

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION
 AUTHORIZATION TO DISCHARGE UNDER
 MUNICIPAL ROADS GENERAL PERMIT 3-9040

A determination has been made that the applicant:

Town of Bristol
 PO Box 249
 Bristol, VT 05443

meets the criteria necessary for inclusion under General Permit 3-9040. Hereinafter, the named applicant shall be referred to as the permittee. Subject to the conditions of General Permit No. 3-9040, the permittee is authorized to discharge stormwater from municipal roads.

This authorization amends and replaces previously issued authorization 8147-9040 due to the submittal and approval of the initial Road Erosion Inventory (REI).

Compliance with General Permit 3-9040 and this Authorization

The permittee shall comply with this authorization and all the terms and conditions of General Permit 3-9040, including the payment of annual operating fees to the Department. A billing statement for such fees will be sent to the permittee each year. Any permit non-compliance, including a failure to pay the annual operating fee, constitutes a violation of 10 V.S.A. Chapter 47 and may be grounds for an enforcement action or revocation of this authorization to discharge.

Reporting Deadlines

The permittee shall, according to the following schedule:

April 1, 2022 and every April 1 thereafter	Submit annual report
October 1, 2022 (date to be confirmed in reissued MRGP)	Apply for authorization upon reissuance of the MRGP
No later than December 31, 2036	Demonstrate that all hydrologically-connected municipal roads meet the standards listed in the MRGP General Permit

Right to Appeal to the Environmental Court

Pursuant to 10 V.S.A. Chapter 220, any appeal of this permit must be filed with the clerk of the Environmental Division of the Superior Court within 30 days of the date of the decision. The notice of appeal must specify the parties taking the appeal and the statutory provision under which each party claims party status; must designate the act or decision appealed from; must name the Environmental Division; and must be signed by the appellant or the appellant’s attorney. In addition, the appeal must give the address or location and description of the property, project, or facility with which the appeal is concerned and the name of the applicant or any permit involved in the appeal. The appellant must also serve a copy of the notice of appeal in accordance with Rule 5(b)(4)(B) of the Vermont Rules for Environmental Court Proceedings. For further information, see the Vermont Rules for Environmental Court Proceedings.

Effective Date and Expiration Date of this Authorization

This authorization to discharge shall become effective on September 17, 2021 and shall continue until January 26, 2023. The permittee shall reapply for coverage prior to October 1, 2022 (date to be confirmed in reissued MRGP).

Dated September 17, 2021

Peter Walke, Commissioner
Department of Environmental Conservation

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kevin Burke", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Kevin Burke, Environmental Analyst
Stormwater Management Program