

**BEACON HIP LOFTS**

**ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT FORM**

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**APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO:**

**SPECIAL USE PERMIT**

**By BEACON HIP LOFTS, LLC**

**For premises located at:**

**39 FRONT STREET  
BEACON, NY 12508**

**SUBMITTED TO:**

**CITY OF BEACON PLANNING BOARD**

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## **Development Plan Overview and Description**

### **Amendment to Site Plan Approval Application by Beacon HIP Lofts, LLC for Property Known Generally as 39 Front Street in the City of Beacon, Dutchess County, NY**

#### **Project Description**

This 8.74 acre site is located in the City of Beacon, NY and is further identified as tax parcel 6055-04-590165 (it is noted that there is an adjacent, mostly vacant parcel, that is tied to the project, and is identified as 6055-04-535128). This application is for an Amendment to the previously approved Special Use Permit for redevelopment of the parcel, collectively referred herein as “39 Front Street”, or “Beacon HIP Lofts”. The scope of work for the amendment to the project generally encompasses the following:

1. Eliminate proposed new construction of Building 9A. This building was a 4-story building with 24 live work lofts (16 one bedroom and 8 2 bedroom)
2. Eliminate the existing commercial laundry use consisting of Buildings 18, 24, and 25.
3. Eliminate the proposed artist studio use in Building 12. Retain the existing structure of Building 12 for use as a community garden amenity
4. Per the assessment of the structural engineer, demolish existing Building 16 (36 live work lofts (27 one bedroom and 9 two bedroom)
5. Rebuild Building 16 with 87 artist live work lofts. Note that the total number of lofts in the completed project will be 172 instead of the 143 originally approved by the current Special Use Permit. This is an addition of 29 artist live work lofts.
6. Extend existing Building 9 to add 2 live work lofts (one bedroom each)
7. Minor reconfiguration of parking and landscaping around the area of work
8. Note that the reconfiguration of parking, and the proposed revisions to the scope of work allows for all the required parking for this parcel to be provided on the parcel. The originally proposed land banked parking on the adjacent parcel is no longer required to satisfy parking requirements, and has been eliminated from the scope of work.

At the completion of the project, there will be a total of 172 live work apartments with a total of 196 bedrooms.

## **Zoning**

The entire site is located within the Light Industrial (LI) zoning district. Consequently, the development proposed and described herein is permitted as-of-right, subject to site plan approval, and an Amendment to the Special Use Permit is required for the proposed reconfiguration and addition of 29 more artist live/work units.

In addition, a height variance is required as follows: the maximum building height allowed is 35'. Building 4 (43'-2"), Building 10 (44'-9"), Building 11 (64'-9") and 16 (45'-3") are pre-existing, non-conforming heights.

A variance will be requested from the Zoning Board of Appeals for the height of the reconstructed building 16. The current height of Building 16 is 45'-3". The proposed height of Building 16 is 52'-6" to the main roof level, plus 13'-6" to the roof level of the set back 4<sup>th</sup> floor, for an overall roof height of 66'-0". Building 16 is set further back from the property line and the Fishkill Creek than the originally proposed 4 story Building 9A, which is no longer in the scope of work. The overall height is appropriate for the size and scale of this former factory building complex, especially with the setback 4<sup>th</sup> floor proposed for Building 16. Consolidating the lofts formerly scheduled for Building 4A with the newly constructed Building 16 creates additional open green space on the property and moves the previously approved 4 story building away from the Creek so it has less impact on views from inside and outside of the property.

For signage, the Applicant requested and secured the following signage variances from the ZBA:

- (1) To allow a building mounted sign to be mounted to the roof.
- (2) To allow a two-sided sign where a one-sided sign is allowed (the roof mounted sign).
- (3) To allow the roof mounted sign to exceed the allowable dimensions.

## **Phasing**

### **Phase 1 (Completed)**

- 1) Site demolition activities; (Complete)
- 2) All site work except for Building 4A and the northerly parking area – temporary gravel travel ways until asphalt paving can be installed; (Complete)
- 3) Completion of Building 9 renovations; (Complete)
- 4) Completion of Building 7 (Gym) renovations; (Complete)
- 5) Installation of site signage; and (Complete)
- 6) Initial site landscaping, stormwater management systems, water, sewer and all utilities necessary for redevelopment of the site. (Complete)

### **Phase 2 (Portions Completed)**

- 1) Completion of Building 11 renovation; (Complete)
- 2) Completion of roof on Building 16 (Eliminated)
- 3) Completion of roof on Building 12. (Eliminated)

### **Phase 3 (Subject of this Amendment)**

- 1) Completion of Building 16 renovation
- 2) Completion of Building 12 renovation (Eliminated)

### **Phase 4 (Eliminated)**

- 1) Completion of construction of Building 9A (Eliminated)

### **Phase 5**

- 1) Completion of construction of storage building addition; and
- 2) Final landscaping, parking, stormwater management systems, water, sewer and utilities necessary for redevelopment of the site.

