



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
JONATHAN F. MITCHELL, MAYOR

February 2, 2017

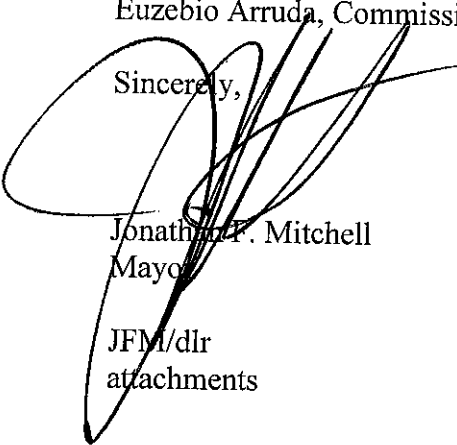
City Council President Joseph P. Lopes
Honorable Members of the City Council
133 William Street
New Bedford, MA 02740

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

I am submitting for your approval a **SEWER ABATEMENT** for Paul Wolff, 702 Brock Avenue, New Bedford, MA, account number 1012227 in the amount of \$192.64.

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

Sincerely,



Jonathan F. Mitchell
Mayor

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attachments



Department of Public Infrastructure

Euzebio Arruda
Commissioner


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MEMORANDUM

TO: MAYOR JONATHAN F. MITCHELL

FROM: Euzebio Arruda, Commissioner-DPI 

DATE: January 24, 2017

RE: SEWER ABATEMENT REQUEST

Paul Wolff
702 Brock Avenue
Account# 1012227

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, the excess water was pumped into the backyard and absorbed and did not enter the collection system. I would recommend that a credit of \$192.64 be allowed.

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

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CONSUMPTION FORM

ACCOUNT #		1012227	
CONSUMER:		PAUL WOLFF	
ADDRESS:		702 BROCK AVENUE	
ITEM	BILLING DATE	CCF'S	READ TYPE
1	May 1, 2015	1	A
2	June 1, 2015	3	A
3	July 1, 2015	2	A
4	August 1, 2015	6	A
5	September 1, 2015	6	A
6	October 1, 2015	5	A
7	November 1, 2015	3	A
8	December 1, 2015	2	A
9	January 1, 2016	2	A
10	February 1, 2016	4	A
11	March 1, 2016	3	A
12	April 1, 2016	3	A
13	May 1, 2016	2	A
14	June 1, 2016	3	A
15	July 1, 2016	4	A
16	August 1, 2016	5	A
17	September 1, 2016	9	A
18	October 1, 2016	5	A
19	November 1, 2016	2	A
20	December 1, 2016	48	A
	TOTAL CONSUMPTION	118	
AVERAGE (= TOTAL CONSUMPTION / 20 MONTHS)		6	
		CCF TO ABATE (= BILLED - AVERAGE)	
December 1, 2016	BILLED @ 49 CCF	43	
Total CCF to abate		43	
Sewer Rate		\$4.48	
Total \$ to abate		\$192.64	

Erin Lopes
Water Registrar
1105 Shawmut Avenue
New Bedford, Massachusetts 02746.

December 30, 2016

Dear Sir or Madam,

As a long-term resident of New Bedford, I am writing to request an abatement for charges appearing on the Water and Sewer Invoice #1227106.

I am the victim of vandalism at my home located at 702 Brock Avenue. It appears that students from the Roosevelt School turned on the garden hose while I was away and the water flooded my basement and caused an estimated \$40,000 in damages repairs. My insurance policy excludes water expenses, so I am not able to obtain reimbursement for the water and sewer charges that total \$342.33 on the most recent bill.

I would appreciate consideration as this matter has been especially traumatic, and I am not able to afford to pay the sewer charges that were assessed (\$215.04) and due by January 14, 2017.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul Wolff". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "P" and "W".

Paul Wolff
702 Brock Avenue
New Bedford, Massachusetts 02744

Insured: PAUL JOHN WOLFF III
Home: 702 BROCK AVENUE
NEW BEDFORD, MA 02744
Property: 702 BROCK AVENUE
NEW BEDFORD, MA 02744

Business: (508) 525-9957 x 0000
Home: (508) 525-9957

Claim Rep.: Wayne R. Levasseur
Company: Costa Claim Service
Estimator: Wayne R. Levasseur
Company: Costa Claim Service

Claim Number: 410335

Policy Number: 1171598

Type of Loss: Vandalism

Date Contacted: 11/16/2016 2:39 PM
Date of Loss: 11/11/2016 12:00 PM
Date Inspected: 11/19/2016 9:00 AM
Date Est. Completed: 12/14/2016 5:29 PM
Date Received: 11/16/2016 12:00 AM
Date Entered: 11/16/2016 2:10 PM

Price List: MAEM8X_NOV16
Restoration/Service/Remodel
Estimate: PAUL_JOHN_WOLFF_III

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