AGENDA TOWN OF PITTSFORD PLANNING BOARD JANUARY 27, 2025

This agenda is subject to change.

Please take notice that the Town of Pittsford Planning Board will hold the following meeting on Monday, January 27, 2025, in the Lower-Level Meeting Room of Pittsford Town Hall, 11 S. Main Street, and beginning at 6:30PM local time.

The Board will hold an agenda review session in the Second-Floor Meeting Room at 6:00PM.

CONTINUED HEARING

Thornton Engineering LLP, Warfle Subdivision

Preliminary/Final Subdivision

OTHER BUSINESS

Approval of Minutes



January 13, 2025

Mr. Doug DeRue
Director of Planning, Zoning, & Development
Town of Pittsford
11 South Main Street
Pittsford, NY 14534

Re:

Response to MCDRC Review Comments

Warfle Subdivision

74 East Park Road, Town of Pittsford, NY

Dear Mr. DeRue:

We have received review comments issued by the Monroe County Department of Planning and Development dated January 10, 2025 pertaining to the subdivision application for the Warfle Subdivision at 74 East Park Road. Responses to each numbered comment, which have not been restated, are provided below.

MCDP&D Comments

- 1. The Division for Historic Preservation of the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation has issued the attached December 9, 2024 letter indicating their determination that the project will have No Adverse Impact on historic or archaeological resources.
- 2. The project does not involve any activities requiring state permits. However, the project was discussed with the NYS Canal Corporation and they did not object to the proposed home construction.
- 3. Further development requiring future land subdivision of this parcel is not planned.
- 4. The proposed preliminary subdivision map has been reviewed and accepted by the Monroe County Survey Office.
- 5. We believe that we have contacted all involved County Departments and non-county agencies and have resolved all concerns.

Monroe County Department of Health

1. It is acknowledged that Monroe County Department of Health realty subdivision plan approval is not required.

Monroe County Department of Transportation (MCDOT)

1. It has been verified that MCDOT does not have jurisdictional requirements for this project.

Monroe County Department of Environmental Services (MCDES)

1. Monroe County Pure Waters (MCPW) has reviewed the plans.

- 2. The required MCPW stamp block is included on the Site Plan.
- 3. The PW-2 form has been submitted to MCPW.

New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT)

1. It has been verified that NYSDOT does not have jurisdictional requirements for this project.

The MCDRC comments did not warrant revision to any site plan drawings.

It is understood that this application has been included on the January 13th Planning Board meeting agenda.

Sincerely,

THORNTON ENGINEERING LLP

Shu J. Shoutin

Glenn F. Thornton, P.E.

Partner

cc: S. Warfle



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RANDY SIMONS

Governor

Commissioner Pro Tempore

December 9, 2024

Glenn Thornton Thornton Engineering LLP 30 Assembly Drive Suite106 Mendon, NY 14506

Re:

DEC

Warfle Subdivision - Single Family Home New Construction

Town of Pittsford, Monroe County

24PR10146

Dear Glenn Thornton:

Thank you for requesting the comments of the Division for Historic Preservation of the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP). We have reviewed the submitted materials in accordance with the New York State Historic Preservation Act of 1980 (Section 14.09 of the New York State Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Law). These comments are those of the Division for Historic Preservation and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources. They do not include potential environmental impacts to New York State Parkland that may be involved in or near your project.

We note that the proposed undertaking is adjacent to the New York State Barge Canal Historic District, which has been determined a National Historic Landmark. We have reviewed the submission received on November 13, 2024, including the submitted scope of work and drawings dated November 2024. Based on that review, it is the OPRHP's opinion that the project, as described, will have No Adverse Impact on historic or archaeological resources.

If you have any questions, you can call or e-mail me at the contact information below.

Sincerely,

Robyn Sedgwick

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Historic Site Restoration Coordinator e-mail: robyn.sedgwick@parks.ny.gov



January 21, 2025

Mr. Doug DeRue Director of Planning, Zoning, & Development Town of Pittsford 11 South Main Street Pittsford, NY 14534

Response to Town of Pittsford DRC Review Comments Re:

Warfle Subdivision

74 East Park Road, Town of Pittsford, NY

Dear Mr. DeRue:

We have received review comments issued by the Town of Pittsford Development Review Committee dated January 13, 2025 pertaining to the subdivision application for the Warfle Subdivision at 74 East Park Road. Responses to each numbered comment, which have been restated with italicized font, are provided below.

GENERAL

 This application proposes to split the 1.5-acre parcel addressed as 74 East Park Road into a 0.578-acre parcel with the existing home and a 0.922-acre vacant buildable lot. The property is zoned Residential Neighborhood (RN). Per Town Code Section 185-18, subdivision potential of a lot without the creation of a new public or private road shall be determined based on its context to its adjacent lots. Using this code section calculation, the minimum lot size requires 0.38 acres. Both proposed lots will be larger than the minimum. (DPW)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

2. This is an unlisted action pursuant to SEQRA. The Planning Board will proceed with a singleagency review. A Part II EAF short form should be completed by the Planning Board prior to a decision on this application. (DPW)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

3. As proposed, disturbances will not be in excess of one acre. Therefore, a SWPPP is not required, but erosion and sediment control measures should be noted on the grading plan. (DPW)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

4. The NYS Canal Corporation (NYSCC) was contacted regarding the "NYS Canal Overflow or Flowage Area per L95 M P74" area that covers almost half of the existing lot. David Boshart, of NYSCC, stated in an email on March 8, 2022, that the group has authority to flood the property for canal purposes and that the owner may construct within this area at his/her own risk. Mr. Boshart stated, "...the Canal Corp does not object to the owner of the property building a new home on it." The County Survey Offices' initial review of the subdivision plat map did not identify this as an issue. (DPW)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

5. The "NYS Canal Overflow or Flowage Area per L95 M P74" was established prior to 1922 and does not appear to take topography into account. The new home is proposed to be higher than 460 feet above sea level. All of the surrounding developed area is lower than the proposed elevation of the new home. (DPW)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

6. The address for the new home will be 78 East Park Road. The Town will correspond with applicable agencies regarding this address change following subdivision approval. (DPW)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

7. Please explain the intent of the proposed Monroe County Water Authority easement. If the easement is not required by MCWA, please remove it from the subdivision plans, as there is existing watermain on the north side of East Park Road. (DPW)

The 15' wide frontage easement is required by Monroe County Water Authority (MCWA). The relevant excerpt from the MCWA Rules for the Sale of Water that identifies MCWA's authority to require the easement is attached.

