

ADDENDUM 1  
Valley Street Dam Removal

CHANGES:

1. Limited access from Valley Street shall be permitted only for delivery and placement of stone fill for protection of the roadway embankment. Primary access to the site for demolition, excavation, and hauling remains on Litchfield Street.
2. Offsite disposal location does NOT need to be provided with the bid, but selected contractor must provide the location 30 days prior to construction start. See also item 10 below.

CLARIFICATIONS/ ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS:

1. Engineers estimated construction cost is <\$200k
2. There is no extension to the bid due date.
3. Instream work is limited to the period July 1 – Oct 1.
4. Allowable work hours are weekdays 6am – 6pm. Work is not permitted on weekends or holidays.
5. Instream work must be done outside of flowing water to the extent practical, but not in the dry. For instance, it is often practical to direct the flow to one side of the channel while working on the other. In upland areas, reasonable efforts must be made to prevent discharge of sediment from the work area. For instance, if material is stockpiled and erosion into undisturbed areas likely, use of silt fence or similar would be expected. No detailed water control or erosion control drawings are available.
6. The stream material specification shown on sheet C-7 shall be a river-run material as opposed to angular blasted material. It is, roughly speaking, a well-graded 28-inch minus mix that may require blending from different sources to meet.
7. Blasted rock is unlikely to meet the “rounded or subangular” specification for Channel Boulders.
8. If requested, the engineer will accompany the contractor to inspect gravel and stone material prior to delivery to evaluate for conformance with specification.
9. The knotweed handling notes on the plans are required by the Corps of Engineers. While the contractor may use any of the knotweed management options presented, we anticipate that the primary measure will be burial of contaminated material at the disposal site. More specifically, we anticipate that the contractor will cover (i.e., bury) the upper layer of excavated material that contains knotweed with “clean” material from lower in the excavation.
10. The Town has identified the following two locations that may be suitable for disposal of material:
  - a. Brockway Mills Rd. Parcel #14-2-7. Town owned land used as shooting range, and thus requires police notification. Approx lat, long: 43.2525, -72.4918
  - b. 1244 Skitchewaug Trail. Private landowner. Approx lat, long: 43.3095, -72.4237