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JOINT PUBLIC NOTICE

CRMC File No.: 2020-08-038 Date: September 16, 2020

RIDEM Water Quality Certification Number: 20-161

These offices have under consideration the application of:

Town of Portsmouth
c/o Brian Woodhead, DPW Director
143 Hedley Street
Portsmouth, RI 02871

for State of Rhode Island Assent (in accordance with the Coastal Resources Management Program), and State of Rhode Island Water Quality Certification (in accordance with Chapter 42-35 pursuant to Chapters 46-12 and 42-17.1 of the RIGL, as amended).

This project will include: Replacing the existing six-foot wide (span) by three-foot high (rise) concrete arch culvert over Mill Creek (at Narragansett Avenue) with two nine-foot wide by six foot high precast concrete box culverts set side by side.

Project Location: Mill Creek Culvert on Narragansett Avenue
Street & Number: Narragansett Avenue
City/Town: Portsmouth

Plans of the proposed work may be seen at the CRMC office in Wakefield.

In accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act (Chapter 42-35 of the Rhode Island General Laws) you may request a hearing on this matter. You are advised that if you have good reason to enter protests against the proposed work it is your privilege to do so. It is expected that objectors will review the application and plans thoroughly, visit site of proposed work if necessary, to familiarize themselves with the conditions and cite what law or laws, if any, would in their opinion be violated by the work proposed.

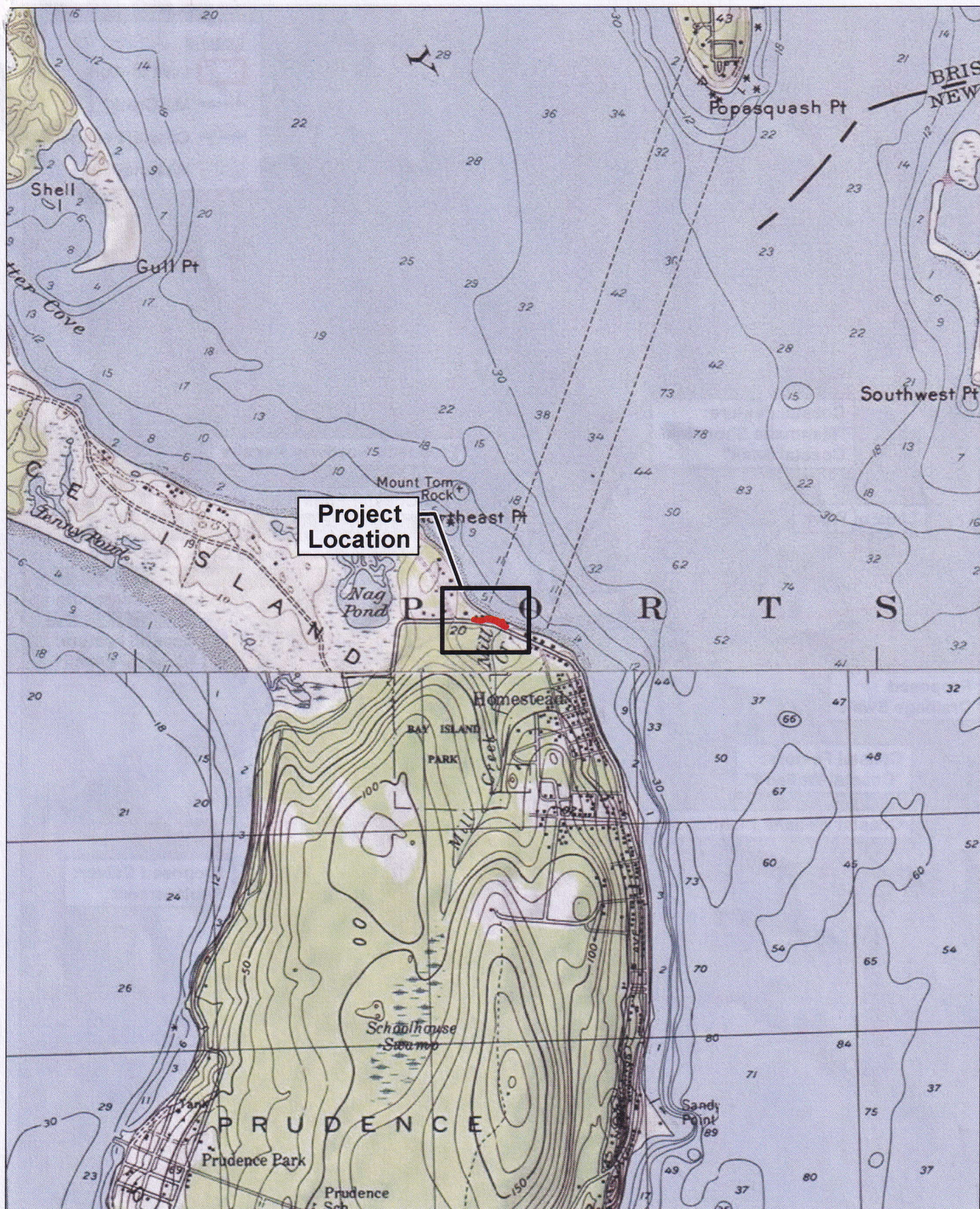
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This also serves as notice that the Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management, Office of Water Resources, Water Quality Certification Program has under consideration and review the same proposed activity as described above for compliance with the State's Water Quality Regulations (AUTHORITY: in accordance with Clean Water Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et.seq.; Chapter 42-35 pursuant to Chapters 46-12 and 42-17.1 of the Rhode Island General Laws of 1956, as amended).

