



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

A. General Information

Important: When filling out forms on the computer, use only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return key.	1.	Applicant: EDMAND DAWN ACOMBE Name 56 BALSAM ST. Mailing Address City/Town 508-254-807/ 508-965-5078 Phone Number	E-Mail Address State Fax Number (if applied)	256 ©COMCAS Zip Code cable)
X	2.	Representative (if any):		
		Firm	*	
		Contact Name	E-Mail Address	
		Mailing Address		
		City/Town	State	Zip Code
		Phone Number	Fax Number (if appl	cable)
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		c. whether the work depicted on plan(s) referenced below i	is subject to the We	tlands Protection Act.
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		depicted on referenced plan(s).		



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C. Project Description

1.	a. Project Location (use maps and plans to iden	tify the location of the area subject to this request):
	56 DALSAM ST.	- FAIRMAIEN
	Street Address	City/10wn 23
	Assessors Map/Plat Number	Parcel/Lot Number
	b. Area Description (use additional paper, if nec	essary):
	Single family No	
	3100 7100	
	c. Plan and/or Map Reference(s):	
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D. Signatures and Submittal Requirements

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

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

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

Name and address of the property owner:	
EDMOND N. (Acombe	
Name Shall sam of	
Mailing Address	
FAIRHAVEN	
City/Town	00-11
Ma.	02719
State	Zip Code
Signatures:	
I also understand that notification of this Request will be placed in a in accordance with Section 10.05(3)(b)(1) of the Wetlands Protection	
donne in Jocombe	8/9/19
Signature of Applicant	Date
Signature of Representative (if any)	Date

Notification to Abutters Under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act and the Fairhaven Wetlands Bylaw

(this form must be completed and copies sent by certified mail to all abutters within 100 feet of the site of the project)

In accordance with the Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40 (the Wetlands Protection Act) and the Fairhaven Wetlands Bylaw (Chapter 192), you are hereby notified of the following:

1.	The applicant's name is <u>EDMOND</u> N. LACOMBE
2.	The applicant has filed the following type of permit application with the Fairhaven Conservation Commission: ☑Request for Determination of Applicability ☐Notice of Intent ☐Request to Amend an existing Order of Conditions ☐Notice of Resource Area Delineation
3.	The address or location of the site where the activity, project, or delineation is proposed is: 56 BACSAM ST. Fairhaven, MA.
4.	The proposed work includes
	After the facts-Determination of applicability
	DEIVENTY.
5.	Copies of the above application may be examined at the Conservation Office, located in Town Hall, 40 Center Street, Fairhaven, MA 02719, between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday. Copies may be obtained at the office for a fee if notified in advance or from the applicant.
6.	The public hearing will be held:
	a. DATE: September 16, 2019
	b. TIME: <u>6:30 pm</u>
	c. LOCATION: Town Hall, 40 Center Street, Fairhaven MA
7.	For additional information, please contact the applicant/applicant's representative: Name: Kompo N. Lacombe Phone/Email: 508.254.807/

PLEASE NOTE:

- 1. Notice of the public hearing including its date, time, and place will be published at least five business days in advance in the Fairhaven Neighborhood News, and will be posted on the Fairhaven Town Website and at the Fairhaven Town Hall not less than 48 hours in advance.
- 2. Since you are receiving this notice, you may have wetland resource areas or wetland buffers on your property. Therefore, construction, cutting, clearing, or grading may require a permit. For clarification or for more information, call the Conservation Agent at 508-979-4082 or visit our website.

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56 BALSAM STREET 100 FT ABUTTERS

MAP/LOT	PROPERTY ADDRESS	OWNER ON RECORD	OWNER ADDRESS
13C-014	54 BALSAM STREET	METTHE ROGER & CHERYL A	54 BALSAM STREET
13C-445	MISTY BAY ROAD	METTHE ROGER D & CHERYL A	54 BALSAM STREET
43C-012	58 BALSAM STREET	GIBSON ADAM & SHERRI	1290 SCHODACK VALLEY RD
43C-011	60 BALSAM STREET	BELL SCOTT A & DEBORAH A	4746 PEBBLE BAY CIRCLE
43C-083	59 BALSAM STREET	MANNING LAURA L	222 BEACON STREET #34
43C-085	55 BALSAM STREET	RIZZO PAUL D TRUSTEE OF RIZZO FAMILY TRUST	55 BALSAM STREET
43C-086	4 MISTY BAY ROAD	TEN BRINKE JURRINUS & GERALDINE C	4 MISTY BAY ROAD
43C-093	51 BALSAM STREET	GOULART EDWARD R & DONNA M	45 BALSAM STREET
43C-015	52 BALSAM STREET	HOROWITZ GEORGE & BILHA AS TRUSTEES OF THE GEORGE	169 ROSEMARY ROAD
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56 BALSAM STREET 100 FT ABUTTERS

CITY/TOWN	STATE	ZIP
FAIRHAVEN	MA	02719
FAIRHAVEN	MA	02719
CASTLETON	NY	12033
VERO BEACH	FL	32963-1117
BOSTON	МА	02116
FAIRHAVEN	МА	02719
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DEDHAM	MA	02026

Brief narrative of work that was performed at 56 Balsam St., Fairhaven, Ma.

The construction company, Medeiros Construction, of Alden St. Fairhaven, Ma. was chosen, after a bidding process, to construct an asphalt driveway at 56 Balsam St., Fairhaven. The aggreement that they would handle all permits for it"s construction was made. The apron, that was applied in 2004 during initial construction, was replaced due to it's deterioratior.

With the difficulty of maintaining a stone driveway on a, roughly, 30 degree downward sloping angle, we, Ed & Dawn Lacombe, decided to allieviate the physical and maintenance problems by adding asplhalt to the driveway. The stone driveway also presented difficulty in the wintertime with snow removal due to spraying of rocks on neighbors lawns, onto the street and at passing motorist with our snow blower.

The equipment used for the project was a modern machine to lay the asphalt, a steam roller to flaten the asphalt, a Bob Cat to remove the stones that were there and to grade, properly, and a dump truck to dump the asphalt and to remove the debris. There was an assortment of hand tools, like rollers & stampers, to smooth out the lines made by the Roller. To complete the job, all the equipment entered the area via the driveway or paper street. A 60" by 26' addition was constructed.

Sincerely &

Respectfully submitted;

Ed & Dawn Lacombe

#909 Fee: \$10.00 12 # 3/53/ Paid: PAC# 195100

Town of Fairhaven Board of Public Works 195100 Driveway, Sidewalk and Curbing Permit Application

Inspecti	on Record:
Pass	Fail
Date	

ocation (Address or Assessor's Ma	p/Lot)	6 BAISAM ST	(430-013)
	w Construction	Existing Proper	ty
Property Owner		be Address 56 3	
	7743012048		
	Maderes Con	In C Address 318	
Applicant (if different)	508993360	Q Fhu	Ma
Telephone #		Dusiness - 7 ///	Othor
Property Use Bollows &-	Residential	Business	
Property Frontage Musey Fa			eway at gutter line 26 ft
Proposed Work	New Sidewalk		Existing Sidewalk
	New Driveway		Existing Driveway
	New Curbing	Rebuil	d Existing Curbing
Type of New Surface Material	Concrete	Asphalt	Other
Type of Existing Curbing	Concrete	Asphalt	Granite
	Cobblestone	Other	None
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Property Owner Signature	14	1× 1	Date
Highway Superintendent	Approved MC	Disapproved	Date 6/12/19
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BPW Waiver	Approved PAPE	Disapproved_	BE PAUD Date
	Comments		
INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANT: Upon contacted to pick up your permit and lawn s		to the Highway Superintendent. When	
done. Contractor must sign permit before w			
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Address:	318 Alden	24	Date 6:12-19
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Mello SITE PLAN





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A. General Information



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1.	Applicant:				
	Kenneth & Sandra Balthazar		slbmgr54@hotmail.com		
	Name	E-Mail Address	3		
	6 Laura Lane Mailing Address				
	Fairhaven	MA	02719		
	City/Town	State	Zip Code		
	508-264-4425 mobile OR Landline 508-993-8368 Phone Number	 n/a Fax Number (if	fapplicable)		
2.	Representative (if any):				
	Firm				
	Contact Name	E-Mail Address	3		
	Mailing Address				
	City/Town	State	Zip Code		
	Phone Number Fax Number (if applicable)				
_	. Determinations				
D.	. Determinations				
1.	I request the <u>Fairhaven</u> make the following determination(s). Check any that apply: Conservation Commission				
	a. whether the area depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below is an area subject to jurisdiction of the Wetlands Protection Act.				
	b. whether the boundaries of resource area(s) depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below are accurately delineated.				
	c. whether the work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the Wetlands Protection Act.				
	d. whether the area and/or work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the jurisdiction of any municipal wetlands ordinance or bylaw of:				
	Fairhaven				
	Name of Municipality				
	 e. whether the following scope of alternatives is adequate for work in the Riverfront Area as depicted on referenced plan(s). 				

