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John J. Long  
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Dear Mr. Long

I received your letter regarding the Board of Aldermen Resolution (Docket #193325) that pertains to the MBTA trimming the tree growth along the busway between Grove Street and College Avenue. I have requested that our Landscape Supervisor schedule a Maintenance of Way crew to trim the trees and remove the vegetation in this area. In addition, I have asked the Deputy Director of Maintenance of Way to schedule regular maintenance activities along the busway.

Thank you for bringing this matter to my attention.

If you have any questions or concerns about the trees or vegetation along the busway at Davis Square Station, please contact our Deputy Director of Maintenance of Way, Matthew McGuire, at 617-438-9764.

Sincerely,

Jonathan R. Davis  
Acting General Manager  
and Rail & Transit Administrator