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|  <p><b>Adirondack<br/>Park Agency</b></p> <p>P.O. Box 99, 1133 NYS Route 86<br/>Ray Brook, New York 12977<br/>Tel: (518) 891-4050<br/>www.apa.ny.gov</p> | <p>APA Emergency Recovery<br/>Authorization Permit<br/><b>2026-0045</b></p>  |
| <p>In the Matter of the Application of</p> <p><b>TOWN OF HOPKINTON</b><br/><b>Permittee</b></p> <p>for an Emergency Recovery Authorization Permit<br/>pursuant to § 572.15(d) of the Adirondack Park<br/>Agency Rules and Regulations</p> | <p>Date Issued: <b>March 19, 2026</b></p> <p>To the County Clerk: Please index<br/>this permit in the grantor index<br/>under the following name(s):<br/><b>1. Town of Hopkinton</b></p> |

**EMERGENCY RECOVERY AUTHORIZATION**

The Agency has determined that the proposal described below constitutes an Emergency Recovery Authorization and meets all of the statutory and regulatory criteria in the Adirondack Park Agency Act and § 572.15(d) of the Adirondack Park Agency Rules and Regulations, provided the conditions listed herein are met, and is being undertaken to repair, remediate and/or recover from an emergency as it is defined in 9 NYCRR Part 572.15(b)(1).

This Emergency Recovery Authorization Permit is based on and made only for the project described in the documents submitted in the March 5, 2026 correspondence from Ryan Luppino, representing Barton & Loguidice, on behalf of the Town of Hopkinton to the Agency.

This permit shall expire unless recorded in the St. Lawrence County Clerk's Office within 60 days of issuance of a signed and notarized authorization. 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 one (1) year of the date this permit is recorded in the St. Lawrence County Clerk's Office. The Agency will consider the project in existence when the authorized culvert has been replaced.

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 the existing culvert crossing carrying Big Hollow Brook under Beebe Road in the Town of Hopkinton, St. Lawrence County, in an area classified Resource Management on the Adirondack Park Land Use and Development Plan Map. The project site is adjacent to adjacent to Tax Map Section 67.004, Block 2, Parcel 1.4.

Additional wetlands not described herein or depicted on the Site Plan may be located on or adjacent to the project site.

### **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

On August 9, 2024, heavy rain and severe flooding created hazardous conditions in New York State posing an imminent danger to public transportation, utility service, public health, and public safety systems. On August 9, 2024, Governor Kathy Hochul issued Executive Order 38 declaring a State Disaster Emergency in St. Lawrence County. The St. Lawrence County Board of Legislators also issued a State of Emergency Declaration on August 9, 2024.

The storm caused significant damage to the existing culvert crossing carrying Big Hollow Brook under Beebe Road. The Town of Hopkinton temporarily re-installed the existing 48-inch-diameter corrugated metal pipe culvert and an additional 18-inch-diameter Smooth Interior Corrugated Polyethylene Pipe (SICPP) culvert to restore access.

The project as conditionally approved herein involves replacement of the existing 48-inch and 18-inch culverts with a 25-foot by 10-foot by 5-foot pre-cast concrete box culvert over Big Hollow Brook.

The project is shown on a two-page set of plans titled "Beebe Road Over Big Brook Hollow Brook" prepared by Barton & Loguidice, dated March 2026 (Project Plans).

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

### **AGENCY JURISDICTION**

Pursuant to Section 809(15) of the Adirondack Park Agency Act, emergency projects are exempted from the permitting requirements of Section 809 of the APA Act.

9 NYCRR Part 572.15 authorizes the Agency to issue Emergency Recovery Authorizations for projects being undertaken to repair, remediate or recover from an emergency as defined in 9 NYCRR Part 572.15(b)(1).

**CONDITIONS**

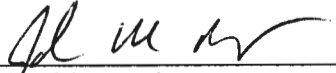
**THE PROJECT IS APPROVED SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:**

1. The project shall not be undertaken until this permit has been recorded in the St. Lawrence 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, for as long as the structure remains on the site. Copies of this permit and Project Plans 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. No otherwise jurisdictional activity shall occur on the project site without prior Agency approval beyond the land use and development authorized herein that is necessary for the repair, remediation or recovery from an emergency.
5. This permit authorizes the installation of a culvert in the location shown and as depicted on the Project Plan. Any change to the location, dimensions, or other aspect of the authorized culvert shall require prior written Agency authorization.
6. Erosion and Sediment Control shall be undertaken in compliance with the Project Plans.
7. 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.
8. Temporary construction access, detour, and work pad facilities (including necessary fills from the previous temporary installation) shall be entirely removed following completion of construction activities, and the affected and adjacent area successfully restored to its pre-construction condition.

