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July 26, 2018 Revised August 11, 2018

Conservation Commission Town Hall 101 Main Street, 2nd Floor Ashland, MA 01721

Re: **Stormwater Management Permit for 128 Main Street in Ashland, MA**

Dear Sir/Madam:

On behalf of Mr. Carlos Hanzi, we are pleased to submit this application of Stormwater Management Permit for proposed redevelopment at 128 Main Street in Ashland, MA. Enclosed, please find the following related materials:

- 1. Project Narrative, which includes:
	- Existing Condition
	- Proposed Condition
	- List of Required Permits and/or Approvals
	- Earth Removal/Fill Calculations
- 2. Stormwater Management Application Form
- 3. Sample Notice of Public Hearing
- 4. Abutters List
- 5. Copy of requisite fee check (\$1,250)
- 6. Recorded Deed
- 7. Flood Control and Stormwater Management report July 26, 2018, which includes:
	- Operation and Maintenance Plan for Stormwater BMPs as Appendix E
- 8. Site plans by Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC July 26, 2018

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Thank you.

Sincerely, Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC by

Desheng Wang, Ph.D., P.E.

Civil & Hydraulic Engineer

cc: Mr. Carlos Hanzi, 21 Loring Dr., Ashland, MA 01721

6. Project Narrative

Existing Condition

The project site, known as 128 Main Street, a total of 0.357 acres of land, currently hosts one building with mixed of commercial and residential uses with paved driveway and dirt parking lot. There are no stormwater management systems currently located on the property. The total impervious area including roof and driveway is 0.28 acres (includes 0.099 acers of dirt parking area).

Proposed Condition

The proposed redevelopment is to demolish the existing building and erect a mixed use 3-story building containing 15 residential units (one on first floor, 7 each on $2nd$ and $3rd$ floors) and a commercial space on the first floor. The total impervious area will be 0.336 acres including roof, driveway, and parking space. Stormwater management system that meets 10 MA DEP stormwater management standards will be provided including runoff collection, pre-treatment and treatment and peak and volume control. The proposed condition will be an improvement to the existing condition. The building will be on slab and does not have a basement.

Required Permits

 -ZBA special permit for height waiver

-Conservation Commission – SMP

-Building Department – building permit

Earth Removal/Fill Calculations

The proposed site will be kept with similar grading except for the excavation of the building footing and stormwater management infiltration trench:

Earth Removal/Fill Calculations

А. **Application for a Stormwater Management Permit**

SMP#

Refer to the "Stormwater Management Regulations" available from the Conservation Commission for details on the information and fees required for this application. Contact the Commission at 508-881-0100 x656 with any questions concerning the Regulations. Incomplete applications may be denied.

Please type or print your application.

- 1. Location and Street Address of Site 128 Main Street Name of Proposed Development Comercial and resendential mixed
- 2. Applicant's Name: Carlos Hanzi Address: 21 Loring Dive, Ashland, MA 01721 Telephone 781-726-2008
- 3. Record Owner's Name: Benito R & Bernice C. Alberini Address: 120 West Union Street, Ashland, MA 01721 Telephone
- 4. Zoning District(s) of Parcel(s) ADDC (031-Multiuse-com) Town Atlas Map(s)/ Parcel Number(s) 14-150
- 5 a) Total Area of Development 0.357 ac. b) Total Area of Land Disturbed 0.357 ac.
	- c) Total area of land disturbed with slope of 15% of greater 0 d) Percent of impervious

land 96% e) Total gross floor area of buildings proposed 18,258

f) Method of sewage disposal public sewer

The undersigned hereby apply to the Conservation Commission for a public hearing and an SMP under the Bylaw.

The undersigned hereby certify that the information on this application and plans submitted herewith is correct, and that the application complies with all applicable provisions of Statutes. Regulations, and Bylaws to the best of his/her knowledge. The above is subscribed to and executed by the undersigned under the penalties of perjury in accordance with Section 1-A of Chapter 268, General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Signature of Petitioner(s)

Signature of Petitioner(s)

RECORD OWNER'S KNOWLEDGE AND CONSENT

I hereby assert that I have knowledge of and give my consent to the application presented above.

