

COMMON COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

MARCH 3, 1981

Meeting called to order at 8:00 O'Clock P.M. by his honor  
Mayor James E. Dyer.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

PRAYER

ROLL CALL

Council members - Delsin, McManus, Gallo, Walsh, Rinder,  
Scialabba, Repole, Eppoliti, White, Cassano, Murray, Ryan,  
Visconti, DaSilva, Turk, Boynton, Burke, Butera, Farah, Evans,  
Torian.

20 Present 1 Absent.

NOTICES FROM MAYOR DYER

CONSENT CALENDAR

The Consent Calendar was

Minutes of the Common Council meeting held February 3, 1981.

The Minutes were

01  
CLAIMS

*Claims  
Committee*

Grace Wright - Maximinio Vera - Claire R. Hornig - Diana Bedard  
Ronald Scheidt - Joseph Khoury - Edward P. Howard Sr. -  
Philip Hajj - Mr. & Mrs. Henry Harris

Claims to be referred to the Claims Committee and Assistant  
Corporation Counsel for Claims (Attorney West).

02  
RESOLUTION

- Community Development Block Grant Program (7th year funding)

The Resolution was

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03

COMMUNICATION - Jeanette Heights Sewer Project.

✓  
The Communication was

04

COMMUNICATION - Energy Conservation Program.

✓  
The Communication was

05

COMMUNICATION - Request of Danbury Rifle & Pistol Club for use of Miry Brook Target Range.

✓  
The Communication was

06

COMMUNICATION - Driveway problem on 23 Morris St.

✓  
The Communication was

07

COMMUNICATION - Request of the Association of Danbury Area Florists for review or Ordinances on Licenses & Permits.

✓  
The Communication was

08

COMMUNICATION - Request for committee to investigate paving of Golden Hill Road

✓  
The Communication was

09

COMMUNICATION - Request for a committee to investigate the Civil Service Commission.

✓  
The Communication was

010

CONTRACT - Settlement of Danbury Police Contract.

✓  
The Contract was

011

CONTRACT - School Bus Contract.

✓  
The Contract was

012

COMMUNICATION - Request of Mendick Corporation

✓  
The Communication was

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013 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Request of Robert Kaufman for Sewer & Water Extension to Eden Dr.

The Communication was

014 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Offer by Barry Klein of two lots for sale to the City located on East Gate Road.

The Communication was

015 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Offer by Richard Jowdy Real Estate to sell property to City of Danbury adjacent to Rogers Park.

The Communication was

016 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Request of George & Karen Bailey to purchase City property on Lombardi Street.

The Communication was

017 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Request from Chief of Police to change requirements in Police applicants

The Communication was

018 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Special Police Officers.

The Communication was

019 ✓

COMMUNICATION & CERTIFICATION - Request for funds for fencing around Fire Training School.

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

020 ✓

COMMUNICATION & CERTIFICATION - Transfer of funds for employment in Tax Office.

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

021 ✓

COMMUNICATION & CERTIFICATION - Transfer of funds for Workmen's Compensation.

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

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022 ✓

COMMUNICATION  
&  
CERTIFICATION

- Request for transfer of funds to Parks & Recreation for Lakeview property.

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

023

COMMUNICATION  
&  
CERTIFICATION

- Request for adjustment to grant for Volunteer Firemen.

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

024 ✓

COMMUNICATION  
&  
CERTIFICATION

- Request for transfer of funds to City Welfare Department.

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

025 ✓

COMMUNICATION  
&  
CERTIFICATION

- Transfer of funds to Office of City Clerk.

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

026 ✓

COMMUNICATION

- Appointment of Fire Inspector.

The Communication was accepted and appointment confirmed.

027 ✓

COMMUNICATION

- Re-appointments to Redevelopment Agency.

The Communication was accepted and re-appointments confirmed.

028 ✓

COMMUNICATION

- Appointment to Conservation Commission.

The Communication was accepted and appointment confirmed.

029 ✓

COMMUNICATION

- Appointment to Transit District Board of Directors.

The Communication was accepted and appointment confirmed.

030 ✓

COMMUNICATION

- Appointment of representative from Conservation Commission, to Environmental Impact Commission.

The Communication was accepted and appointment confirmed.

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031 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Appointments to Fair Rent Commission.

The Communication was accepted and appointments confirmed.

032 ✓

COMMUNICATION - Appointment to Aviation Commission

The Communication was accepted and appointment confirmed.

033

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Fire Chief

Housing Inspector

Fire Marshal

Building Inspector

Aviation Commission

Sanitary Inspector

High Blood Pressure Program

Coordinator of Environmental & Occupational Health Services.

The Reports were

AD HOC COMMITTEE REPORTS

034 ✓

REPORT

- Still River Co-Op.

The Report was

035 ✓

REPORT

- Transfer of funds to Zoning Commission.

The Report was

036 ✓

REPORT

- Transfer of funds to Ordinance Revision Commission.

The Report was

037 ✓

REPORT

- Land Acquisition Committee re: Land in High Sky Gardens.

The Report was

038 ✓

REPORT

- Police & Fire Pension Board.

The Report was

039 ✓

REPORT

- Appointment of Ambulance Supervisor.

The Report was

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040

COMMUNICATION - Request from Commission on Aging for a transfer of funds.  
&  
CERTIFICATION

The communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

041

REPORT & ✓ - Transfer of funds to Youth Commission.  
CERTIFICATION

The Communication was accepted and transfer of funds authorized.

042 ✓ Transfer of funds to The Parks & Rec. Dept.

043 ✓ Salvaging rights at The Danbury Landfill

044 ✓ Request to build a road on city property.

PUBLIC SPEAKING SESSION

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting was adjourned at O'Clock P.M.

CONSENT CALENDAR  
COMMON COUNCIL MEETING - MARCH 3, 1981

- 02 - Resolution - Community Development Block Grant Program (7th year funding).
- 026 - Communication - Appointment of Fire Inspector.
- 027 - Communication - Re-appointments to Redevelopment Agency.
- 028 - Communication - Appointment to Conservation Commission.
- 029 - Communication - Appointment to Transit District Board of Directors.
- 030 - Communication - Appointment of representative from Conservation Commission to Environmental Impact Commission.
- 031 - Communication - Appointments to Fair Rent Commission.
- 032 - Communication - Appointment to Aviation Commission.
- 034 - Report - Still River Co-op.
- 035 - Report - Transfer of funds to Zoning Commission.
- 036 - Report - Transfer of funds to Ordinance Revision Commission.
- 037 - Report - Land Acquisition Committee re: Land in High Sky Gardens.
- 039 - Report - Appointment of Ambulance Supervisor.
- 040 - Communication & Certification - Request from Commission on Aging for a transfer of funds.

Walter J. Williams

Attorney at Law

31 West Street

Danbury, Ct. 06810

(203) 748-8817

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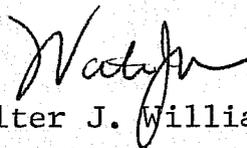
February 11, 1981

City Clerk  
City of Danbury  
158 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Ct. 06810

Gentlemen:

I am writing as attorney for Diana Bedard and her husband Roger Bedard to advise you of their intention to commence suit for personal injuries sustained by Diana Bedard and for loss of consortium by her husband, Roger Bedard, arising out of a fall sustained by Diana Bedard on December 6, 1980 at about 2:30 p.m. in a hole in the northerly section of parking lot 4 between parking positions 147 and 136, and which lot is operated by the Parking Authority of the City of Danbury on Delay Street, City of Danbury. Mrs. Bedard sustained a fracture of the left fifth metatarsal and injuries to her left shoulder blade and left arm.

Very truly yours,



Walter J. Williams

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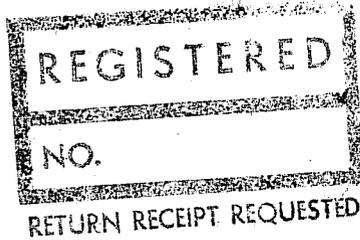
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OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

One Middle River Road  
Danbury, Connecticut

February 18, 1981



City Clerk  
City of Danbury  
Danbury, Connecticut

Re: Property damage (mailbox)  
1 Middle River Road  
Danbury, Conn.

Dear Madam:

Pursuant to our recent telephone conversation regarding the above and your request for a follow up letter, I would like to make claim against the City of Danbury for damages.

On January 8, 1981 between 10:30 A.M. and 11:30 A.M., a city vehicle lost a wheel and the wheel then knocked down our mailbox and post. While city employees attempted to temporarily repair the mailbox and post, it almost daily falls and if this occurs prior to mail delivery, it requires a special trip to the main postoffice. Since the post was severed at ground level, the entire post will need to be replaced to conform with post regulations, as well as the mailbox which was damaged.

My claim for cost to repair this damage is:

1) 4x4 post	\$14.00
2) Mailbox	5.00
3) Pre Mix Cement	3.00
4) Labor	25.00
	<u>\$47.00</u>

I would appreciate reimbursement as soon as possible to complete repairs.

Sincerely,

Ronald C. Scheidt

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HORNIG AND McNAMARA  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
57 NORTH STREET - SUITE 214  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

ALBERT H. HORNIG  
WILLIAM J. McNAMARA, JR.

(203) 744-0220

Certified Mail  
Return Receipt Requested

February 11, 1981

Mrs. Elizabeth Crudginton  
City Clerk, City of Danbury  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Dear Mrs. Crudginton:

I hereby give you notice of injuries sustained by my daughter, Claire R. Hornig, by a ladder falling on her at the Danbury High School.

Person injured: Claire R. Hornig

Date: Tuesday, January 20, 1981

Time: About 1:30 P.M.

Place: In the weight room of the gym at  
Danbury High School, Danbury, Conn.

Cause: Injuries caused by a falling ladder. The ladder was leaning against the wall and it started to fall on another student. Claire tried to catch the ladder as it fell to protect the other student and it fell on her injuring her right arm. This claim is based upon the negligence of the employees of the Danbury Public School System for placing the ladder where it was at the time of the accident.

Injuries: Contusion to right forearm secondary to muscle contusion and bruise; sprain of right elbow; possible chip fracture; necessitating medical treatment and curtailing activities including gym since the date of the accident.

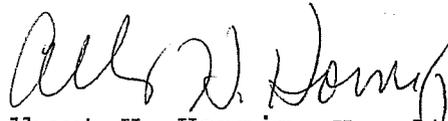
Mrs. Elizabeth Crudginton  
City Clerk, City of Danbury

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February 11, 1981

I will look to the City of Danbury for damages as provided by law.

Very truly yours,



Albert H. Hornig, Her Attorney

c/c to: Mr. Michael R. Seri  
Town Clerk, City of Danbury

Receipt of duplicate acknowledged February 17, 1981



Mrs. Elizabeth Crudginton  
City Clerk, City of Danbury

Receipt of duplicate acknowledged February \_\_, 1981

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Michael R. Seri  
Town Clerk, City of Danbury



Casualty & Surety Division  
 25 Oakview Drive  
 Trumbull, Connecticut 06611  
 P. O. Box 1980  
 Bridgeport, CT. 06601

*February 17, 1981*

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FEB 18 1981

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

*City of Danbury  
 City Hall  
 Danbury, CT 06810*

Our File No. 566 ACT SP  
 Our Insured: MAXIMILIO VIERA  
 Date of Accident: 2-2-81

Dear Sir:

We are the insurance carrier for the above insured whose property was damaged in an accident *due to a pothole on Triangle St.* The circumstances are such that we feel certain you will want us to present our appraisal of damages in the amount of \$ 3067.00 to your liability insurance company.

This may relieve you of the burden of handling this claim yourself.

This letter is being sent to you in duplicate. Please jot down the name and address of your insurance company together with your policy number in the appropriate space at the bottom of this letter and return one copy to us in the return envelope. It is suggested that you send the other copy directly to your insurance company.

