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Cathy Lester Preserve (Soak Hides Dreen)

Baseline Documentation

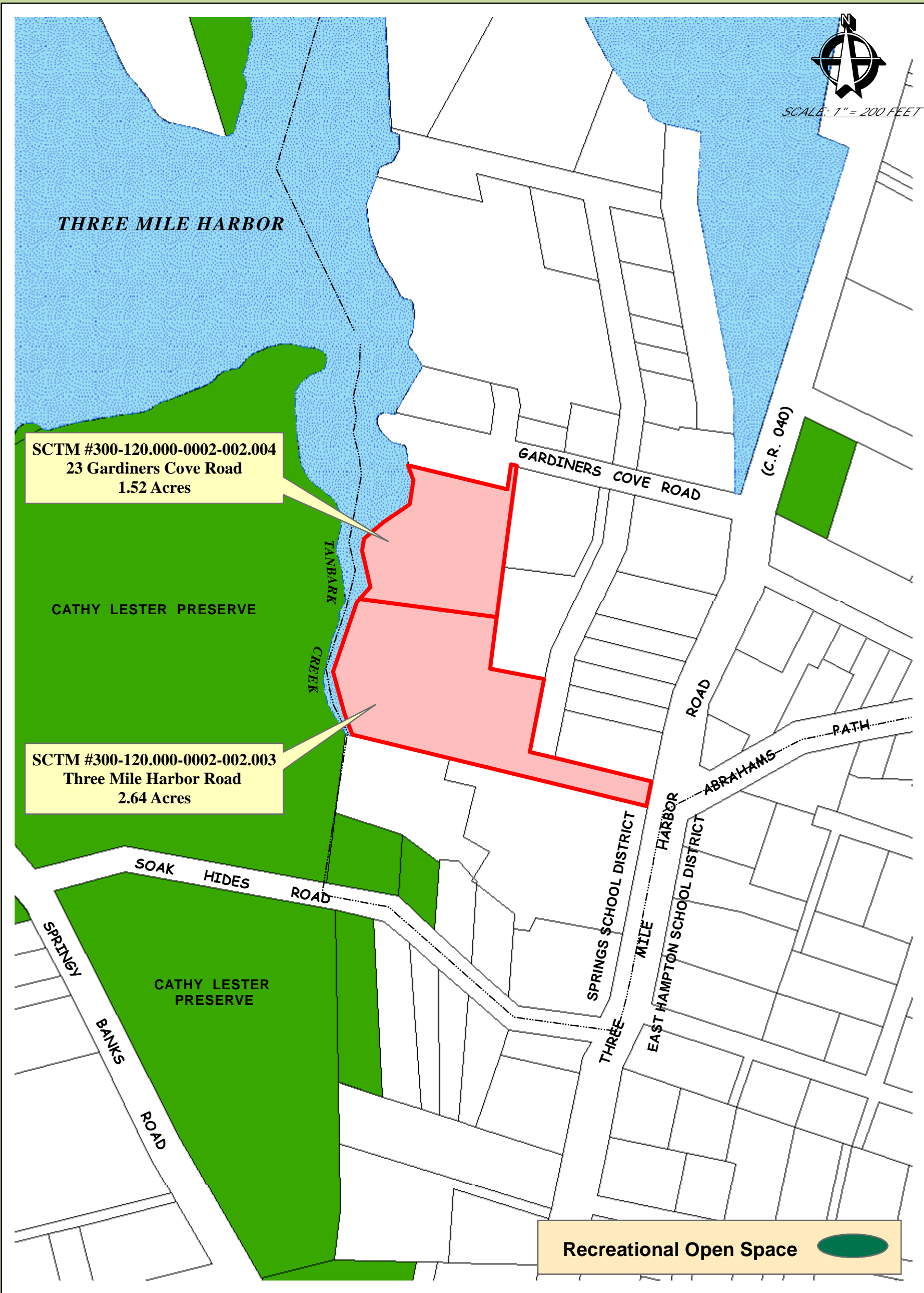


**Suffolk County Tax Map
300-120-2-2.3 & 2.4
Three Mile Harbor Road & Gardiner Cove Road
Area 4.1 Acres
Town of East Hampton, New York**

The East Hampton Town Code categorizes a Nature Preserve as any area of land or water owned by the Town which is formally dedicated to being maintained as nearly as possible in its natural condition. These lands are chosen for preservation based on the unique and valuable ecological assets situated within their boundaries. They are protected not only as a means to preserve the land in its natural state, but to create a multi-use recreational resource to be enjoyed by all.


NATURE PRESERVE

CARTOGRAPHY - RONN PIRRELLI - 04/10



SCTM #300-120.000-0002-002.004
23 Gardiners Cove Road
1.52 Acres

SCTM #300-120.000-0002-002.003
Three Mile Harbor Road
2.64 Acres

Recreational Open Space 

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Prepared by
THE TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON
Suffolk County, New York

TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON Cathy Lester Preserve Forma Springs School District



(392) Accept dedication of Reserved Area - Forma

The following resolution was offered by Councilman Pete Hammerle, seconded by Councilwoman Nancy McCaffrey, and adopted:

WHEREAS, pursuant to the conditions of a certain subdivision approval of property of Martin M. Forma at Three Mile Harbor, East Hampton, SCTM #0300-120.00-02.00-01.00, 002.000, the property owner has submitted a deed to the Town for the reserved area depicted on the map; and

WHEREAS, the deed transferring the reserved area to the Town has been reviewed and approved by the Office of the Town Attorney; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to an agreement with the grantee, the Town will hold the deed for the reserved area in escrow, to be recorded only if and when the Town purchases a lot in the subdivision depicted on the Map of Martin M. Forma as Lot #3, pursuant to a contract previously authorized and entered into between the Town and Mr. Forma; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the deed transferring title to the reserved area depicted on the Map entitled "Map of Martin M. Forma" as reserved area is hereby accepted, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Town Attorney, in compliance with the Town's agreement with the grantee, shall hold the deed in escrow, to be recorded together with, or after the delivery and acceptance of a deed for Lot #3 on the Map of Martin M. Forma, said map being dated prepared June 30, 1995, and last revised December 19, 1996; and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to:

Pat Mansir, Chair, Planning Board
Philip E. Silberberg, Esq., 1114 Avenue of the Americas, 41st
Floor
New York, New York 10033-7703
Laurie Bernhardt Wilshire, LandMarks, P.O. Box 2337, East Hampton, New York 11937

Adopted 4/4/97

(387) ADOPT LOCAL LAW:
ADD PROPERTIES TO TOWN NATURE PRESERVE

The following resolution was offered by Councilwoman D. Weir, seconded by Councilman J. Potter, and adopted:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by the Town Board of the Town of East Hampton on March 7, 2003 regarding a Local Law amending Chapter 182 ("East Hampton Town Nature Preserve") of the East Hampton Town Code in order to add additional lands to the register of properties dedicated to the Town Nature Preserve, all as more fully set forth in the text of the Local Law; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has considered the comments of all persons regarding this Local Law, either as submitted in writing or as presented orally at the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, both the Town Nature Preserve Committee and the Town Planning Department have reviewed the properties proposed to be dedicated to the Town Nature Preserve, and both agencies recommend that the properties described in this Local Law be so dedicated; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has prepared and considered Environmental Assessment Forms which evaluate the potential environmental impacts of the proposed amendment; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the adoption of this Local Law will not have a significant negative impact upon the environment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a negative declaration is hereby made pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA); and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the said Local Law is hereby enacted to read as follows:

LOCAL LAW NO. 3 OF 2003
INTRODUCTORY NO. 4 OF 2003

A Local Law providing for the amendment of Chapter 182 Nature Preserve of the East Hampton Town Code in order to add additional lands to the register of properties dedicated to the Town Nature Preserve, as more fully set forth in the text of the Local Law, said Local Law to read as follows:

BE IT ENACTED by the Town Board of the Town of East Hampton as follows:

SECTION I. - FINDINGS AND OBJECTIVES:

This local law amends Chapter 182 of the Town Code to add additional properties to the Town Nature Preserve. The Register of Properties dedicated to the Nature Preserve will be amended to appear as shown in Section II below.¹

SECTION II. - TOWN CODE AMENDED:

¹ Newly added properties are shown in “**Boldface**” in the table.

Chapter 182 ("East Hampton Town Nature Preserve") of the East Hampton Town Code is hereby amended at Article IV, with respect to Tables II, III, and V of the Register of Properties, said amended tables to read as follows:

ARTICLE IV

EAST HAMPTON TOWN NATURE PRESERVE – REGISTER OF PROPERTIES

TABLE II

EAST HAMPTON NATURE PRESERVE
PARCELS WITHIN EAST HAMPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCTM#300-	Parcel Description/East Hampton School District	Acreage
35-1-1.15	Hedges Banks bluff access, Landfall RA – Hedges Banks Drive	0.30 (c)
54-3-31	Grace Estate Preserve	83.5
55-1-29	W. Gardner Park (Camp Norwesca) - Old House Landing Road	39.9
55-4-27	W. Gardner Park (Camp Norwesca) - Old House Landing Road	16.2
56-2-32	Sammis Beach Road	0.2 (c)
56-2-33.1	Sammis Beach Road wetlands	0.2 (c)
56-2-33.2	Sammis Beach Road wetlands	0.2 (c)
56-2-47	Sammis Beach Road wetlands, Lucy's Point	1.0
56-2-48	Sammis Beach Road wetlands, Lucy's Point	0.47
56-2-50	Sammis Beach Road wetlands, Lucy's Point	0.9 (c)
56-2-53.1	Sammis Beach Preserve	116.2
72-1-1	Northwest Harbor waterfront - Mile Hill Road	2.0
73-3-1.16	Grassy Hollow Preserve, Northwest Estates RA	113.8
73-3-11.24	Grassy Hollow Preserve, Grassy Hollow Estates RA	49.8
74-2-32.3	Three Mile Harbor waterfront, Peter's Reel – Hand's Creek Road	0.67
74-5-1	Hands Creek Preserve	11.1
74-5-20	Hands Creek Preserve, Hands Creek Harbor RA - Clamshell Avenue	0.64 (c)
74-5-21	Hands Creek Preserve, Hands Creek Harbor RA - Clamshell Avenue	0.62 (c)
74-5-22	Hands Creek Preserve, Hands Creek Harbor RA - Clamshell Avenue	0.37 (c)
90-1-23.3	Northwest Swamp Preserve - off Northwest Landing Road	2.2
90-1-23.4	Northwest Swamp Preserve - off Northwest Landing Road	1.7
90-1-23.5	Northwest Swamp Preserve - off Northwest Landing Road	1.9
90-1-23.6	Northwest Swamp Preserve - off Northwest Landing Road	2.0
90-2-9.1	Grace Estate Preserve	431.0
90-3-4	Northwest Creek wetlands - Northwest Landing Road	0.50 (c)
91-1-16.41	Trail corridor, Cordwood Hollow Section II RA	0.41
91-1-16.42	Trail corridor, Cordwood Hollow Section II RA	0.61
91-1-16.43	Trail corridor, Cordwood Hollow Section II RA	8.50
92-3-13	Treescape RA - Springy Banks Road, drainage	0.75
92-5-35	Hampton Waters RA - Oyster Pond Lane, drainage	0.20 (c)
92-5-36	Hampton Waters RA - Oyster Pond Lane, drainage	0.20 (c)