The first phase of development was completed in 2013, according to the originally approved phasing schedule; and all remaining construction is expected to be completed by the end of 2019.

## **Storm Water**

As site disturbance will exceed 1-acre, a full Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) has been prepared and has obtained coverage under the NYSDEC SPDES General Permit GP-0-10-001. The proposed disturbance area requires quality and quantity control of the stormwater per New York State requirements along with erosion and sediment control measures. The site discharges to the Fishkill Creek which is designated as a fourth order stream. New York State stormwater regulations require quantity control for discharge into fourth order streams. Quantity control is usually mitigated by the integration of open water detention ponds, or underground storage piping.

New York State stormwater regulations encourage the use of green infrastructure practices such as bioretention areas, green roofs, rain gardens, cisterns and infiltration. Drainage calculations for the conveyance system and quality and quantity control facilities are included in the SWPPP. Design of hydrodynamic pretreatment devices, an underground site stormwater conveyance system and infiltration facilities are proposed. The design has been prepared in accordance with the New York State Stormwater Management Design Manual Chapter 9 which sets forth the technical standards and outlines the alternative approaches that may be implemented for stormwater management associated with redevelopment projects. The proposal results in the redevelopment of the site with a decrease of 0.04 acre of impervious area. In accordance with Chapter 9, water quality volume treatment is required for 25% of the existing impervious area plus 100% of the additional impervious area. In instances where alternative practices are proposed, said practices are to be sized to treat 75% of the water quality volume for the existing impervious areas. Alternative practices are identified in the Manual as proprietary practices such as hydrodynamic systems, wet vaults, media filters, and underground infiltration systems.

Water quality has been addressed by use of appropriately sized hydrodynamic pretreatment devices that discharge to infiltration basins. There are two infiltration basins proposed. On the northeast side of the site, a hydrodynamic pretreatment device discharges to an underground infiltration basin consisting of a series of stormwater chambers. This basin has been sized to infiltrate 100% of the water quality volume for its contributing drainage area. On the southwest side of the site, the hydrodynamic devices discharge to an above ground infiltration basin, which is a standard green infrastructure practice that has been designed to infiltrate 100% of the water quality volume for its contributing drainage area.

Water quantity has been addressed as detailed in the SWPPP. A predevelopment vs. post development hydrologic analysis has been prepared that demonstrates that the rate of post-development runoff to the Fishkill Creek generated from the site will not exceed pre-development rates for the various storm events that were analyzed.

## **Water Supply**

At full build-out, the project is expected to require 21,644 gallons of water per day (gpd). This is a reduction over the previously approved build-out flow of 25,624 gpd. It should be noted that current water bills have the laundry using 8,563 gpd, which much higher than the original

projected laundry flow of 1,856 gpd (580 gpd per machine), brings the original flows to 30,497 gpd (when using metered flow for the laundry and 110 gpd per bedroom). Though there are fifteen additional bedrooms proposed with the revised plan, there is far less commercial space and no Laundromat, which is the primary reason why the required water supply is less for this proposal.

Based on previous conversations with the City of Beacon Water Superintendent, the anticipated daily water demand is readily available. There is an internal looped water supply system that is connected to the City's municipal supply and will service the site. Existing service lines will be used wherever possible. Flow and pressure tests will be conducted on existing hydrants within the site to confirm adequate pressure is available for all uses.

### **Sewage Disposal**

At full build-out, the project is expected to generate 21,644 gallons of wastewater per day. This is again a reduction over the previous proposal for the reasons noted above. Based on previous conversations with the City of Beacon Sewer Superintendent, the City's existing sewer infrastructure and sewer treatment plant have sufficient capacity to handle the anticipated increase in daily sewage load. Some of the site's existing sewer infrastructure is old and is likely experience infiltration and inflow (I&I) problems. An attempt to confirm where problems are occurring will be completed by visual inspection and dye/smoke testing the lines.

The existing building's restrooms that will not be changed will be fitted with low-flow flush valves to meet current standards. The projected water usage and sewer flow calculations have accounted for this. All new constructed bathrooms will be supplied with water saving fixtures.

The following table provides estimated water usage/wastewater generation at full buildout of the project, according to the NYSDEC *Design Standards for Wastewater Treatment Works, 2014*.

Use	Flow Rate	Daily Water Generation Usage/Wastewater	*Adjusted Daily Water Usage/Wastewater Generation
<sup>1</sup> Residential (Live Work - 196 bedrooms)	110 gpd per bedroom	21,560 gpd	21,560 gpd
<sup>2</sup> Commercial Space (5 Employees)	15 gpd per employee/shift	75gpd	60gpd
<sup>3</sup> Self Storage Space (2 Employees)	15 gpd per employee/shift	30 gpd	24 gpd
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>21,644 gpd</b>



\*Per NYSDEC Design Standards for Wastewater Treatment Works 2014, hydraulic loading may be reduced by 20% for installations serviced by water saving fixtures, except for residential bedrooms where post 1994 fixture loading rate is used.

