

September 25, 2015

Peter Delaney, Chair of the Boxford Conservation Commission
Conservation Office
Boxford Town Hall
7A Spofford Road
Boxford, MA 01921

Dear Chairman Delaney and Members,

On October 28, 2015 we are purchasing the property at 18 Saddle Hill Road in Boxford. Since we have an 8 month old Golden Retriever dog we would like to install a fence on part of the property to protect her from any potential threat from wildlife in the area.

We are requesting a Determination of Negligible Impact for the installation of a fence at 18 Saddle Hill Road to create a dog run. On September 24, 2015 we met with Parker Fence to develop a design for this project. Portions of the proposed fence are located within 100 feet of Boardering Vegetated Wetlands as shown on the attached map. All posts would be dug by hand or portable auger and no heavy equipment would be required. All excavate will be disposed of in the hole or outside the buffer area. The bottom of the fence would be approximately 4 inches from ground level to allow passage by small wildlife. No trees will be removed during this process.

Attached is a map with an outline of the proposed fence line as well as photos of the right side of the house where we would like to locate the fence. This design allows for a safe area for our dog while maintaining the open area for most of the property.

Thank you for your consideration for this project. We look forward to becoming residents of Boxford at the end of October.

Yours truly,



Edward and (Mary) Jane Scott