92-8-1	Hampton Waters RA - Oyster Pond Lane, pedestrian R.O.W.	0.45
92-10-1	Wooded parcel, Treescape RA	3.7
92-10-2	Treescape RA - Middle Highway	0.92
92-10-17	Treescape RA - Springy Banks Road	1.1
112-1-9	Swamp Road RA, road buffer	0.32
112-1-25.3	Chatfield's Hole Preserve	46.3
112-2-13.3	Trail corridor, Cloder/Peters Subwaiver RA – Bull Path	0.36
113-4-1	Northwest Pines RA - Old Northwest Road	0.17
113-4-9	Northwest Pines RA – Marion Lane	0.20
113-5-1	Northwest Pines RA – Old Northwest Road	0.15
113-5-8	Northwest Pines RA – Marion Lane	0.61
113-5-9	Northwest Pines RA – Marion Lane road triangle	0.10 (c)
113-5-10	Northwest Pines RA – Marion Lane road triangle	0.10 (c)
118-1-25.1	Treescape RA – Middle Highway	5.80
118-1-25.12	Treescape RA – Springy Banks Road	1.3
118-1-26	Treescape RA – Springy Banks Road (Snake Hole)	2.8
118-1-32	Treescape RA – Springy Banks Road	0.10 (c)
119-1-2	Three Mile Harbor/Gardiner Cove waterfront, Hampton Waters RA – South Pond Road	0.50 (c)
119-2-2	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Springy Banks Road	7.9
119-2-3	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Springy Banks Road	17.6
119-2-4	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Springy Banks Road	6.5
119-5-9	Between Old Fireplace Rd. and Springs Fireplace Road	0.30
119-5-10	Between Old Fireplace Rd. and Springs Fireplace Road	0.28
120-2-2.4	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Gardiner Cove Road	1.5
120-2-11	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Soaks Hides Road	0.36 (c)
120-2-12	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Soaks Hides Road	0.29 (c)
122-5-16	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Springy Banks Road	1.8
122-5-17	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Springy Banks Road	0.9
122-5-20	Soak Hides Dreen Preserve – Springy Banks Road	0.2
134-1-11	Wolf's Hole/Edwards Hole Preserve	6.0
134-1-15	Wolf's Hole/Edwards Hole Preserve	52.1
134-2-21	East Hampton Knolls RA – Whooping Hollow Road, drainage	0.98 (c)
134-3-34	Two Holes of Water Road, road buffer	0.29
135-1-1	Planz Subwaiver – Old Northwest Road, road buffer	0.80
135-1-4	Planz Subwaiver – Old Northwest Road, road buffer	0.27
135-1-6	Planz Subwaiver – Old Northwest Road, road buffer	0.17
135-1-14	Northwest Hills RA – Old Northwest Road, road buffer	0.77
135-1-26	Northwest Hills RA – Bull Path, road buffer	0.52
135-1-32	Northwest Hills RA – Bull Path, road buffer	0.50 (c)
135-1-31.4	Bull Path, road buffer	1.10
135-1-31.5	Northwest Hills RA – Bull Path	0.25 (c)
135-1-43	Northwest Hills RA – Old Northwest Road, road buffer	0.62
135-2-22	J. Hunting Triangle – Stephen Hand's Path and Old Northwest Road	3.4
142-5-11	Cedar Woods RA	18.3
144.01-1-79	Whalebone Woods RA	2.5

Notes:

1. (c) means calculated figure.
2. RA means subdivision reserved area.
3. SCTM means Suffolk County Tax map parcel number.

SECTION III. – SEVERABILITY:

Should any part or provision of this Local Law be decided by the courts to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of this Local Law as a whole nor any part thereof other than the part so decided to be unconstitutional or invalid.

SECTION IV. – EFFECTIVE DATE:

This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State as provided by law.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk is directed to forward copies of this resolution to:

Planning Director Marguerite Wolffsohn;
Senior Planner Joanne Pahwul;
Natural Resources Director Larry Penny;
Town of East Hampton Nature Preserve Committee, George Larsen, Chair;
Assistant Town Attorney Richard A. Hammer; and
Assistant Town Attorney Richard E. Whalen.

