



OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT

TOWN OF ARLINGTON
730 Massachusetts Avenue
Arlington, MA 02476

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DATE: February 15, 2019

TO ALL BIDDERS

BID NO. 19-08

SUBJECT: Mill Brook Corridor & Wellington Park
Revitalization Project

ADDENDUM NO. 1

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

With reference to the bid request relative to the above subject, please note the following:

SEE ATTACHED QUESTIONS & RESPONSES

SEE ATTACHED CONSERVATION COMMISSION PERMIT

ADDENDUM MUST BE ACKNOWLEDGED WITH BID SUBMISSION.

All other terms, conditions and specifications remain unchanged.

Very truly yours,

Town of Arlington

Domenic R. Lanzillotti
Purchasing Officer

WELLINGTON PARK BID QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. This question is in regards to the pier footings for the boardwalk structure. On Sheet S-1.01 in the notes under Plan View –Framing it stipulates that “Foundations are to be precast EZ-Crete or approved equal” However on details page Sheet S-2.01 it is showing poured in place footings with structural rebar. Can you clarify if either will be acceptable or if there is a preference?

Either is acceptable.

2. Will town be delivering the granite blocks being donated or do we need to load and transport from the town yard?

Contractor is responsible for loading and transporting granite blocks.

3. Bid Form lists Alternates 1 and 2, but only provides a line for alternate 1 Please advise.

Please include pricing for Alternate 2.

4. Can Stone Weir be placed in the wet

Per Plan C2.01 Flood Storage Area Layout & Materials Plan & Details, the two stone weirs will be placed within the water of Mill Brook (detail 4, C2.01).

5. Detail 1 on S2.01 states lag terminals required at each post, please confirm that 3/16" cables can pass thru all intermediate posts utilizing drilled holes per manufacturer's specifications

Lag terminals are required at each post, per Drawings and Specifications.

6. Confirm vertical spacing of cable wire

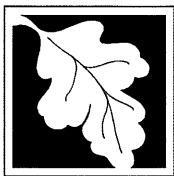
3 inches O.C. max.

7. Please provide list of town approved disposal facilities for invasive vegetation/soil as indicated per note 2/L2.01

"The Town of Arlington does not presently maintain a site for the disposal on invasive vegetation within town limits, nor does the Town of Arlington currently possess or maintain a list of approved disposal sites outside of town limits. The Town of Arlington reserves the right to approve the disposal site proposed by the Contractor."

8. Section 1 on C2.01 has a detail call out "3/C2.01 - Biostabilized Slope with Revetment Mat. Typ" for a hatched area, detail 3/C2.01 is for rip rap, is this area supposed to be labeled 2/C2.01?

Yes, the biostabilized slope with revetment mat detail call out is supposed to reference 2/C2.01 not 3/C2.01.



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A. General Information

Please note:
 this form has been modified with added space to accommodate the Registry of Deeds Requirements

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



1. From: Arlington
 Conservation Commission

2. This issuance is for (check one):
 a. Order of Conditions b. Amended Order of Conditions

3. To: Applicant:
Emily Sullivan
 a. First Name b. Last Name

Town of Arlington
 c. Organization

730 Massachusetts Avenue
 d. Mailing Address

Arlington MA 02476
 e. City/Town f. State g. Zip Code

4. Property Owner (if different from applicant):

 a. First Name b. Last Name

 c. Organization

 d. Mailing Address

_____ f. State _____ g. Zip Code

5. Project Location:
35 Grove Street Arlington
 a. Street Address b. City/Town

54, 55 054.0-0001-0001.0, 055.B-0001-0010.0
 c. Assessors Map/Plat Number d. Parcel/Lot Number

Latitude and Longitude, if known: 42d25m13.27NMids 71d10m3.28Ws
 d. Latitude e. Longitude



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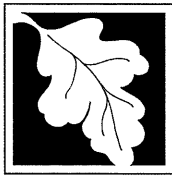
6. Property recorded at the Registry of Deeds for (attach additional information if more than one parcel):
Middlesex
 a. County 5718 b. Certificate Number (if registered land) 57
 c. Book 5718 d. Page 57
7. Dates: 1/23/2019 2/7/2019 2/7/2019
 a. Date Notice of Intent Filed b. Date Public Hearing Closed c. Date of Issuance
8. Final Approved Plans and Other Documents (attach additional plan or document references as needed):
Mill Brook Corridor and Wellington Park Revitalization Project Plan Set
 a. Plan Title Weston & Sampson Cherilyn F. Ruane
 b. Prepared By c. Signed and Stamped by
1/23/2019 1"= 30'
 d. Final Revision Date e. Scale
See Attached Various
 f. Additional Plan or Document Title g. Date

