

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AGENDA TEMPORARY CITY HALL 141 OAK STREET, TAUNTON, MA 02780

JUNE 9, 2015 – 7:00 PM

INVOCATION ROLL CALL RECORDS

HEARING:

NONE

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE IAUNI ON MA CITY CLERK

APPOINTMENTS

- Reappointment of Manuel Massa, 1153 Locust Street, Raynham as the Animal Control Officer for a term of four (4) years expiring June 30, 2019.
- Reappointment of Donna DiCorpo, 10 Craven Court, Taunton to the Commission for Individuals with Disabilities for a term of two (2) years expiring June 30, 2017.
- Reappointment of Nancilee Lemaire, 12 Kilton Street, Taunton to the Commission for Individuals with Disabilities for a term of two (2) years expiring June 30, 2017.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS

Pg. 1-7 Com. from Commissioner, Parks, Cemeteries and Public Grounds - Requesting approval of revolving account

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITIZENS

- Pg. 8-10 Com. from Mark Walter, Race Director, Sun Multisport Events, LLC, 54
 Beechnut Road, Westwood Requesting to conduct a bike race through
 Taunton
- Pg. 11 Com. from Barbara Monteiro, Secretary, Holy Ghost Society of East Taunton, Inc., 545 Middleboro Ave., E. Taunton Extending an invitation
- Pg. 12 Com. from Melissa Ferrara, Rianna's Deli and Variety, 6 Cedar St., Taunton Requesting use of parking lot for grand opening

Pg. 13-22 Com. from Jonathan Mongie, Project Director, Veolia Water North America, 825 West Water St., Taunton – Request modification of City Ordinance

PETITIONS

Second Hand Article License

Petition submitted by David Spiegelman, 5 South St., Canton requesting a **RENEWAL** of his Second Hand Article License for User-Friendly Recycling LLC-dba- User-Friendly Electronics located at 336 Weir St., Taunton to sell used computer parts and refurbished computers.

Temporary Fixed Vendor License

Petition submitted by Lillian Amaro Rocha, 889 Middleboro Ave., East Taunton requesting a **RENEWAL** of her Temporary Fixed Vendor License at 515 Middleboro Ave. East Taunton to sell Christmas trees and wreaths.

Petition submitted by Joe Silva, 316 Middleboro Ave., East Taunton requesting a **RENEWAL** of his Temporary Fixed Vendor License for Joe's Fresh Seafood located at 255 Cape Highway, Taunton.

Billiard Table License

Petition submitted by Barbeque Integrated Inc., 8427 South Park Circle, Suite 250, Orlando, FL requesting a **RENEWAL** of their Billiard Table License for Smokey Bones Bar & Fire Grill #7592 located at 1023 County Street, Taunton. (2 Tables)

Old Gold License

Petition submitted by Lewis Pacheco, 7 Saints Way, Berkley requesting a **RENEWAL** of his Old Gold License for Pacheco's Gold and Gems, Inc. –dba- Pacheco Jewelry located at 20-22 Taunton Green, Taunton.

Claim

Claim submitted by Paul Ardita, 68 Shores St., Taunton seeking reimbursement for damages to his automobile from hitting a pothole in front of 94 Kilmer Avenue, Taunton.

Claim submitted by Breanna Manora, 5 Sunnyide St., Hyde Park seeking reimbursement for damages to her automobile from hitting a water main cover on Route 138, Taunton in front of Advanced Auto Parts.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

ORDERS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

NEW BUSINESS

Respectfully submitted,

Rose Marie Blackwell

City Clerk

City of Taunton Office of the Mayor

Thomas C. Hoye, Jr. Mayor

> Alyssa Gracia Chief of Staff

Gill E. Enos Budget Director



141 Oak Street Temporary City Hall Taunton, MA 02780 Tel. (508) 821-1000 Fax. (508) 821-1005

June 2, 2015

Council President Estele Borges Members of the Taunton Municipal Council 141 Oak Street Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Council President Borges:

Please be advised that I am re-appointing Manuel Massa of 1153 Locust Street, Raynham, MA as the Animal Control Officer for a term of four years. His term will expire the last day of June, 2019.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,

Thomas C. Hoye, Jr.

