

March 30, 2021

Sudbury Conservation Department 275 Old Lancaster Road Sudbury, MA 01776 Attn: Lori Capone, Conservation Coordinator

# Re: Old Framingham Road Sidewalk Extension and Roadway Realignment NOI Response to Comments

Dear Ms. Capone:

Thank you for coordinating the review of the proposed sidewalk extension and roadway realignment on Old Framingham Road in Sudbury. The following letter compiles responses to comments received from you via email on March 18, 2021. The comments received are provided below for your reference, and our response follows each comment:

Comment 1: There is no discussion on how the project meets the Wetlands Bylaw. Unaltered Buffer Zone (Adjacent Upland Resource Area) is a resource area under the Bylaw. Impacts thereto should be mitigated or explain how functions provided by AURA are not being impacted.

Please see section 4.1 of the updated Technical Memorandum for a discussion of impacts to the AURA.

Comment 2: Section 2.2 of Tech Memo states stream is both perennial and intermittent.

The stream is perennial—please see Section 2.2 of the revised Technical Memorandum.

Comment 3: EcoTec report, second paragraph notes Marlboro Road and Panty Brook project. It also states that engineer should confirm that work is outside Bordering Land Subject to Flooding, which appears to be located on the eastern side of the CSX branch, 1,500 linear feet from the project site. Is there a reason the wetland scientist left this question open?

Please see the updated NOI form and the FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) included with the Technical Memorandum as Attachment C. The project is not within the 100-year floodplain according to the FIRM.

Comment 4: The Riverfront impact calculations in the NOI states that there is 9,069 s.f. of impact, but the Impact Area plan notes 9,069 s.f. of proposed impervious with 5,694, temp disturbance. The NOI should be modified to include with temporary disturbance within the total alteration. The total riverfront calculation in the NOI should include all land within the riverfront area on site. I know this is hard to quantify this this type of project but it should not be the total impervious number. Temp alteration numbers should also be included on the NOI form for inner and outer riparian zones.

Please see the revised impact area figure with clarified impact square footage calculations.

Comment 5: Only silt fence is shown for erosion controls, except for the coffer dam and turbidity curtain. No wattles?

Woodard & Curran recommends using a compostable silt-sock sedimentation barrier. Please refer to the revised sheet C-200 for the Sedimentation Barrier, Dewatering Discharge Sediment Control Device, and Temporary Soil Stock Pile Area details.

Comment 6: Any tree removal required? Any trees within jurisdiction that are being protected during construction?



Per the discussion at the March 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting, it is possible that some small trees behind the existing stone wall on Town-owned land south of #78 may need to be removed. One small tree at the south corner of Nobscot Road and Old Framingham Road will need to be removed to accommodate the new intersection alignment—this tree has been called out on the revised sheet C-101. Tree removal will be limited to only those necessary to facilitate construction, and certain trees within or near the limit of work are called out to be protected on sheet C-101.

Comment 7: Erosion control matting is called out in construction sequence but detail not shown on plan nor where this will be used.

Please see the revised sheet C-201. Note 1 of the Erosion Control Matting detail contains application instructions with minimum slopes where use of the matting will be required.

Comment 8: What seed mix if being used to stabilize disturbed areas?

Please see the attached seed mix specifications for the New England Conservation/Wildlife mix and the New England Erosion Control/Restoration Mix for Detention Basins and Moist Sites. The New England Conservation/Wildlife Mix will be used to stabilize disturbed upland areas. The New England Erosion Control/Restoration mix will be used to stabilize disturbed wetland areas above the waterline if incidental disturbances to such areas occur.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 781-613-0311 or email me at <a href="mailto:ssalvucci@woodardcurran.com">ssalvucci@woodardcurran.com</a>.

Sincerely,

WOODARD & CURRAN INC.

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Scott Salvucci, PE Project Manager

Enclosures: Revised NOI Package

# TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM

TO: Arthur Allen, EcoTec, Inc.

PREPARED BY: Dan Pasquale, Woodard & Curran REVIEWED BY: Scott Salvucci. Woodard & Curran

DATE: March 4, 2021 (Revised March 30, 2021)

RE: Old Framingham Road Sidewalk Extension and Roadway Realignment

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Woodard & Curran has developed a preliminary-phase design of a sidewalk extension alongside Old Framingham Road in Sudbury, MA. Additionally, the design includes a realignment of Old Framingham Road and a re-configuration of the Old Framingham Road/Nobscot Road intersection. This memorandum is intended to support filing of a Notice of Intent application with the Conservation Commission for authorization to construct the sidewalk extension and roadway improvements. The sidewalk extension would improve pedestrian safety and enhance access between the residential communities along Old Framingham Road and an existing sidewalk along Nobscot Road. An existing reinforced concrete pipe (RCP) culvert carries an unnamed perennial stream beneath Old Framingham Road. To accommodate the sidewalk and adjacent roadway alignment, Woodard & Curran recommends replacing a portion of the existing culvert with new RCP piping. Please refer to Figure 1 for the Site Location Map.

## 2. EXISTING CONDITIONS EVALUATION

## 2.1 Survey and Existing Unnamed Stream Channel Condition

An existing conditions survey of the site was performed by Jarvis Land Survey, with field data collected in November and December 2020. A 43.4-foot long closed-channel/pipe culvert carries an unnamed stream flowing west to east beneath Old Framingham Road. Upstream of the crossing, the stream pools in an area west of the roadway, impounded by a stone masonry headwall. A weir structure forms the outlet of the upstream pool area, discharging into an approximately 12-foot long, 3.5-foot-wide channelized stream section with stone masonry walls. The downstream 6-feet of the channelized section is covered by a concrete slab structure. Refer to Figure 2 for a photo of the closed-channel stream section. The stream then enters a 30" RCP pipe and flows beneath the roadway. Based on information from the Town, a doghouse-style drop inlet structure was built on top of the RCP pipe near the upstream end, with the top half of the pipe within the structure footprint removed to allow direct discharge of stormwater runoff from the roadway into the culvert. The existing pipe culvert is set at a slope of approximately 2.4%. Downstream of the roadway, the RCP culvert discharges into a wooded area. The upstream and downstream properties are both privately owned. An existing condition survey is included as Attachment A.

#### 2.2 Wetland Resource Evaluation

A wetland resource evaluation was performed by EcoTec, Inc. on November 4, 2020 to evaluate the presence of resource areas within the project area. Wetland flags were delineated for the boundary of bordering vegetated wetlands (BVW) associated with the upstream and downstream wetland complexes, labeled B1–B5 and A1-A10, respectively. Flags marking the Mean Annual High-water Line (MAHWL) of the perennial stream on the east and west sides of the crossing were also delineated, labeled RA1-RA8 and RB1-RB10/RB1A-RB5A, respectively. The stream continues from the culvert outlet through wooded areas and relatively flat

marshes within farmland before ultimately draining to Landham Brook (also known as Allowance Brook). The Wetland Resource Evaluation is included as Attachment B.

#### 2.3 Site Soil Conditions



On December 1, 2020, two test pits (TP-1 and TP-2) were excavated adjacent to the existing roadway near the culvert crossing under the supervision of Woodard & Curran staff. The purpose of the test pit excavation was to gain a general understanding of the soil conditions and groundwater level at the site. Subsurface conditions consisted primarily of poorly sorted silt/sand layers. No significant organic soil layer was discovered. As soil conditions can vary across a given site, Woodard & Curran recommends that soil conditions be monitored during construction activities and that any unsuitable soil materials encountered at the subgrade be removed and replaced with clean fill material. Groundwater was encountered at 6.2-feet below ground surface at TP-1 and at 4.5-feet below ground surface at TP-2, corresponding to elevations ranging from approximately 152.8-154.0.

#### 2.4 FEMA FIRM Review

Review of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) flood maps indicates that the site is within an Area of Minimal Flood Hazard as mapped on FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) Panel 25017C0506F. The FIRMette showing the project site is included as Attachment C.

# 3. DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

The design intent was to provide the minimum required cross-sectional sidewalk and roadway width at the culvert crossing. This ensures pedestrian accessibility and safe vehicular passage while minimizing land disturbance near the stream. Because there is a steep drop-off along the eastern side of the road right-of-way, a line approximately coincidental with the eastern edge of the existing roadway was held for the back of sidewalk line at the culvert crossing. The western edge of the proposed roadway alignment is shifted west of the current alignment by a maximum of 5.83-feet at the crossing location.

Modifications to the culvert are required to accommodate the proposed alignment. The new roadway footprint would cross over the concrete slab enclosing the channelized stream. Because the current structural condition of the concrete slab is unknown and possibly unsuitable for regular vehicle loading, Woodard & Curran recommends removing the concrete slab, as discussed in the Proposed Conditions section below.

Additionally, the existing stormwater drop inlet structure over the pipe culvert would be positioned close to the proposed roadway centerline, which is a non-optimal location for capturing runoff from the road surface. Woodard & Curran recommends removing the existing drop inlet structure.

#### 4. PROPOSED CONDITIONS

Please refer to Figure 3 for preliminary-phase project plans. The proposed sidewalk width is 5-feet, and the proposed roadway width is 18-feet. A 0.5-foot-wide vertical granite curb will separate the roadway from the sidewalk. To facilitate construction of the new sidewalk extension and roadway alignment, Woodard & Curran recommends replacing the existing 30" RCP culvert from the current RCP inlet up to and including the cut-open drop inlet pipe with new 30" RCP pipe. Woodard & Curran also recommends replacing the concrete slab-covered portion of the channel with additional 30" RCP pipe to the upstream limit of the existing concrete slab. A concrete headwall will be constructed within the stone masonry channel at the new pipe inlet. The existing stone masonry channel walls and the walls bordering the upstream marsh pool area will receive new mortar as part of the work. The new piping will provide a structurally-sound conveyance for the culvert and allow for the westward shift of the roadway.



Woodard & Curran also recommends constructing a new deep-sump catch basin with a grate inlet at the west edge of the roadway south of the culvert crossing to replace the drop inlet. The new deep-sump catch basin would form the low point along the road surface, which would be cross-pitched to the west similar to the existing roadway cross-slope. The catch basin would connect to an existing drain manhole (DMH) south of the culvert crossing with 12" HDPE pipe. Flow from the existing DMH is conveyed east and discharges to the wooded area immediately downstream of the existing RCP culvert outlet. It is assumed that during extreme precipitation events, any overflow from the catch basin would flow into the open channel section of the stream.

The proposed configuration would replace the current stormwater inlet with a new inlet in an optimal location to capture runoff from the proposed roadway alignment. It would also provide an improvement to water quality—the existing drop inlet structure provides no treatment of runoff before discharge to the brook, while the deepsump catch basin would provide a small level of treatment before discharging into the drainage system.

The total length of the sidewalk extension is approximately 681-feet, measured from the existing sidewalk at Nobscot Road to the northern terminus of the existing Old Framingham Road sidewalk. Additional work farther from the crossing will be needed to construct the full length of the sidewalk extension. An existing catch basin in front of #78 Old Framingham Road will be removed and re-located within the roadway footprint, and a utility pole west of the roadway will be relocated to provide sufficient clearance between it and the proposed edge of pavement. The Town intends to acquire a walkway easement from the owners of #78 Old Framingham Road, and some re-grading along the frontage of the property will be required. Additional grading is proposed within a Town-owned property south of #78 Old Framingham Road to achieve a more gradual sidewalk slope.

As part of this project, the intersection of Old Framingham Road and Nobscot Road will be re-configured to remove the existing traffic island on Old Framingham Road. This will narrow the Old Framingham Road approach to the intersection, reducing the impervious area associated with the intersection itself. As a result of the re-configuration, the Old Framingham Road approach will be shifted to the south of its current footprint by approximately 19.5-feet. The new Old Framingham Road approach will require additional grading on the private property at the south corner of Old Framingham Road and Nobscot Road. The Town intends to acquire a permanent easement on this property, which has the same ownership as #78 Old Framingham Road.

Design considerations also included utility and roadway elevation constraints. The existing culvert has invert elevations of 154.32 feet and 153.27 feet at the culvert inlet and outlet, respectively. Subsurface gas and water utilities were found near the crossing based a review of available record plans and field utility markings. During construction, it will be the responsibility of the contractor to field locate and protect all subsurface utilities. Overhead electric utilities are present, crossing from the east to the west side of the roadway, and one utility pole is anticipated to be relocated as discussed above, although the electrical utility may require relocation of additional utility poles during construction. It is anticipated that surface elevations will be raised slightly within the proposed sidewalk alignment and lowered slightly within the roadway alignment to accommodate the proposed vertical granite curbing in the vicinity of the crossing area. However, grading patterns near the culvert crossing will be maintained to the maximum extent feasible under the proposed conditions.

# 4.1 Anticipated Impacts to Adjacent Upland Resource Areas (AURAs)

The Town of Sudbury Wetlands Administration Bylaw (Article XXII) and its associated Sudbury Wetlands Administration Bylaw Regulations (revised September 25, 2017) establishes jurisdictional Adjacent Upland Resource Areas (AURAs). The Bylaw defines AURAs as land within 100-feet of wetland resource areas, within 200-feet of top of bank, and with varying extent when adjacent to vernal pools, ponds <10,000-square feet in area, or isolated land subject to flooding. The proposed project includes work within 100-feet of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands, and within 200-feet of Mean Annual High-Water Line (Inland Bank), both considered AURAs under the Bylaw.

The project, which will add a pedestrian sidewalk alongside an existing roadway, was designed to minimize the amount of disruption and alteration to the AURAs within the project limit of work. Because Old Framingham



Road does not currently have a sidewalk in the project area, constructing the sidewalk will add new impervious land coverage to the AURAs. However, the proposed sidewalk width is the narrowest allowable for a continuous-width walkway under applicable pedestrian accessibility regulations. The proposed roadway width is the minimum required to accommodate two 9-foot-wide travel lanes, one in each direction, through the culvert crossing area. The proposed re-configuration of the Old Framingham Road/Nobscot Road intersection will shrink the Old Framingham Road approach and eliminate the existing hardscape traffic island. Reducing the footprint of Old Framingham Road will partially mitigate the impact of the new sidewalk: within the outer riparian zone associated with the unnamed stream crossing beneath Old Framingham Road, the project will eliminate 496-square feet of impervious area.

Temporary land disturbances related to the project will be stabilized and restored to existing conditions. A native New England Conservation/Wildlife seed mix will be applied to temporarily disturbed areas within the AURAs. The blend of species will provide a permanent cover of grasses, forbs, wildflowers, and legumes to control soil erosion and enhance wildlife habitat.

The project objective is to add a new pedestrian sidewalk to a public way without an existing sidewalk. Widths chosen for the proposed roadway and sidewalk cross-sections were minimized, and the footprint of the proposed roadway and sidewalk traverses an existing closed-conduit culvert covered by a concrete slab of unknown structural integrity. Because of this, and because of the space limitations of the upland area surrounding the culvert crossing, there is no reasonable alternative that would reduce or eliminate the permanent impacts associated with the project. Figure 4 contains square footages of impacts to resource areas.

### 5. CONCEPTUAL SEQUENCE OF CONSTRUCTION

Old Framingham Road is a two-lane road. At minimum, temporary closure of the southbound lane of the roadway will be required to facilitate construction, with temporary flaggers or police details posted to direct traffic. During full-depth reconstruction, a temporary complete closure of the roadway between Nobscot Road and #78 Old Framingham Road will be required. The anticipated sequence of construction is as follows:

- 1. Install temporary erosion and sedimentation control and flow control measures, including cofferdam, flow diffuser, and/or flow diversion:
- 2. Locate and protect existing utilities;
- 3. Close the southbound lane of the roadway;
- 4. Remove and dispose of the existing drop inlet and concrete slab. Partially remove, and dispose, the existing RCP pipe culvert and the stone masonry RCP pipe headwall;
- 5. Install new culvert piping and headwall;
- 6. Install new deep-sump catch basin;
- 7. Backfill new culvert and catch basin to roadway subgrade
- 8. Completely close roadway between Nobscot Road and #78 Old Framingham Road;
- 9. Excavate existing traffic island, roadway pavement, and base layers. Store signage to be reused;
- 10. Grade and prepare roadway and sidewalk subgrade;
- 11. Install new base layer and pavement binder/wearing courses, and guardrails. Reinstall signage;

- 12. Reopen roadway;
- 13. Stabilize side slopes as needed;
- 14. Install erosion control matting, loam, and seed on all disturbed areas; and
- 15. Remove temporary erosion and sedimentation control measures and flow control measures.



# 6. ATTACHMENTS

# **Figures**



Figure 2 – Photo of Closed-Channel Stream Section and RCP Pipe Inlet

Figure 3 – Preliminary-Phase Project Plans

Figure 4 – Resource Area Impact Figure

### **Attachments**

Attachment A – Existing Conditions Survey

Attachment B – Wetland Resource Evaluation

Attachment C - FEMA FIRMETTE

# 7. REFERENCES

FEMA FIRM Panel 25017C0506F, effective July 7, 2014



Figure 1: Site Location Map

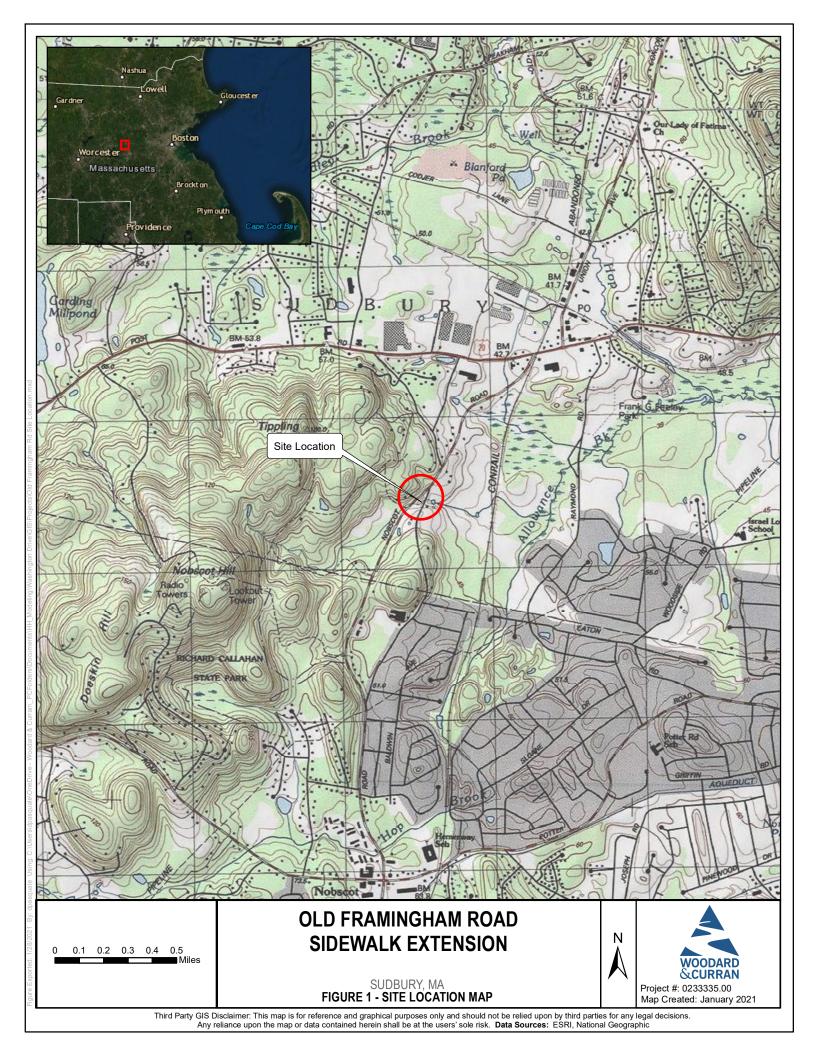




Figure 2: Photo of Closed-Channel Stream Section and RCP Pipe Inlet



Figure 3: Preliminary-Phase Project Plans



# TOWN OF SUDBURY, MA PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

# OLD FRAMINGHAM ROAD SIDEWALK EXTENSION

PROJECT NO. 0233128.00

# MARCH 2021

NOTICE OF INTENT PERMITTING ONLY - NOT FOR CONSTRUCTION



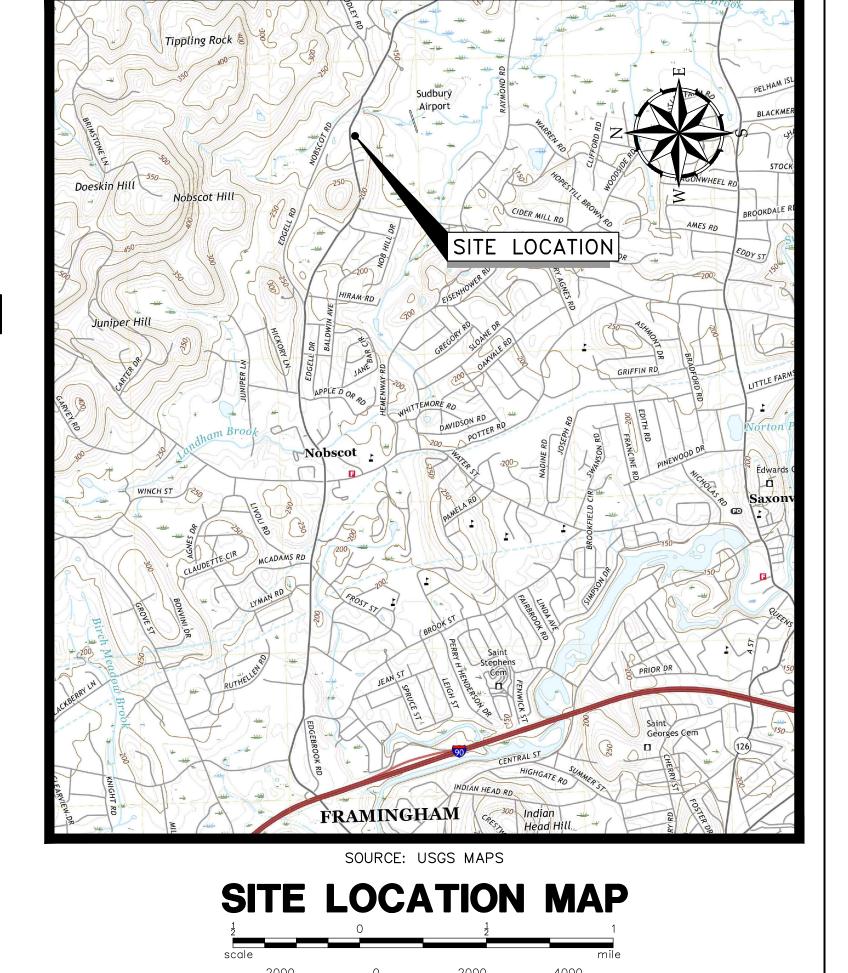
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LOCATION

PROJECT LOCATION MAP



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# **GENERAL NOTES:**

- 1. EXISTING CONDITIONS ARE BASED ON A SURVEY PREPARED BY JARVIS LAND SURVEY, INC., DATED
- 2. JARVIS LAND SURVEY, INC. IS LOCATED AT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS: 29 GRAFTON CIRCLE SHREWSBURY, MA 01545 (508) 842-8087
- 3. CONTRACTOR SHALL INVESTIGATE EXISTING CONDITIONS AND FIELD VERIFY LOCATIONS, DEPTH, AND SIZE OF UTILITIES AND SUB-SURFACE STRUCTURES PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY ENGINEER OF ANY CONFLICTS OR DISCREPANCIES WITH THE EXISTING AND PROPOSED UTILITY
- 4. THE HORIZONTAL DATUM DEPICTED ON THE MAPS HEREON IS BASED ON THE MASSACHUSETTS STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM, MAINLAND ZONE, REFERENCED TO THE NORTH AMERICAN DATUM OF 1983. THE VERTICAL DATUM IS BASED ON THE NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988 (NAVD 88).
- 5. ANY PROPERTY AND RIGHT OF WAY LOCATIONS THAT MAY BE SHOWN HEREON ARE APPROXIMATE AND DO NOT REPRESENT A PROPERTY BOUNDARY SURVEY.
- 6. WOODARD & CURRAN ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR DAMAGES INCURRED AS A RESULT OF UTILITIES OMITTED OR INACCURATELY SHOWN.
- 7. COORDINATE CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY WITH UTILITY COMPANIES, EMERGENCY SERVICES AND TOWN. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY ALL UTILITIES PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK, ALLOWING SUFFICIENT TIME TO LOCATE AND MARK THE LOCATION OF BURIED UTILITIES. CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT "DIG SAFE", TELEPHONE 811, PRIOR TO EXCAVATION.
- 8. RESTORE ALL AREAS DISTURBED BY CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS TO ORIGINAL FINISH (GRAVEL, PAVEMENT, GRASS, ETC.) UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE ON THE PLANS. RESTORATION OF PAVED SURFACES, GRAVEL SURFACES, DRIVEWAYS, AND LAWNS DAMAGED BY CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES SHALL BE PERFORMED AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO OWNER. ANY CURB DAMAGED BY CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES SHALL BE REPLACED IN KIND AND SHALL CONFORM TO TOWN OF SUDBURY AND MASSACHUSETTS DOT SPECIFICATIONS AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO OWNER.
- 9. PROPERLY PROTECT AND DO NOT DISTURB PROPERTY IRONS AND MONUMENTS. IF DISTURBED, THE PROPERTY MONUMENT SHALL BE RESET AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE BY A LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR ACCEPTABLE TO THE TOWN.
- 10. EXISTING FACILITIES (I.E. TREES, POLES, LIGHT POSTS, CATCH BASINS, STONE FROM CULVERT, ETC.) SHALL BE REMOVED AND/OR PROTECTED DURING CONSTRUCTION. THE TOWN RETAINS RIGHT TO KEEP ANY AND ALL REMOVED FACILITIES. CONTRACTOR SHALL DISPOSE OF ANY REMOVED FACILITY AT THE REQUEST OF THE TOWN AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO OWNER.
- 11. ALL TREES NOT NOTED TO BE REMOVED OR RELOCATED SHALL BE PROTECTED BY CONTRACTOR DURING CONSTRUCTION.
- 12. RESTRICT ACCESS TO SITE THROUGH THE USE OF APPROPRIATE SIGNAGE, BARRIERS, FENCES, ETC. SITE SHALL BE LEFT WITH APPROPRIATE SAFETY MEASURES IN PLACE DURING NON-WORKING HOURS. SITE SAFETY IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR, DURING BOTH WORKING AND NON-WORKING
- 13. CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING ALL NECESSARY CONSTRUCTION PERMITS INCLUDING "PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT WITHIN A PUBLIC WAY" FROM THE TOWN. PERMIT APPLICATIONS SHALL BE SUBMITTED WITH ADEQUATE TIME SO AS NOT TO DELAY CONSTRUCTION.
- 14. ALL WORK ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROJECT SHALL BE COMPLETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TOWN OF SUDBURY BYLAW AND LOCAL REGULATIONS AND MASSACHUSETTS DOT STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- 15. UPON COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION, A COMPLETE SET OF "RECORD" DRAWINGS SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE TOWN ENGINEER. THESE DRAWINGS SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN BOTH DIGITAL AND HARD COPY FORMAT AS DEFINED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS PRIOR TO PAYMENT OF FINAL RETAINAGE.
- 16. PROTECTION OF EXISTING UTILITIES DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE PROVIDED AT NO ADDITIONAL
- 17. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SWEEPING OLD FRAMINGHAM ROAD EVERY FRIDAY AND AS NECESSARY DURING THE DURATION OF THE WORK.
- 18. PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION, CONTRACTOR SHALL ATTEND A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING HELD AT THE PROJECT SITE WITH THE CONTRACTOR, ENGINEER, OWNER, AND CONSERVATION OFFICE TO REVIEW THE CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE AND SEQUENCING, ORDER OF CONDITIONS, STOCKPILE LOCATIONS AND CRITICAL ASPECTS OF THE PROJECT.
- 19. ALL DISTURBED UPLAND AREAS SHALL BE BROUGHT TO FINAL GRADE AND SHALL BE PERMANENTLY STABILIZED WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER DISTURBANCE, BARE GROUND AND DISTURBED AREAS THAT CANNOT BE PERMANENTLY VEGETATED WITHIN 30 DAYS SHALL BE TEMPORARY STABILIZED BY AN APPROVED METHOD.
- 20. CONTRACTOR SHALL DEMARCATE CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL STORAGE AREAS PRIOR TO
- 21. THE CONSTRUCTION SITE SHALL BE MAINTAINED IN CLEAN CONDITIONS AT ALL TIMES AND CONSTRUCTION REFUSE AND DEBRIS SHALL BE DISPOSED OF PROMPTLY AND IN A LEGAL MANNER.
- 22. STORING, SERVICING, OR CLEANING OF TRUCKS OR EQUIPMENT SHALL BE PERFORMED IN AN UPLAND AREA AT A HORIZONTAL DISTANCE GREATER THAN 100 FEET FROM THE WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS.
- 23. CONTRACTOR SHALL REFER TO SPECIFICATION XXX MASSACHUSETTS COVID ORDER AND CONSTRUCTION GUIDELINES AND EXECUTE CONSTRUCTION IN COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE SOCIAL DISTANCING
- 24. TEST PITS TP-1 AND TP-2 WERE EXCAVATED UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF WOODARD & CURRAN ON DECEMBER 1, 2020. GROUNDWATER WAS ENCOUNTERED AT APPROXIMATE ELEVATIONS OF 152.8 IN TP-1 AND 154.0 IN TP-2.
- 25. WETLAND DELINEATION WAS PREPARED BY ECOTEC, INC. 102 GROVE STREET, WORCESTER, MA 01605. THE WETLAND RESOURCE EVALUATION REPORT IS DATED XX XX, 2021 AND WETLAND FIELD INSPECTION WAS CONDUCTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 2020.
- 26. DO NOT PARK, IMPEDE ACCESS TO, OR STORE EQUIPMENT BEYOND LIMIT OF WORK, UNLESS PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED IN WRITING BY TOWN AND/OR LAND OWNER.
- 27. PRIOR TO THE START OF WORK, CONTRACTOR SHALL CONFIRM EXISTING WETLAND FLAGS ARE IN PLACE AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED DURING CONSTRUCTION. MISSING FLAGS SHALL BE RESET PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. AN AUTOCAD FILE OF THE WETLAND FLAG LOCATIONS SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR CONTRACTOR'S USE IN RESETTING WETLAND FLAGS.
- 28. NO EQUIPMENT IS TO CROSS OR ENTER WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS AT ANY TIME UNLESS THE LOCATION OF DISTURBANCE IS MARKED ON THE PLANS REFERENCED IN THE ORDER OF CONDITIONS AND FLAGGED IN THE FIELD (DEP FILE #XXX-XXXX).
- 29. THE CONTRACTOR, SITE ENGINEER, OR OTHER INDIVIDUAL IN CHARGE OF WORK ON THE SITE SHALL HAVE A COPY OF THE ORDER OF CONDITIONS AT ALL TIMES (DEP FILE #XXX-XXXX).