Signature of Re $Owner(s)$

Signature of Record Owner(s)

 $7.12.18$

Date

B. Notice of Public Hearing

In accordance with the provisions of the Ashland Stormwater Management Bylaw, the Ashland Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on August 27 , 2018 at 7:30 P.M., in the Ashland Town Hall, 101 Main Street, Ashland, MA on the petition of Carlos Hanzi **For approval of a Stormwater Management Permit for the parcel** located at 128 Main Street and shown on Town Assessor Map 14 , parcel 150 .

C. STORMWATER MANAGEMENT PERMIT ELIGIBILITY WORKSHEET

If you checked "No" for all of the above, **STOP**. The Ashland Stormwater Management Bylaw does not apply to your project. If you checked "**Yes**" or "**Maybe**" for any of the above, you **may** be required to meet the requirements of Ashland's Stormwater Management Bylaw. **Proceed to Question 2.**

2. If you meet one of the following descriptions, you are exempt from Ashland's Stormwater Management Bylaw:

If you checked any of the boxes in Question 2, STOP. You are exempt from Ashland's Stormwater Management Bylaw. If you do not meet any of these exemptions, you will need to apply for a Stormwater Management Permit.

July 17, 2018

To The Conservation Commission Benito R. and Bernice C. Alberini Abutters To Map 14 Parcel 150 128-132 Main Street

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Flood Impact Analysis and Stormwater Management 128 Main Street Ashland, MA

August 10, 2018

Prepared for:

Carlos Hanzi 12 Loring Drive Ashland, MA 01721

Prepared by:

Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC P.O. Box 584 Southborough, MA 01772

By

Desheng Wang, Ph.D., P.E. Sr. Environmental/Hydraulic Engineer

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1.0 Introduction

A mixed commercial and residential redevelopment is proposed at 128 Main Street in Ashland. The site is in Asland downtown district C (ADDC). Except for the frontage with Main Street, the site is bordered by commercial properties on two sides and a cemetery to the rear. See Figure 1 for site locus.

The property is shaped like a trapezoid. It is not located in floodplain or within the 100-foot buffer of a bordering vegetated wetland (BVW). It currently host a 2-story wood framed building of mixed use of residential and commercial and associated driveway, dirt parking, and fringe lawn. The proposed redevelopment is to replace the existing building with a new three story building and renovated the driveway, parking lot with up to date stormwater management system. No stormwater management system existed on site. The runoff mostly sheds to the south and collected by a catch basin on the southerly off site property. A small area drains to the Main street drainage system. Upon request of project proponent, Carlos Hanzi, Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC (CLAWE) devised the flood control and stormwater management plan for the site to satisfy the requirements of the ten DEP stormwater management standards and Ashland bylaw and regulations. This report presents the results.

2.0 Flood Condition Analyses and Flood Control

Since there is no work proposed beyond the tree line marked by the edge of lawn and the chain link fence on the south side, the drainage study area is limited to the area encircled by the tree line and property lines at the north, west and east. In general, the site drains easterly to the rear toward the BVW. There are no flood control or storwatrer management structures under the existing conditions at the project site. bBased on the drainage pattern, the control point for flood control calculations is set at the eastern property line. The following is s a summary of the land uses within the study area.

Table 1. Land Use table

NRCS soil survey map (Figure 2) indicates the soils of the site are Udorthents urban complex soil. Our field soil testing showed the soil is gravely coarse medium sand, well drained Hydrologic Class A soils. A total three deep hole soil test pits were excavated on the site to collect groundwater and soil permeability data for the stormwater management system design. See site plan for locations. Based on field inspections, the high groundwater table is more than 11 ft below ground surface. See soil logs for details. Two constant head tests were conducted in the proposed infiltration trench area to determine the infiltration rate. Half of the tested infiltration rate of average rate was used for the design. Detailed soil log can be found in Appendix D.

For the proposed conditions, the flood control will be achieved by an infiltration trench at the rear parking lot. Pretreatment for the infiltration trench is proved by a distribution manhole and oil/grit separator. The following is a diagram for the drainage model. The drainage divide and details of the infiltration trench, distribution manhole, oil/grit separator, and can be found in figures 3 to 9. More details of the design features can be found on the engineering plan by Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC dated July 26, 2018.

The flood conditions under both existing and proposed conditions are summarized in Table 2. Detailed data and calculations area presented in Appendix A.

Table 2 Summary of Peak Runoffs Leaving the Project Site

As indicated in Table 2 and Table 3, the results of flood control are satisfactory.

