



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**  
**Region 1**  
**5 Post Office Square – Suite 100**  
**BOSTON, MA 02109-3912**

VIA EMAIL

May 16, 2022

Re: 2016 Massachusetts Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System General Permit -  
Administratively Continued Permit Coverage

Dear Permit Holder:

You are receiving this letter because stormwater discharges from your municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) are currently authorized under the 2016 Massachusetts Small MS4 Permit (MA MS4 permit), which will expire on July 1, 2022. In accordance with Part 1.6 of the MA MS4 Permit, the MA MS4 Permit will be administratively continued on July 1, 2022. The MA MS4 Permit will remain in force and effect for discharges that were authorized prior to July 1, 2022 until such discharges are authorized under a reissued general permit, an individual permit, or other alternative general permit. No action is required at this time to remain covered under the MA MS4 Permit.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Newton Tedder ([tedder.newton@epa.gov](mailto:tedder.newton@epa.gov)) at USEPA or Laura Schifman ([laura.schifman@mass.gov](mailto:laura.schifman@mass.gov)) at MassDEP.

Sincerely,

Lynne Jennings, Chief  
Water Permits Branch  
Water Division  
USEPA

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lealdon Langley".

Lealdon Langley, Director  
Division of Watershed Management  
MassDEP