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October 18, 2019

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RE: Echo Farms Park located at 4112 Echo Farms Boulevard

Please make note of the conditions for the release as they appear on the attached release letter. These conditions must be followed and met in order for the construction to be approved. ***Prior to beginning any construction or grading on the site, you must have a pre-construction meeting between City staff and the project's representatives. Any violation of this condition will result in an immediate stop work order and other civil penalties. Please contact our zoning office at 254-0900 to schedule the preconstruction meeting.***

All construction on the site must be in accordance with the City of Wilmington standards and the approved construction plans stamped by the City. All trees and areas designated to be saved or protected must be properly barricaded and/or marked throughout construction. In addition please be aware that to obtain a final zoning inspection for this construction project, the appropriate departments within the City of Wilmington must perform and approve final inspections.

To arrange for inspections please contact the assigned Zoning Enforcement Officer, at 254-0900. Staff will coordinate the inspections and provide a punch-list to the Developer within 5 working days. Upon correction of the punch-list items, a final inspection will be performed. ***NOTE: Zoning will not issue final approval until all requirements of the City of Wilmington are fulfilled.***

Please also be advised that any party aggrieved by the issuance of this approval may file a notice of appeal to the City Clerk within 30 days of receipt of active or constructive notice of this decision. It shall be presumed that all persons with standing to appeal have constructive notice of the decision from the date a sign containing the words "Zoning Decision" or "Subdivision Decision" in letters at least six inches high and identifying the means to contact an official for information about the decision is prominently posted on the property that is the subject of the decision, provided the sign remains on the property for at least 10 days. Posting of signs is not the only form of constructive notice. Any such posting shall be the responsibility of the landowner or applicant. Verification of the posting shall be provided to the official who made the decision. Absent an ordinance provision to the contrary, posting of signs shall not be required.

The City thanks you for your investment in our community and we look forward to working with you towards the construction of a quality development project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Brian Chambers", written over a blue circular stamp.

Brian Chambers, AICP
Senior Planner



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

TO: John Barham, Zoning Inspector
 DATE: October 18, 2019
 SUBJECT: **Echo Farms Park** Project # 2019011
 LOCATION: 4112 Echo Farms Boulevard

The following items are being sent to you via this package.

QUAN.	DWG./NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	Dated 10/14/19	Echo Farms Park Approved Plans
1	Dated 8/8/19	City Tree Removal Permit TPP-19-200
1	Dated 7/10/19	NC Erosion & Sedimentation Control NEWHA-2019-028
1	Dated 10/14/19	City Stormwater Discharge Permit No. 2019060 (under separate cover)

REMARKS: **Echo Farms Park** located at 4112 Echo Farms Boulevard, is hereby conditionally released for construction. The following conditions must be satisfied as part of this release:

- A. **A PRE-CONSTRUCTION MEETING MUST BE HELD BETWEEN THE SITE CONTRACTOR AND CITY STAFF PRIOR TO ANY SITE WORK, TREE REMOVAL, CLEARING, OR GRADING BEGINNING ON THE SITE. FAILURE TO COMPLY WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE CIVIL PENALTIES. CONTACT 910-254-0900.**
- B. **ANY TREES, INCLUDING THE CRITICAL ROOT ZONE AREA, AND/OR AREA DESIGNATED TO BE SAVED MUST BE PROPERLY BARRICADED OR MARKED WITH FENCING AND PROTECTED THROUGHOUT CONSTRUCTION TO INSURE THAT NO CLEARING AND GRADING WILL OCCUR IN THOSE AREAS.**
- C. **NO EQUIPMENT IS ALLOWED ON THE SITE AND NO CONSTRUCTION OF ANY BUILDING, STRUCTURE, WALL, UTILITIES, INFRASTRUCTURE, ETC., OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING FOOTINGS AND BUILDING SLABS, WILL BE PERMITTED UNTIL:**
 - 1. **ALL TREE PROTECTION FENCING AND SILT FENCING HAS BEEN INSTALLED**
 - 2. **BETH WETHERILL HAS FORMALLY ISSUED THE GRADING PERMIT AND AUTHORIZED THE ACTIVITY**
 - 3. **THE CFPUA HAS AUTHORIZED THE WATER AND SEWER ACTIVITIES. THE CONTRACTOR MUST HAVE A PRECON WITH CFPUA 332-6560.**
 - 4. **THE CITY ZONING INSPECTOR AUTHORIZES THE ACTIVITY.**
- D. **A MAP SHOWING ALL REQUIRED EASEMENTS AND RIFHT(S)-OF-WAY MUST BE REVIEWED BY CITY STAFF AND RECORDED AT THE REGISTER OF DEEDS PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A FINAL ZONING APPROVAL.**

