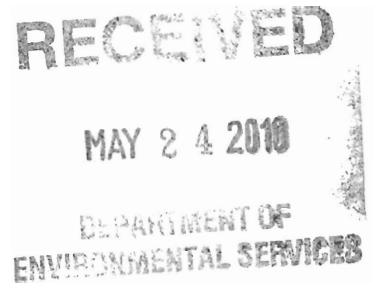


**RiverWoods at Exeter  
7 RiverWoods Drive  
Exeter, NH 03833**



May 21, 2010

Ms Laura Weit-Marcum, Acting Rivers Coordinator  
NH Rivers Management and Protection Program  
NH Department of Environmental Services  
P.O. Box 95  
Concord, NH 03302-0095

Dear Ms. Weit-Marcum:

We are writing, as the representative Council of the residents of RiverWoods, a retirement community in the town of Exeter, to express our support for the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program.

As a primary tributary of Great Bay, the Exeter/Squamscott River is a critical natural resource in New Hampshire's coastal watershed. The river and its watershed possess significant drinking water resources, wildlife habitat, recreational opportunities, scenic vistas and historic character. Enrollment of the River into the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program will provide our community with an opportunity to work with neighboring communities on a river management plan and to discuss issues of local, regional and state concern impacting the River.

We urge the NH Department of Environmental Services and the NH Legislature to approve the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to ensure that future generations will continue to use, protect and enjoy the River.

Sincerely,

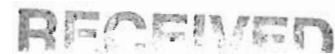
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Katherine H. Southworth, Chairman  
RiverWoods Resident Council



May 28, 2010

Ms. Laura Weit-Marcum, Acting Rivers Coordinator  
NH Rivers Management and Protection Program  
NH Department of Environmental Services  
P.O. Box 95  
Concord, NH 03302-0095



Dear Ms. Weit-Marcum:

On behalf of the Great Bay Resource Protection Partnership, I am writing to express our support for the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program.

As a primary tributary to Great Bay, the Exeter/Squamscott River is a critical natural resource in New Hampshire's coastal watershed. The river and its watershed possess significant drinking water resources, wildlife habitat, recreational opportunities, scenic vistas, and historic character. Enrollment of the River into the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program will provide the conservation partners with an opportunity to engage in discussion with communities along the river on issues of local, regional, and state concern impacting the river.

The Great Bay Partnership urges the NH Department of Environmental Services and the NH Legislature to approve the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to ensure that future generations will continue to use, protect, and enjoy the river.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dea Brickner-Wood".

Dea Brickner-Wood  
Great Bay Coordinator

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DATE

Ms. Laura Weit-Marcum, Acting Rivers Coordinator  
NH Rivers Management and Protection Program  
NH Department of Environmental Services  
P.O. Box 95  
Concord, NH 03302-0095

Dear Ms. Weit-Marcum:

My name is Marilyn Wentworth I am a resident of the town of Exeter, and I am writing to express my support for the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program.

As a primary tributary to Great Bay, the Exeter/Squamscott River is a critical natural resource in New Hampshire's coastal watershed. The river and its watershed possess significant drinking water resources, wildlife habitat, recreational opportunities, scenic vistas, and historic character. Enrollment of the River into the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program will provide my community with an opportunity to work with abutting communities on a river management plan and to discuss issues of local, regional, and state concern impacting the river.

I urge the NH Department of Environmental Services and the NH Legislature to approve the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to ensure that future generations will continue to use, protect, and enjoy the river.

Sincerely,

*Marilyn Wentworth*

Name *Marilyn Wentworth*

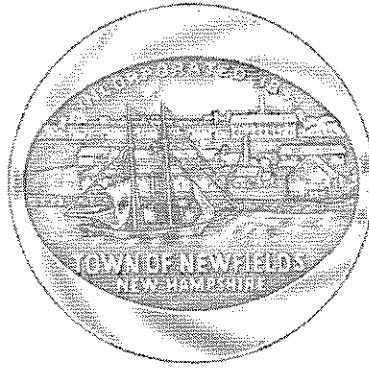
Address *5 Fieldstone Ct.*

*Exeter, NH 03833*

*I am aware of what the preservation of the lower  
Lamprey River has done for the river and the Great Bay.  
It is time to continue with the improvement, not only of  
the Great Bay but also its tributaries which provide  
drinking water as well as fishing grounds and recreation.*

*MW*

*Town of Newfields  
65 Main Street  
Newfields NH 03856*



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*603-772-9004-fax*

June 15, 2010

Ms. Laura Weit-Marcum, Acting Rivers Coordinator  
NH Rivers Management and Protection Program  
NH Department of Environmental Services  
P.O. Box 95  
Concord, NH 03302-0095


Dear Ms. Weit-Marcum:

The Newfields Board of Selectmen is writing to express support for the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program.

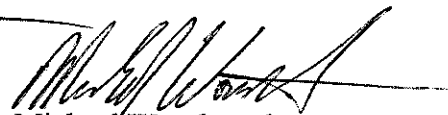
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We urge the NH Department of Environmental Services and the NH Legislature to approve the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to ensure that future generations will continue to use, protect, and enjoy the river.

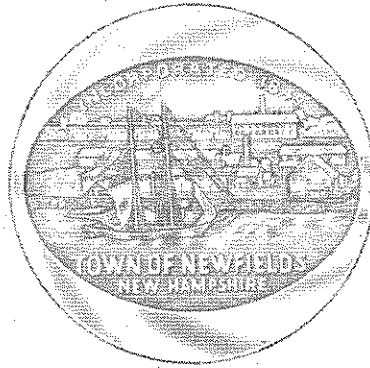
Sincerely,

  
Rosanne C. Gilbert, Chairman

  
Wes Moore

  
Michael Woodworth

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June 23, 2010

Ms. Laura Weit-Marcum, Acting Rivers Coordinator  
NH Rivers Management and Protection Program  
NH Department of Environmental Services  
P.O. Box 95  
Concord, NH 03302-0095


Dear Ms. Weit-Marcum:

The Planning Board of the Town of Newfields, is writing to express support for the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program.

As a primary tributary to Great Bay, the Exeter/Squamscott River is a critical natural resource in New Hampshire's coastal watershed. The river and its watershed possess significant drinking water resources, wildlife habitat, recreational opportunities, scenic vistas, and historic character. The river is an important part of Newfields' cultural and environmental heritage. Enrollment of the River into the NH Rivers Management and Protection Program will provide our community with an opportunity to work with abutting communities on a river management plan and to discuss issues of local, regional, and state concern impacting the river.

We urge the NH Department of Environmental Services and the NH Legislature to approve the nomination of the Lower Exeter/Squamscott River to ensure that future generations will continue to use, protect, and enjoy the river.

Very truly yours,

  
Clay Mitchell, Esq. PhD  
Town Planner - Newfields