3.0 Stormwater Management

This section demonstrates that the drainage design satisfies all ten DEP stormwater management standards.

Standard #1: Untreated Stormwater

No untreated stormwater from the proposed project area will be discharged to downgradient areas for the proposed conditions. Runoff from paved area will be adequately treated before overflowing to downgradient area. The treatment train includes deep sump catchbasins equipped with oil traps, modified manhole, oil/grit separator and infiltration trench. The following table is a summary of infiltration routing.

Table 3. Summary of Trench Routing

Standard #2: Post-Development Peak Discharge Rates

Stormwater controls have been designed for 2, 10, 25, and 100-year storms according to both state and town regulations. The post-development peak discharge rates and volumes with flood control do not exceed pre-development rates on the site at the downgradient discharge points. See Tables 2 for details.

Standard #3: Recharge to Groundwater

The soils on the site are hydrologic class A soils based on *in-situ* soil evaluations. The required infiltration will be 0.6 inches of runoff per storm from increased impervious areas. However, the system is designed to meet the recharge requirement as an new project. Given the total impervious area of 0.315 acre, the required recharge volume is calculated as 687 ft^3 . The recharge trench as designed has a total capacity of 40272 ft^3 , which is more than the required recharge volume and satisfies Standard 3. See Appendix C for details.

Standard # 4: Water Quality

(a) Water Quality Volume. The water quality treatment volume for runoff from paved area is provided by distribution manhole, oil/grit separator, and the infiltration trench. The storage volume in the system is more than 40272 ft³, much larger than the required 1143 ft³ based on 1-inch rule over total impervious area.

(b) TSS Removal. The BMPs used for the proposed project to enhance water quality include: deep sump catch basins with oil trap, oil/grit separator with modified distribution manhole, and an infiltration trench.

The TSS removal rate for the paved area will be 99%. The overall TSS removal rate including roof and lawn will be 95%. See the attached calculation sheets in Appendix C for details.

Standard # 5: Higher Potential Pollutant Loads

The proposed land use will not have higher potential pollutant loads. Given the large volume for stormwater treatment, the site should have a lower pollutant load compared with the existing conditions. See Appendix C for details. Oil traps will be added to all on-site catchbasins.

Standard #6: Protection of Critical Areas

The site does not contain or in the vicinity of any of the critical resource areas as listed below:

- Surface drinking water supplies, certified vernal pools, Areas of Critical Environmental Concern;
- Shellfish growing areas;
- Public swimming beaches;
- Cold water fisheries.

The proposed stormwater management facilities will promote groundwater recharge and reduce flood impacts.

Standard #7: Redevelopment Projects

The proposed project is a redevelopment. The proposed stormwater management will meet all ten DEP stormwater standards (2008). As proposed, the project will provide better water quality and mitigated flood impact to downgraident areas.

Standard #8: Erosion/Sediment Control

Staked wattles and silt fences will be installed at the downgradient limit of work before any excavation starts. Six-inch thick of 3"-4" crushed stones should be spread at the entrance from the existing roadway to the project site to prevent mud from escaping the site during construction. Any sediment tracked to Main Street should be swept promptly. The detailed in the plans.

Standard #9: Long-term Operation/Maintenance Plan

See Appendix E for details.

Standard #10: Illicit Discharges

There are no existing illicit discharges into stormwater system and there will be no illicit discharges under 310 CMR 10.04 will be allowed for proposed conditions. This is emphasized in the Operation and Maintenance Plan.

4.0 Summary

Flood control and stormwater management have been designed to meet the latest stormwater BMPs standards. The design satisfies all ten stormwater management standards as required in the MA DEP Stormwater Management Regulation and Ashland by-law. Here are some of the highlights:

- Proposed peak flows for 2-year to 100-year storm events will not exceed the existing conditions;
- The street flooding in downgradient will be significantly mitigated;
- Overall Total suspended solids (TSS) removal rate will be 95%;
- The capacity for water quality treatment and groundwater recharge exceeds DEP requirements.

