



Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Resource Protection - Wetlands

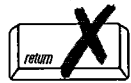
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WPA Form 1- Request for Determination of Applicability

Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40
Boxford Wetlands Protection Bylaw, Town Code Ch. 192 & 375

A. General Information

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



1. Applicant:

Name	Steve Merriam	E-Mail Address	merriams2@comcast.net
Mailing Address	265B Washington Street		
City/Town	Boxford	State	MA
		Zip Code	01921
Phone Number	9783526439	Fax Number (if applicable)	

2. Representative (if any):

Firm			
Contact Name			E-Mail Address
Mailing Address			
City/Town		State	Zip Code
Phone Number		Fax Number (if applicable)	

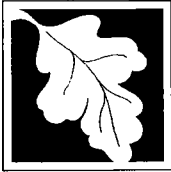
B. Determinations

1. I request the Boxford Conservation Commission make the following determination(s). Check any that apply:

- a. whether the **area** depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below is an area subject to jurisdiction of the Wetlands Protection Act.
- b. whether the **boundaries** of resource area(s) depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below are accurately delineated.
- c. whether the **work** depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the Wetlands Protection Act.
- d. whether the area and/or work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the jurisdiction of any **municipal wetlands ordinance or bylaw** of:

Boxford
Name of Municipality

- e. whether the following **scope of alternatives** is adequate for work in the Riverfront Area as depicted on referenced plan(s).



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C. Project Description

1. a. Project Location (use maps and plans to identify the location of the area subject to this request):

<u>265B Washington Street</u>	<u>Boxford</u>
Street Address	City/Town
<u>Map 9 Block 1</u>	<u>Parcel 35</u>
Assessors Map/Plat Number	Parcel/Lot Number

b. Area Description (use additional paper, if necessary):

Shown in attached plan as "Brick Walk" on westerly side of "Existing Dwelling."

Brick Walk has 1:28 slope toward "Existing Paved Driveway" and drains onto driveway.

Walkway is approximately 22' long 4' wide.

c. Plan and/or Map Reference(s):

<u>Plan of land in Boxford, Mass Prepared for Steve & Lynn Merriam</u>	<u>Oct 13, 1999</u>
Title	Date
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Title	Date
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Title	Date

2. a. Work Description (use additional paper and/or provide plan(s) of work, if necessary):

Change existing brick walkway set on sand base to bluestone walkway set on concrete base.

Existing bricks to be removed by homeowner and sold or recycled off-site.

Existing walkway area to be excavated by homeowner to approx 10" below grade.

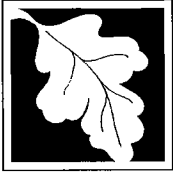
Excavated material to be moved to evergreen garden on site outside of 100' Wetland Buffer Zone.

6" deep reinforced concrete base to be poured by contractor with 1:28 slope toward driveway.

Bluestone walkway to be installed in mortar on concrete base by contractor.

Silt fence with base buried below grade will be installed as shown on plan during construction.

No loose soil will be placed within buffer zone.



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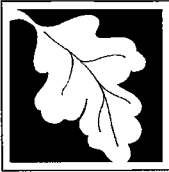
C. Project Description (cont.)

b. Identify provisions of the Wetlands Protection Act or regulations which may exempt the applicant from having to file a Notice of Intent for all or part of the described work (use additional paper, if necessary).

3. a. If this application is a Request for Determination of Scope of Alternatives for work in the Riverfront Area, indicate the one classification below that best describes the project.

- Single family house on a lot recorded on or before 8/1/96
- Single family house on a lot recorded after 8/1/96
- Expansion of an existing structure on a lot recorded after 8/1/96
- Project, other than a single family house or public project, where the applicant owned the lot before 8/7/96
- New agriculture or aquaculture project
- Public project where funds were appropriated prior to 8/7/96
- Project on a lot shown on an approved, definitive subdivision plan where there is a recorded deed restriction limiting total alteration of the Riverfront Area for the entire subdivision
- Residential subdivision; institutional, industrial, or commercial project
- Municipal project
- District, county, state, or federal government project
- Project required to evaluate off-site alternatives in more than one municipality in an Environmental Impact Report under MEPA or in an alternatives analysis pursuant to an application for a 404 permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers or 401 Water Quality Certification from the Department of Environmental Protection.

b. Provide evidence (e.g., record of date subdivision lot was recorded) supporting the classification above (use additional paper and/or attach appropriate documents, if necessary.)



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D. Signatures and Submittal Requirements

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing Request for Determination of Applicability and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I further certify that the property owner, if different from the applicant, and the appropriate DEP Regional Office were sent a complete copy of this Request (including all appropriate documentation) simultaneously with the submittal of this Request to the Conservation Commission.

Failure by the applicant to send copies in a timely manner may result in dismissal of the Request for Determination of Applicability.

Name and address of the property owner:

Name Steve Merriam

Mailing Address 265B Washington Street

City/Town Boxford

State MA Zip Code 01921

Signatures:

I also understand that notification of this Request will be placed in a local newspaper at my expense in accordance with Section 10.05(3)(b)(1) of the Wetlands Protection Act regulations.

Signature of Applicant *Steve Merriam* Date 4/4/17

Signature of Representative (if any) Date