

James Baird State Park

Town of LaGrange, Dutchess County, New York

Master Plan and

Environmental Impact Statement

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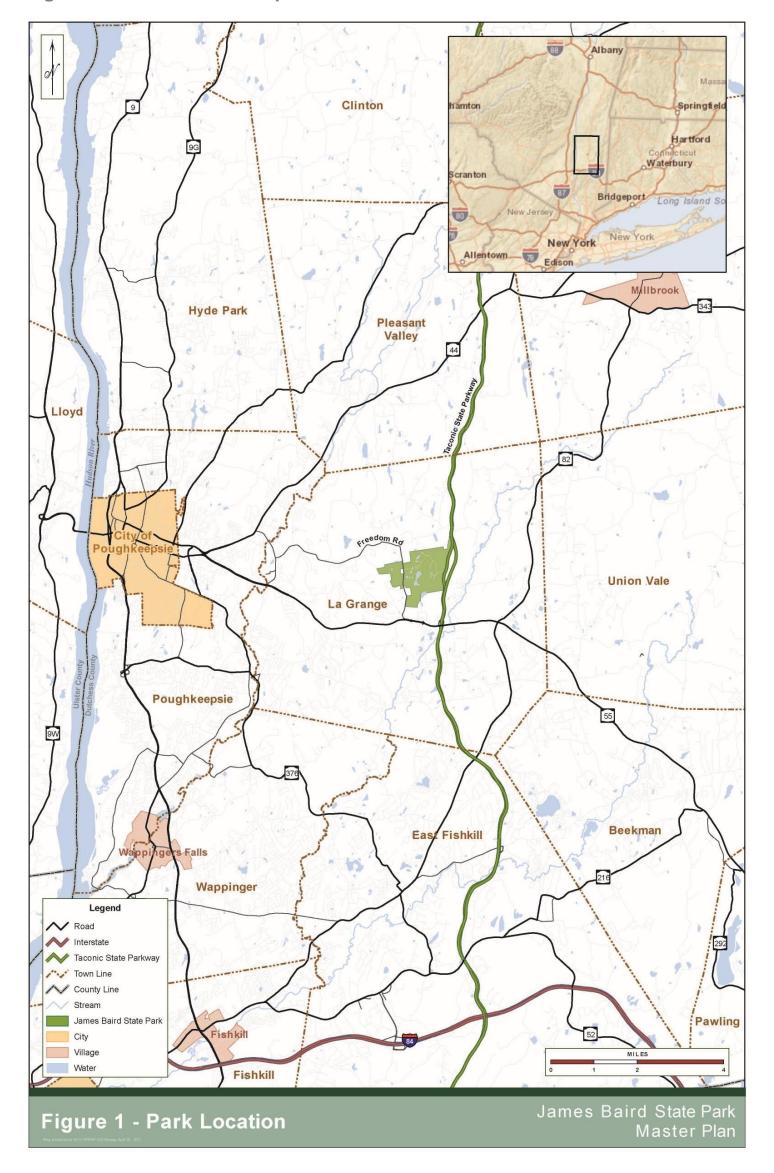


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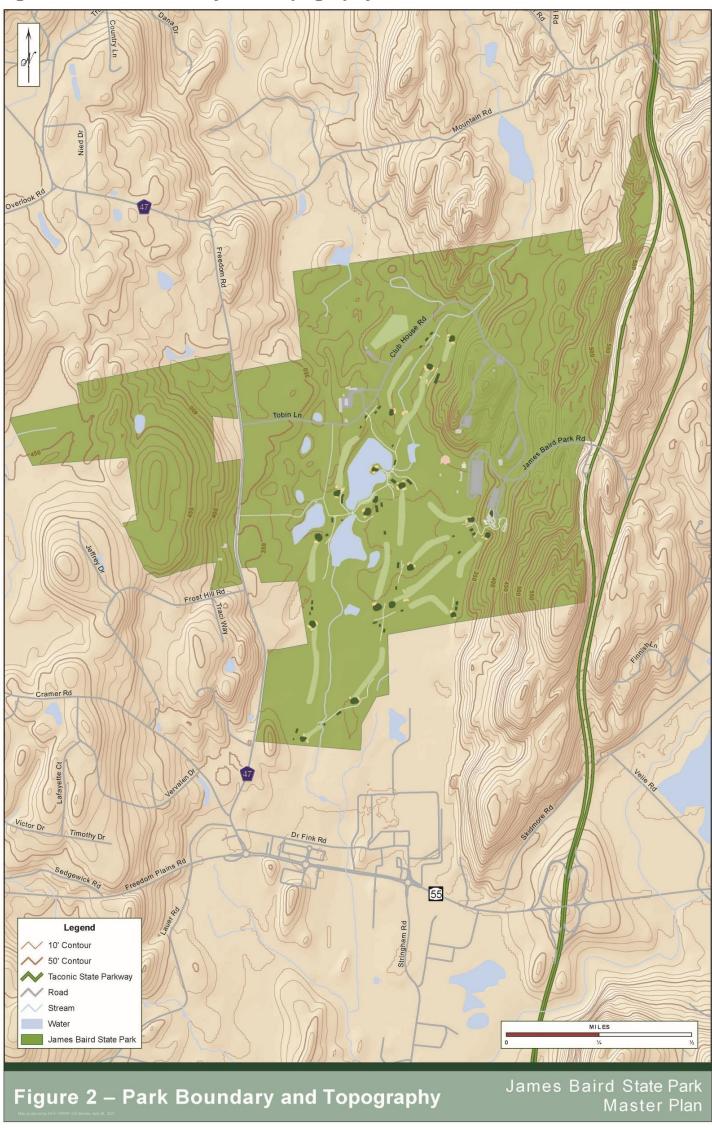


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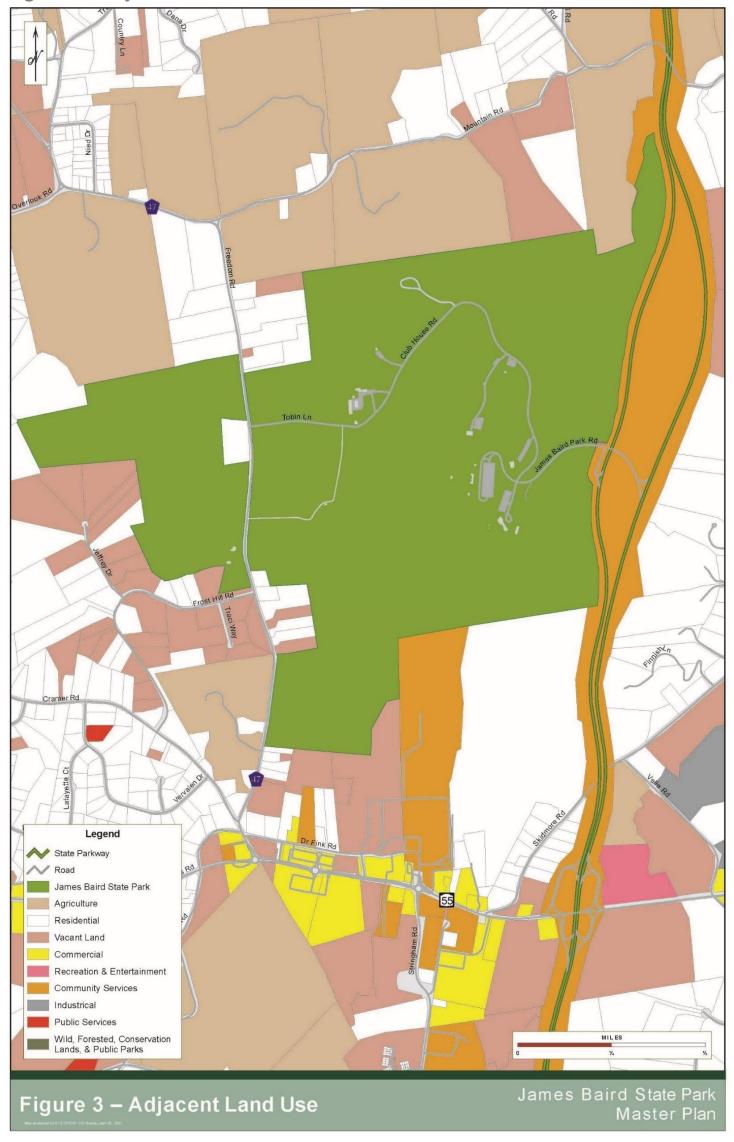


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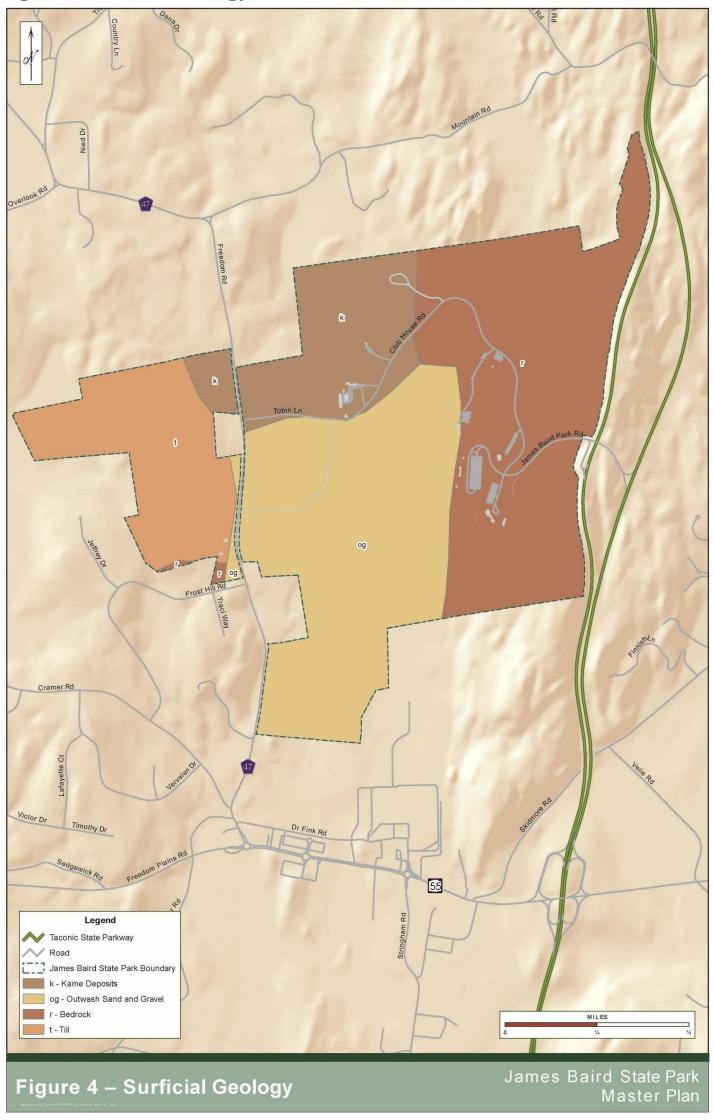


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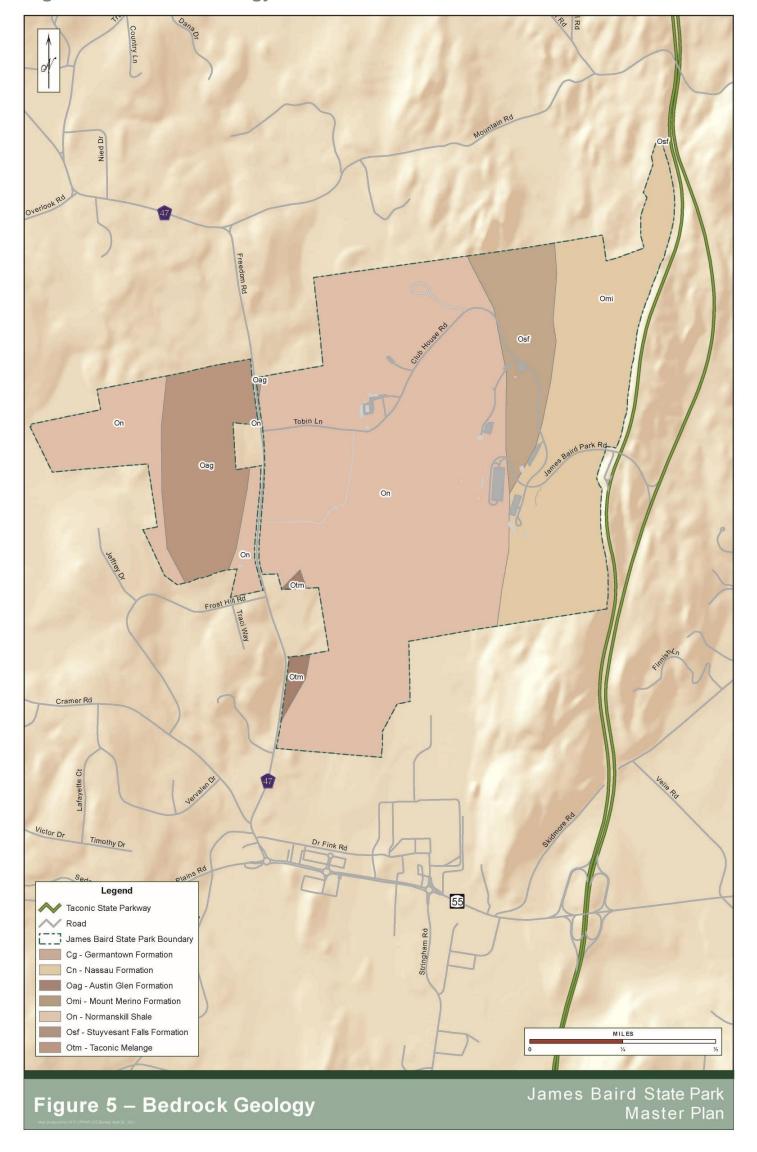