Dated: march 19<sup>th</sup>, 2026

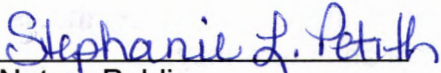
Ray Brook, New York

**ADIRONDACK PARK AGENCY**

By:   
John M. Burth  
Deputy Director, Regulatory Programs

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF ESSEX

On the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March in the year 2026, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State personally appeared John M. Burth, 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.

  
Notary Public

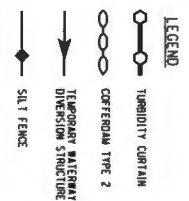
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Notary Public, State of New York  
Reg. No. 01PE6279890  
Qualified in Essex County  
Commission Expires April 15, 2029

IN CHARGE OF \_\_\_\_\_ DESIGNED BY \_\_\_\_\_ CHECKED BY \_\_\_\_\_ DRAFTED BY \_\_\_\_\_ CHECKED BY \_\_\_\_\_

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 Date: March 18, 2026

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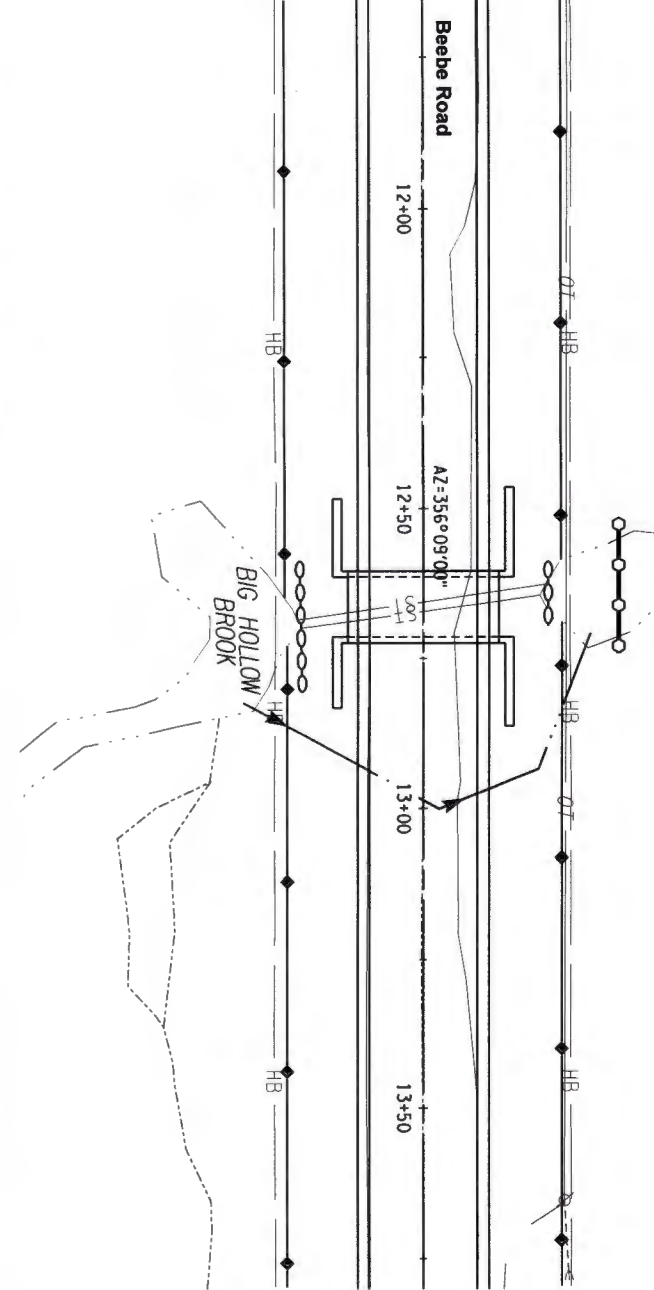
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PREPARED BY: BARTON & LOGUIDICE, D.P.C.

