

March 2, 2017

City Council President Joseph P. Lopes Honorable Members of the City Council 133 William Street New Bedford, MA 02740

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

I would like to request a one year **Waiver of Residency** for Juliette Holt, Nursing Supervisor in the Health Department who resides at 118 Bradley Avenue, Somerset, MA 02725.

I have attached correspondence to support the reason for this request and Sandra J. Manning/Acting Director, will be available at the meeting to answer any questions.

Sincerely

Jonathan F. Mitchell

Mayor

JFM/dlr Attachment

cc:

Ms. Holt

Ms. Manning Personnel



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February 24, 2017

Mayor, Jonathan F. Mitchell City of New Bedford 133 William Street New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Mayor Mitchell:

I respectfully request a one year residency waiver for Juliette Holt, Nursing Supervisor in the Health Department who resides at 118 Bradley Avenue, Somerset, MA 02725.

The nursing position was very difficult to fill due to higher rates of pay and benefits by other clinical providers in our area and we do not expect a new search will yield different results. Ms. Holt has become an asset to our department and we would like to keep the continuity within the department as much as possible.

Thank you for your consideration regarding this matter.

If I can be of any further assistance please feel free to contact me at (508) 991-6199.

Very truly yours,

Sandra J. Manning, Acting Health Department

SJM/dmc