

**New York State Department of Environmental Conservation**  
**Division of Environmental Permits**

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June 30, 2022

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Re: DEC ID # 2-6206-01582/00005  
NYCDDC - East Side Coastal Resiliency

Dear Applicant Agent :

Please be advised that your application for a DEC permit(s) is complete and a technical review has commenced. Notice and the opportunity for public comment is required for this application. Enclosed is a Notice of Complete Application for your project. Please have the Notice published in the newspaper identified below once during the week of 07/04/2022 on any day Monday through Friday.

NEW YORK DAILY NEWS  
4 New York Plaza  
New York, NY 10004

On the Notice of Complete Application, that information presented between the horizontal lines, on the enclosed page(s) should be published. Do not print this letter or the information contained below the second horizontal line. Please request the newspaper publisher to provide you with a Proof of Publication for the Notice. Upon receipt of the Proof of Publication promptly forward it to this office. You must provide the Proof of Publication before a final decision can be rendered on your application. You are responsible for paying the cost of publishing the Notice in the newspaper.

Notification of this complete application is also being provided by this Department in the NYSDEC Environmental Notice Bulletin.

This notification does not signify approval of your application for permit. Additional information may be requested from you at a future date, if deemed necessary to reach a decision on your application. Your project is classified major under the Uniform Procedures Act. Accordingly, a decision is due within 90 days of the date of this notice unless a public hearing is held, which may extend this time frame. If a public hearing is necessary, you will be notified.

If you have any questions please contact me at the above address or phone number above.

Sincerely,

LISA E HORWITZ  
Division of Environmental Permits

**THIS IS NOT A PERMIT**

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Notice of Complete Application**

*Date:* 06/24/2022

*Applicant:* NYC DEPT OF DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION  
30-30 THOMSON AVE FL 5  
LONG ISLAND CITY, NY 11101-3045

*Facility:* NYCDDC - East Side Coastal Resiliency  
E Side Waterfront btw Montgomery St & E 25th St  
Manhattan, NY 10002

*Application ID:* 2-6206-01582/00005

*Permits(s) Applied for:* 1 - Article 15 Title 15 Water Withdrawal Non-public  
1 - Article 17 Titles 7 & 8 Industrial SPDES - Surface Discharge

*Project is located:* in NEW YORK COUNTY

*Project Description:*

The Department has prepared a draft permit and has made a tentative determination, subject to public comment or other information, to approve a proposed withdrawal and discharge of up to 6,600,000 gallons per day of treated groundwater into the Lower East River (Class I) from a treatment system consisting of sedimentation, filtration and carbon adsorption at the applicant's project site located in the vicinity of East River Park from Montgomery St to E 15th St in the Lower East Side area of Manhattan. The applicant proposes to operate a temporary construction dewatering and groundwater treatment system to facilitate replacement and construction of sewers and appurtenances related to the East Side Coastal Resiliency project. Pumped and treated groundwater is to be discharged to the Lower East River via existing NYCDEP outfalls (NCM-060, NCM-059, NCM-042, NCM-028, NCM-058, NCM-057, NCM-020, NCM-056, NCM-055, NCM-054, NCM-053), or, directed to an existing combined sewer on Avenue D that discharges to NYCDEP's Newtown Creek WRRF.

Requests for a legislative (public statement) hearing must be sent in writing to the DEC contact person below by the comment deadline. The Department assesses such requests pursuant to 6 NYCRR Section 621.8.

The draft SPDES permit and fact sheet are available online through the DECInfo Locator at <https://gisservices.dec.ny.gov/gis/dil/index.html?WW=NY0277151>.

*Availability of Application Documents:*

Filed application documents, and Department draft permits where applicable, are available for inspection during normal business hours at the address of the contact person. To ensure timely service at the time of inspection, it is recommended that an appointment be made with the contact person.

This project is subject to the Department's Environmental Justice Policy and an enhanced public participation plan has been prepared and accepted as a component of application completeness. As part of the plan, a document repository has been established near the project area that contains application and project related materials. Information on the repository location and other outreach components of the plan is available from the identified DEC contact.

*State Environmental Quality Review (SEQR) Determination*

A final environmental impact statement has been prepared on this project and is on file.

*SEQR Lead Agency*

NYC Dept of Parks & Recreation

*State Historic Preservation Act (SHPA) Determination*

Based on the information provided in cultural resources survey reports for this project, the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP) has determined that the proposed activity will have an impact on registered or eligible archaeological sites or historic structures. Measures have been undertaken in consultation with OPRHP to avoid or mitigate impacts to registered or eligible resources. These agreed upon measures conclude the SHPA review.

*Coastal Management*

This project is located in a Coastal Management area and is subject to the Waterfront Revitalization and Coastal Resources Act.

*DEC Commissioner Policy 29, Environmental Justice and Permitting (CP-29)*

The proposed action is subject to CP-29. An enhanced public participation plan was submitted by the applicant and has become part of the complete application.

*Availability For Public Comment*

Comments on this project must be submitted in writing to the Contact Person no later than 08/05/2022 or 30 days after the publication date of this notice, whichever is later.

*Contact Person*

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**CC List for Complete Notice**

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