# **EROSION CONTROL NOTES:**

- 1. EROSION CONTROL DEVICES SHALL REMAIN IN PLACE, UNTIL ALL DISTURBED SURFACES HAVE BEEN STABILIZED WITH FINAL VEGETATION COVER OR THE COMMISSION HAS AUTHORIZED THEIR REMOVAL.
- 2. EROSION CONTROL MEASURES AND BARRIERS SHALL BE MONITORED DAILY AND MAINTAINED, OR REINFORCED AS NECESSARY TO ENSURE AND PREVENT EROSION AND SILTATION OF SOILS TO WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS. ADDITIONAL FILTER FABRIC AND STRAW WATTLES SHALL BE STORED ON SITE FOR
- 3. DURING ALL PHASES OF CONSTRUCTION, ALL DISTURBED OR EXPOSED AREAS OUTSIDE THE ROADWAY SHALL BE BROUGHT TO FINISHED GRADE AND EITHER A) LOAMED AND SEEDED FOR PERMANENT STABILIZATION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH U.S. SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE PROCEDURES, OR B) STABILIZED IN ANOTHER WAY APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION. AREAS THAT CANNOT BE PERMANENTLY STABILIZED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF DISTURBANCE SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH HAY, STRAW, MULCH OR ANY OTHER PROTECTIVE COVERING AND/OR METHOD APPROVED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE OR BY OTHER TEMPORARY MEASURES ACCEPTABLE TO THE COMMISSION.
- 4. AN ADEQUATE STOCKPILE OF EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL MATERIALS SHALL BE ON SITE AT ALL TIMES FOR EMERGENCY OR ROUTINE REPLACEMENT.
- 5. ANY DAMAGE CAUSED AS A DIRECT RESULT OF CONSTRUCTION TO THE WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS SHALL BE REPAIRED, RESTORED AND/OR REPLACED. SEDIMENTATION OR EROSION SHALL BE CONSIDERED DAMAGE TO THE WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS. IF SEDIMENTATION REACHES THESE AREAS. THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION SHALL BE CONTACTED AND A PLAN FOR THE PROPOSED RESTORATION SHALL BE SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL.

# **DEWATERING NOTES:**

- 1. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A WATER CONTROL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE PROJECT LOCATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS. THE PLAN SHALL INCLUDE A DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROCEDURE FOR DEWATERING METHODS.
- 2. ALL DEWATERING ACTIVITIES SHALL MEET LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS.
- 3. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL LABOR AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED TO PERFORM THE WORK INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO PROPER SHORING, DEWATERING EQUIPMENT, AND WATER TREATMENT EQUIPMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS AND ALL LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL
- 4. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TIME OF YEAR RESTRICTIONS SET FORTH IN 310 CMR 10.11(5) AND THE US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS GENERAL PERMIT FOR MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL CONDITION 18, ALL SILT-GENERATING, IN-WATER WORK SHALL BE CONDUCTED BETWEEN JULY 1ST AND SEPTEMBER 30TH. WORK BEYOND THE LIMITS OF THE WATER, SUCH AS SEEDING AND INSTALLATION OF RESTORATION PLANTINGS, MAY BE CONDUCTED AFTER SEPTEMBER 30TH, PER CONTRACT TIMES LISTED IN THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS.
- 5. ALL DREDGING OPERATIONS SHALL BE CONDUCTED FROM UPLAND AREAS.
- 6. ALL DREDGE SPOILS SHALL BE DEWATERED AND DISPOSED OF AT AN UPLAND LOCATION (OR OTHER APPROVED LOCATION).
- 7. THE REMOVAL OF MATERIAL FROM THE STREAM BOTTOM SHALL BE DONE IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO ENSURE THAT THE RECONFIGURED BOTTOM AREA WILL NOT IMPEDE OR OBSTRUCT FISH MIGRATION, OR INTERFERE WITH THE NATURAL FLOW OF THE BROOK.
- 8. DEWATERING ACTIVITIES SHALL BE CONDUCTED AS SHOWN ON THE APPROVED PLANS AND SHALL BE MONITORED DAILY TO ENSURE THAT SEDIMENT LADEN WATER IS APPROPRIATELY SETTLED PRIOR TO DISCHARGE TOWARD THE RESOURCE AREAS. NO DISCHARGE OF WATER IS ALLOWED DIRECTLY INTO AN AREA SUBJECT TO JURISDICTION OF THE WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT. SHOULD EMERGENCY DEWATERING REQUIREMENTS ARISE, THE APPLICANT SHALL SUBMIT A CONTINGENCY PLAN TO THE COMMISSION FOR APPROVAL WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE PUMPED WATER TO BE CONTAINED IN A SETTLING BASIN, TO REDUCE TURBIDITY TO DISCHARGE INTO A RESOURCE AREA.

# **ABBREVIATIONS**

DUCTILE IRON

DIAMETER

MONUMENT

NUMBER

NO REFUSAL

OVERHEAD

PROPOSED

PLUS OR MINUS

NOT TO SCALE

NOT IN CONTRACT

OVERHEAD ELECTRIC

POLYVINYL CHLORIDE

RIBBED PLASTIC PIPE

SLOPED GRANITE CURB

SLOPE (FT./FT.)

SEWER MANHOLE

TOWN OF SUDBURY

UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

VERTICAL GRANITE CURB

SCHEDULE

STATION

TYPICAL

WATER

SYMBOLS

WATERMAIN WATER SERVICE

UTILITY POLE

VITRIFIED CLAY

RIGHT-OF-WAY

REINFORCED

REQUIRED

LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR

REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE

# DRAIN MANHOLE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DOUBLE YELLOW LINE RESOURCE AREA LEGEND

TL. TOP TXIST.	UNDERGROUND ELECTRICAL ELEVATION EDGE OF PAVEMENT EXISTING	BORDERING VEGETATED WETLAND (BVW)	
F		100' BORDERING VEGETATED WETLAND (BVW) BUFFER	
F	FINISH FLOOR	(ADJACENT UPLAND RESOURCE AREA)	
Т	FOOT/FEET	MEAN ANNUAL HIGH-WATER LINE (MAHWL)	
}	GAS MAIN	OF PERENNIAL STREAM	
SS	GAS SERVICE		
SALV.	GALVANIZED	100' RIVERFRONT AREA (INNER RIPARIAN ZONE)	
RAN.	GRANITE		
IDPE IDPP	HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE HIGH DENSITY POLYPROPYLENE	200' RIVERFRONT AREA (OUTER RIPARIAN ZONE)	
HYD	HYDRANT		
NV.	INVERT	COFFERDAM	CD
	LENGTH	LIMIT OF WORK	LW
.F	LINEAR FEET		
MASSDEP	MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF	SEDIMENT BARRIER	
	ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	SEDIMENT BANKKEK	•
MADOT	MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF		
	TRANSPORTATION	TURBIDITY CURTAIN	<del></del>
AAX.	MAXIMUM		
ΛIN.	MINIMUM		

# LINE TYPES & HATCHES

DESCRIPTION	EXISTING	PROPOSED
CONTOUR (1' INTERVAL)		201
CONTOUR (INDEX)		200
STORM DRAIN	SD	
BITUMINOUS CURB		
EDGE OF PAVEMENT		
OVERHEAD ELECTRIC	OE	
UNDERGROUND GAS	——— G —	
UNDERGROUND TELEPHONE	———Т	
WATER LINE	——————————————————————————————————————	——————————————————————————————————————
RIGHT OF WAY/ PROPERTY LINI	Ε	-
GUARDRAIL	TT	<u></u>
LIMIT OF WORK		LW
SEDIMENT BARRIER/COFFERDAM		CD
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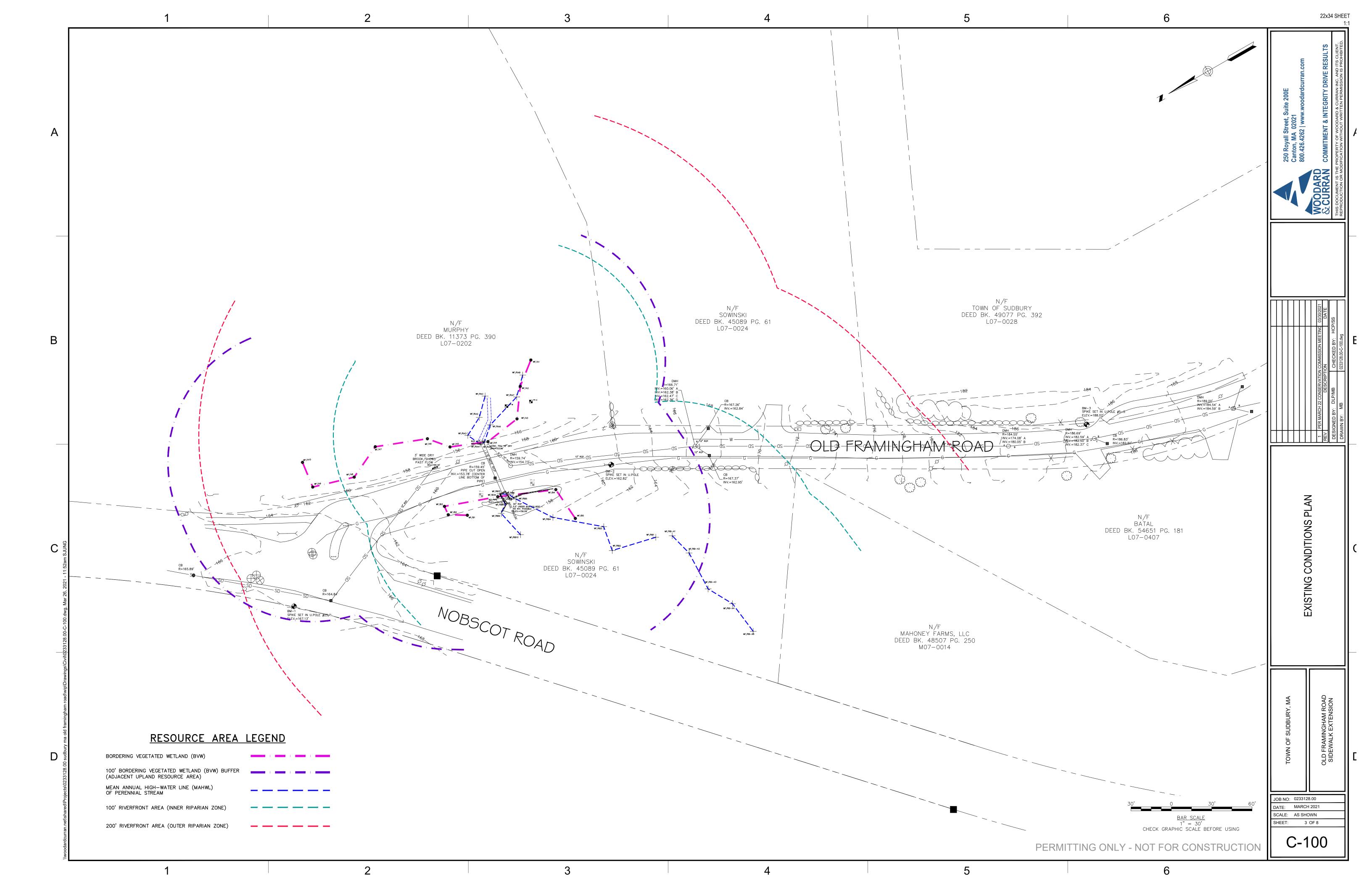
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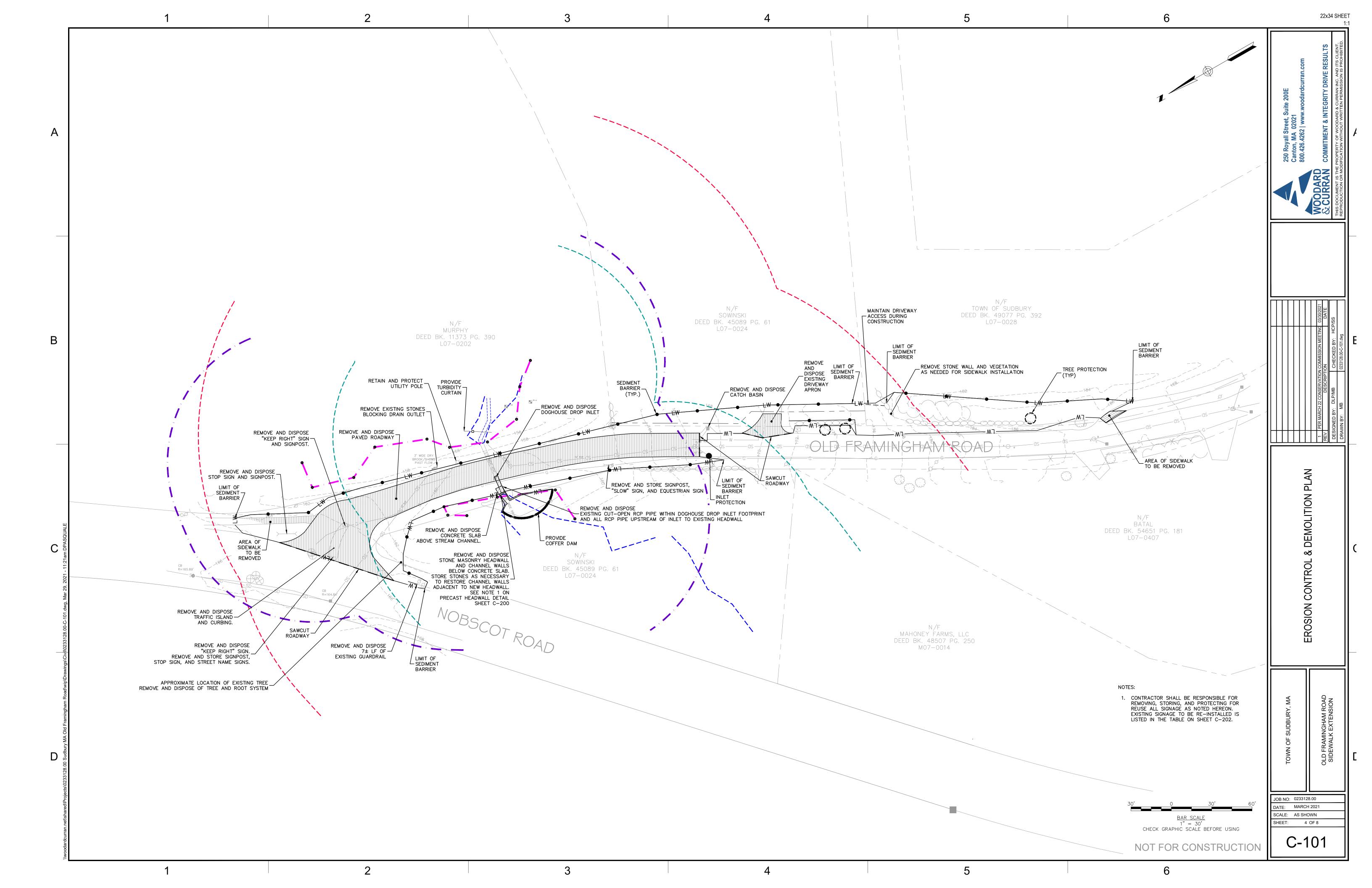
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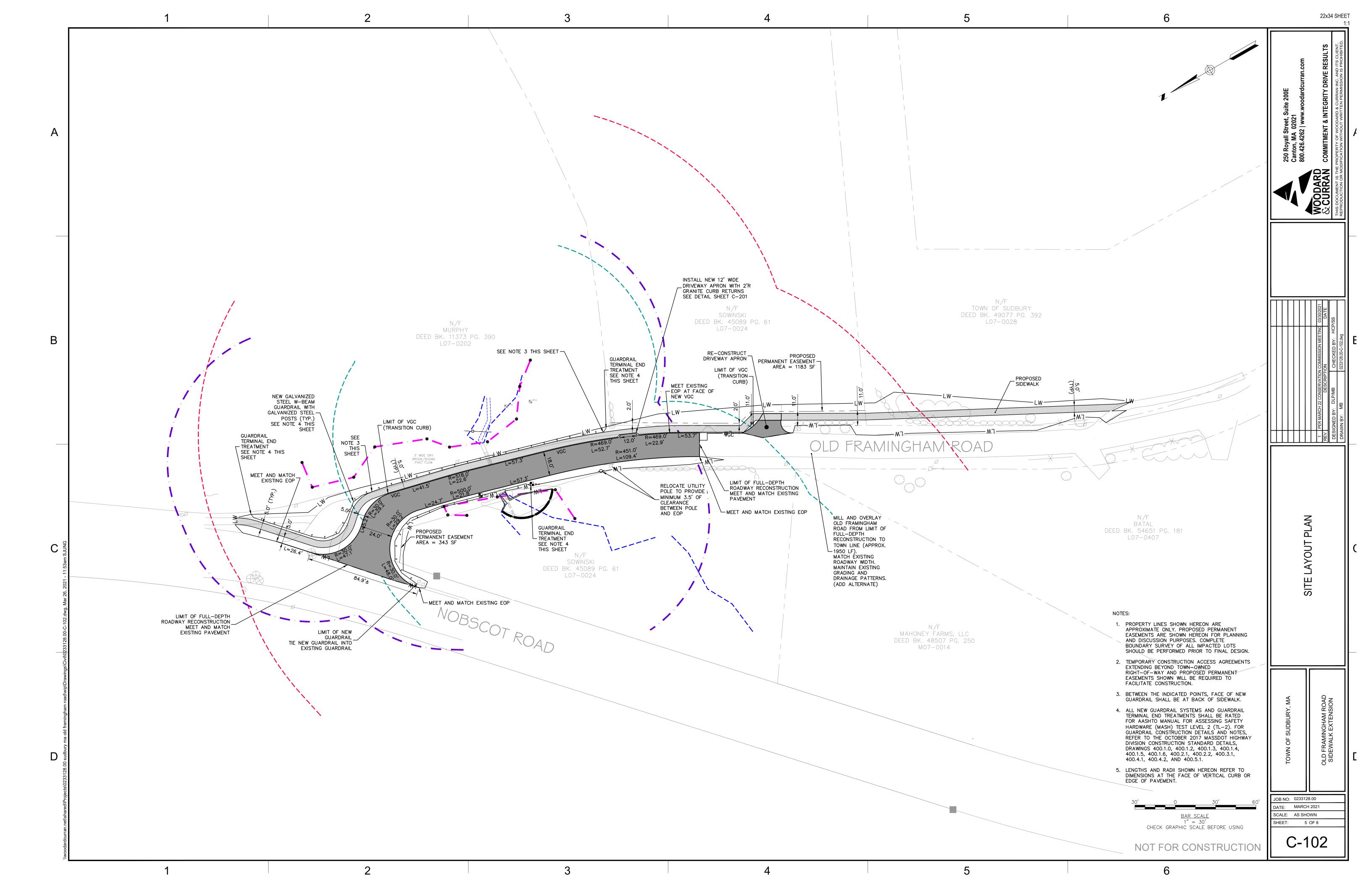
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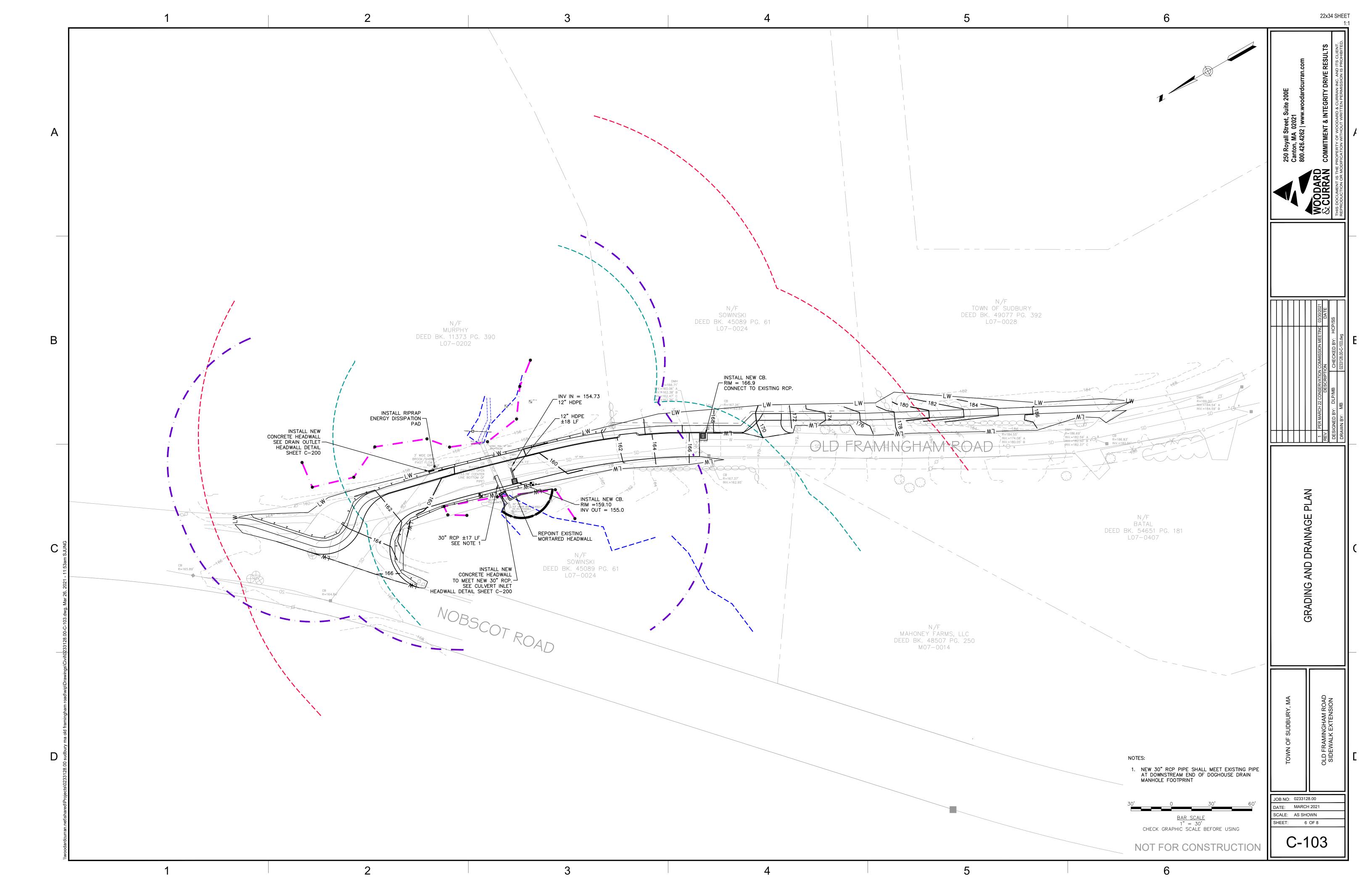
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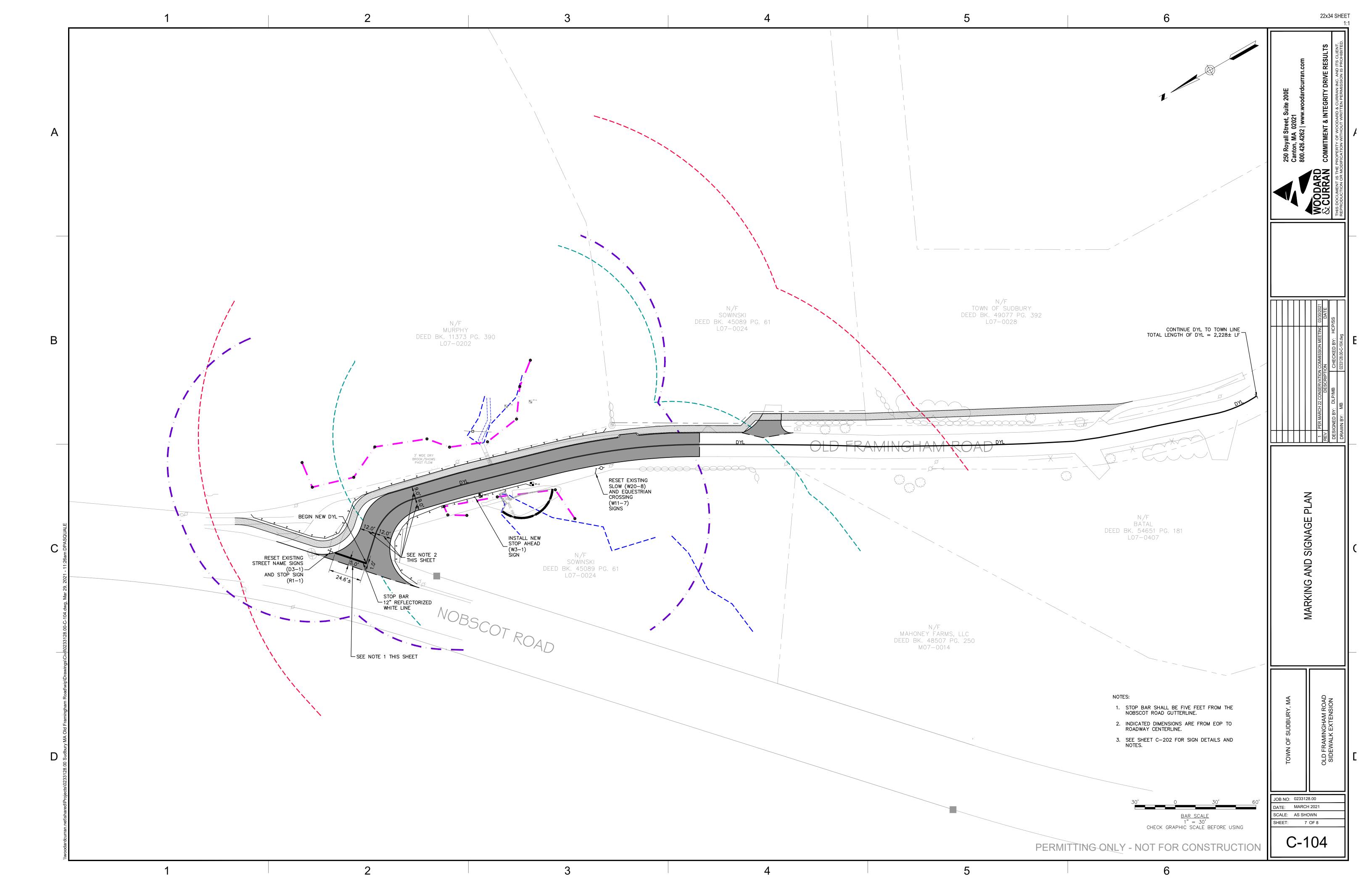
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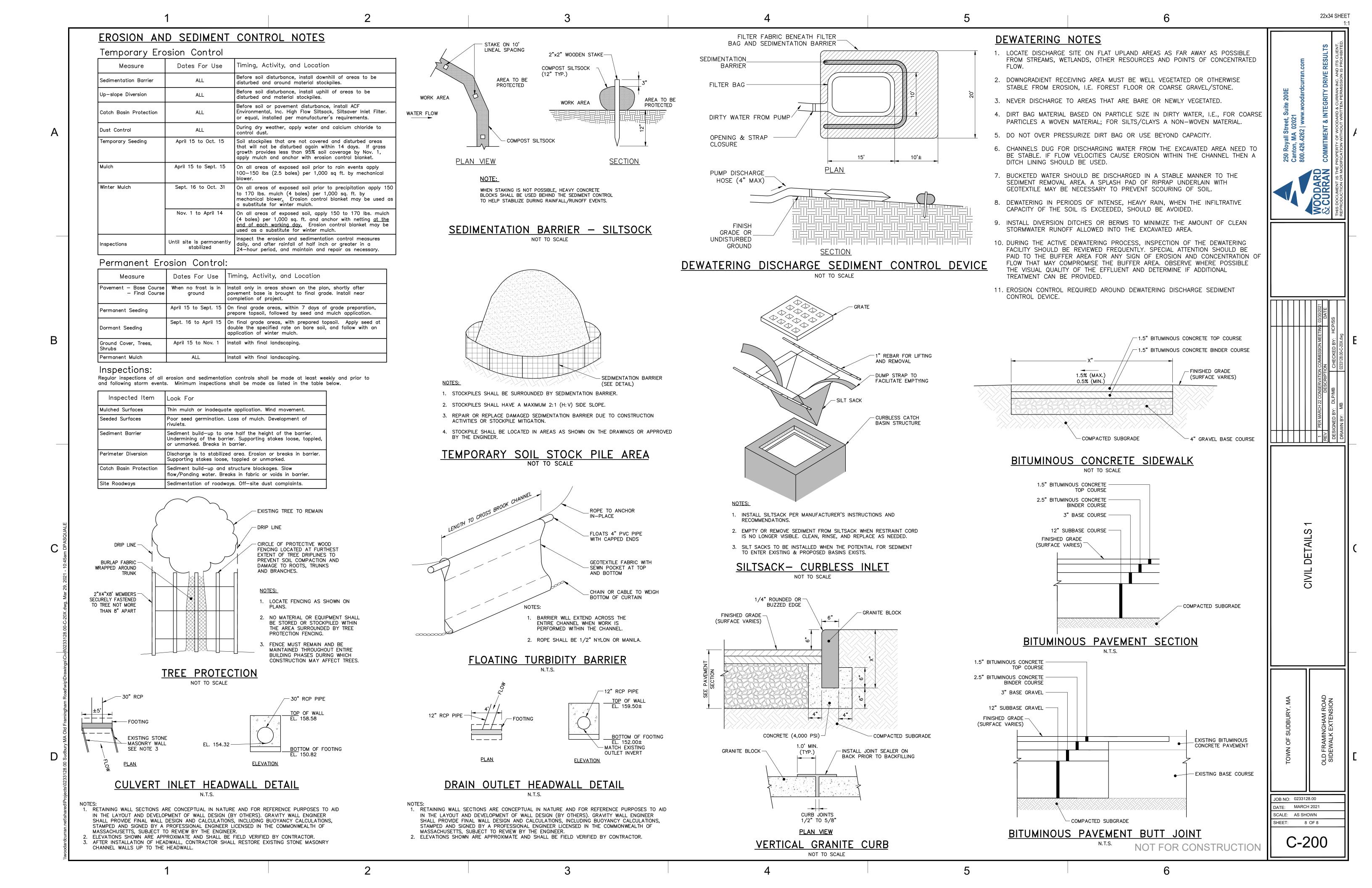


