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Mailing Address				
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1-774-235-5470	B. Thayer 1219 @ com	CAST, NET		
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Property & Plan Information:				
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FROM: BRIAN THAYER, 47 SOUTHGATE ROAD

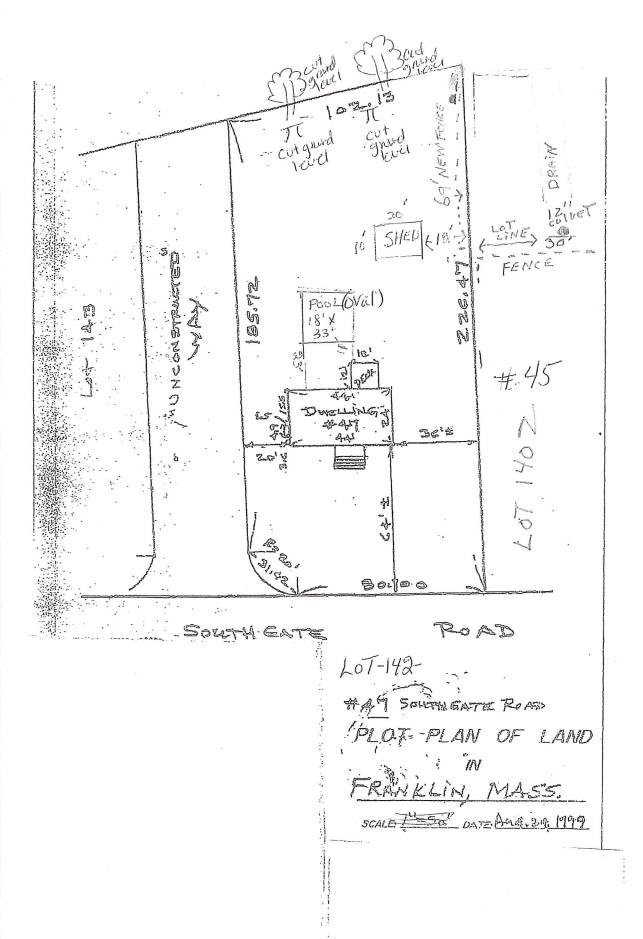
My name is Brian Thayer I am the property owner of 47 Southgate Road. I am before this committee to address a shed on my property as well as cutting of 2 trees. There is a third tree with two shoots that fell onto my property from the "wetlands". This tree snagged branches and limbs and broke them off the two trees I cut down. These trees became rotted and decaying and posed a safety concern as well as property.

I was unaware this area of my property was in a "wetland buffer". I was told by my previous neighbor Marsha Cadigan it was a run off of water from the properties behind and to the left of us. Ms. Cadigan always maintained the drainage pipe, as years progressed and with aging this became a challenge for her, so I would do my best to keep debris/limbs etc., from blocking the opening.

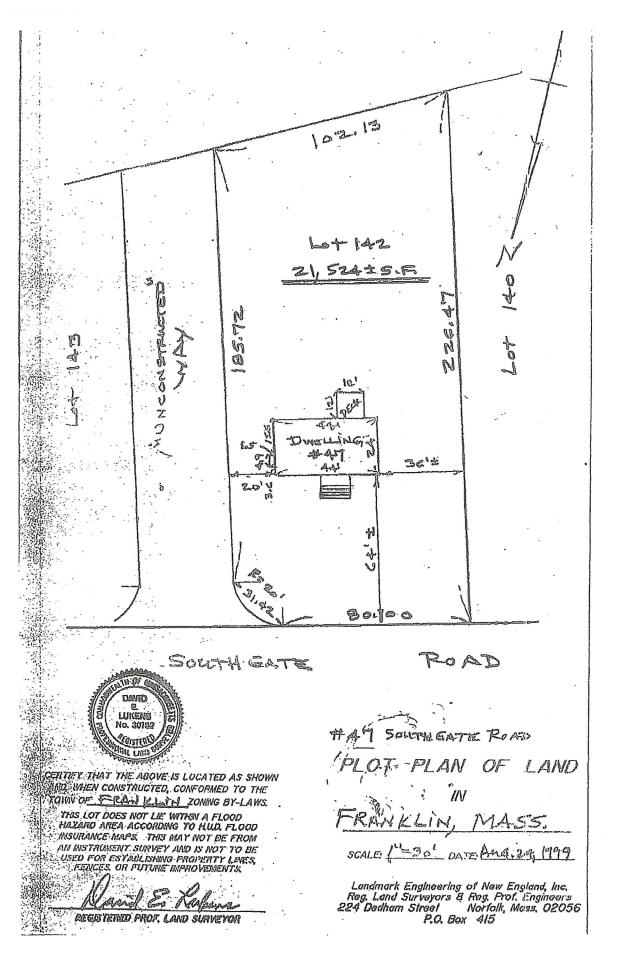
There have been many instances when the opening was clogged by debris, in which the water rose dramatically and imposed a safety risk to Ms. Cadigan's property as well as mine with falling trees and debris.

When 45 Southgate Road sold last year, we met our neighbors Russell and Rebecca who have been working to clean the yard, replace broken rotted wood fence, and cleaning debris. Russell offered me his shed that sat in the Left corner of his property along the wall of drainage area, that I moved to my property.