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1.	a. Project Location (use maps and plans to identify	the location of the area sul	bject to this request):		
	21 Silver Shell Beach Drive	Fairhaven			
	Street Address	City/Town			
	41	41 & 29			
	Assessors Map/Plat Number	Parcel/Lot Number			
	b. Area Description (use additional paper, if necessary	b. Area Description (use additional paper, if necessary):			
0	1. The front yard (see pictures) is below the street let floods & that makes our cottage difficult to access. We using soil and grass seed, to level the yard and to sto	'e want to bring the grade ι op the flooding.	up approx. 8-9 inches		
۷.	Plot #29 - (see picture showing plot layout). Is a small and we want to bring the level up with the street to av wide X 32' deep.				
 The backyard (see pictures) has a holding septic tank in the ground. The covered by soil/grass and is below grade with the rest of the area causi want to add soil & grass seed of approx. 4 - 6 inches to cover the tank a will eliminate a hazard for slip & falls. 		t of the area causing a "dip	o" in this area. We		
	c. Plan and/or Map Reference(s):				
	Revised Plot Plan				
	Title		Date		
	Title		Date		
	Title		Date		
2.	a. Work Description (use additional paper and/or pro	ovide plan(s) of work, if ne	cessary):		
	To add fill, loam and seed to the above 3 areas to brid	ng the grade up to match t	the street level or yard		
are	eas as described above.				

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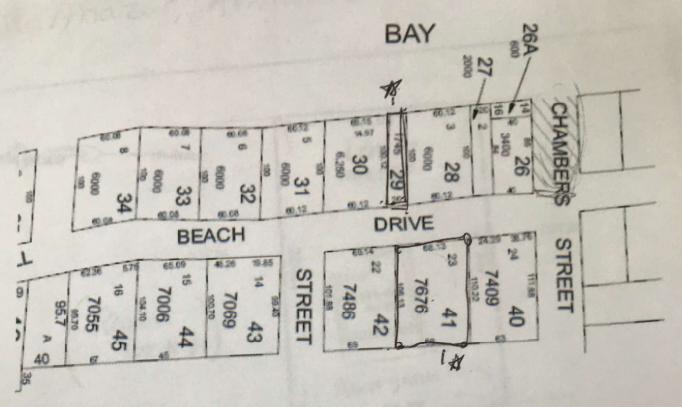
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Name and address of the property owner: Kenneth & Sandra Balthazar Name 6 Laura Lane Mailing Address Fairhaven City/Town MA 02719 State Zip Code Signatures: I also understand that notification of this Request will be placed in a local newspaper at my expense in accordance with Section 10.05(3)(b)(1) of the Wetlands Protection Act regulations. 8/26/2019 Signature of Applicant Date Signature of Representative (if any) Date

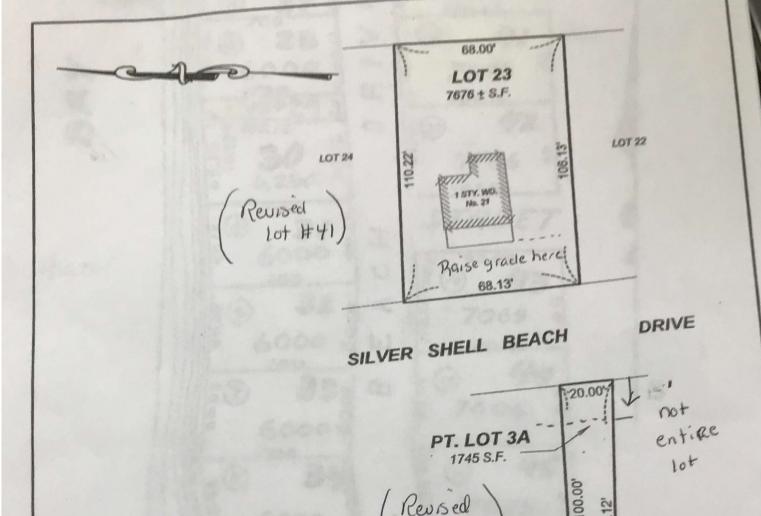
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21 Silver Shell Beach Plots 29+41

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"Russed Plot Plan" 8-23-19



THE DWELLING SHOWN ON THIS PLAN IS IN A FEDERALLY DESIGNATED FLOOD HAZARD AREA. (ZONE VE - PANEL No. 0501F - 7/7/09).