If you desire to protest, you must attend the scheduled hearing and give sworn testimony. A notice of the time and place of such hearing will be furnished you as soon as possible after receipt of your request for hearing. If you desire to request a hearing, to receive consideration, it should be in writing and be received at this office on or before October 16, 2020.

It is expected that objectors will review the application and associates plans thoroughly. Comments that pertain to this Joint Notice must be submitted in writing and must be addressed to Rhode Island Coastal Resources Management Council and Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management at the above referenced addresses.

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Source: Topographic Map (USGS)

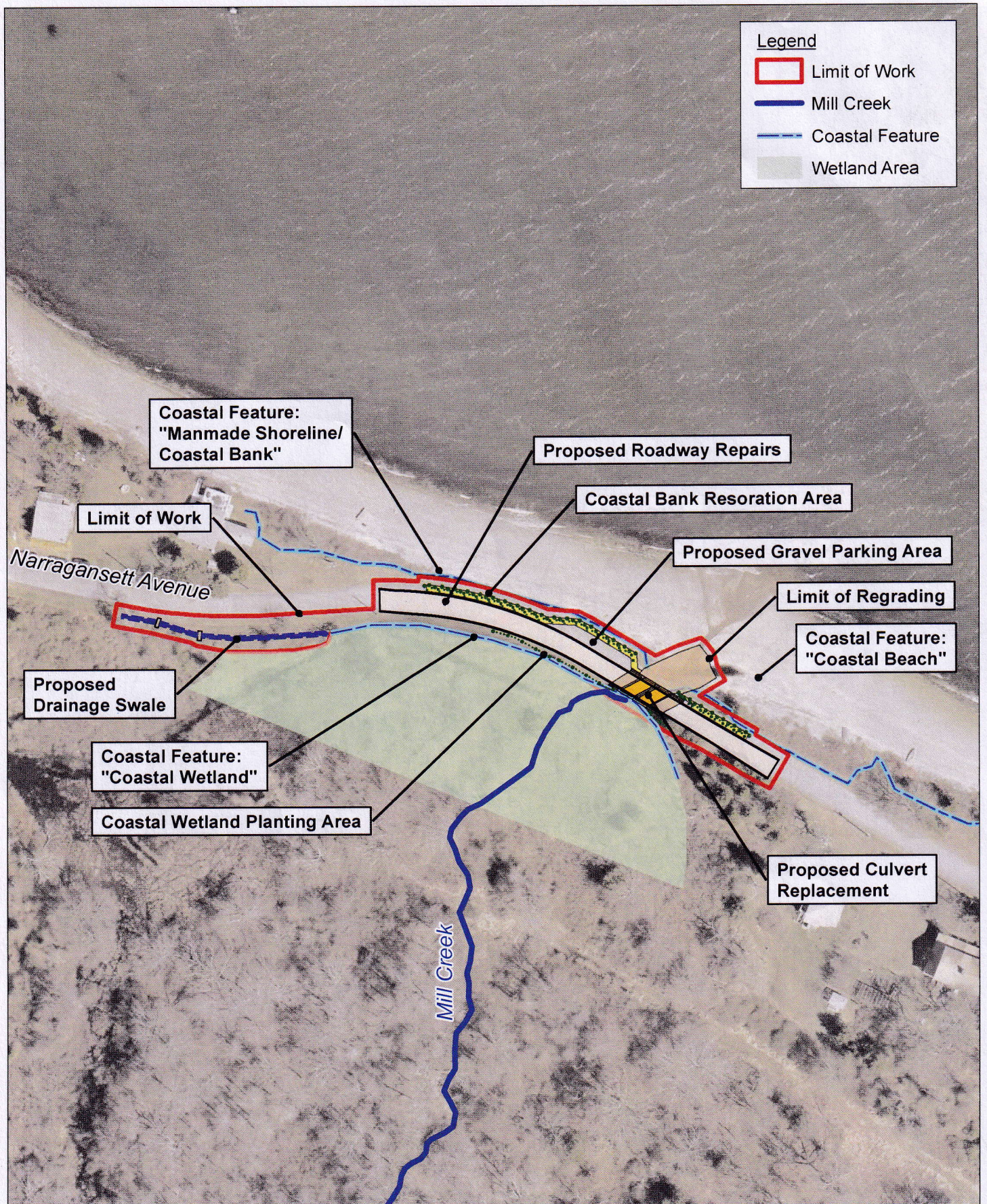


Location Map
Replacement of Mill Creek Culvert
Prudence Island, Rhode Island

Figure 1



0 1000 2000 Feet



Source: 2020 Aerial Photograph (RIGIS)