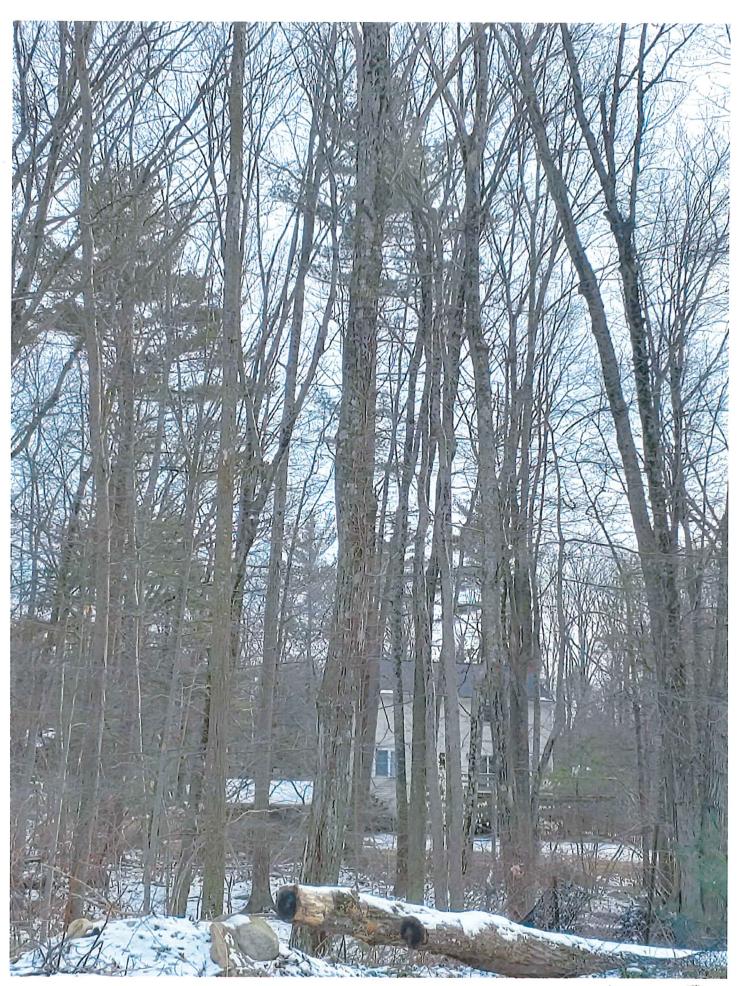
My intent with the boards permission of permitting is to clean up right rear corner and rear property line of my property. I would like to place black steel rod fence on right side of yard where my neighbors stop. I would like to cut the 2 tree stumps to ground level NO REMOVAL, cut 2 remaining trees back line of property to ground level NO REMOVAL, that pose a risk to personal harm as well as property. I would like to permit the  $10'_1 \times 12''_1$  shed, as well as permission to have an above ground pool placed in my yard.