<sup>1</sup> – Includes Buildings 1,2, 3, 9, 9A, 10, 11 and 16

<sup>2</sup> – Includes Buildings 4, and 7 – One professional office with 3 employees and 2 workshops with 1 craftsman each.

<sup>3</sup> – Buildings 4, 4A, 19 and 20

### **Summary**

The redevelopment proposed under this application, as further described herein and in the attached Environmental Assessment forms and associated reports, would allow for the continued renaissance of Beacon's commercial and residential character. It is an appropriate and responsible project that allows for creative development within a previously developed site.

**Full Environmental Assessment Form**  
**Part 1 - Project and Setting**

**Instructions for Completing Part 1**

**Part 1 is to be completed by the applicant or project sponsor.** Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification.

Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information; indicate whether missing information does not exist, or is not reasonably available to the sponsor; and, when possible, generally describe work or studies which would be necessary to update or fully develop that information.

Applicants/sponsors must complete all items in Sections A & B. In Sections C, D & E, most items contain an initial question that must be answered either “Yes” or “No”. If the answer to the initial question is “Yes”, complete the sub-questions that follow. If the answer to the initial question is “No”, proceed to the next question. Section F allows the project sponsor to identify and attach any additional information. Section G requires the name and signature of the project sponsor to verify that the information contained in Part 1 is accurate and complete.

**A. Project and Sponsor Information.**

Name of Action or Project: Beacon HIP Lofts and Storage		
Project Location (describe, and attach a general location map): 39 Front Street, Beacon, NY, Dutchess County		
Brief Description of Proposed Action (include purpose or need): New construction, renovations and additions and to existing former light industrial site. Replace the majority of industrial/commercial spaces with artist live work residential. Expand existing self storage building. Landscaping and site work.		
Name of Applicant/Sponsor: Beacon Lofts & Storage, LLC	Telephone: (845) 639-7700	
	E-Mail:	
Address: 16 Squadron Boulevard		
City/PO: New City	State:	Zip Code:
Project Contact (if not same as sponsor; give name and title/role): Aryeh Siegel Architect	Telephone: 845-838-2490	
	E-Mail: ajs@ajsarch.com	
Address: 84 Mason Circle		
City/PO: Beacon	State: NY	Zip Code: 12508
Property Owner (if not same as sponsor): Same as Applicant	Telephone:	
	E-Mail:	
Address:		
City/PO:	State:	Zip Code:

## B. Government Approvals

**B. Government Approvals, Funding, or Sponsorship.** (“Funding” includes grants, loans, tax relief, and any other forms of financial assistance.)

Government Entity	If Yes: Identify Agency and Approval(s) Required	Application Date (Actual or projected)
a. City Council, Town Board, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No or Village Board of Trustees	City Council - Special Use Permit Amendment	July 25, 2017
b. City, Town or Village Planning Board or Commission <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Planning Board - Amended Site Plan Application	July 25, 2017
c. City Council, Town or Village Zoning Board of Appeals <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Zoning Board of Appeals - height variance	August 25, 2017
d. Other local agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
e. County agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
f. Regional agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
g. State agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
h. Federal agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
i. Coastal Resources. i. Is the project site within a Coastal Area, or the waterfront area of a Designated Inland Waterway? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  ii. Is the project site located in a community with an approved Local Waterfront Revitalization Program? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No iii. Is the project site within a Coastal Erosion Hazard Area? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		

## C. Planning and Zoning

### C.1. Planning and zoning actions.

Will administrative or legislative adoption, or amendment of a plan, local law, ordinance, rule or regulation be the only approval(s) which must be granted to enable the proposed action to proceed? ☐ Yes ☒ No

- If Yes, complete sections C, F and G.
- If No, proceed to question C.2 and complete all remaining sections and questions in Part 1

### C.2. Adopted land use plans.

a. Do any municipally- adopted (city, town, village or county) comprehensive land use plan(s) include the site where the proposed action would be located? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, does the comprehensive plan include specific recommendations for the site where the proposed action would be located? ☒ Yes ☐ No

b. Is the site of the proposed action within any local or regional special planning district (for example: Greenway Brownfield Opportunity Area (BOA); designated State or Federal heritage area; watershed management plan; or other?) ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, identify the plan(s):

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c. Is the proposed action located wholly or partially within an area listed in an adopted municipal open space plan, or an adopted municipal farmland protection plan? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, identify the plan(s):

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### C.3. Zoning

a. Is the site of the proposed action located in a municipality with an adopted zoning law or ordinance. ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes, what is the zoning classification(s) including any applicable overlay district?

