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

In the Matter of:

City of Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant

NPDES Appeal No. 15-08 NPDES Permit No. MA0100897

#### **CERTIFIED INDEX TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD**

As Ken Moraff, Director of the Office of Ecosystem Protection, United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1, I hereby certify that the attached index constitutes the Certified Index to the Administrative Record of NPDES Permit No. MA0100897, issued to the City of Taunton, Massachusetts.

June 12, 2015

Ken Moraff Director Office of Ecosystem Protection EPA, Region 1

### A. <u>FINAL PERMIT DOCUMENTS</u>

- 1. Final permit, NPDES No. MA0100897 (April 10, 2015).
- 2. Response to Comments, NPDES No. MA0100897 (April 10, 2015).

### B. OTHER PERMIT DOCUMENTS

- 1. Draft NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (March 2013).
- 2. Fact Sheet, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (March 2013).
- 3. Public Notice, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (March 2013).
- 4. Extension Public Notice, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (April 2013).
- 5. Draft NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (February 2007 superseded).
- 6. Fact Sheet, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (February 2007 superseded).
- 7. Application, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (2005).
- 8. Final Permit, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (March 2001)

# C. PUBLIC COMMENTS

- 1. City of Taunton Comments. June 18, 2013.
  - i. Attachment A. Letter. Ronald Poltak, NEIWPCC to Lisa Jackson, Administrator, US EPA. January 3, 2011.
  - Attachment B. Declaration Before the Environmental Appeals Board. Steven C. Chapra. Re: Assessment of Whether the Department of Environmental Service's Approach to Nutrient Criteria Derivation in the Great Bay Estuary Used Reliable, Scientifically Defensible Methods to Derive Numeric Nutrient Criteria. February 27, 2013.
  - iii. Attachment C. Krumholz, J. 2012. Spatial and Temporal Patterns in Nutrient Standing Stock and Mass-Balance in Response to Load Reductions in a Temperate Estuary. Ph.D. Thesis. University of Rhode Island.
  - iv. Attachment D. Deacutis, C. and Pryor, D. 2011. Nutrient Conditions in Narragansett Bay & Numeric Nutrient Criteria Development Strategies for Rhode Island Estuarine Waters – Draft. Narragansett Bay Estuary Program.
  - v. Attachment E. US EPA Fact Sheet. Brayton Point Station, Somerset MA, Final National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit. October 2003.

- vi. Attachment F. Pennock, J. 2005. 2004 Lamprey River Dissolved Oxygen Study, A Final Report to the New Hampshire Estuaries Project.
- vii. Attachment G. Letter. Richard Langan and Stephen H. Jones, UNH to Eric Spear, City of Portsmouth, Dean Trefethen, City of Dover, and T.J. Jean, City of Rochester. February 19, 2013.
- viii. Attachment H. Hydroqual. Technical Memorandum re Review of New Hampshire DES Total Nitrogen Criteria Development for the Great Bay Estuary. January 20, 2011.
- ix. Attachment I. City of Taunton, Infiltration/Inflow Summary Report, January 1, 2012 December 31, 2012 (Excerpt).
- **2.** Comment letter. Taunton River Watershed Association and Mass Audubon (joint comments). June 13, 2013.
- **3.** Comment letter. The Nature Conservancy. May 23, 2013.
- **4.** Comment letter. Save the Bay. June 14, 2013.
- 5. Comment letter. National Park Service. June 17, 2013.
- **6.** Comment letter. Upper Blackstone Water Pollution Abatement District. April 18, 2013.
- 7. Comment letter. Town of Bridgewater. June 10, 2013.
- 8. Comment letter. Mr. Tim Watts
- **9.** Comment letter. Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management. June 17, 2013.
- 10. Comment letter on 2007 Draft Permit. Massachusetts Riverways Program
- **11.** Comment letter on 2007 Draft Permit. MassAudubon.
- 12. Comment letter on 2007 Draft Permit. Taunton River Watershed Association.
- 13. Comment letter on 2007 Draft Permit. Mr. Tim Watts.

