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**Subject: Construction General Permit 3-9020 (Amended 2008)  
Authorization of Notice of Intent # 5725-9020  
Forest Heights Subdivision**

Dear Mr. Belisle,

Notice of Intent # 5725-9020 for the discharge of stormwater from the construction of the Forest Heights Subdivision has been authorized. Enclosed are five documents that you will need to maintain compliance with this authorization.

**1. Authorized Notice of Intent (NOI).**

The authorized NOI for Moderate Projects is valid until the expiration of the general permit, in 2013. If the project will proceed past the expiration date, you must reapply for coverage under this or another construction stormwater permit before that time unless a replacement permit has not been issued. Refer to Appendix D of the permit for complete information on permit expiration. If the project is completed or is sold before that time, you may terminate the authorization by submitting a Notice of Termination, subject to Subpart 7.4 of the permit.

**2. Notice of Authorization for Posting**

The notice of Authorization, which details the authorization and conditions you selected in completion of Appendix A to the CGP, must be posted in a location visible to the public in accordance with Subpart 4.5.C of the CGP. In accordance with Subpart 5.1 of the CGP, the project risk score must be re-evaluated prior to any major changes to the construction plan.

**3. On-Site Plan Coordinator Manual**



This manual provides a summary of the inspection and record-keeping requirements for your project, a copy of the permit, as well as all forms that might be needed throughout the project. This manual must be provided to the On-Site Coordinator, and must be available for review by DEC representatives during site inspections.

**4. Vermont EPSC Field Guide**

The Vermont Erosion Prevention and Sediment Control Field Guide was developed to assist contractors in the proper installation and maintenance of Best Management Practices.

**5. Turbidity Monitoring Factsheet**

The February, 2008 amendment to the Construction General Permit requires the On-Site Plan Coordinator to monitor discharges from Moderate Risk construction sites for turbidity. This factsheet explains these requirements and provides guidance on proper sampling techniques.

Sincerely,



Heather Mack  
Administrative Assistant  
Stormwater Program

Cc. Sam Ruggiano, Ruggiano Engineering

## Notice of Authorization

Under Vermont Construction General Permit 3-9020  
For **Moderate Risk Projects**



**Project Name: Forest Heights Subdivision      Notice of Intent Number: 5725-9020**

**Permittee Name: Black Hole LLC                      Date of Authorization: 07/25/2008**

**The project listed above has received authorization under General Permit 3-9020 to discharge stormwater from the following construction activities:**

**Construction of a 9 lot residential subdivision, shared driveway, and infrastructure.**

**This authorization includes the following requirements:**

1. Implementation of the authorized site-specific Erosion Prevention and Sediment Control Plan.
2. All areas of disturbance must have temporary or final stabilization within 7 days of the initial disturbance. After this time, any disturbance in the area must be stabilized at the end of each work day. The following exceptions apply:
  - a. Stabilization is not required if work is to continue in the area within the next 24 hours and there is no precipitation forecast for the next 24 hours.
  - b. Stabilization is not required if the work is occurring in a self-contained excavation (i.e. no outlet) with a depth of 2 feet or greater (e.g. house foundation excavation, utility trenches).
3. No more than 2 acres of land may be disturbed at any one time.
4. Inspections shall be conducted at least once every seven (7) calendar days and within twenty-four (24) hours of the end of a storm event resulting in discharge of stormwater from the construction site.
5. All discharges of stormwater from the project must pass through at least 50 feet of vegetated buffer before entering waters of the state
6. If there is a discharge of visibly discolored stormwater from the construction site or from the construction site to waters of the State, the permittee shall take immediate corrective action.
7. If there is a discharge of visibly discolored stormwater from the construction site to waters of the State, the permittee shall notify DEC by submitting a report within 72 hours of the discharge.
8. The On-site Plan Coordinator shall have a copy of the EPSC Plan and all amendments available at a central location on-site for the use of all those identified as having responsibilities under the EPSC Plan whenever they are on the construction site. If an on-site location is unavailable to store the EPSC Plan when no personnel are present, notice of the plan's location shall be posted near the main entrance at the construction site.

**To request information on this authorization, or to report compliance concerns, please contact the Water Quality Division at (802) 241-3770 or write to:**

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