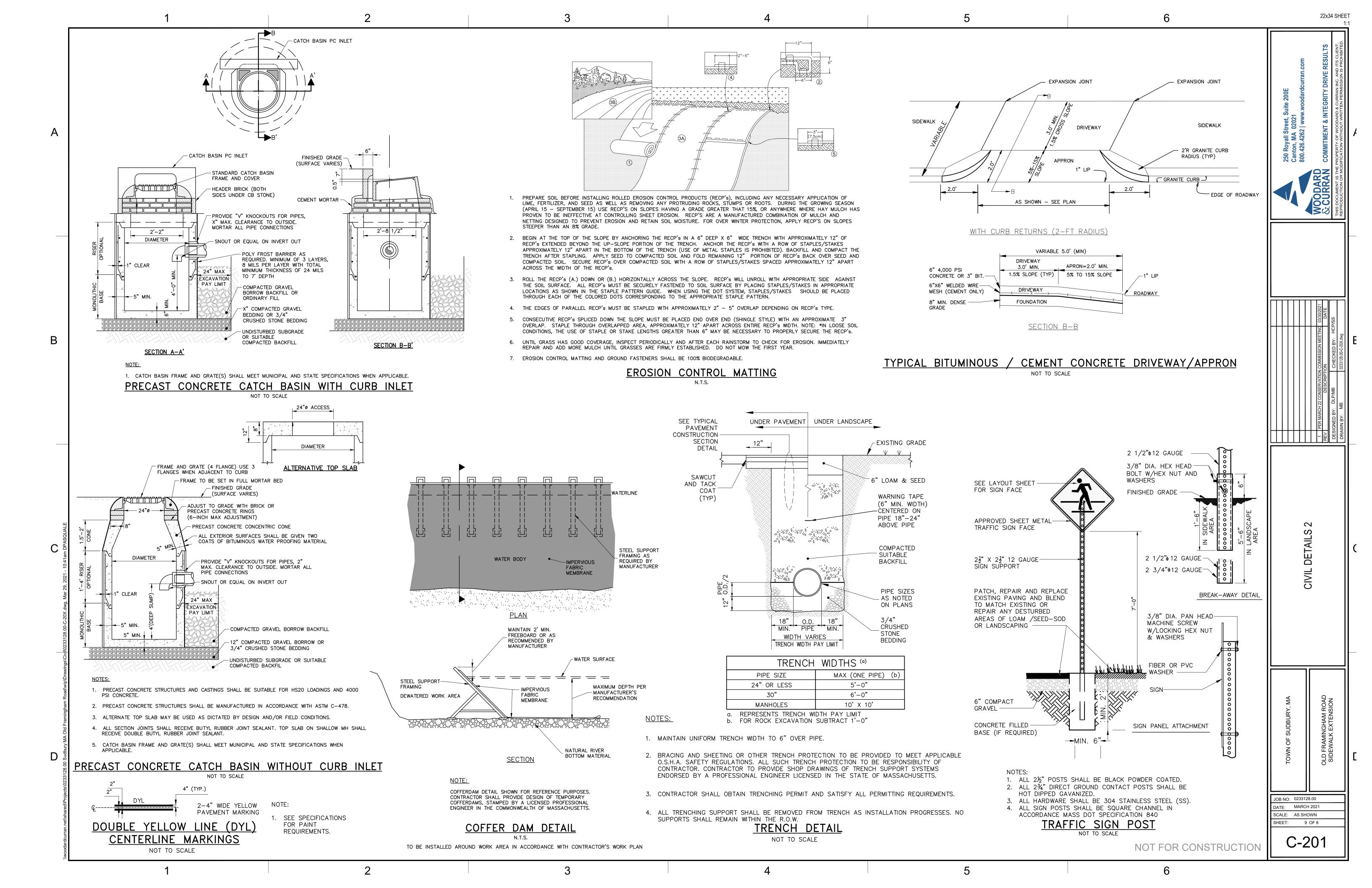


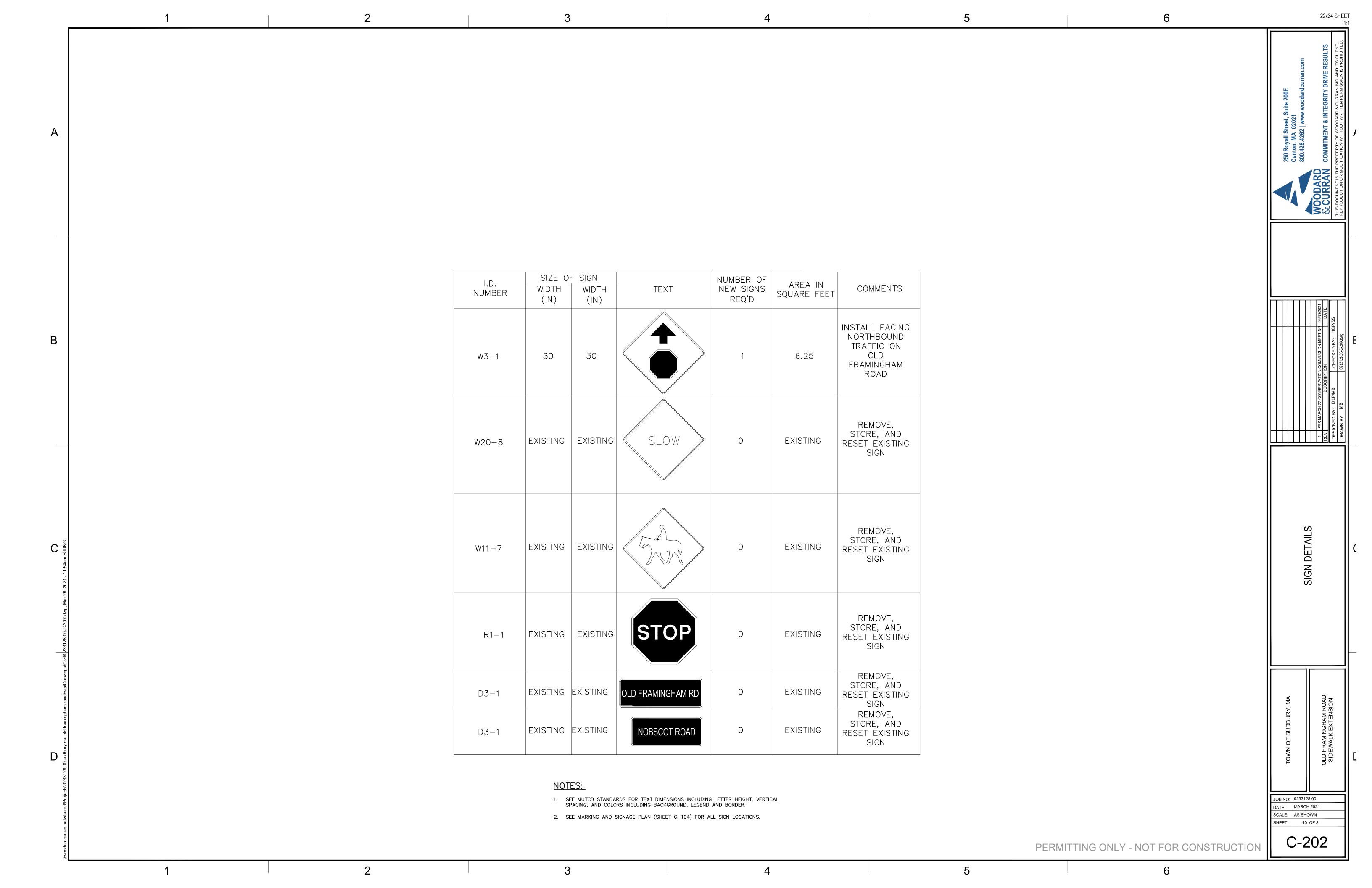






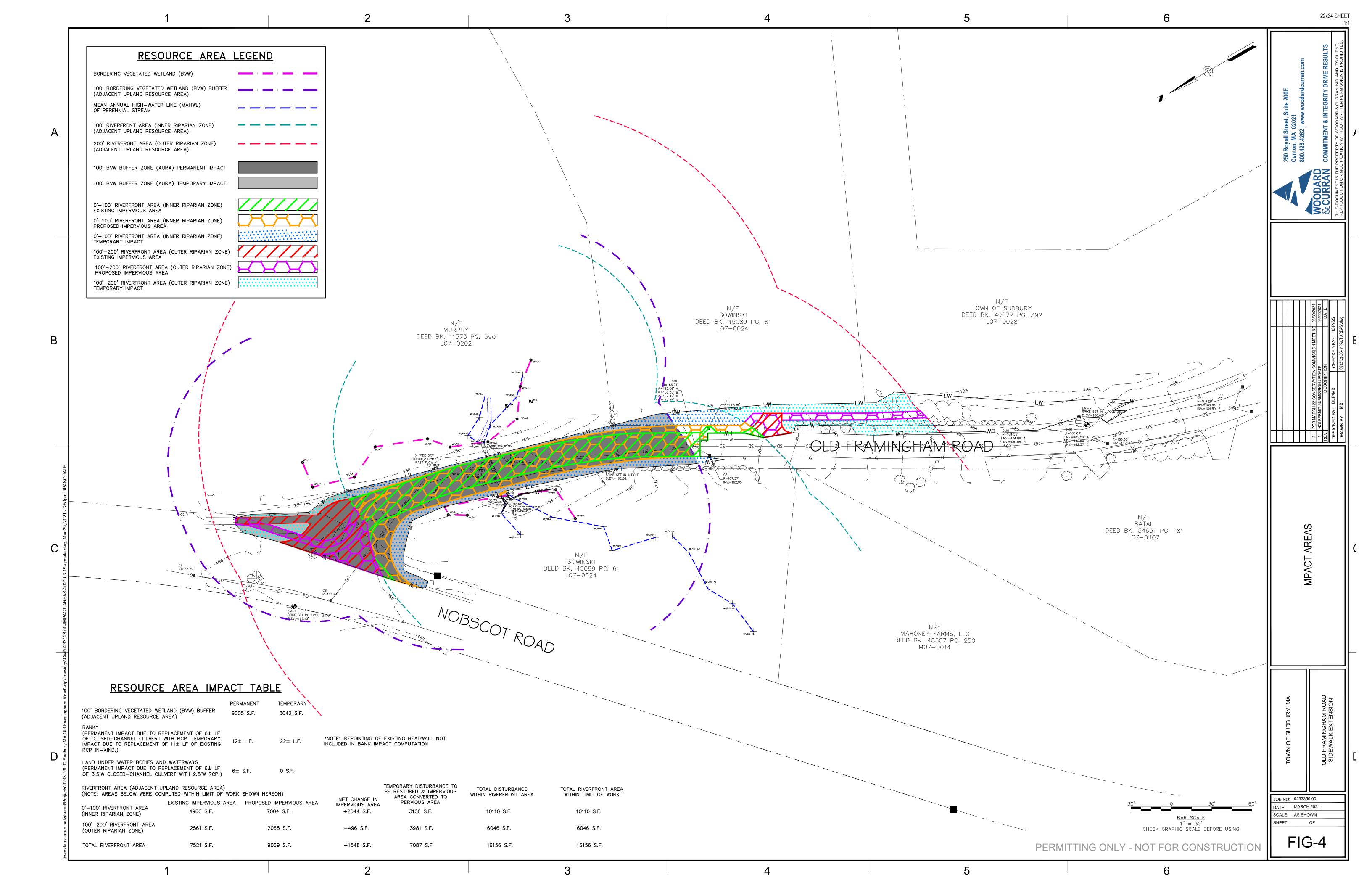






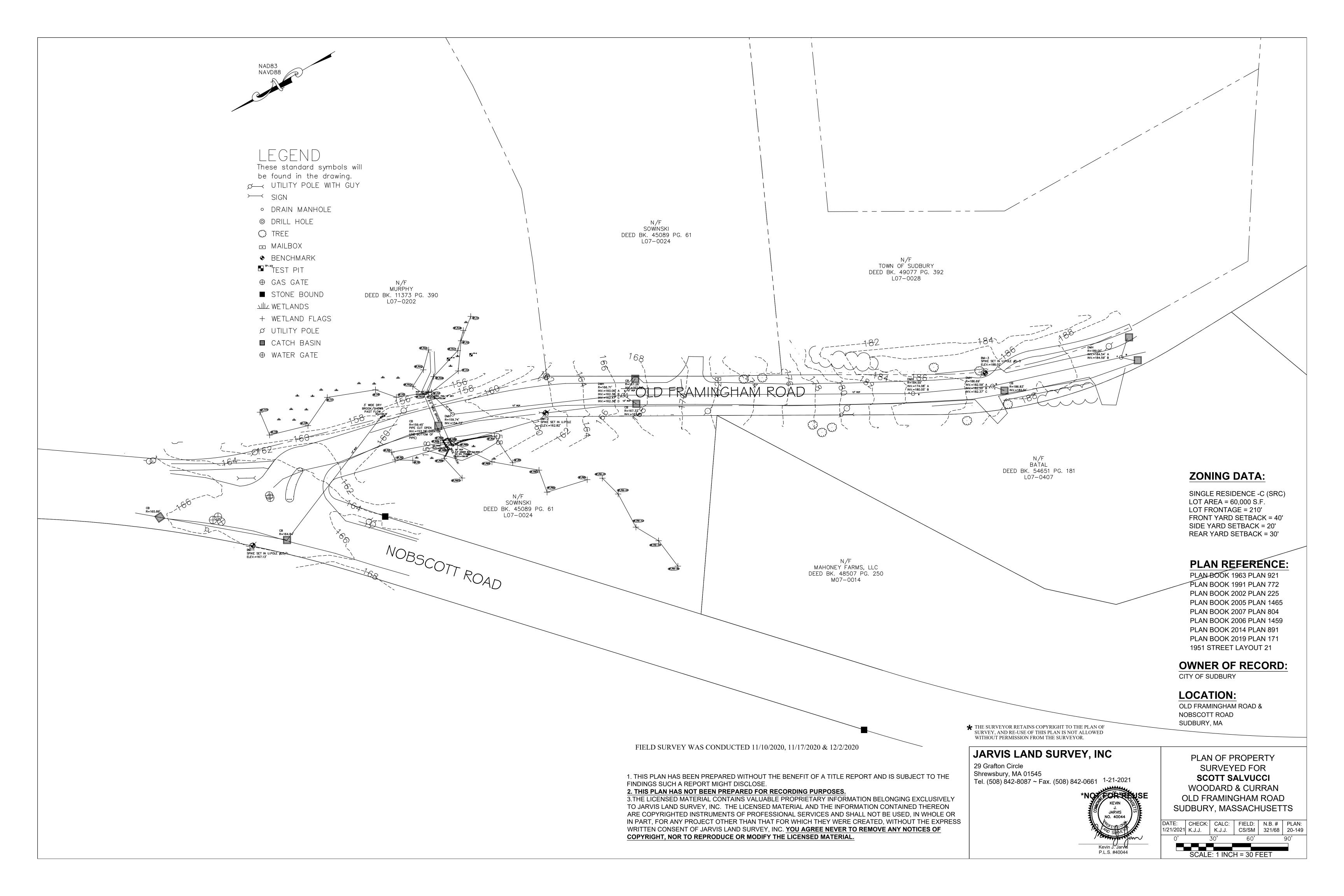
# Figure 4: Resource Area Impact Figure





# ATTACHMENT A: EXISTING CONDITIONS SURVEY





# ATTACHMENT B: WETLAND RESOURCE EVALUATION



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November 5, 2020

Scott Salvucci, P.E. Woodard & Curran, Inc. 980 Washington St., Suite 325 Dedham, MA 02026

RE: Wetland Resource Evaluation, Old Framingham Road Culvert, Sudbury, MA

Dear Scott:

On November 4, 2020, EcoTec, Inc. inspected the above-referenced property for the presence of wetland resources as defined by: (1) the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. Ch. 131, § 40; the "Act") and its implementing regulations (310 CMR 10.00 *et seq.*; the "Regulations"); and (2) the U.S. Clean Water Act (i.e., Section 404 and 401 wetlands). Arthur Allen, CPSS, CWS conducted the inspection.

The subject site consists of the vicinity of an existing culvert carrying Pantry Brook under Marlboro Road in Sudbury. The upland portions of the site consist of a public roadway and wooded road shoulder slopes. The wetland resources observed on the site are described below.

#### Methodology

The site was inspected, and areas suspected to qualify as wetland resources were identified. The boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands was delineated in the field in accordance with the definition set forth in the regulations at 310 CMR 10.55(2)(c). Section 10.55(2)(c) states that "The boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands is the line within which 50% or more of the vegetational community consists of wetland indicator plants and saturated or inundated conditions exist." The methodology used to delineate Bordering Vegetated Wetlands is further described in: (1) the BVW Policy "BVW: Bordering Vegetated Wetlands Delineation Criteria and Methodology," issued March 1, 1995; and (2) "Delineating Bordering Vegetated Wetlands Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act: A Handbook," produced by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, dated March 1995. The plant taxonomy used in this report is based on the National List of Plant Species that Occur in Wetlands: Massachusetts (Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, 1988). Federal wetlands were presumed to have boundaries conterminous with the delineated Bordering Vegetated Wetlands. One set of DEP Bordering Vegetated Wetland Delineation Field Data Forms completed for observation plots located in the wetlands and uplands near flag A-3

is attached. The table below provides the Flag Numbers, Flag Type, and Wetland Types and Locations for the delineated wetland resources.

Flag Numbers	Flag Type	Wetland Types and Locations
A-1 to A-10	Blue Flags	Boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands located
(Test Plots at A-3)		on the east side of Old Framingham Road that is
		associated with a perennial stream. Flags A-4 & A-5
		connect to stream culvert outfall.
B-1 to B-5	Blue Flags	Boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands located
		on the west side of Old Framingham Road that is
		associated with a perennial stream. Flag B-3
		connects to stream culvert inlet.
RA-1 to RA-8	Red Flags	Mean Annual High-water Line (MAHWL) of perennial
		stream on the east side of Old Framingham Road.
RB-1 to RB-10 & RB-1A to RB-5A	Red Flags	Mean Annual High-water Line (MAHWL) of perennial
		stream on the west side of Old Framingham Road.

#### **Findings**

Wetland A/B consists of a wooded swamp fringing on a marsh and wet meadow that is associated with an unnamed, perennial stream. Plant species observed include red maple (Acer rubrum) and American elm (Ulmus americana) trees and/or saplings; poison ivy (Toxicodendron radicans) climbing woody vines; highbush blueberry (Vaccinium corymbosum), common winterberry (Ilex verticillata), arrow-wood (Viburnum dentatum), withe-rod (Viburnum cassinoides), swamp rose (Rosa palustris), speckled alder (Alnus rugosa), silky dogwood (Cornus amomum), maleberry (Lyonia ligustrina), glossy buckthorn (Rhamnus frangula), sweet pepperbush (Clethra alnifolia), swamp azalea (Rhododendron viscosum), and American elderberry (Sambucus canadensis) shrubs; and sheep-laurel (Kalmia angustifolia), bristly blackberry (Rubus hispidus), cinnamon fern (Osmunda cinnamomea), royal fern (Osmunda regalis), sensitive fern (Onoclea sensibilis), subarctic lady fern (Athyrium filix-femina), marsh fern (Thelypteris thelypteroides), Massachusetts fern (Thelypteris simulata), spinulose woodfern (Dryopteris spinulosa), skunk-cabbage (Symplocarpus foetidus), swamp Jack-in-the-pulpit (Arisaema triphyllum), spotted touch-me-not (Impatiens capensis) and sphagnum moss (Sphagnum sp.) ground cover. Evidence of wetland hydrology, including hydric soils, high groundwater, saturated soils, pore linings, evidence of flooding, and drainage patterns, was observed within the delineated wetland. This vegetated wetland borders a perennial stream; accordingly, the vegetated wetlands would be regulated as Bordering Vegetated Wetlands and the perennial stream would be regulated as Bank and Land Under Water Bodies and Waterways under the Act. A 100-foot Buffer Zone extends horizontally outward from the edge of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands under the Act.

Bordering Land Subject to Flooding is an area that floods due to a rise in floodwaters from a bordering waterway or water body. Where flood studies have been completed, the boundary of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding is based upon flood profile data prepared by the National

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Flood Insurance Program. Section 10.57(2)(a)3. states that "The boundary of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding is the estimated maximum lateral extent of flood water which will theoretically result from the statistical 100-year frequency storm." The project engineer should evaluate the most recent National Flood Insurance Program flood profile data to confirm the absence of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding on the site. Bordering Land Subject to Flooding would occur in areas where the 100-year flood elevation is located outside of or upgradient of the delineated Bordering Vegetated Wetlands boundary. Bordering Land Subject to Flooding does not have a Buffer Zone under the Act.

The Massachusetts Rivers Protection Act amended the Act to establish an additional wetland resource area: Riverfront Area. Based upon a review of the current USGS Map (attached), a stream that is shown as intermittent is located within the delineated wetland. The watershed area for this stream at the site was determined to be 0.51 square miles, which is at least onehalf square miles but less than one square mile (see attached watershed map). The USGS StreamStats method printout for the stream (attached) shows a predicted flow rate of 0.0119 cubic feet per second, which is greater than than 0.01 cubic feet per second at the 99% flow duration. As such, the stream would be designated perennial under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act regulations. Unless this perennial designation is overcome, Riverfront Area is presumed to extend 200 feet horizontally upgradient from the mean annual high-water line of the stream. Section 10.58(2)(a)2. states that the "Mean annual high-water line of a river is the line that is apparent from visible markings or changes in the character of soils or vegetation due to prolonged presence of water and that distinguishes between predominantly aquatic and predominantly terrestrial land. Field indicators of bankfull conditions shall be used to determine the mean annual high-water line. Bankfull field indicators include but are not limited to: changes in slope, changes in vegetation, stain lines, top of pointbars, changes in bank materials, or bank undercuts." Section 10.58(2)(a)2.a. states that "In most rivers, the first observable break in slope is coincident with bankfull conditions and the mean annual highwater line." The mean annual high-water line of the stream was delineated in the field with flag series RA and RB based upon the above-referenced regulation. Furthermore, based upon a review of the current USGS Map and observations made during the site inspection, there are no other mapped or unmapped streams located within 200 feet of the site. Accordingly, except as noted above, Riverfront Area would not occur on the site. Riverfront Area does not have a Buffer Zone under the Act, but may overlap other wetland resources and their Buffer Zones.

The Regulations require that no project may be permitted that will have any adverse effect on specified habitat sites of rare vertebrate or invertebrate species, as identified by procedures set forth at 310 CMR 10.59. Based upon a review of the *Massachusetts Natural Heritage Atlas*, 14<sup>th</sup> edition, Priority Habitats and Estimated Habitats from the NHESP Interactive Viewer, valid from August 1, 2017, and Certified Vernal Pools from MassGIS, there are no Estimated Habitats [for use with the Act and Regulations (310 CMR 10.00 *et seq.*)], Priority Habitats [for use with Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (M.G.L. Ch. 131A; "MESA") and MESA Regulations (321 CMR 10.00 *et seq.*)], or Certified Vernal Pools on or in the immediate vicinity of the site. A copy of this map is attached.

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The reader should be aware that the regulatory authority for determining wetland jurisdiction rests with local, state, and federal authorities. A brief description of my experience and qualifications is attached. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Cordially, ECOTEC, INC.

Arthur Allen, CWS, CPSS

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Vice President

Attachments (6, 10 pages)

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#### Arthur Allen, CPSS, CWS, CESSWI Vice President Soil & Wetland Scientist

Arthur Allen is the Vice President of EcoTec, Inc. and has been a senior environmental scientist there since 1995. His work with EcoTec has involved wetland delineation, wildlife habitat evaluation, environmental permitting (federal, state and local), environmental monitoring, expert testimony, peer reviews, contaminated site assessment and the description, mapping and interpretation of soils. His clients have included private landowners, developers, major corporations and regulatory agencies. Prior to joining EcoTec, Mr. Allen mapped and interpreted soils in Franklin County, MA for the U.S.D.A. Natural Resources Conservation Service (formerly Soil Conservation Service) and was a research soil scientist at Harvard University's Harvard Forest. Since 1994, Mr. Allen has assisted the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection and the Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions as an instructor in the interpretation of soils for wetland delineation and for the Title V Soil Evaluator program.

Mr. Allen has a civil service rating as a soil scientist, an undergraduate degree in Natural Resource Studies and a graduate certificate in Soil Studies. His work on the Franklin County soil survey involved interpretation of landscape-soil-water relationships, classifying soils and drainage, and determining use and limitation of the soil units that he delineated. As a soil scientist at the Harvard Forest, Mr. Allen was involved in identifying the legacies of historical land-use in modern soil and vegetation at a number of study sites across southern New England. He has a working knowledge of the chemical and physical properties of soil and water and how these properties interact with the plants that grow on a given site. While at Harvard Forest he authored and presented several papers describing his research results which were later published. In addition to his aforementioned experience, Mr. Allen was previously employed by the Trustees of Reservations as a land manager and by the Town of North Andover, MA as a conservation commission intern.

#### **Education:**

1993-Graduate Certificate in Soil Studies, University of New Hampshire 1982-Bachelor of Science in Natural Resource Studies, University of Massachusetts

#### **Professional Affiliations:**

Certified Professional Soil Scientist (ARCPACS CPSS #22529)

New Hampshire Certified Wetland Scientist (#19)

Registered Professional Soil Scientist - Society of Soil Scientists of SNE [Board Member (2000-2006)]

Certified Erosion, Sediment & Stormwater Inspector (#965)

Massachusetts Approved Soil Evaluator (#13764)

Massachusetts Arborists Association-Certified Arborist (1982 – 1998)

New England Hydric Soils Technical Committee member

Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions member

Society of Wetland Scientists member

#### **Refereed Publications:**

Soil Science and Survey at Harvard Forest. A.Allen. In: Soil Survey Horizons. Vol. 36, No. 4, 1995, pp. 133-142. Controlling Site to Evaluate History: Vegetation Patterns of a New England Sand Plain. G.Motzkin, D.Foster, A.Allen, J.Harrod, & R.Boone. In: Ecological Monographs 66(3), 1996, pp. 345-365. Vegetation Patterns in Heterogeneous Landscapes: The Importance of History and Environment. G.Motzkin, P.Wilson, D.R.Foster & A.Allen. In: Journal of Vegetation Science 10, 1999, pp. 903-920.

# **DEP Bordering Vegetated Wetland (310 CMR 10.55) Delineation Field Form**

Number of dominant non-wetland indicator plants

NO

Number of dominant wetland indicator plants

<u>t</u>	Prepared by: EcoTec, Inc	Project Location:	: Old Framingham Rd., S	Sudbury DEP Fil	DEP File #	
Vegetation	Number: TPU	Transect #	Transect # A-3		Date of Delin: 11/4/2020	
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Red Maple	Acer rubrum	80	)	80.0 YES	FAC	
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Is the number of dominant wetland plants equal or greater than the number of dominant non-wetland plants?

# DEP Bordering Vegetated Wetland (310 CMR 10.55) Delineation Field Form

Project Location: Old Framingham Rd., Sudbury Prepared by: EcoTec, Inc DEP File # **Applicant Section II. Indicators of Hydrology** Number: TPU Transect # A-3 Date of Delin: 11/4/2020 Other Indicators of hydrology (check all that apply): 1. Soil Survey Is there a published soil survey for this site? Site Inundated Depth to free water in observation hole title/date Depth to soil saturation in observation hole map number soil type mapped Water marks hydric soil inclusions **Drift lines** Are field observarions consistent with soil survey? **Sediment Deposits** Drainage patterns in BVWs Oxidized rhizospheres Remarks: Water stained leaves Recorded data (stream, lake, or tidal gauge; aerial photo; other): 2. Soil Description Matrix Color Other: Horizon Depth (inches) Mottle Color 2 Litter 0 - 1410YR 3/2 10YR 5/6 14-20 Bw **Vegetation and Hydrology Conclusion** Yes No Number of wetland indicator plants ≥ **V** Stony fine sandy loams Remarks number of non-wetland indicator plants Wetland hydrology present: Hydric soil present **√** 

No

3. Other

Conclusion: Is the soil hydric?