Figures

Figure 1: Site Locus Figure 2: NRCS Soil Map Figure 3a: Drainage Divide- Existing Conditions Figure 3a: Drainage Divide- Proposed Conditions Figure 4: Flow Distribution Design Figure 5: Detail of Infiltration Trench Figure 6: Storage Indication Table _ Infiltration Trench Figure 7: Stormwater Management schematic layout

Figure 3a: Watershed divide: Existing Condition

Figure 3b: Watershed divide: Proposed Condition

Flow Distribution Design in the Front Parking Lot

Elevation View (N.T.S)

Figure 4: Flow Distribution Design

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Figure 5: Detail of Infiltration Trench

STORAGE INDICATION ANALYSIS _ INFILTRATION TRENCH

Storage-Indication Curve

Figure 6: Storage Indication Table _ Infiltration Trench

Figure 7: Stormwater Management schematic layout

Appendix A: PEAK FLOW AND PEAK HYDROGRAPH CALCULATIONS

Computer Model HEC-HMS was used for the calculations of peak flow, unit hydrograph. The input data are summarized in Table A-1.

Table A-1 Summary of Input Parameter

a: I, initial abstraction = $0.2 \times (1000CN-10)$ as specified in TR55 b: $lag = 0.6 \times TC$

Detailed land use table, calculation sheets of CN and TC, and output report of HEC-HMS are on the following pages.

Imperviousness (%): 71.481

Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC **Subject: SCS MODIFIED SOIL COVER COMPLEX METHOD**

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Appendix B: FLOOD ROUTING CALCULATIONS FOR STORAGE AREAS

On the following pages, are the results of flood routing calculations by Storage-Indication method. We prefer this classical technique to the short cut methods because the assumptions for the short cut methods are often violated in real drainage areas.

The computation is carried out by HEC-HMS.

STORAGE INDICATION ANALYSIS _ INFILTRATION TRENCH

(1) Half of average tested or lesser of the tested rate.

Storage-Indication Curve

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Appendix C: CALCULATIONS OF STORMWATER QUALITY CONTROL¹

1. Infiltration Pond

In current Best Management Practices, extended infiltration ponds are one of the most widely used methods. We have used the most recent studies (Schueler 1987, 1992, Urbonas and Stahre 1993) on stormwater quality control by extended infiltration ponds (EDP) to calculate nutrient load. The results are used as a basis for the designs of sediment forebays and water treatment pools. Information on pollutant concentration from runoff (EPA 1983) is used. Pollutant loads from predevelopment and postdevelopment are calculated and compared. Removal efficiency is calculated based on long-term average results from typical basins, U.S. EPA (1986), and adapted to reflect modifications of Walker (1986) and short term dynamic effect. A generalized formula is provided in the following (Wang and Carr 1996):

$$
Pr = Prmax(I - \frac{1}{1 + Vi^{np}}) \text{.} \text{fr}
$$
 (1)

in which, $Pr =$ pollutant removal rate $(\%)$;

Prmax = maximum pollutant removal rate $(\%);$

 $Vi = ratio of designed water treatment volume to the runoff volume from mean storm$ (about 0.5 inches rainfall);

 $np = power coefficient, 1.4$ is used in this study.

fr = residence time coefficient to reflect the dynamic effect.

$$
fr = 1 - [1 + \frac{V_s t}{nh}]^{-n}
$$
 (2)

where, $n =$ turbulence or short circuiting constant (Fair and Geyer 1954), $n = 1$ for poor performance,

 $n = 3$ for good performance, $n > 5$ for very good, and $n = 4$ for ideal performance;

 $Vs = effective$ settling velocity, ft/hr.

- $t =$ residence time, hr;
- h = average depth of the pond, ft.

Some Prmax values for some pollutants are summarized here:

These removal rates do not include the effect of swales or sediment sumps in catch basins. Removal rates of trace metals can be different due to the form of the metal. The particulate forms of metals are

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easy to remove. The soluble forms of metals are usually more difficult to remove. However, significant parts of soluble metals appear to adsorb to sediment particles and settle out of the water column. 60% removal rate was estimated in a case when 80% of zinc is in soluble form (Schueler 1987). The following table shows the removal rates of selected pollutants for a typical extended infiltration pond with a water treatment volume of 2.5 times the average runoff volume.

Table A.1: Fact Sheet of Standard Extended Infiltration Ponds (SEDP) (Schueler 1987, 1992)

* Based on field studies by EPA (1981), Grizzard et al. (1986).

The SEDP requires that a pond volume equal the runoff volume of a rainfall event with exceedance frequency 90%.

The summary of calculations is presented below.

