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Certificate of Appointment

April 5, 2021

I appoint Kate Mallory to the position of alternate member of the Lakes & Waterways Commission for a term to expire March 1, 2024, and I certify that said person is qualified to perform the duties of the said office, and I make this appointment solely in the interest of the City of Amesbury. This appointment shall not become effective until twenty-one days following filing with the city clerk, in accordance with the Amesbury Home Rule Charter.

Kassandra Gove
Mayor



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Submission information

Form: [Volunteer Application for Appointed Positions](#) ⁽¹⁾

Submitted by Anonymous (not verified)

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Name

Kate Mallory

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1 Newton Rd

Mailing Address (if different)

Phone Number

781-859-9723

Email Address

kate.mallory1@gmail.com

Which Board, Commission or Committee are you applying for?

Lakes & Waterways

Other:

Please explain why you would like to serve on a particular Board, Commission or Committee.

Back in 2019, my husband and I were looking at homes all over the North Shore and we happened to drive through downtown Amesbury and stopped for lunch at The Barn. We instantly and excitedly fell for the charm of the downtown area. This was exactly the kind of town we had dreamed of and immediately knew Amesbury was for us. We luckily found a cute townhouse to buy within walking distance to downtown and over the past year, my husband and I decided to make Amesbury our permanent home. A few weeks ago, we purchased our forever home up in the Woodsom Farm area and couldn't be happier.

I am one who feels that citizen engagement is important and want to give back to our city and the people in it. I would be honored and thrilled to get involved in a meaningful way in our community by joining the Lakes and Waterways Committee. I feel my skills and passion for our local watershed, especially my passion for mitigating stormwater runoff in

a sustainable way, would be an asset to the committee and would look forward to help preserving our environment as well and protecting our local water supply.

Please briefly describe your education and any relevant work or life experience or other activity which, in your opinion, would be beneficial in carrying out the responsibilities of this office. If necessary, attach additional sheets or your resume.

For 11 years I worked for the City of Cambridge, MA with my final position being a Finance Manager for their Department of Human Service Programs. With a municipal budget of around \$25 million plus \$5 million in federal, state, and private funding, I managed 3-4 clerical staff including overseeing all budgeting, accounts payable, accounts receivable, fiscal trainings, and spearheaded most of the departments administrative activities. I am currently not working in order to obtain my master's degree in sustainability and environmental management at Harvard University Extension School focusing on sustainable cities. I am working on my final capstone project and expected to graduate in May.

Throughout my studies, I have been particularly interested in protecting water resources. I am especially interested in mitigating stormwater runoff through green solutions. My current capstone project is working with the City of Newburyport focusing on mitigating stormwater runoff to their surface public water supply. I recently have been researching federal funding to make cities more permeable.

I feel my combined knowledge of municipal finance along with my passion and knowledge for sustainability, especially towards resiliency for our waterways as climate change is becoming more and more of an issue, can be of value to the Amesbury community and would be honored to join the committee to work as a team to protect our valuable resources.

Please list any City offices you have held in Amesbury or elsewhere. Please share the name of the Office held, the date you were appointed or elected, and the date when your term expired.

N/A

Public service on a Board, Committee, or Commission can be demanding. Please indicate the realistic time commitment you are willing and able to make.

4 - 6 hours per week

Additionally, please describe any standing commitments you may have which might conflict with set meeting schedules.

I do not foresee any scheduling conflicts.

How did you hear about the vacancy on this City Board, Committee or Commission?

City Website

Electronic Signature

Kate Mallory

Date

February 17, 2021