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June 10, 2020

Andrew Lord
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Eversource Energy
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1371** – The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed 667 Line Rebuild Project consisting of the replacement and reconductoring of approximately 6.1 miles of its existing No. 667 69-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line structures within existing Eversource electric transmission line right-of-way between Falls Village Substation in Falls Village (Canaan) and Salisbury Substation in Salisbury, Connecticut, traversing Canaan, Sharon and Salisbury, and related substation and electric transmission line structure improvements.

Dear Mr. Lord:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your email correspondence dated June 10, 2020 regarding minor project changes to the above-referenced project that was approved by the Council on June 7, 2019. The minor project changes consist of removing or relocating access roads and temporary matting, and the use of elevated matting to reduce project-related impacts to state-listed plant species in Sharon and Salisbury, and to avoid impacts to a wetland between Structures 1018 and 1017 in Salisbury.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's June 7, 2019 Declaratory Ruling, your request for the above minor project changes, as detailed in your June 10, 2020 correspondence, is hereby approved. This approval applies only to the minor project changes described in your June 10, 2020 correspondence. Any significant changes to the project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie Bachman

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

- c. Kathleen M. Shanley, Manager – Transmission Siting
Nancy Brusie, Planning and Zoning Administrator, Town of Salisbury
Honorable Curtis Rand, First Selectman, Town of Salisbury
Jamie Casey, Land Use Administrator, Town of Sharon
