



**US Army Corps  
of Engineers** ®  
New England District

**PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR  
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
GENERAL PERMIT  
NO. NAE-2014-01725**

1. This authorization requires you to 1) notify us before beginning work so we may inspect the project, and 2) submit a Compliance Certification Form. You must complete and return the enclosed Work Start Notification Form(s) to this office at least two weeks before the anticipated starting date. You must complete and return the enclosed Compliance Certification Form within one month following the completion of the authorized work and any required mitigation (but not mitigation monitoring, which requires separate submittals).
2. The permittee shall assure that a copy of this permit is at the work site whenever work is being performed and that all personnel performing work at the site of the work authorized by this permit are fully aware of the terms and conditions of the permit. This permit, including its drawings and any appendices and other attachments, shall be made a part of any and all contracts and sub-contracts for work which affects areas of Corps of Engineers' jurisdiction at the site of the work authorized by this permit. This shall be done by including the entire permit in the specifications for the work. If the permit is issued after construction specifications but before receipt of bids or quotes, the entire permit shall be included as an addendum to the specifications. The term "entire permit" includes permit amendments. Although the permittee may assign various aspects of the work to different contractors or sub-contractors, all contractors and sub-contractors shall be obligated by contract to comply with all environmental protection provisions of the entire permit, and no contract or sub-contract shall require or allow unauthorized work in areas of Corps of Engineers jurisdiction.
3. This permit does not eliminate the need to obtain local harbormaster approval or conform to local harbor management plans.
4. The permittee understands and agrees that, if future operations by the United States require the removal, relocation, or other alteration, of the structure or work herein authorized, or if, in the opinion of the Secretary of the Army or his authorized representative, said structure or work shall cause unreasonable obstruction to the free navigation of the navigable waters, the permittee will be required, upon due notice from the Corps of Engineers, to remove, relocate, or alter the structural work or obstructions caused thereby, without expense to the United States. No claim shall be made against the United States on account of any such removal or alteration.
5. Any pier or ramp that extends across tidal marsh shall be elevated above the marsh by 1' in height for each foot in width. Example: A 3' wide ramp shall be elevated 3' above the marsh. Note that the height shall be measured from the marsh to the bottom of the pier or ramp (e.g. the bottom of the stringer) and not to the top of the deck.
6. Any float(s) that do not extend beyond mean low water shall be constructed in such a way as to keep them elevated above the tidal bottom. Techniques include but are not limited to float stops, skids, blocks, or other practicable means.
7. Seasonal coastal structures such as ramps and floats that are removed from the waterway for a portion of the year shall be stored in an upland location above mean high water and not on tidal marsh.