

# ***PART III: ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FORM (EAF)/SEQR***

## **Project Information**

**Application No \_\_\_\_\_**

### **NOTICE TO APPLICANT:**

*Please complete this entire project data sheet. Answers to these questions will be considered a part of your application for funding or approval and may be subject to further verification and public review. Provide any additional information you believe will be needed by the reviewing agency in order for it to make a determination on the environmental impact of the project.*

*It is expected that completion of this EAF will be dependent on information currently available and will not involve new studies, research, or investigation. If information requiring such additional work is unavailable, indicate and specify each instance.*

Name of Project: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Owner (if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address of Owner : \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State and Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Business phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Description of Project:** *(Briefly describe type of project or action):*

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Have you previously compiled with SEQRA in connection with any other needed approval for this project: Yes No

If your answer is "Yes", it may not be necessary for you to complete this EAF. Please contact the current reviewing agency and provide it with all the SEQRA compliance documents which have already been prepared.

If you answered "No", please continue with this application.

### A. SITE DESCRIPTION

*(Physical setting of overall project, both developed and underdeveloped areas)*

1. General character of the Land: Generally uniform slope \_\_\_\_\_  
Generally uneven and rolling or irregular \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Present land use:

Urban		Industrial	
Commercial		Suburban	
Rural		Forest	
Agriculture		Other	

3. Total acreage of project area: \_\_\_\_\_ acres.

	<u>Present # of Acres</u>	<u>#Acres After Completion</u>
Meadow or brush land		
Forested		
Agricultural		
Wetland*		
Water Surface Area		
Unvegetated (rock, earth or fill)		
Roads, buildings and other paved surfaces		
Other (indicate type)		

- Freshwater or Tidal as per Articles 24, 25, of E.C.L.

4. Population: Population of city, town or village in which project is located (use census figures and most recent official estimate if population is estimated to have changed materially since census \_\_\_\_\_)

5. What is predominant soil type(s) on project side

(a) Are there bedrock outcroppings on project site:

Yes No

(b) What is depth to bedrock (in feet)

\_\_\_\_\_

7. Approximate percentage of proposed project site with slopes

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8.

Is project contiguous to, or does project contain or make provision for, a building on a site listed on the National Register of Historic Places or any historic building, structure, or site or prehistoric site that has been proposed by the Committee of Registers for consideration by the NYS Board on Historic Preservation for a recommendation to the Historic Officer for nomination for inclusion in said National Register

Yes No

9. What is the depth to the water table? (in feet)

\_\_\_\_\_

10. Do hunting or fishing opportunities presently exist in the project area

Yes No

11. Does the project site contain any species of plant or animal life that is identified as threatened or endangered?

Yes No

Identify each species and source of protection is known \_\_\_\_\_

12. Are there any unique or unusual land forms on the project site?

Yes No

Describe: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Is the project site presently used by the community or neighborhood as an open space or recreation area?

Yes No

14. Is the project located wholly or partially within or substantially contiguous to any publicly owned or operated parkland, recreation area or designated open space?

Yes No

15. Does the present site offer or include scenic views or vistas known to be important to the community?

Yes No

16. Streams within or contiguous to project area: (a) Name of stream and name of river to which it is a tributary: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Lakes, Ponds, Wetland areas within or contiguous to project area:

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Size \_\_\_\_\_ (acres)

18 Within a ¼ mile radius of the project, what is the dominant land use \_\_\_\_\_  
 Zoning classification \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sale of development (e.g., 2 story) \_\_\_\_\_

19. Does the project occur wholly or partially within an “Agricultural District” certified pursuant to Article 25, Section 303 of the Agriculture and Markets Law? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

20. Does the project occur wholly or partially or substantially contiguous to any “Critical Environmental Area” designated by a local agency pursuant to Section 617.4 of the Regulations? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**B. PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

Physical dimensions and scale of project (*fill in dimensions where appropriate*) :

1. (a) Total contiguous acreage owned by project sponsor \_\_\_\_\_ Acres  
 (b) Project acreage developed: initially \_\_\_\_\_  
 (c) Project acreage developed: ultimately \_\_\_\_\_  
 (d) Project acreage to remain underdeveloped \_\_\_\_\_  
 (e) Length of project in miles (if appropriate) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (f) Total gross floor area of the project to be constructed (in square feet) \_\_\_\_\_

(g) If project is an expansion of an existing project, indicate percent of Expansion project: Building Square Footage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Developed Acreage \_\_\_\_\_

(h) Number of off-street parking spaces: Existing \_\_\_\_\_

(i) Estimate maximum vehicular trips generated per hour (upon completion of project) Proposed \_\_\_\_\_

(j) If residential: Number and type of housing units: Number  
 Initial One-Family \_\_\_\_\_

Two-Family \_\_\_\_\_

Multiple-family \_\_\_\_\_

Condominium \_\_\_\_\_

Ultimate One-Family \_\_\_\_\_

Two-Family \_\_\_\_\_

Multiple-family \_\_\_\_\_

Condominium \_\_\_\_\_

(k) If non-residential :

Orientation  
Neighborhood, City, Regional

Estimated  
Employment

Commercial \_\_\_\_\_

Industrial \_\_\_\_\_

(l) Total height of tallest proposed structure

(m) Does the project involve the acquisition, sale, lease or other transfer of 100 or more contiguous acres of land by a state or local agency

