

# AUG 0 7 2023 TOWN OF WESTON CONSERVATION COMMISSION

**Conservation Commission** 

#### INLAND WETLANDS AND WATERCOURSES APPLICATION

This Application is for a five-year permit to conduct a regulated activity or activities pursuant to the Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations of the Town of Weston ("The Regulations")

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 31 Lords Highway, Weston, CT
Assessor's Map # Block # Lot # 7
PROJECT DESCRIPTION (general purpose) Addition to existing home
Total Acres 3.958 Total Acres of Wetlands and Watercourses + 01 - 1/2 Acres
Acreage of Wetlands and Watercourses AlteredO Upland Area AlteredO
Acres Linear Feet of Stream Alteration Total Acres Proposed Open Space
OWNER(S) OF RECORD: (Please list all owners, attach extra sheet if necessary)
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Email: Lisa @ Rivendell Faru, net
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Surveyor: Brautigall Surveyors Phone: 203-270-7810
Address: 90 S. Main ot. Newfown Email: Surveying @ Brantiguland.com
PROPERTY INFORMATION
Property Address: 21 Lords Highway, Weston, CT
Existing Conditions (Describe existing property and structures): 1940 Cape, 1,598 59.ft. defached a story barn-590 59.ft. 2.95 acres.
Provide a detailed description and purpose of proposed activity (attach sheet with additional information if needed): Construction of addition off rear of house.  Approximate addition Size 1,102 sq.ff.  Is this property within a subdivision (circle): Yes or (No)
Square feet of proposed impervious surfaces (roads, buildings, parking, etc.): 1,102
Subject property to be affected by proposed activity contains:
The proposed activity will involve the following within wetlands, watercourse, and/or review
area:  Alteration  Discharge to  Removal of  Materials  Amount, type, and location of materials to be removed, deposited, or stockpiled:  Description  Discharge from  Deposition of  Materials  Materials  Description  Descripti
Description, work sequence, and duration of activities: <u>Construction of addition, proposed construction time of General of application</u> Describe alternatives considered and why the proposal described herein was chosen: <u>It is the best location on the property with the least impact</u> on topografity a existing septic.  Does the proposed activity involve the installation and/or repair of an existing septic system(s)  (circle): Yes of No)
The Westport/Weston Health District Approval:

#### ADJOINING MUNICIPALITIES AND NOTICE:

If any of the situations below apply, the applicant is required to give written notice of his/her application to the Inland Wetlands Agency of the adjoining municipality, on the same day that he/she submits this application. Notification must be sent by Certified Mail with Return Receipt Requested.

The property is located within 500 feet of any town boundary line;

A significant portion of the traffic to the completed project will use streets within the adjoining municipality to enter or exit the site;

A portion of the water drainage from the project site will flow through and significantly impact the sewage system or drainage systems within the adjoining municipality; or Water runoff from the improved site will impact streets or other municipal or private property within the adjoining municipality

#### **AQUARION WATER COMPANY**

Pursuant to Section 8.4 of the Weston regulations, the Aquarion Water Company must be notified of any regulated activity proposed within its watersheds. Maps showing approximate watershed boundaries are available at the office of the Commission. If the project site lies within these boundaries, send notice, site plan, and grading and erosion control plan via certified mail, return receipt requested, within seven (7) days of submitting application to the Commission, to:

George S. Logan, Director – Environmental Management Aquarion Water Company 714 Black Rock Turnpike Easton, CT 06612

The Commissioner of the Connecticut Department of Public Health must also be notified in the same manner in a format prescribed by that commissioner.

The undersigned, as owner(s) of the property, hereby consents to necessary and proper inspections of the above mentioned property by Commissioners and agents of the Conservation Commission, Town of Weston, at reasonable times, both before and after a final decision has been issued by the Commission.

The undersigned hereby acknowledges to have read the "Application Requirements and Procedures" in completing this application.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the information provided in this application, including its supporting documentation is true and he/she is aware of the penalties provided in Section 22a-376 of the Connecticut General Statues for knowingly providing false or misleading information.

