

## A. General Information

### Important:

When filling out forms on the computer, use only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return key.



#### 1. Applicant

Name Jacob Forget

Mailing Address  
36 Edgewater Dr

Blackstone

City/Town  
174-737-4388

Phone Number

E-Mail Address

solarwithjake@gmail.com

MA

State

01504

Zip Code

Fax Number (if applicable)

#### 2. Representative (if any):

Firm

Contact Name

E-Mail Address

Mailing Address

City/Town

State

Zip Code

Phone Number

Fax Number (if applicable)

## B. Determinations

1. I request the Bellingham make the following determination(s). Check any that apply:  
Conservation Commission

- ☐ a. whether the area depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below is an area subject to jurisdiction of the Wetlands Protection Act.
- ☐ b. whether the boundaries of resource area(s) depicted on plan(s) and/or map(s) referenced below are accurately delineated.
- ☒ c. whether the work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the Wetlands Protection Act.
- ☒ d. whether the area and/or work depicted on plan(s) referenced below is subject to the jurisdiction of any **municipal wetlands ordinance or bylaw** of:

Bellingham  
Name of Municipality

- ☐ e. whether the following **scope of alternatives** is adequate for work in the Riverfront Area as depicted on referenced plan(s).



**C. Project Description**

1. a. Project Location (use maps and plans to identify the location of the area subject to this request):

63 Silver Lane  
Street Address  
Bellingham  
City/Town  
148  
Assessors Map/Plot Number  
21  
Parcel/Lot Number

- b. Area Description (use additional paper, if necessary):

Behind home, 20 ft from lake, two trees next to one another. One in front of home.  
I describe the area  
project is developed lot along the edge of Silver  
lake etc.

- c. Plan and/or Map Reference(s):

| Title | Date |
|-------|------|
|       |      |
|       |      |
|       |      |

2. a. Work Description (use additional paper and/or provide plan(s) of work, if necessary):

Describe tree cutting proposed

[ 2 large oak removal over structure w/ crane + climber ]

[ 1 white oak removal, driveway w/ crane + bucket truck ]

all brush chipped + removed  
all wood removed.



**WPA FORM 1 - REQUEST FOR DETERMINATION OF APPLICABILITY**  
**Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act M.G.L. c. 131, §40**

**C. Project Description (cont.)**

- b. Identify provisions of the Wetlands Protection Act or regulations which may exempt the applicant from having to file a Notice of Intent for all or part of the described work (use additional paper, if necessary).

Limited work in the 100' buffer zone

3. a. If this application is a Request for Determination of Scope of Alternatives for work in the Riverfront Area, indicate the one classification below that best describes the project.
- ☒ Single family house on a lot recorded on or before 8/1/96
  - ☐ Single family house on a lot recorded after 8/1/96
  - ☐ Expansion of an existing structure on a lot recorded after 8/1/96
  - ☐ Project, other than a single-family house or public project, where the applicant owned the lot before 8/7/96
  - ☐ New agriculture or aquaculture project
  - ☐ Public project where funds were appropriated prior to 8/7/96
  - ☐ Project on a lot shown on an approved, definitive subdivision plan where there is a recorded deed restriction limiting total alteration of the Riverfront Area for the entire subdivision
  - ☐ Residential subdivision; institutional, industrial, or commercial project
  - ☐ Municipal project
  - ☐ District, county, state, or federal government project
  - ☐ Project required to evaluate off-site alternatives in more than one municipality in an Environmental Impact Report under MEPA or in an alternatives analysis pursuant to an application for a 404 permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers or 401 Water Quality Certification from the Department of Environmental Protection.
- b. Provide evidence (e.g., record of date subdivision lot was recorded) supporting the classification above (use additional paper and/or attach appropriate documents, if necessary.)

**D. Signatures and Submittal Requirements**

I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing Request for Determination of Applicability and accompanying plans, documents, and supporting data are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I further certify that the property owner, if different from the applicant, and the appropriate DEP Regional Office were sent a complete copy of this Request (including all appropriate documentation) simultaneously with the submittal of this Request to the Conservation Commission.

Failure by the applicant to send copies in a timely manner may result in dismissal of the Request for Determination of Applicability.