Standard Pond Volume (Treatment Volume, in acre-ft) (Schueler 1987, 1992):

$$
Vp=[(P)(Pj)(Rv)/12]A \qquad (3)
$$

Total Pollutant Load in lbs:

$$
L=[(P)(Pj)(Rv)/12](A) (C) (2.72)
$$
 (4)

where, P $=R$ ainfall depth (inches); P i =correction factor, equals the accumulative frequency of rainfall events; Rv=runoff coefficient, =0.05 + 0.009I; I= Imperviousness $(\%)$; A = watershed area (Acre); L= pollutant load (lbs); $C =$ pollutant concentration (mg/l).

Sediment forebay is designed to hold 5 years accumulation of TSS. Once a year or once every two years cleanup of the forebay is recommended. In addition, 24 hrs or longer infiltration time is recommended to achieve predicted removal rate (Schueler 1987, Urbonas and Stahre 1993). Most coarse particles are supposed to be trapped by sediment forebay. For a given site condition, the area of the forebay can be determined by the following equation which was derived by the Washington State Department of Ecology from the Camp-Hazen equation (Washington State Department of Ecology, 1992 and Chen, 1975):

$$
A_s = -\left(\frac{Q_o}{\omega}\right)^* Ln(1 - E) \tag{5}, \qquad \text{where:}
$$

 A_s = sediment forebay or basin surface area (ft²);

 $E =$ target removal efficiency of suspended solids;

- ω = particle settling velocity; for target particle size (silt) use settling velocity = 0.0004 ft/sec for a site with imperviousness larger or equal to 75% and 0.0003 ft/sec for imperviousness $< 75\%$;
- Q_0 = rate of outflow form the basin; which is equal to the water quality volume divided by the infiltration time (t_d) .

Besides the above mentioned pollutants, it has been reported that an order of magnitude reduction in bacterial counts after 32 hours of infiltration occurs (Whipple and Hunter 1981). Also, about 60 - 70% removal of hydrocarbons was reported over the same interval.

In addition to the pond attenuation abilites, marshes are used to provide extra treatment and purification for the water passing through them. Tables A.2 and A.3 provide average removal rates for selected pollutants from typical marshes.

Contaminant	Uptake (lbs/acre/yr)		
TP	9.7 to 358.7		
TN	456.3 to 2340.7		
Cu	0.32		
Zn	0.53		
Mn	12.16		

Table A.2 Uptake Potentials of Cattail (Typha latifolia) Marshes (Chan et al 1982)

 Table A.3 Uptake Potentials and Removal Rate of Free Water Surface Marshes (Reed 1990) Contaminant Uptake (lbs/acre/yr) Removal Rate (%)

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2. Catch Basins

 Catch basins are to be equipped with sediment sumps and oil/grease traps. Regularly maintained and cleaned catch basins can remove significant amounts of pollutants. Table A.4 presents an average removal rate of selected pollutants from catch basin sumps (Aronson et al 1983).

Table A.4 Average Removal Rates of Catch Basins for Selected Contaminants

 $*$ P = Phosphates; TM = Total metals.

References:

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TSS Removal Calcualtion Worksheet

* WQS = water quality swale; WQI = water Qality inlet; EDB = extended detention basin. DSCB = deep sump catch basin; SW = sweeping; DW=drywell; $IT =$ infiltration trench.

 $FB =$ sediment Forebay; $CW =$ constructed wetland, $RB =$ retention basin, $WB =$ wet basin IB = Infiltration Basin

Reference: MADEP (2008) Stormwater Management, Volume I & II.

** Rate calculated based on actual design volume.

TSS Removal Calcualtion Worksheet

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Reference: MADEP (2008) Stormwater Management, Volume I & II.

** Rate calculated based on actual design volume.

TSS Removal Calculations for Water Quality Inlet or Oil/Grit Separator

*Particle size distribution according to NJDEP (clay, silt, sand)
Removal rate = 1 - e $\frac{(V\text{s}/h)\text{Td}}{I}$

Assumption: 0.5" first flush contains 80-85% of the total TSS in runoff **600-85%** of the total TSS in runoff **6**

1.0" runoff contains 90-95% of the total TSS in runoff
 EXPASS for above design flow should be provided to avoid resuspension. $6"\uparrow$ Bypass for above design flow should be provided to avoid resuspension.

