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Robert Stein, Chairman  
Connecticut Siting Council  
Ten Franklin Square  
New Britain, CT 06051

RE: Petition No. 1225  
1682 Line Upgrade  
*Modification to Access Road Location*

Dear Chairman Stein:

On May 27, 2016, The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (Eversource) received a Declaratory Ruling from the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) that a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need would not be required for the planned upgrade to the existing 1682 115-kV transmission line presented in Petition No. 1225 (referred to herein as "the Project").

Subsequent to the Council's Ruling, the Project has become aware of an obstruction to the planned access road between structure 3006 and structure 3007 that cannot be moved in time to accommodate the Project schedule (a guy off of a Metro-North Railroad stanchion). As a result, the access from Wolf Pit Road to structure 3010 will need to be extended to access structures 3009, 3008 and 3007 (see attached revisions to mapsheets 2 and 3 depicting access modifications) and will result in an additional 1,839 square feet of temporary impacts to wetlands. There is no change in the access to structure 3006.

Also depicted on mapsheet 3 is a change in the proposed construction material for the installation of the large work pad for structures 3008 and 3009. The work pad has been modified from gravel to matting to avoid disturbing soils near wetland resource areas and the Norwalk River.

Should you, the Council members or Council staff have any questions regarding this request, please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail at [kathleen.shanley@eversource.com](mailto:kathleen.shanley@eversource.com) or telephone at (860)728-4527.

Sincerely,



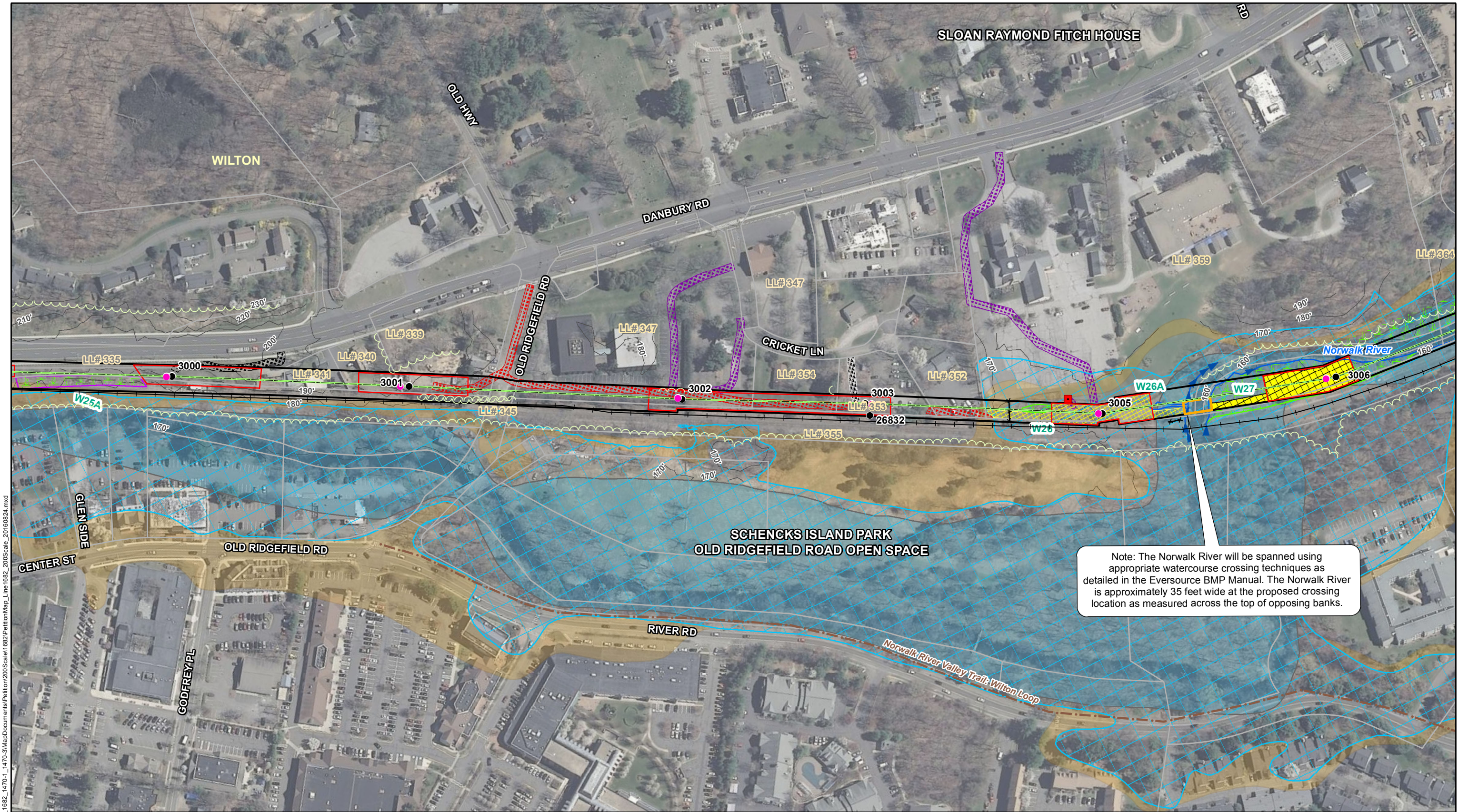
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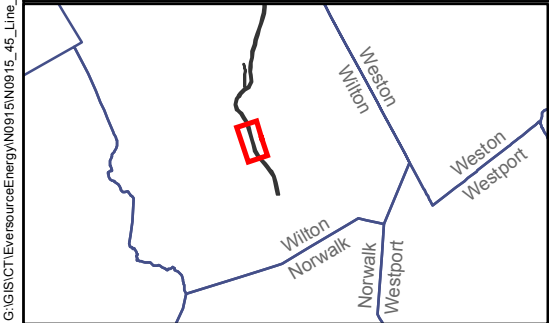