In the event you are not insured, please contact me at 371-1236

Very truly yours,

*Larvin Parker (p.B.)*

Subrogation Specialist

NAME OF YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

POLICY NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

YOUR AGENT \_\_\_\_\_

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OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

Feb 18, 1981

City Clerk's Office  
Dear Sir.

On Jan. 28, 1981 I fell on the city sidewalk on North Main St. across from Hill side Ave., by 1-84 underpass. At about 7.00 P.M. on a Thursday.

I was taken to the Danbury hospital in the Danbury Fire Dept. ambulance.

I was looked at by the Emergency Room Doctor. He said I would have to X-Ray's, of my right ankle and my right knee.

While I was waiting to be X-Rayed a Danbury Police man came to see me, he said because I fell on a city sidewalk. He said he was going to go and look over the ice spot that I fell on.

After the X-Rays were taken I was asked them to call in Dr Saunde for me. He said I had a bad sprained ankle and torn ligament in my knee.

After seeing me in the hospital I have been to Dr Saunde's office on Feb. 6, 1981 and on.

(other side)

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OFFICE OF CHIEF CLERK

DATE	REFERENCE	DESCRIPTION	CHARGE	PAYMENT	ADJ.	CURRENT	PREVIOUS
				CREDITS		BALANCE	BALANCE

DIAGNOSIS: Spine (R) EXPLANATION

PLACE OF SERVICE  
 85 Osborne St., Danbury, Ct.  Danbury Hospital, Emergency Room  
 1 Medical Center Drive, Danbury, Ct.  Nursing Home  
 Danbury Hospital, Inpatient  Other

PHYSICIAN SERVICES

Evaluation	✓	FEE	
Brief			
Intermediate			
Extensive			
Comprehensive			
Other			
Re-evaluation			
Brief			
Intermediate			
Extensive			
Comprehensive			
Treatment			
Minor Surgery			
Bursae Injection			
Joint Injection			
Arthrocentesis			
Other			

X-RAYS

Right Left	✓	FEE	
Total Views			

HOSPITAL TREATMENT

Surgical Procedure	✓	FEE	
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Surgeon  Assistant

Consultation

Requested By

Initial

Follow-up

Hospital Care

Admission

Daily Care

# Days

Date of Admission

Date of Discharge

Emergency Room Treatment

Consultation

Comprehensive

Fractures/Dislocation

Closed Reduction

Open Reduction

Immobilization

Other

17-

TOTAL CHARGES

PLEASE CALL 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE IF UNABLE TO MAKE NEXT APPOINTMENT

OOP \_\_\_\_\_ X-RAY \_\_\_\_\_ 1 2 3 4 5 6  1 Medical Ctr. Drive  85 Osborne Street

RETURN: \_\_\_\_\_ DAYS \_\_\_\_\_ WEEKS \_\_\_\_\_ MONTHS APPT, February 12 AM PM  
 Return as Needed \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance claims handling procedures are explained on back of pink copy. Keep this record to use for income tax and insurance

IMPORTANT: THIS FORM CANNOT BE DUPLICATED BY OUR OFFICE  
 DO NOT LOSE OR DESTROY

➔ This is a STATEMENT of your account to date

Date of Service 2/16/81  
 Chart No. 2050

Problem: P ankle

Patient Disability Status \_\_\_\_\_  
 Work \_\_\_\_\_ Gym \_\_\_\_\_  
 Complete \_\_\_\_\_ Partial \_\_\_\_\_  
 Onset: \_\_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
 Est. End \_\_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
 Act. End \_\_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
 Restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION AND LIABILITY

- 1) Did condition result from motor vehicle accident Yes No
- 2) Did condition result from employment Yes No
- 3) Has patient had similar condition in past Describe \_\_\_\_\_ Yes No
- 4) Is condition solely of this accident Yes No
- 5) Date of Onset of injury \_\_\_\_\_ Yes No
- 6) Date of first treatment \_\_\_\_\_ Yes No
- 7) Have you returned to usual occupation Yes No

Date of return \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize payment directly to the undersigned Physician of the Surgical and/or Medical Benefits, if any otherwise payable to me for his services as described to not to exceed the reasonable and customary charge these services. I understand that I am responsible for balance of fee not paid by my insurance plan.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Physician Sig. P. F. Finkbeiner

DANBURY ORTHOPEDIC ASSOCIATES, P.C.  
 ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY  
 85 OSBORNE STREET  
 DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810  
 (203) 742-3505 (INSUR. BILLS)  
 (203) 797-1500 (APPT'S.)

- ✓ WILLIAM A. SINTON, M.D.
- ✓ ROBERT P. FORNSHELL, M.D.
- ✓ FRANCIS P. SAUNDERS, M.D.
- ✓ THOMAS M. WALLOY, M.D.
- ✓ ROBERT J. GRATTIA, M.D.
- ✓ CRAIG R. FOSTER, M.D.
- EMP. I.D. # 06-0851044

- CT. LIC. # 731
- CT. LIC. # 454
- CT. LIC. # 1217
- CT. LIC. # 1189
- CT. LIC. # 1639
- CT. LIC. # 1874
- CT. LIC. #

52566

ADDRESS NO. STREET CITY STATE ZIP CODE		EMR	
30 FRANKLIN ST DANBURY CONN		786 5330	
TEMPORARY ADDRESS		TELEPHONE NO.	
EMPLOYED BY		OCCUPATION	
DANBURY COMP		DANBURY CONN	
RELATIONSHIP OF SPOUSE OR NEXT OF KIN	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS (NO., STREET, CITY, STATE)	
EPH	DA	DANBURY CONN	
RELATIONSHIP OF SPOUSE OR NEXT OF KIN	RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS (NO., STREET, CITY, STATE)	
GRACE	SELF	DANBURY CONN	
SUBSCRIBER'S NAME		GROUP NAME AND ADDRESS OR DIRECT PLAN	
TRAVELLERS		DANBURY COMP GRAPHIC SCIENCE DANBURY	
OUT OF STATE B. C. NO.	POLICY OR ID NUMBER	MEDICARE NO.	STATE WELFARE CASE NO.
	037-000-01		
PHYSICIAN DOCTOR	PATIENT REFERRED TO DOCTOR	MODE OF ARRIVAL	DOCTOR
NUZZA WEEGER	NUZZA WEEGER	DANBURY FIRE	
MEDICATION ALLERGIES		LAB	X-RAY
PENICILLIN AMPICILLIN TABLETS		YES	NO
NATURE OF PRESENT ILLNESS - IF ACCIDENT, WHAT HAPPENED			
DA STS FELL ON ICE AT INJ R ANKLE			
ARRIVED VIA DANBURY FIRE AMBUL			
PERSONAL EFFECTS AND CLOTHES TAKEN BY	RELIGION	CHAPLAIN NOTIFIED	FAMILY NOTIFIED

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 FEB 25 1981  
 OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

The following instructions are to help you in caring for your condition. If you have any questions or concerns call your own physician or the Danbury Hospital Emergency Room at any time. Telephone number 203 - 797-7100.

**HEAD INJURIES**

Headache and dizziness are commonly associated with head injuries and are improved with bed rest and cold compresses. Patient should be roused and checked every two hours during the first night.

- Immediately return or call the Emergency Room if any one of the following conditions develop:
- A. Vomiting.
  - B. Persistent drowsiness or confusion.
  - C. Headache of increasing severity.
  - D. Personality change or unusual behavior.

**CUTS AND ABRASIONS**

Keep area clean and follow dressing instructions below. Immediately return or call the Emergency Room if any of the following conditions develop:

- A. Increased pain or swelling around the wound, or persistent bleeding, drainage, or pus from the wound.
- B. Red streaks away from the wound, chills, or fever.

**CASTS**

Keep your cast dry at all times and protect it from pressure or damage for the first 48 hours. Should it become loose or damaged, return to the Emergency Room for repair. Immediately return to the Emergency Room if any of the following conditions develop:

- A. Increasing pain
- B. Swelling
- C. Bluish discoloration, coldness, or numbness of the injured part.

**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS**

Return to Emergency Room or see your own physician in \_\_\_\_\_ days if not improved.

E.R. FOLLOW-UP-DATE/DAY/TIME (Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri. 8:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.) No Work/Gym/Sports for \_\_\_\_\_ Days Until \_\_\_\_\_

**SPRAINS, STRAINS, BRUISES**

These conditions should be treated with care and according to given instructions. The pain is often worse the day after your accident. However if severe or persistent, return or call the Emergency Room.

**General instructions:**

1. Elevate when possible
2. Apply ice bags for 20 to 30 minutes four to six times a day during the first 48 hours.
3. Apply heat (wet or dry) for 20 to 30 minutes \_\_\_\_\_ times a day thereafter.

\_\_\_\_\_ Use crutches and avoid all weight bearing for \_\_\_\_\_ days.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Use splint/ace for \_\_\_\_\_ days.

**DIET RESTRICTIONS FOR VOMITING AND/OR DIARRHEA**

- A. While symptoms are present and for 12 hours after last symptoms, clear liquids (tea, Ginger Ale, 7-Up) may be taken.
- B. After 24 symptom-free hours, a light diet (dry toast, crackers, bananas, Jell-O) may be taken.
- C. The following day, regular diet may be resumed, avoiding heavy, fatty, spicy foods at first.

**THE ABOVE INSTRUCTIONS HAVE BEEN EXPLAINED TO ME AND I UNDERSTAND THEM**

DANBURY HOSPITAL EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NO. (203) 797-7100 PATIENT'S SIGNATURE  
 DANBURY HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT CLINIC FOR APPOINTMENT (203) 797-7262

PHYSICIAN'S NAME

TYPE OF BILL	DATE OF BILL	DATE OF PREV. BILL
INPAT. OUTP.	02/05/81	

DANBURY HOSPITAL  
 HOSPITAL AVENUE,  
 DANBURY, CONN.  
 203 797-7346

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 HOSP. NO. 00000

PATIENT NAME	PATIENT NUMBER	SEX	AGE	ADMISSION DATE
WRIGHT, GRACE	003930	F	50	01/29/81

PATIENT NAME  
 GRACE WRIGHT  
 30 FRANKLIN ST  
 DANBURY, CT, 06810

INSURANCE INFORMATION CLAIM NUMBER  
**RECEIVED**  
**FEB 20 1981**  
 OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

PLEASE RETURN THIS PORTION WITH YOUR PAYMENT. AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

DATE BILLED	DESCRIPTION OF HOSPITAL SERVICES	SERVICE CODE	HOSPITAL CHARGES	EST. COVERAGE (P. CO. NO. 1)	PAYMENT
<b>DETAIL OF CURRENT CHARGES, PAYMENTS AND ADJUSTMENTS</b>					
02/05/81	EMERGENCY SERVICE	0100005	40.00		46.00
02/05/81	DR SUPPLIES	0100007	7.00		7.00
02/05/81	ART ROLL	0175570	52.50		52.50
02/05/81	ART TUBA/PIDULA	0175590	52.50		52.50
02/05/81	ART ROLL	0175510	52.50		52.50
<b>SUMMARY OF CHARGES</b>					
	DR LPER ROOM	450	53.00		53.00
	DR RADIO-DIAG	320	157.50		157.50
<b>SUB-TOTAL OF CHARGES</b>			<b>210.50</b>		<b>210.50</b>
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>210.50</b>		<b>210.50</b>

PATIENT NUMBER 883930  
 DANBURY HOSPITAL  
 PAY THIS AMOUNT 210.50  
 MC6



✓  
Mr. Edward P. Howard, A.  
10 Pearl St.  
Donbury, Ct. 06810  
744-4712  
2-3-81

City Clerk  
City of Donbury  
Donbury, Ct. 06810

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FEB 4 1981

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

To Whom It May Concern:

As per instructions by Mr. Brian Johnson, Tree Warden of Donbury, I am enclosing a claim for damages done to our 1969 Pontiac Bonneville on Mon., Feb. 3, 1981 by a falling tree. The car was parked in front of our home at 10 Pearl St., Donbury, Ct.