Honorable Brent Colley, First Selectman, Town of Sharon

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Sent: Wednesday, June 10, 2020 9:25 AM
To: Bachman, Melanie <Melanie.Bachman@ct.gov>
Cc: Shanley, Kathleen M <kathleen.shanley@eversource.com>; Stage, Ciara <ciara.stage@eversource.com>
Subject: Petition No. 1371 - Minor Revisions to Project Mapping

Ms. Bachman:

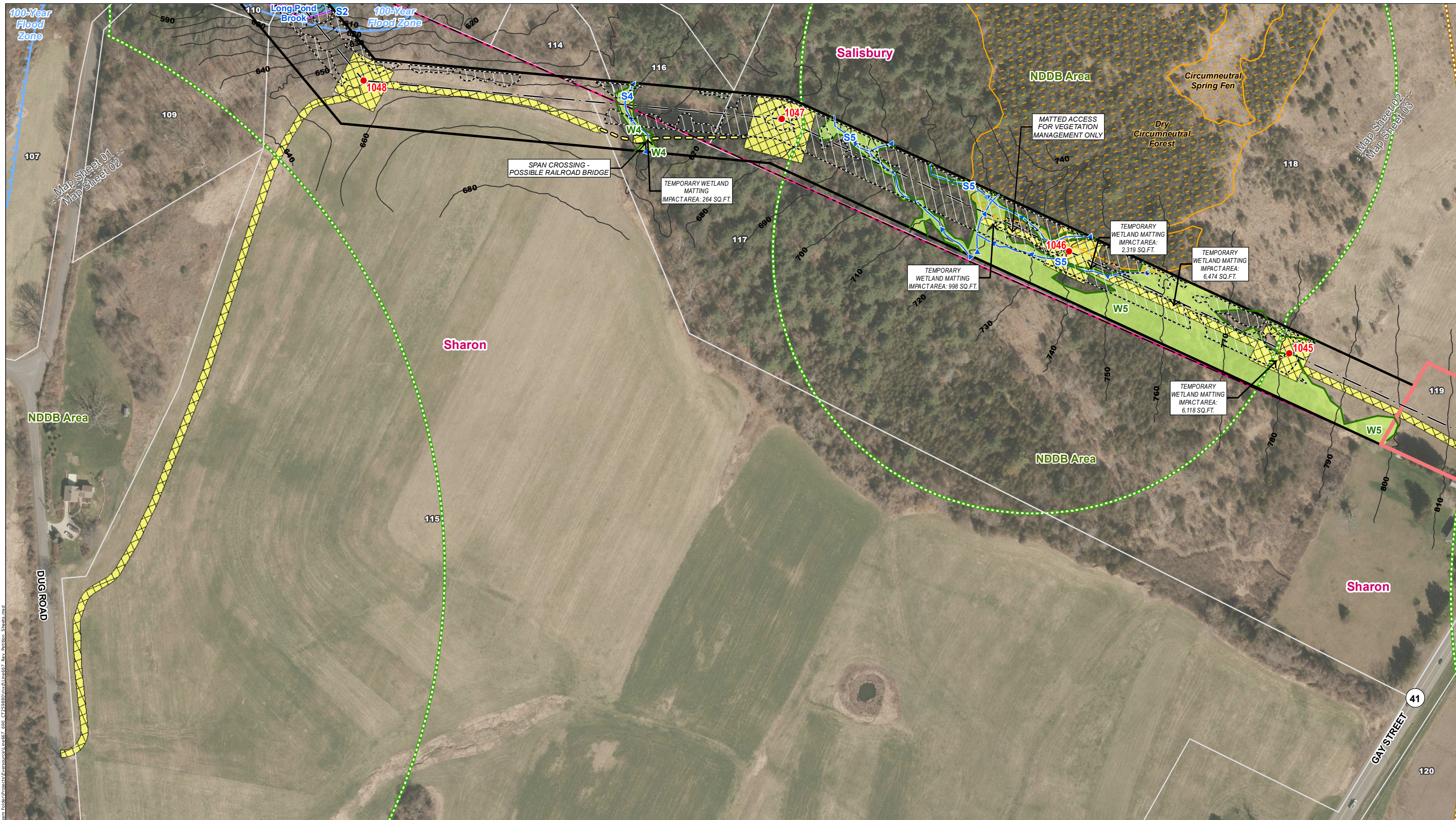
I write to inform you that since the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) ruled favorably on Petition No. 1371 on 6/7/19, there have been minor revisions to the mapping that was submitted with the petition. Generally, these minor changes were made to reduce