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Note: The Norwalk River will be spanned using appropriate watercourse crossing techniques as detailed in the Eversource BMP Manual. The Norwalk River is approximately 35 feet wide at the proposed crossing location as measured across the top of opposing banks.



**Legend**

- Existing Structure Location
- Proposed Structure Location
- Gate
- 1470 Transmission Centerline
- 1682 Transmission Centerline
- Approximate CL&P dba Eversource Energy Owned Property
- Eversource ROW/Existing Edge of Vegetation Management
- ✂ Fence
- Trail
- 10 ft Contour
- Railroad
- State ROW
- Watercourse
- Ordinary High Water
- Approximate Tree Line
- Wetland Boundary
- Wetland (Delineation 2015)
- Approx. Wetland (Not Field Delineated)
- Work Pad
- Municipal Boundary
- Wetland/Watercourse Spanning
- Proposed Temporary Construction Mats
- Temporary Wetland Impacts
- FEMA Floodway
- 100 Year Floodplain
- 500 Year Floodplain
- Approximate Parcel Boundary
- Alternative Off ROW
- Existing Access
- Existing Off ROW
- Proposed/Preferred

**Notes:**

1. Imagery based on 2012 Statewide Leaf-Off Orthophotography.
2. The information/data provided in this map is for planning purposes only. It is not adequate for legal boundary definition, regulatory interpretation or parcel level analysis. The maps should not be used for construction purposes.
3. Approximate Limit of vegetation management has a 30 ft offset from centerline.
4. Areas between STR 3005 to STR 3006 and from Wolfpit Road to STR 3011 (south) are within Moderate to High Archaeological Sensitive Area.
5. Wetland 25A delineation based on CT DEEP Inland Wetland Soils
6. Presumed width is 30 feet from the transmission centerline where ROW width is undetermined

