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Issued to

Permittee: Round Hill Club, Inc Greenwich, Connecticut 06831 Location Address: 33 Round Hill Club Road, Greenwich, Connecticut 06831

Permit Expires:

Permit ID: CT0100986	Design Flow Rate: 0.02 MGD	Effective Date: DRAFT

Receiving Stream: Irrigation Pond in the Byram River Watershed

SECTION 1: GENERAL PROVISIONS

- (A) This permit is reissued in accordance with Section 22a-430 of Chapter 446k, Connecticut General Statutes ("CGS"), and Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies ("RCSA") adopted thereunder, as amended, and Section 402(b) of the Clean Water Act, as amended, 33 USC 1251, et. seq., and pursuant to an approval dated September 26, 1973, by the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency for the State of Connecticut to administer a N.P.D.E.S. permit program.
- (B) Round Hill Club, Inc., ("Permittee"), shall comply with all conditions of this permit including the following sections of the RCSA which have been adopted pursuant to Section 22a-430 of the CGS and are hereby incorporated into this permit. Your attention is especially drawn to the notification requirements of subsection (i)(2), (i)(3), (j)(1), (j)(6), (j)(8), (j)(9)(C), (j)(10)(C), (j)(11)(C), (D), (E), and (F), (k)(3) and (4) of Section 22a-430-3. To the extent this permit imposes conditions more stringent than those found in the regulations, this permit shall apply.

Section 22a-430-3 General Conditions

- (a) Definitions
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- (o) Permit or Application Transfer
- (p) Permit Revocation, Denial or Modification
- (q) Variances
- (r) Secondary Treatment Requirements
- (s) Treatment Requirements
- (t) Discharges to POTWs Prohibitions
- (C) Violations of any of the terms, conditions, or limitations contained in this permit may subject the Permittee to enforcement action including, but not limited to, seeking penalties, injunctions and/or forfeitures pursuant to applicable sections of the CGS and RCSA.
- (D) Any false statement in any information submitted pursuant to this Section of the permit may be punishable as a criminal offense under Section 22a-438 or 22a-131a of the CGS or in accordance with Section 22a-6, under Section 53a-157b of the CGS.
- (E) The Permittee shall comply with Section 22a-416-1 through Section 22a-416-10 of the RCSA concerning operator certification.
- (F) No provision of this permit and no action or inaction by the Commissioner shall be construed to constitute an assurance by the Commissioner that the actions taken by the Permittee pursuant to this permit will result in compliance or prevent or abate pollution.
- (G) Nothing in this permit shall relieve the Permittee of other obligations under applicable federal, state and local law.
- (H) An annual fee shall be paid for each year this permit is in effect as set forth in Section 22a-430-7 of the RCSA. As of October 1, 2009 the annual fee is \$3,445.

SECTION 2: DEFINITIONS

- (A) The definitions of the terms used in this permit shall be the same as the definitions contained in Section 22a-423 of the CGS and Section 22a-430-3(a) and 22a-430-6 of the RCSA, except for "Composite" and "No Observable Acute Effect Level (NOAEL)" which are redefined below.
- (B) In addition to the above, the following definitions shall apply to this permit:

"-----" in the limits column on the monitoring tables in Attachment 1 means a limit is not specified but a value must be reported on the DMR, MOR, and/or the ATMR.

"Annual" in the context of any sampling frequency, shall mean the sample must be collected in the month of June.

"Average Monthly Limit" means the maximum allowable "Average Monthly Concentration" as defined in Section 22a-430-3(a) of the RCSA when expressed as a concentration (e.g. mg/l); otherwise, it means "Average Monthly Discharge Limitation" as defined in Section 22a-430-3(a) of the RCSA.

"**Composite**" or "(**C**)" means a sample consisting of a minimum of eight aliquot samples collected at equal intervals of no less than 30 minutes and no more than 60 minutes and combined proportionally to flow over the sampling period provided that during the sampling period the peak hourly flow is experienced.

"Critical Test Concentration" or "(CTC)" means the specified effluent dilution at which the Permittee is to conduct a single-concentration Aquatic Toxicity Test.

"Daily Composite" or "(DC)" means a composite sample taken over a full operating day consisting of grab samples collected at equal intervals of no more than sixty (60) minutes and combined proportionally to flow; or, a composite sample continuously collected over a full operating day proportionally to flow.

"Daily Concentration" means the concentration of a substance as measured in a daily composite sample, or, arithmetic average of all grab sample results defining a grab sample average.

"Daily Quantity" means the quantity of waste discharged during an operating day.

"Geometric Mean" is the "n"th root of the product of "n" observations.

"Infiltration" means water other than wastewater that enters a sewer system (including sewer system and foundation drains) from the ground through such means as defective pipes, pipe joints, connections, or manholes. Infiltration does not include, and is distinguished from, inflow.

"Inflow" means water other than wastewater that enters a sewer system (including sewer service connections) from sources such as, but not limited to, roof leaders, cellar drains, yard drains, area drains, drains from springs and swampy areas, cross connections between storm sewers and sanitary sewers, catch basins, cooling towers, storm waters, surface runoff, street wash waters, or drainage. Inflow does not include, and is distinguished from, infiltration.

"**Instantaneous Limit**" means the highest allowable concentration of a substance as measured by a grab sample, or the highest allowable measurement of a parameter as obtained through instantaneous monitoring.

