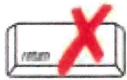




WPA Form 1- Request for Determination of Applicability
Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40

A. General Information

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



1. Applicant:

OFS

Name _____ E-Mail Address _____

50 Hall Road

Mailing Address _____

Sturbridge MA 01566

City/Town _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____ Fax Number (if applicable) _____

2. Representative (if any):

OFS

Firm _____

Paul Watson, Environmental Regulatory Compliance Engineer pcwatson@ofsptics.com

Contact Name _____ E-Mail Address _____

50 Hall Road

Mailing Address _____

Sturbridge MA 01566

City/Town _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

508-347-6090

Phone Number _____ Fax Number (if applicable) _____

B. Determinations

1. I request the Sturbridge Conservation Commission make the following determination(s). Check any that apply:

- a. whether the **area** depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below is an area subject to jurisdiction of the Wetlands Protection Act.
- b. whether the **boundaries** of resource area(s) depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below are accurately delineated.
- c. whether the **work** depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the Wetlands Protection Act.
- d. whether the area and/or work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the jurisdiction of any **municipal wetlands ordinance** or **bylaw** of:

Name of Municipality

- e. whether the following **scope of alternatives** is adequate for work in the Riverfront Area as depicted on referenced plan(s).
- _____
- _____
- _____



The yellow arrow points to the area that needs to be repaired.



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C. Project Description (cont.)

b. Identify provisions of the Wetlands Protection Act or regulations which may exempt the applicant from having to file a Notice of Intent for all or part of the described work (use additional paper, if necessary).

None

3. a. If this application is a Request for Determination of Scope of Alternatives for work in the Riverfront Area, indicate the one classification below that best describes the project.

- Single family house on a lot recorded on or before 8/1/96
- Single family house on a lot recorded after 8/1/96
- Expansion of an existing structure on a lot recorded after 8/1/96
- Project, other than a single family house or public project, where the applicant owned the lot before 8/7/96
- New agriculture or aquaculture project
- Public project where funds were appropriated prior to 8/7/96
- Project on a lot shown on an approved, definitive subdivision plan where there is a recorded deed restriction limiting total alteration of the Riverfront Area for the entire subdivision
- Residential subdivision; institutional, industrial, or commercial project
- Municipal project
- District, county, state, or federal government project
- Project required to evaluate off-site alternatives in more than one municipality in an Environmental Impact Report under MEPA or in an alternatives analysis pursuant to an application for a 404 permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers or 401 Water Quality Certification from the Department of Environmental Protection.

b. Provide evidence (e.g., record of date subdivision lot was recorded) supporting the classification above (use additional paper and/or attach appropriate documents, if necessary.)



Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

City/Town _____

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D. Signatures and Submittal Requirements

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing Request for Determination of Applicability and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I further certify that the property owner, if different from the applicant, and the appropriate DEP Regional Office were sent a complete copy of this Request (including all appropriate documentation) simultaneously with the submittal of this Request to the Conservation Commission.

Failure by the applicant to send copies in a timely manner may result in dismissal of the Request for Determination of Applicability.

Name and address of the property owner:

Name OFS
50 Hall Road
Mailing Address
Sturbridge
City/Town
MA
State
Zip Code 01566

Signatures:

I also understand that notification of this Request will be placed in a local newspaper at my expense in accordance with Section 10.05(3)(b)(1) of the Wetlands Protection Act regulations.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____
Paul C. Watson
Signature of Representative (if any) _____ Date 10/22/2019



Town of Sturbridge

Conservation Commission

STURBRIDGE CONSERVATION COMMISSION AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the Town of Sturbridge Wetland Bylaws I, Paul Watson, hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that on (date) October 28, 2019, I gave notification to abutters in compliance with the second paragraph of the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131, § 40, and the DEP Guide to Abutter Notification as well as the Town of Sturbridge Wetland Bylaws, in connection with the following matter:

- A Notice of Intent OR
- A Request for Determination OR
- An Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation

was filed under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the Town of Sturbridge Bylaws, by _____ with the Sturbridge Conservation Commission on (date) _____ for the property located at 50 Hall Road, Sturbridge, MA 01566.

The form of the Notification and a list of abutters to whom it was given and their addresses are included in the application file.