I CERTIFY

THAT THE DWELLING IS LOCATED ON THE GROUND AS SHOWN HEREON AND CONFORMED TO THE ZONING BY-LAWS OF THE TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN WHEN CONSTRUCTED.

THIS PLAN IS FOR MORTGAGE PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT TO BE USED TO ESTABLISH PROPERTY LINES.



LOT 3

PLOT PLAN FAIRHAVEN, MASS

SCALE: 1"=40' JULY 26, 201 SHARON SURVEY SERVICE 10 E. CHESTNUT ST. SHARON, MA

REMAINDER

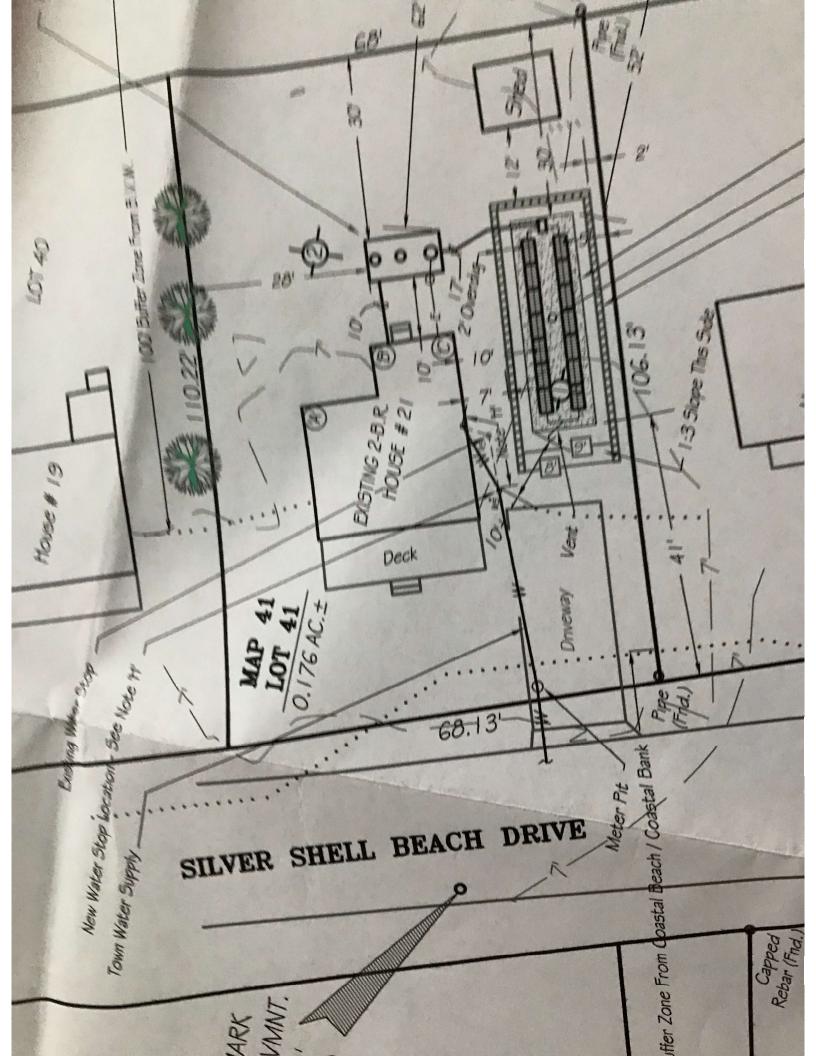
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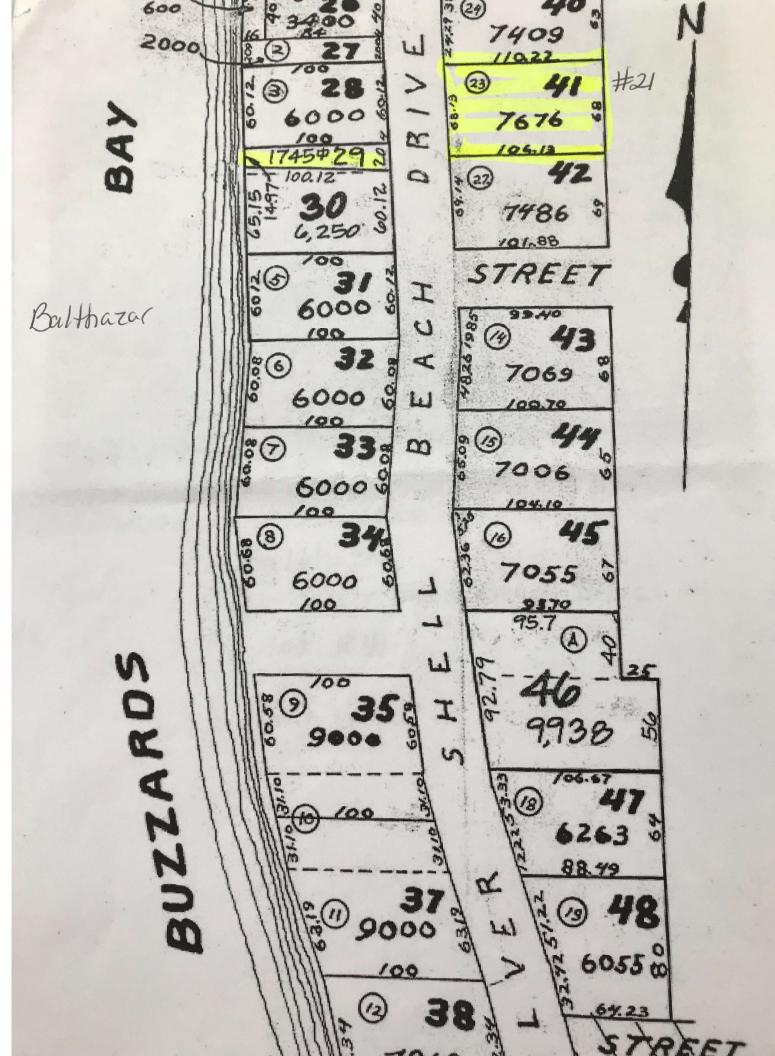
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LOT 3A