"In-stream Waste Concentration" or "(IWC)" means the concentration of a discharge in the receiving water after mixing has occurred in the allocated zone of influence.

"MGD" means million gallons per day.

"**Maximum Daily Limit**" means the maximum allowable "Daily Concentration" (defined above) when expressed as a concentration (e.g. mg/l), otherwise, it means the maximum allowable "Daily Quantity" as defined above, unless it is expressed as a flow quantity. If expressed as a flow quantity it means "Maximum Daily Flow" as defined in Section 22a-430-3(a) of the RCSA.

"Monthly Minimum Removal Efficiency" means the minimum reduction in the pollutant parameter specified when the effluent average monthly concentration for that parameter is compared to the influent average monthly concentration.

"NA" as a Monitoring Table abbreviation means "not applicable".

"NR" as a Monitoring Table abbreviation means "not required".

"**Range During Sampling**" or "(**RDS**)" as a sample type means the maximum and minimum of all values recorded as a result of analyzing each grab sample of; 1) a Composite Sample, or, 2) a Grab Sample Average. For those Permittee with pH meters that provide continuous monitoring and recording, Range During Sampling means the maximum and minimum readings recorded with the continuous monitoring device during the Composite or Grab Sample Average sample collection.

"Range During Month" or "(RDM)" as a sample type means the lowest and the highest values of all of the monitoring data for the reporting month.

"ug/l" means micrograms per liter

"Work Day" in the context of a sampling frequency means, Monday through Friday excluding holidays.

"Zone of Influence" means the spatial area or volume of receiving water flow within which some degradation of water quality or use impairment is anticipated to occur as a result of a discharge.

SECTION 3: COMMISSIONER'S DECISION

- (A) The Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection ("Commissioner") has issued a final decision and found continuance of the existing system to treat the discharge will protect the waters of the state from pollution. The Commissioner's decision is based on application #201702954 for permit reissuance received on March 31, 2017 and the administrative record established in the processing of that application.
- (B) The Commissioner hereby authorizes the Permittee to discharge in accordance with the provisions of this permit, the above referenced application, and all approvals issued by the Commissioner or his authorized agent for the discharges and/or activities authorized by, or associated with, this permit.

(C) The Commissioner reserves the right to make appropriate revisions to the permit, if required after Public Notice, in order to establish any appropriate effluent limitations, schedules of compliance, or other provisions which may be authorized under the Federal Clean Water Act or the CGS or regulations adopted thereunder, as amended. The permit as modified or renewed under this paragraph may also contain any other requirements of the Federal Clean Water Act or CGS or regulations adopted thereunder which are then applicable.

SECTION 4: GENERAL LIMITATIONS AND OTHER CONDITIONS

- (A) The Permittee shall not accept any new sources of non-domestic wastewater conveyed to its Privately Owned Treatment Works through its sanitary sewerage system or by any means other than its sanitary sewage system unless the generator of such wastewater; (a) is authorized by a permit issued by the Commissioner under Section 22a-430 CGS (individual permit), or, (b) is authorized under Section 22a-430b (general permit), or, (c) has been issued an emergency or temporary authorization by the Commissioner under Section 22a-6k. All such non-domestic wastewaters shall be processed by the Privately Owned Treatment Works via receiving facilities at a location and in a manner prescribed by the Permittee which are designed to contain and control any unplanned releases.
- (B) The Permittee shall have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the Privately Owned Treatment Works and replace critical components.
- (C) Outside of the Zone of Influence assigned to this discharge, this discharge shall not contain:
 - (1) sludge deposits, solid refuse, floating solids, oils and grease, or scum except as may result from a discharge from a wastewater treatment facility providing appropriate treatment and none exceeding levels necessary to protect and maintain all designated uses;
 - (2) color resulting in obvious discoloration of the surface water;
 - (3) suspended and settleable solids in concentrations or combinations which would impair the designated uses; be aesthetically objectionable; significantly alter the physical or chemical composition of bottom sediments; and/or adversely impact organisms living in or on the bottom sediment;
 - (4) silt or sand deposits other than of natural origin;
 - (5) turbidity other than that of natural origin except as may result discharge from a wastewater treatment facility providing appropriate treatment, provided all reasonable controls are used to control turbidity and none exceeding levels necessary to protect and maintain all designated uses; or
 - (6) odor that would impair the designated uses specifically assigned to this Classification pursuant to the Connecticut Water Quality Standards Regulations (RCSA §§ 22a-426-1—22a-426-9).
- (D) No discharge from the permitted facility shall cause acute or chronic toxicity in the receiving water outside of any Zone Of Influence (ZOI) specifically allocated to that discharge in this permit.
- (E) The Permittee shall maintain an alternate power source adequate to provide full operation of all pump stations in the sewerage collection system and to provide a minimum of primary treatment and disinfection at the Privately Owned Treatment Works to insure that no discharge of untreated wastewater will occur during a failure of a primary power source.
- (F) The average monthly effluent concentration shall not exceed 10% of the average monthly influent concentration for BOD5 and Total Suspended Solids for all daily composite samples taken in any calendar month.
- (G) Sludge Conditions
 - (1) The Permittee shall comply with all existing federal and state laws and regulations that apply to sewage sludge use and disposal practices, including but not limited to 40 CFR Part 503.
 - (2) If an applicable management practice or numerical limitation for pollutants in sewage sludge more stringent than existing federal and state regulations is promulgated under Section 405(d) of the Clean Water Act (CWA), this permit shall be modified or revoked and reissued to conform to the promulgated regulations.
 - (3) The Permittee shall give prior notice to the Commissioner of any change(s) planned in the Permittee' sludge use or disposal practice. A change in the Permittee' sludge use or disposal practice may be a cause for modification of the permit.
 - (4) Testing for inorganic pollutants shall follow "Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, Physical/Chemical Methods", EPA Publication

SW-846 as updated and/or revised.

