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Dear Mayor Borge,

The discussion regarding the extension of the municipal water system out to Route 22 & 7, and perhaps beyond, is one that brings to the forefront an issue that has plagued our fine school for many decades, the availability of good and plentiful water. Hoosac School is by no means a small community in the Hoosick area. We typically enroll 120 students and have a staff of approximately 50, almost all live right here on campus.

Our daily water production from two wells is roughly 8,000 gallons and we use about 7,600 gallons. We have a 10,000 gallon holding tank that provides us the pressure we need for our system. Quite clearly you can see it is a very fine margin. When we do have water issues, a leak or just a faucet left on, we often must purchase water to make up for the loss and to get the system back to full capacity.

A municipal water supply directly to the school's pump house would afford us much greater security and peace of mind in regard to a steady, clean source of water. Hoosac wholeheartedly supports this initiative and hope that a workable solution is offered in the very near future.

Sincerely,

Dean S. Foster
Headmaster