# TOWN OF VERNON Inland Wetlands Commission (IWC) Meeting Notice & Agenda Tuesday, January 25, 2022, 7:00 PM

VIA Virtual Zoom Meeting

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#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order & Roll Call
- 2. Administrative Actions
  - 2.1 2022 Election of Officers
  - 2.2 Amendment/Adoption of Agenda Additional business to be considered under agenda item #8 "Other Business" requires Commission vote
  - 2.3 Approval of the Minutes from the December 21, 2021 meeting
  - 2.4 Call for filing(s) of Intervener Petitions and Determination of Status
- 3. New Applications for Receipt and Determination of Significance, if any
  - 3.1 **IWC 2022-01, 501 Talcottville Rd.** An Application by Vernon Development LLC for a Wetlands Re-designation and a Wetlands Permit for activity in a regulated area, in order to develop a child-care facility at 501 Talcottville Rd. (Tax Map 09, Block 007, Parcel 0001D).
- 4. Public Hearing and Action on New Applications
  - 4.1 **IWC 2021-07, 57 Hartford Turnpike**. An Application by Jerry Fornarelli for a Wetlands Redesignation and a Wetlands Permit for activity in a regulated area, in order to construct a deck addition, pavilion structure, and storage building at 57 Hartford Turnpike (Tax Map 01, Block 0158, Parcel 00057)
  - 4.2 **IWC 2021-08, 95 Hartford Turnpike**. An application of Jerry Fornarelli for a Wetlands Permit by Commission for site grading, new construction, and other development activities in an upland review area, at the Golf Land recreation center located at 95 Hartford Turnpike, (Assessor's ID: Map 1, Block 158, Parcel 00095).
- 5. Status of Cease & Correct Orders, if any
  - 5.1 26 Naek Rd. & 321 Talcottville Rd.

- 6. Wetlands Enforcement Officer Report, if any
- 7. Inland Wetlands Agent Approvals, if any
- 8. Other Business
- 9. Adjournment

Rachel Stansel, Chairperson Inland Wetlands Commission

# **Draft Minutes**

# Town of Vernon Inland Wetlands Commission (IWC)

Meeting Notice & Agenda Tuesday, December 21, 2021, 7:00 p.m. Virtual ZOOM Meeting

#### **DRAFT MINUTES**

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Chairperson Rachel Stansel called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. In attendance were Commission Members Don Schubert and Kathy Minor. Absent were Frank Galat and Jeff Pescosolido. Staff member present was George McGregor, Town Planner.

- 2. Administrative Actions
  - 2.1 Amendment/Adoption of Agenda Additional business to be considered under agenda item #7 "Other Business" requires Commission vote

    None
  - 2.2 Approval of Minutes from November 23, 2021, meeting
    Kathy Minor MOVED to approve the minutes of November 23, 2021, regular meeting. Don Schubert seconded.
    Motion carried unanimously.
- 3. New Applications for Receipt and Determination of Significance
  - 3.1 **IWC-2021-07**, 57 Hartford Turnpike. An Application by Jerry Fornarelli for a Wetlands Redesignation and a Wetlands Permit for activity in a regulated area, in order to construct a deck addition, pavilion structure, and storage building at 57 Hartford Turnpike (Tax Map 01, Block 0158, Parcel 00057).

Present for the meeting were Jerry Fornarelli, applicant, Steve Lamesa, and Mark Peterson, of Gardner & Peterson Associates, LLC.

Town Planner introduced the application with maps.

Kathy Minor MOVED that the Inland Wetlands Commission receive **IWC-2021-07** as an application of significant impact and schedule the application for a Public Hearing at the January 25, 2022, regular meeting. Don Schubert seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

3.2 **IWC-2021-08**, 95 Hartford Turnpike. An Application by Jerry Fornarelli for a Wetlands Permit by Commission for site grading, new construction, and other development activities in an upland review area at the Golf Land recreation center located at 95 Hartford Turnpike (Assessor's ID: Map 1, Block 158, Parcel 00095).

Town Planner introduced the plan maps.

Chairperson Stansel MOVED that the Inland Wetlands Commission receive **IWC-2021-08** as an application of significant impact and schedule the application for a Public Hearing at the January 25, 2022, regular meeting. Don Schubert seconded. Motion Carried unanimously.

- 4. Status of Cease & Correct Orders if any None
- 5. Wetlands Enforcement Officer Report if any IWC Project Status Report was included in Commission packet.
- 6. Inland Wetlands Agent Approvals if any None

- 7. Other Business None
- 8. Adjournment Chairperson Stansel adjourned the meeting at 7:09pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Susan Hewett, Recording Secretary

# **APPLICATION For RECEIPT**



January 12, 2022

Vernon Inland Wetlands Commission 56 West Main Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Vernon, CT 06066

Re:

The Learning Experience (TLE) 501 Talcottville Road, Vernon

Dear Commissioners.

On behalf of the Vernon Development LLC, I am pleased to submit the attached application for a wetland redesignation and a wetland permit for regulated activities associated with the development of The Learning Experience (TLE) Academy of Early Education at 501 Talcottville Road in Vernon, Connecticut. The subject parcel currently consists of 4.6 acres of undeveloped woodland located at the intersection of Dart Hill Road and Talcottville Road (Rte. 83). A wooded wetland, delineated by REMA Ecological Services, LLC in May of 2021, occupies the southwestern portion of the parcel. In conjunction with the proposed TLE development, the owner is proposing to divide the existing parcel into two lots, including a 2.0 acre lot adjacent to Dart Hill Road to be developed with the TLE facility, and a remaining 2.6 acre lot fronting on Talcottville Road for potential future development. The subdivision application to split the parcel will be submitted to be considered concurrently with the applications for the Wetland Permit and Special Permit/Site Plan approval for the TLE development. However, the permits for the TLE should not be conditioned on the approval of the subdivision, but should be valid regardless of whether the lot is split or remains a single 4.6 acre parcel.

The proposed TLE development will involve the construction of a 10,000 square foot building, 5,000 square foot playground and associated parking. Runoff from the building and parking lot will be directed to a subsurface infiltration system and surface infiltration basin for treatment, groundwater recharge and detention prior to discharge at the edge of the existing on-site wetland. A retaining wall is proposed along the southern edge of the development in order prevent any direct wetland disturbance. However, the project will involve approximately 0.82 acres of work within wetland regulated area associated with the construction of the building, playground, parking lot, and stormwater management system. The plans call for the removal of existing invasive species along the project perimeter and installation of wetland buffer plantings along the existing wetland.

If there are any questions, or you require further information, please call me at (860) 623-0569.

Very truly yours.

Timothy A. Coon, P.E.

J.R. Russo & Associates, LLC

Attachments

cc:

Eric Spungin



# TOWN OF VERNON INLAND WETLANDS COMMISSION (IWC)

#### **APPLICATION**

This form is to be used to apply to the Vernon Inland Wetlands Commission (IWC) for approval for a redesignation of a wetlands area, a change to the Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations, and/or a permit to conduct a regulated activity in a wetland, watercourse, or upland review area (URA), which are defined as areas within one hundred (100) feet from the boundary of a wetland, watercourse, or intermittent watercourse and areas within two hundred (200) feet from the boundary of Gage's Brook, Hockanum River, Ogden Brook, Railroad Brook, Tankerhoosen River, Valley Falls Pond, Walker Reservoir East, Walker Reservoir West. Any activity that the Commission determines is likely to impact or affect wetlands or watercourses may be considered a regulated activity. **Provide all the information requested**.

The Applicant must be the property owner, the property owner's agent, the Town of Vernon, or someone with a direct financial interest in the subject property. Said interest shall be explained. If the applicant is not the property owner, written permission for this Application must be obtained from the property owner and submitted by letter signed by the property owner authorizing submission of the Application.

The Applicant understands that the Application is complete only when all information and documents required by IWC have been submitted and that any approval by the IWC relies upon complete and accurate information being provided by the Applicant. Incorrect information provided by the Applicant may make the approval invalid. The IWC may require additional information to be provided by the Applicant.

#### I. APPLICANT (S)

Name:
Title: Member
company: Vernon Development LLC
Address: 56 East Main Street, Avon CT 06001
Telephone: 860-677-5607 Fax:
E-mail: espergin@hotmail.com
II. PROPERTY OWNERS
Name: James Basile
Title:
Company: 501 Talcottville Road LLC
Address: 43 R. Age crest Lane, Bristol, CT 06010-2910
Telephone: 860-202-9540 Fax:
E-mail:

III. PROPERTY 501 Talcottville Road Assessor ID Code: Map # 09 Block # 007 Lot/Parcel # COOLD Land Record Reference to Deed Description: Volume: 2026 **USGA** Location: Circle the Map Quadrangle Name: Manchester # 38 (Rockville #39 Circle the Sub regional Drainage Basin #: 3108 (4500) 4502 Zoning District: Commercia IV. PROJECT Project Name: The Learning Experience Project Contact Person: Timothy Coon J.R. Russo + Associates LLC Address: P.O. Box 938 , East Windsor. Telephone: 860-623-0569 Fax: 860-623-2485 E-mail: TOON QUETUSSO COM V. PROJECT SUMMARY Describe the project briefly in regard to the purpose of the project and the activities that will occur. Attach to this application a complete and detailed description with maps and documentation as required by the "The Town of Vernon Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations". a 10,000 SF Daycase Facility General Activities: Filling, excavation, and building construction review area. Regulated Activities: Watercourse disturbance (linear feet):

Wetlands disturbance (acres or sq. ft.):

Upland Review Area (URA)disturbance: 0.82 ±

Nonregulated activities & activities outside URA: \_\_\_\_\_\_ O. 89 ±

#### VI. APPLICATION

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Non-significant activity	
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Significant activity with site disturbance greater than 2 acres	
Commission modification of a welland permit in effect	
Modification of a wetland permit by ;the Wetlands Agent	
Approval of a license by the Wetlands Agent for activities in an upland	
Appeal of a decision by the Wetlands Agent	
Subdivision review per CGS Section 8-26	
Jurisdictional ruling regarding permitted and nonregulated uses	
Waiver, reduction, or delayed payment of fees (attach statement of justifica-	rtion)
Waiver	
Reduction to \$	
Delay of payment to	
VII. CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE	
, the undersigned Applicant or applicant's Agent, hereby certify that I have reviewed nland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations* and have prepared this Application occurate information.	the "Town of Vernor with complete and
Applicant of Agent Signature Printed Name	12/03/21 Date
Owner's Signature, if different Jol Talesto: 118 Rock, Lee Printed Name	)   3 3   3   Date
TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT	
DATE APPLICATION SUBMITTED	
DATE APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSION	
WC FILE:	



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REV. 5/2007

Gina McCarthy, Commissioner

# Statewide Inland Wetlands & Watercourses Activity Reporting Form

Please complete and mail this form in accordance with the instructions. Please print or type.

PART I: To Be Completed By The Inland Wetlands Agency Only
1. DATE ACTION WAS TAKEN: Year Month
2. ACTION TAKEN (circle one): A B C D E F G H
3. WAS A PUBLIC HEARING HELD? Yes No
4. NAME OF AGENCY OFFICIAL VERIFYING AND COMPLETING THIS FORM:
(print) (signature)
PART II: To Be Completed By The Inland Wetlands Agency Or The Applicant
5. TOWN IN WHICH THE ACTION IS OCCURRING: VETNOW
Does this project cross municipal boundaries? Yes No _X
If Yes, list the other town(s) in which the action is occurring:
6. LOCATION: USGS Quad Map Name: Rockville AND Quad Number: 39
Subregional Drainage Basin Number: 4500
7. NAME OF APPLICANT, VIOLATOR OR PETITIONER: Vernon Development LLC
8. NAME & ADDRESS/LOCATION OF PROJECT SITE: 501 Talcotty. 1/2 Road
Briefly describe the action/project/activity: Construction of a 10,000 SF Dayrate Facility
9. ACTIVITY PURPOSE CODE: D
10. ACTIVITY TYPE CODE(S): 1Z , 14
11. WETLAND / WATERCOURSE AREA ALTERED [must be provided in acres or linear feet as indicated]:
Wetlands: acres
12. UPLAND AREA ALTERED [must be provided in acres as indicated]: 0.82 acres
13. AREA OF WETLANDS AND / OR WATERCOURSES RESTORED, ENHANCED OR CREATED
[must be provided in acres as indicated]
DATE DECLUIP
DATE RECEIVED: PART III: To Be Completed By The DEP DATE RETURNED TO DEP:
FORM COMPLETED: YES NO FORM CORRECTED (COMPLETED) YES NO

HAMIFURD, CT. 06/05

#### **QUITCLAIM DEED**

VICTOR J. BASILE ("Releasor"), of 43 Ridgecrest Lane, Bristol, Connecticut, for no consideration paid, grants to 501 TALCOTTVILLE ROAD, LLC of 43 Ridgecrest Lane, Bristol. Connecticut ("Releasee") all that certain piece or parcel of land together with all improvements thereon and appurtenances thereto in the Town of Vernon, Connecticut, as more particularly described on Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof ("Premises"). Releasee herein assumes and agrees to pay all real property taxes attributable to the Premises on the list of October 1, 2006 and thereafter.