DATED: March 20, 2003

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD
TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON, NEW YORK
FRED L. OVERTON, TOWN CLERK

The adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

SUPERVISOR JAY SCHNEIDERMAN	VOTE	AYE
COUNCILWOMAN DIANA WEIR	VOTE	AYE
COUNCILMAN JOB POTTER	VOTE	AYE
COUNCILMAN PETE HAMMERLE	VOTE	AYE
COUNCILWOMAN PAT MANSIR	VOTE	AYE

The resolution was declared duly adopted.

March 20, 2003

(1652) **ADOPT LOCAL LAW**

AMEND NATURE PRESERVE SCHEDULES

The following resolution was offered by Supervisor McGintee, seconded by Councilman Hammerle, and adopted:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by the Town Board of the Town of East Hampton on December 16, 2004 regarding the amendment of Chapter 182 ("East Hampton Town Nature Preserve") of the East Hampton Town Code in order to add four (4) additional properties to the register of lands dedicated to the Town Nature Preserve and correct errors found throughout the tables, all as more fully set forth in the text of the Local Law; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has considered the comments of all persons regarding this Local Law, both as submitted in writing and as presented orally at the public hearing; and

WHEREAS, the adoption of this local law is an unlisted action pursuant to the State Environmental Quality State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA); and

WHEREAS, the Town Board has prepared and considered an Environmental Assessment Form which evaluates the potential environmental impacts of the proposed amendment; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the adoption of this Local Law will not have a significant negative impact upon the environment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a negative declaration is hereby made pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA); and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the said Local Law is hereby enacted to read as follows:

LOCAL LAW NO. 38 OF 2004

INTRODUCTORY NO. 52 OF 2004

A Local Law providing for the amendment of Chapter 182 ("East Hampton Town Nature Preserve") of the East Hampton Town Code in order to add four (4) additional properties to the register of lands dedicated to the Town Nature Preserve and correct errors found throughout the tables, as more fully set forth in the text of the Local Law, said Local Law to read as follows:

BE IT ENACTED by the Town Board of the Town of East Hampton as follows:

SECTION I. - FINDINGS AND OBJECTIVES:

This local law amends Chapter 182 of the Town Code to add four (4) additional properties to the Town Nature Preserve and to correct all of the errors that have been discovered in the existing tables. The corrections include correcting acreages and tax map designations, removing parcels that are privately owned and were mistakenly named on the nature preserve list, adding clearer road designations and moving parcels that were incorrectly listed in the wrong school district table. The Register of Properties dedicated to the Nature Preserve will be amended to appear as shown in Section II below. The four (4) parcels proposed for dedication to

the Nature Preserve consist of a diverse group of ecologically significant parcels acquired by the Town for the purpose of open space preservation.

SECTION II. - TOWN CODE AMENDED:

Chapter 182 ("East Hampton Town Nature Preserve") of the East Hampton Town Code is hereby amended at Article IV, with respect to Table I, II, III, IV and V of the Register of Properties, said tables to be replaced in their entirety by the following (all changes are in bold print):

TABLE III
Town of East Hampton – Owned Lands
Parcels within Springs School District