- (H) This permit becomes effective on the 1st day of the month following the date of signature of the Commissioner or designee.
- (I) When the arithmetic mean of the average daily flow from the Privately Owned Treatment Works for the previous 180 days exceeds 90% of the design flow rate, the Permittee shall develop and submit within one year from the date such threshold was exceeded, for the review and approval of the Commissioner, a plan to accommodate future increases in flow to the plant. This plan shall include a schedule for completing any recommended improvements and a plan for financing the improvements.
- (J) When the arithmetic mean of the average daily BOD₅ or TSS loading into the Privately Owned Treatment Works for the previous 180 days exceeds 90% of the design load rate, the Permittee shall develop and submit for the review and approval of the Commissioner within one year from the date such threshold was exceeded, a plan to accommodate future increases in load to the plant. This plan shall include a schedule for completing any recommended improvements and a plan for financing the improvements.
- (K) On or before July 31st of each calendar year the main flow meter shall be calibrated by an independent contractor in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications. The actual record of the calibration shall be retained onsite and, upon request, the Permittee shall submit to the Commissioner a copy of that record.
- (L) The Permittee shall operate and maintain all processes as installed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications and as outlined in the associated operation and maintenance manual. This includes but is not limited to all preliminary treatment processes, primary treatment processes, recycle pumping processes, anaerobic treatment processes, anoxic treatment processes, aerobic treatment processes, floculation processes, effluent filtration processes or any other processes necessary for the optimal removal of pollutants. The Permittee shall not bypass or fail to operate any of the aforementioned processes without the written approval of the Commissioner.
- (M) The Permittee must not introduce any chemicals not indicated as submitted in their latest completed permit application.
- (N) The temperature of any discharge shall not increase the temperature of the receiving stream above 85°F, or, in any case, raise the normal temperature of the receiving stream more than 4°F beyond the permitted Zone of Influence.

SECTION 5: SPECIFIC EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

- (A) The discharge(s) shall not exceed and shall otherwise conform to the specific terms and conditions listed in this permit. The discharge is restricted by, and shall be monitored in accordance with Tables A through F incorporated in this permit as Attachment 1.
- (B) The Permittee shall provide monitoring data of the performance of the treatment process in accordance with the Monthly Operating Report (MOR) incorporated in this permit as Attachment 2.

SECTION 6: SAMPLE COLLECTION, HANDLING and ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUES

- (A) Chemical Analysis
 - (1) Chemical analyses to determine compliance with effluent limits and conditions established in this permit shall be performed using the methods approved pursuant to the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 136 of Title 40 (40 CFR 136) unless an alternative method has been approved in writing pursuant to 40 CFR 136.4 or as provided in Section 22a-430-3-(j)(7) of the RCSA. Chemicals which do not have methods of analysis defined in 40 CFR 136 or the RCSA shall be analyzed in accordance with methods specified in this permit.
 - (2) All metals analyses identified in this permit shall refer to analyses for Total Recoverable Metal, as defined in 40 CFR 136 unless otherwise specified.
 - (3) Grab samples shall be taken during the period of the day when the peak hourly flow is normally experienced.
 - (4) Samples collected for bacteriological examination shall be collected between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. or at that time of day when the peak hourly flow is normally experienced. A chlorine residual sample must be taken at the same time and the results recorded.
 - (5) The Minimum Levels specified below represent the concentrations at which quantification must be achieved and verified during the chemical analyses for the parameters identified in Attachment 1, Table C. Analyses for these parameters must include check standards within ten percent of the specified Minimum Level or calibration points equal to or less than the specified Minimum Level.

Parameter	Minimum Level
Aluminum	0.050 mg/l
Antimony, Total	0.010 mg/l
Arsenic, Total	0.005 mg/l
Beryllium, Total	0.001 mg/l
Cadmium, Total	0.0005 mg/l
Chlorine, Total Residual	0.050 mg/l
Chromium, Total	0.005 mg/l
Chromium, Total Hexavalent	0.010 mg/l
Copper, Total	0.005 mg/l
Cyanide, Total	0.010 mg/l
Iron, Total	0.040 mg/l
Lead, Total	0.005 mg/l
Mercury, Total	0.0002 mg/l
Nickel, Total	0.005 mg/l
Phosphorus, Total	0.10 mg/l
Selenium, Total	0.005 mg/l
Silver, Total	0.002 mg/l
Thallium, Total	0.005 mg/l
Zinc, Total	0.020 mg/l