8. The Planning Board has previously required pedestrian access easements along road frontages as part of the subdivision review process. Please include a 15-foot-wide sidewalk/trail easement along the frontage of the entirety of the parcels, extending from the eastern property line at 70/74 East Park Road to the western property line of the proposed vacant lot (78 East Park Road). While at this time there are no plans for a sidewalk or trail in this location, one or both may become necessary in the future. (DPW)

The Town mandated 15' wide Pedestrian Access Easement has been added along the East Park Road frontage.

SANITARY

9. Sewer Entrance Fees and Connection Fees will be required at the time of Sewer Department final subdivision signature. (PSD)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

10. Please provide an estimated lateral invert elevation at the proposed connection to the sanitary sewer main. (TRE)

The estimated sewer lateral invert elevation has been added to the Site Plan, Dwg. S-1.

11. At the proposed sanitary sewer lateral, please add a note that states, "Prior to starting the proposed lateral connection to the Town sewer main, the Pittsford Department of Public Works/Sewer Department shall be contacted to inspect the connection." (DPW)

The required note has been added to the Site Plan, Dwg. S-1.

STORMWATER

12. At the southwest corner of the proposed home, a cellar drain discharge pipe is depicted. Please identify size and type of pipe material, and proposed slope of this pipe on the plan. Also, please identify if this will be a sump pump discharge or a gravity drain from the basement/foundation? Is it possible to direct this drainage to a subsurface drywell or a splash block? (TRE)

The cellar drain pipe size, slope, and discharge has been clarified on the Site Plan, Dwg. S-1.

13. There are a couple areas of steep slopes on the west side of the proposed house and south of the proposed garage. Is it possible to lower the home and increase the fill used for grading to reduce the amount of these steeper slopes? (TRE)

The proposed house elevation has provided an easily negotiable driveway grade and has placed the house slightly above existing ground elevations to provide a drainage path around the house in the event of a canal breach. The primary fill area to the west of the house has been sloped at a reasonable 1 foot vertical to 3.5 foot horizontal grade which can be easily maintained as lawn. A flatter slope would require import of substantial additional fill soil while also encroaching into the NYSDEC wetland check zone to the west.

MISCELLANEOUS

14. The Town's standard recreation fund fee will be levied for each new home, this fee currently \$1,000.00 is collected when a building permit is issued. (DPW)

This comment is acknowledged and does not require a response by the applicant.

15. For the mill and resurface note at East Park Road, please include the note stating that all vertical asphalt seams shall be tack coated with bituminous sealer. (TRE)

The required tack coat note has been added to the Site Plan, Dwg. S-1.

16. This application was sent to Monroe County Planning for their review. Once received, their comments will be forwarded to the applicant for review and response. (DPW)

MCDRC comments have previously been addressed by letter dated January 13, 2025.

We have enclosed 13 reduced size (11" x 17") and 2 full size (24" x 36") sets of updated site plans and subdivision map for Town of Pittsford review and acceptance.

Sincerely,

THORNTON ENGINEERING LLP

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Glenn F. Thornton, P.E.