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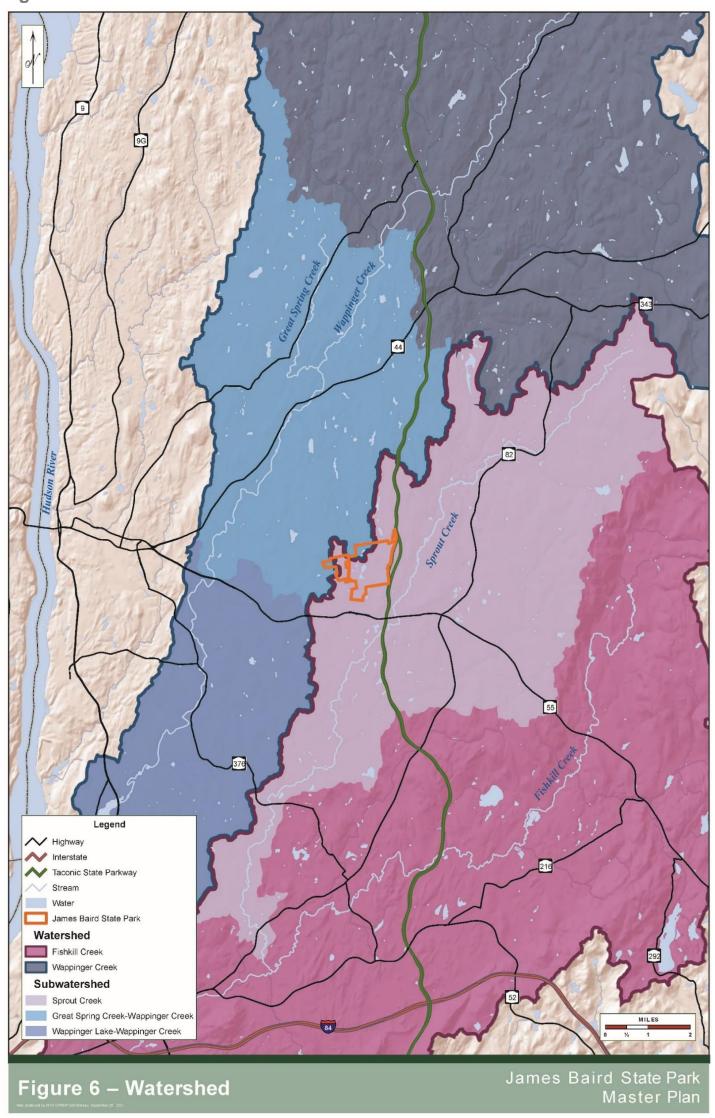


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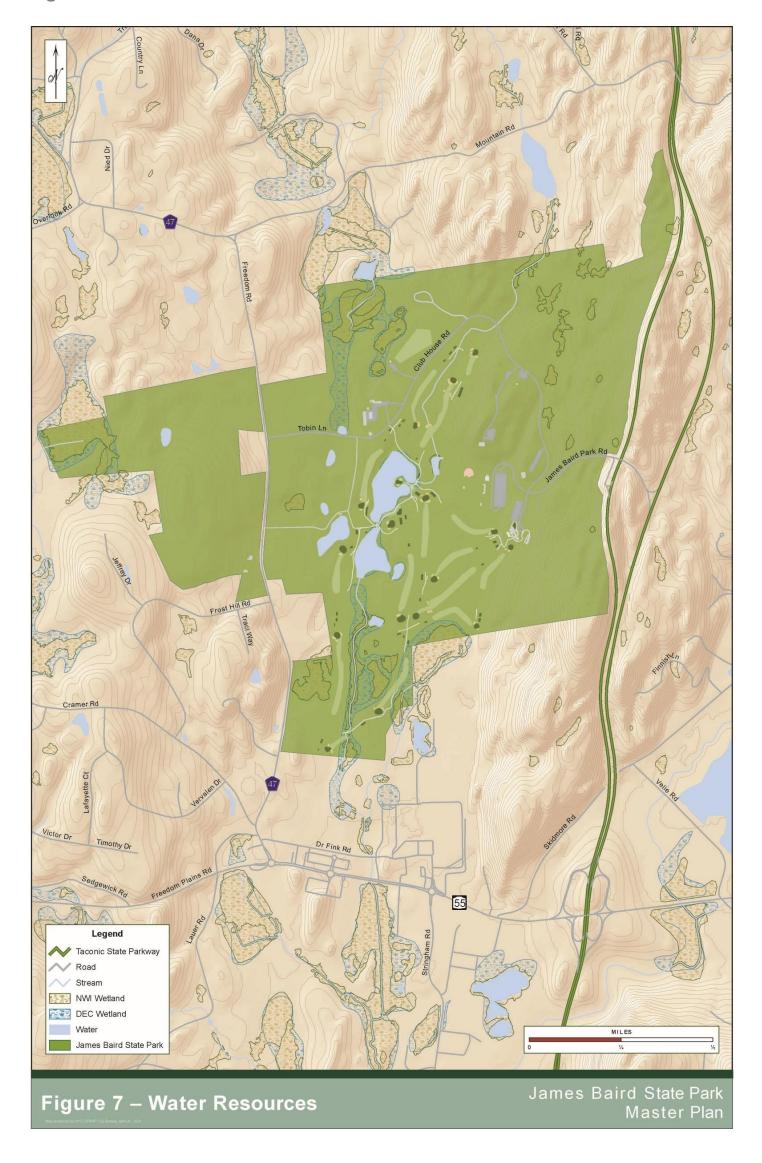


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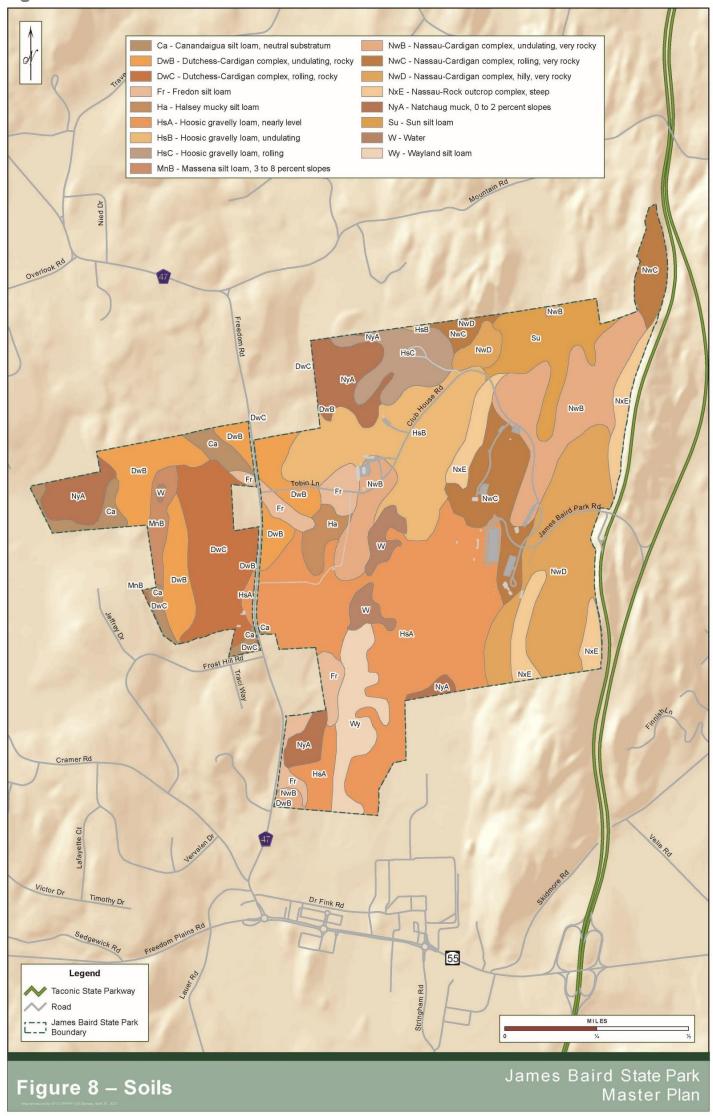


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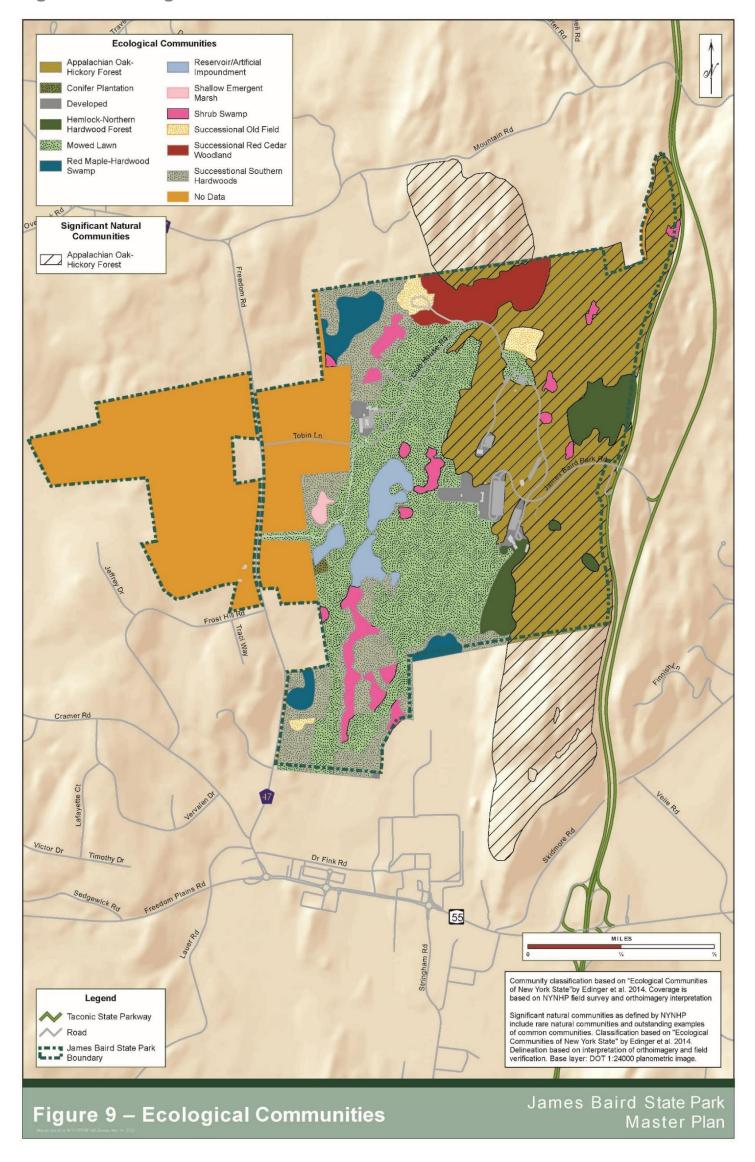


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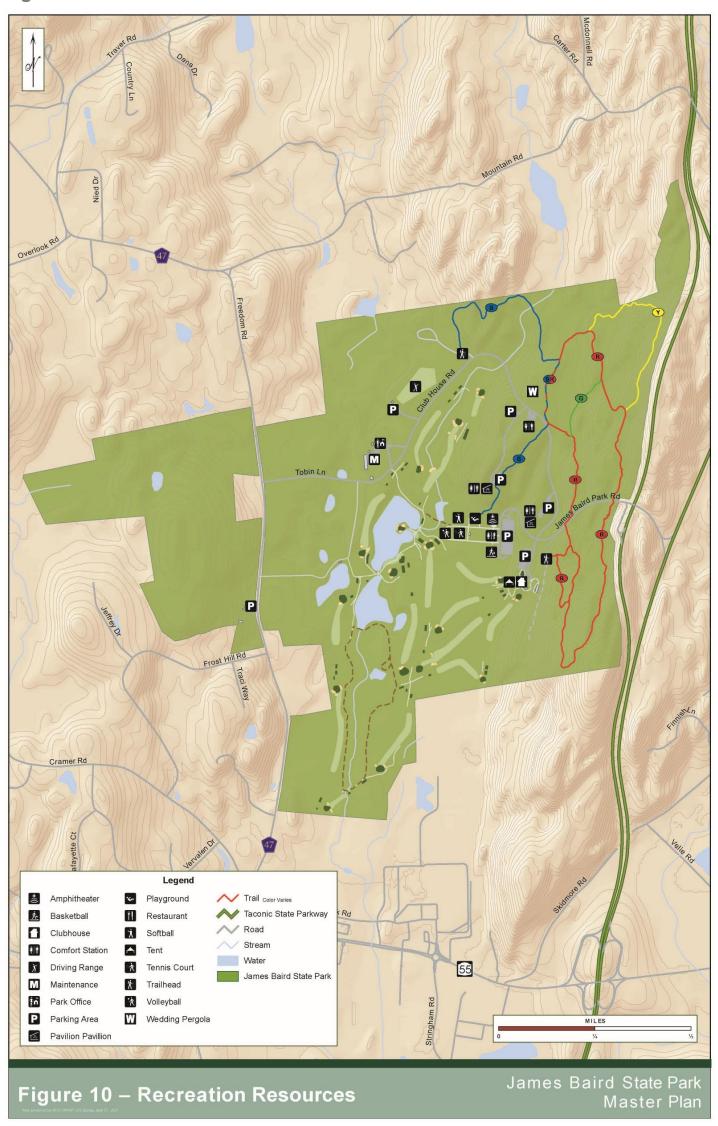


