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September 13, 2012

David Patriarca, Mayor Pemberton Township 500 Pemberton-Browns Mills Road Pemberton, NJ 08068

Re: Application # 1995-1510.002

Spring Lake Boulevard Pemberton Township

Dear Mayor Patriarca:

I am writing to follow up on several recent telephone conversations between our staff and David Benedetti, Director of Community Development, regarding the placement of asphalt millings along the shoulders of Spring Lake Boulevard.

A site inspection by our staff confirmed that asphalt millings have been placed in what appeared to be an unimproved road shoulder along the south side of Spring Lake Boulevard. The asphalt millings were graded to a width of approximately 10 feet along an approximate one mile section of the roadway. The asphalt millings were also placed and graded along several sections of what appeared to be an unimproved road shoulder on the north side of Spring Lake Boulevard.

Please note that normal and customary road shoulder maintenance activities do not require an application to the Commission. However, the surfacing/improvement of unimproved road shoulder requires the completion of an application with the Pinelands Commission.

Please have an appropriate Township representative(s) contact me to arrange a meeting to discuss this matter. In the meantime, please refrain from placing asphalt millings along any unimproved road or road shoulder until we meet to discuss the matter.

Charles M. Horner, P.P.

Director of Regulatory Programs

c: David Benedetti, Director of Community Development Nancy Wittenberg, Executive Director

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