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References:

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U.S. EPA (1986) Methodology for Analysis of Detention Basins for Control of Urban Runoff Quality,
Nonpoint Source Branch, Office of Water, Washington, D.C., EPA -440-5-87-001.

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APPENDIX D: INFILTRATION CALCULATIONS

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This appendix presents the calculation method for an infiltration rate. The whole method includes: effective infiltration area, infiltration rate, and water quality benefit. It is noted that infiltration facilities should only be used in very permeable soils.

1.0 Effective Infiltration Area

To keep an infiltration facility functioning, the most important thing is to prevent sediment from entering the effective infiltration area. It is recommended that storm runoff be pretreated by sediment sumps before be discharged to the infiltration facility. If a basin does become severely clogged, partial or complete replacement of the structure may be required [1]. It is recommended that for an infiltration facility such as an infiltration basin, only the sides of the basin should be used as the effective infiltration area. The reason for this is that the bottom eventually is sealed by the accumulation of sediments. For a recharge galley or infiltration basin filled with crushed stone, the bottom area can be counted as part of the effective area, providing there is a sump with access for sediment removal.

2.0 Design of the Basin

There are two aspects to consider in the design of an infiltration basin: one is the function in reducing runoff peak flow; the other is stormwater quality control. Water quality control is controlled by the volume of the basin. The peak flow is controlled by the infiltration rate of the basin. The infiltration rate of a basin is determined by the on-site soil condition and the size of the basin.

2.1 Volume of the Basin

To maximize the pollutant attenuation, the volume of the infiltration basin can be designed as large as possible. However, studies (Griffin et al., 1980; MD WRA, 1986) showed that a great port of pollutant loads is delivered during the early part of storms or the first flush of the storm. The first flush storm is the runoff due to the first half of an inch of rain. To store this part of runoff is the key to achieve better stormwater quality. Two basic rules are commonly used to determine the basin volume for water quality benefit. The first rule is to size the basin storage volume as 0.5 inches of runoff volume per impervious acre in the contributing watershed (MD WPA, 1986), using

$$
V = 0.5 * A * Imp
$$

where, $V =$ Volume of the porous of the basin (ac-in);

A = Watershed area (acre);

Imp = fraction of site imperviousness.

The second rule is to size the basin so that it is capable of storing runoff produced from a one inch storm over the contributing watershed (Schueler 1987), using

$V = 1.0 R_v A$

where, $R_v =$ Runoff coefficient, $R_v = 0.05 + 0.009$ (*I*); $I =$ the percent of site imperviousness.

The expected pollutant removal rate for a basin with this design volume is presented in the following table.

Table A.1: Estimated Long-term Pollutant Removal Rate (%) for Full Exfiltration Basin (Shueler 1987)

If catch basins are all equipped with sediment sumps, the final pollutant removal rates are expected higher for both rules. Table A.2 presents average removal rates for selected pollutants from catch basin sumps (Aronson et al 1983).

 $*$ P = Phosphates; TM = Total metals.

2.2 Infiltration Rate

It is important to know that there is an unsaturated zone underneath an infiltration basin. However, it is not necessary to have this zone for infiltration to take place. In case of on-site sewage disposal design, this unsaturated zone is important for bio-treatment of waste water. In general, a 2 to 5 ft. separation from the water table to the bottom of the basin is recommended or required by state regulations (Finnemore, 1993). It is not necessary to have such a zone for a stormwater recharge basin. The

calculation method here is based on the permeability test which can be used for both saturated infiltration flow and flow penetration into the water table [4].

One of the most common on-site constant head test [4] uses the following formula to calculate soil

$$
k = \frac{Q}{5.5rH}
$$

permeability: where, $k =$ permeability, $Q =$ constant rate of flow into the test hole,

 $r =$ internal radius of casing, and

 $H =$ differential head of water.

This formula requires that the aquifer thickness underneath the pipe should be larger than 10r. From this formula, we can conclude that for a given soil condition, the infiltration rate will be proportional to the free water depth in the basin. The most effective depth of free water in the basins was found to be four feet. Significantly lesser or greater depths resulted in reduced rates of infiltration, the former because of inadequate entrance head and the latter because of increasing weight-compaction of the soil (Baumann, 1965). Based on this formula, we can calculate the infiltration rate through bottom surface Q_l can be calculated in the following ways.