Name and address of the property owner:

Name Catherine Brasz

Mailing Address 603 Silver Lake Rd

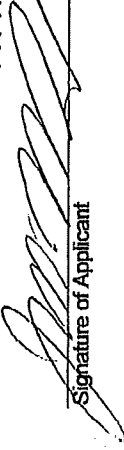
City/Town Bellingham

State MA

Zip Code 02019

Signatures:

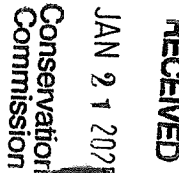
I also understand that notification of this Request will be placed in a local newspaper at my expense in accordance with Section 10.05(3)(b)(1) of the Wetlands-Protection Act regulations.

  
Signature of Applicant

1/15/25  
Date

Signature of Representative (if any)

Date



## RECEIVED

Name: Jacob Forget

Phone: 714-737-4388

Address: 36 Edgewater Dr. Blackstone MA, 01504

E-mail: solarwithjake@gmail.com

Street: 63 Silver Lake Rd. Bellingham, MA.

Assessor's Map (68) Parcel/Lot (2)

**3. This application is filed simultaneously with and consistent with the Project Filing**

## Guidelines found on the town web site for:

- |                                     |                                                 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Request for Determination of Applicability      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Notice of Intent                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Abbreviated Notice of Intent                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Amendment Request                               |

**Resource Area(s) Delineation to be confirmed: (Please complete number of linear feet)**

# Linear Feet

### Bordering Vegetated Wetlands (BVW)

### Bordering Land Subject to Flooding (BLSF)

Isolated Land Subject to Flooding (ILSF)

Isolated Vegetated Wetland (IVW)

Land Under Water Bodies (LUWB)

Bank

Perennial Stream: (MHAW) Stream Name:

Intermittent Stream:

| Is Estimated or Priority Habitat present on the site? | Yes | No |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-----|----|
| ✓                                                     |     |    |

Species:

| Number of Vernal Pools present on the site: | Certified | Potential |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
|---------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|

**4. Work is proposed in the following Resource Areas:**

- |                                     |                                                 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Bank                                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Beach or Flat                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Land Subject to Flooding(bordering or isolated) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Bordering Vegetated Wetlands                    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Buffer Zone                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Isolated Wetland                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Lakes or Ponds                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Land under Water Bodies                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Riverfront Area                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Vernal Pool                                     |

Total #of square feet of impacts:

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Total # of above

**5. Work is proposed in the following No Alteration Zones:**

- ☐ Areas of Critical Environmental Concern  
☐ Buffer Zone 0 -25 feet  
☐ Estimated Habitat  
☐ Priority Habitat  
☐ 0 - 50 feet No Disturb Zone to Vernal Pool

Total# of square feet of impacts \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Total# of square feet of impacts \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total of above \_\_\_\_\_

**6. Work in buffer zone only:** est. closest ft.

- ☒ 0-25 feet length from  
☐ 25-50 feet work to wetland  
☐ 50-100 feet & the lake

Total# of square feet of impacts \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total# of square feet of impacts \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total# of square feet of impacts \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total of above \_\_\_\_\_

**7. Project Description:**

**a. Existing Conditions where work is proposed**

- ☐ Impervious  
☐ Regulated Resource Area  
☐ Other

☒ Lawn or landscaped area which one  
☐ Wooded or natural area

**b. Description of proposed work:** \_\_\_\_\_ How many trees, where etc

3 trees, 2 by water, 1 by front of house/street

**c. Type of equipment required for project:** \_\_\_\_\_ what equipment?

crane, woodchipper, chainsaw, etc.

**d. Type of erosion control proposed:** \_\_\_\_\_ (straw) wattles etc?

**8. Plans must adhere to the criteria in Section 29 "Plan Requirements" of the Regulations.**

**9. Project Impacts (Use separate page if necessary referring to corresponding item)**

**Buffer Zone Setback:**

If the project involves work in the buffer zone only, what is the shortest distance between project disturbance and the regulated resource area? \_\_\_\_\_ feet

approx. 20 ft  
from lake.

**Tree Cutting:**

List the number of trees and approximate diameter of tree(s) in jurisdictional areas proposed for removal: (Use separate sheet if necessary.) 2 diameter: 18 inches approx.

**Fill & grading:**

Amount of fill proposed for removal from site

Amount of fill proposed for use on site

1 cu yds.  
1 cu yds.

Explain the difference between the proposed final grade and the existing conditions. 1

Explain proposed site stabilization methodology during and post construction. 1

10. If an exemption or waiver from the WPA or the Bellingham Wetland Bylaw will be required to complete the proposed project, the applicant shall, at the time of filing, provide information consistent with six requirements listed in Section 10 of the Bellingham Wetland Regulations.

