

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice is hereby given that application has been made on behalf of the Towns of Mattapoisett, Fairhaven and Marion for the approval of the Department of Environmental Protection for the Towns of Mattapoisett, Fairhaven and Marion to acquire certain lands or rights to land in Mattapoisett, Rochester and Acushnet for public water supply protection purposes, said land in question being identified as Mattapoisett Assessor's Map 25, Lots 2, 3, 8A and 30; Rochester Assessor's Map 3, Lot 4 and Acushnet Assessor's Map 9, Lot 32 and Map 10, Lots 1, 1A, 2, 3 and 3A located at 61 Long Plain Road, Mattapoisett and Mattapoisett Assessor's Map 22, Lots 35, 35A, 35B and 37 located at 197 Acushnet Road, Mattapoisett.

In response to said application, the Department of Environmental Protection acting under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 39B and Section 41, as amended and each and every other act thereto enabling, will hold a hearing in Library Room 2117 at the Department of Environmental Protection, 20 Riverside Drive, Lakeville, MA 02347 on July 6, 2023. The hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m.

The plan showing the land in question is on file at the Department of Environmental Protection at the above address, and in the offices of the Mattapoisett Town Clerk at 16 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739, the Rochester Town Clerk at 1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA 02770 and the Acushnet Town Clerk at 130 Main Street, Acushnet, MA 02743. Said plan is entitled Mattapoisett River Valley Water Supply Resilience Project and dated June, 2023.

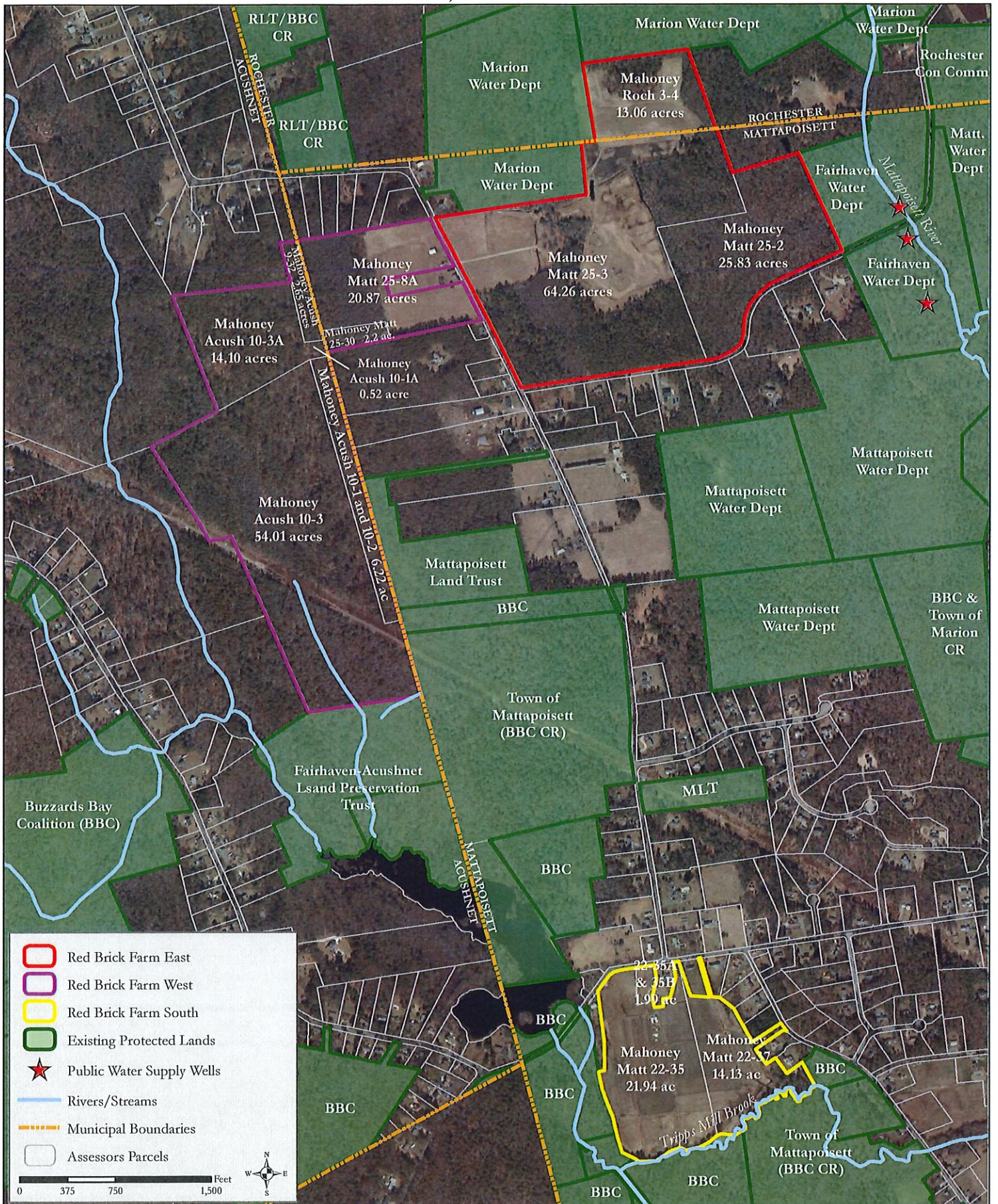
Comments pertaining to this matter may be made orally at the time of the hearing or submitted in writing to the MassDEP/SERO address.

