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<http://dec.vermont.gov/watershed>**AUTHORIZATION TO CONDUCT STREAM ALTERATION ACTIVITIES**

Pursuant to Section C.2.2 of the VT Stream Alteration General Permit (Reporting activities not requiring an application)

Project Number: **SA-07-020-2016**Watercourse: **Benedict Brook**Applicant Name: **Landvest, Inc.**Email: rbradbury@landvest.comMailing Address: **16 Center Street, Suite 1 Concord, NH 03301**Phone: **(603) 227-2414**Project Location: **Benedict Hollow Road – on existing logging road**Lat/Lon: **N 43.0754 / W 73.2107**

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

1. This project authorizes under **Section C.2.2.4, a replacement temporary bridge with an open area of 22' by 8'**.
2. The proposed activity is eligible for coverage under the VT ANR Stream Alteration General Permit.
3. The proposed activity will meet the terms and conditions of the General Permit provided:
 - a) The project will be completed and approved **as discussed with applicant during a site visit on 06/30/16, with abutment and bank stabilization to be designed prior to commencing construction,** and as approved by ANR.
 - b) The project will not adversely affect the public safety by increasing flood hazards
 - c) The project will not significantly damage fish life or wildlife.
 - d) The project will not significantly damage the rights of riparian owners.
 - e) The project will not obstruct the movement of aquatic life indigenous to the waterbody beyond the actual duration of construction.
 - f) The project is conducted in a manner which minimizes or avoids any discharge of sediment or other pollutants to surface waters in violation of the VT Water Quality Standards.
 - g) The ANR River Management Engineer is notified by phone or email when construction begins and when the project is complete.
 - h) **In-stream working dates for all GP activities are from June 1st through October 1st**; any in-stream work outside these dates will require consultation with and prior authorization by the River Management Engineer (RME).
 - i) This authorization has been posted for three days public comment. This authorization constitutes final approval.

Additional Conditions: Final stream crossing design to be submitted for review and approval by the RME.

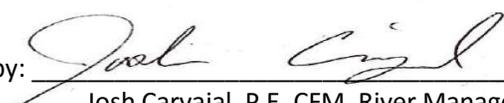
If there are any changes in the project plan or deviation in construction from the approved plans, the Permittee must notify the ANR RME immediately via phone (802) 490-6163 or email joshua.carvaial@vermont.gov.