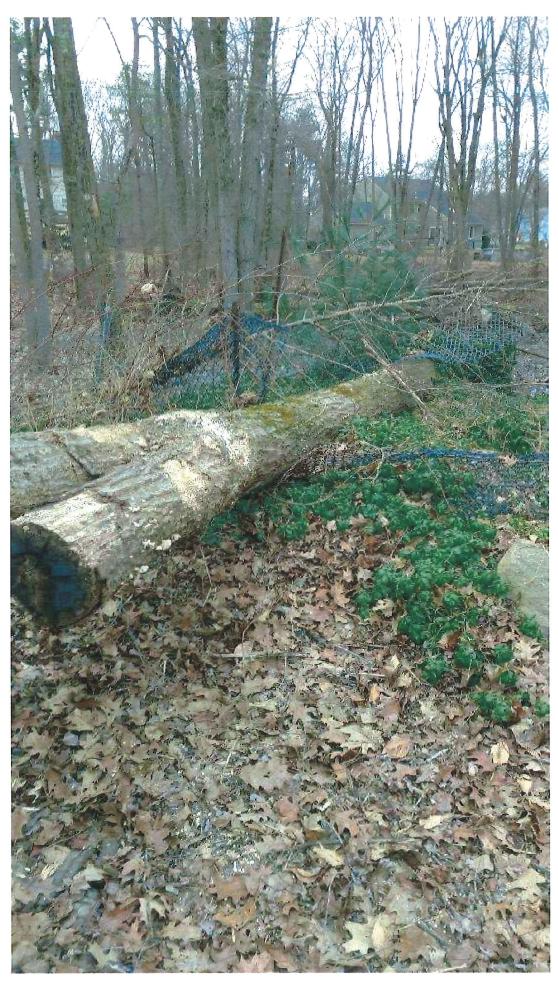
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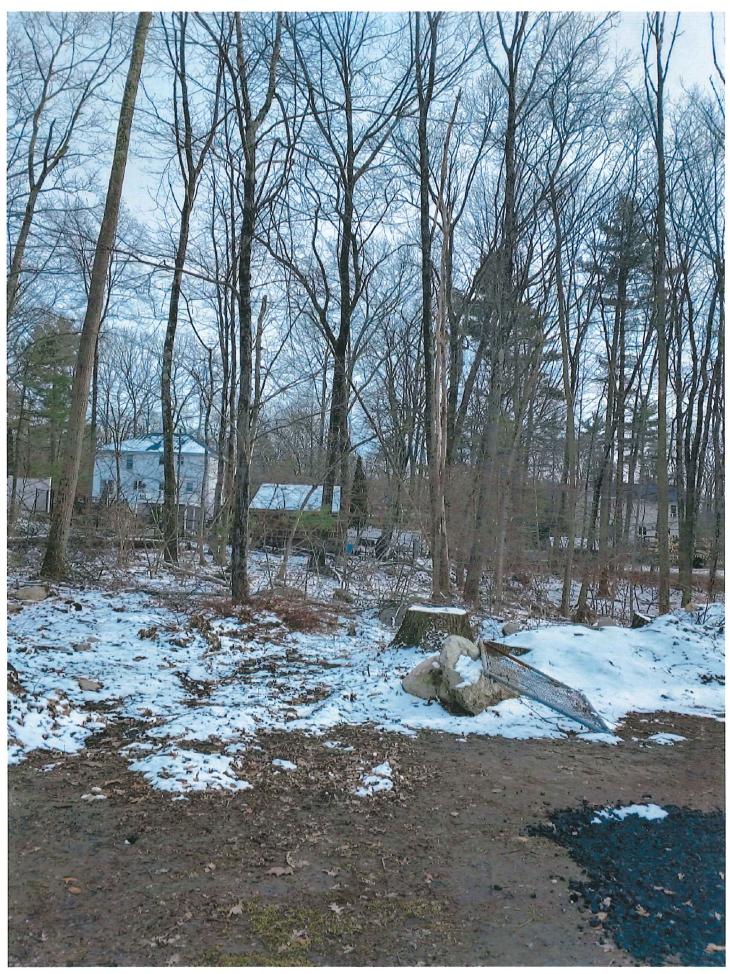
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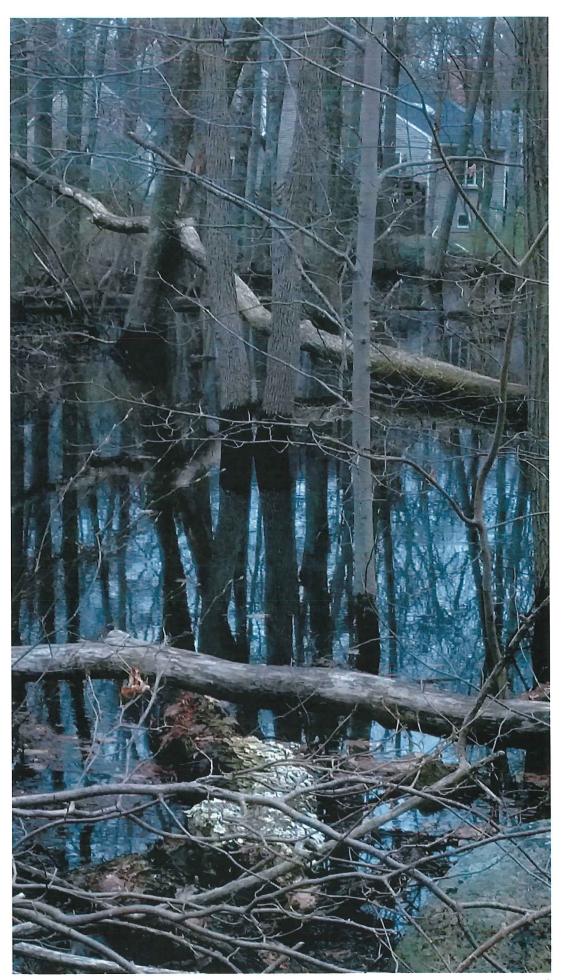
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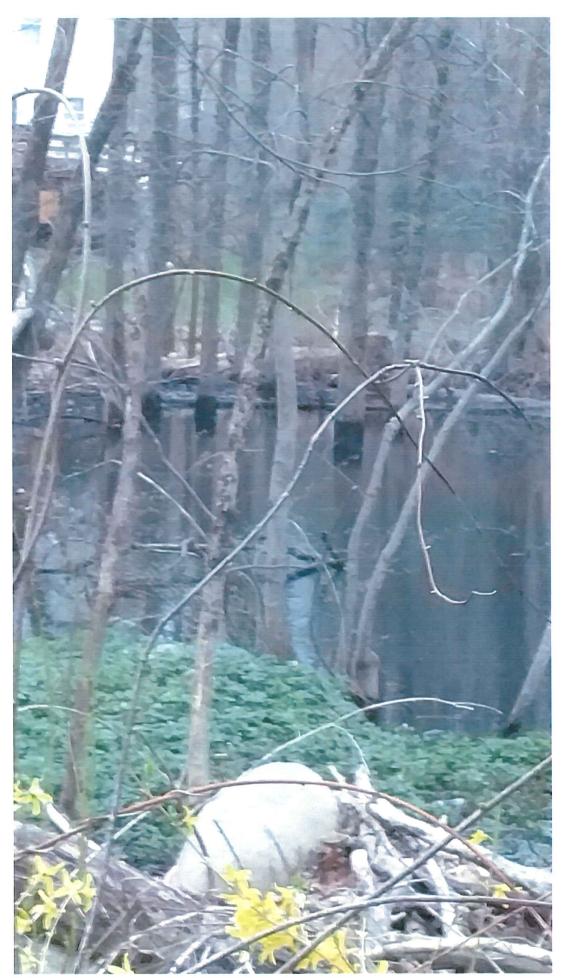
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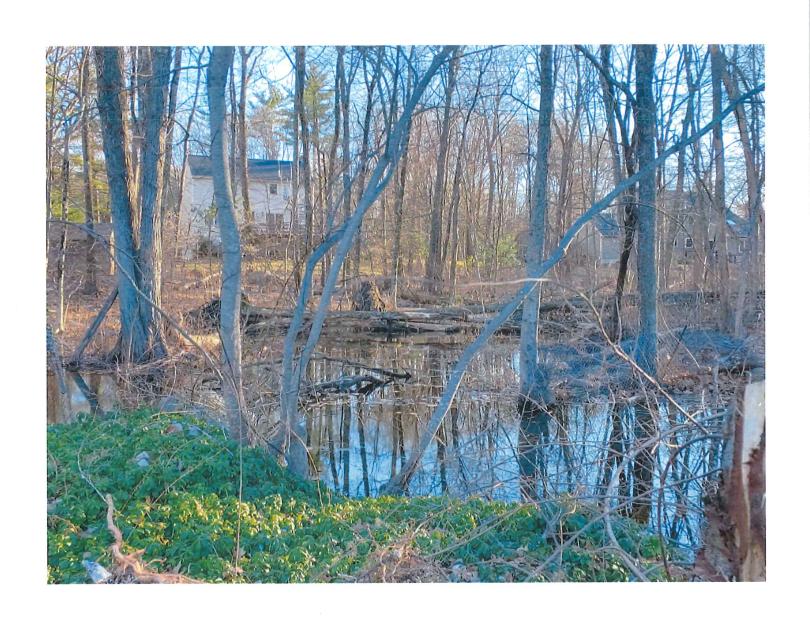
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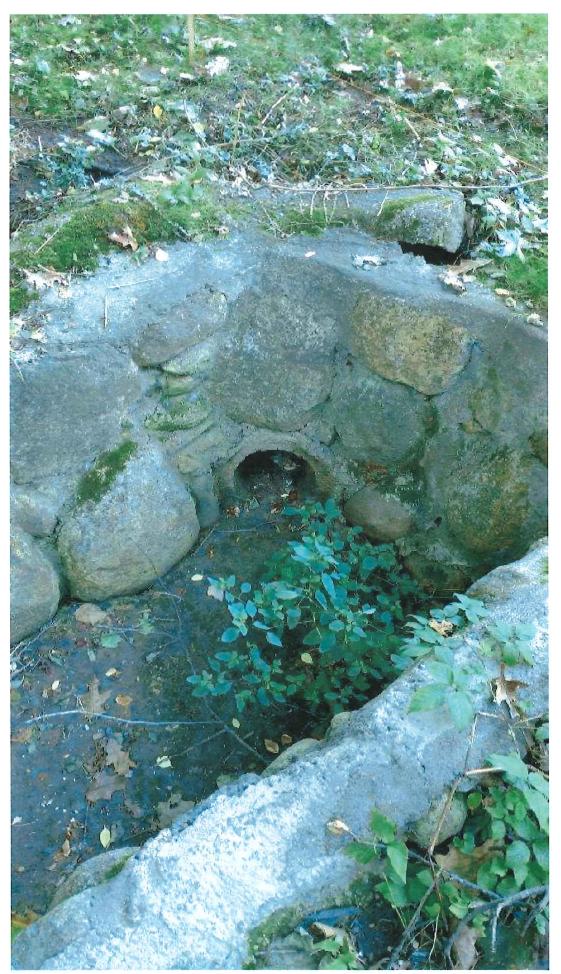
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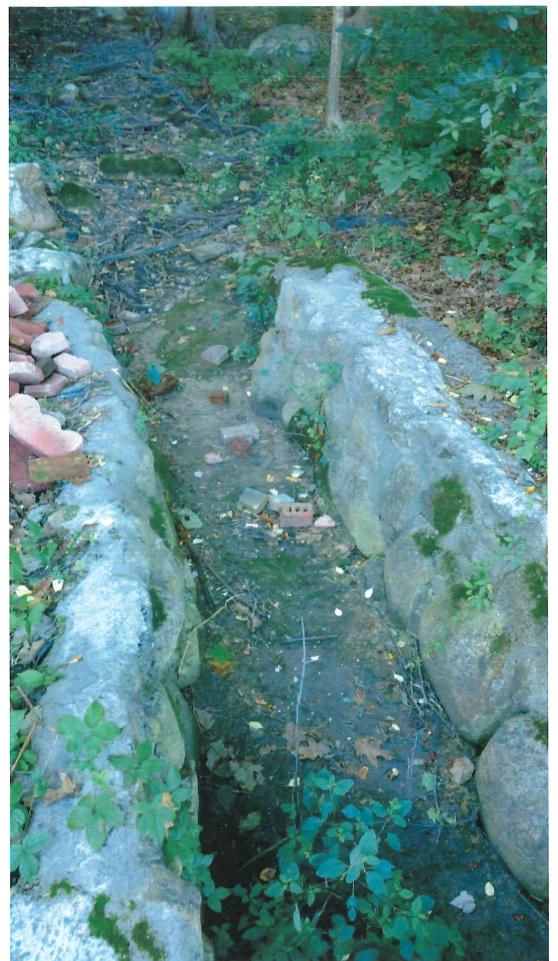


