



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

JONATHAN F. MITCHELL, MAYOR

May 5, 2016

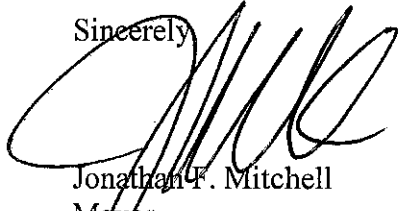
City Council President Linda M. Morad and
Honorable Members of the City Council
133 William Street
New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Council President Morad and Honorable Members of the City Council:

I am submitting for your approval a **SEWER ABATEMENT** for Lorraine Lacoste, 240
Adelaide Street, New Bedford, MA, account number 1028449 in the amount of \$33.20.

I have attached correspondence for your review on this sewer abatement request from
Ronald H. Labelle, Commissioner of the Department of Public Infrastructure.

Sincerely



Jonathan F. Mitchell
Mayor

JFM/dlr
attachments



Department of Public Infrastructure

Ronald H. Labelle
Commissioner

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

Jonathan F. Mitchell, Mayor

Water
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MEMORANDUM

TO: MAYOR JONATHAN F. MITCHELL
FROM: RONALD H. LABELLE, COMMISSIONER, DPI
DATE: APRIL 27, 2016
RE: SEWER ABATEMENT REQUEST

LORRAINE LACOSTE
240 ADELAIDE STREET
ACCOUNT# 1028449

Attached, for your review, is correspondence related to the above referenced sewer abatement request.

The circumstances associated with this request have been investigated by the Department of Public Infrastructure, Wastewater Division. As the result of the investigation, it was determined the excess water did not enter the wastewater collection system and was absorbed within property in crawl space. I would recommend that a credit of \$33.20 be allowed.

Should you be in agreement, I would ask that you communicate the abatement recommendation to the City Council.

Enc: 5

CONSUMPTION FORM

ACCOUNT #		1028449	
CONSUMER:		LORRAINE LACOSTA	
ADDRESS:		240 ADELAIDE STREET	
ITEM	BILLING DATE	CCF'S	READ TYPE
1	August 24, 2014	3	A
2	September 24, 2014	3	A
3	October 24, 2014	2	A
4	November 24, 2014	2	A
5	December 24, 2014	3	A
6	January 24, 2015	2	A
7	February 24, 2015	2	A
8	March 24, 2015	2	A
9	April 24, 2015	2	A
10	May 24, 2015	2	A
11	June 24, 2015	2	A
12	July 24, 2015	2	A
13	August 24, 2015	3	A
14	September 24, 2015	3	A
15	October 24, 2015	3	A
16	November 24, 2015	2	A
17	December 24, 2015	2	A
18	January 24, 2016	2	A
19	February 24, 2016	11	A
20	March 24, 2016	2	A
	TOTAL CONSUMPTION	55	
AVERAGE (= TOTAL CONSUMPTION / 20 MONTHS)		3	
		CCF TO ABATE (= BILLED - AVERAGE)	
February 24, 2016	BILLED @ 11 CCF	8	
Total CCF to abate		8	
Sewer Rate		\$4.15	
Total \$ to abate		\$33.20	

3/21/16

Dear Mr. Labelle,

During the frigid temperatures in January, I had the misfortune of two burst pipes in the crawl space of my residence at 240 Adelaide St, New Bedford. The repairs were done the following day by a registered plumber - Norman Lussier.

My water bill is quite high as a consequence. I am asking for an adjustment if you can. It would be greatly appreciated. Enclosed is a copy of the water bill & a copy of the plumber's services. Thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully,

Lorraine Lacoste



508-994-1468 Tel
508-994-2030 Fax

8 Arsene Wa
Fairhaven, MA 02716

Date: 2-16-16

Lorraine Lacoste
270 Adelaide St.
New Bedford, MA

Repaired burst hot and
cold water lines in crawlspace
and replaced washing machine
hoses

\$460-

paid in full
check # 07816

