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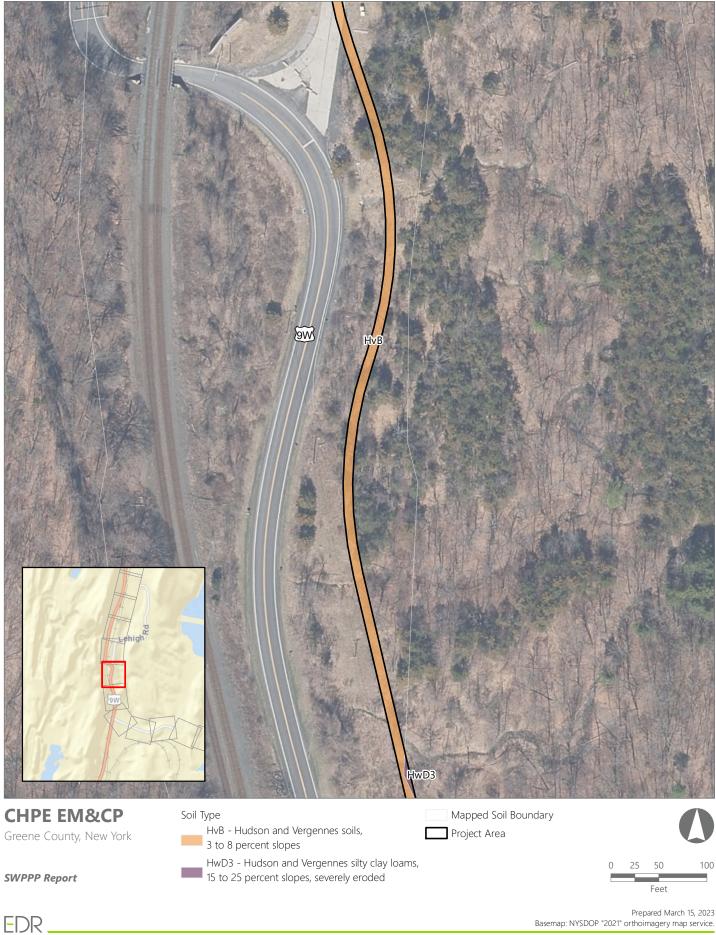
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HwD3 - Hudson and Vergennes silty clay loams, 15 to 25 percent slopes, severely eroded









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Mapped Soil Boundary Project Area







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HvC - Hudson and Vergennes soils, 8 to 15 percent slopes



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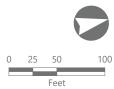
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Greene County, New York

#### Soil Type

KrB - Kingsbury and Rhinebeck Project Area soils, 3 to 8 percent slopes RhB - Riverhead loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

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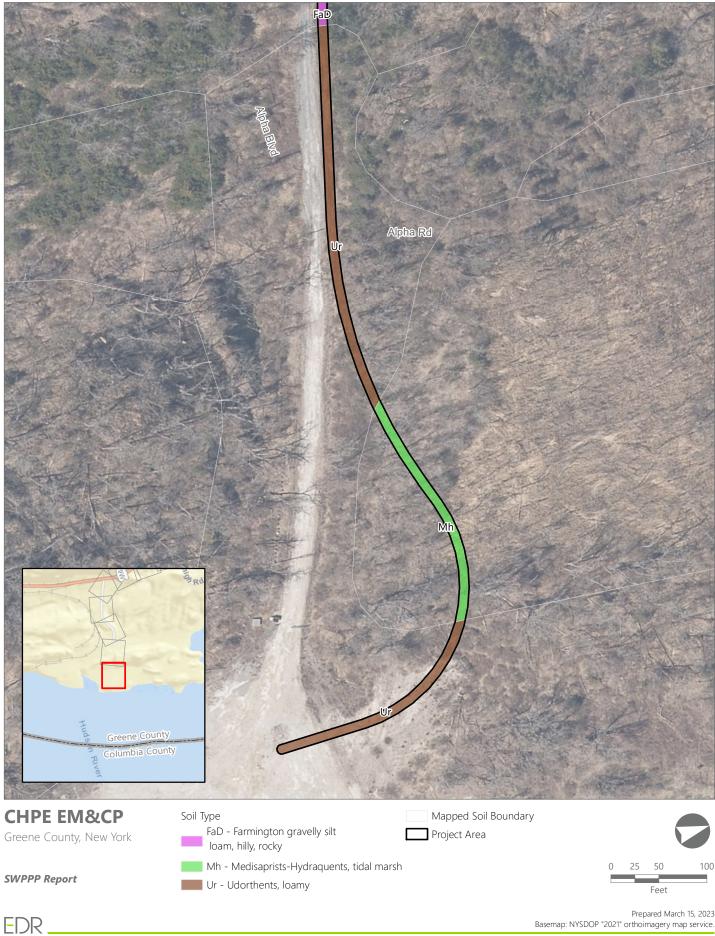
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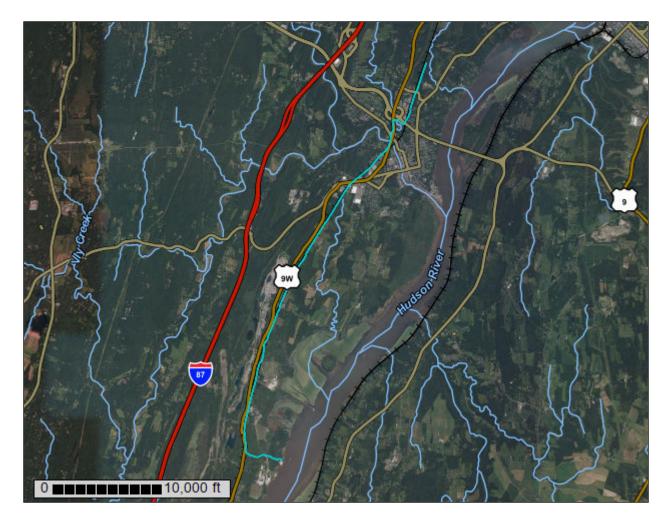
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# Custom Soil Resource Report for Greene County, New York



## Preface

Soil surveys contain information that affects land use planning in survey areas. They highlight soil limitations that affect various land uses and provide information about the properties of the soils in the survey areas. Soil surveys are designed for many different users, including farmers, ranchers, foresters, agronomists, urban planners, community officials, engineers, developers, builders, and home buyers. Also, conservationists, teachers, students, and specialists in recreation, waste disposal, and pollution control can use the surveys to help them understand, protect, or enhance the environment.

Various land use regulations of Federal, State, and local governments may impose special restrictions on land use or land treatment. Soil surveys identify soil properties that are used in making various land use or land treatment decisions. The information is intended to help the land users identify and reduce the effects of soil limitations on various land uses. The landowner or user is responsible for identifying and complying with existing laws and regulations.

Although soil survey information can be used for general farm, local, and wider area planning, onsite investigation is needed to supplement this information in some cases. Examples include soil quality assessments (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/soils/health/) and certain conservation and engineering applications. For more detailed information, contact your local USDA Service Center (https://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs) or your NRCS State Soil Scientist (http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/soils/contactus/? cid=nrcs142p2\_053951).

Great differences in soil properties can occur within short distances. Some soils are seasonally wet or subject to flooding. Some are too unstable to be used as a foundation for buildings or roads. Clayey or wet soils are poorly suited to use as septic tank absorption fields. A high water table makes a soil poorly suited to basements or underground installations.

The National Cooperative Soil Survey is a joint effort of the United States Department of Agriculture and other Federal agencies, State agencies including the Agricultural Experiment Stations, and local agencies. The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has leadership for the Federal part of the National Cooperative Soil Survey.

Information about soils is updated periodically. Updated information is available through the NRCS Web Soil Survey, the site for official soil survey information.

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## Soil Map

The soil map section includes the soil map for the defined area of interest, a list of soil map units on the map and extent of each map unit, and cartographic symbols displayed on the map. Also presented are various metadata about data used to produce the map, and a description of each soil map unit.

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
Co	Covington and Madalin soils	0.7	6.3%
FaD	Farmington gravelly silt loam, hilly, rocky	0.1	1.0%
FaE	Farmington gravelly silt loam, steep, rocky	0.1	0.7%
HvB	Hudson and Vergennes soils, 3 to 8 percent slopes	2.9	28.3%
HvC	Hudson and Vergennes soils, 8 to 15 percent slopes	0.8	7.7%
HvE	Hudson and Vergennes soils, 25 to 50 percent slopes	0.1	0.8%
HwD3 Hudson and Vergennes silty clay loams, 15 to 25 percent slopes, severely eroded		0.3	3.3%
KrA	Kingsbury and Rhinebeck soils, 0 to 3 percent slopes	0.2	1.9%
KrB	Kingsbury and Rhinebeck soils, 3 to 8 percent slopes	2.0	19.1%
Mh	Medisaprists-Hydraquents, tidal marsh		
NaC	Nassau channery silt loam, 0.5 rolling		4.4%
NrC	Nassau channery silt loam, rolling, very rocky		
NrD	Nassau channery silt loam, hilly, very rocky	0.7	6.6%
NrE	Nassau channery silt loam, steep, very rocky	0.1	1.3%
RhA	Riverhead loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes	0.4	3.7%

## Map Unit Legend

Map Unit Symbol Map Unit Name		Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
RhB	Riverhead loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes	0.3	2.7%
TwE	Tunkhannock and Chenango gravelly loams, 25 to 50 percent slopes	0.3	2.6%
Ur	Udorthents, loamy	0.8	8.0%
W	Water	0.1	0.7%
Totals for Area of Interest		10.4	100.0%

## **Map Unit Descriptions**

The map units delineated on the detailed soil maps in a soil survey represent the soils or miscellaneous areas in the survey area. The map unit descriptions, along with the maps, can be used to determine the composition and properties of a unit.

A map unit delineation on a soil map represents an area dominated by one or more major kinds of soil or miscellaneous areas. A map unit is identified and named according to the taxonomic classification of the dominant soils. Within a taxonomic class there are precisely defined limits for the properties of the soils. On the landscape, however, the soils are natural phenomena, and they have the characteristic variability of all natural phenomena. Thus, the range of some observed properties may extend beyond the limits defined for a taxonomic class. Areas of soils of a single taxonomic class rarely, if ever, can be mapped without including areas of other taxonomic classes. Consequently, every map unit is made up of the soils or miscellaneous areas for which it is named and some minor components that belong to taxonomic classes other than those of the major soils.

Most minor soils have properties similar to those of the dominant soil or soils in the map unit, and thus they do not affect use and management. These are called noncontrasting, or similar, components. They may or may not be mentioned in a particular map unit description. Other minor components, however, have properties and behavioral characteristics divergent enough to affect use or to require different management. These are called contrasting, or dissimilar, components. They generally are in small areas and could not be mapped separately because of the scale used. Some small areas of strongly contrasting soils or miscellaneous areas are identified by a special symbol on the maps. If included in the database for a given area, the contrasting minor components are identified in the map unit descriptions along with some characteristics of each. A few areas of minor components may not have been observed, and consequently they are not mentioned in the descriptions, especially where the pattern was so complex that it was impractical to make enough observations to identify all the soils and miscellaneous areas on the landscape.

The presence of minor components in a map unit in no way diminishes the usefulness or accuracy of the data. The objective of mapping is not to delineate pure taxonomic classes but rather to separate the landscape into landforms or landform segments that have similar use and management requirements. The delineation of such segments on the map provides sufficient information for the development of resource plans. If intensive use of small areas is planned, however,

onsite investigation is needed to define and locate the soils and miscellaneous areas.

An identifying symbol precedes the map unit name in the map unit descriptions. Each description includes general facts about the unit and gives important soil properties and qualities.

Soils that have profiles that are almost alike make up a *soil series*. Except for differences in texture of the surface layer, all the soils of a series have major horizons that are similar in composition, thickness, and arrangement.

Soils of one series can differ in texture of the surface layer, slope, stoniness, salinity, degree of erosion, and other characteristics that affect their use. On the basis of such differences, a soil series is divided into *soil phases*. Most of the areas shown on the detailed soil maps are phases of soil series. The name of a soil phase commonly indicates a feature that affects use or management. For example, Alpha silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is a phase of the Alpha series.

Some map units are made up of two or more major soils or miscellaneous areas. These map units are complexes, associations, or undifferentiated groups.

A *complex* consists of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas in such an intricate pattern or in such small areas that they cannot be shown separately on the maps. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar in all areas. Alpha-Beta complex, 0 to 6 percent slopes, is an example.

An *association* is made up of two or more geographically associated soils or miscellaneous areas that are shown as one unit on the maps. Because of present or anticipated uses of the map units in the survey area, it was not considered practical or necessary to map the soils or miscellaneous areas separately. The pattern and relative proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas are somewhat similar. Alpha-Beta association, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

An *undifferentiated group* is made up of two or more soils or miscellaneous areas that could be mapped individually but are mapped as one unit because similar interpretations can be made for use and management. The pattern and proportion of the soils or miscellaneous areas in a mapped area are not uniform. An area can be made up of only one of the major soils or miscellaneous areas, or it can be made up of all of them. Alpha and Beta soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, is an example.

Some surveys include *miscellaneous areas*. Such areas have little or no soil material and support little or no vegetation. Rock outcrop is an example.

#### **Greene County, New York**

#### Co—Covington and Madalin soils

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 9sg1 Elevation: 50 to 1,970 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

Covington and similar soils: 45 percent Madalin and similar soils: 30 percent Minor components: 25 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Covington**

#### Setting

Landform: Depressions Landform position (two-dimensional): Toeslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Concave Parent material: Calcareous clayey glaciolacustrine deposits or glaciomarine deposits

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 7 inches:* silty clay *H2 - 7 to 28 inches:* clay *H3 - 28 to 60 inches:* silty clay

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 3 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Low to moderately low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 0 to 12 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.9 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 5w Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F142XB007VT - Wet Clayplain Depression Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### **Description of Madalin**

#### Setting

Landform: Depressions Landform position (two-dimensional): Toeslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Concave Parent material: Clayey and silty glaciolacustrine deposits

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 9 inches: silt loam

H2 - 9 to 30 inches: silty clay

H3 - 30 to 60 inches: silty clay

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 3 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Very poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 0 to 6 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: Frequent
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 8.3 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4w Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Ecological site: F144AY019NH - Wet Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Minor Components

#### Vergennes

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: No

#### Rhinebeck

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Hudson

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: No

#### Kingsbury

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Canandaigua

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes Appendix D Historic Resource Plan



### SUPPLEMENTAL CULTURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT PLAN Champlain Hudson Power Express HVDC Transmission Line Project Segment 11, Packages 7A: CSX Catskill, Greene County

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#### MANAGEMENT SUMMARY

SHPO Number:	09PR03910		
Involved Agencies:	U.S. Department of Energy, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NYSHPO		
Phase of survey:	Cultural Resources Management Plan (Supplemental)		
LOCATION INFORMATI	ON		
Municipality:	Town and Village of Catskill		
County:	Greene		
CULTURAL RESOURCE	MANAGEMENT PLAN OVERVIEW		
Objective:	The purpose of this Supplemental Cultural Resources Management Plan is to synthesize data sets into one document, and to provide OPRHP/DPS contact information for identified roles within the original Cultural Resource Management Plan drafted by TRC in 2015 and finalized in 2021.		
	The plan also proposes Programmatic Allowances and an Archeological Monitoring Plan to assist with ongoing review and compliance as stipulated in the Programmatic Agreement between DOE and NYSHPO in 2021.		
	The current CRMP focuses on Package 7.4, Segment 12 which will primarily be located within the Town and Village of Catskill along CSX rail lines and public roadways.		
Report Authors:	Matt Lesniak, Matthew Kirk, MA, RPA		
Date of Report:	March 2023		

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#### LIST OF ACRONYMS

ACHP - Advisory Council on Historic Preservation AMP - Archeological Monitoring Plan APE - Area of Potential Effect BMP - Best Practices Management Plan (2012) CA – Consulting Archeologist CHPE, LLC - Champlain Hudson Power Express, LLC CRMP - Cultural Resources Management Plan CRIS - Cultural Resource Inventory System (NYSHPO) DOE - U.S. Department of Energy GIS - Geographic Information System GPS – Global Positioning System Hartgen - Hartgen Archeological Associates, Inc. HDD- horizontal directional drilling HVAC - high-voltage alternating current HVDC - high-voltage direct current MOA - Memorandum of Agreement MP - mile post, railroad MW - megawatt NHPA - National Historic Preservation Act NRE - National Register-eligible NYAC - New York Archaeological Council NYSHPO - New York State Historic Preservation Officer NYSM - New York State Museum OPRHP - Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation PPO - Project Preservation Officer ROW - Right-of-Way TRC - TRC Companies, Inc

### CULTURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT PLAN

#### 1 Introduction

Hartgen Archeological Associates, Inc. (Hartgen) has been retained provide a Supplemental Cultural Resources Management Plan (CRMP) to the Final CRMP developed by TRC and finalized in 2021 (Appendix 1) for the proposed Champlain Hudson Power Express (Project) located over multiple counties through New York. The current phase of work focuses on the overland portion in Greene County starting at the northern end of the Town of Catskill just north of the village, through the village, and ending in the southeastern portion of the town where the route returns to the Hudson River between the small hamlets of Alsen and Cementon.

The Project has received approvals by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, with consultation from the NYSHPO. The goal of the CRMP is to provide a framework in which potential impacts to all relevant historical properties and archeological sites (determined to be eligible for or listed in the National Register of Historic Places) known to exist or may be discovered are to be managed. This management plan will also create a comprehensive framework for identifying and undertaking any additional archeological work that may be required prior to and during the construction of the Project.

TRC Companies, Inc. (TRC) created a draft comprehensive Cultural Resource Management Plan in 2015, finalized in 2021 to include three additional reports. This management plan is referred to throughout the current document (Appendix 1), with this document serving to fully incorporate all the relevant information for Phase I of construction into one succinct document. In the event of a conflict between this document and that provided in Appendix 1, the CRMP (TRC 2021) will prevail.

This plan was enacted to comply with Section 106 of the National Historical Preservation Act and will be reviewed by the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP) as well as the aforementioned federal agencies. This plan was established according to the New York Archaeological Council's *Standards for Cultural Resource Investigations and the Curation of Archaeological Collections* (1994), which are endorsed by OPRHP.

