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Tara Hourihan
Wright-Pierce
10 Dorrance Street, Suite 840
Providence RI 02903

RE: Project Location: 0 & 85 Doublet Hill Road
Town: WESTON
NHESP Tracking No.: **22-41531**

To Whom It May Concern:

Thank you for contacting the Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program of the MA Division of Fisheries & Wildlife (the "Division") for information regarding state-listed rare species in the vicinity of the above referenced site. Based on the information provided, the Division has determined that at this time the site is not mapped as Priority or Estimated Habitat.

This evaluation is based on the most recent information available in the Natural Heritage database, which is constantly being expanded and updated through ongoing research and inventory. If you have any questions regarding this letter please contact Melany Cheeseman, Endangered Species Review Assistant, at (508) 389-6357.

Sincerely,

Everose Schlüter, Ph.D.
Assistant Director

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MASSACHUSETTS REQUEST FOR STATE-LISTED SPECIES INFORMATION

Please complete this form to request state-listed species information from the Natural Heritage & Endangered Species Program for a particular location (please submit only one project per form).

Fee: \$50.00, Payable to Comm. of MA – NHESP (as required in 321 CMR 10.17(3)). Please **mail** this completed form, a map with location clearly marked, and fee to: *NHESP Regulatory Review, MassWildlife Field Headquarters, 1 Rabbit Hill Road, Westborough, MA 01581.*

No fee required if request is for conservation purposes or habitat management and you are a non-profit conservation group, government agency or are working with a government agency. The completed form and map with location clearly marked can be mailed to the address above or emailed to: natural.heritage@mass.gov.

Project Details

* **Project or Site Name:** Weston Water Storage Tank

* **Street Address/Location:** 0 Doublet Hill Road

* **Town(s):** Weston, MA

* **Total Site Acreage:** 35 Ac

Acreage of Disturbance (if proposed)¹: 2 Ac

Description current site conditions and proposed project (if necessary, attach additional sheet):

Proposed water storage tank site would be located on Weston Conservation land. Existing storage tank at 85 Doublet Hill Road to be demolished.

Do you have a previous NHESP Tracking number? (Yes / No) If yes, please provide: NA

Map

* **Required:** Enclose a map with the site location clearly marked and centered on the page.

Landowner Info

* **Are you the Record Owner² of the property? (Yes / No)** * If No, are you a representative of the Record Owner or do you have permission from the Record Owner to submit this request or filing? (Yes / No)

* **Landowner Name:** Town of Weston

* **Address:** Weston Public Works, 190 Boston Post Road By-Pass

* **City:** Weston

* **State:** MA

* **Zip Code:** 02493

Email (if available): Telephone:

Comments/Purpose of request³:

To determine location of violet bush clover at 0 Doublet Hill Road.

¹ If a project is being proposed, please provide the potential acreage of disturbance and/or site clearing.

² Record Owner means any person or entity holding a legal or equitable interest, right or title to real property, as reflected in a written instrument or recorded deed, or any person authorized in writing by such person.

³ Please describe the purpose of your request for rare species information and the authorization you have to submit this request.

Applicant Info

Applicant Name (if different from Landowner): Wright-Pierce / Attn: Tara Hourihan

Address: 10 Dorrance St., Suite 840

City: Providence **State:** RI **Zip Code:** 02903

Email (if available): tara.hourihan@wright-pierce.com **Telephone:** 401.808.8319

***For No-Fee Request Only**


***Are you a non-profit conservation group, government agency or working with a government agency? (Yes / ☒ No)**

***If yes, provide the name of the non-profit group or government agency:** _____

***Is your request for conservation purposes or habitat management? (Yes / ☒ No)**

Comments: Weston Conservation Commission sent us an approximate violet bush survey route. We're submitting this request to determine the location of violet bush clover and to confirm whether it is a protected species.

I hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that the information contained is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

***Applicant Signature:**  ***Date:** 12/5/22

A written response will be returned within 30 days of receipt of all information required.