Mr. Johnson came & the city truck, as well as the Police Dept. (Officer Jim Pacific) and Mr. Johnson said the tree is on city property and, therefore, covered by their insurance.

I hope this claim can be settled as soon as possible, because the auto was going to be sold and the buyer won't take it until it's fixed.

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,  
Mrs. Edward P. Howard, A.

Name Mr. Ed. Howard Date 2/4/81  
 Address 10 Pearl St. Danby State Conn Zip          Phone 744-4712  
 Year 1970 Make Pontiac Model Bonneville I.D. No.           
 Color Brown Prod. Date          Trim          Mileage          License No.           
 Ins. Co.          File No.          Claim No.           
 Appraiser          Lic. No.          Phone          Written By         

Line No.	Re pair	Re place	DESCRIPTION OF DAMAGE	PARTS	LABOR	PAINT
1			✓ rear window	160	25	45.00
2			Clear center of glass etc		20	-
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TOTALS				160	65	00

237.02

Send more  
 Paid 15.00. See estimate  
 from Albert's Auto Body 98  
 10 Pearl St.

Authorization for Repair

**ALBERT'S AUTO BODY**  
 36 Tamarack Avenue  
 Danbury, Connecticut 06810  
 Phone 743-3867

PARTS Prices subject to invoice	\$ 160.00
LABOR hrs. @ \$	\$ 65.00
Paint	\$
Paint Supplies	\$
Shop Supplies	\$
Towing / Storage	\$
Sublet	\$
Tax	\$ 12.42
<b>DAMAGE REPORT TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 237.02</b>
CHANGES (See Back * )	\$
NEW TOTAL	\$

✓  
JOSEPH A. KHOURY  
11 STONE ST.  
DANBURY, Ct. 06810

2-3-81

MR BYRON T. JOHNSON  
TREE WARDEN, CITY OF DANBURY  
P.O. Box 583  
DANBURY, Ct. 06810

DEAR SIR:

AS PER OUR CONVERSATION AT THE POST OFFICE  
MONDAY, FEB. 2, 1981, I AM ENCLOSED ESTIMATE OF  
DAMAGE DONE TO MY CAR BY LARGE BRANCH OF  
CITY OWNED TREE FALLING ON IT DURING THE RAIN  
AND WIND STORM OF FEB. 2, 1981.

YOUR PROMPT CONSIDERATION OF THIS MATTER WILL  
BE IMMENSELY APPRECIATED.

THANK YOU KINDLY,

Joseph G. Khoury

ENCL: (1) ESTIMATE OF DAMAGE, CARLAND AUTO BODY, INC.

648721

Name KHOUMBA Date 2 3 81  
 Address 11 STONE ST. State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone 743 3982  
 Year 79 Make MONTE CARLO Model \_\_\_\_\_ I.D. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Color \_\_\_\_\_ Prod. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Trim \_\_\_\_\_ Mileage \_\_\_\_\_ License No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ins. Co. \_\_\_\_\_ File No. \_\_\_\_\_ Claim No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Appraiser \_\_\_\_\_ Lic. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Written By \_\_\_\_\_

Line No.	Re-pair	Re-place	DESCRIPTION OF DAMAGE	PARTS	LABOR	PAINT
1	x		roof post Beside		20	20
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TOTALS						

Authorization for Repair

**CAR LAND AUTO BODY, INC.**  
 8 North Street  
 Danbury, Connecticut 06810  
 Phone (203) 743-9203

PARTS Prices subject to invoice	\$	40.00
LABOR hrs. @ \$	\$	40.00
Paint	\$	10.00
Paint Supplies	\$	
Shop Supplies	\$	
Towing / Storage	\$	
Sublet	\$	
Tax	\$	75
DAMAGE REPORT TOTAL	\$	90.75
CHANGES (See Back *)	\$	
NEW TOTAL	\$	

February 20, 1981

Mr. Mrs. Henry Harris

7 Moran Avenue

Danbury, Conn. 06810. Phone: 743-9172

Time: Start AT 10:00 o'clock

Reasons: City Sewer Overflow

### The Bed Room Damages:

4 Throw Rugs - \$80.00  
30 Section Rugs - \$60.00  
10 pair shoes - \$280.00  
2 pair boots - \$150.00

### The Play Rooms Damages:

1 sofa Bed \$450.00  
1 T.V. (B-W) \$185.00  
1 Carpet "12 by 15" \$239.00  
2 Rugs "12 by 15" \$80.00

RECEIVED

City Clerk  
Danbury City Hall  
Danbury Ct 06810

FEB 5 1981  
OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

Feb. 4. 1981

Chilif Hajj  
13 Dana Rd  
Danbury Conn  
06810

Last summer and fall on Barnum Rd The City of Danbury they put in a sewer pipe that went near Benbroke school.

The contractor who put these sewer pipes in had to Blast the rock and ledges. to lay these pipes.

The Blasting has caused my sheet rock in my house to separate at the joints and nails to part from the sheet Rock. To have this damage done by <sup>the</sup> blasting. will cost about \$100.00

also my pipes from the well to my house sprung leaks. This is caused by Blasting also. I had new pipes and the ground dug up at a cost of \$191.95 for pipe & ground put in.

I holding the city of Danbury libel for \$291.95 years which will cost me for these repair.

Yours Truly  
Chilif Hajj

P.S: my house is not the only one that is damaged by this Blasting my neighbors also complained about crack joints in sheet Rock walls. and ceilings.



# RESOLUTION

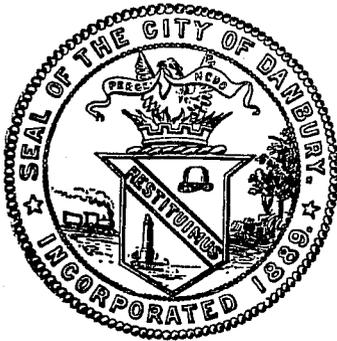
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CITY OF DANBURY, STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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**CITY OF DANBURY**

**ENGINEERING DIVISION**

**ROOM 205 - CITY HALL**

**JOHN A. SCHWEITZER, JR.**  
CITY ENGINEER

February 24, 1981

155 DEER HILL AVENUE  
DANBURY, CONN. 06810  
203-797-4641

Councilman Richard Murray  
President  
Common Council  
City of Danbury  
Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Councilman Murray:

Jeanette Heights Sewer Project.

At the request of the Common Council we conducted a survey of the property owners of the Jeanette Heights sewer project area. A copy of the survey sheet is attached.

The results of this questionnaire were compiled on February 20, 1981.

The survey indicated the following results:

A. COMPARISON OF RESULTS BY LOTS:

YES -----	16 lots (12%)
NO -----	93 lots (73%)
NO RESPONSE -----	19 lots (15%)

Total number of lots--128 lots

B. COMPARISON OF RESULTS BY AREA OF LOTS:

YES-----	7.272 acres (11%)
NO -----	46.157 acres (72%)
NO RESPONSE -----	10.82 acres (17%)

Total area of sewer project 64.249 acres

Hopefully the results contained above will aid you in your deliberations concerning this sewer project.

Very truly yours,

*John A. Schweitzer, Jr.*  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 John A. Schweitzer, Jr.  
 City Engineer

JAS/SCN/mem

c: Mayor, James E. Dyer

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# CITY OF DANBURY

ENGINEERING DIVISION

ROOM 205 - CITY HALL

JOHN A. SCHWEITZER, JR.  
CITY ENGINEER

January 19, 1981

155 DEER HILL AVENUE  
DANBURY, CONN. 06810  
203-797-4641

Dear Property Owner:

Subject: Proposed Sanitary Sewers  
in Jeanette Heights Area.

At the January 6, 1981 meeting of the Common Council, this office was directed to conduct a poll of the residents affected by the proposed sanitary sewer extensions, in order to determine if the residents are in favor of said extensions in light of the preliminary estimated assessments.

If you do not recall the amount of your preliminary assessment or if you have any other questions a telephone call to the Engineering office will provide you with this information.

Will you please mark your choice on the bottom portion of this letter, detach and return in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope to the Engineering Department no later than February 6, 1981.

Very truly yours,

John A. Schweitzer, Jr.  
City Engineer

JAS/mem

.....(Detach here).....

In favor of proposed sewer line.

Not in favor of proposed sewer line.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Lot Number



CITY OF DANBURY  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

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JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your favorable action on the attached  
Energy Conservation Proposal.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
**PUBLIC BUILDINGS DIVISION**

**ROBERT W. WINKELSTERN**  
**SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS**

**49 OSBORNE STREET**  
**DANBURY, CT. 06810**  
**(203) 797-4584**

February 11, 1981

**TO:** The Honorable James Dyer, Mayor  
**FROM:** R. Winkelstern, Superintendent of Public Buildings  
**SUBJECT:** Energy Conservation -- City Hall -- Danbury Library.

In August, 1980 I presented a program of energy conservation to the Board of Education to install a Honeywell "BOSS" Computerized Energy Management System at Danbury High School. The system at the High School is guaranteed to save \$18,084.00 per year over the cost of operating the system by Honeywell. If the savings are not achieved, Honeywell refunds the difference of the guaranteed savings less the actual savings in cash, so that there is no risk to the Board. The cost of installing and operating the system is returned within the first year by energy savings.

The system is currently on line since January, and although it is too early to project savings over a long run, the system seems to be a complete success. The installation was also accomplished in a most efficient and professional manner, and I am totally pleased with the whole Honeywell operation.

Therefore, I requested that Honeywell survey City Hall and Danbury Library to see if "BOSS" could generate a positive cash flow in respect to energy saving at these locations. I am pleased to inform you that as I expected, the City is projected to save \$15,000.00 per year in energy costs if the system were to be installed. As the enclosed Honeywell proposal shows, the installation cost and monitoring costs for the first year are stated on a preliminary basis as \$14,500.00 with projected savings of \$15,000.00. Thereby, there is a positive cash flow of \$500.00 the first year. The second year and each year thereafter the savings to the City would be \$15,000.00 energy savings less the operating costs to Honeywell of \$6000.00 resulting in a net positive cash flow of \$9000.00 per year.

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I respectfully request that the Council, during their March meeting, appropriate funds in the amount of \$14,500.00 in order to permit the installation of the Honeywell system. I am available, and Honeywell is as well, to discuss this system with you, the Council, or any Council committee in order to fully inform you as to how the system operates and how risk free the system is in not only guaranteed cost savings, but in operational control and safety as well.

I strongly recommend the approval of this project, for not only will we realize cost savings, but we will demonstrate to the citizens of Danbury that we have a genuine interest in reducing and controlling operating costs.



R. Winkelstern  
Superintendent of  
Public Buildings

cc: D. Garamella  
R. Steinberg

RWW/blk



**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

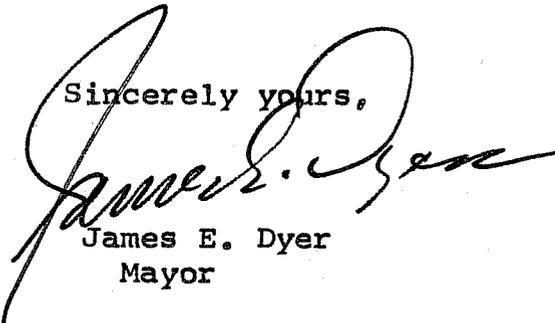
March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your consideration of the attached request in reference to a petition of the Danbury Rifle and Pistol Club for use of the Miry Brook Target Range.

Sincerely yours,

  
James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr



# CITY OF DANBURY

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER

MAYOR

February 19, 1981

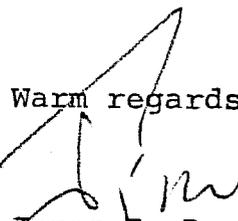
Mr. John Jowdy  
Jowdy and Jowdy  
Attorneys at Law  
67 West Street  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Dear John:

I am re-submitting your request to the Common Council.

