

- 3. Separate MESA review completed. Include copy of NHESP "no Take" determination or valid Conservation & Management Permit with approved plan.
- 3. For coastal projects only, is any portion of the proposed project located below the mean high water line or in a fish run?

a. 🛛 Not applicable – project is in inland resource area only	b. 🗌 Yes	🗌 No
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If yes, include proof of mailing, hand delivery, or electronic delivery of NOI to either:

South Shore - Cohasset to Rhode Island border, and North Shore - Hull to New Hampshire border: the Cape & Islands:

Division of Marine Fisheries -Southeast Marine Fisheries Station Attn: Environmental Reviewer 836 South Rodney French Blvd. New Bedford, MA 02744 Email: <u>dmf.envreview-south@mass.gov</u> Division of Marine Fisheries -North Shore Office Attn: Environmental Reviewer 30 Emerson Avenue Gloucester, MA 01930 Email: <u>dmf.envreview-north@mass.gov</u>

Also if yes, the project may require a Chapter 91 license. For coastal towns in the Northeast Region, please contact MassDEP's Boston Office. For coastal towns in the Southeast Region, please contact MassDEP's Southeast Regional Office.

с. [		Is this	an ac	uaculture	project?
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d. 🗌	Yes	$\bowtie$	No
d. 🔛	Yes	$\bowtie$	

If yes, include a copy of the Division of Marine Fisheries Certification Letter (M.G.L. c. 130, § 57).

	Bu <b>M</b>	<b>Basachusetts Department of Environmental Protection</b> reau of Resource Protection - Wetlands <b>PA Form 3 – Notice of Intent</b> assachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40	Provided by MassDEP: MassDEP File Number Document Transaction Number Wayland City/Town			
	C.	Other Applicable Standards and Requirements	6 (cont'd)			
	4.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an Area of Critical Environ	nmental Concern (ACEC)?			
Online Users: Include your document		a. Yes No If yes, provide name of ACEC (see instruction Website for ACEC locations). <b>Note:</b> electronic				
transaction		b. ACEC				
number (provided on your receipt page) with all	5.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an area designated as an (ORW) as designated in the Massachusetts Surface Water Quality Sta				
supplementary		a. 🗌 Yes 🛛 No				
information you submit to the Department.	6.	b. Is any portion of the site subject to a Wetlands Restriction Order under the Inland Wetlands Restriction Act (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40A) or the Coastal Wetlands Restriction Act (M.G.L. c. 130, § 105)?				
		a. 🗌 Yes 🛛 No				
	7.	Is this project subject to provisions of the MassDEP Stormwater Mana	gement Standards?			
			-			
		<ul> <li>a. Yes. Attach a copy of the Stormwater Report as required by th Standards per 310 CMR 10.05(6)(k)-(q) and check if:</li> <li>1. Applying for Low Impact Development (LID) site design cr Stormwater Management Handbook Vol. 2, Chapter 3)</li> </ul>	-			
		2. A portion of the site constitutes redevelopment				
		3. Proprietary BMPs are included in the Stormwater Manage	ment System.			
		b. 🛛 No. Check why the project is exempt:				
		1. Single-family house				
		2. Emergency road repair				
		3. Small Residential Subdivision (less than or equal to 4 sing or equal to 4 units in multi-family housing project) with no				
	D.	Additional Information				
		This is a proposal for an Ecological Restoration Limited Project. Skip S Appendix A: Ecological Restoration Notice of Intent – Minimum Requir 10.12).				

Applicants must include the following with this Notice of Intent (NOI). See instructions for details.

**Online Users:** Attach the document transaction number (provided on your receipt page) for any of the following information you submit to the Department.

- 1. USGS or other map of the area (along with a narrative description, if necessary) containing sufficient information for the Conservation Commission and the Department to locate the site. (Electronic filers may omit this item.)
- 2. Plans identifying the location of proposed activities (including activities proposed to serve as a Bordering Vegetated Wetland [BVW] replication area or other mitigating measure) relative to the boundaries of each affected resource area.



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### D. Additional Information (cont'd)

- 3. Identify the method for BVW and other resource area boundary delineations (MassDEP BVW Field Data Form(s), Determination of Applicability, Order of Resource Area Delineation, etc.), and attach documentation of the methodology.
- 4.  $\square$  List the titles and dates for all plans and other materials submitted with this NOI.

a. Plan Title		
Pare Corporation		
b. Prepared By	c. Signed and Stamped by	
November 2022	As noted	
d. Final Revision Date	e. Scale	

f. Additional Plan or Document Title

g. Date

- 5. If there is more than one property owner, please attach a list of these property owners not listed on this form.
- 6. Attach proof of mailing for Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program, if needed.
- 7. Attach proof of mailing for Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries, if needed.
- 8. Attach NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form
- 9. Attach Stormwater Report, if needed.

### E. Fees

1. Fee Exempt: No filing fee shall be assessed for projects of any city, town, county, or district of the Commonwealth, federally recognized Indian tribe housing authority, municipal housing authority, or the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority.

Applicants must submit the following information (in addition to pages 1 and 2 of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form) to confirm fee payment:

2. Municipal Check Number	3. Check date			
4. State Check Number	5. Check date			
6. Payor name on check: First Name	7. Payor name on check: Last Name			



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### F. Signatures and Submittal Requirements

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing Notice of Intent and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the Conservation Commission will place notification of this Notice in a local newspaper at the expense of the applicant in accordance with the wetlands regulations, 310 CMR 10.05(5)(a).

I further certify under penalties of perjury that all abutters were notified of this application, pursuant to the requirements of M.G.L. c. 131, § 40. Notice must be made by Certificate of Mailing or in writing by hand delivery or certified mail (return receipt requested) to all abutters within 100 feet of the property line of the project location.

2ldn	8/10/2023		
1. Signature of Applicant	LINDA HANSEN	2. Date	
3. Signature of Property Owner (if diffe	4. Date		
Jan fun	8/10/23		
5. Signature of Representative (if any)	6. Date		

#### For Conservation Commission:

Two copies of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including supporting plans and documents, two copies of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, and the city/town fee payment, to the Conservation Commission by certified mail or hand delivery.

#### For MassDEP:

One copy of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including supporting plans and documents, one copy of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, and a **copy** of the state fee payment to the MassDEP Regional Office (see Instructions) by certified mail or hand delivery.

#### Other:

If the applicant has checked the "yes" box in any part of Section C, Item 3, above, refer to that section and the Instructions for additional submittal requirements.

The original and copies must be sent simultaneously. Failure by the applicant to send copies in a timely manner may result in dismissal of the Notice of Intent.



#### Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands **NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form**

Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

Important: When	
filling out forms	
on the computer,	1
use only the tab	
key to move your	
cursor - do not	
use the return	
key.	

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### A. Applicant Information

Location of Project:					
80 Rice Road		Wayland			
a. Street Address		b. City/Town			
c. Check number		d. Fee amount			
Applicant Mailing Ad	dress:				
Linda		Hanson			
a. First Name		b. Last Name			
Town of Wayland					
c. Organization					
41 Cochituate Road					
d. Mailing Address					
Wayland		MA	01778		
e. City/Town		f. State g. Zip Coo			
(508) 358-7701	(508) 358-3627	lhansen@wayland.ma.us			
h. Phone Number	i. Fax Number	j. Email Address			
Property Owner (if d	ifferent):				
a. First Name		b. Last Name			
c. Organization					
d. Mailing Address					
e. City/Town		f. State	g. Zip Code		

3.	Property	Owner	(if	different	):
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B. Fees				
h. Phone Numbe	er	i. Fax Number	j. Email Address	
e. City/Town			f. State	g. Zip Code
d. Mailing Addre	SS			

To calculate filing fees, refer to the category fee list and examples in the instructions for filling out WPA Form 3 (Notice of Intent).

Fee should be calculated using the following process & worksheet. Please see Instructions before filling out worksheet.

Step 1/Type of Activity: Describe each type of activity that will occur in wetland resource area and buffer zone.

Step 2/Number of Activities: Identify the number of each type of activity.

Step 3/Individual Activity Fee: Identify each activity fee from the six project categories listed in the instructions.

Step 4/Subtotal Activity Fee: Multiply the number of activities (identified in Step 2) times the fee per category (identified in Step 3) to reach a subtotal fee amount. Note: If any of these activities are in a Riverfront Area in addition to another Resource Area or the Buffer Zone, the fee per activity should be multiplied by 1.5 and then added to the subtotal amount.

Step 5/Total Project Fee: Determine the total project fee by adding the subtotal amounts from Step 4.

Step 6/Fee Payments: To calculate the state share of the fee, divide the total fee in half and subtract \$12.50. To calculate the city/town share of the fee, divide the total fee in half and add \$12.50.



#### Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form

Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

B. Fees (continued)			
Step 1/Type of Activity	Step 2/Number of Activities	Step 3/Individual Activity Fee	Step 4/Subtotal Activity Fee
Fee Exempt			
	Step 5/Te	otal Project Fee	:
	Step 6/	Fee Payments:	
	Total	Project Fee:	a. Total Fee from Step 5
	State share	of filing Fee:	b. 1/2 Total Fee <b>less \$</b> 12.50
	City/Town share	e of filling Fee:	c. 1/2 Total Fee <b>plus</b> \$12.50

### C. Submittal Requirements

a.) Complete pages 1 and 2 and send with a check or money order for the state share of the fee, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Department of Environmental Protection Box 4062 Boston, MA 02211

b.) **To the Conservation Commission:** Send the Notice of Intent or Abbreviated Notice of Intent; a **copy** of this form; and the city/town fee payment.

**To MassDEP Regional Office** (see Instructions): Send a copy of the Notice of Intent or Abbreviated Notice of Intent; a **copy** of this form; and a **copy** of the state fee payment. (E-filers of Notices of Intent may submit these electronically.)

#### Wayland Wetlands and Water Resources Bylaw, Chapter 194 Application

1. Applicant:	30		
Town of Wayland Conservation Commis	sion	Lhansen	@wayland.ma.us
Name (PLEASE PRINT)			ess (if applicable)
41 Cochituate Road	Wayland	MA	01778
Mailing Address	City/Town	State	Zip Code
508-358-7701		508-358	-3627
Phone Number		Fax Number	er (if applicable)
2. Representative:			
Pare Corporation		Lauren G	luck, PWS
Firm/Business Name		Contact Na	
10 Lincoln Road, Suite 210	Foxboro	MA	02035
Mailing Address	City/Town	State	Zip Code
508-543-1755			
Phone Number		Fax Numb	er (if applicable)
3. Property Owner(s)			
Town of Wayland			
Property Owner (PLEASE PRINT)		Emoil Add	range (if emplicable)
41 Cochituate Road	Maudamat		ress (if applicable)
	Wayland	<u>MA</u>	01778
Address	City/Town	State	Zip Code
508-358-7701		<u>508-358</u>	
Phone Number		Fax Numb	er (if applicable)
<ol> <li>Abbreviated NOI</li> <li>Notice of Resource Area Delineation</li> <li>After the Fact Amendment (AFA)</li> <li>Amendment to Order of Conditions</li> </ol>	[ ] Ce	tension of O.O rtificate of Com ter the Fact Fili	npliance
5. Project 80 Rice Road	45		004A
Location Address	Assessors Map(s	)	Parcel(s)
Project Description (PLEASE PRINT): Rehabilitating Snake Brook Dam and add dam and spillway channel			
6. Title/Date of Plan(s) Snake Brook [	Dam Rehabilitation	, dated Nove	ember 2022
7. Bylaw Application Fee: \$Fee exempt			
8. Application filed pursuant to MGL Chapter 13	1, Section 40 [X]	Yes []No	)
9. Signature of Applicant	NDA HANSEN-	Unservation	Date 8/10/2023
Signature of Property Owner			Date

(NOTE: This application shall be signed by the property owner as well as the applicant. Signature of the property owner on this application shall be deemed permission granted to the Conservation Commission and their agents to go upon the subject property.)

# **FEES**- Wetlands and Water Resources Bylaw (Chapter 194) and Stormwater and Land Disturbance Bylaw(Chapter 193)

#### ADOPTED: May 10, 2005 Effective June 8, 2005

RDA (1) – S.f.h. addition/Landscaping/	\$100.00
Septic Repair (w/on-site grading, other than septic, less	\$100.00
than 1,000 s.f.): Work less than 50' from wetlands	
<b>RDA (1):</b> Work, including grading more than 50' from	\$ 50.00
wetlands	\$ 50.00
<b>RDA</b> – Determination of Conservation Commission	\$100.00/40,000 s.f. of lot area
jurisdiction, w/no proposed work	\$100.00740,000 \$.1. 01 101 area
Other RDA – Work less than 50' from wetlands	\$150.00
Other RDA – if no alteration of resource area is proposed,	\$130.00
except buffer zone more than 50' from wetlands	\$100.00
<b>Other RDA</b> – w/alteration of resource area more than 50'	\$100.00 + .25/s.f. of resource area impacted (excluding
from wetlands, excluding buffer zone	\$100.00 + .25/s.i. of resource area impacted (excluding buffer zone)
<b>NOI</b> – Single-family addition and on-site grading less than	\$50.00
2,000 s.f. and work more than 50' from wetlands	\$30.00
<b>NOI</b> – Single-family addition and on-site grading less than	\$100.00
2,000 s.f. and work less than 50' from wetlands	\$100.00
<b>NOI</b> – New construction and <i>NO</i> alteration of v.w. or I.s.f.i.	\$200.00/unit
work less than 50' from wetlands	\$200.00/ dint
<b>NOI</b> – New construction and <i>NO</i> alteration of v.w. or l.s.f.i.	\$100.00/unit
and work more than 50 from wetlands	\$ 100.00/ dim
<b>NOI</b> –Other, work less than 50' from wetlands	\$200.00
<b>NOI</b> –Other, work more than 50' from wetlands	\$100.00
<b>NOI</b> – w/alteration of v.w. and/or l.s.f.i. and work less	\$200.00 + .25/s.f. of resource area impacted
than 50' from wetlands	·
<b>NOI</b> – w/alteration of v.w. and/or l.s.f.i. and work more	\$100.00 + .25/s.f. of resource area impacted
than 50' from wetlands	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
NOI/RDA: Riverfront Area – Work within 100' and 200' of	Two times the applicable fee
mean annual high water (First application)	
NOI/RDA: Riverfront Area – work between 100' and 200'	Applicable fee times 1.5
of mean annual high water (First application)	
ANRAD	\$100.00/40,000 s.f. of lot area
After the Fact Amendment	Applicable fee above + \$100.00
After the Fact Filing	Double the applicable fee above
Amendment	\$75.00
Extension	\$25.00
Certificate of Compliance	\$50.00/unit
Chapter 193- Stormwater Management and Land	\$100.00
Disturbance Bylaw	

#### Abbreviations:

Request for Determination of Applicability (RDA) Notice of Intent (NOI) Request to Amend Order of Conditions (Amendment) Abbreviate Notice of Intent – Resource Area Determination (ANRAD) Single Family House (S.f.h.) Vegetated Wetlands (v.w.) Land Subject to Flooding and Inundation (I.s.f.i.) Riverfront Area (R.A.) Vernal Pool (V.P.) Square Feet (s.f.)