Partner

cc: S. Warfle

MONROE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY

RULES

FOR THE SALE OF WATER AND THE COLLECTION OF RENTS AND CHARGES

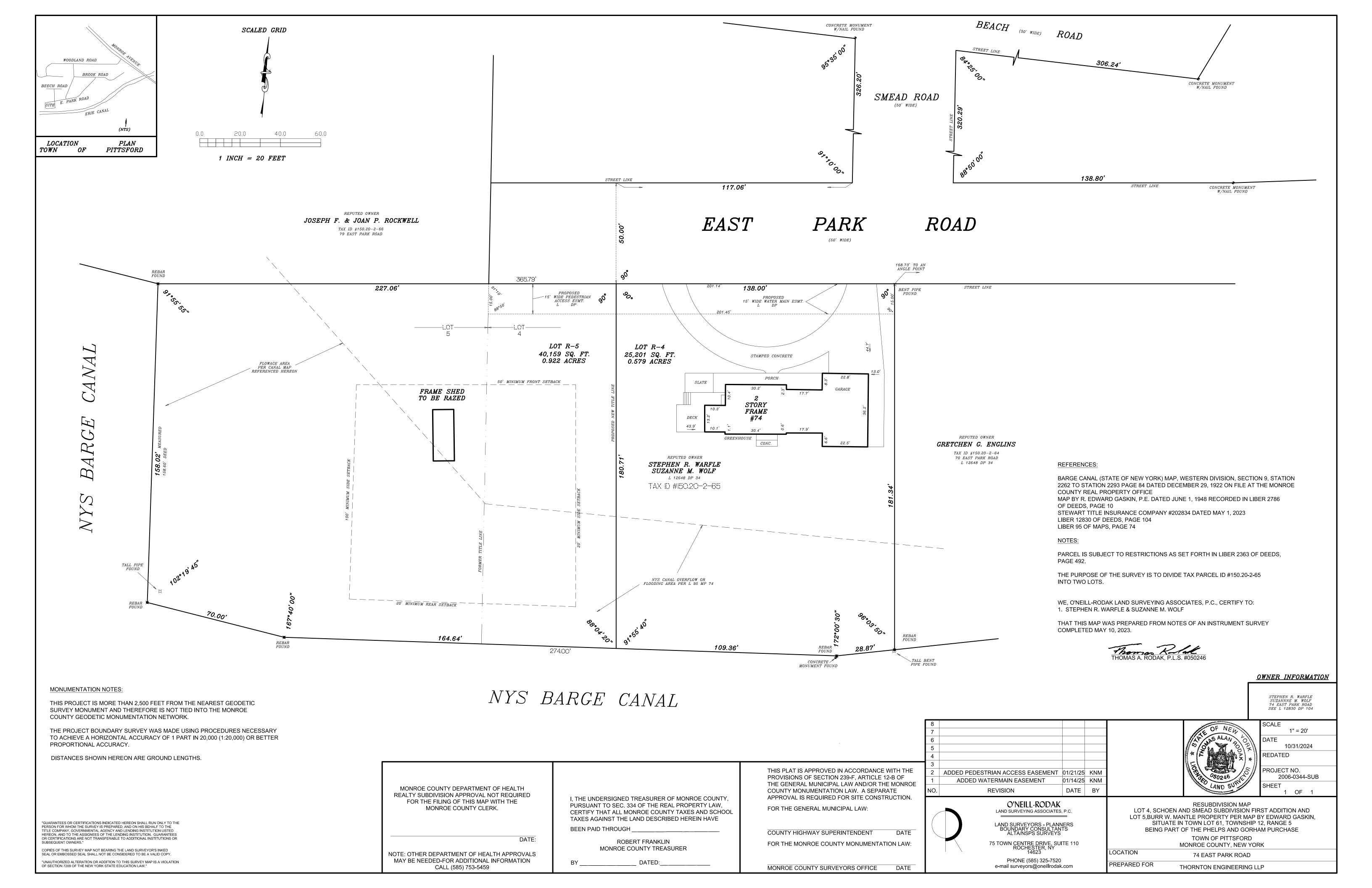
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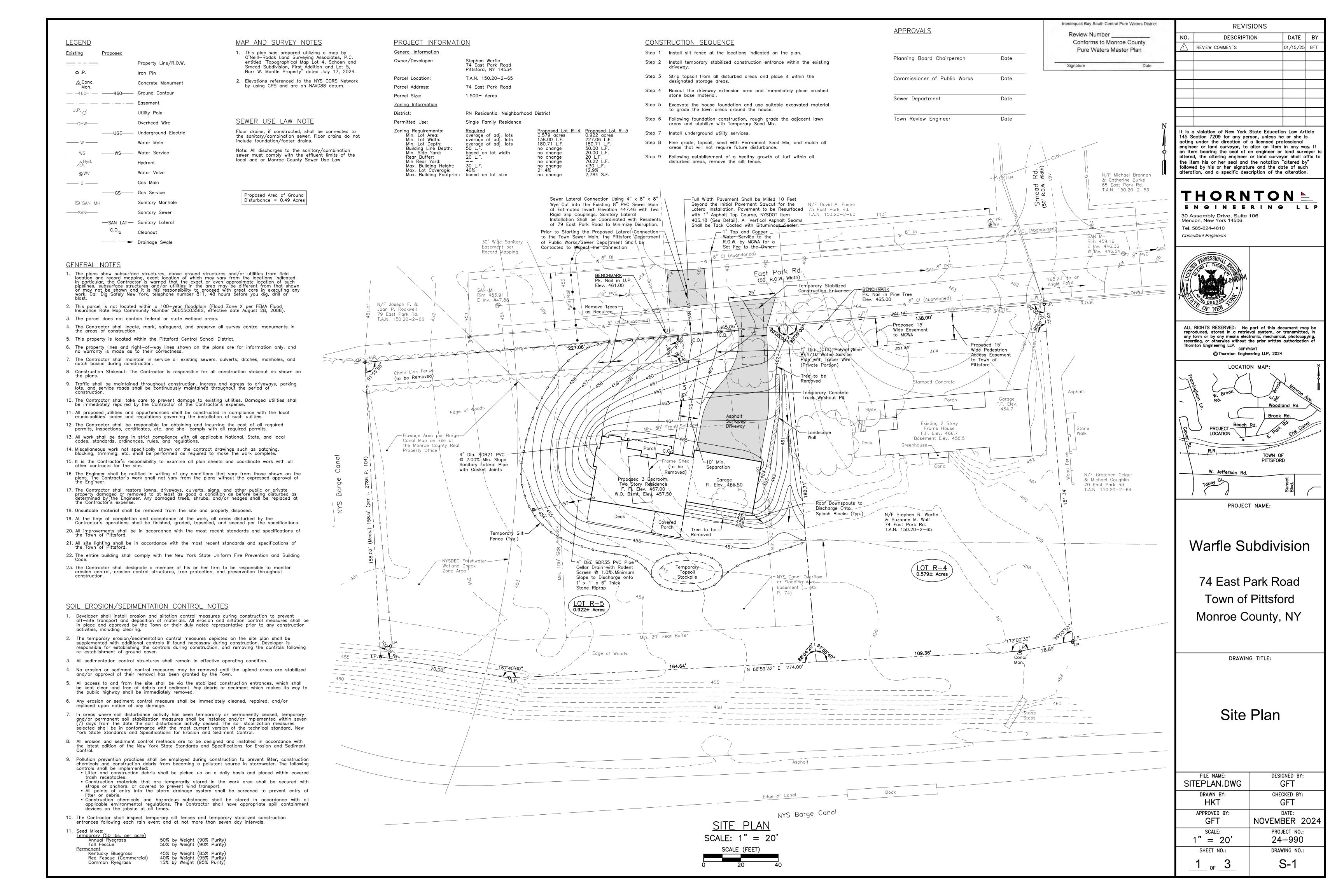
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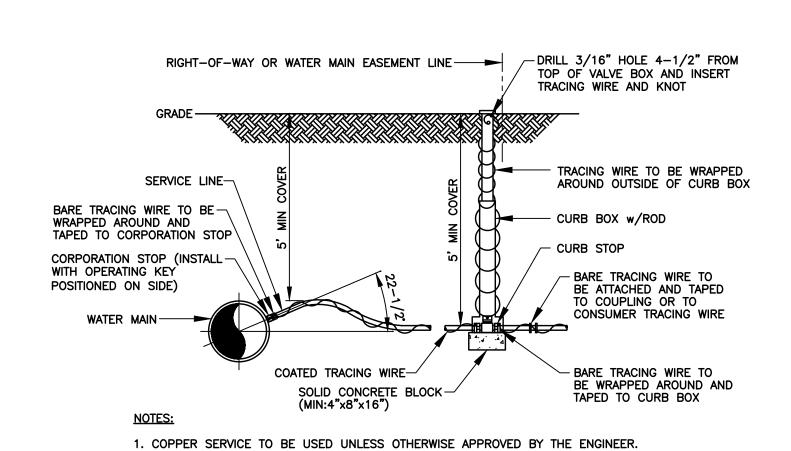
otherwise approved by the Authority. The premises will not be eligible for service if the water main is on the opposite side of a divided highway or a public street with four or more lanes or any other obstacle exists that in the opinion of the Authority makes the service uneconomical.

- b. The water service must be able to be installed perpendicular to the water main. Applicants shall be required to extend the public water main at their own cost to meet this requirement.
- c. Both the public water system and the proposed service are adequate to meet the needs on the parcel.
 - d. Providing the service is economically feasible.
- 3.4 **Domestic Service Connections.** One domestic service connection is allowed to a premises. At the Authority's sole discretion, a premises with multiple buildings may be allowed one domestic service per building if such a design creates a more cost effective system for the Authority.
- 3.5 **Fire Service Connections.** Multiple fire service connections are allowed for each building on a premises. At the Authority's sole discretion, a premises with multiple buildings may be restricted to a single connection if such a design creates a more cost effective system for the Authority.
- 3.6 **Easements.** Applicants for service shall deliver, without cost to the Authority, permanent easements or rights-of-way in recordable form when necessary for the service connection, well access, utility access and, if so requested by the Authority, a 15-foot wide easement along the entire frontage of the parcel for future water mains. Easements shall be of the form prescribed by the Authority for the service connection or future water main installation, operation and maintenance.
- 3.7 **Contractual Obligation.** On approval by the Authority, the application shall constitute a contract between the Applicant, and any and all successor Owners of the premises or parcel as the case may be, and the Authority for the sale and use of water, obligating the Applicant to pay the Authority's established rates and charges and to comply with the Authority's Rules and Regulations, as amended from time to time.
- 3.8 **Advance Payment.** When an application is made to the Authority for services to be provided by the Authority such as the installation of services, hydrants, meters or any other work the applicant shall make payment to the Authority in advance. When required, applicant shall be responsible for obtaining any and all permits and other regulatory approvals. No work shall be commenced by the Authority until such payment has been made and permits and approvals obtained.
- 3.9 **Service Approval.** Services to be installed by a Builder, Contractor, Developer or Water District as part of a water main extension are subject to approval and must be installed and tested in accordance with Authority's Uniform Design and Construction Standards for the Extension of Water Distribution Systems.
- 3.10 **Special Water District Conditions.** Applicants served by mains in certain Water Districts established by the Towns may be subject to special application

