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OFFICE OF
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Honorable Joseph R. Hanslip
Town Council Chairperson
Town of Sanford
919 Main Street
Sanford, ME 04073

Dear Mr. Hanslip:

On behalf of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), I am pleased to confirm that the proposal from the Town of Sanford was selected for award under the new Brownfields Area-Wide planning Pilot Program. We appreciate the tremendous commitment of time and energy that went into the preparation of your proposal.

Through the Small Business Liability Relief and Brownfields Revitalization Act of 2002, EPA is working to help communities and other stakeholders around the country in their efforts to revitalize and reclaim brownfield sites. This pilot program will demonstrate how planning for the assessment, cleanup and reuse of those sites, in conjunction with creating supportive area-wide revitalization strategies, will result in the development of an area-wide plan for bringing about improved environmental and socio-economic conditions within local communities.

We look forward to working with your staff and project partners throughout this project to facilitate greater coordination and cooperation amongst Federal, state, local government and community-based organizations.

Staff from my office will be contacting you shortly to provide you with additional information and begin negotiating the workplan for this project. Through the work planning process, EPA will identify the eligible project activities in the proposal and will determine the amount and type of EPA assistance (grant funding and/or direct contract assistance) for award. Please feel free to contact Aimee Storm at (202) 566-0633 should you have any questions at this time.

Sincerely,

David R. Lloyd
Director, Office of Brownfields and Land
Revitalization