\* **NOTE:** Stormwater Management and Land Disturbance Bylaw, Chapter 193, has a separate filing fee. Please refer to the application for further submittal requirement.

NOTES:

- Legal advertising will be billed directly to the applicant.
- The Conservation Commission may seek consultant fees pursuant to the Rules and Regulations.
- These fees are in addition to the fees required for applications filed pursuant to the Wetlands Protection Act (MGL Chapter 131, Section 40).
- Payment of fee does NOT guarantee approval of project.
- Town, county, state, and federal projects may be exempted from fees upon request.



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### **CHAPTER 194 Submittal Requirements**

Upon submittal of any Bylaw application the applicant(s), property owner (if different), and their representative(s) must sign this checklist.

✓ Original and one copy of the MA Wetlands Protection Act ("WPA") application and Chapter 194 Bylaw application, including owner(s) signature, the applicant(s) signature, site plan(s), narrative, etc. \*

**NOTE:** If a WPA Application is not filed, a copy of either a statement as to not applicable (limited generally to buffer zone or bordering land subject to flooding) or a valid Order of Resource Area Determination (ORAD) must be provided with copies.

 $N/A \square$  A separate check for all applicable Wetlands Act fees.

 $N/A \square$  A separate check for all applicable Chapter 194 Bylaw fees.

A list of the 100' Abutters, certified by the Assessors Office.

Evidence of Board of Health receipt of application or approval for<u>all applications with septic work or home</u> renovations.

\*A copy of all documents submitted should be provided electronically to Conservation (conservation@wayland.ma.us) and Linda Hansen (lhansen@wayland.ma.us)

#### **Project Summary**

- A narrative statement describing all of the activities proposed. If work is omitted from the narrative it may not be permitted.
- A narrative summary description of the types of resource areas on or near the site. Omission of resource areas is a basis for denial of the project as being incomplete.

A narrative discussion how the project has been designed to minimize impacts to resource areas and how any mitigation has been proposed to better protect or enhance the resource areas during and after construction.

The Conservation Commission will evaluate the application based on the scope of the project and the potential impacts on the resource area (e.g. a wetland, pond, vernal pool, riverfront area, etc.) The Commission's priorities for project assessment are avoidance, minimization, and mitigation of impacts to resource area/s in that order. If mitigation is proposed, the Commission will require a 1:1.5 ratio of replication for impacts to wetlands and for buffer zones. The narrative should clearly address these priorities.

✓ A narrative discussion that presents justification, based on factors of technical or economic feasibility, why alternatives that might minimize or completely avoid adverse impact to the Riverfront Area, Floodplain, the Buffer Zone, and/or any other resource area are not being proposed. At a minimum there must be discussion of the alternative for no alteration.

The following items are required for Site Plans submitted with a Bylaw application; however, if the Applicant considers that the information is not relevant to the scope or scale of the proposed project, a Waiver(s) of requirements must be requested at the time of filing the application with the Conservation Commission.



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#### Site Plan Minimum Requirements

The following shall be included on the Site Plan:

- Stamp of a Professional Engineer (P.E.) and/or a Professional Land Surveyor (P.L.S.) depending upon proximity to lot lines or project complexity.
  - <u>OR</u>
- Stamp of a Registered Sanitarian (R.S.) is acceptable for designs of septic systems handling less than 2,000 gallons per day, with incidental site work.
- Grade elevations based on National Geodetic Vertical Datum (NGVD). Grade contours in the area of work shall be provided with at least 1-foot intervals.
- $\checkmark$  Plan Scale: 1 inch = 10 feet or 1 inch = 20 feet.
- ✓ Wetlands flagging with letters and/or numbers as defined in the field.
- Date that wetlands flagging was done and name of the wetland delineator (if GIS was used to wetlands, then include the GIS source.)
- Site Plans must clearly show existing conditions and proposed conditions, utilities, impervious surfaces, limit of lawn, trees greater than 6 inches in diameter proposed for removal, significant land features such as rock outcroppings, all Resource Areas (differentiate each) including Buffer Zone. *Note: It may be more comprehensible to submit two plans: an existing conditions plan and a proposed conditions plan.*
- Site plans must detail the permanent demarcation of the limit of lawn with minimum 30' offset from resource area for new construction, and minimum average 15' offset for existing dwellings.
- Locations and identifiers for <u>all</u> test pit locations.
- A cross-section of grading and profile for proposed septic systems.
- ✓ Locations for temporary stockpiles or storage of soils or demolition debris during construction.
- Access route for construction equipment and construction entrance location details.
- ✓ Location of erosion control barrier(s).
- Detail for installation of erosion control barrier(s).
- Location for refueling of equipment. (Outside buffer zone strongly preferred)
- Locations designated for snow storage, if necessary.
- Pre/Post-Construction Lot Coverage Summary for areas within by-law jurisdiction: a) Total lot area; b) total impervious area (Note: impervious areas shall include, but are not limited to, roofs, decks, walks, and driveways); c) total landscaped/lawn area; and d) total area altered during construction (including temporary impacts).



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#### **Drainage Requirements**

The Commission seeks to protect water quality of surface waters and groundwater, and to limit any increase in the rate
or quantity of runoff of storm water from the property.

For projects adding less than or equal to 500 square feet of impervious area, a narrative description of specific measures used to provide for infiltration of runoff equivalent to runoff this additional impervious area. Those measures must be clearly depicted on the Site Plan as a specification.
OR For projects adding more than 500 square feet of impervious area,
A narrative discussion of the methods and all assumptions used in the drainage calculations
A plan showing drainage catchment areas
Supporting calculations (i.e. HydroCAD) stamped by a P.E.
Summary tables presenting Pre/Post Construction Storm Water Runoff Rates and Volumes for a 1-inch storm event, a 10-year, and a 100-year storm events. Note: Rainfall of at least 8 inches in 24 hours must be used for 100-year storm event.
Compliance with DEP's Stormwater Management Standards.
Narrative description of structural and non-structural best management practice (BMP) (See "Definitions), controls for storm water management for the project during construction phases and for long term site management:
Evaluation of BMP selection and factors of site suitability including: soils, drainage area, depth to water table, depth to bedrock, slopes and proximity to wells and foundations
Discussion of construction phasing
Relevant site characterization data for design
Water quality calculations for total suspended solids (TSS) removal
Calculated storm water recharge rate
Calculated peak discharge rate
Maintenance requirements and site inspections templates for BMPs must be specified. Operation and Maintenance (O&M) plans for Stormwater shall be submitted with the application describing short-term BMPs (during construction) and long-term BMPs (post-construction) for management of the drainage structures, roadway and/or parking lot (as applicable) including but not limited to sweeping; catch basin cleaning; snow storage and erosion controls, such as hay bales or sediment fences. The drainage components (Best Management Practice – BMP) shall be as described using terminology in the most recent version of the DEP Storm water Technical Handbook, March 1997. A Plan for protecting the post-construction BMPs during

Aquifer Protection District – If the project is within this area, a narrative description of how the project complies with aquifer protection requirements.

construction shall be include in the O&M Plan.



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#### **Soils Information**

Septic Systems or Drainage BMPs (where applicable) - Clear statement of how many test pits or borings were conducted for the project planning and engineering evaluations and what number and types of analytical methods may have been applied for soils characterization including visual evaluation, percolation tests, field screening, and laboratory analyses.

Septic Systems and/or applicable drainage BMP - Copies of all soil data including boring and/or test pit logs.

Wetland field data forms that document observations made during the wetland delineation including soil or test pit logs.

#### Waivers

In the event that Applicant considers certain required information to be, in their opinion, not relevant to the scope or scale of the proposed project Applicant may request a Waiver of the requirements with this application to the Conservation Commission. Indicate all provisions requested for Waiver below designating the specific paragraph number/letter designation.

Site Plan Minimum Requirement Waiver(s)	None 🛄 List
Drainage Requirement Waiver(s)	🗌 None 🗍 List
Soils Information Waiver(s)	None List

If applicable, attach a statement for justification of the requested waivers.

In the event that any requested Waiver is not granted by the Commission or the application is otherwise found to be deficient in providing required information the hearing may at the discretion of the Commission either be closed and denied for the lack of information or continued for a specific timeframe approved by the Commission for the Applicant to submit the required information.

The Commission has authorized its Administrator to review projects and to not accept project applications under the Bylaw that have apparent deficiencies to meeting the above requirements. Notwithstanding that authority, acceptance of an application by the Administrator does not represent a decision that the application is fully complete. Deficiencies identified by the Administrator will be report to the applicant and the Commission during the hearing.

The property owner, as well as the applicant and/or representative (if different from owner) must sign this checklist and all other applicable applications. The property owner, by signing this checklist and the applications, acknowledges that the Commission and Staff may enter the property to inspect the premises as part of the assessment of the application.

Property Owner's Name (Print)

Property Owner's Signature

Date

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all its attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete.

Applicant's Name (Print) LINDA HANSEN

Applicant's Signature

10/2023

### **SECTION 2**

Abutter Notification Information



#### **Town of Wayland** 41 COCHITUATE ROAD WAYLAND MASSACHUSETTS 01778 www.wayland.ma.us TEL. 508-358-3788

OFFICE STAFF Rob Leroux, Director of Assessing Mary-Ann Wohlfarth, Sr. Admin. Coordinator BOARD OF ASSESSORS Zachariah Ventress, Chair Vice Chair John A. Todd Molly Upton, Secretary Philip Parks Massimo Taurisano

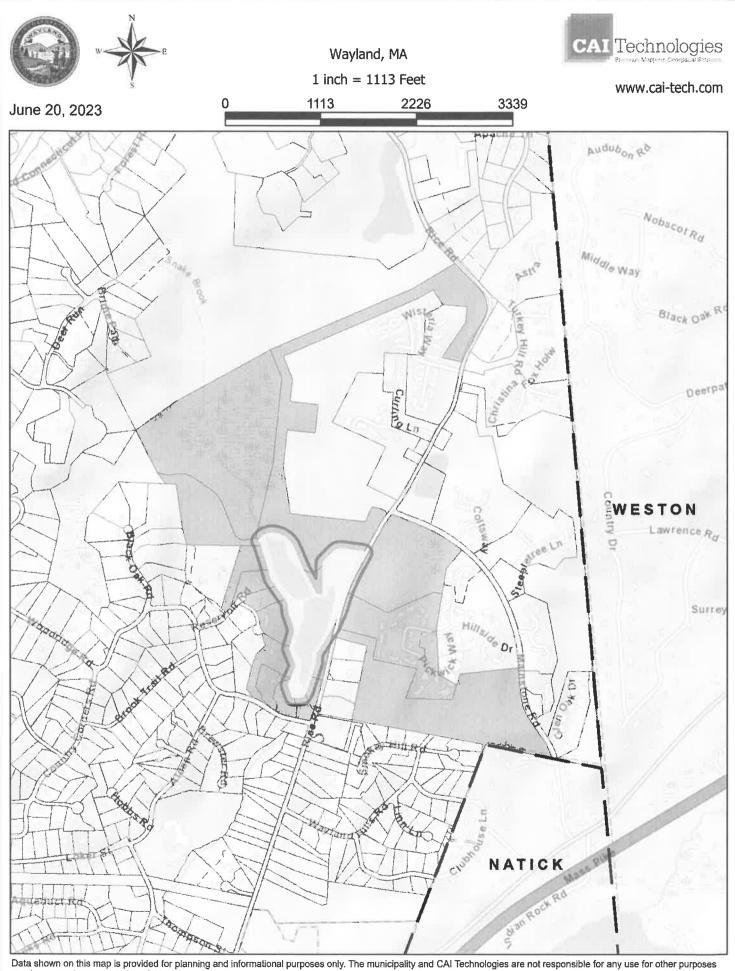
### **Certification of Abutters**

Date of request June 20, 2023

Please plan your submission accordingly. The Assessors' office has 10 business days to certify an abutters list Per MGL Ch. 66, S.10