The Programmatic Agreement Among The U.S. Department of Energy, And The New York State Historic Preservation Officer For Managing Historic Properties That May Be Affected By Authorizing The Construction, Operation, Connection And Maintenance Of The Champlain Hudson Power Express HVDC Transmission Line Project (Programmatic Agreement), executed in 2021, stipulates completion of a CRMP to create procedures for the consideration and management of historic properties within the Champlain Hudson Power Express HVDC Transmission Line Project (Project).

Stipulation IV(B) within the Programmatic Agreement specifies the CRMP will be applied in lieu of Section 106 implementing regulations 36 CFR Part 800.4 – 800.6 to satisfy requirements of compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (16 U.S.C. 470) related to identification of historic properties (36 CFR Part 800 800.4), assessment of adverse effects (36 CFR Part 800 800.5), and resolution of adverse effects (36 CFR Part 800.6).

This Supplemental CRMP has been developed to in response to Programmatic Agreement Stipulation IV(B) and Stipulation II(C)(8 – 11 and 19). The CRMP (2021) document provided detailed procedures for unanticipated discoveries, monitoring during construction-related ground disturbance, and monitoring during post-construction operations; all stipulations of the CRMP (2021) remain applicable.

Current design and engineering requirements indicate effects to historic and landscape resources may also require consideration throughout Project execution; this Supplemental CRMP supports streamlined coordination and consultation with NYSHPO through agreement on programmatic allowances and treatments. This Supplemental CRMP provides structure and process for implementing requirements of the Programmatic Agreement and the CRMP (2021).

#### 2 Project Information

The Project involves the construction of approximately 339 miles of a high voltage direct current underground and underwater transmission line, running from Montreal, Canada to Queens, New York. This transmission line will bring 1,250 megawatts of hydropower to replace the use of fossil fuels, reducing carbon emissions and helping achieve renewable and clean energy in New York State. This proposed Project will provide enough power for more than 1 million homes through New York State. Installation of this transmission line will occur primarily beneath the ground within roadway and railroad right of way. Streams and waterbodies are crossed through means such as attaching to existing infrastructures (bridges and culverts) or incorporating the use of horizontal directional drilling (HDD).

Several archeological reports by Hartgen and TRC examined and detailed the sensitivity and potential of the APE. These resources have been utilized in the creation of the Supplemental Cultural Resource Management Plan, along with data retrieved from the NYSHPO CRIS website, historic maps and aerials, and other data sources as relevant.

The bolded report includes portions of the current segment of the Project and provide relevant background information.

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#### 2.1 Description of the Project

The area of potential effects (APE) includes portions of the Project that will be directly altered by the proposed undertaking. The overall APE encompasses 339 linear miles with varying widths.

This Project is divided into various segments (Table 1), with this addendum CRMP addressing the overland portion of route in Greene County. The current phase of work focuses on the overland portion in Greene County starting at the northern end of the Town of Catskill just north of the village, through the village, and ending in the southeastern portion of the town where the route returns to the Hudson River between the small hamlets of Alsen and Cementon.

#### Table 1. CHPE Packages, Routes, and Locations.

EM&CP Segment					
Construction Segment	Design Packages	Location Description	Length (miles)	Anticipated EM&CP Filing with DPS	Anticipated Start of Construction
		OVERLAND S	EGMENTS		
1, 2	1A/1B	Putnam to Dresden/ Dresden to Whitehall	17.6	April 15, 2022	November 2022
3	1C/2	Whitehall to Fort Ann Fort Ann to Kingsbury	20.8	December 23, 2022	May 2023
4, 5	3	Kingsbury to Milton	26.5	March 2023	June 2023
6	4A	Milton to Ballston	10.2	April 2023	July 2023
7	4B	Ballston to Schenectady/Rotterdam	9.6	March 2023	July 2023
8	5A	Rotterdam to Bethlehem	16.99	December 21, 2022	May 2023
9	5B	Selkirk Bypass	5.31	December 21, 2022	May 2023
10	6	Ravena to Catskill	20.9	April 2023	June 2023
11	7A	Catskill to Germantown	8.6	March 2023	July 2023
12	7B	Stony Point to Haverstraw	7.6	April 2023	July 2023
13, 14, 15	8	Queens	2.13	April 2023	June 2023
Laydown Yards	3,5B,6	Fort Edward, Bethlehem, Coxsackie	N/A	November 11, 2022	February 2023
MARINE SEGME	NTS				
16	9	Transitional HDD (Stony Point)	N/A	September 29, 2022	September 2023
17	10	3 Transitional HDDs (Putnam, Catskill, Clarkstown)	N/A	December 14, 2022	June 2023
18	11	Lake Champlain (Pre-Lay Mattressing)	96	March 2023	August 2023
TBD	TBD	Lake Champlain (Cable Installation)	96	December 2023	TBD
19	12	Hudson River (Pre-Lay Mattressing)	89.1	April 2023	August 2023
20	13	Hudson River (Cable Installation)	89.1	December 2023	June 2024
21	14	Harlem River	6.3	December 2023	June 2024
22	TBD	Converter Station, Astoria Complex, (Queens)	N/A	March 2023	June 2023
23	TBD	Astoria Rainey Cable HVAC System, (Queens)	3.5	TBD	TBD

Changes in the APE, including those necessary to avoid known historic and archeological resources, may be required to accommodate Project implementation. Changes to the APE will follow methodology outlined in the CRMP (2021). The CRMP (2021) states: If the corridor is changed or if a construction zone wider than 55 feet (terrestrial) or 50 feet (in-water) is required to build the Project, then the APE will be adjusted accordingly. All additional efforts to identify, assess, and manage cultural resources shall use the same guidance as that stipulated in the CRMP. It shall be the responsibility of the PPO and his/her designee to work with the appropriately trained archaeologist to ensure that survey and assessment of new APE construction areas is completed before construction takes place. Changes in the APE and associated survey and

reporting will be provided to Signatories of the Programmatic Agreement in conjunction with annual reporting requirements (Section 5.6 Reporting Requirements).

#### 2.2 Supplemental CRMP Objectives

For each component of the segment (Slice Locations and Vaults, HDD, work areas, access roads, etc.) were evaluated to determine whether the proposed work lies within the permitted route (APE) or outside the permitted route. Areas outside the permitted route were further evaluated to determine whether the areas have been previously disturbed (lacking archeological potential) or undisturbed (having archeological potential). Recommendations are proposed for either archeological monitoring during construction in the manner described in Section 4, or archeological testing.

Archeological testing may be utilized in advance of construction. Testing would be conducted by the excavation of 40 cm tests placed at 50-foot intervals within the areas defined below. Excavated soil would be passed through 0.25-inch hardware mesh when feasible and examined for both precontact (Native American) and historic artifacts. The stratigraphy of each test would be recorded including the depth, soil description, and artifact content. The location of each shovel test would be plotted on the project map. Test excavations will be photographed.

The testing shall adhere to the New York Archaeological Council's *Standards for Cultural Resource Investigations and the Curation of Archaeological Collections* (1994), which are endorsed by OPRHP. The investigation shall be overseen by an Archeologist as defined under the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualification Standards outlined in *Archeology and Historic Preservation: Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines as Amended and Annotated* and required under Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Section 61 (36 CFR 61).

The survey report(s) shall be prepared according to OPRHP's *State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) Phase I Archaeological Report Format Requirements* (2005) or another format acceptable to OPRHP. As appropriate, reports will contain text, tables, color maps and photographs, shovel test records, and an artifact inventory.

#### 3 Segment 11, Package 7A Activities

Within this package there are 15 proposed Splice locations and vaults (230-244), 10 HDD segments (112-113, 115, 118-123), and a Transition Vault between the terrestrial and river route. This cable route follows CSX ROW north of the village of Catskill, and local roads through the village and then transitions back to the CSX rail line until its terminus along Alpha Boulevard (a cement plant access road) near the hamlet of Alsen in the Town of Catskill.

The cable trench will be placed in an open trench along the railroad ROW and within a ductbank for those portions within other public ROWs (Figure 1). The trench will be about 3 feet wide and at least 5 feet deep for the ductbanks. The open trenches will taper towards the bottom starting at about 6 feet in width and ending at about 3 feet. The depth of open trenches will be about 5 feet.

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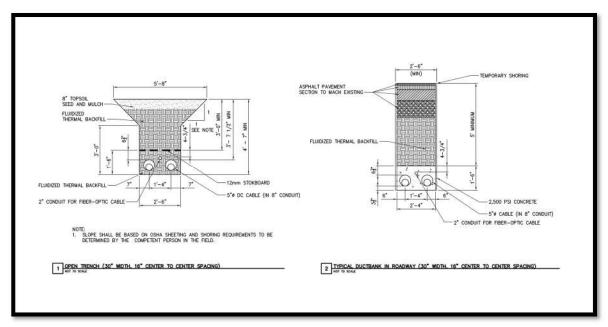


Figure 1. Typical open trench (railroad) and duct bank (roadway) installation of the cable illustrated.

#### 3.1 Splices Locations and Vaults

Various splices will be installed to connect the cable segments together into an integrated whole. The splice vaults, only at Splice 323, will generally be about 15 by 40 feet in size (Figure 2). In most instances, the splice will be within an open trench.

Most splices are within the permitted route; however, several work areas fall outside of the permitted area and these are carefully evaluated with respect to their archeological sensibility, slope, wetlands, prior disturbances.

In all, 15 splice locations and vaults are proposed (Table 3). Archeological recommendations and current ground conditions are noted in the table below. Six locations are recommended for either archeological testing or monitoring.

Description	Station Number	Activity	Notes/ Recommendations
Splice 230	70019+35	Splice within permitted route work area outside.	Test or Monitor* within work area only.
Splice 231	70051+32	Outside permitted route, appears undisturbed.	Test or Monitor.*
Splice 232	70074+83	70074+83 Outside permitted route. Splice and N work area steeply sloped and within road shoulder.	
Splice 233	70105+88	Outside permitted route, on steep slope and areas of prior disturbance.	None.
Splice 234	70129+35	0129+35 Within RR ROW, work area outside. Sloped landscape.	
Splice 235	70151+18	Outside permitted route, in area of disturbance, storage yard.	None.

Table 2. Splice Locations and Vaults and HDD Areas within Segment 7A.

<sup>\*</sup> The area may be shovel-tested by a qualified archeologist prior to construction or monitored by a qualified archeologist during construction, see Sections 2.2 and 6, respectively.

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Description Station Numb		Activity	Notes/ Recommendations	
Splice 236	ice 236 70170+75 Outside permi undisturbed.		Test or Monitor.*	
Splice 237	70203+13	Within permitted route. Work area extends outside. Level and undisturbed.	Test or Monitor,* work area only.	
Splice 238	70234+06	Partially within permitted route, work area extends beyond. Some disturbance and sloping landscape.	None.	
Splice 239	70266+24 Within permitted route, work area extends beyond.		Test or Monitor,* work area only.	
Splice 240	70298+02 railroad cut, and two extant acc roads, previously disturbed.		None.	
Splice 241 70327+90 Well outside permitted route. Within former cement plant, prior disturbance.		None.		
Splice 242	70359+87 Within permitted route. Work area in wetland.		None.	
Splice 243	70390+91	Outside of permitted route, within area of previous disturbance.	None.	
Splice 244	70422+86	Outside permitted route with associated parking area.	Test or Monitor*.	

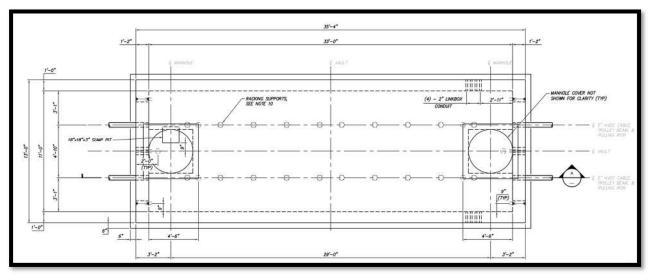


Figure 2. Plan of Proposed Splice Vault.

#### 3.2 HDD Locations

In all, 10 HDD locations are proposed in Segment 7A (HDD 111b, 112 to 113, HDD 115, 117 to 120, HDD-122 to 123) as well a Transition vault near the Hudson (Table 3). The HDD areas will include a boring and receiving pit at each end of the drilled cable, typically 5-foot by 10-foot and 5 feet deep. Each pit will also have a temporary work area, typically 150 feet by 150 feet. The work areas for HDD 111.B, 112 and 120 are

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recommended for archeological testing or monitoring The Transition vault will be within a transshipment point at a former cement complex and is heavily disturbed.

Description	Station Number	Activity	Notes/ Recommendations
HDD 111.B	70002+15 to 70009+80	HDD avoids difficult topography. Boring pits within permitted route. Work areas extend outside. Northern work area is level and undisturbed. Southern area is steeply sloped.	Test or Monitor* northern HDD work area.
HDD 112	70036+23 to 70045+85	HDD avoids wetlands and steep slopes. Boring pits within permitted route. Work areas extend outside. Appears undisturbed.	Test or Monitor* both HDD work areas.
HDD 113	70055+20 to 70060+25	HDD under RR tracks to west side and under SR 23. Northern pit and work area sloped. Southern in disturbed parking area.	None.
HDD 115	70085+30 to 70098+80	Under Allen Street, Main Street, Catskill Creek and Willow Lane. Northern pit in disturbed road shoulder. Southern pit in parking area previously disturbed.	None.
HDD 117	70112+45 to 70119+80	HDD under RR. Both pits and work areas in industrial complexes previously disturbed or within the cut for the railroad grade.	None.
HDD 118	70137+25 to 70145+75	Under Route 9W bridge. Both pits and work areas in disturbed parking lot.	None.
HDD 119	70160+25 to 70168+65	On east side of RR, under stream. Northern pit in wet area, work area is sloped. Southern pit on steep slope.	None.
HDD 120	70172+35 to 70187+05	Under stream and steep ravine. Work areas extend outside permitted route.	Test or Monitor* both HDD work areas.
HDD 122	70339+60 to 70350+40	Under abandoned yard tracks of cement plant. Both areas disturbed, and/or wet.	None.
HDD 123	70372+0 to 70380+50	Under abandoned cement plant works. Area disturbed.	None.
Transition Vault 2	70454+25	Within former stock yard for cement plant. Previously disturbed.	None.

Table 3. HDD Areas within Segment 7A.

#### 3.3 Off-Site Access Roads

The Project proposes to utilize off-site access roads from public roadways to the location of the installed cable (Table 4). These access roads are perpendicular to the cable, those parallel to the cable are discussed in the deviation areas noted below. Most of these are within existing informal access roads or unimproved farm lanes.

Four of these areas are considered previously disturbed and no archeological testing or monitoring is recommended. Archeological testing or monitoring is recommended for the Off-Site Access Road at Station 70258+00 which will connect Route 9W to the rail line. The area appears sloped and occupies an informal access road for about 500 feet in length. However, the road is immediately adjacent to the Streeke Shelter site (NYSM 475) and archeological testing or monitoring in the undisturbed portions of the road are appropriate to help avoid and protect the site.

Finally, Off-Site Access Road at Station 70337+00 also connects Route 9W to the rail line ROW. It too will follow along an existing informal access road about 450 feet in length. The proposed access road is immediately

<sup>\*</sup> The area may be shovel-tested by a qualified archeologist prior to construction or monitored by a qualified archeologist during construction, see Sections 2.2 and 6, respectively.

adjacent to Site 03904.000043, the Gardiner Cemetery (Site 33). The family cemetery was utilized between about 1844 and 1897 by the Gardiner family whose farm was nearby.



Figure 3. The Gardiner Family Cemetery off US Route 9W, along a proposed access road near Station 70337+00.

The cemetery contains over a dozen headstones and is currently denoted with a pole and chain fence. The cemetery will be protected with additional fencing, signage, and clear call-outs on construction sheets to avoid and protect the cemetery.

Description	Station Number	Activity	Notes/Recommendations
Access Road- Depot Road	70110+00	Within existing private drive.	None.
Access Road - West Bridge St.	70145+00	Within storage yard and along existing paved private drive.	None.
Access Road- Rte 9W	70210+00	Utilizing existing access road. About 250 feet in length.	None.
Access Road- Rte 9W	70258+00	Appears sloped and is an informal access road. About 500 feet in length.	Test or Monitor*
Access Road- Rte 9W	70337+00	Along existing informal access road. About 450 feet in length. Adjacent to (03904.000043). Gardiner Cemetery (Site 33).	Site protection measures.
Access Road-Rte 9W	70348+00	Uses existing access road.	None.

Table 4. Off-Site Access Roads for Package 7A.

#### 3.4 Deviation Areas

There are a number of small deviations from the permitted cable route. For this discussion, deviation areas identified are typically longer and often include the construction of a temporary access road parallel to the tracks, with the cable installed at a distance from the tracks. In all, there are 9 identified deviation areas. Six areas are within public roadways or placed within disturbed areas, such as the former cement plants along US Route 9W south of the Village of Catskill or have extreme slope (Table 5). These require no additional archeological measures.

Three deviation areas are within areas of high archeological sensitivity, especially for precontact deposits. To the south of the Village of Catskill, deviation areas in fields and undisturbed wooded section are recommended for archeological testing or monitoring, those within the disturbed, former cement facilities are not recommended any additional work.

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Description	Station Number	Activity	Notes/ Recommendations
S11-1	70000+00 to 70055+00	Parallel access road and work areas.	Test or Monitor*.
S11-2	70058+50 to 70101+50	Splice and HDD Route under Catskill Creek.	None.
S11-3	70104+50 to 70106+75	Temporary access roads and work areas outside permitted route. In disturbed and steeply sloped areas.	None.
S11-4	70111+50 to 70115+50	Temporary access road and work areas for HDD 117. In disturbed and sloped areas.	None.
S11-5	70150+00 to 70166+00	Temporary access road outside permitted route.	Test or Monitor.*
S11-6	70223+00 to 70230+00	Temporary access road and cable route outside permitted area. Appears undisturbed, but sloping.	None.
S11-7	70276+00 to 70307+00	Largely along existing access road	Test or Monitor.* (70284+00 to 70289+00)
S11-8	70318+50 to 70338+00	Within former cement plant.	None.
S11-9	70448+00 to 70449+00	Within former cement plant/transhipment point.	None.

