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November 16, 2022

Dear Town Administrator Kate Hodges,

It is with great pleasure that we inform you that your community has been awarded a \$98,000 grant through the Community Compact Cabinet's (CCC) Information Technology grant program. Once again, grant requests exceeded the program's available budget, reiterating the value of the program. Your application was chosen because it met the overarching goal of driving innovation and transformation at the local level via investments in technology.

We want to congratulate you for being a "Compact Community" and striving to make your community a better place by virtue of implementing best practices. Your participation not only provided you with technical assistance, but it also places you in a more competitive position for other state grants, such as this IT program. We are glad to see your community continuing to take advantage of the benefits the CCC program offers, and of the CCC's impact on municipal governance and local services in communities across the Commonwealth.

Attached are the grant documents that need to be completed in order to get the funds to your community. These should be sent to Jennifer McAllister ([mcallisterj@dor.state.ma.us](mailto:mcallisterj@dor.state.ma.us)) at the Division of Local Services (DLS) as soon as possible, but no later than December 30<sup>th</sup>.

We are currently working to schedule an award ceremony in December where we will officially announce the grant winners. You will be notified via email of the specifics regarding this future event soon. Until that time, please refrain from making any public announcement regarding this award. We look forward to celebrating with you in the coming days.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Karyn E. Polito".

Karyn E. Polito  
Lieutenant Governor

A handwritten signature in black ink that appears to read "Michael J. Heffernan".

Michael J. Heffernan, Secretary  
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