

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT Conservation Commission 16 Main Street | P.O. Box 435 | Mattapoisett, MA 02739 Phone: (508) 758-4100 ext. 219 | Fax: (508) 758-3030 E-mail address : concomm@mattapoisett.net

Instructions for filing a

REQUEST FOR A DETERMINATION OF APPLICABILITY

With the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission <u>ALL items on the list must be completed.</u>

- □ Submit Town bylaw fee: \$50.00 Residential, \$100 Commercial
- Fill out the attached <u>Request for a determination of applicability</u> application (RDA).
  (Don't forget to sign and date last page)
- □ Make eight (9) copies-

o Submit seven (7) copies of the Request for a determination of applicability and plans and all other related documents, maps and sketches to the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission office,

o Certified mail one set to DEP Lakeville office, 20 Riverside Drive, Lakeville, MA 02347

o Keep one complete set for your records.

- Request a public hearing datefrom the Conservation Commission Office
- Obtain a (100ft) list of abutters from the Assessor's Office at the Town Hall (see attached form) (submit form as soon as possible (the office has two weeks to issue)
- Fill out the attached advertisement form and submit to a local newspaper (see attached list of publications and the form to be filled out). The public hearing notice <u>MUST</u> appear in one of the 3 publications (at least) <u>5 days business days</u> prior to the scheduled public hearing date
- Notify abutters, from the obtained list, whether in person (see attached "HAND DELIVERY" form) or by <u>certified mail/return receipt</u> with the attached ("CERTIFIED MAIL") form, notify abutters (at least) 7 business days prior to the public hearing (bring all forms and/or certified mail receipts to the public hearing, you will be asked to submit them to the Chairman when your hearing is called then...
- Send by <u>certified mail/return receipt</u> 1 copy to the <u>RDA application and plans</u> to the Dept. of Environmental Protection, 20 Riverside Drive/Route 105, Lakeville, MA 02347
- If applicable (confirm with the Conservation agent), send by certified mail/return receipt 1 copy of the <u>RDA application and plans</u> to the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program (NHESP), Division of Fisheries and Wildlife, 1 Rabbit Hill Road, Westborough, MA 01581.

Thank you, Mattapoisett Conservation Commission (508) 758-4100 ext 229 or 219



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## Listings for Public Advertisement /Legal Ads

<u>Newspaper</u>	Address	Phone Number	Fax
1. The Wanderer	55 County Rd, Mattapoisett, MA 02739	508-758-9055	508-758-4845
2. The Standard Times	25 Elm St., New Bedford, MA 02740	508-979-4351	508-979-4495
3. The Sentinel	PO Box 959, Plymouth, MA 02362	508-748-1123 ext. 242	508-747-2148

Please note that the deadlines may very for each local paper, so call in advance.

- The Wanderer (weekly): Thursday issue. Ads must be placed before 10:00 a.m. on the previous Tuesday
- The Standard Times (daily) Ads published on 2<sup>nd</sup> day is received before noon and on 3<sup>rd</sup> day if after noon.\*
  The Sentinel (weekly): Ads must be placed before 10:00 a.m. Tuesday to appear in the Thursday issue.

\*Example: Submit an ad to the Standard times on Tuesday before 12:00 noon and it will appear in Thursday's paper; ads submitted after Noon will appear in the next Friday edition.

✓ Please be aware that deadlines for advertisements are subject to change. Call in advance for information. ✓ Please promptly fill in the form below and submit it to:

#### Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 16 Main Street P.O. Box 435 Mattapoisett, MA 02739

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I,			(Firs	t and Last Nam		placed my adv	ertisement for

a Notice of Intent or a Request for Determination of Applicability (circle one). My advertisement will appear in

the	, in the issue of	
(Name of paper where you submitted the ad)	(Date ad is scheduled to appear)	

# **ARTICLE 22**

## CONSERVATION COMMISSION

- 22.1. Notice of Intent or Request for Determination for Applicability
- 22.1.1. Any person filing a Notice of Intent or Request for Determination for Applicability with the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission under the provisions of the Wetlands Protection Act, G.L. c. 131, §40, shall, at the same time, give written notice of the hearing thereof, by certified mail (return receipt requested) or by hand delivery, to all abutters at their mailing addresses shown on the most recent applicable tax list of the assessors, including owners of land directly opposite on any public or private street or way.
- 22.1.2. The notice to abutters shall state the date, time and location for any hearing and include a copy of the Notice or Request and shall state where copies of the complete filing may be examined. Copies shall be available to abutters free of charge. An affidavit of the persons providing such notice, with a copy of the notice mailed or delivered, shall be filed with the Conservation Commission at or before the time stated for the hearing.

22.1.3. When a person requesting a determination is other than the owner, the request, the notice of the hearing and the determination itself shall be sent by the Conservation Commission to the owner as well as to the person making the request.



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## ADVERTISEMENT FORM FOR A REQUEST FOR A DETERMINATION OF APPLICABILITY

This form is to be used for Legal Notices for public hearings to be published in a local Newspaper (see attached for listings). The ad must appear a <u>minimum of five (5) business days</u> prior to the date of the hearing. It's the applicant's responsibility to pay for the advertising fee. It is also the applicant's responsibility to request and confirm a Hearing time and date from the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission to be entered below.

## TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Monday,	(date) at	6:30	p.m. (time) in the Town Hall on the
Request for A Determination of	Applicability s	ubmitted by:	
			(Name and full address)
The proposed project is to			
	(Descril	be work to be	e done). The project is located at
			(project address),

**Conservation Commission** 

#### NOTIFICATION TO ABUTTERS UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT AND MATTAPOISETT BY LAWS (Hand Delivered)

In accordance with the second paragraph of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40, and Article XXII of the Mattapoisett by Laws you are hereby notified of the following.

a.	The name of the applicant is
b.	The applicant has filed a Request for a Determination of Applicability with the Conservation Commission seeking permission to remove, fill, dredge or alter an Area Subject to Protection under the Wetlands Protection Act (General Laws Chapter 131, Section 40.
c.	The address of the lot where the activity is proposed is
	d.
The pr	oject consists of
	Copies of the Request for a Determination of Applicability may be examined at the Town Hall Conservation Commission Office on Monday. Wednesday and Friday between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and

3:00 p.m. For more information call 508-758-4100 ext. 219.

e. The public hearing will be conducted on (date and time) Monday\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, at <u>6:30</u> p.m. in the Town Hall.

f. The applicant shall hand deliver this notice and have it signed below by abutters proving they have been informed of the hearing or submit certified mail proof to the Commission that abutters have been notified. Abutter attendance at the public hearing is not required.

Abutter's Signatures (May use a blank sheet of paper for additional signatures if needed)

(Name)	(Date)
(Name)	(Date)

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(Date)

(Name)

(Date)

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## ABUTTERS REQUEST FORM

Please check appropriate block 100 feet 200 feet 300 feet	
Name of Requester:	
Name of Parcel Owner:	
Parcel Address:	-
Map Lot	
Date Requested:	
Date Required:	
Cost \$25.00	
Mailing labels are available for an additional \$5.00 fee.	
Phone #	
Email	
Instructions for filing an RDA with the Conservation Dept. (click here)	
Thank you,	
Mattapoisett Board of Assessors	