## SEWER COMMISSION JUNE 2, 2011

## PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED SEWER USE FEE FOR 2011-2012

The Public Hearing on the Proposed Sewer Use Fee for 2011-2012 was held by the Board of Sewer Commissioners on Thursday, June 2, 2011 in the Thomas Parsons Government Complex in Conference Room A at 7:00 p.m.

Members Present: Chairman Robert J. Carroll; Vice Chairman Donald Anderson;

Commissioner Lee Cooke, Commissioner Chris Saley and

Commissioner Louis D'Amato (arrived at 7:20 p.m.)

Also Present: Consulting Engineer Mr. Raymond Macaluso, Westcott and Mapes

Inc.

Members Absent: None

The Public Hearing was called to order by Chairman Robert J. Carroll at 7:00 p.m.

Chairman Carroll stated the announcement for the Public Hearing is as follows:

## LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED SEWER USER FEE

The Board of Sewer Commissioners will be holding a public information hearing to determine if a sewer service fee in the amount of <u>\$287.76</u> per modified equivalent unit is adequate to pay the costs of operation and maintenance, including replacement cost of the public wastewater treatment works, in accordance with Section 23-80 through 23-86 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milford.

The modified equivalent unit is the minimum charge for connection to the sewer system. It applies to all single-family residences, (including condominium units and apartments), and to non-residential users such as individual stores, storage facilities and offices up to 3,000 square feet.

Large users are billed proportionally in modified equivalent units, rounded up to the nearest whole unit. Industrial users are billed a surcharge if the discharge exceeds 350 milligrams per liter of biochemical oxygen demand or 350 milligrams per liter of total suspended solids.

Chairman Carroll asked if anyone would like to make any comments under Citizen's Comments. There were no public comments.

Chairman Carroll informed the Commission that they would vote on the new proposed Sewer User fee at the regular meeting being held at 7:30 p.m. following the public hearing.

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Chairman Carroll asked for a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Lee Cooke made a motion to adjourn the Public Hearing at 7:30 P.M. The motion was seconded by Vice Chairman Donald Anderson, and carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Robin Lynch, Recording Secretary

Sewer Commission