potential impacts to protected plant species that were identified as part of a plant survey conducted in the Fall of 2019. The changes consist of eliminating or shifting access roads and matting to avoid impacting certain plant species and/or utilizing raised matting to eliminate direct contact with the protected plant species. The revisions are reflected on the attached map sheets 2,4,6 and 9. In addition, map sheet 7 was revised to remove an incorrect call-out for an access point from Route 112.

In addition to the above, in response to an earlier request from Council staff during the petition's review, map sheet 8 has been revised to remove the access road and matting across the wetland between Structures 1018 and 1017.

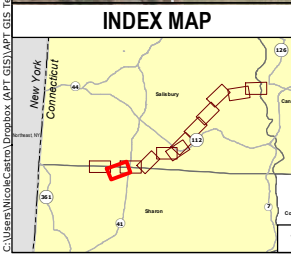
Please let me know if you have any questions or require additional information.

Andrew

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— Confirmed Vernal Pool Extent	— State-Owned Property (none in mapped extent)
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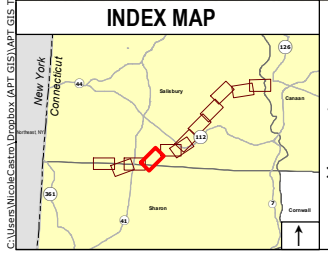
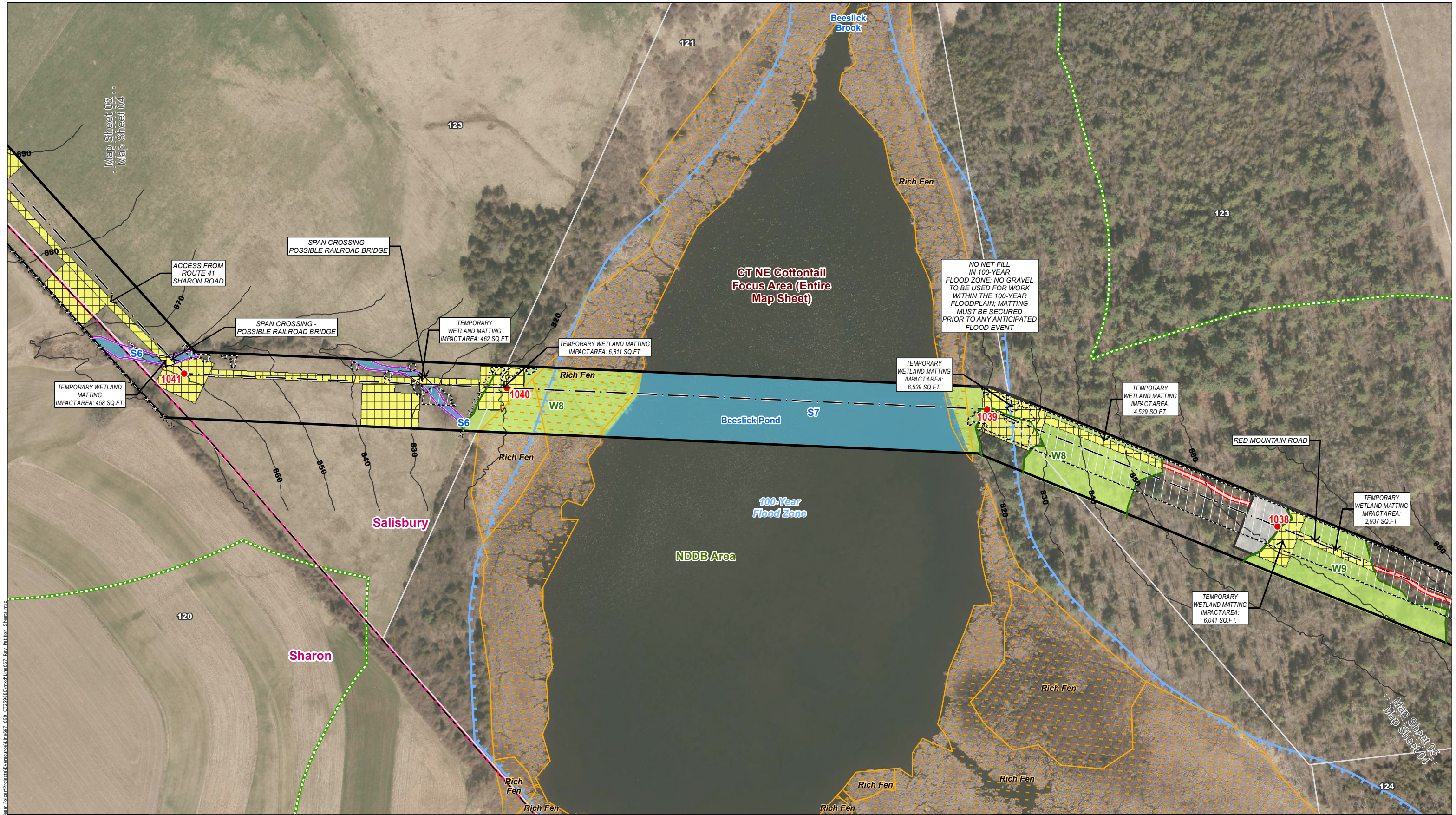
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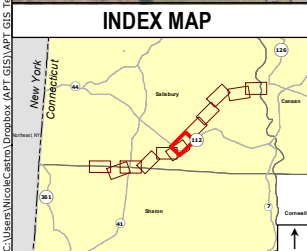
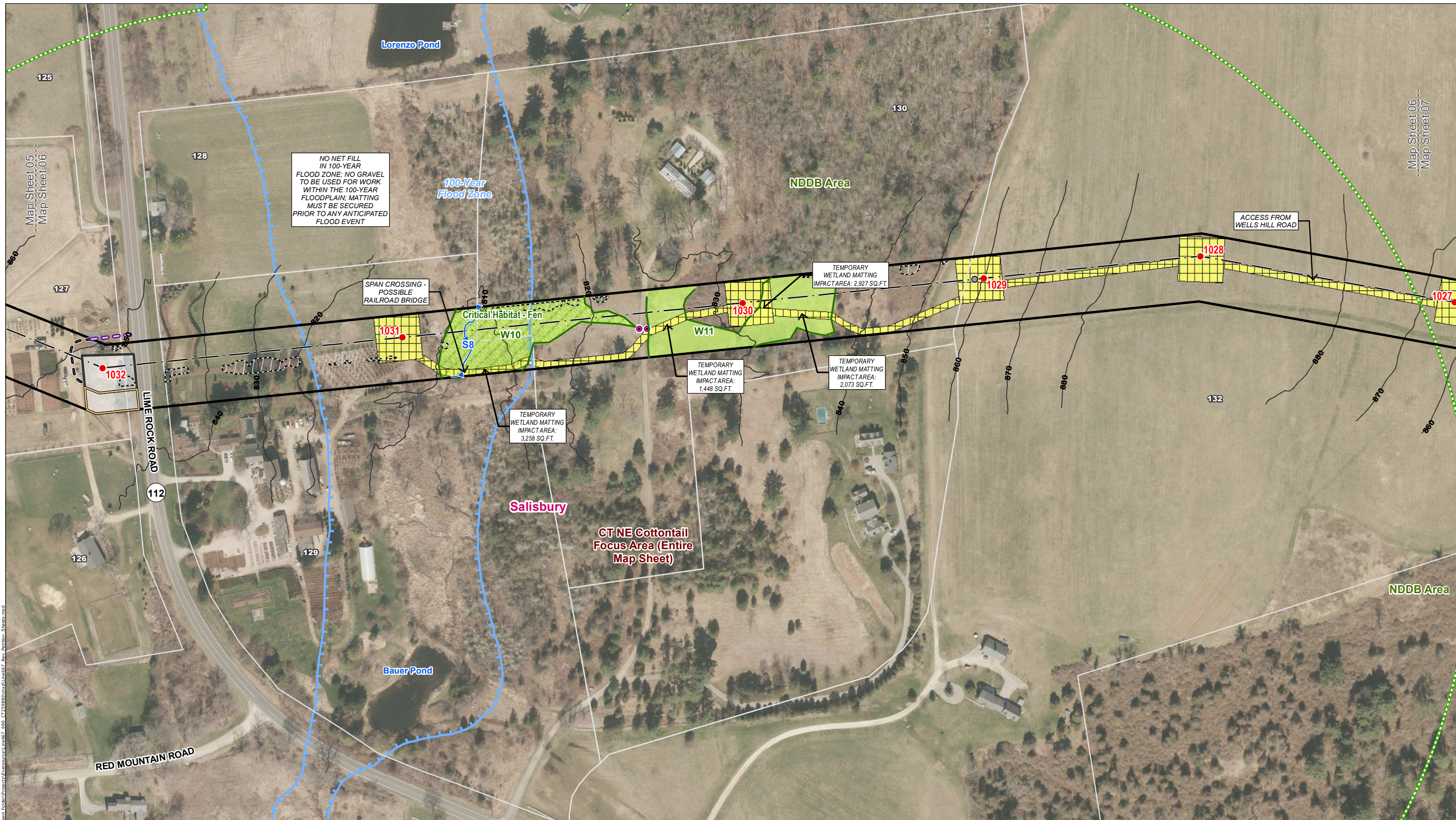
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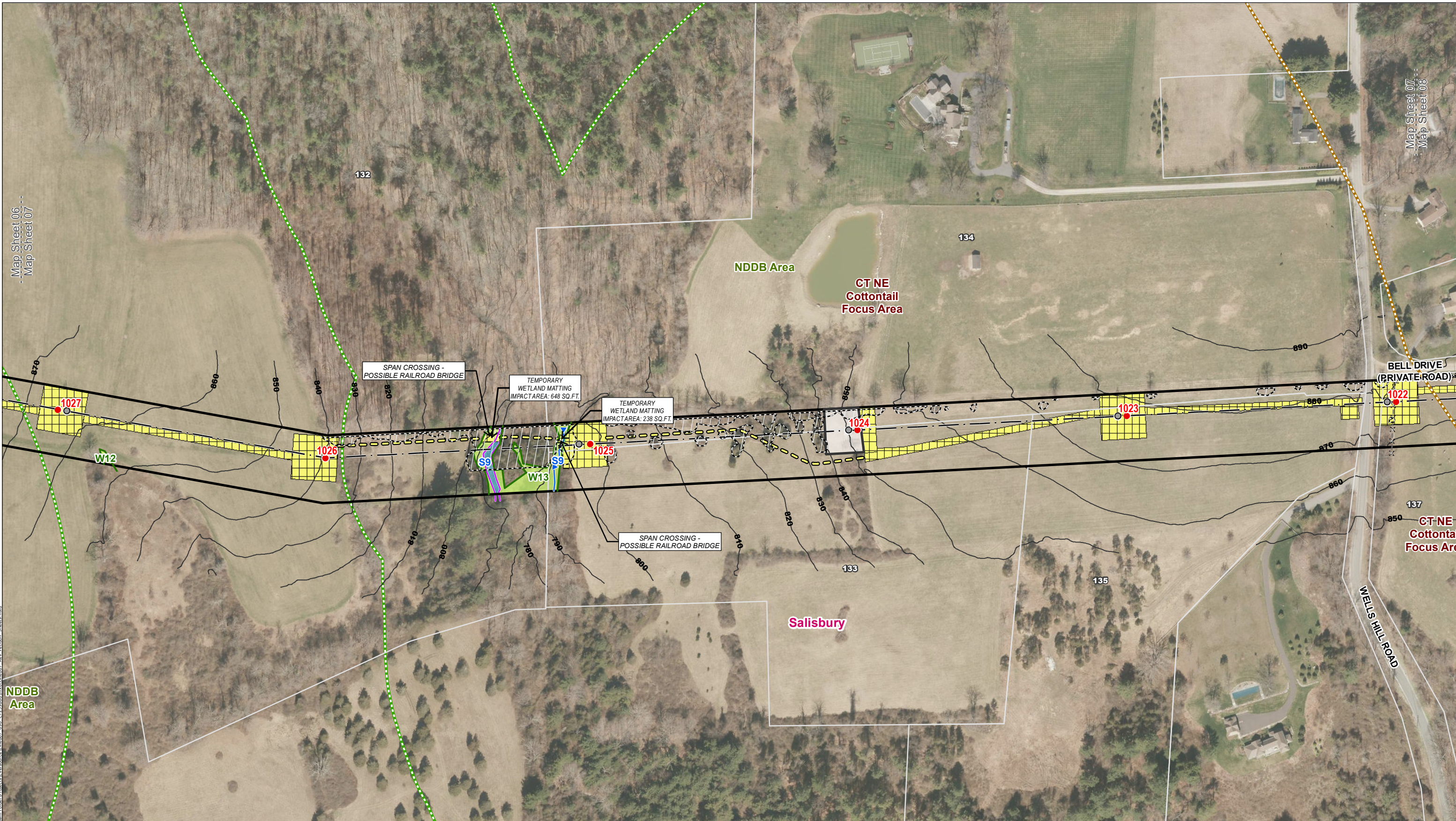
