

Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

WPA Form 8A – Request for Certificate of Compliance

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

DEP File Number:

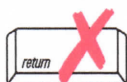
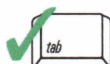
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A. Project Information

Important:

When filling out forms on the computer, use only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return key.



Upon completion of the work authorized in an Order of Conditions, the property owner must request a Certificate of Compliance from the issuing authority stating that the work or portion of the work has been satisfactorily completed.

1. This request is being made by:

Erich Berantuo

Name

690 Stafford Street

Mailing Address

Rochdale

MA

01542

City/Town

State

Zip Code

(347) 241-9661

Phone Number

2. This request is in reference to work regulated by a final Order of Conditions issued to:

Erich Berantuo

Applicant

12/18/2020

197-0620

Dated

DEP File Number

3. The project site is located at:

690 Stafford Street

Rochdale

Street Address

City/Town

36

A1

Assessors Map/Plat Number

Parcel/Lot Number

4. The final Order of Conditions was recorded at the Registry of Deeds for:

(Same as above)

Property Owner (if different)

Worcester

55543

385

County

Book

Page

Certificate (if registered land)

5. This request is for certification that (check one):

☒ the work regulated by the above-referenced Order of Conditions has been satisfactorily completed.

☐ the following portions of the work regulated by the above-referenced Order of Conditions have been satisfactorily completed (use additional paper if necessary).

☐ the above-referenced Order of Conditions has lapsed and is therefore no longer valid, and the work regulated by it was never started.



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A. Project Information (cont.)

6. Did the Order of Conditions for this project, or the portion of the project subject to this request, contain an approval of any plans stamped by a registered professional engineer, architect, landscape architect, or land surveyor?

☒ Yes

If yes, attach a written statement by such a professional certifying substantial compliance with the plans and describing what deviation, if any, exists from the plans approved in the Order.

☐ No

B. Submittal Requirements

Requests for Certificates of Compliance should be directed to the issuing authority that issued the final Order of Conditions (OOC). If the project received an OOC from the Conservation Commission, submit this request to that Commission. If the project was issued a Superseding Order of Conditions or was the subject of an Adjudicatory Hearing Final Decision, submit this request to the appropriate DEP Regional Office (see <http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/massdep/about/contacts/find-the-massdep-regional-office-for-your-city-or-town.html>).

EXISTING GRADE, INC.

Land Surveyors - Civil Engineers

October 15, 2020

Ms. Tiffany Peters
Dept. Assistant Leicester Conservation Commission
3 Washburn Square
Leicester, MA 01524

**Re: Certificate of Compliance Request
Assessor Map 36 Parcel A1
690 Stafford Street
Leicester, MA 01542
DEP File #192-0620**

Dear Ms. Peters:

Existing Grade Inc. (EGI) conducted a site inspection of 690 Stafford Street, Leicester MA on Saturday, October 10, 2020. The inspection was conducted to ensure the site was and has been in compliance with Order of Conditions DEP File #192-0620, recorded at the Worcester County Registry of Deeds in Book 58224 Page 244, dated 12/21/2017.

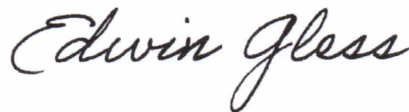
EGI found the site and construction activities during the project to be in accordance with the order of conditions issued.

It is the opinion of EGI that the site is currently in compliance with the design plans and the Order of Conditions filed at the Worcester County Registry of Deeds. All the required wetland restoration and replication work has been satisfactorily completed and the final Certificate of Compliance should be issued.

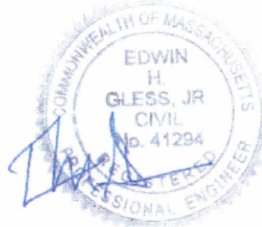
If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

EXISTING GRADE INC.



Edwin H. Gless, P.E., P.L.S.



