

Memorandum

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Subject: Town Brook Enhancement Project - Quincy – Site Visit 4.26.13

A site visit was conducted on Friday April 26, 2013 to review the status of construction, observe condition of the channel and substrate. As a note, there is very little difference in the appearance of the site since last week's site visit. Work has been focused on utility completion and sidewalk installation. Smelt egg, water chemistry and flow monitoring are continuing two times per week. The major remaining item to complete is the BVW planting along the edge of the channel and in the island and the surface restoration. It is noted that the Environmental Monitoring Plan was resubmitted on 5/2/13 incorporating the protocols discussed with Brad Chase. The following observations are noted:

1. Island Area remains stable, planting to occur in June. Town Brook flow is clear and slightly lower in elevation than previous week. See Picture 12-1.



Picture 12-1 – View of BVW Island.

2. Surface restoration of the sidewalk and curb preparation continues. See picture 12-2



Picture 12-2 – Sidewalk Restoration and Curb Preparation.

3. Park Area, Station 24+50 to 23+00 Terraced vegetative planting area nearing completion, plantings required. Sidewalk installation in process. See Picture 12-3, 12-4.



Picture 12-3 – Park Area sidewalk installation in process.



Picture 12-4 – Sidewalk installation

Island view from Mechanic St .



Picture 12-5 – Island view from Mechanic St.

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