#### SAID PREMISES IS CONVEYED SUBJECT TO, WITHOUT LIMITATION:

- 1. Taxes of the Town of Vernon on the List of October 1, 2006 now due and payable and thereafter, which Releasee herein assumes and agrees to pay.
  - 2. Any and all provisions of any ordinance, municipal regulation, or public or private law.
- 3. Declarations, restrictions, covenants, matters and easements of record and any state of facts an accurate survey or personal inspection of the Premises might reveal.

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Witnessed by:	
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MICHAEL S! STIEBEL, as witness	VICTOR I BASILE
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FORERT A FIREFERS witness	
STATE OF CONNECTICUT)	16-16-1
COUNTY OF ) ss:	(town)

On this the 7th day of February, 2007, before me, the undersigned officer, personally appeared Victor J. Basile, known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same for the purposes therein contained and as his free act and deed.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand.

Signed this T day of February, 2007

Commissioner of the Superior Court

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Grantee's Address:

43 Ridgecrest Lane

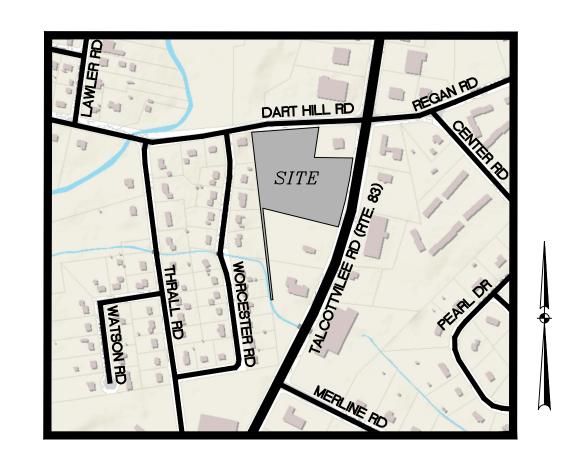
Bristol, Connecticut 06010

CONVEYANCE TAX RECEIVED STATE \$

Bernice K. Dixon TOWN CLERK OF VERNON



# 501 Talcottville Road Enfield, Connecticut



KEY PLAN MAP

1"=500"

Applicant

Vernon Development LLC
56 East Main Street
Avon, CT 06001
(860) 677-5607

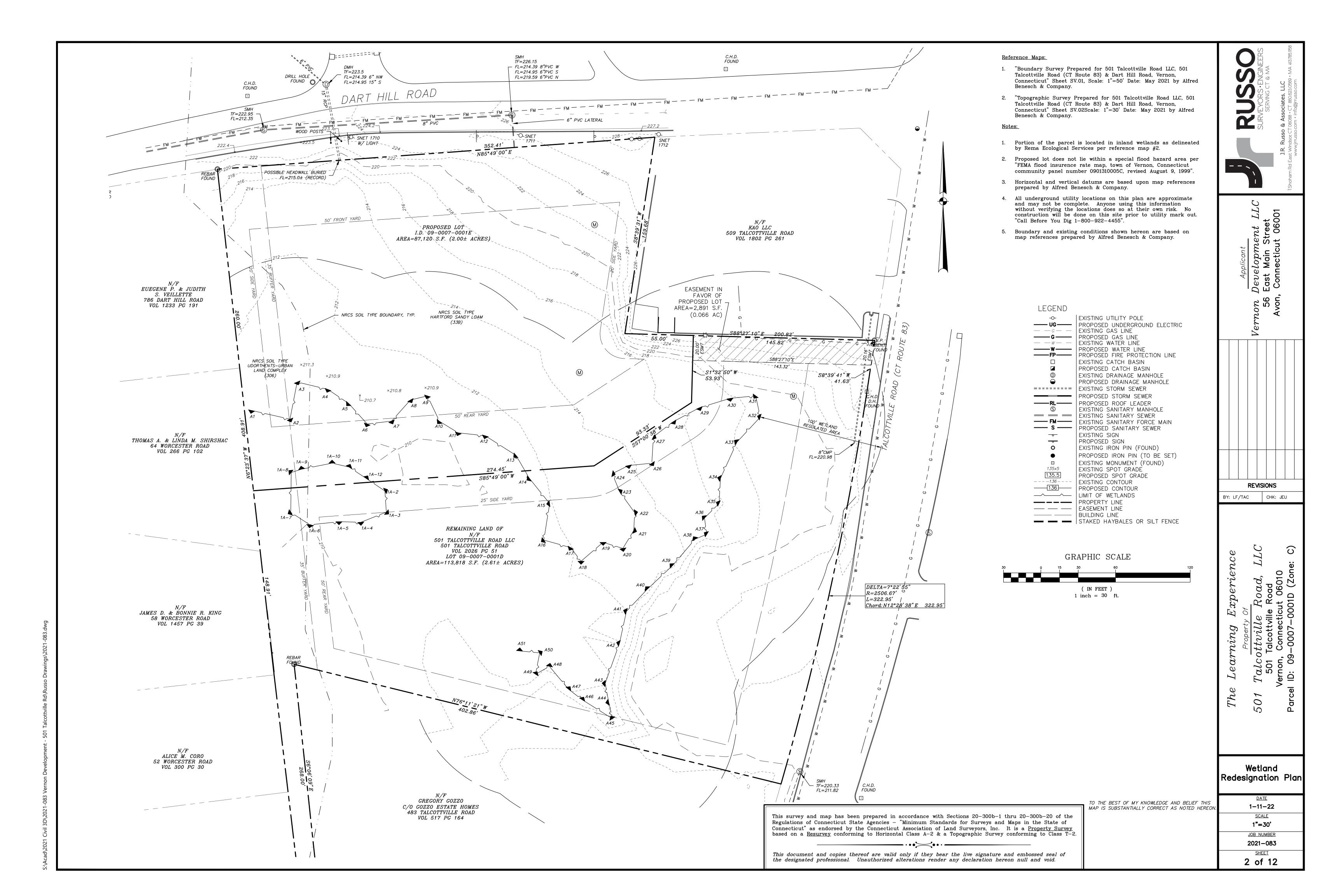
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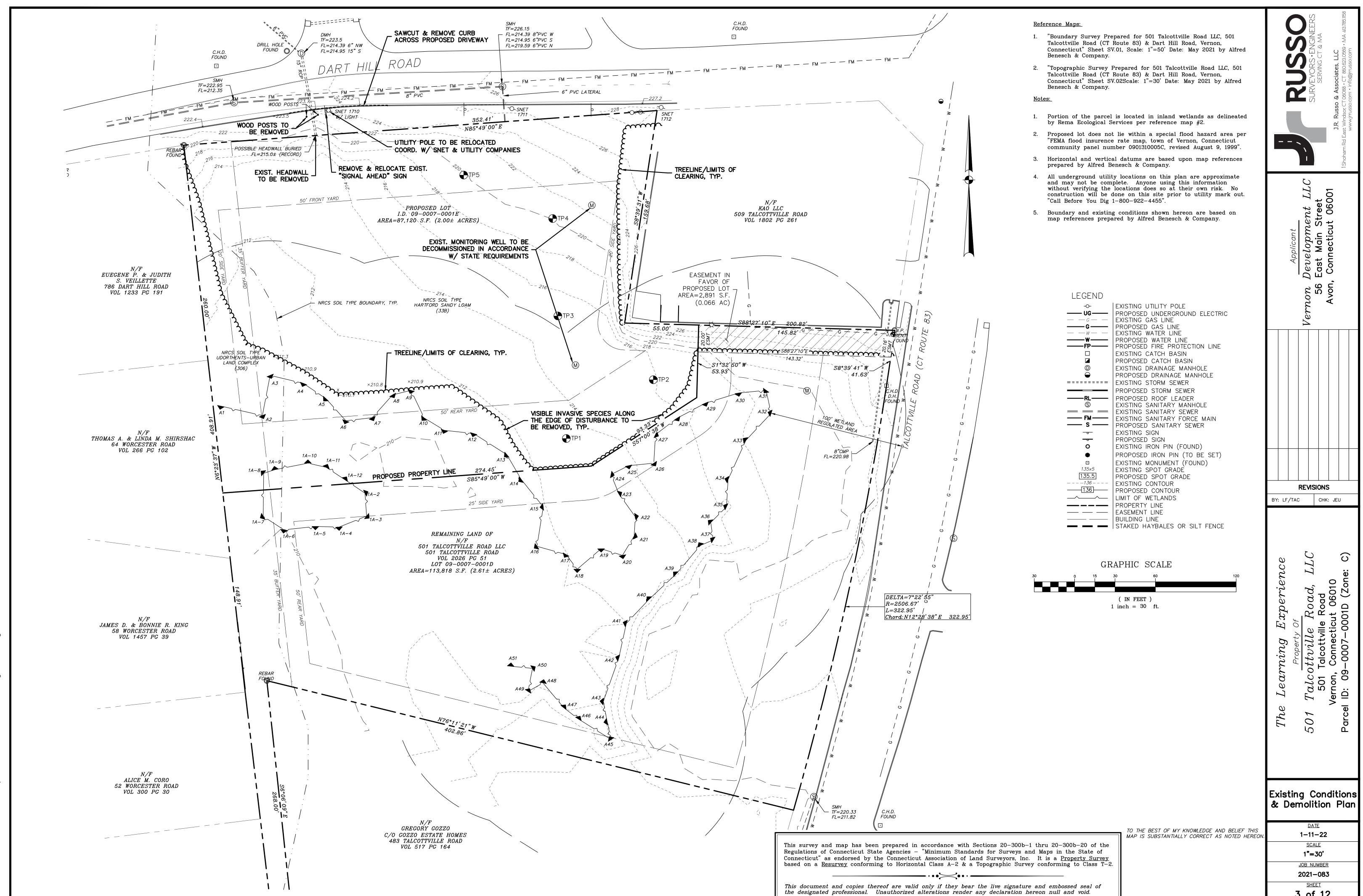
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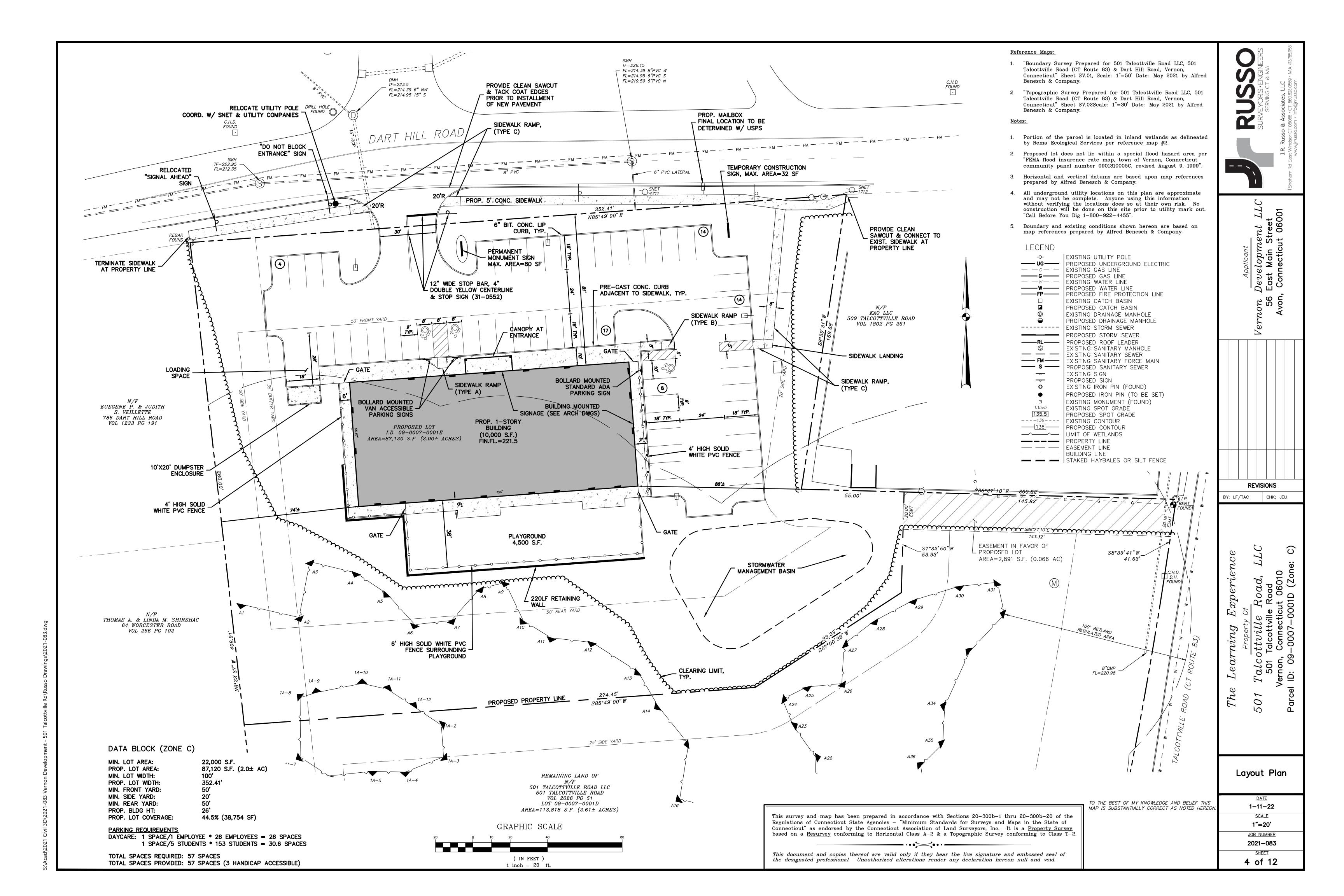


