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Sudbury, MA 01776 September 18, 2013

Richard E. Taylor Office of the State Fire Marshal 52 State House Station Augusta, Maine 04333-0052

Dear Mr. Taylor:

At this year's annual meeting, the Bustins Island Village Corporation voted to amend Article XIII of its by-laws to ban fireworks and consumer fireworks specifically. Article XIII as amended is below in its entirety.

## Article XIII

## FIREARMS, FIREWORKS, CONSUMER FIREWORKS, AND LOUD NOISES

The discharge of firearms or the making of loud and unusual noises on the Island, tending to disturb the public peace is forbidden, without the permission of the Island Superintendent or the Overseers.

No person shall use, or possess with intent to use, or sell, or possess with intent to sell, fireworks, including consumer fireworks, on Bustins Island without the written approval of a majority of the Board of Overseers.

I believe this wording corrects the deficiency you pointed out in the version adopted last year. Please call me if you have any questions about this. I can be reached at the above address and by telephone at 978-443-9461. Thanks for your help.

Regards,

William W. Cooper, Vice-Chairman

Board of Overseers