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December 8, 2016

Ms. Binu Chandy
Department of Economic and Community Development
505 Hudson Street
Hartford, CT 06106

Re: Notice of Scoping for Montgomery Mills Redevelopment Project, Windsor Locks

Dear Ms. Chandy:

The Department of Public Health (DPH) Drinking Water Section (DWS) has reviewed the subject Notice of Scoping. The Montgomery Mills Redevelopment project proposes to create approximately 160 new residential units within the public water service area of the Connecticut Water Company Northern Region Western System (PWSID# CT0473011) (CWC). The proposed project is not within a public drinking water supply source water area; therefore the DWS has no source protection comments to offer.

The DWS believes that new developments should be designed to use water wisely. This is especially true today, considering the existing drought watch issued by the Governor and the CWC's request to its customers for voluntary water conservation. The DWS recommends that the proposed development implements measures that conserve the use of public drinking water. The Environmental Protection Agency's Water Sense program and numerous voluntary green building standard model codes are available as references to assist designers in achieving sustainable developments. Links to these programs and more can be found on the DWS's webpage dedicated to [water conservation](#).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Patricia Bisacky".

Patricia Bisacky
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