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August 6, 2020

Ms. Elizabeth Farrell
1170 Middle Road
New Portland, Maine 04961

RE: Variance Permit for CMR 01-026, Chapters 29 for control of invasive knotweed along approximately 1,000' of the Carrabassett River in New Portland, ME.

Dear Ms. Farrell:

This letter will serve as your variance permit for broadcast application of herbicides along portions of 1170 Middle Road, New Portland, Maine along approximately 1000 feet of Carrabassett River frontage.

The Board has authorized the issuance multi-year permits for broadcast pesticide applications within 25 feet of water for the control of invasive plants provided the applicator has demonstrated knowledge of best management practices for control of the plant, has a multi-year plan for controlling the invasive plants, and has a re-vegetation plan for the site. Please notify the Board in advance of significant changes, particularly if you plan to use a different product from those listed.

This variance is valid until December 31, 2022. Please bear in mind that your permit is based upon your company adhering to the precautions listed in Section IX of your application.

I will alert the Board at its September 18, 2020 meeting that the variance permit has been issued. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me at 287-2731.

Sincerely,

Megan Patterson
Director