LI - Light Industrial

b. Is the use permitted or allowed by a special or conditional use permit? ☒ Yes ☐ No

c. Is a zoning change requested as part of the proposed action? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes,

i. What is the proposed new zoning for the site? \_\_\_\_\_

### C.4. Existing community services.

a. In what school district is the project site located? Beacon City School District

b. What police or other public protection forces serve the project site?

City of Beacon

c. Which fire protection and emergency medical services serve the project site?

City of Beacon

d. What parks serve the project site?

Memorial Park

### D. Project Details

#### D.1. Proposed and Potential Development

a. What is the general nature of the proposed action (e.g., residential, industrial, commercial, recreational; if mixed, include all components)? Residential, commercial self-storage

b. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? 8.74 acres

b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? 1.32 acres

c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? 8.74 acres

c. Is the proposed action an expansion of an existing project or use? ☒ Yes ☐ No

i. If Yes, what is the approximate percentage of the proposed expansion and identify the units (e.g., acres, miles, housing units, square feet)? % \_\_\_\_\_ Units: 29

d. Is the proposed action a subdivision, or does it include a subdivision? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes,

i. Purpose or type of subdivision? (e.g., residential, industrial, commercial; if mixed, specify types)

ii. Is a cluster/conservation layout proposed? ☐ Yes ☐ No

iii. Number of lots proposed? \_\_\_\_\_

iv. Minimum and maximum proposed lot sizes? Minimum \_\_\_\_\_ Maximum \_\_\_\_\_

e. Will proposed action be constructed in multiple phases? ☒ Yes ☐ No

i. If No, anticipated period of construction: 36 months

ii. If Yes:

- Total number of phases anticipated 2
- Anticipated commencement date of phase 1 (including demolition) 04 month 2017 year
- Anticipated completion date of final phase 04 month 2020 year

• Generally describe connections or relationships among phases, including any contingencies where progress of one phase may determine timing or duration of future phases: \_\_\_\_\_

Building 16 to be completed by 12/2018. Self Storage to be completed by 04/2020

f. Does the project include new residential uses? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>				
If Yes, show numbers of units proposed.				
	<u>One Family</u>	<u>Two Family</u>	<u>Three Family</u>	<u>Multiple Family (four or more)</u>
Initial Phase	_____	_____	_____	85
At completion of all phases	_____	_____	_____	172

g. Does the proposed action include new non-residential construction (including expansions)? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
If Yes,	
i. Total number of structures <u>1</u>	
ii. Dimensions (in feet) of largest proposed structure: <u>35</u> height; <u>78'</u> width; and <u>132'</u> length	
iii. Approximate extent of building space to be heated or cooled: _____ square feet	

h. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that will result in the impoundment of any liquids, such as creation of a water supply, reservoir, pond, lake, waste lagoon or other storage? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
If Yes,	
i. Purpose of the impoundment: _____	
ii. If a water impoundment, the principal source of the water: <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Ground water <input type="checkbox"/> Surface water streams <input type="checkbox"/> Other specify: _____</span>	
iii. If other than water, identify the type of impounded/contained liquids and their source. _____	
iv. Approximate size of the proposed impoundment. Volume: _____ million gallons; surface area: _____ acres	
v. Dimensions of the proposed dam or impounding structure: _____ height; _____ length	
vi. Construction method/materials for the proposed dam or impounding structure (e.g., earth fill, rock, wood, concrete): _____	

**D.2. Project Operations**

a. Does the proposed action include any excavation, mining, or dredging, during construction, operations, or both? (Not including general site preparation, grading or installation of utilities or foundations where all excavated materials will remain onsite) <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
If Yes:	
i. What is the purpose of the excavation or dredging? _____	
ii. How much material (including rock, earth, sediments, etc.) is proposed to be removed from the site?	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Volume (specify tons or cubic yards): _____</li> <li>• Over what duration of time? _____</li> </ul>	
iii. Describe nature and characteristics of materials to be excavated or dredged, and plans to use, manage or dispose of them. _____	
iv. Will there be onsite dewatering or processing of excavated materials? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
If yes, describe. _____	
v. What is the total area to be dredged or excavated? _____ acres	
vi. What is the maximum area to be worked at any one time? _____ acres	
vii. What would be the maximum depth of excavation or dredging? _____ feet	
viii. Will the excavation require blasting? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
ix. Summarize site reclamation goals and plan: _____	
_____	
_____	

b. Would the proposed action cause or result in alteration of, increase or decrease in size of, or encroachment into any existing wetland, waterbody, shoreline, beach or adjacent area? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
If Yes:	
i. Identify the wetland or waterbody which would be affected (by name, water index number, wetland map number or geographic description): _____	
_____	

ii. Describe how the proposed action would affect that waterbody or wetland, e.g. excavation, fill, placement of structures, or alteration of channels, banks and shorelines. Indicate extent of activities, alterations and additions in square feet or acres:

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iii. Will proposed action cause or result in disturbance to bottom sediments? ☐ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

iv. Will proposed action cause or result in the destruction or removal of aquatic vegetation? ☐ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes:

- acres of aquatic vegetation proposed to be removed: \_\_\_\_\_
- expected acreage of aquatic vegetation remaining after project completion: \_\_\_\_\_
- purpose of proposed removal (e.g. beach clearing, invasive species control, boat access): \_\_\_\_\_
- proposed method of plant removal: \_\_\_\_\_
- if chemical/herbicide treatment will be used, specify product(s): \_\_\_\_\_

v. Describe any proposed reclamation/mitigation following disturbance: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

c. Will the proposed action use, or create a new demand for water? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes:

i. Total anticipated water usage/demand per day: \_\_\_\_\_ 21,644 gallons/day (Decreased from 30,497 gpd)

ii. Will the proposed action obtain water from an existing public water supply? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes:

- Name of district or service area: City of Beacon
- Does the existing public water supply have capacity to serve the proposal? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- Is the project site in the existing district? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- Is expansion of the district needed? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Do existing lines serve the project site? ☒ Yes ☐ No

iii. Will line extension within an existing district be necessary to supply the project? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
If Yes:

- Describe extensions or capacity expansions proposed to serve this project: \_\_\_\_\_
- Source(s) of supply for the district: \_\_\_\_\_

iv. Is a new water supply district or service area proposed to be formed to serve the project site? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
If Yes:

- Applicant/sponsor for new district: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date application submitted or anticipated: \_\_\_\_\_
- Proposed source(s) of supply for new district: \_\_\_\_\_

v. If a public water supply will not be used, describe plans to provide water supply for the project: \_\_\_\_\_

vi. If water supply will be from wells (public or private), maximum pumping capacity: \_\_\_\_\_ gallons/minute.

d. Will the proposed action generate liquid wastes? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes:

i. Total anticipated liquid waste generation per day: \_\_\_\_\_ 21,644 gallons/day

ii. Nature of liquid wastes to be generated (e.g., sanitary wastewater, industrial; if combination, describe all components and approximate volumes or proportions of each): \_\_\_\_\_  
Sanitary wastewater

iii. Will the proposed action use any existing public wastewater treatment facilities? ☒ Yes ☐ No  
If Yes:

- Name of wastewater treatment plant to be used: City of Beacon
- Name of district: City of Beacon
- Does the existing wastewater treatment plant have capacity to serve the project? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- Is the project site in the existing district? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- Is expansion of the district needed? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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<p>h. Will the proposed action generate or emit methane (including, but not limited to, sewage treatment plants, landfills, composting facilities)? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p>i. Estimate methane generation in tons/year (metric): _____</p> <p>ii. Describe any methane capture, control or elimination measures included in project design (e.g., combustion to generate heat or electricity, flaring): _____</p>			
<p>i. Will the proposed action result in the release of air pollutants from open-air operations or processes, such as quarry or landfill operations? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes: Describe operations and nature of emissions (e.g., diesel exhaust, rock particulates/dust): _____</p>			
<p>j. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels or generate substantial new demand for transportation facilities or services? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p>i. When is the peak traffic expected (Check all that apply): <input type="checkbox"/> Morning <input type="checkbox"/> Evening <input type="checkbox"/> Weekend  <input type="checkbox"/> Randomly between hours of _____ to _____.</p> <p>ii. For commercial activities only, projected number of semi-trailer truck trips/day: _____</p> <p>iii. Parking spaces: Existing _____ Proposed _____ Net increase/decrease _____</p> <p>iv. Does the proposed action include any shared use parking? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>v. If the proposed action includes any modification of existing roads, creation of new roads or change in existing access, describe: _____</p>			
<p>vi. Are public/private transportation service(s) or facilities available within ½ mile of the proposed site? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>vii. Will the proposed action include access to public transportation or accommodations for use of hybrid, electric or other alternative fueled vehicles? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>viii. Will the proposed action include plans for pedestrian or bicycle accommodations for connections to existing pedestrian or bicycle routes? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p>			
<p>k. Will the proposed action (for commercial or industrial projects only) generate new or additional demand for energy? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes: <span style="margin-left: 100px;">*The proposed amendment will result in a reduction in energy use.</span></p> <p>i. Estimate annual electricity demand during operation of the proposed action: _____</p> <p>ii. Anticipated sources/suppliers of electricity for the project (e.g., on-site combustion, on-site renewable, via grid/local utility, or other): _____</p> <p>iii. Will the proposed action require a new, or an upgrade to, an existing substation? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p>			
<p>l. Hours of operation. Answer all items which apply.</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>i. During Construction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday - Friday: _____ 8am - 6pm</li> <li>• Saturday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Sunday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Holidays: _____ Closed</li> </ul> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>ii. During Operations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday - Friday: _____ 8am - 6pm</li> <li>• Saturday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Sunday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Holidays: _____ Closed</li> </ul> </td> </tr> </table>		<p>i. During Construction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday - Friday: _____ 8am - 6pm</li> <li>• Saturday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Sunday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Holidays: _____ Closed</li> </ul>	<p>ii. During Operations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday - Friday: _____ 8am - 6pm</li> <li>• Saturday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Sunday: _____ Closed</li> <li>• Holidays: _____ Closed</li> </ul>
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<p>m. Will the proposed action produce noise that will exceed existing ambient noise levels during construction, operation, or both? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If yes:</p> <p>i. Provide details including sources, time of day and duration:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>ii. Will proposed action remove existing natural barriers that could act as a noise barrier or screen? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>Describe: _____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>n.. Will the proposed action have outdoor lighting? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If yes:</p> <p>i. Describe source(s), location(s), height of fixture(s), direction/aim, and proximity to nearest occupied structures:</p> <p><b>LED parking lot lights, 14' high, shielded from buildings and neighboring properties, night sky compliant</b></p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>ii. Will proposed action remove existing natural barriers that could act as a light barrier or screen? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>Describe: _____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>o. Does the proposed action have the potential to produce odors for more than one hour per day? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes, describe possible sources, potential frequency and duration of odor emissions, and proximity to nearest occupied structures: _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>p. Will the proposed action include any bulk storage of petroleum (combined capacity of over 1,100 gallons) or chemical products 185 gallons in above ground storage or any amount in underground storage? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p>i. Product(s) to be stored _____</p> <p>ii. Volume(s) _____ per unit time _____ (e.g., month, year)</p> <p>iii. Generally describe proposed storage facilities: _____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>q. Will the proposed action (commercial, industrial and recreational projects only) use pesticides (i.e., herbicides, insecticides) during construction or operation? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p>i. Describe proposed treatment(s):</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>ii. Will the proposed action use Integrated Pest Management Practices? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p>	
<p>r. Will the proposed action (commercial or industrial projects only) involve or require the management or disposal of solid waste (excluding hazardous materials)? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes: <span style="float: right;">*The proposed ammendment will result in a decrease in solid waste generation.</span></p> <p>i. Describe any solid waste(s) to be generated during construction or operation of the facility:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction: _____ tons per _____ (unit of time)</li> <li>• Operation : _____ tons per _____ (unit of time)</li> </ul> <p>ii. Describe any proposals for on-site minimization, recycling or reuse of materials to avoid disposal as solid waste:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction: _____</li> <li>• Operation: _____</li> </ul> <p>iii. Proposed disposal methods/facilities for solid waste generated on-site:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction: _____</li> <li>• Operation: _____</li> </ul>	

s. Does the proposed action include construction or modification of a solid waste management facility? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes:

i. Type of management or handling of waste proposed for the site (e.g., recycling or transfer station, composting, landfill, or other disposal activities): \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Anticipated rate of disposal/processing:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/month, if transfer or other non-combustion/thermal treatment, or
- \_\_\_\_\_ Tons/hour, if combustion or thermal treatment

iii. If landfill, anticipated site life: \_\_\_\_\_ years

t. Will proposed action at the site involve the commercial generation, treatment, storage, or disposal of hazardous waste? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes:

i. Name(s) of all hazardous wastes or constituents to be generated, handled or managed at facility: \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Generally describe processes or activities involving hazardous wastes or constituents: \_\_\_\_\_

iii. Specify amount to be handled or generated \_\_\_\_\_ tons/month

iv. Describe any proposals for on-site minimization, recycling or reuse of hazardous constituents: \_\_\_\_\_

v. Will any hazardous wastes be disposed at an existing offsite hazardous waste facility? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes: provide name and location of facility: \_\_\_\_\_

If No: describe proposed management of any hazardous wastes which will not be sent to a hazardous waste facility: \_\_\_\_\_

## E. Site and Setting of Proposed Action

**E.1. Land uses on and surrounding the project site**

a. Existing land uses.

i. Check all uses that occur on, adjoining and near the project site.

☒ Urban ☒ Industrial ☒ Commercial ☒ Residential (suburban) ☐ Rural (non-farm)

☐ Forest ☐ Agriculture ☐ Aquatic ☐ Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

ii. If mix of uses, generally describe:

The site is in a light industrial zone. There are retail stores nearby. There are single family residences nearby

b. Land uses and covertypes on the project site.