- (6) The value of each parameter for which monitoring is required under this permit shall be reported to the maximum level of accuracy and precision possible consistent with the requirements of this Section of the permit.
- (7) Effluent analyses for which quantification was verified during the analysis at or below the minimum levels specified in this Section and which indicate that a parameter was not detected shall be reported as "less than x" where 'x' is the numerical value equivalent to the analytical method detection limit for that analysis.
- (8) Results of effluent analyses which indicate that a parameter was not present at a concentration greater than or equal to the Minimum Level specified for that analysis shall be considered equivalent to zero (0.0) for purposes of determining compliance with effluent limitations or conditions specified in this permit.
- (B) Acute Aquatic Toxicity Test
 - (1) Samples for monitoring of Acute Aquatic Toxicity shall be collected and handled as prescribed in "Methods for Measuring the Acute Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater and Marine Organisms" (EPA-821-R-02-012).
 - (a) Composite samples shall be chilled as they are collected. Grab samples shall be chilled immediately following collection. Samples shall be held at 0 - 6°C until Acute Aquatic Toxicity testing is initiated.
 - (b) Effluent samples shall not be dechlorinated, filtered, or, modified in any way, prior to testing for Acute Aquatic Toxicity unless specifically approved in writing by the Commissioner for monitoring at this facility.
 - (c) Samples shall be taken at the final effluent for Acute Aquatic Toxicity unless otherwise approved in writing by the Commissioner for monitoring at this facility.
 - (d) Chemical analyses of the parameters identified in Attachment 1, Table C shall be conducted on an aliquot of the same sample tested for Acute Aquatic Toxicity.
 - (i) At a minimum, pH, specific conductance total alkalinity, total hardness, and total residual chlorine shall be measured in the effluent sample and, during Acute Aquatic Toxicity tests, in the highest concentration of the test and in the dilution (control) water at the beginning of the test and at test termination. If total residual chlorine is not detected at test initiation, it does not need to be measured at test termination. Dissolved oxygen, pH, and temperature shall be measured in the control and all test concentrations at the beginning of the test, daily thereafter, and at test termination
 - (e) Tests for Acute Aquatic Toxicity shall be initiated within 36 hours of sample collection.
 - (2) Monitoring for Acute Aquatic Toxicity to determine compliance with the permit condition on Acute Aquatic Toxicity (invertebrate) shall be conducted for 48 hours utilizing neonatal (less than 24 hours old) *Daphnia pulex*.

- (3) Monitoring for Acute Aquatic Toxicity to determine compliance with the permit condition on Acute Aquatic Toxicity (vertebrate) shall be conducted for 48 hours utilizing larval (1 to 14-day old with no more than 24 hours range in age) *Pimephales promelas*.
- (4) Tests for Acute Aquatic Toxicity shall be conducted as prescribed for static non-renewal acute tests in "Methods for measuring the Acute Aquatic Toxicity of Effluents and Receiving Waters to Freshwater and Marine Organisms" (EPA/821-R-02-012), except as specified below.
 - (a) For Acute Aquatic Toxicity limits, and for monitoring only conditions, expressed as a NOAEL value, Pass/Fail (single concentration) tests shall be conducted at a specified Critical Test Concentration (CTC) equal to the Aquatic Toxicity limit, (100% in the case of monitoring only conditions), as prescribed in Section 22a-430-3(j)(7)(A)(i) of the RCSA.
 - (b) Organisms shall not be fed during the tests.
 - (c) Synthetic freshwater prepared with deionized water adjusted to a hardness of 50 ± 5 mg/L as CaCO₃ shall be used as dilution water in the tests.
 - (d) Copper nitrate shall be used as the reference toxicant.
- (5) For monitoring only conditions, toxicity shall be demonstrated when the results of a valid pass/fail Acute Aquatic Toxicity indicates less than 90% survival in the effluent at the CTC (100%).

SECTION 7: RECORDING AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- (A) The Permittee and/or the Signatory Authority shall continue to report the results of chemical analyses and any aquatic toxicity test required above in Sections 5 and 6 and the referenced Attachment 1 by electronic submission of DMRs under this permit to the Department using NetDMR in satisfaction of the DMR submission requirement of this permit. The report shall include a detailed explanation of any violations of the limitations specified. DMRs shall be submitted electronically to the Department no later than the 15th day of the month following the month in which samples are collected.
 - (1) For composite samples, from other than automatic samplers, the instantaneous flow and the time of each aliquot sample collection shall be recorded and maintained at the Privately Owned Treatment Works.
- (B) Complete and accurate test data, including percent survival of test organisms in each replicate test chamber, LC₅₀ values and 95% confidence intervals for definitive test protocols, and all supporting chemical/physical measurements performed in association with any aquatic toxicity test, shall be entered on the Aquatic Toxicity Monitoring Report form (ATMR) and sent to the Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse at the address specified below by the 15th day of the month following the month in which samples are collected:

ATTN: Municipal Wastewater Monitoring Coordinator Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse Water Planning and Management Division 79 Elm Street Hartford, Connecticut 06106-5127

(C) The results of the process monitoring required above in Section 5 shall be entered on the Monthly Operating Report (MOR) form, included herein as Attachment 2, and reported to the Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse. The MOR report shall also be accompanied by a detailed explanation of any violations of the limitations specified. The MOR must be received at the address specified above in Section 7 (B) of this permit by the 15th day of the month following the month in which the data and samples are collected.

