The purpose of this application is to request permission to remove some diseased and damaged trees, to install a fence for the safety of our 2 dogs, and to replace an existing driveway. We will be installing a new rain garden, planting wetland soil mix and wetland appropriate sapling trees as outlined below.

With the inclusion of the existing driveway the total square footage of disturbed wetland buffer area is ~1755 square feet. The disturbed wetland area is ~545 square feet which involves only felled ash and leaning maple.

**Tree Removal**: consists of 4 diseased (standing) Ash trees, one large felled Ash tree and one leaning Maple (that was hit by Ash)

Please see attached letter and photos from licensed Arborist, Jon Jalbert of Bull Pine Tree - Sanford, ME.

Wetland soil mix will be purchased and planted in wetlands for any disturbed areas related to tree removal.

25 Wetland appropriate tree saplings will be planted in Spring of 2021. See info from NH State Forest Nursery.

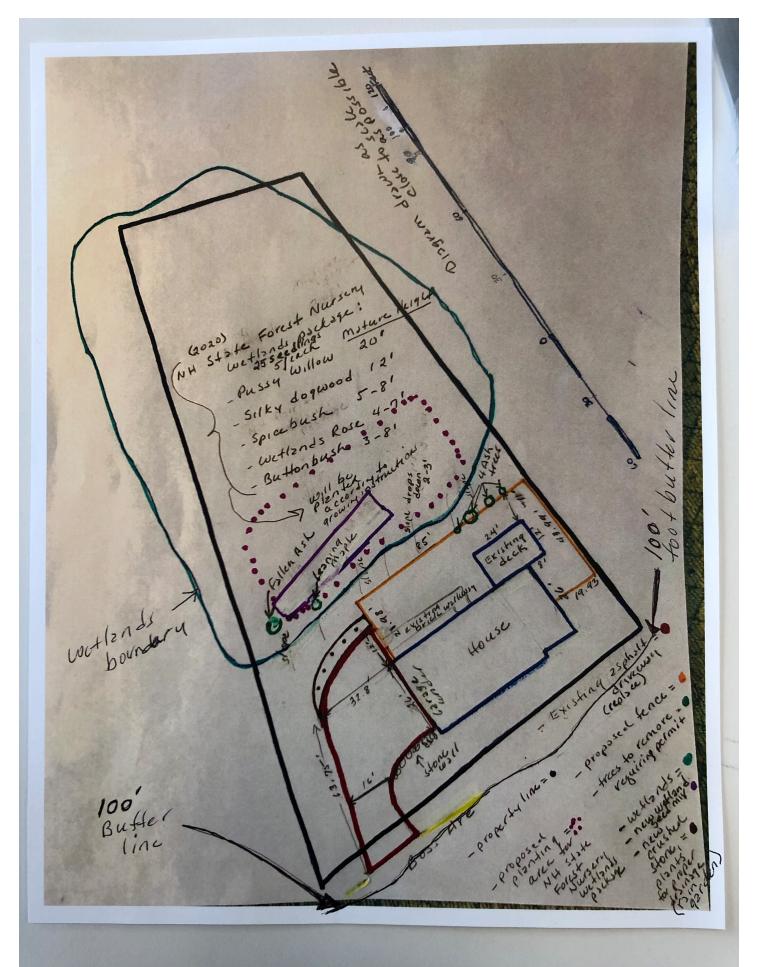
**Fence Installation:** Install new fence inside right side of property line and across back. Fence would allow a narrow, safe area for our 2 dogs. All fence posts will be 2 1/2" diameter and will be driven into ground. Cement will **only** be used for a post if there is ledge. Please see attached description and drawings from Central Fence, Hampton Falls NH.

#### Replace existing driveway and install new rain garden:

Asphalt driveway is in significant need of repair and needs to be fully replaced. It poses a significant safety hazard especially in the winter due to large divots of pooling water and cracks. Will ensure better drainage with improved pitch of new asphalt driveway and will install new rain garden with appropriate drainage.

Please see Rain garden diagram. Square footage of rain garden will be ~64-96 square feet and will be at the bottom of the driveway.









To whom it may concern,

During my assessment of 32 Boss Rd in Portsmouth NH concerning the tree health on the property, it was brought to my attention that a row of ash trees behind the house seemed to have some major health concerns. There is a total of 4 by the deck.

These trees border the wetland zone and are a hazard not only to the house, but also to the people at the residence. During my inspection of the trees it was evident that root damage and yellowing of some leaders had taken place, which may indicate serious tree heath decline.

All trees in question are positioned on a bank near the wetlands which also cause instability in the trees root structure, and is a serious concern for uprooting.

As I continued my inspection around the property, I also notice an ash tree that had uprooted in the wetlands from heart rot and root damage. This ash tree hit a maple tree which is now significantly leaning towards the house. All the same concerns I have recently addressed with the other ash on the property.