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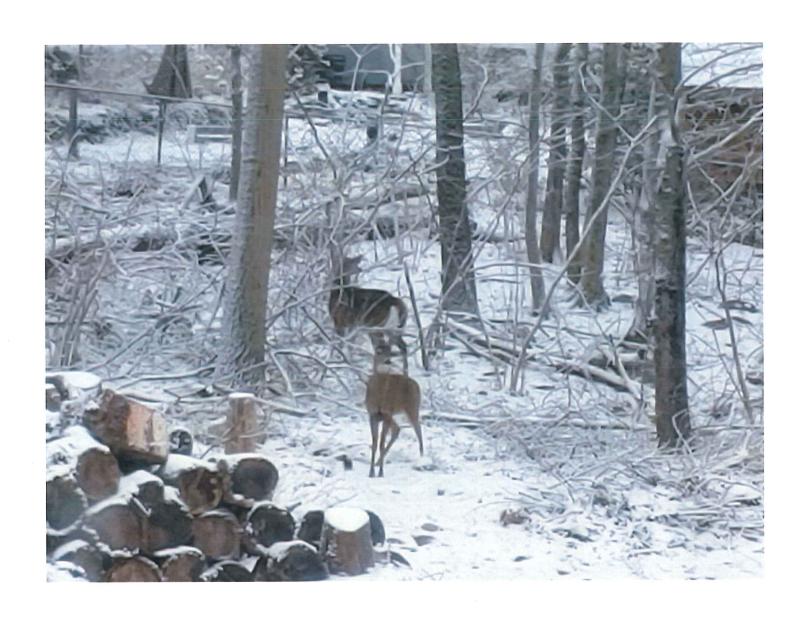
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# TOWN OF FRANKLIN CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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Applicant's Name	е			
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City/Town		State	Zip Code	
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Land Owner's Na	ame (If Different from Applica	nt)		
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Project Location	(Street Address)			
Assessor's Map 8	& Parcel Number			
	Southgate Rd	Backyard up	date 3/1/2023	
Plan Name and o	date			

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My wife and I purchased our first home in March 2022. We knew the yard would need work. We have been working to do updates to the property as we await our first child this summer. Part of that is installing a new fence to replace the previous one that was a combination of rotting wood, chain link, and chicken wire.

The fence we decided to put up to replace the previous one is steel posts bolted into concrete 12 inches deep and 10 inches wide. The fence panels are 8 foot sections of Aluminum. The old wood fence was 6 foot sections. Following the old fence along the property line with 47 Southgate Rd, we placed 14 posts for the new fence. We did not continue back to the rear of our property line as we didn't want the culvert inside the fence. Then added 24 posts to enclose the yard. Roughly 72'x100' Pictures attached.

Our property had two sheds, and we only have the need for one. So as we were removing the fence, we talked with our neighbors at 47 Southgate Rd and they asked if they could have it. So, we granted them permission to move the shed if they wanted it or we would be tearing it down for removal.

As we were removing the old fence and planning to install a new fence, we cut down 3 trees that we either dead, or having issues with vines and ants/termites as they would propose a falling problem as plan to turn where the shed was into a sitting area to have a fire and enjoy the woods at the rear of our property. We do plan to plan to plant either a couple trees or large bushes to give the sitting area some character to replace the trees we downed