SECTION 8: RECORDING AND REPORTING OF VIOLATIONS, ADDITIONAL TESTING REQUIREMENTS, BYPASSES, MECHANICAL FAILURES, AND MONITORING EQUIPMENT FAILURES

- (A) If any Acute Aquatic Toxicity sample analysis toxicity, or that the test was invalid, an additional sample of the effluent shall be collected and tested for Acute Aquatic Toxicity and associated chemical parameters, as described above in Section 5 and Section 6, and the results reported to the Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse (Attn: Aquatic Toxicity) via the ATMR form (see Section 7 (B)) within 30 days of the previous test. These test results shall also be reported on the next month's DMR report pursuant to Section 7 (A). The results of all toxicity tests and associated chemical parameters, valid and invalid, shall be reported.
- (B) If any two consecutive Acute Aquatic Toxicity test results or any three Acute Aquatic Toxicity test results in a twelve month period indicates

toxicity, the Permittee shall immediately take all reasonable steps to eliminate toxicity wherever possible and shall submit a report, to the Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse (Attn: Aquatic Toxicity), for the review and written approval of the Commissioner in accordance with Section 22a-430-3(j)(10)(C) of the RCSA describing proposed steps to eliminate the toxic impact of the discharge on the receiving water body. Such a report shall include a proposed time schedule to accomplish toxicity reduction and the Permittee shall comply with any schedule approved by the Commissioner.

- (C) Sewage Right-to-Know Bypass Reporting
 - (1) Section 22a-430-3(k) of the RCSA shall apply in all instances of bypass including a bypass of the treatment plant or a component of the sewage collection system planned during required maintenance. The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse, Water Planning and Management Division, Municipal Wastewater, the Department of Public Health, Water Supply Section and Recreation Section, and the local Director of Health shall be notified within 2 hours of the Permittee learning of the event via online reporting in a format approved by the Commissioner. A final incident report shall be submitted to the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse, Water Planning and Management Division, Municipal Wastewater within five days of the Permittee learning of each occurrence of a discharge or bypass of untreated or partially treated sewage via online reporting in a format approved by the Commissioner.

If the online reporting system is nonfunctional for either bypass reporting requirement noted above, then the Permittee shall notify DEEP via telephone during normal business hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday) at (860) 424-3704 or after hours to the DEEP Emergency Response Unit at (860) 424-3338 and the Department of Public Health at (860) 509-8000 with the final incident report being submitted online.

- (D) Section 22a-430-3(j)(11)(D) of the RCSA shall apply in the event of any noncompliance with a maximum daily limit and/or any noncompliance that is greater than two times any permit limit. The Permittee shall notify the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse, Water Planning and Management Division, Municipal Wastewater Section of such noncompliance in the same manner as in paragraph C (1) of this Section. If the online reporting system is nonfunctional and the noncompliance occurs outside normal working hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday) the Permittee may wait to make the verbal report no later than 10:30 am of the next business day after learning of the noncompliance.
- (E) Section 22a-430-3(j)(8) of the RCSA shall apply in all instances of monitoring equipment failures that prevent meeting the requirements in this permit. In the event of any such failure of the monitoring equipment including, but not limited to, loss of refrigeration for an auto-sampler or lab refrigerator or loss of flow proportion sampling ability, the Permittee shall notify the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse, Water Planning and Management Division, Municipal Wastewater Section of such failure(s) in the same manner as in paragraph C (1) of this Section. If the online reporting system is nonfunctional and the failure occurs outside normal working hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday) the Permittee may wait to make the verbal report no later than 10:30 am of the next business day after learning of the failure.
- (F) In addition to the reporting requirements contained in Section 22a-430-3(i), (j), and (k) of the RCSA, the Permittee shall notify in the same manner as in paragraph C (1) of this Section, the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse, Water Planning and Management Division, Municipal Wastewater concerning the failure of any major component of the treatment facilities which the Permittee may have reason to believe would result in an effluent violation.

This permit is hereby issued on

Graham J. Stevens Bureau Chief Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse

ATTACHMENT 1

Tables A through F

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TABLE A

Discharge Serial Number (DSN): 001-1		Ν	Ionitoring Loca	tion: 1					
Wastewater Description: Sanitary Sewage									
Monitoring Location Description: Final Efflu	ient		1						
Allocated Zone of Influence (ZOI): The trea discharged into an irrigation pond located									
FLOW/TIME BAS			ASED MONI	TORING		ANTANEO NITORING		REPORT FORM	Minimum Level
PARAMETER	Units	Monthly Limit	Sample Freq.	Sample type	Instantaneous Limit or Required Range ³	Sample Freq.	Sample Type		Analysis See Section 6
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (5 day) ¹	mg/l	20	Monthly	Composite	NA	NR	NA	DMR/MOR	
Chlorine, Total Residual April 1 st through October 31 st see remark A below.	mg/l	NA	NR	NA	0.2 - 1.5	Work Day	Grab	DMR/MOR	
Escherichia coli April 1st through October 31st	Colonies per100 ml	NA	NR	NA	126	Monthly	Grab	DMR/MOR	
Flow	MGD		Continuous ²	Average Daily Flow	NA	NR	NA	DMR/MOR	
Oxygen, Dissolved	mg/l	NA	NR	NA		Weekly	Grab	MOR	
рН	S.U.	NA	NR	NA	6 - 9	Weekly	Grab	DMR/MOR	
Solids, Settleable	ml/l	NA	NR	NA		Weekly	Grab	MOR	
Solids, Total Suspended ¹	mg/l	20	Monthly	Composite	NA	NA	NA	DMR/MOR	
Temperature	°F	NA	NR	NA		Work Day	Grab	MOR	

