

# Aeronautics Report

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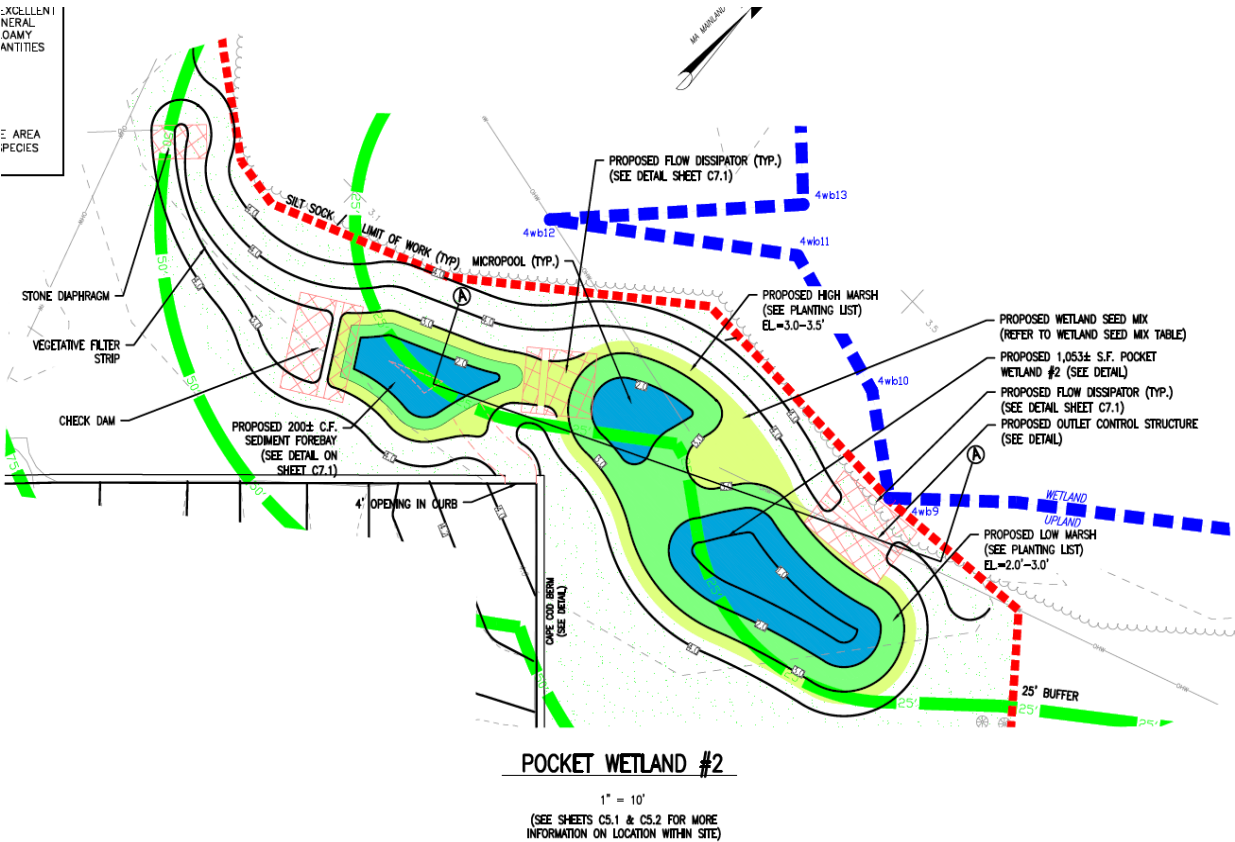


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# George D. Harlow Field – Apron Permitting

## Stormwater Management and Environmental Monitoring for Permit Compliance



- Five pocket wetlands were constructed for future stormwater management
- Daily turtle monitoring was conducted prior to start of construction
- Daily and weekly inspections were conducted by the Environmental Monitor to comply with the Order of Conditions under the Wetlands Protection Act (WPA)



# George D. Harlow Field – Apron Reconstruction

Significantly improving the level of safety and addressing critical environmental concerns



Deteriorating pavement prior to reconstruction



Post apron reconstruction

\$5.2M project, including MassDOT, FAA and local funding.

- Over 6,000 tons of asphalt and all sub-based layers replaced for improved strength and apron frost protection
- Reconstruction addressed a MassDEP variance order for land uses with higher potential pollutant loads (LUHPPL)
- Project also included replacement of the airport access road

# Angel Flight New England

Flights of Hope. Transforming Lives for Patients in need of critical Medical care



- Free medical air transportation since 1996
- 450+ volunteer pilots, 3,500+ missions in 2025, 113,000+ missions since its founding
- Primary service area of 6 New England states plus New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania
- Pilots operate from 20 Massachusetts airports



Angel Flight New England  
2025 Patient Video



# Aeronautics Assists DCR with Deer Count

Drone Flights over the Quabbin reservoir determine number of tags for the controlled hunt

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- Survey provided the most accurate count to date and aided in identifying other wildlife in the area
- Resulting data will be used to inform monitoring efforts for threatened and endangered wildlife and demonstrate how DCR's management influences their presence and use of habitat

Thank You