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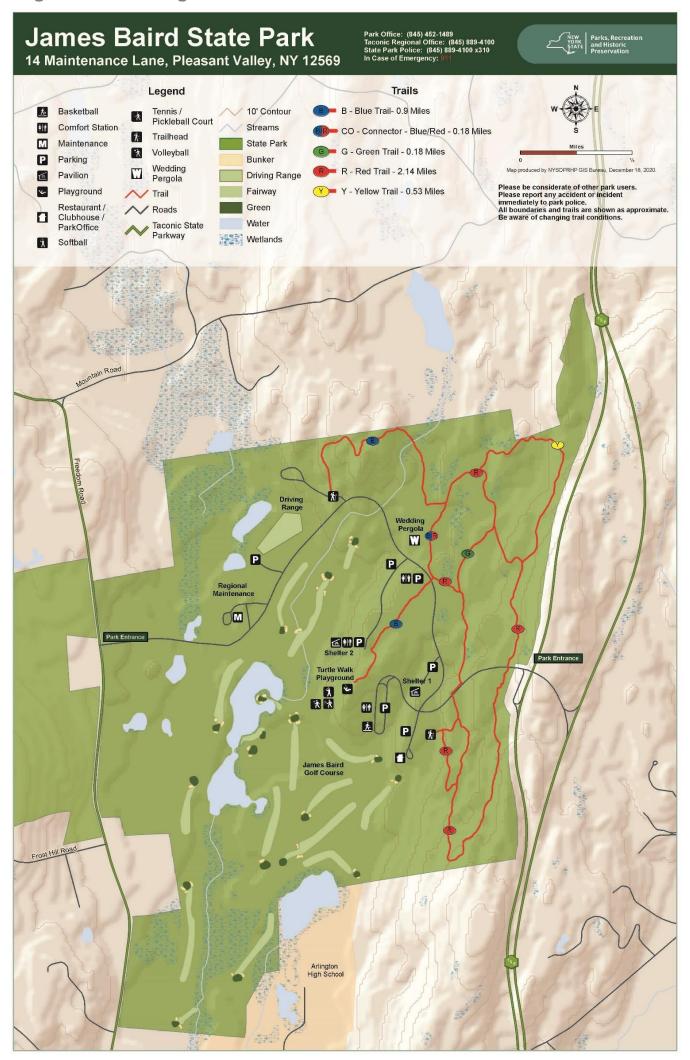
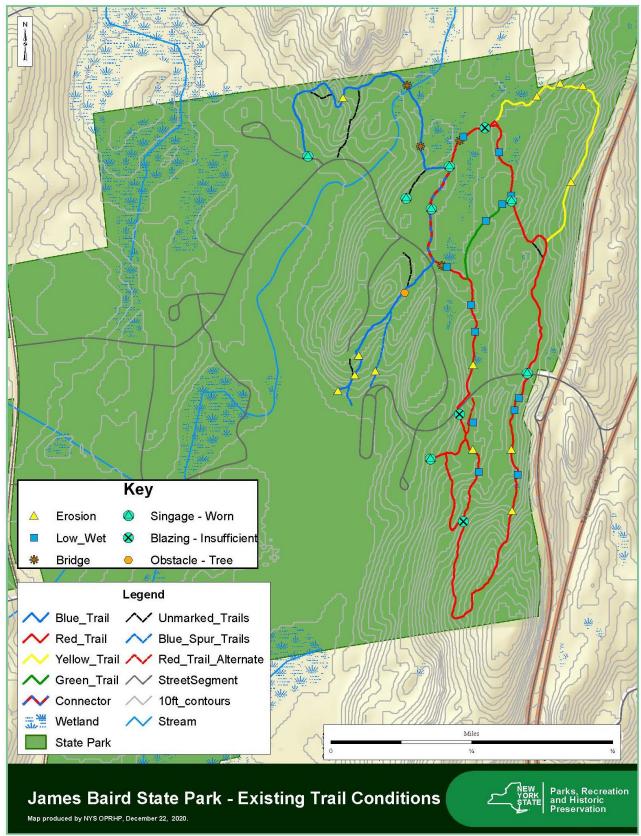


Figure 11a – Existing Trail Conditions Map



Legend Preferred_Alignment /·./ Alternate_1 /·/ Alternate_2 ^... Alternate_3 Existing_ServiceRoad DEC_Wetland 100ft_Wetland_Buffer Z Federal Wetland state park - outline Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation **James Baird State Park** NEW YORK Conceptual Plan: Multi-Use Trail

Figure 12 - Multi-Use Path Conceptual Alignment

Appendix A – Historic/Non-Historic Review Resource Designations

James Baird State Park/TAC Region

Historic and Non-Historic Resources Overview Revised 25 November 2020 William E. Krattinger, DHP/Parks Survey Project

Field survey 10 June/2 July 2020 (Krattinger)

District/Parent Unique Site Number: 02708.000150

Individual Unique Site Numbers: 33

<u>Historic status</u>: James Baird SP has an existing State/National Register of Historic Places determination of eligibility (2017) as a historic district with a defined period of significance 1940-1972; significance was ascribed in the areas of recreation, architecture, and landscape architecture. Those resources that date to the period of significance are deemed contributing (historic/eligible) while those that post-date 1972 are deemed non-contributing (non-historic/not eligible); the status of the park's various resources are itemized below.

Park Resources

Pre-1940 Resources

James Baird SP once contained numerous features that predated the park's establishment. Central among those was the vernacular dwelling referred to as the James Baird House, a portion of which may have predated 1800; it was demolished and is no longer extant. The principal remaining pre-park resource is the current park manager's house, nineteenth-century vernacular dwelling the precise date of which has yet to be confirmed.

Extant Resources from pre-1940 Period (historic/contributing)	Unique Site Number
Park Manager's House; ca. 1835 & later	02708.000016
Stone retaining wall, Tobin Lane; date unknown	02708.000188

Park Resources 1940-42/1945-72

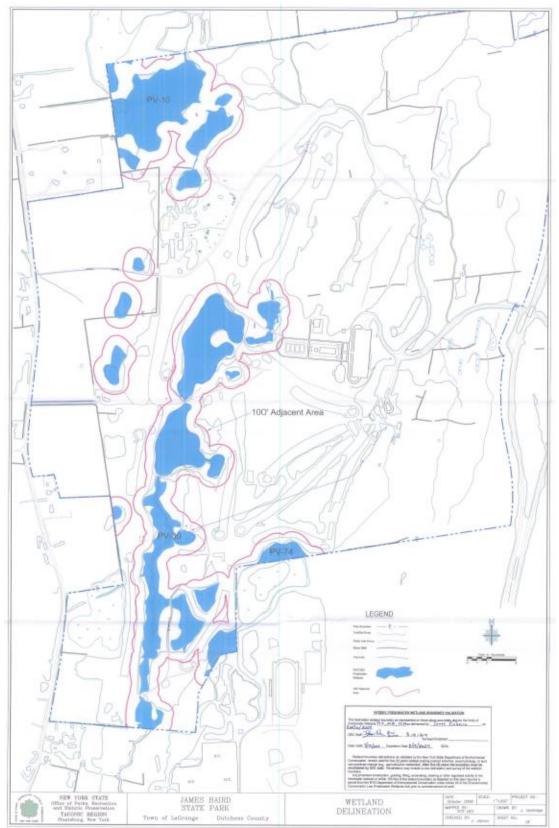
In March 1939 the Taconic State Park Commission ("TSPC") accepted 571.24 acres of land from James and Cornelia Baird, followed in July of that year with an additional 9.3 acres; the October 1939 TSPC minutes noted that the park's "development should comprehend intensive recreational day use and that the facilities to be provided should include a golf course, swimming pool and bathhouse, tennis courts, handball courts, shuffle board, archery, bowling greens, restaurant, bridle paths and picnic places." First-period improvements were undertaken by the Civilian Conservation Corps ("CCC") between 1940 and 1942; CCC Camp SP-58 was established in 1940 and ceased activity in September 1942. Works Progress Administration ("WPA") projects there were terminated in February 1943.

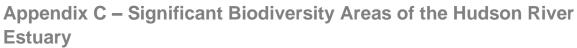
The park's golf course and clubhouse were CCC/WPA projects that were begun before the war but not completed; immediate post-war plans called for their completion along with the construction of a swimming pool, bathhouse, restaurant, and comfort station. The swimming pool is no longer extant (backfilled/removed 1980s), nor is a related concessions building with bathrooms once located

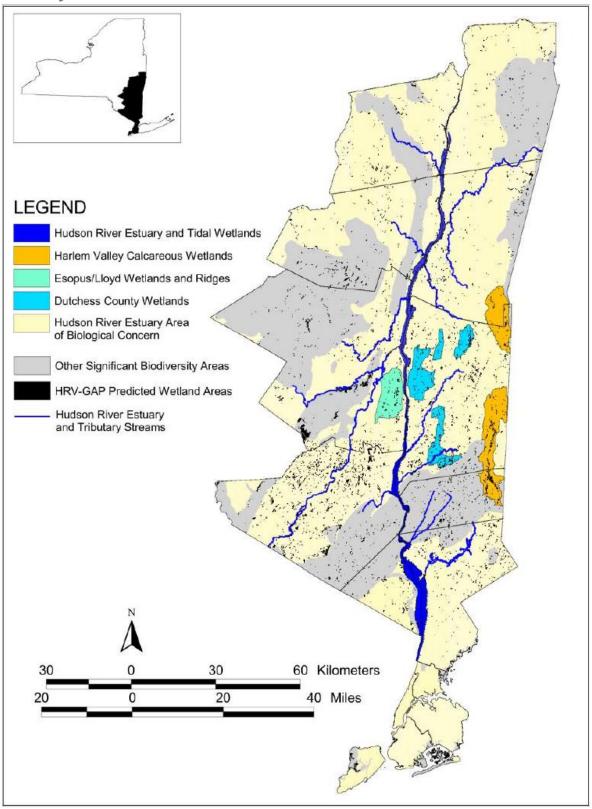
immediately west of it (demolished more recently). The bathhouse, located on the former pool's east side, remains, as does a similarly styled building located adjacent to the former roller rink, south of the bathhouse. The bathhouse was designed by the architectural firm of Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, one of the leading architectural offices in the nation during the 1950s; the golf clubhouse was designed by Jones, Davis & Associates; the course was laid out with Robert Trent Jones serving as a design consultant.

1940-72 period resources (historic/contributing to DOE)	Unique Site Number
Golf Clubhouse (Jones, Davis & Associates); ca. 1940	02708.000014
Golf Course (Robert Trent Jones, consultant); ca. 1940-48	02708.000168
Former Bathhouse (Skidmore, Owings & Merrill); ca. 1949-50	02708.000170
Former Skating Rink; ca. 1949-50	02708.000177
Former Skating Rink Shelter/Nature Center, ca. 1949-50	02708.000176
Music Bandshell; ca. 1948-49	02708.000169
Baseball diamond; ca. 1950	02708.000175
Picnic Shelter No. 1; ca. 1948-50	02708.000178
Picnic Shelter No. 2; ca. 1948-50	02708.000180
Cabin No. 2 (ruinous); ca. 1925	02708.000018
Driving Range Shelter; ca. 1952-53	02708.000184
Maintenance/Park Office; ca. 1936 and later	02708.000013
Maintenance/Garage; ca. 1952	02708.000011
Maintenance/Carpenter's garage; ca. 1936	02708.000012
Golf cart garage; ca. 1952-53	02708.000192
Storage shed; ca. 1940 (need to plot USN)	N/A
Dump bouses as 1049 FO (pood to plot LISNs)	NI/A
Pump houses; ca. 1948-50 (need to plot USNs)	N/A
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Post-1972 Non-Historic/Non-Extant or Altered Features	Unique Site Number
Post-1972 Non-Historic/Non-Extant or Altered Features Pool; 1950 (not extant/backfilled)	Unique Site Number 02708.000173
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Appendix B – NYS DEC Wetland Delineation (2009)







Appendix D – James Baird Fauna Species List

Note: A "Y" (Yes) in the "Potentially There" column indicates that those species are *likely* to occur at Baird, but are unconfirmed (i.e., they should be there but no documentation or direct observation of them has been made). A blank field in that column indicates species that are *known* to occur within the park.

SGCN Species of Greatest Conservation Need

SC Special Concern E Endangered T Threatened

	Scientific Name	Common Name	Confirmed	Potential	NYS Listing	Federal Listing	SGCN
MAMMALS							
Bats	Eptesicus fuscus	Big Brown Bat		Х			
	Lasionycteris noctivagans	Silver-haired Bat		Х			
	Lasiurus borealis	Eastern Red Bat		Х			
	Lasiurus cinereus	Hoary Bat		X			
	Myotis leibii	Eastern Small-footed Bat		Х	SC		
	Myotis lucifugus	Little Brown Bat		Х			Υ
	Myotis sodalis	Indiana Bat		Х	E	E	
Rabbits and Hares	Sylvilagus floridanus	Eastern Cottontail	x				
Rodents	Blarina brevicauda	Short-tailed Shrew		Х			
	Castor canadensis	Beaver	Х				
	Glaucomys sp.	Flying Squirrel	Х				
	Marmota monax	Woodchuck	Х				
	Microtus pennsylvanicus	Meadow Vole		Х			
	Ondatra zibethicus	Muskrat	Х				
	Peromyscus leucopus	White-footed Mouse	Х				
	Sciurus carolinensis	Eastern Gray Squirrel	Х				
Carnivores	Canis latrans	Eastern Coyote	Х				
	Didelphis virginiana	Virginia Opossum	Х				
	Lynx rufus	Bobcat	Х				
	Mephitis mephitis	Striped Skunk	Х				
	Mustela frenata	Long-tailed Weasel		Х			
	Neovison vison	American Mink	Х				
	Procyon lotor	Raccoon	Х				
	Urocyon cinereoargenteus	Gray Fox		Х			
	Ursus americanus	American Black Bear	Х				
	Vulpes vulpes	Red Fox	Х				
Even-toed Ungulates	Odocoileus virginianus	White-tailed Deer	X				

