



Conservation Commission

Town of

# Groveland

Groveland, Massachusetts  
Town Hall  
183 Main Street  
Groveland, MA 01834

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Groveland Community Preservation Committee  
183 Main Street  
Groveland MA 01938

Dear Sirs:

I am writing to confirm the Groveland Conservation Commission's support for the Groveland Open Space and Trails Committee (GOSTC) and the Groveland Community Trail project to be submitted to your committee. We have worked closely with Alex Johnson and the GOSTC to improve the trails in our community and feel the Community Trail would be an important addition here in Groveland. The Commission has many trails on our Conservation properties and have worked with GOSTC and other groups to improve them. Our goal is to further promote use of town open space and encourage exercise and enjoyment of the outdoors by our residents. We believe that the Community Trail will also meet this goal and deserves your support.

The Groveland Community Trail adjoins the Center Street Greenway and the soon-to-be-purchased Mattingly property. The Greenway will be an important resource for the citizens of our town and you have supported this project with the use of Community Preservation Funds. The addition of the Community Trail will increase access to the Greenway and help to make it a true greenway by providing a connection from many parts of town and other communities to the area.

We are in full support of the goals of the Groveland Open Space and Trails Committee and recommend your funding this grant.

Sincerely

Michael Dempsey  
Chairman