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 <p><b>Adirondack Park Agency</b></p> <p>P.O. Box 99, 1133 NYS Route 86 Ray Brook, New York 12977 Tel: (518) 891-4050 www.apa.ny.gov</p>	<p>APA Permit <b>2023-0040</b></p>
<p>In the Matter of the Application of</p> <p><b>ROBERT OAKES, KATHLEEN OAKES AND JAMES OAKES</b> Permittee</p> <p>for a permit pursuant to § 809 of the Adirondack Park Agency Act</p>	<p>Date Issued: June 29, 2023</p> <p>To the County Clerk: Please index this permit in the grantor index under the following names:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>1. Robert Oakes</b></li><li><b>2. Kathleen Oakes</b></li><li><b>3. James Oakes</b></li></ol>

**SUMMARY AND AUTHORIZATION**

This permit authorizes the construction of a single family dwelling in an area classified Resource Management on the Adirondack Park Land Use and Development Plan Map in the Town of Santa Clara, Franklin County.

This authorization shall expire unless recorded in the Franklin County Clerk's Office within 60 days of issuance of a signed and notarized permit. The signed and notarized permit shall be recorded in the names of all persons listed above and in the names of all owners of record of any portion of the project site on the recordation date.

The project shall not be undertaken or continued unless the project authorized herein is in existence within five years of the date the permit is recorded in the Franklin County Clerk's Office. The Agency will consider the project in existence when the single-family dwelling has been completed.

The project shall be undertaken in compliance with all conditions stated herein. Failure to comply with this permit is a violation and may subject the permittee, successors, and assigns to civil penalties and other legal proceedings.

This permit does not convey any right to trespass upon the lands or interfere with the riparian rights of others in order to undertake the authorized project, nor does it authorize the impairment of any easement, right, title or interest in real or personal property.

Nothing contained in this permit shall be construed to satisfy any legal obligations of the permittee to comply with all applicable laws and regulations or to obtain any governmental approval or permit from any entity other than the Agency, whether federal, State, regional, or local.

### **PROJECT SITE**

The project site is a 12.89-acre parcel of land located on Madawaska Access Road in the Town of Santa Clara, Franklin County, in an area classified Resource Management on the Adirondack Park Land Use and Development Plan Map. The site is identified as Tax Map Section 317, Block 1, Parcel 10, and is described in a deed from Robert S. Ingalls to Robert Oakes, Kathleen Oakes and James Oakes, dated November 29, 2021, and recorded December 10, 2021 in the Franklin County Clerk's Office under Instrument Number 2021-6736.

The project site is located partially within one-eighth mile of the Madawaska Flow-Quebec Brook Primitive Area and contains wetlands. Additional wetlands not described herein or depicted on the Site Plan may be located on or adjacent to the project site.

### **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The project as conditionally approved herein involves the construction of a single-family dwelling and pit privy.

The project is shown on the following map:

- "Robert Oakes (Site Plan)", prepared by Robert Oakes, and dated February 10, 2023 (Site Plan).

A reduced-scale copy of the Site Plan for the project is attached as a part of this permit for reference.

### **AGENCY JURISDICTION**

Pursuant to Section 809(2)(a) of the Adirondack Park Agency Act, a permit is required from the Adirondack Park Agency prior to the construction of any single-family dwelling on Resource Management lands in the Adirondack Park.

Pursuant to Section 809(2)(a) of the Adirondack Park Agency Act, a permit is required from the Adirondack Park Agency prior to any new land use or development within one-eighth mile of forest preserve lands classified primitive in the Adirondack Park.

### **CONDITIONS**

#### **THE PROJECT IS APPROVED SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:**

1. The project shall not be undertaken until this permit has been recorded in the Franklin County Clerk's Office.
2. This permit is binding on the permittee, all present and future owners or lessees of the project site, and all persons undertaking all or a portion of the project. Copies of this permit and Site Plan shall be furnished by the permittee to all subsequent owners or lessees of the project site prior to sale or lease, and by the permittee and/or any subsequent owner or lessee to all persons undertaking any development activities authorized herein.

3. In addition to complying with all terms and conditions of this permit, all future activities on the project site shall be undertaken in compliance with the requirements of New York State's Adirondack Park Agency Act, Freshwater Wetlands Act and the Adirondack Park Agency's implementing regulations [9 NYCRR §§ 570-588].
4. All deeds conveying all or a portion of the lands subject to this permit shall contain references to this permit as follows: "The lands conveyed are subject to Adirondack Park Agency Permit 2023-0040, issued June 29, 2023, the conditions of which are binding upon the heirs, successors and assigns of the grantors and all subsequent grantees."
5. Subject to the conditions stated herein, this permit authorizes the construction of one single family dwelling and pit privy on the project site in the location shown on the Site Plan.