SCTM #300-	Parcel Description/Springs School District	Acreage
24-7-52	Accabonac Harbor wetlands – Old Fireplace Road	15.1
24-8-04	Clearwater Beach Section II RA – Fenmarsh Road, drainage	1.8 (e) 0.9
24-8-11	Clearwater Beach Section II RA – Renfrew Road, drainage	1.8 (e) 0.9
24-9-17	Clearwater Beach Section II RA – Waterhole Road, drainage	0.50 (c)
24-9-38	Clearwater Beach Section II RA – Pembroke Drive, drainage	0.85 (c)
24-9-42	Clearwater Beach Section II RA – Pembroke Drive, drainage	0.42 (c)
24-10-14	Clearwater Beach Section II RA - Pembroke Drive, drainage	0.85 (c)
38-3-3	Maidstone Park – Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.21 (c)
38-3-4	Maidstone Park –Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.24 (c)
38-3-5	Maidstone Park – Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.7
38-3-6	Maidstone Park –Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.20 (c)
38-3-7	Maidstone Park –Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.38 (c)
38-3-8	Maidstone Park – Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.75
38-3-9	Maidstone Park – Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.20
38-3-10	Maidstone Park – Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.3
38-3-11	Maidstone Park – Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	0.6
38-3-12	Maidstone Park –Three Mile Harbor Wetlands	1.5 (c)
39-10-26	Wooded lot – Cedar Drive, drainage	0.22 (c)
39-11-10	Hog Creek Road Woodlands	28.26
39-11-12	Hog Creek Road Wetlands	8.8
39-13-01	Wooded lot – Underwood Drive, drainage	0.84 (c)
39-15-37	35 Cedar Drive	0.26
41-1-2.1	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	1.9
41-1-29.1	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	3.1
41-2-31	Cape Gardiner dunelands – Gerard Drive	0.44 (c)
41-2-32	Cape Gardiner dunelands – Gerard Drive	0.12 (c)
41-2-33	Cape Gardiner dunelands – Gerard Drive	0.40 (c)
41-2-34	Cape Gardiner dunelands – Gerard Drive	0.20 (c)
42-1-3	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.34 (c)

42-1-4	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.29 (c)
42-1-5	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.36 (c)
42-1-6	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.52 (c)
42-1-7	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.26 (c)
42-1-13	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.69 (c)
42-1-15	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.57 (c)
42-1-17	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.8
42-1-18	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.6
42-2-2	Cape Gardiner beach – Gerard Drive	0.50 (c)
59-1-3	15 Babes Lane	2.53
61-1-1	Joshua Penny's Sedge Flat-Three Mile Harbor	4.6
63-2-14.56	Hilda Talmage RA – trail corridor	1.1
63-3-10	Springs-Fireplace Road Wetlands	17.2
63-3-29.6	Accabonac Harbor wetlands – Wilder RA	1.9
64-1-1	Caroline Gerard Park – Gerard Drive	1.8
64-1-2	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.76 (c)
64-1-6	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.60 (c)
64-1-8	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.46 (c)
64-1-10.1	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	0.90 (c)
64-1-28.1	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Gerard Drive	4.5
64-1-29	Accabonac Harbor Inlet – Gerard Drive	0.91
64-1-30	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands - Gerard Drive	0.29 (c)
64-2- 3 4.1	Caroline Gerard Park – Gerard Drive	6.3 7.5
64-2-25.1	Cape Gardiner dunelands – Gerard Drive	3.6
75-1-28.4	Duck Creek Wetlands	3.6 0.24
80-1-5.1	Pussy's Pond Park	14.6
80-2-13	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Landing Lane	1.8
80-4-3.5	Accabonac Harbor woods – Landing Lane	1.7
80-4-6	Accabonac Harbor Wetlands – Old Stone Highway	1.8
80-6- 24.1 24.4	Lassaw Property	24 23.3
83-2-14	Accabonac Harbor Great Meadow Wetlands – Old Stone Highway	4.4
83-2-17	Accabonac Harbor Great Meadow Wetlands – Old Stone Highway	4.1
83-3-1	Louse Point Park	15.4
83-3-19	East Harbor wetlands (Comber Park) – Louse Point Road	2.0
83-3-20.2	East Harbor Wetlands – Springs-Amagansett Road (Old Stone Highway)	0.74 (c)
83-6-12	Mud Hole Wetlands, East Side – Harbor Hill Lane	2.7
93-1-1	Three Mile Harbor Wetlands - Marina Lane	17.6
93-1-2	Marina Lane water access	0.34 (c)
102-3-17	Jacobs Farm - Jointly Owned by the Town of East Hampton and the County of Suffolk	165.4
103-1-5	99 Neck Path	13.0
103-6-22.4	Barnes Hole Road Woodlands	6.6
103-6-35	Barnes Hole Road Reserved	1.0 5.7
103-7-9	Barnes Hole Road - Wetlands	0.50 (c)