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21 SILVER SHELL BEACH DRIVE 100 FT ABUTTERS

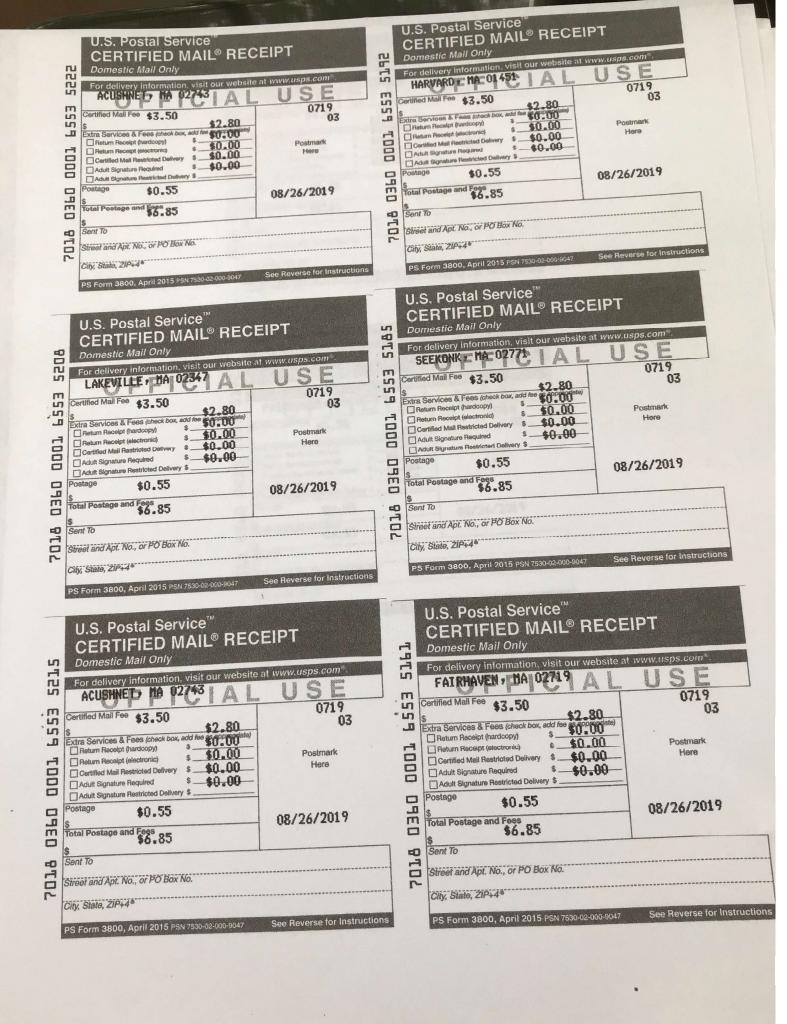
MAP/LOT	MAP/LOT PROPERTY ADDRESS	OWNER ON RECORD	OWNER ADDRESS
41-002)	SCONTICUT NECK ROAD	FAIRHAVEN LAND PRESERVATION TRUST	PO BOX 491
41-043	SILVER SHELL BEACH DRIVE	TOWN OF FAIRHAVEN	40 CENTER STREET
41-042	19 SILVER SHELL BEACH DR	KARNS DAVID M & CHERYL J	28 QUARRY STREET
41-040	23 SILVER SHELL BEACH DR	ALEXANDER DAVID B TRUSTEE OF THE ALEXANDER FAMILY TR	284 AYER ROAD
41-031	18 SILVER SHELL BEACH DR	LUCEY DEBORAH A	43 STETSON STREET
41-030	20 SILVER SHELL BEACH DR	PATYKULA PAUL T & PATYKULA STASIA A, TRUSTEES OF THE	PO BOX 30325
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41-028	22 SILVER SHELL BEACH DR	PANAGAKOS GEORGE M & VIOLA Z TRUSTEES OF THE	24 BOYLSTON STREET
		PANAGAKOS FAMILY TRUST	
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21 SILVER SHELL BEACH DRIVE 100 FT ABUTTERS

