**Report on the Use of SuAsCo CISMA Grant Funds**

Name of Organization: Town of Concord Division of Natural Resources

Amount of Grant: $2,500

Contact Person: Delia Kaye, Natural Resources Director

Detailed use of grant funds:

The funds were used to contract with Land Stewardship Inc. (LSI) who visited the site on April 19, 2021 and June 28, 2021. In April, bittersweet, buckthorn, and larger diameter porcelain berry vines were cut and stem treated. Follow up mowing occurred in June. Work did not deviate from the tasks outlined in the Scope of Work (below).

* Task 1. Bittersweet vines and woody shrubs will be cut stem treated. Porcelain berry vines of sufficient diameter will also be cut stem treated, while smaller diameter vines will be cut a few inches above ground level. Vines will be left in the trees. This CST effort will allow careful work around stone wall and downed trees currently covered with dense plant material. *$1,950.00*
* Task 2. Mowing. Dormant season. A follow-up mowing of target species will be mowed to further reduce dense vegetation in preparation for foliar follow-up treatment. Care must be taken as a low stone wall and downed trees are covered by these vines. Cut vines will be left in the trees. *$550.00*

These two tasks represent the totality of the $2,500 awarded by the SuAsCo CISMA.