**GENERAL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL NOTES:**

THE CONTRACTOR IS ADVISED THAT ALL THEIR WORK SHALL CONFORM TO THE LATEST EDITIONS OF THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION (DEC) REGULATIONS AND ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LAWS, ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN AND PROTECT ALL EXISTING UTILITIES AND STRUCTURES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN AND PROTECT ALL EXISTING UTILITIES AND STRUCTURES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN AND PROTECT ALL EXISTING UTILITIES AND STRUCTURES.



CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE CONCRETE TIEBACK ANCHOR STIFFENERS AS SHOWN. THESE STIFFENERS SHALL BE LOCATED AT LEAST 10 FEET FROM ANY STREAMS OR WETLANDS. THE AREA SHALL BE RIMMED BY SILT FENCE AND ALL CONCRETE MATERIAL SHALL BE CLEANED OUT ON A REGULAR BASIS.

ANY DEBRIS OR EXCESS MATERIALS FROM CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE IMMEDIATELY AND COMPLETELY REMOVED FROM THE JOB AND SHIPS OF ALL WATER AREAS TO APPROVED DRAINAGE AREAS FOR DISPOSAL.

ALL CONTROL MEASURES SHALL BE PLACED PRIOR TO STARTING EARTH WORK OPERATIONS AND SHALL REMAIN IN PLACE UNTIL THE NEW SLOPES ARE STABILIZED WITH SEED AND/OR SLOPE PROTECTION MATERIALS, AS ADEQ.

THE SITES SHALL AT ALL TIMES BE GRADED AND MAINTAINED SUCH THAT ALL STORM WATER RUNOFF IS DIRECTED TO SOIL EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL FACILITIES. STORM WATER FROM DISTURBED AREAS MUST PASS THROUGH SILTATION FENCE BEFORE DISCHARGE BEYOND DISTURBED AREAS ON INTO DRAINS OR OTHER DRAINAGE SYSTEMS.

ALL SEDIMENT SHALL BE PREVENTED FROM ENTERING STORM DRAINS, DITCHES OR WATER COURSES.

ALL AREAS OF SOIL DISTURBANCE RESULTING FROM THIS PROJECT SHALL BE SEEDING WITH AN APPROVED PERENNIAL GRASS SEED AND MULCHED WITH STRAW WITHIN ONE WEEK OF FINAL GRADING. IF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES ARE DISCONTINUED IN AREAS OF SOIL DISTURBANCE BEFORE FINAL GRADING IS COMPLETED, TEMPORARY PROTECTION SHALL BE SEEDING AND MULCHED AS ADEQ. MULCH SHALL BE MAINTAINED WITH STRAWL COVER IS ESSENTIAL.

OTHER EROSION CONTROL MEASURES MAY BE REQUIRED AS ADEQ. IN ADDITION TO THE MEASURES SHOWN, PAYMENT FOR ADDITIONAL WORK SHALL BE PAID UNDER THE APPROPRIATE ITEM IN THE CONTRACT.

ENCLOSE ANY TEMPORARY STRUCTURES OR TYPING ON FILLS WITH SILT FENCE TO PREVENT EROSION OF THE FILL. ALL SILT FENCE SHALL BE INSTALLED ON THE CONTIGUOUS WITH A GRADE OF 2% OR LESS, STOCKPILES EXPOSED FOR LONGER THAN TWO WEEKS SHALL BE STABILIZED WITH A TEMPORARY SEEDING OR COVER WITHIN SEVEN (7) DAYS OF COMPLETION. MULCHING SHALL BE MADE OVER THE SEEDING.

THE LOCATIONS OF EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES AS INDICATED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS MAY REQUIRE FIELD ADJUSTMENT DEPENDING AND/OR ACTUAL FIELD CONDITIONS. THE ENGINEER SHALL BE NOTIFIED OF ANY SIGNIFICANT FIELD CHANGES TO THE EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES INDICATED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

TYPICALLY THE SILT FENCE SHALL BE INSTALLED ALONG EXISTING/PROPOSED CONTROL LINES.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH THE NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION (DEC) REGULATIONS AND ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LAWS, ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN AND PROTECT ALL EXISTING UTILITIES AND STRUCTURES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN AND PROTECT ALL EXISTING UTILITIES AND STRUCTURES.



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| EROSION CONTROL PLAN AND NOTES<br>SCALE: AS SHOWN<br>DATE ISSUED: 03/2026<br>DRAWING: EC-1 | BEEBE ROAD OVER BIG HOLLOW BROOK        |  | HOPKINTON | NO. DATE BY REVISION |
|  | TOWN OF ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY<br>PIN XXXX |  |           |                      |