B. Findings

1. Findings pursuant to the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act:
 Following the review of the above-referenced Notice of Intent and based on the information provided in this application and presented at the public hearing, this Commission finds that the areas in which work is proposed is significant to the following interests of the Wetlands Protection Act (the Act). Check all that apply:
- a. Public Water Supply b. Land Containing Shellfish c. Prevention of Pollution
 d. Private Water Supply e. Fisheries f. Protection of Wildlife Habitat
 g. Groundwater Supply h. Storm Damage Prevention i. Flood Control
2. This Commission hereby finds the project, as proposed, is: (check one of the following boxes)

Approved subject to:

- a. the following conditions which are necessary in accordance with the performance standards set forth in the wetlands regulations. This Commission orders that all work shall be performed in accordance with the Notice of Intent referenced above, the following General Conditions, and any other special conditions attached to this Order. To the extent that the following conditions modify or differ from the plans, specifications, or other proposals submitted with the Notice of Intent, these conditions shall control.



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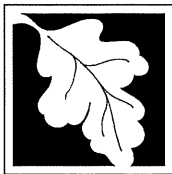
B. Findings (cont.)

Denied because:

- b. the proposed work cannot be conditioned to meet the performance standards set forth in the wetland regulations. Therefore, work on this project may not go forward unless and until a new Notice of Intent is submitted which provides measures which are adequate to protect the interests of the Act, and a final Order of Conditions is issued. **A description of the performance standards which the proposed work cannot meet is attached to this Order.**
- c. the information submitted by the applicant is not sufficient to describe the site, the work, or the effect of the work on the interests identified in the Wetlands Protection Act. Therefore, work on this project may not go forward unless and until a revised Notice of Intent is submitted which provides sufficient information and includes measures which are adequate to protect the Act's interests, and a final Order of Conditions is issued. **A description of the specific information which is lacking and why it is necessary is attached to this Order as per 310 CMR 10.05(6)(c).**
3. Buffer Zone Impacts: Shortest distance between limit of project disturbance and the wetland resource area specified in 310 CMR 10.02(1)(a) _____ a. linear feet

Inland Resource Area Impacts: Check all that apply below. (For Approvals Only)

Resource Area	Proposed Alteration	Permitted Alteration	Proposed Replacement	Permitted Replacement
4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bank	<u>77</u> a. linear feet	<u>77</u> b. linear feet	<u>77</u> c. linear feet	<u>77</u> d. linear feet
5. <input type="checkbox"/> Bordering Vegetated Wetland	_____ a. square feet	_____ b. square feet	_____ c. square feet	_____ d. square feet
6. <input type="checkbox"/> Land Under Waterbodies and Waterways	_____ a. square feet	_____ b. square feet	_____ c. square feet	_____ d. square feet
	_____ e. c/y dredged	_____ f. c/y dredged		
7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bordering Land Subject to Flooding	<u>3,200</u> a. square feet	<u>3,200</u> b. square feet	<u>3,200</u> c. square feet	<u>3,200</u> d. square feet
Cubic Feet Flood Storage	<u>0</u> e. cubic feet	<u>0</u> f. cubic feet	<u>9,450</u> g. cubic feet	<u>9,450</u> h. cubic feet
8. <input type="checkbox"/> Isolated Land Subject to Flooding	_____ a. square feet	_____ b. square feet		
Cubic Feet Flood Storage	_____ c. cubic feet	_____ d. cubic feet	_____ e. cubic feet	_____ f. cubic feet
9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Riverfront Area	<u>43,957</u> a. total sq. feet	<u>43,957</u> b. total sq. feet		
Sq ft within 100 ft	<u>41,476</u> c. square feet	<u>41,476</u> d. square feet	_____ e. square feet	_____ f. square feet
Sq ft between 100-200 ft	<u>2,481</u> g. square feet	<u>2,481</u> h. square feet	_____ i. square feet	_____ j. square feet



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Coastal Resource Area Impacts: Check all that apply below. (For Approvals Only)