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Signature of Owner(s) of Recor	d /	Date /	
Signature of Authorized Agent		Date	
	FOR OFFICE USE O	ONLY	
Administrative Approval	- Initials	Date	_

#### **DRAINAGE ANALYSIS**

#### PREPARED FOR

### PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

LOCATED AT

21 LORDS HIGHWAY

WESTON, CONNECTICUT

GE #23-5642

**AUGUST 2, 2023** 



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#### **NARRATIVE:**

The subject of this report is a 2.958+/- acre parcel located at 21 Lords Highway, Weston. The purpose of the report is to determine the change in stormwater runoff resulting from the proposed building addition and to provide mitigation in accordance with Town of Weston standards.

#### **EXISTING CONDITIONS:**

This site contains an existing single-family dwelling constructed in 1940. The property which is situated on the south side of Lords Highway, is accessed off School Road with a gravel driveway. The existing dwelling is located near the center of the site. A brook and wetland bisect the property in the eastern portion with a wetland area in the northwest corner. The existing dwelling is served by a private well and on-site sewage disposal system. Existing topography at this location slopes from a high point neat the southeast corner to the north and west with grades of 4-50%.

Existing upland soils at this location are identified in the NRCS Web Soil Survey as being Paxton and Montauk, fine sandy loams, HSG 'C' and Udorthants-Urban land complex, HSG 'B'.

#### PROPOSED CONDITIONS:

The proposal for this site is to construct an addition onto the northwest side of the existing dwelling, in an existing lawn area. The area surrounding the proposed addition will be regraded with the aid of a retaining wall to create a walk-out from the basement level on the western side.

The site was analyzed to determine the existing and proposed peak runoff rates and onsite retention of the increased runoff was proposed using Cultec R-150XLHD chambers.

The following computations utilize the Hydrocad computer software and a 50-year design storm. Rainfall data was taken from the NOAA Atlas 14 for this location.

#### **COMPUTATIONS:**

#### **Existing Conditions:**

Lawn -

1,051 s.f.

CN-74

Bilco -

23 s.f.

CN-98

Total -

1,074 s.f.

#### **Proposed Conditions:**

Prop. Addition -

1,074 s.f.

CN-98

Total -

1,074 s.f.

Water Quality Volume (WQV) - First 1" of runoff from new impervious surfaces to be stored and treated.

$$WQV = (1")(R)(A)$$

R = 0.05 + 0.009I

I = % Impervious

A = Area

$$WQV = (1") (0.95) (1,051 \text{ s.f.})$$

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WQV = 83.2 c.f.

#### **SUMMARY:**

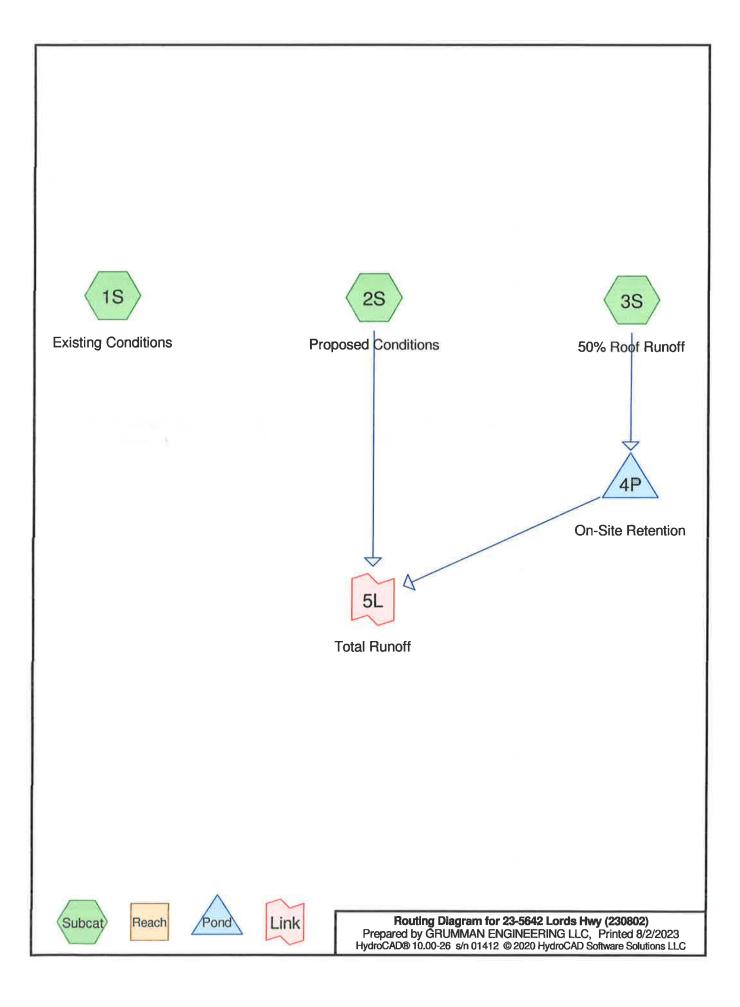
Existing Conditions Runoff -	0.11 c.f.s. (399 c.f.)
Proposed Conditions Runoff -	0.18 c.f.s. (648 c.f.)
Proposed Conditions Runoff – w/ Retention	0.09 c.f.s. (324 c.f.)

