



File Number

Sensitive Areas Certification Form

Sensitive Area Authorization

Property Owner:

Name

Address

City/State/Zip

Telephone

E-mail

Applicant:

Name

Address

City/State/Zip

Telephone

E-mail

Project Location:

Street, road, or other descriptive location

Tax lot Map ID#

River Basin

Watershed Basin

An on-site, sensitive area reconnaissance was completed on:

Date

By

Title

Company

A. Existence of Sensitive Areas

As defined in the District's Stormwater Design Standards, sensitive areas:

do do not exist on site (check appropriate box).

do do not exist within 200' on adjacent properties, or unable to evaluate adjacent property (check appropriate box).

- If sensitive areas exist, complete Section B below.
- If sensitive areas do not exist, skip Section B, sign this form and submit to the District with Site Assessment and Planning Checklist requirements to obtain the Sensitive Area Authorization and subsequent Preliminary Statement of Feasibility.



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B. Types of Sensitive Areas

The type(s) of sensitive area(s) that occur on site or within 200 ft on adjacent properties are (check all that apply):

- wetland(s) spring(s) intermittent stream(s) perennial stream(s) pond(s)

Sign this form and submit to the District with Preliminary Site Assessment and Planning Checklist requirements with one (1) copy of the Natural Resources Assessment Report

- The Natural Resources Assessment Report includes:
 - Wetland Delineation Report per DSL/Corps reporting requirements (if wetlands present).
 - Vegetated Buffer documentation meeting the requirements of the District Stormwater Design Standards, **Chapter 3 – Sensitive Areas and Vegetated Buffers.**

C. Area of Vegetated Corridor

Outer length of Vegetated Buffer on-site _____

Average width of Vegetated Buffer on-site _____

Total square footage of Vegetated Buffer on-site _____

By signing this form the Owner, or Owner’s authorized agent or representative, acknowledges and agrees that employees of Water Environment Services have authority to enter the project site at all reasonable times for the purpose of inspecting project site conditions and gathering information related to the project site.

I certify that I am familiar with the information contained in this document, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, this information is true, complete, and accurate.

Applicant:

Print/Type Name

Print/Type Title

Signature

Date

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Sensitive areas potentially exist on site or within 200’ of the site. **THE APPLICANT MUST PERFORM A SENSITIVE AREA ASSESSMENT PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF A SENSITIVE AREA AUTHORIZATION.** If Sensitive Areas exist on the site or within 200 feet on adjacent properties, a Natural Resources Assessment Report may also be required.

Based on review of the submitted **Sensitive Area Certification** and best available information, Sensitive Areas do not appear to exist on site or within 200’ of the site. This Sensitive Area Authorization does **NOT** eliminate the need to evaluate and protect sensitive areas if they are subsequently discovered. This document will serve as your **SENSITIVE AREA AUTHORIZATION**. All required permits and approvals must be obtained and completed under applicable Local, State, and Federal law.

Reviewed by (District Staff): _____ **Date:** _____