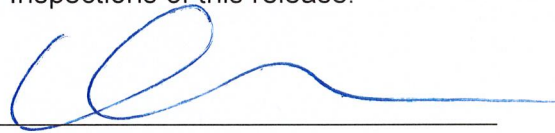
- E. THIS PROJECT WILL REQUIRE THE DEDICATION OF PUBLIC ACCESS EASEMENT(S).**
- F. PROPER DEDICATION OF PUBLIC EASEMENTS REQUIRES AN EASEMENT MAP (OR LEGAL DESCRIPTION) AND A DEED OF EASEMENT. THE EASEMENT MAP OR LEGAL DESCRIPTION IS PREPARED BY A LICENSED SURVEYOR. THE DEED OF EASEMENT IS PREPARED BY THE CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE (CAO). A TITLE POLICY FOR THE PROPERTY IS NECESSARY IN ORDER TO PREPARE THE DOCUMENT. RECORDATION OF BOTH THE EASEMENT MAP AND THE DEED OF EASEMENT WILL BE REQUIRED PRIOR TO THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY.**
- G. THIS DEVELOPMENT SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL LOCAL, CITY TECHNICAL STANDARDS, REGIONAL, STATE AND FEDERAL DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS. ALL APPLICABLE TRC REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF THE FINAL ZONING APPROVAL.**
- H. PER THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE STORMWATER PERMIT, THE FOLLOWING SHALL OCCUR PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY OR OPERATION OF THE PERMITTED FACILITY:**
- AS-BUILT DRAWINGS FOR ALL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT FACILITIES SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY OF WILMINGTON ENGINEERING DIVISION.**
 - AN ENGINEER'S CERTIFICATION SHALL ALSO BE SUBMITTED, ALONG WITH ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION THAT SPECIFIES, UNDER SEAL THAT THE AS-BUILT STORMWATER MEASURES, CONTROLS AND DEVICES ARE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORMWATER MANAGEMENT PLANS.**
 - A FINAL INSPECTION IS REQUIRED BY CITY OF WILMINGTON ENGINEERING PERSONNEL (910) 341-5856.**
- I. PRIOR TO A FINAL INSPECTION, A WALKTHROUGH WITH CITY INSPECTIONS SHALL TAKE PLACE TO VERIFY COMPLETENESS OF SITE WORK IN ROW. ANY MATERIAL TEST REPORTS AND STORMWATER VIDEOS AS REQUIRED SHALL BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO AND APPROVED BY CITY ENGINEERING. PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY ENGINEERING DIVISION AT 910.341.0094.**
- J. PROPERTIES WITHIN THE SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREA SHALL BE SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH ARTICLE 13 OF THE LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE. PLEASE CONTACT KATHRYN THURSTON, ZONING ADMINISTRATOR/FLOODPLAIN MANAGER (910.341.3249) FOR CLARIFICATION ON REQUIREMENTS FOR DEVELOPMENT IN THE FLOOD PLAIN.**
- K. THE DEVELOPER ASSUMES ALL RISKS AND PENALTIES WITH ANY DELAY OR STOP WORK ORDER ASSOCIATED WITH THE VIOLATION OF THIS RELEASE. THE DEVELOPER ACKNOWLEDGES THE CONDITIONS OF THIS RELEASE AND ASSUMES ALL RESPONSIBILITIES AND RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH IT. THE CITY OF WILMINGTON WILL NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CONSTRUCTION RELEASE.**
- L. APPROVAL OF A MAJOR OR MINOR SITE PLAN SHALL EXPIRE AFTER EIGHTEEN (18) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF SUCH APPROVAL IF THE APPLICANT HAS FAILED TO MAKE SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS ON THE SITE.**

THE TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE MAY GRANT A SINGLE, SIX-MONTH EXTENSION OF THIS TIME LIMIT FOR MAJOR AND MINOR SITE PLANS, FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN, UPON RECEIVING A REQUEST FROM THE APPLICANT BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF THE APPROVED PLAN. IN THE EVENT APPROVAL OF A SITE PLAN HAS EXPIRED, FOR WHATEVER REASONS, THE OWNER AND/OR APPLICANT WILL BE REQUIRED TO RESUBMIT FOR APPROVAL OF A SITE PLAN THAT MEETS CURRENT DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED IN THIS CHAPTER.

