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Joseph A. Curtatone, Mayor City of Somerville City Hall Annex, 50 Evergreen Ave Somerville, MA 02145

Dear Mayor Curtatone:

I am pleased to inform you that the Department of Energy Resources (DOER) Green Communities Division has approved an award of \$250,000 for the following projects proposed in the City of Somerville's Green Communities Competitive Grant application.

List of projects funded:

- \$68,820.45, City Hall—Lighting and Control Upgrades
- \$29,041.18, Fire Headquarters—Lighting and Control Upgrades
- \$102,649.15, West Somerville School—Lighting and Control Upgrades
- \$49,489.22, Multiple locations—EV Charging Stations

The Division reviewed Somerville's grant application and has determined these are viable projects that meet the eligibility requirements of our Competitive Grant program. Please note that, due to the competitive nature of this grant program, the use of these funds is restricted to the specifically-approved projects listed above.

Jane Pfister, Green Communities Grant Coordinator, will follow up with the contact person listed in your competitive grant application to discuss next steps, including coordination of the grant contract process. The Green Communities Division looks forward to working with the City of Somerville on

your grant projects. We congratulate you on your grant award, and applaud your efforts to create a cleaner energy future for your community and the Commonwealth as a whole.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 617-626-7832 or by email at <u>joanne.bissetta@state.ma.us</u> with any questions you may have regarding your grant award.

Sincerely,

Joanne Bissetta, Deputy Director Green Communities Division

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Cc: Oliver Sellers-Garcia, Director, Office of Sustainability & Environment

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