



# Town of Bolton

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Newton W. Tedder  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1  
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Mail Code OEP06-4  
Boston, MA 02109-3912

Dear Mr. Tedder:

We received EPA's notification that our Town may be subject to the upcoming MS4 permit and would like to request that the EPA exercise its authority to grant an MS4 waiver for our Town. The Town of Bolton would like to formally request a waiver from Massachusetts MS4 provisions pursuant to 40 CFR §123.35(d)(1).

In general, there is a very small population living in the Town of Bolton's regulated urbanized area. There has not been a significant increase to the population and the Town has been eligible for and received a waiver for this program since 2003.

The reason we are asking for this waiver is that:

- The Town of Bolton has approximately 495 people living in the regulated urbanized area.
- Bolton's MS4 system does not connect to any adjacent MS4 systems.
- There are no waterbodies listed as impaired on the states most recent 303(d) list within the urbanized area and no stormwater discharges are subject to an approved TMDL.

Thank you very much for your consideration...

Best Regards,

Donald Lowe  
Town Administrator