	Proposed Alteration	Permitted Alteration	Proposed Replacement	Permitted Replacement
10. <input type="checkbox"/> Designated Port Areas	Indicate size under Land Under the Ocean, below			
11. <input type="checkbox"/> Land Under the Ocean	_____	_____		
	a. square feet	b. square feet		
	_____	_____		
	c. c/y dredged	d. c/y dredged		
12. <input type="checkbox"/> Barrier Beaches	Indicate size under Coastal Beaches and/or Coastal Dunes below			
13. <input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Beaches	_____	_____	_____ cu yd	_____ cu yd
	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. nourishment	d. nourishment
14. <input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Dunes	_____	_____	_____ cu yd	_____ cu yd
	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. nourishment	d. nourishment
15. <input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Banks	_____	_____		
	a. linear feet	b. linear feet		
16. <input type="checkbox"/> Rocky Intertidal Shores	_____	_____		
	a. square feet	b. square feet		
17. <input type="checkbox"/> Salt Marshes	_____	_____	_____	_____
	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. square feet	d. square feet
18. <input type="checkbox"/> Land Under Salt Ponds	_____	_____		
	a. square feet	b. square feet		
	_____	_____		
	c. c/y dredged	d. c/y dredged		
19. <input type="checkbox"/> Land Containing Shellfish	_____	_____	_____	_____
	a. square feet	b. square feet	c. square feet	d. square feet
20. <input type="checkbox"/> Fish Runs	Indicate size under Coastal Banks, Inland Bank, Land Under the Ocean, and/or inland Land Under Waterbodies and Waterways, above			
	_____	_____		
	a. c/y dredged	b. c/y dredged		
21. <input type="checkbox"/> Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage	_____	_____		
	a. square feet	b. square feet		
22. <input type="checkbox"/> Riverfront Area	_____	_____		
	a. total sq. feet	b. total sq. feet		
Sq ft within 100 ft	_____	_____	_____	_____
	c. square feet	d. square feet	e. square feet	f. square feet
Sq ft between 100-200 ft	_____	_____	_____	_____
	g. square feet	h. square feet	i. square feet	j. square feet



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* #23. If the project is for the purpose of restoring or enhancing a wetland resource area in addition to the square footage that has been entered in Section B.5.c (BVW) or B.17.c (Salt Marsh) above, please enter the additional amount here.

23. Restoration/Enhancement *:

a. square feet of BVW

b. square feet of salt marsh

24. Stream Crossing(s):

a. number of new stream crossings

b. number of replacement stream crossings

C. General Conditions Under Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act

The following conditions are only applicable to Approved projects.

1. Failure to comply with all conditions stated herein, and with all related statutes and other regulatory measures, shall be deemed cause to revoke or modify this Order.
2. The Order does not grant any property rights or any exclusive privileges; it does not authorize any injury to private property or invasion of private rights.
3. This Order does not relieve the permittee or any other person of the necessity of complying with all other applicable federal, state, or local statutes, ordinances, bylaws, or regulations.
4. The work authorized hereunder shall be completed within three years from the date of this Order unless either of the following apply:
 - a. The work is a maintenance dredging project as provided for in the Act; or
 - b. The time for completion has been extended to a specified date more than three years, but less than five years, from the date of issuance. If this Order is intended to be valid for more than three years, the extension date and the special circumstances warranting the extended time period are set forth as a special condition in this Order.
 - c. If the work is for a Test Project, this Order of Conditions shall be valid for no more than one year.
5. This Order may be extended by the issuing authority for one or more periods of up to three years each upon application to the issuing authority at least 30 days prior to the expiration date of the Order. An Order of Conditions for a Test Project may be extended for one additional year only upon written application by the applicant, subject to the provisions of 310 CMR 10.05(11)(f).
6. If this Order constitutes an Amended Order of Conditions, this Amended Order of Conditions does not extend the issuance date of the original Final Order of Conditions and the Order will expire on 2/7/2022 unless extended in writing by the Department.
7. Any fill used in connection with this project shall be clean fill. Any fill shall contain no trash, refuse, rubbish, or debris, including but not limited to lumber, bricks, plaster, wire, lath, paper, cardboard, pipe, tires, ashes, refrigerators, motor vehicles, or parts of any of the foregoing.



