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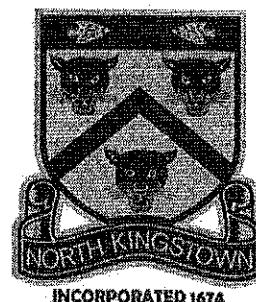
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Dear Property Owner:

The Town of North Kingstown was recently awarded a grant from the Southeast New England Program (SNEP), with funding from the US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA), under the Rhode Island Decentralized Wastewater Improvement Grant program. This funding allows the town to provide a $15,000 reimbursement upon project completion to support the replacement and/or upgrading of cesspools and/or conventional onsite wastewater treatment systems (OWTS) in four coastal neighborhoods: Poplar Point, Shore Acres, Mount View and the Hamilton Plat.

You are receiving this correspondence since you own property within one of these four target areas and as such are eligible to apply for this funding assistance. To qualify for the funding, the following criteria must be met:

1) You are constructing or planning to construct or upgrade an OWTS within one of the following areas: Hamilton Plat, Mount View, Poplar Point, and Shore Acres.
2) You will need to upgrade your OWTS from a conventional system or cesspool to an RIDEM approved nitrogen reducing wastewater system.

Please see the attached documents which provide more detailed information on the funding program. If you are interested in applying, please submit an application to the North Kingstown Water Department. Applications are available online at https://www.northkingstownri.gov/557/Wastewater-Management or you can pick up a paper copy at the Water Department located in the Municipal Office Building, 100 Fairway Drive.

We welcome the opportunity to partner with you on this effort to upgrade the quality of coastal resources. If you should have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact me at aaustin@northkingstownri.gov.

Sincerely,

Alan Austin
Deputy Director of Water Supply