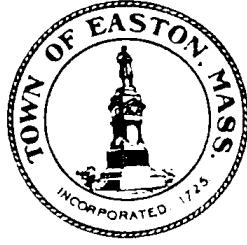


**TOWN OF EASTON
HISTORICAL COMMISSION**



April 28, 2010

Paul Rohr, Chair
Easton Local Historic District Study Committee
136 Elm Street
Easton, MA 02356

Dear Paul and members of the Local Historic District Study Committee,

The Easton Historical Commission is pleased to provide its support and endorsement for the proposed Ames Historical District. The structures that comprise the proposed district are not only historically valuable to the character of Easton, but are uniquely valuable to the historic context of industrialism in America.

We applaud your efforts in completing your study in a timely manner and truly appreciate the extensive hours the Committee has put into this accomplishment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Melanie J.L. Deware".

Melanie J.L. Deware
Chairman, Easton Historical Commission