#### D. <u>SUPPLEMENTAL COMMENTS</u>

- 1. Hall & Associates, July 22, 2014, with attachments
  - i. Attachment: Bierman, V.J., Diaz, R.J., Kenworthy, W.J. and Reckhow, K.H.. Joint Report of Peer Review Panel for Numeric Nutrient Criteria for the Great Bay Estuary. February 13, 2014.

- Attachment: Memorandum. John Hall and Ben Kirby to Great Bay Municipal Coalition. Re: Compilation of Peer Reviewer Questions and Responses. May 29, 2014.
- 2. Hall & Associates, September 16, 2014, with attachments
  - i. Attachment: Letter. Thomas C. Hoye, Mayor to Curt Spalding and Nancy Stoner, US EPA. Re: Request for Meeting to Discuss Proposed Permit. July 24, 2014.
  - ii. Attachment: Chapra, S.C. Assessment of the Scientific Basis of the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant Draft NPDES Permit (MA0100897). September 4, 2014.
  - iii. Attachment: Chapra, S.C. Biosketch and Resume
- 3. Hall & Associates, November 25, 2014
- 4. Hall & Associates, January 8, 2015, with attachments
  - i. Attachment: Letter. Alexander English, Hall & Associates to National Freedom of Information Officer, US. EPA. Re: Freedom of Information Act Request for Records Associated with the Sentinel Site Method for Setting Nutrient Criteria. October 14, 2014.
  - Attachment: Letter. Deborah G. Nagle, US EPA to Alexander English, Hall & Associates. Re: Freedom of Information Act Request EPA-HQ-2015-000462. December 24, 2014.
  - iii. Attachment: Letter. Deborah G. Nagle, US EPA to Alexander English, Hall & Associates. Re: Freedom of Information Act Request EPA-HQ-2015-000462. January 6, 2015.
  - iv. Attachment: Email. John Hall to Susan Murphy and Ken Moraff, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton – Draft Permit #MA0100897 – Supplemental comment submission and request for new analyses/reopening permit comment period. January 8, 2015.
  - v. Attachment: Swanson, C. et al. 2006. Modeling of Temperature Distributions in Mount Hope Bay Due to Thermal Discharges from the Brayton Point Stations. 13(Special Issue 4): 145-172.
  - vi. Attachment: Literature cited.
- 5. Hall & Associates, February 17, 2015
- 6. Hall & Associates, March 20, 2015, with attachments
  - i. Attachment: Letter. Kate Anderson, US EPA to Pilar Patterson, NJDEP. October 9, 2014.
  - **ii.** Attachment: Excerpts of NJDEP Response to Comments on Permit NJ0021016.
  - iii. Attachment: Beta Group. EPA NPDES Draft Permit Overall Project Timeline. Updated March 12, 2015.
  - iv. Attachment: Worksheet Calculations. March 18, 2015.

# E. WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION

 Letter. David Ferris, Director Massachusetts Wastewater Management Program to David Webster, Water Permits Branch, EPA. RE: Water Quality Certification, City of Taunton, Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant, NPDES Permit MA0100897. April 8, 2015.

# F. COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT

- 1. Letter. Robert L. Boeri, CZM to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. RE: Federal Consistency Review of Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant NPDES Permit MA0100897 Renewal; Taunton. July 2, 2013.
- 2. Letter. Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton to Robert L. Boeri, CZM. RE: Application for NPDES Permit; Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plan, Permit No. MA0100897, Taunton River, Taunton, Massachusetts. November 14, 2014.
- **3.** Letter. Robert L. Boeri, CZM to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. RE: Federal Consistency Review of Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant NPDES Permit MA0100897 Renewal; Taunton. November 18, 2014.
- **4.** Letter. Robert L. Boeri, CZM to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. RE: Federal Consistency Review of Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant NPDES Permit MA0100897 Renewal; Taunton. February 16, 2015.
- **5.** Letter. Robert L. Boeri, CZM to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. RE: Federal Consistency Review of Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant NPDES Permit MA0100897 Renewal; Taunton. April 9, 2015.
- 6. Proof of Legal Notice. November 24, 2014.

