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Robert W. Varney
Regional Administrator
Environmental protection Agency
One Congress Street, Suite 1100
Boston, Massachusetts 02114-2023

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Dear Mr. Varney,

I am writing to express my appreciation for the EPA's proposal for the demolition of the vacant Aerovox building in the City of New Bedford. We look forward to having this site available for future reuse. I do ask that all demolition and subsequent PCB cleanup efforts be conducted in a way that will enable us maximized flexibility for future redevelopment of this land. Thus, rather than cap the PCBs at the site, I ask that the EPA design and implement a plan which removes all of the PCB and other contaminated waste to make this site safe for the community.

Thank you very much for your attention and anticipated cooperation in working on this project. Please do not hesitate to contact my office if we can be of any assistance or provide you with any further information.

Sincerely,

Scott W. Lang
Mayor

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