April 6, 2012

Dear Honorable Board of Alderman:

I request an appropriation of \$550,000 from the Sewer Enterprise Fund Retained Earnings to purchase vehicles and necessary equipment.

The Sewer Department is seeking to purchase the following necessary equipment and vehicles, many of which are far beyond their useful life cycle:

Vehicle	Year	Make	Model	Description	Recommendation	Estimated
						Cost
E-1	1996	Chevy	S10	Pickup	Replace 16 year old truck with Ford F-350	59,000.00
					DRW Enclosed Utility	
E-2	1996	Chevy	S10	Pickup	Replace 16 year old truck with Ford F-250	48,000.00
					Pick up Truck w/ plow	
E-4	1994	Chevy	Kodiak	Sreco Flexible	Trade in 18 year old truck toward new	
				Sewer Jetter	Catch Basin Combo Truck	
E-7	1987	International	Dump	Catch basin cleaner	Trade in 25 year old truck toward new	232,000.00
					Catch Basin Combo Truck	
ADD	2012	Ford	F-250	4X4 Pickup	Reassign current and replace with 4X4	48,000.00
					Full size Pickup w/ plow	
ADD	2012	JD	244J	Small wheel loader	Add Small Wheel Loader to Fleet	83,000.00
					Replaces previous loader	
ADD	2012	Ford	Escape	Eco Boost	(1) assigned to 820 (1) assigned to 420	80,000.00
(2)						
					Total Estimated Cost	550,000.00

Respectfully Submitted,

Mayor Joseph A. Curtatone