

Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation

Watershed Management Division

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Agency of Natural Resources

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION UNDER VERMONT WETLAND GENERAL **PERMIT**

Public Comment Period: 1/4/2017 - 1/13/2017

PERMITTEE INFORMATION

Permittee: Encore Renewable Energy c/o Derek Moretz

> 110 Main St., Suite 2E Burlington, VT 05401

PROJECT INFORMATION

General Permit Number: 3-9025

Wetlands Project Permit Number: 2016-226

Project Location: 952 Magee Hill Rd, Hinesburg

Project Description: construction and operation of a 1.3 MW solar electric generation

facility

Wetland Impact: 4sf

Buffer Zone Impact: 713sf

Expiration Date of Authorization: Five years from issuance of authorization.

FURTHER INFORMATION

An application for authorization under Vermont General Wetland Permit (#3-9025), required pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.7 of the Vermont Wetland Rules has been received by the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources (VANR). The wetland proposed to be impacted has been designated as a significant (Class II) wetland in the Vermont Wetland Rules. The complete application can be viewed on the Agency of Natural Resources website: http://dec.vermont.gov/watershed/permits/public-notices/wetlands-public-notices or by calling (802) 490-6100 for an appointment to view the application in person at the Vermont Wetlands Program (VWP) Office in Montpelier.

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PUBLIC COMMENTS/PUBLIC HEARINGS

Any person may file written comments regarding whether the application for Project 2016-226 complies with the terms and conditions of the general permit through 1/13/2017 and sending them to:

anr.wsmdwetlands@vermont.gov

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Attn: Wetlands Program
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All comments received by the above date will be considered by VANR prior to issuance of an authorization under the general permit.

FINAL ACTION/APPEAL

At the conclusion of the public notice period and after consideration of additional information received during the public notice period, the VANR will make a final determination to issue or to deny an authorization for coverage under the Vermont Wetland General Permit #3-9025, or determine that an Individual Wetland Permit is required pursuant to §IX.J. of this general permit.

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