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VIA EMAIL

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Subject: January 13, 2021, EPA Inspection of 4 Sturbridge Road, Charlton

Dear Mr. Pikul:

On January 13, 2021, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") performed an inspection at the 4 Sturbridge Road Construction site. A copy of the inspection report is included as Attachment A to this letter.

Specific comments, informed by the inspection, are as follows:

- The site appears to require permit coverage under EPA's General Permit for Construction Stormwater (the "Permit"). Please send me the permit tracking number (beginning with 'MAR') assigned to the site (when permit coverage is obtained) or explain why you do not believe a permit is required.
- Under the terms of the Permit, a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan must be prepared for the site; please submit an electronic copy of the Plan (the electronic copy does not need to be signed).
- A stormwater basin is being constructed on site. Please provide calculations indicating that it complies with the sizing requirements of Part 2.2.12 of the Permit.
- Note that any slopes, including stockpiles, that are not active for 14 days must be covered or stabilized, according to Parts 2.2.5.c and 2.2.14 of the Permit.

Please provide a response to these comments in an electronic format to the following technical contact:

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Legal issues may be directed to Tahani Rivers, Enforcement Counsel, at (617) 918-1299, or at rivers.tahani@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Andrew Spejewski
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Enclosures:

Attachment A - Inspection Report for January 13, 2021, EPA Inspection
Photo contacts sheets for January 13, 2021 inspection.
U.S. EPA Small Business Information Sheet

CCs (electronic only):

Tahani Rivers, US EPA