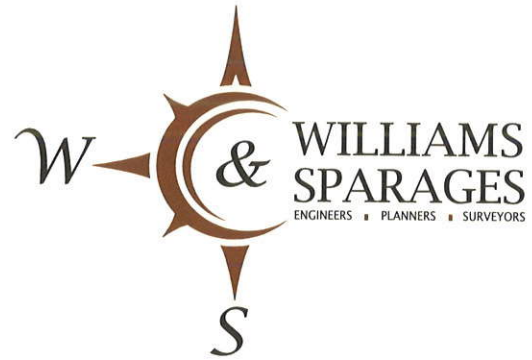


December 30, 2015



Boxford Conservation Commission  
Attn: Ross Povenmire, Director of Conservation  
7A Spofford Road  
Boxford, MA 01921

Subject: Environmental Monitoring Report #3 - Boxford Common  
DEP File Number 114-1166

Dear Commission Members,

I conducted an inspection this morning following the recent storm, (see attached photos). Several areas of the erosion controls are still in need of repairs. R.A.D. has been responsive and informed me this morning that they will make repairing the erosion controls their top priority. They made repairs on Monday; however, more damage was caused as a result of moving equipment following the tree removal effort.

I did not observe any sediment on the downstream, or wetland, side of the erosion controls. Many of the ruts are acting as an internal barrier and helping to control sediment migration. R.A.D. informed me that they may be putting down some wood chips or other material, on a temporary basis, to help make the road more stable.

R.A.D. informed me this morning that they will be fixing all of the silt fencing today and pulling material off of the mulch sock. They informed me that the erosion controls will be fixed prior to hauling sand out to the turtle nesting area.

I included a couple photos of the intermittent stream at the temporary wetland crossing. As you can see from the photos, the stream is flowing and there is no sediment in the resource area. The temporary bridge is working well.

Our office will continue to monitor the erosion controls on site in accordance with the requirements set forth in the Order of Conditions. If you should have any questions regarding this information please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,

WILLIAMS & SPARAGES, LLC

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