

TOWN OF HARPSWELL – ARMY CORP OF ENGINEER VERIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS

If your project meets all conditions specified below, please complete the *General Conditions Self Verification Report*. Refer to the accompanying PDF for details on each standard and criterion. If any of the standards or criterion are NOT met, attach a narrative explaining your rationale.

Please sign and date the report, and return it to the Code Enforcement Office for review.

2025 MAINE GENERAL PERMITS - DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

RGP C. Structures and Moorings in Navigable Waters of the U.S. (Authority: Section 10 and Section 404)

New, expansions, replacement, removal, reconfigurations, or modifications of structures within navigable waters of the U.S., including but not limited to temporary/seasonal or permanent pile and crib-supported piers, gangway ramps, floats, stairs, dolphins, shore haul outs, moorings, boat & float lifts. Discharges of fill material that are associated with the construction of such structures (e.g., poured concrete footings, etc.) that do not exceed 1/10 in waters of the U.S.

This RGP does not authorize artificial reefs and new marinas, unless the district engineer waives this limitation by making a written determination concluding the work will result in no more than minimal adverse environmental effects.

Pre-Construction Notification Is Required If:

1. There are multiple new commercial or rental moorings;
2. The piles cannot be installed “in the dry” (i.e. below the mean low water and/or during periods of high tide that leave the site submerged);
3. New piers, ramps, and floats exceed a total of 1,000 square feet below the MHW; or
4. Structure(s) extend greater than 25 percent of the waterway width, as measured from mean low tide.

Notes:

1. Structures with no discharge of dredged or fill material are not regulated by the Corps in non-navigable waters.
2. Seasonal storage of structures in navigable water, e.g., in a protective cove, requires prior Corps approval.
3. Minor relocation of previously authorized moorings requires no additional authorization as long as all general conditions of the general permit are met.
4. Low impact mooring systems, including conservation moorings, are encouraged to minimize impacts of chain scouring from conventional moorings during the tidal cycle. Existing, authorized moorings that are converted from traditional moorings to low impact mooring technology and/or helical anchors do not need further authorization.
5. Coastal structures such as pier sections, floats, etc., that are removed from the waterway for a portion of the year (often referred to as seasonal structures) shall be stored in an upland location, located above MHW and not in tidal wetlands. These seasonal structures may be stored on the fixed, pile-supported portion of the structure that is seaward of MHW. This is intended to prevent structures from being stored on the marsh substrate and the substrate seaward of MHW.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers General Conditions Self Verification Report

Map _____ Lot _____ Address _____

Project Details _____

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| 1. Navigation | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Aquatic Life Movements | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Spawning Areas | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Migratory Bird Breeding Areas | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Shellfish Beds | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Suitable Material | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. Water Supply Intakes | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. Adverse Effects From Impoundments | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. Management of Water Flows | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 10. Fills Within 100-Year Floodplains | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 11. Equipment | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 12. Soil Erosion and Sediment Controls | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 13. Removal of Temporary Structures and Fills | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 14. Proper Maintenance | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 15. Single and Complete Project | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 16. Wild and Scenic Rivers | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 17. Tribal Rights | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 18. Federal Threatened and Endangered Species | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 19. Migratory Birds and Bald and Golden Eagles | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 20. Historic Properties | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 21. Discovery of Previously Unknown Remains and Artifacts | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 22. Designated Critical Resource Waters | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 23. Mitigation | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 24. Safety of Impoundment Structures | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 25. Water Quality | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 26. Coastal Zone Management | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 27. Regional and Case-By-Case Conditions | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 28. Use of Multiple Regional General Permits | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 29. Transfer of General Permit Verifications | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 30. Compliance Certification | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 31. Activities Affecting Structures Built by the United States | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 32. Pre-Construction Notification | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 33. PCN Summary Table | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 34. Essential Fish Habitat | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 35. Invasive Species | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 36. General Permit Documentation On-Site | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 37. Abandonment | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 38. Expiration of Regional General Permits | MET <input type="checkbox"/> | NOT MET <input type="checkbox"/> | N/A <input type="checkbox"/> |

CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the provided information is true and accurate.

Signature _____ Date _____