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#### VIA ELECTRONIC FILING AND OVERNIGHT MAIL

Ms. Eurika Durr Clerk of the Board U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Environmental Appeals Board 1201 Constitution Avenue, NW WJC East Building, Room 3332 Washington, DC 20004

RE: Town of Fairhaven, MA Motion for Voluntary Dismissal of Petition, NPDES Permit No. MA0100765 NPDES Appeal No. 17-08

Dear Ms. Durr:

On behalf of the Town of Fairhaven ("Fairhaven"), attached please find for filing a Motion for Voluntary Dismissal of Petition for Review of NPDES Permit No. MA0100765 issued by the Environmental Protection Agency Region 1 (the "EPA").

EPA and Fairhaven have reached a settlement and executed an Administrative Order on Consent on May 2, 2018. Accordingly, pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 124.19(k), Fairhaven respectfully requests that the Board dismiss Fairhaven's Petition for Review of the abovecaptioned NPDES Permit.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

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William E. Taylor

Enclosure

cc: Vincent Furtado, Town of Fairhaven Mark Rees, Town of Fairhaven Michelle O'Brien, Esq., Pierce Atwood Jeffrey Kopf, U.S. EPA Michael Curley, U.S. EPA

## BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C.

In re:

Town of Fairhaven

Permit No. MA0100765

NPDES Appeal No. 17-08

### MOTION FOR VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL OF PETITION

On October 27, 2017, pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 124.19, the Town of Fairhaven ("Fairhaven") filed a Petition for Review by the Environmental Appeals Board of NPDES Permit No. MA0100765 issued by the Environmental Protection Agency Region 1 (the "EPA"). The EPA and Fairhaven have reached a settlement and executed an Administrative Order on Consent on May 2, 2018. Accordingly, pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 124.19(k), Fairhaven respectfully requests that the Board dismiss Fairhaven's Petition for Review of the above-captioned NPDES Permit.

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 4, 2018, a copy of the foregoing document was served by first-class mail on the persons identified below:

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