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**RE: MassDOT Stormwater Retrofit Project
Routes 6 and 18, New Bedford MA
MassDOT Project File No. 608135**

Dear Sara Porter and Members of the New Bedford Conservation Commission:

The Massachusetts Department of Transportation, Highway Division (MassDOT) proposes to implement a stormwater retrofit project under the MassDOT Impaired Waters Program within proximity of Routes 6 and 18 in New Bedford, Massachusetts. The project will construct three infiltration swales and two infiltration basins to capture and treat stormwater drainage from MassDOT roadways and result in water quality improvements to the New Bedford Inner Harbor. See the attached plan view of the proposed stormwater improvements.

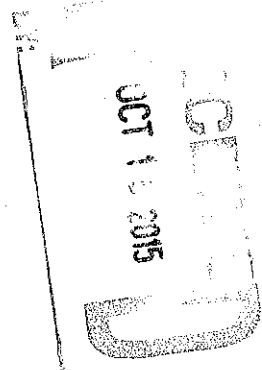
While this project will occur outside the jurisdictional limits of the Wetlands Protection Act, and therefore a filing is not required with the New Bedford Conservation Commission, MassDOT is pleased to notify you of this project and its associated environmental benefits.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed project information, please feel free to contact Anne Bastoni (857.368.8815) of MassDOT Highway Division's Environmental Section, Impaired Waters Program Coordinator, or myself at 617.896.4355.

Very truly yours,
BSC Group, Inc.

Jeffrey T. Malloy on behalf of MassDOT
Environmental Planner/Associate

Attached: Proposed BMP Layout Plan



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NEW BEDFORD
 ROUTES 6 & 18 AT ACUSHNET RIVER

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 PROPOSED BMP LAYOUT