Address to be certified 80 Rice Road	Parcel ID 45/004A
Owner's Name Town of Wayland (PLEASE PRINT)	(Map/Lot)
Owner's Mailing Address 41 Cochituate Road, Waylar	d, MA 01778
Name of Applicant Town of Wayland (Linda Hanson) (PLEASE PRINT)	Telephone: (508) 358-3669
41 Cochituate Road       Wayland         Mailing Address of Applicant       City/Town         Signature of Applicant       Image: City/Town	<u>MA</u> 01778 State Zip
*Sarah Pierce on behalf of appl	licant
Reason for List (check one) Conservation Health	ns for their abutters listing. There's no fee for
For use by Assessors	
This is to certify that at the time of the last assessment for taxation mare the assessed owners to these parcels.	
Certified By:	Date: <u>20 JUN 202</u> 3
CC: Conservation Health Planning	Zoning Board of Selectmen

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Way	0 foot Abutters List Re <sup>/land, MA</sup> 20, 2023	eport	
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-011 45-011 68 RICE RD	Mailing Address:	TEMPESTA GERARD TEMPESTA SUZANNE O 68 RICE RD WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-019 45-019 148 WOODRIDGE RD	Mailing Address:	MENG QING MIN CHEN DAI 148 WOODRIDGE RD WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-020 45-020 14 RESERVOIR RD	Mailing Address:	PILKINGTON CHRISTOPHER CIOLFI DEBORAH A 14 RESERVOIR RD WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-020A 45-020A 144 WOODRIDGE RD	Mailing Address:	DANESH MO REZA YOUNG LEE 144 WOODRIDGE RD WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-021 45-021 16 RESERVOIR RD	Mailing Address:	EAGLE BARBARA M 16 RESERVOIR RD WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-022 45-022 18 RESERVOIR RD	Mailing Address:	RECK ANDREW J RECK LOUISE 18 RESERVOIR RD WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-CM6 45-077A 45 HILLSIDE DR	Mailing Address:	TAYLOR-KELL BARBARA KELL HANS 45 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-CM6 45-077B 47 HILLSIDE DR	Mailing Address:	POHL JESSICA 47 HILLSIDE DRIVE UNIT 47 WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-CM6 45-077C 49 HILLSIDE DR	Mailing Address:	FREED ELLEN FREED ANDREA & JANET 49 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-CM6 45-078A 51 HILLSIDE DR	Mailing Address:	SINS JACK B 51 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-CM6 45-078B 53 HILLSIDE DR	Mailing Address:	AGRANAT ELEANOR A 53 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778
Parcel Number: CAMA Number: Property Address:	45-CM6 45-078C 55 HILLSIDE DR	Mailing Address:	COMPANIEH MOHAMMAD COMPANIEH FARIMAH 55 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778
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Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: KUDIRKA PAUL E CAMA Number: 45-079A KUDIRKA MARCY T Property Address: 57 HILLSIDE DR 57 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: NOLLMAN MYRON M CAMA Number: 45-079B NOLLMAN BEVERLY R Property Address: 59 HILLSIDE DR 59 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: FALBER SARAH CAMA Number: 45-079C MOTUZICK CRAIG Property Address: 61 HILLSIDE DR 61 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: AMBURGEY KAREN CAMA Number: 45-080A 63 HILLSIDE DR Property Address: 63 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: HOLLENBERG ERIC CAMA Number: 45-080B **BARI ANN JACOBS** Property Address: 65 HILLSIDE DR 65 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: SIU BRIAN Y CAMA Number: 45-080C SIU EMILIE C Property Address: 67 HILLSIDE DR 67 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: LEVINSON DIANA CAMA Number: 45-081A 69 HILLSIDE DR Property Address: 69 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: TANSKI MARY L 45-081B CAMA Number: 71 HILLSIDE DR Property Address: 71 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: STELLAR ILENE D CAMA Number: 45-081C STELLAR RICHARD H Property Address: 73 HILLSIDE DR 73 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: SHUSTER BERNARD W CAMA Number: 45-082A SHUSTER EVELYN S 75 HILLSIDE DR Property Address: 75 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: **EISENBERG HARRY A** CAMA Number: 45-082B LEAVITT LINDA J Property Address: 77 HILLSIDE DR 77 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778 Parcel Number: 45-CM6 Mailing Address: ROZMAN EDUARD CAMA Number: 45-082C **ROZMAN INNA** Property Address: 79 HILLSIDE DR 79 HILLSIDE DR WAYLAND, MA 01778

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### Notification to Abutters Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act

In accordance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40, you are hereby notified of the following:

- A. The name of the <u>Applicant</u> is <u>Town of Wayland</u>
- B. The Applicant has filed a Notice of Intent with the <u>Wayland Conservation Commission</u> for permission to remove, fill, dredge, or alter an Area Subject to Protection (Wetland Resource Area and/or Buffer Zone) Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40).
- C. The <u>address</u> of the lot where the activity is proposed: <u>80 Rice Road</u> Map: <u>45</u> Lot: <u>004A</u>
- D. The **proposed activity** is: Rehabilitating Snake Brook Dam and addressing numerous deficiencies located along the dam and spillway channel.
- D. A **Public Hearing** regarding this Notice of Intent will be held on:
  - Wednesday, August 30 at 6:30 PM at Town Hall (41 Cochituate Road, Wayland).
  - Information regarding the date, time, and place of the public hearing may be obtained from the applicant or the Wayland Conservation Commission (check website).
- E. Copies of the Notice of Intent may be examined at <u>THE WAYLAND CONSERVATION</u> <u>COMMISSION OFFICE</u> at Wayland Town Hall between the hours of 8:00 A.M. & 4:00 P.M. Monday – Thursday and 8:00 A.M. & 12:30 P.M Friday. For more information, call: 508-358-3669.
- F. Copies of the Notice of Intent may be obtained from either:
  - The Applicant, or the Applicant's representative <u>Lauren Gluck</u>, by calling this telephone number: <u>(508)488-4122</u> between the hours of <u>8:30-4:30</u> on the following days of the week: <u>Tuesday-Thursday</u>.

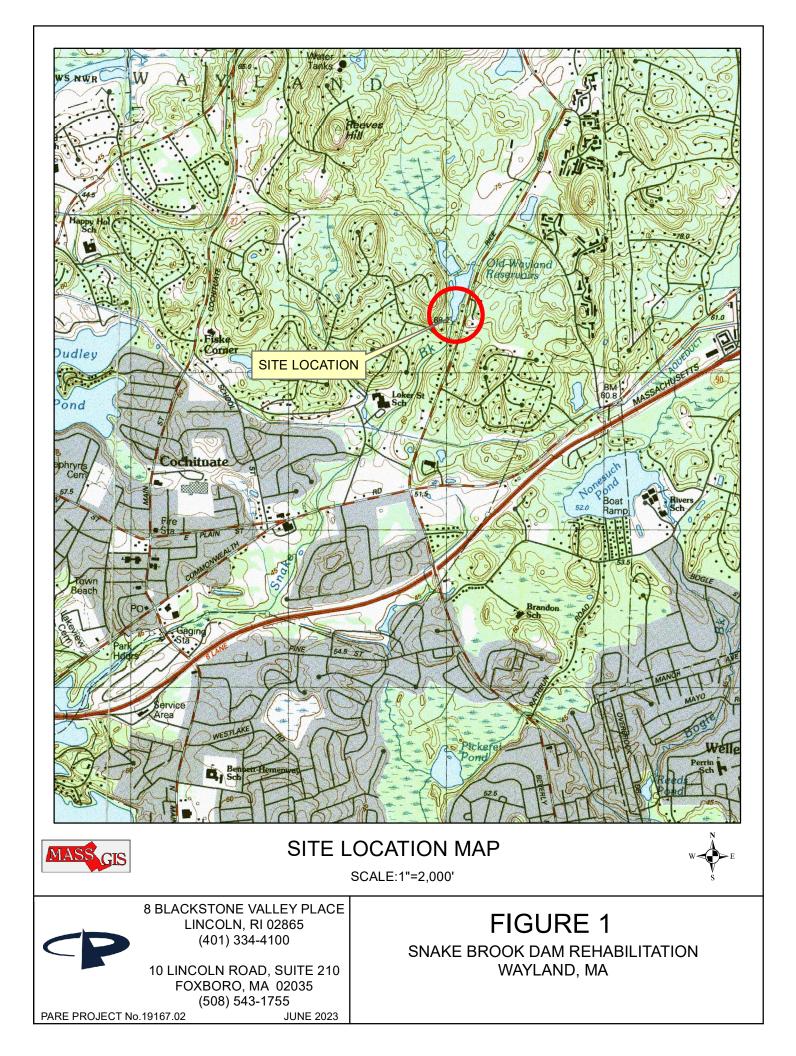
Note: You also may contact the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for more information about this application or the Wetlands Protection Act. To contact DEP (205B Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01887), call (978) 694-3200

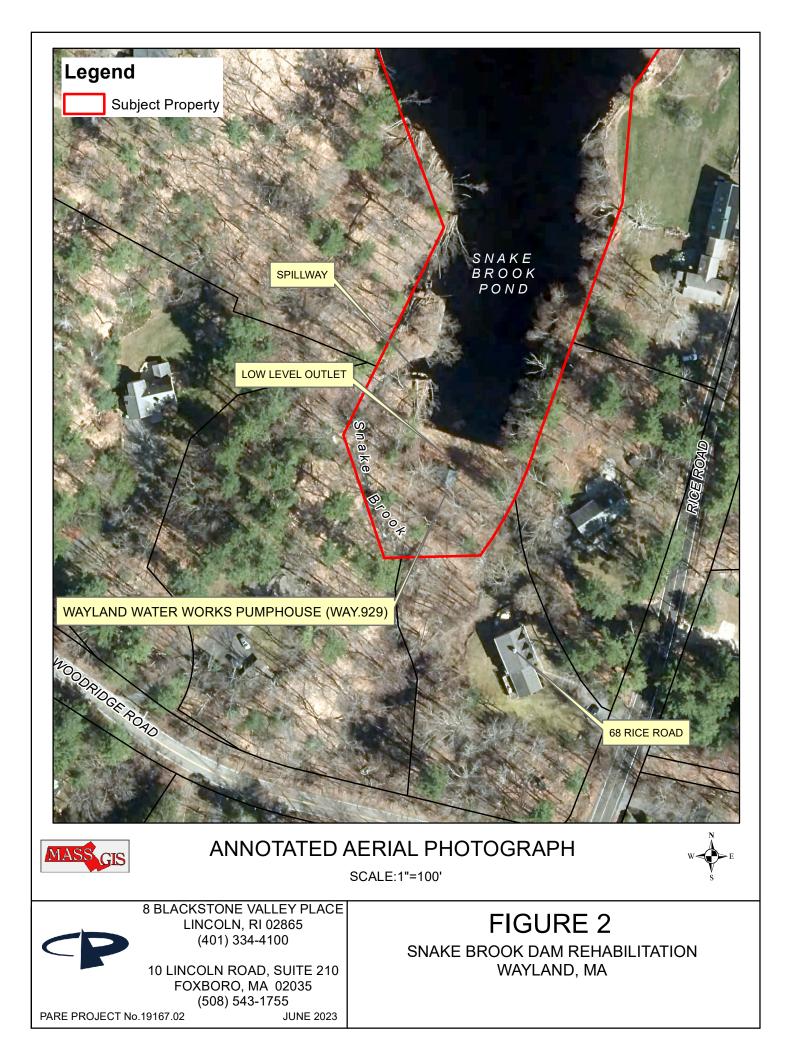
Since you are receiving this notice, <u>you</u> may have wetland or riverfront resource areas on your property.

Therefore, construction, cutting, clearing, or grading may require a permit. For clarification or for more information, call the Conservation office 508-358-3669 or visit our web site: <u>http://www.wayland.ma.us/Pages/WaylandMA\_Conservation/index</u>

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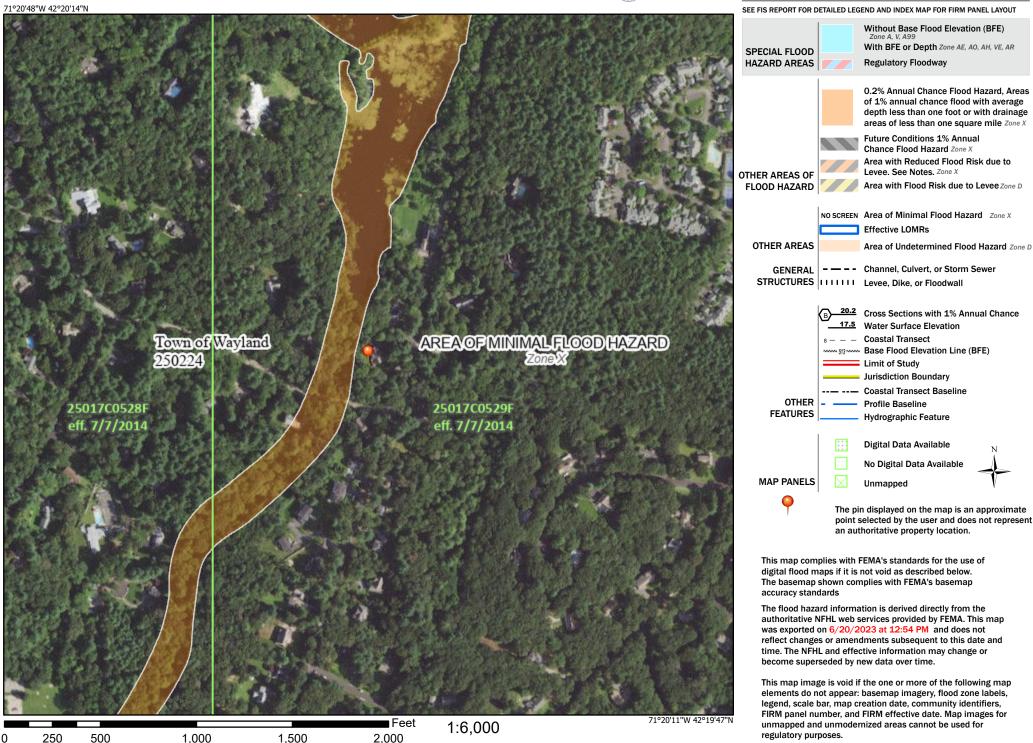




