

Victoria F. Sheehan Commissioner

April 8, 2020

Re: Durham, 16254

Mr. Andrew Corrow Historic/Heritage Commission Chair 139 Durham Point Road Durham, NH 03824

Dear Mr. Corrow:

The NH Department of Transportation (NHDOT) is planning the subject project to provide for the installation of signals at the ramp terminus of the US Route 4 westbound ramps with NH Route 108, machine scaling and clearing of 250 linear feet of the rock cut face along the west-bound US Route 4 off-ramp, and the installation of a fixed dynamic message sign (DMS) along US Route 4. All work will occur within the existing NHDOT ROW. A location map is enclosed.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Engineering studies have been initiated to refine the scope and limits of work necessary for this project. The Department's Bureau of Environment is in the process of evaluating the potential environmental impacts associated with the project. To assist in this evaluation, I am asking that you notify me of any concerns relative to the project's potential impacts on environmental, social, economic, or cultural resources, such as wetlands, historic properties, and invasive plant species.

The tentative advertising date for this project is August 2020. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or require further information regarding the project. This letter has been sent to the Town Administrator, Planning Board, Historic/Heritage Commission, Conservation Commission, and Board of Selectmen.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

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