**11. The following completed items are included in each set of the filing:**

☐ Abutters list, ☐ Abutter Notification Form, ☐ Affidavit of Service, ☒ Bylaw Fee Calculation, ☒ Worksheet & remittance ☐ Plans (see #8 above), ☐ Narrative for projects Please include: THUMB DRIVE with pdf copy of entire filing

12. **Statement of applicant:** I hereby certify under penalties of perjury that this application and all supporting plans and documents are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and that these have been prepared in conformance with the requirement of the Bellingham Wetlands Protection Bylaw and its attendant Regulations I further certify that all abutters and other parties have been notified of this application as required by the Bellingham Wetlands Protection Regulations. I understand that I may be asked to pay for a consultant to review my application for the Commission.

Initialed sign off by Treasurer's Office:

CERTIFICATION OF MUNICIPAL TAXES AND CHARGES PAID  
TOWN OF BELLINGHAM

| Property Information |                    |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| Parcel ID            | <del>00</del> 3530 |
| Map                  | 68                 |
| Lot                  | 21                 |
| Street Number        | 63                 |
| Street Name          | Silver Lane        |
| First Name           | Catherine          |
| Last Name            | Brosz              |

As the  
Collector

| Taxes / Charges       | Paid                                |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Tax Title             | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Motor Excise Tax      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Real Estate Tax       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Personal Property Tax | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Water                 | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| Sewer                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Trash                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

As the Collector/Treasurer for the Town of Bellingham, MA I certify that the municipal taxes are paid in full for the above property.

Christine Mansfield  
(Print name)

[Signature]  
(Signature)

1.22.25  
(Date)

## Conservation Commission Category Activities and Fees

### Category 1 (Fee for each activity is \$50):

- a.) work on single family lot; addition, pool, etc.;
- b.) site work without a house;
- c.) control vegetation;
- d.) resource improvement;
- e.) work on septic system separate from house;
- f.) monitoring well activities minus roadway;
- g.) new agricultural or aquaculture projects.

### Category 2 (Fee for each activity is \$125)

- a.) construction of single family house;
- b.) parking lot;
- c.) beach nourishment;
- d.) electric generating facility activities;
- e.) inland limited projects minus road crossings and agriculture;
- f.) each crossing for driveway to single family house;
- g.) each project source (storm drain) discharge;
- h.) control vegetation in development;
- i.) water level variations;
- j.) any other activity not in Category 1, 3, or 4;
- k.) water supply exploration.

### Category 3 (Fee for each activity is \$250)

- a.) site preparation (for development) beyond Notice of Intent scope;
- b.) each building (for development) including site;
- c.) road construction not crossing or driveway;
- d.) hazardous cleanup;
- e.) water supply development.

### Category 4 (Fee for each activity is \$500):

- a.) each crossing for development or commercial road;
- b.) dam, sluiceway, tidegate (safety) work;
- c.) landfills operation/closures;
- d.) sand and gravel operations;
- e.) railroad line construction;
- f.) bridge;
- g.) hazardous waste alterations to resource areas;
- h.) dredging;
- i.) package treatment plant and discharge;
- j.) airport tree clearing;
- k.) oil and/or hazardous material release response actions.

### Category 5 (Fee is \$2.00/linear foot):

- a.) Construction, repair, replacement of docks, piers, revetments, dikes, or other engineering structures on inland resource areas.



**Town of Bellingham Wetlands Protection Bylaw  
Fee Calculations Worksheet**

*(Bylaw Fees are in addition to WPA Fees)*

**Fees must be submitted with application**  
(Check to be made payable to "Town of Bellingham")

1. A flat fee of \$50.00 each for the following requests: *(check off appropriate item)*  
X Request for Determination of Applicability (RDA)..... \$ 50  
(For RDA also see item 4 or 5 below as appropriate)  
Request for an Extension to Orders of Conditions (Ext)----- \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2. The following schedule applies for Notice of Intent (NOI) categories at 310CMR 10.03(7) (c), as follows:  
\*(Also complete Item #4 below for all filings including RDA, NOI and ANRAD and Item #5 for Riverfront Area if applicable.)

|            | No.                            | Total      |
|------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| Category 1 | \$ 50.00 per activity x _____  | = \$ _____ |
| Category 2 | \$125.00 per activity x _____  | = \$ _____ |
| Category 3 | \$250.00 per activity x _____  | = \$ _____ |
| Category 4 | \$500.00 per activity x _____  | = \$ _____ |
| Category 5 | \$ 2.00 per linear ft. x _____ | = \$ _____ |

3. A flat fee of \$50.00 for Request for an Amendment to each existing Order of Conditions permit:  
\$ 50.00 per activity x \_\_\_\_\_ = \$ \_\_\_\_\_
4. Application for review of Resource Area Delineation: .20 per linear foot (not less than \$25.00 or more than \$2000.00 for single family house projects; not less than \$50.00 or more than \$2,000.00 for any other activity).

