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Mr. William Pillsbury, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Pillsbury,

Subject: FY 2021 Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Reports

We have reviewed and approved the City of Haverhill's Consolidated Annual Performance and Evaluation Report (CAPER) for the program years July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022. Based on the information provided, we find PY 2021 CAPER to be consistent with the City's Five-Year Consolidated Plan and One Year Action Plans for PY 2021. The narratives describe how the city is working to meet the goals identified in the plans as well as proposed versus actual outcome results. We also find the city to be within the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) 15% cap for public services for PY 2021 and the 20% cap for planning and administration obligations.

As a result of our review of the City's CAPER, we have determined that the City of Haverhill has carried out its activities and certifications in a timely manner, consistent with the requirements and primary objective of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, and with other applicable laws and program requirements. Pursuant to 24 CFR 570.905, we find that the City of Haverhill has the continuing capacity to carry out its activities in a timely manner based on the information provided in the City's CAPERs.

Please remember that a copy of this letter must accompany all copies of the CAPERs. If you have any questions or if we can be of further assistance, please contact your CPD Representative, William Hodgdon, at 617-994-8354 or william.m.hodgdon@hud.gov.

Sincerely,

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