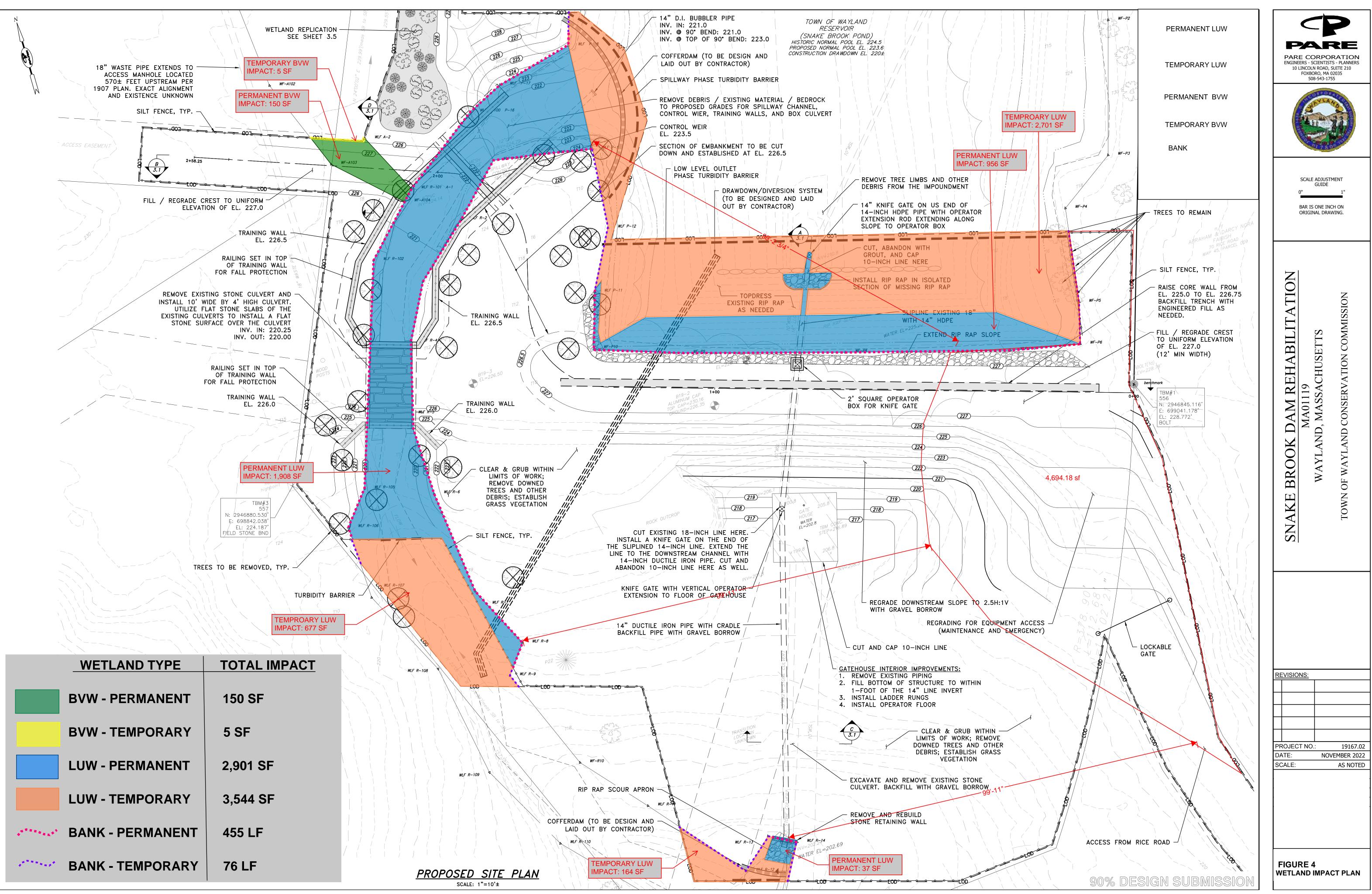
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Basemap Imagery Source: USGS National Map 2023



# **SECTION 4**

**Project Narrative** 

# I. Introduction

This Notice of Intent (NOI) is submitted by Pare Corporation (Pare) on behalf of the Town of Wayland Conservation Commission (the Town) for the proposed rehabilitation of the Snake Brook Dam in Wayland, Massachusetts. The proposed dam improvements are eligible as a Limited Project under the provisions of 310 CMR 10.53(3)(i). Rehabilitation is necessary to comply with current dam safety regulations and to address deficiencies in prior dam inspections.

The Snake Brook Dam (National ID MA00119/State ID 4-09-315-03, referred to herein as the Dam) impounds water along Snake Brook to form the Old Wayland Reservoirs. Originally constructed as part of the municipal water supply system, the dam currently impounds water for recreational uses. The Dam is classified as an Intermediate sized, Significant hazard potential structure under Commonwealth of Massachusetts dam safety rules and regulations. Dam inspections performed by Pare in 2022 found the dam to be in poor condition due to numerous deficiencies including:

- Routine and persistent beaver activity / accumulated debris issues at the spillway, causing elevated pool levels, limited freeboard during normal operations, and restricted discharge capacity;
- Inadequate discharge capacity to accommodate the SDF, even with a cleared spillway;
- Inoperable low level outlet system;
- Steep and irregular downstream slope that does not meet the required factors of safety for slope stability;
- Areas of overgrown tree and brush vegetation along the dam embankment;
- Areas of apparent sinkholes/vertical irregularities within the downstream area in the vicinity of the alignment of both the water supply distribution line and the stone culvert;
- Gatehouse deficiencies including collapsed roof, inoperable door, and lack of safe access to mechanical equipment;
- Sediment/leaf accumulation as well several downed trees and limbs; and
- Additional maintenance and dam safety concerns.

Based upon the findings of these evaluations, Pare developed a Design Basis Report summarizing alternatives for addressing the observed deficiencies and recommended approaches for repair. Based upon these recommendations Pare has worked with the Town to develop a dam rehabilitation program that includes improvements to the embankment and spillway as well as the establishment of low-level outlet capabilities.

Wetland resource areas in the project vicinity include Bank, Land Under Waterbodies and Waterways, Bordering Vegetated Wetlands, and 200-Foot Riverfront Area associated with Snake Brook. Impacts to resource areas are unavoidable due to the water dependent use of the dam and nature of the maintenance work. A wetland replication area is being proposed to account for the dam rehabilitation project and is sized to provide 3:1 mitigation for impacts from the overall project. Detailed description of project activities, resource area impacts, and regulatory compliance of the project is provided in the Project Narrative enclosed in this NOI.

The following narrative discusses the project background and existing site conditions; demonstrates the need for the work; describes the proposed project and alternatives evaluated; discusses activity within jurisdictional areas; and demonstrates project compliance with the applicable regulatory provisions of 310 CMR 10.00 and the Ordinance. The existing site conditions and the proposed reconstruction are shown on plans entitled "*Snake Brook Dam Rehabilitation*" prepared by Pare Corporation, dated September 2022 (the "Project Plans"). The Project Plans are bound under separate cover as Section 7 of this NOI.

# **II. Existing Site Conditions**

#### a. Snake Brook Dam

The Snake Brook Dam (National ID MA01119/State ID 4-09-315-03) impounds the Old Wayland Reservoirs, an 11.5 +/- acre impoundment of Snake Brook located west of Rice Road within the Town of Wayland, Massachusetts. The dam is located at the south end of the impoundment and discharges into Snake Brook, which eventually flows into Lake Cochituate approximately 2.5 miles southwest of the dam. The Town of Wayland owns the dam and is primarily responsible for the maintenance and operations at the structure. According to historical records, the dam was originally constructed with the intended use as a water supply structure for the town. However, it has since been used to impound water for passive recreational uses and is surrounded by residential development and town-owned conservation land.

Snake Brook Dam consists of an approximately 130-foot-long earthen embankment with a maximum structural height of approximately 25 feet. The dam is currently classified as an **Intermediate** sized, **Significant** (Class II) hazard potential dam under Commonwealth of Massachusetts dam safety rules and regulations stated in 302 CMR 10.00. The appurtenant structures include a spillway located northwest to the left abutment; a Water Supply System; and a Waste Pipe System.

The primary spillway channel extends southwest approximately 50 feet north of the dam structure. The spillway consists of a 10-foot-wide open channel with a stone masonry "waste" weir located at the upstream end. A timber sluiceway and siphon pipe were installed within the spillway to combat buildup of beaver debris and currently act as regulating structures for the reservoir elevation. The upstream portion of the spillway near its entrance extends through an area of bedrock. As the channel continues downstream, it consists of dry-laid stone masonry walls before passing through a 6-foot stone culvert near the right end of the dam. After passing through the culvert, the channel converts to a steep bedrock and boulder lined trapezoidal channel that extends along the right downstream groin of the dam.

Although the dam no longer serves its original purpose as a municipal water supply structure, the existing water supply system remains and consists of several components including the following:

- An upstream filter gallery collection system along the east (left) side of the reservoir with several intake lines that extend from the center of the impoundment to the left shoreline.
- A 10-inch diameter cast iron water supply intake line that extends from the filter well of the filter gallery along the left shore of the impoundment, along the pond bottom, through the dam embankment and through the right upstream corner of the gatehouse structure.
- An 18- inch diameter cast iron conduit that extends from the upstream stone masonry wall at the upstream toe of the upstream slope of the dam, through the embankment and through the right upstream corner of the gatehouse structure. The 18-inch line is supported on five stone piers along its alignment that all extend down to bedrock.
- A stone masonry gatehouse structure that houses the components of the former pumping system of the former water supply system. The pumping system includes a series of valves and a former turbine that are situated between the 10-inch and 18-inch intake lines located at the upstream right corner and the sole 10-inch water supply distribution lines that leaves the downstream left corner of the gatehouse structure.



- A 10-inch diameter water supply distribution line that extends from the downstream left corner of the gatehouse to the downstream area.
- A stone masonry waste culvert that extends from the base of the downstream right corner of the gatehouse to the downstream channel. The culvert measures 1.5-foot wide by 2-feet high at its upstream end and 3 sf at its downstream end at the downstream channel.

According to plans from 1907, a "waste" pipe system is located along the western shoreline of the impoundment. This system is controlled at the upstream end via a gate valve with an intake manhole, which would then convey flow from the manhole to the spillway downstream channel via an 18-inch diameter drainage pipe.

# b. Wetlands and Floodplain

Resource areas present at the project site include the Banks, Bordering Vegetated Wetland (BVW), Riverfront Area (RFA), and Land Under Water (LUW) associated with Old Wayland Reservoirs and Snake Brook. A majority of the site is located within the RFA and 100-foot Wetland Buffer Zones associated with resource areas onsite. Impacts to resource areas are unavoidable due to the nature of the work, and have been minimized to the extent practicable, as demonstrated in Section V of this Narrative. Wetlands are described in greater detail in the Wetland Delineation Report, which is included as Section 5 of this Notice of Intent.

Pare acknowledges that the Wayland Conservation Commission typically requires that wetland delineations be completed during the months of May through October; however, the wetlands boundaries were straightforward and weather conditions were favorable for delineation in early November. As demonstrated in the attached Wetland Report, much of the herbaceous layer remained at the time of delineation. Therefore, Pare is requesting that the Commission accept the delineation completed on November 19, 2019.

According to the FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) for the area (Map Number 25017C0529F, effective date July 7, 2014), the site designated as Zone X, Areas of Minimal Flood Hazard.

# c. Other Environmental Considerations

According to the most recent available MassGIS data, the site is not located within or in the vicinity of any Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACECs), mapped Priority or Estimated Habitats (MassGIS data layers PRIHAB\_POLY, ESTHAB\_POLY), or Outstanding Resource Waters (ORW). No Certified or Potential Vernal Pools have been identified on or near the site (MassGIS data layers PVPX1 and CVP\_PT).

# **III. Proposed Work**

The purpose of the project is to rehabilitate and improve the performance of the Snake Brook Dam and appurtenances. In addition, the Town of Wayland received a Certificate of Non-Compliance and Dam Safety Order from the Department of Conservation and Recreation on September 1, 2022. The Town is ordered to bring the dam into compliance and complete all repair work no later than March 2024. The project background and scope of the proposed project is summarized below and shown on the Project Plans, bound under separate cover.