CITY/TOWN	STATE ZIP	ZIP
FAIRHAVEN	MA	02719
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SEEKONK	MA	02771
HARVARD	MA	01451
LAKEVILLE	MA	02347
ACUSHNET	MA	02743
ACUSHNET	MA	02743
HINGHAM	MA	02043

- 1. Bring in clean fill & loam to raise current low grade of lawns up to meet street level in the front yard & approx. 32 ft. of the small lot across the street.
- 2. Backyard "in ground septic holding tank" area needs to have soil added to restore lawn.

Re-seeding of all above areas to be done to restore grass lawns.



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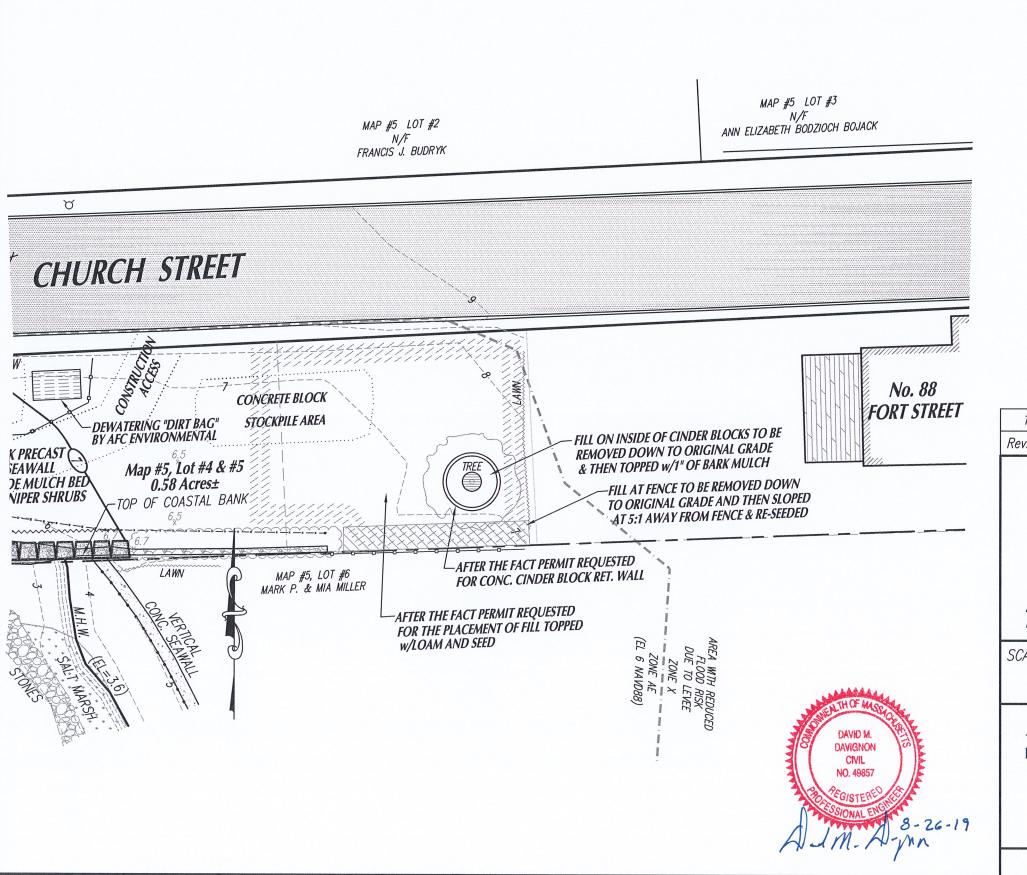
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A. General Information