Proposed Conditions
Replacement of Mill Creek Culvert
Prudence Island, Rhode Island
8/11/2020

Figure 2

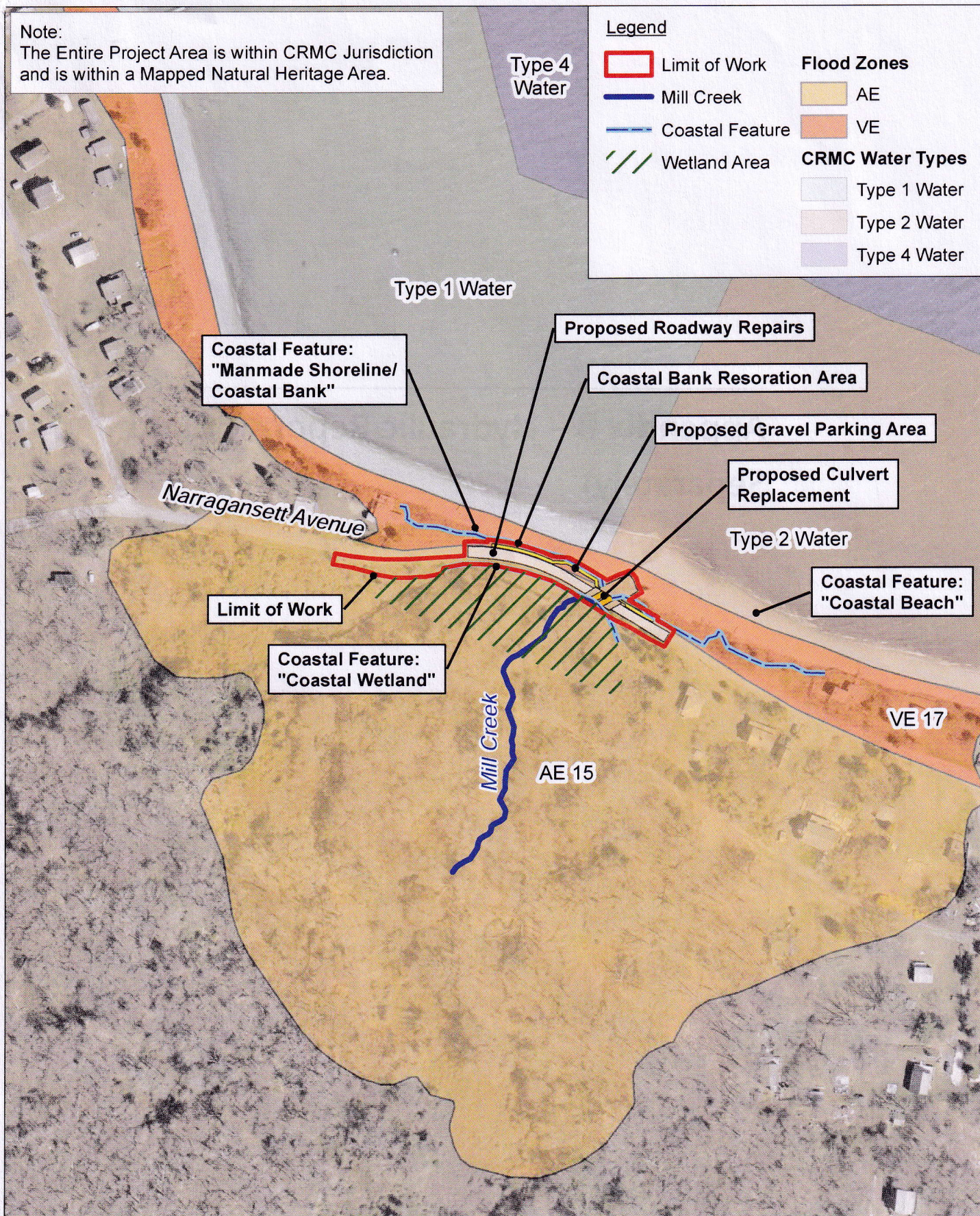


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Note:
The Entire Project Area is within CRMC Jurisdiction
and is within a Mapped Natural Heritage Area.

Legend

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| Limit of Work | Flood Zones |
| — Mill Creek | AE |
| - - - Coastal Feature | VE |
| / / / Wetland Area | CRMC Water Types |
| | Type 1 Water |
| | Type 2 Water |
| | Type 4 Water |



Source: 2020 Aerial Photograph, Natural Heritage,
Flood Zones, Water Use Types (RIGIS)



Proposed Conditions with
Environmental Resources
Replacement of Mill Creek Culvert
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Figure 3



0 100 200 Feet