#### a. Dam Rehabilitation

- 1. **Drawdown Diversion System:** Before work is conducted, the applicant proposes the installation of a a water diversion system to implement and maintain a construction drawdown to El. 220; approximately 4 feet below normal pool. The details of the system will be based upon the Contractor's design; but, as conceptually developed, the system includes three 6-inch diameter siphon conduits installed between the dam embankment and spillway area; as shown on Sheet 3.0 of the drawings.
- 2. Vegetation Management: The applicant proposes vegetation management within the vicinity of the proposed work. Areas located downstream of the dam are proposed to be cleared and grubbed, have downed trees and debris removed, and established with maintainable grass vegetation. Tree limbs and debris located within the impoundment shall be removed. Six trees located along the eastern bank, upstream from the dam shall remain. As shown on Sheer 3.0 of the Plans, 30 trees (>6" dbh) are proposed to be removed.
- 3. Embankment Improvements: The applicant proposes numerous improvements to the existing dam embankment including:
  - Raising the core wall from its existing elevation of 225.0 feet to an elevation of 226.75 and backfilling the trench with engineered fill as needed;
  - Filling/regrading the crest of the dam on either side of the spillway channel to a uniform elevation of 227.0;
  - Lowering the section of embankment located east of spillway to an elevation of 226.5;
  - Regrading the downstream slope to 2.5H:1V using gravel borrow;
  - Topdressing the existing riprap located upstream of the dam as needed; and
  - Extending the riprap slope located upstream of the dam across entire embankment
- 4. Establish Low-Level Outlet Capabilities: The applicant proposes improvements to the low-level outlet including installation of an upstream low-level outlet control system, slip-lining existing pipes, establishing a restored outlet conduit and addressing gatehouse concerns. Proposed improvements are described below:
  - Remove sediment and debris to the extent needed to complete the work. Complete clean up of the impoundment bottom around work area.
  - Clean and slip line the existing 18-inch cast iron conduit line with a 14-inch (I.D.) HDPE conduit; grout the annulus.
  - Install the upstream gate valve with operator extension rod along the upstream slope; install the secondary gate valve within the gatehouse.
  - Install the operator chamber for the upstream gate valve along the upstream edge of the crest.
  - Install a screen around the inlet (upstream) end of the 14-inch conduit
  - Cut and grout the existing 10-inch line (former water supply line).
  - Excavate to remove the existing stone masonry outlet culvert that extends from the gatehouse to the downstream channel; backfill to subgrade for the proposed 14-inch outlet conduit.
  - Install the 14-inch conduit and cradle from gatehouse.
  - Install the downstream headwall.
  - Backfill the excavation.
  - Install the riprap apron.

- 5. Gatehouse Interior Improvements: The applicant proposes improvements to the interior of the gatehouse located downstream of the dam. Proposed improvements include:
  - Removing existing piping
  - Filling in the bottom of the structure within one foot of the invert of the proposed 14-inch LLO conduit
  - Install a 2-inch drain line along and within the cradle of the 14-inch LLO outlet conduit.
  - Install ladder rungs
  - Install an operator floor
- 6. Spillway Improvements: Improvements within the spillway channel include:
  - Removal of beaver debris and replacing the existing beaver deceiver devices with new deceiver and deterrence devices;
  - Removal of existing debris, material, and bedrock within the channel to the proposed grades for the spillway, control weir, training walls and box culvert;
  - Installation of a control weir at the location of the existing spillway control section;
  - Installation of training walls along both sides of the of the upstream portion of the spillway and extending out from the downstream end of the proposed culvert. Railings are proposed to be installed atop the training walls for fall protection;
  - Removal of the existing stone culvert and the installation of a 10-foot wide by 4-foothigh culvert which utilizes the flat stone slabs of the existing culvert to install a flat stone surface over the proposed and;
  - Installation of a 14" Ductile Iron (D.I.) bubbler pipe, which is proposed to extend from the reservoir, along the eastern side of the spillway ending in between the proposed control weir and culvert.
- 7. Wetland Replication Area: Approximately 465 square feet (sf.) of upland area shall be converted to wetlands to mitigate the approximately 150 sf. proposed to be permanently altered as a result of this project. A total of 5 Red Maples (*Acer rubrum*), 12 Sweet Pepperbush (*Clethra alnifolia*), and 12 Highbush Blueberry (*Vaccinium corymbosum*) are proposed to be planted within this area, in addition to a wetland seed mix. Organic materials such as saved trees/logs are to be scattered through the replication area to provide vital habitat for local wildlife. All work within the replication area will be performed in accordance with the Wetland Protection Act and Regulations under 310CMR 10.55 and the Massachusetts Inland Wetland Replication Guide. Further details regarding the wetland replication area can be found on Sheet 3.5 of the Project Plans.
- b. Site Access

The downstream area is readily accessible via the dam access path extending from Rice Road. The applicant proposes the installation of a stone stabilization pad to protect the construction entrance of the site. The pad will consist of crushed stone and will minimize the tracking or flowing of sediments onto the public right of ways.

# c. Erosion and Sedimentation Control

Erosion and sedimentation controls will consist of perimeter controls (straw bales and silt fence barriers or approved alternative) and staged turbidity barriers installed at the limits of work as shown on the Project Plans. Turbidity barriers will be staged to protect localized work areas. Cofferdams are proposed to be installed along the mouth of the spillway channel as well as downstream of the channel to provide protection while work is conducted on the stone retaining wall downstream from the gate house. The contractor will be responsible for installing and maintaining all erosion controls as indicated in the contract documents.

# **IV. Alternatives Analysis**

During the development of the project approach and project design, a variety of design alternatives were reviewed and evaluated to identify a repair approach which would address dam safety deficiencies, meet the Owner's goals for the project, and limit the extent of required impacts to the resource areas surrounding the work area. An alternatives analysis for the project is provided in Section 5.0 of the Design Basis Report, attached as Section 6 of this NOI. Alternatives to the overall project approach are summarized briefly below:

- No Action: This alternative is not feasible due to the safety concerns present at the existing dam and was not considered further. Failure of the dam may cause loss of life and compromise important facilities and infrastructure. The Town is under a state mandate to repair the dam.
- **Dam Rehabilitation (Selected):** This alternative provides a long-term solution to structural and hydraulic deficiencies at the dam. This alternative best meets the needs of the Town as it will preserve the recreational and ecological functions provided by the Old Wayland Reservoirs, which contributes to a diverse and robust wildlife habitat within the Hamlin Woods conservation area. The Old Wayland Reservoirs also provide flood attenuation, provides aesthetic value for the neighborhood, and compliments the scenic road status of the adjacent Rice Road.
- **Dam Removal**: While removal of the dam would restore natural stream processes and eliminate future dam maintenance costs, removal of the dam was not considered the preferred alternative for the Town for several reasons, including:
  - The ecological and recreational value provided by the current impoundment are values that the Town is eager to preserve.
  - The current dam and impoundment offer a small amount of flood attenuation to the downstream area; removal of the dam would likely result in the loss of that attenuation, which could impact the downstream area. Further evaluation would be required to determine the extent of that impact and the need to implement any mitigative measures to offset the impact, such as multiple culvert replacements.
  - The removal of the dam may negatively impact a second dam as well as a trail crossing both located at the upper limits of the impoundment. Further evaluation would be required to determine the extent of that impact and the need to implement any mitigative measures to offset the impact.

Alternatives for various components of the rehabilitation work were considered, including alternatives for the upstream control system, improvements to the 18" conduit between the dam and gatehouse, restoration of the culvert passing the downstream conduit, and gatehouse improvements. Discussions of the various alternatives for each component of the project are provided in Section 5.0 of the Design Basis Report, attached as Section 6 of this NOI.

# V. Wetland Impacts and Regulatory Compliance

Due to the nature and location of the proposed work, the project will result in unavoidable impacts to various wetland resource areas. Permanent and temporary alterations are proposed to Bank and Bordering Vegetated Wetlands, and Land Under Waterbodies and Waterways associated with Old Wayland Reservoir and Snake Brook. In addition, a majority of the proposed work located outside of the resource areas will occur within the 100-foot Buffer Zones associated with the wetland resources on the site, and the 200-foot Riverfront Area associated with Snake Brook. However, because the project consists of maintenance of structures in

existence on August 7, 1996, it qualifies for an exemption from the requirements for Riverfront Area, pursuant to 310 CMR 10.58(6)(a). Throughout the design, significant efforts have been made to avoid or minimize permanent impacts to the extent practicable. Unavoidable alterations to vegetated wetlands will be offset at a ratio of 3:1 by constructing a replacement wetland in an onsite location adjacent to the dam. Impacts to the various resource areas on the project site, and compliance with the applicable performance standards, are described in the following sections.

#### a. Bank

The project will result in approximately 531 linear feet of impacts to the banks of Wayland Reservoir and Snake Brook. Approximately 455 linear feet of the proposed work are permanent impacts. Impacts along the banks of Snake Brook result from the installation of training walls, replacement of the existing stone culvert and the removal and rebuilding of the stone retaining wall located in the southern end of the property. Permanent impacts anticipated to occur along the banks of Wayland Reservoir are located along the upstream side of the dam. These impacts account for the removal of four trees located along the western bank, extending from the spillway entrance to the face of the dam, as well as extending the existing riprap slope located at the upstream face of the dam. While this work will permanently alter the character of the Bank, it is necessary in order address the safety and functionality concerns present within the existing conditions.

The remaining 76 linear feet of bank impact are considered temporary and result from construction access and installation of erosion and sedimentation controls. On the upstream side of the work area, including the spillway and eastern banks of the reservoir approximately 66 linear feet of Bank will be temporarily impacted. Downstream of the spillway, beyond the culvert proposed work will account for approximately 28 linear feet of temporary Bank impacts along the banks of Snake Brook. Following the completion of the work, any areas of Bank that are disturbed by temporary construction activities will be stabilized and allowed to naturally revegetate.

None of the proposed work along the banks will adversely affect the physical stability of the Bank, or ground water and surface water quality. Installation of the training walls will improve the stability of the banks of Snake Brook by reducing the amount of erosion. Proposed work is not anticipated to negatively impact whatever capacity the Bank may have to provide breeding habitat, escape cover and food for fisheries. Pursuant to the Limited Project provisions of 310 CMR 10.53(3)(i), the applicant requests that the Conservation Commission waive the requirement for a wildlife habitat evaluation for work affecting more than 50 linear feet of Bank.

The project meets the applicable Performance Standards for LUW established in 310 CMR 10.54(4) of WPA Regulations, as demonstrated below:

- (a) Where the presumption set forth in 310 CMR 10.54(3) is not overcome, any proposed work on a Bank shall not impair the following:
  - 1. the physical stability of the Bank;

The project will result in improvements to Bank stability at the dam and immediate downstream area.

2. the water carrying capacity of the existing channel within the Bank;

The project will not impair the carrying capacity of the Bank, but rather will increase the outlet's carrying capacity through improvements to the spillway and downstream outlet channel, and elimination of the obstructions from persistent beaver activity.

3. ground water and surface water quality;

The project consists of rehabilitation of an existing dam within municipal open space, with no new development or changes in use proposed. As such, no adverse impacts to water quality are anticipated.

4. the capacity of the Bank to provide breeding habitat, escape cover and food for fisheries;

The Banks to be impacted consist of a maintained dam embankment and appurtenant features which provide minimal value to fisheries in the context of the extensive aquatic habitat within the upstream and downstream areas. The dam improvements will have minimal direct impact to the overall capacity of the Old Wayland Reservoirs and Snake Brook to provide fisheries habitat, and the dam rehabilitation is necessary to preserve the habitat provided by the impoundment. The temporary drawdown will preserve an approximately 3.3 acre remnant pool with depths up to 11 feet deep in the area upstream of the work area, which will support refuge for wildlife during the construction period of approximately 4 months, and flow will be maintained to the downstream channel throughout the construction.

5. the capacity of the Bank to provide important wildlife habitat functions. A project or projects on a single lot, for which Notice(s) of Intent is filed on or after November 1,1987, that (cumulatively) alter(s) up to 10% or 50 feet (whichever is less) of the length of the bank found to be significant to the protection of wildlife habitat, shall not be deemed to impair its capacity to provide important wildlife habitat functions. In the case of a bank of a river or an intermittent stream, the impact shall be measured on each side of the stream or river. Additional alterations beyond the above threshold may be permitted if they will have no adverse effects on wildlife habitat, as determined by procedures contained in 310 CMR 10.60.

The Banks to be directly impacted consist of dam features which provide minimal value to wildlife in the context of the extensive habitats within the upstream and downstream areas. Pursuant to the Limited Project provisions of 310 CMR 10.53(3)(i), the applicant requests that the Conservation Commission waive the requirement for a wildlife habitat evaluation for work affecting more than 50 linear feet of Bank.

b. Land under Waterbody/Waterway

The proposed limits of work include approximately 6,445 square feet of impacts to Land Under Water (LUW), which is defined as land below the mean low water (MLW) level. Approximately 2,901 square feet of the anticipated impacts are permanent and result from removal of debris, existing material and bedrock located within the spillway channel to allow for the proposed grading. Additional permanent impacts within the channel result from the installation of a control weir at the mouth of the spillway, installation of the training walls, replacement of the stone culvert and the proposed rebuilding of the stone retaining wall. Approximately 956 square feet of the proposed permanent impacts occur along the upstream face of the dam. These impacts are a result of topdressing the existing riprap, installation of riprap in the isolated section of missing riprap located around the proposed knife gate, as well as installation of the knife gate. The remaining 3,544 square feet of impacts are considered temporary and result from areas providing site access and the installation of temporary cofferdams and turbidity barriers.

In addition to impacts within the limits of work, the project will require a temporary impoundment drawdown to safely complete the work in dry conditions. An approximately 4.5-foot deep drawdown (El. 220 $\pm$ ) is proposed which will expose approximately 3 acres of pond bottom along the perimeter of Old Wayland Reservoirs. The remaining pool will be approximately 3.3 acres in size and up to 11 feet deep during a period of approximately 4 months. The extent of the proposed construction drawdown is shown on Sheet 2.0 of the Plans.

The project meets the applicable Performance Standards for LUW established in 310 CMR 10.56(4) of WPA Regulations, as demonstrated below:

- (a) Where the presumption set forth in 310 CMR 10.56(3) is not overcome, any proposed work within Land under Water Bodies and Waterways shall not impair the following:
  - 1. The water carrying capacity within the defined channel, which is provided by said land in conjunction with the banks;

The project will not impair the carrying capacity of the dam's outlet channel, but rather will increase carrying capacity through improvements to the spillway and downstream outlet channel, and elimination of the obstructions from persistent beaver activity.

