

January 17, 2018

City Council President Linda M. Morad 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 would like to request a one year **Waiver of Residency** for Ms. Shara Crook, Assistant Director at the Buttonwood Park Zoo, who currently lives in South Dartmouth. Ms. Crook has been employed by the zoo since July of 1994.

I have attached correspondence to support the reason for this request.

Sincerely.

Jonathan F. Mifchell

Mayor

JFM/sds

Attachment

c: Ms. Crook Mr. Lovett

Personnel



BUTTONWOOD PARK ZOO

City of New Bedford

Jon Mitchell Mayor

Keith Lovett Director



To: Mayor Jon Mitchell From: Keith Lovett

Re: Residency Waiver for Shara Crook

January 10, 2018

Dear Mayor Mitchell,

Please accept this letter of request for a residency waiver for our Assistant Director, Ms. Shara Crook. Ms. Crook has been employed by the zoo since July of 1994. A New Bedford resident for over 40 years, she currently resides in South Dartmouth and is requesting an annual residency waiver to allow for her continued employment at the zoo. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Keith Lovett

Director Zoological Services

Buttonwood Park Zoo