The single family dwelling shall be no more than 40 feet in height, as measured from the highest point on the structure, to the lower of either existing or finished grade. The single family dwelling shall be less than 1100 square feet in footprint, including all attached porches, decks, exterior stairs, garages, and other attached structures. Any expansion beyond these dimensions shall require prior written Agency authorization.

6. The undertaking of any new land use or development not authorized herein on the project site within one-eighth mile of the Madawaska Flow-Quebec Brook Primitive area shall require a new or amended permit. The undertaking of any activity involving wetlands shall also require a new or amended permit.
7. Construction of any guest cottage on the project site shall require prior written Agency approval.
8. Prior to construction of any on-site wastewater treatment system on the project site, written authorization shall be obtained from the Agency for plans prepared by a New York State design professional (licensed engineer or registered architect) that comply with New York State Department of Health's "Wastewater Treatment Standards for Individual Household Systems" (10 NYCRR Appendix 75 A), the Agency's Project Guidelines for Residential On-Site Wastewater Treatment, and with Agency standards in 9 NYCRR Appendix Q-4.

Installation of the approved plans shall be under the supervision of a licensed design professional. Within 30 days of complete system installation and prior to utilization, the design professional shall provide the Agency with written certification that the system was installed in compliance with the Agency authorized plan set.

9. When brought from off-site, all equipment, including but not limited to trucks, excavators, tractors, etc., and hand excavation tools such as shovels, rakes, and picks, to be used on the project site shall be clean and free of soil, mud, or other similar material. If washed on the project site, equipment shall be washed in one location to prevent the distribution of propagules among different wash sites.

10. Any new free-standing or building-mounted outdoor lights shall employ full cut-off fixtures that are fully shielded to direct light downward and not into the sky or toward the Madawaska Access Road or adjoining property.
11. Any motorized electrical generating system installed to serve the single family dwelling authorized herein shall be located in a structure that is sound insulated and the equipment shall utilize a muffler that complies with the manufacturer's specifications.
12. Within 100 feet of the building envelope depicted on the Site Plan, no trees greater than 6 inches in diameter at breast height may be cut or otherwise removed or disturbed on the project site without prior written Agency authorization, except for the removal of dead or diseased vegetation, rotten or damaged trees, or any other vegetation that presents a safety or health hazard.
13. There shall be no principal buildings located on the project site other than the dwelling authorized herein.

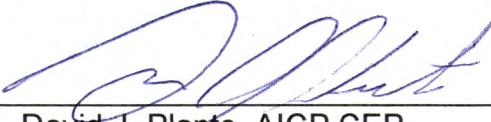
### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The Agency has considered all statutory and regulatory criteria for project approval set forth in the Adirondack Park Agency Act and 9 NYCRR Part 574. The Agency hereby finds that the subdivision authorized as conditioned herein:

- a. will be consistent with the land use and development plan;
- b. will be compatible with the character description and purposes, policies, and objectives of the Resource Management land use area;
- c. will be consistent with the overall intensity guidelines for the Resource Management land use area;
- d. will comply with the shoreline restrictions of § 806 of the Adirondack Park Agency Act; and
- e. will not have an undue adverse impact upon the natural, scenic, aesthetic, ecological, wildlife, historic, recreational or open space resources of the Park or upon the ability of the public to provide supporting facilities and services made necessary by the project.

PERMIT issued this 29<sup>th</sup> day  
of June, 2023.

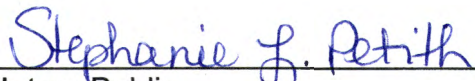
ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY

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STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF ESSEX

On the 29<sup>th</sup> day of June in the year 2023, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared David J. Plante, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same in their capacity, and that by their signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

Stephanie L. Petith  
Notary Public, State of New York  
Reg. No. 01PE6279890  
Qualified in Franklin County  
Commission Expires April 15, 2025

  
Notary Public

TAX MAP PARCEL 317-1-10 TOWN OF SANTA CLARA / FRANKLIN COUNTY / NEW YORK  
Robert OAKES  
KATHLEEN OAKES  
JAMES OAKES

JACKSON Timberlands LAND

NORTH

Adirondack Forest Preserve Land

317-1-10

FINAL  
ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY  
FILE # P 2023-0040

proposed  
outHouse

proposed  
1 story  
2 BED room  
CAMP

MARSHY AREA

- DRY BEAVER  
POND

120'

proposed driveway

old camp site  
camp fell down  
1960's or so

old camp  
site  
1970's

SCALE: 1" = 100'

TO  
MADAWASKA  
FLOW

TO ROUTE 458

DRAWN BY Robert OAKES  
2/10/23

Robert OAKES (SITE PLAN)

587'

969'