

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY BUFFALO DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS 1776 NIAGARA STREET BUFFALO, NEW YORK 14207-3199

PERMITTEE: OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

PERMIT NUMBER: 2000-02812(0)

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 16, 2001

NOTE: The term you and its derivatives, as used in this permit, means the permittee or any future transferee. The term "this office" refers to the appropriate district or division office of the Corps of Engineers having jurisdiction over the permitted activity under the authority of the commanding officer.

You are authorized to perform work in accordance with the terms and conditions specified below. (and continue on page 5)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, 1980 WEST BROAD STREET, COLUMBUS, OHIO 43223, IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY TO: FILL APPROXIMATELY 1.38 ACRES OF WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES INCLUDING TRIBUTARY WETLANDS AND STREAMS IN CONNECTION WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE LAK-90/615-9.26/1.83 (PID: 9331), LAK-615-2.82 (PID: 9332), LAK-615-1.18 (PID: 12790) PROJECT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL CONDITIONS, AND THE PLANS AND DRAWINGS AND ANY ADDITIONAL SPECIAL CONDITIONS ATTACHED HERETO WHICH ARE INCORPORATED IN AND MADE A PART OF THIS PERMIT.

PROJECT LOCATION: THE PROJECT IS LOCATED IN UNNAMED TRIBUTARY WETLANDS AND STREAMS IN THE VICINITY OF NEWELL CREEK, AT I-90 AND SR 615, IN THE CITY OF MENTOR, LAKE COUNTY, OHIO

PERMIT CONDITIONS

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

1.	The time limit for completing the work authorized ends on _	May	16,	2006	If yo	u find tha
	need more time to complete the authorized activity, submit			t for a time	e extension to	this office
for	consideration at least one month before the above date is rea	ached.				

- 2. You must maintain the activity authorized by this permit in good condition and in conformance with the terms and conditions of this permit. You are not relieved of this requirement if you abandon the permitted activity, although you must make a good faith transfer to a third party in compliance with General Condition 4 below. Should you wish to cease to maintain the authorized activity, or should you desire to abandon it without a good faith transfer, you may obtain a modification of this permit from this office, which may require restoration of the area.
- 3. If you discover any previously unknown historic or archaeological remains while accomplishing the activity authorized by this permit, you must immediately notify this office of what you have found. We will initiate the Federal and state coordination required to determine if the remains warrant a recovery effort or if the site is eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.
- 4. If you sell the property associated with this permit, you must obtain the signature of the new owner in the space provided and forward a copy of the permit to this office to validate the transfer of this authorization.
- 5. If a conditioned water quality certification has been issued for your project, you must comply with the conditions specified in the certification as special conditions to this permit.
- 6. You must allow representatives from this office to inspect the authorized activity at any time deemed necessary to ensure that it is being or has been accomplished in accordance with the terms and conditions of your permit.

FURTHER INFORMATION:

- 1. Congressional Authorities: You have been authorized to undertake the activity described above pursuant to:

 Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1344).
- 2. Limits of this authorization.
- a. This permit does not obviate the need to obtain other Federal, state or local authorizations required by law.
 - b. This permit does not grant any property rights or exclusive privileges.
 - c. This permit does not authorize any injury to the property or rights of others.
 - d. This permit does not authorize interference with any existing or proposed Federal project.
- 3. Limits of Federal Liability. In issuing this permit, the Federal Government does not assume any liability for the following:

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