- This fee will be in addition to the fee for a Request for Determination of Applicability (RDA) or Notice of Intent (NOI) listed in items #1 for RDA and #2 NOI or Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation (ANRAD).

Type of activity: \_\_\_\_\_ Total linear feet \_\_\_\_\_ x .20/linear foot = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(\$25/ min. or \$2000/ max.)

5. Fees for projects within the Riverfront Area and another resource area shall be 150% of the above fees:  
(Check off appropriate item below)

Request for Determination of Applicability (RDA) \$ 50.00 x 150% = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Notice of Intent (NOI) (total from item 2 above) \$ \_\_\_\_\_ x 150% = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Bylaw Fee Submitted \$ 50

DEP & BWP File No. \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Address of Applicant: Jacob Forget

36 Edgewater Dr. Blackstone MA 01504

Project name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Project location: Assessors Map: 68 Lot or Parcel: 21 Street Address: 63 Silver Lane Rd

## **Checklist for filing under Bellingham Wetlands Protection Bylaw**

### **Notice of Intent and Abbreviated Notice of Intent:**

Completion of and submittal of three complete copies of the following:

- Notice of Intent Form or Abbreviated Notice of Intent Form  
Please use WPA and Bellingham Wetlands Protection Bylaw Form found on the Conservation Commission page of the town website (bellinghamma.org) unless filing under Wetlands Protection Act only  
Send appropriate copies to DEP
- Associated Stormwater Management forms if required
- Application for Permit under local bylaw
- Narrative on proposed work and mitigation as directed in Submittal Standards for small or large projects
- Abutter Notification Form
- Abutter list (certified from Board of Assessor's Office)
- Affidavit of Service-signed
- DEP Wetland transmittal form and associated town fee
- Bylaw fee form and associated fees (application fee & resource area verification fee)
- Plans as per Plan Specifications as outlined in "Section 29 Plan Requirements" of the Regulations
- Thumb Drive with pdf version of the entire filing

### **Request for Determination of Applicability:**

Completion of and submittal of three complete copies of the following:

- RDA Form  
Please use WPA and Bellingham Wetlands Protection Bylaw Form found on the Conservation Commission page of the town website (bellinghamma.org) unless filing under Wetlands Protection Act only (Send appropriate signed copy to DEP)
- Application for Permit under local bylaw
- Narrative on proposed work and mitigation as directed in Submittal Standards for small or large projects
- Bylaw fee form and associated fees (application fee & resource area verification fee)
- Associated Plans
- Thumb Drive with pdf version of the entire filing

### **Request for Extension to an existing Order of Conditions:**

Completion of and submittal of three copies of the following:

- Letter submittal requesting Extension including reasons for request
- Bylaw fee form and associated fee

### **Request for Amendment to an existing Order of Conditions:**

Completion of and submittal of three complete copies of the following:

- Letter submittal requesting Amendment including reasons for request
- Application for Permit under local bylaw
- Narrative on proposed work and mitigation as directed in Submittal Standards for small or large projects
- Bylaw fee form and associated fee
- Associated Plans
- Thumb Drive with pdf version of the entire filing