Turbidity	NTU	NA	NR	NA		Work Day	Grab	MOR	
		TAB	LE A - Conditio	ons					
Footnotes:									
¹ The discharge shall not exceed a monthly limit o	of 20 mg/l.								
 ² The Permittee shall record and report on the monthly operating report the minimum, maximum and total flow for each day of discharge and the average daily flow for each sampling month. The Permittee shall report, on the discharge monitoring report, the average daily flow and maximum daily flow for each sampling month. ³ The instantaneous limits in this column are maximum limits 									
Remarks:									
(A) The use of chlorine for disinfection shall be discontinued from November 1 st through March 31 st except that chlorination equipment may be started and tested no earlier than March 15 th , and any residual chlorine gas or liquid may be used up until, but no later than, November 15 th . During these times in March and November the total residual chlorine of the effluent shall not be greater than 1.5 mg/l, as an instantaneous limit. The analytical results shall be reported on the MOR for the months of March and November.									
DMR – Discharge Monitoring Report									

TABLE B

Discharge Serial Number (DSN): 001-1	Monitor	ing Location: K			
Wastewater Description: Sanitary Sewage		-			
Monitoring Location Description: Final Effluent					
Allocated Zone of Influence (ZOI): The treated dome wastewater is discharged into an irrigation pond in the River Watershed					
		FLOW/TIME	E BASED MON	NITORING	REPORT FORM
PARAMETER	Units	Average Monthly Minimum	Sample Freq.	Sample type	
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (5 day) Percent Removal ^{1, 2}	% of Influent	90	Monthly	Calculated ²	DMR
Solids, Total Suspended Percent Removal ^{1, 2}	% of Influent	90	Monthly	Calculated ²	DMR
TAI Footnotes: ¹ The discharge shall be less than or equal to 10% of the av	BLE B – CON		tal suspended solid	s.	I
² Calculated based on the average monthly results described	d in Table A. Ro	emoval efficiency = $\frac{I}{I}$	nf.BOD or TSS -Eff Inf.BOD		X 100

Inf.BOD or TSS

TABLE C

Discharge Serial Number (DSN): 001-1			Monitoring Location: T				
Wastewater Description: Sanitary Sewage							
Monitoring Location Description: Final Ed	fluent prior	to Chlorination *	** (see footnote b	elow) **			
Allocated Zone of Influence (ZOI): The treated domestic wastewater is discharged into an irrigation pond in the Byram River Watershed			Minimu Leve				
PARAMETER	Units	Maximum Daily Limit	Sampling Frequency	Sample Type	Reporting form	Minimum Level Analysis See Section 6	
Aluminum, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Antimony, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
NOAEL Static 48Hr Acute D. Pulex ¹	% survival		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
NOAEL Static 48Hr Acute Pimephales ¹	% survival		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Arsenic, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Beryllium, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
BOD ₅	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Cadmium, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Chromium, Hexavalent	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Chromium, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Chlorine, Total Residual	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Copper, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Cyanide, Amenable	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Cyanide, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Iron, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Lead, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Mercury, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Nickel, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Nitrogen, Ammonia (total as N)	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Nitrogen, Nitrate, (total as N)	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Nitrogen, Nitrite, (total as N)	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Phenols, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Phosphorus, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Selenium, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Silver, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Suspended Solids, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR		
Thallium, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	
Zinc, Total	mg/l		Annual	Daily Composite	ATMR/DMR	*	

TABLE C - CONDITIONS

Remarks:¹The results of the Toxicity Tests are recorded in % survival. The Permittee shall report <u>% survival</u> on the DMR based on criteria in Section 6(B) of this permit.

** Sampling in accordance with this Table shall only be performed IF there is a discharge from the irrigation ponds into the nearby receiving stream tributary within the Byram river watershed **

ATMR - Aquatic Toxicity Monitoring Report

TABLE D

Discharge Serial Number: 001-1		Monitoring Location: N			
Wastewater Description: Activated Sludge					
Monitoring Location Description: Each Aeration Unit					
	REPORTING FORMAT		INSTANTANE	REPORTING	
PARAMETER			Sample Frequency	Sample Type	FORM
Oxygen, Dissolved	High & low for e	each Work Day	Work Day	Grab	MOR
Sludge Volume Index	Work	Day	Work Day	Grab	MOR
Mixed Liquor Suspended Solids	Work	Day	Work Day	Grab	MOR

TABLE E

Discharge Serial Number: 001-1			Monitoring	Monitoring Location: G			
Wastewater Description: Sanitary Sewage							
Monitoring Location Description: Influen	t						
PARAMETER	Units DMR REPORTING FORMAT			FLOW/TIME BASED MONITORING		ANEOUS DRING	REPORTING FORM
	Cinto		Sample Frequency	Sample Type	Sample Frequency	Sample Type	
Biochemical Oxygen Demand (5 day)	mg/l	Monthly	Monthly	Daily Composite	NA	NA	DMR/MOR
Solids, Total Suspended	mg/l	Monthly	Monthly	Daily Composite	NA	NA	DMR/MOR

		-			
Discharge Serial Number: 001-1	Monitoring Location: SL				
Wastewater Description: Sludge					
Monitoring Location Description: Holding	Tank				
PARAMETER	INSTANTAN	EOUS MONITORING	REPORTING FORM		
	Units	Grab Sample Freq.			
Arsenic, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Beryllium, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Cadmium, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Chromium, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Copper, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Lead, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Mercury, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Nickel, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Nitrogen, Ammonia *	mg/kg	Annual	DMR*		
Nitrogen, Nitrate (total as N) *	mg/kg	Annual	DMR*		
Nitrogen, Organic *	mg/kg	Annual	DMR*		
Nitrogen, Nitrite (total as N) *	mg/kg	Annual	DMR*		
Nitrogen, Total *	mg/kg	Annual	DMR*		
pH *	S.U.	Annual	DMR*		
Polychlorinated Biphenyls	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		
Solids, Fixed	%	Annual	DMR		
Solids, Total	%	Annual	DMR		
Solids, Volatile	%	Annual	DMR		
Zinc, Total	mg/kg	Annual	DMR		

TABLE F

(*) required for composting or land application only

Testing for inorganic pollutants shall follow "Test Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, Physical/Chemical Methods", EPA Publication SW-846 as updated and/or revised.