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CITY OF TAUNTON

MASSACHUSETTS

PARKS, CEMETERIES & PUBLIC GROUNDS

Marilyn A. Greene Commissioner 170 Harris Street Taunton, MA 02780 (508) 821-1415 FAX (508) 821-1065 E-mail: mgreene@tauntonma.gov

June 4, 2015

Mayor Thomas Hoye and Members of the Municipal Council 141 Oak Street Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Mayor Hoye and Council Members,

In order to comply with Revolving Account procedures established under 53E½, (see attached Municipal Council approval dated April 23, 1991) the Parks, Cemeteries and Public Grounds Department requests the following:

- 1. Approval of the Municipal Council to transfer any account balance in the current FY 14/15 Revolving Account to the FY 15/16 Revolving Account.
- 2. Request a dollar limit not to exceed \$300,000.00 from July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016 to include:

Summer Program	\$200,000.00
Winter Program	\$ 25,000.00
Spring Program	\$ 25,000.00
Fall Program	\$ 25,000.00
Special Events - Trips	\$ 25,000.00
TOTAL	\$300,000.00

I am also enclosing a copy of the breakdown of FY 15 Income & Expenses. Your assistance in this matter is appreciated.

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Marilyn A Greene Commissioner

cc: Ann Hebert, City Auditor

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING CITIES AND TOWNS TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN REVOLVING FUNDS.

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to immediately provide for revolving funds in cities and towns, therefore it is hereby declared to be an energency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 44 of the General Laux is hereby amended by inserting after section 5)E, as appearing in the 1988 Official Edition, the following section:

Section SDE). Notwithstanding the provisions of section fifty-three, a city or town may annually authorize the use of one or more revolving funds by one or more municipal agency, board, department or office which shall be accounted for separately from all other monies in such city or town and to which shall be credited only the departmental receipts received in connection with the programs supported by such revolving fund. Expenditures may be made from such revolving fund without further appropriation, subject to the provisions such revolving fund vithout further appropriation, subject to the provisions of this section; provided, however, that expenditures shall not be made or liabilities incurred from any such revolving fund in excess of the balance of the fund nor in excess of the total authorized expenditures from such fund, nor shall any expenditures be made unless approved in accordance with sections forty-one, forty-two, fifty-two and fifty-six of chapter forty-one.

Interest earned on any revolving fund balance shall be treated as general fund revenue of the city of town. Ho revolving fund may be established pursuant to this section for receipts of a municipal vater or sever department or a municipal hospital. Ho such revolving fund may be established if the agon of a municipal hospital. Ho such revolving fund may be established if the agon of a municipal hospital funds authorized under this section exceeds ten percent of the amount raised by taxation by the city of town in the most itemporate for which a tax rate has been certified under section cent fiscal year for which a tax rate has been certified under section

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twenty-three of chapter fifty-nine. We revalving fund expenditures shall be pade for the purpose of paying any vages or salaries for full time employees. B 5981

L revolving fund established under the provisitors of this section small be by vote of the samuel town areting in a town, upon recommendation of the board of selectaen, and by vote of the city council in a city, upon recommendation of the mayor or city manager, in Plan E cities, and in any other city of toun by vote of the legislative body upon the recommendation of the chief administralive or executive officer. Such authorization shall be made annually prior to each respective (isca) year; provided, however, that each authorization for a revolving (und shall specify: [1] the programs and purposes for which the revolving fund may be expended; (2) the departmental receipts which shall be credited to the revolving fund; (3) the board, department or officer authorized to expend from such fund; (4) a limit on the total amount which may be expended from such fund la the ensuing fiscal year; and, provided, further, that no board, department or officer shall be authorized to expend in any one (iscal year from all revolving funds under its direct control pore than one percent of the amount raised by taxation by the city or town in the most recent fiscal year for which a tax rate has been certified under section twenty-three of chapter fifty-nine-

In any fiscal year the limit on the amount that may be spent from a cevolving fund may be increased with the approval of the city council and mayor in a city, or with the approval of the selectmen and finance committee, if any, in a town: provided, however, that the one percent limit established by Clause (1) of the third paragraph is not exceeded.

