



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
JONATHAN F. MITCHELL, MAYOR

May 17, 2018

Ms. Arlene Hansmann
1388 Sassaquin Avenue
New Bedford, MA 02745

Re: Map 138, Lot 161
Sassaquin Ave.

Dear Ms. Hansmann,

VIOLATION NOTICE

This letter is to notify you that you cannot cut vegetation on Map 138 Lot 161 without a permit from the Conservation Commission. Sassaquin Pond is protected under the MA Wetlands Protection Act and Regulations and the Local City Wetlands Ordinance. This lot is within the 100' Buffer Zone of Sassaquin Pond and a permit is required from the Conservation Commission to conduct any work in the Buffer Zone on this property. The Conservation Commission also does not normally allow any new work, including vegetation clearing, within 25' of the pond or any wetland resource area. In addition, as part of the permitting process, you are required to obtain the permission of the property owner to conduct the work. I have enclosed a brochure about the Wetlands Protection Act for your information. Please contact me if you should have any questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sarah E. Porter".

Sarah E. Porter
Conservation Agent