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Senator Karen Spilka
Senate Chair
Joint Committee on Economic Development & Emerging Technologies
State House, Room 42
Boston, MA 02133

Dear Chairwoman Spilka,

I write to respectfully request that Senate Bill 2019 "An Act Mobilizing Economic Recovery in Massachusetts" is reported favorably from your committee.

I am particularly interested in Sections 25 and 26 that would allow the Massachusetts Water Pollution Abatement Trust to establish terms and conditions of loans and other financial assistance to the cities and towns of the Commonwealth.

The extreme expense of projects associated with wastewater treatment requires additional forms of assistance than previously offered through the state revolving loan program (SRF). The expansion of authority to the Trust will make this possible.

Thank you in advance for your serious consideration of this request. Please do not hesitate to contact my office should you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael O. Moore".

Michael O. Moore, State Senator
Second Worcester District