## G. <u>NMFS/ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT</u>

Letter. John K Bullard, Regional Administrator, NMFS to John Nagle, EPA Region

 RE: Authorization and Re-issuance Under the National Pollutant Discharge
 Elimination System (NPDES) for the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. May
 21, 2013.

## H. <u>CORRESPONDENCE</u>

1. Letter. Ken Moraff, US EPA to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. Re: NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 For Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. April 10, 2015.

- 2. Letter. Ken Moraff, US EPA to Chris J. Gallagher, Town of Raynham. Re: NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 For Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. April 10, 2015.
- **3.** Letter. Ken Moraff, US EPA to Gregory F. Olsen, Town of Dighton. Re: NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 For Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. April 10, 2015.
- Letter. Curt Spalding, US EPA to Chris J. Gallagher, Town of Raynham. Re: Waiver of Permit Application and Signatory Requirements for Municipal Satellite Sewage Collection System – Town of Dighton, co-permittee to the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant, NPDES No. MA0100897. April 10, 2015.
- Letter. Curt Spalding, US EPA to Gregory F. Olsen, Town of Dighton. Re: Waiver of Permit Application and Signatory Requirements for Municipal Satellite Sewage Collection System – Town of Dighton, co-permittee to the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant, NPDES No. MA0100897. April 10, 2015.
- **6.** Letter. Curt Spalding, US EPA to Thomas Hoye, Mayor of Taunton. April 10, 2015.
- **7.** Letter. Thomas Hoye, Mayor of Taunton to Curt Spalding US EPA. March 23, 2015.
- **8.** Letter. Curt Spalding, US EPA to Thomas Hoye, Mayor of Taunton. Re: Permit for Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. March 3, 2015.
- **9.** Letter. Marta.Nover, Taunton River Watershed Alliance, Inc. to Curt Spalding, US EPA. Re: National Pollutant Discharge Elimination Permit (NPDES) for Taunton Wastewater Treatment Facility, #MA0100897. February 5, 2015.
- Letter. Curt Spalding, US EPA to Gina Raimando, Governor of Rhode Island. Re: NPDES Permit for Taunton Wastewater Treatment Facility, #MA0100897. February 4, 2015.
- **11.** Letter. Kenneth J. Kopocis, US EPA to the Honorable Joseph P. Kennedy, III, Congressman. February 4, 2015.
- **12.** Letter. Kenneth J. Kopocis, US EPA to John Hall, Center for Regulatory Reasonableness. Re: Request for SAB Review. January 16, 2015.
- **13.** Letter. Kenneth J. Kopocis, US EPA to Philip Guerin, Massachusetts Coalition for Water Resources Stewardship. Re: Request for SAB Review. January 16, 2015.

- 14. Letter. Curt Spalding, US EPA to Marta Nover, Taunton River Watershed Alliance, Inc.. Re: National Pollutant Discharge Elimination Permit (NPDES) for Taunton Wastewater Treatment Facility, #MA0100897. January 7, 2015.
- **15.** Letter. Curt Spalding, US EPA to Thomas Hoye, City of Taunton. Re: Correspondence dated November 19, 2014. December 29, 2014.
- Letter. Lincoln D. Chafee, Governor of Rhode Island to Curt Spalding, US EPA. Re: NPDES Permit for Taunton Wastewater Treatment Facility, #MA0100897. December 22, 2014.
- **17.** Letter. Jonathan Stone, Save the Bay to Lincoln D. Chafee, Governor of Rhode Island. December 11, 2014.
- **18.** Letter. Marta Nover, Taunton River Watershed Alliance, Inc. to Curt Spalding, US EPA. Re: National Pollutant Discharge Elimination Permit (NPDES) for Taunton Wastewater Treatment Facility, #MA0100897. December 10, 2014.
- **19.** Letter. Thomas Hoye, City of Taunton to Ken Kopocis and Curt Spalding, US EPA. Re: Request for Meeting with EPA Headquarters to Discuss Issues With Proposed Permit. November 19, 2014.
- **20.** Letter. Joseph P. Kennedy, Member of Congress to Gina McCarthy, US EPA. October 17, 2014.
- **21.** Letter. John Hall, Center for Regulatory Reasonableness to Gina McCarthy, US EPA. Re: Request for an SAB Peer Review of EPA Region I "Sentinel Approach" Used to Determine Numeric Nutrient Criteria for Estuarine Waters. October 2, 2014.
- **22.** Letter. Kenneth J. Kopocis, US EPA to Thomas Hoye, City of Taunton. August 28, 2014.
- **23.** Letter. Thomas Hoye, City of Taunton to Curt Spalding and Nancy Stoner, US EPA. Re: Request for Meeting to Discuss Proposed Permit. July 24, 2014.
- **24.** Letter. Joseph Federico, Beta Group to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton, MA, NPDES Draft Permit MA 0100897. December 11, 2013. With Attachments:
  - i. Proposed Schedule and Economic Impact Analysis
  - ii. Existing and Anticipated Debt Schedule
  - iii. WWTF Upgrades Opinion of Probable Cost
  - iv. Main Lift Pump Station Opinion of Probable Cost
  - v. Sewer Use Fee Impacts on EJ Community