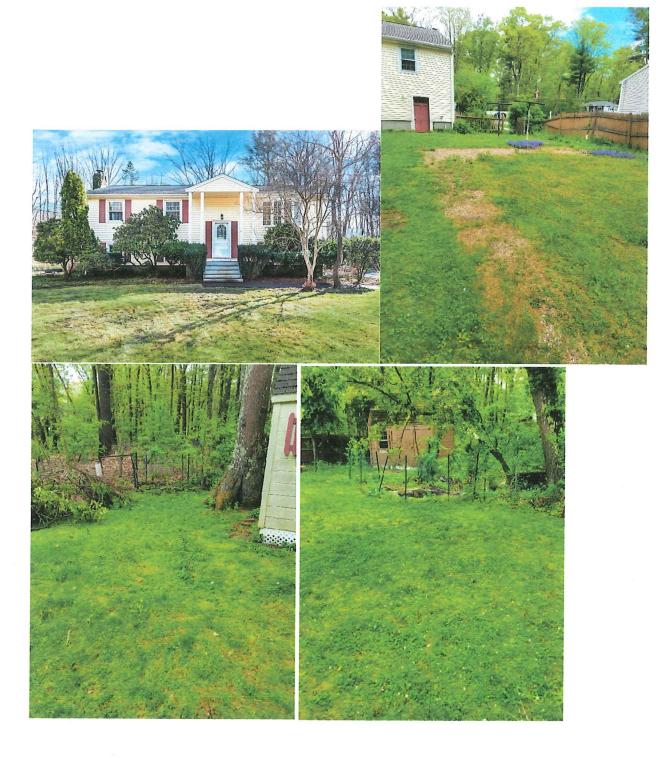
We have noticed there are two sets of twin trees sharing roots that are large and growing at an angle that could be prone to breaking and falling towards area people may be. One is by the shed on our property and is leaning towards our home. The other is leaning across the rear corner of our yard over the fence. We are looking to remove these in the next two years for safety of people and children in the yard and home.

We have updated the front of our home redoing the flower beds on the front and left side of our home with an updated flower bed and new shrubs. Removed plants to start over and any that could pose issue to the electrical lines. Putting this in case it falls within the distance from the wet lands.

Further plans would be to move the shed to the other side of the backyard so we can have the kids play area within view of the porch.

Pictures attached for reference.

### Before



After









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FRANKLIN	MA	02038		
City/Town	State	Zip Code		
774-245-	0293 MICHAEL. CUMMINGS 18@ GMAIL.COM			
Telephone Number and e-mail address of primary contact for this application.				
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PHONE:

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(508) 438-6604

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LOCATION 12 COREY WAY

FRANKLIN, MA

SCALE 1"=60'

DATE

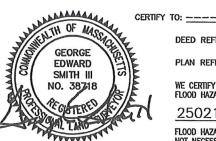
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REGISTRY NORFOLK

BASED UPON DOCUMENTATION PROVIDED, REQUIRED MEASUREMENTS WERE MADE OF THE FRONTAGE AND BUILDING(S) SHOWN ON THIS MORTGAGE INSPECTION PLAN. IN OUR JUDGEMENT ALL VISIBLE EASEMENTS ARE SHOWN AND THERE ARE NO VIOLATIONS OF ZONING REQUIREMENTS REGARDING DWELLING STRUCTURES TO PROPERTY LINE OFFSETS (UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED IN DRAWING BELOW). NOTE: NOT DEFINED ARE ABOVE GROUND POOLS, DRIVEWAYS, OR SHEDS WITH NO FOUNDATIONS, ETC. THIS IS A MORTGAGE INSPECTION PLAN; NOT AN INSTRUMENT SURVEY. DO NOT USE TO ERECT FENCES, OTHER BOUNDARY STRUCTURES, OR TO PLANT SHRUBS. LOCATION OF THE STRUCTURE(S) SHOWN HEREON IS ETHER IN COMPLIANCE WITH LOCAL ZONING FOR PROPERTY LINE OFFSET REQUIREMENTS, OR IS EXEMPT FROM VIOLATION ENFORCEMENT ACTION UNDER MASS. G.L. TITLE VII. CHAP. 40A, SEC. 7, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. THIS CERTIFICATION IS NON—TRANSFERABLE. THE ABOVE CERTIFICATIONS ARE MADE WITH THE PROVISION THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS ACCURATE AND THAT THE MEASUREMENTS USED ARE ACCURATELY LOCATED IN RELATION TO THE PROPERTY LINES.



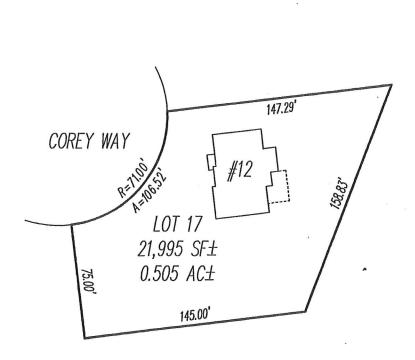
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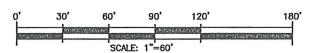
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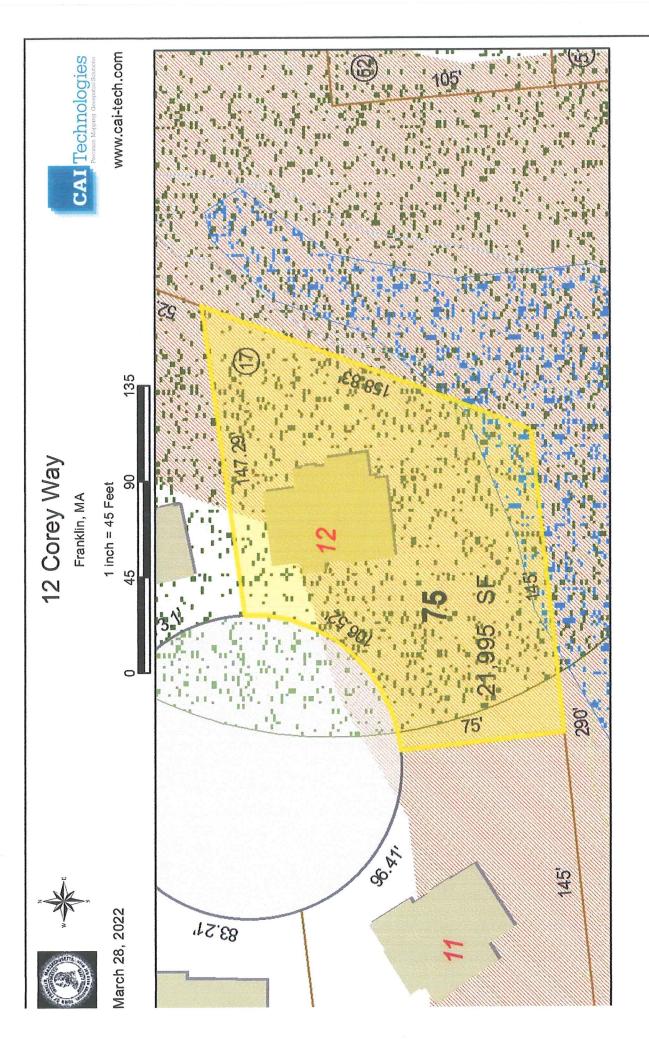
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FLOOD HAZARD ZONE HAS BEEN DETERMINED BY SCALE AND IS NOT NECESSARILY ACCURATE. UNTIL DEFINITIVE PLANS ARE ISSUED BY HUD AND/OR A VERTICAL CONTROL SURVEY IS PERFORMED, PRECISE ELEVATIONS CANNOT BE DETERMINED.