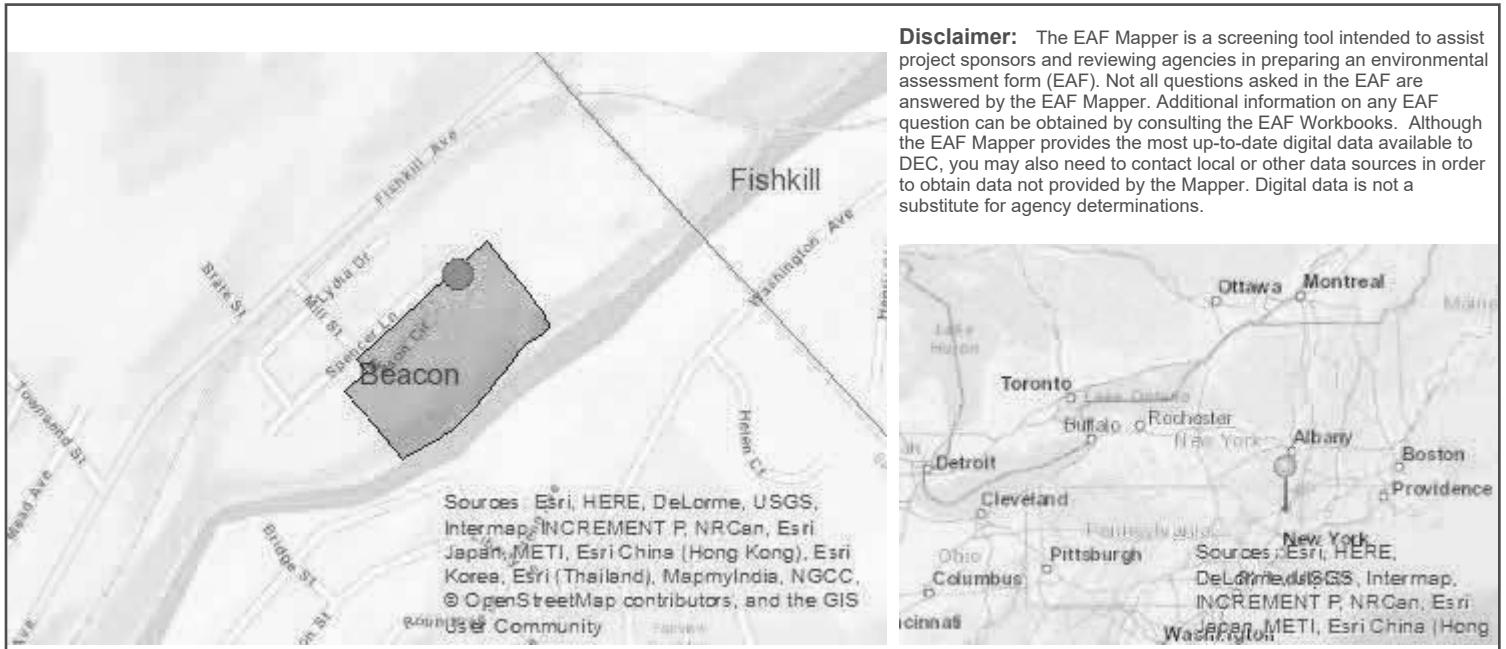
Land use or Covertypes	Current Acreage	Acreage After Project Completion	Change (Acres +/-)
• Roads, buildings, and other paved or impervious surfaces	6.66	6.25	-0.41
• Forested	0	0	0
• Meadows, grasslands or brushlands (non-agricultural, including abandoned agricultural)	0	0	0
• Agricultural (includes active orchards, field, greenhouse etc.)	0	0	0
• Surface water features (lakes, ponds, streams, rivers, etc.)	0	0	0
• Wetlands (freshwater or tidal)	0	0	0
• Non-vegetated (bare rock, earth or fill)	0	0	0
• Other Describe: <u>Lawn and landscaped areas</u>	2.08	2.49	+0.41

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v. Is the project site subject to an institutional control limiting property uses? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If yes, DEC site ID number: _____</li> <li>• Describe the type of institutional control (e.g., deed restriction or easement): _____</li> <li>• Describe any use limitations: _____</li> <li>• Describe any engineering controls: _____</li> <li>• Will the project affect the institutional or engineering controls in place? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></li> <li>• Explain: _____ _____ _____</li> </ul>	
<b>E.2. Natural Resources On or Near Project Site</b>	
a. What is the average depth to bedrock on the project site?	_____ 5 feet
b. Are there bedrock outcroppings on the project site? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span> If Yes, what proportion of the site is comprised of bedrock outcroppings? _____ %	
c. Predominant soil type(s) present on project site:	<u>Ud (Udorthents, smoothed)</u> <span style="float: right;">100 %</span> _____ <span style="float: right;">%</span> _____ <span style="float: right;">%</span>
d. What is the average depth to the water table on the project site? Average:	_____ 3 feet
e. Drainage status of project site soils:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Well Drained: _____ 100 % of site <input type="checkbox"/> Moderately Well Drained: _____ % of site <input type="checkbox"/> Poorly Drained _____ % of site
f. Approximate proportion of proposed action site with slopes:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 0-10%: _____ 86 % of site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10-15%: _____ 2 % of site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 15% or greater: _____ 12 % of site
g. Are there any unique geologic features on the project site? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span> If Yes, describe: _____ _____	
h. Surface water features.	
i. Does any portion of the project site contain wetlands or other waterbodies (including streams, rivers, ponds or lakes)? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
ii. Do any wetlands or other waterbodies adjoin the project site? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
If Yes to either i or ii, continue. If No, skip to E.2.i.	
iii. Are any of the wetlands or waterbodies within or adjoining the project site regulated by any federal, state or local agency? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
iv. For each identified regulated wetland and waterbody on the project site, provide the following information:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Streams: Name <u>862-244</u> Classification <u>C</u></li> <li>• Lakes or Ponds: Name _____ Classification _____</li> <li>• Wetlands: Name <u>Federal Waters, Federal Waters, Federal Waters,...</u> Approximate Size _____</li> <li>• Wetland No. (if regulated by DEC) _____</li> </ul>	
v. Are any of the above water bodies listed in the most recent compilation of NYS water quality-impaired waterbodies? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
If yes, name of impaired water body/bodies and basis for listing as impaired: _____ _____	
i. Is the project site in a designated Floodway? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
j. Is the project site in the 100 year Floodplain? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
k. Is the project site in the 500 year Floodplain? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span>	
l. Is the project site located over, or immediately adjoining, a primary, principal or sole source aquifer? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span> If Yes: i. Name of aquifer: _____	