MCWA Rules Revised 9/5/13







2. TRACING WIRE TO BE USED WITH POLYETHYLENE SERVICE ONLY.

SERVICE INSTALLATION

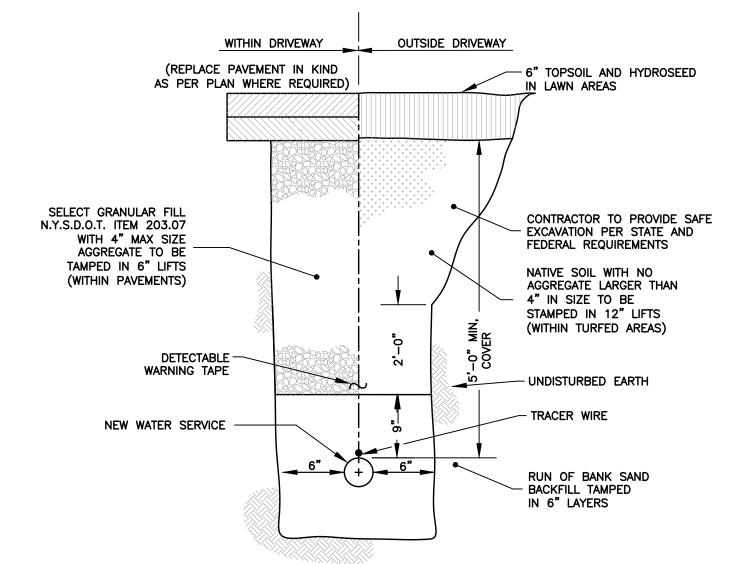
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-WOVEN WIRE FENCE (MIN. 14 1/2

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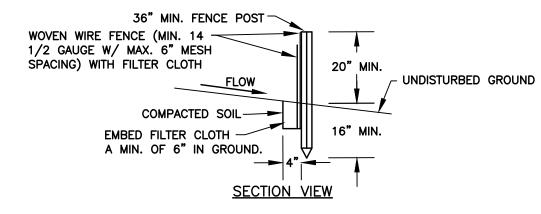
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GROUND -



WATER SERVICE (PRIVATE PORTION)

\ GAUGE W/ MAX. 6" MESH SPACING) 10' MAX. C. TO C. FENCE POSTS DRIVEN MIN. 16" INTO GROUND. **7 =** 16" MIN. PERSPECTIVE VIEW 36" MIN. FENCE POST -



CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATIONS

- 1. WOVEN WIRE FENCE TO BE FASTENED SECURELY TO FENCE POSTS WITH WIRE TIES OR STAPLES. POSTS SHALL BE STEEL EITHER "T" OR "U" TYPE OR HARDWOOD.
- 2. FILTER CLOTH TO BE TO BE FASTENED SECURELY TO WOVEN WIRE FENCE WITH TIES SPACED EVERY 24" AT TOP AND MID SECTION.
- FENCE SHALL BE WOVEN WIRE, 12 1/2 GAUGE, 6" MAXIMUM MESH OPENING. 3. WHEN TWO SECTIONS OF FILTER CLOTH ADJOIN EACH OTHER THEY SHALL BE OVER-LAPPED BY 6" AND FOLDED. FILTER CLOTH SHALL BE EITHER FILTER X, MIRAFI 100X, STABILINKA T140N, OR APPROVED EQUIVALENT.
- 4. PREFABRICATED UNITS SHALL BE GEOFAB, ENVIROFENCE, OR APPROVED EQUIVALENT.
- 5. MAINTENANCE SHALL BE PERFORMED AS NEEDED AND MATERIAL REMOVED WHEN "BULGES" DEVELOP IN THE SILT FENCE.

ASPHALT DRIVEWAY NOT TO SCALE

 Γ 2" HOT MIX ASPHALT TYPE 3

-GEOTEXTILE

SUBGRADE FABRIC

(MIRAFI 600X)

| ITEM 403.138902

-1 1/2" HOT MIX ASPHALT | BINDER COURSE, NYSDOT

-PAVEMENT

SUBGRADE

TYPÉ 7 TOP COURSE,

1. PAVEMENT SUBGRADE AREAS SHALL BE COMPACTED TO A DEPTH OF SIX INCHES AND TO A DENSITY OF NOT LESS THAN 95% OF THE MAXIMUM

2. EXISTING TOPSOIL (6" MINIMUM THICKNESS) SHALL BE REMOVED FROM ALL PROPOSED PAVEMENT AREAS. AREAS BELOW THE PAVEMENT SUBGRADE SHALL BE FILLED WITH COMPACTED GRANULAR SUBBASE COURSE.

DENSITY AS DETERMINED BY ASTM D-1557.

NYSDOT ITEM 403.198902

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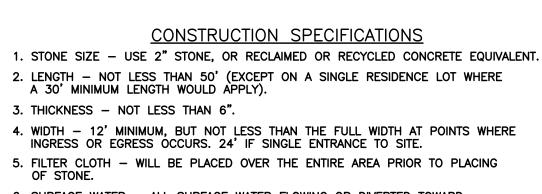
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NYSDOT TYPE 2, ITEM 304.12

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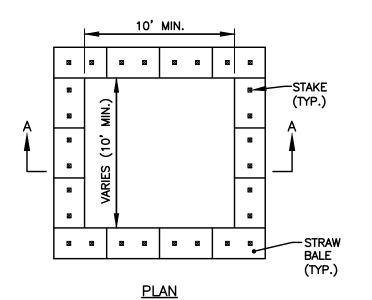


