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## AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT NEXT FLOOD MEASURES

Pursuant to Section F of the Vermont Stream Alteration General Permit

Project Number: **SA-09-1014-2016**

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Project Location: 104 East Putney Falls Rd

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The Secretary of the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources (VT ANR) has determined that:

1. This project authorizes the repair to the failed stacked stone retaining wall to prevent complete failure of the bank.  
This is a public safety issue. As discussed, the new retaining wall will not encroach on the stream channel.
2. The proposed activity is eligible for coverage under the VT ANR Stream Alteration General Permit – Next Flood Measures.
3. The proposed activity will meet the terms and conditions of Section F of the General Permit provided:
  - a) The project will be completed and approved as discussed at the site on June 29, 2016, and approved by the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources.
  - b) The project is proportional to the threat and conditioned to cease when the threat to life or to improved property has ended.
  - c) The project will not result in a threat to life, public health or safety.
  - d) The project will meet the standards detailed in subsection E.2.1 and E.2.2 of the General Permit.
  - e) The project will meet Stream Alteration Standards to the greatest extent possible.
  - f) A pre-construction meeting is held between the contractor, owner/applicant, and the ANR River Management Engineer.
  - g) The River Management Engineer is notified by phone or email when construction begins and when the project is complete.

If there are any changes in the project plan or deviation in construction from the plan, the Permittee must notify the River Management Engineer immediately.

If the project is constructed as you have described, as shown on the above referenced approved plans and according to the above conditions, there is no reason to expect any violation of Vermont Water Quality Standards.

Signed this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016

This permit expires October 1, 2017.

Alyssa B. Schuren, Commissioner  
Department of Environmental Conservation

by:   
Scott Jensen, P.E., River Management Engineer