- **25.** Letter. Susan Murphy, US EPA to Keisha Sedlacek, Hall & Associates. Re: Taunton WWTP Draft Permit, NPDES No. MA0100897, Administrative Record Excerpt. May 21, 2013.
- 26. Letter. Linda M. Balzotti, Mayor, City of Brockton to Susan Murphy, U.S. EPA. City of Taunton, Mass Wastewater Treatment Plant, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897, Comments of Draft Permit – Request for Extension of Comment Period. April 17, 2013.
- **27.** Letter. Joseph Federico, Beta Group to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton Draft NPDES Permit No. MA0100897. April 16, 2013.
- **28.** Letter. David Webster, US EPA to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. Re: Public Notice Issuance of NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (for) the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. March 19, 2013.
- **29.** Letter. David Webster, US EPA to Chris J. Gallagher, Town of Raynham. Re: Public Notice Issuance of NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (for) the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. March 19, 2013.
- **30.** Letter. David Webster, US EPA to Gregory F. Olsen, Town of Dighton. Re: Public Notice Issuance of NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (for) the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. March 19, 2013.
- **31.** Letter. David Webster, US EPA to David Ferris, MassDEP. Request for Certification, NPDES Permit No. MA0100897 (for) the Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant. March 19, 2013.
- **32.** Letter. Olga Vergara, US EPA to Mayor Robert G. Nunes, City of Taunton. Re: Reapplication Permit No. MA0100897 (City of Taunton). February 23, 2006.
- **33.** Letter. Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water and Mayor Robert F. Nunes, City of Taunton. Re: NPDES Renewal Application Form, Taunton WWTP/Permit No. MA0100897. August 28, 2006.
- 34. Letter. Olga Vergara, US EPA to Darlene Domingos, PSG/US Filter and Michael Arnold, City of Taunton. Re: Reapplication Requirements for EPA Issued NPDES Permits in Region I – No. MA0100897 (Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plan. June 15, 2005.
- **35.** Letter. Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water to Doug Corb, US EPA. Re: NDPES Renewal Application, Taunton WWTP/Permit No. MA0100897. November 3, 2006.
- **36.** Email Chain. John Hall, Hall & Associates and Samir Bukhari, US EPA. Re: Taunton schedule and permit. March 23-25, 2015.

