



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

JONATHAN F. MITCHELL, MAYOR

May 31, 2018

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

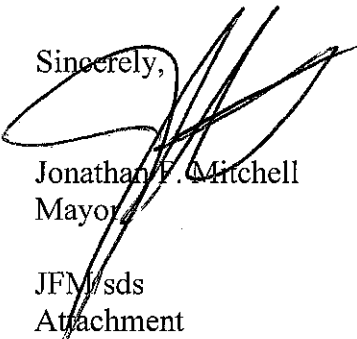
Dear Council President Morad and Honorable Members of the City Council:

I would like to request a one year **Waiver of Residency** for Jodi Goodman, Librarian-III/Head of Special Collections, who currently lives in Providence, Rhode Island.

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

Jodi Goodman and Olivia Melo, Library Director, will be available at the meeting to answer any questions.

Sincerely,


Jonathan F. Mitchell
Mayor

JFM/sds
Attachment

Cc: Olivia Melo
New Bedford Library
Personnel



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May 24, 2018

Mayor Jonathan F. Mitchell

City of New Bedford

133 William Street

New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Mayor Mitchell:

Library Director
Olivia Melo

I respectfully request placement on the June 14th City Council Agenda for approval of a residency waiver for Jodi Goodman of Providence, RI. Ms. Goodman is presently Librarian-III/Head of Special Collections and she holds a Master's in Library and Information Science with an advanced certificate in Archives Management from Simmons College in Boston.

Ms. Goodman was appointed to this position with a waiver on June 22, 2015. In the time she has been with us, she has restructured the department as well as organized the collection for better accessibility and independent research use, both on-site and virtually. Ms. Goodman's professionalism and Special Collections experience is vital to this organization.

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

Olivia Melo
Library Director

Cc: Personnel

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