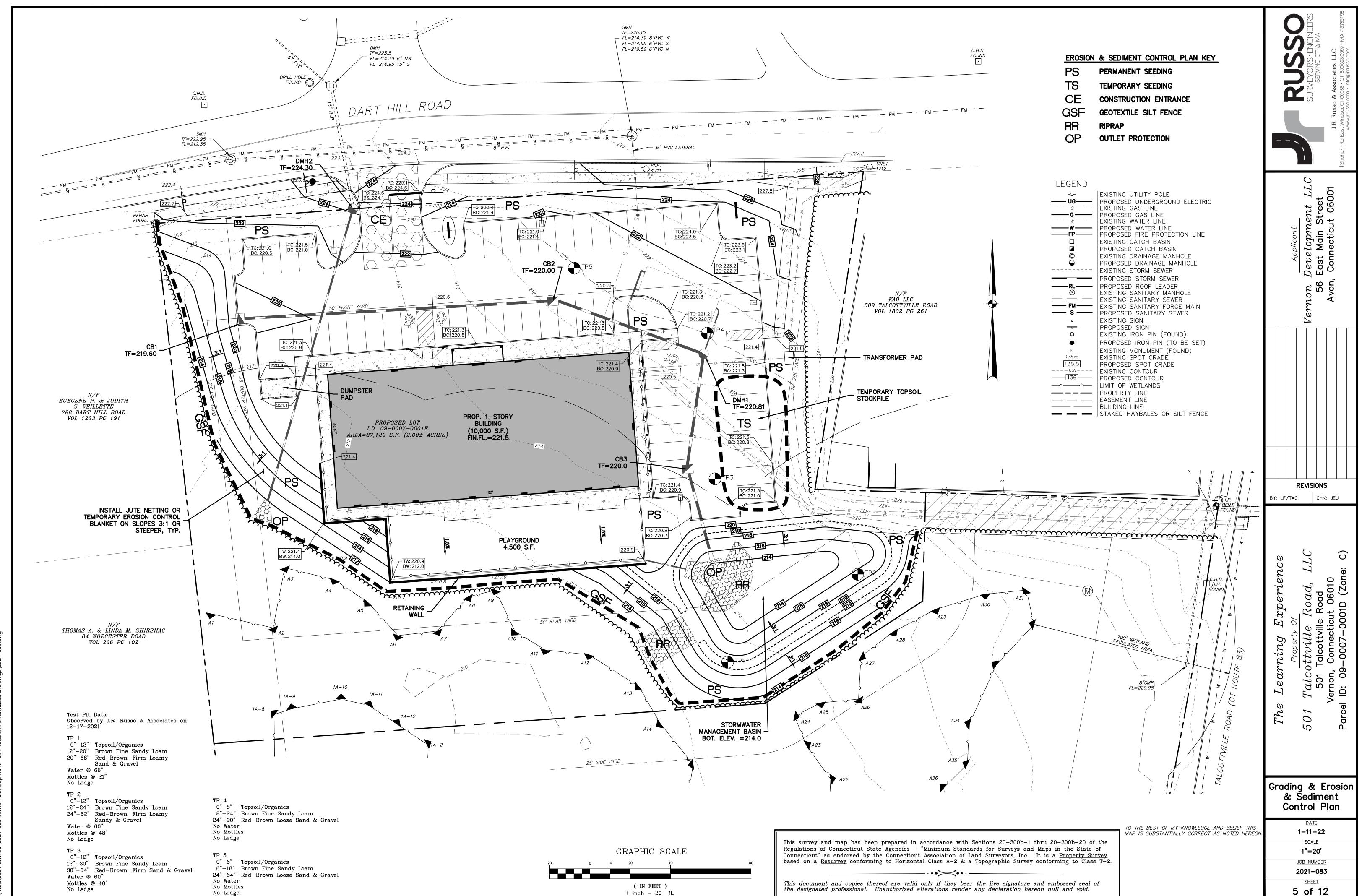
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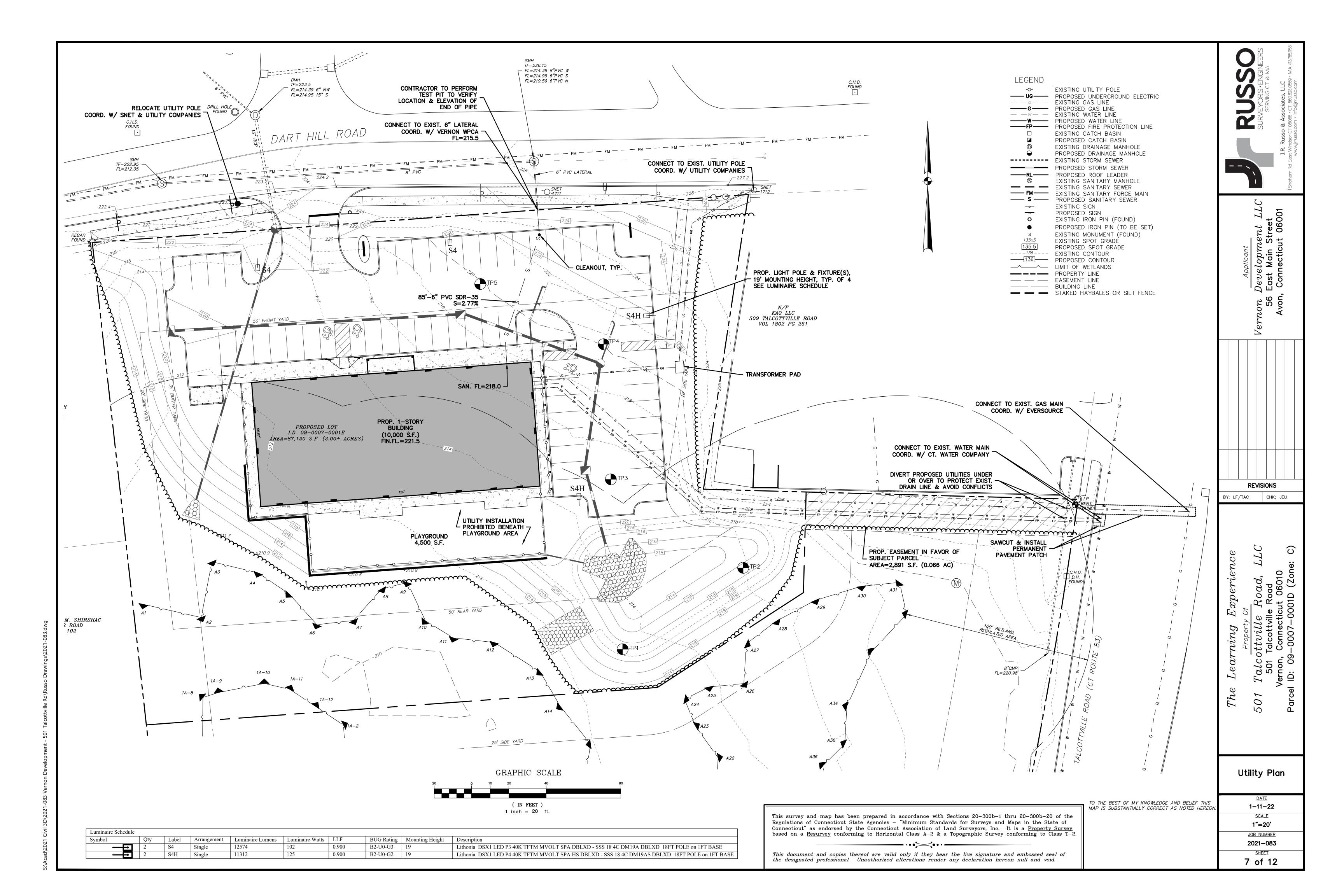


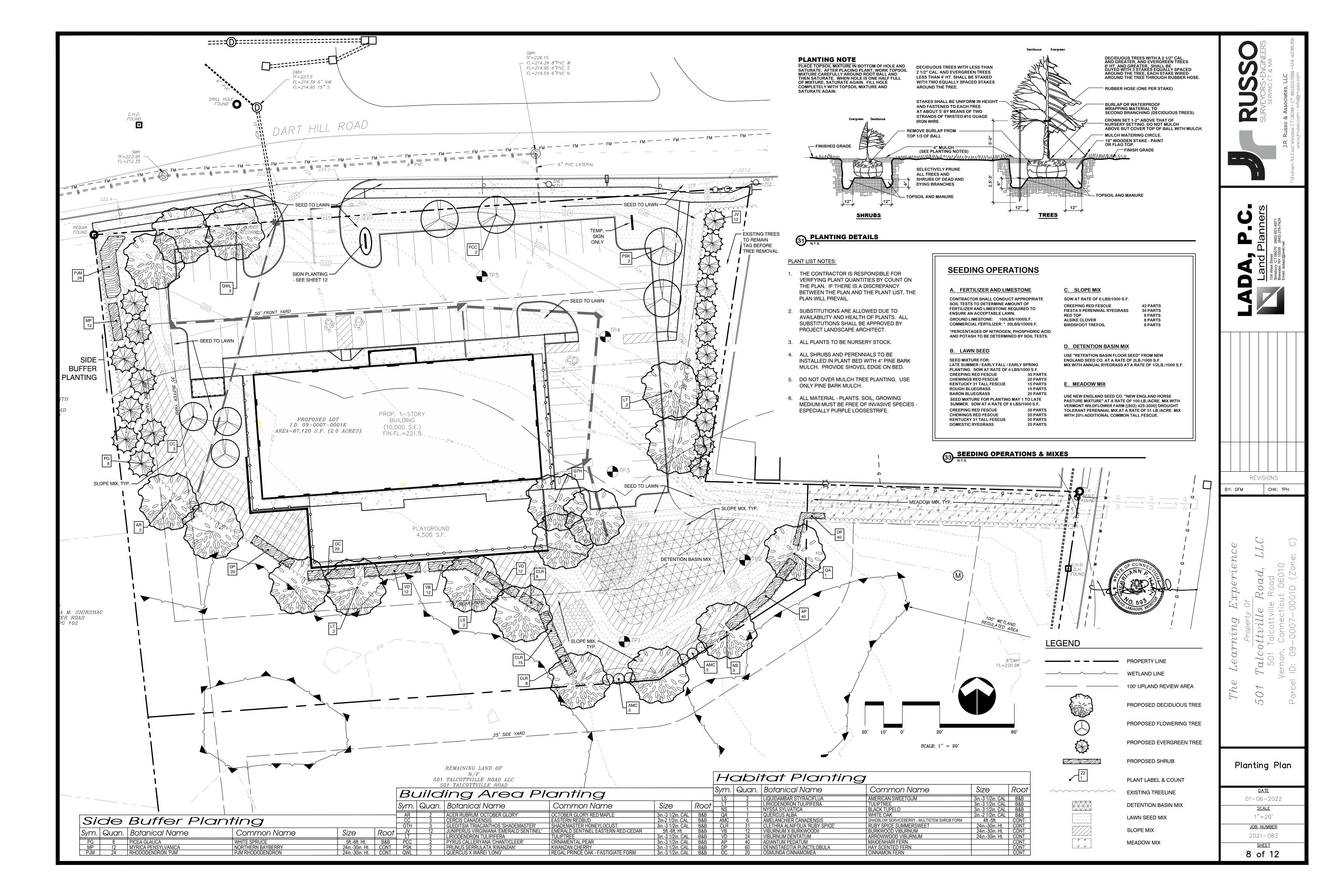
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# **APPLICATION 1**



## **TOWN OF VERNON**

## **INLAND WETLANDS COMMISSION (IWC)**

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#### I. APPLICANT (S)

Name:Jerry Fornarelli
Title:
Company:
Address: 57 Hartford Turnpike, Vernon, CT
Telephone: <u>860-951-4657</u> Fax:
E-mail:
II. PROPERTY OWNERS
Name: Peter Krause
Title: President
Company: Sub Peak of Connecticut, Inc.
Address: 14 Hartford Turnpike
Vernon, CT 06066
Telephone: _860-205-1440 Fax: _860-646-4895
E-mail: pkrause7681@gmail.com