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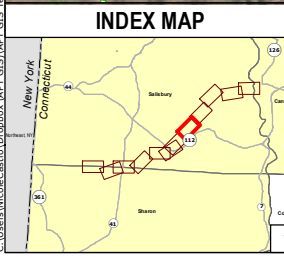
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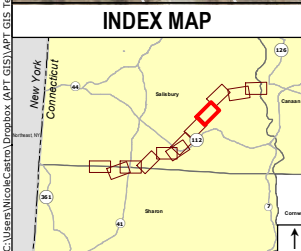
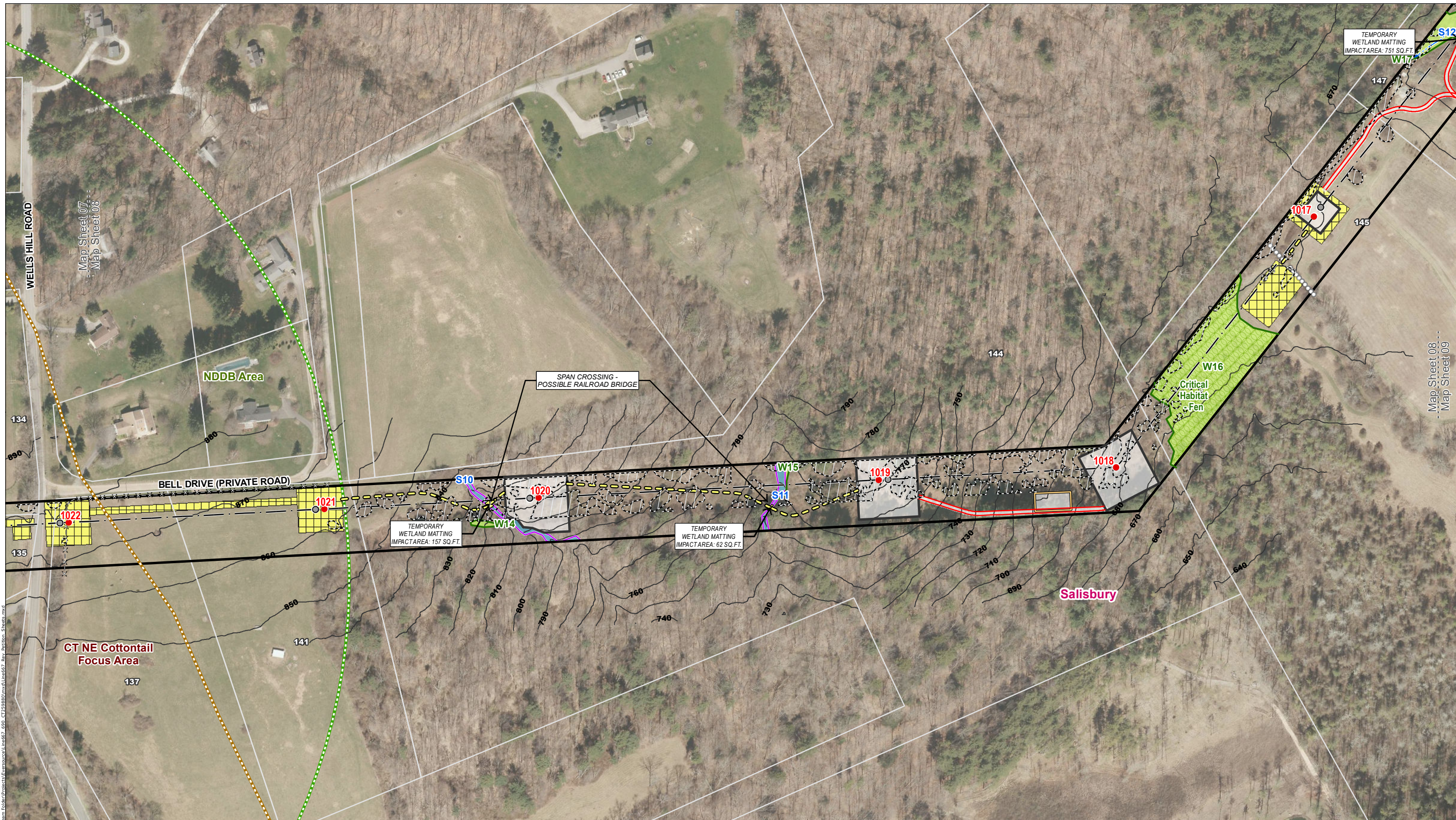
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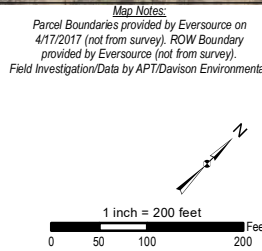
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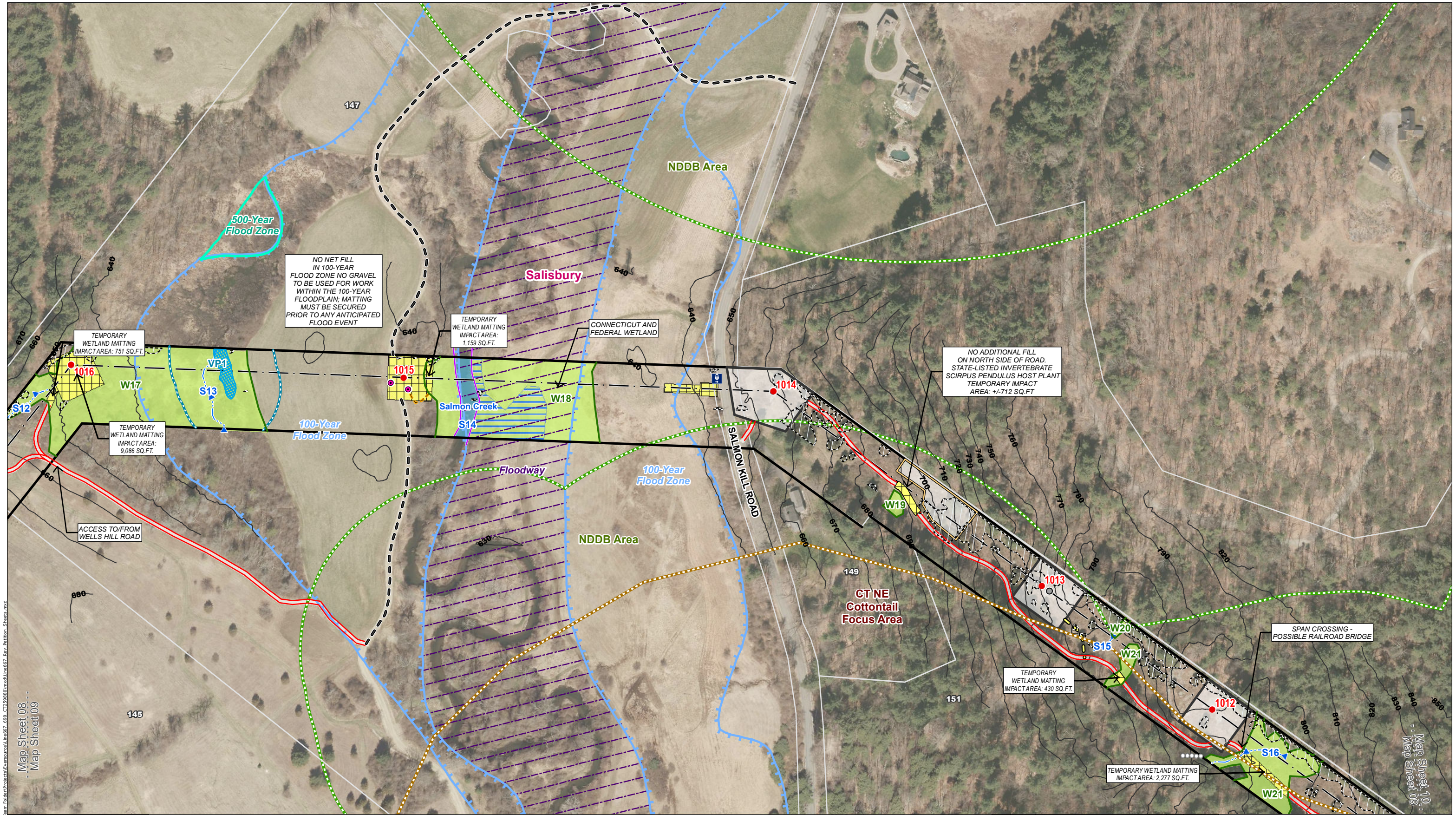
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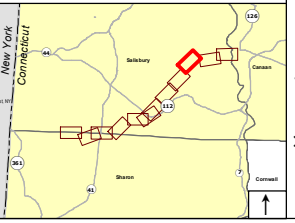
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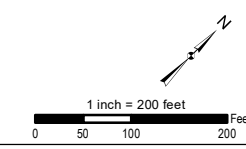
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