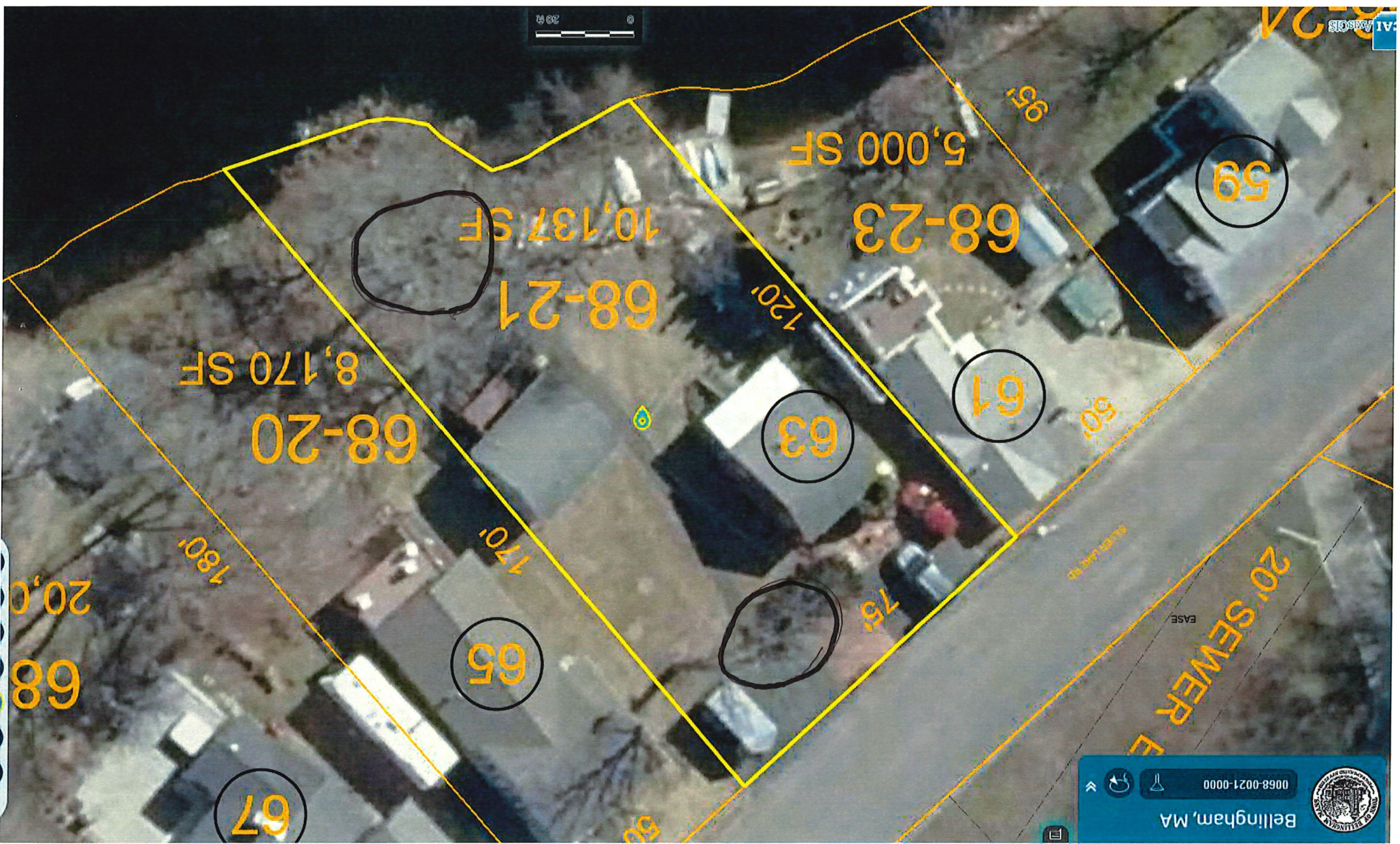
### **Request for Certificate of Compliance:**

Completion of and submittal of three copies of the following:

- Request for Certificate of Compliance Form 8A (Please use WPA and Bellingham Wetlands Protection Bylaw Form found on the Conservation Commission page of the town website (bellinghamma.org) unless filing under Wetlands Protection Act only)
- As built Plans signed and stamped
- Thumb Drive with pdf version of the entire filing



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**Town of Bellingham  
CONSERVATION COMMISSION**



WAIVER FORM

REGARDING:

RDA

Type of Application (RDA, NOI, ANOI, ANRAD etc...)

Jacob Forget

Name of Applicant & Project Location

I hereby agree to waive the requirement that the Conservation Commission act within 21 days on the above-referenced application (check one):

X from the date of submittal

\_\_\_\_\_ from the most recent public hearing

I understand that the next meeting of the Conservation Commission is scheduled for

February 12<sup>th</sup>  
January

\_\_\_\_\_ and that the Commission will open the public hearing/meeting or

resume the public hearing/meeting on that date.

I am the: X Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Representative

[Signature]  
(signature)

Jacob K Forget  
(printed name)

1/21/2025  
(date)