#### **CONCLUSIONS:**

The installation of (2) Cultec R-150XLHD chamber, (20.5 l.f.) will be adequate to provide storage of the increased runoff resulting from the proposed improvements. Runoff from 50% of the proposed building addition will be intercepted and routed into the retention system.

This retention system will also provide the required water quality volume.

There will be no adverse impact on wetland areas or adjacent properties as a result of the proposed improvements.



#### 23-5642 Lords Hwy (230802)

Type III 24-hr 50-Year Rainfall=7.48" Printed 8/2/2023

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Time span=0.00-24.00 hrs, dt=0.05 hrs, 481 points
Runoff by SCS TR-20 method, UH=SCS, Weighted-CN
Reach routing by Stor-Ind+Trans method - Pond routing by Stor-Ind method

**Subcatchment 1S: Existing Conditions** 

Runoff Area=1,074 sf 0.00% Impervious Runoff Depth>4.46"

Tc=10.0 min CN=74 Runoff=0.11 cfs 399 cf

**Subcatchment 2S: Proposed Conditions** 

Runoff Area=537 sf 100.00% Impervious Runoff Depth>7.24"

Tc=5.0 min CN=98 Runoff=0.09 cfs 324 cf

Subcatchment 3S: 50% Roof Runoff

Runoff Area=537 sf 100.00% Impervious Runoff Depth>7.24"

Tc=5.0 min CN=98 Runoff=0.09 cfs 324 cf

Pond 4P: On-Site Retention

Peak Elev=301.32' Storage=113 cf Inflow=0.09 cfs 324 cf

Discarded=0.01 cfs 324 cf Primary=0.00 cfs 0 cf Outflow=0.01 cfs 324 cf

Link 5L: Total Runoff

Inflow=0.09 cfs 324 cf

Primary=0.09 cfs 324 cf

Total Runoff Area = 2,148 sf Runoff Volume = 1,047 cf Average Runoff Depth = 5.85" 50.00% Pervious = 1.074 sf 50.00% Impervious = 1,074 sf

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#### **Summary for Subcatchment 1S: Existing Conditions**

Runoff

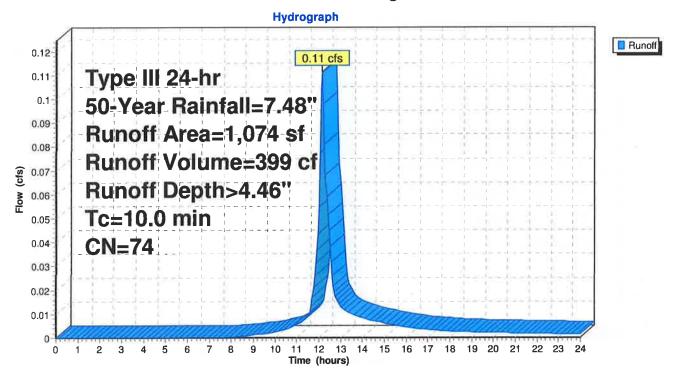
0.11 cfs @ 12.14 hrs, Volume=

399 cf, Depth> 4.46"

Runoff by SCS TR-20 method, UH=SCS, Weighted-CN, Time Span= 0.00-24.00 hrs, dt= 0.05 hrs Type III 24-hr 50-Year Rainfall=7.48"

	A	rea (sf)	CN E	<b>Description</b>		
-		1,074	74 >	75% Grass	s cover, Go	ood, HSG C
		1,074	1	00.00% Pe	ervious Area	ea e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e
	To	Length	Slope	Volocity	Capacity	Description
	(min)	(feet)	(ft/ft)	(ft/sec)	(cfs)	Description
	10.0					Direct Entry.