Hopefully, you will find a more favorable reception  
this time.

Warm regards.

  
James E. Dyer  
Mayor of the City of Danbury

JED:ras

cc: Richard Murray, President  
Common Council

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**JOWDY & JOWDY**  
PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
67 WEST STREET - P. O. BOX 1181  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES J. JOWDY, JR.  
JOHN JOWDY

AREA CODE 203  
792-1677

February 17, 1981

The Honorable James Dyer, Mayor of the City of Danbury and  
The Honorable Members of the Common Council  
c/o Mrs. Betty Crudgington, City Clerk  
City of Danbury City Hall  
Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Re: Petition of the Danbury Rifle and Pistol Club  
for use of the Miry Brook Target Range

Dear Mr. Mayor and Members of the Common Council:

It has been almost one year since I first wrote to you concerning the request of the Danbury Rifle and Pistol Club, to use the City-owned facility at Miry Brook for use as a target range. A committee was duly appointed by the Council to study the matter and a denial of the petition was submitted on August 21, 1980. I believe several factors contributed to this decision which, if approached in a different manner or corrected, could have resulted in a favorable report for my client.

First, at the three meetings held by the committee, one member Councilman Vincent Scialabba was unable to attend due to schedule conflicts. A recent discussion with Mr. Scialabba indicated his ability to now attend to this matter and give it careful consideration. It is with his advice that I attempt to revive this issue.

Secondly, at the meeting immediately preceding the committee recommendation, both my client and I were left with the impression that further factual data was required before a decision was rendered. I have always stood ready to assist the committee in obtaining this information and willing to continue to do so.

Lastly, my client and I had no notice as to the meeting in which the recommendation took place, nor did we receive notice as to when this issue was to be placed before the entire Council for its decision. We feel it would have been beneficial to address the Council prior to its vote to help enlighten them as to the specific requests made in this matter and the beneficial aspects this petition could have to the public.

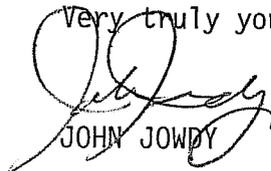
In summation, it is only our desire to set forth the facts together with an opportunity to address a full sub-committee and the Common Council on the benefits that such an arrangement promises.

The Honorable James Dyer, Mayor of the City of Danbury and  
The Honorable Members of the Common Council  
February 17, 1981  
Page 2

Enclosed, please find a copy of my original letter dated April 15, 1980,  
which will briefly explain this matter.

If I or my client may be of further assistance in this matter, please do not  
hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



JOHN JOWDY

JJ/bms

Enc.

cc: Joseph Dzubak

cc: Vincent Scialabba

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**JOWDY & JOWDY**  
PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
67 WEST STREET - P. O. BOX 1181  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES J. JOWDY, JR.  
JOHN JOWDY

April 15, 1980

AREA CODE 203  
702-1677

The Honorable James Dyer, Mayor of the City of Danbury and  
The Honorable Members of the Common Council  
c/o Ms. Betty Crudgington, City Clerk  
City of Danbury City Hall  
Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, CT 06810

Dear Mr. Mayor and Members of the Common Council:

Please be advised that I represent the Danbury Rifle and Pistol Club in its efforts to secure the use of a target range in the City of Danbury.

The Danbury Rifle and Pistol Club is a non-profit organization interested in promoting the safe, responsible and controlled use of legally owned firearms. Several times a year it conducts seminars to educate existing and potential firearm owners in the proper care and use of their guns. In addition, it holds discussions and instruction sessions which are open to the public in an effort to impress upon the citizens of our community the need for safety in the use of guns. The club is a member in good standing of the National Rifle Association and several other approved state and national firearm associations.

It has long been the objective of the club to obtain a shooting range in the City of Danbury for its members. At present no such operation or facility exists except the range located in the Civil Defense Building on Miry Brook Road, formerly the Miry Brook Schoolhouse. This range, however, is not in active operation except for its occasional use by the Danbury Police Department's Target Shooting Team.

My client wishes to obtain permission to use the Miry Brook range one night per week in order to afford its members the opportunity to practice in a controlled, supervised session. The club is prepared to take full responsibility for its use of the facility and hold the City free from all liability in connection with their activities on the premises. They would also be willing to abide by



2-20-81  
23 Morris St.  
Danbury, Conn.  
06810

Mr. Robert Steinberg  
City of Danbury  
Deer Hill Ave.  
Danbury, Conn.

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Dear Mr. Steinberg,

Mr. Henry (Hank) Stevens my  
tenant on 23 Morris St. Danbury;  
talked with you about our driveway  
problem. It is now and has been  
dirt and is constantly washing out;  
but because it is a city "R.O.W. Street"  
that was never put in, I have done  
nothing to correct the situation.

It is at the point now where  
something should be done, by the  
city or myself. Mr. Stevens mentioned  
that possibly I could be deeded  
the small parcel in question, then  
I could improve it for a lasting  
driveway. Thank you for your



**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

The attached letter is being submitted to the Common Council  
for further action, in reference to a driveway problem on 23 Morris St..

Sincerely yours

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr



## CITY OF DANBURY

THEODORE H. GOLDSTEIN,  
CORPORATION COUNSEL

OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL  
DANBURY, CT 06810

ERIC L. GOTTSCHALK  
THOMAS A. FRIZZELL  
THOMAS G. WEST

ASSISTANT CORPORATION  
COUNSEL

February 9, 1981

PLEASE REPLY TO:  
P.O. Box 1261  
DANBURY, CT 06810

Association of Danbury Area Florists  
c/o Mr. Robert D. Melillo  
Melillo Flower Shop, Inc.  
21 Hospital Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

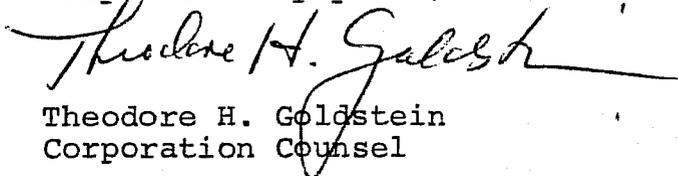
Re: Licenses and Permits

Dear Mr. Melillo:

I am in receipt of your letter of January 30, 1981 and am submitting the same to the City Clerk so that she may place it upon the agenda of a subsequent meeting of the Common Council of the City of Danbury.

In the interim, however, I enclose herewith a copy of Chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Danbury which is entitled "Licenses and Permits" with particular reference to Section 11-2 and Section 11-4. Will you kindly have your organization, as well as the Danbury Chamber of Commerce, review our present regulations and thereafter provide the Common Council with your suggestions as to which areas of this Chapter might be improved upon. I trust you will give this request your early attention.

Very cordially yours,



Theodore H. Goldstein  
Corporation Counsel

THG:cr

c: Hon. James E. Dyer, Mayor  
Elizabeth A. Crudginton, City Clerk ✓  
Richard F. Murray, President  
Common Council

Enclosure



# Melillo Flower Shop, Inc.

21 Hospital Avenue

Dial 748-9279

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810



Jan 30, 1981

Theodore Goldstein  
Corporation Counsel of  
City of Danbury  
34 Foster St  
Danbury, Conn.

Dear Mr Goldstein:

Enclosed please find an ordinance currently in effect in the City of New Britain, Conn, as well as in several other areas of this state.

I am sending you this on behalf of the Association of Danbury Area Florists, which is one of the organizations vitally concerned with the enactment of a similar ordinance in Danbury. Copies have also been given to the Danbury Chamber of Commerce, which has also expressed an interest in upgrading our standards.

We and most other merchants of Danbury would deeply appreciate whatever impetus your office can provide toward instituting consideration and action in this matter.

Yours truly,  
Robert D. Melillo



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# CITY OF DANBURY

COMMON COUNCIL

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

March 3, 1981

Honorable Mayor James E. Dyer  
Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

It is hereby requested that a committee of the Common Council be appointed to investigate the paving of Golden Hill Road by Mark IV Construction Company of Milford, Connecticut, after the sewer installation in 1980.

Councilman William T. Walsh

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CITY OF DANBURY  
MARCH 10 1981

# Danbury Fire Fighters Association, Local 801

ORGANIZED OCTOBER 9, 1944

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FIRE FIGHTERS

*Affiliated with American Federation of Labor, Connecticut Federation of Labor  
and Central Labor Union of Danbury and Vicinity*



P.O. BOX 901 — 19 NEW STREET  
DANBURY, CONN. 06810

ADDRESS: Common Council  
155 Deer Hill Avenue

DATE March 3, 1981

Dear Council Members,

As you know, there have been many questions raised during the past few years regarding the testing, grading, and administration practices of the Civil Service Commission. Although we are relatively confident that the intentions and decisions of the commission have been in the best interest of the applicants, we feel that there was no continuity to some of the methods used by them in the past. The resultant effect of this lack of continuity, regardless of its intent, would tend to make the actions of even the most trusted commissions subject to question.

In hope that future problems may be prevented, and in order to remove any doubt as to the credibility of the procedures now being used by the commission, we hereby request that a committee of the Council be appointed to investigate and recommend such changes as are necessary to restore the confidence that we civil servants should have in the commission.

Respectfully submitted,

*Martin Melody*

Martin Melody  
President, Local 801  
Danbury Fire Fighters Assn.



DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

# City of Danbury

#10 10

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

February 27, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting

The "addendum of agreement" to the police working agreement will require funds in the amount of approximately \$173,000. Unfortunately the document was received too late for item by item computation of the cost.

It is suggested that \$143,000 be funded as follows:

Unencumbered fund balance                      \$143,000  
The balance to be paid from funds within the police department.

We hereby certify that the above funds are available.

  
John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

JPE.pcf

cc. A. Rodrigues.



CITY OF DANBURY  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

Attached you will find a proposed contract that the Board of Education may soon be signing.

I refer you to my letter of February 13, 1981 to the Board of Education regarding this proposal. It is my opinion that this is a capital expense, and should therefore, be bonded after Planning Commission, Common Council and voter approval.

The Board of Education is of the opinion that this is a matter that does not require City approval. Numerous meetings have taken place between the leadership of the Board of Education and myself to try and resolve this issue, to no avail.

I believe that it is my legal responsibility to forward this contract to the Council and the Planning Commission, with or without the Board of Education's cooperation.

I do not believe that any of us can afford the luxury of violating our Charter, or ignoring the normal procedures that are inherent in the City taking possession of an asset.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

cc: Mr. Edmund DeVeau, Chairman - Planning Commission



# CITY OF DANBURY

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

February 13, 1981

Mrs. Barbara Baker  
Members of the Board of Education  
Mill Ridge  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

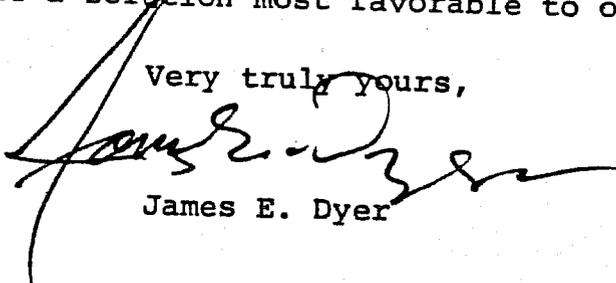
Dear Mrs. Baker and Members of the Board of Education:

I have reviewed the Gelco proposal to provide financing for school buses for the five-year period beginning with the 1981-82 school year. My staff and I conclude that were the board to enter into such an arrangement, the intent of the Charter to allow planning commission and municipal government review of the City's long range financial commitment would be frustrated.

While the decision of the board to provide newer buses is laudable, a different, less costly method of accomplishing this goal is available. The Department of Finance has advised me that if the City were to use its leverage and tax exempt status to obtain buses directly, a substantial savings could be expected.