For a circular surface:

$$
Q_I = 5.5 \, rHk
$$

 For a rectangular surface with width B and length L, the above formula can be modified to account for the change in shape (Wang 1999):

$$
Q_1 = 3.50 \, kHz(0.5 + L/2B)
$$

The infiltration rate through side surface Q_2 is calculated by Darcy's formula assuming the hydraulic gradient equals 1.0 [3] and assuming that the recharge galley does not penetrate the water table.

 $Q_2 = k A_s$

Where, A_s = side surface area of the basin, = 2BrH for a circular section; = $2(B+L)H$ for a rectangular section.

The total infiltration rate is the summation of rates through bottom surface and side surfaces:

$$
Q=Q_1+Q_2
$$

3.0 Overflow Structure

Overflow structures should be installed at the end of the recharge basins. Typical overflow structures are weirs. It is recommended that the overflow water leaves as sheet flow to the downgradient area to avoid possible erosion. Wells of small diameters should also be installed in the ends of each basin for

dual purposes of (a) measurement of the distance to and sampling of ground water and (b) aiding in the expulsion of air as the mound rises. Trapped air may cause slow infiltration, especially when there is a large separation between the basin and the normal water table.

4.0 Summary

This appendix presents the design method of an infiltration basin. The design criteria include water flood control and water quality management. For a given hydrological condition (runoff hydrograph), the size of the basin can be easily determined by the formulas given in this appendix. A computer program is designed to carry out the computations. Flood routing can be further applied to a determined larger flood when overflows may occur.

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Three deep hole test pits were done on the site to obtain groundwater and infiltration rate data. TP-1 done by Eric Dickinson on 9/21/2017, TP-2 and TP-3 by Desheng Wang on 1/11/2018. See the following soil logs and permeability test analysis sheets for details.

Depth, inches	Horizon	Texture	Matrix Color	Remarks
$0 - 24$	$^{\wedge}$ A	Fill	wood, metal, strapping.	cobbles, plaster, misc.
$24 - 36$	Bw	S.L.	10 YR 4/6	Friable
$36-126+$		Co. g S	2.5 Y 5/3	Loose, gravel 25% , 10% cobbles

TP-1 (by Eric Dickinson, $9/21/2017$), Approx. ground elevation = 191

 $Weeping = none$

Standing water = none

Estimated high ground water = $10.5+$ ' (180.5 - ft) Permeability at not tested

TP-2 (rear left, Desheng Wang, 1/11/2018), Approx. ground elevation = 191

Depth, inches	Horizon	Texture	Matrix Color	Remarks
$0 - 24$	$^{\wedge}$ A	SL	2.5 Y 6/4	Friable
$24 - 36$	A	S.L.	2.5 Y 4/3	Friable
36-60	Bw	LS	2.5 Y 6/6	Friable
$60-132+$	C	Co. g S	2.5 Y 6/4	Loose, gravel 20%

 $Weeping = none$

Standing water = none

Estimated high ground water $= 11+$ ['] (180-ft)

Permeability at $85" = 0.005583$ ft/s, use half rate for design = 120.6 in/hr

TP-3 (Rear right, Desheng Wang 1/11/2018), Approx. ground elevation = 191

Depth, inches	Horizon	Texture	Matrix Color	Remarks
$0 - 30$	$^{\prime\prime}$ A	Fill	10 YR 2/1	Friable
$30 - 60$	Bw	L.S.	2.5 Y 6/6	friable
$60-132+$		Co. g S	2.5 Y 5/4	Loose, gravel 20%

 $Weeping = none$

Standing water = none

Estimated high ground water $= 11+$ ' (180-ft)

Permeability at $87'' = 0.00103$ ft/s, use half rate for design = 22.27 in/hr

Summary of Constant Head Test (Method E-18, USDI) Standard Temperature for Permeability Calculation (oC): 20 (68 F)

1 gallon = 3.785 litters

Permeability Calculation V1.1 method 1, by Desheng Wang, Ph.D., P.E, Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC., Southborough, MA

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Appendix E: OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE PLAN FOR STORMWATER BMPs

BMB Owner: Carlos Hanzi Carlos Hanzi

During Construction Post-construction

Party of Plan Responsibility: Carlos Hanzi Carlos Hanzi

Signature

The stormwater management system is depicted in the engineering plan by Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC: Proposed Stormwater Management Plan, 128 Main Street, Ashland, MA, dated July 26, 2018

Illicit discharges into stormwater management system per 310 CMR 1.04 are perpetually prohibited.