#### **Subcatchment 1S: Existing Conditions**



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#### **Summary for Subcatchment 2S: Proposed Conditions**

Runoff

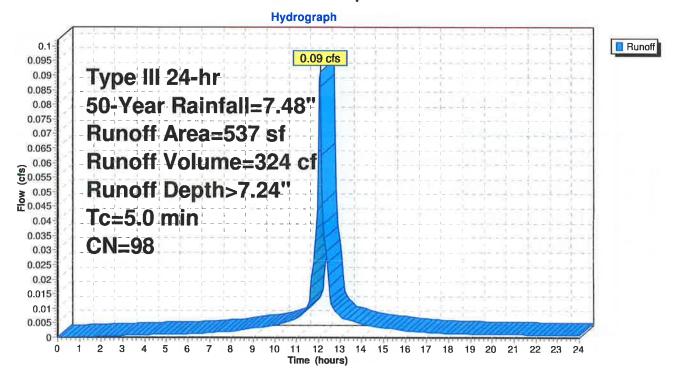
0.09 cfs @ 12.07 hrs, Volume=

324 cf, Depth> 7.24"

Runoff by SCS TR-20 method, UH=SCS, Weighted-CN, Time Span= 0.00-24.00 hrs, dt= 0.05 hrs Type III 24-hr 50-Year Rainfall=7.48"

A	rea (sf)	CN I	Description		
*	537	98	<b>Building Ad</b>	ditiuon	
	537	,	100.00% lm	pervious A	Area
Tc	0	Slope		Capacity	Description
(min)	(feet)	(ft/ft)	(ft/sec)	(cfs)	
5.0					Direct Entry.

#### **Subcatchment 2S: Proposed Conditions**



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#### Summary for Subcatchment 3S: 50% Roof Runoff

Runoff

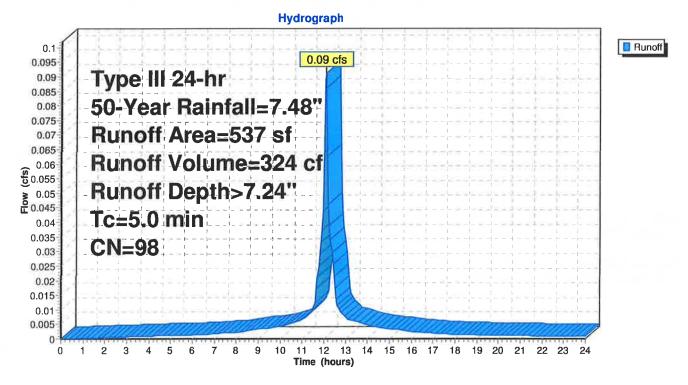
0.09 cfs @ 12.07 hrs, Volume=

324 cf, Depth> 7.24"

Runoff by SCS TR-20 method, UH=SCS, Weighted-CN, Time Span= 0.00-24.00 hrs, dt= 0.05 hrs Type III 24-hr 50-Year Rainfall=7.48"

	Α	rea (sf)	CN	Description		
*		537	98	50% Buildir	g Addition	*
		537		100.00% lm	pervious A	Area
	Tc	Length	Slope	Velocity	Capacity	Description
	(min)	(feet)	(ft/ft)	(ft/sec)	(cfs)	
	5.0					Direct Entry.

#### Subcatchment 3S: 50% Roof Runoff



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#### Summary for Pond 4P: On-Site Retention

Routing by Stor-Ind method, Time Span= 0.00-24.00 hrs, dt= 0.05 hrs Peak Elev= 301.32' @ 12.97 hrs Surf.Area= 110 sf Storage= 113 cf

Plug-Flow detention time= 102.2 min calculated for 323 cf (100% of inflow) Center-of-Mass det. time= 101.7 min (842.6 - 740.8)

Volume	Invert	Avail.Storage	Storage Description
#1A	299.50'	90 cf	4.75'W x 23.25'L x 2.54'H Field A
			281 cf Overall - 56 cf Embedded = 224 cf x 40.0% Voids
#2A	300.00'	56 cf	Cultec R-150XLHD x 2 Inside #1
			Effective Size= 29.8"W x 18.0"H => 2.65 sf x 10.25'L = 27.2 cf
			Overall Size= 33.0"W x 18.5"H x 11.00'L with 0.75' Overlap
			Row Length Adjustment= +0.75' x 2.65 sf x 1 rows
		146 cf	Total Available Storage