ATTACHMENT 2

MONTHLY OPERATING REPORT FORM

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DATA TRACKING AND TECHNICAL FACT SHEET

PERMITTEE: Round Hill Club, Inc

PERMIT, ADDRESS, AND FACILITY DATA

PERMIT #: <u>CT0100986</u> **APPLICATION** #: 201702954 **FACILITY ID.** <u>057-006</u>

Mailing Address:	Location Address:				
Street: 33 Round Hill Club Road	Street: 33 Round Hill Club Road				
City: Greenwich ST: CT Zip: 06831	City: Greenwich ST: CT Zip: 06831				
Contact Name: Ian Critchley	Contact Name: Ian Critchley				
Phone No.: (203)869-2350	Phone No.: (203)869-2350				
	DMR Contact Ian Critchley ian@rhclub.org				
	email address:				
DURATION DURATION 5 YEAR X 10 YEAR	30 YEAR				
TYPE New <u>Reissuance X</u> Mod	ification				
CATEGORIZATION POINT (X) NON-POINT	() GIS #				
NPDES (X) PRETREAT () GROUND WA	TER(UIC)() GROUND WATER (OTHER)()				
NPDES MAJOR(MA) NPDES SIGNIFICANT MINOR <u>or</u> PRETREA NPDES <u>or</u> PRETREATMENT MINOR (MI)					
COMPLIANCE SCHEDULEYESNO_POLLUTION PREVENTION TREATMENT REQWATER QUALITY REQUIREMENT OTHER	UIREMENT				
OWNERSHIP CODE Private X Federal State Municipal (town of the second secon	only) Other public				
DEEP STAFF ENGINEER Iliana Raffa DAT	TE DRAFTED: October 2020				
PERMIT FEES					
Discharge Code DSN Number Annual Fee					
111000b 001 \$3,445.00					
APPLICATION FEE PAID [X] YES					
PROCESSING FEE PAID [X] YES \Box NO					
ANNUAL FEE PAID [X] YES					
PUBLIC NOTICE Date of Public Notice: Date Permit Cleared Public Notice: Date Public Notice Fees Paid:					

FOR NPDES DISCHARGES

 Drainage Basin Code: 74
 Water Quality Classification Goal: Class A

 Segment: __NA___ River
 (The treated domestic wastewater is discharged into an irrigation pond in the Byram River Watershed)

NATURE OF BUSINESS GENERATING DISCHARGE

Private domestic sanitary sewage treatment with seasonal disinfection.

PROCESS AND TREATMENT DESCRIPTION (by DSN)

Advanced biological treatment with seasonal chlorine disinfection

RESOURCES USED TO DRAFT PERMIT

- X__Federal Effluent Limitation Guideline <u>40CFR 133</u> Secondary Treatment Category
- ___ Performance Standards
- ____ Federal Development Document

name of category

- X Department File Information
- X Connecticut Water Quality Standards
- X Anti-degradation Policy
- _ Coastal Management Consistency Review Form
- ____ Other Explain

BASIS FOR LIMITATIONS, STANDARDS OR CONDITIONS

- <u>X</u> Secondary Treatment (Section 22a-430-4(r) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies)
- ___ Case-by-Case Determination (See Other Comments)
- ____ In order to meet in-stream water quality (See General Comments)
- _ Anti-degradation policy

GENERAL COMMENTS

The Round Hill Club, Inc located at 33 Round Hill Club Road, Greenwich, CT, 06831. The facility is designed to treat and discharge up to 0.02 million (20,000) gallons a day of effluent into an irrigation pond in the Byram River watershed. The facility currently uses secondary treatment with chlorine disinfection to treat effluent before being discharged. Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 22a-430, the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection has issued Permit No. CT0100986 for the discharge from this facility. The Round Hill Club, Inc has submitted an application to renew its permit. The Department has made a tentative determination to approve The Round Hill Club's application and has prepared a draft permit consistent with that determination.

SUMMARY OF COMMENTS RECEIVED DURING THE PUBLIC NOTICE PERIOD AND THE DEPARTMENT'S RESPONSES

□ *The Department has received no written comments on the proposed action. (REVIEW BY MANAGEMENT ONLY)*

□ Staff has reviewed the written comments and responded to the comments, no significant permit changes have been made. (REVIEW BY SUPERVISOR AND MANAGEMENT ONLY)

□ *The Department has received and Staff has reviewed written comments on the proposed action and made significant changes as follows: (ADD COMMENTS, RESPONSES AND PERMIT CHANGES) (REVIEW BY*

PERMIT STAFF, SUPERVISOR AND MANAGEMENT)

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS OR REVISIONS

The Department reviewed the application for consistency with Connecticut's Water Quality Standards and determined that with the limits in the draft permit, including those discussed below, that the draft permit is consistent with maintenance and protection of water quality in accordance with the Tier I Anti-degradation Evaluation and Implementation Review provisions of such Standards.