The board, department or officer having charge of such revolving fund shall report to the annual town meeting or to the city council and the board of selectmen, the mayor of a city or city manager in a plan E city or in any other city or toun to the legislative body and the chief administrative or executive officer, the total amount of receipts and expenditures for each revolving fund under its control for the prior fiscal year and for the current fiscal year through December thirty-first, or such later date as the town meeting or city council may, by vote determine, and the amount of any ineseasate in spending authority granted during the prior and current fiscal years, together with such other information as the town accting opening cil may by vote require-

At the close of a flackl year in which a revolving fund is not resutherized for the following year, or in which a city or town changes the purposes for which money in a revolving fund may be spent in the following year, the balance in the fund at the end of the fiscal year shall revert to surplus fevenue unless the annual town meeting or the city council and mayor or city Ranager in a Plan E city and in any other city or town the legislative body vote to transfer such balance to another revolving fund established under

The director of accounts may issue guidelines further regulating revolving this section. funds established under this section.

SECTION 2. For the purposes of establishing a revolving fund under the provisions of this act during fiscal year ninetern hundred and ninety-one, a town by majority vote of a special town meeting in a town, upon recommendation of the board of selectmen, or by vote of the city council in a city, upon rec-Ommendation of the mayor or city manager, in a plan E city, and in any other city of town by vote of the legislative body, upon recommendation of the chief administrative or executive officer, may authorize the use of a revolving fund during said fiscal year; provided, hovever, that prior to such vote the finance committee in a town and the auditor or chief financial officer in a city designated by special law, General Law or ordinance, certifies to the assessors that, the estipated revenue of the proposed revolving fund has not been used as a local estimated receipt, offset receipt, enterprise revenue or othervise within the city or town's fiscal nineteen hundred and ninety-one appropriations.

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ROBERT A. CALVEY, PRESIDENT, COUNCILORS STUDLEY, DUTRA, TARDO, HURLS, SAKOR AND HAYUR TORRISON. PRESENT WERE:

CITY AUDITOR BARBARA HAGO, DERECTOR C. RARK & RICEFATION ROBALD ARTIT.

HEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:15 1.11.

THE COMMITTEE AFTER REVIEW AND DISCUSSION RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF THE FOILGRING: A. HEET TO GET ACQUAINTED WITH THE NEWLY APPOINTED ASSISTANT CHY TREASURER:

A. BRIEF VERBAL BACKGROUND OF THE ASSISTANT TREASURER WAS CIVEN.

DISCUSS SETTING UP A REVOLVING ACCOUNT FOR THE PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZE THE PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A REVOLVING

ACCOUNT UNDER H.G.L. CHAPTER 44, SECTION 53E HOTION; ٨.

SET A DOLLAR LIMIT NOT TO EXCEED \$ 100,000.00 FROM JULY 1, 1991

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REFER THE MATTER OF TRANSFERRING PRESENT FUNDS IN THE REVOLVING

ACCOUNT TO THE NEW ONE.

. HEETING ADJOURNED AT 6:30 P.M..

RESPECTIBLLY YOURS,

CHESTER R. HARTIN (P. /.

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CITY OF TAUNTON IN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Report Accepted, Recommendations Adopted.