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8. This Order is not final until all administrative appeal periods from this Order have elapsed, or if such an appeal has been taken, until all proceedings before the Department have been completed.
9. No work shall be undertaken until the Order has become final and then has been recorded in the Registry of Deeds or the Land Court for the district in which the land is located, within the chain of title of the affected property. In the case of recorded land, the Final Order shall also be noted in the Registry's Grantor Index under the name of the owner of the land upon which the proposed work is to be done. In the case of the registered land, the Final Order shall also be noted on the Land Court Certificate of Title of the owner of the land upon which the proposed work is done. The recording information shall be submitted to the Conservation Commission on the form at the end of this Order, which form must be stamped by the Registry of Deeds, prior to the commencement of work.
10. A sign shall be displayed at the site not less than two square feet or more than three square feet in size bearing the words,

"Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection" [or, "MassDEP"]
"File Number 091-0305 "
11. Where the Department of Environmental Protection is requested to issue a Superseding Order, the Conservation Commission shall be a party to all agency proceedings and hearings before MassDEP.
12. Upon completion of the work described herein, the applicant shall submit a Request for Certificate of Compliance (WPA Form 8A) to the Conservation Commission.
13. The work shall conform to the plans and special conditions referenced in this order.
14. Any change to the plans identified in Condition #13 above shall require the applicant to inquire of the Conservation Commission in writing whether the change is significant enough to require the filing of a new Notice of Intent.
15. The Agent or members of the Conservation Commission and the Department of Environmental Protection shall have the right to enter and inspect the area subject to this Order at reasonable hours to evaluate compliance with the conditions stated in this Order, and may require the submittal of any data deemed necessary by the Conservation Commission or Department for that evaluation.
16. This Order of Conditions shall apply to any successor in interest or successor in control of the property subject to this Order and to any contractor or other person performing work conditioned by this Order.



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17. Prior to the start of work, and if the project involves work adjacent to a Bordering Vegetated Wetland, the boundary of the wetland in the vicinity of the proposed work area shall be marked by wooden stakes or flagging. Once in place, the wetland boundary markers shall be maintained until a Certificate of Compliance has been issued by the Conservation Commission.
18. All sedimentation barriers shall be maintained in good repair until all disturbed areas have been fully stabilized with vegetation or other means. At no time shall sediments be deposited in a wetland or water body. During construction, the applicant or his/her designee shall inspect the erosion controls on a daily basis and shall remove accumulated sediments as needed. The applicant shall immediately control any erosion problems that occur at the site and shall also immediately notify the Conservation Commission, which reserves the right to require additional erosion and/or damage prevention controls it may deem necessary. Sedimentation barriers shall serve as the limit of work unless another limit of work line has been approved by this Order.
19. The work associated with this Order (the "Project")
 - (1) is subject to the Massachusetts Stormwater Standards
 - (2) is NOT subject to the Massachusetts Stormwater Standards

If the work is subject to the Stormwater Standards, then the project is subject to the following conditions:

- a) All work, including site preparation, land disturbance, construction and redevelopment, shall be implemented in accordance with the construction period pollution prevention and erosion and sedimentation control plan and, if applicable, the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan required by the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Construction General Permit as required by Stormwater Condition 8. Construction period erosion, sedimentation and pollution control measures and best management practices (BMPs) shall remain in place until the site is fully stabilized.
- b) No stormwater runoff may be discharged to the post-construction stormwater BMPs unless and until a Registered Professional Engineer provides a Certification that:
 - i.* all construction period BMPs have been removed or will be removed by a date certain specified in the Certification. For any construction period BMPs intended to be converted to post construction operation for stormwater attenuation, recharge, and/or treatment, the conversion is allowed by the MassDEP Stormwater Handbook BMP specifications and that the BMP has been properly cleaned or prepared for post construction operation, including removal of all construction period sediment trapped in inlet and outlet control structures;
 - ii.* as-built final construction BMP plans are included, signed and stamped by a Registered Professional Engineer, certifying the site is fully stabilized;
 - iii.* any illicit discharges to the stormwater management system have been removed, as per the requirements of Stormwater Standard 10;



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iv. all post-construction stormwater BMPs are installed in accordance with the plans (including all planting plans) approved by the issuing authority, and have been inspected to ensure that they are not damaged and that they are in proper working condition;

v. any vegetation associated with post-construction BMPs is suitably established to withstand erosion.

c) The landowner is responsible for BMP maintenance until the issuing authority is notified that another party has legally assumed responsibility for BMP maintenance. Prior to requesting a Certificate of Compliance, or Partial Certificate of Compliance, the responsible party (defined in General Condition 18(e)) shall execute and submit to the issuing authority an Operation and Maintenance Compliance Statement ("O&M Statement") for the Stormwater BMPs identifying the party responsible for implementing the stormwater BMP Operation and Maintenance Plan ("O&M Plan") and certifying the following:

