HYDRIC SOILS
WATERBURY, CONNECTICUT

LEGEND

- Hydric Soils: Soils that formed under hydrophytic conditions, occurring in wetlands, or containing water in the upper part of the profile for at least 2 months per year. This includes areas with surface water or slowly-draining conditions.

- Not Hydric: soils that have been determined to be non-hydric, either due to a lack of area that meets the criteria for hydric soils or because it does not meet the criteria for hydric soils.

Explanation:

A combination of the hydric soil, hydrophytic vegetation, and unique to hydric soils have been established (Federal Register, 2011). Information about the depth and duration of the water table, is required to determine soil conditions present at the site.

DATA SOURCES

NRCS, 2011. Land map shown on Figure 1 for water level and hydric soil distribution. The water level and hydric soil distribution are from the Ecological site database.

This map is intended to be printed at its original dimensions in order for it to be correctly classified as a "Hydric Soil".

Hydric soils are defined by the Federal Interagency Committee for Hydric Soils, as those occurring in wetlands, or containing water in the upper part of the profile for at least 2 months per year. This includes areas with surface water or slowly-draining conditions.

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