#### III. PROPERTY

Address: 57 Hartford Turnpike	
Assessor ID Code: Map # 1 Block # 158 Lot/Parcel # 57	
Land Record Reference to Deed Description: Volume: 2584 Page 229	
USGA Location: 859720, 1067020	
Circle the Map Quadrangle Name: Manchester # 38 Rockville #39	
Circle the Sub regional Drainage Basin #: 3108 4500 4502 4503	
Zoning District: Commercial	
IV. PROJECT	
Project Name: 57 Hartford Turnpike	
Project Contact Person:	
Name: Mark Peterson	
Title: Partner	
Company: Gardner & Peterson Associates, LLC	
Address: 178 Hartford Turnpike, Tolland, CT 06084	
Telephone: _860-871-0808 Fax:	
E-mail: mpeterson@gardnerpeterson.com	
V. PROJECT SUMMARY	
Describe the project briefly in regard to the purpose of the project and the activities that will occur. A application a complete and detailed description with maps and documentation as required by the "The Vernon Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations".	ttach to this ne Town of
Purpose: Wetland Redesignation and Permit Plan	
General Activities: Construction of a deck and storage garage and pavilio	n
within the upland review area.	
Regulated Activities:	
Watercourse disturbance (linear feet): None	
Wetlands disturbance (acres or sq. ft.): None	
Upland Review Area (URA)disturbance: 0.35 acres	
Nonregulated activities & activities outside URA: None	

#### VI. APPLICATION

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	Modific	ation of a Wetlands Redesignation
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	X	Non-significant activity
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7	Jurisdio	ctional ruling regarding permitted and nonregulated uses
-	Waiver	, reduction, or delayed payment of fees (attach statement of justification)
		Waiver
		Reduction to \$
		Delay of payment to
		VII. CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE
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Jes	By	or Agent Signature  Terry Fornarch 12/10/2021  Printed Name  Date  12/10/2021
18	wher's	Signature, if different Printed Name Date
		TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT
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#### USE THIS FORM ONLY IF THE REQUIREMENTS OF 22-a-42a(b) OF THE C.G.S. MUST BE MET

#### RECEIPT FOR DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION

TO:

**VERNON TOWN CLERK** 

FROM:

Gardner & Peterson Assoc., LLC

REFERENCE: 57 Hartford Turnpike, Vernon

DATE"

The attached documents, consisting of:

-Town of Vernon Inland Wetlands Commission (IWC) Application -Wetland Redesignation Plan Sub Peak of Connecticut, Inc. Lot #8 #57 Hartford Turnpike Vernon, Connecticut Gardner & Peterson Associates, LLC 178 Hartford Turnpike Tolland, Connecticut Professional Engineers Land Surveyors By M.A.P. Scale 1"=50' Date 12-09-2021 Sheet No. 1 of 1 Map No. 8926-8W

are being submitted for public inspection under CGS 8-3(a)/22a-42a (b).

Received:		
Vernon Town Clerk _		
	Signature	-
Date <sup>.</sup>		

Improvement Location Survey Permit Plan Land of Sub Peak of Connecticut, Inc. Lot #8 #57 Hartford Turnpike Vernon, Connecticut Gardner & Peterson Associates, LLC 178 Hartford Turnpike Tolland, Connecticut Professional Engineers Land Surveyors By M.A.P. Scale 1"=50' Date 12-10-2021 Sheet 1 of 1 Map No. 8926-P8



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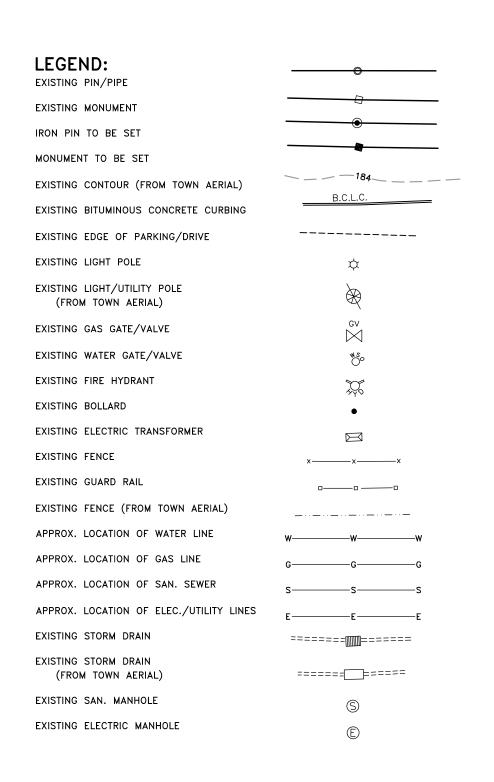
# Statewide Inland Wetlands & Watercourses Activity Reporting Form

Please complete and mail this form in accordance with the instructions on pages 2 and 3 to:

DEEP Land & Water Resources Division, Inland Wetlands Management Program, 79 Elm Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Hartford, CT 06106

Incomplete or incomprehensible forms will be mailed back to the inland wetlands agency.

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	PART I: Must Be Completed By The Inland Wetlands Agency
1.	DATE ACTION WAS TAKEN: year: month:
2.	ACTION TAKEN (see instructions, only use one code):
3.	WAS A PUBLIC HEARING HELD (check one)? yes ☐ no ☐
4.	NAME OF AGENCY OFFICIAL VERIFYING AND COMPLETING THIS FORM:
	(print name) (signature)
	PART II: To Be Completed By The Inland Wetlands Agency Or The Applicant
•	TOWN IN WHICH THE ACTION IS OCCURRING (print name): Vernon  does this project cross municipal boundaries (check one)? yes no 🔼
	if yes, list the other town(s) in which the action is occurring (print name(s)):
6.	LOCATION (see instructions for information): USGS quad name:Manchester or number:38
	subregional drainage basin number: 4500
7.	NAME OF APPLICANT, VIOLATOR OR PETITIONER (print name): Jerry Fornarelli
8.	NAME & ADDRESS / LOCATION OF PROJECT SITE (print information): 57 Hartford Turnpike
	briefly describe the action/project/activity (check and print information): temporary permanent description:
9.	ACTIVITY PURPOSE CODE (see instructions, only use one code):
10.	ACTIVITY TYPE CODE(S) (see instructions for codes): 14 1 2
11.	. WETLAND / WATERCOURSE AREA ALTERED (must provide acres or linear feet):
	wetlands:0 acres open water body:0 acres stream:0 linear feet
12.	UPLAND AREA ALTERED (must provide acres):0 . 3 5 acres
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	acres
DA	ATE RECEIVED: PART III: To Be Completed By The DEEP DATE RETURNED TO DEEP:
FC	DRM COMPLETED: YES NO FORM CORRECTED / COMPLETED: YES NO



NOTES:

1. THIS SURVEY AND MAP HAVE BEEN PREPARED PURSUANT TO THE REGULATIONS OF CONNECTICUT STATE AGENCIES SECTIONS 20-300b-1 THROUGH 20-300b-20 "MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR SURVEYS AND MAPS IN THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT". THIS IS A DATA ACCUMULATION PLAN BASED ON A DEPENDENT RESURVEY CONFORMING TO HORIZONTAL ACCURACY CLASS A-2, TOPOGRAPHY DEPICTED CONFORMS TO TOPOGRAPHIC ACCURACY CLASS

2. REFERENCE IS MADE TO THE FOLLOWING PLAN:

A. "RESUBDIVISION PLAN — LOT #7 TALCOTTVILLE DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LLC #57 & #163
HARTFORD TURNPIKE VERNON, CONNECTICUT BY: GARDNER & PETERSON ASSOCIATES, LLC BY:
B.D.C., DATE: 6-8-2015, REVISED TO 12-08-2021, SHEET 4 OF 5, MAP NO. 8926-RESUB-7"

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PLAN IS TO APPROVE THE INLAND WETLANDS THAT WERE FIELD DELINEATED ON LOT #8.

TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF THIS MAP IS SUBSTANTIALLY CORRECT AS NOTED HEREON.

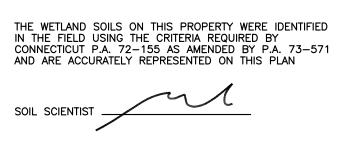
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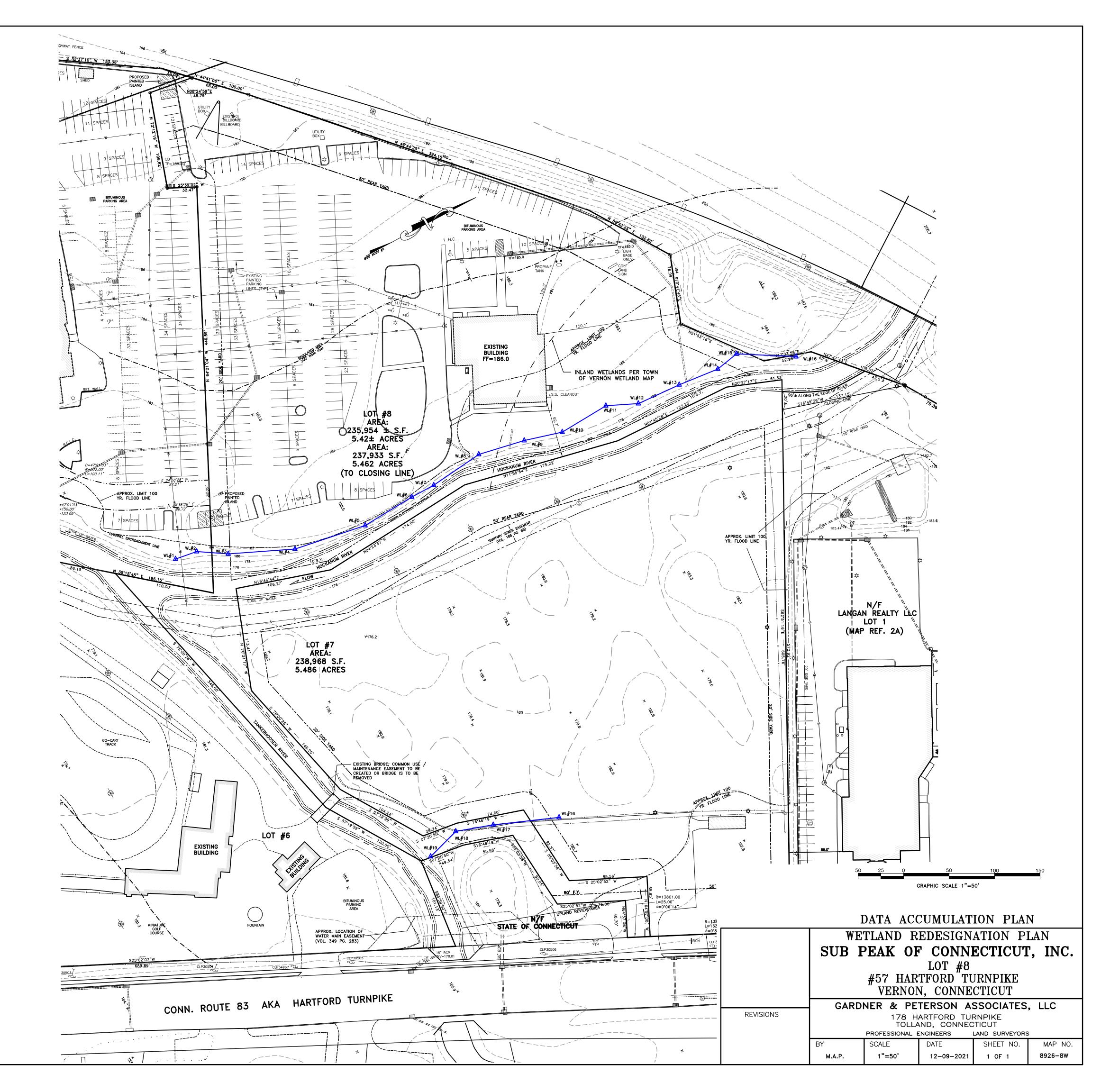
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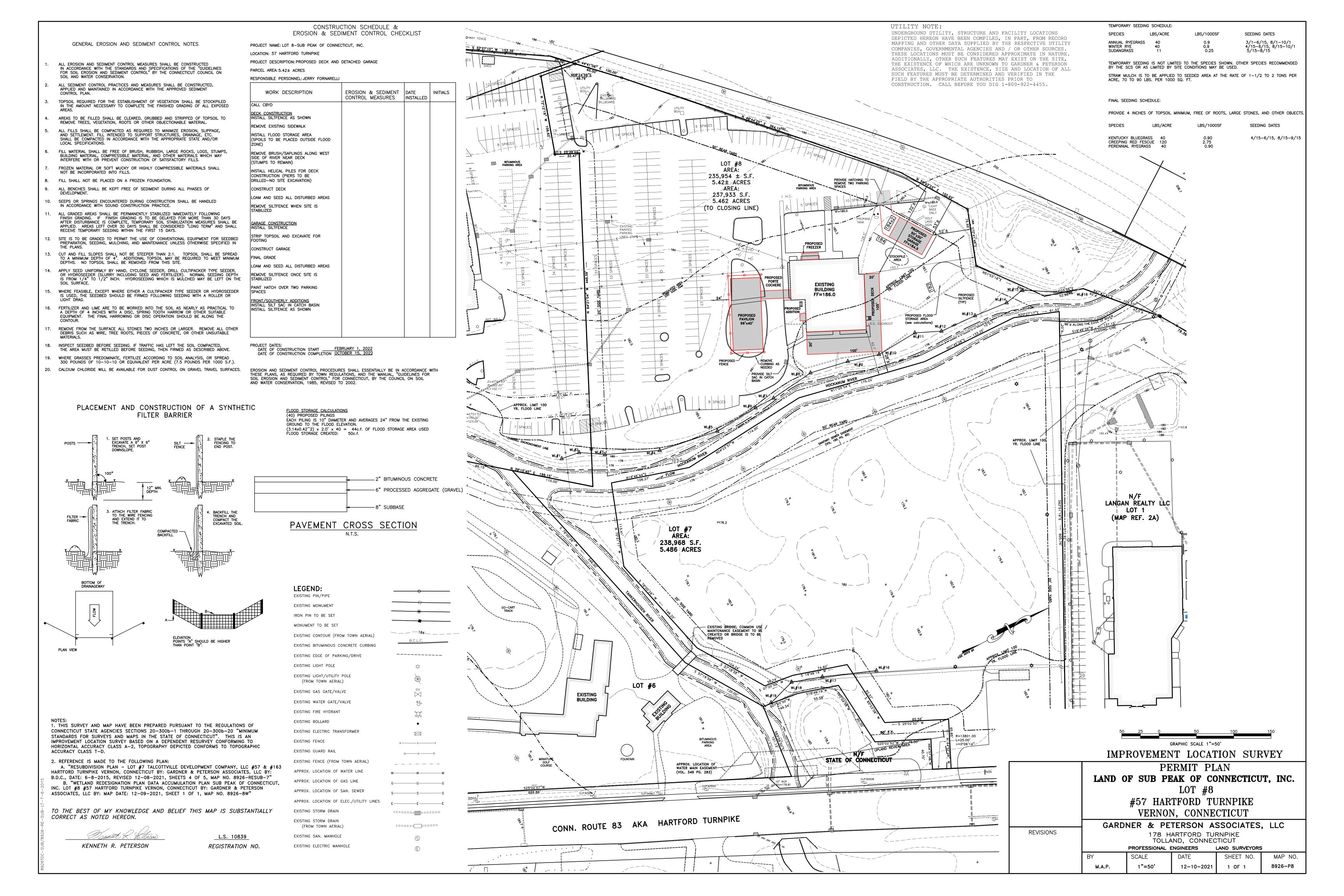
UTILITY NOTE:

UNDERGROUND UTILITY, STRUCTURE AND FACILITY LOCATIONS
DEPICTED HEREON HAVE BEEN COMPILED, IN PART, FROM RECORD
MAPPING AND OTHER DATA SUPPLIED BY THE RESPECTIVE UTILITY
COMPANIES, GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES AND / OR OTHER SOURCES.
THESE LOCATIONS MUST BE CONSIDERED APPROXIMATE IN NATURE.
ADDITIONALLY, OTHER SUCH FEATURES MAY EXIST ON THE SITE,
THE EXISTENCE OF WHICH ARE UNKNOWN TO GARDNER & PETERSON
ASSOCIATES, LLC. THE EXISTENCE, SIZE AND LOCATION OF ALL
SUCH FEATURES MUST BE DETERMINED AND VERIFIED IN THE
FIELD BY THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES PRIOR TO
CONSTRUCTION. CALL BEFORE YOU DIG 1-800-922-4455.



GRAPHIC SCALE 1"=50'





# **STAFF COMMENTS**



# TOWN OF VERNON

55 West Main St., VERNON, CT 06066-3291 (860) 870-3640 gmcgregor@vernon-ct.gov

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Inland Wetlands Commission

FROM: George K. McGregor, AICP, Town Planner

SUBJECT: IWC 2021-07, 57 Hartford Turnpike

DATE: January 25, 2022

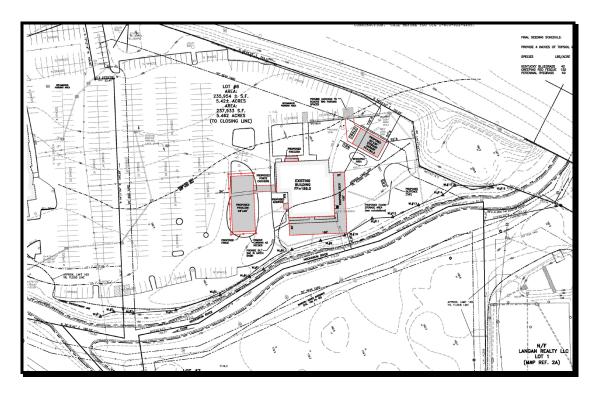
#### Request

Jerry Fornarelli has requested approval for a Wetlands Permit and a Wetlands re-designation for additional commercial activities at 57 Hartford Tpke. (Assessor ID: Map 1, Block 158, Parcel 00057). The site is the former movie theatre, to the rear and across the Hockanum River from the Golf Land Site. The Applicant proposes to add a 3,000 sq.ft deck, a 3,800 sq. ft. outdoor pavilion, and a 1,500 sq. ft. storage garage as part of a new restaurant facility.



#### **Staff Comments & Analysis**

These improvements are intended to provide outdoor capabilities for a future restaurant. The deck is proposed right up to the edge of the newly designated wetland area, leaving little room between the deck and the wetland. Sensitive construction practices will help to reduce impacts on the wetland area. The applicant has shared the pile design with staff and it is included in the packet. This type of design appears to minimize impacts in the regulated area and on the adjacent wetlands.



The pavilion, attached to the entrance porte cochere, will have a concrete surface on the ground underneath, which is an increase in impervious surface. The garage addition will have little impact on the wetland area. Staff has asked the applicant to consider potential mitigation measures such as riparian plantings, tree islands in the parking lot, or other measures to counter the new development impacts.

**Draft Motions (Staff recommends separate Motions)** 

Re-Designation

MOVED, that the Vernon Inland Wetlands and Watercourse Commission does hereby APPROVE application (IWC-2021-07) for a Wetlands Re-designation, subject to the "Wetlands Re-Designation Plan" dated December 9, 2021, prepared by Gardner & Peterson.

Wetland Permit

**MOVED,** that the Vernon Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Commission does hereby APPROVE, the application (IWC-2021-07) of Jerry Fornarelli for a Wetlands permit by Commission based on the following findings:

- The project will have no adverse impacts on wetlands or watercourses;
- There are no prudent or feasible alternatives

**AND,** Subject to the Site Plan of Development dated December 10, 2021, prepared by Gardner & Peterson, Associates, LLC.

Or,

MOVED, an Alternate Motion

GKM

From: Perry, Craig
To: McGregor, George

**Subject:** FW: IWC 2021-07 57 Hartford Tpke

**Date:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021 11:34:47 AM

From: Perry, Craig

Sent: Tuesday, December 21, 2021 11:46 AM

**To:** McGregor, George <GMcGregor@vernon-ct.gov>

**Cc:** Smith, David <DSmith@vernon-ct.gov> **Subject:** IWC 2021-07 57 Hartford Tpke

George,

I have no comment on the Redesignation portion of this application.

#### Concerning the Wetlands Permit;

The layout of the proposed deck is shown right at the edge of the newly proposed wetlands limit. A riparian or buffer area is important for the preservation of wetlands or watercourse areas.

The proposed size of the deck adjacent to the watercourse is 100' x 30'.

If the size of the deck is reduced, there would be more room for landscaping / plantings that would help protect the watercourse.

Sincerely,

#### Craig W. Ferry

Town of Vernon
Engineering Department
Wetlands Enforcement Officer

Phone: 860-870-3638 Fax: 860-870-3683 cperry@vernon-ct.gov

# **APPLICATION 2**



Name: Jerry Fornarelli

#### TOWN OF VERNON

### **INLAND WETLANDS COMMISSION (IWC)**

#### **APPLICATION**

This form is to be used to apply to the Vernon Inland Wetlands Commission (IWC) for approval for a redesignation of a wetlands area, a change to the Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations, and/or a permit to conduct a regulated activity in a wetland, watercourse, or upland review area (URA), which are defined as areas within one hundred (100) feet from the boundary of a wetland, watercourse, or intermittent watercourse and areas within two hundred (200) feet from the boundary of Gage's Brook, Hockanum River, Ogden Brook, Railroad Brook, Tankerhoosen River, Valley Falls Pond, Walker Reservoir East, Walker Reservoir West. Any activity that the Commission determines is likely to impact or affect wetlands or watercourses may be considered a regulated activity. **Provide all the information requested.** 

The Applicant must be the property owner, the property owner's agent, the Town of Vernon, or someone with a direct financial interest in the subject property. Said interest shall be explained. If the applicant is not the property owner, written permission for this Application must be obtained from the property owner and submitted by letter signed by the property owner authorizing submission of the Application.

The Applicant understands that the Application is complete only when all information and documents required by IWC have been submitted and that any approval by the IWC relies upon complete and accurate information being provided by the Applicant. Incorrect information provided by the Applicant may make the approval invalid. The IWC may require additional information to be provided by the Applicant.

#### I. APPLICANT (S)

Title:
Company:
Address:95 Hartford Turnpike, Vernon, CT
Telephone: _860-951-4657
E-mail:
II. PROPERTY OWNERS
Name: Peter Krause
Title: President
Company: Sub Peak of Connecticut, Inc.
Address: 14 Hartford Turnpike
Vernon, CT 06066
Telephone: 860-205-1440 Fax: 860-646-4895
E-mail: _ pkrause7681@gmail.com

#### III. PROPERTY

Address: 95 Hartford Turnpike	
Assessor ID Code: Map # 1 Block # 158 Lot/Parcel # 95	
Land Record Reference to Deed Description: Volume: 2367 Page 10	
USGA Location: 858920, 1067120	
Circle the Map Quadrangle Name: Manchester # 38 Rockville #39	
Circle the Sub regional Drainage Basin #: 3108 4500 4502 4503	
Zoning District: Commercial	
IV. PROJECT	
Project Name: Connecticut Golf Land - Phase II	
Project Contact Person:	
Name: Mark Peterson	
Title: Partner	
Company: Gardner & Peterson Associates, LLC	
Address: 178 Hartford Turnpike, Tolland, CT 06084	
Telephone: _860-871-0808 Fax:	
E-mail: mpeterson@gardnerpeterson.com	
V. PROJECT SUMMARY	
Describe the project briefly in regard to the purpose of the project and the activities that will occur. A application a complete and detailed description with maps and documentation as required by the "The Vernon Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations".	
Purpose: Proposed go-karts, bumper boats and mini-golf	
General Activities: Site grading and erosion controls	
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Regulated Activities:	
Watercourse disturbance (linear feet): None	
Wetlands disturbance (acres or sq. ft.): None	
Upland Review Area (URA)disturbance: 1.0 acres	

#### VI. APPLICATION

	Redesi	gnation of Wetlands						
	Amendment of Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations							
	Modification of a Wetlands Redesignation							
	Wetlands Permit							
	_X_	Non-significant activity						
		Significant activity with less than ½ acre site disturbance						
		Significant activity with site disturbance from ½ acre to and including 2 acres						
		Significant activity with site disturbance greater than 2 acres						
		Commission modification of a wetland permit in effect						
		Modification of a wetland permit by ;the Wetlands Agent						
	Approv	al of a license by the Wetlands Agent for activities in an upland						
	Appeal	of a decision by the Wetlands Agent						
-	Subdiv	ision review per CGS Section 8-26						
r <del></del> -	Jurisdio	ctional ruling regarding permitted and nonregulated uses						
	Waiver	, reduction, or delayed payment of fees (attach statement of justification)						
	V.====	Waiver						
	n====	Reduction to \$						
	(	Delay of payment to						
		VII. CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE						
accurat	te inform							
Property Owner, Applicant, or Applicant's Agent:    Applicant or Agent Signature   Date								
DALU KNAUSE (2/10/2021) Printed Name Date								
TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT								
DAT	DATE APPLICATION SUBMITTED							
DATE APPLICATION RECEIVED BY COMMISSION								
IWC	FILE: _							



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## Statewide Inland Wetlands & Watercourses Activity Reporting Form