2. Ground and surface water quality;

The project consists of rehabilitation of an existing dam within municipal open space, with no new development or changes in use proposed. As such, no adverse impacts to water quality are anticipated.

3. The capacity of said land to provide breeding habitat, escape cover and food for fisheries;

The project will have minimal impact to the overall capacity of the Old Wayland Reservoirs and Snake Brook to provide fisheries habitat, and the dam rehabilitation is necessary to preserve the habitat provided by the impoundment. The temporary drawdown will preserve an approximately 3.3 acre remnant pool with depths up to 11 feet deep in the area upstream of the work area, which will support refuge for wildlife during the construction period, and flow will be maintained to the downstream channel throughout the construction.

4. The capacity of said land to provide important wildlife habitat functions. A project or projects on a single lot, for which Notice(s) of intent is filed on or after November 1, 1987, that (cumulatively) alter(s) up to 10% or 5,000 square feet (whichever is less) of land in this resource area found to be significant to the protection of wildlife habitat, shall not be deemed to impair its capacity to provide important wildlife habitat functions. Additional alterations beyond the above threshold may be permitted if they will have no adverse effects on wildlife habitat, as determined by procedures established under 310 CMR 10.60.

The proposed work is required to provide a long-term solution to deficiencies noted at the dam and will preserve a valuable wildlife habitat area in municipal open space. As noted in item (3) above, the proposed drawdown will be completed to preserve a remnant pool during the construction and maintain flow to the downstream area. Pursuant to the Limited Project provisions of 310 CMR 10.53(3)(i), the applicant requests that the Conservation Commission waive the requirement for a wildlife habitat evaluation for work affecting more than 5,000 square feet of LUW.

### c. Bordering Vegetated Wetland

The proposed work will result in a total of approximately  $155\pm$  square feet of permanent impacts to Bordering Vegetated Wetland areas. These impacts will result from the embankment grading located west of the spillway channel. These impacts are unavoidable due to the location of these wetlands in the direct vicinity of the dam embankment. Throughout the design, significant efforts have been made to reduce the scope of work within the vegetated wetland areas.

To mitigate these unavoidable losses, the town is proposing a Wetland Mitigation Area located adjacent to the existing BVW (Wetland A) along Snake Brook. The proposed mitigation involves excavating a replacement wetland area with a surface area of approximately 465 square feet, providing greater than 3:1 mitigation for lost wetlands. As shown on Sheet 3.5 of the Plans, the mitigation area will be excavated to 12" below the grade of the bordering wetland areas, backfilled with 12" of high organic content soils and planted with a mixture of saplings, shrubs, and wetland seed mix to establish a native community of wetland vegetation.

The project meets the applicable Performance Standards for BVW established in 310 CMR 10.55(4) of WPA Regulations, as demonstrated below:

(a). Where the presumption set forth in 310 CMR 10.55(3) is not overcome, any proposed work in a Bordering Vegetated Wetland shall not destroy or otherwise impair any portion of said area.

The proposed work will result in minimal loss of wetland resource areas that are unavoidable due to the nature of the project. Approximately 150 square feet of permanent impacts to BVW will result from regrading the dam embankment to a uniform slope immediately west of the spillway.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of 310 CMR 10.55(4)(a), the issuing authority may issue an Order of Conditions permitting work which results in the loss of up to 5000 square feet of Bordering Vegetated Wetland when said area is replaced in accordance with the following general conditions and any additional, specific conditions the issuing authority deems necessary to ensure that the replacement area will function in a manner similar to the area that will be lost:

*1. the surface of the replacement area to be created ("the replacement area") shall be equal to the area that will be lost ("the lost area")* 

The proposed replacement area will provide approximately 465 square feet of replacement wetland to mitigate for approximately 150 square feet of permanent impacts to BVW, creating greater than 3:1 replacement.

2. the ground water and surface elevation of the replacement area shall be approximately equal to that of the lost area

The proposed replacement area is located immediately adjacent to the A-series wetland area just north of the proposed alteration. The replacement wetland will be graded to match the seasonally flooded hydrology of the lost wetland. As such, elevations will be virtually identical to those within lost wetland.

3. The overall horizontal configuration and location of the replacement area with respect to the bank shall be similar to that of the lost area;

The replacement area will be constructed immediately north of the lost area and is hydrologically connected to the same wetland complex. This location presented the most suitable area for replacement due to its previously disturbed nature, accessibility, and the proximity to the BVW being impacted by embankment grading.

4. the replacement area shall have an unrestricted hydraulic connection to the same water body or waterway associated with the lost area;

The proposed replacement area is located immediately adjacent to the lost area and will be a part of the same wetland complex, which borders on the Old Wayland Reservoirs to the north.

5. the replacement area shall be located within the same general area of the water body or reach of the waterway as the lost area.

The proposed replacement area is situated immediately adjacent to the lost area and is therefore located within the same general area of the wetland complex.

6. at least 75% of the surface of the replacement area shall be reestablished with indigenous wetland plant species within two growing seasons, and prior to said vegetative reestablishment any exposed soil in the replacement area shall be temporarily stabilized to prevent erosion in accordance with standard U.S. Soil Conservation Service methods; and

The applicant understands that annual post-construction monitoring and reporting will be required to measure success of the replacement area and note any deficiencies. The ground surface will be stabilized as needed to protect the adjoining wetlands prior to establishment of vegetation. Conservation Department staff will monitor the replacement area.

7. the replacement area shall be provided in a manner which is consistent with all other General Performance Standards for each resource area in Part III of 310 CMR 10.00.

The proposed replication area will be constructed in accordance with performance standards for other wetland areas. The selected location represents that which is most easily accessible from the site and will best minimize disturbance to mature vegetation.

(d). Notwithstanding the provisions of 310 CMR 10.55(4)(a),(b) and (c), no project may be permitted which will have any adverse effect on specified habitat sites of rare vertebrate or invertebrate species, as identified by procedures established under 310 CMR 10.59.

According to the most recent MassGIS data, no such species are known to exist on or near the project.

(e) Any proposed work shall not destroy or otherwise impair any portion of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland that is within an Area of Critical Environmental Concern designated by the Secretary of Energy and Environmental Affairs under M.G.L. c. 21A, § 2(7) and 301 CMR 12.00: Areas of Critical Environmental Concern. 310 CMR 10.55(4)(e):

According to the most recent MassGIS data, the project is not located within an ACEC.

## d. 100-Foot Buffer Zone

Most of the project area located outside of wetland resource areas is located within the 100-foot buffer zones associated with the Banks and BVW areas on the site. As with all dam repair projects, work within the buffer zones is unavoidable due to the nature and location of the proposed work. Permanent alterations within the buffer zone include the impacts discussed in the previous sections. Additional temporary alterations to the buffer zone may result from construction vehicle access for the aforementioned repairs, installation of erosion controls, and vegetation clearing.

## e. 200-Foot Riverfront Area

The 200-foot Riverfront Area associated with Snake Brook encompasses a majority of the project area. Because the project consists of maintenance of structures in existence on August 7, 1996, it qualifies for an exemption from the requirements for Riverfront Area, pursuant to 310 CMR 10.58(6)(a).

# IX. Summary

This NOI addresses the proposed rehabilitation of Snake Brook Dam and is submitted pursuant to the Limited Project provisions of 310 CMR 10.53(3)(i). The proposed repairs are necessary to comply with current dam safety regulations, and to protect the downstream public.

Wetland resource areas present in the vicinity of the site include the Banks and Land Under Water associated with Wayland Reservoir and Snake Brook; 200-foot Riverfront Area associated with Snake Brook; and one Bordering Vegetated Wetland (BVW) located within the Dam project area. Impacts to wetlands have been minimized to the extent practicable given the nature of the project and the extensive constraints of the site. Mitigation in the form of wetland replication is proposed in order to offset the impacts proposed to BVW.

On behalf of the applicant, Pare respectfully requests that the Wayland Conservation Commission issue an Order of Conditions allowing the repairs to proceed as proposed.

# **SECTION 5**

Wetland Delineation Documentation



**PROJECT TITLE:** Snake Pond Dam

**PARE JOB NO.:** 19167.00

**DELINEATION DATE:** 11/6/19

**REPORT DATE:** 11/19/2019

LOCATION: Wayland, Massachusetts WEATHER: Sunny, 50 degrees PERFORMED BY: Lauren Gluck, P.W.S.

### **DISCUSSIONS AND COMMENTS**

Wetland resource areas in the vicinity of the Snake Pond Dam in Wayland were defined and delineated in accordance with the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act Regulations (310 CMR 10.00, referred to as the WPA Regulations), and the methodology specified in the publications entitled <u>Delineating Bordering</u> <u>Vegetated Wetlands under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act</u> (Jackson, 1995) and <u>The Regional</u> <u>Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: North Central and Northeast Region</u> (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 2012). Inspection and delineation of wetlands were completed on November 6, 2019.

The project site consists of an earthen dam with an impounded pond upstream of the dam and Snake Brook that outlets downstream of the dam. The site is located to the east of Rice Road and north of Woodbridge Road. Land bordering the pond and stream is a combination of undeveloped forest and residential properties. Vegetated wetlands border the eastern and southern sides of the pond.

According to the FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map for the area (Map Number 25017C0529F, effective date July 7, 2014), there is no 100-year Floodplain on the site. According to the most recent available MassGIS data, no certified or potential vernal pools, Areas of Critical Environmental Concern, Outstanding Resource Waters, or mapped rare species habitats are located on or in the vicinity of the site.

Pink field flags were placed at appropriate intervals along the wetland/upland borders. Primary parameters evaluated in wetland delineation included vegetation, indicators of wetland hydrology, and hydric soil indicators. Observed wetland hydrologic indicators and soils are described in the following sections and within the attached Delineation Data Forms. Wetland resource areas within the vicinity of the site include the following: **Bordering Vegetated Wetlands, Bank,** and **Stream.** Wetland resource areas are discussed in the following sections.

#### WETLAND DESCRIPTIONS

#### Pond

The Snake Brook Dam impounds a linear-shaped pond to the west of Rice Street known as the Old Wayland Reservoirs. The edges of the impoundment are defined under section 10.54 of the WPA Regulations as **Bank**, which has an associated **100-foot Buffer Zone**. Flag series P-1 to P-20 defines the Bank in the vicinity of the earthen dam, which were delineated according to first observable break in slope. The series begins at the eastern end of the pond and extends south along a forested slope between flags P-1 to P-6. The

series then turns west to follow the upstream edge of the dam embankment between P-6 and P-10, where the Bank consists of a maintained earthen slope. Flags P-10 to P-20 define the wooded western edge of the pond, where the Snake Brook outlets between flags P-15 and P-16. Species of vegetation observed along the Banks included, but were not limited to, the following:

Common Name	Scientific Name	Indicator Status		
Red Maple	Acer rubrum	FAC		
Red Oak	Quercus rubra	FACU		
White Pine	Prunus strobus	FACU		
American Beech	Fagus grandifolia	FACU		
White Oak	Quercus alba	FACU		
Highbush Blueberry	Vaccinium corymbosum	FACW		
Sweet Pepperbush	Clethra alnifolia	FAC		
Glossy Buckthorn	Frangula alnus	FAC		
Mountain Laurel	Kalmia latifolia	FACU		
Cinnamon Fern	Osmunda cinnamomea	FACW		
Japanese Barberry	Berberis thunbergii	FACU		
Great Laurel	Rhododendron maximum	FAC		

According to 310 CMR 10.56(2), land below the Mean Low Water (MLW) of the impoundment is defined as **Land Under Waterbodies**. The pond edges appeared shallow and mostly unvegetated near the dam embankment, although communities of emergent vegetation could be observed along the edges further upstream.

#### **Snake Brook**

The uncontrolled spillway at the west end of the dam discharges to Snake Brook, which flows south through a wooded area before crossing a culvert beneath Woodridge Road approximately 400 feet to the south. Snake Brook is shown on the USGS Topographic Quadrangle for the area as a perennial river and therefore has an associated **200-foot Riverfront Area** in accordance with section 10.58 (2) of the WPA Regulations.

The edges of the river are defined in section 10.54 of the Regulations as **Bank**. Flag series R-1 to R-18 and R-100 to R-113 define the east and west Banks of the river, respectively. Both series begin at the southwest side of the impoundment and extend south for a short distance along boulder walls flanking the channel before entering a stone culvert under a footpath between flags R-4 and R-103. Downstream of the culvert, the river extends downslope through a wooded area to the south of the dam. A walled outlet channel, which reportedly connects to the nearby gatehouse, is located between flags R-12 and R-16. The Banks are forested and have a variable understory of shrubs, including several invasive species. Vegetation observed along the Bank included, but was not limited to, the following species:

Common Name	Scientific Name	Indicator Status
Red Maple	Acer rubrum	FAC
Yellow Birch	Betula alleghaniensis	FAC
White Pine	Prunus strobus	FACU
American Beech	Fagus grandifolia	FACU
White Oak	Quercus alba	FACU
Burningbush	Ailanthus altissima	NI
Japanese Barberry	Berberis thunbergii	FACU
Sweet Pepperbush	Clethra alnifolia	FAC
Glossy Buckthorn	Frangula alnus	FAC
Mountain Laurel	Kalmia latifolia	FACU
Cinnamon Fern	Osmunda cinnamomea	FACW

#### **Bordering Vegetated Wetlands**

Two vegetated wetland areas were identified and delineated in the vicinity of the dam. Both wetlands border on Snake Brook and are therefore classified as **Bordering Vegetated Wetlands (BVWs)** with associated **100-foot Buffer Zones** under section 10.55 of the WPA Regulations. Each of these areas is described below.

