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Sean R. Cronin  
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Dear Sr. Deputy Commissioner Cronin,

The Town of Lanesborough worked with the Berkshire Regional Planning Commission (BRPC) to prepare a Notice of Intent (NOI) for coverage under the MA Small MS4 General Permit and develop a Stormwater Management Plan (SWMP) that describes the Town's program for stormwater management. The SWMP was drafted to fully comply with the requirements of the MA Small MS4 General Permit. The SWMP includes the Town's program for public education and outreach, public involvement and participation, an illicit discharge detection and elimination program, construction site stormwater runoff control, stormwater management in new development and redevelopment, and good housekeeping and pollution prevention for municipally owned operations. BRPC staff met with the Town Manager and DPW Director several times throughout the course of the project. The public was informed of the project through regularly scheduled meetings of the Select Board and posting the NOI and SWMP on the Town's website.

Lanesborough is very appreciative of the Community Compact Best Practices program. The program made it possible for Lanesborough to contract for and complete this mandated process in a timely and efficient manner. Lanesborough would have found this process to be very financially burdensome. We could not have done this without the Best Practices Program.

Sincerely,

*Kelli A. Robbins*

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Town Manager