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Dear Mayor Borge;

The Town of Hoosick Housing Authority, manager of the Hoosac Meadows Low Income Public Housing Complex located on Route 22, is very pleased with the prospect of bringing Village water lines out past our complex. One of our major expenses is our water system which serves the 25 households. The constant attention it needs to provide our families with safe and clean drinking water to our residents is always our priority.

Our main concerns over the years have been running out of water, and controlling the amount of Iron and Manganese in the water supply. We have a 10,000 gallon holding tank and produce about 5,000 gallons per day. Our average usage is about 4,500 gallons per day. It does not take much to drain the tank however, one faulty toilet over the course of a day can cause our water alarms to go off!

The Iron and Manganese's levels are a constant battle. Our tanks need to be re-bedded every other year at the maximum which is very time consuming and costly.

Providing our tenants with a Municipal water supply would provide us and our family's greater security and peace of mind in regard to safe, clean, and plentiful water.

The Town of Hoosick Housing Authority fully supports this initiative and is hopeful that we will see this occur in the very near future.

Sincerely,

M. Patrice Zedalis Executive Director