Storage Group A created with Chamber Wizard

Device	Routing	Invert	Outlet Devices
#1	Discarded	299.50'	3.000 in/hr Exfiltration over Horizontal area
#2	Primary	302.54'	<b>6.0" Horiz. Orifice/Grate</b> C= 0.600 Limited to weir flow at low heads

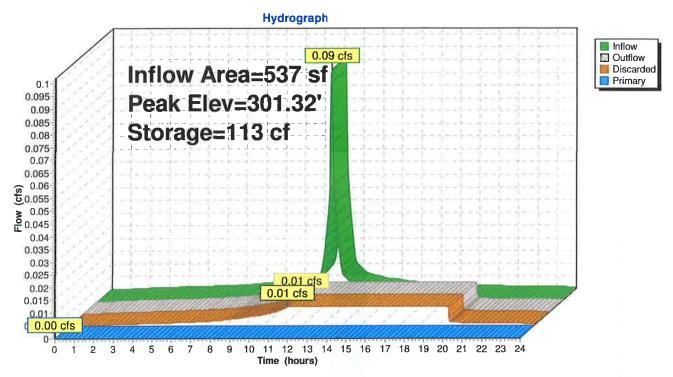
Discarded OutFlow Max=0.01 cfs @ 11.25 hrs HW=299.53' (Free Discharge)
1=Exfiltration (Exfiltration Controls 0.01 cfs)

Primary OutFlow Max=0.00 cfs @ 0.00 hrs HW=299.50' (Free Discharge) 2=Orifice/Grate (Controls 0.00 cfs)

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#### Pond 4P: On-Site Retention



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#### Summary for Link 5L: Total Runoff

Inflow Area =

1,074 sf,100.00% Impervious, Inflow Depth > 3.62" for 50-Year event

Inflow ==

0.09 cfs @ 12.07 hrs, Volume=

324 cf

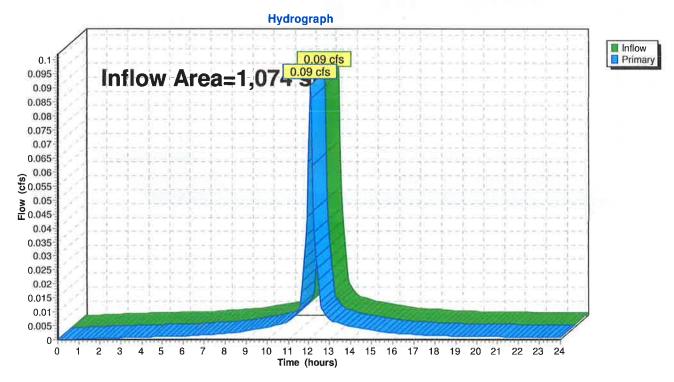
Primary =

0.09 cfs @ 12.07 hrs, Volume=

324 cf, Atten= 0%, Lag= 0.0 min

Primary outflow = Inflow, Time Span= 0.00-24.00 hrs, dt= 0.05 hrs

#### Link 5L: Total Runoff





#### NOAA Atlas 14, Volume 10, Version 3 Location name: Weston, Connecticut, USA\* Latitude: 41.2149°, Longitude: -73.3821°

Elevation: 310 ft\*\*

\* source: ESRI Maps

\*\* source: USGS



#### POINT PRECIPITATION FREQUENCY ESTIMATES

Sanja Perica, Sandra Pavlovic, Michael St. Laurent, Carl Trypaluk, Dale Unruh, Orlan Wilhite

