# City of Flint, Michigan

Third Floor, City Hall 1101 S. Saginaw Street Flint, Michigan 48502 www.cityofflint.com



# **Meeting Agenda - Final**

Wednesday, June 19, 2019 5:00 PM

Agenda amended to add Public Speaking

**Committee Room** 

# **LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE**

Eva L. Worthing, Chairperson, Ward 9

Eric Mays, Ward 1 Santino J. Guerra, Ward 3 Jerri Winfrey-Carter, Ward 5 Monica Galloway, Ward 7

Maurice D. Davis, Ward 2 Kate Fields, Ward 4 Herbert J. Winfrey, Ward 6 Allan Griggs, Ward 8

Inez M. Brown, City Clerk

#### **ROLL CALL**

#### CHANGES AND/OR ADDITIONS TO AGENDA

Council shall vote on any changes and/or additions to the agenda.

### **PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Members of the public shall have no more than two (2) minutes to address the City Council on any subject.

#### SPECIAL ORDER

**190032** Sp

Special Order/COF Purchasing Ordinance/Emergency Purchases

A Special Order as requested by 1st Ward Councilperson Eric Mays to allow for a council discussion regarding the emergency purchases (Ord. No. 3865, Sec. 18-21.9).

#### **ORDINANCES**

190213

Ordinance/Amendment/Chapter 50 (Zoning)/Fresh Start CDC/Warren Street, Bounded by Warren Street, North Saginaw Street, East Hamilton Street and Chippewa Street/PC 19-338/Ward 5

Ordinance to amend Chapter 50 (Zoning) of the Code of the City of Flint as requested by Fresh Start CDC (PC 19-338), for a zoning change for property fronting Warren Street, bounded by Warren Street, North Saginaw Street, East Hamilton Street and Chippewa Street as follows: Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-001, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 119, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-003, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 120, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-004, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 121, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-005, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 122, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-006, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 124, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-007, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 126, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-008, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 128, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-009, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 130, BLK 15; 611 Newall Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-014, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 123, BLK 15; 617 Newall Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-015, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 125, BLK 15: 619 Newall Street, Parcel No. 40-01-434-017, legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION, LOT 127, BLK 15, from "B" Two-Family

Residential District to "D-2" Neighborhood Business District. [Planning Commission recommends APPROVAL.]

190239

Amendment/Ordinance/Chapter 46 (Utilities)/Article V (Wastewater Disposal Regulations)/Division I (Use of Storm Sewers)

An ordinance to amend the Flint City Code of Ordinances by amending Chapter 46 (Utilities), Article V (Wastewater Disposal Regulations), Division I (Use of Storm Sewers), by adding new sections 46-125 through 46-150.

#### **RESOLUTIONS**

180590 Approval/City of Flint Statement of Policy/Anti-Bullying

Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council agrees to adopt the Anti-Bullying Policy, as requested by Human Resources.

180591 Approval/City of Flint Statement of Policy/Harassment and Discrimination in the Work Place/Complaint Procedure

Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council agrees to adopt the Harassment and Discrimination in the Work Place Policy, and Complaint Procedure, as requested by Human Resources. [NOTE: Policy last adopted on April 22, 2015.]

190011 Approval/City of Flint Statement of Policy/Alcohol & Drug Free Workplace & Testing Policy

Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council agrees to adopt the Alcohol & Drug Free Workplace & Testing Policy, as requested by Human Resources.

#### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

### **OLD, OUTSTANDING DISCUSSION ITEMS**

170028 Referral/Tax Breaks/Home-Based Businesses

Referral by Councilperson Mays to ADMIN, re: He would like to know if the current Administration has considered or is working toward offering tax breaks to city residents with home-based businesses, as well as asks that the City Council consider creating specific legislation in this regard. [Referral Action Date: 1/09/2017 @ City Council Meeting.]

170386 Ordinance Drafts/Water Bills

Referral by Councilperson Mays to MAYOR/ADM/LAW/: He would like two ordinances drafted for the council to review: 1. water lien relief, and 2. a limit on how far the city can go back in trying to collect past due water bills that have been estimated. [Referral Action Date: 7/6/2017 @ Finance Committee Meeting.]