By Order of the Department of Environmental Protection.

James M. McLaughlin, Chief
Drinking Water Program
Bureau of Resource Protection

Mattapoissett River Valley Water Supply Resilience Project

Project Area Air Photo



Red Brick Farm East - Plot Plan

Red Brick Farm East (102.4 acres)

Roads

Municipal Boundaries

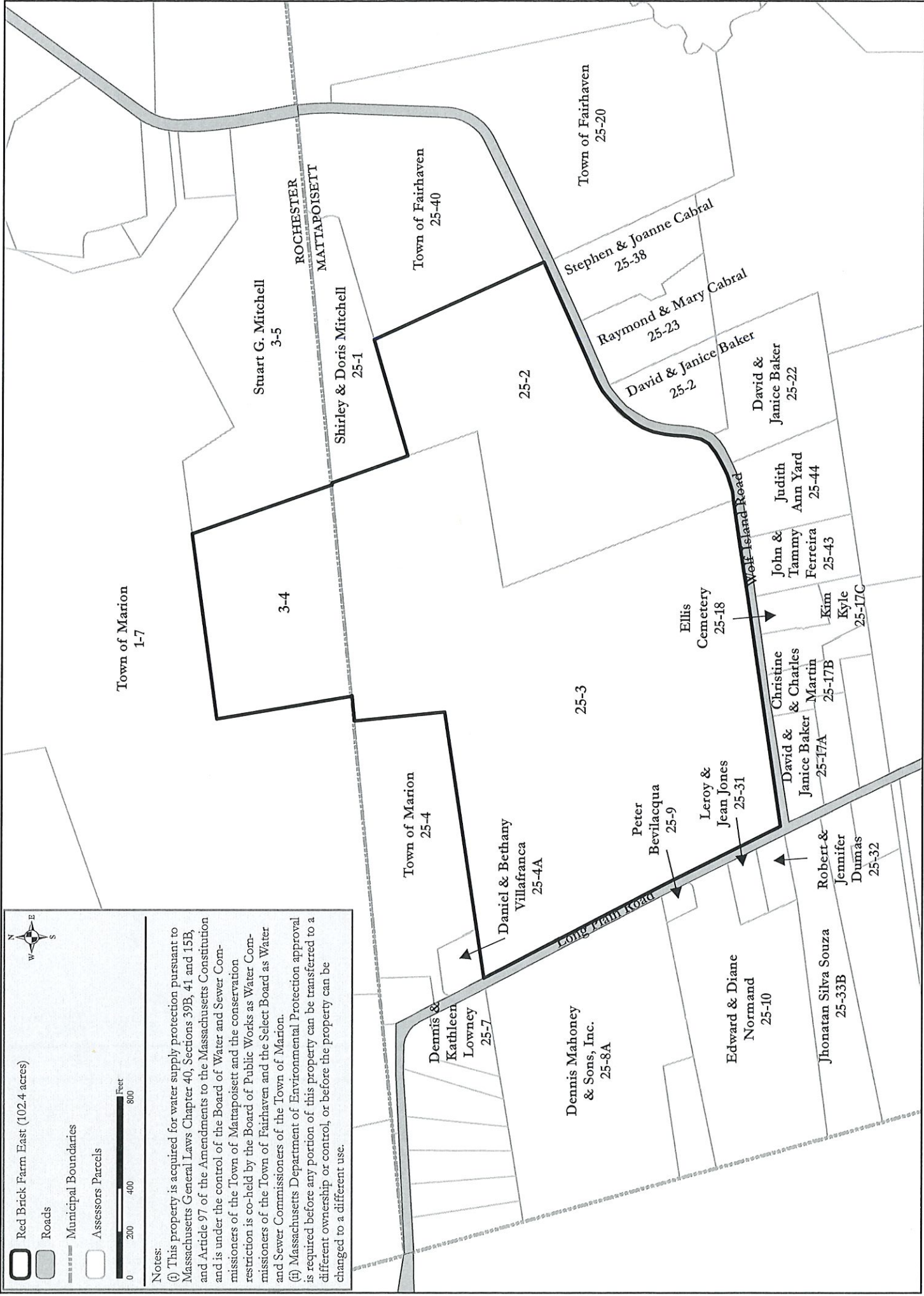
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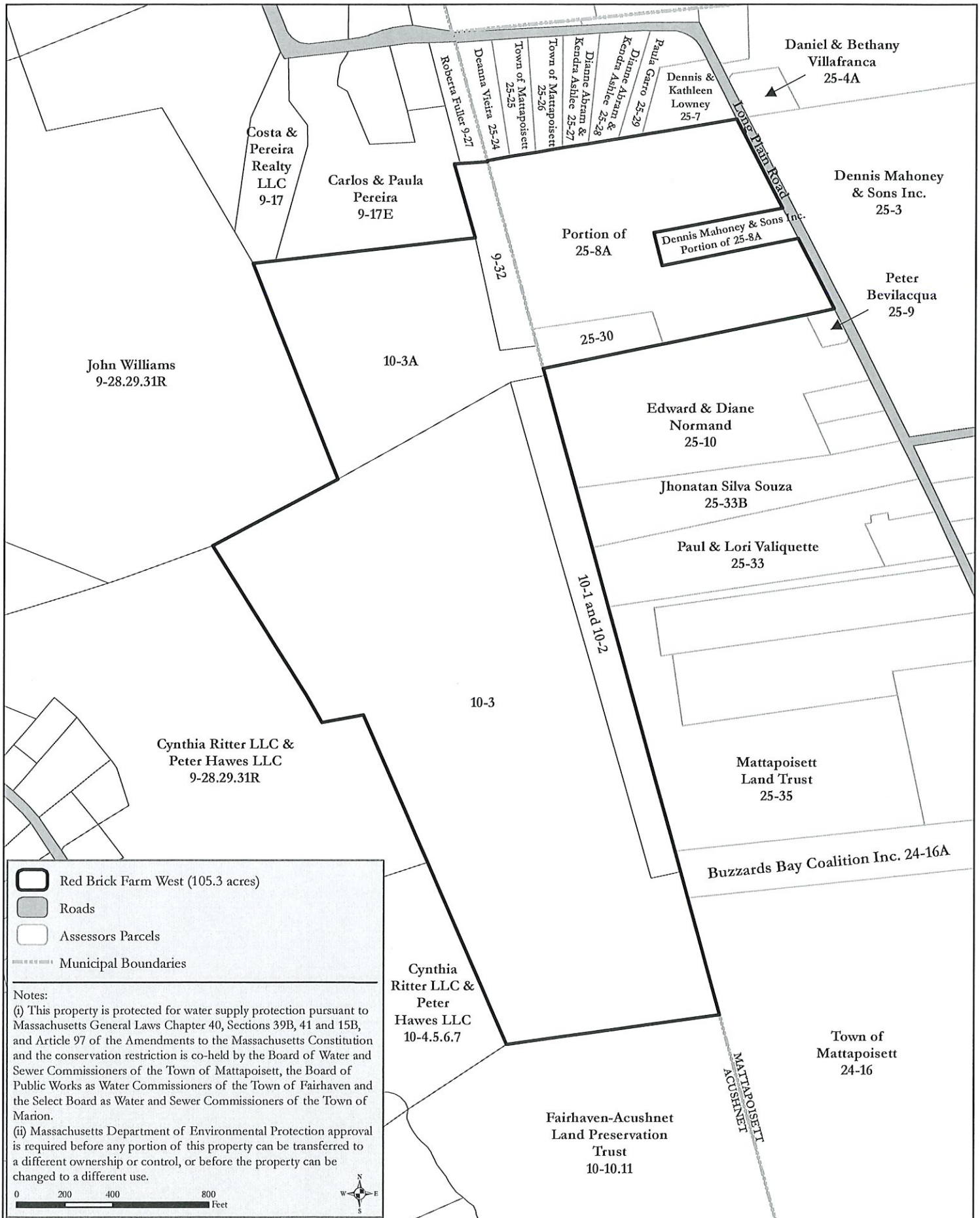
Notes:

(i) This property is acquired for water supply protection pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40, Sections 39B, 41 and 15B, and Article 97 of the Amendments to the Massachusetts Constitution and is under the control of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners of the Town of Mattapoisett and the conservation restriction is co-held by the Board of Public Works as Water Commissioners of the Town of Fairhaven and the Select Board as Water and Sewer Commissioners of the Town of Marion.

(ii) Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection approval is required before any portion of this property can be transferred to a different ownership or control, or before the property can be changed to a different use.



Red Brick Farm West - Plot Plan



Red Brick Farm South - Plot Plan