Paul C. Watson _____ 10/28/19
(signature of applicant) (date)

Paul C. Watson
(name of applicant-printed or typed)

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Town of Sturbridge

Barbara A. Barry, Finance Director

Department/Board/Committee: Conservation Commission

Please verify outstanding tax/fee status for the following property owner:

Property Owner: OFS

Property Location: 50 Hall Road
Sturbridge, MA 01010

- The license/permit may be released.
 The license/permit may not be released.

fd Barbara J. Morse
Finance Director

10/22/19
Date



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Filing Fee Worksheet

Under M.G.L. c 131, § 40 and the Town of Sturbridge Wetland Bylaw

Applicant OFS

Applicant Representative Paul Watson, Environmental Regulatory Compliance Engineer

Project location 50 Hall Road Sturbridge, MA 01566

TOTAL STATE FEE REQUIRED FOR PROJECT

(Only subject to NOI and ANRAD filings—See Wetland Fee Transmittal Form):

State Fee Category(s) _____

Total State Fee for project (include Riverfront Area adjustment if applicable) _____

State share of State Fee _____

Local share of State Fee _____

TOTAL ADDITIONAL LOCAL FEE REQUIRED FOR PROJECT*:

(See Sturbridge Wetland Bylaw Regulations Section 4.17)

Standard NOI Fee = \$50.00 _____ (check if applicable)

Standard RDA Fee = \$25.00 _____ (check if applicable)

Standard ANRAD Fee = \$00.10 per foot for resource area delineation _____ (check if applicable).
feet _____ x \$00.10 = \$ _____

Standard DELINEATION Fee = \$00.10 per foot for resource area delineation _____ (for all projects).
feet _____ x \$00.10 = \$ _____

(for all projects that do not include an approved wetland delineation boundary by the Commission within 3 years prior to application submittal)

REPLICATION Monitoring Fee = \$200.00 _____ (check if applicable)
(for all projects that include wetland alteration and wetland replication)

CUMULATIVE TOTAL FEES:

Total State Fee: _____

Total Town Share of State Fee: _____

Total Local Fee: _____

*Please Note:

For each NOI and ANRAD filing, please submit two (2) checks to the Town of Sturbridge, one for the town's portion of the state fee and one for the local fee(s). RDA filings only have a Local Fee at this time.

The advertising fee is not included in the calculation. The Applicant will pay the Southbridge News directly.



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Conservation Commission

Notification to Abutters under the MA Wetlands Protection Act and the Town of Sturbridge Wetland Bylaw Regulations

In accordance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 131, § 40, as well as the Town of Sturbridge Wetland Bylaws, you are hereby notified of the following permit application for work within a wetland resource area and/or within the 200-foot buffer zone to a resource area:

- A. The name of the applicant is: OFS
- B. The address of the lot(s) where the activity is proposed is: 50 Hall Rd. Sturbridge, MA 01566
- C. The nature of the activity proposed includes: Repairing clogged riprap around catch basin
- D. The applicant has filed the following in accordance with the Wetlands Protection Act (MGL c. 131, § 40), and/or the Town of Sturbridge Wetland Bylaws.
- Notice of Intent seeking permission to conduct work within a wetland, water body or resource area
- Request for Determination seeking permission to conduct work within a buffer zone to a wetland, waterbody or resource area
- Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation seeking to confirm the wetland resource area boundaries.
- Request to amend an existing Order of Conditions for DEP File #300-_____
- E. Copies of the application may be examined at the Sturbridge Conservation Department, 301 Main Street, Center Office Building, Sturbridge, MA between the hours of **9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday**. Additional times may available by appointment. Please call ahead to check for availability. (508) 347-2506
- F. Copies of the application may be obtained from either the applicant: _____ or the applicant's representative: Paul Watson, by calling telephone # 508-347-6090 on the following days of the week: M-F between the hours of 8:00am and 5:00 pm.

The Public Hearing for this application will be held in the Center Office Building, 301 Main Street, 2nd Floor on Nov 19, 2019 at 6:15 pm.

PLEASE NOTE: Notice of this Public Hearing will be published as follows:

- In The Southbridge Evening News at least five days in advance of the hearing
- In the Town Hall at the Town Clerks office, not less than 48 hours in advance of the hearing
- On the Town's Meeting Calendar not less than 48 hours in advance of the hearing (www.town.sturbridge.ma.us)
- On the Conservation Commission webpage not less than 48 hours in advance of the hearing

You may contact the Sturbridge Conservation Commission Office (508) 347-2506 or the Department of Environmental Protection Central Regional Office at 508-792-7650 with questions in regards to the Notice of Intent application process or the Wetlands Protection Act.