City of Taunton Parks, Cemeteries Public Grounds Revolving Account June 4, 2015

FY 14 Transfer to FY 15				Avail:	able Balance \$239,069.03
Income/Deposits (7/1/2014 to present)	14				
Summer Programs	\$	124,210.00		F	
Fall Programs		10,390.00			
Winter Programs	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	2,010.00			
Field Payments	\$	26,000.00			
Junior Basketball	\$	10,766.00			
Special Events & Trips	\$	6,168.00			
Senior Citizen Events	\$	5,018.57			
Total Income/Deposits			\$ 184,562.57		
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Expenses (7/1/2014 to present)					
Athletic Officials	\$	7,330.00			
Equipment	\$	24,140.00			
Event Fees	\$	26,294.56			
Field Maintenance	\$ \$ \$	5,075.00			
Food	\$	7,938.47			
Other Misc (Entertainers, A&C, Rentals, Equip)	\$	21,270.29			
Payroll	\$	48,631.25			
Refund of Registration Fees	\$	1,018.00			
Taunton Public Schools	\$	734.48			
Transportation	\$ \$ \$ \$	17,724.00			
T-Shirts & Trophies	\$	8,288.76			
			\$ 168,444.81	•	
Total Income FY 15				\$	16,117.76
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Total Estimated Trasnfer to FY 16			Ψ.	\$	255,186.79
(Not yet confirmed by Auditor's Office as of June	e 30, 20:	15)		***************************************	

May 29, 2015

Taunton Municipal Council c/o City Clerk's Office Attention: Rose Marie Blackwell 141 Oak Street Taunton, MA 02780

Dear Rose Marie,

I am writing to request Taunton's approval for athletes to ride their bikes on a segment of Rte 79/Myricks Road in Taunton during the Cranberry Trifest Sprint distance triathlon scheduled for Saturday, August 22, 2015. Taunton has approved this route for this event the last 3 years and the 2015 course is the same as last year's.

This triathlon will be based at the Ted Williams Camp in Lakeville. A triathlon involves athletes swimming, then biking and then running. The race will begin at 7:30am and cyclists will ride along Rte 79/Myricks Road in Taunton from approximately 7:45am until 9:30am. We are not asking for the roads to be closed for this event and participating athletes will be aware that the course is open to auto traffic. No other roads in Taunton will be used for this event.

Attached a bike course map which shows the segment of Rte 79 in Taunton that will be used. Also enclosed is the Event Notification Form required by MASS DOT as part of the permitting process for use of Rte 79 in Taunton for this event. Assuming the City Council again approves our use of Rte 79 for this event, please have a member of the Council sign the form and forward it to the Fire and Police Chiefs for their signatures and then mail the form back to me at the address below at your earliest convenience. Or, the form can be scanned and emailed to me at mwalter007@hotmail.com.

Please note that I am a USA Triathlon certified Race Director and have produced dozens of events featuring thousands of athletes over the last 9 years. Athlete safety is our highest concern and we have a strong track record of safe and well managed events.

Sincerely.