Table 5. Deviations from Permitted Route and Archeological Recommendations.

#### 4 Identified Archeological Resources

In total, 17 archeological sites have been reported in the immediate vicinity of the proposed cable route of Package 7A. Of these, 10 are precontact archeological sites, and the remaining are historic sites, primarily the foundations of former farmhouses along Route 9W. The exception to this is the Gardner Family Cemetery (03904.000043) which is still extant along the east side of Route 9W. Only three sites have a formal evaluation for eligibility for the National Register, all three are considered not eligible. All of the remaining sites have yet to be formally considered and their status remains undetermined.

#### 4.1 Greene County Waste Parcel 1 (904.000089) and Parcel 2 (03904.000090)

These two precontact sites were also identified as part of systematic archeological survey. Both are broad scatters of precontact material with several distinct loci. Parcel 2 is the closer of the two to the cable route and is immediately adjacent to the cable route to the east.

#### 4.2 NYSM Site 3397

This site is defined as a broad area of precontact sensitivity around the Catskill Creek. This may be associated with Native American "villages" reported by Arthur C. Parker in 1922. These sites were often recorded by locals and reported to Parker who included them in his larger New York survey.

#### 4.3 Willow Site (03940.001143)

The Willow Site was identified by a systematic archeological survey along US Route 9W. This small precontact site was the subject of a Phase II investigation. After which, NYSHPO determined the site is not eligible for the National Register.

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#### 4.4 LBD Precontact Site (03940.001156)

This site was recently reported from a professional archeological survey. It contained a small assemblage of precontact material, and NYSHPO determined that the site is not eligible for the National Register. The site was within 100 feet of the cable route but has since been destroyed.

#### 4.5 Foundation Sites Along US Route 9W

As part of a road widening project completed in the 1970s, a large archeological survey was conducted south of the Village of Catskill along US Route 9W. As part of this survey, many of the former farmsteads along the road, which were eventually abandoned and sold to cement and limestone mining operations, were located based on historical maps and pedestrian survey. Six of these sites lie between US Route 9W and the railroad ROW. The sites include:

- Burget Foundation Site 1 (303904.000033), stone foundation.
- Sax Foundation Site 14 (03904.000034), stone foundation.
- Rightmeyer Foundation Site 15 (03904.000035), stone foundation.
- Burhan Or Acker Foundation Site 17 (03904.000036), unknown.
- C.A. Post Foundation Site 20 (03904.000037), stone foundation.
- Martin House Foundation & Barn, Site 32 (03904.000042), cellar hole.

#### 4.6 Streeke Shelter (NYSM 475)

There is no information associated with the site inventory form for the Streeke Shelter site. It is presumed to be a rockshelter with precontact materials, but it is unclear. While this site lies well west of the cable route, as mapped.

#### 4.7 Embought Rd. Site, Site 8 (03904.000030)

This was one of the few precontact sites reported from the US Route 9W widening project conducted in the mid-1970s. The site was located based on surface reconnaissance and shovel testing.

#### 4.8 ICC Prehistoric Site 1 (03904.000093) and 2 (03904.000094)

This pair of archeological sites was identified by a professional archeological survey in the late 1990s. Both were small assemblages of lithic debris from stone tool-making.

#### 4.9 Gardiner Cemetery (Site 33)(03904.000043)

This site is an extant family cemetery that is still maintained by a local cement plant. The cemetery was used between about 1840 and the turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century by the Gardner family. The Gardiners included several generations of farmers who also sold fruit trees. The site is along a proposed access road for the Project.

#### 4.10 Summary

Four of the previously identified sites are located near areas of Package 7A activities that are outside of the permitted route.

Resource	Activity	Location	Condition/Site Info.	Recommendation
904.000089	Cable route, deviation.	East of RR ROW.	Eight loci of lithic	None.
Greene County			workshops.	
Waste Parcel 1				
03904.000090	Cable route is to the	East of RR ROW.	Wide-spread lithic scatter	Test or Monitor.*
Greene County	west.		noted on surface.	
Waste Parcel 2				
NYSM Site 3397	Cable route.	Within Project along both side of Catskill Creek.	No additional site information.	None.
03940.001143 Willow Site	HDD under area of site.	East of RR ROW along Route 9W.	In brushy area along roadside.	Previously determined not
WILLOW SILE		Noule / W.	i oausiue.	eligible. None.
03940.001156	East of RR ROW.	Southeast of RR ROW.	Small lithic scatter	Site is developed.
LBD Precontact Site		Southeast of Mit Now.	Sindit titlite Seatter.	None.
03904.000033	Cable route.	On west side of RR	Field stone foundation.	None.
Burget Foundation Site 13	ouble route.	ROW.		None.
03904.000034 Sax Foundation Site 14	Cable route.	On west side of RR.	Field stone foundation.	None.
03904.000035 Rightmeyer Foundation Site 15	Cable route.	On west side of RR.	Field stone foundation.	None.
03904.000036 Burhan or Acker Foundation Site 17	Cable route.	On west side of RR ROW. No archeological expression identified.		None.
NYSM 475 Streeke Shelter	Near access road.		Possible rockshelter site. Exact location unclear.	Test or Monitor.*
03904.000037 C.A. Post Foundation Site 20	037 Cable route. On west side of RR Stone foundation. ROW.			None.
03904.000030 Embought Rd. Site, Site 8 (Precontact)	Cable route.	East of RR tracks.	No archeological expression identified.	Test or Monitor.*
03904.000093 ICC Prehistoric Site 1	Cable route.	Immediately adjacent to cable route.	Small lithic scatter.	Test or Monitor.*
03904.000094 ICC Prehistoric Site 2	Cable route.	East of RR ROW.	Small lithic scatter.	None.
03904.000042 Martin House Foundation & Barn, Site 32	Cable route.	East of RR ROW.	Cellar hole.	None.
03904.000043 Gardiner Cemetery (Site 33)	Along proposed access road.	East of Rte 9W, west of RR ROW.	Well-marked cemetery.	Site protection measures.

## Table 6. Project Activities Near or Within Known Archeological Sites.

<sup>\*</sup> The area may be shovel-tested by a qualified archeologist prior to construction or monitored by a qualified archeologist during construction, see Sections 2.2 and 6, respectively.

# 4.11 Construction Timeline

The construction timeline is November 2022 to December 2025 for the entire Project.

# 5 Cultural Resource Management Plan

## 5.1 Objective

It is the objective of this CRMP to demonstrate a comprehensive plan for the encounter of cultural resources during the construction and installation of the transmission line, as well as the various other components affiliated with it.

TRC created a final CRMP for the permitting process, with an overall permitting CRMP created in 2015, and subsequent revisions and addendums in 2021. The plan provides guidance for those monitoring activities not indicated in the original cultural resource management plan (CRMP) (2021) which specifically addressed previously identified sites within or along the permitted route; and, unanticipated discoveries when an archeologist is not present.

No areas of monitoring have been previously identified in the current segment of the Project. This current report serves as the supplemental CRMP for the now planned construction activities, tasked in synthesizing the previously reported data into one document and identifying roles and points of contact for communication ease.

Currently the Consulting Archeologist (CA) for the terrestrial portion of the Project is Matthew Kirk, Hartgen Archeological Associates, Inc. The Project Preservation Officer (PPO) is Ashley L. Bushey from the construction team, Kiewit.

## 5.2 Project Preservation Officer (PPO)

Hartgen will act as the Consulting Archeologists (CA) for the purpose of this effort. The CA will work closely with the Project Preservation Officer (PPO); the PPO or their designee will be present for all ground disturbing activities, and will have "stop-work" authority. The PPO will be part of the prime construction management team, Kiewit Corporation.

It is the responsibility of the CA to train this individual as a PPO and to provide a hands-on workshop for construction personnel, as designated by the PPO. The PPO and the construction team should have an understanding of cultural resources present in different areas, as well as an understanding of the potential for unknown cultural deposits. It is the responsibility of the PPO to implement the CRMP (2021) and ensure that the requirements and conditions of the CRMP are met. Table 7 includes the necessary contact information.

The PPO will have the authority to cease excavation or construction work. In the event of encountering cultural materials or human remains, it is the responsibility of the PPO to halt construction activities and contact and coordinate with the CA to visit the location of the discoveries as quickly as possible. Unanticipated discoveries, such as human remains, will follow the protocols developed by OPRHP in 2021 in consultation and coordination with the state's Tribal entities. This protocol supersedes previous iterations presented in the BMP, original CRMP, and other related documents and plans (Appendix 2).

In the event of these discoveries, the CA will have up to three workdays to excavate and remove cultural material from the APE before the construction continues. The CA, in consultation with the PPO and the NYSHPO, may request additional archeological field assistance to complete the necessary work in a timely manner. It is the responsibility of the PPO to work with the appropriately trained archeologists to ensure that the survey and assessment of any change in the APE is completed prior to construction taking place.

# 5.3 Heritage Areas, Special Events, and Other Resources

As part of the Section 106 process, the federal agency solicited comment and feedback from Tribal Nations that have expressed an interest in the regions in which the Project is to be constructed. As part of that endeavor, no traditional cultural properties were identified within or immediately adjacent to the Project. No other heritage areas or special events have been identified within this segment of the Project. The Certificate Holder, and its assignees, continues to solicit information from the public and other stakeholders to identify such areas, should they exist. No such areas, events, or properties have been identified in this segment of the Project.

# 5.4 Identification of Historic Properties

Changes in the APE or modifications to work proposed within the APE will prompt review of the subject location(s) for historic properties. The review will include archeological survey as specified in the CRMP (2021) in addition to completion of a files search that will include previous survey data through New York CRIS and may be supplemented with local assessor records, historic topographic maps, historic aerial images, Sanborn Fire Insurance and other historic maps, and other resources as available.

Properties are typically considered to hold historic potential when they meet or exceed 50 years of age. The Project may elect to consider the historic potential of properties approaching this age threshold to accommodate anticipated construction horizons. The Project will complete a survey evaluation for properties that meet or exceed the age threshold for historic potential, have no existing determination of NRHP eligibility or a determination ten or more years old, and may be affected by Project activities. The evaluation will be completed by a cultural resource specialist who meets or exceeds the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualification Standards (SOI Standards) in a discipline appropriate for the subject site; archeological sites will be evaluated by professionals who meet or exceed the SOI Standards in the area of archeology; architectural and landscape sites will be evaluated by professionals who meet or exceed the SOI Standards in the area of Architectural History. Survey evaluations will be subject to quality assurance review by a professional other than the author(s) who meets or exceeds applicable SOI Standards. Survey information will be input into the New York CRIS system prior to submission of annual reports on January 10 of each calendar year this agreement is in effect.

## 5.5 Barriers and Other Protective Measures

Protective measures have been identified in this CRMP for the Gardner Family Cemetery along a proposed access road. No other barrier or protective measures have been requested by stakeholders for this of the Project. If portions of the Project are altered, additional assessment, which may include desktop review, pedestrian survey, and/or archeological shovel tests, will be required to determine the presence or absence of cultural resources. Should cultural resources be identified, the Certificate Holder will avoid these resources if possible. Protective measures may include installation of temporary fencing and/or site delineation on Facility maps. Should an archeological site be impacted by Project activities, mitigation will include notification procedures and data recovery as stipulated in the Section 4.0 of the CRMP, and/or other treatment measures determined through consultation with NYSHPO, Tribal Nations, and consulting parties.

## 5.6 Reporting Requirements

The CRMP (2021) establishes a requirement for annual reporting concerning activities conducted under the CRMP: The PPO will prepare an annual report to the DOE and NYSHPO (and any of the other signatory or consulting parties listed in the Programmatic Agreement), which summarizes activities conducted under this CRMP on an annual basis for as long as this CRMP is in effect (i.e., through post-construction monitoring). The report will be completed and submitted on or before January 10 of each year. The CRMP may be updated and/or revised as appropriate to improve its implementation so long as concurrence is reached by the parties involved is achieved. The annual report will include a summary of all historic properties and archaeological resources that may have been encountered during construction and how they were treated. Post-construction reports will identify which cultural resources were monitored and provide a summary of resource conditions and whether looting or other forms of ground disturbance were noted.

The PPO will establish and maintain:

- A system of tracking archeological monitoring reports;
- Application of Program Comments, Exemptions, or Program Alternatives;
- Application of Programmatic Allowances;
- Implementation of Treatment Measures;
- Potential changes to APE;
- Annual report that summarizes the above items stipulated by the CRMP (2021).

## 5.7 Programmatic Allowances

Activities considered Programmatic Allowance are not exempt from archeological monitoring and remain subject to unanticipated discovery protocols, including stop-work provisions, as contained in the CRMP (2021).

Programmatic Allowances include actions where historic properties will not be affected or effects to historic properties hold limited potential to diminish historic integrity. Where Programmatic Allowance(s) are applicable, the action will not require independent consultation with the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO).

Application of Programmatic Allowances requires review by Project Preservation Officer (PPO). The PPO must complete:

- Memorandum to file containing a verbal description of work proposed, verbal description and map of geographic area subject to the work proposed;
- Summary of file search and/or literature review conducted to identify potential historic properties,
- Description of historic properties affected (if any);
- Justification for the application of one or more Programmatic Allowances.

The Project will maintain a tracking system of memoranda applying Programmatic Allowances, which will be communicated to NYSHPO and the Programmatic Agreement signatories in an annual report.

In addition to the Programmatic Allowances contained in this document, the Project may include application of relevant Section 106 Program Comments and program alternatives including but not limited to:

- Program Comment for Actions Affecting Post-1945 Concrete and Steel Bridges (Federal Register, Vol. 77, No. 222, November 16, 2012)
   <u>https://www.achp.gov/sites/default/files/program\_comments/2017-</u>01/program%20comment%20concrete%20and%20steel%20bridges.pdf
- Program Comment to Exempt Consideration of Effects to Rail Properties within Rail Rights-of-Way (Federal Register Vol. 84, No. 125, June 28, 2019) https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2019-06-28/pdf/2019-13779.pdf
- Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) Exemption Regarding Historic Preservation Review Process for Effect to the Interstate Highway System (*Federal Register Vol 70, No. 46, March 10, 2005*)
   <a href="https://www.achp.gov/sites/default/files/exemptions/2017-">https://www.achp.gov/sites/default/files/exemptions/2017-</a>

https://www.achp.gov/sites/default/files/exemptions/2017-01/final\_interstate\_exemption\_notice.pdf

## 5.7.1 Transportation Facilities

- A. Resurfacing existing roadways and/or replacement in-kind of highway signals, signage, or appurtenances when approved by the owner of the transportation facility.
- B. Replacement in-kind of railroad signals, crossing materials, and other railroad features or appurtenances when approved by the owner of the transportation facility.
- C. Installation of utility attachments on bridges in areas with existing utility attachments.
- 5.7.2 Ground Disturbing Activities
  - A. Ground disturbing activities withing areas of documented previous disturbance.
  - B. Ground disturbing activities within non-historic and non-contributing properties or features when no vertical improvements are proposed. Vertical improvements may consist of, but are not limited to, buildings, structures, and other forms of infrastructure with height above ground and constructed by the project.
  - C. Ground disturbing activities within historic and contributing properties when action is discrete (including but not limited to edges of agricultural fields, wooded areas, lawns, or curbs), where no contributing or potentially contributing buildings, structures, objects, sites, or features are present (including but not limited to slate sidewalks, hitching posts, carriage steps, mature trees, fences, retaining walls, and other landscaping dating to the historic period of 50 years or more in age).
- 5.7.3 Temporary Staging and Temporary Facilities
  - A. Temporary staging or stockpiling within existing parking areas.
  - B. Temporary staging or stockpiling within transportation rights of way.
  - C. Temporary staging or stockpiling within areas with documented previous ground disturbance when the ground is returned to pre-construction appearance, including contours and vegetation.
  - D. Installation of temporary construction support facilities when the ground is returned to preconstruction appearance, including contours and vegetation.
  - E. Location of temporary construction trailers not requiring a foundation or pad.
- 5.7.4 Utilities, Lighting, and Maintenance Facilities
  - A. Installation of underground utilities using directional bore drilling or similar method.
  - B. Replacement, repair, and/or maintenance of existing underground utilities in-kind when work occurs within the existing utility footprint.
  - C. Installation, replacement, or upgrade to lighting within transportation rights of way and/or at Project locations requiring routine maintenance.
  - D. Establishing maintenance facilities within Project easements or right of way no more than 10-feet high with a footprint no more than 120 square feet when facility is not located within a State Register of Historic Places (SRHP) or National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) historic district.
- 5.7.5 Pre-Construction Due Diligence and Testing
  - A. Conducting geotechnical testing, hazardous materials sampling, seismic or vibration testing or monitoring, or drill samples.
  - B. Wetland testing and delineation.
  - C. Wildlife surveys and inventories.
  - D. Property line and ownership verification surveys.
  - E. Utility location surveys.

- 5.7.6 Hazard and Hazardous Waste Removal
  - A. Removal of debris related to weather or storm damage, or present as a result of modern dumping.
  - B. Hazardous waste removal.
- 5.7.7 Environmentally Sensitive Area (ESA) Protection and Mitigation
  - A. Installation of temporary fencing to protect areas of cultural, biological, or other environmentally sensitive area from the effects of construction.
  - B. Obtaining credits in/from and existing wetland mitigation bank.
  - C. Vegetation or landscaping to support habitat mitigation when the subject action affects less than one-half acre and does not occur within an archeologically sensitive area, as defined by the Supplemental CRMP.
- 5.7.8 Drainage Improvements
  - A. Erosion control measures including best management practices placement of rip rap within nonhistoric channels, and emergency erosion control measures.
  - B. Re-grading or re-establishing existing drainage channels.
  - C. Temporary drainage systems including culvert placement and grading, provided the area is returned to pre-construction appearance.
  - D. Replacement or up-sizing corrugated metal pipe (CMP), concrete box culvert (CBC), reinforced concrete pipe (RCP), and plastic pipe culverts where no architectural headwalls or wingwalls are present or where these features, if present, will remain in place.
- 5.7.9 Signage and Surveillance
  - A. Installation, maintenance, repair, or removal of security systems.
  - B. Installation of signage not located within a NRHP district.
  - C. Replacement of existing signs; including within a NRHP district when replacement is in-kind and at the same location as the sign to be replaced.
  - D. Maintenance, repair, or removal of signage.
  - E. Installation of less than 100 linear feet of security fence within Project easements or right of way when not located within a SRHP or NRHP historic district.
- 5.7.10 Easements and Right of Way
  - A. Acquisition of easements or right of way from non-historic properties and when not located within a State Register of Historic Places (SRHP) or National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) historic district.
  - B. Acquisition of easements or right of way for sub-terranean activities when no surface rights or access is conferred.

