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Re: MBTA Silver Line  
Phase III, Tunnel

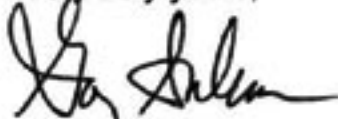
Dear Mr. Anderson:

Thank you for your letter dated 20 February 2004 offering to share groundwater level information from proposed observation wells along the Essex Street alignment of the Silver Line Tunnel. We appreciate your cooperative out-reach and look forward to availability of that data.

Judging by the preliminary map enclosed, we also believe that, as the project alignment along Charles Street South and across the Tremont Street area becomes more clarified, water level results from future explorations will be particularly interesting to our work.

Please feel free to reach Tim Mitchell directly at 617.266.5955, if there is anything we can do to assist.

Very truly yours,

  
Gary L. Saunders

  
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