Other indicators of hydrology present

Sample Location is in a BVW

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# **DEP Bordering Vegetated Wetland (310 CMR 10.55) Delineation Field Form**

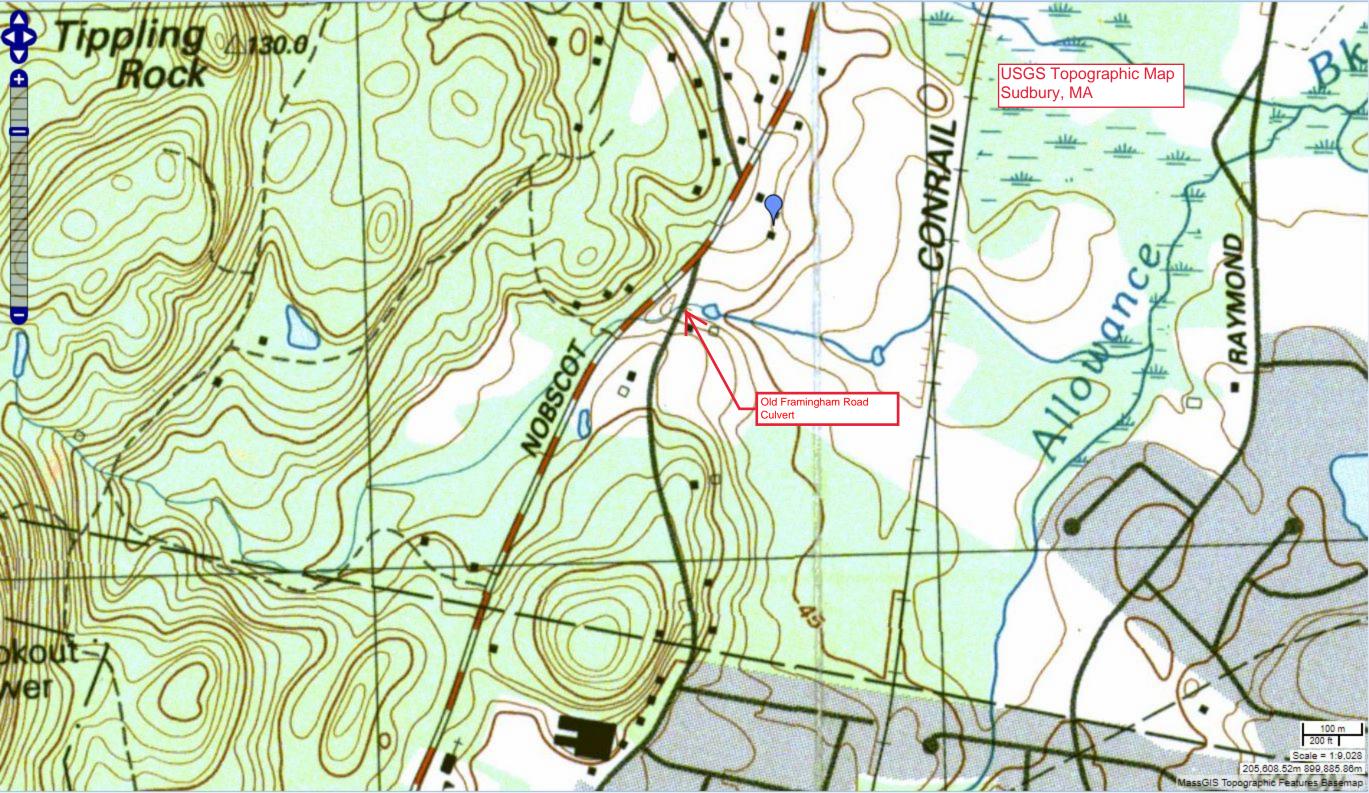
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Red Maple	Acer rubrum	60		75.0 YES	FAC	*
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Multi-Flora Rose Silky Dogwood	Rosa multiflora Cornus amomum			50.0 YES 50.0 YES	FACU FACW	*
Jewelweed Virginia Wild Rye	Impatiens capensis Elymus virginicus			75.0 YES 25.0 YES	FACW-	*
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Vegetation Conclusions			
Number of dominant wetland indicator plants	5	Number of dominant non-wetland indicator plants	1
Is the number of dominant wetland plants equal or greater than the numb	ant non-wetland plants? YES		

# **DEP Bordering Vegetated Wetland (310 CMR 10.55) Delineation Field Form**

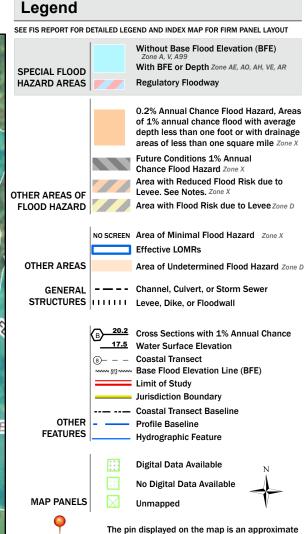
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1. Soil Survey				Other	Indicators of hydrology (check all tha	t apply):		
Is there a published soil survey for this site?			Ш	Site Inundated				
	title/date			<b>✓</b>	Depth to free water in observation h		4"	
	map number			<b>✓</b>	Depth to soil saturation in observation	on hole	0"	
	soil type mapped				Water marks			
	hydric soil inclusions				Drift lines			
Are field o	bservarions consistent w	ith soil survey?			Sediment Deposits			
					Drainage patterns in BVWs			
Remarks:					Oxidized rhizospheres			
				$\checkmark$	Water stained leaves			
					Recorded data (stream, lake, or tidal	gauge; aeria	ıl photo;	other):
2. Soil Des	cription							,
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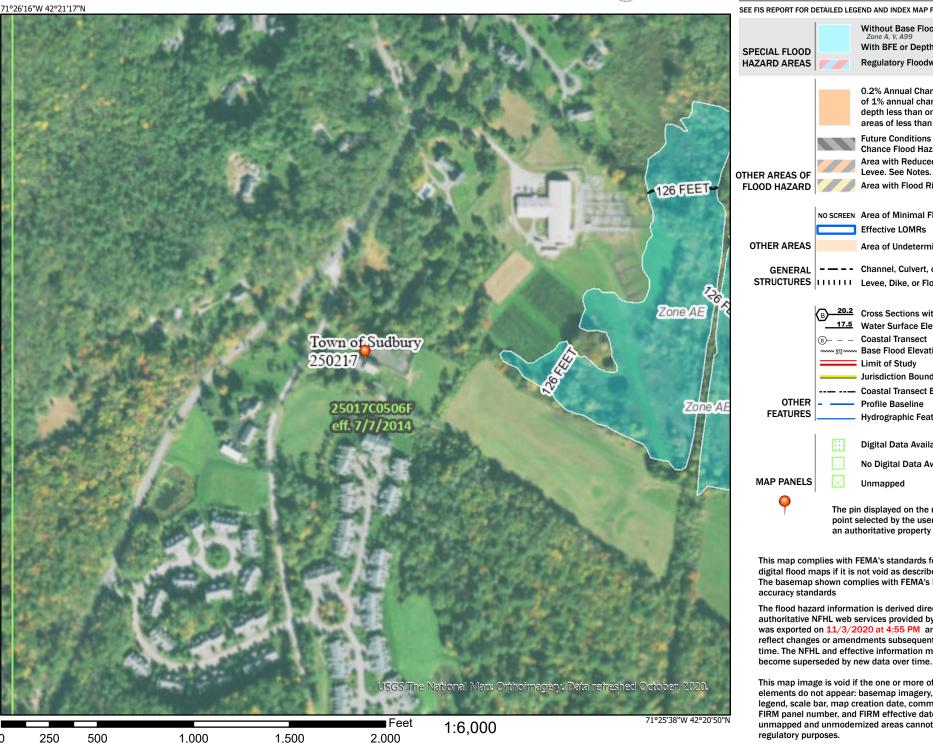
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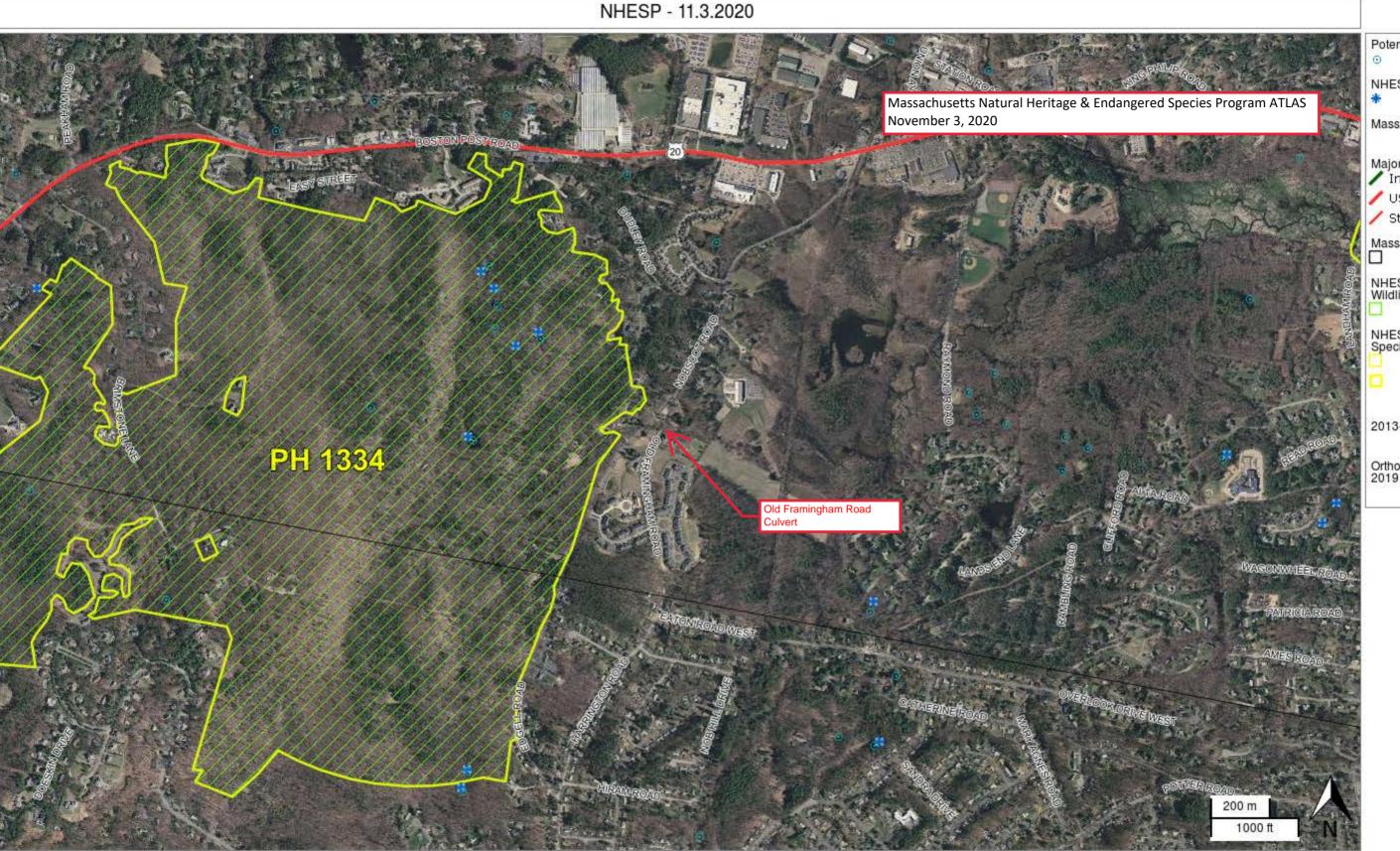




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Potential Vernal Pools

NHESP Certified Vernal Pools

MassDOT Roads Street Names

Major MassDOT Routes

Interstate Highways

US Roads

/ State

Massachusetts Towns

NHESP Estimated Habitats of Rare Wildlife

NHESP Priority Habitats of Rare Species

2013-2014 Color Orthos (USGS)

Orthos 2019 2019 Color Orthos (USGS)

1/5/2021 StreamStats

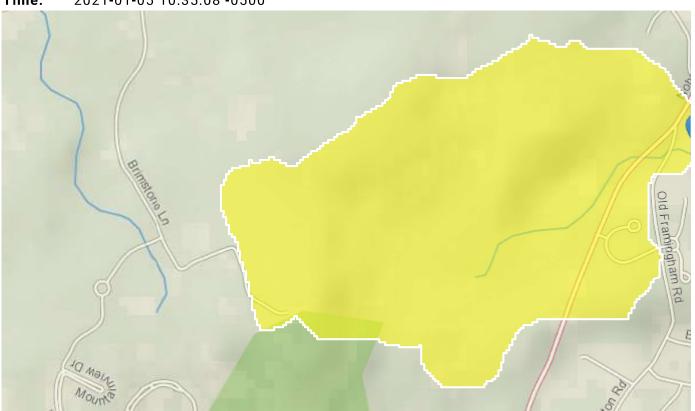
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Old Framingham Road, Sudbury, MA

Basin Characteristics					
Parameter Code	Parameter Description	Value	Unit		
DRNAREA	Area that drains to a point on a stream	0.51	square miles		
BSLDEM250	Mean basin slope computed from 1:250K DEM	8.599	percent		
DRFTPERSTR	Area of stratified drift per unit of stream length	0.0522	square mile per mile		
MAREGION	Region of Massachusetts 0 for Eastern 1 for Western	0	dimensionless		

1/5/2021 StreamStats

Low-Flow Statistics Parameters [Statewide Low Flow WRIR00 4135]

Parameter Code	Parameter Name	Value	Units	Min Limit	Max Limit
DRNAREA	Drainage Area	0.51	square miles	1.61	149
BSLDEM250	Mean Basin Slope from 250K DEM	8.599	percent	0.32	24.6
DRFTPERSTR	Stratified Drift per Stream Length	0.0522	square mile per mile	0	1.29
MAREGION	Massachusetts Region	0	dimensionless	0	1

Low-Flow Statistics Disclaimers[Statewide Low Flow WRIR00 4135]

One or more of the parameters is outside the suggested range. Estimates were extrapolated with unknown errors

Low-Flow Statistics Flow Report[Statewide Low Flow WRIR00 4135]

Statistic	Value	Unit
7 Day 2 Year Low Flow	0.0289	ft^3/s
7 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.0119	ft^3/s

Low-Flow Statistics Citations

Ries, K.G., III,2000, Methods for estimating low-flow statistics for Massachusetts streams: U.S. Geological Survey Water Resources Investigations Report 00-4135, 81 p. (http://pubs.usgs.gov/wri/wri004135/)

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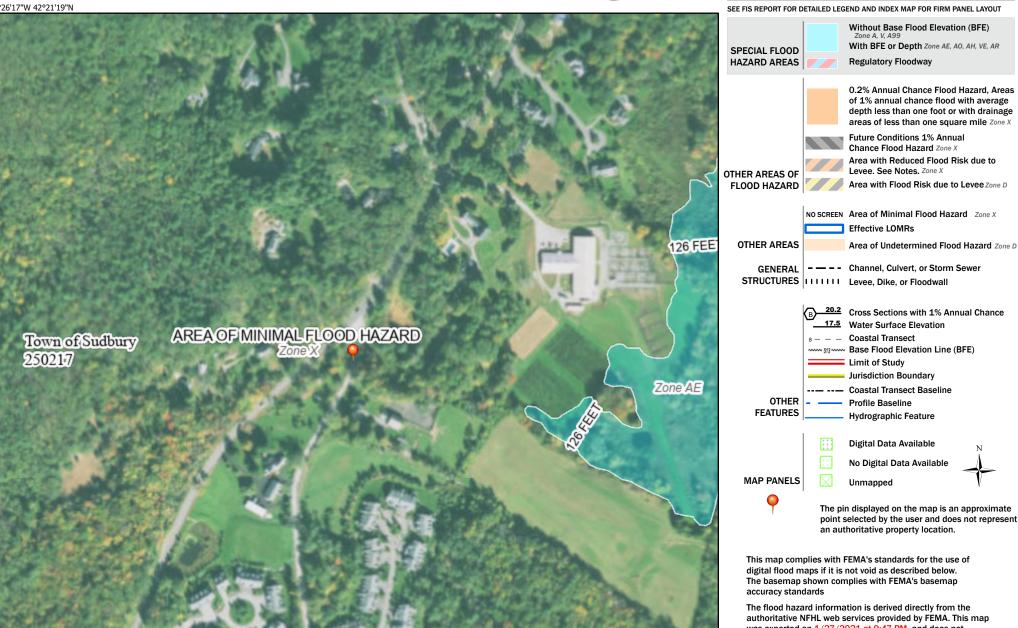
# ATTACHMENT C: FEMA FIRMETTE



# National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette



Legend



The flood hazard information is derived directly from the authoritative NFHL web services provided by FEMA. This map was exported on 1/27/2021 at 9:47 PM and does not reflect changes or amendments subsequent to this date and time. The NFHL and effective information may change or become superseded by new data over time.

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Basemap: USGS National Map: Orthoimagery: Data refreshed October, 2020

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March 30, 2021

Sudbury Conservation Department 275 Old Lancaster Road Sudbury, MA 01776 Attn: Lori Capone, Conservation Coordinator

Re: Old Framingham Road Sidewalk Extension and Roadway Realignment NOI

Response to Comments

Dear Ms. Capone:

Thank you for coordinating the review of the proposed sidewalk extension and roadway realignment on Old Framingham Road in Sudbury. The following letter compiles responses to comments received from you via email on March 18, 2021. The comments received are provided below for your reference, and our response follows each comment:

Comment 1: There is no discussion on how the project meets the Wetlands Bylaw. Unaltered Buffer Zone (Adjacent Upland Resource Area) is a resource area under the Bylaw. Impacts thereto should be mitigated or explain how functions provided by AURA are not being impacted.

Please see section 4.1 of the updated Technical Memorandum for a discussion of impacts to the AURA.

Comment 2: Section 2.2 of Tech Memo states stream is both perennial and intermittent.

The stream is perennial—please see Section 2.2 of the revised Technical Memorandum.

Comment 3: EcoTec report, second paragraph notes Marlboro Road and Panty Brook project. It also states that engineer should confirm that work is outside Bordering Land Subject to Flooding, which appears to be located on the eastern side of the CSX branch, 1,500 linear feet from the project site. Is there a reason the wetland scientist left this guestion open?

Please see the updated NOI form and the FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) included with the Technical Memorandum as Attachment C. The project is not within the 100-year floodplain according to the FIRM.

Comment 4: The Riverfront impact calculations in the NOI states that there is 9,069 s.f. of impact, but the Impact Area plan notes 9,069 s.f. of proposed impervious with 5,694, temp disturbance. The NOI should be modified to include with temporary disturbance within the total alteration. The total riverfront calculation in the NOI should include all land within the riverfront area on site. I know this is hard to quantify this this type of project but it should not be the total impervious number. Temp alteration numbers should also be included on the NOI form for inner and outer riparian zones.

Please see the revised impact area figure with clarified impact square footage calculations.

Comment 5: Only silt fence is shown for erosion controls, except for the coffer dam and turbidity curtain. No wattles?

Woodard & Curran recommends using a compostable silt-sock sedimentation barrier. Please refer to the revised sheet C-200 for the Sedimentation Barrier, Dewatering Discharge Sediment Control Device, and Temporary Soil Stock Pile Area details.

Comment 6: Any tree removal required? Any trees within jurisdiction that are being protected during construction?



Per the discussion at the March 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting, it is possible that some small trees behind the existing stone wall on Town-owned land south of #78 may need to be removed. One small tree at the south corner of Nobscot Road and Old Framingham Road will need to be removed to accommodate the new intersection alignment—this tree has been called out on the revised sheet C-101. Tree removal will be limited to only those necessary to facilitate construction, and certain trees within or near the limit of work are called out to be protected on sheet C-101.

Comment 7: Erosion control matting is called out in construction sequence but detail not shown on plan nor where this will be used.

Please see the revised sheet C-201. Note 1 of the Erosion Control Matting detail contains application instructions with minimum slopes where use of the matting will be required.

Comment 8: What seed mix if being used to stabilize disturbed areas?

Please see the attached seed mix specifications for the New England Conservation/Wildlife mix and the New England Erosion Control/Restoration Mix for Detention Basins and Moist Sites. The New England Conservation/Wildlife Mix will be used to stabilize disturbed upland areas. The New England Erosion Control/Restoration mix will be used to stabilize disturbed wetland areas above the waterline if incidental disturbances to such areas occur.

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If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 781-613-0311 or email me at <a href="mailto:ssalvucci@woodardcurran.com">ssalvucci@woodardcurran.com</a>.

Sincerely,

WOODARD & CURRAN INC.

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Scott Salvucci, PE Project Manager

Enclosures: Revised NOI Package

#### TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM

TO: Arthur Allen, EcoTec, Inc.

PREPARED BY: Dan Pasquale, Woodard & Curran REVIEWED BY: Scott Salvucci. Woodard & Curran

DATE: March 4, 2021 (Revised March 30, 2021)

RE: Old Framingham Road Sidewalk Extension and Roadway Realignment

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Woodard & Curran has developed a preliminary-phase design of a sidewalk extension alongside Old Framingham Road in Sudbury, MA. Additionally, the design includes a realignment of Old Framingham Road and a re-configuration of the Old Framingham Road/Nobscot Road intersection. This memorandum is intended to support filing of a Notice of Intent application with the Conservation Commission for authorization to construct the sidewalk extension and roadway improvements. The sidewalk extension would improve pedestrian safety and enhance access between the residential communities along Old Framingham Road and an existing sidewalk along Nobscot Road. An existing reinforced concrete pipe (RCP) culvert carries an unnamed perennial stream beneath Old Framingham Road. To accommodate the sidewalk and adjacent roadway alignment, Woodard & Curran recommends replacing a portion of the existing culvert with new RCP piping. Please refer to Figure 1 for the Site Location Map.

#### 2. EXISTING CONDITIONS EVALUATION

#### 2.1 Survey and Existing Unnamed Stream Channel Condition

An existing conditions survey of the site was performed by Jarvis Land Survey, with field data collected in November and December 2020. A 43.4-foot long closed-channel/pipe culvert carries an unnamed stream flowing west to east beneath Old Framingham Road. Upstream of the crossing, the stream pools in an area west of the roadway, impounded by a stone masonry headwall. A weir structure forms the outlet of the upstream pool area, discharging into an approximately 12-foot long, 3.5-foot-wide channelized stream section with stone masonry walls. The downstream 6-feet of the channelized section is covered by a concrete slab structure. Refer to Figure 2 for a photo of the closed-channel stream section. The stream then enters a 30" RCP pipe and flows beneath the roadway. Based on information from the Town, a doghouse-style drop inlet structure was built on top of the RCP pipe near the upstream end, with the top half of the pipe within the structure footprint removed to allow direct discharge of stormwater runoff from the roadway into the culvert. The existing pipe culvert is set at a slope of approximately 2.4%. Downstream of the roadway, the RCP culvert discharges into a wooded area. The upstream and downstream properties are both privately owned. An existing condition survey is included as Attachment A.

#### 2.2 Wetland Resource Evaluation

A wetland resource evaluation was performed by EcoTec, Inc. on November 4, 2020 to evaluate the presence of resource areas within the project area. Wetland flags were delineated for the boundary of bordering vegetated wetlands (BVW) associated with the upstream and downstream wetland complexes, labeled B1–B5 and A1-A10, respectively. Flags marking the Mean Annual High-water Line (MAHWL) of the perennial stream on the east and west sides of the crossing were also delineated, labeled RA1-RA8 and RB1-RB10/RB1A-RB5A, respectively. The stream continues from the culvert outlet through wooded areas and relatively flat

marshes within farmland before ultimately draining to Landham Brook (also known as Allowance Brook). The Wetland Resource Evaluation is included as Attachment B.

#### 2.3 Site Soil Conditions



On December 1, 2020, two test pits (TP-1 and TP-2) were excavated adjacent to the existing roadway near the culvert crossing under the supervision of Woodard & Curran staff. The purpose of the test pit excavation was to gain a general understanding of the soil conditions and groundwater level at the site. Subsurface conditions consisted primarily of poorly sorted silt/sand layers. No significant organic soil layer was discovered. As soil conditions can vary across a given site, Woodard & Curran recommends that soil conditions be monitored during construction activities and that any unsuitable soil materials encountered at the subgrade be removed and replaced with clean fill material. Groundwater was encountered at 6.2-feet below ground surface at TP-1 and at 4.5-feet below ground surface at TP-2, corresponding to elevations ranging from approximately 152.8-154.0.

#### 2.4 FEMA FIRM Review

Review of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) flood maps indicates that the site is within an Area of Minimal Flood Hazard as mapped on FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) Panel 25017C0506F. The FIRMette showing the project site is included as Attachment C.

#### 3. DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

The design intent was to provide the minimum required cross-sectional sidewalk and roadway width at the culvert crossing. This ensures pedestrian accessibility and safe vehicular passage while minimizing land disturbance near the stream. Because there is a steep drop-off along the eastern side of the road right-of-way, a line approximately coincidental with the eastern edge of the existing roadway was held for the back of sidewalk line at the culvert crossing. The western edge of the proposed roadway alignment is shifted west of the current alignment by a maximum of 5.83-feet at the crossing location.

Modifications to the culvert are required to accommodate the proposed alignment. The new roadway footprint would cross over the concrete slab enclosing the channelized stream. Because the current structural condition of the concrete slab is unknown and possibly unsuitable for regular vehicle loading, Woodard & Curran recommends removing the concrete slab, as discussed in the Proposed Conditions section below.

Additionally, the existing stormwater drop inlet structure over the pipe culvert would be positioned close to the proposed roadway centerline, which is a non-optimal location for capturing runoff from the road surface. Woodard & Curran recommends removing the existing drop inlet structure.

#### 4. PROPOSED CONDITIONS

Please refer to Figure 3 for preliminary-phase project plans. The proposed sidewalk width is 5-feet, and the proposed roadway width is 18-feet. A 0.5-foot-wide vertical granite curb will separate the roadway from the sidewalk. To facilitate construction of the new sidewalk extension and roadway alignment, Woodard & Curran recommends replacing the existing 30" RCP culvert from the current RCP inlet up to and including the cut-open drop inlet pipe with new 30" RCP pipe. Woodard & Curran also recommends replacing the concrete slab-covered portion of the channel with additional 30" RCP pipe to the upstream limit of the existing concrete slab. A concrete headwall will be constructed within the stone masonry channel at the new pipe inlet. The existing stone masonry channel walls and the walls bordering the upstream marsh pool area will receive new mortar as part of the work. The new piping will provide a structurally-sound conveyance for the culvert and allow for the westward shift of the roadway.



Woodard & Curran also recommends constructing a new deep-sump catch basin with a grate inlet at the west edge of the roadway south of the culvert crossing to replace the drop inlet. The new deep-sump catch basin would form the low point along the road surface, which would be cross-pitched to the west similar to the existing roadway cross-slope. The catch basin would connect to an existing drain manhole (DMH) south of the culvert crossing with 12" HDPE pipe. Flow from the existing DMH is conveyed east and discharges to the wooded area immediately downstream of the existing RCP culvert outlet. It is assumed that during extreme precipitation events, any overflow from the catch basin would flow into the open channel section of the stream.

The proposed configuration would replace the current stormwater inlet with a new inlet in an optimal location to capture runoff from the proposed roadway alignment. It would also provide an improvement to water quality—the existing drop inlet structure provides no treatment of runoff before discharge to the brook, while the deepsump catch basin would provide a small level of treatment before discharging into the drainage system.

The total length of the sidewalk extension is approximately 681-feet, measured from the existing sidewalk at Nobscot Road to the northern terminus of the existing Old Framingham Road sidewalk. Additional work farther from the crossing will be needed to construct the full length of the sidewalk extension. An existing catch basin in front of #78 Old Framingham Road will be removed and re-located within the roadway footprint, and a utility pole west of the roadway will be relocated to provide sufficient clearance between it and the proposed edge of pavement. The Town intends to acquire a walkway easement from the owners of #78 Old Framingham Road, and some re-grading along the frontage of the property will be required. Additional grading is proposed within a Town-owned property south of #78 Old Framingham Road to achieve a more gradual sidewalk slope.

As part of this project, the intersection of Old Framingham Road and Nobscot Road will be re-configured to remove the existing traffic island on Old Framingham Road. This will narrow the Old Framingham Road approach to the intersection, reducing the impervious area associated with the intersection itself. As a result of the re-configuration, the Old Framingham Road approach will be shifted to the south of its current footprint by approximately 19.5-feet. The new Old Framingham Road approach will require additional grading on the private property at the south corner of Old Framingham Road and Nobscot Road. The Town intends to acquire a permanent easement on this property, which has the same ownership as #78 Old Framingham Road.

Design considerations also included utility and roadway elevation constraints. The existing culvert has invert elevations of 154.32 feet and 153.27 feet at the culvert inlet and outlet, respectively. Subsurface gas and water utilities were found near the crossing based a review of available record plans and field utility markings. During construction, it will be the responsibility of the contractor to field locate and protect all subsurface utilities. Overhead electric utilities are present, crossing from the east to the west side of the roadway, and one utility pole is anticipated to be relocated as discussed above, although the electrical utility may require relocation of additional utility poles during construction. It is anticipated that surface elevations will be raised slightly within the proposed sidewalk alignment and lowered slightly within the roadway alignment to accommodate the proposed vertical granite curbing in the vicinity of the crossing area. However, grading patterns near the culvert crossing will be maintained to the maximum extent feasible under the proposed conditions.

#### 4.1 Anticipated Impacts to Adjacent Upland Resource Areas (AURAs)

The Town of Sudbury Wetlands Administration Bylaw (Article XXII) and its associated Sudbury Wetlands Administration Bylaw Regulations (revised September 25, 2017) establishes jurisdictional Adjacent Upland Resource Areas (AURAs). The Bylaw defines AURAs as land within 100-feet of wetland resource areas, within 200-feet of top of bank, and with varying extent when adjacent to vernal pools, ponds <10,000-square feet in area, or isolated land subject to flooding. The proposed project includes work within 100-feet of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands, and within 200-feet of Mean Annual High-Water Line (Inland Bank), both considered AURAs under the Bylaw.

The project, which will add a pedestrian sidewalk alongside an existing roadway, was designed to minimize the amount of disruption and alteration to the AURAs within the project limit of work. Because Old Framingham



Road does not currently have a sidewalk in the project area, constructing the sidewalk will add new impervious land coverage to the AURAs. However, the proposed sidewalk width is the narrowest allowable for a continuous-width walkway under applicable pedestrian accessibility regulations. The proposed roadway width is the minimum required to accommodate two 9-foot-wide travel lanes, one in each direction, through the culvert crossing area. The proposed re-configuration of the Old Framingham Road/Nobscot Road intersection will shrink the Old Framingham Road approach and eliminate the existing hardscape traffic island. Reducing the footprint of Old Framingham Road will partially mitigate the impact of the new sidewalk: within the outer riparian zone associated with the unnamed stream crossing beneath Old Framingham Road, the project will eliminate 496-square feet of impervious area.

Temporary land disturbances related to the project will be stabilized and restored to existing conditions. A native New England Conservation/Wildlife seed mix will be applied to temporarily disturbed areas within the AURAs. The blend of species will provide a permanent cover of grasses, forbs, wildflowers, and legumes to control soil erosion and enhance wildlife habitat.

The project objective is to add a new pedestrian sidewalk to a public way without an existing sidewalk. Widths chosen for the proposed roadway and sidewalk cross-sections were minimized, and the footprint of the proposed roadway and sidewalk traverses an existing closed-conduit culvert covered by a concrete slab of unknown structural integrity. Because of this, and because of the space limitations of the upland area surrounding the culvert crossing, there is no reasonable alternative that would reduce or eliminate the permanent impacts associated with the project. Figure 4 contains square footages of impacts to resource areas.

#### 5. CONCEPTUAL SEQUENCE OF CONSTRUCTION

Old Framingham Road is a two-lane road. At minimum, temporary closure of the southbound lane of the roadway will be required to facilitate construction, with temporary flaggers or police details posted to direct traffic. During full-depth reconstruction, a temporary complete closure of the roadway between Nobscot Road and #78 Old Framingham Road will be required. The anticipated sequence of construction is as follows:

- 1. Install temporary erosion and sedimentation control and flow control measures, including cofferdam, flow diffuser, and/or flow diversion:
- 2. Locate and protect existing utilities;
- 3. Close the southbound lane of the roadway;
- 4. Remove and dispose of the existing drop inlet and concrete slab. Partially remove, and dispose, the existing RCP pipe culvert and the stone masonry RCP pipe headwall;
- 5. Install new culvert piping and headwall;
- 6. Install new deep-sump catch basin;
- 7. Backfill new culvert and catch basin to roadway subgrade
- 8. Completely close roadway between Nobscot Road and #78 Old Framingham Road;
- 9. Excavate existing traffic island, roadway pavement, and base layers. Store signage to be reused;
- 10. Grade and prepare roadway and sidewalk subgrade;
- 11. Install new base layer and pavement binder/wearing courses, and guardrails. Reinstall signage;

- 12. Reopen roadway;
- 13. Stabilize side slopes as needed;
- 14. Install erosion control matting, loam, and seed on all disturbed areas; and
- 15. Remove temporary erosion and sedimentation control measures and flow control measures.



