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Ms. Lois Barbour, Chair Norwell Board of Appeals 345 Main Street Norwell, MA 02061

RE: 15 High Street, Norwell, MA

Dear Ms. Barbour:

Pursuant to recent conversations with John Chessia, Consultant for the Town of Norwell, and subsequent review of the most recent plans developed by Merrill Associates, it is imperative that the Town raise concerns regarding the existing drainage easement bordering the southern perimeter of the property. The Highway Department feels it is important before the project go any further that the developer/proponent verify in field (VIF) the location of the existing 24" drainage line (location and depth). This existing storm line is an essential drainage structure that drains the upper High Street and Washington Street (Route 53) areas. The High Street drainage easement recorded drawings are attached.

In summary, the easement needs to remain undisturbed and open for future projects. This means no structures or plantings along this area.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (617) 645-7710 should you have questions or require additional information. I will be happy to meet at the site.

Sincerely,

Glenn Ferguson, Director Norwell Highway Surveyor

Attached: High Street Drainage Easement Recorded Drawings

cc: Peter Morin, Town Administrator Robert Galvin, General Council John Chessia, Consultant, Town of Norwell