## 5.8 Treatment Measures

When Project actions do not qualify as Programmatic Allowances, the Project will complete an evaluation of the potential for actions to diminish the historic integrity of historic or archeological resources, as defined in 36 CFR Part 800.5(a)(1). The Project may reference applicable National Register Bulletins, published by the National Park Service, to support the evaluation. Project actions found to diminish integrity as defined in 36 CFR Part 800.5(a)(1) will require Treatment Measures. The Project will complete a memorandum documenting eligibility of the resource(s), application of the criteria of adverse effect, avoidance measures considered, efforts to minimize the effect, coordination with property owner(s) or local government(s) in selection of Treatment

Measures if applicable, and rationale for application of the selected Treatment Measure, if applicable. A separate Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) will not be required when one or more of the following Treatment Measures are selected. If the Project action is determined not to diminish integrity, further action will not be required.

The Project will maintain a tracking system of memoranda and Treatment Measures, which will be communicated to NYSHPO and the Programmatic Agreement signatories in the annual report.

This section will not apply to designated National Historic Landmark properties, as consultation with the Department of the Interior is required (36 CFR Part 800.10), generally conducted via consultation with the National Park Service.

## 5.8.1 Data Recovery

Data recovery and reporting is the preferred mitigation for archeological sites. Implementation of this Treatment Measure will follow protocol contained in the CRMP (2021) Section 4.0 Project Effects and Management Measures. Additional details concerning data recovery for resources identified during archeological monitoring or that are unanticipated discoveries are outlined below.

## 5.8.2 Certified Local Government or Historic Preservation Board/Commission Priority Project Sponsorship

The Project crosses through several Certified Local Government (CLGs) jurisdictions. CLG programs are a division of municipal or county government to create and implement local-level historic preservation planning and programming. Many CLGs maintain a formal historic preservation plan containing goals and priority projects for preservation activities within their jurisdiction. Whether or not a CLG maintains a formal historic preservation plan, all are required to maintain a system of identification and documentation of historic properties, sometimes referred to as historic survey. Communities may also maintain a Historic Preservation Board, Commission, or similar entity and choose not to become a CLG. Each program will formally or informally document preservation priorities within their jurisdictions, often identifying lack of funding as a significant barrier to implementation.

Site-specific mitigation often has limited value to advancement of historic preservation, community. To create broader impact to the historic properties and the communities they serve, the Project may coordinate with CLGs or Historic Preservation Boards/Commissions to sponsor one or more of the priority projects identified within that entity's jurisdiction and not necessarily within the Project APE.

Example projects include, but are not limited to, historic surveys, State or National Register Nominations, historic context documentation, completion (or update) of a strategic preservation plan, completion of a strategic historic survey plan, archeological or architectural history field schools, historic preservation technical trainings or workshops, workshops related to historic preservation tax credits, and more.

New York CLGs are listed on the NYSHPO website at: <u>https://parks.ny.gov/shpo/certified-local-governments/listing.aspx</u>

## 5.8.3 Digital Photography Package

Prior to implementation of the work necessitating implementation of Treatment Measures, a digital photography package will be prepared by an individual meeting the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualification Standards. The photography package will include images demonstrating the property in its setting and context, images showing each exterior building elevation, images showing the spatial relationships of building(s) and features of the site, and appropriate detail images. A map showing photograph locations and view direction will be included. A photography log will be included containing photograph numbers, cardinal direction viewpoint, historic resource name and number (if applicable), street address (if applicable), city or

town, county, state, and image description. The digital photography package will follow the National Park Service photography standards for the National Register of Historic Places:

# https://www.nps.gov/subjects/nationalregister/upload/Photo Policy update 2013 05 15 508.pdf

Copies of the photography package on archival CD will be provided to NYSHPO, local Historic Preservation Board or Commission, and/or interested local or state repositories. One set of archivally produced, archivally labelled photographs will be provided to the NYSHPO.

# 5.8.4 National Park Service Heritage Documentation (HABS/HAER/HALS)

Prior to implementation of the work necessitating implementation of Treatment Measures, the property subject to the work will be documented to National Park Service standards using the appropriate heritage documentation form: Historic American Building Survey (HABS), Historic American Engineering Record (HAER), or Historic American Landscape Survey (HALS). Work will be completed by a Cultural Resource Specialist who meets or exceeds the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualification Standards. The appropriate level of documentation (Level I, Level II, Level III) will be selected based on the Secretary of the Interior's Standards and Guidelines for Architectural and Engineering Documentation, as published in the Federal Register July 21, 2003: <a href="https://www.National Park Service.gov/hdp/standards/stan

The Project will follow HABS/HAER/HALS Standards & Guidelines published by National Park Service Heritage Documentation Programs. The Project will coordinate with the National Park Service Northeast Region to obtain an applicable HABS/HAER/HALS. The Project will complete comment resolution with the National Park Service Northeast Region and submit final documentation for transmittal to the Library of Congress.

## 5.8.5 Public Interpretation

Public interpretation will be designed and produced, which may include print or digital media, on-site or offsite signage, workshops or technical trainings, or other means of engaging and educating interested public regarding historic properties. If the public interpretation involves physical signage, installation will require agreements from the landowner accepting the sign(s) including responsibility for maintenance.

Completion of public interpretation as a Treatment Measure will be executed independent of the commitment to provide \$5,000 in educational investment included in the CRMP (2021).

## 5.9 Property Owner Requests

The Project may accommodate property owner requests, including privately and publicly held properties, that may exceed Project needs or requirements. If a property owner request accommodated by the Project escalates permitting, consultation, or Treatment Measure requirements, the subject property owner will assume responsibility for associated costs.

# 6 Archeological Monitoring Methodology

## 6.1 Objective

The objective of the archeological monitoring is to identify and document archeological deposits that may be encountered in areas that were previously inaccessible for archeological survey or not considered during the initial resource assessment, specifically in those areas outside of the originally permitted route. The monitoring methodology is established to create an efficient and streamlined notification process and means to determine the potential eligibility of resources for inclusion on the National Register, and for the creation and adoption of timely and effective mitigation strategies.

# 6.2 Monitoring

The Archeological Monitor will observe the contractor's excavations within designated areas as indicated by station numbers in the Supplement CRMPs. On the basis of such observations, the Archeological Monitor may request a short-term cessation of work in the vicinity of a potential archeological site or find in order to record information or to evaluate exposed archeological deposits. Within the course of observation, the Archeological Monitor may request from the on-site supervisor time to evaluate significant finds, deposits, or other archeological materials in an effort to assess their eligibility for the National Register.

The Archeological Monitor may direct the Contractor's workers in the use of machinery on a very limited basis to assist in the exposure of material of archeological importance. This assistance will comprise work which would otherwise be done without archeological involvement, but where archeological direction can ensure that significant material is not disturbed.

The Archeological Monitoring will inspect excavation areas, soil profiles, backdirt piles, and will collect artifact and soil samples as appropriate. The Archeological Monitor will map and document archeological deposits using field notes, photography, and measured scale drawings. The locations of archeological deposits will be mapped with a submeter GPS unit.

Archeological monitoring and associated site or find evaluation time will vary depending on the type of site or find encountered. Typical stop-work requests to complete archeological evaluation will be accommodated within one hour or less, often within fifteen minutes. Stop-work will be limited to an area within 50 feet of the potential archeological find; work may continue outside the area of the potential archeological find provided work occurs in an area not subject to archeological monitoring or an additional Archeological Monitor is available to observe the work.

# 6.3 Notification

For archeological finds that may be National Register-eligible but cannot be adequately recorded during a short cessation of work (typically one hour or less per find) and cannot be otherwise avoided, the Archeological Monitor will notify the on-site Supervisor and request a halt to construction activities. The Archeological Monitor shall notify the Project Preservation Officer (PPO), who shall in turn notify the NYSHPO, other stakeholders and Tribal Nations, as appropriate within 24 hours (as per the Certificate of Condition 110) of the initial reporting of the finds. During this time, work in the immediate vicinity of the find must halt and the area of concern fenced or otherwise protected from construction activities. Once the area is secured, activity adjacent to the find may continue during the consultation process.

## 6.4 Determination of Eligibility

The NYSHPO will make a determination of eligibility for the archeological resource based on the information provided by the Archeological Monitor and PPO. The NYSHPO shall receive this information from electronic communications and respond within 48 hours, per the Certificate of Conditions.

## 6.5 Determination of Effects, Mitigation Efforts and Dispute Resolution

It is expected that potential archeological finds will be located within a relatively narrow construction corridor with limited means for avoidance. When a site is determined eligible for inclusion on the National Register, avoidance is not possible, and continued construction requires disturbance of the site, the resulting Section 106 determination of effect will be Adverse Effect. Determinations of Adverse Effect require mitigation treatment to resolve; a separate Memorandum of Agreement will not be required when mitigation treatments contained within this document, or a CRMP associated with the area of the subject archeological site, is selected. Dispute resolution among the parties will be guided by the CRMP (2021).

# 6.5.1 Data Recovery Mitigation Strategy

Data recovery mitigation strategy will be outlined in a brief plan that provides guidance on the level of effort expected, square meters of excavation, sampling percentage, and number of anticipated feature excavations. The strategy will provide a schedule for the proposed recovery/documentation efforts with the understanding, including options to expedite the process, which may include 10-hour working days and additional crew. The mitigation plan shall also include a protocol for artifact collection, processing, cataloging, analyses, and final curation of materials, as outlined in the original CRMP (Section 4.3). The data recovery plan will be provided to NYSHPO, Tribes, and other stakeholders prior to implementation; these parties will have up to 15 days to review and provide comment. Data recovery can begin as soon as approvals are granted by NYSHPO. The PPO will notify the NYSHPO, Tribes, and other stakeholders of the completion of the fieldwork and that portion of the project shall be cleared to resume construction.

# 6.5.2 Alternative Archeological Mitigation

Alternative archeological mitigation efforts that contemplate non-traditional excavation and or data recovery methods may be appropriate considering the circumstances. Numerous treatment methods may be selected including but not limited to off-site archeology, non-invasive archeology in the vicinity, and other appropriate strategies may also be considered. Factors that may influence such decisions include the Project's constraints (in terms of construction corridor width and depth), weather and soil conditions, hazardous work environments, other health and safety concerns, and Project schedule.

# 7 Communication

Through the many moving parts of this Project, efficient and immediate contact and consultation will be vital. The Project contacts are listed in Table 7 below:

Table 7. Project Contacts.	Dele		Contract information
Agency/Organization	Role		Contact information
Kiewit Corporation	Project Preservation	Ashley L.	Ashley.Bushey@Kiewit.com
	Officer	Bushey	802.349.6388
CHA Consulting, Inc.	Consulting Engineer	Chris Einstein	ceinstein@chacompanies.com
			518.453.4505
U.S. Department of Energy	Stakeholder	Melissa Pauley	<u>melissa.pauley@hq.doe.gov</u>
U.S. Army Corps of	Stakeholder	Stephan Ryba	Stephan.a.ryba@usace.army.mil
Engineers			
New York State Historic	Stakeholder	Nancy Herter	Nancy.herter@parks.ny.gov
Preservation Office		-	518.268.2179
(NYSHPO)			
New York DPS	Stakeholder	Matthew Smith	matthew.smith@dps.ny.gov
Hartgen Archeological	Consulting Archeologist	Matthew Kirk	mkirk@hargen.com
Associates			518.283.0534
			518.300.5940
Transmission Developers	Applicants/Owner	Ayokunle	Ayokunle.kafi@transmissiondevelopers.com
Inc.		"Kunle" Kafi,	347.920.6550
		PE, CEM	
Delaware Nation	Tribal Nation	Carissa Speck	(405) 247-2448, Ext. 1403
			cspeck@delawarenation-nsn.gov
Delaware Tribe of Indians	Tribal Nation	Susan Bachor	610.761.7452
			sbachor@delawaretribe.org
Shinnecock Nation	Tribal Nation	Jeremy Dennis	631.283.6143
		-	adminoffice@shinnecock.org
			jeremynative@gmail.com
St. Regis Mohawk Tribe	Tribal Nation	Darren	518.358.2272, ext. 2163
-		Bonaparte	darren.bonaparte@srmt-nsn.gov

Table 7. Project Contacts.

Agency/Organization	Role	Contact person	Contact information
Stockbridge-Munsee	Tribal Nation	Jeff	413.884.6029
Community		Bendremer	thpo@mohican-nsn.gov
National Park Service	Stakeholder	Kathy Schlegel	215.597.1726
			kathy_schlegel@nps.gov
Advisory Council on Historic	Stakeholder	Stephanie	202.354.2102
Preservation		Stevens	<u>stephanie stephens@nps.gov</u>

# 8 Deliverables

# 8.1 Periodic Updates

The PPO in coordination and under the guidance of the CA will provide periodic (bimonthly) updates on the progress of cable installation via email to the stakeholders. The communication will include project progress, discussion of unanticipated cultural resources, and the schedule for future work.

# 8.2 Annual Report

The CA will provide an annual report detailing the activities completed under the Supplemental CRMP to the DOE and NYSHPO for as long as the CRMP (2021) is in effect. This report will be completed and submitted on or before January 10<sup>th</sup> each year. This report will include a summary of all historic properties and archeological resources that may have been encountered during construction and how they were treated. Post construction reports will identify which cultural resources were monitored and provide a summary of resource conditions and whether forms of disturbance were noted.

# 9 Summary of Recommended Archeological Effort

In Package 7A of Segment 11, there are 16 Splice locations and vaults proposed, six are within areas of high archeological sensitivity and recommended for archeological testing or monitoring (Table 8). Ten HDDs are proposed, most of the pits are within the permitted route but three work areas extend beyond and therefore testing or monitoring is recommended.

Two Off-Site Access Roads will be placed near known archeological sites. Archeological testing or monitoring efforts are recommended for the Access Road proposed between US Route 9W and the CSX ROW near Station 70258+00. Another Off-Site Access Road further south that will also connect US Route 9W and the CSX ROW near Station 70337+00 passes immediately adjacent to a known family cemetery (Gardiner Cemetery, 03904.000043). Site protection measures are warranted here in the form of additional fencing, signage, and callouts on the construction sheets.

Nine deviation areas in which a temporary access road will be placed parallel to the cable route but outside of the permitted route have been identified. Three are near archeological sites or high sensitivity areas, and therefore archeological testing or monitoring is recommended.

In all, 15 areas have been identified for additional archeological testing or monitoring. Another area contains a family cemetery that is well-marked, but additional protective measures are warranted to ensure the protection and preservation of the site/cemetery. In total, 14 areas are recommended for site protection measures or additional archeological efforts (Table 8).

Activity	Stations	Location/Activity	Conditions	Resources	Recommendation
S11-1	70000+00 to 70055+00	Parallel access road and work areas.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity and Greene County Waste Parcel 2 (03904.000090)	Test or Monitor.*
HDD 111.B	70002+15 to 70009+80	HDD avoids difficult topography. Boring pits within permitted route. Work areas extend outside.	Northern work area is level and undisturbed. Southern area is steeply sloped.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor* northern HDD work area.
Splice 230	70019+35	Outside permitted route along with work area.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*
HDD 112	70036+23 to 70045+85	HDD avoids wetlands and steep slopes. Boring pits within permitted route. Work areas extend outside.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor* both HDD work areas.
Splice 231	70051+32	Outside permitted route.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*
S11-5	70150+00 to 70166+00	Temporary access road outside permitted route.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*
Splice 236	70170+75	Outside permitted route.	Level and undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*
HDD 120	70172+35 to 70187+05	Work areas for pits extend outside permitted route. Under stream and ravine.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*
Splice 237	70203+13	Within permitted route. Work area extends outside.	Level and undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*
Access Road- Rte 9W	70258+00	Access road from US Route 9W to CSX ROW.	Appears sloped and is an informal access road. East side of tracks is undisturbed.	High Sensitivity	Test or Monitor.*
Splice 239	70266+42	Within permitted route, work area extends beyond.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity	Test or Monitor work area only.*
S11-7	70276+00 to 70307+00	Largely along existing access road.	Likely disturbed.	High Sensitivity	Test or Monitor.* (70284+00 to 70289+00)
Splice 241	70327+90	Outside permitted route along CSX ROW.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*
Access Road Rte 9W	70337+00	Access road from US Route 9W to CSX ROW.	Along an existing informal access road.	(03904.000043). Gardiner Cemetery (Site 33).	Site protection measures.
Splice 244	70424+86	Outside permitted route with associated parking area, along CSX ROW.	Appears undisturbed.	High Sensitivity.	Test or Monitor.*

<sup>\*</sup> The area may be shovel-tested by a qualified archeologist prior to construction or monitored by a qualified archeologist during construction, see Sections 2.2 and 6, respectively.

# 10 Bibliography

# New York Archaeological Council (NYAC)

1994 Standards for Cultural Resource Investigations and the Curation of Archaeological Collections in New York State. NYAC, n.p.

# TRC

2021 Champlain Hudson Power Express HVDC Transmission Line Project, Cultural Resources Management Plan (Final), on file at OPRHP, Peebles Island, New York.

# Appendix 1: Champlain Hudson Power Express Cultural Resources Management Plan (CRMP)

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Appendix 2: SHPO Human Remains Protocol 2021

# State Historic Preservation Office/ New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Human Remains Discovery Protocol (January 2021)

If human remains are encountered during construction or archaeological investigations, the New York State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) recommends that the following protocol is implemented.

