To the Math Works Scholarship Committee,

Thank you for selecting me as a recipient of the Math Works Math and Science Achievement Scholarship! Math and science have been foundationa parts of my high school experience, and I am very grateful that this scholarship will allow me to continue exploring what I have already found an interest in. I am proud to be from a community that values math and science so highly, and I look forward to using the new skills and experience I gain from college to give back

to the community that supported my interests from the start. This scholarship opens up so many opportunities for me, and I can not wait to continue exploring the world in college.

Thank you for your generosity! Matthew Walak



Fwd: NATICK -MARIAN ST BRIDGE -PROJECT UPDATE -24/7 closure will go into effect next Monday, July 23rd

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Joshua Ostroff <joshua@ostroff.net>

To: "selectmen@natickma.org" <selectmen@natickma.org>

Wed, Jul 18, 2018 at 3:59 PM

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Dailey, Donny (DOT)" <donny.dailey@state.ma.us>

Date: July 18, 2018 at 3:53:13 PM EDT

To: Undisclosed recipients:;

Subject: NATICK -MARIAN ST BRIDGE -PROJECT UPDATE -24/7 closure will go into effect next

Monday, July 23rd



Good afternoon.

Highway District 3 wanted me to provide you with notification that the Marion Street Bridge <u>24/7 closure</u> <u>will go into effect next Monday</u>, <u>July 23rd at 7 a.m. for approximately 2 weeks</u>. The purpose of the closure is to allow for sidewalk work and intersection work to be completed as expeditiously as possible, at the request of the town.

Please contact me with any questions

Thank you

Donny

Donny Dailey

MassDOT

Liaison -Highway Division

Office of Government and Public Affairs





July 9, 2018

Jonathan Freedman Chair, Board of Selectmen Town of Natick 13 E. Central Street Natick, MA 01760

Dear Mr. Freedman:

I am pleased to notify you that the Town of Natick's Tier 3 Complete Streets Construction Funding Application has been approved for partial funding. Massachusetts' communities have embraced Complete Streets and this was a very competitive round. You should be proud of your Town's application.

The Town of Natick is partially funded at \$204,424 for Project Rank (#7 and #13).

The Program Administrator will to update your application exhibits accordingly, and then you will receive a contract package from our Contracts Division. We anticipate issuing the Notice to Proceed (NTP) by mid to late August, and the deadline for construction will be September 30, 2019. Per the Program Guidance, this funding does not pay for design work; you must use a MassDOT Prequalified Contractor for construction, and work cannot proceed until the NTP is issued.

Thank you for your commitment to improving your local transportation network for all users, and for your participation in the Complete Streets Funding Program. MassDOT looks forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Jonathan L. Gulliver Highway Administrator

cc: Eileen Gunn, MassDOT Complete Streets Program Administrator; Michelle Danila, MassDOT Completes Streets Engineer; Barry Lorion, District Highway Director; Jeremy Marsette, Director of Public Works Wes Potter 54 Rathbun Road Natick, MA 01760

July 11, 2018

Mr. Scott Lundgren, Chair Natick Zoning Board of Appeals 13 East Central St. Natick, Ma 01760

Re: Lot 0 and 16 Tech Circle

Dear Mr. Lundgren,

I am writing as one of the homeowners on Rathbun Rd who successfully challenged the building permit issued to Mr. Gill by the ZBA to express my outrage to you for the incompetent review given to this project. Mr. Burke, lawyer for Mr. Gill, brought this application before the ZBA, in violation of the zoning bylaws that govern parcel size, likely because he understood he would face little pushback. This application should have been referred to the Planning Board upon initial review, owing to this obvious error.

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A key issue in the entire review process was that the Zoning Bylaws were not carefully reviewed and followed for this project. The controlling legal points brought out in front of the ZBA by our lawyer, Mr. Richards, were the same ones presented to the Land Court judge and ultimately to the Natick Planning Board. Your signing off on the ZBA rescission underscores the fact that none of the legal points brought up by Mr. Gill could find support in either venue. That is what ultimately led him to abandon his legal defense and his Planning Board application.

We and our neighbors were forced to go to the Land Court, at great expense in time and money, in order to see this case through, due to the cursory review by the ZBA. Your ZBA decision cost our neighborhood over \$50,000 and an additional 15 months to bring this to the correct resolution. The Town of Natick has entrusted you with a huge responsibility, and it is imperative that you and the fellow board members follow the Zoning Bylaws if you are to regain the trust of the citizens of the Town of Natick.

Sincerely,

Wes Potter

cc: Natick Board of Selectmen

cc: Town Administrator