I intend to recommend to the Common Council consideration of alternate methods of financing this significant project. With the assistance of the Planning Commission and the Board of Education, I am confident that a result can be achieved which is consistent not only with our concern for the students of Danbury, but with our concern for the taxpayers as well. This however, can only be done through increased communication and cooperation between the board and the municipal government. We have common goals and interests and I urge you to consider working with me to arrive at a solution most favorable to our community.

Very truly yours,

  
James E. Dyer

JED:ras

cc: Theodore H. Goldstein  
Eric Gottschalk  
Edmund Deveaux  
Richard Murray  
John Edwards



**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

Attached you will find a request for the use of our sanitary waste system.

I have suggested to the Mendik Company that the City would expect to negotiate a fee schedule that would take into account the capital construction costs that will result due to an increase in the use of our sewer plant.

Additionally, I believe that we must assess the capacity of our system, and our success with prior regional use of that system.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

MENDIK REALTY COMPANY, INC.

801 SECOND AVENUE  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10017

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(212) 557-1100

February 10, 1981

The Honorable James E. Dyer  
Mayor of Danbury  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Dear Mayor Dyer:

The purpose of this letter is to request permission from the City of Danbury to discharge sanitary wastes from the proposed Newtown Corporate Park into the sewer main located on Stony Hill Road in the vicinity of the Danbury-Bethel Town Line.

As you may have read in the news media, Mendik Realty is seeking approval for the construction of a corporate office park on a 50 acre site in Newtown, Connecticut. The site is located on the northerly side of U.S. Route 6, east of Route 25 (Hawleyville Road) at Exit 9 of Interstate 84. While the site is ideal from a building perspective, it has been found unsuitable for on-site sanitary disposal.

We have investigated the relative costs associated with several alternative methods of sewage disposal and believe that the most cost effective proposal would involve constructing a sewer line, at our expense, through the Towns of Newtown and Bethel connecting to the Danbury sewer main located in the vicinity of the Northeast Utilities Building on Stony Hill Road. When construction is completed approximately 3,000 people will be employed by the tenants of the Corporate Park and thus the Park would generate approximately 30,000 gallons of sanitary waste per day. Our engineers have made some preliminary investigations and believe that it is technically feasible for us to connect to the sewer system by installing a combination force main/gravity sewer under Stony Hill Road for a distance of approximately 15,000 feet. They have also indicated to us that the existing 15 inch sanitary sewer and the Danbury treatment plant should have the capacity to accept this increase in flow without causing any adverse impact to the City's system.

We believe this plan is technologically sound and look forward to discussing it further with you and other representatives of the City so that a mutually beneficial agreement can be reached to enable us to implement this proposal. Should you require additional data concerning this project, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. John M. Milone of Flaherty-Giavara Associates, our technical consultants on this project. Mr. Milone can be reached at 789-1260.

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The Honorable James E. Dyer

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February 10, 1981

I look forward to receiving your response to this request in the near future.

Very truly yours,



Bernard H. Mendik  
President

BHM:bg

Administrative Services Section

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P E T I T I O N

TO: COMMON COUNCIL, CITY OF DANBURY

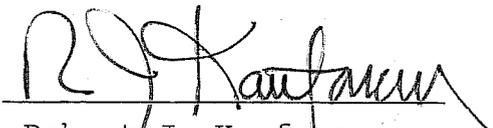
FROM: SHELTER KNOLLS CORPORATION

RE: PERMISSION TO ATTACH TO SEWER AND WATER  
LINES OF THE CITY OF DANBURY

The undersigned respectfully requests permission from the Common Council of the City of Danbury to connect to and extend the water lines and sewer lines of the City of Danbury to serve property owned by the undersigned and located at Eden Drive, in the City of Danbury. The plans showing the proposed lines will be presented to the Public Works Committee of the Common Council.

Dated at Danbury, Connecticut, this 23rd, day of February, 1981.

SHELTER KNOLLS CORPORATION

BY:   
Robert J. Kaufman  
Agent 

P E T I T I O N

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SHELTER KNOLLS CORPORATION

BY: Robert J. Kaufman  
Robert J. Kaufman (P)  
Agent

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Barry M. Klein

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**INVESTMENT PROPERTIES**

DANBURY-NEW MILFORD ROAD—ROUTE 7 AND INTERSTATE 84

**DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810**

\* 744-0030 • 775-2270

February 23, 1981

Common Council  
c/o City Clerk  
Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

The City of Danbury, through its Engineering Department, has contacted Nancy A. Klein, my wife, in regards to her deeding over the easements she owns on East Gate, Clapboard Ridge, Sec. I as per map filed in the Town Clerk's Office as #2771.

One of the water courses that encompasses these easements is involved with Lot #2, Assessor's #G09023, and Lot #4, Assessor's #G09024. Because of these water courses, which are beneficial to the City of Danbury, under the regulations it is a very big hardship to build insofar as the limit of what can be built and the costs under the sanitation laws. The lots have been professionally engineered and because of the problems, builders have been scared from the lots, including a sale which Nancy Klein has had to take back because of these problems.

I respectfully request of the City of Danbury that it buy these two lots at a fair market value to be established by local real estate appraisers, at which point Nancy Klein will relinquish all easements to the City of Danbury and there will be no further problems. Please act on this request at your earliest opportunity.

Very truly yours,

Barry M. Klein

BMK:nl



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# Richard S. Jowdy, Inc.

## REAL ESTATE

### REPLY TO

**DANBURY OFFICE**  
109 North Street  
Danbury, CT 06810  
(203) 744-5544

Danbury Common Council  
C/O City Clerk  
Deer Hill Ave.  
Danbury, Ct. 06810

**BETHEL OFFICE**  
36 Grassy Plain  
Bethel, CT 06801  
(203) 748-4044

Att: Betty Crudgington

**KENT OFFICE**  
Main Street  
Kent, CT 06757  
(203) 927-3534

Our agency has recently listed property which we would like to submit to the City of Danbury for consideration.

**NEW MILFORD OFFICE**  
325 Danbury Road  
New Milford, CT 06776  
(203) 355-2646

Its close proximity to the Roger's Park area makes it ideally suited for a recreational facility for the youth of Danbury.

**NEWTOWN OFFICE**  
25 Church Hill Road  
Newtown, CT 06470  
(203) 426-4413

We have enclosed a map of the property and a fact sheet. If any additional information is required, please contact Sadie Bilka or Mary Foley at the Richard S. Jowdy Agency.

**SHERMAN OFFICE**  
Sherman, CT 06784  
(203) 355-1189

**SOUTHBURY OFFICE**  
90 Southbury Plaza  
Southbury, CT 06488  
(203) 264-2455

**COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRIAL DIV.**  
21 Padanaram Road  
Danbury, CT 06810  
(203) 744-2268

Respectfully submitted,

*Sadie F. Bilka*  
*Mary Foley*

Sadie Bilka  
Mary Foley





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# Richard S. Jowdy, Inc.

## REAL ESTATE

### FACT SHEET

#### REPLY TO

- DANBURY OFFICE**  
109 North Street  
Danbury, CT 06810  
(203) 744-5544  
Lots 130, 132, 134 & 136 South Street Danbury  
Zoning: RB5
- BETHEL OFFICE**  
36 Grassy Plain  
Bethel, CT 06801  
(203) 748-4044  
155 feet frontage on South Street  
Lot size: 36,500
- KENT OFFICE**  
Main Street  
Kent, CT 06757  
(203) 927-3534  
Age of buildings: 1953  
City water
- NEW MILFORD OFFICE**  
325 Danbury Road  
New Milford, CT 06776  
(203) 355-2646  
City sewer  
first house (lots 134 & 136) 3000 sq. ft. bldg. containing 1 rental unit & profess. offices
- NEWTOWN OFFICE**  
25 Church Hill Road  
Newtown, CT 06470  
(203) 426-4413  
second house lot 130 1000 sq. ft. bldg. containing one rental unit.
- SHERMAN OFFICE**  
Sherman, CT 06784  
(203) 355-1189  
lot 132 vacant lot  
Offering price: \$295,000.
- SOUTHBURY OFFICE**  
90 Southbury Plaza  
Southbury, CT 06488  
(203) 264-2455
- COMMERCIAL & INDUSTRIAL DIV.**  
21 Padanaram Road  
Danbury, CT 06810  
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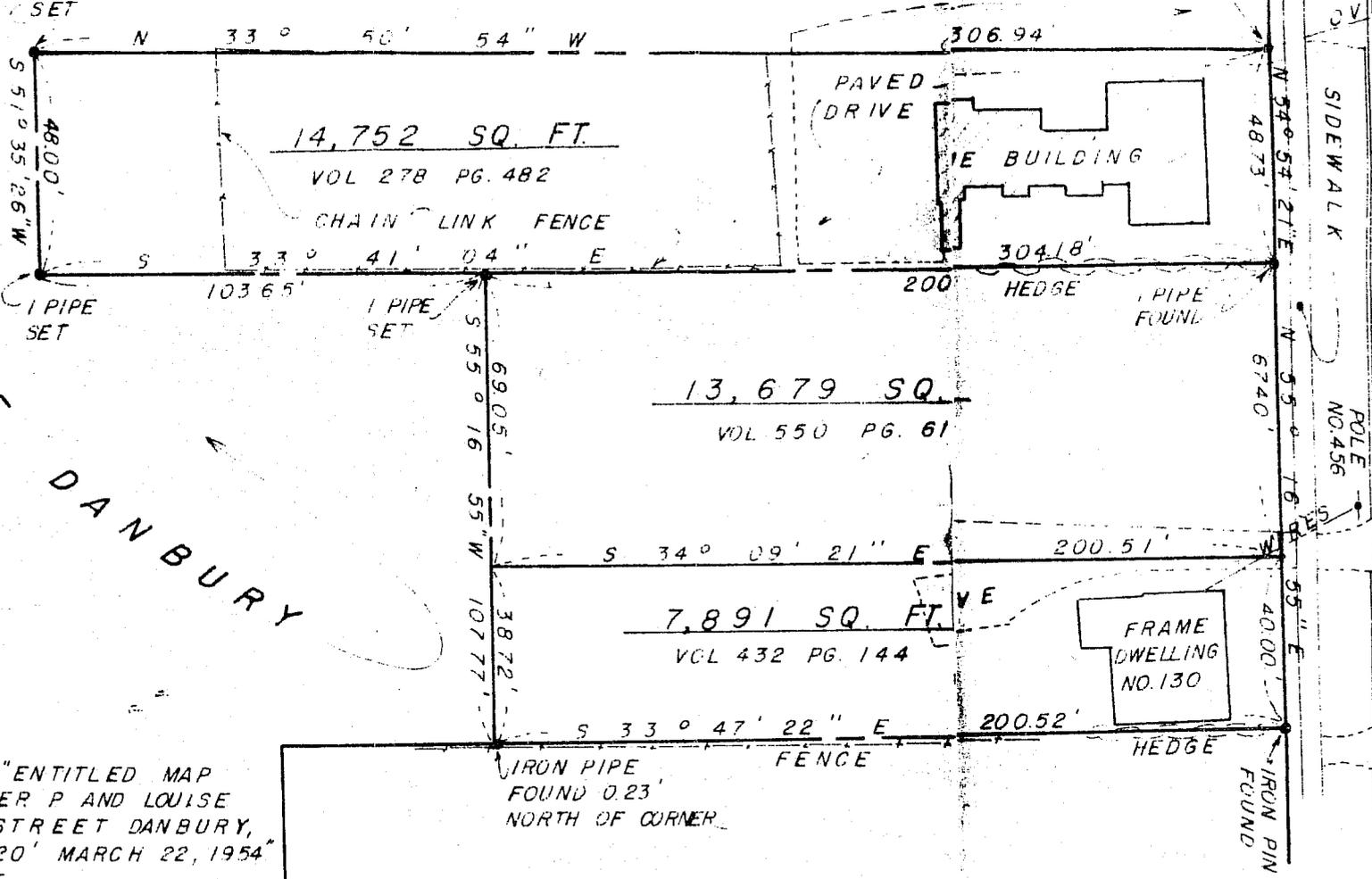
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DANBURY

SOUTH STREET



REFERENCE MADE TO MAP ENTITLED MAP SHOWING PROPERTY OF ROGER P AND LOUISE I. CASTRO NO. 136 SOUTH STREET DANBURY, CONNECTICUT SCALE 1"=20' MARCH 22, 1954 PREPARED BY THIS OFFICE

REFERENCE MADE TO MAP ENTITLED MAP SHOWING LAND TO BE ACQUIRED BY THE CITY OF DANBURY SOUTH STREET DANBURY, CONNECTICUT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO ROGERS PARK SCALE 1"=50' DATED MAY 1954, PREPARED BY ROBERT E LADD RLS.