#### 180017 Discussion Item/Home Business Ordinance

Discussion item proposed by Councilperson Mays, re: He would like a discussion of the Home Business Ordinance on the next Legislative Agenda. [Referral Action Date: 1/3/2018 @ Governmental Operations Committee Meeting.]

#### 180304 Referral/CWAC/Ordinance/Discussion

Referral by Councilperson FIELDS to LEGAL/PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT, re: She would like a copy of the CWAC Ordinance and to have a discussion item about the CWAC on the Legislative Agenda. [Referral Action Date: 6/20/2018 @ Grants Committee Meeting.]

#### 180443 Discussion Item/Ordinance Amendment/Blight Infractions

Discussion Item as requested by Councilperson Mays, re: He would like to discuss the possibility of amending the City Code with regard to blight infractions in order to include a \$500 fine and possible jail time. [Referral Action Date: 8/27/2018 @ City Council Meeting.]

#### 180533 Referral/Lobbyists/Fee

A referral as requested by Councilperson Fields to LEGAL: She would like to legislation to require lobbyists to pay fees, as referenced in the new City of Flint Charter. [Referral Action Date: 10/3/2018 @ Finance Committee Meeting.]

#### 180534 Discussion Item/Parking on Lots/Property

A discussion item as requested by Councilperson Mays: He would like to discuss parking on lots and on a homeowner's own property. [Referral Action Date: 5/8/2018 @ Finance Committee Meeting.]

#### 180576 Discussion Item/Recreational Marihuana

A discussion item as requested by Councilperson Mays, re: He would like to discuss recreational marihuana. [Referral Action Date: 11/7/2018 @ Legislative Committee Meeting.]

#### 190033 Discussion Item/CWAC Ordinance

Discussion Item as requested by Councilperson Mays, re: He would like to discuss the proposed changes to the City Wide Advisory [Council] Committee ordinance (Ord. No. 180523.2). [Referral Action Date: 2/04/2019 @ City Council Meeting.]

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### ADJOURNMENT

# 190213

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

An ordinance to amend Chapter 50 of the Code of the City of Flint has been requested by Fresh Start CDC (PC 19-338) for a zoning change for property fronting Warren St., bounded by Warren St., N. Saginaw St., E. Hamilton St., and Chippewa St. (Parcel ID's # 40-01-434-001, 40-01-434-003, 40-01-434-004, 40-01-434-005, 40-01-434-006, 40-01-434-014, 40-01-434-015, 40-01-434-017).

The Planning Commission recommends <u>APPROVAL</u> of a Zoning Ordinance map amendment concerning this property located in WARD 5.

# IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF FLINT:

Sec. 1. That the code of the City of Flint is hereby amended to change the District boundaries or regulations established in Chapter 50 thereof, specifically allowing under 50-4 a zoning map amendment, as follows:

Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-001 legally described POMEROY- BONBRIGHT ADDITION LOT 119, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-003 legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION LOT 120, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-004 legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION LOT 121, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-005 legally described **POMEROY-BONBRIGHT** ADDITION LOT 122, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-006 legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION LOT 124. BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-007 legally described **POMEROY-BONBRIGHT** as

ADDITION LOT 126, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-008 legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION LOT 128, BLK 15; Vacant property on Warren St., parcel # 40-01-434-009 legally described **POMEROY-BONBRIGHT** ADDITION LOT 130, BLK 15; 611 Newall St., parcel # 40-01-434-014 legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT **ADDITION LOT 123, BLK 15; 617** Newall St., parcel # 40-01-434-015 legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT **ADDITION LOT 125, BLK 15; 619** Newall St., parcel # 40-01-434-017 legally described as POMEROY-BONBRIGHT ADDITION LOT 127, BLK 15, from "B" Two Family Residential District to "D-2" Neighborhood Business District.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect the day of, 2019 A.D.	on
Approved this day of2019 A.D.	,
Dr. Karen W. Weaver, Mayor	
Inez M. Brown, City Clerk APPROVED AS JO FORM:	
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Angela Wheeler, Chief Legal Officer	