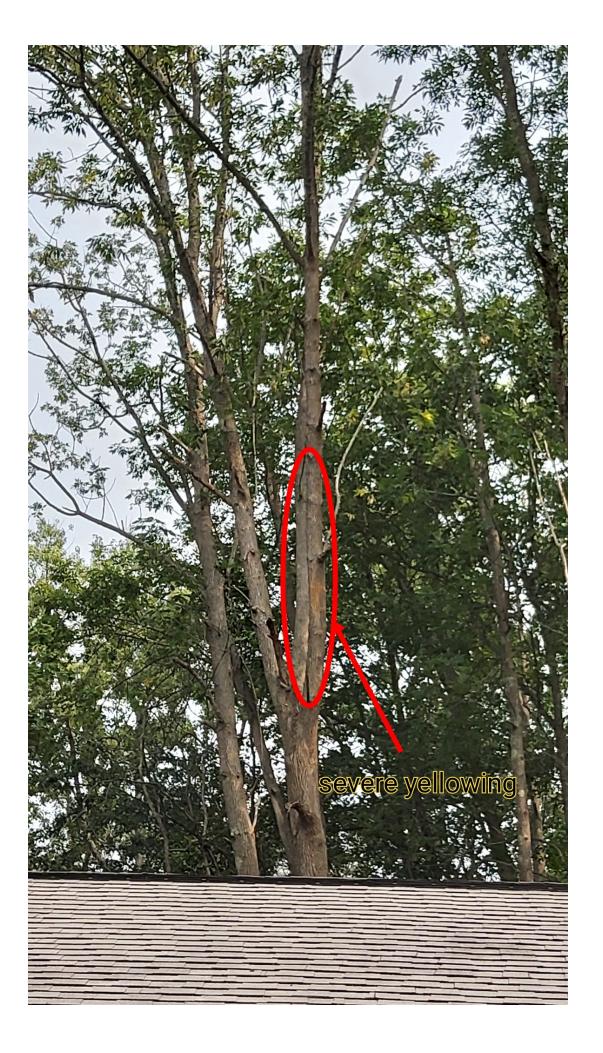
It is with my recommendation that the all the 5 ash trees in question and the leaning maple be removed before one or all have catastrophic failure.

I have included pictures indicating the health concerns of the trees. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Respectfully Jon Jalbert
Owner Bull Pine Tree
Licensed Maine Utility/landscape Arborist
License #fclu-3683



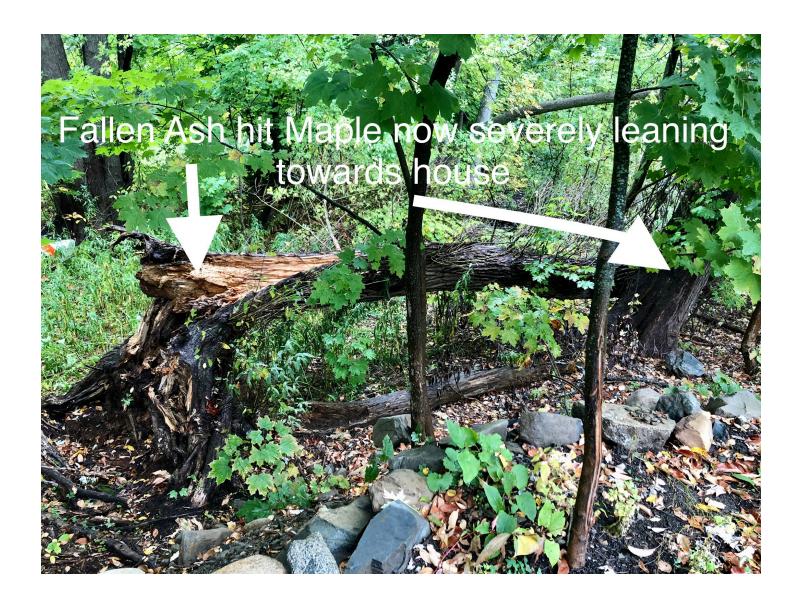


















#### **NEW ENGLAND WETLAND PLANTS, INC**

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New England Wetmix (Wetland Seed Mix)

<b>Botanical Name</b>	Common Name	Indicator
Carex vulpinoidea	Fox Sedge	OBL
Carex scoparia	Blunt Broom Sedge	FACW
Carex lurida	Lurid Sedge	OBL
Carex lupulina	Hop Sedge	OBL
Poa palustris	Fowl Bluegrass	FACW
Bidens frondosa	Beggar Ticks	FACW
Scirpus atrovirens	Green Bulrush	OBL
Asclepias incarnata	Swamp Milkweed	OBL
Carex crinita	Fringed Sedge	OBL
Vernonia noveboracensis	New York Ironweed	FACW+
Juncus effusus	Soft Rush	FACW+
Aster lateriflorus (Symphyotrichum lateriflorum)	Starved/Calico Aster	FACW
Iris versicolor	Blue Flag	OBL
Glyceria grandis	American Mannagrass	OBL
Mimulus ringens	Square Stemmed Monkey Flower	OBL
Eupatorium maculatum (Eutrochium maculatum)	Spotted Joe Pye Weed	OBL