#### 6. ATTACHMENTS

#### **Figures**



Figure 2 – Photo of Closed-Channel Stream Section and RCP Pipe Inlet

Figure 3 – Preliminary-Phase Project Plans

Figure 4 – Resource Area Impact Figure

#### **Attachments**

Attachment A – Existing Conditions Survey

Attachment B – Wetland Resource Evaluation

Attachment C - FEMA FIRMETTE

#### 7. REFERENCES

FEMA FIRM Panel 25017C0506F, effective July 7, 2014



Figure 1: Site Location Map

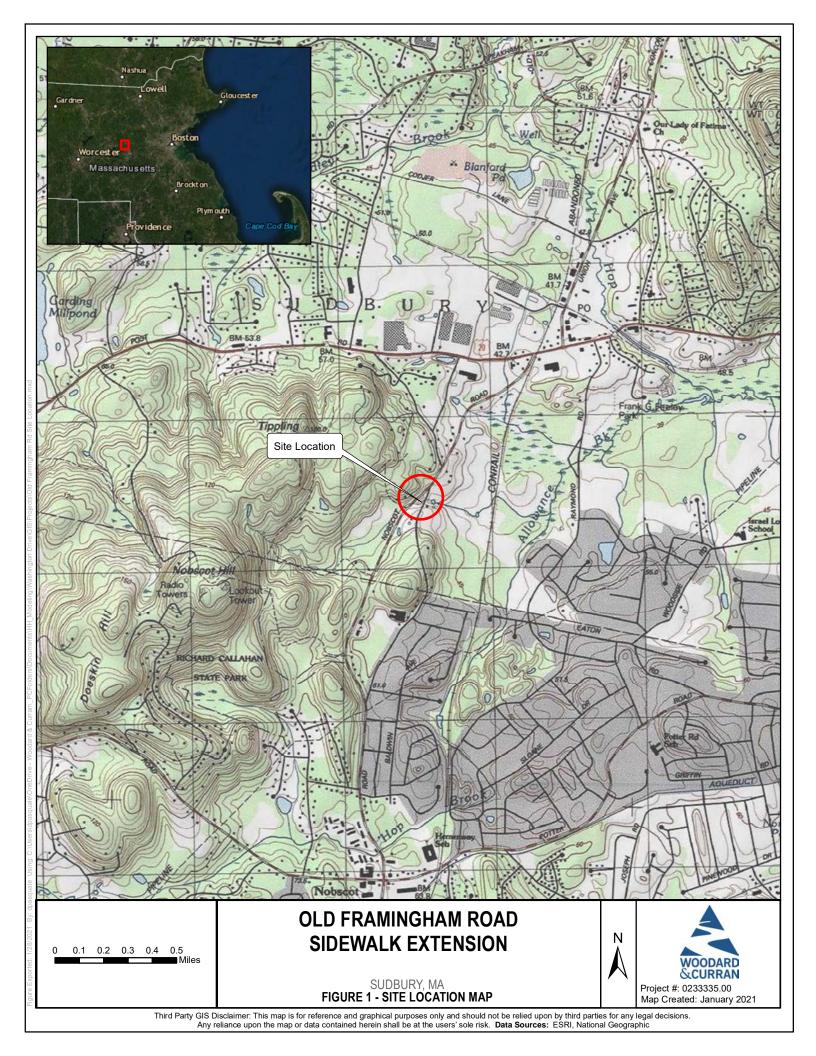




Figure 2: Photo of Closed-Channel Stream Section and RCP Pipe Inlet



Figure 3: Preliminary-Phase Project Plans



# TOWN OF SUDBURY, MA PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

# OLD FRAMINGHAM ROAD SIDEWALK EXTENSION

PROJECT NO. 0233128.00

# MARCH 2021

NOTICE OF INTENT PERMITTING ONLY - NOT FOR CONSTRUCTION

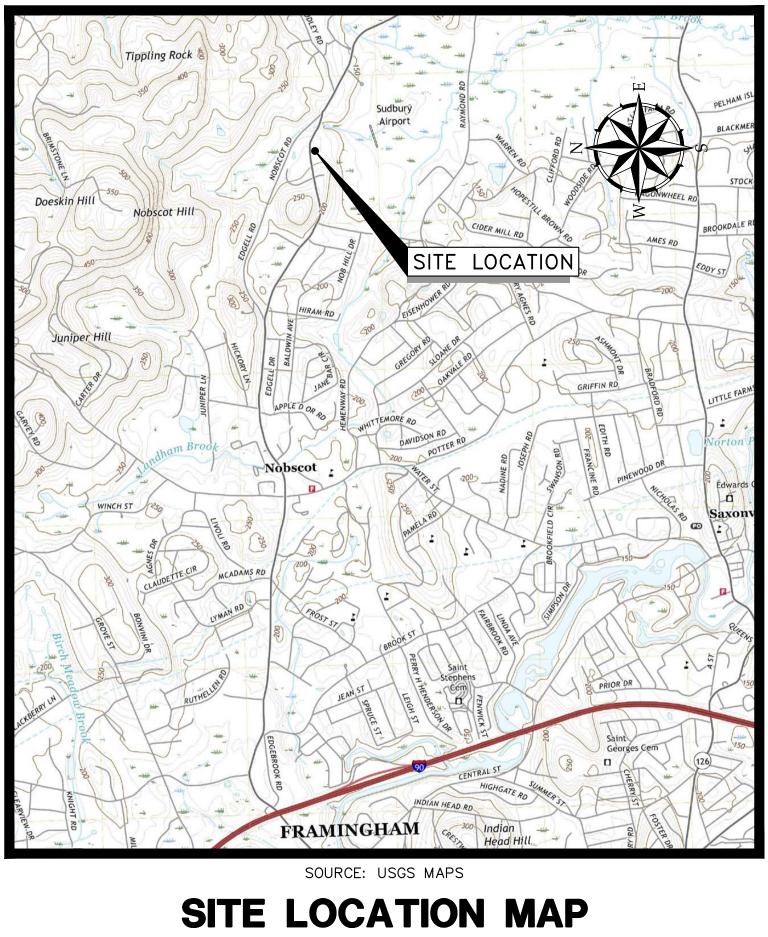


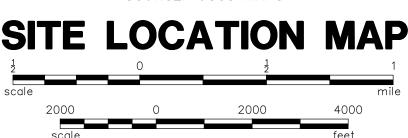
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LOCATION

PROJECT LOCATION MAP







2. JARVIS LAND SURVEY, INC. IS LOCATED AT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

**GENERAL NOTES:** 

29 GRAFTON CIRCLE

SHREWSBURY, MA 01545

DOT

DYL

PVC

22x34 SHEET

(508) 842-8087 3. CONTRACTOR SHALL INVESTIGATE EXISTING CONDITIONS AND FIELD VERIFY LOCATIONS, DEPTH, AND

1. EXISTING CONDITIONS ARE BASED ON A SURVEY PREPARED BY JARVIS LAND SURVEY, INC., DATED

- SIZE OF UTILITIES AND SUB-SURFACE STRUCTURES PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY ENGINEER OF ANY CONFLICTS OR DISCREPANCIES WITH THE EXISTING AND PROPOSED UTILITY
- 4. THE HORIZONTAL DATUM DEPICTED ON THE MAPS HEREON IS BASED ON THE MASSACHUSETTS STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM, MAINLAND ZONE, REFERENCED TO THE NORTH AMERICAN DATUM OF 1983. THE VERTICAL DATUM IS BASED ON THE NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988 (NAVD 88).
- 5. ANY PROPERTY AND RIGHT OF WAY LOCATIONS THAT MAY BE SHOWN HEREON ARE APPROXIMATE AND DO NOT REPRESENT A PROPERTY BOUNDARY SURVEY.
- 6. WOODARD & CURRAN ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR DAMAGES INCURRED AS A RESULT OF UTILITIES OMITTED OR INACCURATELY SHOWN.
- 7. COORDINATE CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY WITH UTILITY COMPANIES, EMERGENCY SERVICES AND TOWN. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY ALL UTILITIES PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK, ALLOWING SUFFICIENT TIME TO LOCATE AND MARK THE LOCATION OF BURIED UTILITIES. CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT "DIG SAFE", TELEPHONE 811, PRIOR TO EXCAVATION.
- 8. RESTORE ALL AREAS DISTURBED BY CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS TO ORIGINAL FINISH (GRAVEL, PAVEMENT, GRASS, ETC.) UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE ON THE PLANS. RESTORATION OF PAVED SURFACES, GRAVEL SURFACES, DRIVEWAYS, AND LAWNS DAMAGED BY CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES SHALL BE PERFORMED AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO OWNER. ANY CURB DAMAGED BY CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES SHALL BE REPLACED IN KIND AND SHALL CONFORM TO TOWN OF SUDBURY AND MASSACHUSETTS DOT SPECIFICATIONS AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO OWNER.
- 9. PROPERLY PROTECT AND DO NOT DISTURB PROPERTY IRONS AND MONUMENTS. IF DISTURBED, THE PROPERTY MONUMENT SHALL BE RESET AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE BY A LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR ACCEPTABLE TO THE TOWN.
- 10. EXISTING FACILITIES (I.E. TREES, POLES, LIGHT POSTS, CATCH BASINS, STONE FROM CULVERT, ETC.) SHALL BE REMOVED AND/OR PROTECTED DURING CONSTRUCTION. THE TOWN RETAINS RIGHT TO KEEP ANY AND ALL REMOVED FACILITIES. CONTRACTOR SHALL DISPOSE OF ANY REMOVED FACILITY AT THE REQUEST OF THE TOWN AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO OWNER.
- 11. ALL TREES NOT NOTED TO BE REMOVED OR RELOCATED SHALL BE PROTECTED BY CONTRACTOR DURING CONSTRUCTION.
- 12. RESTRICT ACCESS TO SITE THROUGH THE USE OF APPROPRIATE SIGNAGE, BARRIERS, FENCES, ETC. SITE SHALL BE LEFT WITH APPROPRIATE SAFETY MEASURES IN PLACE DURING NON-WORKING HOURS. SITE SAFETY IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF CONTRACTOR, DURING BOTH WORKING AND NON-WORKING
- 13. CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING ALL NECESSARY CONSTRUCTION PERMITS INCLUDING "PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT WITHIN A PUBLIC WAY" FROM THE TOWN. PERMIT APPLICATIONS SHALL BE SUBMITTED WITH ADEQUATE TIME SO AS NOT TO DELAY CONSTRUCTION.
- 14. ALL WORK ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROJECT SHALL BE COMPLETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TOWN OF SUDBURY BYLAW AND LOCAL REGULATIONS AND MASSACHUSETTS DOT STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- 15. UPON COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION, A COMPLETE SET OF "RECORD" DRAWINGS SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE TOWN ENGINEER. THESE DRAWINGS SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN BOTH DIGITAL AND HARD COPY FORMAT AS DEFINED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS PRIOR TO PAYMENT OF FINAL RETAINAGE.
- 16. PROTECTION OF EXISTING UTILITIES DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE PROVIDED AT NO ADDITIONAL
- 17. CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SWEEPING OLD FRAMINGHAM ROAD EVERY FRIDAY AND AS NECESSARY DURING THE DURATION OF THE WORK.
- 18. PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION, CONTRACTOR SHALL ATTEND A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING HELD AT THE PROJECT SITE WITH THE CONTRACTOR, ENGINEER, OWNER, AND CONSERVATION OFFICE TO REVIEW THE CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE AND SEQUENCING, ORDER OF CONDITIONS, STOCKPILE LOCATIONS AND CRITICAL ASPECTS OF THE PROJECT.
- 19. ALL DISTURBED UPLAND AREAS SHALL BE BROUGHT TO FINAL GRADE AND SHALL BE PERMANENTLY STABILIZED WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER DISTURBANCE, BARE GROUND AND DISTURBED AREAS THAT CANNOT BE PERMANENTLY VEGETATED WITHIN 30 DAYS SHALL BE TEMPORARY STABILIZED BY AN APPROVED METHOD.
- 20. CONTRACTOR SHALL DEMARCATE CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL STORAGE AREAS PRIOR TO
- 21. THE CONSTRUCTION SITE SHALL BE MAINTAINED IN CLEAN CONDITIONS AT ALL TIMES AND CONSTRUCTION REFUSE AND DEBRIS SHALL BE DISPOSED OF PROMPTLY AND IN A LEGAL MANNER.
- 22. STORING, SERVICING, OR CLEANING OF TRUCKS OR EQUIPMENT SHALL BE PERFORMED IN AN UPLAND AREA AT A HORIZONTAL DISTANCE GREATER THAN 100 FEET FROM THE WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS.
- 23. CONTRACTOR SHALL REFER TO SPECIFICATION XXX MASSACHUSETTS COVID ORDER AND CONSTRUCTION GUIDELINES AND EXECUTE CONSTRUCTION IN COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE SOCIAL DISTANCING
- 24. TEST PITS TP-1 AND TP-2 WERE EXCAVATED UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF WOODARD & CURRAN ON DECEMBER 1, 2020. GROUNDWATER WAS ENCOUNTERED AT APPROXIMATE ELEVATIONS OF 152.8 IN
- 25. WETLAND DELINEATION WAS PREPARED BY ECOTEC, INC. 102 GROVE STREET, WORCESTER, MA 01605. THE WETLAND RESOURCE EVALUATION REPORT IS DATED XX XX, 2021 AND WETLAND FIELD INSPECTION WAS CONDUCTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 2020.
- 26. DO NOT PARK, IMPEDE ACCESS TO, OR STORE EQUIPMENT BEYOND LIMIT OF WORK, UNLESS PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED IN WRITING BY TOWN AND/OR LAND OWNER.
- 27. PRIOR TO THE START OF WORK, CONTRACTOR SHALL CONFIRM EXISTING WETLAND FLAGS ARE IN PLACE AND SHALL BE MAINTAINED DURING CONSTRUCTION. MISSING FLAGS SHALL BE RESET PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION. AN AUTOCAD FILE OF THE WETLAND FLAG LOCATIONS SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR CONTRACTOR'S USE IN RESETTING WETLAND FLAGS.
- 28. NO EQUIPMENT IS TO CROSS OR ENTER WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS AT ANY TIME UNLESS THE LOCATION OF DISTURBANCE IS MARKED ON THE PLANS REFERENCED IN THE ORDER OF CONDITIONS AND FLAGGED IN THE FIELD (DEP FILE #XXX-XXXX).
- 29. THE CONTRACTOR, SITE ENGINEER, OR OTHER INDIVIDUAL IN CHARGE OF WORK ON THE SITE SHALL HAVE A COPY OF THE ORDER OF CONDITIONS AT ALL TIMES (DEP FILE #XXX-XXXX).

# **EROSION CONTROL NOTES:**

- 1. EROSION CONTROL DEVICES SHALL REMAIN IN PLACE, UNTIL ALL DISTURBED SURFACES HAVE BEEN STABILIZED WITH FINAL VEGETATION COVER OR THE COMMISSION HAS AUTHORIZED THEIR REMOVAL.
- 2. EROSION CONTROL MEASURES AND BARRIERS SHALL BE MONITORED DAILY AND MAINTAINED, OR REINFORCED AS NECESSARY TO ENSURE AND PREVENT EROSION AND SILTATION OF SOILS TO WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS. ADDITIONAL FILTER FABRIC AND STRAW WATTLES SHALL BE STORED ON SITE FOR
- 3. DURING ALL PHASES OF CONSTRUCTION, ALL DISTURBED OR EXPOSED AREAS OUTSIDE THE ROADWAY SHALL BE BROUGHT TO FINISHED GRADE AND EITHER A) LOAMED AND SEEDED FOR PERMANENT STABILIZATION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH U.S. SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE PROCEDURES, OR B) STABILIZED IN ANOTHER WAY APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION. AREAS THAT CANNOT BE PERMANENTLY STABILIZED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF DISTURBANCE SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH HAY, STRAW, MULCH OR ANY OTHER PROTECTIVE COVERING AND/OR METHOD APPROVED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE OR BY OTHER TEMPORARY MEASURES ACCEPTABLE TO THE COMMISSION.
- 4. AN ADEQUATE STOCKPILE OF EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL MATERIALS SHALL BE ON SITE AT ALL TIMES FOR EMERGENCY OR ROUTINE REPLACEMENT.
- 5. ANY DAMAGE CAUSED AS A DIRECT RESULT OF CONSTRUCTION TO THE WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS SHALL BE REPAIRED, RESTORED AND/OR REPLACED. SEDIMENTATION OR EROSION SHALL BE CONSIDERED DAMAGE TO THE WETLAND RESOURCE AREAS. IF SEDIMENTATION REACHES THESE AREAS. THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION SHALL BE CONTACTED AND A PLAN FOR THE PROPOSED RESTORATION SHALL BE SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL.

# **DEWATERING NOTES:**

- 1. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT A WATER CONTROL MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE PROJECT LOCATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS. THE PLAN SHALL INCLUDE A DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROCEDURE FOR DEWATERING METHODS.
- 2. ALL DEWATERING ACTIVITIES SHALL MEET LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS.
- 3. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL LABOR AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED TO PERFORM THE WORK INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO PROPER SHORING, DEWATERING EQUIPMENT, AND WATER TREATMENT EQUIPMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SPECIFICATIONS AND ALL LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL
- 4. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TIME OF YEAR RESTRICTIONS SET FORTH IN 310 CMR 10.11(5) AND THE US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS GENERAL PERMIT FOR MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL CONDITION 18, ALL SILT-GENERATING, IN-WATER WORK SHALL BE CONDUCTED BETWEEN JULY 1ST AND SEPTEMBER 30TH. WORK BEYOND THE LIMITS OF THE WATER, SUCH AS SEEDING AND INSTALLATION OF RESTORATION PLANTINGS, MAY BE CONDUCTED AFTER SEPTEMBER 30TH, PER CONTRACT TIMES LISTED IN THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS.
- 5. ALL DREDGING OPERATIONS SHALL BE CONDUCTED FROM UPLAND AREAS.
- 6. ALL DREDGE SPOILS SHALL BE DEWATERED AND DISPOSED OF AT AN UPLAND LOCATION (OR OTHER APPROVED LOCATION).
- 7. THE REMOVAL OF MATERIAL FROM THE STREAM BOTTOM SHALL BE DONE IN SUCH A MANNER AS TO ENSURE THAT THE RECONFIGURED BOTTOM AREA WILL NOT IMPEDE OR OBSTRUCT FISH MIGRATION, OR INTERFERE WITH THE NATURAL FLOW OF THE BROOK.
- 8. DEWATERING ACTIVITIES SHALL BE CONDUCTED AS SHOWN ON THE APPROVED PLANS AND SHALL BE MONITORED DAILY TO ENSURE THAT SEDIMENT LADEN WATER IS APPROPRIATELY SETTLED PRIOR TO DISCHARGE TOWARD THE RESOURCE AREAS. NO DISCHARGE OF WATER IS ALLOWED DIRECTLY INTO AN AREA SUBJECT TO JURISDICTION OF THE WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT. SHOULD EMERGENCY DEWATERING REQUIREMENTS ARISE, THE APPLICANT SHALL SUBMIT A CONTINGENCY PLAN TO THE COMMISSION FOR APPROVAL WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE PUMPED WATER TO BE CONTAINED IN A SETTLING BASIN, TO REDUCE TURBIDITY TO DISCHARGE INTO A RESOURCE AREA.

# **ABBREVIATIONS**

& AASHTO	AND AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF STATE HIGHWAY	SHEET INDEX
AASITIO	AND TRANSPORTATION OFFICIALS	
A.G.	ABOVE GROUND	G-001 COVER SHEET
٨.٥.	ABOVE GROOMB	G-002 GENERAL NOTES, ABBREVIATIONS AND LEGEND
BIT	BITUMINOUS	C-100 EXISTING CONDITIONS PLAN
B/W	BETWEEN	C-101 EROSION CONTROL & DEMOLITION PLAN
BVW	BORDERING VEGETATED WETLAND	C-102 SITE LAYOUT PLAN
5	SOURCE VEGETATION WETER WAS	C-103 GRADING AND DRAINAGE PLAN
СВ	CATCH BASIN	C-104 MARKING AND SIGNAGE PLAN
CI	CAST IRON	C-200 CIVIL DETAILS 1
CMP	CORRUGATED METAL PIPE	C-201 CIVIL DETAILS 2
CONC	CONCRETE	C-202 SIGN DETAILS
5	OTODIA DDAIN	
D	STORM DRAIN	

### RESOURCE AREA LEGEND

		TREGOGRAGE THREAT	<u> LL U LI 1D</u>
E EL. EOP EXIST.	UNDERGROUND ELECTRICAL ELEVATION EDGE OF PAVEMENT EXISTING	BORDERING VEGETATED WETLAND (BVW)	
FF	FINISH FLOOR	100' BORDERING VEGETATED WETLAND (BVW) BUFFER (ADJACENT UPLAND RESOURCE AREA)	
FT G	FOOT/FEET  GAS MAIN	MEAN ANNUAL HIGH—WATER LINE (MAHWL) OF PERENNIAL STREAM	
GS GALV. GRAN.	GAS SERVICE GALVANIZED GRANITE	100' RIVERFRONT AREA (INNER RIPARIAN ZONE)	
HDPE HDPP HYD	HIGH DENSITY POLYETHYLENE HIGH DENSITY POLYPROPYLENE HYDRANT	200' RIVERFRONT AREA (OUTER RIPARIAN ZONE)	
INV.	INVERT	COFFERDAM	CD
L LF	LENGTH LINEAR FEET	LIMIT OF WORK	LW
MASSDEP	MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	SEDIMENT BARRIER	•
MADOT MAX. MIN.	MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION MAXIMUM MINIMUM	TURBIDITY CURTAIN	

# LINE TYPES & HATCHES

DESCRIPTION	<u>EXISTING</u>	PROPOSED
CONTOUR (1' INTERVAL)		201
·		200
STORM DRAIN	SD	
BITUMINOUS CURB		
EDGE OF PAVEMENT		
OVERHEAD ELECTRIC -	OE	
UNDERGROUND GAS	G	
UNDERGROUND TELEPHONE	Т —	
WATER LINE		——————————————————————————————————————
RIGHT OF WAY/ PROPERTY LINE		
GUARDRAIL	T T T	<u> </u>
LIMIT OF WORK		LW
SEDIMENT BARRIER/COFFERDAM		CD
SEDIMENT BARRIER/SILTSOXX/ SI	LT FENCE	<del></del>
TURBIDITY CURTAIN		
SAWCUT		
RETAINING WALL		
STONE WALL	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	

RIPTION	EXISTING	STONE WALL	·	
TY POLE				
H BASIN		EXISTING FEATURE TO BE REM	OVED	
AND FLAG TION	WF/AX	DITUMNOUS DAVENENT		
NG	<b>⊕</b> BM−X	BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT		
HOLE				
вох	0	CONCRETE SIDEWALK		A

PERMITTING ONLY - NOT FOR CONSTRUCTION

IOB NO: 0233128.00 ATE: MARCH 2021 SCALE: AS SHOWN

MONUMENT MON N.I.P. NOT IN CONTRACT NUMBER NO REFUSAL N.T.S. NOT TO SCALE OVERHEAD ELECTRIC OVERHEAD

DUCTILE IRON

DRAIN MANHOLE

DOUBLE YELLOW LINE

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

DIAMETER

PLUS OR MINUS LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR LLS PROP. PROPOSED

R.O.W. RIGHT-OF-WAY REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE REINF. REINFORCED REQ'D REQUIRED RIBBED PLASTIC PIPE SLOPE (FT./FT.) SLOPED GRANITE CURB SEWER MANHOLE SCHEDULE STA. STATION TOWN TOWN OF SUDBURY TYP. TYPICAL UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE UNO UTILITY POLE