- Human remains shall be treated with dignity and respect. Should human remains or suspected human remains be encountered, work in the general area of the discovery shall stop immediately and the location shall be secured and protected from damage and disturbance.
- If skeletal remains are identified and the archaeologist is not able to conclusively determine if they are human, the remains and any associated materials shall be left in place. A qualified forensic anthropologist, bioarchaeologist or physical anthropologist shall assess the remains in situ to help determine if they are human.
- If the remains are determined to be human, law enforcement, the SHPO, the appropriate Indian Nations, and the involved state and federal agencies shall be notified immediately. If law enforcement determines that the burial site is not a criminal matter, no skeletal remains or associated materials shall be removed until appropriate consultation takes place.
- If human remains are determined to be Native American, they shall be left in place and protected from further disturbance until a plan for their avoidance or removal is developed. Please note that avoidance is the preferred option of the SHPO and the Indian Nations. The involved agency shall consult SHPO and the appropriate Indian Nations to develop a plan of action. Photographs of Native American human remains and associated materials should not be taken without consulting with the involved Indian Nations.
- If human remains are determined to be non-Native American, the remains shall be left in place and protected from further disturbance until a plan for their avoidance or removal is developed. Please note that avoidance is the preferred option of the SHPO. The involved agency shall consult SHPO and other appropriate parties to develop a plan of action.
- The SHPO recommends that burial information is not released to the public to protect burial sites from possible looting.

# FaD—Farmington gravelly silt loam, hilly, rocky

## Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sgd Elevation: 100 to 900 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

## Map Unit Composition

*Farmington and similar soils:* 75 percent *Minor components:* 25 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

## **Description of Farmington**

## Setting

Landform: Benches, till plains, ridges Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Loamy till or congeliturbate derived from limestone, dolomite, shale, and sandstone, and in many places mixed with wind and water deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 8 inches: gravelly silt loam

- H2 8 to 13 inches: silt loam
- H3 13 to 17 inches: unweathered bedrock

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 15 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 20 inches to lithic bedrock
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Very low to high (0.00 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 5 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 1.6 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY035MA - Shallow Semi-Rich Well Drained Till Uplands Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Nassau

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Arnot

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## **Rock outcrop**

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: Unranked

#### Tuller

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Galway

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

# FaE—Farmington gravelly silt loam, steep, rocky

# Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sgf Elevation: 100 to 900 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

## Map Unit Composition

*Farmington and similar soils:* 70 percent *Minor components:* 30 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

## **Description of Farmington**

#### Setting

Landform: Benches, till plains, ridges Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Loamy till or congeliturbate derived from limestone, dolomite, shale, and sandstone, and in many places mixed with wind and water deposits

## **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 8 inches:* gravelly silt loam *H2 - 8 to 13 inches:* silt loam

H3 - 13 to 17 inches: unweathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 15 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 20 inches to lithic bedrock
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Very low to high (0.00 to 1.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 5 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 1.6 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY035MA - Shallow Semi-Rich Well Drained Till Uplands Hydric soil rating: No

## Minor Components

## Rock outcrop

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: Unranked

#### Arnot

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Rock outcrop

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* Unranked

## Galway

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Nassau

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Tuller

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## HvB—Hudson and Vergennes soils, 3 to 8 percent slopes

## Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sgr Elevation: 50 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches *Mean annual air temperature:* 45 to 50 degrees F *Frost-free period:* 135 to 170 days *Farmland classification:* All areas are prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Hudson and similar soils:* 40 percent *Vergennes and similar soils:* 35 percent *Minor components:* 25 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Hudson**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey and silty glaciolacustrine deposits

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 4 inches: silt loam H2 - 4 to 13 inches: silt loam H3 - 13 to 30 inches: silty clay loam H4 - 30 to 60 inches: silty clay

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 18 to 24 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 20 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 9.4 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

## **Description of Vergennes**

## Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey calcareous glaciolacustrine, glaciomarine, or estuarine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: loam

H2 - 10 to 17 inches: clay loam

- H3 17 to 34 inches: clay
- H4 34 to 60 inches: stratified silty clay to silty clay loam to silt loam to very fine sandy loam

# **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Low to moderately low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 12 to 36 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 7.0 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F142XB005VT - Clayplain Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

## Kingsbury

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Madalin

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

## Rhinebeck

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

## Elmridge

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

# Nunda

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

# HvC—Hudson and Vergennes soils, 8 to 15 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sgs Elevation: 50 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

## Map Unit Composition

Hudson and similar soils: 40 percent Vergennes and similar soils: 35 percent Minor components: 25 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

### **Description of Hudson**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey and silty glaciolacustrine deposits

#### **Typical profile**

- H1 0 to 4 inches: silt loam
- H2 4 to 13 inches: silt loam
- H3 13 to 30 inches: silty clay loam
- H4 30 to 60 inches: silty clay

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 18 to 24 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 20 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 9.4 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

## **Description of Vergennes**

## Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey calcareous glaciolacustrine, glaciomarine, or estuarine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: loam

H2 - 10 to 17 inches: clay loam

H3 - 17 to 34 inches: clay

*H4 - 34 to 60 inches:* stratified silty clay to silty clay loam to silt loam to very fine sandy loam

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Low to moderately low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 12 to 36 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 7.0 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F142XB005VT - Clayplain Hydric soil rating: No

## **Minor Components**

## Kingsbury

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Rhinebeck

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Elmridge

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

## Madalin

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes Nunda

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

# HvE—Hudson and Vergennes soils, 25 to 50 percent slopes

## **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 9sgt Elevation: 50 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

## Map Unit Composition

Hudson and similar soils: 45 percent Vergennes and similar soils: 30 percent Minor components: 25 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

## **Description of Hudson**

## Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey and silty glaciolacustrine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 4 inches: silt loam H2 - 4 to 13 inches: silt loam H3 - 13 to 30 inches: silty clay loam H4 - 30 to 60 inches: silty clay

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 25 to 50 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 18 to 24 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 20 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: High (about 9.4 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

## **Description of Vergennes**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey calcareous glaciolacustrine, glaciomarine, or estuarine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 10 inches: loam

H2 - 10 to 17 inches: clay loam

H3 - 17 to 34 inches: clay

*H4 - 34 to 60 inches:* stratified silty clay to silty clay loam to silt loam to very fine sandy loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 25 to 50 percent Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches Drainage class: Moderately well drained

Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Low to moderately low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)

Depth to water table: About 12 to 36 inches

Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent

Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 7.0 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F142XB005VT - Clayplain Hydric soil rating: No

## **Minor Components**

## Rhinebeck

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Kingsbury

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Nunda

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

## Elmridge

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Shaker

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

# HwD3—Hudson and Vergennes silty clay loams, 15 to 25 percent slopes, severely eroded

## **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 9sgw Elevation: 50 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

## **Map Unit Composition**

*Hudson and similar soils:* 50 percent *Vergennes and similar soils:* 30 percent *Minor components:* 20 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

## **Description of Hudson**

## Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey and silty glaciolacustrine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silty clay loam H2 - 7 to 30 inches: silty clay loam H3 - 30 to 60 inches: silty clay

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 15 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 18 to 24 inches
Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

*Calcium carbonate, maximum content:* 20 percent *Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches:* High (about 9.3 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6e Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Description of Vergennes**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Clayey calcareous glaciolacustrine, glaciomarine, or estuarine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 6 inches: silty clay loam

- H2 6 to 34 inches: clay
- *H3 34 to 60 inches:* stratified silty clay to silty clay loam to silt loam to very fine sandy loam

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 15 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Moderately well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Low to moderately low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 12 to 36 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.7 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F142XB005VT - Clayplain Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

## Rhinebeck

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Burdett

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

## Kingsbury

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Elmridge

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

# KrA—Kingsbury and Rhinebeck soils, 0 to 3 percent slopes

## **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 9sgx Elevation: 80 to 1,000 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

#### Map Unit Composition

*Kingsbury and similar soils:* 40 percent *Rhinebeck and similar soils:* 30 percent *Minor components:* 30 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

## **Description of Kingsbury**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Footslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear Parent material: Calcareous, clayey glaciomarine deposits or glaciolacustrine deposits

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: clay loam

H2 - 7 to 14 inches: silty clay loam

- H3 14 to 36 inches: clay
- H4 36 to 70 inches: stratified silty clay loam to silt loam to very fine sandy loam

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 3 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Low to moderately low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 6 to 18 inches
Frequency of flooding: None

Frequency of ponding: None

Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 10 percent Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 8.5 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3w Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Description of Rhinebeck**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Footslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear Parent material: Clayey and silty glaciolacustrine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silt loam H2 - 7 to 19 inches: silty clay loam H3 - 19 to 32 inches: silty clay H4 - 32 to 60 inches: silty clay

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 3 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 6 to 18 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 10 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 8.2 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3w Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Madalin

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Covington

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Hudson

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Shaker

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Elmridge

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Vergennes

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

# KrB—Kingsbury and Rhinebeck soils, 3 to 8 percent slopes

## Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sgy Elevation: 80 to 1,000 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Farmland of statewide importance

#### **Map Unit Composition**

*Kingsbury and similar soils:* 45 percent *Rhinebeck and similar soils:* 30 percent *Minor components:* 25 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

## **Description of Kingsbury**

## Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Footslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear Parent material: Calcareous, clayey glaciomarine deposits or glaciolacustrine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: clay loam
H2 - 7 to 14 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 14 to 36 inches: clay
H4 - 36 to 70 inches: stratified silty clay loam to silt loam to very fine sandy loam

## **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Low to moderately low (0.00 to 0.06 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 6 to 18 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 10 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 8.5 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3w Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

## **Description of Rhinebeck**

#### Setting

Landform: Lake plains Landform position (two-dimensional): Footslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Linear Parent material: Clayey and silty glaciolacustrine deposits

## **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: silt loam
H2 - 7 to 19 inches: silty clay loam
H3 - 19 to 32 inches: silty clay
H4 - 32 to 60 inches: silty clay

## Properties and qualities

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.20 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 6 to 18 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 10 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 8.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 3w Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Ecological site: F144AY018NY - Moist Lake Plain Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Covington

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Elmridge

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

## Hudson

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Vergennes

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Madalin

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

# Mh-Medisaprists-Hydraquents, tidal marsh

## Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9shz Elevation: 10 to 2,400 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

## Map Unit Composition

Medisaprists and similar soils: 45 percent Hydraquents and similar soils: 30 percent Minor components: 25 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

## **Description of Medisaprists**

#### Setting

Landform: Marshes Landform position (two-dimensional): Toeslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Talf Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Concave Parent material: Organic material

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 51 inches:* muck *H2 - 51 to 60 inches:* silt loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 1 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Very poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to very high (0.06 to 19.98 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 0 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: Frequent
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very high (about 20.5 inches)

## Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8w Hydrologic Soil Group: A/D Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### **Description of Hydraquents**

#### Setting

Landform: Marshes Landform position (two-dimensional): Toeslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Talf Down-slope shape: Concave Across-slope shape: Concave

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 9 inches: silty clay loam H2 - 9 to 60 inches: silt loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 2 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Very poorly drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to high (0.06 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 0 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: Frequent
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Moderate (about 7.3 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 8w Hydrologic Soil Group: C/D Hydric soil rating: Yes

## **Minor Components**

#### Canandaigua

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Fluvaquents

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Flood plains Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Madalin

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

#### Alden

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Depressions Hydric soil rating: Yes

## Carlisle

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Landform: Marshes, swamps Hydric soil rating: Yes

# NaC—Nassau channery silt loam, rolling

## Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sj5 Elevation: 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

## Map Unit Composition

Nassau and similar soils: 80 percent Minor components: 20 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

# **Description of Nassau**

## Setting

Landform: Benches, till plains, ridges Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Crest Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Channery loamy till derived mainly from local slate or shale

## **Typical profile**

*Oi - 0 to 1 inches:* slightly decomposed plant material *H1 - 1 to 4 inches:* channery silt loam

- H2 4 to 19 inches: extremely channery silt loam
- H3 19 to 23 inches: unweathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 5 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 20 inches to lithic bedrock
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.57 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 2.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 4e Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY033MA - Shallow Dry Till Uplands Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

## Lordstown

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Arnot

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Oquaga

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Tuller

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

# NrC—Nassau channery silt loam, rolling, very rocky

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sj6 Elevation: 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

Nassau and similar soils: 70 percent Minor components: 30 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Nassau**

#### Setting

Landform: Benches, till plains, ridges Landform position (two-dimensional): Shoulder Landform position (three-dimensional): Crest Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Channery loamy till derived mainly from local slate or shale

#### **Typical profile**

Oi - 0 to 1 inches: slightly decomposed plant material

- H1 1 to 4 inches: channery silt loam
- H2 4 to 19 inches: extremely channery silt loam
- H3 19 to 23 inches: unweathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 8 to 15 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 20 inches to lithic bedrock
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.57 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 2.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY033MA - Shallow Dry Till Uplands Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### **Rock outcrop**

*Percent of map unit:* 10 percent *Hydric soil rating:* Unranked

#### Arnot

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Tuller

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Lordstown

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Oquaga

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

### NrD-Nassau channery silt loam, hilly, very rocky

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sj7 Elevation: 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

Nassau and similar soils: 70 percent Minor components: 30 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### Description of Nassau

#### Setting

Landform: Benches, till plains, ridges Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Channery loamy till derived mainly from local slate or shale

#### **Typical profile**

- Oi 0 to 1 inches: slightly decomposed plant material
- H1 1 to 4 inches: channery silt loam
- H2 4 to 19 inches: extremely channery silt loam
- H3 19 to 23 inches: unweathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 15 to 25 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 20 inches to lithic bedrock
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.57 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 2.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY033MA - Shallow Dry Till Uplands Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Valois

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Lordstown

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Arnot

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Rock outcrop

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: Unranked

#### Tuller

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Oquaga

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### NrE—Nassau channery silt loam, steep, very rocky

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sj8 Elevation: 600 to 1,800 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

Nassau and similar soils: 70 percent Minor components: 30 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Nassau**

#### Setting

Landform: Benches, till plains, ridges Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Side slope Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Channery loamy till derived mainly from local slate or shale

#### **Typical profile**

Oi - 0 to 1 inches: slightly decomposed plant material

H1 - 1 to 4 inches: channery silt loam

H2 - 4 to 19 inches: extremely channery silt loam

H3 - 19 to 23 inches: unweathered bedrock

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 25 to 45 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: 10 to 20 inches to lithic bedrock
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to moderately high (0.06 to 0.57 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Very low (about 2.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7s Hydrologic Soil Group: D Ecological site: F144AY033MA - Shallow Dry Till Uplands Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Rock outcrop

*Percent of map unit:* 10 percent *Hydric soil rating:* Unranked

#### Lordstown

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Arnot

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Oquaga

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Tuller

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### RhA—Riverhead loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sjx Elevation: 590 to 1,970 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches *Mean annual air temperature:* 45 to 50 degrees F *Frost-free period:* 135 to 170 days *Farmland classification:* All areas are prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Riverhead and similar soils:* 75 percent *Minor components:* 25 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Riverhead**

#### Setting

Landform: Deltas, terraces Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Loamy glaciofluvial deposits overlying stratified sand and gravel

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 8 inches: loam H2 - 8 to 24 inches: sandy loam H3 - 24 to 60 inches: loamy sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 3 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 4.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: F144AY023CT - Well Drained Outwash Hydric soil rating: No

#### Minor Components

#### Tioga

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Udifluvents

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Chenango

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Elmridge

Percent of map unit: 5 percent

Hydric soil rating: No

Hudson

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

### RhB—Riverhead loam, 3 to 8 percent slopes

#### **Map Unit Setting**

National map unit symbol: 9sjy Elevation: 590 to 1,970 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: All areas are prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

Riverhead and similar soils: 75 percent Minor components: 25 percent Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.

#### **Description of Riverhead**

#### Setting

Landform: Deltas, terraces Landform position (two-dimensional): Summit Landform position (three-dimensional): Tread Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Loamy glaciofluvial deposits overlying stratified sand and gravel

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 8 inches: loam H2 - 8 to 24 inches: sandy loam H3 - 24 to 60 inches: loamy sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 3 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 4.2 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 2s Hydrologic Soil Group: A *Ecological site:* F140XY021NY - Dry Outwash *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Elmridge

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Tioga

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Hudson

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Chenango

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Udifluvents

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

# TwE—Tunkhannock and Chenango gravelly loams, 25 to 50 percent slopes

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9skf Elevation: 600 to 2,000 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Tunkhannock and similar soils:* 45 percent *Chenango and similar soils:* 35 percent *Minor components:* 20 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Tunkhannock**

#### Setting

Landform: Valley trains, terraces Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex *Parent material:* Gravelly loamy glaciofluvial deposits over sandy and gravelly glaciofluvial deposits, derived mainly from reddish sandstone, siltstone, and shale

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 7 inches: gravelly loam

- H2 7 to 25 inches: very gravelly loam
- H3 25 to 60 inches: stratified extremely gravelly sand

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 25 to 45 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Well drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): High (1.98 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 4.4 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: F140XY021NY - Dry Outwash Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Description of Chenango**

#### Setting

Landform: Valley trains, terraces Landform position (two-dimensional): Backslope Landform position (three-dimensional): Riser Down-slope shape: Convex Across-slope shape: Convex Parent material: Gravelly loamy glaciofluvial deposits over sandy and gravelly glaciofluvial deposits, derived mainly from sandstone, shale, and siltstone

#### **Typical profile**

H1 - 0 to 4 inches: gravelly loam

H2 - 4 to 11 inches: gravelly loam

H3 - 11 to 26 inches: very gravelly loam

H4 - 26 to 60 inches: stratified sand to gravel

#### Properties and qualities

Slope: 25 to 45 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately high to high (0.57 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: More than 80 inches
Frequency of flooding: None
Frequency of ponding: None
Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 1 percent
Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 3.9 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified

Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 7e Hydrologic Soil Group: A Ecological site: F140XY021NY - Dry Outwash Hydric soil rating: No

#### **Minor Components**

#### Barbour

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Wellsboro

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Riverhead

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Basher

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Ur—Udorthents, loamy

#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9skh Elevation: 160 to 1,970 feet Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Udorthents and similar soils:* 80 percent *Minor components:* 20 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

#### **Description of Udorthents**

#### **Typical profile**

*H1 - 0 to 4 inches:* gravelly silt loam *H2 - 4 to 70 inches:* gravelly silt loam

#### **Properties and qualities**

Slope: 0 to 8 percent
Depth to restrictive feature: More than 80 inches
Drainage class: Somewhat excessively drained
Capacity of the most limiting layer to transmit water (Ksat): Moderately low to high (0.06 to 5.95 in/hr)
Depth to water table: About 36 to 72 inches

Frequency of flooding: None Frequency of ponding: None Calcium carbonate, maximum content: 15 percent Available water supply, 0 to 60 inches: Low (about 5.4 inches)

#### Interpretive groups

Land capability classification (irrigated): None specified Land capability classification (nonirrigated): 6s Hydrologic Soil Group: A Hydric soil rating: No

#### Minor Components

#### Wellsboro

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Valois

*Percent of map unit:* 5 percent *Hydric soil rating:* No

#### Volusia

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### Tunkhannock

Percent of map unit: 5 percent Hydric soil rating: No

#### W-Water

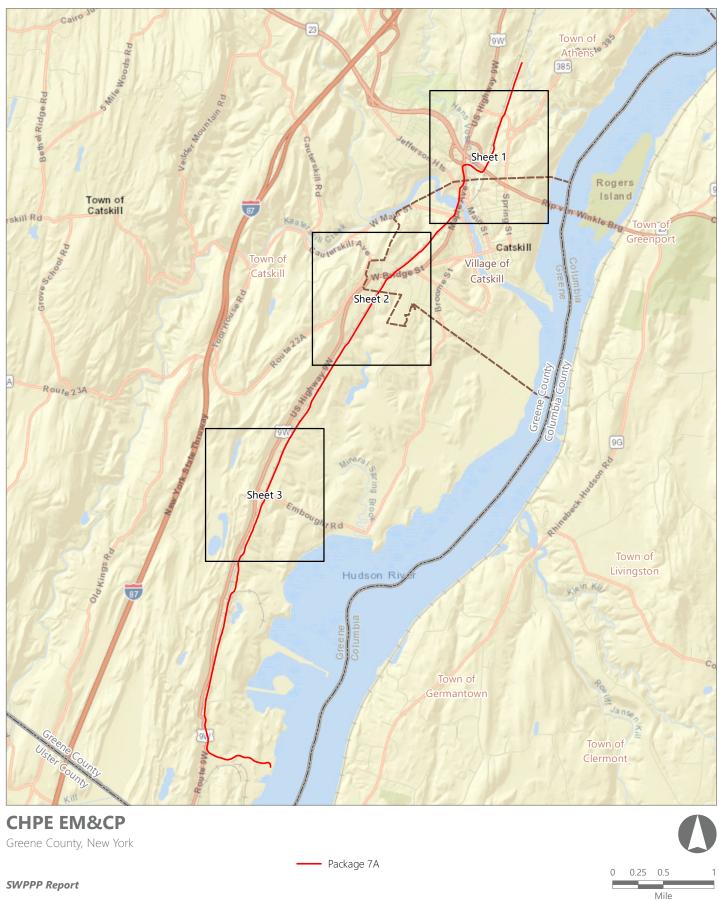
#### Map Unit Setting

National map unit symbol: 9sl3 Mean annual precipitation: 36 to 44 inches Mean annual air temperature: 45 to 50 degrees F Frost-free period: 135 to 170 days Farmland classification: Not prime farmland

#### Map Unit Composition

*Water:* 100 percent *Estimates are based on observations, descriptions, and transects of the mapunit.* 

Appendix E Receiving Waters Maps



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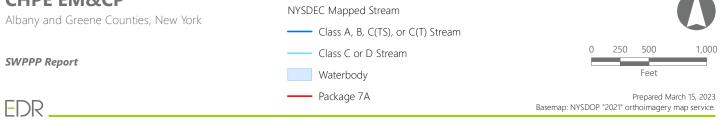








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SWPPP Report

NYSDEC Mapped Stream Class C or D Stream Waterbody

Package 7A



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# E-1: PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING DOCUMENTS AND INSPECTION REPORTS

General Project Information					
Project Name	Champlain Hudson Power Express Package 7A				
Project Location	Catskill County Greene				
SPDES Permit ID No.		NYSDEC Date of Authorization			

# PREAMBLE TO SITE ASSESSMENT AND INSPECTIONS – TO BE READ BY ALL PERSONS INVOLVED IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF STORMWATER RELATED ACTIVITIES

- 1. The Owner/Operator and Contractors shall read the NYSDEC SPDES General Permit for Stormwater Discharges from Construction Activities GP-0-20-001. This SWPPP has been prepared for the project and represents the minimum standards for compliance. The Contractors must follow the requirements of the SWPPP.
- 2. A copy of the General Permit (GP-0-20-001), the SWPPP, NOI, NOI Acknowledgement Letter, MS4 Acceptance form (if applicable), inspection reports and any correspondence with the NYSDEC must be kept at the work site at all times. (e.g., in the job trailer.)
- 3. Prior to commencing soil disturbance, the Owner/Operator and/or Contractors must complete the forms and certifications in this Appendix. This information must be kept up to date.
- 4. All enclosed certifications shall be completed by the contractor. Subcontractors responsible for implementing erosion and sediment control measures or constructing stormwater management practices shall also complete the certifications. Each certification is to be completed and signed by a president, treasurer or vice president, or any person who performs similar policy or decision-making functions, and by the onsite individual having responsibility for the firm.
- 5. The Owner/Operator shall have a qualified inspector conduct an assessment of installed erosion and sediment controls and overall preparedness of the site prior to the commencement of construction. The inspection report in this section shall be used record the results of the inspection.
- 6. Site inspections shall be conducted by the qualified inspector at least once every seven calendar days when construction actives commence. For sites where the Owner/Operator has received authorization from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) to disturb greater than five acres of soil at one time or where the project site discharges directly to a 303(d) impaired waterbody or is in a watershed listed in Appendix C of the General Permit, the qualified inspector shall conduct at least two site inspections every seven calendar days. There shall be a minimum of two full calendar days between inspections. The Owner/Operator shall maintain a record of all inspection reports onsite in Appendix F and have them available to the permitting authorities upon request.
- 7. The qualified inspector will notify the Owner/Operator and Contractor of any items to be addressed within one day business day of the inspection. The Contractors need to start corrective measures within one business day of notification and complete corrective actions in a reasonable time frame.
- 8. Prior to filing the Notice of Termination (NOT) or the end of permit term, the Owner/Operator shall have a qualified inspector perform a final site inspection. The qualified inspector shall certify that the site has undergone final stabilization using either vegetative or structural stabilization methods and that all temporary erosion and sediment controls (such as silt fencing, etc.) have been removed and that postconstruction stormwater management practices have been installed in accordance with the SWPPP. The Owner/Operator must certify that, based upon their inquiry, all the information contained within the NOT is true.

- 9. Prior to submitting the NOT, the Owner/Operation is required to have one of the following in place (for permanent stormwater practices):
  - a. Provide proof that the post-construction stormwater management practices, including any rightsof-ways needed for maintenance of such practices, have been deeded to the municipality in which the practices are located, or
  - b. Provide confirmation that the municipality has executed an agreement to maintain the postconstruction stormwater management practices, or
  - c. For privately-owned post-construction stormwater management practices, provide proof that the Owner/Operator has modified their deed of record to include a deed covenant that requires operation of the practices in accordance with the operations and maintenance plan.
  - d. For institutional-owned or municipal-owned post-construction stormwater practices, provide proof that the Owner/Operator has policy and procedure in place to ensure operation of the practices in accordance with the operations and maintenance plan.
- 10. In the event of a transfer of ownership or responsibility for stormwater runoff, the original Owner/Operator (permittee) must notify the new Owner/Operator in writing of the requirement to obtain permit coverage by submitting a new Notice of Intent. Once the new Owner/Operator obtains permit coverage, the original Owner/Operator shall submit a completed NOT with the name and permit identification number of the new Owner/Operator. If the original Owner/Operator maintains ownership of a portion of the construction activity and will disturb soil, they must obtain their coverage under the general permit. Permit coverage for the new Owner/Operator will be effective when an acknowledgement letter is received from the NYSDEC confirming receipt of the completed Notice of Intent (NOI), provided the original Owner/Operator was not subject to a sixty business day authorization period that has not expired as of the date the Department receives the NOI from the new Owner/Operator.

# E-1: PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING DOCUMENTS AND INSPECTION REPORTS

General Project Information				
Project Name	Champlain Hudson Power Express Package 7A			
Project Location	Catskill		County	Greene
SPDES Permit ID No.		NYSDEC Date of Authorization		

#### PRE-CONSTRUCTION SITE ASSESSMENT CHECKLIST

Construction (soil disturbance) shall not commence until all Erosion & Sediment Control Facilities have been installed, inspected, and found acceptable by the Owner/Operator. Add comments below as necessary.

Notic	ce of Intent, SWPPP, and Contractor's Certification			
1.	Has Notice of Intent (NOI) been filed with NYSDEC, MS4 Certification (if	Yes	No	
	applicable) and the NOI Acknowledgment form been received?	103	NO	
2.	Is the SWPPP onsite?	Yes	No	
	If yes, where?			
3.	Is the SWPPP current?	Yes	No	
	What is the latest revision date?//			
4.	Have all the Contractors involved with stormwater-related activities signed a Contractor's Certification Statement (Appendix E-3)?	Yes	No	
5.	Has the Contractor's Construction Stabilization Schedule (Appendix E-2) been received?	Yes	No	
Reso	purce Protection			
6.	Are construction limits clearly flagged or fenced?	Yes	No	NA
7.	Have the important trees and associated root zones, onsite septic system absorption fields, existing vegetation areas suitable for filter strips been flagged for protection?	Yes	No	NA
8.	Were creek-crossings installed prior to land-disturbing activity?	Yes	No	NA
9.	Have wetlands been identified, flagged and protected?	Yes	No	NA
Surfa	ace Water Protection			
10.	Has runoff from undisturbed areas been diverted away from or around areas to be disturbed?	Yes	No	NA
11.	Have bodies of water either onsite or in the vicinity been identified and protected?	Yes	No	NA
12.	Have appropriate practices to protect onsite or downstream surface water been installed?	Yes	No	NA
13.	Has any grading operation occurred prior to this inspection, except for Erosion & Sediment Control Practices installation?	Yes	No	NA
Stab	ilized Construction Entrance			
14.	Has a temporary construction entrance been installed to prevent mud and debris from entering the public roadway?	Yes	No	NA
15.	Have construction routes and equipment parking areas needed to begin construction been stabilized immediately as work takes place, with gravel or other cover?	Yes	No	NA
16.	Is there a plan to remove or clean sediment tracked on to public roadways?	Yes	No	NA

Sedi	ment Controls			
17.	Does the silt fence material and installation comply with the contract drawing, SWPPP, and specifications?	Yes	No	NA
18.	Are silt fences installed at appropriate spacing intervals?	Yes	No	NA
19.	Were sediment trapping devices installed as the first land disturbing activity?	Yes	No	NA
Was	te and Hazardous Material Handling			
20.	Has the Owner and/or Operator or designated representative been assigned to implement the spill prevention avoidance and response approach?	Yes	No	NA
21.	Are there appropriate materials to control spills onsite? If yes, where?	Yes	No	NA

#### Items that need to be addressed prior to completion of Qualified Inspector's Certification

1. 2. 3. 4. 5.

6.

#### **Qualified Inspector's Credentials and Certification**

I hereby certify that I meet the Qualified Inspector criteria set forth in the General Permit and that the appropriate erosion and sediment controls described in the SWPPP and as described this checklist have been adequately installed or implemented, ensuring the overall preparedness of this site for the commencement of construction.

Signature:		
Name (please print):		
Title:		_ Date:
Company Name:		
Address:		
Phone:		_ Email:
Inspector Qualifications:   PE	□ RLA □ CPESC	4-hour Contractor Training Completed Card Received: □ Yes □ No Expiration Date:

## E-2: CONSTRUCTION STABILIZATION SCHEDULE

General Project Information				
Project Name	Champlain Hudson Power Express Package 7A			
Project Location	Catskill County Greene			
SPDES Permit ID No.	NYSDEC Date of Authorization			

For portions of the site where soil disturbance activities have temporarily or permanently ceased, stabilization measures must be initiated by the contractor by the end of the next business day and completed within 14 calendar days from the date the current soil disturbance activity ceased. Stabilization must be completed within 7 calendar days if the site current disturbance 5 acres or greater.

When construction activity is precluded by snow cover, stabilization measures shall be initiated as soon as practical.

Contractors are responsible to provide a construction schedule for review and approval by the Owner/Operator:

Soil Disturbing Activities	Location	Anticipated Start Date	Anticipated Stabilization Date
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			
7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			

## E-3: CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

General Project Information					
Project Name	Champlain Hudson Power Express Package 7A				
Project Location	Catskill		County	Greene	
SPDES Permit ID No.		NYSDEC Date of Authorization			

Each Contractor/Subcontractor is required to complete this form and sign this certification statement prior to working onsite.

#### **Contractor Information**

Contracting F	<sup>-</sup> irm:	
Address:		
Phone (Office	e):	Job Site (Trailer):
Contacts:	1)	Mobile:
••••••		Mobile:
	3)	Mobile:

#### **Trained Contactor Responsibilities**

A Trained Individual is an employee that has received 4 hours of training approved by the NYSDEC, from a Soil and Water Conservation District, from CPESC, Inc., or from another NYSDEC-endorsed entity providing training in proper erosion and sediment control principles. Training must be completed prior to the date that this project commences (prior to project mobilization). After receiving the initial training, the individual shall receive 4 hours of NYSDEC-approved training every 3 years.

Names of Trained Individuals from the Contractor's company that will be responsible for implementing the SWPPP:

Name:		Title:
Measures Responsible for:	1)	
	2)	
	3)	
	4)	

Name:		Title:	
Measures Responsible for:	1)		
Name:		Title:	
Measures Responsible for:	1)		
	2)		
	3)		
	4)		

#### **Contractor's Certification**

I hereby certify under penalty of law that I understand and agree to comply with the terms and conditions of the SWPPP and agree to implement any corrective actions identified by the Qualified Inspector during a site inspection. I also understand that the Owner and/or Operator must comply with the terms and conditions of the New York State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) general permit for stormwater discharges from construction activities, and it is unlawful for any person to cause, or contribute to, a violation of water quality standards.

Furthermore, I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, that I do not believe to be true, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

I also certify that I have received a copy of the SWPPP and will retain a copy of such SWPPP onsite during construction.

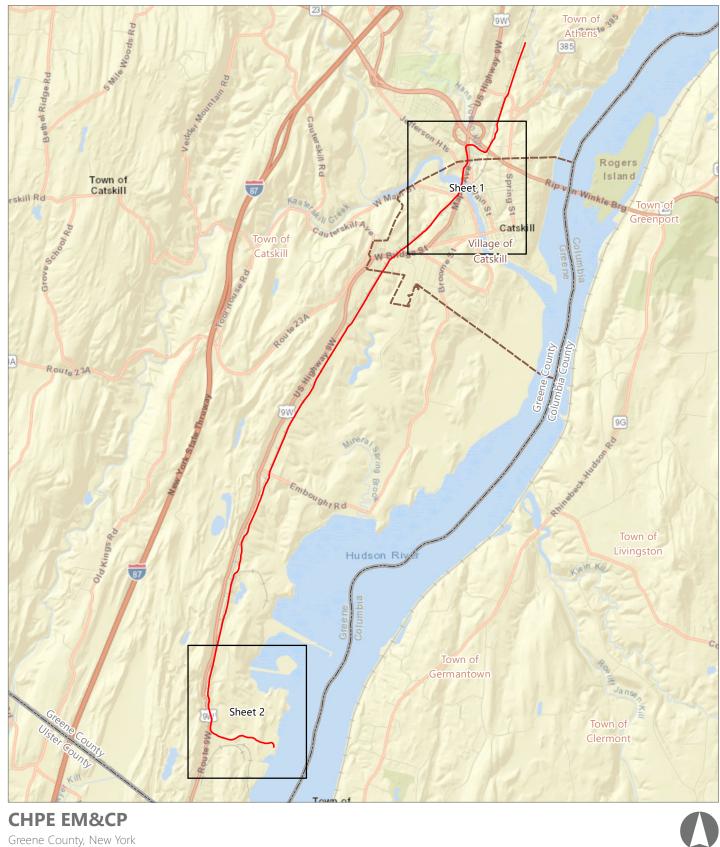
#### Signature of President, Vice President, or Treasurer DSF

Signature:	Date:
Print Name:	Title:
Signature of Responsible Onsite Individual (Must Meet Requirements	s of Trained Contractor)
Signature:	Date:
Print Name:	Title:

Appendix G FEMA FIRMs

## FEMA Flood Hazard Areas - Package 7A

#### Sheet Index



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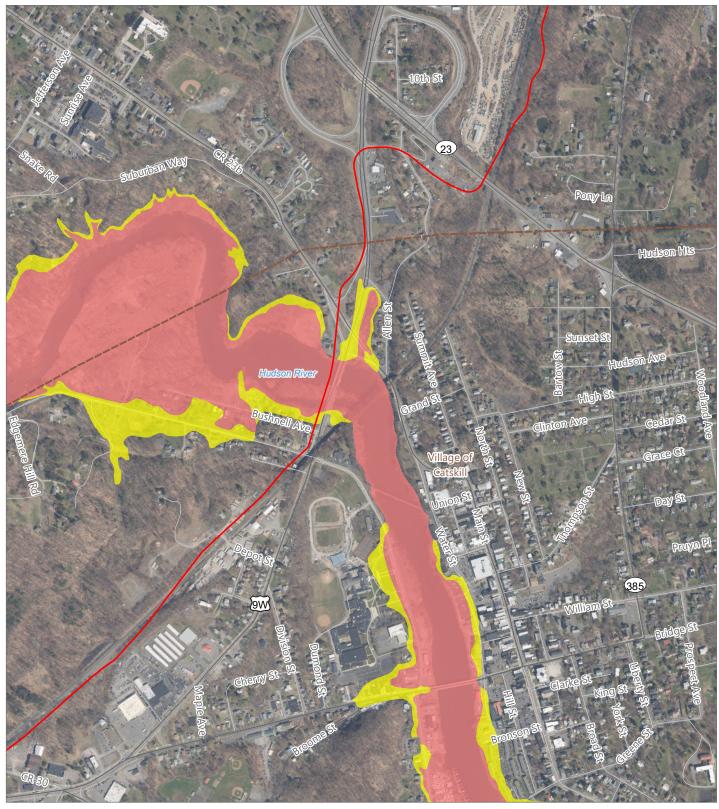
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0 0.25 0.5 1 Mile



# FEMA Flood Hazard Areas - Package 7A

#### Sheet 1 of 2



**CHPE EM&CP** Greene County, New York

SWPPP Report

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FEMA 100-Year Flood Hazard Area FEMA 500-Year Flood Hazard Area Package 7A



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# FEMA Flood Hazard Areas - Package 7A



Greene County, New York

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FEMA 100-Year Flood Hazard Area FEMA 500-Year Flood Hazard Area Package 7A 0 250 500 1,000 Feet

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# NOI for coverage under Stormwater General Permit for Construction Activity

version 1.35

(Submission #: HPH-D71D-BBYTT, version 1)

# **Details**

Originally Started By EDR Engineering	
Alternate Identifier	Champlain Hudson Power Express Segment 11 (Package 7A)
Submission ID	HPH-D71D-BBYTT
Submission Reason	New
Status	Draft

# **Form Input**

## **Owner/Operator Information**

Owner/Operator Name (Company/Private Owner/Municipality/Agency/Institution, etc.) Transmission Developers, Inc.

