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Ledges in Ashland now accepting lottery applications

The Ledges, a new mixed-income community in Ashland of 64 apartment homes designed for those age 62 and over, is now accepting lottery applications. The Ledges project, which began in 2010 in response to a town of Ashland-issued Request for Proposals, is a joint-venture of EA Fish Development LLC and The Planning Office for Urban Affairs. The Ledges offers a comprehensive array of resident services that enable seniors to maintain an independent lifestyle as they age in place, and is exclusively marketed and managed by Peabody Properties, a real estate and property management firm. Community highlights at The Ledges include open and airy living spaces with abundant natural light, fitness center, resident community space with full kitchen, furnished outdoor patio, laundry care center, on-site parking, an array of resident service programs and activities, and professional, on-site management with 24-hour emergency maintenance. The Ledges is a smoke-free and pet-friendly community. For more information, visit www.peabodyproperties.com. The application deadline is Aug. 13.

Hopkinton's Spring Bank announces pact with F-star

Spring Bank Pharmaceuticals Inc., a Hopkinton-based clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company developing novel therapeutics for oncology and inflammatory diseases, and F-star Therapeutics Limited, a privately held clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on transforming the lives of patients with cancer through the development of innovative tetravalent bispecific antibodies, this week announced that the companies have entered into a definitive share exchange agreement pursuant to which Spring Bank will, subject to stockholder approval, acquire all of the outstanding share capital of F-star in exchange for newly issued shares of Spring Bank in an all-stock transaction. The combined company,