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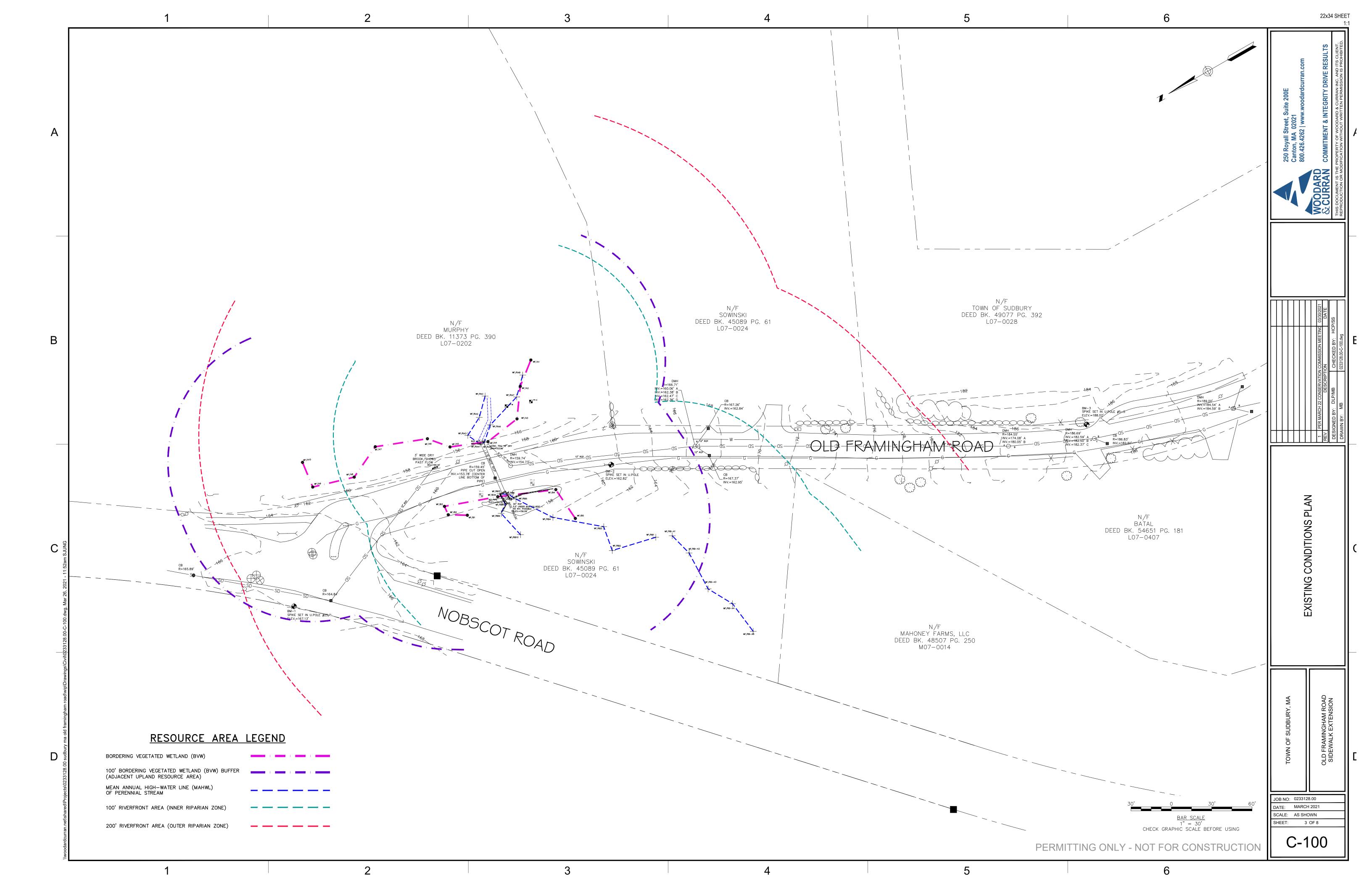
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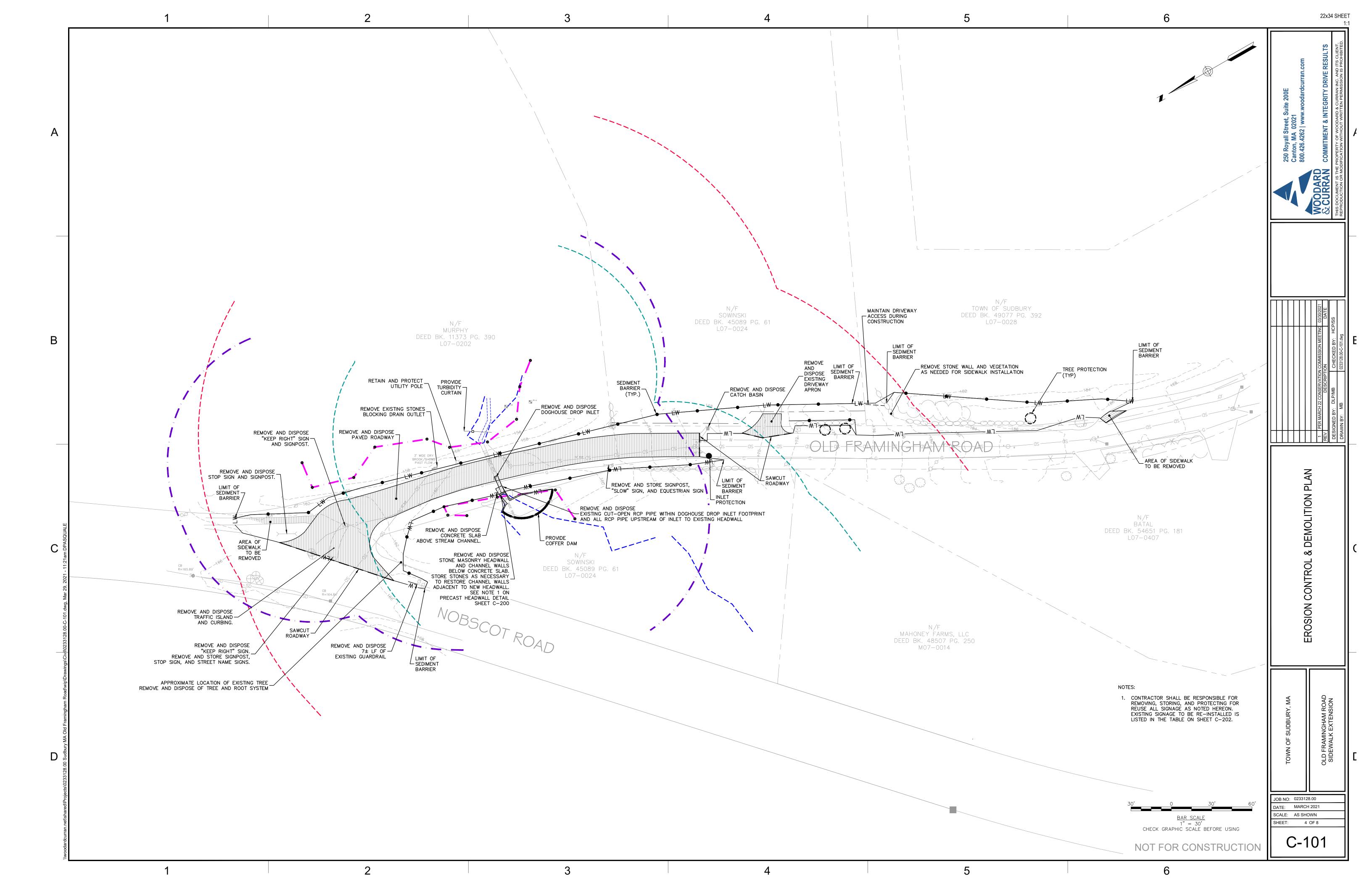
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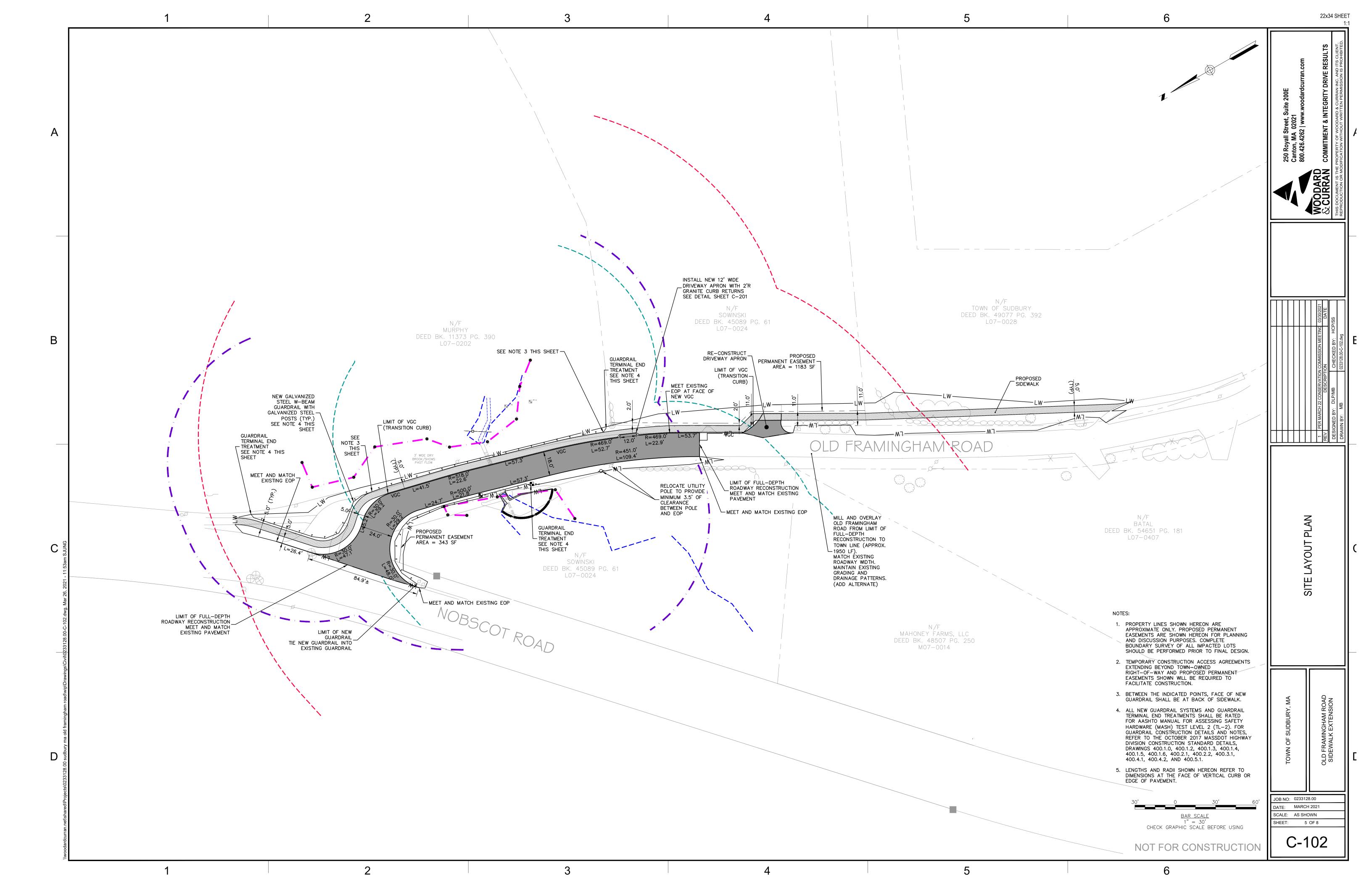
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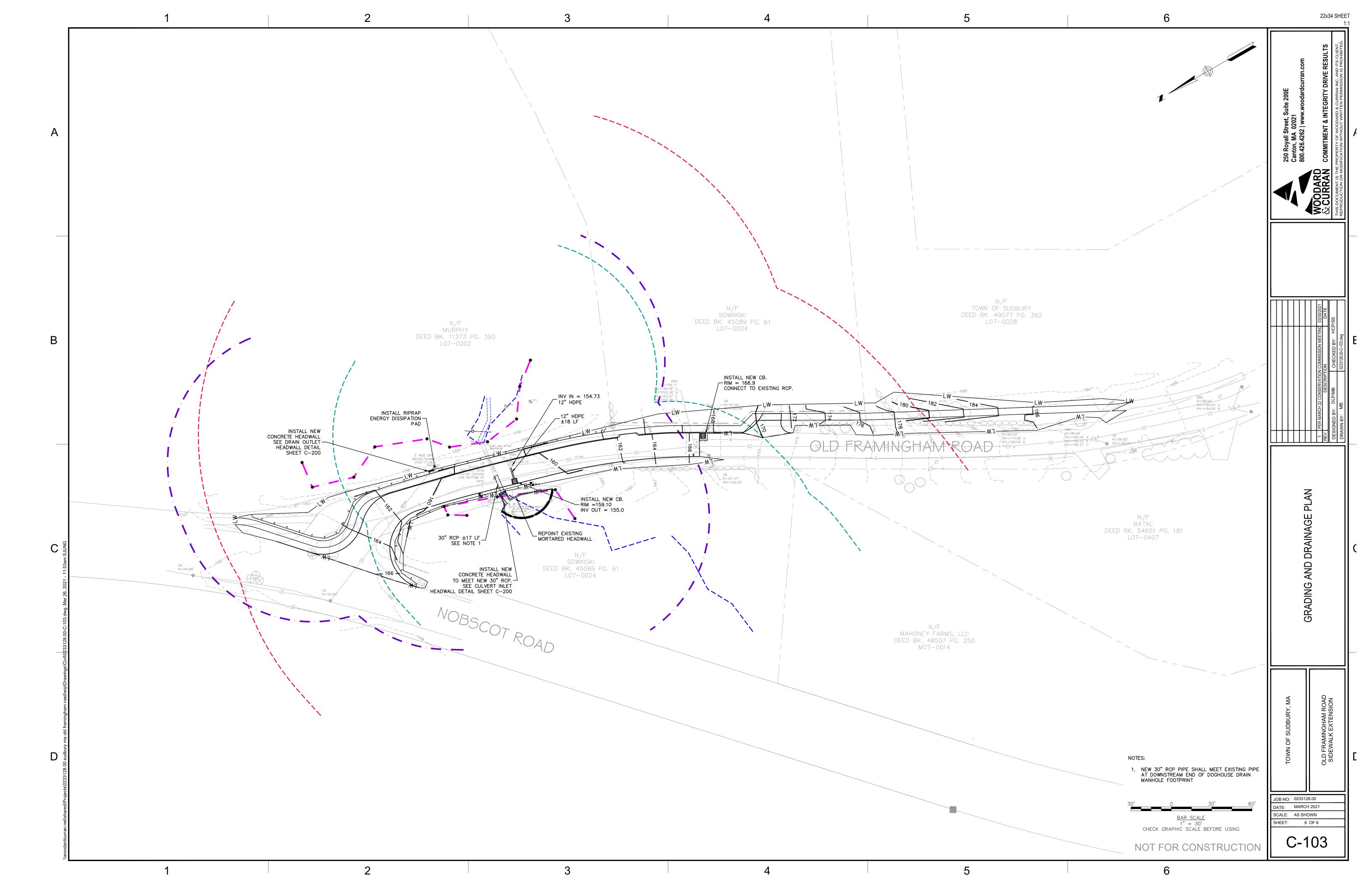
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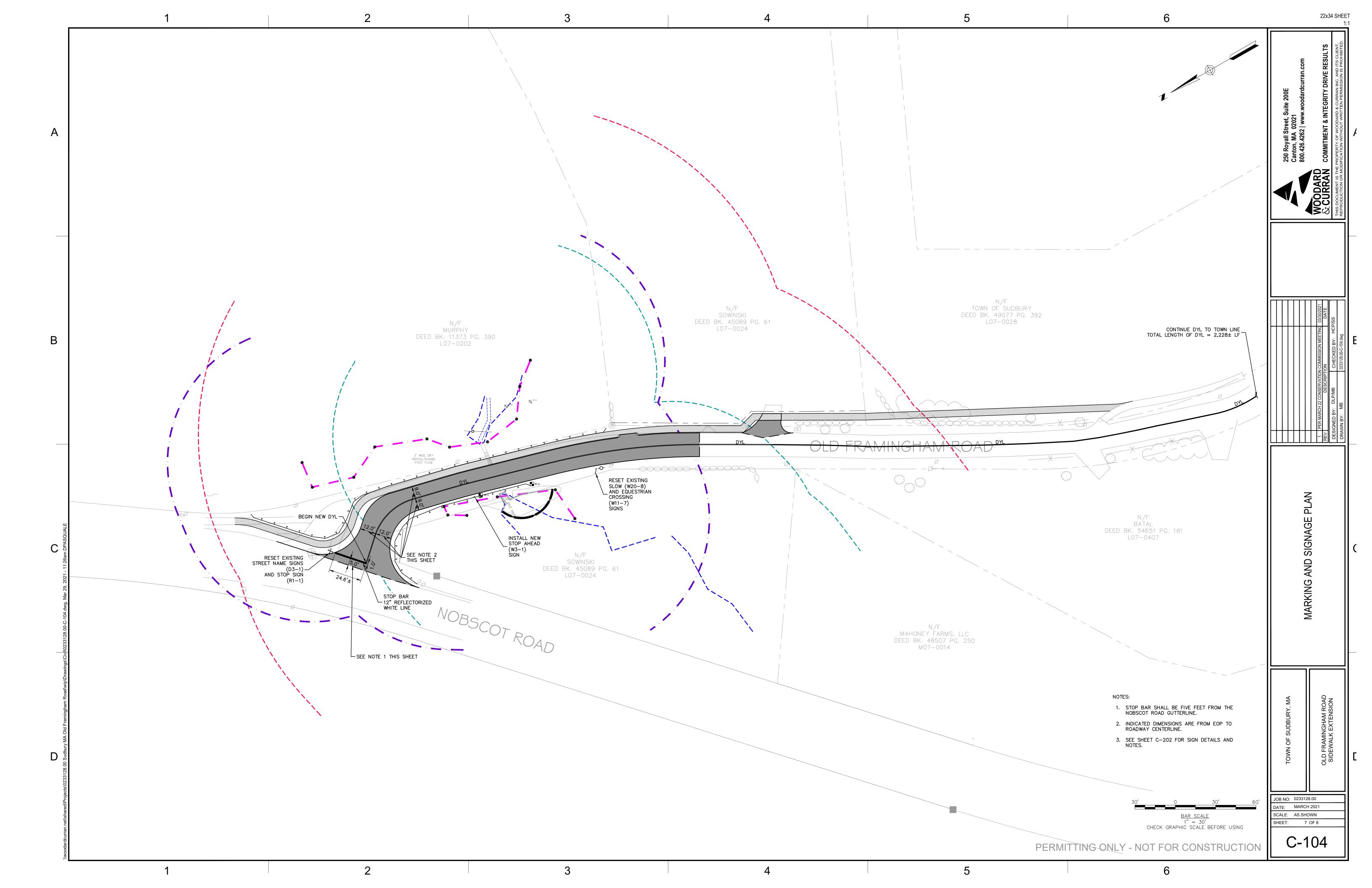
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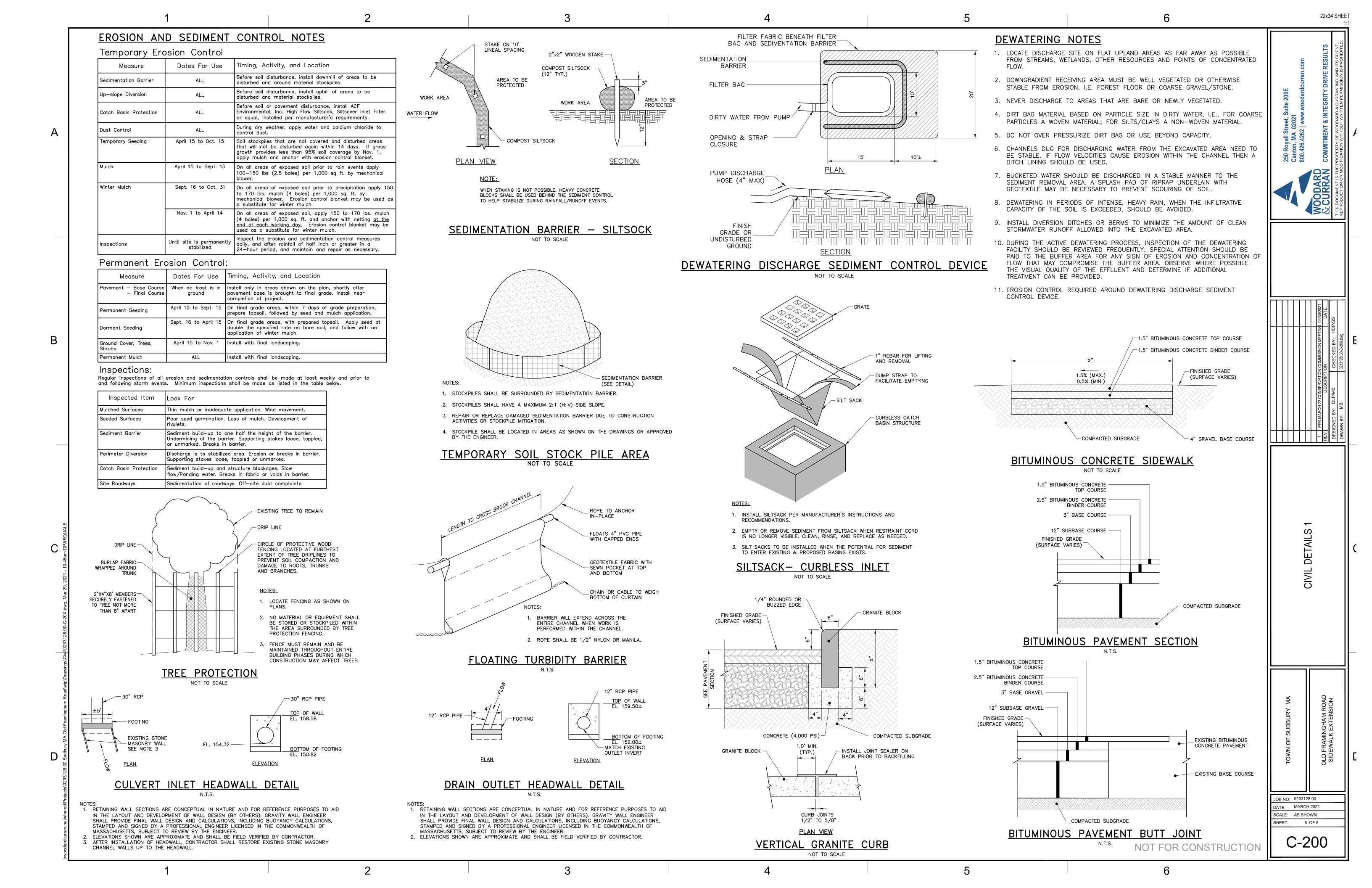


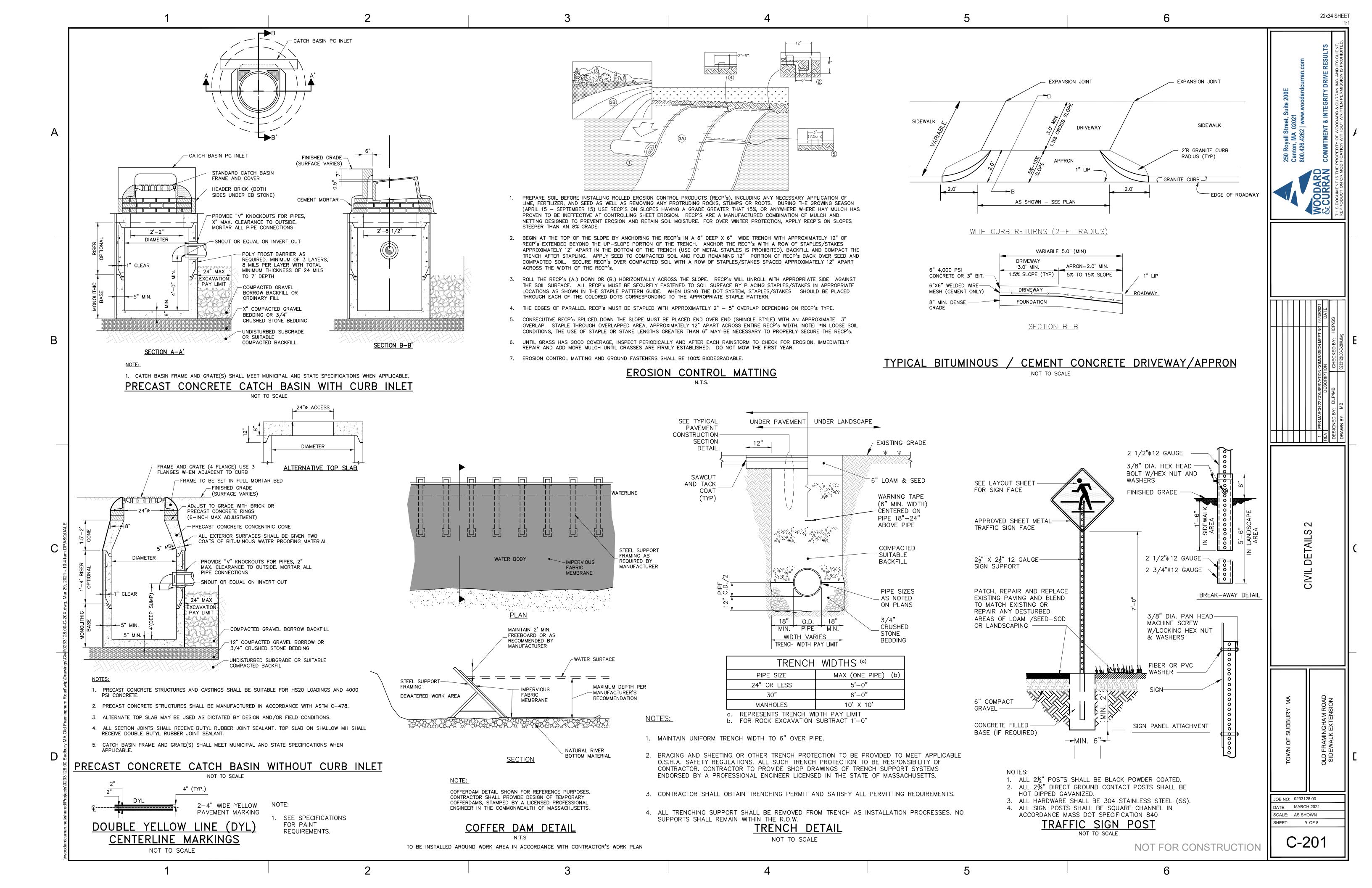


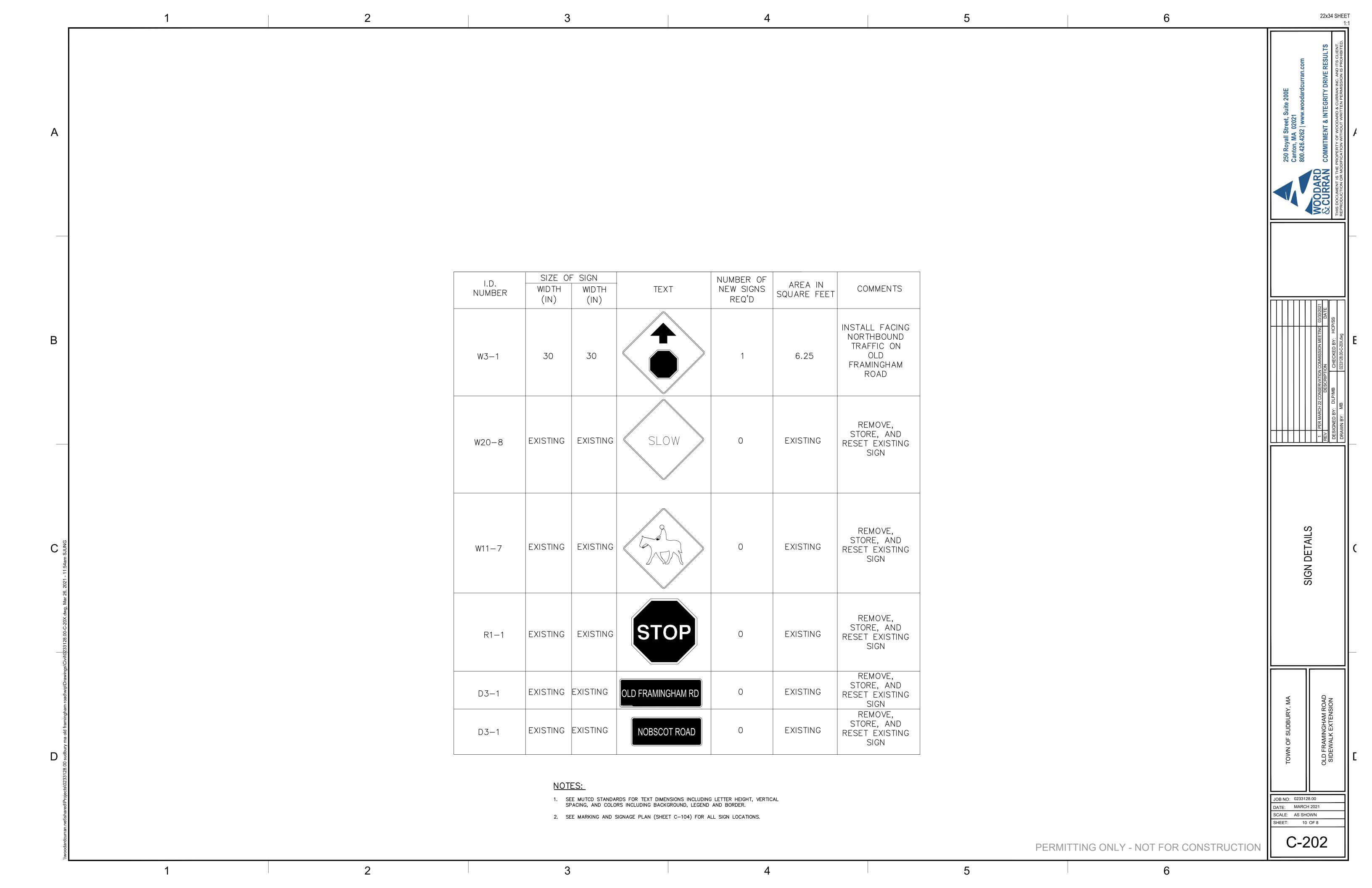






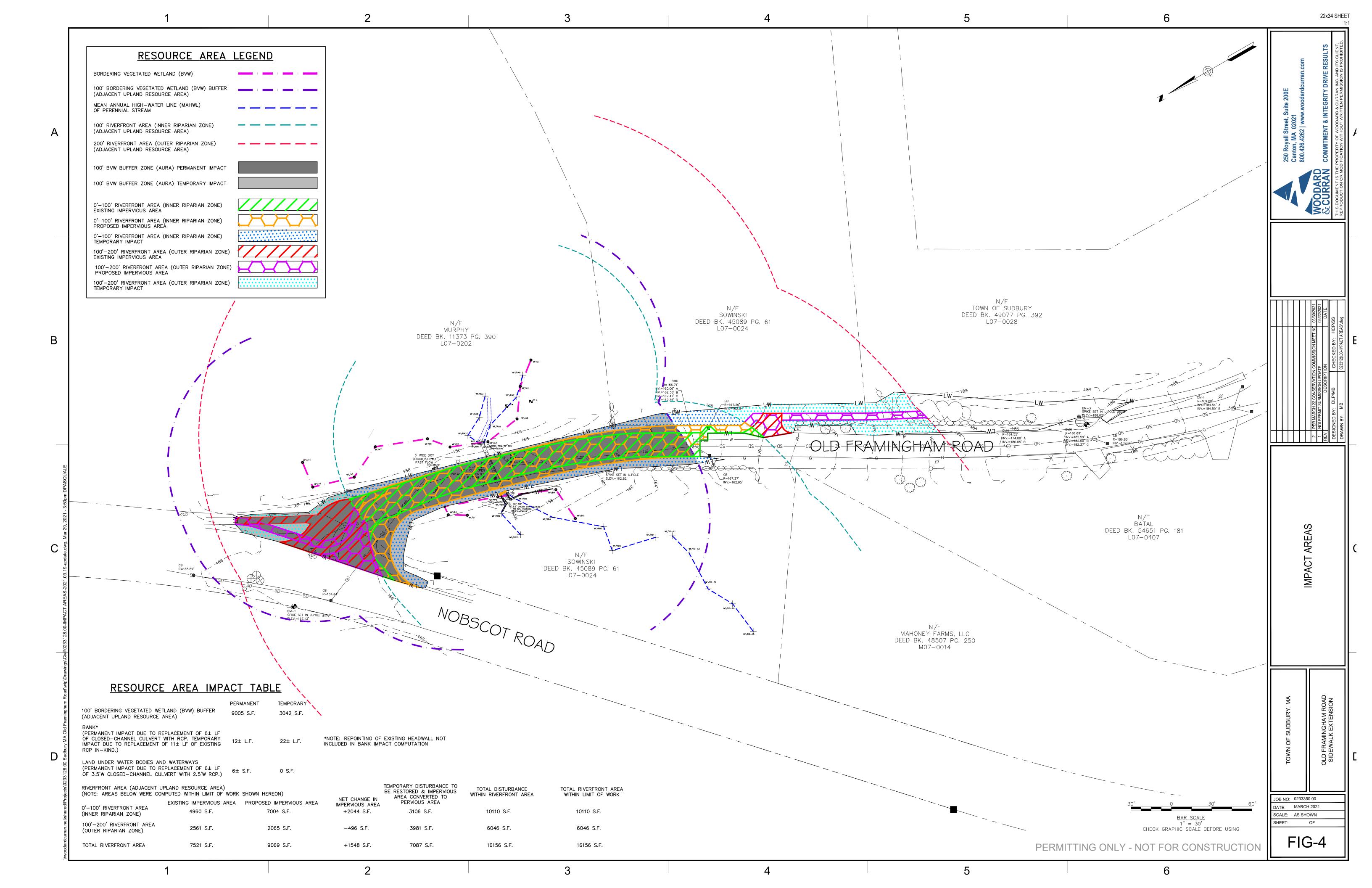






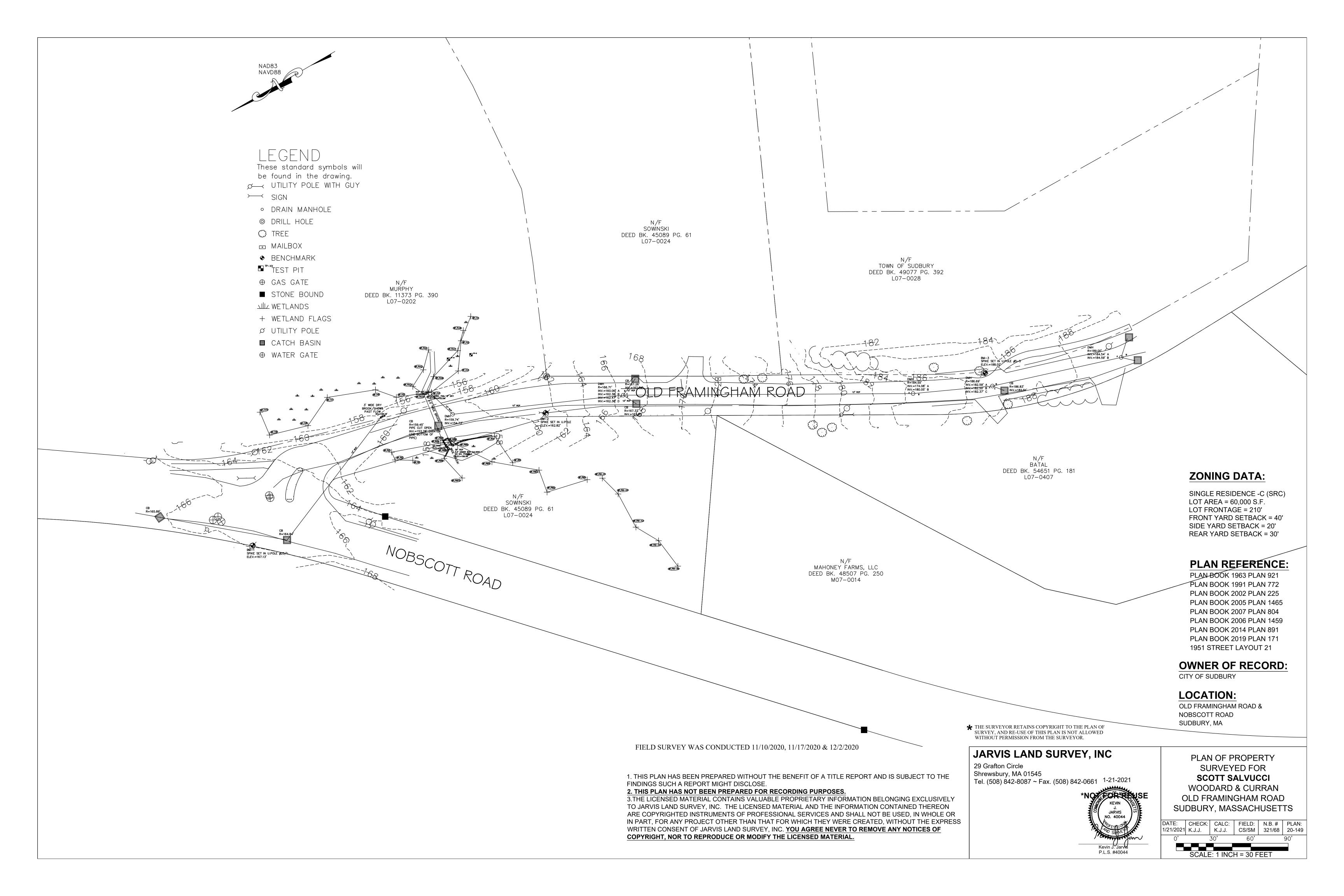
# Figure 4: Resource Area Impact Figure





### ATTACHMENT A: EXISTING CONDITIONS SURVEY





# ATTACHMENT B: WETLAND RESOURCE EVALUATION



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November 5, 2020

Scott Salvucci, P.E. Woodard & Curran, Inc. 980 Washington St., Suite 325 Dedham, MA 02026

RE: Wetland Resource Evaluation, Old Framingham Road Culvert, Sudbury, MA

Dear Scott:

On November 4, 2020, EcoTec, Inc. inspected the above-referenced property for the presence of wetland resources as defined by: (1) the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act (M.G.L. Ch. 131, § 40; the "Act") and its implementing regulations (310 CMR 10.00 *et seq.*; the "Regulations"); and (2) the U.S. Clean Water Act (i.e., Section 404 and 401 wetlands). Arthur Allen, CPSS, CWS conducted the inspection.