M. IF THE CONDITIONS LISTED ABOVE ARE VIOLATED, A STOP WORK ORDER WILL BE ISSUED.

Please notify New Hanover County Building Inspections of this release.

Signature: _____



Brian Chambers, AICP
Senior Planner

Copy: Rob Balland	Applicant (e-mail only)
Bret Russell	Construction Manager
Rob Gordon	Engineering
Jim Quinn	Stormwater Specialist
Aaron Reese	Urban Forestry
Rich Christensen	Engineering (email only)
Eric Seidel	Engineering (email only)
Trent Butler	Engineering (email only)
Chris Elrod	Wilmington Fire Department (e-mail only)
Chris Walker	Wilmington Fire Department (e-mail only)
Brian Blackmon	Surveyor (e-mail only)
Jim Sahlie	GIS Addressing (e-mail only)
Bill McDow	Traffic Engineering (e-mail only)
Mitesh Baxi	Traffic Engineering (e-mail only)
Don Bennett	Traffic Engineering (e-mail only)
Bernice Johnson	CFPUA (e-mail letter only)
Beth Easley Wetherill	NHC Erosion Control (e-mail only)
Michelle Hutchinson	GIS Engineer (e-mail only)
Amy Beatty	Community Services (e-mail only)
Ryan O'Reilly	Community Services (e-mail only)
Joan Mancuso	City Zoning (email only)
Amy Schaefer	City Attorney's Office (email only)
Amy Dukes	City Attorney's Office (email only)

File: **Echo Farms Park**

Project File # 2019011



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APPROVED: X DENIED: _____ PERMIT #: TPP-19-200

Application for Tree Removal Permit

Name of Applicant: New Hanover County Phone: _____ Date: 05/14/19

Name of Property Owner: New Hanover County Phone: _____

Property Owner Address: 230 Government Center Drive, Wilmington, NC 28403

Address of Proposed Tree Removal: 4112 Echo Farms Boulevard, Wilmington, NC 28412

Description of tree(s) to be removed/reason for removal: (provide attachment if necessary)

- 1. 28" Cypress (1) for essential site improvements
- 2. 8" Birch (1) for essential site improvements
- 3. 10" Ironwood (1) for essential site improvements
- 4. 12" Pine (1) for essential site improvements
- 5. 20" Pine (1) for essential site improvements
- 6. 10" Sycamore (1) for essential site improvements
- 7. 12" Sycamore (1) for essential site improvements
- 8. 21" Palm (1) for essential site improvements
- 9. _____
- 10. _____

Description of Replacement Tree(s): Please refer to the Landscape Plan for proposed replacement trees.

I, Timothy C. Burgess, Assistant County Manager, certify that the property owner has given me permission to apply for this permit on his/her behalf.

Applicant Signature: [Signature] Date: 4/12/2019

*****FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY*****

Reviewed By: [Signature] Date: 8/8/19

Remarks: Per Approved Plan

ALL WORK MUST BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE CITY LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE,
ARTICLE 8, LANDSCAPING AND TREE PRESERVATION.

NEW CONSTRUCTION: _____ EXPANSION: _____ OTHER: _____ PAID: \$150.00

Tree Preservation Permit Fees

Less than 1 acre	\$25.00
1-5 acres	\$50.00
5-10 acres	\$100.00
Greater than 10 acres	\$150.00

5/14/19
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July 10, 2019

LETTER OF APPROVAL WITH MODIFICATIONS AND PERFORMANCE RESERVATIONS

New Hanover County

ATTN: Tim Burgess, Assistant County Manager

230 Government Center Drive

Wilmington, NC 28403

RE: Project Name: Echo Farms Park
Acres Approved: 4.80
Project ID: NEWHA-2019-028
County: New Hanover
City: Wilmington
Address: Echo Farms Boulevard
River Basin: Cape Fear
Stream Classification: Other
Submitted By: Ayden Chung, EI, Paramounte Engineering, Inc.
Date Received by LQS: June 25, 2019
Plan Type: Commercial

Dear Mr. Burgess:

This office has reviewed the subject erosion and sedimentation control plan and hereby issues this Letter of Approval with Modifications and Performance Reservations. A list of the modifications and reservations is attached. This plan approval shall expire three (3) years following the date of approval, if no land-disturbing activity has been undertaken, as is required by Title 15A NCAC 4B .0129. Should the plan not perform adequately, a revised plan will be required (G.S. 113A-54.1)(b).