Owner/Operator Contact Person Last Name (NOT CONSULTANT) Kafi

**Owner/Operator Contact Person First Name** Ayokunle "Kunle"

**Owner/Operator Mailing Address** 1301 Avenue of the Americas, 26th Floor

City New York City

State New York **Zip** 10019

Phone (347) 920-6550

Email Ayokunle.Kafi@transmissiondevelopers.com

Federal Tax ID NONE PROVIDED

## **Project Location**

**Project/Site Name** Champlain Hudson Power Express Segment 11 (Package 7A)

Street Address (Not P.O. Box) Route 9W, Route 23

Side of Street

City/Town/Village (THAT ISSUES BUILDING PERMIT) Catskill

**State** NY

**Zip** 12414

**DEC Region** 4

County GREENE

Name of Nearest Cross Street NONE PROVIDED

Distance to Nearest Cross Street (Feet) NONE PROVIDED

Project In Relation to Cross Street NONE PROVIDED

Tax Map Numbers Section-Block-Parcel NONE PROVIDED

### Tax Map Numbers NONE PROVIDED

## 1. Coordinates

Provide the Geographic Coordinates for the project site. The two methods are:

- Navigate to the project location on the map (below) and click to place a marker and obtain the XY coordinates.

- The "Find Me" button will provide the lat/long for the person filling out this form. Then pan the map to the correct location and click the map to place a marker and obtain the XY coordinates.

Navigate to your location and click on the map to get the X,Y coordinates 42.247522,-73.857986

## **Project Details**

### 2. What is the nature of this project?

Redevelopment with no increase in impervious area

3. Select the predominant land use for both pre and post development conditions.

**Pre-Development Existing Landuse** Linear Utility

## Post-Development Future Land Use

Linear Utility (wqter/sewer/gas, etc.)

# **3a. If Single Family Subdivision was selected in question 3, enter the number of subdivision lots.** NONE PROVIDED

4. In accordance with the larger common plan of development or sale, enter the total project site acreage, the acreage to be disturbed and the future impervious area (acreage)within the disturbed area.

\*\*\* ROUND TO THE NEAREST TENTH OF AN ACRE. \*\*\*

**Total Site Area (acres)** 10.4

**Total Area to be Disturbed (acres)** 10.4

**Existing Impervious Area to be Disturbed (acres)** 4.6

# **Future Impervious Area Within Disturbed Area (acres)** 4.6

# 5. Do you plan to disturb more than 5 acres of soil at any one time? No

6. Indicate the percentage (%) of each Hydrologic Soil Group(HSG) at the site.

**A (%)** 17 **B (%)** 0

**C (%)** 0

**D (%)** 82.1

7. Is this a phased project?

Yes

8. Enter the planned start and end dates of the disturbance activities.

## Start Date

06/01/2023

## End Date

06/01/2025

# 9. Identify the nearest surface waterbody(ies) to which construction site runoff will discharge.

Hans Vosen Kill, Catskill Creek, Hudson River

## 9a. Type of waterbody identified in question 9?

Wetland/State Jurisdiction On Site (Answer 9b) Wetland/State Jurisdiction Off Site Wetland/Federal Jurisdiction On Site (Answer 9b) Wetland/Federal Jurisdiction Off Site Stream/Creek On Site Stream/Creek Off Site River On Site River Off Site

### Other Waterbody Type Off Site Description NONE PROVIDED

**9b. If "wetland" was selected in 9A, how was the wetland identified?** Delineated by Consultant

10. Has the surface waterbody(ies in question 9 been identified as a 303(d) segment in Appendix E of GP-0-20-001? No

11. Is this project located in one of the Watersheds identified in Appendix C of GP-0-20-001?

12. Is the project located in one of the watershed areas associated with AA and AA-S classified waters? No

If No, skip question 13.

13. Does this construction activity disturb land with no existing impervious cover and where the Soil Slope Phase is identified as D (provided the map unit name is inclusive of slopes greater than 25%), E or F on the USDA Soil Survey? NONE PROVIDED

If Yes, what is the acreage to be disturbed? NONE PROVIDED

14. Will the project disturb soils within a State regulated wetland or the protected 100 foot adjacent area? Yes

15. Does the site runoff enter a separate storm sewer system (including roadside drains, swales, ditches, culverts, etc)? No

16. What is the name of the municipality/entity that owns the separate storm sewer system? NONE PROVIDED

**17. Does any runoff from the site enter a sewer classified as a Combined Sewer?** No

18. Will future use of this site be an agricultural property as defined by the NYS Agriculture and Markets Law? No

**19.** Is this property owned by a state authority, state agency, federal government or local government? Yes

20. Is this a remediation project being done under a Department approved work plan? (i.e. CERCLA, RCRA, Voluntary Cleanup Agreement, etc.) No

## **Required SWPPP Components**

21. Has the required Erosion and Sediment Control component of the SWPPP been developed in conformance with the current NYS Standards and Specifications for Erosion and Sediment Control (aka Blue Book)? Yes

22. Does this construction activity require the development of a SWPPP that includes the post-construction stormwater management practice component (i.e. Runoff Reduction, Water Quality and Quantity Control practices/techniques)? No

If you answered No in question 22, skip question 23 and the Post-construction Criteria and Post-construction SMP Identification sections.

23. Has the post-construction stormwater management practice component of the SWPPP been developed in conformance with the current NYS Stormwater Management Design Manual? NONE PROVIDED

**24. The Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) was prepared by:** Professional Engineer (P.E.)

**SWPPP Preparer** KC Engineering and Land Surveying P.C.

# Contact Name (Last, Space, First)

Llorente, Julian

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# State

**Zip** 10001-3974

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NONE PROVIDED Comment NONE PROVIDED

# **Erosion & Sediment Control Criteria**

25. Has a construction sequence schedule for the planned management practices been prepared?

Yes

26. Select all of the erosion and sediment control practices that will be employed on the project site:

### **Temporary Structural**

Check Dams Construction Road Stabilization Dust Control Silt Fence Stabilized Construction Entrance Storm Drain Inlet Protection Temporary Stormdrain Diversion Temporary Access Waterway Crossing Water Bars

## Biotechnical

None

### **Vegetative Measures**

Mulching Protecting Vegetation Seeding Topsoiling Temporary Swale

## Permanent Structural

None

**Other** Compost Filter Sock, Wetland Protection Fence, Concrete Washouts

## **Post-Construction Criteria**

\* IMPORTANT: Completion of Questions 27-39 is not required if response to Question 22 is No.

**27.** Identify all site planning practices that were used to prepare the final site plan/layout for the project. NONE PROVIDED

27a. Indicate which of the following soil restoration criteria was used to address the requirements in Section 5.1.6("Soil Restoration") of the Design Manual (2010 version). NONE PROVIDED

28. Provide the total Water Quality Volume (WQv) required for this project (based on final site plan/layout). (Acre-feet) NONE PROVIDED

### 29. Post-construction SMP Identification

Use the Post-construction SMP Identification section to identify the RR techniques (Area Reduction), RR techniques(Volume Reduction) and Standard SMPs with RRv Capacity that were used to reduce the Total WQv Required (#28).

Identify the SMPs to be used by providing the total impervious area that contributes runoff to each technique/practice selected. For the Area Reduction Techniques, provide the total contributing area (includes pervious area) and, if applicable, the total impervious area that contributes runoff to the technique/practice.

Note: Redevelopment projects shall use the Post-Construction SMP Identification section to identify the SMPs used to treat and/or reduce the WQv required. If runoff reduction techniques will not be used to reduce the required WQv, skip to question 33a after identifying the SMPs.

**30. Indicate the Total RRv provided by the RR techniques (Area/Volume Reduction) and Standard SMPs with RRv capacity identified in question 29. (acre-feet)** NONE PROVIDED

**31. Is the Total RRv provided (#30) greater than or equal to the total WQv required (#28)?** NONE PROVIDED

If Yes, go to question 36. If No, go to question 32.

32. Provide the Minimum RRv required based on HSG. [Minimum RRv Required = (P) (0.95) (Ai) / 12, Ai=(s) (Aic)] (acre-feet) NONE PROVIDED

#### 32a. Is the Total RRv provided (#30) greater than or equal to the Minimum RRv Required (#32)? NONE PROVIDED

#### If Yes, go to question 33.

Note: Use the space provided in question #39 to summarize the specific site limitations and justification for not reducing 100% of WQv required (#28). A detailed evaluation of the specific site limitations and justification for not reducing 100% of the WQv required (#28) must also be included in the SWPPP.

If No, sizing criteria has not been met; therefore, NOI can not be processed. SWPPP preparer must modify design to meet sizing criteria.

#### 33. SMPs

Use the Post-construction SMP Identification section to identify the Standard SMPs and, if applicable, the Alternative SMPs to be used to treat the remaining total WQv (=Total WQv Required in #28 - Total RRv Provided in #30).

Also, provide the total impervious area that contributes runoff to each practice selected.

NOTE: Use the Post-construction SMP Identification section to identify the SMPs used on Redevelopment projects.

# 33a. Indicate the Total WQv provided (i.e. WQv treated) by the SMPs identified in question #33 and Standard SMPs with RRv Capacity identified in question #29. (acre-feet) NONE PROVIDED

Note: For the standard SMPs with RRv capacity, the WQv provided by each practice = the WQv calculated using the contributing drainage area to the practice - provided by the practice. (See Table 3.5 in Design Manual)

**34. Provide the sum of the Total RRv provided (#30) and the WQv provided (#33a).** NONE PROVIDED

## 35. Is the sum of the RRv provided (#30) and the WQv provided (#33a) greater than or equal to the total WQv required (#28)? NONE PROVIDED

If Yes, go to question 36.

If No, sizing criteria has not been met; therefore, NOI can not be processed. SWPPP preparer must modify design to meet sizing criteria.

# 36. Provide the total Channel Protection Storage Volume (CPv required and provided or select waiver (#36a), if applicable.

CPv Required (acre-feet) NONE PROVIDED CPv Provided (acre-feet) NONE PROVIDED

**36a. The need to provide channel protection has been waived because:** NONE PROVIDED

37. Provide the Overbank Flood (Qp) and Extreme Flood (Qf) control criteria or select waiver (#37a), if applicable.

**Overbank Flood Control Criteria (Qp)** 

Pre-Development (CFS) NONE PROVIDED

Post-Development (CFS) NONE PROVIDED

**Total Extreme Flood Control Criteria (Qf)** 

Pre-Development (CFS) NONE PROVIDED

Post-Development (CFS) NONE PROVIDED

**37a. The need to meet the Qp and Qf criteria has been waived because:** NONE PROVIDED

**38. Has a long term Operation and Maintenance Plan for the post-construction stormwater management practice(s) been developed?** NONE PROVIDED

If Yes, Identify the entity responsible for the long term Operation and Maintenance NONE PROVIDED

**39**. Use this space to summarize the specific site limitations and justification for not reducing 100% of WQv required (#28). (See question #32a) This space can also be used for other pertinent project information. NONE PROVIDED

## Post-Construction SMP Identification

# Runoff Reduction (RR) Techniques, Standard Stormwater Management Practices (SMPs) and Alternative SMPs

Identify the Post-construction SMPs to be used by providing the total impervious area that contributes runoff to each technique/practice selected. For the Area Reduction Techniques, provide the total contributing area (includes pervious area) and, if applicable, the total impervious area that contributes runoff to the technique/practice.

### **RR Techniques (Area Reduction)**

Round to the nearest tenth

**Total Contributing Acres for Conservation of Natural Area (RR-1)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Conservation of Natural Area (RR-1)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Acres for Sheetflow to Riparian Buffers/Filter Strips (RR-2)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Sheetflow to Riparian Buffers/Filter Strips** (RR-2) NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Acres for Tree Planting/Tree Pit (RR-3)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Tree Planting/Tree Pit (RR-3)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Acres for Disconnection of Rooftop Runoff (RR-4)** NONE PROVIDED

**RR Techniques (Volume Reduction)** 

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Disconnection of Rooftop Runoff (RR-4)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Vegetated Swale (RR-5)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Rain Garden (RR-6)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Stormwater Planter (RR-7)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Rain Barrel/Cistern (RR-8)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Porous Pavement (RR-9)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Green Roof (RR-10)** NONE PROVIDED

Standard SMPs with RRv Capacity

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Infiltration Trench (I-1)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Infiltration Basin (I-2)** NONE PROVIDED

Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Dry Well (I-3) NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Underground Infiltration System (I-4)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Bioretention (F-5)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Dry Swale (O-1)** NONE PROVIDED

#### Standard SMPs

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Micropool Extended Detention (P-1)** NONE PROVIDED

Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Wet Pond (P-2) NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Wet Extended Detention (P-3)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Multiple Pond System (P-4)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Pocket Pond (P-5)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Surface Sand Filter (F-1)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Underground Sand Filter (F-2)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Perimeter Sand Filter (F-3)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Organic Filter (F-4)** NONE PROVIDED **Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Shallow Wetland (W-1)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Extended Detention Wetland (W-2)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Pond/Wetland System (W-3)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Pocket Wetland (W-4)** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Acres for Wet Swale (O-2)** NONE PROVIDED

Alternative SMPs (DO NOT INCLUDE PRACTICES BEING USED FOR PRETREATMENT ONLY)

**Total Contributing Impervious Area for Hydrodynamic** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Area for Wet Vault** NONE PROVIDED

**Total Contributing Impervious Area for Media Filter** NONE PROVIDED

"Other" Alternative SMP? NONE PROVIDED

Total Contributing Impervious Area for "Other" NONE PROVIDED

Provide the name and manufaturer of the alternative SMPs (i.e. proprietary practice(s)) being used for WQv treatment.

Note: Redevelopment projects which do not use RR techniques, shall use questions 28, 29, 33 and 33a to provide SMPs used, total WQv required and total WQv provided for the project.

Manufacturer of Alternative SMP NONE PROVIDED

Name of Alternative SMP NONE PROVIDED

**Other Permits** 

# 40. Identify other DEC permits, existing and new, that are required for this project/facility.

Freshwater Wetlands/Article 24 Water Quality Certificate Stream Bed or Bank Protection/Article 15 Navigable Waters Protection/Article 15

If SPDES Multi-Sector GP, then give permit ID NONE PROVIDED

## If Other, then identify

NONE PROVIDED

**41. Does this project require a US Army Corps of Engineers Wetland Permit?** Yes

If "Yes," then indicate Size of Impact, in acres, to the nearest tenth 0.0

42. If this NOI is being submitted for the purpose of continuing or transferring coverage under a general permit for stormwater runoff from construction activities, please indicate the former SPDES number assigned. NONE PROVIDED

## MS4 SWPPP Acceptance

43. Is this project subject to the requirements of a regulated, traditional land use control MS4?

No

If No, skip question 44

44. Has the "MS4 SWPPP Acceptance" form been signed by the principal executive officer or ranking elected official and submitted along with this NOI? NONE PROVIDED

**MS4 SWPPP Acceptance Form Download** Download form from the link below. Complete, sign, and upload. <u>MS4 SWPPP Acceptance Form</u>

### MS4 Acceptance Form Upload

NONE PROVIDED Comment NONE PROVIDED

## **Owner/Operator Certification**

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NONE PROVIDED Comment NONE PROVIDED



Department of Environmental Conservation

# SWPPP Preparer Certification Form

SPDES General Permit for Stormwater Discharges From Construction Activity (GP-0-20-001)

Project Site Information Project/Site Name

## **Owner/Operator Information**

Owner/Operator (Company Name/Private Owner/Municipality Name)

## **Certification Statement – SWPPP Preparer**

I hereby certify that the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for this project has been prepared in accordance with the terms and conditions of the GP-0-20-001. Furthermore, I understand that certifying false, incorrect or inaccurate information is a violation of this permit and the laws of the State of New York and could subject me to criminal, civil and/or administrative proceedings.

First name

MI Last Name

Signature

Date



Department of Environmental Conservation

## **Owner/Operator Certification Form**

SPDES General Permit For Stormwater Discharges From Construction Activity (GP-0-20-001)

Project/Site Name:			
eNOI Submission Number:			
eNOI Submitted by:	Owner/Operator	SWPPP Preparer	Other

## **Certification Statement - Owner/Operator**

I have read or been advised of the permit conditions and believe that I understand them. I also understand that, under the terms of the permit, there may be reporting requirements. I hereby certify that this document and the corresponding documents were prepared under my direction or supervision. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations. I further understand that coverage under the general permit will be identified in the acknowledgment that I will receive as a result of submitting this NOI and can be as long as sixty (60) business days as provided for in the general permit. I also understand that, by submitting this NOI, I am acknowledging that the SWPPP has been developed and will be implemented as the first element of construction, and agreeing to comply with all the terms and conditions of the general permit for which this NOI is being submitted.