The New England Wetmix (Wetland Seed Mix) contains a wide variety of native seeds that are suitable for most wetland restoration sites that are not permanently flooded. All species are best suited to moist ground as found in most wet meadows, scrub shrub, or forested wetland restoration areas. The mix is well suited for detention basin borders and the bottom of detention basins not generally under standing water. The seeds will not germinate under inundated conditions. If planted during the fall months the seed mix will germinate the following actions and the first several projects will need to be a forest the seeds will not be seed of the these seeds of the seeds will not be seed on the

wetland restoration areas. The mix is well suited for detention basin borders and the bottom of detention basins not generally under standing water. The seeds will not germinate under inundated conditions. If planted during the fall months the seed mix will germinate the following spring. During the first season of growth several species will produce seeds while other species will produce seeds after the second growing season. Not all species will grow in all wetland situations. This mix is comprised of the wetland species most likely to grow in created/restored wetlands and should produce more than 75% ground cover in two full growing seasons.

The wetland seeds in this mix can be sown by hand, with a hand-held spreader, or hydro-seeded on large or hard to reach sites. Lightly rake to insure good seed-to-soil contact. Seeding can take place on frozen soil, as the freezing and thawing weather of late fall and late winter will work the seed into the soil. If spring conditions are drier than usual watering may be required. If sowing during the summer months supplemental watering will likely be required until germination. A light mulch of clean, weed free straw is recommended.

New England Wetland Plants, Inc. may modify seed mixes at any time depending upon seed availability. The design criteria and ecological function of the mix will remain unchanged. Price is \$/bulk pound, FOB warehouse, Plus SH and applicable taxes.



## **Wetlands Package**

The shrub species in this package grow well in wetlands and saturated soils, including pond edges and stream banks. These species will tolerate surface water during part of the growing season. Package contains bare root seedlings of buttonbush, spice bush, silky dogwood, wetlands rose and pussy willow. Wetlands packages may have substitution of winterberry holly instead of wetlands rose...

### **Wetlands Packages are sold out**

Specialty packages are \$30 each and consist of 25 assorted seedlings (5 plants of 5 species) color coded for easy identification. Each seedling will average at least 4 to 12" tall. Plant descriptions and planting suggestions are provided. These popular packages are suitable for planting statewide. Disclaimer: the majority of plants in these specialty packages are intended primarily for wildlife and songbird use. Some species may contain toxins harmful to humans if consumed.

Price: \$30 per pkg.



#### Central Fence & Deck Hampton Falls

99 Lafayette Rd Hampton Falls, NH 03844

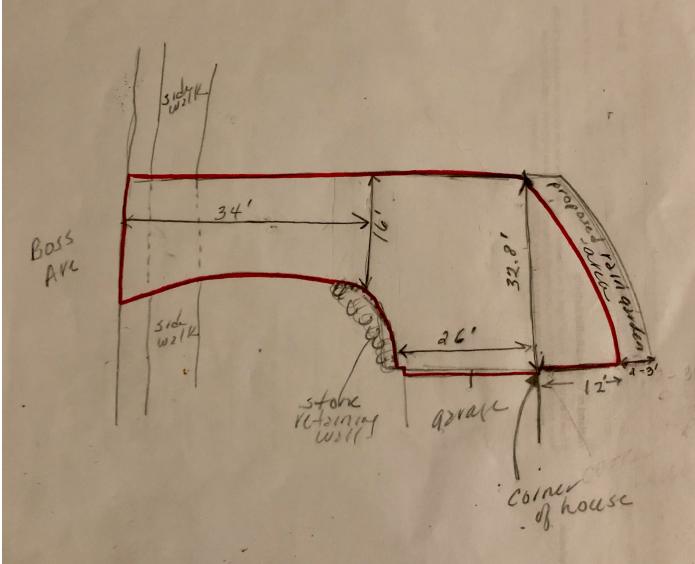
# **Estimate**

Date	Estimate #	
10/19/2020	224	

			Project
Description	Qty	Rate	Total
For Front right side of home: (2) 6' tall vinyl panels in the Aspen style			
For the sides: (9) 6' tall vinyl privacy panels			
(15) 2 1/2 inch pipe & rook post system, driven in with vinyl sleeves placed over			
(2) 4' wide walk gates in the privacy panels-with all the necessary hardware			
For the back line:			
Approximately 85' of 5' high black vinyl coated chain link with driven posts			
Labor to furnish and install all materials:		L- III	
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32 BOSS AVE



red = existing asphalt - 1600 sq. ft



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# RAIN GARDEN

A rain garden is a sunken, flat-bottomed garden that uses soil and plants to capture, absorb, and treat stormwater. This helps to reduce stormwater runoff and recharge groundwater.



