



Board of Harbor Commissioners for the Harbor of Portland, Maine

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Dear Portland Harbor Partners:

Subject: Decision on Dredging and CAD Cell Project in Portland, Harbor

We have just received word that the dredging project and CAD Cell did not make the cut for the Federal BUILD Grant Funding in this round.

Although this is disappointing, the Portland Harbor Commission will continue its dredging permit process, which is close to being accomplished. We will be looking for alternative funding and reapplying in the next round.

This project still has the support of the environmental, fishing and business community. It has been one of the most collaborative projects I have seen. Many have worked diligently to make this dredging project a reality and the Portland Harbor Commission will continue to push this critically needed project forward in partnership with the Cities and State.

Thank you for all the time and effort in support of this critical economic and environmental need. We will be counting on everyone's continued to support, should you have any questions feel free to give me a call.

Sincerely,

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Board of Harbor Commissioners
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