SILVAN J. GLESNER  
N/F

NO SHOWING PROPERTIES OF  
ROGER CASTRO AND LOUISE I.

13-132-136 SOUTH STREET  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT  
SCALE 1"=40'  
OCTOBER 2



Do Not Remove  
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February 7, 1981.

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George I. Bailey  
Karen J. Bailey  
38 Lombardi Street  
Danbury, Conn. 06810

City Clerk  
Common Council  
City of Danbury  
Danbury, Conn.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

We would like to know if it is possible to purchase, from the City of Danbury, a parcel of land located at the left end of Lombardi Street, in the City, shown on the map as Assessor's Lot #H16013.

The above-mentioned parcel adjoins ours and we have taken the liberty of cleaning, planting grass and maintaining it. We thought we would like to have it as part of our own yard, as it makes an excellent picnic area. The amount we would like is: 100 ft. Northerly by 70 ft. Easterly, 100 ft. Southerly & 70 ft. Westerly by the property of Karen J. Bailey on Lombardi Street.

If the purchase is possible, we would also like to know what the cost would be.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

George and Karen Bailey.

*George J. Bailey*  
*Karen J. Bailey*

Received by George & Karen Bailey  
Lombardi Street  
Danbury, Conn. 06810  
February 7, 1981



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your action on correcting the conflict between our City Ordinances and State Law as outlined in the attached communication.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr



NELSON F. MACEDO  
CHIEF



DEPARTMENT OF POLICE  
CITY OF DANBURY  
CONNECTICUT  
06810

February 11, 1981

Richard Murray, President  
City of Danbury Common Council  
City Hall, 155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Dear Mr. Murray:

Request is made, at this time, that the members of the Common Council review the possibility of making changes in the requirements for applicants to the Danbury Police Department. These changes will conform with Federal requirements as to age, weight and height mandates, and, that in the Danbury Code for Police, Section 15.17, Appointments, the following changes be considered and reviewed.

1. Paragraph (C), to read, Every applicant shall have reached his, or her, eighteenth birthday.
2. Paragraph (F), that present height requirements be deleted and height requirements be made comparable with the weight of the individual.

Since we are deleting the age limitation of 36 years, an insert should be considered in this area, that all potential candidates must undergo a physical agility test, and could be included in Paragraph (H).

Your careful consideration of this request will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Nelson F. Macedo  
Chief of Police

NFM/ct

cc: Mayor Dyer  
Mr. Gottschalk, Asst. Corp. Counsel



## CITY OF DANBURY

OFFICE OF THE CORPORATION COUNSEL  
DANBURY, CT 06810

THEODORE H. GOLDSTEIN,  
CORPORATION COUNSEL

ERIC L. GOTTSCHALK  
THOMAS A. FRIZZELL  
THOMAS G. WEST

ASSISTANT CORPORATION  
COUNSEL

February 6, 1981

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PLEASE REPLY TO:  
DANBURY, CT 06810

MEMO TO: Hon. James E. Dyer, Mayor  
FROM: Eric L. Gottschalk, Assistant Corporation Counsel  
RE: Special Police Officers

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I have reviewed Nelson Macedo's letter of January 26, 1981 in connection with the above. As you know, Danbury Code of Ordinances Section 15-17 requires that all applicants for appointment as a regular police officer must have reached their 21st birthday. I am not at all sure, however, that this requirement applies to applications for appointment as a special, pursuant to Section 15-13 of the Code. For the moment, assume, however, that it does. In order to be valid that section must not be in conflict with Connecticut General Statutes Section 31-126(a)(1) which in my view it is. That section states that it shall be an unfair employment practice for an employer to refuse to hire an individual on the basis of his or her age except in the case of a bona fide occupational qualification. Courts have determined that the standard for a bona fide occupational qualification imposes a heavy burden on the employer. They go on to indicate that refusal to hire on this basis is prima facie discriminatory. The result is that the burden is shifted to the City to prove the refusal to hire was based on an actual job requirement, and further that, "'A bona fide occupational qualification' within the purview of the Fair Employment Practices Act exists only if no member of the class excluded is physically capable of performing the tasks required by the job." Evening Sentinel v. National Organization for Women, (1975) 357 A.2d 498, 168 Conn. 26.

Hon. James E. Dyer, Mayor

Re: Special Police Officers February 6, 1981

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Clearly that burden is impossible to meet. It is, therefore, my view that an age requirement of 21 years is discriminatory and in conflict with State law as well as federal law and should be amended. In the meantime, it should be disregarded.

  
Eric L. Gottschalk  
Assistant Corporation Counsel

ELG:cr

Enclosures

c: Theodore H. Goldstein, Esq.  
Corporation Counsel

Special Police Officers



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request favorable action on the attached request for funds for fencing around the fire training school.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr

Joseph J. Bertalovitz, Jr., Chief



Chief's Phone-Office 748-5260

Home 748-2487

City of Danbury  
Fire Department

19 New Street

Danbury, Conn. 06810

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February 20, 1981

Common Council  
City of Danbury  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Gentlemen;

When the monies request for fencing around the fire training school were presented in the Capital Budget the estimated amount was not sufficient. The amount granted is \$8,500., bids have been received and the lowest bid being \$12,493. Therefore, I am requesting the sum of \$3,993. to be appropriated to cover the balance.

Thanking you in advance, I remain

Sincerely,

  
J.J. Bertalovitz, Chief  
City of Danbury Fire Dept.

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# City of Danbury



DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

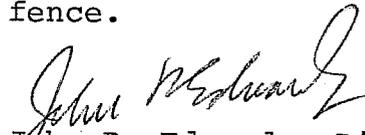
DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

February 25, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council

From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting

We hereby certify the availability of \$3,993 in the  
Contingency Account for the Fire Dept. training  
fence.

  
John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

JPE.pcf

cc. A. Rodrigues



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request favorable action on the attached request for temporary employment in the Tax Office. A Certification of funds is also attached.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr

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# City of Danbury



DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

February 23, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council

From: John P. Edwards, Dir of Finance, Acting

I approve of the attached request.  
I hereby certify the availability of \$2,000.00  
in the Contingency Account for Tax Office  
salaries.

John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

JPE.pcf

cc. Anne Rodrigues



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
**CITY HALL**  
**DANBURY, CONN. 06810**

**WILLIAM K. HANNA**  
TAX COLLECTOR

**TELEPHONE:**  
**(203) 797-4541**

February 20, 1981

Memorandum:

TO: John P. Edwards, Director of Finance, Acting  
FROM: William K. Hanna *WKH* Tax Collector  
SUBJECT: Jill Caprio

As I have discussed with you previously, I would like to hire Jill Caprio as a temporary employee for the last quarter of the fiscal year.

I propose to hire her as a Clerk-Typist I at an annual salary of \$7982.00. To do this it will be necessary to ask the Common Council for a supplemental appropriation of \$2000.00.

If you agree, would you please forward your recommendation to the Mayor and Council?

WKH/jsc



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your favorable action on the attached communication from the Director of Finance, Acting, in reference to Workmen's Compensation.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr



# City of Danbury

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

February 20, 1981

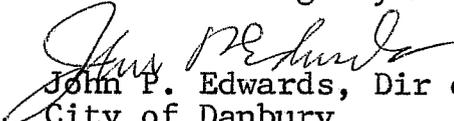
To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir of Finance, Acting

+REVISED+

There is an outstanding Workmen's Compensation Award due for a former police officer, Joseph Biraglia. The Asst. Corporation Counsel believes funds should be made available at this time.

The total needs of the Workmen's Compensation account appears to be \$45,000 to complete this fiscal year, for this and other claims.

We hereby certify that adequate funds are available in the Contingency Account.

  
John P. Edwards, Dir of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

JPE.pcf

cc. T. Goldstein  
E. Gottschalk  
A. Rodrigues

# City of Danbury



DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

FEBRUARY 19, 1981

To: Robert Ryerson, Park Department  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting.

Re: Attached, Lakeview

If this meets with your approval, please address  
a letter to the Comptrollers, or Mayor's office.

John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

Jpe.pcf.



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
CITY HALL  
Danbury, Conn. 06810

February 9, 1981.

DANIEL GARAMELLA  
Director of Public Works

Memo To: Mayor James E. Dyer  
From : D.A. Garamella, Director of Public Works  
Subject: Appropriation of Funds for the Renovation  
of Lakeview Property

As directed by Richard Murray, Chairman of the Lakeview Development Citizens Committee, I am respectfully requesting the transfer of funds amounting to \$17,000 to the Park & Recreation Department for the immediate repairs of the Lakeview Property.

Your consideration in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

D.A. Garamella,  
Director of Public Works

DAG:vai

cc: Richard Murray  
Chairman

Approved,  
Richard Murray  
7-13-81



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
**PUBLIC BUILDINGS DIVISION**

**ROBERT W. WINKELSTERN**  
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS

49 OSBORNE STREET  
DANBURY, CT. 06820  
(203) 797-4111

February 9, 1981

**TO:** Daniel Garamella, Director of Public Works  
**FROM:** R. Winkelstern, Superintendent of Public Buildings  
**SUBJECT:** Sokol Property Repairs

Persuant to your request, following is a breakdown of the costs necessary to maintain the recently purchased Sokol Property.

<b>I. Roof Repairs -- Pavilion</b>		
Materials		
Shingles 65 squares @\$30.00	--	\$1950.00
Flashings and Edgings		\$500.00
Labor		<u>\$2000.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4450.00</b>
<b>II. Reconstruction of Pavilion Piers</b>		
Excavation and removals		\$ 600.00
Concrete and Forms		100.00
Installation and Backfill		<u>500.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1200.00</b>
<b>III. Painting of Soffetts and Trim</b>		
Scraping and preparation		\$1000.00
Materials		300.00
Prime and Finish applied		<u>750.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2050.00</b>
<b>IV. Installation of New Door on loading dock</b>		
Materials		
Door		\$200.00
Hardware		100.00
Labor		<u>200.00</u>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$500.00</b>
<b>V. Insulation of ceilings</b>		
Labor and Material to install		
6" blown fiberglass by Contractor		\$6000.00
	<b>TOTAL I-V</b>	<b>\$14,200.00</b>

RWW/hlk



CITY OF DANBURY  
ENGINEERING DIVISION  
ROOM 205 - CITY HALL

JOHN A. SCHWEITZER, JR.  
CITY ENGINEER

155 DEER HILL AVENUE  
DANBURY, CONN. 06810  
203-797-4641

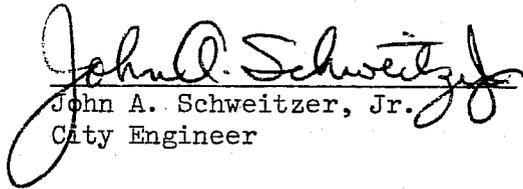
DATE: February 24, 1981  
TO: Daniel Garamella, Director of Public Works  
FROM: John A. Schweitzer, Jr., City Engineer  
SUBJECT: Electrical - Lakeview Property.