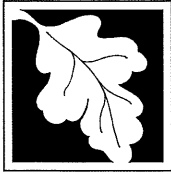
i.) the O&M Plan is complete and will be implemented upon receipt of the Certificate of Compliance, and

ii.) the future responsible parties shall be notified in writing of their ongoing legal responsibility to operate and maintain the stormwater management BMPs and implement the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan.

d) Post-construction pollution prevention and source control shall be implemented in accordance with the long-term pollution prevention plan section of the approved Stormwater Report and, if applicable, the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan required by the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Multi-Sector General Permit.

e) Unless and until another party accepts responsibility, the landowner, or owner of any drainage easement, assumes responsibility for maintaining each BMP. To overcome this presumption, the landowner of the property must submit to the issuing authority a legally binding agreement of record, acceptable to the issuing authority, evidencing that another entity has accepted responsibility for maintaining the BMP, and that the proposed responsible party shall be treated as a permittee for purposes of implementing the requirements of Conditions 18(f) through 18(k) with respect to that BMP. Any failure of the proposed responsible party to implement the requirements of Conditions 18(f) through 18(k) with respect to that BMP shall be a violation of the Order of Conditions or Certificate of Compliance. In the case of stormwater BMPs that are serving more than one lot, the legally binding agreement shall also identify the lots that will be serviced by the stormwater BMPs. A plan and easement deed that grants the responsible party access to perform the required operation and maintenance must be submitted along with the legally binding agreement.

f) The responsible party shall operate and maintain all stormwater BMPs in accordance with the design plans, the O&M Plan, and the requirements of the Massachusetts Stormwater Handbook.



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- g) The responsible party shall:
1. Maintain an operation and maintenance log for the last three (3) consecutive calendar years of inspections, repairs, maintenance and/or replacement of the stormwater management system or any part thereof, and disposal (for disposal the log shall indicate the type of material and the disposal location);
 2. Make the maintenance log available to MassDEP and the Conservation Commission ("Commission") upon request; and
 3. Allow members and agents of the MassDEP and the Commission to enter and inspect the site to evaluate and ensure that the responsible party is in compliance with the requirements for each BMP established in the O&M Plan approved by the issuing authority.
- h) All sediment or other contaminants removed from stormwater BMPs shall be disposed of in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
- i) Illicit discharges to the stormwater management system as defined in 310 CMR 10.04 are prohibited.
- j) The stormwater management system approved in the Order of Conditions shall not be changed without the prior written approval of the issuing authority.
- k) Areas designated as qualifying pervious areas for the purpose of the Low Impact Site Design Credit (as defined in the MassDEP Stormwater Handbook, Volume 3, Chapter 1, Low Impact Development Site Design Credits) shall not be altered without the prior written approval of the issuing authority.
- l) Access for maintenance, repair, and/or replacement of BMPs shall not be withheld. Any fencing constructed around stormwater BMPs shall include access gates and shall be at least six inches above grade to allow for wildlife passage.

Special Conditions (if you need more space for additional conditions, please attach a text document):

See Attached Findings and Conditions

20. For Test Projects subject to 310 CMR 10.05(11), the applicant shall also implement the monitoring plan and the restoration plan submitted with the Notice of Intent. If the conservation commission or Department determines that the Test Project threatens the public health, safety or the environment, the applicant shall implement the removal plan submitted with the Notice of Intent or modify the project as directed by the conservation commission or the Department.



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D. Findings Under Municipal Wetlands Bylaw or Ordinance

1. Is a municipal wetlands bylaw or ordinance applicable? Yes No
2. The Arlington hereby finds (check one that applies):
 Conservation Commission
- a. that the proposed work cannot be conditioned to meet the standards set forth in a municipal ordinance or bylaw, specifically:

1. Municipal Ordinance or Bylaw
 2. Citation

Therefore, work on this project may not go forward unless and until a revised Notice of Intent is submitted which provides measures which are adequate to meet these standards, and a final Order of Conditions is issued.

- b. that the following additional conditions are necessary to comply with a municipal ordinance or bylaw:
Arlington Bylaw for Wetlands Protection Title V, Art 8
 1. Municipal Ordinance or Bylaw 2. Citation

3. The Commission orders that all work shall be performed in accordance with the following conditions and with the Notice of Intent referenced above. To the extent that the following conditions modify or differ from the plans, specifications, or other proposals submitted with the Notice of Intent, the conditions shall control.

The special conditions relating to municipal ordinance or bylaw are as follows (if you need more space for additional conditions, attach a text document):
 See Attached Findings and Conditions



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E. Signatures

This Order is valid for three years, unless otherwise specified as a special condition pursuant to General Conditions #4, from the date of issuance.