**Owner/Operator First Name** 

M.I. Last Name

Signature

Date

Appendix I

Notice of Termination

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Division of Water 625 Broadway, 4th Floor Albany, New York 12233-3505 *(NOTE: Submit completed form to address above)* NOTICE OF TERMINATION for Storm Water Discharges Authorized under the SPDES General Permit for Construction Activity				
Please indicate your permit identification number: NY	R			
I. Owner or Operator Information				
1. Owner/Operator Name:				
2. Street Address:				
3. City/State/Zip:				
4. Contact Person:	4a.Telephone:			
4b. Contact Person E-Mail:				
II. Project Site Information				
5. Project/Site Name:				
6. Street Address:				
7. City/Zip:				
8. County:				
III. Reason for Termination				
9a. □ All disturbed areas have achieved final stabilization in accord SWPPP. <b>*Date final stabilization completed</b> (month/year):	ordance with the general permit and			
9b. □ Permit coverage has been transferred to new owner/opera permit identification number: NYR				
9c. □ Other (Explain on Page 2)				
IV. Final Site Information:				
10a. Did this construction activity require the development of a S stormwater management practices? □ yes □ no ( If no	SWPPP that includes post-construction , go to question 10f.)			
10b. Have all post-construction stormwater management practic constructed? □ yes □ no (If no, explain on Page 2)				
10c. Identify the entity responsible for long-term operation and m	naintenance of practice(s)?			

# **NOTICE OF TERMINATION** for Storm Water Discharges Authorized under the SPDES General Permit for Construction Activity - continued

10d. Has the entity responsible for long-term operation and maintenance been given a copy of the operation and maintenance plan required by the general permit? □ yes □ no

10e. Indicate the method used to ensure long-term operation and maintenance of the post-construction stormwater management practice(s):

□ Post-construction stormwater management practice(s) and any right-of-way(s) needed to maintain practice(s) have been deeded to the municipality.

Executed maintenance agreement is in place with the municipality that will maintain the post-construction stormwater management practice(s).

□ For post-construction stormwater management practices that are privately owned, a mechanism is in place that requires operation and maintenance of the practice(s) in accordance with the operation and maintenance plan, such as a deed covenant in the owner or operator's deed of record.

□ For post-construction stormwater management practices that are owned by a public or private institution (e.g. school, university or hospital), government agency or authority, or public utility; policy and procedures are in place that ensures operation and maintenance of the practice(s) in accordance with the operation and maintenance plan.

10f. Provide the total area of impervious surface (i.e. roof, pavement, concrete, gravel, etc.) constructed within the disturbance area?

(acres)

11. Is this project subject to the requirements of a regulated, traditional land use control MS4?  $\hfill\square$  yes  $\hfill\square$  no

(If Yes, complete section VI - "MS4 Acceptance" statement

#### V. Additional Information/Explanation: (Use this section to answer questions 9c. and 10b., if applicable)

VI. MS4 Acceptance - MS4 Official (principal executive officer or ranking elected official) or Duly Authorized Representative (Note: Not required when 9b. is checked -transfer of coverage)

I have determined that it is acceptable for the owner or operator of the construction project identified in question 5 to submit the Notice of Termination at this time.

Printed Name:

Title/Position:

Signature:

Date:

## **NOTICE OF TERMINATION** for Storm Water Discharges Authorized under the SPDES General Permit for Construction Activity - continued

VII. Qualified Inspector Certification - Final Stabilization:
 I hereby certify that all disturbed areas have achieved final stabilization as defined in the current version of the general permit, and that all temporary, structural erosion and sediment control measures have been removed. Furthermore, I understand that certifying false, incorrect or inaccurate information is a violation of the referenced permit and the laws of the State of New York and could subject me to criminal, civil and/or administrative proceedings.
 Printed Name:

Title/Position:

Signature:

Date:

Date:

#### VIII. Qualified Inspector Certification - Post-construction Stormwater Management Practice(s):

I hereby certify that all post-construction stormwater management practices have been constructed in conformance with the SWPPP. Furthermore, I understand that certifying false, incorrect or inaccurate information is a violation of the referenced permit and the laws of the State of New York and could subject me to criminal, civil and/or administrative proceedings.

Printed Name:

Title/Position:

Signature:

#### IX. Owner or Operator Certification

I hereby certify that this document was prepared by me or under my direction or supervision. My determination, based upon my inquiry of the person(s) who managed the construction activity, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, is that the information provided in this document is true, accurate and complete. Furthermore, I understand that certifying false, incorrect or inaccurate information is a violation of the referenced permit and the laws of the State of New York and could subject me to criminal, civil and/or administrative proceedings.

Printed Name:

Title/Position:

Signature:

Date:

(NYS DEC Notice of Termination - January 2015)

Appendix J SWPPP Inspection Form

Stormwater Co	nstruction Site Insp	<u>pection Report</u>	Report #
	Gene	eral Information	
Project Name	Champlain Hudson Po	ower Express	
SPDES Permit I.D.			
No.			
Date of Inspection		Project	Catskill
		Location	Calskii
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Name(s)		Title(s)	
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Are there any disch			
Describe the condit	ion of all points of discl	harge to natural surface wate	ers and all point of
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property boundarie	s, which receive runoff	from disturbed areas (specifi	cally note if sediment is
present):			
	contation Compliance		
	nentation Compliance tent (NOI) been filed with I	NVSDEC and the NOI	□Yes □No
	it form been received?	NYSDEC and the NOI	
2. Is the SWPPP on			□Yes □No
	ntation onsite and current		□Yes □No
		nce > 5 Acres being followed?	
	5	5	□N/A
	nedule being followed?		□Yes □No
4. Is the Project Scl	<u> </u>		
4. Is the Project Scl	sions?		□Yes □No □Yes □No
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				Company, and
				Responsible Person
Dist	turbance			1
1.	Are construction limits and	□Yes	□Yes	
	important resource areas	□No	□No	
	clearly flagged or fenced?	□N/A		
2.	Are areas outside the	□Yes		
	construction limits undergoing	□No		
	disturbance?			
3.	If yes, explain Has any single area > 5 Acres	□Yes	□Yes	
5.	been disturbed?	⊡Yes □No	□Yes	
4.				
4.	Are clearing and grubbing operations minimized to the	⊡ res □No	□Yes	
	smallest practicable area?	⊡N/A		
5.	Has clean stormwater runoff		□Yes	
5.	been diverted around areas to	□No		
	be disturbed?	□N/A		
E&S	SC Practices	,	1	
6.	Were the sediment traps	□Yes	□Yes	
	installed prior to any land-	□No		
	disturbing activity?	□N/A		
7.	Are stabilized temporary	□Yes	□Yes	
	construction entrances and	□No	□No	
	construction staging area(s) in	□N/A		
	place?			
8.	Have construction access roads	□Yes	□Yes	
	been properly stabilized?	□No	□No	
		□N/A		
9.	Is there evidence of sediment	□Yes	□Yes	
	being tracked onto the street?	□No	□No	
10.	Has silt fence been or other	□Yes	□Yes	
	perimeter sediment control	□No	□No	
	barriers been installed?	□N/A		
11.	Are storm drain inlets properly	□Yes	□Yes	
	protected?	□No	□No	
		□N/A		
12.	Are washout facilities for	□Yes	□Yes	
	concrete available and clearly	□No	□No	
17	marked?			
13.	Are temporary and/or	□Yes	□Yes	
	permanent check dams in place?	□No □N/A	□No	
14.	Are top soil and excess		□Yes	
14.	excavated material stored in	□res □No		
	stabilized stock piles?	□N/A		

4.5				
15.	Are dust control measures	□Yes	□Yes	
	being properly implemented?	□No	□No	
		□N/A		
16.	Were creek crossings installed	□Yes	□Yes	
	prior to any land-disturbing	□No	□No	
	activity?	□N/A		
Stat	oilization			
17.	Are all slopes not being actively	□Yes	□Yes	
	worked properly stabilized?	□No	□No	
		□N/A		
18.	Are soil slopes steeper than 1V:	□Yes	□Yes	
	3H undergoing surface	□No	□No	
	roughening/seed/mulch?	□N/A		
19.	Are disturbed areas stabilized	□Yes	□Yes	
	within 14 days?	□No	□No	
	,	□N/A		
20.	Is the site adequately stabilized	□Yes	□Yes	
	at this time?	□No	□No	
Oth	er Best Management Practices	5		
21.	Are vehicle and equipment	□Yes	□Yes	
<b>_</b>	fueling, clean-out, and	□No		
	maintenance areas free of	⊡N/A		
	spills, leaks, or any other			
	deleterious material?			
22.	Are materials that are potential	□Yes	□Yes	
	stormwater contaminants	□No		
	stored inside or under cover?	⊡N/A		
23.	Are appropriate materials to		□Yes	
20.	control spill located onsite?	□No		
	control spin located offsite:	⊡N/A		
24.	Are non-stormwater discharges	$\Box$ Yes	□Yes	
۲4.	(e.g., wash water, dewatering)	□res □No		
	properly controlled?	⊡N0 □N/A		
25.	Is trash/litter from work areas	□Yes		
	collected and placed in covered	□No		
	dumpsters?	□N/A		
26.	Are any practices listed in the	□Yes		
	SWPPP missing?	□No		
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Inspector's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Appendix K SWPPP Amendments

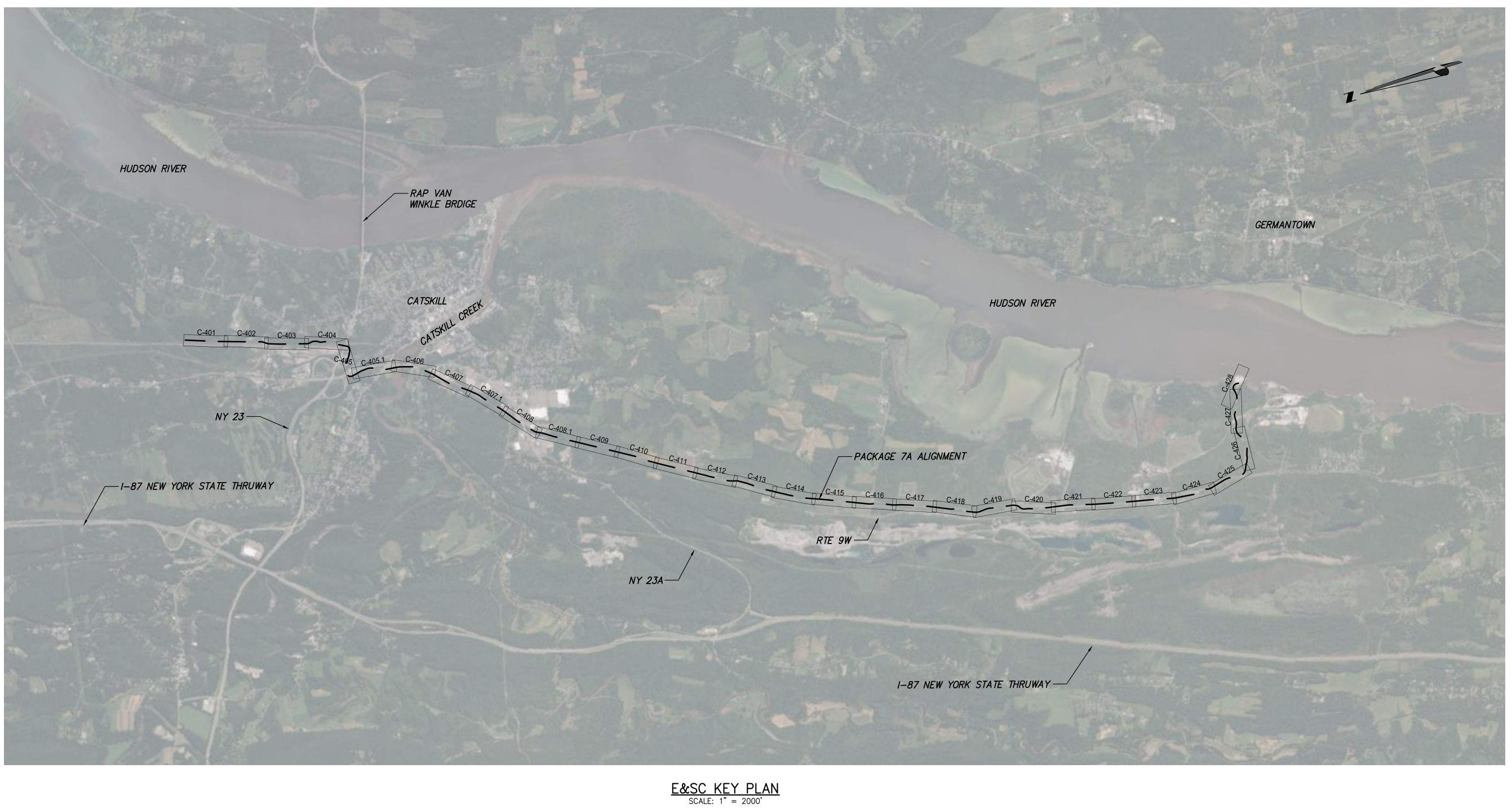
## SWPPP Amendments Memorandum

То:	Project No:
From:	
Date:	
Reference:	Champlain Hudson Power Express – SWPPP Amendments Memorandum
Memo Contents:	

As of \_\_\_\_\_\_ no amendments have been made to this SWPPP document. Should the SWPPP require amendment to document, these changes will be documented here.

Copies To: Town / Village Engineer Project Manager Appendix L

Erosion and Sediment Control (E&SC) Plans and Details



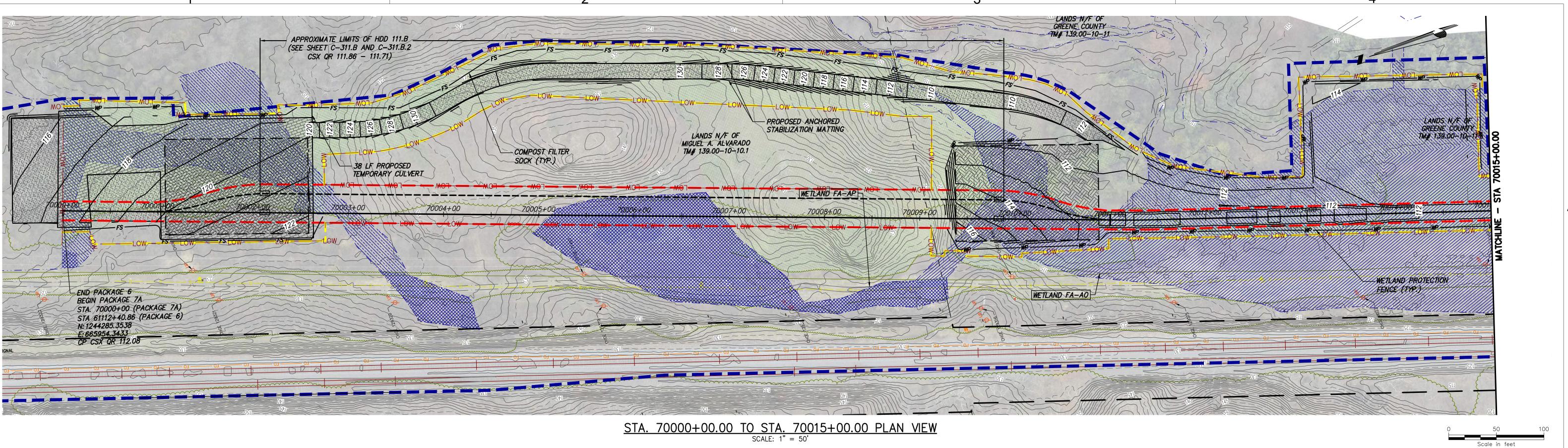




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		C	C 04/29/2022	60% DESIGN SUBMISSION	RB	JL	
		E	B 03/22/2022	PRELIMINARY DESIGN DEVELOPMENT	BV	TK	
		A	A 02/14/2022	PRELIMINARY PROGRESS	BV	TK	
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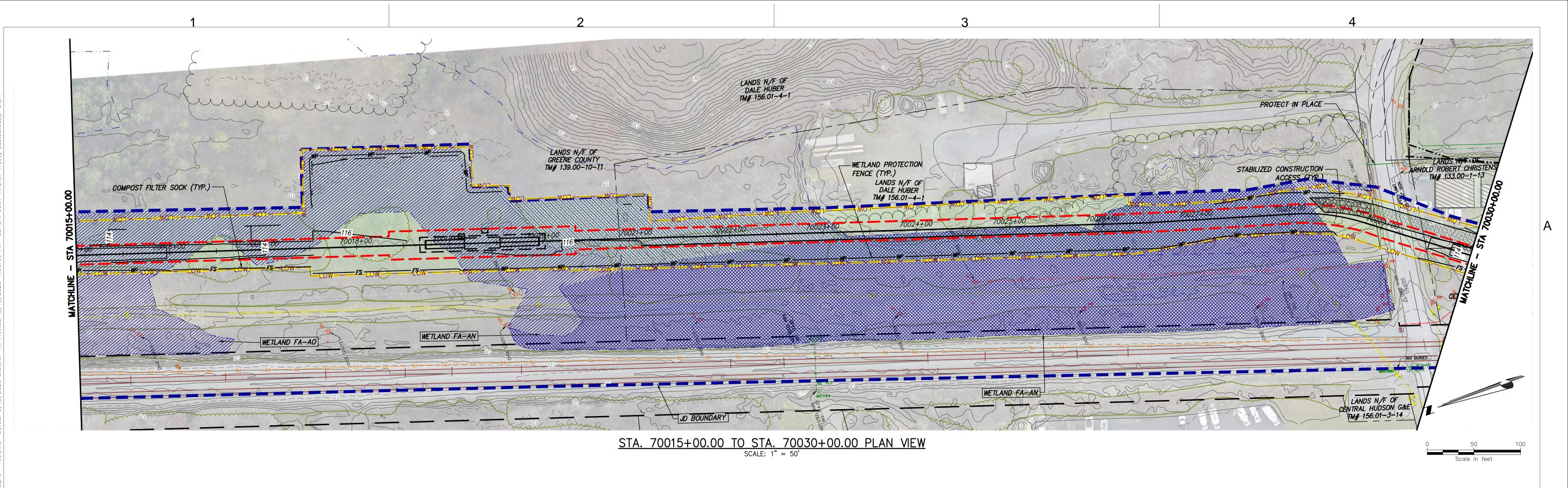




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