### **ORDINANCE REVIEW FORM**

FROM:	Department	NO.
ORDINANCE NAME:	Rezoning for 11 parcels boun E. Hamilton St., and Chippew	ded by Warren St., N. Saginaw St., a St., from "B" zoning district
	to "V-2" zoning district.	
	1. ORDINANCE REVIEW - D	EPARTMENT DIRECTOR
	ICE is approved by the Director of the at to be processed for signatures and fully	fected Department. By signing, the Director executed.
By: Director	Z-we	DATE: 5/23/19
Department: _	Name  Name  Department	
	Date in:	
	2. ORDINANCE REVIEW-MA	YORS OFFICE
The attached ORDINAN approves this ordinance	CE is submitted to the Mayors Office for to be processed for signatures and fully	r approval. By signing, the Mayor's office executed.
By: Steve Branch City Administrator	RBBranch_	DATE: 5/31/19
	Date in:	
	3. ORDINANCE REVIEW - L	AW DEPARTMENT
The attached Ordinance	is submitted to the Department of Law	, ,
The Department of Law this form approves as to By:  Angela Wheeler Chief Legal Officer	reviewed this Ordinance, as to form and form and content.	Content, on 5-30-1, and by signing (Date)



### CITY OF FLINT

#### FLINT PLANNING COMMISSION ROBERT WESLEY, CHAIRMAN

TO: Flint City Council

CC: Steve Branch, City Administrator

FROM: Flint Planning Commission

<u>DATE:</u> May 21, 2019

SUBJECT: PC 19-338: AMAG, LLC on behalf of Fresh Start CDC requests a rezoning of the

following 11 parcels from "B" Two-Family Residential District to "D-2"

Neighborhood Business District to develop a grocery store: PID # 40-01-434-001, 40-01-434-003, 40-01-434-004, 40-01-434-005, 40-01-434-006, 40-01-434-007, 40-01-434-008, 40-01-434-009, 40-01-434-014, 40-01-434-015, 40-01-434-017.

APPLICANT/AGENT: Fresh Start CDC

1035 E. Carpenter Rd.

Flint, MI 48505

At its meeting on May 14, 2019, the Flint Planning Commission <u>recommended APPROVAL</u> of the above captioned zoning change request.

The vote to recommend Approval for PC 19-338 was 7-0:

Yea: H. Ryan—Ward 1; L. Campbell—Ward 3; C. Blower—Ward 4; R. Wesley—Ward 5;

R. Jewell—Ward 6; D. Allen—Ward 7; E. Jordan—Ward 9

Nay: None

A copy of the proposed ordinance, map, and other related documents are attached.

Respectfully,

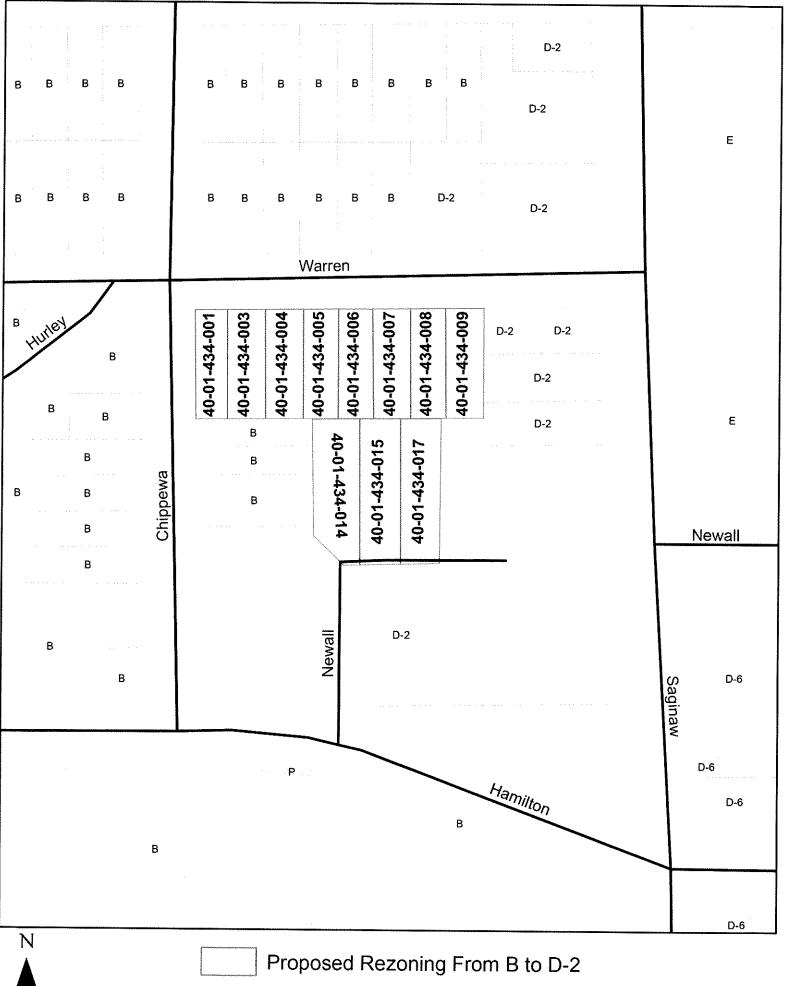
Robert Wesley, Chairman Flint Planning Commission

