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Secretary Richard K. Sullivan Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs 100 Cambridge St, Suite 900 Boston, MA 02114

Dear Secretary Sullivan,

I'm writing on behalf of the Town of Millbury's Department of Public Works. Working with the Town, the Pare Corporation has submitted an application in response to RER ENV 14 POL 01 Dam, Levee, and Coastal Infrastructure Repair and Removal Program to the Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs to rehabilitate the Dam.

The Ramshorn Pond Dam in Millbury provides a significant environmental and recreational resource to the surrounding community, but is in desperate need of repair. Ramshorn Pond is a state listed Great Pond, however it is currently considered to be in poor condition and the Town received a Certificate of Non-Compliance and Dam Safety Order to repair or remove the Dam.

It is with strong support that, I respectfully request your consideration on this important matter to assist the proposed rehabilitation of the Ramshorn Pond Dam in Millbury.

Thank you in advance for your time and consideration, if you should have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

State Senator Michael O. Moore

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