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## NOTICE OF WETLAND DETERMINATION #2016-308 September 23, 2016

A request for a Wetland Determination, required pursuant to the provisions of Section 8 of the Vermont Wetland Rules has been received from Vermont Fish and Wildlife.

Approval is being requested to reclassify a Class II to a Class III wetland. The wetland is located at the Vermont Fish Culture Station located at 3696 Roxbury Road (VT Route 12A), on the west side of the road in Roxbury, Vermont, and consists of a combination of groundwater seeps, and man-made ponds used for fish culture operations associated with the Third Branch of the White River. The functions and values of the wetland have been evaluated by the petitioner and field verified by the Agency of Natural Resources. In accordance with Section 8.3 of the Vermont Wetland Rules, the Agency proposes to reclassify a Class II to a Class III wetland.

A copy of the draft determination and map is available for review at the Vermont Wetlands Office in Montpelier and may be found online at http://dec.vermont.gov/watershed/permits/public-notices/wetlands-public-notices This notice provides at least thirty (30) days in which to file written comments or to request that the Secretary hold a public meeting on the proposed determination. Comments regarding the Wetland Determination must be limited to a discussion of the functions and values of the wetland as described in Section 5 of the Vermont Wetland Rules. of which be found online а copy can at: http://dec.vermont.gov/watershed/wetlands/jurisdictional/rules#Section5

Any person may file comments in writing on this determination by referencing project **#2016-259** through **October 24, 2016** and sending them to:

Watershed Management Division Attn: Wetlands Program Department of Environmental Conservation One National Life Drive Main Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Montpelier, VT 05620-3522

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