2/7/2019
 1. Date of Issuance

Please indicate the number of members who will sign this form.

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 2. Number of Signers

This Order must be signed by a majority of the Conservation Commission.

The Order must be mailed by certified mail (return receipt requested) or hand delivered to the applicant. A copy also must be mailed or hand delivered at the same time to the appropriate Department of Environmental Protection Regional Office, if not filing electronically, and the property owner, if different from applicant.

Signatures:

[Handwritten signatures]

[Handwritten signatures]

by hand delivery on

by certified mail, return receipt requested, on

Date 2/14/2019

Date _____

F. Appeals

The applicant, the owner, any person aggrieved by this Order, any owner of land abutting the land subject to this Order, or any ten residents of the city or town in which such land is located, are hereby notified of their right to request the appropriate MassDEP Regional Office to issue a Superseding Order of Conditions. The request must be made by certified mail or hand delivery to the Department, with the appropriate filing fee and a completed Request for Departmental Action Fee Transmittal Form, as provided in 310 CMR 10.03(7) within ten business days from the date of issuance of this Order. A copy of the request shall at the same time be sent by certified mail or hand delivery to the Conservation Commission and to the applicant, if he/she is not the appellant.

Any appellants seeking to appeal the Department's Superseding Order associated with this appeal will be required to demonstrate prior participation in the review of this project. Previous participation in the permit proceeding means the submission of written information to the Conservation Commission prior to the close of the public hearing, requesting a Superseding Order, or providing written information to the Department prior to issuance of a Superseding Order.

The request shall state clearly and concisely the objections to the Order which is being appealed and how the Order does not contribute to the protection of the interests identified in the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. c. 131, § 40), and is inconsistent with the wetlands regulations (310 CMR 10.00). To the extent that the Order is based on a municipal ordinance or bylaw, and not on the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act or regulations, the Department has no appellate jurisdiction.

ARLINGTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER OF CONDITIONS WELLINGTON PARK REVITALIZATION
DEP FILE NO. 091-0305

DOCUMENTS REVIEWED

1. Notice of Intent for Mill Brook Corridor & Wellington Park Revitalization, Arlington, MA, prepared by Weston & Sampson, for the Applicant: Town of Arlington Recreation Department, dated 1/23/2019.
2. Project Description prepared by Weston & Sampson (Appendix A), dated January 2019.
3. Alternatives Analysis prepared by Weston & Sampson (Appendix B), dated January 2019.
4. Checklist for Stormwater Report and Stormwater Report, prepared by Weston & Sampson, stamped by James I. Pearson PE, dated 1/23/2019.
5. Construction Period Pollution Prevention and Erosion and Sedimentation Control Plan, prepared by Weston & Sampson, not dated.
6. Locus Map, prepared by Weston & Sampson, not dated.
7. Environmental Receptors Map, prepared by Weston & Sampson, not dated.
8. FEMA National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette, prepared by Weston & Sampson, dated 6/12/2018.
9. Construction Specifications (Environmental Protection, Cleaning Up, Selective Clearing Invasive Species, Trees Shrubs Groundcovers and Landscaping) (Appendix E), prepared by Weston & Sampson, dated January 2019.
10. Wetlands Investigation Memorandum (Appendix G), prepared by Mel Higgins PWS of Weston & Sampson, dated 1/17/2019.
11. Water Velocity Modeling Report (Appendix H), prepared by Weston & Sampson, dated January 2019.
12. Site Borings Report (Appendix I), prepared by Weston & Sampson, dated January 2019.
13. Wildlife Protection Guidance (Appendix J), prepared by Weston & Sampson, dated 1/22/2019.
14. Project Operation and Maintenance Guidance (Appendix K), prepared by Weston & Sampson, dated January 2019.

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15. Town of Arlington, Massachusetts Mill Brook Corridor and Wellington Park Revitalization Project Plan Set, prepared by Weston & Sampson, stamped by Cheryln Ruane RLA, dated 1/23/2019.

PROCEDURAL SUMMARY

The Conservation Commission held a public hearing on the Notice of Intent on February 7, 2019. The Commission closed the hearing on January 7, 2019, deliberated and voted 7-0 to approve the Project with conditions under the Wetlands Protection Act (the "Act") and voted 7-0 to approve the Project with conditions under the Arlington Wetlands Protection Bylaw (the "Bylaw").