At the request of the Lakeview Development Citizens Committee we have reviewed the costs of maintaining the electrical facilities at the Lakeview property.

The estimated cost of this electrical work is \$2,800.00.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

  
John A. Schweitzer, Jr.  
City Engineer

JAS/mem

c: Robert Ryerson



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your authorization for a transfer of funds in the amount of \$17,000 to be transferred to the Parks and Recreation Department for repairs of the Lakeview Property.

A Certification is attached.

Sincerely yours,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James E. Dyer".

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr



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CITY OF DANBURY  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION

City Hall — 155 Deer Hill Avenue  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

Robert G. Ryerson  
Director

Area 203  
797-4632

February 23, 1981

TO: Mayor James E. Dyer and  
Members of the Common Council

FROM: Robert G. Ryerson

I am approving Mr. Garamella's correspondence of February 9, 1981, which was certified by Mayor Dyer.

It is the recommendation of the Lakeview Development Citizen's Committee that funds amounting to \$17,000 (as specified in the attached report) be requested through the Common Council and transferred to the Parks & Recreation Department for the immediate repairs of the property.

These repairs will allow the facility to open this spring and revenues to be paid to the city's General Fund.

RGR:tw  
Encl.

cc: J. Edwards  
D. Garamella  
R. Murray

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# City of Danbury

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DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

February 24, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting.

We hereby certify the availability of \$17,000<sup>A</sup>  
in the Contingency Account to be transferred to  
the Parks & Recreation department for work at  
Lakeview.<sup>PA</sup>

John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

JPE.pcf

cc. A. RODRIGUES

*See Cert 2/27/81*





DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

# City of Danbury

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

February 25, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting

We hereby certify the availability of 9,740 in  
the Contingency Account for Volunteer Firemen.

*John P. Edwards*  
John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

JPE.pcf

cc. A. Rodrigues

*See Cert 2/27/81*

# City of Danbury

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

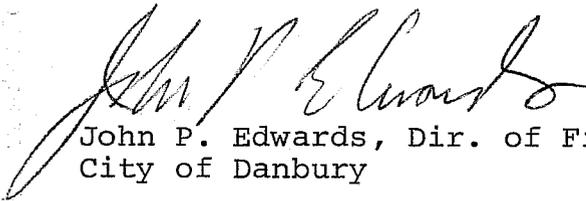
February 27, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting

Please cancel the following certifications:

Parks & Recreation	\$17,000
Volunteer Firemen	9,740

I hereby certify these fund as being available  
in fund balances.

  
John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

JPE.pcf

cc. A. Rodrigues



**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

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JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your consideration of the attached request  
for funds from the City Welfare Department.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James E. Dyer", written over the typed name.

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr

DANBURY WELFARE DEPT.  
DANBURY, CONN. 06810

CITY OF DANBURY  
CONNECTICUT  
WELFARE DEPARTMENT

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January 29, 1981

Mayor James E. Dyer  
City Hall  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Dear Mayor Dyer,

The City Welfare Department has experienced a 31% increase in the number of persons receiving assistance during the first half of this fiscal year as compared to this period last year.

I am requesting an additional \$9,100 appropriation for the 1980-81 fiscal year to meet anticipated expenditures for Public Welfare and the other areas directly related to the above mentioned increase. Those funds expended as Public Welfare will be 90% reimbursable to the City of Danbury from the State of Connecticut.

I will gladly provide to you the information and computations upon which I made the decision to request these additional funds.

Thank you for your time and cooperation.

Sincerely,

*Deborah A. MacKenzie*  
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Acting Director  
Danbury City Welfare

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# City of Danbury

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

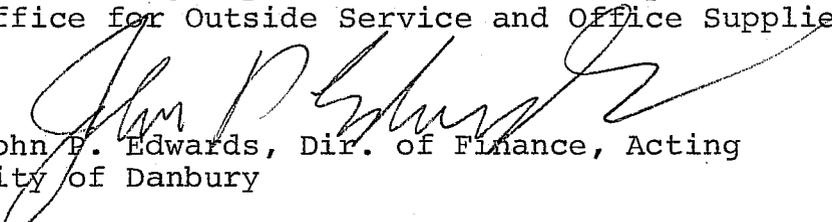
DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

February 25, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council

From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting

I hereby certify the availability of \$100.00 in  
the Contingency Account for the City Clerks  
office for Outside Service and Office Supplies.

  
John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

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cc. A. Rodrigues.



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# CITY OF DANBURY

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

ELIZABETH CRUDGINTON  
CITY CLERK

DANBURY, CONN. 06810

March 3, 1981

Honorable Mayor James E. Dyer  
Members of the Common Council

It is hereby requested that the following transfer of funds be authorized:

Acct. #02-01-111-029500 - Outside services -	\$50.00
"       02-01-111-040100 - Office Supplies -	\$50.00

Outside services are for printing of Fishing & Hunting permits.

*Elizabeth Crudginton*  
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 Elizabeth Crudginton  
 City Clerk

FOR SUPPLY OF SUPPLIES TO TOBACCO...



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**CITY OF DANBURY**  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

JAMES E. DYER  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury, Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your confirmation of my appointment of John Wixted, 8 SilCam Drive, Danbury, Connecticut, as a Fire Inspector in the Danbury Fire Department.

Mr. Wixted placed first on the Civil Service eligibility list. He has also been temporarily serving in this capacity for some months.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James E. Dyer", written over the typed name.

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED/mr

cc: Chief Bertalovitz



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MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury  
Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your confirmation of the re-appointment of Mr. James Maloney, 13 Wooster Heights and Mr. Boyd O. Losee, Crestwood Drive to the Redevelopment Agency for terms to expire on January 1, 1986.

Mr. Maloney and Mr. Losee are both active members of the Agency who requested reappointment.

Sincerely,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

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March 3, 1981

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Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your confirmation of the appointment of Desmond McCann, Sleepy Hollow Drive to the Conservation Commission for a term to expire on July 1, 1982.

Mr. McCann has expressed an interest in serving on this Commission.

sincerely,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

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**JAMES E. DYER**  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

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City of Danbury  
Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your confirmation of the appointment of Robert Tyrell, Jr, Francis Road, Danbury as a member of the Transit District Board of Directors for a term to expire on July 1, 1982.

Mr. Tyrell is active in many youth and sports activities in Danbury.

Sincerely,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

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Subject: Robert Tyrell, Jr. of Danbury, Conn.  
Reference: No. 11800



TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

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Members of the Common Council  
Danbury City Hall  
Deer Hill Avenue  
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OFFICE OF CITY CLERK

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen of the Common Council:

You are about to make a decision as to the confirmation of Dr. Donald Groff's reappointment to the Environmental Impact Commission. I would like to appeal to you to consider the repercussions that will occur if Dr. Groff is not confirmed.

Donald Groff has been the scientist on the commission to compute calculations concerning drainage on land intended for development. His calculations have given the commission members important data so that decisions can be made where-by land is utilized best and the community does not end up with many more problems. The commission has challenged scientific data found in a proposal, and proved it inconclusive or totally inaccurate, using Dr. Groff's calculations. There has been times when the commission has made a decision, going against Dr. Groff's recommendations, only to have been found that that decision was wrong, and a viable piece of land has been obliterated. Remember, once land is destroyed, it is gone forever.

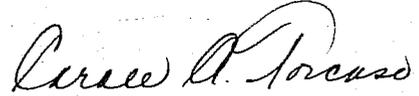
Dr. Groff has spent many hours consulting with the EIC and other agencies of the city. This has been done through the love for this community and its future generations. If Dr. Groff had not been a member of the EIC, an outside consultant would have had to be hired by the city, at considerable cost. Much pressure has been placed on Don Groff in testifying in court as to the decision reached by the commission on several proposals. He is the person who can explain the scientific facts behind the case. Once a task is taken on by the commission (be it by a developer's proposal, or a public hearing by a state agency), Don Groff is always asked to give a statement addressing areas of his expertise. His graduate students from Western Connecticut State College have been hard at work completing a study on dangerous substances leaching at the city landfill.

We are all aware of the pace by which Danbury is developing and that is good, however, it is of utmost importance that all commissions are able to function at their best. It is impossible for the EIC to function without a soil scientist. Do developers care about anything more than the bottom line? I'm afraid not. Most are disturbed with coming before the commission

because they know that if all of the answers are not in the proposal the commission will ask for more information. You, the members of the Council should be pleased that the EIC does not approve a proposal until all areas have been explored, and once the decision is made, Danbury is the benefactor.

The EIC is comprised of people with a sincere desire to keep Danbury environmentally safe. The members have backgrounds in areas necessary to the commission, but Dr. Groff is the only certified soil scientist in the area. What will the commission do when they need a soil scientist? Will you, the members of the Common Council, fund a soil scientist? Where will you obtain the services of a soil scientist? Please, do not cut-off your nose to spite your face, Don't play politics with Danbury's environment. Don Groff cares - he is not out for power or prestige - his only interest is DANBURY'S ENVIRONMENT.

Very truly yours,



Carole A. Torcaso

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Carolene Whalley	5 Grove St.
Mr and Mrs Henry Bertrand	8 Grove Street
Angelina Coelho	01 Grove Street
Dorothy Trester	10 Grove Street
Lee Gzapinski	11 Grove Street
William Jimenez	35 Olive Street
Mia Jimenez	35 Olive Street
Mildred Fredericks	6 Olive St.
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DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

**JAMES E. DYER**  
MAYOR

March 3, 1981

Honorable Members of the Common Council  
City of Danbury  
Connecticut

Dear Council Members:

I respectfully request your confirmation of the following appointments to the Fair Rent Commission:

Mrs. Regina Platano, Royal Pine Drive and Reverend Ismael Perez, 90 Highland Avenue for terms to expire on July 1, 1982.

Mrs. Platano is active in the Danbury Junior Women's Club and the Housing Task Force. Mrs. Platano has expressed an interest in serving on this Commission.

Reverend Perez is active in the Spanish community and has expressed an interest in serving on this Commission.

Sincerely,

James E. Dyer  
Mayor

JED:mad





# City of Danbury

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DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

February 24, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting

We hereby certify the availability of \$1,000 in the  
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DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

March 3, 1981

## REPORT

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Thomas Evans Chairma  
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## REPORT

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Mr. Friscia explained his request for funds and the workings of the Zoning Commission.

Councilman Delsin moved to recommend approval of this request, seconded by Councilman Murray. Motion passed unanimously. Meeting was adjourned at 8:10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

Joseph Da Silva Chairman  
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Roger Delsin

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March 3, 1981

REPORT

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Councilman Murray moved that this request be approved, seconded by Councilman DaSilva. Motion was passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 8:52 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

Joseph DaSilva Chairman  
Joseph DaSilva

Roger Delsin  
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March 3, 1981

## REPORT

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Thomas Evans Chairman

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**CITY OF DANBURY**

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**PLEASE REPLY TO:  
20 West Street  
DANBURY, CT 06810**

Thomas Evans, Chairman  
Land Acquisition Committee  
Danbury Common Council  
Danbury City Hall  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Re: Acquisition of "Open Space"

Dear Chairman Evans:

This letter will confirm my opinion given to the Land Acquisition Committee at a meeting held on February 17, 1981.

A parcel of land designated as "Open Space" on a subdivision map approved by the Planning Commission, which "Open Space" is so designated pursuant to the Planning Commission's Subdivisions Regulations, have been held by the Supreme Court to be subject to implied easements in favor of lot owners who purchase lots shown on the subdivision map. While title to the "Open Space" remains in the developer and may be transferred, the use of the property is restricted by the rights of the lot owners. These rights have not been defined by the court decisions, but, in my opinion, the lot owners would be able to prevent any development or use by the developer, or subsequent owner, of the "Open Space" contrary to their wishes, and the rights may be enforced by appropriate legal relief such as an injunction action.

