



STATE OF DELAWARE

**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND
ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL**

DIVISION OF WATER

RICHARDSON & ROBBINS BUILDING

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**WETLANDS &
WATERWAYS
SECTION**

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GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. The lessee and contractor shall at all times comply with all applicable laws and regulations of the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control.
2. The activities authorized herein shall be undertaken in accordance with the Lease conditions, the final stamped and approved plans, and with the information provided in the lease application.
3. A copy of this Lease and the stamped approved plans shall be available on-site during all phases of construction activity.
4. The conditions contained herein shall be incorporated into any and all construction contracts associated with the construction authorized herein. The lessee and contractor are responsible to ensure that the workers executing the activities authorized by this Lease have full knowledge of, and abide by, the terms and conditions of this Lease.
5. No portion of the structure shall be constructed using creosote treated lumber.
6. No portion of the structure(s) authorized by this Lease shall exceed the dimensions for that structure identified on Page One of this Lease.
7. The activities authorized herein shall be conducted so as not to violate the State of Delaware's Surface Water Quality Standards in effect at the date of Lease authorization.
8. The issuance of this Lease does not constitute approval for any activities that may be required by any other local, state or federal government agency.
9. The issuance of this Lease does not imply approval of any other part, phase, or portion of any overall project the lessee may be contemplating.
10. This Lease authorizes only the activities described herein. Modifications to the project may require a supplemental approval from this office prior to the initiation of construction. A determination of the need for a supplemental approval will be made by this office pursuant to the lessee submitting written notification and revised plans indicating project changes. Failure to contact the Department prior to executing changes to the project shall constitute reason for this Lease being revoked.
11. The Contractors Completion Report shall be filled out and returned within 10 days of completion of the authorized work.
12. The lessee shall protect and hold the State of Delaware harmless from any loss, cost or damage resulting from the activities authorized herein.
13. Representatives of the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control shall be allowed to access the property to inspect all work during any phase of the construction and may conduct pre and post-construction inspections, collect any samples or conduct any tests that are deemed necessary.
14. The lessee shall maintain all authorized structures and activities in a good and safe condition.

15. All construction materials, waste or debris associated with this activity shall be properly disposed of and contained at all times to prevent its entry into waters or wetlands. Construction materials shall not be stockpiled in subaqueous lands or wetlands.
16. The lessee and contractor shall employ measures during construction to prevent spills of fuels, lubricants or other hazardous substances. In the event of a spill, the lessee and contractor shall make every effort to stop the leak and contain the spill, and shall immediately contact the Hazardous Spill Response Team (HAZMAT) at 1-800-662-8802 and this office at (302) 739-9943. The lessee and contractor are responsible to comply with all directives to contain and clean up the spilled material(s) as stipulated by the HAZMAT team, and to restore the site as may be required by this office.
17. No construction shall occur after the construction expiration date identified on Page One of this Lease. The lessee may file a construction expiration date extension request of up to one (1) year if necessary to complete the authorized work. Such requests must be received by the Department at least thirty (30) days prior to the construction expiration date.
18. Any actions, operations or installations which are found by the Department to be contrary to the public interest may constitute reason for the discontinuance and/or removal of said action, operation or installation. Removal and restoration shall be at the expense of the lessee and/or upland property owner within thirty (30) days of receipt of written notice of revocation and demand for removal.
19. Disturbance of subaqueous lands or wetlands adjacent to the authorized structures or activities is prohibited unless specifically addressed in the special conditions of this Lease. Disturbance of subaqueous lands or wetlands in the path of construction activities shall be minimized. Any temporarily impacted subaqueous lands or wetlands shall be returned to pre-disturbance elevations and conditions.
20. This Lease is personal and may not be transferred without the prior written consent of the Department. Prior to the transfer of the adjacent upland property, the lessee shall obtain the written consent of the Department to transfer the Lease to the new upland property owner. Failure to obtain such written consent may result in the revocation of this Lease and the removal of all structures authorized by this Lease at the expense of the lessee.
21. The lessee shall notify the Wetlands and Waterways Section prior to the commencement of the work authorized by this Lease.
22. No portion of the structure shall be installed within ten (10) feet of the adjacent property lines.
23. No portion of the structure shall exceed 20% of the width of the water body as measured at mean low water.
24. The structures authorized by this Lease shall be constructed and maintained in a manner so as to assure water access to adjacent properties.
25. This Lease does not authorize any future repairs below the water line, or any additions or modifications to the structures authorized herein. Such activities require separate written authorization from the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control.
26. Failure to comply with any of the terms or conditions of this Lease may result in enforcement action which could include the revocation of this Lease and subsequent restoration of the site to preconstruction conditions.