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Benjamin Eastman, Select Board Chair
Town of Colrain
55 Main Rd.
Colrain, MA 01340

Dear Select Board Chair Eastman:

RE: Application: Colrain* 786

Thank you for submitting this application to the FY24 Round of the Community One Stop for Growth. The Executive Office of Economic Development (EOED), Executive Office of Housing and Livable Communities (EOHLC), and Massachusetts Development Finance Agency (MassDevelopment) worked together to evaluate all eligible applications and recommended the most ready and highest-impact projects for a grant.

On behalf of the Healey-Driscoll Administration, I am pleased to inform you that a grant in the amount of **\$1,000,000.00** from the MassWorks Infrastructure Program has been approved to support your project.

As a condition of the award, you will be required to submit a completed Pre-Contract Form (to be provided by EOED) no later than January 31, 2024, to begin the contracting process. A MassWorks team member will reach out directly to discuss any additional conditions or requirements, as well as next steps related to this grant award.

Please be advised that this letter does not constitute an agreement or contract with EOED or the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, nor does it confer any rights onto the Grantee. The Grantee is not authorized to proceed with any grant-related purchases or construction work, until a contract has been fully executed. This grant commitment is contingent upon the successful execution of a contract with EOED no later than June 30, 2024, with a project scope/timeline confirming that the project can be completed by June 30, 2027. Grantees unable to meet these deadlines will need to reapply in a future competitive round.

Finally, please note that public announcement of this award is embargoed until the Administration has had the opportunity to formally announce it through a local event and/or media release. Please refrain from sharing or publicizing news about this award outside of your organization until it is officially announced.

Sincerely,

Yvonne Hao
Secretary of Economic Development