BIRDS						
Grebes	Podilymbus podiceps	Pied-billed Grebe	Х		Т	Υ
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Herons, Ibis, and Allies	Ardea alba	Great Egret	Х			
,,	Ardea herodias	Great Blue Heron	X			
	Botaurus lentirinosus	American Bittern	X		SC	
	Butorides virescens	Green Heron	Х			
Swans and Geese	Branta canadensis	Canada Goose	Χ			
	Chen caerulescens	Snow Goose	X			
	Cygnus olor	Mute Swan	Х			
Dabbling Ducks	Aix svonsa	Wood Duck	Χ			
	Anas acuta	Northern Pintail	Χ			
	Anas carolinensis	Green-winged Teal	Х			
	Anas platyrhynchos	Mallard	Х			
	Anas rubripes	American Black Duck	Х			Υ
	Anas rubripes x platyrhyncl	h Mallard x American Black	Х			
		Duck Hybrid				
	Mareca americana	American Wigeon	Х			
Diving Ducks	Aythya collaris	Ring-necked Duck	Χ			
	Buchephala albeola	Bufflehead	Х			
	Lophodytes cucullatus	Hooded Merganser	Х			
	Mergus mergansus	Common Merganser	Х			
Diurnal Raptors	Accipiter cooperii	Cooper's Hawk	Χ		SC	
	Accipiter striatus	Sharp-shinned Hawk	Х		SC	
	Buteo jamaicensis	Red-tailed Hawk	Х			
	Buteo lineatus	Red-shouldered Hawk		Х	SC	
	Buteo platypterus	Broad-winged Hawk	Х			
	Cathartes aura	Turkey Vulture	Х			
	Circus cyaneus	Northern Harrier	Х		Т	Υ
	Coragyps atratus	Black Vulture	Х			
	Haliaeetus leucocephalus	Bald Eagle	Χ		Т	Y
Upland Game Birds	Meleagris gallopavo	Wild Turkey	Χ			
Rails, Gallinules, and Allies	Fulica americana	American Coot	Χ			
	Rallus limicola	Virginia Rail	Χ			
Shorebirds	Actitis macularius	Spotted Sandpiper	Χ			
	Calidris minutilla	Least Sandpiper	Х			
	Charadrius vociferus	Killdeer	Х			
	Scolopax minor	American Woodcock		Х		
	Tringa melanoleuca	Greater Yellowlegs	Χ			
	Tringa flavipes	Lesser Yellowlegs	Х			
Skuas, Jaegers, Gulls	Larus delawarensis	Ring-billed Gull	Χ			
Pigeons and Doves	Columba livia	Rock Pigeon	Χ			
	Zenaida macroura	Mourning Dove	Χ			
Cuckoos	Coccyzus americanus	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	Χ			
	Coccyzus erythropthalmus	Black-billed Cuckoo	Х			

Otus asio	Eastern Screech Owl	Х		
Strix varia	Barred Owl	X		
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Chordeiles minor	Common Nighthawk	Х	SC	Υ
Chaetura pelagica	Chimney Swift	X		
Archilochus colubris	Puby throated Hummingh	V		
Archilochus colubris	Ruby-till Oated Hullillingt	X		
Megaceryle alcyon	Belted Kingfisher	Х		
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Drvocopus pileatus	Pileated Woodpecker	Х		
Colaptes auratus	Northern Flicker	X		
Melanerves carolinus	Red-bellied Woodpecker	X		
Picoides pubescens	Downy Woodpecker	X		
Picoides villosus	Hairy Woodpecker	X		
Sphyrapicus varius	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	X		
Falco columbarius	Merlin	X		
Falco sparverius	American Kestrel	X		
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Tyrannus tyrannus	Eastern Kingbird	X		
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Vireo solitarius	Blue-headed Vireo	X		
Camusa humahumhumahaa	Amaniana Garage	v		
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Corvus ossifragus	FISH Crow	X		
Eromonhila alnostris	Hornod Lark	V	sc	Υ
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Hirundo rustica	Parn Swallow	v		
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Baeolophus hicolor	Tufted Titmouse	X		
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Certhia americana	Brown Creeper	X		
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Thryothorus Iudovicianus	Carolina Wren	Х		
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Polioptila caerulea	Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	Х		
Regulus calendula	Ruby-crowned Kinglet	X		
Regulus satrapa	Golden-crowned Kinglet	X		
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	Catharus ustulatus	Swainson's Thrush	X		
	Catharus guttatus	Hermit Thrush	Х		
	Hylocichla mustelina	Wood Thrush	Х		Υ
	Turdus migratorius	American Robin	Х		
Mimids	Dumetella carolinensis	Gray Catbird	X		
	Mimus polyglottos	Northern Mockingbird	X		
	Toxostoma rufum	Brown Thrasher	X		
Pipits	Anthus rubescens	American Pipit	X		
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	Helmitheros vermivorum	Worm-eating Warbler	Х		Υ
	Leiothlypis peregrina	Tennessee Warbler	X		
	Mniotilta varia	Black-and-white Warbler	X		
	Seiurus aurocapilla	Ovenbird	X		
	Setophaga coronata	Yellow-rumped Warbler	X		
	Setophaga magnolia	Magnolia Warbler	X		
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	Passerculus sandwichensis	Savannah Sparrow	X		
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	Euphagus carolinus	Rusty Blackbird	X		Υ
	Icterus galbula	Baltimore Oriole	Х		
	Icterus spurius	Orchard Oriole	X		
	Molothrus ater	Brown-headed Cowbird	Х		
	Quiscalus quiscula	Common Grackle	X		
	Sturnella magna	Eastern Meadowlark	X		Υ
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Finches and Old World	Haemorhous mexicanus	House Finch	X		
Sparrows	Hannah ana	Durale Fiech	V		
	Haemorhous purpureus Passer domesticus	Purple Finch	X		
	Spinus tristis	House Sparrow American Goldfinch	X		
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REPTILES						
Turtles	Chelydra serpentina	Snapping Turtle	Х			
	Chrysemys picta	Painted Turtle	Х			
	Clemmys guttata	Spotted Turtle	Х		SC	
	Emydoidea blandingii	Blanding's Turtle	Х		Т	Υ
	Glyptemys insculpta	Wood Turtle	Х		SC	
	Sternotherus odoratus	Eastern Musk Turtle	Х			Υ
	Terrapene carolina	Eastern Box Turtle	Х		SC	
	Trachemys scripta elegans	Red-eared Slider	Х		Exotic	
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Snakes	Lampropeltis triangulum	Eastern Milksnake		Х		
	Nerodia sipedon	Northern Water Snake	Х			
	Pantherophis obsoletus	Black Ratsnake	Х			
	Thamnophis sauritus	Eastern Ribbon Snake	Х			
	Thamnophis sirtalis	Eastern Garter Snake	Х			
AMPHIBIANS	,					
Frogs and Toads	Anaxyrus americanus	American Toad	Х			
	Hyla versicolor	Gray Treefrog	X			
	Lithobates catesbeianus	American Bullfrog	X			
	Lithobates clamitans	Green Frog	X			
	Lithobates palustris	Pickerel Frog	X			
	Lithobates sylvaticus	Wood Frog	X			
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	Ambystoma maculatum	Spotted Salamander	Х			
	Ambystoma opacum	Marbled Salamander	X		SC	
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	Plethodon cinereus	Eastern Red-backed	Х			
	rictiodon emercus	Salamander	^			
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	Lepomis gibbosus	Pumpkinseed		X		
	Lepomis macrochirus	Bluegill		X		
	Micropterus salmoides	Largemouth Bass	X	^		
	Notemigonus crysoleucas	Golden Shiner	^	Х		
	Rhinichthys atratulus	Eastern Blacknose Dace		X		
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Beetles	Cicindela sexquttata	Six-spotted Tiger Beetle	Х			
Deeries	Cicinaeia sexyattata	JIN-SPOLLED LIKEL DECLIE	X			
Butterflies	Danaus plexippus	Monarch	X			
Julierines	Papilio glaucus	Eastern Tiger Swallowtail	X			
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Appendix E - James Baird Bird Species List

Field Checklist of Bird Species, James Baird SP

Checklist (generated 12/10/2020) with data from eBird (Dutchess County, New York (ebird.org/hotspot/L469303). 131 species (+5 other taxa) observed.

Waterfowl

Snow Goose Canada Goose Mute Swan Wood Duck American Wigeon

Mallard

American Black Duck
Mallard x Am. Black Duck (hybrid)

Northern Pintail
Green-winged Teal
Ring-necked Duck
Bufflehead
Hooded Merganser

Common Merganser

Grouse, Quail, and Allies

Wild Turkey

Pigeons and Doves

Rock Pigeon Mourning Dove

Cuckoos

Yellow-billed Cuckoo Black-billed Cuckoo

Nightjars

Common Nighthawk

Swifts

Chimney Swift

Hummingbirds

Ruby-throated Hummingbird

Rails, Gallinules, and Allies

American Coot

Shorebirds

Killdeer Least Sandpiper Spotted Sandpiper Greater Yellowlegs Lesser Yellowlegs Gulls, Terns, and Skimmers

Ring-billed Gull

Herons, Ibis, and Allies

Great Blue Heron Great Egret Green Heron

Vultures, Hawks, and Allies

Black Vulture
Turkey Vulture
Northern Harrier
Sharp-shinned Hawk
Cooper's Hawk
Accipiter sp.
Bald Eagle
Broad-winged Hawk
Red-tailed Hawk
Buteo sp.
hawk sp.

Owls

Barred Owl Short-eared Owl

Kingfishers

Belted Kingfisher

Woodpeckers

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker Red-bellied Woodpecker Downy Woodpecker Hairy Woodpecker Pileated Woodpecker Northern Flicker

Falcons and Caracaras

American Kestrel Merlin

Tyrant Flycatchers: Pewees, Kingbirds, and Allies

Eastern Wood-Pewee Willow Flycatcher Eastern Phoebe Great Crested Flycatcher Eastern Kingbird

Vireos

Yellow-throated Vireo Blue-headed Vireo Warbling Vireo Red-eyed Vireo

Jays, Magpies, Crows, and Ravens

Blue Jay American Crow Fish Crow Common Rayen

Tits, Chickadees, and Titmice

Black-capped Chickadee

Tufted Titmouse

Larks

Horned Lark

Martins and Swallows

Northern Rough-winged Swallow Tree Swallow Barn Swallow

Kinglets

Golden-crowned Kinglet Ruby-crowned Kinglet

Nuthatches

White-breasted Nuthatch

Treecreepers

Brown Creeper

Gnatcatchers

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

Wrens

House Wren Winter Wren Carolina Wren

Starlings and Mynas

European Starling

Catbirds, Mockingbirds, and Thrashers

Gray Catbird Brown Thrasher Northern Mockingbird

Thrushes

Eastern Bluebird Veery Swainson's Thrush Hermit Thrush Wood Thrush American Robin

Waxwings

Cedar Waxwing

Old World Sparrows

House Sparrow

Wagtails and Pipits

American Pipit

Finches, Euphonias, and Allies

House Finch Purple Finch American Goldfinch

New World Sparrows

Chipping Sparrow
Field Sparrow
American Tree Sparrow
Fox Sparrow
Dark-eyed Junco
White-throated Sparrow
Vesper Sparrow
Savannah Sparrow
Song Sparrow
Swamp Sparrow
Eastern Towhee

Blackbirds

Bobolink
Eastern Meadowlark
Orchard Oriole
Baltimore Oriole
Red-winged Blackbird
Brown-headed Cowbird
Rusty Blackbird
Common Grackle
blackbird sp.

Wood-Warblers

Ovenbird Worm-eating Warbler Black-and-white Warbler Tennessee Warbler Common Yellowthroat American Redstart Magnolia Warbler Yellow Warbler Chestnut-sided Warbler Blackpoll Warbler Palm Warbler Pine Warbler Yellow-rumped Warbler Prairie Warbler Black-throated Green Warbler

Cardinals, Grosbeaks, and Allies

Scarlet Tanager Northern Cardinal Rose-breasted Grosbeak Indigo Bunting

Appendix F - James Baird Flora Species List

Source: Dr. Patrick Louis Cooney

http://www.nynjctbotany.org/lgtofc/nybaird.html

Trees

Acer rubrum (red maple)

Acer saccharum (sugar maple)

Ailanthus altissima (tree-of-heaven)*

Betula lenta (black birch)

Carpinus caroliniana (musclewood)

Carva glabra (pignut hickory)

Carya ovata (shagbark hickory)

Carya sp. (hickory)

Castanea dentata (American chestnut)

Cornus florida (flowering dogwood)

Fagus grandifolia (American beech)

Fraxinus sp. (ash)

Juniperus virginiana (red cedar)

Nyssa sylvatica (tupelo)

Ostrya virginiana (eastern hop hornbeam)

Pinus strobus (white pine)

Populus grandidentata (big toothed aspen)

Prunus serotina (black cherry)

Quercus alba (white oak)

Quercus palustris (pin oak)

Quercus rubra (red oak)

Robinia pseudoacacia (black locust)*

Sassafras albidum (sassafras)

Tilia americana (American basswood)

Tsuga canadensis (eastern hemlock)

Ulmus rubra (slippery elm)

Shrubs:

Berberis thunbergii (Japanese barberry)*

Chimaphila maculata (striped wintergreen)

Cornus racemosa (gray dogwood)

Euonymus alatus (winged euonymus)*

Hamamelis virginiana (witch hazel)

Hibiscus syriacus (rose-of-Sharon)*

Liqustrum sp. (privet)*

Lindera benzoin (spicebush)

Lonicera morrowii (Morrow's honeysuckle)*

Rhamnus sp. (buckthorn)*

Rhus glabra (smooth sumac)

Rosa multiflora (multiflora rose)*

Rubus occidentalis (black raspberry)

Rubus sp. (blackberry)

Sambucus canadensis (common elderberry)

Spiraea japonica (Japanese spiraea)*

Staphylea trifolia (bladdernut)

Vaccinium corymbosum (high bush blueberry)

Vaccinium pallidum (hillside blueberry)

Viburnum acerifolium (maple leaf viburnum)

Viburnum dentatum (hairy arrowwood viburnum)

Zanthoxylum americanum (prickly ash)

Vines:

Amphicarpaea bracteata (hog peanut)

Celastrus orbiculatus (Asiatic bittersweet)*

Menispermum canadense (Canada moonseed)

Parthenocissus quinquefolia (Virginia creeper)

Smilax sp. (greenbrier)

Toxicodendron radicans (poison ivy)

Vitis spp. (grape)

Herbs:

Acalypha sp. (three-seeded mercury)

Achillea millefolium (yarrow)

Actaea alba (doll's eyes)

Ajuga reptans (bugleweed)*

Alliaria petiolata (garlic mustard)*

Ambrosia artemisiifolia (common ragweed)

Amphicarpaea bracteata (hog peanut)

Anemone thalictroides (rue anemone)

Anemone virginiana (thimbleweed)

Antennaria sp. (pussytoes)

Apocynum androsaemifolium (spreading

dogbane)

Aquilegia canadensis (columbine)

Aralia nudicaulis (wild sarsaparilla)

Arctium minus (common burdock)

Arisaema triphyllum (Jack-in-the-pulpit)

Artemisia vulgaris (common mugwort)

Asclepias syriaca (common milkweed)*

Aster acuminatus (sharp-leaved aster)

Aster divaricatus (white wood aster)

Aster divaricatus (Wille Wood aster)

Cardamine impatiens (narrow-leaved

bittercress)*

Centaurea maculosa (spotted knapweed)*

Chrysanthemum leucanthemum (ox-eye daisy)*

Cichorium intybus (chicory)*

Circaea lutetiana (enchanter's nightshade)

Cirsium sp. (thistle)

Collinsonia canadensis (horsebalm)

Conyza canadensis (horseweed)

Coronilla varia (crown vetch)

Daucus carota (Queen Anne's lace)

Dianthus armeria (Deptford pink)

Duchesnea indica (Indian strawberry)

Erechtites hieraciifolia (pileweed)

Erigeron annuus (daisy fleabane)

Eupatorium rugosum (white snake root)

Fragaria sp. (strawberry)

Galium aparine (cleavers)

Geranium maculatum (wild geranium)

Geum canadense (white avens)

Hackelia virginiana (Virginia stickseed)

Hypoxis hirsuta (yellow star grass)

Impatiens capensis (orange jewelweed)

Lactuca canadensis (wild lettuce)

Leonurus cardiaca (motherwort)

Lobelia inflata (Indian tobacco)

Lotus corniculatus (birdfoot trefoil)*

Lythrum salicaria (purple loosestrife)*

Maianthemum canadense (Canada mayflower)

Oenothera biennis (common evening primrose)

Osmorhiza claytonii (sweet cicely)

Oxalis sp. (yellow wood sorrel)

Paronychia canadensis (forked chickweed)

Phryma leptostachya (lopseed)

Plantago lanceolata (English plantain)

Plantago major (common plantain)

Polygonatum pubescens (hairy true Solomon's seal)

Polygonum cespitosum (cespitose smartweed)

Polygonum virginianum (jumpseed)

Potentilla canadensis (dwarf cinquefoil)

Potentilla simplex (common cinquefoil)

Potentilla sp. (cinquefoil)

Prunella vulgaris (self-heal)

Pyrola elliptica (shinleaf)

Ranunculus bulbosus (bulbous buttercup)

Rumex obtusifolius (broad dock)

Sanicula gregaria (cluster sanicle)

Satureja vulgaris (wild basil)

Silene vulgaris (bladder campion)

Solidago bicolor (silverrod)

Solidago caesia (blue stem goldenrod)

Solidago gigantea (late goldenrod)

Solidago juncea (early goldenrod)

Symplocarpus foetidus (skunk cabbage)

Taraxacum officinale (common dandelion)

Thalictrum dioicum (early meadow rue)

Trifolium pratense (red clover)

Trifolium repens (white clover)

Urtica dioica var. procera (tall nettle)

Verbascum blattaria (moth mullein) 8/10/04

Verbascum thapsus (common mullein)

Verbena urticifolia (white vervain) 8/10/04

Veronica officinalis (common speedwell) Viola spp. (violets)

Rushes:

Juncus effusus (soft rush): Juncus tenuis (path rush)

Sedaes:

Carex laxiflora type (loose-flowered type sedge): Carex pensylvanica (Pennsylvania sedge)

Grasses:

Anthoxanthum odoratum (sweet vernal grass)

Bromus inermis (smooth brome grass)

Dactylis glomerata (orchard grass)

Eleusine indica (zipper grass)

Leersia virginica (white grass)

Microstegium vimineum (Japanese stilt grass)*

Panicum clandestinum (deer-tongue panic

grass)

Setaria faberi (nodding foxtail grass)

Setaria glauca (yellow foxtail grass)

Tridens flavus (purple top grass)

Ferns and Fern Allies:

Lycopodium digitatum (ground cedar)

Asplenium rhizophyllum (walking fern)

Athyrium filix-femina (lady's fern)

Botrychium virginianum (rattlesnake fern)

Dryopteris marginalis (marginal woodfern)

Onoclea sensibilis (sensitive fern)

Osmunda regalis (royal fern)

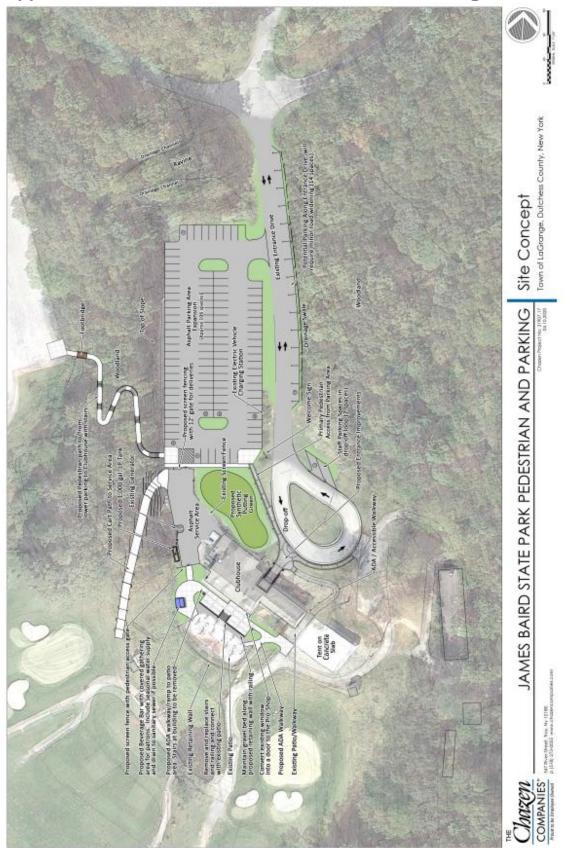
Pellaea atropurpurea (purple cliff brake)

Polypodium sp. (rock cap fern)

Polystichum acrostichoides (Christmas fern)

Thelypteris noveboracensis (New York fern)

Appendix G – Golf Clubhouse Pedestrian and Parking Site Concept



Appendix H – Proposed Exercise Trail Concept Plan



Appendix I – Regional Maintenance Facility Concept Plan



Figure 1

Regional Maintenance Facility Conceptual Floor Plan

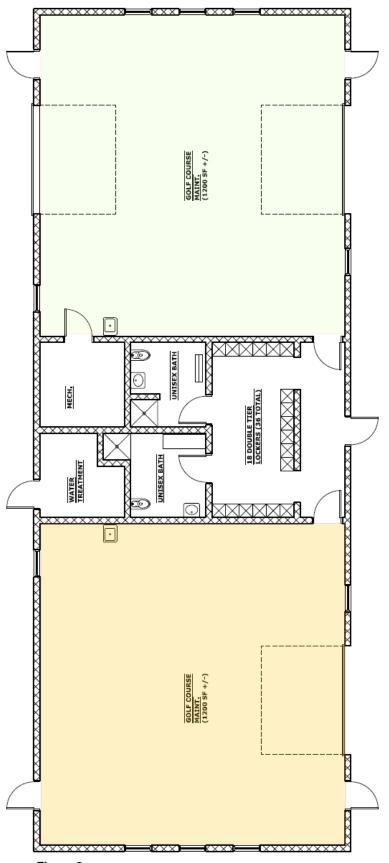
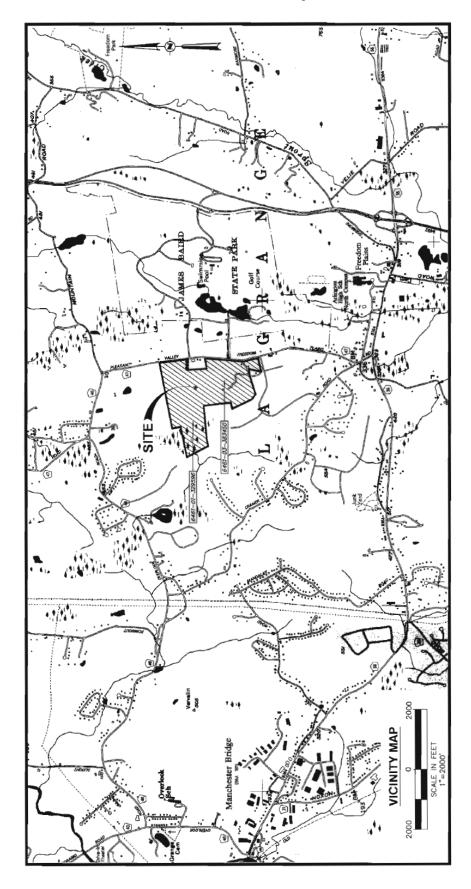


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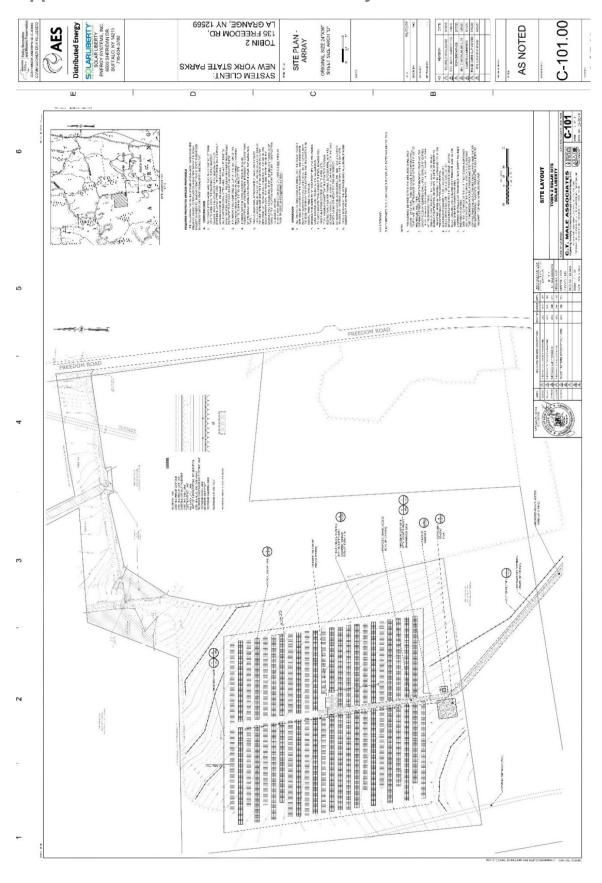
Appendix J – Day Use Area Concept Plan (2017 Intern Report)



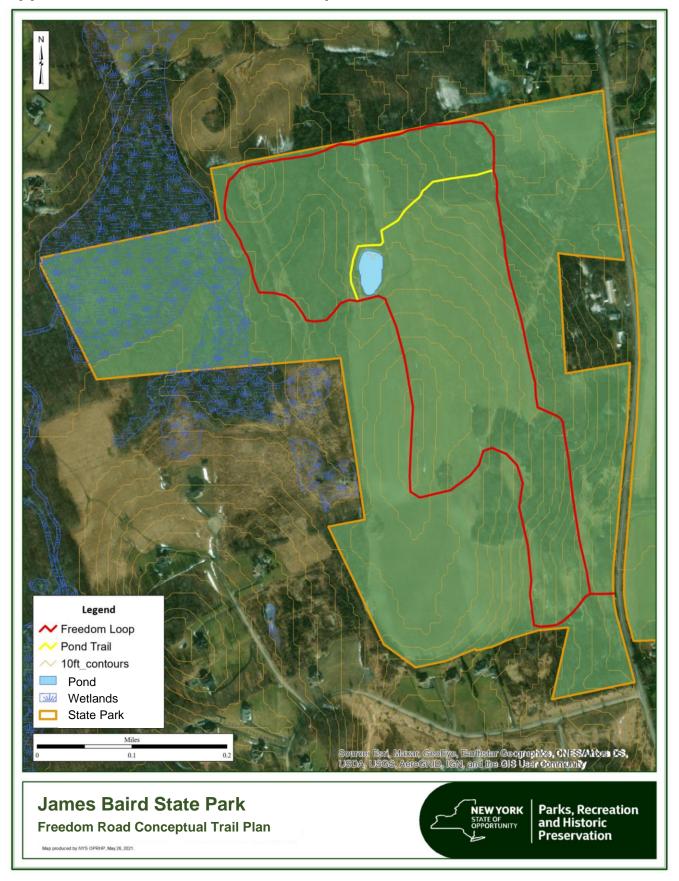
Appendix K – Freedom Road Area Location Map



Appendix L - Freedom Road Solar Array Plan



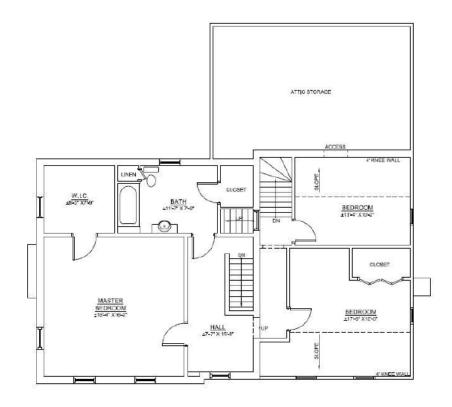
Appendix M – Freedom Road Conceptual Trail Plan



Appendix N – Park Manager's Residence Floor Plans



FIRST FLOOR PLAN (Kussel, 2018)



SECOND FLOOR PLAN (Kussel, 2018)

Appendix O - OPRHP Tree Removal Policy Dec Jan NOV Preferred Consult Photo Credit Al Hicks NYDEC time to cut with the regional trees. biologist for Oct potential impacts to owl and hawk nests Consult with before cutting. the regional biologist for potential impacts Potential impacts to State to bats before and Federally protected cutting. species including migratory birds and bats. hem Avoid tree cutting Inr unf

General guidelines:

Hazardous trees that present an immediate threat to health and safety can be removed regardless of the time of year.

The timing of tree removals should be considered on a project by project basis as part of the project planning process. Check the NY Natural Heritage Program database for known locations of bat hibernaculum (hibernation site) and maternity colonies.

Protect known bat maternity colony trees.

Avoid removing trees from within 5 miles of bat hibernacula or 2.5 miles of known maternity colonies between April and September.

If tree cutting must take place during January through October, your Regional Biologist should conduct surveys for breeding birds and bats.

Consult with the NYS DEC and the USFWS if tree removals are likely to result in take of migratory birds or bats, including eggs or young.

OPRHP Policy on the Management of Trees and Other Vegetation in State Parks and Historic Sites: http://intranet/intranetfiles/Policies/ppbs/NaturalResources/ManagementOfTrees.pdf

OPRHP Tree Removal Timing Guidelines for the Protection of Wildlife



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Appendix P – Exempt Activities/No Section 14.09 Consultation Required (Categorical Exclusions - Golf Course Maintenance)



KATHY HOCHUL Governor ERIK KULLESEID
Commissioner

December 23, 2022

Tana Bigelow, Park Planner OPRHP, Planning Bureau 625 Broadway Albany, NY 12238

Re: OPRHP

James Baird State Park Master Plan Town of LaGrange, Dutchess County, NY

Dear Tana Bigelow:

Thank you for consulting with the Division for Historic Preservation (DHP) of the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation. Categories of golf course maintenance activities which do not have the potential to directly or indirectly affect the character or qualities of a historic property are noted below. Therefore, these activities have been determined by the DHP to be exempt from review pursuant to 9 NYCRR 428.12(c).

Exempt Activities/No Section 14.09 Consultation Required

Mowing of greens, collars, tees, approaches, fairways, and roughs

Raking/smoothing sand traps and bunkers

Spraying fertilizers and plant protectants

String-trimming around trees, signs, sand traps, buildings, and other course features

Changing hole locations within existing greens

Edging sand bunkers

Sod removal to re-grass a tee or other turf areas

Aeration of greens, tees, fairways and rough

Mowing of high rough and native areas

Green construction within existing location

Tee construction within existing location

Sand bunker renovations within existing location

Trenches less than three-feet wide

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Holes to repair sprinkler heads less than three feet in diameter

Excavation for golf cart path construction that does not exceed six inches in depth

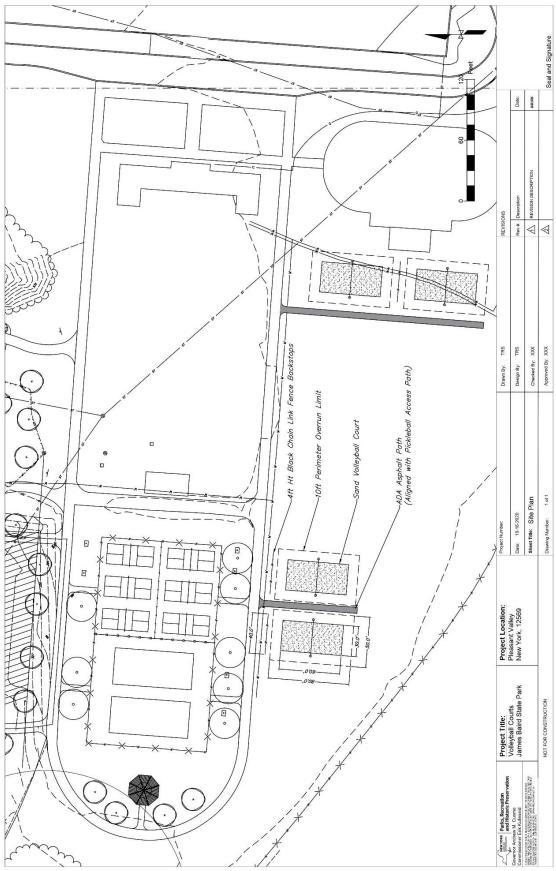
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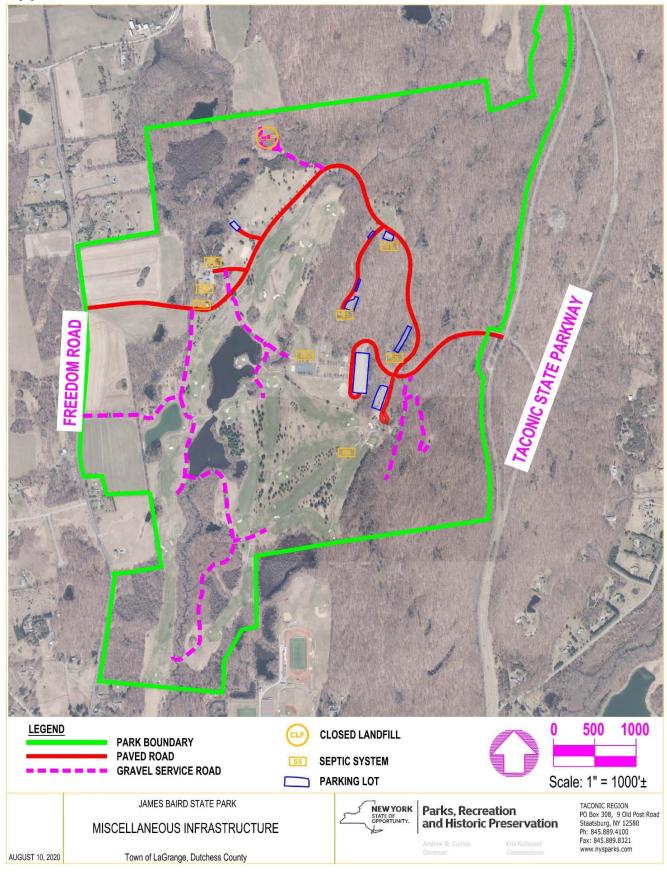
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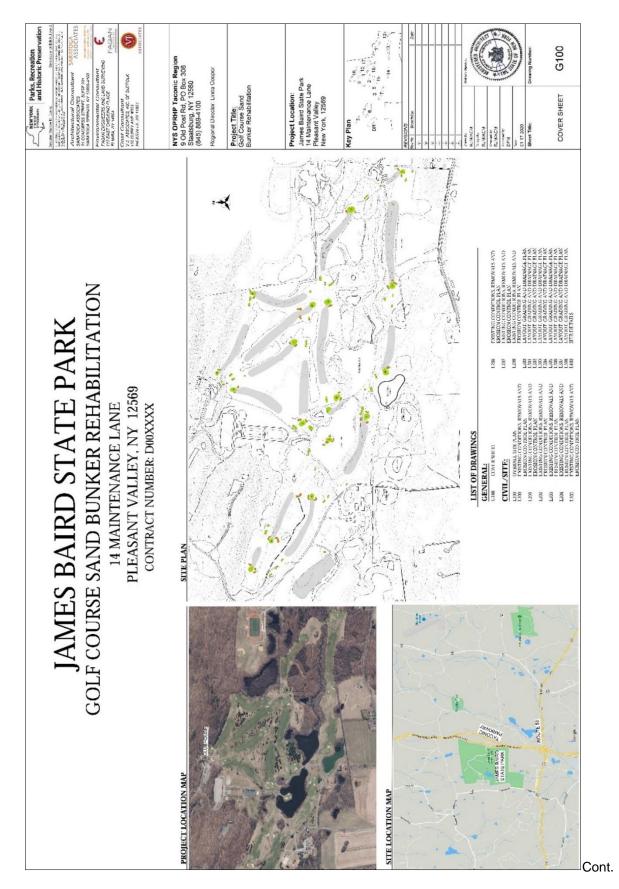
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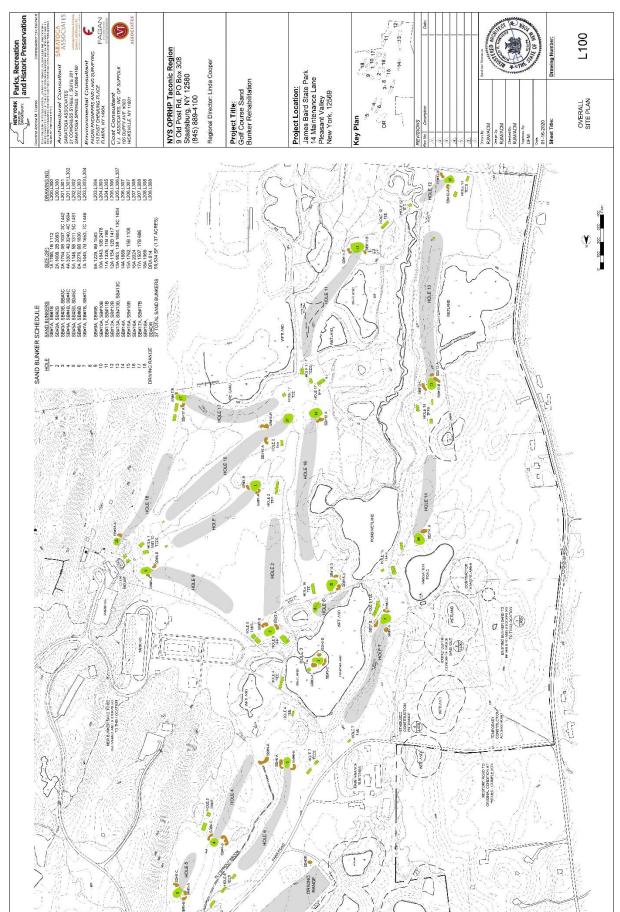


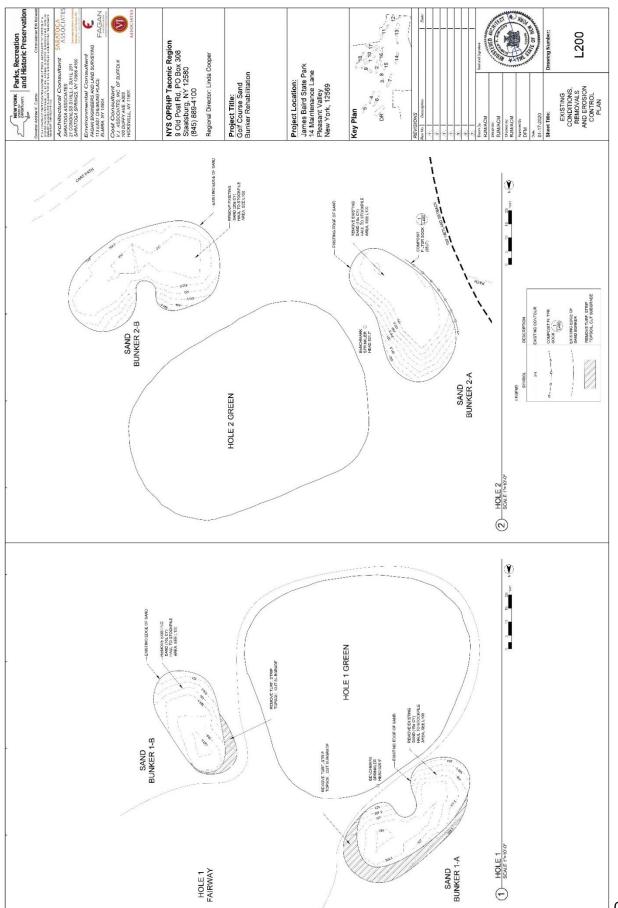
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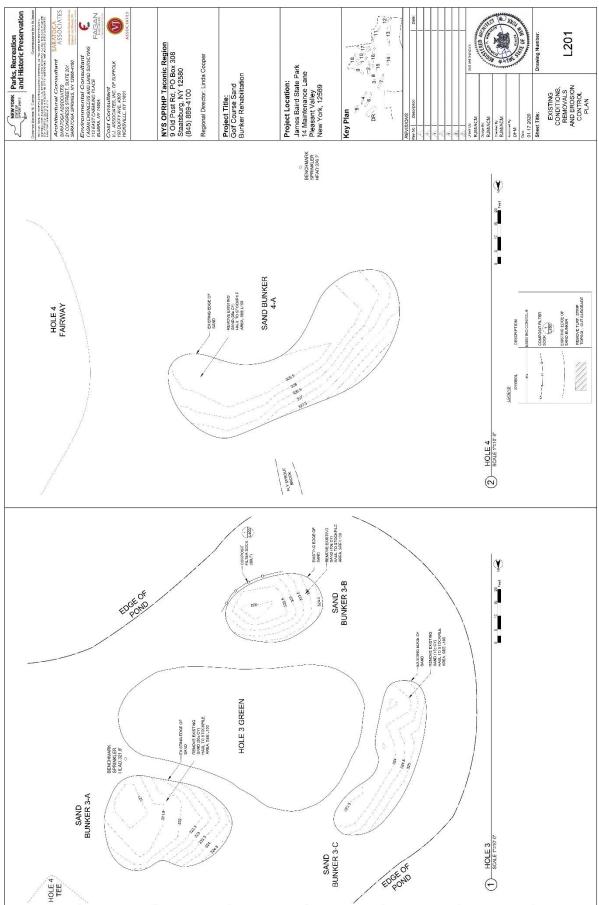


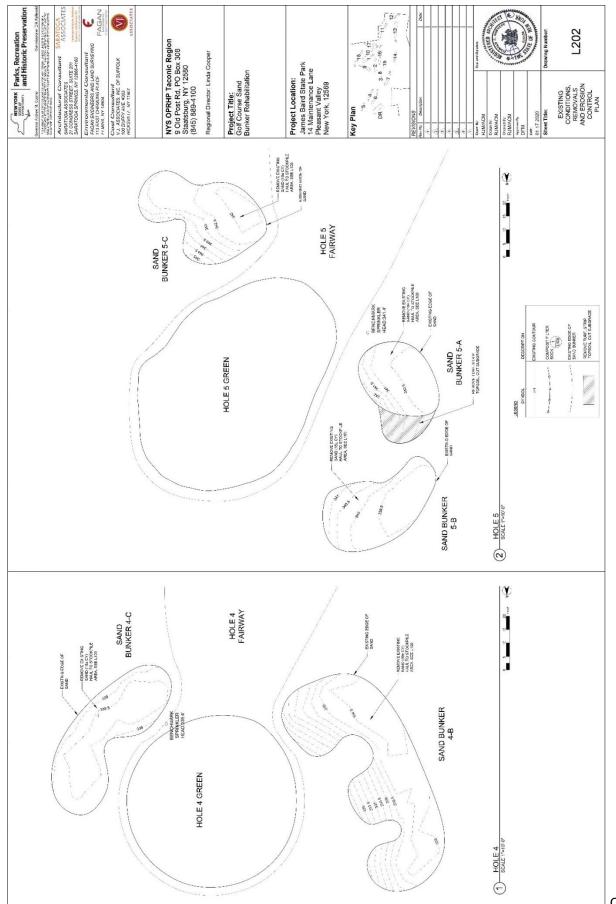
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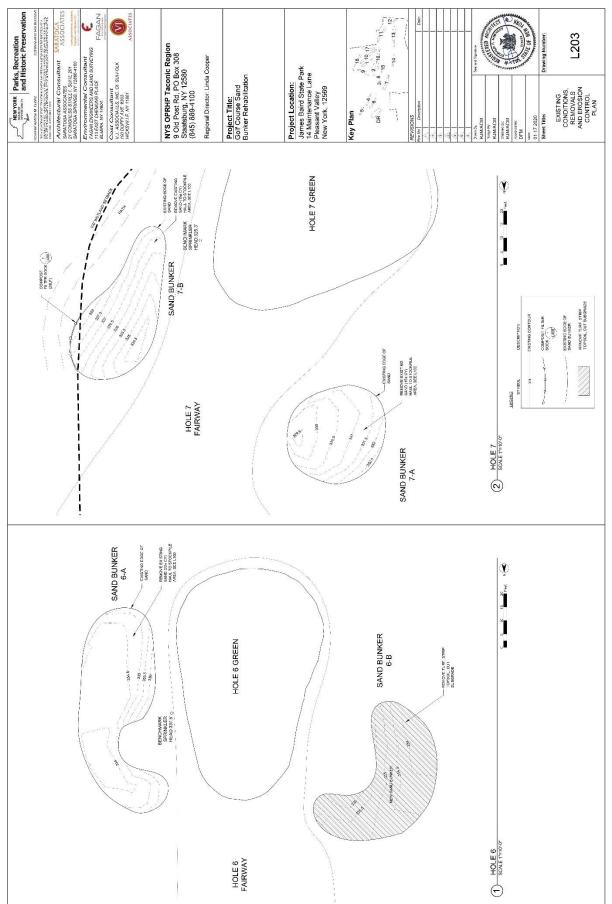


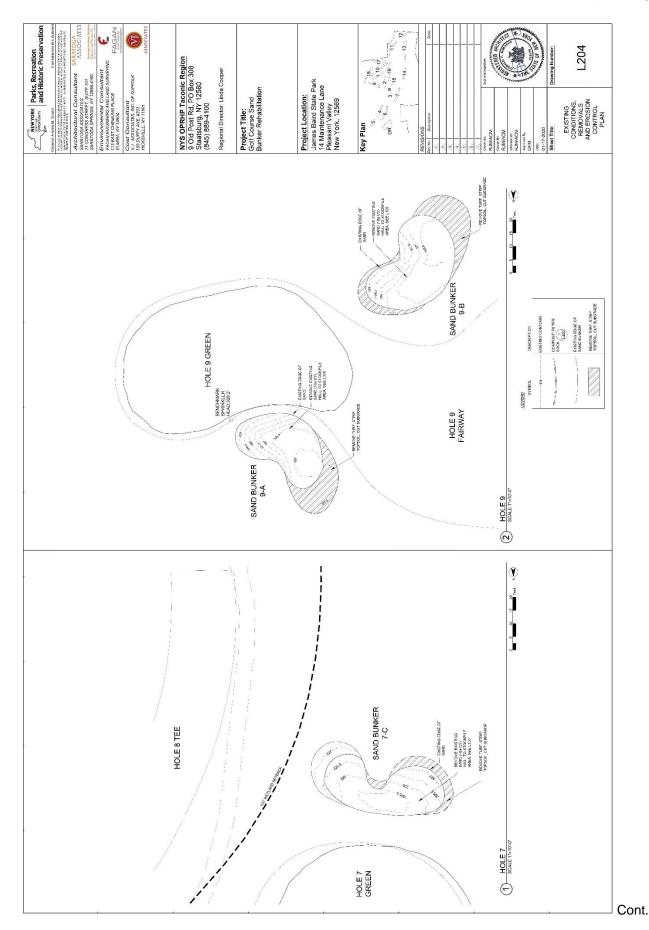


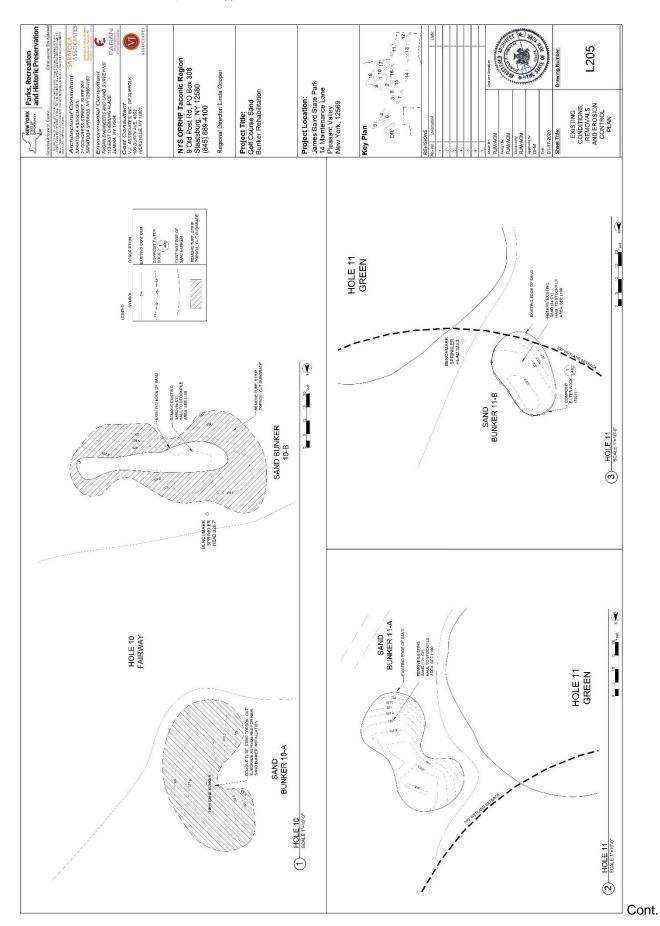




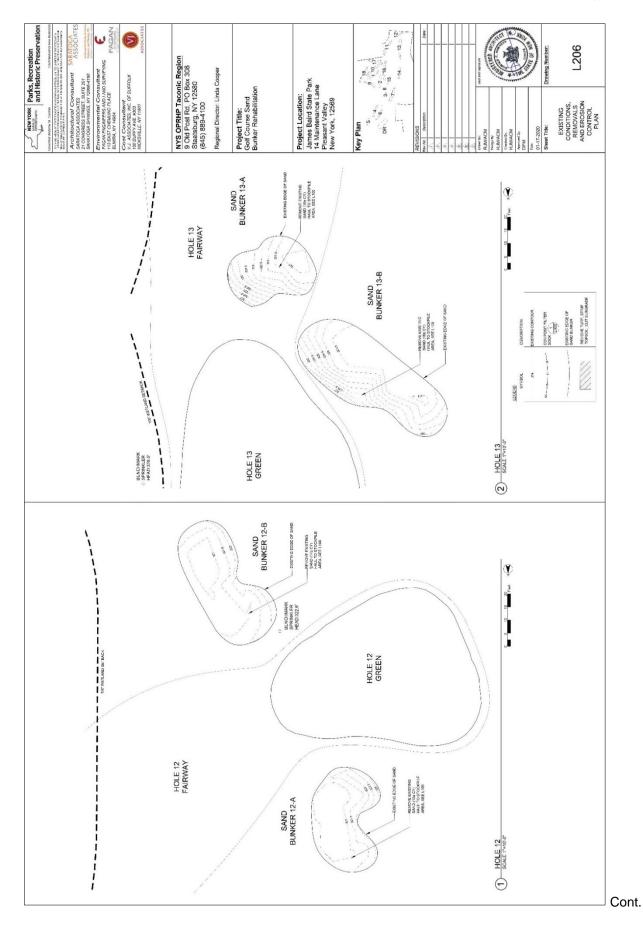




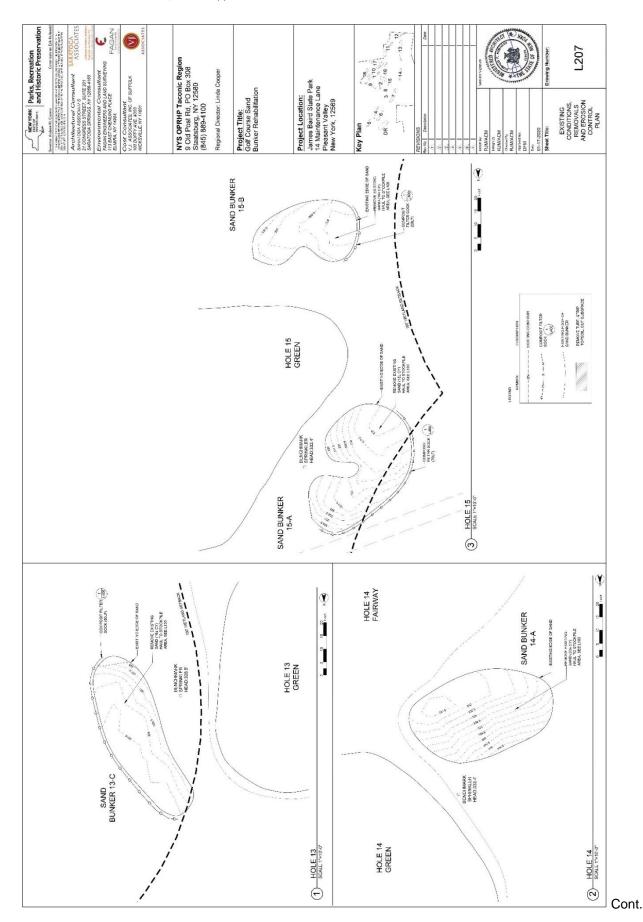


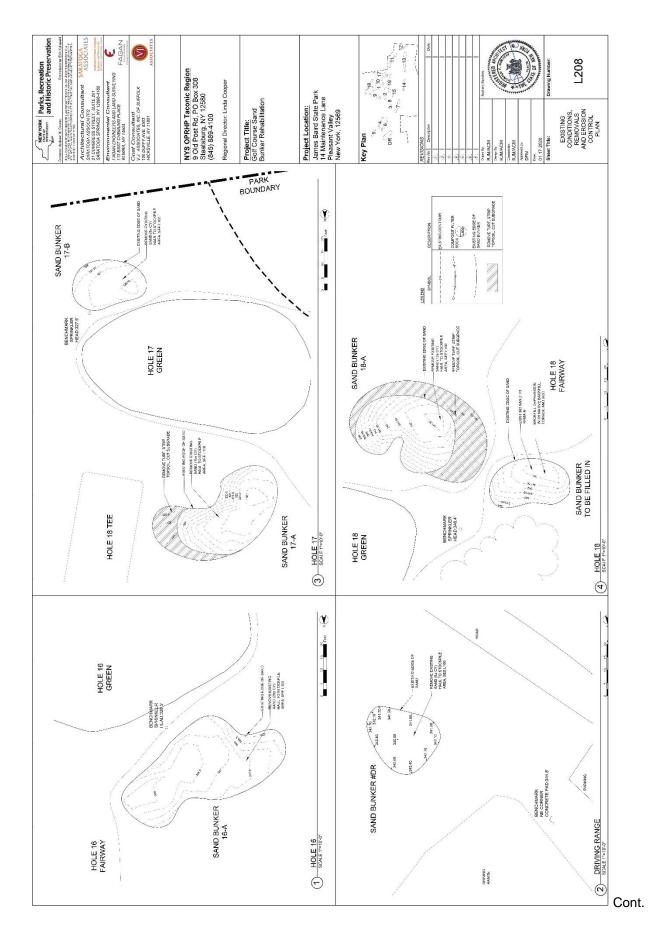


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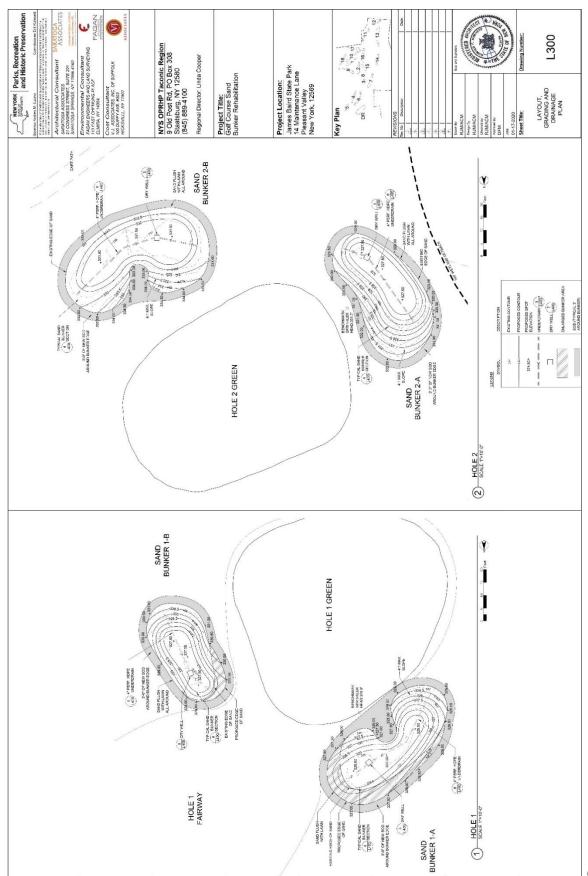


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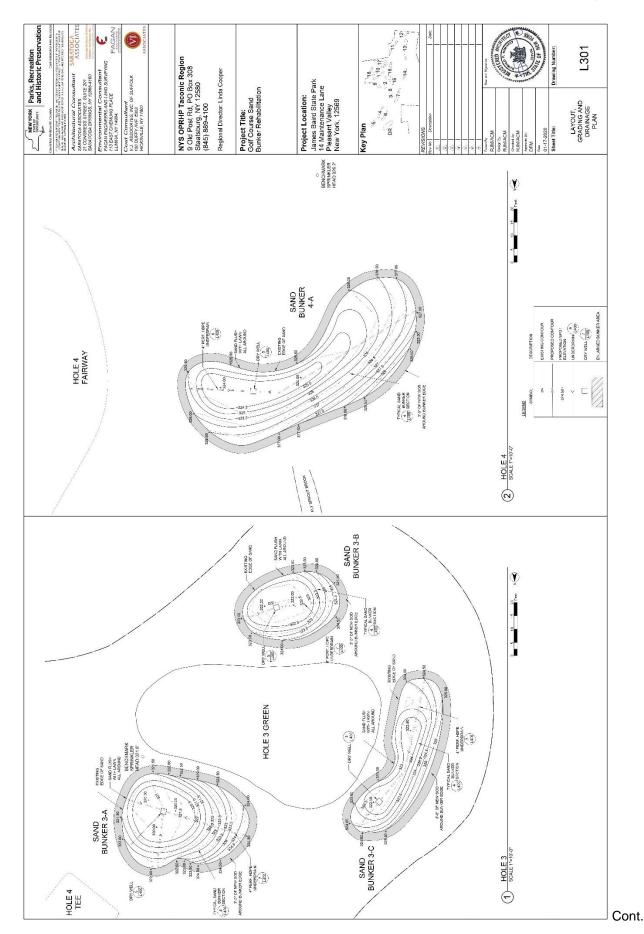


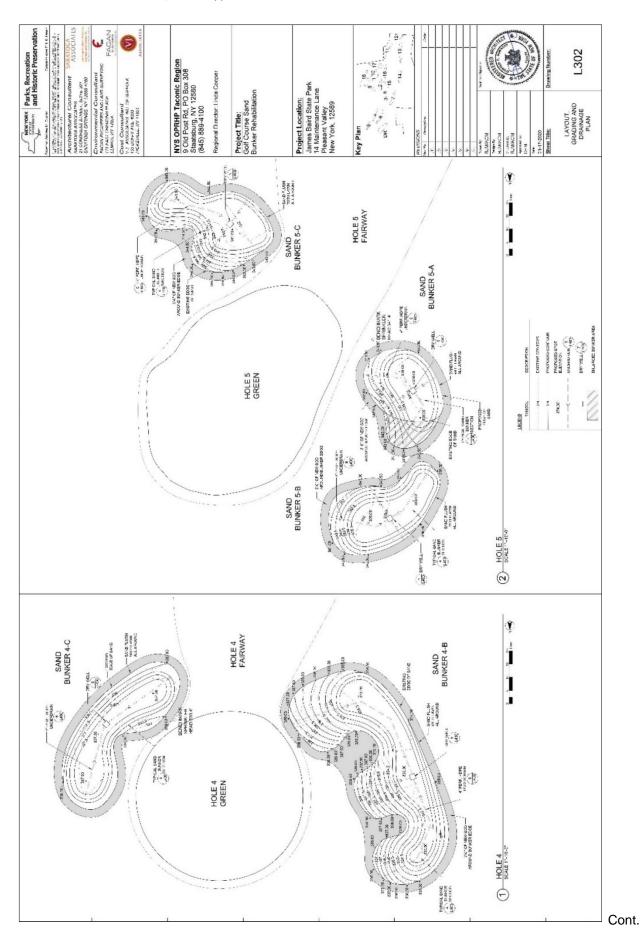


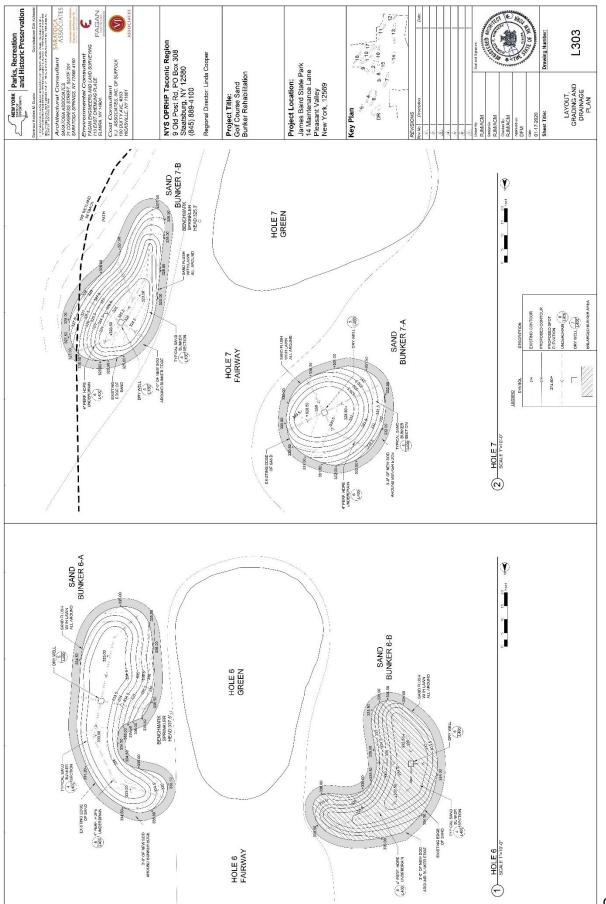
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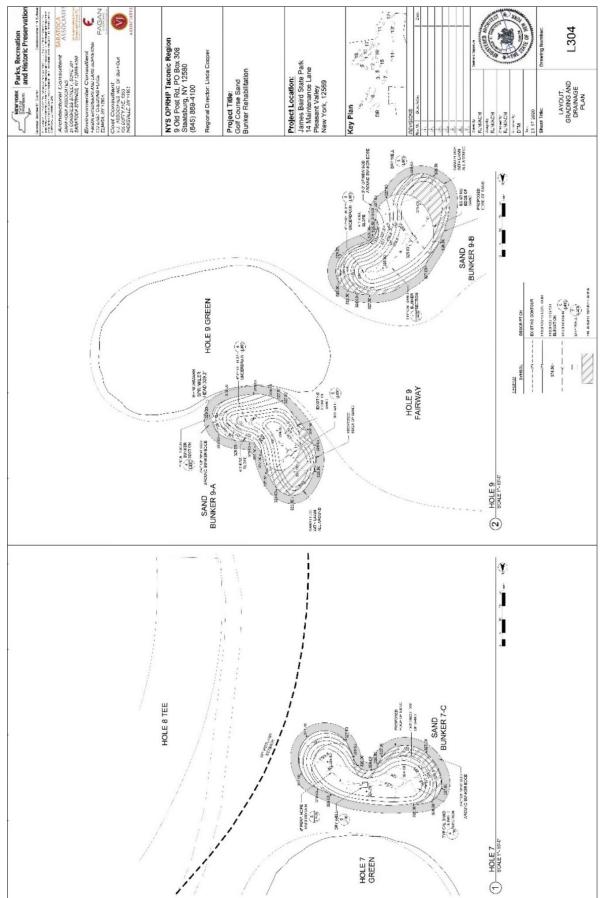


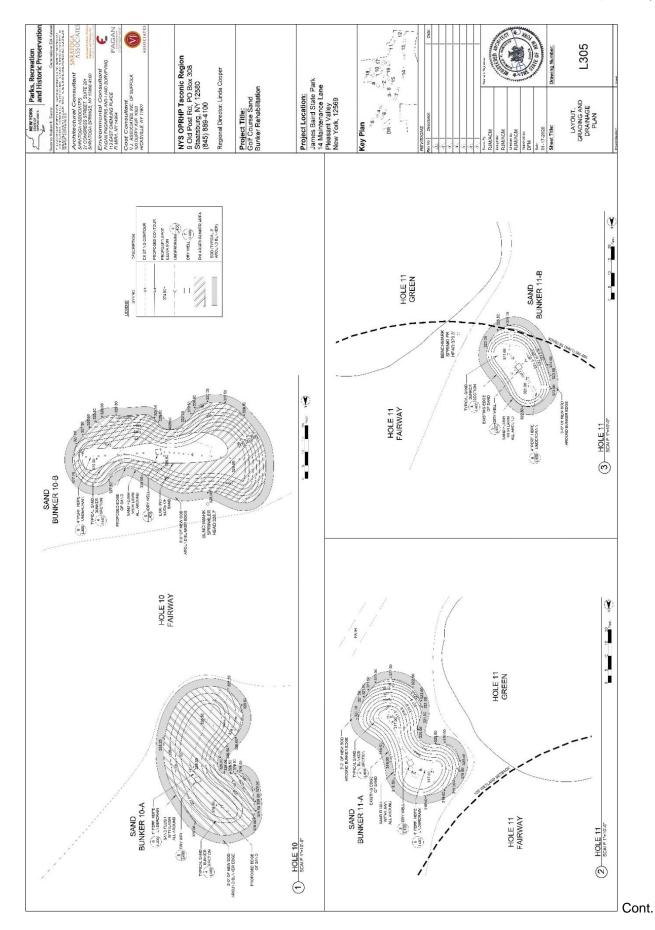
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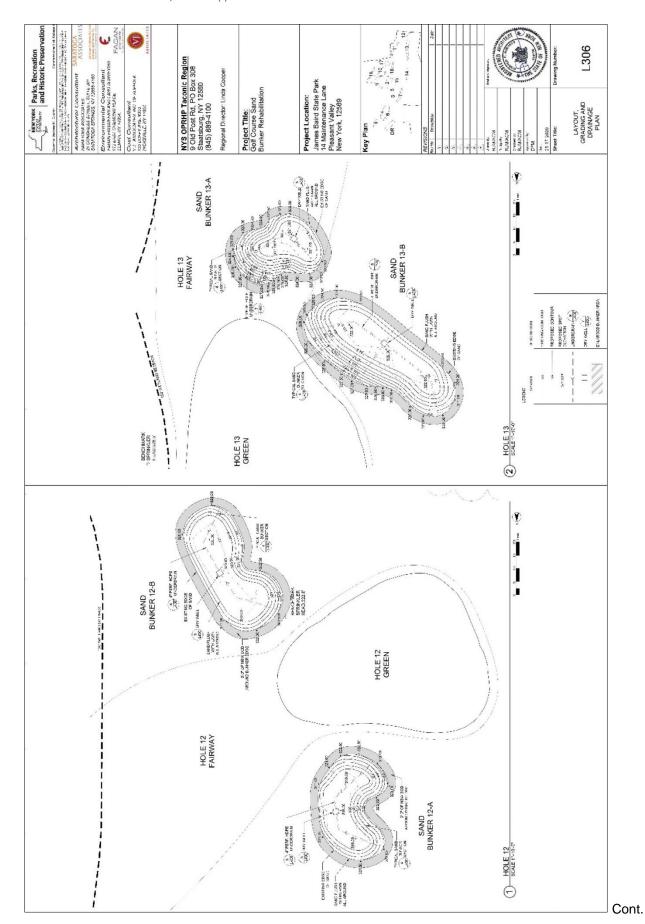


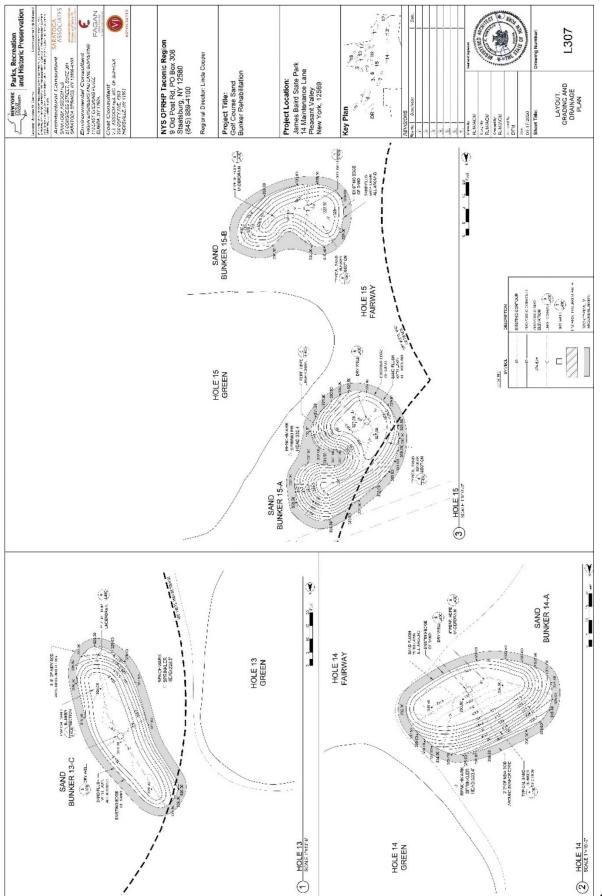




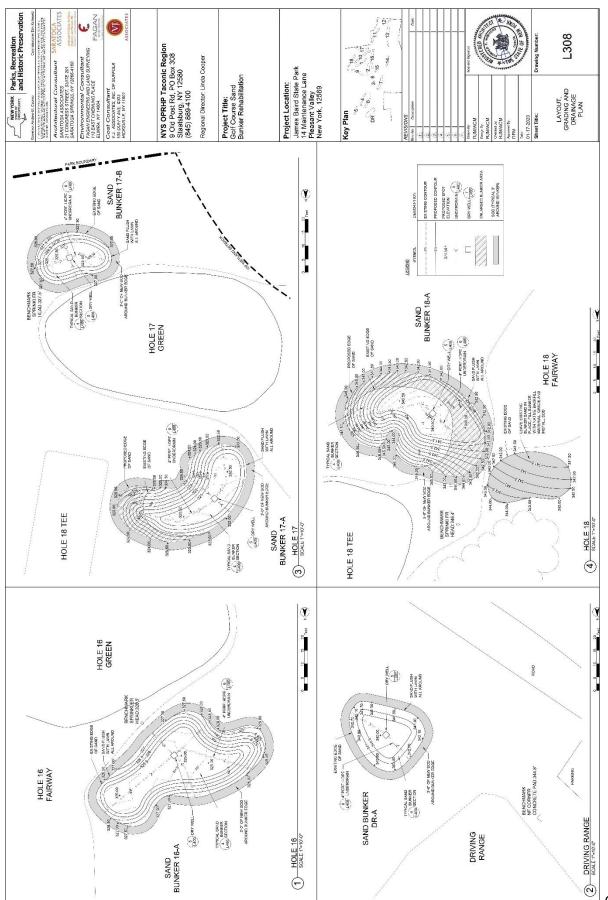








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