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Mr. Scott Nickerson, Director Hallmark Nursing Home 1123 Rockdale Avenue New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Mr. Nickerson:

I am writing regarding the unloading of dumpsters in back of your facility. I have received many complaints from residents living on Westview Street. They are constantly being disturbed at 5:00 a.m. – 5:30 a.m., by the excessive noise made by your contracting company. Enclosed, is a copy of the City Ordinance, Chapter 17, Section 5, banning the disruption of sleep of residents between the hours of 10:00 pm. through 7:00 a.m.

I am respectfully requesting that you reach out to your contractor to rectify the problem, so abutting neighbors are no longer disturbed at 5:00 a.m.

Anything you can do to have this matter taken care of would be greatly appreciated.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions, or if I can be of any assistance to you.

Very truly yours,

Kerry Winterson, Councillor Ward Five

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Enclosure

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