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Re: 117 Tatnic Road
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Hello Margaret,

It has been close to a year since we have talked and up until now a quiet one, unfortunately that has ended.

In the past week there has been considerable activity at the Veazie property in what looks like an attempt to trench for his electrical conduit. I have attached pictures of what that work combined with this morning's rain have resulted in, taken at 12:00 noon today.

I know when we last spoke we had discussed the fact he still had to trench through the wetlands crossing at some point for his conduit and you had assured me that the sedimentation controls would be maintained and in place prior to this work, you can see in the pictures and from what is out there, that they appear to have been untouched (down/missing) for a VERY long time - some I would venture to say since they were installed three years ago.

Also, the trenching, if you call it that, has been performed in such a haphazard way that there are spoils material strewn everywhere about driveway and sides of it through the wetlands crossing and upgradient of it - this is the material that is ending up in my pond. There is a silt plum that covers approximately 1/4 of the pond on the shallow end that is thankfully being held back somewhat by the cattails growing there - but the last time I checked cattails are not a sediment control device.

It seems that every time there is earthwork performed on that property I end up paying the price for the shortcomings of the so called contractor (and there have been many over the last 3 years). The Town goes out and makes him perform some work to make the site marginally acceptable and then we wait until the next time it happens - and it always seem to. The fact he is a homeowner self performing his own work does not alleviate him from the requirements the Town would hold any legitimate contractor to and that is all I have asked for all along. At the last Wetlands meeting I attended (Dec. 2019) it was referenced that this was a feud going on between myself and Mr. Veazie - I did take great offense to this and would point out that everything I have ever brought up has been clearly denoted on the approved plans for this site or as the result of a clear violation of regulation/siltation incident. When I read the Wetlands Meeting Minutes I see where the Town is not shy to issue Cease and Desist orders in some cases, yet with the number of incidents that have happened here you will not ?

With more heavy rain predicted on Monday I am hoping you might get this before then and take some sort of action but am am not holding out

much hope, I'm sure I will be sending you a new round of photos on Monday.. I would appreciate as soon as you get this that you would reach out to me and explain what the Town will do (again) to correct/mitigate this issue. It seems that this type of work is always planned around a Holiday/long weekends where there is little chance of the Town witnessing first hand or potentially shutting down his work.

. I hope that your Thanksgiving was more enjoyable than mine.

Regards,

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