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
Feet

2. How much natural material (i.e., rock, earth, etc.) will be removed From the site?

\_\_\_\_\_ Cubic  
\_\_\_\_\_ Yards

3. How many acres of vegetation (trees, shrubs, ground covers) will be Removed from the site?

\_\_\_\_\_ Acres

4. Will any mature forest (over 100 years old) or other locally vegetation be removed By this project

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

5. Are there any plans for revegetation to replace what was removed during Construction

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

6. If single phase project, the anticipated period of construction (including Demolition.

\_\_\_\_\_ months

7. If multi-phased:

(a) Total number of phases anticipated

\_\_\_\_\_

(b) Anticipated date of commencement for Phase I:

Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Approximate completion date for final phase

Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Is Phase I financially dependent on subsequent phases

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

8. Will blasting occur during construction?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

9. Number of jobs generated

During construction

After project is complete

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

10. Number of jobs eliminated by this project \_\_\_\_\_
11. Will project require relocation of any projects or facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
If Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_
12. (a) Is surface or subsurface liquid waste disposal involved \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) If yes, indicate type of waste (sewage, industrial, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
(c) If surface disposal, name of stream into which effluent will be discharged \_\_\_\_\_
13. Will surface area of existing lakes, ponds, streams, bays or other surface waterways be increased or decreased by proposal? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
14. Is project or any portion of project located in the 100 year flood plain \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
15. (a) Does project involve disposal of solid waste? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) If yes, will an existing solid waste disposal facility be used? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
(c) If yes, give name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(d) Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
(e) Will any wastes not go into a sewage disposal system or into a sanitary Landfill \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
16. Will project use herbicides or pesticides? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
17. Will project routinely produce odors (more than one hour per day)? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
18. Will project produce operating noise exceeding the local ambient noise level? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
19. Will project result in an increase in energy use? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, indicate type(s): \_\_\_\_\_
20. What will be the source(s) of utilities supplied to the project:  
Water \_\_\_\_\_  
Electricity \_\_\_\_\_  
Gas \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_
21. If water supply is from wells, indicate pumping capacity: \_\_\_\_\_ Gallons per minute
22. Total anticipated water usage per day \_\_\_\_\_ Gallons/day
23. Zoning:  
(a) If the locality in which the project occurs subject to zoning ordinances? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
If Yes, list municipalities exercising said zoning power: \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) What is the dominant zoning classification of site? \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Current specific zoning classification of site

(d) Is proposed use consistent with present zoning? \_\_\_\_\_

Yes

No

(e) If not, indicate desired zoning \_\_\_\_\_

(f) Are zoning restrictions as to height in existence for the area in which the Project is located?

Yes

No

If yes, please describe:

### C. LIST OF OTHER INVOLVED AGENCIES

**Instructions:** *The SEQRA regulations provide that no EAF shall be considered complete unless it contains a list prepared by the applicant of all other involved agencies (e.g., agencies, other than the one to whom the current application will be made, which have jurisdiction by law to fund, approve or directly undertake a given action) which the applicant has been able to ascertain, exercising all due diligence. It should be emphasized that this list is of the utmost importance because it will serve as the basis upon which the reviewing agency will take a number of procedural steps to comply with SEQRA. For example, for certain actions the reviewing agency will have to notify all other involved agencies in order that a lead agency may be designated by agreement among them to make the determination as to whether the project will have a significant impact on the environment.*

*In order to identify other involved agencies, the applicant should first answer the questions below concerning approvals. Based upon the agencies you thereby identify, please draw up a list of other involved agencies. After due consideration, also list any other agencies that you believe may be involved although there were not identified in your answers to questions 1 through 3 below.*

*If you have not identified any other involved agencies in questions 1 through 3 below and if you believe that no agency other than the one to which this application will be submitted is involved, please so state.*

#### **Approvals:**

1. Is any federal permit required? \_\_\_\_\_

Yes

No

If yes, please indicate the nature of all such permits, the agency or other entity from whom they will issue and any other details which may be pertinent to the reviewing agency

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2. Does this project involve State or Federal funding or financing? \_\_\_\_\_

Yes

No

If yes, please indicate the nature of such funding, the proposed source and any other details which may be pertinent to the reviewing agency.

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3. Local and Regional approvals:

Approval

Required

	(Yes/No)	(Type)	Date Submitted	Dated Approved
City, Town, Village Board				
City, Town, Village Planning Board				
City, Town, Village Zoning Board				
City, County Health Dept				
Other local agencies				
Other regional agencies				

State Agencies				
Federal Agencies				

**D. INFORMATIONAL DETAILS**

Attach such additional information as may be needed in order for the reviewing agency to adequately assess the environmental impacts of your project. If there are or may be any adverse impacts associated with the proposal, please discuss such impacts and the measures which can be taken to mitigate or avoid them.

**E. SOURCES**

Please attach a list of any studies, reports, or other information upon which the answers to the above questions are based.

**F. MAP**

Please attach a map showing the project site and the surrounding area which will be helpful to the reviewing agency in assessing your project. (Examples: *United States Geological Service coverage or other topographical studies of the area*).

Preparer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Representing: \_\_\_\_\_

Qualifications: \_\_\_\_\_

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