

The Town of Barnstable Department of Public Works

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Robert R. Steen, P.E. Assistant Director

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July 18, 2024

Re: Commerce Road Improvements and Culvert Replacement Project

Dear Property Owner:

The Town of Barnstable Department of Public Works is actively working to design the Commerce Road Improvements and Culvert Replacement Project. The goal of this project is to raise the elevation of Commerce Road, specifically within the low-lying section located approximately between 312 and 383 Commerce Road, to prevent this section of the roadway from flooding during coastal storm events, thereby maintaining emergency access/egress to the residential areas that would otherwise be cut off during such events. In addition, the project would include a new sidewalk extension on Commerce Road from the current termination at George Street to Route 6A.

To achieve these goals, the project necessitates work outside of the publicly owned right-of-way. You are being contacted because the draft project design identifies a portion of your property as being impacted by the proposed work (see enclosed *Draft Project Overview*).

The Town would like to review proposed designs with you, answer any questions you might have, and discuss how your support and partnership can assist in the success of the project. You are invited to attend a neighborhood informational meeting to review proposed project details. The informational session will be held:

IN-PERSON on Tuesday, August 6, 2024, at 5:30PM Location: Harborview Conference Room, 3195 Main Street, Barnstable, MA 02630

Should you have additional questions, or cannot attend the informational meeting, please contact me at your earliest convenience to arrange a convenient time to meet and discuss the project.

Sincerely,

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