FINDINGS OF FACT AND LAW
UNDER ARLINGTON WETLANDS PROTECTION BYLAW
AND WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT

- A. The Project as approved involves building a flood storage channel (approximately 70 cubic yards of storage), resurfacing and elongating the existing park pathway using a porous bituminous concrete and boardwalk, and removing invasive species. The Project Site is located in Wellington Park, at 35 Grove Street, along Mill Brook.
- B. The Project Site contains approximately 43,957 square feet of impact in the Riverfront Area, 41,476 square feet of which is within the 100-foot buffer and 2,481 square feet of which is between 100-feet and 200-feet. Approximately 77 linear feet of bank will be altered and replaced. Approximately 3,200 square feet of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding will be altered and replaced. Approximately 9,450 cubic feet of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding will be replaced.
- C. The following Resource Areas are present on the site or within 100 feet of the project limit of work: Bank (Act), Buffer Zone (Act) to Bank, Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (Act), 200-foot Riverfront Area (Act), and 100 Year Flood Zone (Act). The Commission finds accurate the delineation of Resource Areas shown on the approved Site Plan.
- D. Approximately 70 cubic yards of flood storage will be added within the flood zone.
- E. The Project as approved is subject to the Massachusetts Stormwater Standards.
- F. The Commission finds the project meets the performance standards for the aforementioned Resource Areas.
- G. Based on the testimony at the public hearing, and review of the application materials and the documents listed above submitted during the public hearing, the Commission concludes that the proposed Project will not alter Resource Areas under the Act and Bylaw, the work as conditioned will not have significant or cumulative effects upon the interests of the Wetlands Protection Act or the Resource Area values of the Arlington

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Wetlands Bylaw when the conditions imposed are implemented to protect the Resource Area values. With the conditions contained herein, the Project meets the performance standards in the Bylaw Regulations and State Wetlands Regulations, 310 CMR 10.00.

Additional Special Conditions

In addition to the General Conditions (numbered 1 – 20 above), the Project is subject to the following Additional Special Conditions (under both the Act and Bylaw):

Pre-Construction

21. Work permitted by this Order and Permit shall conform to the Notice of Intent, the approved plans and documents (listed above), and oral representations (as recorded in hearing minutes) submitted or made by the Applicant and the Applicant's agents or representatives, as well as any plans and other data, information or representations submitted per these Conditions and approved by the Commission.
22. The provisions of this Order and Permit shall apply to and be binding upon the Applicant and Applicant's assignees, tenants, property management company, employees, contractors, and agents.
23. No work shall begin under this Order until: (a) all other required permits or approvals have been obtained and (b) the appeal period of ten (10) business days from the date of issue of this Order has expired without any appeal being filed and (c) this Order has been recorded in the Registry of Deeds. No work shall be started under this Permit until all other necessary permits or approvals have been obtained.
24. No work shall begin until the project engineering documents, including velocity calculations, are reviewed and approved by the Town Engineer to ensure no negative downstream impacts to Mill Brook. The engineering documents shall also be sent to the Conservation Commission.
25. The Applicant shall ensure that a copy of this Order of Conditions and Permit for work, with any referenced plans, is available on site at all times, and that contractors, site managers, foremen, and sub-contractors understand its provisions.
26. Prior to starting work, the Applicant shall submit to the Commission the names and 24-hour phone numbers of project managers or the persons responsible for site work or mitigation.
27. Before work begins, erosion and sediment controls shall be installed at the limits of the work area. These will include a silt fence and 12 inch straw or silt wattle around the entire work area (hay bales are not allowed and silt socks are preferred).
28. The Applicant shall complete the proposed work during low flow conditions only.
29. The contractor shall contact the Conservation Agent (concomm@town.arlington.ma.us ; 781-316-3012) to arrange for a pre-construction meeting with the on-site project manager to walk through the Order of Conditions, confirm the wash out location, and walk the site to confirm the installation and placement of erosion controls prior to the start of any grading or construction work.

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30. The contractor shall provide written Notice of the work start date to the Conservation Agent 48 hours prior to start of work.
31. The Commission, its employees, and its agents shall have the right of entry onto the site to inspect for compliance with the terms of this Order of Conditions and Permit until a Certificate of Compliance has been issued.

Post-Construction

32. When requesting a Certificate of Compliance for this Order of Conditions, the Applicant must submit a written statement from a Massachusetts professional engineer, registered land surveyor, or registered landscape architect certifying that the completed work complies with the plans referenced in this Order, or provide an as-built plan and statement describing any differences.

