MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS 1 WINTER STREET BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02108 UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY – REGION 1 OFFICE OF ECOSYSTEM PROTECTION 5 POST OFFICE SQUARE BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02109

JOINT **EXTENSION OF A PUBLIC NOTICE** OF A DRAFT NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT TO DISCHARGE INTO WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES UNDER SECTIONS 301 AND 402 OF THE CLEAN WATER ACT, AS AMENDED, AND SECTIONS 27 AND 43 OF THE MASSACHUSETTS CLEAN WATERS ACT, AS AMENDED, AND REQUEST FOR STATE CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 401 OF THE CLEAN WATER ACT.

REASON FOR EXTENDING THE PUBLIC NOTICE:

This Public Notice is hereby extended (40 C.F.R. §124.10) because the original public notice occurred during the holiday season.

DATES OF ORIGINAL NOTICE PERIOD: 12/03/2014 - 01/02/2015

DATES OF EXTENDED NOTICE PERIOD: 01/02/2015 - 02/02/2015

PERMIT NUMBER: MA0100030

NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

Paul Dawson Town of Marion 50 Benson Brook Road Marion, Massachusetts 02738 PUBLIC NOTICE NUMBER: MA-004-15

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE FACILITY WHERE DISCHARGE OCCURS:

Marion Water Pollution Control Facility 50 Benson Brook Road Marion, Massachusetts 02738

## INFORMATION ABOUT THE DRAFT PERMIT:

The original public notice, which provides information about submitting public comments, public hearings, and final permit decisions, the draft permit, and the explanatory fact sheet may be obtained at no cost at <a href="http://www.epa.gov/region1/npdes/draft\_permits\_listing\_ma.html">http://www.epa.gov/region1/npdes/draft\_permits\_listing\_ma.html</a> or by contacting:

Robin Johnson U.S. Environmental Protection Agency – Region 1 5 Post Office Square, Suite 100 (OEP06-1) Boston, MA 02109-3912 Telephone: (617) 918-1045

The administrative record containing all documents relating to this draft permit including all data submitted by the applicant may be inspected at the EPA Boston office mentioned above between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.

## PUBLIC COMMENT AND REQUEST FOR PUBLIC HEARING:

All persons, including applicants, who believe any condition of this draft permit is inappropriate, must raise all issues and submit all available arguments and all supporting material for their arguments in full by **February 2, 2015** to the address listed above. Any person, prior to such date, may submit a request in writing to EPA and MassDEP for a public hearing to consider this draft permit. Such requests shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. A public hearing may be held after at least thirty days public notice whenever the Regional Administrator finds that response to this notice indicates significant public interest. In reaching a final decision on this draft permit, the Regional Administrator will respond to all significant comments and make the responses available to the public at EPA's Boston office.

## FINAL PERMIT DECISION:

Following the close of the comment period, and after a public hearing, if such hearing is held, the Regional Administrator will issue a final permit decision and forward a copy of the final decision to the applicant and each person who has submitted written comments or requested notice.

DAVID FERRIS, DIRECTOR MASSACHUSETTS WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION KEN MORAFF, DIRECTOR OFFICE OF ECOSYSTEM PROTECTION EPA-REGION 1