



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:

Tom MacDowell
Name

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E-Mail Address

Mailing Address

City/Town

State

Zip Code

978-394-6399

Phone Number

Fax Number (if applicable)

2. Representative (if any):

Stoddard Engineering
Firm

Chris Stoddard, P.E.
Contact Name

stoddard440@gmail.com
E-Mail Address

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Mailing Address

Athol

MA

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City/Town

State

Zip Code

978-790-9731

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Fax Number (if applicable)

B. Determinations

1. I request the Littleton 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:

Littleton

Name of Municipality

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





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C. Project Description

1. a. Project Location (use maps and plans to identify the location of the area subject to this request):

18 Middlesex Dr	Littleton
Street Address	City/Town
U15	116
Assessors Map/Plat Number	Parcel/Lot Number

b. Area Description (use additional paper, if necessary):

A 0.184 acre property has a 3 bedroom single family house that has municipal water and gas. The existing failed septic system is located in the existing yard surrounded by a chain link fence.

c. Plan and/or Map Reference(s):

Sewage Disposal System	9-15-2023
Title	Date
_____	_____
Title	Date
_____	_____
Title	Date
_____	_____

2. a. Work Description (use additional paper and/or provide plan(s) of work, if necessary):

The work consists of replacing the existing failed cesspool with a new title 5 compliant leach field and tank within the existing fenced in lawn. All infrastructure and grading is going to take place outside the 50' buffer of the intermittent stream to the south of the property. Silt fence and straw wattles will be placed around the project site prior to construction activities starting.



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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).

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.)



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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:

Tom Macdowell

Name

18 Middlesex Dr

Mailing Address

Littleton

City/Town

MA

State

01460

Zip Code

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

Signature of Representative (if any)

9/15/2023

Date