September 9, 2020

Arlington Conservation Commission 730 Massachusetts Ave. Arlington, MA 02476

Re: Photos of Mapped Stream Locations Supplement to Request for Determination of Applicability 1165-1167 Mass Ave. & 0 Ryder Street - Arlington, MA

1. Introduction

Goddard Consulting, LLC (Goddard), is pleased to submit photographs documenting the absence of streams or freshwater wetlands upgradient of the drainage ditch known as "Ryder Brook." This this information is being submitted on behalf of "1165R Mass Ave MA Property LLC." This information is being submitted upon request of the Commission based on comments during the public hearing for an RDA on September 3, 2020. This document provides additional information from the original document titled "Drainage Ditch Analysis," dated August 10, 2020.

2. Methods

The USGS StreamStats website shows two streams coalescing south of Edmund Road and then connecting to Mill Brook in the vicinity of the subject property (Figure 1).

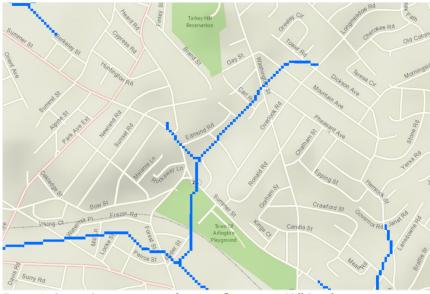


Figure 1 - StreamStats map view of streams flowing into Mill Brook.

On September 9, 2020 I walked on all publicly accessible routes in the vicinity of where the StreamStats map shows these streams to be located. Figure 2 shows the location of the walked route and numbered photograph locations. A GPS was used to track the route.



Figure 2 - Map showing the route walked for inspecting areas for presence of wetlands or streams.

3. Photos Showing No Stream or Wetlands at Numbered Locations



Photo 1



Photo 2



Photo 3



Photo 4



Photo 5



Photo 6



Photo 7



Photo 8



Photo 9



Photo 10



Photo 11



Photo 12



Photo 13

If there are any questions concerning this submission, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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