62 Riedell Road
Douglas, MA 01516
(508) 694-6501

Site: 690 Stafford Street, Rochdale
Applicant: Erich Berantuo



Photo 1 taken by EBT, Inc. on 7/9/2019 – Showing replication area which had been planted on 5/20/2019 and repaired on 7/9/2020



Photo 2 taken by EBT, Inc. on 9/4/2020 – Showing well established wetland replication area growing where all the woody plants planted (see attached list of woody plants) are thriving and the Wetmix containing Spotted Joe Pye Weed, Soft Rush, Lurid Sedge, etc (see attached NEWP Wetmix species list).



Photo 3 taken by EBT, Inc. on 7/17/2020 – Showing restoration area at the southwestern end of the newly asphalted area adjacent to Stafford Street where fill had been removed down to the original A Horizon. Now growing with a mix of upland and wetland herbaceous plants.

EBT, Inc. oversaw the replication area and the restoration area. Both sites on the property are well established with woody and/or herbaceous vegetation and the soils in the replication area 12" down are 2.5Y 4/2 and 2.5Y 4/3 with redox = hydric.

THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING NEW ENGLAND WETLAND PLANTS, INC AS YOUR SUPPLIER OF NEW ENGLAND PROVENANCE
NATIVE PLANTS, NATIVE SEED MIXES, AND EROSION CONTROL PRODUCTS.

NEW ENGLAND WETLAND PLANTS, INC

820 WEST STREET, AMHERST, MA 01002

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New England Wetmix (Wetland Seed Mix)

Botanical Name	Common Name	Indicator
<i>Carex vulpinoidea</i>	Fox Sedge	OBL
<i>Carex scoparia</i>	Blunt Broom Sedge	FACW
<i>Carex lurida</i>	Lurid Sedge	OBL
<i>Carex lupulina</i>	Hop Sedge	OBL
<i>Poa palustris</i>	Fowl Bluegrass	FACW
<i>Bidens frondosa</i>	Beggar Ticks	FACW
<i>Scirpus atrovirens</i>	Green Bulrush	OBL
<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	Swamp Milkweed	OBL
<i>Carex crinita</i>	Fringed Sedge	OBL
<i>Vernonia noveboracensis</i>	New York Ironweed	FACW+
<i>Juncus effusus</i>	Soft Rush	FACW+
<i>Aster lateriflorus (Symphyotrichum lateriflorum)</i>	Starved/Calico Aster	FACW
<i>Iris versicolor</i>	Blue Flag	OBL
<i>Glyceria grandis</i>	American Mannagrass	OBL
<i>Mimulus ringens</i>	Square Stemmed Monkey Flower	OBL
<i>Eupatorium maculatum (Eutrochium maculatum)</i>	Spotted Joe Pye Weed	OBL

PRICE PER LB. \$135.00 MIN. QUANTITY 1 LBS. **TOTAL:** \$135.00

APPLY: 18 LBS/ACRE :2500 sq ft/lb

The New England Wetmix (Wetland Seed Mix) contains a wide variety of native seeds that are suitable for most wetland restoration sites that are not permanently flooded. All species are best suited to moist ground as found in most wet meadows, scrub shrub, or forested wetland restoration areas. The mix is well suited for detention basin borders and the bottom of detention basins not generally under standing water. The seeds will not germinate under inundated conditions. If planted during the fall months the seed mix will germinate the following spring. During the first season of growth several species will produce seeds while other species will produce seeds after the second growing season. Not all species will grow in all wetland situations. This mix is comprised of the wetland species most likely to grow in created/restored wetlands and should produce more than 75% ground cover in two full growing seasons.

The wetland seeds in this mix can be sown by hand, with a hand-held spreader, or hydro-seeded on large or hard to reach sites. Lightly rake to insure good seed-to-soil contact. Seeding can take place on frozen soil, as the freezing and thawing weather of late fall and late winter will work the seed into the soil. If spring conditions are drier than usual watering may be required. If sowing during the summer months supplemental watering will likely be required until germination. A light mulch of clean, weed free straw is recommended.

New England Wetland Plants, Inc. may modify seed mixes at any time depending upon seed availability. The design criteria and ecological function of the mix will remain unchanged. Price is \$/bulk pound, FOB warehouse, Plus SH and applicable taxes.