NOAA, National Weather Service, Silver Spring, Maryland

PF\_tabular | PF\_graphical | Maps\_&\_aerials

#### PF tabular

Duration		Average recurrence interval (years)											
Duration	1	2	5	10	25	50	100	200	500	100			
5-min	0.365 (0.280-0.467)	0.425 (0.326-0.545)	0.523 (0.400-0.672)	<b>0.604</b> (0.460-0.780)	<b>0.716</b> (0.528-0.954)	<b>0.801</b> (0,579-1.08)	<b>0.888</b> (0.623-1.23)	<b>0.981</b> (0.658-1.39)	<b>1.11</b> (0.718-1.62)	<b>1.2</b> ′ (0.766-			
10-min	0.517	0.602	<b>0.741</b> (0.567-0.953)	0.856	1.01	1.14	1.26	1.39	1.57	<b>1.7</b> ′ (1.08-2			
15-min	<b>0.608</b> (0.467-0.779)	0.708 (0.543-0.908)	<b>0.871</b> (0.666-1.12)	<b>1.01</b> (0.767-1.30)	<b>1.19</b> (0.880-1.59)	<b>1.34</b> (0.964-1.81)	<b>1.48</b> (1.04-2.06)	<b>1.64</b> (1.10-2.32)	<b>1.85</b> (1.20-2.70)	<b>2.0</b> 2 (1.28-2			
30-min	<b>0.847</b> (0.651-1.09)	0.985 (0.756-1.26)	<b>1.21</b> (0.927-1.56)	1.40 (1.06-1.81)	1.66 (1.22-2.20)	<b>1.86</b> (1.34-2.50)	<b>2.05</b> (1.44-2.84)	<b>2.26</b> (1.52-3.20)	<b>2.53</b> (1.64-3.69)	<b>2.7</b> 4 (1.73-4			
60-min	<b>1.09</b> (0.834-1.39)	<b>1.26</b> (0.969-1.62)	<b>1.55</b> (1.19-1.99)	<b>1.79</b> (1.36-2.31)	<b>2.12</b> (1.56-2.82)	<b>2.38</b> (1.71-3.20)	<b>2.63</b> (1.83-3.62)	<b>2.88</b> (1.94-4.09)	<b>3.21</b> (2.08-4.68)	<b>3.4</b> ! (2.19-5			
2-hr	<b>1.39</b> (1.08-1.78)	<b>1.64</b> (1.27-2.09)	<b>2.05</b> (1.58-2.62)	2.38 (1.82-3.06)	<b>2.84</b> (2.11-3.77)	<b>3.20</b> (2.32-4.30)	<b>3.56</b> (2.51-4.92)	<b>3.94</b> (2.66-5.56)	<b>4.47</b> (2.91-6.49)	<b>4.89</b> (3.11-7.			
3-hr	1.60 (1.24-2.03)	<b>1.90</b> (1.47-2.41)	<b>2.38</b> (1.84-3.04)	<b>2.79</b> (2.14-3.56)	<b>3.34</b> (2.49-4.42)	<b>3.76</b> (2.75-5.06)	<b>4.20</b> (2.98-5.80)	<b>4.68</b> (3.16-6.58)	<b>5.36</b> (3.49-7.74)	<b>5.90</b> (3.76-8			
6-hr	<b>2.01</b> (1.57-2.54)	<b>2.41</b> (1.88-3.04)	3.05 (2.37-3.86)	<b>3.58</b> (2.77-4.55)	<b>4.32</b> (3.24-5.68)	<b>4.87</b> (3.58-6.52)	<b>5.45</b> (3.90-7.52)	<b>6.11</b> (4.14-8.54)	<b>7.07</b> (4.61-10.2)	<b>7.86</b> (5.01-1			
12-hr	<b>2.48</b> (1.95-3.11)	<b>2.99</b> (2.34-3.74)	3.81 (2.98-4.78)	<b>4.49</b> (3.49-5.67)	<b>5.43</b> (4.10-7.10)	<b>6.13</b> (4.54-8.16)	6.88 (4.95-9.45)	<b>7.74</b> (5.26-10.7)	<b>9.00</b> (5.90-12.8)	<b>10.</b> 1 (6.44-1			