Important: 1. Applicant: When filling out slbmgr54@hotmail.com forms on the Kenneth & Sandra Balthazar computer, use E-Mail Address Name only the tab key 6 Laura Lane to move your **Mailing Address** cursor - do not Fairhaven MA 02719 use the return key. State City/Town Zip Code 508-264-4425 mobile OR Landline 508-993-8368 n/a **Phone Number** Fax Number (if applicable) 2. Representative (if any): Firm **Contact Name** E-Mail Address **Mailing Address** City/Town State Zip Code **Phone Number** Fax Number (if applicable) **Determinations** I request the Fairhaven make the following determination(s). Check any that apply: MassDEP st Regional Office. **Conservation Commission** a. whether the area depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below is an area subject to b. whether the boundaries of resource area(s) depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced ☑ c. whether the work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the Wetlands Protection Act. ☑ d. whether the area and/or work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the jurisdiction Name of Municipality e. whether the following scope of alternatives is adequate for work in the Riverfront Area as

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PROPOSED CONTOURS

----- 8 ----- EXISTING CONTOURS

FLOOD ZONE LINE

NOTE: TOPOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SHOWN DEPICTS
A FIELD SURVEY BY THIS OFFICE on 11-18-19.

1 8-26-19 D.M.D. PROPOSED REMOVAL OF FILL @ TREE & FENCE

Rev. # DATE BY DESCRIPTION

ADDENDUM - SITE PLAN

TO ACCOMPANY A NOTICE OF INTENT FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT

at 88 FORT STREET in FAIRHAVEN, MA

PREPARED FOR

TERJE TONNESSEN REVOCABLE TRUST - 2015

SCALE: 1"=20' DATE: AUGUST 7, 2019
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SCHNEIDER, DAVIGNON & LEONE, INC.

PROFESSIONAL CIVIL ENGINEERS & LAND SURVEYORS 1 COUNTY RD, P.O. BOX 480, MATTAPOISETT, MA 02739 1-508-758-7866



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Massachusetts Association of Landscape Professionals
Tree Care Industry Association

September 24, 2019

Schneider, Davignon & Leone, Inc. PO Box 480 Mattapoisett, MA 02739

Attn: Dave Davignon

RE: Terge Tonnessen at 88 Fort Street

I have inspected the well and the fill placed around the large Maple at 88 Fort Street in Fairhaven. The core samples reveal that the grade was raised approximately 8" in the area within the drip edge of the tree. The bottom of the trunk above the woodchips and inside the cement well shows that some natural flare is still evident....this occurs when the trunk of the tree emerges from the ground at its natural growth.

My recommendations are as follows:

- 1. Remove 3"-4" of woodchips from the well. Excess mulch or solid material placed on the natural tree's flare retains moisture which can cause the bark to decay.
- 2. The material placed around the tree was initially a layer of sand at 1"-2" followed by 7"-8" of loam. The tree should survive this layering (it can sometimes take many years to show the effect). The younger trees seem to adapt to a fill situation better than the older, more established trees like this Maple. I would recommend a deep root feeding which is done by putting a series of holes around
- 3. the tree (diagram attached). This will both aerate and feed the tree's root system.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

Bourne Knowles

Mass Certified Arborist #1371

Complete Tree Service • Landscape Construction & Maintenance

P.O. Box 311, 267 Huttleston Avenue, Route 6, Fairhaven, Massachusetts 02719 Telephone 508-997-8146 • Telefax 508-999-0140 • www.gbourneknowles.com