Very truly yours,

Thomas A. Frizzell

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# CITY OF DANBURY

COMMON COUNCIL

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

March 3, 1981

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Respectfully submitted

*Constance McManus*

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*Ernest M. Boynton*

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# CITY OF DANBURY

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DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

February 22, 1981

## MINORITY REPORT

To: His Honor, the Mayor of Danbury  
and Members of the Common Council  
of the City of Danbury

From: William T. Walsh  
Councilman, 2nd Ward

Subject: Committee Report making recommendation  
concerning councilmember representation  
on the Police Pension Board

The Common Council committee to investigate the legal authority of the current representative from the Common Council on the Police Pension Board met on Tuesday evening, February 17, 1981.

The committee heard opinions and recommendations from the City Corporation Counsel. The committee voted three to one to recommend to the Common Council that, in their opinion, and in the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, the present Common Council representative on said board sits without legal authority, and they further recommend that the situation be corrected as soon as possible by having the Council as a whole elect legal representation.

I was the dissenting voter on this recommendation.

It is my contention that the current council representative on the Police Pension Board sits with de-facto authority. He is a duly elected member of the Common Council and has sat on the Police Pension Board for several years without any objection by his peers on the Common Council.

On April 16, 1980 the Corporation Counsel advised the Administrative Assistant to the Mayor, in a written letter, that he had some reservations as to the legal authority of the current Common Council representative to the Police Pension Board. No action or recommendations were forthcoming from the Mayor's office. Obviously, they saw no immediate need for action at that time.

However, much later, following an unpopular vote by the aforementioned council representative on the Police Pension Board, all hell broke loose and the Mayor's office suddenly "discovered" that the Common Council had no "legal authority" representing it on said board.

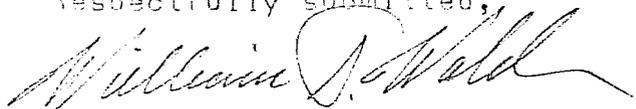
I submit that the Common Council's representative on the Police Pension Board was acting in good faith and was de-facto authorized to do so by the Common Council since May of 1979 when his appointment by Mayor Boughton was due to expire.

Yes, on December 6, 1977 a unanimous voice vote by the Common Council confirmed the appointment of Frederick Visconti, Sr., by Mayor Boughton, to a term which was to expire in May of 1979. May of 1979 came and passed, and since then, no one, until now, has ever questioned the authority of Mr. Visconti sitting on the Police Pension Board.

Although I do not agree with the way Mr. Visconti has voted on the Police Pension Board on several occasions, I do believe he is the legal, authoritative representative of the Common Council on said board. To accept the opinion of the committee, and to remove Mr. Visconti from the board at this time would cast a shadow of illegality over all the board's actions since May of 1979. And, if we accept the strict interpretation of the City Charter proffered by the Corporation Counsel, then even Mr. Visconti's appointment by the mayor in December of 1977 should be held suspect.

I ask that the Common Council, at this time, reaffirm that Frederick Visconti, Sr., is and has been the legal, authoritative representative of this Council to the Police Pension Board as long as he has sat on said board.

Respectfully submitted,





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CITY OF DANBURY

COMMON COUNCIL

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

REPORT

March 3, 1981

Honorable Mayor James E. Dyer  
Members of the Common Council

Re: Appointment of Ambulance Supervisor

The Common Council committee appointed to review the appointment of an ambulance supervisor, met on February 19, 1981 at 7:00 P.M. in room 432 at City Hall.

Based on the attached communications from Mayor James Dyer, The Civil Service Commission and Corporation Counsel Theodore Goldstein, the committee recommends the appointment of Reginald DePalma as Ambulance Supervisor in the Fire Department be confirmed.

Respectfully submitted

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Richard Murray

Chairman

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Joseph DaSilva

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Roger Delsin

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February 19, 1981

PLEASE REPLY TO:  
P.O. Box 1261  
DANBURY, CT 06810

Richard F. Murray, President  
Common Council, City of Danbury  
City Hall, 155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Re: Ambulance Supervisor

Dear Councilman:

In reviewing the above-referenced referral, please be advised that the authority of the Common Council in this area is limited under Charter Section 6-3 to a determination of whether or not to confirm the Mayor's appointment. The scope of your inquiry should, therefore, be limited to that issue.

Very cordially yours,

Theodore H. Goldstein  
Corporation Counsel

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NICHOLAS NERO, *Chairman*

WILLIAM A. HEALY

CARMINE BUTERA

JOHN M. HANNA, *Chief Examiner*

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RE: Appeal of Ambulance Supervisor's  
Examination.

The Civil Service Commission met on February 4, 1981 at 7:30 P.M. to review the above referenced appeal. That meeting was recessed and reconvened on February 9, 1981 at 8:00 P.M. and February 18, 1981 at 8:00 P.M. to afford the Commission ample opportunity to review the questions raised by the appellants with the test examiners. Although the appellants raised legitimate concerns about the examination in question it is the conclusion of the Commission, in which the examiners involved concur, that for reasons stated herein the present appeal should be dismissed.

1. It was claimed that an individual improperly brought written information with him to the exam. After review it is the conclusion of the Commission that Mr. DePalma did, in fact, have copies of his W-2 form and a document analyzing the amount of outside wages which would be lost as a result of the promotion involved. Careful review of the Civil Service Commission rules fails to reveal a prohibition against bringing written materials to oral exams. Generally, it would seem that such materials would be of limited utility in assisting an applicant in responding to substantive questions. Specifically, it is the conclusion of the Commission that the use of these materials carried no weight in the ultimate decision of the examiners.



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Appeal of Ambulance Supervisor's Examination. (cont.)

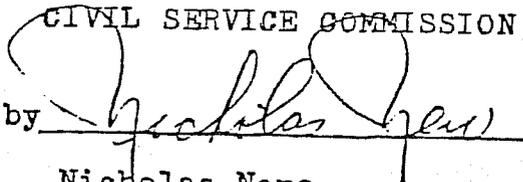
2. There was concern expressed by the appellants that examination questions were not uniformly asked of all applicants. Thorough review of these lengthy tapes by both examiners and Commission members discloses no discrepancies in the questions used. All applicants were asked identical questions. Naturally, some questions were followed up with slight variations depending on a particular applicant's response.

Finally, a question was raised by appellant Esposito relating to the method of choosing the questions used in the exam. Although this ground of appeal was not raised by the appellants in their letter of January 29, 1981, it is the Commission's belief that clarification of its procedures is appropriate to a full resolution of this matter. Questions to be posed at an oral examination are chosen by the test examiners themselves. Each of the three examiners is asked to bring at least five questions with him on the day of the examination. The examiners then review the questions and of these the most appropriate for the examination for Ambulance Supervisor are chosen for use in the exam.

In conclusion, it would appear that although some confusion may have resulted from the testing procedures used or from discussions with applicants who reviewed their examinations, it is clear that all applicants were treated with fairness and full consideration. The Commission concludes that the examination and selection process was administered properly with due regard for the interests of the Civil Service system and the community it serves. Accordingly, the appeals of Mr. Esposito, Mr. Pascuzzi and Mr. Rickert are dismissed.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

by

  
Nicholas Nero,

its Chairman



DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

# City of Danbury

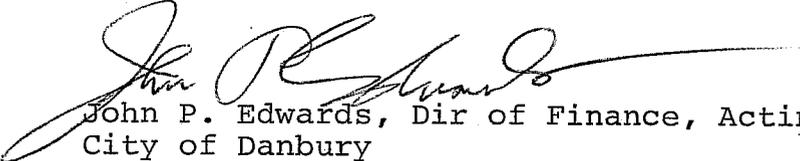
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DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

February 26, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting

The attached communication from the Commission on Aging requires Common Council approval. There is no transfer of funds from contingency, we will amend the revenue and appropriation line items in a like amount.

  
John P. Edwards, Dir of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury

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cc. A. rodrigues



COMMISSION ON AGING  
OF THE CITY OF DANBURY

Ives Manor, 198 Main Street  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

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February 25, 1981

Mr. Richard Murray  
President - Danbury Common Council  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, Connecticut 06810

Councilman Murray:

By virtue of this letter, I request the Common Council to release the following funds from the Contingency Fund of the City into the Commission on Aging budget.

\$88.18 for Repair of Mimeograph Machine  
\$100.00 for Supplies  
\$188.18

The Commission on Aging has sent several hundred dollars to the Comptroller from bazaars and other sources. Therefore, we are not requesting new money for our budget.

Sincerely, *Frank W. Schneider*  
Frank Schneider, Chairman-C.O.A.

Copy to be retained in the Commission on Aging file.



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DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810  
REPORT

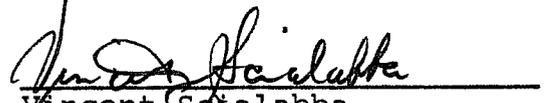
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# City of Danbury

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

DEPARTMENT  
OF FINANCE

February 27, 1981

To: Mayor James E. Dyer and the  
Common Council  
From: John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance

The Contingency Fund is now exhausted.

We hereby certify \$400.00 from fund balance for  
trophys.

John P. Edwards, Dir. of Finance, Acting  
City of Danbury,

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cc. A. Rodrigues



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# CITY OF DANBURY

COMMON COUNCIL

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

March 3, 1981

## COMMON COUNCIL PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE REPORT

Honorable Mayor James E. Dyer  
Members of the Common Council

Re: Transfer of funds to the Parks & Recreation Department.

Mr. Robert Ryerson, Director of the Parks & Recreation Department of the City of Danbury, explained the reasons for the request of \$16,000. He stated that at a meeting with Mayor Dyer, Public Works Director D. Garamell and Common Council President Murray, it was decided that the Parks and Recreation Department should maintain the fields at the various schools after they have recessed for the summer. The reason for this is that these fields are used extensively by various youth and adult groups throughout the summer under the auspices of the Parks & Recreation Dept. Further, there has been a problem in past years having these fields properly maintained and this proposal will rectify this problem. There will also be additional work for the Parks & Recreation Dept. with the aquisition of the Sokol property.

Mr. Ryerson explained that the money will be spent for part-time summer employees who will do the prescribed work on these fields. There will be a need for another nine part-time employees to perform this work.

The committee voted unanimously to recommend approval of the transfer of \$16,000 to the Parks & Recreation Department to accomplish the above mentioned work.

Respectfully submitted

Joseph DaSilva Chairman  
Joseph DaSilva

William J. Walsh  
William Walsh

Richard Murray  
Richard Murray

Constance McManus  
Constance McManus

Richard White  
Richard White

Anthony Cassano  
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Mounir Farah  
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# CITY OF DANBURY

COMMON COUNCIL

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810

March 3, 1981

## COMMON COUNCIL PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE REPORT

Re: Salvaging rights at the Danbury Landfill.

The committee discussed an alternate proposal to awarding salvage rights at the City landfill, that of receiving a percentage of the profits made from salvagable materials. Mr. Fusek explained that it would take a full time person working forty-eight hours per week to oversee an operation of this kind.

It was further pointed out that the City is paid \$2,100 per year for salvage rights at the present time.

Because of the inordinate complexities of administration of this proposal the committee voted unanimously to recommend that no action be taken at this time.

Respectfully submitted

Joseph DaSilva Chairman  
Joseph DaSilva

William S. Walsh  
William Walsh

Richard S. Murray  
Richard Murray

Constance McManus  
Constance McManus

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# CITY OF DANBURY

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March 3, 1981

## COMMON COUNCIL PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE REPORT

Honorable Mayor James E. Dyer  
Members of the Common Council

Re: Request from A.A. Canzler to build a road on City property.

A Communication was received from Attorney Bobby Payne who represents Mr. Canzler, requesting a withdrawal of the petition to build a road on City property. Because of this, the committee is ending consideration of the matter.

Joseph DaSilva Chairman  
Joseph DaSilva

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William Walsh

Richard Murray  
Richard Murray

Constance McManus  
Constance McManus

Richard White  
Richard White

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