As of April 1, 2019, all new construction activities are required to complete and submit an electronic Notice of Intent (NOI) form requesting a Certificate of Coverage (COC) under the NCG010000 Construction Stormwater General Permit. This form **MUST** be submitted and COC issued prior to the commencement of any land disturbing activity on the above-named project. The NOI form may be accessed at deq.nc.gov/NCG01. Please direct questions about the NOI form to Annette Lucas at Annette.lucas@ncdenr.gov or Paul Clark at Paul.clark@ncdenr.gov. After you submit a complete and correct NOI Form, a COC will be emailed to you within **three business days**. Initially, DEMLR will not charge a fee for coverage under the NCG01 permit. However, a \$100 fee will soon be charged annually. This fee is to be sent to the DEMLR Stormwater Central Office staff in Raleigh.



Title 15A NCAC 4B .0118(a) and the NCG01 permit require that the following documentation be kept on file at the job site:

1. The approved E&SC plan as well as any approved deviation.
2. The NCG01 permit and the COC, once it is received.
3. Records of inspections made during the previous 12 months.

Also, this letter gives the notice required by G.S. 113A-61.1(a) of our right of periodic inspection to insure compliance with the approved plan.

North Carolina's Sedimentation Pollution Control Program is performance-oriented, requiring protection of existing natural resources and adjoining properties. If, following the commencement of this project, it is determined that the erosion and sedimentation control plan is inadequate to meet the requirements of the Sedimentation Pollution Control Act of 1973 (North Carolina General Statute 113A-51 through 66), this office may require revisions to the plan and implementation of the revisions to ensure compliance with the Act.

Acceptance and approval of this plan is conditioned upon your compliance with Federal and State water quality laws, regulations, and rules. In addition, local city or county ordinances or rules may also apply to this land-disturbing activity. This approval does not supersede any other permit or approval.

Please note that this approval is based in part on the accuracy of the information provided in the Financial Responsibility Form, which you provided. This permit allows for a land-disturbance, as called for on the application plan, not to exceed the approved acres. Exceeding the acreage will be a violation of this permit and would require a revised plan and additional application fee. You are requested to file an amended form if there is any change in the information included on the form. In addition, it would be helpful if you notify this office of the proposed starting date for this project. Please notify us if you plan to have a preconstruction conference.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Hall

Rhonda Hall
Assistant Regional Engineer
Land Quality Section

Enclosures: Modifications and Performance Reservations
NPDES NCG01 Fact Sheet

cc: Ayden Chung, EI, Paramounte Engineering, Inc.
122 Cinema Drive, Wilmington, NC 28403