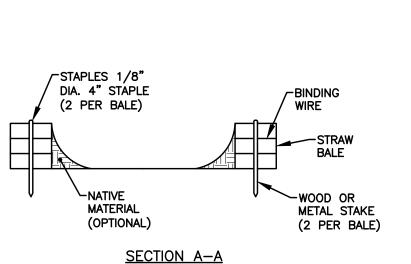
PLAN VIEW

PROFILE

- 6. SURFACE WATER ALL SURFACE WATER FLOWING OR DIVERTED TOWARD CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCES SHALL BE PIPED ACROSS THE ENTRANCE. IF PIPING IS IMPRACTICAL, A MOUNTABLE BERM WITH 5:1 SLOPES WILL BE PERMITTED.
- 7. MAINTENANCE THE ENTRANCE SHALL BE MAINTAINED IN A CONDITION WHICH WILL PREVENT TRACKING OR FLOWING OF SEDIMENT ONTO PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY, ALL SEDIMENT SPILLED, DROPPED, WASHED OR TRACTED ONTO PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY MUST BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY.
- 8. WHEN WASHING IS REQUIRED, IT SHALL BE DONE ON AN AREA STABILIZED WITH STONE AND WHICH DRAINS INTO AN APPROVED SEDIMENT TRAPPING DEVICE.
- 9. PERIODIC INSPECTION AND NEEDED MAINTENANCE SHALL BE PROVIDED AFTER EACH

TEMPORARY STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE NOT TO SCALE





<u>NOTES</u>

1", 1-1/2" AND 2" WATER SERVICE LINE NOTES

six feet of cover from finished grade in paved areas.

MCWA Portion = from the water main to and including

Private Portion = from the control valve to the meter

SDR 9, ASTM 2737, NSF-PW, 250 psi (CTS OD)

(c) Service Types include: Domestic = DS, Fire = FS, or Combined = CMB

the control valve on the ROW/property/easement line

sewer mains or septic systems.

DESCRIPTION

(a) Minimum size is 1-inch

EXISTING

MOUNTABLE BERM (OPTIONAL)

PAVEMENT -

PAVEMENT

4. Water service lines shall be identified as:

a by—pass assembly around the meter.

1. Water service lines shall be constructed in accordance with the regulations and specifications of the

2. Water service lines shall have a minimum of five feet of cover from finished grade in lawn areas and

3. Water service lines shall be separated at least ten feet, measured from the outside of the pipes, from

(b) Acceptable material for private portion is either Type "K" Copper or Polyethylene plastic (PE) #4710,

5. The Water Authority's portion of the service line shall be installed after the private portion of service is

6. Water meter(s) to be located on the interior of exterior wall(s) immediately upon service entrance into the building(s), or in a meter tile when conditions warrant. A by-pass assembly is <u>not</u> required around

the installation of 5/8-inch through 1-inch meters. Meter installations greater than 1-inch may require

Size(a) | Material(b)

Type "K"

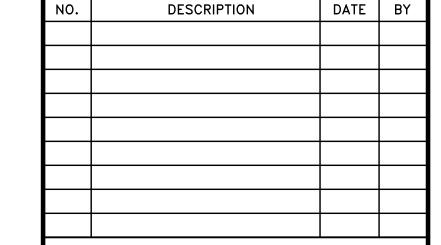
Copper

PE 4710

Type(c)

- 1. ACTUAL LAYOUT DETERMINED IN FIELD.
- 2. TEMPORARY WASHOUT AREA MUST BE AT LEAST 50' FROM A STORM DRAIN, CREEK BANK, OR PERIMETER CONTROL.
- 3. CLEAN OUT CONCRETE WASHOUT AREA WHEN 50% FULL.
- 4. THE KEY TO FUNCTIONAL CONCRETE WASHOUTS IS WEEKLY INSPECTIONS, ROUTING MAINTENANCE, AND REGULAR CLEAN OUT.
- 5. SILT FENCE SHALL BE INSTALLED AROUND PERIMETER OF CONCRETE WASHOUT AREA EXCEPT FOR THE SIDE UTILIZED FOR ACCESSING THE WASHOUT.
- 6. A ROCK CONSTRUCTION ENTRANCE MAY BE NECESSARY ALONG ONE SIDE OF THE WASHOUT TO PROVIDE VEHICLE ACCESS.