Mark Walter

USAT Certified Race Director Sun Multisport Events LLC

54 Beechnut Road

Westwood, MA 02090

Cell: 781-414-0437

JUNE 1,2015

EVENT NOTIFICATION FORM

MASS DOT District 5 1000 Country Street Taunton, MA 02780

To Whom it May Concern,

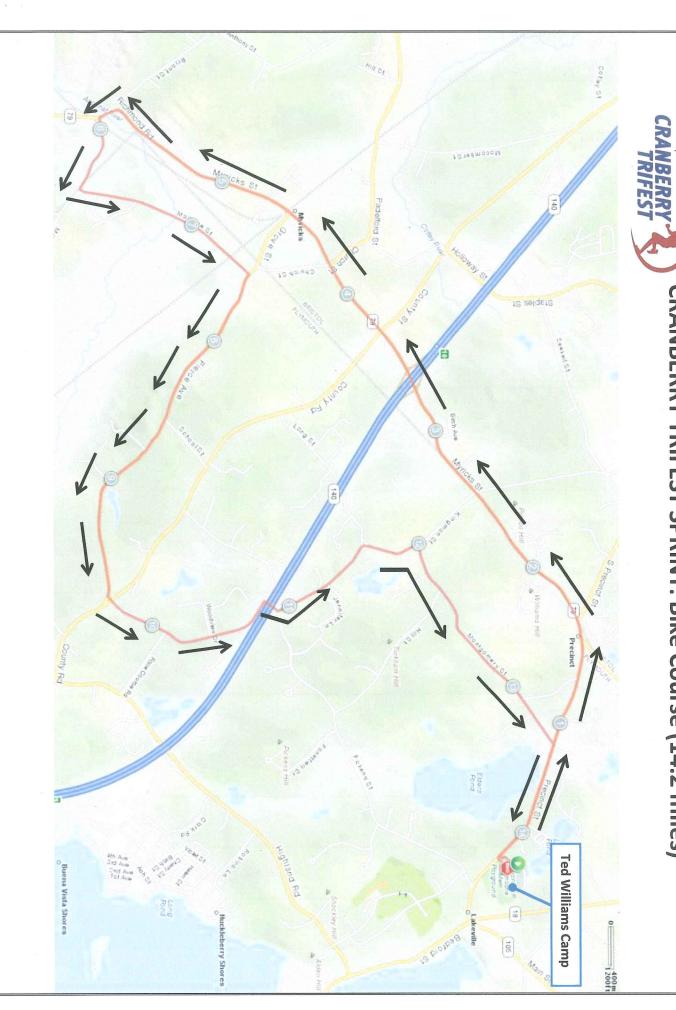
Please be advised that Sun Multisport Events LLC has notified the Taunton MA City Council, Police Department and Fire Department of it's intention to conduct the Cranberry Trifest sprint distance triathlon on Saturday, August 22, 2015 which will include cyclists traveling on MA-79 in Taunton. Roads will not be closed to local auto traffic during this time and all course related signs and markers will be removed at the conclusion of the event.

The following signatures reflect their support of this event, their understanding of the use of MA-79 and are provided as required for issuance of the Permit.

POLICE DEPARTMENT	FIRE DEPARTMENT
Signed:	Signed:
Title:	Title:
City/Town:	City/Town:
BOARD OF SELECTMEN/CITY COUNCIL	
Signed:	
Title:	
City/Town:	

Requested by:

Mark Walter Sun Multisport Events LLC 54 Beechnut Road Westwood, MA 02090 Mobile: 781-414-0437



CRANBERRY TRIFEST SPRINT: Bike Course (14.2 miles)



Holy Ghost Society of East Taunton, Inc.

545 Middleboro Avenue

P. O. Box 42

East Taunton, Massachusetts 02718

May 17, 2015

Dear Friend(s):

You are cordially invited to attend our Annual Holy Ghost Feast celebrating our 81st Anniversary, which will take place on Friday, July 10, Saturday July 11 and Sunday, July 12, 2015 at our grounds located at 545 Middleboro Avenue, East Taunton.

We would be honored if you would take part in our procession on Sunday, July 12, 2015. We will be leaving our grounds at 9:30 a.m. to proceed to the Holy Family Church for the 11:00 a.m. Mass for our crowning ceremony. Following our return to our grounds we will be serving FREE SOUPAS to all in attendance.

We have enclosed a return post card to indicate whether or not you will be taking part in our procession on July 12th.

We look forward to seeing you at our Feast this year in celebration of our 81st Anniversary.

Respectfully yours,

HOLY GHOST SOCIETY, INC.

Barbara Monteiro, Secretary

Rosie Blackwell

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From:

Melissa Ferrara <mferrara0405@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, June 01, 2015 12:55 PM

To:

rblackwell@taunton-ma.gov

Subject:

Request For Use- Town Meeting Agenda

Hello,

I am writing to you as a spokesperson for Rianna's Variety and Deli located on 6 Cedar St, Taunton. We have been open since March 2015, selling convenience store items from cigarettes to small household items. We also have our deli which offers meats by the pound and subs.

After our soft opening, as we consider it, we would like to do a grand opening. In the back of our store, right across the street from the old American Legion on Cedar St, there is a parking lot which we were told was owned by the town. We are requesting permission to use that parking lot for our grand opening event for June 20, 2015.

Our plan, in collision with Hometown Furnishings located on 52 Main St, Taunton, is to set up an area on the parking lot with fun activities for the kids. As a deli, we were planning on offering samples of our subs, introducing our sausages, chicken parmesan, and meatballs. Hometown Furnishings' owner Omar Cruz's plan was to set up a table to introduce his store and products.

