



**Connecticut Department of
Energy & Environmental Protection**
Bureau of Water Protection & Land Reuse
Land & Water Resources Division

LWRD License Application Pre-Submission Consultation Form Shellfish Commission

You need to complete and submit this form only if your town has a [Shellfish Commission](#).

To the applicant - Prior to the submission of your license application to the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) Land & Water Resources Division (LWRD), please complete Part I, below, and submit this form to your local shellfish commission (contact the town for the appropriate contact person) with a location map of your site and project plans. Once the commission returns the completed form to you, please submit it along with your license application to DEEP.

Part I: To be completed by APPLICANT

1. Applicant/Registrant Information

Name: Town of Westport
 Mailing Address: 110 Myrtle Avenue
 City/Town: Westport State: CT Zip Code: 06880
 Business Phone: 203-341-1128 Ext.: _____
 Contact Person: Keith S. Wilberg Title: Town Engineer
 Business Phone: _____ Ext.: _____
 E-mail: kwilberg@westportct.gov

2. Engineer/Surveyor/Agent Information (list as applicable)

Name: Close, Jensen and Miller, P.C. Title: Agent/Engineer
 Mailing Address: 1137 Silas Deane Highway
 City/Town: Wethersfield State: CT Zip Code: 06109
 Business Phone: 860-563-9375 Ext.: 2160
 Contact Person: Greg Gerrish Title: Environmental Coordinator
 Business Phone: _____ Ext.: _____
 E-mail: ggerrish@cjmpc.com
 Service Provided: Permit Preparer

3. Site Location:

Name of Site : Bridge No. 04972 - Greens Farms Road over Sasco Brook
 Street Address: 408 Greens Farms Road
 City/Town: Westport State: CT Zip Code: 06880
 Tax Assessor's Reference: Map N/A Block N/A Lot N/A
 Name of Waterbody: Sasco Brook

4. Confirm location map and site plans are attached.

Date of plans: June 6, 2023 ____

5. Provide or attach a brief, but thorough description of the project.

Bridge No. 04972 is a two-span structure situated on Greens Farms Road over Sasco Brook approximately 0.2 miles west of its intersection with Route 1 (Post Road), in the Town of Westport (Town). Sasco Brook is the municipal boundary with the Town of Fairfield at this location.

The project proposes to replace the existing two-span bridge and pier with a single span bridge. The existing width including the pier is approximately 32 feet, which will be increased to a single span of 60 feet with the replacement. The increased span will provide a channel width more consistent with the natural upstream and downstream conditions, as well as allow the installation of riparian shelves for the passage of wildlife under the bridge.

Minor impacts below the coastal jurisdictional line (CJL) are due to proposed grading and drainage pipe replacement. Temporary water handling cofferdams will be used for removal of the existing structure and pier. Temporary water handling is anticipated to be in place for approximately 3 months. No impacts are proposed to the vegetated tidal wetlands.

Part II: To be completed by SHELLFISH COMMISSION

This consultation form is required to be submitted as part of an application for a Structures, Dredging & Fill license (Connecticut General Statutes (CGS) Section 22a-361) and/or Tidal Wetlands license (CGS Section 22a-32) to DEEP LWRD. The application has not yet been submitted to DEEP. Please review the enclosed materials and determine whether the project will significantly impact shellfish beds. You may also provide comments or recommendations regarding the proposal. Should you have any questions regarding this process, please call DEEP LWRD at 860-424-3019. **Please return the completed form to the applicant within 60 days of receipt or no adverse impact will be assumed. Do not send a copy of the form directly to DEEP as it is difficult to track without an application number.**

SHELLFISH COMMISSION DETERMINATION:

Project located on (check one): natural bed state bed local bed none
 other, please specify: _____

If project is located upon a franchised or leased shellfish bed, please provide the owner or lessee's contact information below.

Check one of the following:

- I have determined that the work described in Part I of this form and attachments **WILL NOT** adversely impact a shellfish area.
- I have determined that the work described in Part I of this form and attachments **WILL** adversely impact a shellfish area. A summary of the Shellfish Commission's project-specific concerns/comments is described below or attached.

COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS (check the box if attached:):

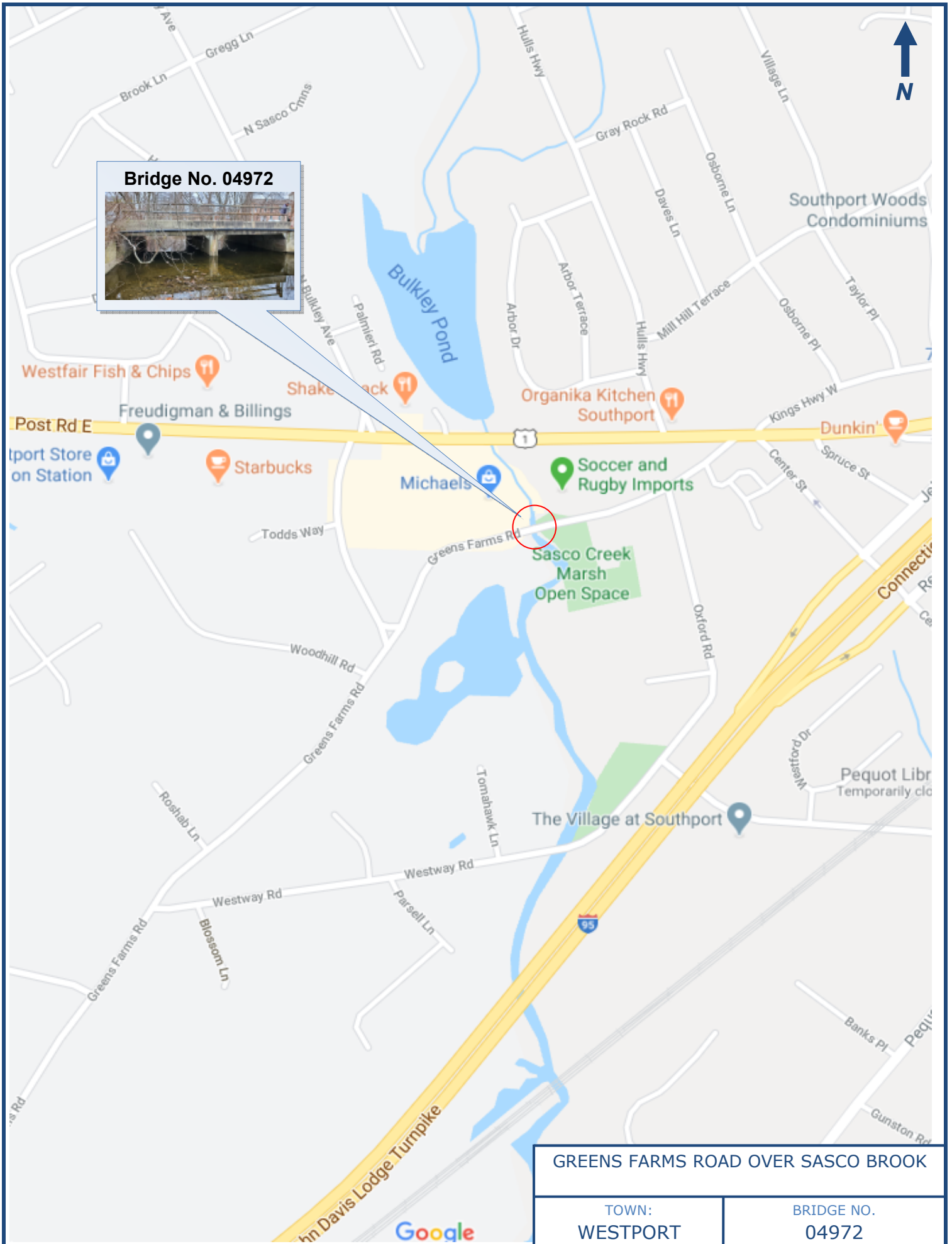
Signature of Commission Representative

Date

Print Name of Commission Representative

Title

Bridge No. 04972



GREENS FARMS ROAD OVER SASCO BROOK	
TOWN: WESTPORT	BRIDGE NO. 04972