



United States Department of Agriculture

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Dear Director Vittum:

Proposed addition to Appendix E to MRP Project NE-1443 Biology, Ecology & Management of Emerging Disease Vectors covering research at Massachusetts - University of Massachusetts has been approved.

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Station: Massachusetts - University of Massachusetts

Department: Plant, Soil & Insect Science

Objects:2,4

Resource Commitments: SY(0.1) PY(0) TY(0)

Program(s): not specified

FTE: 0

To process your station's contribution to this multistate project, please complete your project initiation (which included your assurance statement) in REEport which can be accessed at: <http://portal.nifa.usda.gov>.

APPROVED:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Barbara A. Hewitt".

Accountability and Reporting Leader
for Meryl Broussard
Deputy Director, NIFA

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