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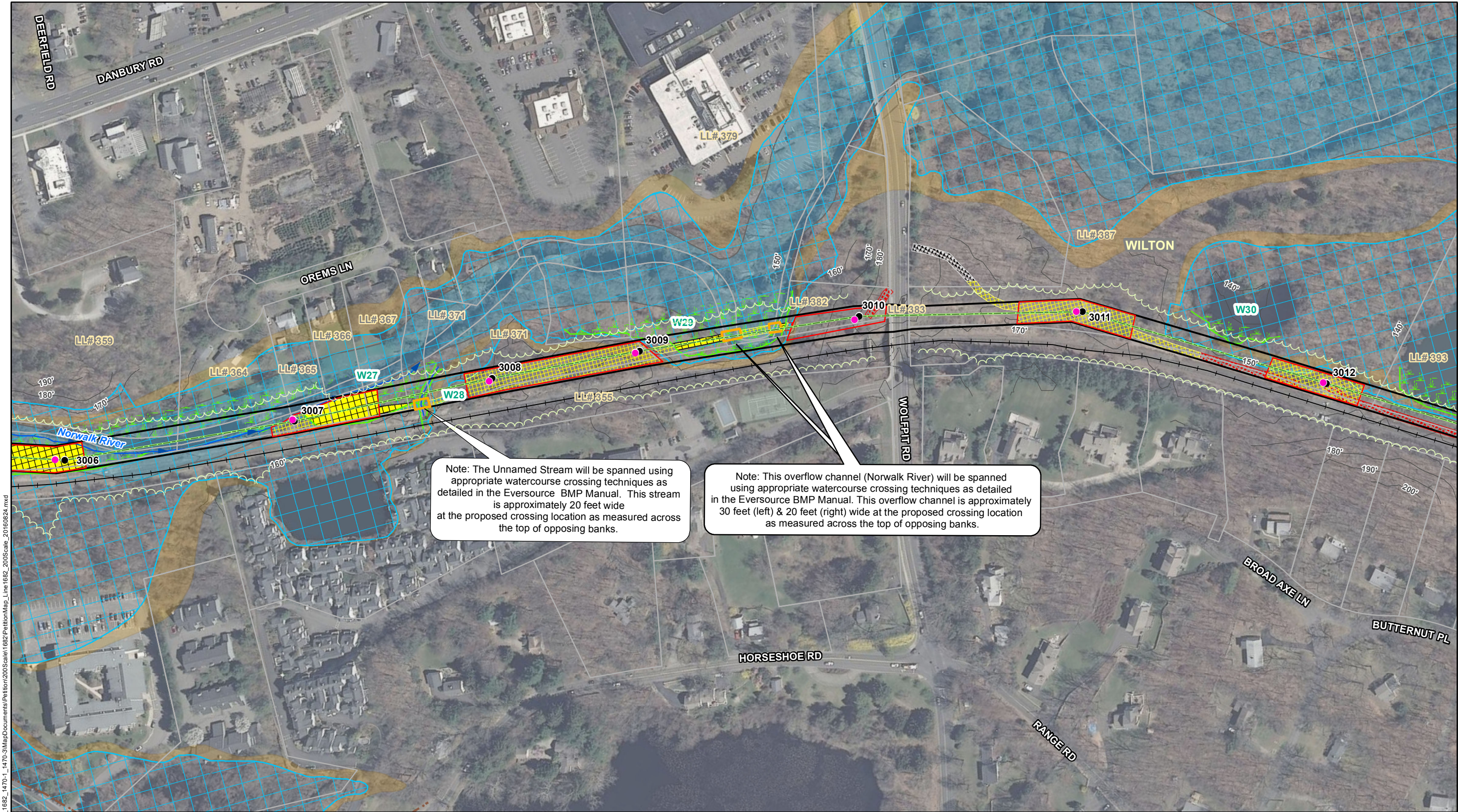
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Note: The Unnamed Stream will be spanned using appropriate watercourse crossing techniques as detailed in the Eversource BMP Manual. This stream is approximately 20 feet wide at the proposed crossing location as measured across the top of opposing banks.

Note: This overflow channel (Norwalk River) will be spanned using appropriate watercourse crossing techniques as detailed in the Eversource BMP Manual. This overflow channel is approximately 30 feet (left) & 20 feet (right) wide at the proposed crossing location as measured across the top of opposing banks.



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