Activities for the kids were to include a table for face paint, popcorn machine, cotton candy machine, snow cone machine, a dunk tank with a chance to dunk Rianna herself, and lastly balloon animals and a magic show! The bigger parking lot we are requesting use of would be able to hold our event, and this gives the children an opportunity to do something fun on a Saturday.

We are aware that we will need insurance coverage for the day for our event, which we are on stand-by to get. We are also willing to get any permits and other requests from the town if permission is granted. Please consider our proposal during your next scheduled town meeting.

Thank You,

Melissa Ferrara/ Rianna's Deli and Variety (781-228-0836- Melissa) (508-386-1988- RV&D)



November 10, 2014

Mr. Fred Cornaglia DPW Commissioner, City of Taunton 90 Ingell Street Taunton, MA 02780

Re:

2014 Sewer Use Ordinance (SUO) Change Request

Dear Fred,

This letter is intended to request that the Taunton Sewer Use Ordinance (SUO) be modified to remove the language from Section 19.23.1(6) pertaining to the 5 mg/l limit for total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPHs).

A request was sent to the EPA requesting that a public notice be posted with the required 30-day comment period. The EPA then generated the posting, which was then submitted to the Taunton Gazette and included in the October 7, 2014, issue. The EPA did not receive any comments during this period, thereby issuing Veolia a letter of approval for the modification to the SUO (see attached).

Also attached are the previous version of Section 19.23.1, with the modification language highlighted in yellow, and the requested version with the language omitted. This change request will need to be read before the City Council in order to gain approval and then the SUO can be modified and submitted as final.

Please feel free to call with any questions regarding these requests at 508-823-3582.

Respectfully,

Jonathan Mongie Project Director

cc:

Tony Abreau, City of Taunton, Assistant DPW Commissioner Cathal O'Brien, City of Taunton, Water Superintendent Angela Santos, City of Taunton, DPW Finance

Joe Federico, Beta Group

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TPH – Questions and Answers

What does TPH stand for?

Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons

Do other Industrial Pretreatment communities within USEPA Region 1 have a TPH limit?

No. Taunton is the only IPP program out of approximately 75 that have a TPH limit in the Sewer Use Ordinance.

Why is there a TPH limit in the Taunton Sewer Use Ordinance?

Taunton's TPH limit was first identified in the May 31, 1994 Sewer Use Ordinance. Since then, a "local limits" evaluation was completed in 1996 using USEPA's "Technically Based Local Limits Development." TPH was not included in this "local limits" study and, therefore, limits were not set in this study. The assumption is that TPH was written into the Sewer Use Ordinance because, at that time, there was no effective FOG program in place.

What would protect the sewer collection system and wastewater treatment plant from petroleum-based chemicals?

Taunton has an extremely effective and well-run Fats, Oils, and Grease (FOG) program which monitors and controls petroleum products discharge.

Does the current TPH limit prevent NPDES permit violations?

No. The Taunton WWTP NPDES permit does not contain a TPH limit.

How does removing the 5 mg/I TPH limit affect the sewer system and WWTP?

Removal of the limit from the Taunton Sewer Use Ordinance would not affect the sewer system or the WWTP. The wording pertaining to "amounts that will cause interference or pass through" will remain in the Sewer Use Ordinance.

Has the EPA approved this change to the Taunton Sewer Use Ordinance?

Yes. In a letter dated November 10, 2014, from Mark Spinale, EPA Manager of the Municipal Assistance Unit for Region 1, the EPA approved the removal of the 5 mg/l limit from the Taunton Sewer Use Ordinance. The letter was received after the change to the ordinance was posted in the Taunton Gazette on October 7, 2014, for a 30-day comment period. No comments were received.

Why should this be changed?

To reduce the annual sample testing costs associated with this limit. Also, the industries that contribute to the Taunton sewer system are unfairly being issued Notices of Violation and potentially fines for a limit that should not be assessed.

