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PUBLIC NOTICE

Technical Revision to Coastal Resources Management Program – Red Book CRMC Maps of Water Use Categories

The Coastal Resources Management Council, in accordance with and pursuant to the RI Administrative Procedures Act (R.I.G.L. § 42-35-3) and the Rules and Regulations of the Coastal Resources Management Council, gave notice signed and dated July 30, 2015 to make a technical amendment to the *Providence, Pawtucket and East Providence (Metro Bay North) Water Type Classification Map* to delete an incorrect designation of “coastal wetlands in Type 3-6 waters designated for preservation” for a coastal wetland abutting CRMC Type 1 waters of the Seekonk River in Providence. The purpose of the technical amendment is to correct an improper designation that is an artifact of map creation when a portion of the Seekonk River was changed from Type 4 to Type 1 waters as adopted by the CRMC in 2010. The coastal wetland that is improperly designated is subject to the enforceable policies for CRMC designated Type 1 waters as specified in Section 200.1 of the Coastal Resources Management Program.

The CRMC does not plan to hold a public hearing in this matter. Further information may be obtained by contacting the Coastal Resources Management Council offices at 783-3370.

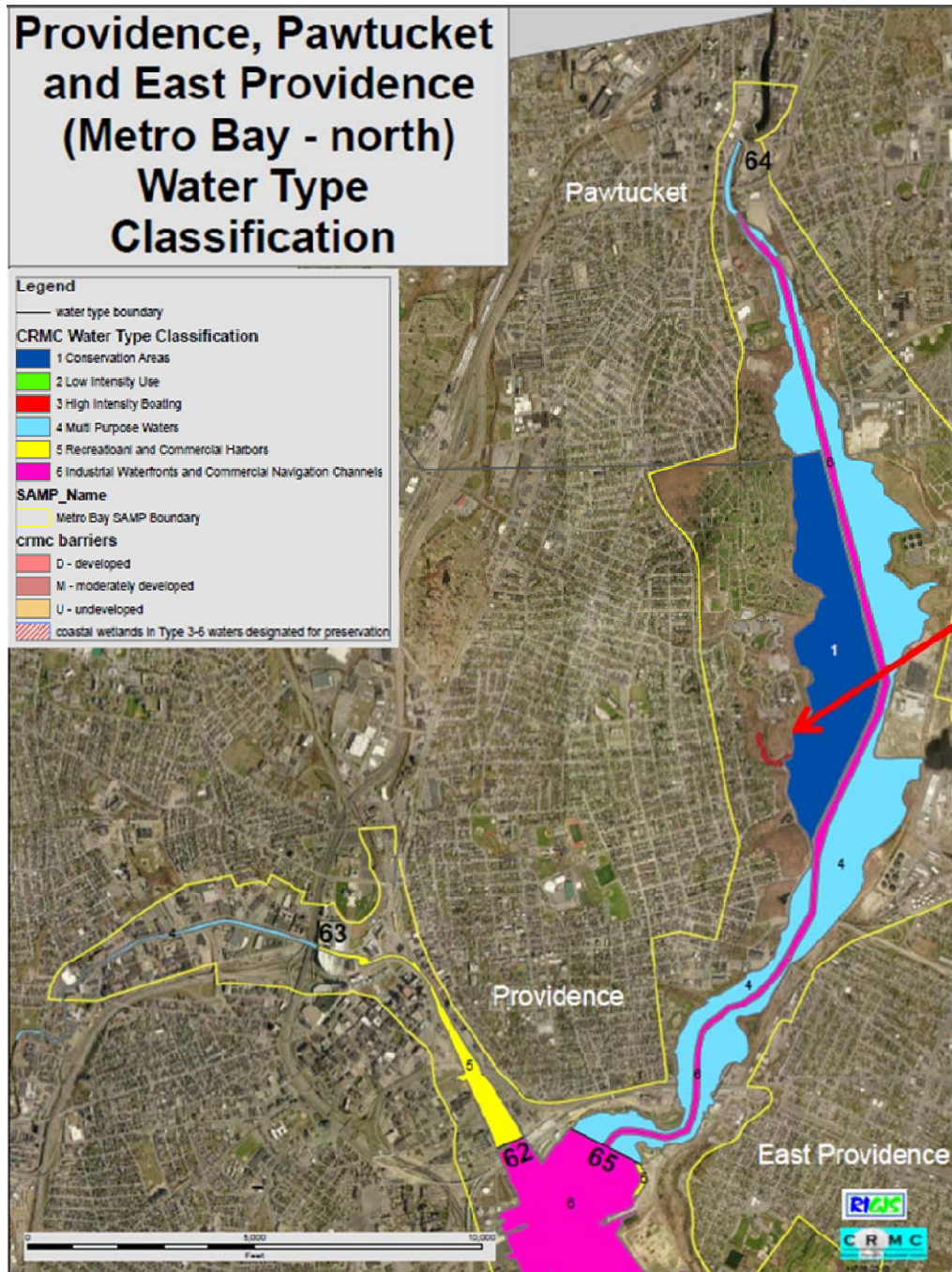
Signed this 30th day of July, 2015.

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Jeffrey M. Willis, Deputy Director
Coastal Resources Management Council

Providence, Pawtucket and East Providence (Metro Bay - north) Water Type Classification

- Legend**
- water type boundary
 - CRMC Water Type Classification**
 - 1 Conservation Areas
 - 2 Low Intensity Use
 - 3 High Intensity Boating
 - 4 Multi Purpose Waters
 - 5 Recreation and Commercial Harbors
 - 6 Industrial Waterfronts and Commercial Navigation Channels
 - SAMP_Name**
 - Metro Bay SAMP Boundary
 - crmc barriers**
 - D - developed
 - M - moderately developed
 - U - undeveloped
 - coastal wetlands in Type 3-6 waters designated for preservation



Coastal wetland incorrectly designated "coastal wetlands in Type 3-6 waters designated for preservation." The wetland abuts CRMC Type 1 waters.