TEMPORARY CONCRETE TRUCK WASHOUT PIT NOT TO SCALE



REVISIONS

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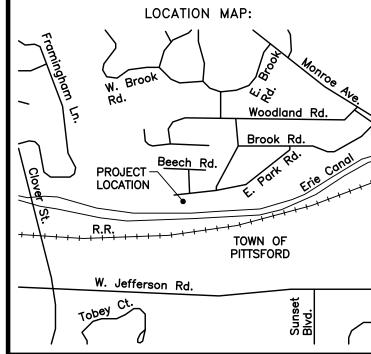
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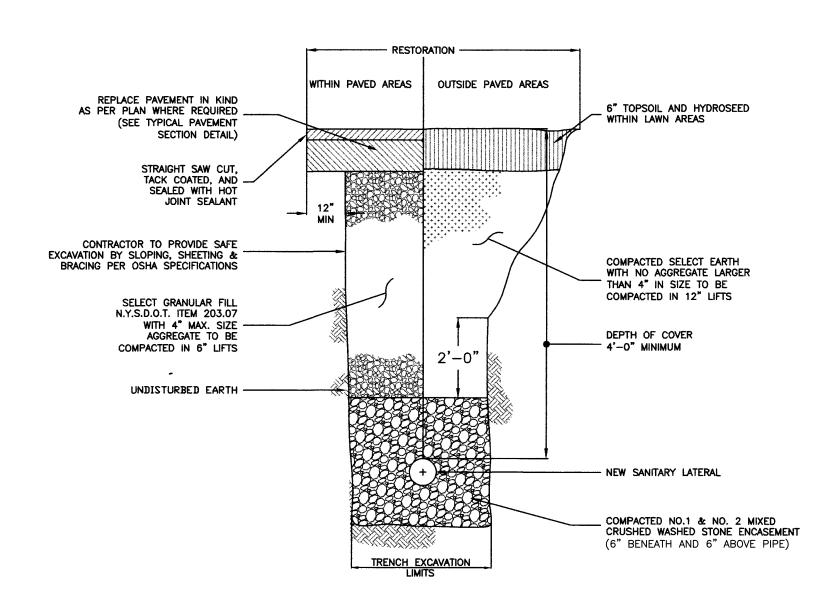
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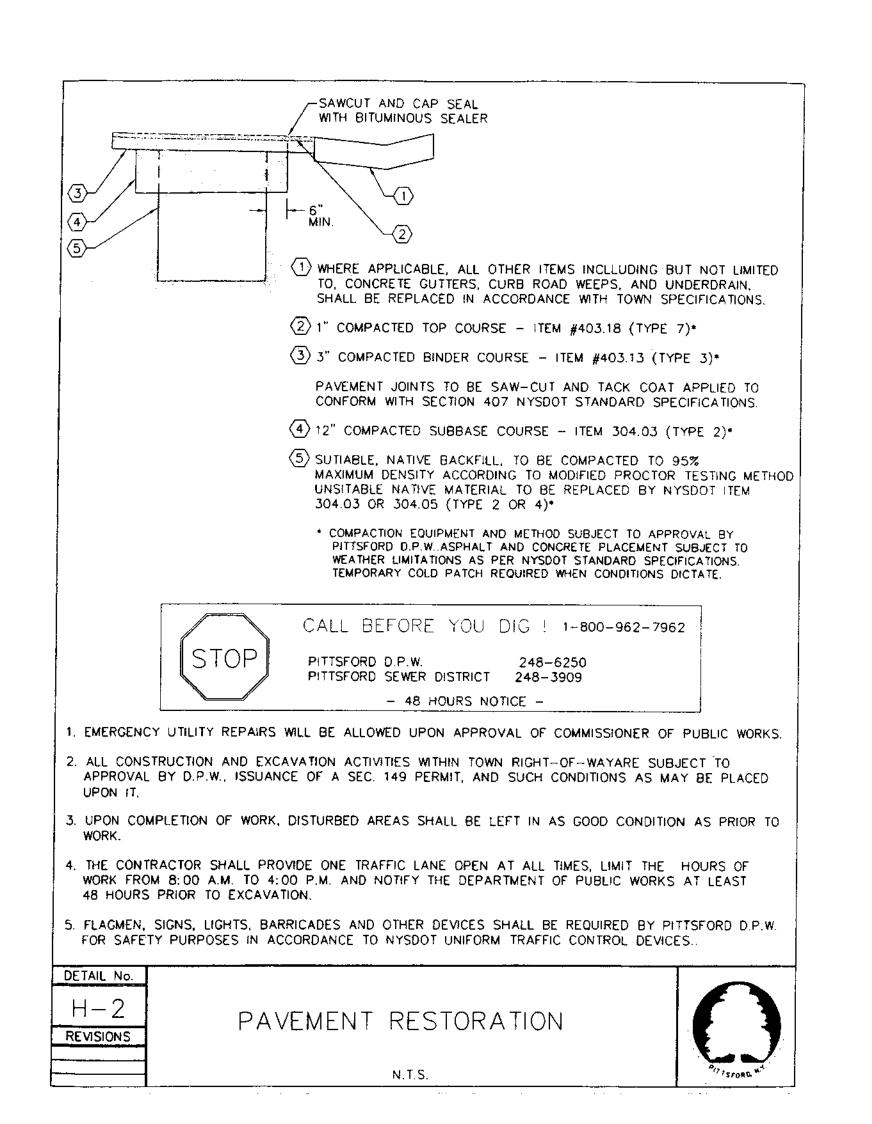
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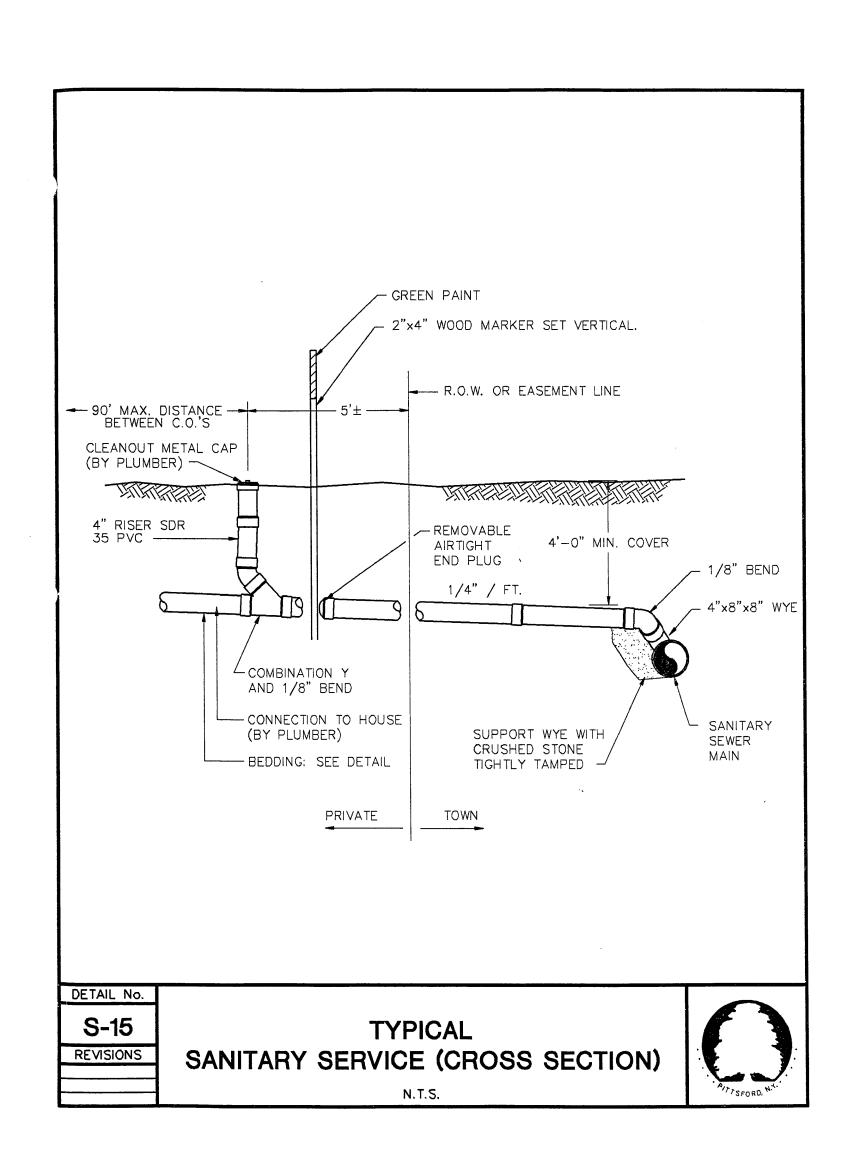
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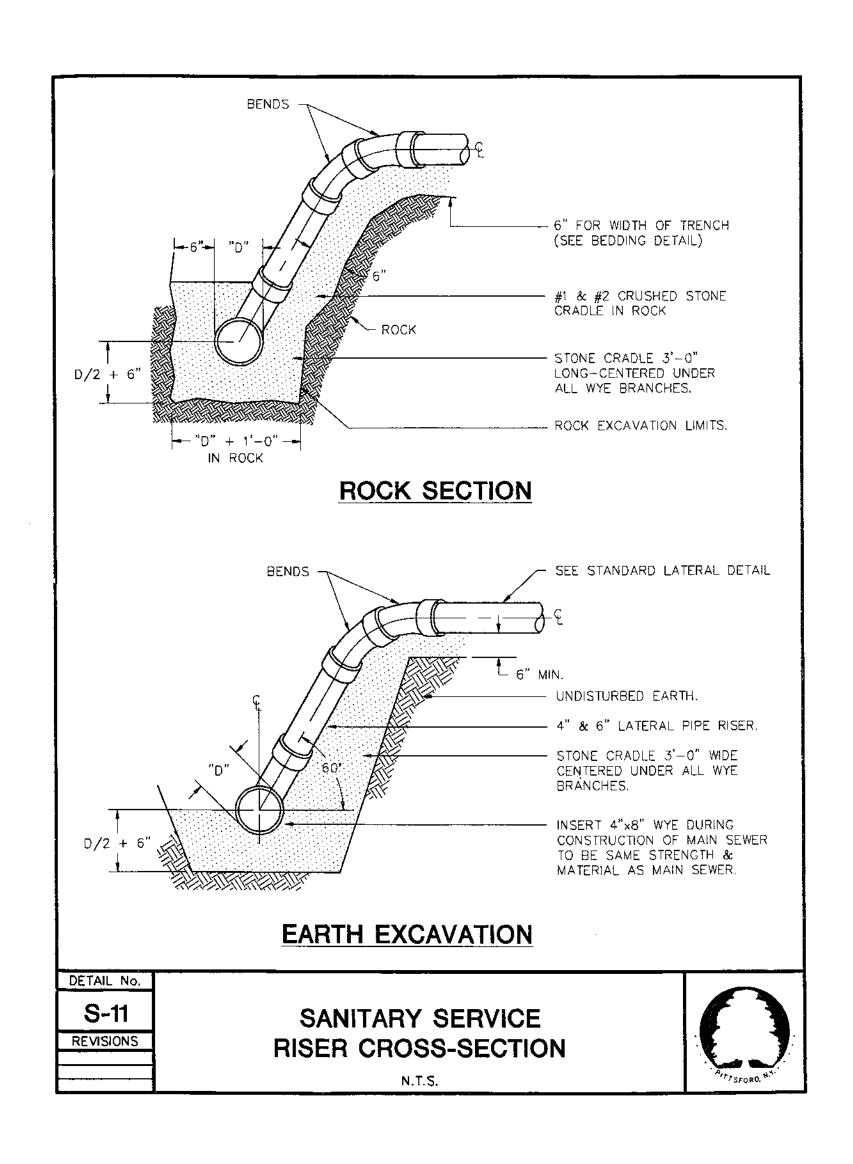
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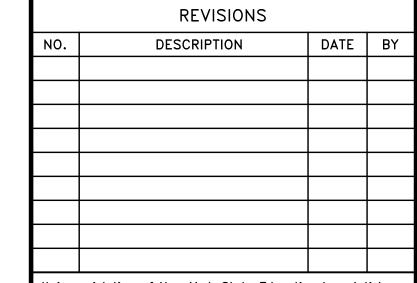


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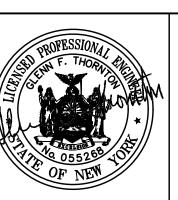


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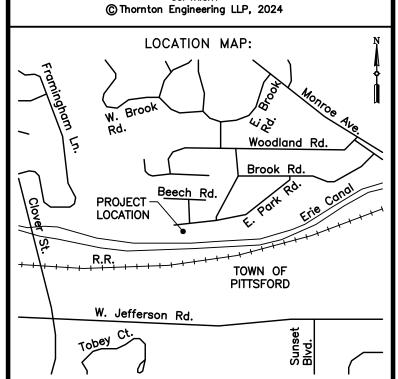
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Warfle Subdivision

74 East Park Road
Town of Pittsford
Monroe County, NY

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TOWN OF PITTSFORD PLANNING BOARD JANUARY 13, 2025

Minutes of the Town of Pittsford Planning Board meeting held on January 13, 2025, at 6:30PM local time. The meeting took place in the Lower-Level Meeting Room of Pittsford Town Hall, 11 S. Main Street.

PRESENT: Kevin Morabito, Hali Buckley, Paul Alguire, Paula Liebschutz, John Halldow, Dave Jefferson, John Limbeck

ABSENT:

ALSO PRESENT: Doug DeRue, Director of Planning, Zoning, and Development; April Zurowski, Planning Assistant; Evan Harkin, Student Member; Robert Koegel, Town Attorney; Kim Taylor, Town Board Liaison

ATTENDANCE: There were 19 members of the public present.

Chairman Limbeck made a motion to call the meeting to order, seconded by Board Member Buckley. Following a unanimous voice vote, the meeting opened at 6:30PM, none opposed.

Chairman Limbeck called for a moment of silence for former Planning Board Member Sarah Gibson. She passed away on January 5, 2025, after a two-year battle with glioblastoma.

CONTINUED HEARING:

Passero Associates, Pittsford Oaks Apartments

Preliminary/Final Subdivision and Preliminary Site Plan

Jerry Goldman, of Woods Oviatt Gilman, LLP; Anthony Daniele, of 2851 Clover, LLC; and Hans Lindenhovius, of Christa Construction, introduced the application. Mr. Daniele stated that the applicant is returning after further deliberation with the Design Review & Historic Preservation Board (DRHPB) on the design of the proposed apartment building. The DRHPB made specific comments requesting to lower the height of the northeast corner. The applicant agreed that the DRHPB's requests were not exactly followed, but Mr. Daniele believed the same goal was achieved. He understood that there will likely be more comments and more design changes before approval from DRHPB.

Board Member Buckley asked the applicant if the continued contention over the massing will be addressed with DRHPB. Mr. Daniele stated that he does not believe the DRHPB agrees with their feelings on the overall mass of the building. He stated that although the building is still three stories, the overall height is lower than previously presented. He agreed to continue working with the DRHPB. He stated that the DRHPB has requested other configurations than the currently proposed "H" shape, but the applicant is not interested in changing the shape due to the possible loss of units. By reducing the height at the northeast corner, the applicant estimated that there was a loss of 2-3 units already. Mr. Daniele stated that the building is similar in shape and height to the previous Cloverwood Senior Living plan, which the DRHPB approved.

Chairman Limbeck stated that since the last Planning Board meeting, the applicant has received County of Monroe Industrial Development Agency (COMIDA) approval for mortgage and sales tax relief. The Town Board and Planning Board were told that this project is "market-rate" housing, yet the application to COMIDA mentioned "senior housing" as the use. He was disappointed to learn that the applicant is advertising this project as senior housing after being specifically told that senior housing was not profitable enough to construct.