<p>m. Identify the predominant wildlife species that occupy or use the project site: _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>n. Does the project site contain a designated significant natural community? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. Describe the habitat/community (composition, function, and basis for designation): _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Source(s) of description or evaluation: _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">iii. Extent of community/habitat:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Currently: _____ acres</li> <li>• Following completion of project as proposed: _____ acres</li> <li>• Gain or loss (indicate + or -): _____ acres</li> </ul>	
<p>o. Does project site contain any species of plant or animal that is listed by the federal government or NYS as endangered or threatened, or does it contain any areas identified as habitat for an endangered or threatened species? <span style="float: right;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</span></p>	
<p>p. Does the project site contain any species of plant or animal that is listed by NYS as rare, or as a species of special concern? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p>	
<p>q. Is the project site or adjoining area currently used for hunting, trapping, fishing or shell fishing? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If yes, give a brief description of how the proposed action may affect that use: _____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p><b>E.3. Designated Public Resources On or Near Project Site</b></p>	
<p>a. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in a designated agricultural district certified pursuant to Agriculture and Markets Law, Article 25-AA, Section 303 and 304? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes, provide county plus district name/number: _____</p>	
<p>b. Are agricultural lands consisting of highly productive soils present? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. If Yes: acreage(s) on project site? _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Source(s) of soil rating(s): _____</p>	
<p>c. Does the project site contain all or part of, or is it substantially contiguous to, a registered National Natural Landmark? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. Nature of the natural landmark: <input type="checkbox"/> Biological Community <input type="checkbox"/> Geological Feature</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Provide brief description of landmark, including values behind designation and approximate size/extent: _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	
<p>d. Is the project site located in or does it adjoin a state listed Critical Environmental Area? <span style="float: right;"><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</span></p> <p>If Yes:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. CEA name: _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. Basis for designation: _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">iii. Designating agency and date: _____</p>	





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B.i.i [Coastal or Waterfront Area]	No
B.i.ii [Local Waterfront Revitalization Area]	Yes
C.2.b. [Special Planning District]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Potential Contamination History]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.i [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Listed]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.i [DEC Spills or Remediation Site - Environmental Site Remediation Database]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.1.h.iii [Within 2,000' of DEC Remediation Site]	Yes
E.1.h.iii [Within 2,000' of DEC Remediation Site - DEC ID]	314004
E.2.g [Unique Geologic Features]	No
E.2.h.i [Surface Water Features]	Yes
E.2.h.ii [Surface Water Features]	Yes
E.2.h.iii [Surface Water Features]	Yes - Digital mapping information on local and federal wetlands and waterbodies is known to be incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.2.h.iv [Surface Water Features - Stream Name]	862-244
E.2.h.iv [Surface Water Features - Stream Classification]	C
E.2.h.iv [Surface Water Features - Wetlands Name]	Federal Waters
E.2.h.v [Impaired Water Bodies]	No
E.2.i. [Floodway]	Yes

E.2.j. [100 Year Floodplain]	Yes
E.2.k. [500 Year Floodplain]	Yes
E.2.l. [Aquifers]	No
E.2.n. [Natural Communities]	No
E.2.o. [Endangered or Threatened Species]	Yes
E.2.p. [Rare Plants or Animals]	No
E.3.a. [Agricultural District]	No
E.3.c. [National Natural Landmark]	No
E.3.d [Critical Environmental Area]	No
E.3.e. [National Register of Historic Places]	Digital mapping data are not available or are incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
E.3.f. [Archeological Sites]	Yes
E.3.i. [Designated River Corridor]	No