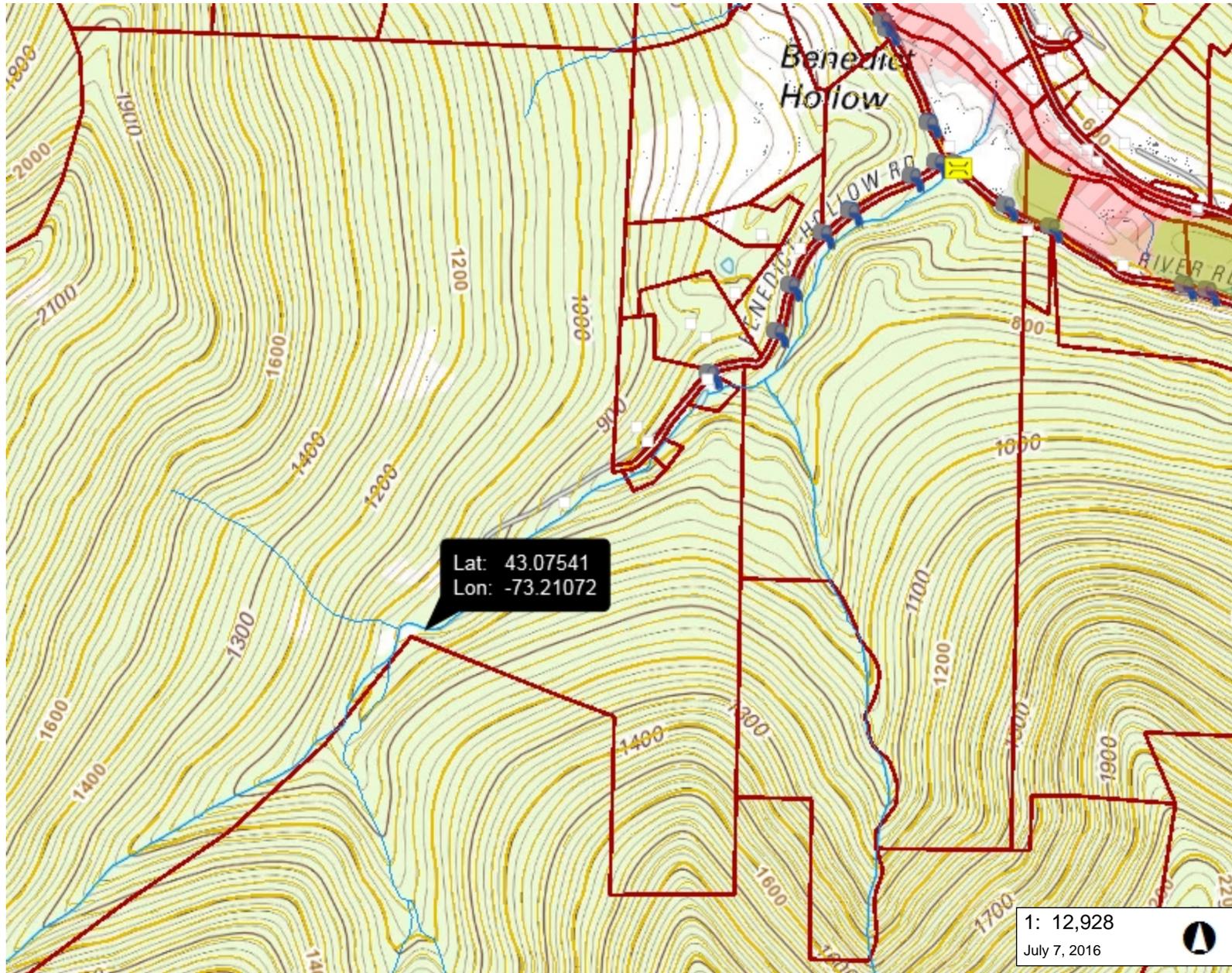
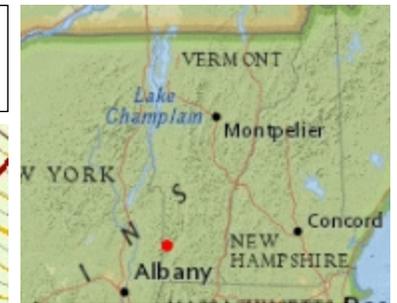
If the project is constructed as you have described, as shown on the above referenced approved plans and according to the above conditions, there is no reason to expect any violation of Vermont Water Quality Standards.

Signed this 10th day of July, 2016

Alyssa B. Schuren, Commissioner
Department of Environmental Conservation

This permit expires on October 1, 2017.

by: 
Josh Carvajal, P.E. CFM, River Management Engineer



LEGEND

- Wetlands - VSWI
 - Class 1 Wetland
 - Class 2 Wetland
- Wetlands Advisory Layer
- DFIRM Floodways
- DFIRM Preliminary Floodways
- Special Flood Hazard Areas (A Counties)
 - AE (1-percent annual chance flood)
 - A (1-percent annual chance floodpl.)
 - AO (1-percent annual chance zone feet)
 - 0.2-percent annual chance flood ha
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- Buildings (E911)
- VTRANS State and Town Long
- VTRANS State Short Structure
- Town Bridge
- Town Culvert
- Stream
- Parcels (where available)
- Town Boundary

NOTES

Map created using ANR's Natural Resources Atlas

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WGS_1984_Web_Mercator_Auxiliary_Sphere 1" = 1077 Ft. 1cm = 129 Meters

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