Wilmington Regional Office file

MODIFICATIONS AND PERFORMANCE RESERVATIONS

Project Name: Echo Farms Park
Project ID: NEWHA-2019-028
County: New Hanover

1. This plan approval shall expire three (3) years following the date of approval, if no land-disturbing activity has been undertaken, as is required by Title 15A NCAC 4B .0129.
2. The developer is responsible for the control of sediment on-site. If the approved erosion and sedimentation control measures prove insufficient, the developer must take those additional steps necessary to stop sediment from leaving this site (NCGS 113A-57(3)). Each sediment storage device must be inspected after each storm event (NCGS 113A-54.1(e)). Maintenance and/or clean out is necessary anytime the device is at 50% capacity. All sediment storage measures will remain on site and functional until all grading and final landscaping of the project is complete (15A NCAC 04B .0113).
3. Any and all existing ditches on this project site are assumed to be left undisturbed by the proposed development unless otherwise noted. The removal of vegetation within any existing ditch or channel is prohibited unless the ditch or channel is to be regarded with side slopes of 2 horizontal to 1 vertical or less steep (15A NCAC 04B .0124 (d)). Bank slopes may be mowed, but stripping of vegetation is considered new earth work and is subject to the same erosion control requirements as new ditches (NCGS 113A-52(6)).
4. The developer is responsible for obtaining any and all permits and approvals necessary for the development of this project prior to the commencement of this land disturbing activity. This could include our agency's Stormwater regulations and the Division of Water Resources' enforcement requirements within Section 401 of the Clean Water Act, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' jurisdiction of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, the Division of Coastal Management's CAMA requirements, the Division of Solid Waste Management's landfill regulations, the Environmental Protection Agency and/or The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers jurisdiction of the Clean Water Act, local County or Municipalities' ordinances, or others that may be required. This approval cannot supersede any other permit or approval; however, in the case of a Cease and Desist Order from the Corps of Engineers, that Order would only apply to wetland areas. All highland would still have to be in compliance with the N.C. Sedimentation Pollution Control Act.
5. If any area on site falls within the jurisdiction of Section 401 or 404 of the Clean Water Act, the developer is responsible for compliance with the requirements of the Division of Water Resources (DWR), the Corps of Engineers and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) respectively. Any erosion control measures that fall within jurisdictional wetland areas must be approved by the aforementioned agencies prior to installation. The Land Quality Section must be notified of a relocation of the measures in question to the transition point between the wetlands and the uplands to assure that the migration of sediment will not occur. If that relocation presents a problem or contradicts any requirements of either DWR, the Corps, or the EPA, it is the responsibility of the developer to inform the Land Quality Section regional office so that an adequate contingency plan can be made to assure sufficient erosion control remains on site. Failure to do so will be considered a violation of this approval (NCGS 113A-54.1(b)).

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6. Any borrow material brought onto this site must be from a legally operated mine or other approved source. Any soil waste that leaves this site can be transported to a permitted mine or separately permitted construction sites without additional permits under NCGS 74-49(7)(d). Disposal at any other location would have to be included as a permit revision for this approval.
7. This permit allows for a land disturbance, as called for on the application plan, not to exceed **4.8** acres. Exceeding that acreage will be a violation of this permit and would require a revised plan and additional application fee. Any addition in impervious surface, over that already noted on the approved plan, would also require a revised plan to verify the appropriateness of the erosion control measures and stormwater retention measures (NCGS 113A-54.1(b)).
8. The construction detail for the proposed silt fence requires reinforcing wire and **steel** posts a maximum of eight (8) feet apart. Omission of the reinforcing wire is a construction change that necessitates more posts for support, i.e., the spacing distance needs to be reduced to no greater than six (6) feet apart (E&SC Planning & Design Manual 6.63, Rev. 6/06).
9. Sediment storage basins have not been provided on this site. It is proposed that silt fencing be used for sediment retention. If this proves to be inadequate, the developer must take those additional steps necessary to stop sediment from leaving this site and a revised Soil and Erosion Control Plan will be required to be submitted (NCGS 113A-57(3)).
10. A graveled construction entrance must be located at each point of access and egress available to construction vehicles during the grading and construction phases of this project. Access and egress from the project site at a point without a graveled entrance will be considered a violation of this approval. Routine maintenance of the entrances is critical (113A-54.1(b)).
11. As a condition of the NPDES General Stormwater Permit (NCG010000), the financially responsible party shall comply with the NCG01 Ground Stabilization And Materials Handling requirements that became effective April 1, 2019. The NCG01 Ground Stabilization And Materials Handling standard detail can be printed from the deq.nc.gov/NCG01 website.
12. As a condition of the NPDES General Stormwater Permit (NCG010000), the financially responsible party shall comply with the NCG01 Self-Inspection, Recordkeeping and Reporting requirements that became effective April 1, 2019. The NCG01 Self-Inspection, Recordkeeping and Reporting standard detail can be printed from the deq.nc.gov/NCG01 website.
13. As a part of routine monitoring of the approved land-disturbing activity, the financially responsible party shall assure inspections of the area covered by the approved plan after each phase of the plan has been completed and after establishment of temporary ground cover in accordance with North Carolina General Statute 113A-54.1(e).

Ref: G.S. 113A-54.1 through G.S. 113A-57
Sections 15A NCAC 04A.0101 through 15A NCAC 04E.0504
General Permit NCG 010000 NPDES for Construction Activities