

Project Evaluation Checklist - Local Advisory Committee

Scoring System: 1 = Poor, 3 = Acceptable, 5 = Excellent, N/A not applicable

Project Overview: _____

NHDES #: _____

Project Name/Owner: _____

Project Engineer: _____

Location/Town: _____

Date of Application Review: _____

Consistency with River Corridor Management Plan

1. Does the project align with objectives in the local River Corridor Management Plan? **Score:** _____
2. Are there conflicts with recommended land use practices? **Score:** _____

Environmental Impact Assessment

3. Are raingardens or retention systems included for areas that lead directly to or near water bodies without treatment? **Score:** _____
4. Potential effects on water quality (e.g., sedimentation, pollution) **Score:** _____
5. Impact on riparian buffers and wetlands **Score:** _____
6. Effects on aquatic and terrestrial habitats **Score:** _____
7. Consideration of floodplain functions and storage capacity **Score:** _____

Compliance with Local and State Regulations

8. Adherence to Shoreland Water Quality Protection Act requirements **Score:** _____
9. Conformity with local zoning ordinances and conservation overlays **Score:** _____

Stormwater Management

10. Is there sufficient erosion control and sediment filtering in place, especially where runoff will be directed to existing outflows? **Yes** _____ **No** _____ **and Score:** _____
11. Adequacy of proposed stormwater management systems **Score:** _____
12. Use of Low Impact Development (LID) techniques **Score:** _____
13. Stormwater retention areas perched above the river **Yes** _____ **No** _____ **and Score:** _____

Snow Management

14. Does the project include a designated snow storage area? **Yes**____ **No**____ and **Score:** ____
15. Green SnowPro or equivalent environmentally friendly de-icing methods? **Yes**____ **No**____ and **Score:** ____

Public Access and Recreational Considerations

16. Any impact on existing public access points to the river **Yes**____ **No**____ and **Score:** ____
17. Opportunities to enhance or provide new public access **Yes**____ **No**____ and **Score:** ____

Cultural and Historical Resources

18. Assessment of potential impacts on cultural or historical sites **Score:** ____

Cumulative Impacts

19. Evaluation of the project as compared to other existing/proposed developments **Score:** ____
20. Consideration of long-term impacts on the river corridor **Score:** ____
21. Proposed actions to avoid, minimize, or compensate for adverse impacts **Score:** ____
22. Plans for ongoing maintenance and monitoring of mitigation efforts **Score:** ____
23. Summary of public/municipal comments or concerns **Score:** ____

Additional Considerations

24. Climate resilience and adaptation measures **Score:** ____
25. Consistency with regional conservation initiatives **Score:** ____

Reviewer's Summary and Recommendations

Overall Score: ____

Specific conditions or modifications recommended for project approval:

Suggestions for monitoring or follow-up actions post-approval: