# TOWN OF SEYMOUR ORDINANCE

Approved by the Board of Selectmen on January 2, 2008 and will go into effect on January 23, 2008.

ORDNANCE ESTABLISHING A SPECIAL FUND ADMINISTERED AND MANAGED BY THE INLAND WERLANDS COMMISSION

## **PURPOSE:**

The purpose of this ordinance is to establish a special fund to reimburse the Town in whole or in part for the cost of all aspects of reviewing and acting upon all applications to the Seymour Inland Wetlands Commission as further specified in Section 22a-42a (e), C.G.S., to include compliance and enforcement of any conditions of approval placed upon any wetlands permit.

### **SOURCE OF FUNDS**

- 1. All application fees paid to the Seymour Inland Wetlands Commission.
- 2. All fines for wetland violations collected by the Seymour Inland Wetlands Commission.
- 3. Any income from investments of monies from this fund.

### **EXPENDITURES**

- 1. The cost of any professional consultants hired to evaluate wetlands applications.
- 2. Reimbursement to the general fund in whole or in part for the salaries of Town employees related to the time required to process and review wetlands applications, including but not limited to the Wetlands Enforcement Officer, Town Engineer and Town Planner.
- 3. Cost of maintaining and monitoring of the storm drainage system associated with any project for which a wetlands permit has been issued and fees have been collected where it is shown that the lack of such maintenance is degrading wetlands and/or watercourses. Expenditures for this purpose shall not exceed 10% of the total fees or fines collected for this project.
- 4. Cost to remediate damage to wetlands or watercourses caused by violations of the Inland Wetlands Regulations as specified in Sec 9.3 of such regulations.

### **CONTINUATION**

This continuation of this fund shall be perpetual, notwithstanding that from time to time there may be no monies in this fund.