Chairman Limbeck stated that the draft resolution includes protections for the DRHPB to continue work on building design. He stated that the resolution also includes many concerns that still need to be addressed. He worried that if the Planning Board grants Preliminary Site Plan approval, the applicant will come back months later still with minimal changes, and will have spent money on demolition already, which will then become an excuse to approve the Final Site Plan.

Mr. Daniele stated that although the applicant has made clear that this project is for "market-rate" apartments, it is being marketed toward the 55+ community. Chairman Limbeck stated that most seniors are looking for a two- to three-bedroom apartment, but this development has mostly studios and one-bedrooms.

Board Member Liebschutz asked what amenities will be available to renters. Mr. Daniele stated that the apartment building will have a lobby for seating, a workout facility, a game room and card table, and a breakfast bar with no kitchen. Mr. Lindenhovius stated that there will be amenities outdoors including pergolas, barbeque grills, and outdoor seating.

Board Member Morabito stated that our resolution includes conditions that will be the applicant's responsibility to meet upon Final Site Plan application.

Mr. Goldman agreed, stating that there are multiple conditions that must be met prior to applying for Final Site Plan review. Mr. Goldman stated that granting a Preliminary Site Plan approval does not give the applicant rights to construct the building and that the applicant will undertake the risk of proceeding. He stated that the objective of a resolution would be to continue progression on the demolition and overall timeline. Chairman Limbeck stated that the applicant must understand that although the Board may move forward with Preliminary Site Plan approval, it is on the applicant to meet the conditions of the Planning Board and design requirements of the DRHPB. Chairman Limbeck stated that the excuse of money being spent will not be tolerated when negotiating Final Site Plan conditions. Mr. Goldman stated that during a previous project, the Whole Foods Plaza in Brighton, the applicant was involved in litigation and proceeded with the project regardless. Therefore, the applicant understands the risk involved. Board Member Buckley noted that the Town would like to avoid spending taxpayer dollars on litigation.

Chairman Limbeck stated that there is an open public hearing on this matter and invited members of the public to speak. He noted that the previous owner of the property, Chuck Ryan, submitted a written public comment to the Planning Board and Town staff. The comment asked the Board to approve the project.

Kathleen Cristman, DRHPB Member, stated that the Board agrees some project has been made on the design of the building, but would like to see more changes made to reduce the height, massing, and footprint. Board Member Morabito asked DRHPB Member Cristman to elaborate on her concerns with massing. DRHPB Member Cristman stated that the Board has

discussed the possibility of reconfiguring the "H" shape, reducing height at the northeast corner, and breaking up the 400-foot length of the building located directly behind the historic home at 2867 Clover Street. The applicant has not made efforts to minimize the impacts of these aspects. She stated that design guidelines suggest breaking up a large building into smaller buildings, even if the total square footage is the same. As is, the volume of the building is visually overwhelming.

Board Member Buckley noted that the DRHPB previously approved the "H" shape of the Cloverwood Senior Living project in the same location. She questioned how this application is different from the previous. DRHPB Member Cristman stated that there is a fourth floor visible for underground parking that was not visible in the Cloverwood Senior Living project. Mr. DeRue stated that the most recent rendering appears as if the peak elevations may have a lower height than the Cloverwood Senior Living project, especially east and west elevations. North and south elevations may appear taller, as the rooflines are shifted.

Board Member Morabito asked which DRHPB members are against these aspects. Mr. Koegel stated that DRHPB Member Cristman cannot speak on behalf of the entire Board, and that Board Member Morabito can review the DRHPB minutes if interested.

Board Member Alguire asked if the building footprint is similar. Chairman Limbeck confirmed.

Bonnie Salem, DRHPB Member, asked the Board to not act on the resolution at this meeting. She stated that all DRHPB members are asking this. She confirmed that the DRHPB has been requesting alternate footprints yet have not seen options. She stated that although the previously approved Cloverwood Senior Living project had a similar "H" shape, it had fewer units, which meant windows were less uniform and were spread out. She stated that if Preliminary Site Plan approval locks in the "H" configuration, the DRHPB has fewer options to make the building appear less obtrusive without the reduction of units. Mr. Koegel stated that Preliminary Site Plan approval should not lock in the "H" configuration, as the Planning Board has included protections to the DRHPB in the resolution for design changes.

Mr. DeRue asked the applicant if revised plans are in the works, as the last set of plans was from over a month ago on December 11th. Mr. Daniele confirmed that plans are continuously revised.

Vice Chairman Halldow stated that the resolution is seven pages long and includes 40 conditions of approval. He stated that this resolution reads as a project that is not ready for Preliminary Site Plan approval.

Chairman Limbeck motioned to close the public hearing, seconded by Board Member Liebschutz; all ayes, none opposed.

Chairman Limbeck read the Preliminary Site Plan and Preliminary/Final Subdivision resolution. Board Member Liebschutz motioned to approve the resolution, seconded by Board Member Morabito. The Board voted as follows:

David Jefferson No Paul Alguire No John Halldow No Kevin Morabito Aye

Paula Liebschutz Aye Hali Buckley Aye John Limbeck Aye

The resolution was adopted.

NEW HEARING:

Thornton Engineering LLP, Warfle Subdivision

Preliminary/Final Subdivision

Glenn Thornton, of Thornton Engineering LLP, introduced the application. Steve Warfle and Suzanne Wolf, owners of 74 East Park Road, were also in attendance. Mr. Thornton stated that he received Monroe County Department of Planning & Development comments and has submitted a letter in response. He has also received the Town Development Review Committee (DRC) comments and will submit a letter to address comments. He stated that the house will be elevated to avoid the canal overflow area and so that a walkout basement can be achieved. He stated that Monroe County Water Authority is requiring an easement for connection to the new home. He stated that the Town DRC comments include the recommendation for the Planning Board to require a sidewalk and trail easement. The property owners are not in favor of this, as the makeshift trail that exists now has created parking problems.

Board Member Alguire asked if the new home would connect to the sanitary sewer. Mr. Thornton confirmed.

Chairman Limbeck motioned to open the public hearing, seconded by Board Member Morabito; all ayes, none opposed. Chairman Limbeck asked for public comments. Hearing none, he stated that this hearing will remain open. He asked Mr. Thornton to address DRC comments and concerns with Town staff.

OTHER DISCUSSION:

The minutes of December 9, 2024, were approved following a motion by Chairman Limbeck, seconded by Board Member Alguire. Following a unanimous voice vote, the minutes were approved, none opposed.

Chairman Limbeck thanked the Board for their dedication on the Pittsford Oaks application.

Chairman Limbeck motioned to close the meeting at 7:37PM, seconded by Vice Chairman Halldow, and was approved by a unanimous voice vote, none opposed.

Respectfully submitted,	
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Planning Assistant	

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