"GRECYN II"

LEGAL NOTICE

In compliance with Chapter 106, 7-210 (Chapter 255, Section 17) of the General Laws of Massachusetts, Shaw's Boat Yard, Inc. hereby gives notice that it has a lien on the vessel named "Grecyn II", a 31' Silverton, with Hull ID# MSZ04050F292, last known to be owned by Mr. Greg Thomas of 79 Sully Road Raynham, MA 02767 and/or Mrs. Cynthia Thornas of 79 Sully Road Raynham, MA 02767 for \$5,671.75. The boat is being held at Shaw's Boat Yard, Inc. 86 Main Street, Dighton, MA 02715. Any information or interest should be directed to 508-669-5714. The disposition of this vessel will be 90 days from the date of this notice. tion of this vessel will be 90 days from the date of this notice.

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CITY OF TAUNTON

LEGAL NOTICE

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY NEW ENGLAND 5 POST OFFICE SQUARE SUITE 100 BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02114

Notice of Request for Approval of Modifications to the Industrial Pretreatment Program

Public Comment Period:

Public Notice Number:

Permit Number: MA0100897 Applicant Name: City of Taunton Mailing Address: City of Taunton Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant 825 West Water St. Taunton, MA 02780

On January 28, 1981, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) promulgated the General Pretreatment Regulations at 40 C.F.R. Part 403. These Regulations mandated by the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq., govern the control of industrial waste introduced into municipal sewage treatment plants.

Pursuant to the General Pretreatment Regulations, the applicant has submitted a request for approval of modifications to its Industrial Pretreatment Program. The proposed modifications consist of removal of the following language from its approved Sewer Use Ordinance under Section 19.23.1 Prohibited Discharge Standards:

"(6) Petroleum, oil, nonbiodegradable cutting oil, products of mineral oil origin, or any other oil, in excess of 5 mg/l or in amounts that will cause interference or pass through;"

As specified in 40 CFR 403.18, program modification is necessary whenever there is a significant change in the operation of a POTW Pretreatment

tion of a POTW Pretreatment Program that differs from the information in the POTW's submission, as approved under 403.11. In this particular case, there is a modification that would relax a local limitation. Prior to making a final decision of approval on this request, the Regional Administrator of EPA is providing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed modifications for the City of Taunton's Industrial Pretreatment Program. Public comments on the proposed modifications should be submitted in writing prior to: writing prior to:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 5 Post Office Square Suite 100 OEP 06-03 Boston, MA 02109 Attn: Justin Pimpare

All written comments will be considered in the decision on whether or not to approve the proposed modifications. At the request of the applicant, or if there is sufficient public interest, a public hearing may be held and the time and place of the hearing will be given. Please note that if no comments to this notice are received, the proposed modifications will be approved without changes and without further public notice. In such event, this public notice shall constitute the "notice of approval or disapproval" required by 403.11(e) and no additional notice shall be provided.

Further information may be obtained by calling Justin Pimpare of EPA at (617) 918-1531.

Ken Moraff, DIRECTOR
OFFICE OF ECOSYSTEM PROTECTION

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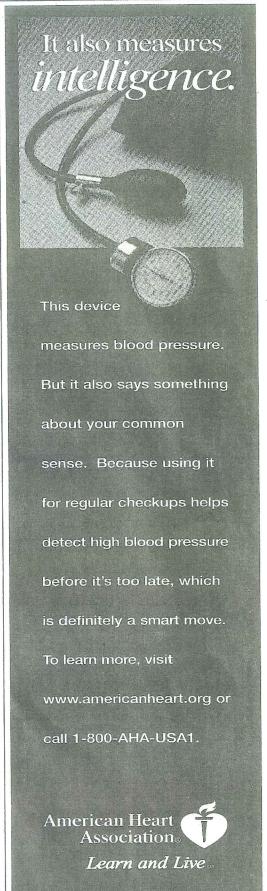
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October 2, 2014

Mr. Jay Pimpare EPA Region 1 Pretreatment Coordinator 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100 Boston, MA 02143

