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In the Matter of
Town of Rockport DPW
Beach Street

OADR Docket No. WET 2024-005
MassDEP-NERO (SDA)
Rockport, MA

FINAL DECISION

I am the Final Decision-Maker in this administrative appeal (“appeal”) by special designation.

The petitioners have filed a voluntary withdrawal of this appeal. The petitioners’ voluntary withdrawal constitutes a waiver by the petitioners to any further administrative review before the Department as well as appeal to court of the Superseding Determination of Applicability (“SDA”) issued by the Northeast Regional Office of the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (“MassDEP or the Department”) on February 28, 2024. Accordingly, the Department issues this final decision incorporating the petitioner’s voluntary withdrawal, and dismisses this appeal.

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