REQUESTED BY: ROWE LAW OFFICE FIELD TEC: N/A DRAWN BY: NL CHECKED BY: GES FILE: 21MIP18404





Swamp

Wetlands 100ft Buffer

Perennial Stream 200ft Buffer

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### MBZA 12 Corey Way, Franklin MA 02038

The proposal is to add fill & loam to the below indicated area of the lawn (less than 1000 sq feet) to "lessen" the slope. Estimates from contractor have roughly 40 yards of fill/loam. The area closest to the buffer zone will be raised approximately 1-1.5ft and slope off. I am also planning on hydroseeding once all the grading is complete. The slope of the lawn will not materially change any water flow. I am also planning on adding a shed even further away from the 25' buffer zone, approx. 10x12. I am happy to plant anything necessary, however, I am not impacting any of the trees/bushes along the 25' zone. Please let me know if you have further questions.

Michael Cummings





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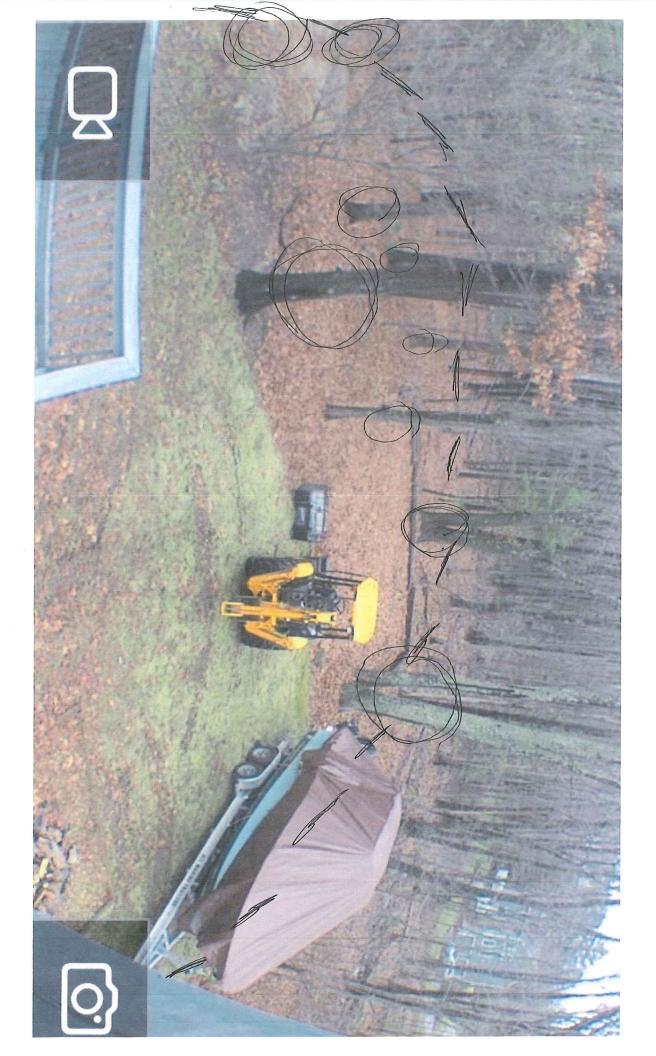
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### PROPOSED WORK RELATED TO "MBZA" SUPPLMENTAL NARRITIVES OF 9 MAPLE TREE LANE

- 1.1) To selectively remove any tree that poses a further risk to severe/total property damage or severe risk of injury or death to life
- 1.2) Area of disturbance selectively based on tree height's ability to affect primary dwelling in a way mentioned previously in section (1.1) and as defined on supplemental drawing of the proposed address.
- 1.3) See supplemental drawing of proposed address
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- 1.5) Direction of drainage from said dwelling is north
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- As stated in section (1.1), the purpose of work / activity to take place is to selectively 2.1) remove any tree that poses a further risk to severe/total property damage or severe risk of injury or death to life. During a period of extreme cold and wind weeks prior to this application, tree limbs measuring greater than 14 inches in diameter as well as trees measuring 24 inches in diameter fell, broke, and otherwise were compromised. The result was significant damage to both the infrastructure (I.E. electrical), structure (I.E. roof, windows, and siding), of both the primary structure and supplemental structure (I.E. shed). Additionally, hardscapes such as walkways, landings for dwelling entries, decks, and registered vehicles were also damaged. The determining factors for the need for activity of work for which this application is applied for is that further investigation from tree experts showcased significant rot at bifurcations in many of the surrounding trees mid-way up the trunk of the trees as the cause. Some of the trees are over 100 feet tall and directly hang over bedrooms of the proposed dwelling that fortunately didn't sustain catastrophic damage "YET". Therefore, to mitigate any further damage, including potential loss of life, the proposed activity is submitted.
- 2.2) Immediately removal of any tree(s) that pose eminent risk to property or life determined by tree experts. Selective trimming of any tree(s) that that pose eminent risk to property or life determined by tree experts.