Re: Taunton MA – Federal Permit MA0100897

Dear Jay,

In accordance with 40 CFR 403.18 (b)(2), I am writing to request a substantial modification to the City of Taunton's Industrial Pretreatment Program. The City of Taunton's local limits development document was completed on 4/22/96 and approved by the EPA on 5/29/97. Within this document there is no mention of a limit for Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons (TPH). At present, the Significant Industrial Users discharging to the Taunton POTW are subject to a concentration-based limit of 5 mg/L TPH. Due to the limit being arbitrary and not included in the Technically Based Local Limits Development document, I request that the 5 mg/L limit for TPH be eliminated from the Industrial Pretreatment Program.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Mongie

Project Director

cc: Fred Cornaglia, DPW Commissioner

Anthony Abreau, Assistant DPW Commissioner

Joe Federico, BETA



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY EPA New England 5 Post Office Square, Suite 100 Boston, MA 02109-3912



November 10, 2014

Jonathan Mongie
Project Director
City of Taunton
Taunton Wastewater Treatment Plant
825 West Water St.
Taunton, MA 02780

Re: EPA Approval of Proposed Modifications to the City of Taunton's Industrial Pretreatment Program

Dear Mr. Mongie:

On October 7, 2014, a public notice was initiated with regards to EPA's intent to approve the City of Taunton's Proposed Modifications as part of its approved pretreatment program. The purpose of this public notice was to provide interested parties an opportunity to comment on the Proposed Modifications as required by 40 CFR 403.18. As previously indicated to you, the Proposed Modifications would be approved without further notice if no comments were received by the Agency.

The purpose of this letter is to notify the City that our office did not receive any comments on the original public notice. As such, EPA is hereby approving the Proposed Modifications which consist of removing the following language from the Town's Sewer Use Ordinance under Section 19.23.1 Prohibited Discharge Standards:

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If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (617) 918-1547.

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Mark Spinale, Manager Municipal Assistance Unit

cc: Darlene Domingos, Veolia Water

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JUNE 9, 2015

HONORABLE THOMAS C. HOYE, JR., MAYOR COUNCIL PRESIDENT ESTELE BORGES AND MEMBERS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

PLEASE NOTE:

THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEE MEETINGS HAVE BEEN SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2015 AT 5:30 P.M. AT THE TEMPORARY CITY HALL AT MAXHAM SCHOOL, 141 OAK STREET, TAUNTON, MA. 02780, IN THE CHESTER R. MARTIN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

5:30 P.M.

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE & SALARIES

- 1. MEET TO REVIEW THE WEEKLY VOUCHERS & PAYROLLS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS
- 2. MEET TO REVIEW REQUESTS FOR FUNDING
- 3. MEET TO REVIEW MATTERS IN FILE

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THE COMMITTEE ON POLICE AND LICENSE

- 1. MEET WITH THE POLICE CHIEF AND DETECTIVE SMITH ON PETITION OF NORWELL MANUFACTURING CO., INC., 82 STEVENS STREET FOR A NEW TEMPORARY FIXED VENDOR LICENSE TO SELL LIGHTING FIXTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS ON JUNE 12 & 13
- 2. MEET WITH THE POLICE CHIEF, DETECTIVE SMITH AND ALBERT TUCAN TO DISCUSS THE FOLLOWING PETITIONS:
 - A. RENEWAL OF HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND STANDS FOR TAUNTON CARTAGE CO., LTD D/B/A CHECKER CAB AND TAUNTON CARTAGE CO., LTD D/B/A COZY CAB, 295 BROADWAY. 2 STANDS LOCATED AT SCHOOL STREET AT TAUNTON GREEN

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- C. RENEWAL OF LIVERY LICENSE FOR T & F
 TRANSPORTATION INC. D/B/A ALEXANDER'S LIMOUSINE
 (2 VEHICLES), LOCATED AT 295 BROADWAY
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RESPECTFULLY,

COLLEEN M. ELLIS

CLERK OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES