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Mike,

Just a couple comments; these are geared at making the planned mitigation compliant with typical federal requirements in New England and with the Mitigation Rule.

- 1) In the plan, it should be stated that a wetland scientist will be present during all work. There are several references to a "professional wetland scientist," but nothing all-encompassing for the complete site work.
- 2) The notes mention that the salt marsh vegetation will be monitored for two years for planting success, with reports submitted to the conservation commission. There should be ecologically based performance standards developed for the mitigation and the site should be monitored for a minimum of 5 years to assure those performance standards are reached. If they are not, remedial work should be undertaken until they are. EPA should receive all monitoring reports.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Paul

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Subject: Fw: FW: revised plans for Rivers End Park mitigation site

Pauls - Chet Myers of Apex forwarded me a copy of the latest revision of the plans for the River's End Park mitigation project.

Please let me know what you think of the latest revisions.

Thanks,

Mike

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Sent: Friday, November 02, 2012 4:33 PM  
To: Christopher Morris; Chet Myers  
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Subject: revised plans

Chet and Chris- attached please find the revised plans for the Rivers End Salt Marsh site. The revisions reflect our coordination with EPA over the past few days.

The total mitigation area has increased (both creation and now restoration, which has been added since the last iteration). Please see the table on sheet 2.

Please let us know if you have any questions, and have a nice weekend. If you do need to reach me this evening please call my cell phone 774.454.4759.

Thank you,

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