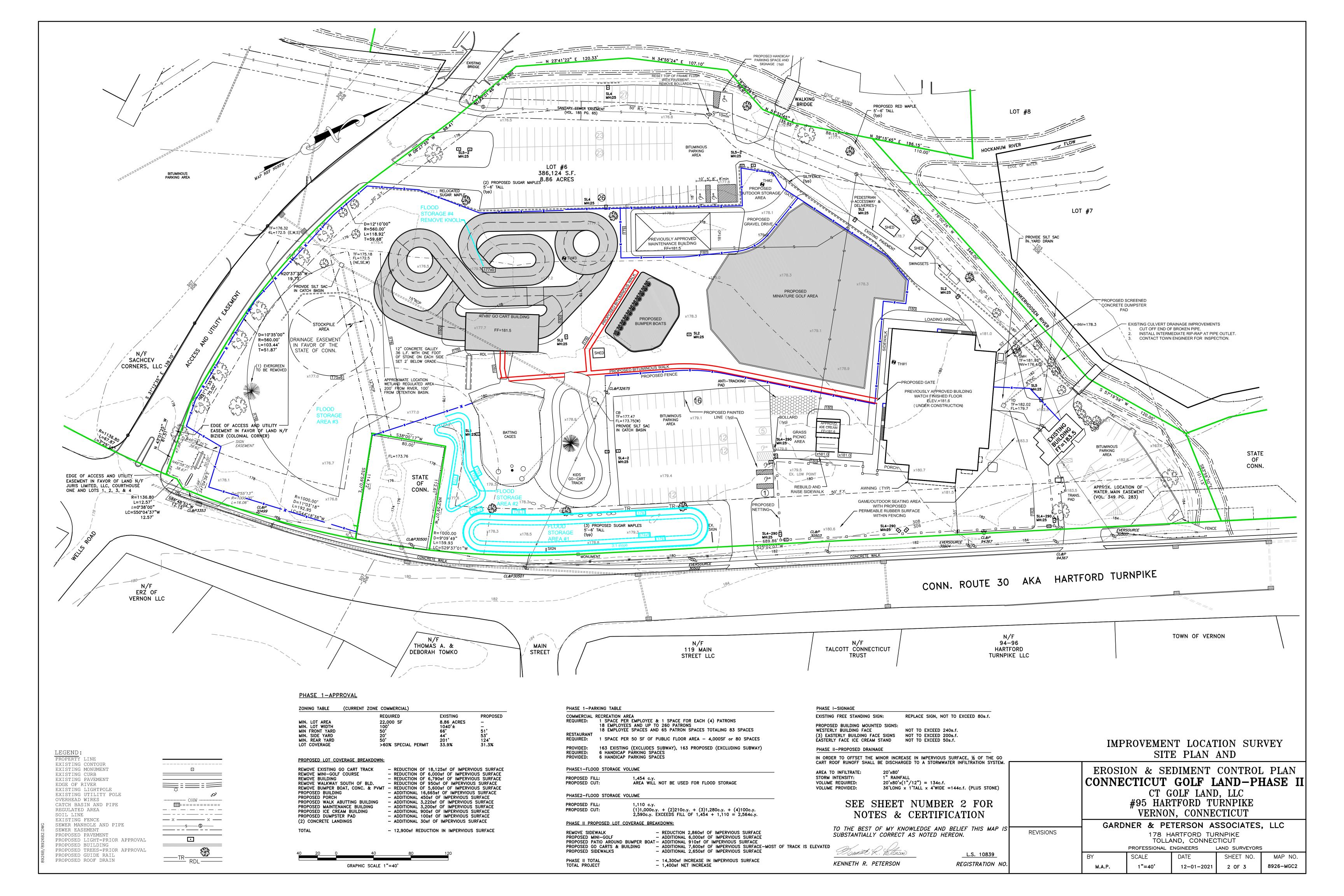
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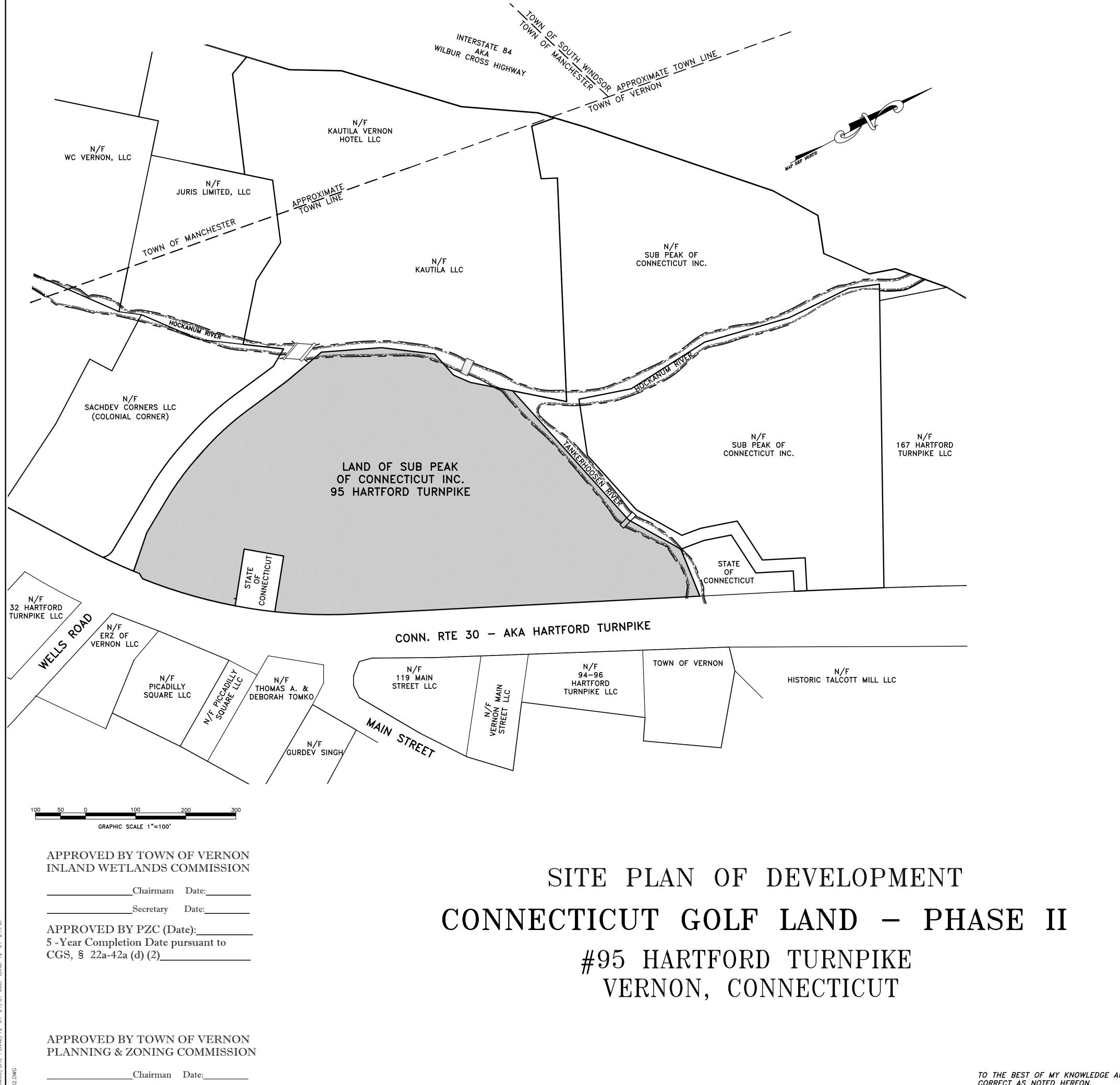
DEEP Land & Water Resources Division, Inland Wetlands Management Program, 79 Elm Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Hartford, CT 06106

Incomplete or incomprehensible forms will be mailed back to the inland wetlands agency.

	PART I: Must Be Completed By The Inland Wetlands Agency					
1.	DATE ACTION WAS TAKEN: year: month:					
2.	ACTION TAKEN (see instructions, only use one code):					
3.	WAS A PUBLIC HEARING HELD (check one)? yes ☐ no ☐					
4.	NAME OF AGENCY OFFICIAL VERIFYING AND COMPLETING THIS FORM:					
	(print name) (signature)					
	PART II: To Be Completed By The Inland Wetlands Agency Or The Applicant					
5.	TOWN IN WHICH THE ACTION IS OCCURRING (print name): Vernon					
	does this project cross municipal boundaries (check one)? yes \( \square\) no \( \sumsymbol{2}\)					
	if yes, list the other town(s) in which the action is occurring (print name(s)):					
6.	LOCATION (see instructions for information): USGS quad name: Manchester or number: 38					
	subregional drainage basin number: 4500					
7.	NAME OF APPLICANT, VIOLATOR OR PETITIONER (print name): CT Golf Land, LLC					
8.	NAME & ADDRESS / LOCATION OF PROJECT SITE (print information): 95 Hartford Turnpike, Vernon					
	briefly describe the action/project/activity (check and print information): temporary permanent description: Construction of go-karts, bumper boats and mini-golf					
9.	ACTIVITY PURPOSE CODE (see instructions, only use one code):					
10.	ACTIVITY TYPE CODE(S) (see instructions for codes): 12 14 1 2					
11.	. WETLAND / WATERCOURSE AREA ALTERED (must provide acres or linear feet):					
	wetlands:0 acres open water body:0 acres stream:0 linear feet					
12.	. UPLAND AREA ALTERED (must provide acres):2.25 acres					
13. AREA OF WETLANDS / WATERCOURSES RESTORED, ENHANCED OR CREATED (must provide acres):0 acres						
acies						
DA	ATE RECEIVED: PART III: To Be Completed By The DEEP DATE RETURNED TO DEEP:					
FC	DRM COMPLETED: YES NO FORM CORRECTED / COMPLETED: YES NO					

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\_Secretary Date:\_\_

APPROVED BY PZC (Date):\_\_\_\_\_

SCALE: 1"=1000' KEY MAP

> OWNER: SUBPEAK OF CONNECTICUT INC.

CT GOLF LAND, LLC 95 HARTFORD TURNPIKE VERNON, CONNECTICUT 06066

TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF THIS MAP IS SUBSTANTIALLY CORRECT AS NOTED HEREON.

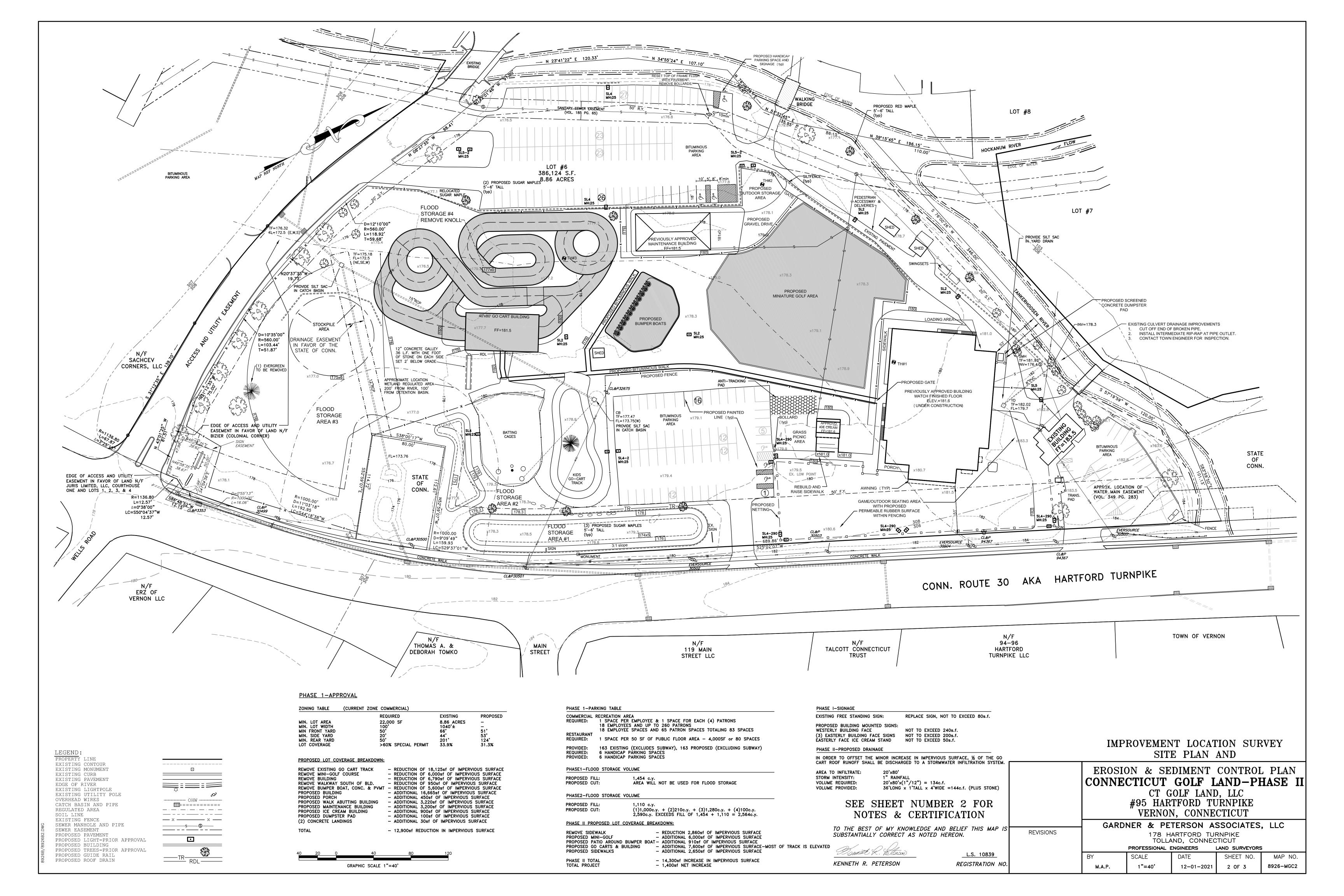
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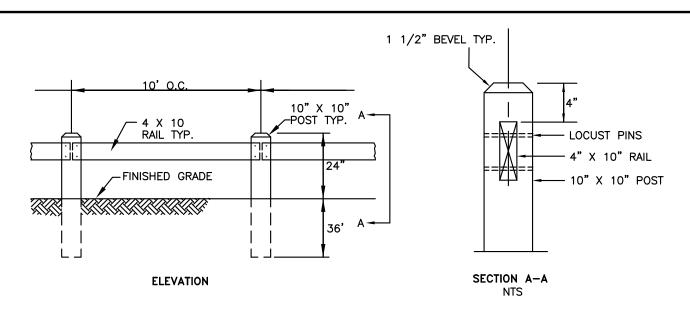
\_L.S. 10839 REGISTRATION NO.