The subject site consists of the vicinity of an existing culvert carrying Pantry Brook under Marlboro Road in Sudbury. The upland portions of the site consist of a public roadway and wooded road shoulder slopes. The wetland resources observed on the site are described below.

#### Methodology

The site was inspected, and areas suspected to qualify as wetland resources were identified. The boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands was delineated in the field in accordance with the definition set forth in the regulations at 310 CMR 10.55(2)(c). Section 10.55(2)(c) states that "The boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands is the line within which 50% or more of the vegetational community consists of wetland indicator plants and saturated or inundated conditions exist." The methodology used to delineate Bordering Vegetated Wetlands is further described in: (1) the BVW Policy "BVW: Bordering Vegetated Wetlands Delineation Criteria and Methodology," issued March 1, 1995; and (2) "Delineating Bordering Vegetated Wetlands Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act: A Handbook," produced by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, dated March 1995. The plant taxonomy used in this report is based on the National List of Plant Species that Occur in Wetlands: Massachusetts (Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, 1988). Federal wetlands were presumed to have boundaries conterminous with the delineated Bordering Vegetated Wetlands. One set of DEP Bordering Vegetated Wetland Delineation Field Data Forms completed for observation plots located in the wetlands and uplands near flag A-3

is attached. The table below provides the Flag Numbers, Flag Type, and Wetland Types and Locations for the delineated wetland resources.

Flag Numbers	Flag Type	Wetland Types and Locations
A-1 to A-10	Blue Flags	Boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands located
(Test Plots at A-3)		on the east side of Old Framingham Road that is
		associated with a perennial stream. Flags A-4 & A-5
		connect to stream culvert outfall.
B-1 to B-5	Blue Flags	Boundary of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands located
		on the west side of Old Framingham Road that is
		associated with a perennial stream. Flag B-3
		connects to stream culvert inlet.
RA-1 to RA-8	Red Flags	Mean Annual High-water Line (MAHWL) of perennial
		stream on the east side of Old Framingham Road.
RB-1 to RB-10 & RB-1A to RB-5A	Red Flags	Mean Annual High-water Line (MAHWL) of perennial
		stream on the west side of Old Framingham Road.

#### **Findings**

Wetland A/B consists of a wooded swamp fringing on a marsh and wet meadow that is associated with an unnamed, perennial stream. Plant species observed include red maple (Acer rubrum) and American elm (Ulmus americana) trees and/or saplings; poison ivy (Toxicodendron radicans) climbing woody vines; highbush blueberry (Vaccinium corymbosum), common winterberry (Ilex verticillata), arrow-wood (Viburnum dentatum), withe-rod (Viburnum cassinoides), swamp rose (Rosa palustris), speckled alder (Alnus rugosa), silky dogwood (Cornus amomum), maleberry (Lyonia ligustrina), glossy buckthorn (Rhamnus frangula), sweet pepperbush (Clethra alnifolia), swamp azalea (Rhododendron viscosum), and American elderberry (Sambucus canadensis) shrubs; and sheep-laurel (Kalmia angustifolia), bristly blackberry (Rubus hispidus), cinnamon fern (Osmunda cinnamomea), royal fern (Osmunda regalis), sensitive fern (Onoclea sensibilis), subarctic lady fern (Athyrium filix-femina), marsh fern (Thelypteris thelypteroides), Massachusetts fern (Thelypteris simulata), spinulose woodfern (Dryopteris spinulosa), skunk-cabbage (Symplocarpus foetidus), swamp Jack-in-the-pulpit (Arisaema triphyllum), spotted touch-me-not (Impatiens capensis) and sphagnum moss (Sphagnum sp.) ground cover. Evidence of wetland hydrology, including hydric soils, high groundwater, saturated soils, pore linings, evidence of flooding, and drainage patterns, was observed within the delineated wetland. This vegetated wetland borders a perennial stream; accordingly, the vegetated wetlands would be regulated as Bordering Vegetated Wetlands and the perennial stream would be regulated as Bank and Land Under Water Bodies and Waterways under the Act. A 100-foot Buffer Zone extends horizontally outward from the edge of Bordering Vegetated Wetlands under the Act.

Bordering Land Subject to Flooding is an area that floods due to a rise in floodwaters from a bordering waterway or water body. Where flood studies have been completed, the boundary of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding is based upon flood profile data prepared by the National

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Flood Insurance Program. Section 10.57(2)(a)3. states that "The boundary of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding is the estimated maximum lateral extent of flood water which will theoretically result from the statistical 100-year frequency storm." The project engineer should evaluate the most recent National Flood Insurance Program flood profile data to confirm the absence of Bordering Land Subject to Flooding on the site. Bordering Land Subject to Flooding would occur in areas where the 100-year flood elevation is located outside of or upgradient of the delineated Bordering Vegetated Wetlands boundary. Bordering Land Subject to Flooding does not have a Buffer Zone under the Act.

The Massachusetts Rivers Protection Act amended the Act to establish an additional wetland resource area: Riverfront Area. Based upon a review of the current USGS Map (attached), a stream that is shown as intermittent is located within the delineated wetland. The watershed area for this stream at the site was determined to be 0.51 square miles, which is at least onehalf square miles but less than one square mile (see attached watershed map). The USGS StreamStats method printout for the stream (attached) shows a predicted flow rate of 0.0119 cubic feet per second, which is greater than than 0.01 cubic feet per second at the 99% flow duration. As such, the stream would be designated perennial under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act regulations. Unless this perennial designation is overcome, Riverfront Area is presumed to extend 200 feet horizontally upgradient from the mean annual high-water line of the stream. Section 10.58(2)(a)2. states that the "Mean annual high-water line of a river is the line that is apparent from visible markings or changes in the character of soils or vegetation due to prolonged presence of water and that distinguishes between predominantly aquatic and predominantly terrestrial land. Field indicators of bankfull conditions shall be used to determine the mean annual high-water line. Bankfull field indicators include but are not limited to: changes in slope, changes in vegetation, stain lines, top of pointbars, changes in bank materials, or bank undercuts." Section 10.58(2)(a)2.a. states that "In most rivers, the first observable break in slope is coincident with bankfull conditions and the mean annual highwater line." The mean annual high-water line of the stream was delineated in the field with flag series RA and RB based upon the above-referenced regulation. Furthermore, based upon a review of the current USGS Map and observations made during the site inspection, there are no other mapped or unmapped streams located within 200 feet of the site. Accordingly, except as noted above, Riverfront Area would not occur on the site. Riverfront Area does not have a Buffer Zone under the Act, but may overlap other wetland resources and their Buffer Zones.

The Regulations require that no project may be permitted that will have any adverse effect on specified habitat sites of rare vertebrate or invertebrate species, as identified by procedures set forth at 310 CMR 10.59. Based upon a review of the *Massachusetts Natural Heritage Atlas*, 14<sup>th</sup> edition, Priority Habitats and Estimated Habitats from the NHESP Interactive Viewer, valid from August 1, 2017, and Certified Vernal Pools from MassGIS, there are no Estimated Habitats [for use with the Act and Regulations (310 CMR 10.00 *et seq.*)], Priority Habitats [for use with Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (M.G.L. Ch. 131A; "MESA") and MESA Regulations (321 CMR 10.00 *et seq.*)], or Certified Vernal Pools on or in the immediate vicinity of the site. A copy of this map is attached.

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The reader should be aware that the regulatory authority for determining wetland jurisdiction rests with local, state, and federal authorities. A brief description of my experience and qualifications is attached. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Cordially, ECOTEC, INC.

Arthur Allen, CWS, CPSS

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Vice President

Attachments (6, 10 pages)

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Arthur Allen is the Vice President of EcoTec, Inc. and has been a senior environmental scientist there since 1995. His work with EcoTec has involved wetland delineation, wildlife habitat evaluation, environmental permitting (federal, state and local), environmental monitoring, expert testimony, peer reviews, contaminated site assessment and the description, mapping and interpretation of soils. His clients have included private landowners, developers, major corporations and regulatory agencies. Prior to joining EcoTec, Mr. Allen mapped and interpreted soils in Franklin County, MA for the U.S.D.A. Natural Resources Conservation Service (formerly Soil Conservation Service) and was a research soil scientist at Harvard University's Harvard Forest. Since 1994, Mr. Allen has assisted the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection and the Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions as an instructor in the interpretation of soils for wetland delineation and for the Title V Soil Evaluator program.

Mr. Allen has a civil service rating as a soil scientist, an undergraduate degree in Natural Resource Studies and a graduate certificate in Soil Studies. His work on the Franklin County soil survey involved interpretation of landscape-soil-water relationships, classifying soils and drainage, and determining use and limitation of the soil units that he delineated. As a soil scientist at the Harvard Forest, Mr. Allen was involved in identifying the legacies of historical land-use in modern soil and vegetation at a number of study sites across southern New England. He has a working knowledge of the chemical and physical properties of soil and water and how these properties interact with the plants that grow on a given site. While at Harvard Forest he authored and presented several papers describing his research results which were later published. In addition to his aforementioned experience, Mr. Allen was previously employed by the Trustees of Reservations as a land manager and by the Town of North Andover, MA as a conservation commission intern.

#### **Education:**

1993-Graduate Certificate in Soil Studies, University of New Hampshire 1982-Bachelor of Science in Natural Resource Studies, University of Massachusetts

#### **Professional Affiliations:**

Certified Professional Soil Scientist (ARCPACS CPSS #22529)

New Hampshire Certified Wetland Scientist (#19)

Registered Professional Soil Scientist – Society of Soil Scientists of SNE [Board Member (2000-2006)]

Certified Erosion, Sediment & Stormwater Inspector (#965)

Massachusetts Approved Soil Evaluator (#13764)

Massachusetts Arborists Association-Certified Arborist (1982 – 1998)

New England Hydric Soils Technical Committee member

Massachusetts Association of Conservation Commissions member

Society of Wetland Scientists member

#### **Refereed Publications:**

Soil Science and Survey at Harvard Forest. A.Allen. In: Soil Survey Horizons. Vol. 36, No. 4, 1995, pp. 133-142. Controlling Site to Evaluate History: Vegetation Patterns of a New England Sand Plain. G.Motzkin, D.Foster, A.Allen, J.Harrod, & R.Boone. In: Ecological Monographs 66(3), 1996, pp. 345-365. Vegetation Patterns in Heterogeneous Landscapes: The Importance of History and Environment. G.Motzkin, P.Wilson, D.R.Foster & A.Allen. In: Journal of Vegetation Science 10, 1999, pp. 903-920.

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Tree	Sugar Maple	Acer saccharum	20		20.0 YES	FACU-
	Red Maple	Acer rubrum	80		80.0 YES	FAC
Sapling	Sugar Maple	Acer saccharum	30		100.0 YES	FACU-
Shrub	Multi-Flora Rose	Rosa multiflora			66.7 YES	FACU
	Tartarian Honeysuckle	Lonicera tatarica	10		33.3 YES	FACU
Ground	none		_			
Vine	-					

Vegetation Conclusions				
Number of dominant wetland indicator plants	1	Number of dominant non-wet	land indicator plants	4
Is the number of dominant wetland plants equal or greater than the number	r of dominant non-wet	tland plants?	NO	

Project Location: Old Framingham Rd., Sudbury Prepared by: EcoTec, Inc DEP File # **Applicant Section II. Indicators of Hydrology** Number: TPU Transect # A-3 Date of Delin: 11/4/2020 Other Indicators of hydrology (check all that apply): 1. Soil Survey Is there a published soil survey for this site? Site Inundated Depth to free water in observation hole title/date Depth to soil saturation in observation hole map number soil type mapped Water marks hydric soil inclusions **Drift lines** Are field observarions consistent with soil survey? **Sediment Deposits** Drainage patterns in BVWs Oxidized rhizospheres Remarks: Water stained leaves Recorded data (stream, lake, or tidal gauge; aerial photo; other): 2. Soil Description Matrix Color Other: Horizon Depth (inches) Mottle Color 2 Litter 0 - 1410YR 3/2 10YR 5/6 14-20 Bw **Vegetation and Hydrology Conclusion** Yes No Number of wetland indicator plants ≥ **V** Stony fine sandy loams Remarks number of non-wetland indicator plants Wetland hydrology present:

No

3. Other

Conclusion: Is the soil hydric?

Hydric soil present

Sample Location is in a BVW

Other indicators of hydrology present

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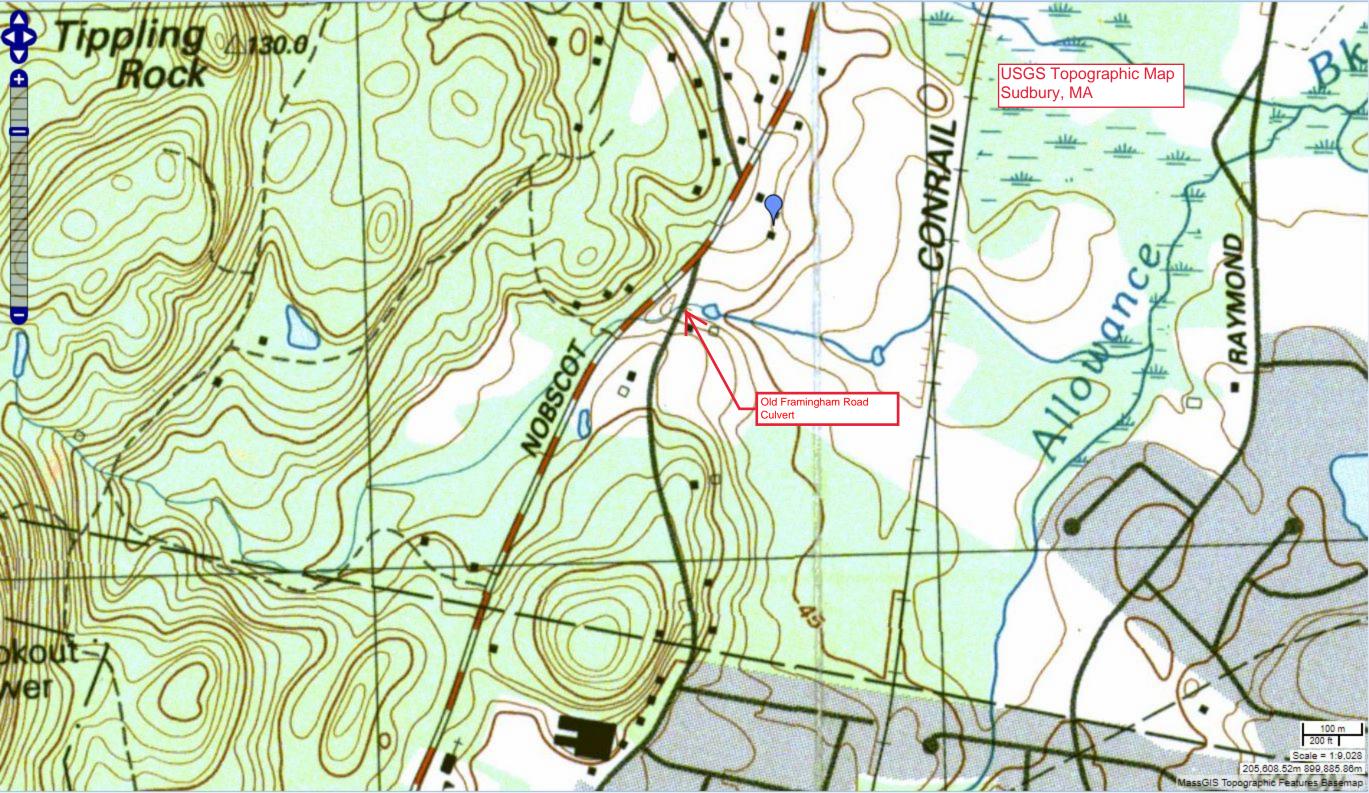
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Tree	Green Ash Red Maple	Fraxinus pennsylvanica Acer rubrum	20 60		25.0 YES 75.0 YES	FACW FAC	*
Sapling	none		_				
Shrub	Multi-Flora Rose Silky Dogwood	Rosa multiflora Cornus amomum			50.0 YES 50.0 YES	FACU FACW	*
Ground	Jewelweed Virginia Wild Rye	Impatiens capensis Elymus virginicus	30 10		75.0 YES 25.0 YES	FACW FACW-	*
Vine							

Vegetation Conclusions			
Number of dominant wetland indicator plants	5	Number of dominant non-wetland indicator plants	1
Is the number of dominant wetland plants equal or greater than the number	r of domina	ant non-wetland plants? YES	

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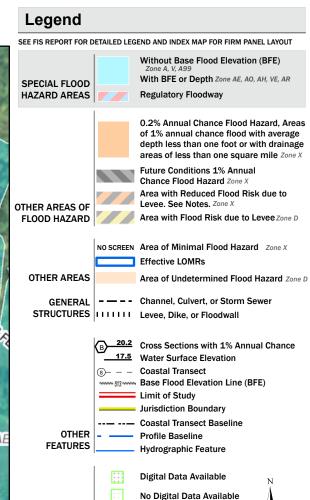
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ls there a	published soil survey for	this site?		📙	Site Inundated		
	title/date			$\checkmark$	Depth to free water in observation hole	4"	
	map number			<b>✓</b>	Depth to soil saturation in observation hole	0"	
	soil type mapped				Water marks		
	hydric soil inclusions				Drift lines		
Are field o	observarions consistent w	ith soil survey?			Sediment Deposits		
					Drainage patterns in BVWs		
Remarks:					Oxidized rhizospheres		
				✓	Water stained leaves		
					Recorded data (stream, lake, or tidal gauge; a	erial photo;	other):
2. Soil De	scription						
Horizon	Depth (inches)	Matrix Color	Mottle Color		Other:		
Litter	1						
А	0-3	10YR 2/1					
Cg	3-14	10YR 6/2	10% 7.5YR 4/6				
					Vegetation and Hydrology Conclusion		
						Yes	No
					Number of wetland indicator plants ≥	<b>✓</b>	
Remarks	A-Mucky Sand; Cg-Coar	se Sand			number of non-wetland indicator plants		
					Wetland hydrology present:		
					Hydric soil present	7	
2 Othor					Hydric soil present	✓	
3. Other					Hydric soil present Other indicators of hydrology present	✓ ✓	
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### National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette





MAP PANELS

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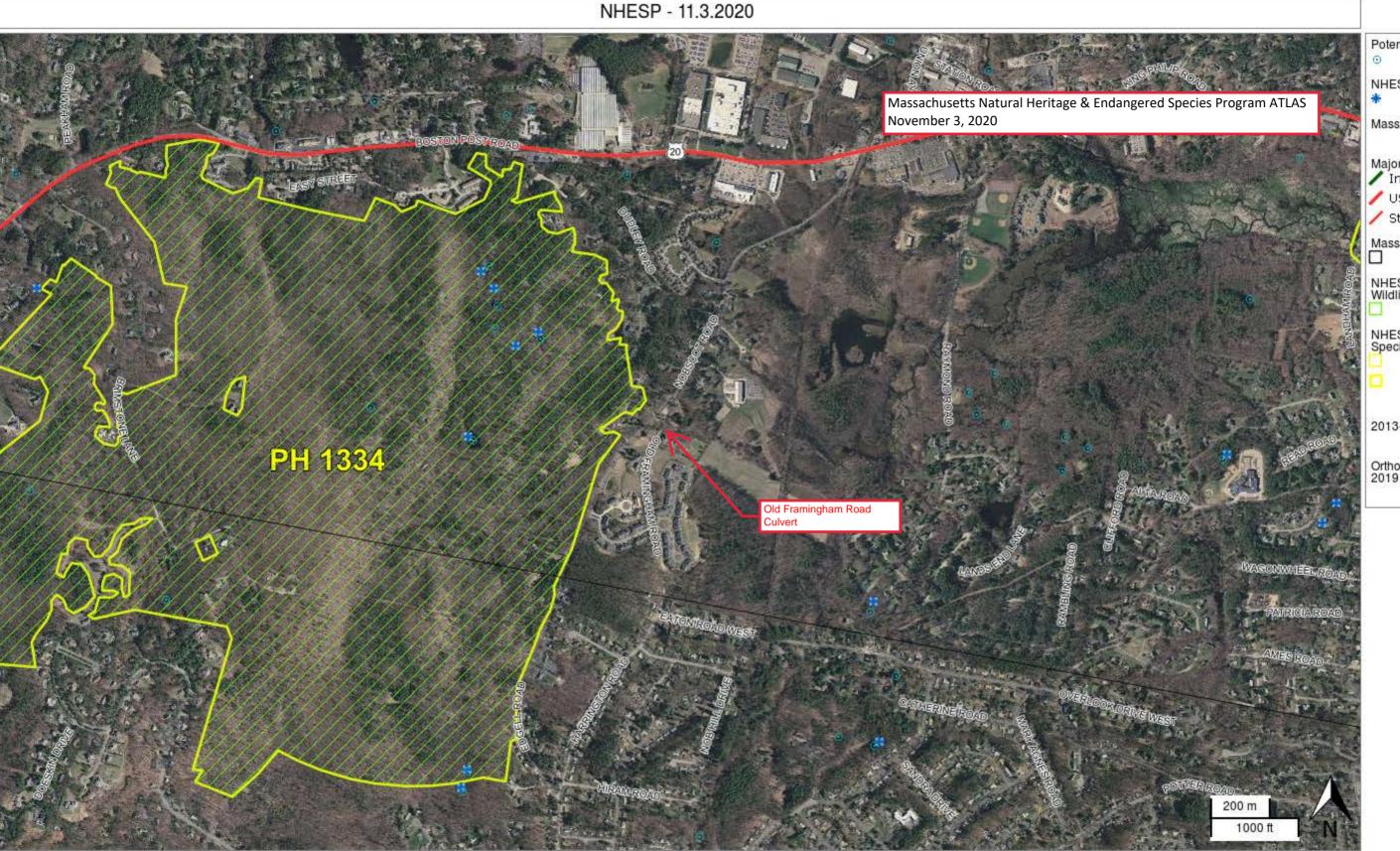
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Potential Vernal Pools

NHESP Certified Vernal Pools

MassDOT Roads Street Names

Major MassDOT Routes

Interstate Highways

US Roads

/ State

Massachusetts Towns

NHESP Estimated Habitats of Rare Wildlife

NHESP Priority Habitats of Rare Species

2013-2014 Color Orthos (USGS)

Orthos 2019 2019 Color Orthos (USGS)

1/5/2021 StreamStats

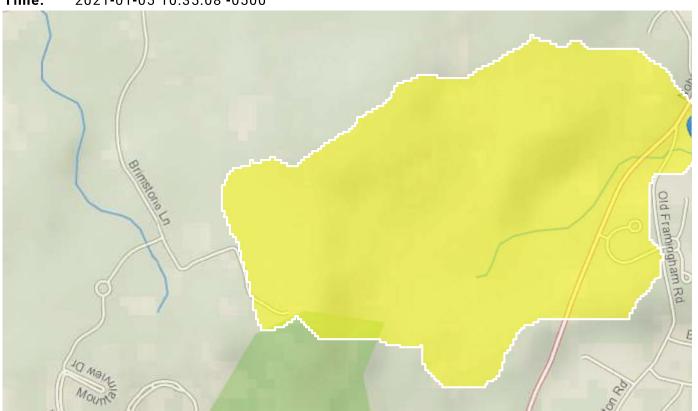
### **StreamStats Report**

Region ID: MA

Workspace ID: MA20210105154012609000

Clicked Point (Latitude, Longitude): 42.35123, -71.43178

Time: 2021-01-05 10:35:08 -0500



Old Framingham Road, Sudbury, MA

Basin Characteristics				
Parameter Code	Parameter Description	Value	Unit	
DRNAREA	Area that drains to a point on a stream	0.51	square miles	
BSLDEM250	Mean basin slope computed from 1:250K DEM	8.599	percent	
DRFTPERSTR	Area of stratified drift per unit of stream length	0.0522	square mile per mile	
MAREGION	Region of Massachusetts 0 for Eastern 1 for Western	0	dimensionless	

1/5/2021 StreamStats

Low-Flow Statistics Parameters [Statewide Low Flow WRIR00 4135]

Parameter Code	Parameter Name	Value	Units	Min Limit	Max Limit
DRNAREA	Drainage Area	0.51	square miles	1.61	149
BSLDEM250	Mean Basin Slope from 250K DEM	8.599	percent	0.32	24.6
DRFTPERSTR	Stratified Drift per Stream Length	0.0522	square mile per mile	0	1.29
MAREGION	Massachusetts Region	0	dimensionless	0	1

Low-Flow Statistics Disclaimers[Statewide Low Flow WRIR00 4135]

One or more of the parameters is outside the suggested range. Estimates were extrapolated with unknown errors

Low-Flow Statistics Flow Report[Statewide Low Flow WRIR00 4135]

Statistic	Value	Unit
7 Day 2 Year Low Flow	0.0289	ft^3/s
7 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.0119	ft^3/s

Low-Flow Statistics Citations

Ries, K.G., III,2000, Methods for estimating low-flow statistics for Massachusetts streams: U.S. Geological Survey Water Resources Investigations Report 00-4135, 81 p. (http://pubs.usgs.gov/wri/wri004135/)

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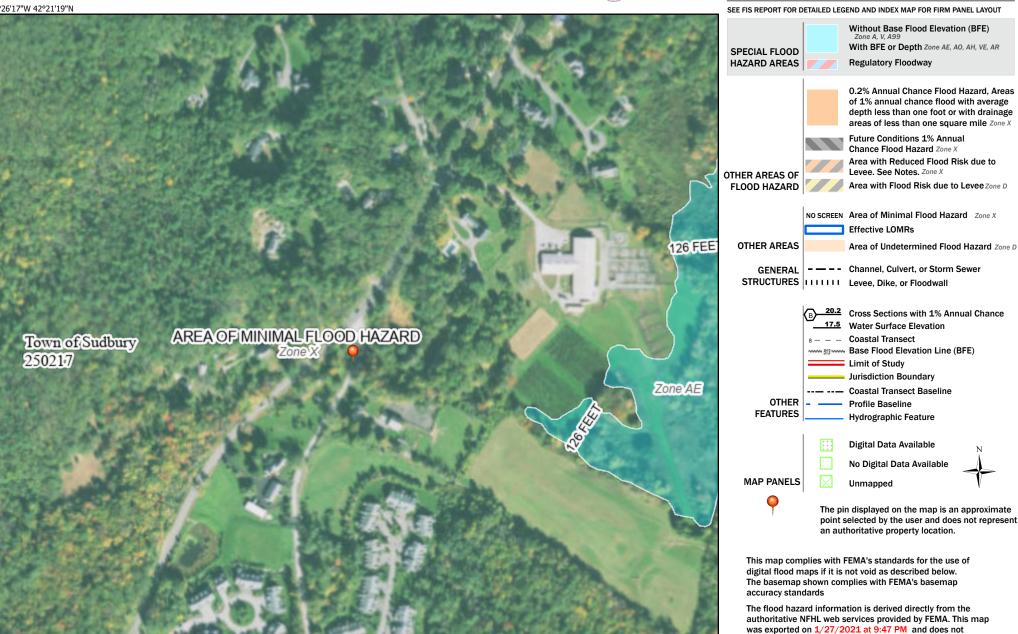
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### ATTACHMENT C: FEMA FIRMETTE



### National Flood Hazard Layer FIRMette





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1,500

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Basemap: USGS National Map: Orthoimagery: Data refreshed October, 2020

Legend

0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Areas of 1% annual chance flood with average

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Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

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

Provided by MassDEP: MassDEP File #:

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#### A.General Information

1.	Pro	ect	Loc	ation:
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a. Street Address OLD FRAMINGHAM ROAD

 b. City/Town
 SUDBURY
 c. Zip Code
 01776

 d. Latitude
 42.35156N
 e. Longitude
 71.43304W

 f. Map/Plat #
 N/A
 g.Parcel/Lot #
 N/A

#### 2. Applicant:

☐ Individual ☐ Organization

a. First Name DANIEL b.Last Name NASON c. Organization TOWN OF SUDBURY DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 275 OLD LANCASTER ROAD

e. City/Town SUDBURY f. State MA g. Zip Code 01776

h. Phone Number 978-443-2209 i. Fax j. Email nasond@sudbury.ma.us

#### 3.Property Owner:

more than one owner

a. First Nameb. Last NameDANIELDANIELDANIELDEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 275 Old Lancaster Road

e. City/Town Sudbury f.State MA g. Zip Code 01776

h. Phone Number 978-443-2209 i. Fax j.Email nasond@sudbury.ma.us

#### 4. Representative:

a. First Name ARTHUR b. Last Name ALLEN

c. Organization ECOTEC, INC.

d. Mailing Address 102 GROVE STREET

e. City/Town WORCESTER f. State MA g. Zip Code 01605

h.Phone Number 508-752-9666 i.Fax j.Email aallen@ecotecinc.com

#### 5. Total WPA Fee Paid (Automatically inserted from NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form):

a.Total Fee Paid 0.00 b.State Fee Paid 0.00 c.City/Town Fee Paid 0.00

#### 6.General Project Description:

#### 7a.Project Type:

Single Family Home
 Residential Subdivision
 Limited Project Driveway Crossing
 Commercial/Industrial

5. □ Dock/Pier 6. □ Utilities

7. ☐ Coastal Engineering Structure 8. ☐ Agriculture (eg., cranberries, forestry)

9. ✓ Transportation 10. ☐ Other

7b.Is any portion of the proposed activity eligible to be treated as a limited project subject to 310 CMR 10.24 (coastal) or 310 CMR 10.53 (inland)?

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1. ✓ Yes ☐ No If yes, describe which limited project applies to this project: 310 CMR 10.53(3)(F). MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF AN EXISTING PUBLIC 2. Limited Project ROADWAY. 8. Property recorded at the Registry of Deeds for: a.County: b.Certificate: c.Book: d.Page: SOUTHERN MIDDLESEX N/A N/A B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) 1. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent): This is a Buffer Zone only project - Check if the project is located only in the Buffer Zone of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland, Inland Bank, or Coastal Resource Area. 2.Inland Resource Areas: (See 310 CMR 10.54 - 10.58, if not applicable, go to Section B.3. Coastal Resource Areas) Resource Area Size of Proposed Alteration Proposed Replacement (if any) a. W Bank 22 10 2. linear feet 1. linear feet b. 

Bordering Vegetated Wetland 1. square feet 2. square feet c. ✓ Land under Waterbodies and Waterways 6 1. Square feet 2. square feet 3. cubic yards dredged d. 

