

Stony Brook Farms II, Suffield

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Project Profile

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As part of a residential subdivision in the Town of Suffield, REMA provided a Compensatory Wetland Mitigation Plan to satisfy permitting requirements under both the CT Wetlands Act, administered by the Town's Inland Wetlands Agency, and the Connecticut Programmatic General Permit (PGP), administered by the US Army Corps of Engineers.

To compensate for the disturbance of 0.98 acres of jurisdictional wetlands, the Plan includes 1.53 acres of wetland creation and 0.18 acres of wetland restoration. The created wet meadow, shallow marsh, and scrub shrub wetland community is located in a moist agricultural field within an 114-acre dedicated open space.

The implementation of the plan is now in its third season, having begun in the Fall of 2006. This particular wetland mitigation area is being actively monitored by the US Army Corps of Engineers as part of a multi-year study of wetland mitigation implementation and success.

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