GARDNER & PETERSON ASSOCIATES, LLC **REVISIONS:** 178 HARTFORD TURNPIKE TOLLAND, CONNECTICUT PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS LAND SURVEYORS MAP NO. SHEET NO. 8926-MGC2 AS SHOWN 12-01-2021 1 OF 3

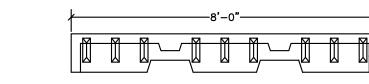
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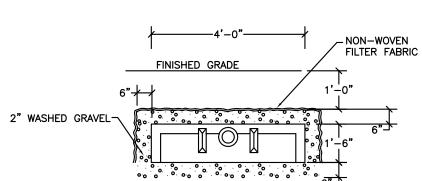
VERNON, CONNECTICUT 06066 APPLICANT:





GUIDE RAIL (OR EQUAL)





NOTES:

1. BOTTOM OF STRUCTURE TO BE SET AT ELEVATION NOTED ON PLAN.
ANY TOPSOIL PRESENT BELOW THE CHAMBERS SHALL BE REMOVED
AND REPLACED WITH STONE.

2. PLACE NON—WOVEN FILTER OVER INFILTRATION GALLEY AND ONE
INCH STONE.

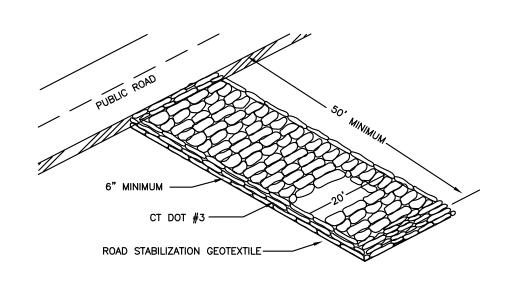
3. INFILTRATION GALLEY TO BE CONSTRUCTED TO WITHSTAND H—20
LOADS.

4. CONCRETE COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH SHALL BE 400 PSI AT 28 DAYS.

5. REINFORCING STEEL DEFORMED BARS SHALL CONFORM TO THE
LATEST ASTM SPECIFICATION A615.

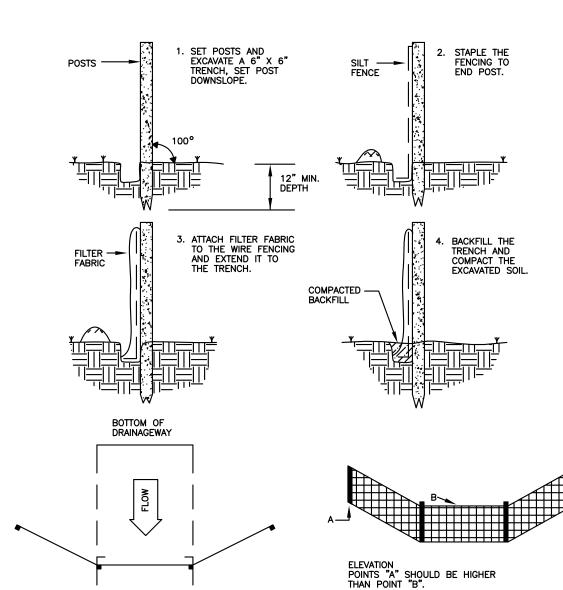
6. PROVIDE A 4"(MIN) INSPECTION PORT ON EACH ROW OF UNITS.

12" CONCRETE GALLEY
OR EQUAL



## CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE

## PLACEMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF A SYNTHETIC FILTER BARRIER



## HAY BALE APPLICATIONS

- Sheet Flow Applications
- Bales shall be placed in a single row, lengthwise on the contour, with ends of adjacent bales tightly abutting one another.
- All bales shall be either wire—bound or string—tied. Bales shall be installed so that bindings are oriented around the sides rather than along the tops and bottoms of the bales to prevent deterioration of the bindings.
- 3. The barrier shall be entrenched and backfilled. A trench shall be excavated the width of a bale and the length of the proposed barrier to a minimum depth of 4 inches. After the bales are staked and chinked, the excavated soil shall be backfilled against the barrier. Backfill soil shall conform to the ground level on the downhill side and shall be built up to 4 inches against the uphill side of the barrier. Ideally, bales should be placed 10 feet away from the toe of slope.
- 4. Each bale shall be securely anchored by at least two stakes or rebars driven through the bale. The first stake in each bale shall be driven toward the previously laid bale to force the bales together. Stakes or re—bars shall be driven deep enough into the ground to securely anchor the
- 5. The gaps between bales shall be chinked (filled by wedging) with straw to prevent water from escaping between the bales. (Loose straw scattered over the area immediately uphill from a straw bale barrier tends to increase barrier efficiency.) In sloping areas where surface flow follows the bale line, perpendicular bale checks shall be installed at appropriate intervals (100 feet Maximum).
- Inspection shall be frequent and repair or replacement shall be made promptly as needed.
- 7. Bale barriers shall be removed when they have served their usefulness, but not before the upslope areas have been permanently stabilized.

### GENERAL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL NOTES

- ALL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED
  IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE "GUIDELINES
  FOR SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL" BY THE CONNECTICUT COUNCIL ON
  SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION.
- ALL SEDIMENT CONTROL PRACTICES AND MEASURES SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED, APPLIED AND MAINTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED SEDIMENT CONTROL PLAN.
- TOPSOIL REQUIRED FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF VEGETATION SHALL BE STOCKPILED IN THE AMOUNT NECESSARY TO COMPLETE THE FINISHED GRADING OF ALL EXPOSED
- AREAS TO BE FILLED SHALL BE CLEARED, GRUBBED AND STRIPPED OF TOPSOIL TO
- 5. ALL FILLS SHALL BE COMPACTED AS REQUIRED TO MINIMIZE EROSION, SLIPPAGE, AND SETTLEMENT. FILL INTENDED TO SUPPORT STRUCTURES, DRAINAGE, ETC. SHALL BE COMPACTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROPRIATE STATE AND/OR

REMOVE TREES, VEGETATION, ROOTS OR OTHER OBJECTIONABLE MATERIAL.

- 6. FILL MATERIAL SHALL BE FREE OF BRUSH, RUBBISH, LARGE ROCKS, LOGS, STUMPS, BUILDING MATERIAL, COMPRESSIBLE MATERIAL, AND OTHER MATERIALS WHICH MAY INTERFERE WITH OR PREVENT CONSTRUCTION OF SATISFACTORY FILLS.
- 7. FROZEN MATERIAL OR SOFT MUCKY OR HIGHLY COMPRESSIBLE MATERIALS SHALL
- NOT BE INCORPORATED INTO FILLS.

  8. FILL SHALL NOT BE PLACED ON A FROZEN FOUNDATION.
- 9. ALL BENCHES SHALL BE KEPT FREE OF SEDIMENT DURING ALL PHASES OF
- O. SEEPS OR SPRINGS ENCOUNTERED DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE HANDLED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SOUND CONSTRUCTION PRACTICE.
- 11. ALL GRADED AREAS SHALL BE PERMANENTLY STABILIZED IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING FINISH GRADING. IF FINISH GRADING IS TO BE DELAYED FOR MORE THAN 30 DAYS AFTER DISTURBANCE IS COMPLETE, TEMPORARY SOIL STABILIZATION MEASURES SHALL BE APPLIED. AREAS LEFT OVER 30 DAYS SHALL BE CONSIDERED "LONG TERM" AND SHALL RECEIVE TEMPORARY SEEDING WITHIN THE FIRST 15 DAYS.
- 12. SITE IS TO BE GRADED TO PERMIT THE USE OF CONVENTIONAL EQUIPMENT FOR SEEDBED PREPARATION, SEEDING, MULCHING, AND MAINTENANCE UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN
- 13. CUT AND FILL SLOPES SHALL NOT BE STEEPER THAN 2:1. TOPSOIL SHALL BE SPREAD TO A MINIMUM DEPTH OF 4". ADDITIONAL TOPSOIL MAY BE REQUIRED TO MEET MINIMUM DEPTHS. NO TOPSOIL SHALL BE REMOVED FROM THIS SITE.
- 14. APPLY SEED UNIFORMLY BY HAND, CYCLONE SEEDER, DRILL CULTIPACKER TYPE SEEDER, OR HYDROSEEDER (SLURRY INCLUDING SEED AND FERTILIZER). NORMAL SEEDING DEPTH IS FROM 1/4" TO 1/2" INCH. HYDROSEEDING WHICH IS MULCHED MAY BE LEFT ON THE SOIL SURFACE.
- 15. WHERE FEASIBLE, EXCEPT WHERE EITHER A CULTIPACKER TYPE SEEDER OR HYDROSEEDER IS USED, THE SEEDBED SHOULD BE FIRMED FOLLOWING SEEDING WITH A ROLLER OR
- 16. FERTILIZER AND LIME ARE TO BE WORKED INTO THE SOIL AS NEARLY AS PRACTICAL TO A DEPTH OF 4 INCHES WITH A DISC, SPRING TOOTH HARROW OR OTHER SUITABLE EQUIPMENT. THE FINAL HARROWING OR DISC OPERATION SHOULD BE ALONG THE
- 17. REMOVE FROM THE SURFACE ALL STONES TWO INCHES OR LARGER. REMOVE ALL OTHER DEBRIS SUCH AS WIRE, TREE ROOTS, PIECES OF CONCRETE, OR OTHER UNSUITABLE
- INSPECT SEEDBED BEFORE SEEDING. IF TRAFFIC HAS LEFT THE SOIL COMPACTED, THE AREA MUST BE RETILLED BEFORE SEEDING, THEN FIRMED AS DESCRIBED ABOVE.

20. CALCIUM CHLORIDE WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR DUST CONTROL ON GRAVEL TRAVEL SURFACES.

- 19. WHERE GRASSES PREDOMINATE, FERTILIZE ACCORDING TO SOIL ANALYSIS, OR SPREAD 300 POUNDS OF 10-10-10 OR EQUIVALENT PER ACRE (7.5 POUNDS PER 1000 S.F.).

TEMPORARY SE	EEDING SCHEDULE:		
SPECIES	LBS/ACRE	LBS/1000SF	SEEDING DATES
ANNUAL RYEGF WINTER RYE SUDANGRASS	RASS 40 40 11	0.9 0.9 0.25	3/1-6/15, 8/1-10/1 4/15-6/15, 8/15-10/1 5/15-8/15

TEMPORARY SEEDING IS NOT LIMITED TO THE SPECIES SHOWN. OTHER SPECIES RECOMMENDED BY THE SCS OR AS LIMITED BY SITE CONDITIONS MAY BE USED.

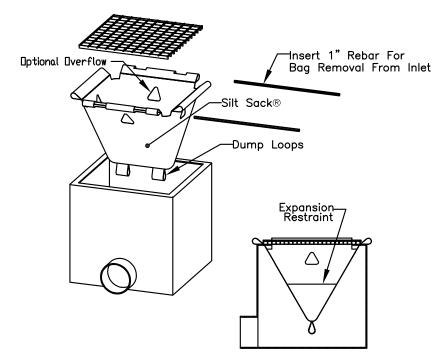
STRAW MULCH IS TO BE APPLIED TO SEEDED AREA AT THE RATE OF 1-1/2 TO 2 TONS PER

## FINAL SEEDING SCHEDULE:

ACRE, 70 TO 90 LBS. PER 1000 SQ. FT.

