

# Town of Sherborn

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION and CONTROL FORM

**This form must be completed for new building permit applications.**

**Address of project:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of work:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agent or Homeowner:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

1. Stormwater discharge from disturbances of an acre or more are regulated by the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency under the National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES, Phase II). This includes disturbances that occur in stages and encompass an acre or more in aggregate area. Projects of this scope must receive a permit from U.S. EPA to allow storm water discharge. If the expected work will exceed this limit a plan showing control measures must be filed.

**ESTIMATED SIZE OF AREA TO BE DISTURBED** \_\_\_\_\_

If 1 acre or greater speak with Conservation Agent or Building Inspector.

2. Priority Habitat areas are regulated under the Massachusetts Endangered Species Act and require filing if applicable. Applicant should check with the Conservation Agent for determination according to the Massachusetts Natural Heritage Atlas. (MESA filing is required even if no work is proposed within a wetland or buffer zone.)

**IS THE PROJECT LOCATED IN A PRIORITY HABITAT AREA? YES [ ] NO [ ]**

If YES speak with the Conservation Agent about filing requirements.

3. Flood hazard areas require flood-resistance construction under the Massachusetts State Building Code 780 CMR 3107.0, Flood-Resistance Construction. Applicant should check with the Building Inspector for determination according to the Flood Insurance Rate Map.

**IS THE BUILDING LOCATED IN A FLOOD HAZARD AREA? YES [ ] NO [ ]**

If YES check with Building Inspector for code requirements.

PERMIT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Conservation Agent

\_\_\_\_\_  
Building Official