& All work occured "Her the fact"



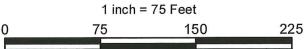


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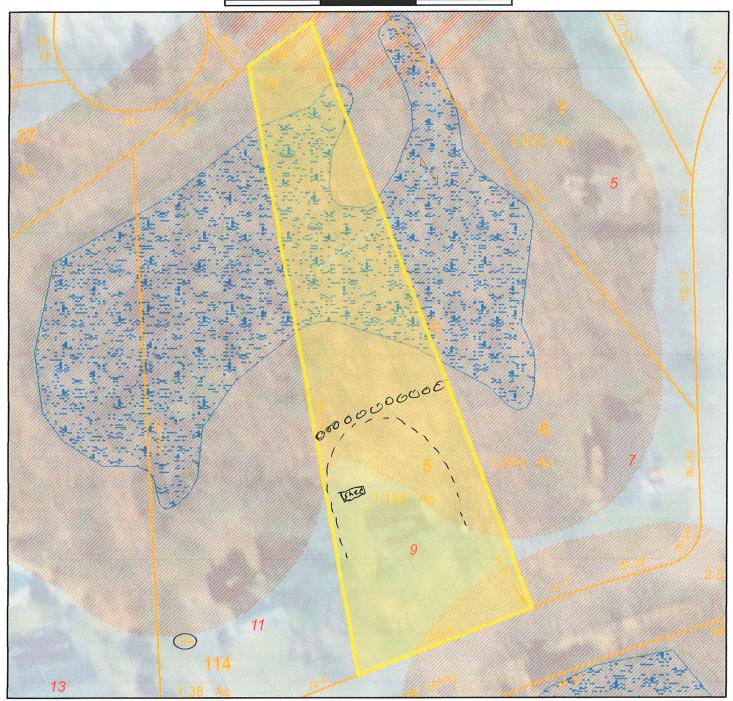
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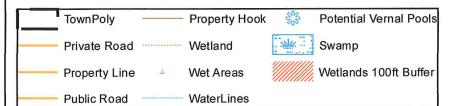


March 2, 2023



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- 2.4. The minor nature of these projects will not require the Commission to hold an advertised public hearing on the matter. The Agent shall review the application and may perform a site visit to confirm information provided in the plan, project narrative and photographs. The Agent may request additional information if s/he deems necessary. Upon review of the MBZA application, the commission may issue an approval, with or without conditions, a denial, or require the applicant to provide further information. If the commission issues a denial, the applicant shall be required to file a Notice of Intent if they wish to pursue the activity.
- 2.5. The work must conform to the plans submitted in the Minor Buffer Zone Activity application and all applicable conditions or modifications imposed by the Commission in the approval. If the applicant fails to perform the work according to the approved plan or in conformance with the applicable conditions of the approval, the permit will be revoked. Failure to conform to the plans and specifications shall constitute grounds for requiring a Notice of Intent and/or an Enforcement Action, including fines, by the Commission.
- 2.6. Upon completion of the project the applicant shall notify the Agent. The Agent shall inspect the work for and inform the Commission of the results.
- 2.7 Minor activities within Riverfront Zone, the 100' buffer zone, but not within the 25' "no touch" zone, and not within 25' of a perennial stream, may be authorized by the Conservation Agent under the following conditions:
  - 2.7.1. The proposed activity will not run counter to the interests of the Wetlands Protection Act;
  - 2.7.2. The proposed activity shall collectively not encompass more than 150 ft<sup>2</sup> of land area;
  - 2.7.3. The proposed activity shall be only those activities permitted under 310 CMR 10.02 (2) (b) as well as the removal of vegetative debris and trees;
  - 2.7.4. These activities shall be outlined on a MBZA application providing all required information and accompanied by the required filing fee;
  - 2.7.5. All decisions of the Conservation Agent may be appealed to the Conservation Commission following the procedures outlined in section 8 of these regulations;

2.7.6. The agent shall prepare and submit a report, at least monthly, to the Commission on all permits approved under this section.

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## **APPLICATION PROCESS SIGNATURE FORM**

There are three different applications that can be submitted to undertake work in a jurisdictional area: a Notice of Intent (NOI), a Request for Determination (RDA) and a Minor Buffer Zone Activity (MBZA). All three applications have different criteria for submission and approval and the NOI and RDA are governed by both the state law and the local bylaw. The MBZA is issued under the local bylaw only.

When a potential applicant requests advice from the Conservation Agent on which application to file, the opinion of the Agent is based on the information given by the potential applicant and any other information available to the Agent, e.g. the town's GIS system. The Agent has no legal right to go onto private property at any time until after an application is filed or permission of the property owner is given.

It is important that all applicants understand that after an application is filed, additional information may come to light e.g. via a field inspection or a review of the application, that may impact the scope of the submitted application and the approval process. Therefore, it is the ultimate responsibility of the applicant to decide which application to file.

In light of the above, please sign below indicating an understanding of this policy and submit it with the application.

Signature of Property Owner

Date

## **Town of Franklin Conservation Commission**

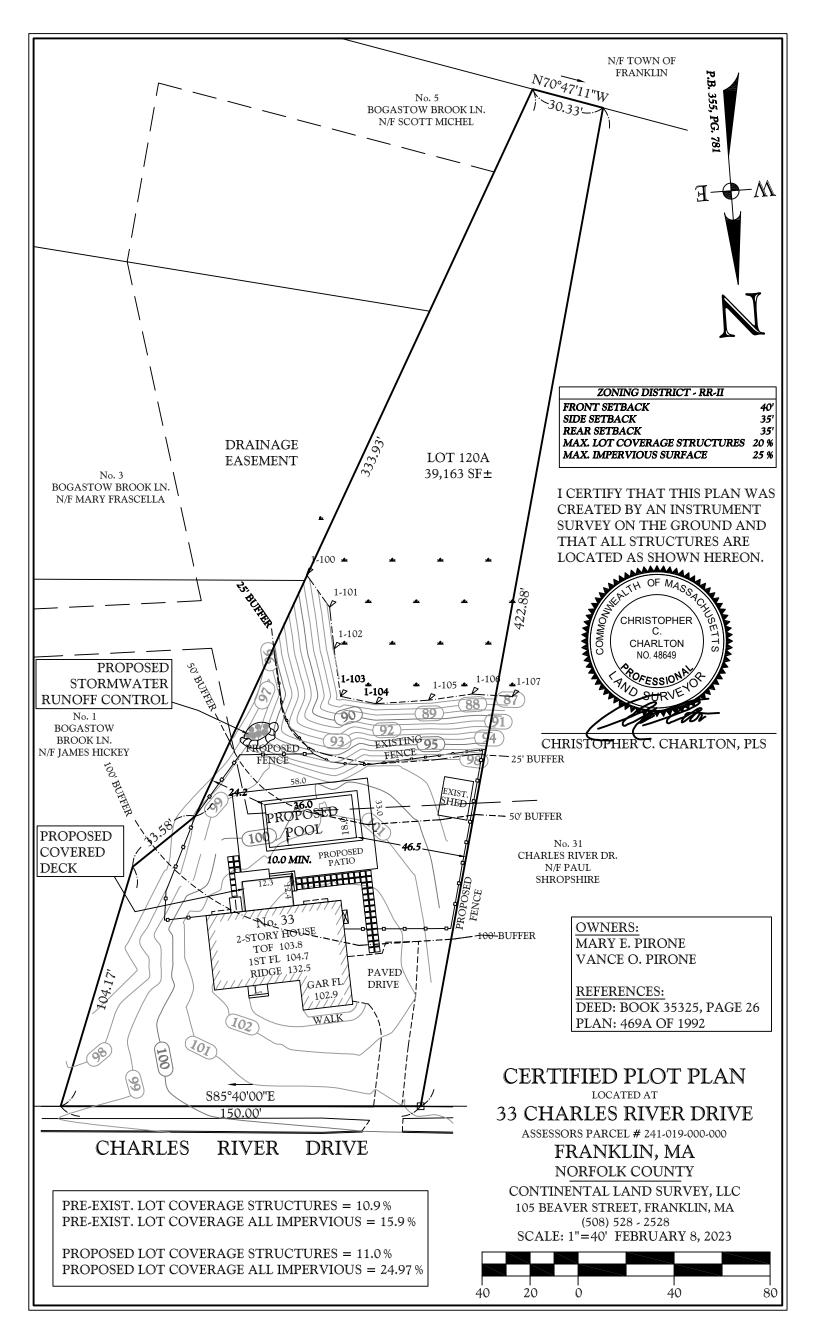
## LOCAL FILING FEE CALCULATION WORKSHEET