Bordering Land Subject to Flooding 1. square feet 2. square feet 3. cubic feet of flood storage lost 4. cubic feet replaced e. 

Isolated Land Subject to Flooding 1. square feet 2. cubic feet of flood storage lost 3. cubic feet replaced f. 

✓ Riverfront Area unnamed 1. Name of Waterway (if any) 2. Width of Riverfront Area (check one) ☐ 25 ft. - Designated Densely Developed Areas only □ 100 ft. - New agricultural projects only **☑** 200 ft. - All other projects 16,156 3. Total area of Riverfront Area on the site of the proposed project

4. Proposed Alteration of the Riverfront Area:

16,156 (7,087 temporary) 10,110 (3,106 temporary) a. total square feet b. square feet within 100 ft.

6,046 (3,981 temporary)

c. square feet between 100 ft.

and 200 ft.

square feet

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5. Has an alternatives analy	vsis been done and is it attached to	this NOI?	▼ Yes □ No	
6. Was the lot where the ac	tivity is proposed created prior to	August 1, 1996?	✓ Yes No	
3.Coastal Resource Areas: (Se	ee 310 CMR 10.25 - 10.35)			
Resource Area		Size of Proposed Alteration	Proposed Replacement (if any)	
a. ☐ Designated Port Areas b. ☐ Land Under the Ocean	Indicate size under	Land under the ocean l	below,	
b. Land Order the Ocean	1. square feet			
	2. cubic yards dredged			
c. ☐ Barrier Beaches	Indicate size under Coastal Beaches and/or Coatstal Dunes, below			
d. ☐ Coastal Beaches	1. square feet	2. cubic yards beach no	ourishment	
e. ☐ Coastal Dunes	1. square feet	2. cubic yards dune not	urishment	
f. Coastal Banks	1. linear feet			
g. ☐ Rocky Intertidal Shores	1. square feet			
h. □ Salt Marshes	1. square feet	2. sq ft restoration, reh	ab, crea.	
i. ☐ Land Under Salt Ponds	1. square feet			
	2. cubic yards dredged			
j. ☐ Land Containing Shellfish	1. square feet			
k.□ Fish Runs	Indicate size under Coastal Ban Under Waterbodies and Waterv		ne Ocean, and/or inland Land	
	1. cubic yards dredged			
l. ☐ Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage	1. square feet			
.Restoration/Enhancement				
Restoration/Replacement				
	e of restoring or enhancing a wetla 3.h above, please entered the addit		the square footage that has been	
a. square feet of BVW	b. squ	uare feet of Salt Marsh		
.Projects Involves Stream Cro	ssings			
Project Involves Streams C	rossings			

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If the project involves Stream Crossings, please enter the number of new stream crossings/number of replacement stream crossings.

a. number of new stream crossings

b. number of replacement stream crossings

#### C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements

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

- 1. Is any portion of the proposed project located in **Estimated Habitat of Rare Wildlife** as indicated on the most recent Estimated Habitat Map of State-Listed Rare Wetland Wildlife published by the Natural Heritage of Endangered Species program (NHESP)?
  - a. □ Yes ▼ No

If yes, include proof of mailing or hand delivery of NOI to:

Natural Heritage and Endangered Species

Program

Division of Fisheries and Wildlife

1 Rabbit Hill Road

Westborough, MA 01581

b. Date of map:11/3/2020

If yes, the project is also subject to Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (MESA) review (321 CMR 10.18)....

- c. Submit Supplemental Information for Endangered Species Review \* (Check boxes as they apply)
  - 1. ☐ Percentage/acreage of property to be altered:
  - (a) within Wetland Resource Area

percentage/acreage

(b) outside Resource Area

percentage/acreage

- 2. ☐ Assessor's Map or right-of-way plan of site
- 3. Project plans for entire project site, including wetland resource areas and areas outside of wetland jurisdiction, showing existing and proposed conditions, existing and proposed tree/vegetation clearing line, and clearly demarcated limits of work \*\*
- a. Project description (including description of impacts outside of wetland resource area & buffer zone)
- b. ☐ Photographs representative of the site
- c. MESA filing fee (fee information available at: <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/natural-heritage/regulatory-review/mass-endangered-species-act-mesa/mesa-fee-schedule.html">http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/natural-heritage/regulatory-review/mass-endangered-species-act-mesa/mesa-fee-schedule.html</a> )

Make check payable to "Natural Heritage & Endangered Species Fund" and mail to NHESP at above address

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

- d. ☐ Vegetation cover type map of site
- e. 
  Project plans showing Priority & Estimated Habitat boundaries
- d. OR Check One of the following
  - 1. Project is exempt from MESA review. Attach applicant letter indicating which MESA exemption applies. (See 321 CMR 10.14, <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/laws-regulations/cmr/321-cmr-1000-massachusetts-endangered-species-act.html#10.14">http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/laws-regulations/cmr/321-cmr-1000-massachusetts-endangered-species-act.html#10.14</a>; the NOI must still be sent to NHESP if the project is within estimated habitat pursuant to 310 CMR 10.37 and 10.59.)
  - 2. Separate MESA review ongoing.
    - a. NHESP Tracking Number
    - b. Date submitted to NHESP

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	3. ☐ Separate MESA review completed. Include copy of NHESP "no Take" determination or valid Conserv	ration & Management Permit with approved plan.
	* Some projects <b>not</b> in Estimated Habitat may be located in Priority	Habitat, and require NHESP review
2.	For coastal projects only, is any portion of the proposed project locate a.   Not applicable - project is in inland resource area only b.   Yes  No	ed below the mean high waterline or in a fish run?
	If yes, include proof of mailing or hand delivery of NOI to either:	
	South Shore - Cohasset to Rhode Island, and the Cape & Islands:	North Shore - Hull to New Hampshire:
	Division of Marine Fisheries - Southeast Marine Fisheries Station Attn: Environmental Reviewer 836 S. Rodney French Blvd New Bedford, MA 02744  If was, it may require a Chapter 01 license. For exactal towns in the N	Division of Marine Fisheries - North Shore Office Attn: Environmental Reviewer 30 Emerson Avenue Gloucester, MA 01930
	If yes, it may require a Chapter 91 license. For coastal towns in the N For coastal towns in the Southeast Region, please contact MassDEP's	
3.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an Area of Critical Envi	_
а	ı.□Yes ▼ No	If yes, provide name of ACEC (see instructions to WP Form 3 or DEP Website for ACEC locations). <b>Note:</b> electronic filers click on Website.
	b. ACEC Name	
4.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an area designated as ar Massachusetts Surface Water Quality Standards, 314 CMR 4.00?  a. □ Yes ▼ No	Outstanding Resource Water (ORW) as designated in the
5.	Is any portion of the site subject to a Wetlands Restriction Order und 40A) or the Coastal Wetlands Restriction Act (M.G.L.c. 130, § 105) a. ☐ Yes ▼ No	
6.	Is this project subject to provisions of the MassDEP Stormwater Mar	nagement Standards?
	a. Yes, Attach a copy of the Stormwater Report as required by th 10.05(6)(k)-(q) and check if:	e Stormwater Management Standards per 310 CMR
	<ol> <li>Applying for Low Impact Development (LID) site design cre         ∇ol.2, Chapter 3)     </li> </ol>	dits (as described in Stormwater Management Handbook
	2. A portion of the site constitutes redevelopment	
	3. Proprietary BMPs are included in the Stormwater Management	ent System
	b. Vo, Explain why the project is exempt:	
	1. Single Family Home	

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March 4, 2021

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3. Small Residential Subdivision (less than or equal to 4 single-family houses or less than or equal to 4 units in multi-family housing project) with no discharge to Critical Areas.

#### **D.** Additional Information

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

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

- 1. USGS or other map of the area (along with a narrative description, if necessary) containing sufficient information for the
- ▼ Conservation Commission and the Department to locate the site. (Electronic filers may omit this item.)
- 2. Plans identifying the location of proposed activities (including activities proposed to serve as a Bordering Vegetated Wetland
- F [BVW] replication area or other mitigating measure) relative to the boundaries of each affected resource area.
- 3. Identify the method for BVW and other resource area boundary delineations (MassDEP BVW Field Data Form(s).
- Determination of Applicability, Order of Resource Area Delineation, etc.), and attach documentation of the methodology.
- 4. List the titles and dates for all plans and other materials submitted with this NOI.

a. Plan Title: b. Plan Prepared By: c. Plan Signed/Stamped By: c. Revised Final Date: e. Scale:

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PROJECT PLANS

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

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E. Fees	
Fee Exempt: No filing fee shall be assessed for projects tribe housing authority, municipal housing authority, o	of any city, town, county, or district of the Commonwealth, federally recognized Indian or the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority.
Applicants must submit the following information (in addition)	ion to pages 1 and 2 of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form) to confirm fee payment:
2. Municipal Check Number	3. Check date
4. State Check Number	5. Check date
6. Payer name on check: First Name	7. Payer name on check: Last Name
F. Signatures and Submittal Requirements	
	Notice of Intent and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true conservation Commission will place notification of this Notice in a local newspaper regulations, 310 CMR 10.05(5)(a).
	notified of this application, pursuant to the requirements of M.G.L. c. 131, § 40. and delivery or certified mail (return receipt requested) to all abutters within 100 feet
1. Signature of Applicant	2. Date
3. Signature of Property Owner(if different)	4. Date
Arthur Allen	3/4/2021
5. Signature of Representative (if any)	6. Date
For Conservation Commission:	
Two copies of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), includin Form, and the city/town fee payment, to the Conservation Comp	ng supporting plans and documents, two copies of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal nission by certified mail or hand delivery.
For MassDEP:	
One copy of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including and a <b>copy</b> of the state fee payment to the MassDEP Regional O	supporting plans and documents, one copy of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, ffice (see Instructions) by certified mail or hand delivery.

#### Other:

If the applicant has checked the "yes" box in Section C, Items 1-3, above, refer to that section and the Instructions for additional submittal requirements.

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

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## WPA Form 3 - Notice of Wetland FeeTransmittal Form

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#### A. Applicant Information

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a. First Nameb. Last NameDANIELb. Last NameDASONC. OrganizationTOWN OF SUDBURY DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 275 OLD LANCASTER ROAD

e. City/Town SUDBURY f. State MA g. Zip Code 01776

h. Phone Number 9784432209 i. Fax j. Email nasond@sudbury.ma.us

#### 2.Property Owner:(if different)

a. First Nameb. Last NameDANIELDANIELDEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 102 GROVE STREET

e. City/Town WORCESTER f.State MA g. Zip Code 01605

h. Phone Number 15087529666 i. Fax j.Email aallen@ecotecinc.com

3. Project Location:

a. Street Address OLD FRAMINGHAM ROAD b. City/Town SUDBURY

Are you exempted from Fee? ☐ (YOU HAVE SELECTED 'YES')

Note: Fee will be exempted if you are one of the following:

- City/Town/County/District
- Municipal Housing Authority
- Indian Tribe Housing Authority
- MBTA

State agencies are only exempt if the fee is less than \$100

#### **B.** Fees

Activity Type	Activity Number	<b>Activity Fee</b>	RF Multiplier	Sub Total
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City/Town share of filling fee State share of filling fee Total Project Fee \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00

Attachment: Seed Specifications

#### **New England Conservation/Wildlife Mix**

The New England Conservation/Wildlife Mix provides a permanent cover of grasses, forbs, wildflowers, legumes and grasses to provide both good erosion control and wildlife habitat value. This mix is designed to be a no maintenance seeding, and it is appropriate for cut and fill slopes, detention basins, and disturbed areas adjacent to commercial and residential projects.

Application Rate: 25 LBS/ACRE (1750 SQ. FT./LB)

**Price:** \$30.00/LB\*\*

Species \*: Big Bluestem (Andropogon gerardii), Switchgrass (Panicum virgatum), Little Bluestem (Schizachyrium scoparium), Canada Wild Rye (Elymus canadensis), Fox Sedge (Carex vulpinoidea), Partridge Pea (Chamaecrista fasciculata), Fringed Bromegrass (Bromus ciliatus), Pennsylvania Smartweed (Polygonum pensylvanicum), Common Milkweed (Asclepias syriaca), Showy Tick-Trefoil (Desmodium canadense), New England Aster (Aster novae-angliae), Flat-top Aster (Aster umbellatus), Nodding Bur-Marigold (Bidens cernua).

#### New England Erosion Control/Restoration Mix for Detention Basins and Moist Sites

The New England Erosion Control/Restoration Mix contains a selection of native grasses and wildflowers designed to colonize generally moist, recently disturbed sites where quick growth of vegetation is desired to stabilize the soil surface. It is an excellent seed mix for ecologically appropriate restorations on moist sites that require quick stabilization as well as long-term establishment of native vegetation. This mix is particularly appropriate for detention basis that do not normally hold standing water. The plants in this mix can tolerate infrequent inundation, but not constant flooding.

**Seeding:** The mix may be applied by hydroseeding, by mechanical spreader, or on small sites it can be spread by hand. When applying on bare soil, rake the soil to create grooves, apply seed, then lightly rake over. In New England, the best results are obtained with a Spring or early Fall seeding. Summer and late Fall seeding will benefit with a light mulching of weed-free straw to conserve moisture. Late Fall and Winter dormant seeding require a slight increase in the seeding rate. Fertilization is not required unless the soils are particularly infertile.

Application Rate: 35 LBS/ACRE (1250 SQ. FT./LB.)

Price: \$26.00/LB\*\*

**Species \*:** Switchgrass (*Panicum virgatum*), Virginia Wild Rye (*Elymus virginicus*), Creeping Red Fescue (*Festuca rubra*), Fox Sedge (*Carex vulpinoidea*), Creeping Bentgrass (*Agrostis stolonifera*), Soft Rush (*Juncus effusus*), New England Aster (*Aster novae-angliae*), Grass-leaved Goldenrod (*Euthamia graminifolia*), Nodding Bur Marigold (*Bidens cernua*), Green Bulrush (*Scirpus atrovirens*), Joe-Pye Weed (*Eupatorium maculatum*), Boneset (*Eupatorium perfoliatum*), Blue Vervain (*Verbena hastata*).



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 b. City/Town
 SUDBURY
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 01776

 d. Latitude
 42.35156N
 e. Longitude
 71.43304W

 f. Map/Plat #
 N/A
 g.Parcel/Lot #
 N/A

#### 2. Applicant:

☐ Individual ☐ Organization

a. First Name DANIEL b.Last Name NASON c. Organization TOWN OF SUDBURY DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 275 OLD LANCASTER ROAD

e. City/Town SUDBURY f. State MA g. Zip Code 01776

h. Phone Number 978-443-2209 i. Fax j. Email nasond@sudbury.ma.us

#### 3.Property Owner:

more than one owner

a. First Nameb. Last NameDANIELDANIELDANIELDEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 275 Old Lancaster Road

e. City/Town Sudbury f.State MA g. Zip Code 01776

h. Phone Number 978-443-2209 i. Fax j.Email nasond@sudbury.ma.us

#### 4. Representative:

a. First Name ARTHUR b. Last Name ALLEN

c. Organization ECOTEC, INC.

d. Mailing Address 102 GROVE STREET

e. City/Town WORCESTER f. State MA g. Zip Code 01605

h.Phone Number 508-752-9666 i.Fax j.Email aallen@ecotecinc.com

#### 5. Total WPA Fee Paid (Automatically inserted from NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form):

a.Total Fee Paid 0.00 b.State Fee Paid 0.00 c.City/Town Fee Paid 0.00

#### 6.General Project Description:

#### 7a.Project Type:

Single Family Home
 Residential Subdivision
 Limited Project Driveway Crossing
 Commercial/Industrial

5. □ Dock/Pier 6. □ Utilities

7. ☐ Coastal Engineering Structure 8. ☐ Agriculture (eg., cranberries, forestry)

9. ✓ Transportation 10. ☐ Other

7b.Is any portion of the proposed activity eligible to be treated as a limited project subject to 310 CMR 10.24 (coastal) or 310 CMR 10.53 (inland)?

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1. ✓ Yes ☐ No If yes, describe which limited project applies to this project: 310 CMR 10.53(3)(F). MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT OF AN EXISTING PUBLIC 2. Limited Project ROADWAY. 8. Property recorded at the Registry of Deeds for: a.County: b.Certificate: c.Book: d.Page: SOUTHERN MIDDLESEX N/A N/A B. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent) 1. Buffer Zone & Resource Area Impacts (temporary & permanent): This is a Buffer Zone only project - Check if the project is located only in the Buffer Zone of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland, Inland Bank, or Coastal Resource Area. 2.Inland Resource Areas: (See 310 CMR 10.54 - 10.58, if not applicable, go to Section B.3. Coastal Resource Areas) Resource Area Size of Proposed Alteration Proposed Replacement (if any) a. W Bank 22 10 2. linear feet 1. linear feet b. 

Bordering Vegetated Wetland 1. square feet 2. square feet c. ✓ Land under Waterbodies and Waterways 6 1. Square feet 2. square feet 3. cubic yards dredged d. 

Bordering Land Subject to Flooding 1. square feet 2. square feet 3. cubic feet of flood storage lost 4. cubic feet replaced e. 

Isolated Land Subject to Flooding 1. square feet 2. cubic feet of flood storage lost 3. cubic feet replaced f. 

✓ Riverfront Area unnamed 1. Name of Waterway (if any) 2. Width of Riverfront Area (check one) ☐ 25 ft. - Designated Densely Developed Areas only □ 100 ft. - New agricultural projects only **☑** 200 ft. - All other projects 16,156 3. Total area of Riverfront Area on the site of the proposed project

4. Proposed Alteration of the Riverfront Area:

16,156 (7,087 temporary) 10,110 (3,106 temporary) a. total square feet b. square feet within 100 ft.

6,046 (3,981 temporary)

c. square feet between 100 ft.

and 200 ft.

square feet

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5. Has an alternatives analy	vsis been done and is it attached to	this NOI?	▼ Yes □ No
6. Was the lot where the ac	✓ Yes No		
3.Coastal Resource Areas: (Se	ee 310 CMR 10.25 - 10.35)		
Resource Area		Size of Proposed Alteration	Proposed Replacement (if any)
a. ☐ Designated Port Areas b. ☐ Land Under the Ocean	Indicate size under	Land under the ocean l	below,
o. Land Onder the Ocean	1. square feet		
	2. cubic yards dredged		
c. ☐ Barrier Beaches	Indicate size under Coastal Bea	ches and/or Coatstal Dunes, bel	low
d. ☐ Coastal Beaches	1. square feet	2. cubic yards beach no	ourishment
e. ☐ Coastal Dunes	1. square feet	2. cubic yards dune not	urishment
f. Coastal Banks	1. linear feet		
g. ☐ Rocky Intertidal Shores	1. square feet		
h. ☐ Salt Marshes	1. square feet	2. sq ft restoration, reh	ab, crea.
i. ☐ Land Under Salt Ponds	1. square feet		
	2. cubic yards dredged		
j.   Land Containing Shellfish	1. square feet		
k.□ Fish Runs	Indicate size under Coastal Ban Under Waterbodies and Waterv		ne Ocean, and/or inland Land
	1. cubic yards dredged		
l. ☐ Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage	1. square feet		
.Restoration/Enhancement			
Restoration/Replacement			
	e of restoring or enhancing a wetla 3.h above, please entered the addit		the square footage that has been
a. square feet of BVW	b. squ	uare feet of Salt Marsh	
.Projects Involves Stream Cro	ssings		
Project Involves Streams C	rossings		

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If the project involves Stream Crossings, please enter the number of new stream crossings/number of replacement stream crossings.

a. number of new stream crossings

b. number of replacement stream crossings

#### C. Other Applicable Standards and Requirements

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

- 1. Is any portion of the proposed project located in **Estimated Habitat of Rare Wildlife** as indicated on the most recent Estimated Habitat Map of State-Listed Rare Wetland Wildlife published by the Natural Heritage of Endangered Species program (NHESP)?
  - a. □ Yes ▼ No

If yes, include proof of mailing or hand delivery of NOI to:

Natural Heritage and Endangered Species

Program

Division of Fisheries and Wildlife

1 Rabbit Hill Road

Westborough, MA 01581

b. Date of map:11/3/2020

If yes, the project is also subject to Massachusetts Endangered Species Act (MESA) review (321 CMR 10.18)....

- c. Submit Supplemental Information for Endangered Species Review \* (Check boxes as they apply)
  - 1. ☐ Percentage/acreage of property to be altered:
  - (a) within Wetland Resource Area

percentage/acreage

(b) outside Resource Area

percentage/acreage

- 2. ☐ Assessor's Map or right-of-way plan of site
- 3. Project plans for entire project site, including wetland resource areas and areas outside of wetland jurisdiction, showing existing and proposed conditions, existing and proposed tree/vegetation clearing line, and clearly demarcated limits of work \*\*
- a. Project description (including description of impacts outside of wetland resource area & buffer zone)
- b. ☐ Photographs representative of the site
- c. MESA filing fee (fee information available at: <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/natural-heritage/regulatory-review/mass-endangered-species-act-mesa/mesa-fee-schedule.html">http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/natural-heritage/regulatory-review/mass-endangered-species-act-mesa/mesa-fee-schedule.html</a> )

Make check payable to "Natural Heritage & Endangered Species Fund" and mail to NHESP at above address

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

- d. ☐ Vegetation cover type map of site
- e. 
  Project plans showing Priority & Estimated Habitat boundaries
- d. OR Check One of the following
  - 1. Project is exempt from MESA review. Attach applicant letter indicating which MESA exemption applies. (See 321 CMR 10.14, <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/laws-regulations/cmr/321-cmr-1000-massachusetts-endangered-species-act.html#10.14">http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dfg/dfw/laws-regulations/cmr/321-cmr-1000-massachusetts-endangered-species-act.html#10.14</a>; the NOI must still be sent to NHESP if the project is within estimated habitat pursuant to 310 CMR 10.37 and 10.59.)
  - 2. Separate MESA review ongoing.
    - a. NHESP Tracking Number
    - b. Date submitted to NHESP

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	3. ☐ Separate MESA review completed. Include copy of NHESP "no Take" determination or valid Conserv	ration & Management Permit with approved plan.
	* Some projects <b>not</b> in Estimated Habitat may be located in Priority	Habitat, and require NHESP review
2.	For coastal projects only, is any portion of the proposed project locate a.   Not applicable - project is in inland resource area only b.   Yes  No	ed below the mean high waterline or in a fish run?
	If yes, include proof of mailing or hand delivery of NOI to either:	
	South Shore - Cohasset to Rhode Island, and the Cape & Islands:	North Shore - Hull to New Hampshire:
	Division of Marine Fisheries - Southeast Marine Fisheries Station Attn: Environmental Reviewer 836 S. Rodney French Blvd New Bedford, MA 02744  If was, it may require a Chapter 01 license. For coastal towns in the N	Division of Marine Fisheries - North Shore Office Attn: Environmental Reviewer 30 Emerson Avenue Gloucester, MA 01930
	If yes, it may require a Chapter 91 license. For coastal towns in the N For coastal towns in the Southeast Region, please contact MassDEP's	
3.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an Area of Critical Envi	_
г	ı.□Yes ▼ No	If yes, provide name of ACEC (see instructions to WP Form 3 or DEP Website for ACEC locations). <b>Note:</b> electronic filers click on Website.
	b. ACEC Name	
4.	Is any portion of the proposed project within an area designated as ar Massachusetts Surface Water Quality Standards, 314 CMR 4.00?  a. □ Yes ▼ No	n Outstanding Resource Water (ORW) as designated in the
5.	Is any portion of the site subject to a Wetlands Restriction Order und 40A) or the Coastal Wetlands Restriction Act (M.G.L.c. 130, § 105) a.  ☐ Yes ▼ No	
6.	Is this project subject to provisions of the MassDEP Stormwater Mar	nagement Standards?
	a. Yes, Attach a copy of the Stormwater Report as required by th 10.05(6)(k)-(q) and check if:	e Stormwater Management Standards per 310 CMR
	<ol> <li>Applying for Low Impact Development (LID) site design cre</li></ol>	dits (as described in Stormwater Management Handbook
	2. A portion of the site constitutes redevelopment	
	3. Proprietary BMPs are included in the Stormwater Management	ent System
	b. <b>▼</b> No, Explain why the project is exempt:	
	1. Single Family Home	

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3. Small Residential Subdivision (less than or equal to 4 single-family houses or less than or equal to 4 units in multi-family housing project) with no discharge to Critical Areas.

#### **D.** Additional Information

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

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

- 1. USGS or other map of the area (along with a narrative description, if necessary) containing sufficient information for the
- ▼ Conservation Commission and the Department to locate the site. (Electronic filers may omit this item.)
- 2. Plans identifying the location of proposed activities (including activities proposed to serve as a Bordering Vegetated Wetland
- F [BVW] replication area or other mitigating measure) relative to the boundaries of each affected resource area.
- 3. Identify the method for BVW and other resource area boundary delineations (MassDEP BVW Field Data Form(s).
- Determination of Applicability, Order of Resource Area Delineation, etc.), and attach documentation of the methodology.
- 4. List the titles and dates for all plans and other materials submitted with this NOI.

a. Plan Title: b. Plan Prepared By: c. Plan Signed/Stamped By: c. Revised Final Date: e. Scale:

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DATA FORMS AND

PROJECT PLANS

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

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E. Fees	
Fee Exempt: No filing fee shall be assessed for projects tribe housing authority, municipal housing authority, o	of any city, town, county, or district of the Commonwealth, federally recognized Indian or the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority.
Applicants must submit the following information (in addition)	ion to pages 1 and 2 of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form) to confirm fee payment:
2. Municipal Check Number	3. Check date
4. State Check Number	5. Check date
6. Payer name on check: First Name	7. Payer name on check: Last Name
F. Signatures and Submittal Requirements	
	Notice of Intent and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true conservation Commission will place notification of this Notice in a local newspaper regulations, 310 CMR 10.05(5)(a).
	notified of this application, pursuant to the requirements of M.G.L. c. 131, § 40. and delivery or certified mail (return receipt requested) to all abutters within 100 feet
1. Signature of Applicant	2. Date
3. Signature of Property Owner(if different)	4. Date
Arthur Allen	3/4/2021
5. Signature of Representative (if any)	6. Date
For Conservation Commission:	
Two copies of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), includin Form, and the city/town fee payment, to the Conservation Comp	ng supporting plans and documents, two copies of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal nission by certified mail or hand delivery.
For MassDEP:	
One copy of the completed Notice of Intent (Form 3), including and a <b>copy</b> of the state fee payment to the MassDEP Regional O	supporting plans and documents, one copy of the NOI Wetland Fee Transmittal Form, ffice (see Instructions) by certified mail or hand delivery.

#### Other:

If the applicant has checked the "yes" box in Section C, Items 1-3, above, refer to that section and the Instructions for additional submittal requirements.

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

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#### A. Applicant Information

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a. First Nameb. Last NameDANIELb. Last NameDASONC. OrganizationTOWN OF SUDBURY DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 275 OLD LANCASTER ROAD

e. City/Town SUDBURY f. State MA g. Zip Code 01776

h. Phone Number 9784432209 i. Fax j. Email nasond@sudbury.ma.us

#### 2.Property Owner:(if different)

a. First Nameb. Last NameDANIELDANIELDEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS

d. Mailing Address 102 GROVE STREET

e. City/Town WORCESTER f.State MA g. Zip Code 01605

h. Phone Number 15087529666 i. Fax j.Email aallen@ecotecinc.com

3. Project Location:

a. Street Address OLD FRAMINGHAM ROAD b. City/Town SUDBURY

Are you exempted from Fee? ☐ (YOU HAVE SELECTED 'YES')

Note: Fee will be exempted if you are one of the following:

- City/Town/County/District
- Municipal Housing Authority
- Indian Tribe Housing Authority
- MBTA

State agencies are only exempt if the fee is less than \$100

#### **B.** Fees

Activity Type	Activity Number	<b>Activity Fee</b>	RF Multiplier	Sub Total
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City/Town share of filling fee State share of filling fee Total Project Fee \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00

#### **Attachment: Seed Specifications**

#### **New England Conservation/Wildlife Mix**

The New England Conservation/Wildlife Mix provides a permanent cover of grasses, forbs, wildflowers, legumes and grasses to provide both good erosion control and wildlife habitat value. This mix is designed to be a no maintenance seeding, and it is appropriate for cut and fill slopes, detention basins, and disturbed areas adjacent to commercial and residential projects.

Application Rate: 25 LBS/ACRE (1750 SQ. FT./LB)

**Price:** \$30.00/LB\*\*

Species \*: Big Bluestem (Andropogon gerardii), Switchgrass (Panicum virgatum), Little Bluestem (Schizachyrium scoparium), Canada Wild Rye (Elymus canadensis), Fox Sedge (Carex vulpinoidea), Partridge Pea (Chamaecrista fasciculata), Fringed Bromegrass (Bromus ciliatus), Pennsylvania Smartweed (Polygonum pensylvanicum), Common Milkweed (Asclepias syriaca), Showy Tick-Trefoil (Desmodium canadense), New England Aster (Aster novae-angliae), Flat-top Aster (Aster umbellatus), Nodding Bur-Marigold (Bidens cernua).

#### New England Erosion Control/Restoration Mix for Detention Basins and Moist Sites

The New England Erosion Control/Restoration Mix contains a selection of native grasses and wildflowers designed to colonize generally moist, recently disturbed sites where quick growth of vegetation is desired to stabilize the soil surface. It is an excellent seed mix for ecologically appropriate restorations on moist sites that require quick stabilization as well as long-term establishment of native vegetation. This mix is particularly appropriate for detention basis that do not normally hold standing water. The plants in this mix can tolerate infrequent inundation, but not constant flooding.

**Seeding:** The mix may be applied by hydroseeding, by mechanical spreader, or on small sites it can be spread by hand. When applying on bare soil, rake the soil to create grooves, apply seed, then lightly rake over. In New England, the best results are obtained with a Spring or early Fall seeding. Summer and late Fall seeding will benefit with a light mulching of weed-free straw to conserve moisture. Late Fall and Winter dormant seeding require a slight increase in the seeding rate. Fertilization is not required unless the soils are particularly infertile.

Application Rate: 35 LBS/ACRE (1250 SQ. FT./LB.)

Price: \$26.00/LB\*\*

**Species \*:** Switchgrass (*Panicum virgatum*), Virginia Wild Rye (*Elymus virginicus*), Creeping Red Fescue (*Festuca rubra*), Fox Sedge (*Carex vulpinoidea*), Creeping Bentgrass (*Agrostis stolonifera*), Soft Rush (*Juncus effusus*), New England Aster (*Aster novae-angliae*), Grass-leaved Goldenrod (*Euthamia graminifolia*), Nodding Bur Marigold (*Bidens cernua*), Green Bulrush (*Scirpus atrovirens*), Joe-Pye Weed (*Eupatorium maculatum*), Boneset (*Eupatorium perfoliatum*), Blue Vervain (*Verbena hastata*).