24-hr	<b>2.91</b> (2.30-3.62)	<b>3.54</b> (2.79-4.40)	<b>4.57</b> (3.60-5.70)	<b>5.43</b> (4.24-6.80)	<b>6.60</b> (5.01-8.60)	<b>7.48</b> (5.57-9.92)	<b>8.42</b> (6.11-11.5)	<b>9.54</b> (6.51-13.2)	<b>11.2</b> (7.36-15.9)	<b>12.6</b> (8.11-1)			
2-day	<b>3.25</b> (2.59-4.02)	<b>4.03</b> (3.20-4.98)	<b>5.29</b> (4.19-6.56)	<b>6.34</b> (4.99-7.89)	<b>7.78</b> (5.95-10.1)	<b>8.85</b> (6.64-11.7)	<b>10.0</b> (7.34-13.7)	<b>11.4</b> (7.83-15.7)	<b>13.6</b> (8.98-19.2)	<b>15.5</b> (10.0-2)			
3-day	<b>3.53</b> (2.82-4.34)	<b>4.38</b> (3.49-5.39)	<b>5.77</b> (4.58-7.12)	<b>6.92</b> (5.47-8.58)	<b>8.51</b> (6.53-11.0)	<b>9.68</b> (7.29-12.8)	<b>11.0</b> (8.06-15.0)	<b>12.5</b> (8.60-17.1)	<b>15.0</b> (9.89-21.0)	<b>17.</b> 1 (11.0-24			
4-day	<b>3.80</b> (3.04-4.66)	<b>4.70</b> (3.75-5.76)	<b>6.17</b> (4.91-7.59)	<b>7.39</b> (5.85-9.13)	9.06 (6.97-11.7)	<b>10.3</b> (7.78-13.5)	<b>11.7</b> (8.58-15.9)	<b>13.3</b> (9.15-18.1)	15.9	<b>18.</b> 1 (11.7-2!			
7-day	<b>4.56</b> (3.67-5.57)	<b>5.55</b> (4.46-6.78)	<b>7.16</b> (5.73-8.76)	<b>8.50</b> (6.76-10.4)	<b>10.3</b> (7.97-13.2)	<b>11.7</b> (8.85-15.2)	<b>13.2</b> (9.70-17.7)	<b>14.9</b> (10.3-20.2)	<b>17.6</b> (11.7-24.4)	19.8 (12.8-2			
10-day	<b>5.31</b> (4.29-6.45)	<b>6.35</b> (5.12-7.72)	<b>8.05</b> (6.47-9.82)	<b>9.46</b> (7.55-11.6)	<b>11.4</b> (8.81-14.5)	<b>12.9</b> (9.73-16.6)	<b>14.4</b> (10.6-19.2)	<b>16.2</b> (11.2-21.8)	<b>18.8</b> (12.5-26.1)	21.0 (13.6-2			
20-day	<b>7.54</b> (6.12-9.10)	<b>8.70</b> (7.06-10.5)	<b>10.6</b> (8.58-12.8)	<b>12.2</b> (9.79-14.8)	14.4 (11.1-18.0)	<b>16.0</b> (12.1-20.4)	<b>17.7</b> (13.0-23.2)	<b>19.5</b> (13.6-26.1)	<b>22.1</b> (14.7-30.4)	<b>24.1</b> (15.7-3:			
30-day	<b>9.37</b> (7.64-11.3)	<b>10.6</b> (8.65-12.8)	<b>12.7</b> (10.3-15.3)	<b>14.4</b> (11.6-17.4)	<b>16.7</b> (13.0-20.8)	<b>18.5</b> (14.0-23.4)	<b>20.3</b> (14.8-26.3)	<b>22.2</b> (15.5-29.5)	<b>24.6</b> (16.5-33.7)	<b>26.</b> 5 (17.3-3)			
45-day	<b>11.6</b> (9.50-13.9)	<b>13.0</b> (10.6-15.5)	<b>15.2</b> (12.4-18.2)	<b>17.0</b> (13.8-20.5)	<b>19.5</b> (15.2-24.2)	<b>21.5</b> (16.3-27.0)	<b>23.4</b> (17.1-30.1)	<b>25.3</b> (17.7-33.5)	<b>27.7</b> (18.6-37.8)	<b>29.</b> <i>ξ</i> (19.3-4)			
60-day	<b>13.5</b> (11.1-16.1)	<b>14.9</b> (12.2-17.8)	<b>17.2</b> (14.1-20.6)	<b>19.2</b> (15.6-23.1)	<b>21.8</b> (17.1-27.0)	<b>23.9</b> (18.2-29.9)	<b>26.0</b> (19.0-33.2)	<b>27.9</b> (19.6-36.8)	30.3	32.1			

