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To : Martha's Vineyard Commission
From: Edgartown Conservation Commission *grm*
Date: April 9, 2021
Re: Martha's Vineyard Commission Decision dated July 8, 1999, VGV, Condition 4.b.

The Conservation Commission respectfully requests that the following changes be made to the decision referenced above.

Existing Condition 4.b.

That a review Committee consisting of at least one (1) member of the Edgartown Board of Health, the Edgartown Ponds Advisory Committee and the UMASS/Amherst Extension service shall be formed to oversee the golf course's groundwater monitoring programs; and that the applicant shall contribute Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) annually, in perpetuity, to the Review Committee to be used for the purpose of water quality monitoring and, more specifically, to define and implement an appropriate protocol concerning water quality monitoring and denitrification systems; and further

Modification of Condition 4.b.

That a Review Committee consisting of at least one (1) member of the Edgartown Board of Health, the Edgartown Ponds Advisory Committee, The Edgartown Conservation Commission, Sheriff's Meadow Foundation, The Vineyard Golf Club and Plant Health Expert selected by the Committee shall be formed to oversee the golf course's groundwater monitoring programs and organic turf management plan; and that the applicant shall contribute Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) annually, in perpetuity, to support the review of the organic turf management plan, and to implement and/or fund conservation projects under review as determined by the members of the Review Committee in conjunction with the Edgartown Conservation Commission.

Please let this office know if you have any questions or if we can attend a meeting to discuss this further.