PROVIDE 4 INCHES OF TOPSOIL MINIMUM, FREE OF ROOTS, LARGE STONES, AND OTHER OBJECTS.

SPECIES	LBS/ACRE	LBS/1000SF	SEEDING DATES
KENTUCKY BLU CREEPING RED PERENNIAL RYE	FESCUE 120	0.90 2.75 0.90	4/15-6/15, 8/15-9/15



CATCH BASIN INLET PROTECTION

# CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE & EROSION & SEDIMENT CONTROL CHECKLIST

PROJECT NAME: CONNECTICUT GOLF LAND-PHASE II LOCATION: 95 HARTFORD TURNPIKE, VERNON, CT

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: EXTERIOR RECREATION

RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL: STEVE LAMESA

PARCEL AREA: 8.86 Acres

WORK DESCRIPTION EROSION & SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES

CONTACT CBYD

CONSTRUCT GO CART TRACK, NEW INSTALL SILT FENCE

INITIALS

CONSTRUCT STORMWATER AREA

CONSTRUCT WALKWAYS
INSTALL UTILITIES

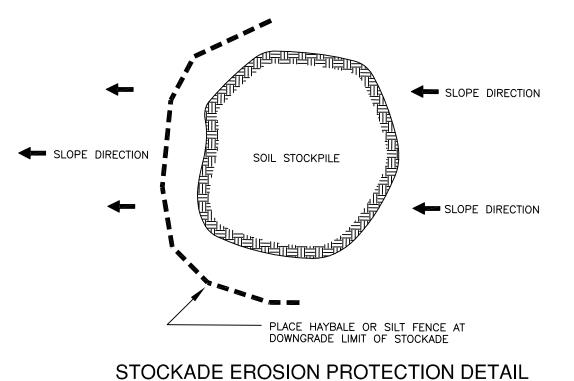
FINAL GRADE AND SEED ALL
DISTURBED AREAS

INSPECT EROSION CONTROLS
REPAIR AS NECESSARY

REMOVE EROSION CONTROLS
WHEN SITE IS STABILIZED

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION START As soon as possible
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION One year from start

EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL PROCEDURES SHALL ESSENTIALLY BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE PLANS, AS REQUIRED BY TOWN REGULATIONS, AND THE MANUAL, "GUIDELINES FOR SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL" FOR CONNECTICUT, BY THE COUNCIL ON SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION, 1985, REVISED TO 2002.



N.T.S.

SEDIMENTATION & EROSION CONTROL DETAILS

CONSTRUCTION DETAILS
CONNECTICUT GOLF LAND-PHASE II

CT GOLF LAND, LLC
#95 HARTFORD TURNPIKE
VERNON, CONNECTICUT

REVISIONS

GARDNER & PETERSON ASSOCIATES, LLC

178 HARTFORD TURNPIKE
TOLLAND, CONNECTICUT
PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS LAND SURVEYORS

SCALE DATE SHEET NO. MAP NO.

AS SHOWN 12-01-2021 3 OF 3 8926-MGC2

## **STAFF COMMENTS**



## TOWN OF VERNON

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Inland Wetlands Commission

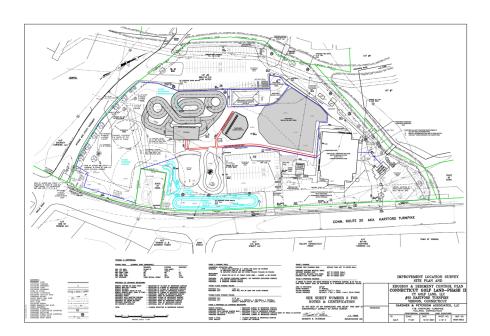
FROM: George K. McGregor, AICP, Town Planner

SUBJECT: IWC 2021-08, CT Golf Land, 95 Hartford Tpke.

DATE: January 25, 2022

#### Request

CT Golf Land LLC, has requested approval for a Wetlands Permit for additional commercial recreation activities at 95 Hartford Tpke. (Assessor ID: Map 1, Block 158, Parcel 00095). The Inland **Wetland Commission** approved a Wetlands Permit for the redevelopment of the site back in September 2020, for grading, construction and other activities (game room, ice cream shop, maintenance building etc...). This application seeks to add go carts (including track and maintenance



building), mini-golf, and bumper boats.

There is associated grading and fill activity to accommodate these additions as well as expanded areas for flood storage. Upon receipt, the IWC determined this a significant activity.

#### **Staff Comments & Analysis**

Historically, this area is prone to flooding. The severe storms of 2021 illustrated this phenomenon on several occasions. Therefore, careful attention should be paid to any development activity which could exacerbate flooding in this area (although we note that flooding near the confluence of the Hockanum and the Tankerhoosen is more likely associated with upstream development impacts). The Applicant is proposing additional flood storage areas, and, by their engineers' calculations, appear to balance the site appropriately.

While the site may balance technically, ensuring the flood storage areas are highly functional is important. Staff has asked the Applicant to review the flood storage areas shown and consider potential revisions relative to size and location. Staff will update the IWC at the hearing.

The proposed redevelopment of the Golf Land Site appears generally sensitive to the environmental features present (the site had previously been significantly disturbed during iterations of development on this site). The applicant has considered additional flood storage on site in an effort to improve those conditions. Although the total impervious surface was reduced by 12,900 sq. ft. according to the Phase I plans, Phase II adds back 16,000 sq. ft. for a net project impervious increase of approximately 3,000 sq.ft.

A site visit the week of January 18, 2022 indicated that a significant amount of fill/dirt had been deposited on site, on the south western side, near the commercial access drive. This activity was not permitted under the original wetland permit. Its disposition is unclear.

Any additional conditions or stipulations will be drafted under separate cover and provided to the Commission prior to the public hearing.

#### **Draft Motions**

**MOVED,** that the Vernon Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Commission does hereby APPROVE, the application (IWC-2021-08) of CT Golf Land LLC for a Wetlands permit by Commission based on the following findings:

- The project will have no adverse impacts on wetlands or watercourses;
- There are no prudent or feasible alternatives

**AND,** Subject to the Site Plan of Development dated December 1, 2021, prepared by Gardner & Peterson, Associates, LLC.

Or,

**MOVED**, an Alternate Motion

**GKM** 

From: Perry, Craig
To: McGregor, George

**Subject:** FW: IWC 2021-08 95 Hartford Tpke - Golfland Phase II **Date:** Wednesday, December 29, 2021 11:33:34 AM

From: Perry, Craig

Sent: Tuesday, December 21, 2021 4:01 PM

**To:** McGregor, George <GMcGregor@vernon-ct.gov>

**Cc:** Smith, David <DSmith@vernon-ct.gov>

Subject: IWC 2021-08 95 Hartford Tpke - Golfland Phase II

George,

I have a couple concerns with these proposed phase II plans.

The proposed golf area does not show any proposed development within the shaded area.

The proposed new Go cart track is now over the Flood Storage area #4 (there was a previously approved Flood Storage Area at this location, but shaped differently). It is hard to determine what is happening in this area.

Thank you,

#### Craig W. Fevry

Town of Vernon
Engineering Department
Phone: 860-870-3638
Fax: 860-870-3683

Fax: 860-870-3683 cperry@vernon-ct.gov

# STATUS OF CEASE & CORRECT ORDERS



## TOWN OF VERNON

55 West Main St, Vernon, CT 06066 Tel: (860) 870-3638 Fax: (860) 870-3683 cperry@vernon-ct.gov

The Rashid Hamid Family LLP 27 Naek Road Vernon, CT 06066

Brian R Juliano 321 Talcottville Road Vernon, CT 06066

26 Naek Road / 321 Talcottville Road

## CEASE AND CORRECT ORDER Certified Letter

January 5, 2022

Dear Property Owners,

I have re-inspected your properties several times since issuing a Violation Notice (letter included) to #26 Naek Road on April 19, 2021 for conducting a "Regulated Activity" within a regulated area, by clear-cutting and depositing material within 100' of a watercourse. In accordance with this Violation Notice, you were instructed to immediately stabilize and remove all the deposited material within 30 days.

After the initial re-inspection of this area, it was found that immediate stabilization was done on #26 Naek Road as requested, however, it was also determined that the deposited material was covering both of the above listed properties after referencing the last approved site plan for #321 Talcottville Road, titled Juliano's Pools, dated 12/12/08. For the past few months Juliano Pools has been slowly removing some of this unpermitted material, but at this time, there is still a significant amount of material that remains within the regulated area.

Therefore, you are hereby ordered to cease and correct any further regulated activities upon this property. You are also hereby requested to attend an Inland Wetlands Commission meeting on January 25, 2022, with the Inland Wetlands Commission at the Vernon Town Hall, Third Floor, 14 Park Place, Vernon CT, at 7:00 pm, at which time a "Show Cause" hearing will be held providing you the opportunity to be heard and show cause why the order should not remain in effect.

Please restore these properties in accordance with the Juliano's Pools site plan listed above. It is important that these properties remain stabilized during restoration efforts with the use of erosion control items such as hay bales and filter fabric to prevent any further erosion problems that may impact this valued resource.

Please be aware, if this condition is not corrected to the satisfaction of the commission, you could be fined up to \$1,000.00 per day in accordance with the Town of Vernon Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations, section 14.

If you have any questions concerning this matter please feel free to contact me at the Town of Vernon Engineering Department 860-870-3638.

Sincerely,

Craig W. Perry

Wetlands Enforcement Officer

c.c. Rachel Stansel
David Smith, PE
George McGregor
Shaun Gately

- Chairman, Inland Wetlands Commission

Town EngineerTown Planner

- Economic Development

## **WETLAND AGENT REPORT**



## TOWN OF VERNON

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To: Wetlands Commission

From: Wetlands Enforcement Officer Subject: **IWC Project Status Report** 

DATE: 2022 - January

Note: Red letters indicate a change from the last report.

#### IWC-2021-05 (933 Hartford Turnpike – AmVets).

• No construction activity at this time.

#### IWC-2021-04 (Naek Road – 70 unit Townhouse Project).

• No construction activity at this time.

#### IWC-2021-02 (7 Beechwood Rd – New residential home).

• No construction activity at this time.

#### IWC-2021-01 (58 Wildwood Rd – New residential home).

• No construction activity at this time.

#### IWC-2020-08 (6 Hartford Turnpike – Suburban Subaru).

- Installation of the porous pavement has been completed.
- Finish grading around pavement edges remains.

#### IWC-2020-06 (CT Golfland).

• Work continues.

#### IWC-2020-05 (Dart Hill Rd Bridge Replacement).

• Construction scheduled for the spring 2022.

#### IWC-2020-04 (Windermere Rd. – Athletic Fields).

• Site work has ended for the winter season.

#### IWC-2019-05 (Chilstone, LLC 624 Dart Hill Rd – 4 unit apartment bldg.).

- Still needs P & Z approval.
- Project is on hold.

#### IWC-2019-02 WPCA (Wetlands Permit for site upgrades).

• Construction continues.

#### **IWC-2017-05 (#133 Tunnel Road)**

• Property has been sold.

#### IWC-2017-03 (Hyde Park LLC – #14 Hyde Ave - Apartments)

• No construction activity at this time.

#### IWC-2016-05 (129/145 Talcottville Rd – Storage Facility behind Wendy's)

- Recent activity by design engineering firm.
- Time extension granted. Expires on Dec. 13, 2026

#### IWC-2015-05 (Kenneth Kaplan – Drainage System – 200 West Main St.)

- No construction activity at this time.
- Expires on Oct. 9, 2025

#### IWC-2015-02 (Kenneth Kaplan – Parking Area – 200 West Main St.)

- No construction activity at this time.
- Expires on June 9, 2025

#### IWC-2013-05 (133 Washington St. – House surrounded by wetlands)

- No construction activity at this time.
- Expires on 3-17-2026 with total extension applied.

#### IWC-2009-07 (Hotel at 53 Hartford Turnpike)

- No construction at this time.
- Expiration date is 11/25/2023 with total extension applied

#### IWC-2008-09 (380 Talcottville Road / Phase 2 The Shoppes at Vernon Valley)

- No construction at this time
- Expiration date is 7/28/2022 with total extension applied.

#### IWC-2005-26 (Bolton Branch Road – Laurel Woods Development)

- Tree clearing continues and construction of road base.
- The new expiration date is 9/4/2022 with total extension applied.

#### IWC-2003-05 (117 Reservoir Rd. – Home Depot)

- There is no construction activity at this time.
- Expiration date is 3/27/2022 with total extension applied.

#### **Other Information of Importance:**

Cease and Correct Order (#26 Naek Road / 321 Talcottville Road) – caused by Juliano Pools.

#### **Wetland Agent Report:**

Approval for;