## **CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

February 11, 2004

Ms. Lana Carlsson-Irwin
Commissioner
Wayland Wastewater Management Commission
41 Cochituate Road
Town Hall
Wayland, MA 01778

RE: Reapplication Permit No. MA0039853 (Town of Wayland Wastewater Treatment Plant)

Dear Ms. Carlsson-Irwin:

Your reapplication for a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) has been reviewed and appears to be complete. You may be contacted for additional information as the permit is developed, should it be necessary to clarify, modify or supplement any previously submitted information. By copy of this letter, the MA Department of Environmental Protection is being furnished a copy of your complete application for certification pursuant to § 401 (a)(l) of the Clean Water Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. § 1341(a)(l).

A draft permit and statement of basis or fact sheet will be prepared by this office and forwarded to you for comment prior to the opening of the public comment period. The draft permit will then be publicly noticed and forwarded for state certification if certification has not previously been received on the application. If it is deemed necessary, a public hearing will be held, in which case, the comment period will be extended until the close of the hearing. After the close of the public comment period, your final permit will be issued providing no new substantial questions are raised. If new questions develop during the comment period, it may be necessary to draft a new permit, revise the statement of basis or fact sheet and/or reopen the public comment period.

The conditions of the present permit will continue in force until a new permit is issued and becomes effective since a timely and complete application was submitted. 40 C.F.R. §122.6, 49 Fed. Reg. 14158 (April 1, 1983).

Should you have any questions concerning the permit issuance process, do not hesitate to contact me at (617) 918-1519.

Sincerely,

Olga T. Vergara

**Environmental Protection Specialist** 

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