- **37.** Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Ken Moraff, US EPA. Re: Taunton Permit. March 23, 2015.
- 38. Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Susan Murphy and Ken Moraff, US EPA.
   Re: City of Taunton, Draft Permit #MA0100897 Supplemental comment submission and request for new analyses/reopening permit comment period.
   March 20, 2015. With Attachment (see Supplemental Comments).
- **39.** Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Susan Murphy and Ken Moraff, US EPA. Re: Material for Taunton NPDES permit discussion. March 19, 2015. With Attachments:
  - i. EPA Worksheet Calcs 03018-15;
  - ii. Permit and Work Summary Schedule 03-13-15 (3 mg-L) with MHI;
  - iii. Memorandum. Michael Andrus, Beta Group. Re: Taunton Comments not addressed. March 19, 2015.
- **40.** Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Gary Moran, MassDEP et al. Re: Material for Taunton NPDES permit discussion. March 19, 2015. With Attachment:
  - i. Draft Letter to John Hall re Taunton Permit highlighted
- **41.** Email Chain. John Hall, Hall & Associates and Samir Bukhari, US EPA. Re: Taunton NPDES Permit Identifying vehicles for modification of 3 mg/l permit limit. March 17-19, 2015.
- **42.** Email. Joe Federico, Beta Associates to David Webster, US EPA. Re: Taunton EPA Conference Call March 12, 2015. March 11, 2015. With Attachments:
  - i. Permit and Work Summary Schedule 03-12-15 (5 mg-L) with MHI
  - ii. Estimate Nutrient Reduction Septic v. Sewer
- **43.** Email Chain. John Hall, Hall & Associates and Samir Bukhari, US EPA. Re: Taunton NPDES Permit –. March 3-10, 2015.
- **44.** Email Chain. Joseph Federico, Beta Group and Ken Moraff, David Webster, US EPA. Re: Taunton NPDES. March 6-10, 2015.
- **45.** Email Chain. John Hall, Hall & Associates and Samir Bukhari, US EPA. Re: Taunton NPDES Permit –. March 6-9, 2015.
- **46.** Email Chain. John Hall, Hall & Associates and Samir Bukhari, US EPA. Re: Taunton NPDES Permit. March 3, 2015.

- **47.** Powerpoint Presentation. City of Taunton Review of Proposed NPDES Permit Issues and Suggested Resolution of Scientific Uncertainties. February 10, 2015.
- 48. Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Susan Murphy and Ken Moraff, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton, Draft Permit #MA0100897 - Supplemental comment submission and request for new analyses/reopening permit comment period. January 8, 2015. With Attachment (see Supplemental Comments).
- **49.** Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton Supplemental Comments 11-25-14. November 25, 2015. With Attachment (see Supplemental Comments).
- **50.** Email. Robert Boeri, MassCZM to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. Re: Taunton NPDES Renewal Public Notice. November 21, 2014.
- **51.** Email Chain. Robert Boeri, MassCZM and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton. November 21, 2014.
- **52.** Email Chain. Robert Boeri, MassCZM and Mike Andrus, Joseph Federico, Beta Group. Re: Taunton Wastewater Treatment NPDES. November 10, 2014.
- **53.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy US EPA and Joseph Federico, Beta Group. Re: Taunton Wastewater Treatment NPDES. November 6-10, 2014.
- **54.** Email Chain. Robert Boeri, MassCZM and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton. October 7-28, 2014.
- **55.** Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton Draft Permit #MA0100897 FOIA Request for New Information Added to Permit Administrative Record by EPA Region 1. October 7, 2014.
- 56. Email Chain. John Hall, Hall & Associates and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton – Draft Permit #MA0100897 – Supplemental comment submission and request for new analyses/reopening permit comment period. September 16-30, 2014.
- 57. Email. John Hall, Hall & Associates to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton – Draft Permit #MA0100897 – Supplemental comment submission and request for new analyses/reopening permit comment period. September 16-30, 2014. With Attachment (see Supplemental Comments).
- **58.** Email Chain. Joe Federico, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton Meeting. June 26, 2014.

- **59.** Email. Susan Murphy, US EPA to Joe Federico, Beta Group and Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. Re: City of Taunton financial capability assessment. May 30, 2014. Attachment: WorksheetC.
- **60.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy US EPA and Mike Andrus, Beta Group. Re: residential units. May 15, 2014.
- **61.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy US EPA and Mike Andrus, Beta Group. Re: Taunton Schedules and Economic Impact. May 14, 2014. With Attachments:
  - i. EPA Tauntpn [stet] Permit 20-year Schedule
  - ii. EPA Tauntpn [stet] Permit 10-year Schedule
  - iii. EPA Tauntpn [stet] Permit 18-year Schedule
- **62.** Email Chain. Mike Andrus, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton billing analysis. May 12-13, 2014.
- **63.** Email. Susan Murphy, US EPA to Joe Federico, Beta Group. Re: Taunton. May 5, 2014.
- **64.** Email Chain. Mike Andrus and Joe Federico, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton billing data. April 2-4, 2014.
- **65.** Email Chain. Mike Andrus, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton sewer data. March 14, 2014.
- **66.** Email Chain. Joe Federico, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton sewer rates. February 28 March 4, 2014.
- **67.** Email. Joe Federico, Beta Group to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton. February 24, 2014.
- **68.** Email Chain. Joe Federico, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton data. January 28-30, 2014.
- **69.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy US EPA and Mike Andrus, Beta Group. Re: Documents for 12-11-13 meeting. December 6, 2013. With Attachments (see Letter from Joseph Federico, December 11, 2013).
- **70.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy, US EPA and Candace Oviatt, URI. Re: data request. October 31 November 1, 2013. With Attachment (Spreadsheet).
- **71.** Email Chain. Joe Federico, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Meeting. October 21-22, 2013.

- **72.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy, US EPA and Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water. Re: TRWA data. September 13-16, 2013.
- **73.** Email Chain. Joe Federico, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: City of Taunton. August 26, 2013.
- 74. Email. Joe Federico, Beta Group to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Sewer system mapping, Taunton. August 14, 2013.
- **75.** Email. Susan Murphy, US EPA to Joe Federico, Beta Group. Re: Taunton NPDES comments. August 14, 2013.
- 76. Email. Robert Boeri, MassCZM to Fred Cornaglia, City of Taunton. Re: Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant – Federal Consistency Review. July 2, 2013.
- **77.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy, US EPA and Chris Melrose, NOAA. June 27, 2013.
- **78.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy, US EPA and Candace Oviatt, URI. Re: data request. June 27, 2013. With Attachment (spreadsheet).
- **79.** Email Chain. John Hall, Hall & Associates and Ken Moraff, US EPA. Re: Taunton NPDES permit minor extension request. June 12, 2013.
- **80.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy, US EPA and Keisha Sedlacek, Hall & Associates. Re: Taunton WWTP Administrative Record. May 20 to June 10, 2013.
- **81.** Email Chain. Joe Federico, Beta Group and Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton WWTP permit and compliance. May 17, 2013.
- **82.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy US EPA and Joseph Federico, Beta Group. Re: Taunton NPDES Permit Extension Request. April 17, 2013.
- **83.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy, US EPA and Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water. Re: taunton NPDES permit renewal. April 12, 2013.
- **84.** Email. Mike Andrus, Beta Group to Susan Murphy, US EPA. Re: Taunton EIR. April 8, 2013.
- **85.** Email Chain. Susan Murphy, US EPA and Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water. Re: taunton NPDES permit renewal. January 24-31, 2013.
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- **88.** Email Chains. Doug Corb, US EPA and Paul Hogan, MassDEP. April 30-May 9, 2007.
- **89.** Email Chains. Doug Corb, US EPA and Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water. March 5-May 1, 2007.
- **90.** Email Chains. Doug Corb, US EPA and Paul Hogan and Ron Lyberger, MassDEP. November 8, 2006 to January 18, 2007.
- **91.** Email Chains. Doug Corb, US EPA and Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water. August 24, 2006 to November 15, 2006.
- **92.** Email. Bill Wandle, US EPA to Doug Corb, USEPA. Re: Update to Taunton 7Q10. October 2, 2006.

#### I. FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUESTS

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- English, Alexander, Hall & Associates to Regional Freedom of Information Officer U.S. EPA, Region 1. Re: Freedom of Information Act Request for Records Associated with EPA Region I Meeting with the City of Taunton. November 14, 2014.
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- English, Alexander, Hall & Associates to Regional Freedom of Information Officer U.S. EPA, Region 1. Re: Freedom of Information Act Request for Records Added to the Permit Administrative Record for the NPDES Permit #MA0100897 by EPA Region I since March 20, 2013. October 7, 2014.
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