#### Wetland A

A forested wetland occupies a low-lying area to the west of the dam. The wetland is hydrologically connected with both the impoundment and outlet, although an upland berm separates the area from the pond edge immediately northwest of the dam. Flag series A-1 to A-7 defines the eastern edge of this wetland, beginning at Bank flag R-101 and extending north, ending where the pond connects with the wetland at Bank flag P-20. Flag series A-100 to A-104 defines the west edge of the wetland, beginning along a forested slope to the northwest of the dam and ending along Snake Brook at Bank flag R-102. The wetland is forested, with a dense understory of shrubs and a ground cover of ferns. Most of the wetland appears to have a seasonally flooded hydrology that is primarily driven by groundwater. Water staining and drainage patterns at the north end of the wetland bordering the pond indicate that it likely receives overflow from the impoundment during high water. Species of vegetation observed within the wetland included, but were not limited to, the following:

Common Name	Scientific Name	Indicator Status
Red Maple	Acer rubrum	FAC
Yellow Birch	Betula alleghaniensis	FAC
White Pine	Pinus strobus	FACU
Black Birch	Betula lenta	FACU
Glossy Buckthorn	Frangula alnus	FAC
Sweet Pepperbush	Clethra alnifolia	FAC
Highbush Blueberry	Vaccinium corymbosum	FACW
Cinnamon Fern	Osmunda cinnamomea	FACW
Sensitive Fern	Onoclea sensibilis	FACW
Royal Fern	Osmunda regalis	OBL

#### Wetland B

A forested wetland is located to the east of Snake Brook within the wooded area downstream of the dam. Flag series B-1 to B-6 defines the north edge of the BVW, beginning at Bank flag R-17 and extending east along the toe of the slope before turning south, terminating along a stone wall bordering the adjacent residential property. The wetland edges are forested with a dense understory dominated by invasive shrubs, although wetter areas in the wetland interior are more sparsely vegetated and dominated by native shrubs. The wetland appears to have a variable hydrology, ranging from seasonally saturated areas along the upper margins to semipermanently flooded areas at the interior. The wetland appears to be fed by a combination of groundwater and overflow from Snake Brook. Species of vegetation observed within the wetland included, but were not limited to, the following:

Common Name	Scientific Name	Indicator Status
Slippery Elm	Ulmus rubra	FAC
Red Maple	Acer rubrum	FAC
American Beech	Fagus grandifolia	FACU
White Pine	Pinus strobus	FACU
Burningbush	Ailanthus altissima	NI
Japanese Barberry	Berberis thunbergii	FACU
Glossy Buckthorn	Frangula alnus	FAC
Sweet Pepperbush	Clethra alnifolia	FAC
Highbush Blueberry	Vaccinium corymbosum	FACW
Elderberry	Sambucus nigra	FACW
Jewelweed	Impantiens capensis	FACW
Poison Ivy	Toxicodendron radicans	FAC
Cinnamon Fern	Osmunda cinnamomea	FACW
Sensitive Fern	Onoclea sensibilis	FACW
Royal Fern	Osmunda regalis	OBL
Tussock Sedge	Carex stricta	OBL

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Photo 1: Bank along upstream slope of embankment, consisting of maintained grass slope.



Photo 2: View of impoundment, facing north from dam.





Photo 3: Wooded section of bank at upstream right side of dam, facing southeast toward gatehouse.



Photo 4: A-series BVW to the west of the impoundment and outlet.



Photo 5: Uncontrolled spillway with beaver control device at right abutment.



Photo 6: Outlet channel, facing downstream from spillway toward footbridge.



Photo 7: Walled outlet channel downstream of dam, located between flags R-12 and R-15.



Photo 8: B-series BVW within the wooded area downstream of the dam.

# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Northcentral and Northeast Region

Project/Site: Snake Pond Dam	_ City/County: Wayland	Sampling Date: <u>11/6/2019</u>
Applicant/Owner: Town of Wayland	State	. MA Sampling Point: A-3 Wetland
Investigator(s): Lauren Gluck, P.W.S Pare Corporation	_ Section, Township, Range: Waylanc	l
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): I	Local relief (concave, convex, none):	Slope (%):
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR Lat:	Long:	Datum:
Soil Map Unit Name: 416C - Narragansett silt loam, 8 to 15	percent slopes, very stony N	VI classification: <u>NA</u>
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of	year? Yes No (If no, e	xplain in Remarks.)
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significant	tly disturbed? Are "Normal Circum	stances" present? Yes No
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally	problematic? (If needed, explain a	any answers in Remarks.)

# SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present?	Yes / No Yes / No	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes <u>/</u> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes 🗸 No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
Remarks: (Explain alternative procedu	ires here or in a separate report.)	

### HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
	✓       Drainage Patterns (B10)         Moss Trim Lines (B16)         Dry-Season Water Table (C2)         Crayfish Burrows (C8)         Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)         Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present?       Yes No Depth (inches):         Water Table Present?       Yes No Depth (inches):         Saturation Present?       Yes No Depth (inches):         (includes capillary fringe)       No Depth (inches):         Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspective)	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No

# **VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute	Dominant		Dominance Test worksheet:
<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>30'</u> ) 1 Acer rubrum	<u>% Cover</u>	<u>Species?</u>		Number of Dominant Species
	<u>30</u> 20	<u>Y</u>	FAC	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A)
2. Pinus strobus		<u> </u>	FACU	Total Number of Dominant
3. Betula alleghaniensis	20	<u>Y</u>	FAC	Species Across All Strata: <u>5</u> (B)
4. Fagus grandifolia	10	<u>N</u>	FACU	Percent of Dominant Species
5. <u>Betula lenta*</u>	10	N	FACU	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>80%</u> (A/B)
6				Prevalence Index worksheet:
7				Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
	90	= Total Co	/er	OBL species x 1 =
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15')				FACW species x 2 =
1. Clethra alnifolia	20	Y	FAC	FAC species x 3 =
2. Frangula alnus	10	N	FAC	FACU species x 4 =
3. Pinus strobus	10	N	FACU	UPL species x 5 =
4. Tsuga canadensis	10	N	FACU	Column Totals: (A) (B)
5. Fagus grandifolia	5	 N	FACU	Prevalence Index = B/A =
6. Betula alleghaniensis	5	 N	FAC	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
				1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
7				$\checkmark$ 2 - Dominance Test is >50%
	60	= Total Cov	/er	3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>5'</u> )		V		4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
1. Osmunda cinnamomea	40	Y	FACW	data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
2. Rubus flagellaris	10	<u>N</u>	FACU	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
3. Lycopodium obscurum	10	<u>N</u>	FACU	<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must
4	·			be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
5				Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
6	. <u> </u>			<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in diameter
7				at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
8				Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH
9				and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
10				Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
11				of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
12.				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
	60	= Total Cov		height.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> )				
,,				
1				
2				
3			·	Hydrophytic Vegetation
4				Present? Yes $\checkmark$ No
		= Total Cov	/er	
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate s	sheet.)			
* Exhibited buttressed roots				

SOIL
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Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)								
Depth	Depth Matrix Redox Features							
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
2 - 0"	10 YR 2/2	100%					Hemic	0
0 - 6"	10 YR 2/2	90%	7.5 YR 4/6	10%	С	М	SIL	Α
6+"	10 YR 4/3	80%	10 YR 2/2	10%	D	Μ	LS	В
		<u> </u>	7.5 YR 4/6	10%	С	Μ		Concentrations and depletions @ 10"
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·						<u> </u>		
		·						
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=C Hydric Soil	oncentration, D=Dep	letion, RM=	Reduced Matrix, MS	S=Masked	Sand Gra	ains.		n: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.
Histosol			Polyvalue Belov	v Surface	(S8) ( <b>I RE</b>	2 R.		Muck (A10) (LRR K, L, MLRA 149B)
	pipedon (A2)		NLRA 149B)		(00) (En	,		Prairie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	istic (A3)		Thin Dark Surfa					Mucky Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, R)
	en Sulfide (A4)		Loamy Mucky N			, L)		Surface (S7) (LRR K, L)
	d Layers (A5) d Below Dark Surface	e (A11)	Loamy Gleyed I Depleted Matrix		)			alue Below Surface (S8) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> ) Dark Surface (S9) ( <b>LRR K, L</b> )
						langanese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)		
	Aucky Mineral (S1)		Depleted Dark S		7)			ont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)
	Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4) Redox Depressions (F8) Mesic Spodic (TA6) (MLRA 144A, 145, 14							
	Redox (S5) d Matrix (S6)							arent Material (F21) Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)
	Inface (S7) (LRR R, N	ILRA 149B	5)					(Explain in Remarks)
	f hydrophytic vegetat Layer (if observed):		tland hydrology mus	t be prese	ent, unless	disturbed	or problemation	C.
Type:	Layer (il observeu).							
	ches):						Hydric Soil	Present? Yes <u>/</u> No
Remarks:								

## WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Northcentral and Northeast Region

Project/Site: Snake Pond Dam	City/County: Wayland	Samp	ling Date: <u>1</u>	1/6/2019
Applicant/Owner: Town of Wayland	Sta	ate: <u>MA</u> Sar	npling Point:	A-3 Upland
Investigator(s): Lauren Gluck, P.W.S Pare Corporation	_ Section, Township, Range: Wayla	nd		
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): L	ocal relief (concave, convex, none): _		Slope	(%):
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR Lat:	Long:		Datum:	
Soil Map Unit Name: 416C - Narragansett silt loam, 8 to 15 p		NWI classification:	NA	
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of y	rear? Yes 🗸 No (If no	, explain in Remarks	s.)	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significant	y disturbed? Are "Normal Circ	umstances" present	?Yes 🗸	No
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally p	roblematic? (If needed, explai	n any answers in Re	emarks.)	

# SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present? Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes Yes Yes	No No No	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes No If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
Remarks: (Explain alternative proced	lures here or in a	a separate report.)	

#### HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	Drainage Patterns (B10)
High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	Crayfish Burrows (C8)
Sediment Deposits (B2) Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living	Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4) Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled So	pils (C6) Geomorphic Position (D2)
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)	Shallow Aquitard (D3)
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remarks)	Microtopographic Relief (D4)
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? Yes No Depth (inches):	
Water Table Present? Yes No Depth (inches):	
Saturation Present? Yes No Depth (inches): (includes capillary fringe)	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspec	tions) if available
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Remarks:	

### **VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute	Dominan	t Indicator	Dominance Test worksheet:
Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> )	% Cover	Species?		Number of Dominant Species
1. Acer rubrum	30	Y	FAC	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: $3$ (A)
2. Pinus strobus	20	Y	FACU	Total Number of Dominant
3. Quercus alba	20	Y	FACU	Species Across All Strata:8 (B)
4. Fagus grandifolia	10	Ν	FACU	Percent of Dominant Species
5				That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>38%</u> (A/B)
6				Provedence in decomplicity of
7				Prevalence Index worksheet:
··	~~	= Total Co		Total % Cover of:        Multiply by:           OBL species         x 1 =
			WEI	FACW species         x 2 =
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>15'</u> )	00	V	540	FAC species x 2 =
1. Frangula alnus			FAC	FACU species x 4 =
2. Pinus strobus		Y	FACU	UPL species x 5 =
3. Vaccinium corymbosum	5	N	FACW	Column Totals: (A) (B)
4				
5				Prevalence Index = B/A =
6			<b>.</b> . <b></b>	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
7				1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
		= Total Co		2 - Dominance Test is >50%
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>5'</u> )				3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
Pinus strobus seedling	10	Y	FACU	<ul> <li>4 - Morphological Adaptations<sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)</li> </ul>
2. Osmunda cinnamomea	10	Y	FACW	Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
2. Chimaphila maculata	5		FACU	
		Y		<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must
4			·	be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
5				Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
6				<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in diameter
7				at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
8			<u> </u>	Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH
9				and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
10.				Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
11				of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
12.				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
12	-	= Total Co		height.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30')			WEI	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
1				
2				
3			·	Hydrophytic
4				Vegetation Present? Yes <u>No /</u>
		= Total Co	over	
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate	sheet.)			

	ription: (Describe	to the depth				or confirm	the absence o	of indicators.)	
Depth (inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Redo Color (moist)	<u>x Feature</u> %	s Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Ren	narks
<u>1/2 - 0"</u>	10 YR 2/2	100%		/0			Hemic	0	nano
0 - 4"	10 YR 2/2	100%					SIL	A	
4+"	10 YR 4/4	100%					LS	В	
		10070			·			_	
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					·		<u> </u>		
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					·				
<sup>1</sup> Type: C=Co Hydric Soil I	oncentration, D=Dep	letion, RM=F	Reduced Matrix, M	S=Masked	d Sand Gra	ains.	<sup>2</sup> Location:	PL=Pore Lining, or Problematic F	M=Matrix.
Histosol			Polyvalue Belo	w Surface	(S8) ( <b>LR</b> F	R,			(, L, MLRA 149B)
Histic Ep	pipedon (A2)	-	MLRA 149B	)			Coast P	rairie Redox (A16	6) (LRR K, L, R)
Black His Hydroge	stic (A3) n Sulfide (A4)	-	Thin Dark Surfa Loamy Mucky I					ucky Peat or Peat Irface (S7) ( <b>LRR I</b>	(S3) (LRR K, L, R) K, L)
	d Layers (A5)	-	Loamy Gleyed			, _/		ue Below Surface	
	d Below Dark Surface	e (A11) _	Depleted Matrix					rk Surface (S9) (L	
	ark Surface (A12) 1ucky Mineral (S1)	-	Redox Dark Su Depleted Dark					-	(F12) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> ) s (F19) ( <b>MLRA 149</b>
Sandy G	Bleyed Matrix (S4)	-	Redox Depress	sions (F8)			Mesic S	podic (TA6) ( <b>MLF</b>	RA 144A, 145, 149B
	edox (S5) Matrix (S6)							rent Material (F21 allow Dark Surfac	
	rface (S7) (LRR R, N	<b>/ILRA 149B</b> )						Explain in Remark	
<sup>3</sup> Indicators of	f hydrophytic vegetat	tion and wet	and hydrology mu	st be pres	ent. unless	s disturbed	or problematic.		
	_ayer (if observed):		, <u>.</u>		- ,				
Туре:									
	ches):						Hydric Soil F	Present? Yes	No <u>√</u>
Remarks:									

# WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Northcentral and Northeast Region

Project/Site: Snake Pond Dam	City/County: Wayland		Sampling Date: 11	/6/2019
Applicant/Owner: Town of Wayland		State: MA	_ Sampling Point: _E	3-3 Wetland
Investigator(s): Lauren Gluck, P.W.S Pare Corporation	Section, Township, Range: W	/ayland		
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.):	_ Local relief (concave, convex, non	ne):	Slope (%	%):
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR Lat:	Long:		Datum:	
Soil Map Unit Name: 416B - Narragansett silt loam 3 to 89	% slopes, very stony	NWI classifica	ation: <u>NA</u>	
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of	of year? Yes 📈 No (	If no, explain in Re	emarks.)	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significa	antly disturbed? Are "Normal	Circumstances" pr	resent?Yes 🗸	No
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology natural	y problematic? (If needed, e	explain any answers	s in Remarks.)	

# SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present?	Yes _ 🗸 No Yes _ 🗸 No	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes _ / No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
Remarks: (Explain alternative proced	lures here or in a separate report.)	

### HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	Drainage Patterns (B10)
High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
✓ Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	Crayfish Burrows (C8)
Sediment Deposits (B2) Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living R	Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4) Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled So	ils (C6) Geomorphic Position (D2)
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)	Shallow Aquitard (D3)
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remarks)	✓ Microtopographic Relief (D4)
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? Yes No Depth (inches):	
Water Table Present? Yes No Depth (inches):	
Saturation Present? Yes <u>Ves</u> No <u>Depth</u> (inches): <u>4"</u> (includes capillary fringe)	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspect	ions), if available:
Deve ed e	
Remarks:	

#### **VEGETATION –** Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> )	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?		Dominance Test worksheet:
1. Acer rubrum	30	Y	FAC	Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A)
2. Quercus rubra	20	Y	FACU	
3. Pinus strobus	10	N	FACU	Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 8 (B)
4. Fraxinus americana	10	N	FACU	Percent of Dominant Species
5				That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 50% (A/B)
6				Prevalence Index worksheet:
7				Total % Cover of:Multiply by:
	70	= Total Cov	/er	OBL species x 1 =
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15' )				FACW species <u>20</u> x 2 = <u>40</u>
1. Euonymous alata	20	Y	Assume FACU	FAC species <u>50</u> x 3 = <u>150</u>
2. Berberis thunbergii	10	Y	FACU	FACU species <u>90</u> x 4 = <u>360</u>
3. Acer rubrum	10	Y	FAC	UPL species $x 5 =$
4Fagus grandifolia	5	N	FACU	Column Totals: <u>160</u> (A) <u>550</u> (B)
5. Quercus rubra	5	N	FACU	Prevalence Index = B/A =
6				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
7				1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
		= Total Cov		2 - Dominance Test is >50%
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>5'</u> )		- 10101 001		3 - Prevalence Index is $≤3.0^1$
4. Operationale simulations	20	Y	FACW	4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet)
Osmunda cinnamornea     Toxicodendron radicans	10	Y	FAC	$\checkmark$ Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
3. Dryopteris marginalis	10	Y	FACU	
4				<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
5				Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
6				<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in diamete
7				at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
89				<b>Sapling/shrub</b> – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
10				Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
11				of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
12				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
	40	= Total Cov	/er	height.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> )				
1				
2				
3				Hydrophytic
				Hydrophytic Vegetation
4				Present? Yes 🗸 No
	0	= Total Cov	/er	

Invasive shrub vegetation (B. thunbergii and E. alata) skew the vegetation composition to falsely indicate upland vegetation. Wetland vegetation is dominant in 50% of plots and better represented in the herb and tree strata. Other wetland vegetation was observed outside of the plot including Clethra alnifolia, Impatiens capensis, Sambucus nigra, and Cornus amomum.

Profile Desc	cription: (Describe	to the depth	needed to docu	iment the i	ndicator	or confirm	the absence	of indicators.)
Depth (inches)	Matrix Color (moist)	%	Red Color (moist)	ox Feature %	s Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture	Remarks
<u>(inches)</u> 1 - 0"	10 YR 2/1	100%		70	<u> </u>	LUC	Hemic	0
0 - 5"	10 YR 2/1	90%					SIL	A, saturated at 4"
	10 11( 2/1	90%						
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1		·					2	
Type: C=C Hydric Soil	oncentration, D=Dep	letion, RM=F	Reduced Matrix, M	IS=Masked	Sand Gra	ains.		: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix. for Problematic Hydric Soils <sup>3</sup> :
Histosol			Polyvalue Belo	ow Surface	(S8) (LRF	RR.		/uck (A10) ( <b>LRR K, L, MLRA 149B</b> )
	pipedon (A2)	_	MLRA 149E		(00) (	,		Prairie Redox (A16) ( <b>LRR K, L, R</b> )
	istic (A3)	-	Thin Dark Surf					Nucky Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, R)
	en Sulfide (A4) d Layers (A5)	_	Loamy Mucky Loamy Gleyed			, L)		iurface (S7) (LRR K, L) lue Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)
	d Below Dark Surfac	e (A11)	Depleted Matri		.)			ark Surface (S9) (LRR K, L)
	ark Surface (A12)	. , _	Redox Dark S					anganese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)
	/lucky Mineral (S1)	_	_ Depleted Dark		7)			ont Floodplain Soils (F19) ( <b>MLRA 149B</b> )
	Gleyed Matrix (S4) Redox (S5)	-	Redox Depres	sions (F8)				Spodic (TA6) ( <b>MLRA 144A, 145, 149B</b> ) arent Material (F21)
	Matrix (S6)							hallow Dark Surface (TF12)
	rface (S7) (LRR R, M	<b>/ILRA 149B</b> )						(Explain in Remarks)
3								
	f hydrophytic vegeta Layer (if observed):		and hydrology mu	ist be prese	ent, unless	s disturbed	or problematio	2.
Type: Be								
	ches): <u>5</u> "						Hvdric Soil	Present? Yes <u>/</u> No
Remarks:	ciles). <u>0</u>							
Remarks.								

## WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM – Northcentral and Northeast Region

Project/Site: Snake Pond Dam	City/County: <u>Wayland</u>	Sam	pling Date: <u>11/6/2</u>	2019
Applicant/Owner: Town of Wayland		State: MA Sa	ampling Point: B-3	Upland
Investigator(s): Lauren Gluck, P.W.S Pare Corporation	Section, Township, Range: Wa	iyland		
Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.):	Local relief (concave, convex, none	e):	Slope (%): _	
Subregion (LRR or MLRA): LRR Lat:	Long:		Datum:	
Soil Map Unit Name: 416B - Narragansett silt loam 3 to 8%	slopes, very stony	NWI classification:	NA	
Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of	year? Yes 🗸 No (If	no, explain in Remarl	ks.)	
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significar	ntly disturbed? Are "Normal C	Circumstances" preser	nt? Yes 🗸 No	)
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally	problematic? (If needed, ex	plain any answers in F	Remarks.)	

# SUMMARY OF FINDINGS – Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Hydric Soil Present?	Yes No Yes No	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland? Yes No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes No	If yes, optional Wetland Site ID:
Remarks: (Explain alternative proced	ures here or in a separate repor	.)

### HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:	Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required; check all that apply)	Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
Surface Water (A1) Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	Drainage Patterns (B10)
High Water Table (A2) Aquatic Fauna (B13)	Moss Trim Lines (B16)
Saturation (A3) Marl Deposits (B15)	Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
Water Marks (B1) Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	Crayfish Burrows (C8)
Sediment Deposits (B2) Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living	Roots (C3) Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)
Drift Deposits (B3) Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)
Algal Mat or Crust (B4) Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled So	pils (C6) Geomorphic Position (D2)
Iron Deposits (B5) Thin Muck Surface (C7)	Shallow Aquitard (D3)
Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7) Other (Explain in Remarks)	Microtopographic Relief (D4)
Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? Yes No Depth (inches):	
Water Table Present? Yes No Depth (inches):	
Saturation Present? Yes No Depth (inches): (includes capillary fringe)	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspec	tions) if available
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring weil, aenai photos, previous inspec	
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring weil, aenai photos, previous inspec	
Remarks:	

# **VEGETATION** – Use scientific names of plants.

	Absolute		t Indicator	Dominance Test worksheet:
<u>Tree Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>30'</u> ) 1. Acer rubrum		<u>Species?</u>		Number of Dominant Species
Dimonstankous	<u>30</u> 20	<u>Y</u> Y	FAC	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A)
2. Pinus strobus 3 Quercus rubra	10		FACU	Total Number of Dominant
0			FACU	Species Across All Strata:6 (B)
4				Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 17% (A/B)
5			·	That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: (A/B)
6				Prevalence Index worksheet:
7		. <u></u>		Total % Cover of: Multiply by:
	60	= Total Co	ver	OBL species x 1 =
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15')				FACW species x 2 =
1. <u>Euonymus alatus</u>	30	Y	FACU	FAC species x 3 =
2. Berberis thunbergii	20	Y	FACU	FACU species x 4 =
3. Acer rubrum	10	N	FAC	UPL species x 5 = (A)
4				Column Totals: (A) (B)
5				Prevalence Index = B/A =
6				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:
				1 - Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
7				2 - Dominance Test is >50%
	60	= Total Co	over	3 - Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 <sup>1</sup>
<u>Herb Stratum</u> (Plot size: <u>5'</u> ) 1. Euonymus alatus	10	Y	FACU	4 - Morphological Adaptations <sup>1</sup> (Provide supporting
				data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation <sup>1</sup> (Explain)
2				
3				<sup>1</sup> Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must
4				be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
5				Definitions of Vegetation Strata:
6				<b>Tree</b> – Woody plants 3 in. (7.6 cm) or more in diameter
7				at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.
8				Sapling/shrub – Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH
9			<u> </u>	and greater than or equal to 3.28 ft (1 m) tall.
10	<u> </u>			Herb – All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless
11				of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft tall.
12.				Woody vines – All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft in
	10	= Total Co	ver	height.
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30')				
1				
2				
3				Hydrophytic Vegetation
4				Present? Yes No 🗸
		= Total Co	over	
Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate	sheet.)			

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)											
Depth Matrix Redox Features											
(inches)	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type <sup>1</sup>	Loc <sup>2</sup>	Texture		Remarks		
N/A								Bouldery			
				- <u></u>							
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	oncentration, D=Depl	etion, RM=R	educed Matrix, M	S=Masked	I Sand Gra	ains.			Lining, M=Mat		
Hydric Soil	Indicators:						Indicators	for Probler	matic Hydric S	Soils <sup>3</sup> :	
Histosol	(A1)	_	Polyvalue Belo	w Surface	(S8) (LRF	RR,	2 cm N	/luck (A10) (	LRR K, L, ML	RA 149B)	
Histic Ep	oipedon (A2)		MLRA 149B	)			Coast	Prairie Rede	ox (A16) ( <b>LRR</b>	K, L, R)	
Black Histic (A3) Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR R, MLRA 149B)							5 cm N	5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3) (LRR K, L, R)			
	n Sulfide (A4)		Loamy Mucky N			, L)		Surface (S7)			
	d Layers (A5)	_	Loamy Gleyed	Matrix (F2	)		Polyva	Polyvalue Below Surface (S8) (LRR K, L)			
-	d Below Dark Surface	e (A11)	Depleted Matrix				Thin Dark Surface (S9) (LRR K, L)				
	ark Surface (A12)	_	_ Redox Dark Su	. ,			Iron-Manganese Masses (F12) (LRR K, L, R)				
Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1) Depleted Dark Surface (F7)							Piedmont Floodplain Soils (F19) (MLRA 149B)				
Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4) Redox Depressions (F8)							Mesic	Spodic (TA6	6) ( <b>MLRA 144</b> /	<b>A, 145, 149B</b> )	
Sandy Redox (S5)								Red Parent Material (F21)			
Stripped Matrix (S6)							Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)				
Dark Surface (S7) (LRR R, MLRA 149B)								Other (Explain in Remarks)			
<sup>3</sup> Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.											
		ion and wetla	and hydrology mus	st be prese	ent, unless	s disturbed	or problemation	<b>)</b> .			
Restrictive I	_ayer (if observed):										
Type: <u>B</u> e	edrock/ boulders										
Depth (in	ches): <u>0"</u>						Hydric Soil	Present?	Yes	No 🗸	
Remarks:	<u> </u>										
	hauldon, and prom	inant hadro	ale autorana raat	risted sol	aamala	in the view	ity of the west	Hond/unlon	dadaa		
Extremely	bouldery and prom	iment bedro	ck outcrops rest	ncted sol	sample	in the vicir	inty of the we	liand/upian	a eage.		

# **SECTION 6**

Design Basis Report Bound Separately

# **SECTION 7**

Project Plans Bound Separately