



The State of New Hampshire
Department of Environmental Services



Robert R. Scott, Commissioner

**TIME EXTENSION AGREEMENT – WETLANDS PERMIT
LAND RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
WETLANDS BUREAU**

2020-02239
Project Location: DOUGLAS DR, DALTON
Tax Map #M405, Lot #33
Date: October 26, 2021

Pursuant to this agreement, NHDES and the Applicant agree to extend the record by mutual agreement so the Applicant may file an amendment supplementing the pending application.

Granite State Landfill, LLC

Bryan K. Gould, Its Attorney

or

Print Applicant Name

Print Authorized Agent Name

agrees to extend the review of its application based on the outstanding items listed below.

The reason(s) for requested extension:

So that the Applicant may respond to NHDES’s request for an application amendment pursuant to RSA 482-A:3, XIV(e) by providing additional information to supplement the pending application, as provided by this agreement. Consistent with NHDES’s request, this extension agreement also requires the Applicant to submit a complete State Alteration of Terrain Permit application at the same time as the amended Wetlands application, to allow for a comprehensive and coordinated review of the impacts of the proposed project on hydrology and water quality.

Extension Deadlines

By executing this agreement, the Applicant and NHDES agree to the following.

1. Unless NHDES requests content that it has not requested as of the date of this agreement, the Applicant shall submit the following no later than **December 15, 2021**:
 - a. An amendment to supplement the pending State Wetlands Permit application with NHDES; and
 - b. An application for a State Alteration of Terrain Permit with NHDES for Phase 1 of the project.
2. Pursuant to Env-Wt 311.13(a), and RSA 482-A:3, I(e)(1) and (2), the Applicant shall file a copy of the amendment to the pending State Wetlands Permit application with the municipal clerks of Dalton and Bethlehem, the Ammonoosuc River Local Advisory Committee (“ARLAC”), and the abutters at the same time that it is submitted to NHDES.
3. NHDES will have 75 calendar days after the amendment to the State Wetlands Permit application has been deemed administratively complete to request any additional information necessary to complete NHDES’ evaluation.
4. Within 14 days of the filing date of the notice referenced in #2 above, any conservation commission of the listed municipalities in #2 and ARLAC shall, if they intend to conduct an investigation and prepare a report as provided by statute, provide notice of such intention to NHDES. If notified, NHDES shall follow the provisions in RSA 482-A:11, III(a) to receive and respond to the report, except that NHDES and the Applicant agree that the noticing party shall have 80 days to submit a written report to NHDES. Any entity that fails to give notice within the 14 day period will be deemed to have waived its ability to conduct such an investigation.

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5. If NHDES issues a request for more information pertaining to the amended State Wetlands Permit application pursuant to #3, above, the Applicant shall submit such information no later than 60 calendar days from the date of the request.
6. Within 75 calendar days of NHDES' receipt of a complete response to the request for more information, NHDES shall schedule a public hearing to receive public comments on the amended State Wetlands Permit application.
7. NHDES shall hold a public hearing on the amended State Wetlands Permit application on the date scheduled following the procedures in RSA 482-A:8, Env-C 200, and Env-Wt 202. If possible, this hearing will be held jointly with other NHDES permitting programs.
8. NHDES shall issue a decision on the amended State Wetlands Permit application no later than **December 31, 2022**.
9. The parties to this agreement may only extend the deadlines for each step by mutual agreement, if necessary.

Signatures

Bryan K. Gaudet, Applicant's Counsel 10-26-21
Signature of Applicant or Authorized Agent Date

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Signature of NHDES Authorized Official Date 10/26/21