Memo of Findings and Determination

To: Connecticut Council on Environmental Quality, Environmental Monitor

From: Maya Loewenberg, Department of Economic and Community Development

Date: 10/4/2016

Re: Preston Riverwalk Remediation, Preston CT

Attached please find the Environmental Assessment Checklist for the above referenced project. Scoping for the project began on July 19, 2016 and ended on August 19, 2016. Comments received during the scoping process have been incorporated into the Environmental Assessment (EA) Checklist.

Scoping comments were received from the Office of Policy and Management, Department of Energy and Environmental Protection and the Department of Public Health. The EA also references previously conducted DECD and SHPO studies of the historical resources on the property and provides recommendations that would need to be considered for any future plans.

The issues/concerns raised are explained in the attached Environmental Assessment Checklist. The Department of Economic and Community Development does not recommend preparation of an Environmental Impact Evaluation for the proposed project.