103-8-9.7	Red Dirt Road Reserved	3.4
103-8-9.8	Red Dirt Road Reserved	3.3
103-8-30.12	East Side at Springs RA – Neck Path	3.4
103-8-30.13	East Side at Springs RA – Red Dirt Road	17.6 17.7
103-9-15	Glenway, drainage	0.14 (c)
103-9-25	Barnes Hole Road Reserved	1.2
121-1-19	Hampton Terrace RA – Summit Ave.	0.13 (c)
120-2-2.3	Three Mile Harbor Road	2.60
120-2-10.1	Three Mile Harbor Road	1.10

Notes:

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3. SCTM means Suffolk County Tax Map parcel number.

SECTION III. – SEVERABILITY:

Should any part or provision of this Local Law be decided by the courts to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of this Local Law as a whole nor any part thereof other than the part so decided to be unconstitutional or invalid.

SECTION IV. – EFFECTIVE DATE:

This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State as provided by law.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Town Clerk is directed to forward copies of this resolution to:

Town Attorney, Laura Molinari;
Nature Preserve Committee; and
Larry Penny, Director of Natural Resources.

DATED: December 16, 2004

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD
TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON, NEW YORK
FRED L. OVERTON, TOWN CLERK

The adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly put to a vote on roll call, which resulted as follows:

SUPERVISOR WILLIAM McGINTEE	VOTE	AYE
COUNCILWOMAN DEBRA FOSTER	VOTE	AYE
COUNCILMAN JOB POTTER	VOTE	Absent
COUNCILMAN PETE HAMMERLE	VOTE	AYE
COUNCILWOMAN PAT MANSIR	VOTE	AYE

The resolution was declared duly adopted.

Resolution 1524 Adopted Dec. 2, 2005

WHEREAS, former Supervisor Cathy Lester began her lifelong love affair with our unique East Hampton environment as a bay woman with her husband, Tom; and

WHEREAS, Cathy understood that nature's delicate balance was under attack by the use of chemicals and other harmful agents; and

WHEREAS, Cathy started the Northwest Alliance, an environmental group dedicated to reversing the environmental damage and returning our bays and harbors and other habitats to their pristine condition through education and ultimately, environmental protection legislation; and

WHEREAS, Cathy's leadership with the Northwest Alliance led to her political involvement as a Trustee, where she served for four years, working diligently to protect our fisheries, shellfish industry, and our forests and beaches; and

WHEREAS, Cathy was appointed to the Planning Board in 1984 and served through 1988, working with the Planning Department to develop the 1984 Comprehensive Plan; and

WHEREAS, Cathy was elected to the Town Board in 1988 and expanded her involvement in government to help provide the Town's first affordable housing to local residents, improve access to health care through partnerships with the county and local providers, and build the Town's Senior Citizen Center and senior housing at Windmill Village; and

WHEREAS, Cathy was elected Town Supervisor in 1996 and continued to provide leadership to protect our environment and prevent over development, brought the Accabonac and Avallone Housing projects to completion, began construction of the 3,000 square foot health clinic at the Accabonac Housing complex, led the Town in the purchase of over 4,000 acres of open space; was instrumental in the construction of the Paumanok Trail system from Sag Harbor to Montauk and the subsequent purchase of the Soak Hides Dreen; and

WHEREAS, the Town Board would like to honor Cathy Lester for her more than 20 years of public service to the Town of East Hampton; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Town Board hereby renames the Soak Hides Nature Preserve, the Cathy Lester Nature Preserve.

