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Sent: Tuesday, July 01, 2014 8:38 AM
To: Sarah Porter
Cc: Poyant, Andrew R.; Dunk, Dwight; Lofstedt, Magdalena; Ronald Labelle; Mead, Ian; Syde, Shawn
Subject: FW: Fisherman's Memorial NOI

Sarah,

We have provided responses to your questions and comments in red. We will bring a board that highlights the limit of coastal beach, the scuppers.

We look forward to seeing you tonight.

Kim

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From: Sarah Porter [<mailto:SARHP@newbedford-ma.gov>]
Sent: Monday, June 30, 2014 3:16 PM
To: Poyant, Andrew R.
Cc: Drake, Kimberly; Lofstedt, Magdalena
Subject: RE: Fisherman's Memorial NOI

Hi Andrew,

I have a few questions/comments

1. Please show the landward limit of the coastal beach (on both sides of the pier). That limit of Coastal Bank/Coastal Beach is delineated by an existing wall flanking either side of the pier. The landward limit of Coastal Beach is the seaward face of the Coastal Bank.
2. The detail for straw waddles is missing on the detail sheet Straw waddles are not planned for use on this project. The pier drains inward from the edges to a catch basin located centrally on the pier with a concrete wall cap around the perimeter of the site. This general drainage pattern will be maintained.
3. I assume a copy of this NOI was sent to Marine Fisheries for their comments – we have not received any comments from them yet. It is our understanding that a copy was sent to Marine Fisheries, however the individual who was responsible for mailing out all copies is out of the office. As a precaution we have mailed an additional copy.
4. It doesn't appear that the drainage plan shows all of the proposed scuppers or are they the existing weep holes shown on the plan?. The scuppers are shown on the Layout, Materials, and Planting Plan and Grading and Drainage plans located on sheet L-2, on the Site Sections on L-3, and on detail 8, sheet L-5. We will provide a drawing with the scuppers highlighted to the meeting.

5. No calculations were submitted for the bio-retention area sizing. The planting area was not intended to be designed as a bioretention area. We apologize for the references to bioretention in the narrative. It is expected that the planting area will provide infiltration and incorporates an overflow outlet, however this is designed as a standard planting area.
6. As an FYI – prior to construction start up, an onsite with the City DPI and the conservation agent is mandatory as noted in the Standard Special Conditions of any New Bedford Order of Conditions and a construction schedule is to be received at that time. This note should be added to the plans. The City will be bound by all conditions issued by the Commission.
7. No long term operation and maintenance plan is provided for the stormwater management system. Bio-retention areas require frequent maintenance. See response to No. 5, the planting area is not designed for bioretention.
8. No TSS removal rate was calculated for the project. Pursuant to the stormwater management regulations, 314 CMR 9.06(6) (c)(6) the stormwater management standards shall apply to: footpaths, bikepaths and other paths for pedestrian and/or nonmotorized access. Whereas the Fishermen Memorial Pier is only for pedestrian access it was designed to comply to the maximum extent practicable. The use will generate minimal to no TSS thus the TSS removal rate was not calculated.
9. A construction period erosion, sedimentation and pollution prevention plan is required at this time. Please provide one. Section 6.0 Mitigation Measures located within the Narrative provides the details for erosion, sedimentation, and pollution prevention. Please note that this site is less than 0.5 acres.
10. A detail of the dune grass replanting plan should be provided. Above ground shoots will be cut to grade with a weed whacker to minimize disturbance. Boards will be placed for rubber track vehicles to travel on for access for pier foundation work – excavation for concrete pour only anticipated. This will allow regrowth during the growing period, or protection during the dormant period. If any dune grass are disturbed, grasses will be replanted as needed and described in the NOI.

From: Poyant, Andrew R. [<mailto:poyantar@cdmsmith.com>]

Sent: Friday, June 27, 2014 11:05 AM

To: Sarah Porter

Cc: Drake, Kimberly; Lofstedt, Magdalena

Subject: Fisherman's Memorial NOI

Sarah,

I'm checking in to see if you have any comments on the Notice of Intent for the Fisherman's Memorial. I will be conducting field work on Monday so if you could please respond to Kim and I with your comments in case I am out.

Thanks,

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