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August 15, 2016

Rosemary Roy, Town Manager
Town of North Yarmouth
10 Village Square Road
North Yarmouth, ME 04097

Ms. Roy,

Thank you for your variance application.

The Board adopted a policy in 2013 allowing for the issuance of multi-year variances for the control of invasive species. In determining this policy the Board emphasized the need for a long-term plan for re-vegetation of the site, and demonstration of knowledge of efficacy and appropriate practices—the goal being to ensure that the site is reverted to native species, and not made available for another invasive species.

This letter will serve as your Chapter 29 variance permit until December 31, 2018 for the treatment of Japanese knotweed in Old Town House Park.

Please bear in mind that your permit is based upon adherence to the precautions listed in Sections V and X of your variance application. If it is determined that a different product needs to be used, you must contact the Board first and get a new variance.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me at 287-2731.

Sincerely,

Henry Jennings
Director
Maine Board of Pesticides Control

cc: Bryan Emerson