Dumpsters

33. All dumpsters must be covered at the end of each work day, and no dumpsters will be allowed overnight within the 100 foot Buffer Zone or Adjacent Upland Resource Areas ("AURA") or other Resource Areas.

Stockpiling

34. No uncovered stockpiling of materials shall be permitted overnight within 100 feet of any waterway or water body. Stockpiling shall occur only where noted on approved plans.

Erosion

35. Areas that are disturbed by construction and access activities shall as soon as possible be brought to final grade and reseeded and restabilized, and shall be done so prior to the removal of the erosion control barrier. Erosion control measures shall be installed per the approved plans.

Equipment

36. No heavy equipment may be stored overnight within 50 feet of the wetland and no refueling or maintenance of machinery shall be allowed within the 100-foot Buffer Zone, 200-foot Resource Area, and Adjacent Upland Resource Area or within any Resource Area.
37. Construction entrances shall be used and maintained only where noted on approved plans.
38. Arrangements shall be made for any rinsing of tools, equipment, etc. associated with on-site mixing or use of concrete or other materials such that the waste water is disposed of in the concrete wash out station-at least 50 feet from the resource area. In no case may waste water be discharged into or onto Resource Areas on or adjacent to the site. In no case may waste water be placed in stormdrains. Any spillage of materials shall be cleaned up promptly.

Sweeping

39. Any dirt or debris spilled or tracked onto any paved streets shall be swept up and removed daily.

Dewatering

40. Any dewatering operations shall conform to the following:
 - (a) Notify the Conservation Commission that dewatering is required.

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(b) Any catch basins, drains, and outfalls to be used in dewatering operations shall be cleaned out before operations begin.

(c) Any water discharged as part of any dewatering operation shall be passed through filters, on-site settling basins, settling tank trucks, or other devices to ensure that no observable sediments or pollutants are carried into any Resource Area, street, drain, or adjacent property.

(d) Measures shall be taken to ensure that no erosion or scouring shall occur on public or private property, or on the banks or bottoms of water bodies, as a result of dewatering operations.

Dewatering shall occur only where noted on approved plans.

Plantings

41. Prior to plant installation, the Applicant shall submit planting plan details to the Conservation Commission for approval. Planting details shall include plant sizes, Latin names, regular names, number of plants, and transported method (containerized, balled-and-burlapped, etc.). All plantings shall be native and be installed and maintained according to the standards of the American Association of Nurserymen (AAN). **This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of the permit and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition.**
42. The Applicant shall protect all area trees per the Town Wetlands Protection Regulations, Section 24 Vegetation Removal and Replacement, protecting trees through securing (not nailing) 2x4 boards, between 6-8 feet in length, around tree base. The boards shall be installed vertically such that one end is installed directly into the ground.
43. The Applicant shall replace all removed trees per the Town Wetlands Protection Regulations, Section 24 Vegetation Removal and Replacement.
44. The existing mitigation areas A and B outlined in the project plans shall be enhanced through invasive species control and/or native plantings during the project work. If an existing mitigation area needs to be moved, it will be replicated within the site area with native vegetation.
45. All plantings planted and invasive species removed through this project shall be maintained for three years. A monitoring report shall be submitted annually on November 1, 2019, 2020, 2021, and 2022.

Chemicals

46. To avoid adding excess nitrogen runoff, the Applicant shall only treat the lawn area with slow release nitrogen fertilizer. Application of this fertilizer cannot occur in the summer, or after storm events. Lawn fertilizer shall only be applied twice a year, in spring and fall. Only the herbicides and herbicide treatment methods stated within the NOI are approved to treat invasive plants. No other herbicides or treatment methods are approved. New plantings shall only be fertilized once, during the initial planting year. No pesticides or rodenticides shall be used to treat pest management issues. **This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of the permit and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition.**

Pervious Surfaces

47. Pervious surfaces shown on the project plans shall be maintained and not be replaced by impervious surfaces. **This shall be a continuing condition that survives the expiration of**

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the permit and shall be included in any Certificate of Compliance as a continuing condition.

Stormwater

48. The Applicant shall protect all adjacent catch basins using silt socks.
49. The Applicant shall conduct catch basin sump cleanings as necessary to proximate catch basins at the end of the project work period.

Monitoring

50. The Applicant shall submit a project status report to the Commission every two weeks, beginning once construction starts. Status reports shall include photos of the site and be emailed to the Conservation Agent and forwarded to the Commission.