Routine Operation and Maintenance

- Item 1: During construction, **weekly or biweekly** inspection of erosion control wattles and silt fences should be conducted by a qualified staff of the responsible party or an independent sediment and erosion control expert hired by the responsible party. Any displaced hay bales or broken siltation fences should be restored or repaired immediately. All silt fences and hay bales shall be installed at the property line or as agreed by Conservation Commission.
- Item 2: The catch basin in the **parking lot** should be inspected **before** and **after** rainstorms, if the basin is filled with sediment to half of its depth, the basin should be cleaned up with an orange peel bucket or a gradall excavator. **After the construction completed**, the observation port of the infiltration trench, distribution manhole, oil/grit separator and water quality swale should be inspected three times a year: once after leaf fall, once before the arrival of hurricane season, the third in the early or mid spring after the snow melt and road sweeping. Any excessive sediment should be cleaned out as during the construction phase. The parking lot will be swept twice a year: one before hurricane season, the other in the spring after snowmelt, or per the Town of Ashland standard practice.
- Item 3: Install oil trap elbows in all deep sump catchbasins. It is recommended that the vertical length of the oil trap below the outlet invert be at least 12 inches.
- Item 4: Bookkeeping. All maintenance conducted shall be recorded and the records shall be kept on site for at least 3 year for auditing by approving authorities. See attached record forms for reference.

Emergency Reaction or Accidental Spill Plan

In case of an accident in the parking lot or driveways, where significant gasoline or other petroleum products are released, the following procedure must be followed.

Step. 1. First of all, plug the outlet pipe from the catch basin to the manhole and the outlet pipe from the manhole to infiltration trench. Immediately notify **Ashland** Fire Department, Board of

Health, Conservation Commission, and the Mass. Department of Environmental Protection (DEP). **Ashland** is in the Northeast Region of DEP, and their main office is presently at 205B Lowell Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts 01887 and their phone number is (978)694-3200.

Step 2. If any of those three agencies so direct, a clean up firm shall be immediately contacted. If the materials have remained trapped in the catch basin and manhole, then the catch basin shall be pumped out. If the volume of the spill is such that materials have flowed out of the catch basin sump or the trench, then corrective actions will be extended to the receiving **water** and beyond. For an oil release in excess of on site storage capacity, a floating boom shall be used to prevent oil release from spreading in any receiving area. For materials which are partially soluble in water, e.g., components of gasoline, then DEP or clean-up firm recommendations shall be followed. These might include, but are not limited to (1) pumping out the entire trench, (2) air stripping, or (3) excavation of an interceptor basin to allow air stripping in the downgradient soils. Since the technology of containment and control is steadily advancing, clean-up and recovery technology shall be specified on site just after the spill.

Mosquito Control in Sumps

In general, mosquito breeding occurs in standing water that lasts five days or more. The catch basin during high groundwater season may have standing water. Thus mosquito control may be needed. In case of mosquitoes breeding in the catch basin, there are many methods available to control them including biological control and chemical control. Biological controls are preferred since the biological controls specifically target mosquito larvae and are harmless to humans, unlike many chemicals even at standard does. It is not recommended any chemicals be used in the inlet box or the catch basins due to their frequent flushing and water quality issues in the receiving waters. The following is the recommended biological control.

Bacillus thuringiensis israeliensus (Bti) is an effective control for mosquitoes and flies and is widely used in various forms in U.S. This is a bacterium, which kills larvae of target insects. Commercial Bti is considered safe to add to drinking water (WRRI 1989) and is available at most hardware stores.

Summary

The maintenance steps outlined above are sufficient to prevent sediment accumulation from affecting the long term performance of the BMP system. If maintenance is not conducted, then the detention basin and catch basin will be filled up with sediment, which will impede the function of stormwater treatment. Routine maintenance is the most cost-effective in the long run.

If you have any questions about the plan, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

Creative Land & Water Engineering, LLC by

Desheng Wang, Ph.D. P.E. Senior Environmental/Hydraulic Engineer

Operation/Maintenance Form

Project Site:

Date of O/M:

Notes: 1) Sediment deposit depth and other pollutants shall be recorded in structural BMPs for record, such as, 12" of sediment is cleaned out of the Catchbasin. 2)The O/M staff can expand the form on separate sheet for different BMPs.
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