

**ENF Environmental Notification Form**

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*Executive Office of Environmental Affairs*  
 EOE No.: **13647**  
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The information requested on this form must be completed to begin MEPA Review in accordance with the provisions of the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act, 301 CMR 11.00.

Project Name: Bourne Counting House		
Street: 1 Merrills Wharf		
Municipality: New Bedford	Watershed: Buzzards Bay	
Universal Transverse Mercator Coordinates:	Latitude: 41°37'50.3" N Longitude: 70°55'17.7" W	
Estimated commencement date: N/A	Estimated completion date: N/A	
Approximate cost: N/A	Status of project design: 100 % complete	
Proponent: Bourne Counting House LLC c/o William N. Whelan		
Street: 500 Faunce Corner Road		
Municipality: Dartmouth	State: MA	Zip Code: 02747
Name of Contact Person From Whom Copies of this ENF May Be Obtained: Nancy Nielson		
Firm/Agency: Prime Engineering, Inc.	Street: 350 Bedford Street (P.O. Box 1088)	
Municipality: Lakeville	State: MA	Zip Code: 02347
Phone: 508-947-0050	Fax: 508-947-2004	E-mail:

- Does this project meet or exceed a mandatory EIR threshold (see 301 CMR 11.03)?  
 Yes  No
- Has this project been filed with MEPA before?  
 Yes (EOEA No. \_\_\_\_\_)  No
- Has any project on this site been filed with MEPA before?  
 Yes (EOEA No. \_\_\_\_\_)  No
- Is this an Expanded ENF (see 301 CMR 11.05(7)) requesting:
- a Single EIR? (see 301 CMR 11.06(8))  Yes  No
  - a Special Review Procedure? (see 301 CMR 11.09)  Yes  No
  - a Waiver of mandatory EIR? (see 301 CMR 11.11)  Yes  No
  - a Phase I Waiver? (see 301 CMR 11.11)  Yes  No

Identify any financial assistance or land transfer from an agency of the Commonwealth, including the agency name and the amount of funding or land area (in acres): None

Are you requesting coordinated review with any other federal, state, regional, or local agency?  
 Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_)  No

List Local or Federal Permits and Approvals: Chapter 91 License, Conservation Determination of  
Applicability

Which ENF or EIR review threshold(s) does the project meet or exceed (see 301 CMR 11.03):

- |                                 |                                       |  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Land   | <input type="checkbox"/> Rare Species | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wetlands, Waterways, & Tidelands |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water  | <input type="checkbox"/> Wastewater   | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Energy | <input type="checkbox"/> Air          | <input type="checkbox"/> Solid & Hazardous Waste                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ACEC   | <input type="checkbox"/> Regulations  | <input type="checkbox"/> Historical & Archaeological Resources       |

Summary of Project Size & Environmental Impacts	Existing	Change	Total	State Permits & Approvals
<b>LAND</b>				<input type="checkbox"/> Order of Conditions <input type="checkbox"/> Superseding Order of Conditions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chapter 91 License <input type="checkbox"/> 401 Water Quality Certification <input type="checkbox"/> MHD or MDC Access Permit <input type="checkbox"/> Water Management Act Permit <input type="checkbox"/> New Source Approval <input type="checkbox"/> DEP or MWRA Sewer Connection/Extension Permit <input type="checkbox"/> Other Permits <i>(including Legislative Approvals) – Specify:</i>
Total site acreage	0.221			
New acres of land altered		0		
Acres of impervious area	0.199	0	0.199	
Square feet of new bordering vegetated wetlands alteration		0		
Square feet of new other wetland alteration		0		
Acres of new non-water dependent use of tidelands or waterways		0		
<b>STRUCTURES</b>				
Gross square footage	19,000	0	19,000	
Number of housing units	0	0	0	
Maximum height (in feet)	50	0	50	
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>				
Vehicle trips per day	500	0	500	
Parking spaces	0	0	0	
<b>WATER/WASTEWATER</b>				
Gallons/day (GPD) of water use	1425	0	1425	
GPD water withdrawal	0	0	0	
GPD wastewater generation/treatment	1425	0	1425	
Length of water/sewer mains (in miles)	0	0	0	

**CONSERVATION LAND:** Will the project involve the conversion of public parkland or other Article 97 public natural resources to any purpose not in accordance with Article 97?

- Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_)  No

Will it involve the release of any conservation restriction, preservation restriction, agricultural preservation restriction, or watershed preservation restriction?

- Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_)  No

**RARE SPECIES:** Does the project site include Estimated Habitat of Rare Species, Vernal Pools, Priority Sites of Rare Species, or Exemplary Natural Communities?  
 Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ )  No

**HISTORICAL /ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES:** Does the project site include any structure, site or district listed in the State Register of Historic Place or the inventory of Historic and Archaeological Assets of the Commonwealth?  
 Yes (Specify\_Merrill's Wharf #77000167 )  No

If yes, does the project involve any demolition or destruction of any listed or inventoried historic or archaeological resources?  
 Yes (Specify \_\_\_\_\_ )  No

**AREAS OF CRITICAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN:** Is the project in or adjacent to an Area of Critical Environmental Concern?  
 Yes ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  No

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** The project description should include (a) a description of the project site, (b) a description of both on-site and off-site alternatives and the impacts associated with each alternative, and (c) potential on-site and off-site mitigation measures for each alternative (*You may attach one additional page, if necessary.*)

The project site is 0.224 acres of land and consists of the Bourne Counting House, which is an existing granite building surrounded by sidewalks, drives, and parking areas and is located easterly of MacArthur Drive. The building was constructed circ 1860 on an area that was historically filled tide land. No work or alterations are proposed on this site.