The need for inclusion of water quality based discharge limitations in this permit was evaluated consistent with Connecticut Water Quality Standards and criteria, pursuant to 40 CFR 122.44(d). Discharge monitoring data was evaluated for consistency with the available aquatic life criteria (acute and chronic) and human health (fish consumption only) criteria, considering the zone of influence allocated to the facility where appropriate. In addition to this review, the statistical procedures outlined in the EPA <u>Technical Support Document for Water Quality-based Toxics</u> <u>Control</u> (EPA/505/2-90-001) were employed to calculate the need for such limits. Comparison of the attached monitoring data and its inherent variability with the calculated water quality based limits indicates a low statistical probability of exceeding such limits. Therefore, no water quality based limits were included in the permit at this time.

WATER QUALITY LIMIT CALCULATIONS

The facility did not perform acute aquatic toxicity testing under the previous permit because this discharge does not routinely occur. A footnote has been added at the bottom of Table C stating: "Sampling in accordance with this Table shall only be performed IF there is a discharge from the irrigation ponds into the nearby receiving stream tributary within the Byram river watershed."



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Notice of Tentative Determination to Approve NPDES Permit Renewal Applicant: Round Hill Club, Inc. Application No. 201702954

The Commissioner of the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection ("DEEP") hereby gives notice that a tentative determination has been reached to approve the following application.

Applicant's Name and Address:	Round Hill Club, Inc. 33 Round Hill Club Road, Greenwich, Connecticut 06831
Contact Name and Phone No.:	Ian Critchley. (203)869-2350
Type of Permit and #:	NPDES – CT0100986
Type of Facility:	Domestic Wastewater Treatment
Facility Location:	33 Round Hill Club Road, Greenwich, Connecticut 06831
Facility design capacity:	20,000 gallons per day

The applicant has previously received a permit from the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection ("Department") authorizing the discharge of up to an annual average daily design flow of 20,000 gallons per day of secondary treated wastewaters with seasonal disinfection to an irrigation pond in the Byram River Watershed. The applicant has submitted an application to renew its existing permit. This renewal application is the subject of this notice.

The Department has prepared a draft permit consistent with the tentative determination to approve Round Hill Club, Inc., renewal application. This draft is available on the public participation section of the Department's website. In accordance with Sections 22a-430-4(1) and 22a-430-4(r) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (RCSA), the draft permit contains effluent limitations for the following: Biochemical Oxygen Demand (5 day), chlorine, escherichia coli, flow, pH and total suspended solids and meets Connecticut's Water Quality Standards.

INFORMATION REQUESTS/PUBLIC COMMENT

This application has been assigned No. Application # 201702954; please use this number when corresponding with DEEP regarding this application. Interested persons may obtain copies of the application from the applicant at the above address. Due to the ongoing Covid-19 virus pandemic, the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection located at 79 Elm Street,

Hartford, CT is closed to the public until further notice. However, electronic copies of the application and supporting documentation can be provided to interested persons via email. Any such requests for electronic documents may be directed to Iliana Raffa of the Municipal Wastewater Section at 860-424-3758 or Iliana.Raffa@ct.gov.

Before making a final decision on this application, the Commissioner shall consider written comments on the application from interested persons. Written comments on the application should be directed to Iliana Raffa via electronic mail to: Iliana Raffa@ct.gov no later than thirty (30) days from the publication date of this notice. Written comments may also be submitted in paper form to the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection located at 79 Elm Street, Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse Hartford, CT. In this submittal please identify the name of the staff assigned to the application, the permit application number and your phone number and/or email address to facilitate responses to your comments. Due to the Covid -19 virus Pandemic and social distancing measures implemented by DEEP staff, there could be delays in the response to your comments. You may contact the staff person identified in this notice with any questions you may have.

PETITIONS FOR HEARING

The Commissioner may conduct a public hearing if the Commissioner determines that the public interest will best be served thereby, or shall hold a hearing upon receipt of a petition signed by at least twenty-five persons._Petitions for a hearing shall be submitted within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this public notice and should include the application number noted above and also identify a contact person to receive notifications. Petitions should also identify a person who is authorized to engage in discussions regarding the application and, if resolution is reached, withdraw the petition. In order to facilitate the filing of requests for hearing during the COVID-19 emergency and consistent with the Department's Temporary Directive, the Office of Adjudications will accept electronically-filed petitions in addition to petitions submitted by mail. Petitions with required signatures may be filed by email to deep.adjudications@ct.gov or mailed to the DEEP Office of Adjudications, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT 06106. Within thirty (30) days of their filing, original petitions that were filed electronically must be also be mailed to the Office at the above-noted address. If the original petition exists only in electronic format or signatures were produced using a computer or typewriter, the petition must be submitted with a statement bearing the wet-ink signature of the petitioner that the petition is only available in that format and has been submitted to satisfy the requirement that an original petition be filed. If a hearing is held, timely notice of such hearing will be published in a newspaper of general circulation and posted on the DEEP website at www.ct.gov/deep. Additional information at www.ct.gov/deep/adjudications.

Dated:1/14/2021

Jennifer L. Perry, P.E. Director Water Planning and Management Division Bureau of Water Protection and Land Reuse

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