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#### MAP LEGEND

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#### MAP INFORMATION

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:12,000.

Warning: Soil Map may not be valid at this scale.

Enlargement of maps beyond the scale of mapping can cause misunderstanding of the detail of mapping and accuracy of soil line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of contrasting soils that could have been shown at a more detailed scale.

Please rely on the bar scale on each map sheet for map measurements.

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service Web Soil Survey URL:

Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more accurate calculations of distance or area are required.

This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as of the version date(s) listed below.

Soil Survey Area: State of Connecticut Survey Area Data: Version 22, Sep 12, 2022

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Oct 21, 2022—Oct 27, 2022

The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident.

## **Hydrologic Soil Group**

Map unit symbol	Map unit name	Rating	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
3	Ridgebury, Leicester, and Whitman soils, 0 to 8 percent slopes, extremely stony	D	1.7	21.2%
46C	Woodbridge fine sandy loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes, very stony	C/D	0.7	9.0%
62D	Canton and Charlton fine sandy loams, 15 to 35 percent slopes, extremely stony	В	0.9	11.1%
84B	Paxton and Montauk fine sandy loams, 3 to 8 percent slopes	С	1.6	19.7%
306	Udorthents-Urban land complex	В	3.1	38.9%
Totals for Area of Inter	rest	8.1	100.0%	

#### **Description**

Hydrologic soil groups are based on estimates of runoff potential. Soils are assigned to one of four groups according to the rate of water infiltration when the soils are not protected by vegetation, are thoroughly wet, and receive precipitation from long-duration storms.

The soils in the United States are assigned to four groups (A, B, C, and D) and three dual classes (A/D, B/D, and C/D). The groups are defined as follows:

Group A. Soils having a high infiltration rate (low runoff potential) when thoroughly wet. These consist mainly of deep, well drained to excessively drained sands or gravelly sands. These soils have a high rate of water transmission.

Group B. Soils having a moderate infiltration rate when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of moderately deep or deep, moderately well drained or well drained soils that have moderately fine texture to moderately coarse texture. These soils have a moderate rate of water transmission.

Group C. Soils having a slow infiltration rate when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of soils having a layer that impedes the downward movement of water or soils of moderately fine texture or fine texture. These soils have a slow rate of water transmission.

Group D. Soils having a very slow infiltration rate (high runoff potential) when thoroughly wet. These consist chiefly of clays that have a high shrink-swell potential, soils that have a high water table, soils that have a claypan or clay layer at or near the surface, and soils that are shallow over nearly impervious material. These soils have a very slow rate of water transmission.

If a soil is assigned to a dual hydrologic group (A/D, B/D, or C/D), the first letter is for drained areas and the second is for undrained areas. Only the soils that in their natural condition are in group D are assigned to dual classes.

#### **Rating Options**

Aggregation Method: Dominant Condition
Component Percent Cutoff: None Specified

Tie-break Rule: Higher

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SOIL INVESTIGATION REPORT
21 LORDS HIGHWAY
WESTON, CONNECTICUT
MARCH 17, 2023
JOB # 4623

I completed an on-site investigation of the soil types on the residential property that is located at 21 Lords Highway in Weston, Connecticut on March 17, 2023. The examination for wetland soils was conducted by inspection of approximately 100 soil samples taken with spade and auger.

The definitions of wetlands and watercourses used in this investigation are as follows. Inland wetlands in Connecticut, according to the Connecticut General Statutes, are lands, including submerged lands, which consist of any of the soil types designated as poorly drained, very poorly drained, alluvial, and floodplain by the NRCS. Watercourses include rivers, streams, brooks, waterways, lakes, ponds, marshes, swamps, bogs and all other bodies of water, natural or artificial, vernal or intermittent. Intermittent watercourses are to be delineated by a defined permanent channel and bank and the occurrence of two or more of the following characteristics: (A) evidence of scour or deposits of recent alluvium or detritus, (B) the presence of standing or flowing water for a duration longer than a particular storm incident, and (C) the presence of hydrophytic vegetation.

The wetland soils consist of Ridgebury, Leicester and Whitman soils, extremely stony (3). The non-wetland soils consist of Woodbridge fine sandy loam, very stony (46), Canton and Charlton soils, extremely stony (62), Paxton and Montauk fine sandy loams (84) and Udorthents-Urban land complex (306). The soil map units contain inclusions of other soil types. The results of this investigation are subject to change until they are accepted by Weston Conservation Commission.

Respectfully submitted:

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