1.	NOTICE OF INTENT (NOI)		
1.1.	New Individual Single Family Home (SFH) This includes all projects associated with a SFH	\$200.00	E .
1.2.	Work Associated with Existing Residential Property Above-ground pools, fences or other incidental projects involving land disturbance that are not covered by the	\$50.00	X
1.3.	Control of Nuisance Vegetation  This category shall not apply to any non-natural deposition of material e.g. vegetative debris	50.00	
1.4.	Subdivisions		
	Infrastructure in Buffer Zone <b>or</b> Resource Area Roads *Drainage Structures Wetland Resource Area Disturbed square fee	et x \$0.50= _	
	(If single family homes are proposed as part of a subdi- application, for each house in jurisdiction, individual NC		ply.)
<b>1.5. Multifamily Dwellings, including Condominium Units</b> :MFDU x \$100.00			
1.6.	Commercial/Industrial		
	Base Fee \$ Infrastructure in Buffer Zone <b>or</b> Resource Area	6600.00	

	Roads	linear feet x \$2.00	=
	*Drainage Structures Wetland Resource Area Disturbed _	X \$10.00 each	=
		X \$125 each	=
	All Accessory Improvements	\$100.00	=
2.	REQUEST FOR DETERMINATION (RD.	A)	\$100.00
3.	MINOR BUFFER ZONE ACTIVITY (MB	ZA)	\$50.00
4.	ABBREVIATED NOTICE OF RESOURCE (ANRAD)	E AREA DETERMINAT	ION
		oot/resource area:	=
5.	OTHER PERMITS/SERVICES		
	Order of Conditions Extension Certificate of Compliance Request Certificate Re-Inspection Status Letter for Financial Institution Permit Amendment	\$50.00 \$50.00 \$50.00 \$100.00 \$100.00	
6.	FILING FEE CALCULATION		
	<b>Town Share of State Fees</b> (See NOI We Fee Transmittal Form)	etland \$	
	Local Filing Fee Calculated Above	\$_	
	TOTAL Due Town of Franklin (Check	No.1) \$	
	State Share of Filing Fee (See NOI Wet Fee Transmittal Form) TOTAL Due DEP (Check No. 2)	cland \$	
7.	ADVERTISING FEE (Check No. 3) The fee will be the exact amount the news		TBD
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advertisement. Once the advertisement is placed with the paper, by the Conservation Commission, the applicant will be notified of the cost and will be expected to submit a check for that exact amount, payable to the Town of Franklin, to the Conservation Department prior to the first hearing.

<sup>\*</sup>Drainage structures: catch basins, manholes, leaching basins, gutter inlet or any other man-made structure (other than a pipe) for purposes of controlling drainage.



2,000 GALLON TWO-COMPARTMENT SEPTIC TANK

FOUNDATION

<u>8</u> Ш

DATE 6/23/22

(330 GPD MIN.)

48"

179.0 8.0' 171.0 175.0

REQUIRED NOT REQUIRED IF ANY PORTION OF THE PROPOSED LEACHING AREA IS LOCATED ABOVE EXISTING GRADE OR WITHIN TOPSOIL, PEAT OR OTHER UNSUITABLE OR IMPERVIOUS SOIL LAYER, THEN THE PLACEMENT OF FILL IS REQUIRED. PRIOR TO THE PLACEMENT OF FILL. ALL UNSUITABLE OR IMPERMEABLE SOILS SHALL BE EXCAVATED TO A MINIMUM OF FIVE FEET LATERALLY IN ALL DIRECTIONS BEYOND THE OUTER PERIMETER OF THE SOIL ABSORPTION SYSTEM TO THE DEPTH OF NATURALLY OCCURRING PERVIOUS MATERIAL. FILL MATERIAL SHALL BE SELECT, ON-SITE OR IMPORTED SOIL, CONSISTING OF CLEAN GRANULAR SAND, FREE FROM ORGANIC MATTER AND OTHER DELETERIOUS SUBSTANCES. MIXTURES AND LAYERS OF DIFFERENT SOIL CLASSES SHALL NOT BE USED. THE FILL SHALL NOT CONTAIN ANY MATERIAL LARGER THAN 2 INCHES. A SIEVE ANALYSIS USING A #4 SIEVE, SHALL BE PERFORMED ON A REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE OF THE FILL. UP TO 45% BY WEIGHT OF THE FILL SAMPLE MAY BE RETAINED IN THE #4 SIEVE. SIEVE ANALYSES SHALL ALSO BE PERFORMED ON THE FRACTION OF FILL SAMPLE PASSING THE #4 SIEVE. SUCH ANALYSES MUST DEMONSTRATE THAT THE MATERIAL

SIEVE SIZE	EFFECTIVE PARTICLE SIZE	% THAT MUST PASS SIEVE
# 4	4.75 MM	100%
# 50	0.30 MM	10%–100%
#100	0.15 MM	0%–20%
#200	0.075 MM	0%–5%

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