

**Department of Environmental Protection
Waterways Regulation Program**

**Notice of License Application pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 91
Application Number 26-WW01-0095-APP**

Applicant: Rossi Family Realty Trust, Angelo Rossi, Jr. & Carol D. Rossi, Trustees

Project Location: 53 Lakeshore Drive, East Waushacum Pond, Sterling, Worcester County

Notification Date: August 21, 2026

Public Comments Deadline: September 21, 2026

Public Notice is hereby given of the Chapter 91 Application by the Rossi Family Realty Trust, Angelo Rossi, Jr. & Carol D. Rossi, Trustees, to maintain pile-supported aluminum docks, remove and replace a precast concrete modular retaining wall, install a temporary cofferdam, turbidity curtains and oil containment boom, and perform improvement dredging within waters of East Washacum Pond at 53 Lakeshore Drive, Sterling, Worcester County . The proposed project has been preliminarily determined to be a Water-Dependent Use.

The Department will consider all written comments on this Chapter 91 Application received by September 21, 2026 (Public Comments Deadline). Failure of any aggrieved person or group of ten (10) citizens or more to submit written comments to the Department by the Public Comments Deadline will result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing in accordance with 310 CMR 9.13(4)(c). The group of citizens must include at least five (5) citizens who are residents of the municipality in which the proposed project is located. A public hearing may be held upon request by the Municipal Official.

Project plans and documents for this application are on file for public viewing electronically at: [EEA ePLACE Public Access Portal](#) (enter **26-WW01-0095-APP** in the Search Page in the Record ID field). If you need assistance, please contact ivan.morales@mass.gov or if you do not have access to email, please leave a voicemail at (857) 276-3013 and you will be contacted with information on alternative options.

It is recommended that documents and correspondence be filed electronically with the following email: ivan.morales@mass.gov when possible. Alternatively, comments may be mailed to Ivan Morales at MassDEP Waterways Regulation Program, 100 Cambridge Street, 9th Floor, Boston, MA 02114.

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