Attachment

XC: Fresh Start CDC

Suzanne Wilcox, Department of Planning & Development Director

File



0 125 250 500 Feet SUBMIT TO: City of Flint Zoning Office 1101 South Saginaw Street Rm. S105 Flint, MI 48502 810.766.7355 Fax: 810.766.7249 www.cityofflint.com

For Office Use Only Case No. PC 19-338	
Date Rec'd	
Meeting Date <u>5/14/19</u>	

Property Owner (if different than Applicant)

### APPLICATION FOR FLINT PLANNING COMMISSION

Concerning a request to amend, supplement, or change the district boundaries of regulations established in Chapter 50, commonly referred to as the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Flint.

Application Filing Fee due at time of submission. Fees are non-refundable.

# To be completed by applicant: Applicant/Agent

Name_AMAG, LLC	Name Fresh Start CDC	
Address 4488 West Bristol Road	Address 1035 E. Carpenter Road	
Flint MI 48507	Flint MI 48505	
(City) (State) (Zip)	(City) (State) (Zip)	
Telephone (810) 230-9311 Fax N/A	Telephone (810) 874-0133 Fax N/A	
Email_dmclane@amagarch.com	Email_info@freshstartcdcflint.org	
Requested Action and Non-refundable Filing Fee:		
☐ Street Name Change - \$1,002.00 ☐ Street/Alley Vacations - \$1,002.00		
Rezoning - \$1,253.00		
Conditional Rezoning - \$1,002.00	☐ Special Regulated Use - \$1,002.00	
Information regarding the site:		
Street Address Refer to site plan layout dated 4/22	/19 (Request for eleven (11) lots to be rezoned).	
Major Cross Streets North Saginaw Street & East Ha	amilton Avenue	
Parcel No. Refer to "request explanation" next sheet (11 parcels listed)  Current Zoning District B'		
Current Use Residential		
Information regarding request:		
Proposed Use Grocery Store	Proposed Zoning District D-2	
Explain Request (On Page 2)		

Explain Request: Fresh Start CDC (I	_and Owner) is requesting a zoning change from the existing 'B' (t	Wo-family residential district)
classification to a 'D-2' (neighborhoo	od business district) for purposes of building a grocery sto	ore.
The following parcels are included a		
	01-434-004, 40-01-434-005, 40-01-434-006, 40-01-434-0	07. 40-01-434-008.
40-01-434-009, 40-01-434-014, 40-0		
PERSON WITH NOTORIZED LET	END PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS OR BE REPRITER OF REPRESENTATION TO ACT ON BEHALF OF Commation is correct to the best of my knowledge and grant print an on-site inspection.    Print Name	OWNER.
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	<b>,</b>	•
Date Planning Commission Hearing is Schedul	ed Date notice of Planning Commission meeting	published
Date notice of Planning Commission meeting w property owners/occupants within 300ft of parci	as mailed to el	
Planning Commission Decision:		
□ Approved	☐ Denied	
☐ Approved as Amended	□ Other:	
Remarks:		
	- 5/14/19	



### CITY OF FLINT

#### FLINT PLANNING COMMISSION ROBERT WESLEY, CHAIRMAN

### STAFF REPORT PC 19-338

**DATE:** May 8, 2019

TO: Flint Planning Commission

STAFF REPORT BY: Andy Aamodt, Zoning Coordinator

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPT: Department of Planning and Development

<u>SUBJECT:</u> PC 19-338: AMAG, LLC requests a rezoning of the following 11 parcels from "B" Two-Family Residential Zoning District to "D-2" Neighborhood Business Zoning District to develop a grocery store: PID # 40-01-434-001, 40-01-434-003, 40-01-434-009, 40-01-434-005, 40-01-434-006, 40-01-434-007, 40-01-434-008, 40-01-434-019, 40-01-434-015, 40-01-434-017.

LOCATION: Eleven (11) parcels on Warren St. & Newall St., bounded by Warren St., N. Saginaw St., E. Hamilton St., and Chippewa St. (PID # 40-01-434-001, 40-01-434-003, 40-01-434-004, 40-01-434-005, 40-01-434-006, 40-01-434-007, 40-01-434-008, 40-01-434-017)

AFFECTED WARD: Subject site is located in Ward 5.

<u>PERTINENT SECTION OF THE ORDINANCE:</u> Zoning Ordinance Article XXVII – Changes and Amendments §50-149 to §50-151.

#### **EXISTING LAND USE PATTERNS:**

North- Residential/Commercial East- Residential/Institutional

South- Institutional/Park

West- Residential

#### **EXISTING ZONING PATTERNS:**

Subject Property - "B" Two Family

North- "B" Two Family & "D-2" Neighborhood Business

East- "D-6" General & Highway Commercial Services & "E" Heavy

Commercial Limited Manufacturing

South- "B" Two Family & "D-2" Neighborhood Business

West- "B" Two Family

#### **BACKGROUND**

Fresh Start CDC is proposing new construction of a grocery store on numerous parcels bounded by Warren St., N. Saginaw St., E. Hamilton St., and Chippewa St. (see attached conceptual site plan). Eleven (11) of these parcels are currently zoned "B" Two-Family Residential, therefore cannot be legally combined with the adjoining "D-2" properties to develop the site.

If the applicant's rezoning request is approved and adopted, the applicant intends to legally combine the parcels through the Assessments Division and then go through Site Plan Review for the development of the grocery store site.

#### **APPLICANT REQUEST**

This application requests a change of the zoning map, or rezoning, of eleven (11) "B" zoned parcels to "D-2" zoning designation.

Pursuant to §50-151(c), Planning Commission makes a recommendation of approval to City Council. City Council is the legislative body that will then formally adopt the rezoning.

## STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends Planning Commission's recommendation of approval to City Council.

A "D-2" zoning designation is the lowest intensity of commercial zoning that permits a grocery store outright. This subject tract of land is currently vacant, or proposed to be vacant pending the demolition of Fresh Start CDC owned homes. The grocery store project will fill a void of fresh grocery options for area residents and will be in close proximity to the planned Choice Neighborhoods development. The grocery store proposes access from N. Saginaw St. and E. Hamilton Ave., which comprise an existing commercial corridor.

#### FIRST AMENDMENT TO OPTION AGREEMENT

This Amendment to Option Agreement is made and entered into effective May  $10^\circ$  , 2019 by and between the Genesee County Land Bank Authority and Fresh Start CDC, Inc.

WHEREAS the Genesee County Land Bank Authority ("Seller") and Fresh Start CDC, Inc ("Buyer") entered into an Option Agreement on June 6, 2018 to purchase property described in Exhibit A of the Option Agreement.

WHEREAS Seller and Buyer desire to amend the Option Agreement as set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE the Option Agreement deadline to execute will be extended from May 31, 2019 to May 31, 2020.

THEREFORE, Exhibit A will be updated to reflect the addition of two parcels. (Parcels 40-01-434-008 and 40-01-434-003)

THEREFORE, the total sales price with the additional parcels will be \$3,380. The Seller acknowledges a total deposit of Three Hundred Forty Dollars \$340 is due upon execution.

THEREFORE, Buyer requests the Seller complete Quiet Title on the additional parcels at the cost of \$800 per parcel. The Quiet Title fee for the additional parcels will be paid at the time of the First Amendment to Option Agreement is signed and is non-refundable.

All other provisions and conditions in the Option Agreement remain in full force and effect and unchanged except as provided herein.

This amendment may be executed in one or more counterparts with the same effect as if all signing parties have signed the same document and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each of the parties and delivered to the other party.

Witness

Date 52 10-17

Witness-=

Date

Buyer/

Patrick W. Sanders, Sr., CFO Fresh Start CDC, Inc.

Dawn Everett, Sales and Development Manager

Genesee County Land Bank Authority

Date 3-10-19

Date 5-10-19

#### AMENDED EXHIBIT A

- VL (605) Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-430-011)
- VI. (609) Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-430-012)
- VI. Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-430-013)
- VI. Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-001)
- VL Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-004)
- VL Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-005)
- VL (618) Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-006)
- VL Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-007)
- VL Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-009)
- VI. Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-019)
- VI. (626) Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-008)
- VI. (606) Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-003)



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#### **OPTION AGREEMENT**

Genesee County Land Bank Authority, of Flint, Michigan, 452 S. Saginaw St. 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Flint, MI 48502, (the "Seller"), and Fresh Start CDC, Inc., 1035 E. Carpenter Rd, Flint, MI 48505 (the "Buyer") enter into this Option Agreement (the "Option") subject to the following conditions:

1. Grant of the Option. In consideration of Two Hundred Eighty (\$280.00) Dollars paid by the Buyer to the Seller, receipt of which the Seller acknowledges, the Seller grants the Buyer an exclusive option to purchase, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, the real property described in the attached Exhibit Λ, (collectively the "Property", which consists of several individual parcels), with all easements, rights, and appurtenances. The option price is non-refundable. The Option may be exercised by the Buyer at any time prior to 5:00p.m. on May 31, 2019. During the term of this Option, the Buyer may undertake any inspections, testing and other due diligence activities upon written notice to the Seller.

This sale is being made contingent upon the approval of the project and financing provided to the Land Bank. Prior to closing, the buyer will provide evidence of the firm funding commitments listed in the development budget that was provided to the Land Bank or in keeping with an alternate budget approved by the Land Bank's Executive Director. The buyer also agrees to make warranties that no other use or disposition other than the approved project will be made.

- 2. Purchase price. The purchase price for the premises under this option is \$2,782.00. The price is exclusive of all fees and taxes due and payable for each of the properties as stated on **Exhibit A**. The balance of the purchase price and fees shall be paid in full at the closing with certified funds. The consideration for this Option shall be credited to the purchase price for the properties at the closing if the Buyer exercises the option.
- 3. Quiet Title. The Buyer has requested the Seller complete Quiet Title on each parcel. The cost will be \$800 per parcel, or \$8,000 total. This fee will be paid at the time of the Option signing and is non-refundable.
- 4. Exercise of the Option. The Buyer may exercise this Option by giving written notice signed by the Buyer to the Seller at its address stated above, including any written documentation associated with any contingencies outlined in Section 1 as well as, (1) Site Plan Approval from the City of Flint, (2) letters of commitment for development financing, and (3) a letter of support from the City of Flint Planning Department, and (4) Final approval by the Land Bank of all documentation as required in the GCLBA's policies and procedures. The notice must be in writing signed by the Buyer and received by the Seller before this Option expires.
- 5. Failure to exercise the Option. If the Buyer fails to properly exercise this Option before this agreement expires, this Option shall terminate and the Seller may retain the Two Hundred Eighty (\$280.00) Dollars consideration and shall have no further obligation to the Buyer.
- 6. <u>Closing.</u> The land bank or its agent will prepare closing documents no later than 10 business days after receiving written notification from the Bayer that the Option is being exercised. This sale shall be closed within 10 days after all the closing documents are prepared but no later than 30 days after the Seller receives the notice that the Commitment of Title Insurance has been issued. The cost of Title Insurance will be the responsibility of the Buyer.

- 7. The closing and preparations for the closing. If the Buyer exercises the Option, the following obligations shall be performed by the closing:
- a. The Seller shall prepare the necessary conveyance documents to transfer its title to the Buyer and forward them to the Buyer for the Buyer's review before the scheduled date of the closing.
- b. The closing shall be held at the Seller's offices as stated in this Option agreement unless the parties mutually agree on some other location.
- c. All real estate taxes owing if any on the Property shall be prorated between the Buyer and the Seller according to the calendar year, under the assumption that taxes are collected in arrears to cover the calendar year in which they become due and payable. For any outstanding assessments on the Property that are paid in annual installments, the annual installment for the year in which the closing is held shall be prorated between the parties, and all successive installments shall be paid by the Buyer.
- 8. <u>Maintenance</u>. The Buyer agrees that the Property must be maintained in the following manner by the buyer or their designee:
  - a. The Buyer's obligations are as follows:
    - i. Take action to insure that nothing is done which might place Seller in violation of applicable building, housing, zoning, and health codes and regulations.
    - ii Keep the Property clean and sanitary, removing garbage and trash as it accumulates, and the lawn maintained.
    - iii. Operate all equipment in a reasonable, safe manner as defined under state and local laws and ordinances.
  - b. The Buyer is permitted to make improvements to the Property relating to lawn maintenance, gardening or landscaping.
  - c. Any other improvement to the Property, or removal of Seller's property, including trees, or alterations shall not be made without the prior consent of the Seller.
  - d. The Seller makes no representation or warranty about the content or condition of the Property or its fitness for any particular use.
  - e. Seller has the right of emergency access to the Property at any time.
  - E. Buyer agrees to accept the Property in its current condition, clean and maintain the Property during the term of this Option.

If maintenance terms are not followed, the Seller may upon written notification cancel this option and retain the \$280 deposit to offset maintenance costs.

- 9. Release of Liability. The Buyer agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Seller, Genesee County, and the their respective Board of Commissioners and Board of Directors, their administrators, agents, and employees from any and all liability for property damage and/or bodily injury to anyone or anything that arises from or is caused by actions or omissions taken in furtherance of the execution of the execution of this Option—the Buyer understands that the property may be in poor condition and presents potential hazards and assumes all risks.
- 10 Environmental Review. Notwithstanding any other provision of this contract, Buyer shall have no obligation to purchase the Property and no transfer of title to the Purchaser may occur, unless written notification has been provided to all parties by the Responsible Entity, as defined by the federal program, showing that: (1) it has completed a federal required environmental review and its request for release of federal funds has been approved and, subject to any other Contingencies in this Contract, (a) the purchase may proceed or (b) the purchaser

may proceed only if certain conditions to address issues in the environmental review shall be satisfied before or after the purchase of the property; or (2) it has been determined by the Responsible Entity that the purchase is exempt from federal environmental review and a request for release of funds is not required.

- Binding effect. This agreement shall bind and benefit the parties' successors and assigns. The Buyer may assign its interest under this agreement only with written consent from the Seller.
- Construction and venue. This agreement shall be governed by Michigan laws. Any disputes shall be brought in the Courts of Genesee County.
- Entire agreement. This agreement contains the entire agreement of the parties with respect to the transaction described in this agreement, and this agreement may not be amended or released, in whole or in part, except by a document signed by the parties.
- Effective date. The effective date of this agreement, i.e., the date on which the timing provisions and contingencies of this agreement begin (the Effective Date), will be the date on which the last person to sign this document will have signed the document. If the parties fail to insert the date they signed this agreement beneath their signatures below, the Effective Date will be the date on which Buyer received a fully executed copy of this document.

Witness

Seller

Development & Sales Manager

Genesee County Land Bank Authority

Witness

Patrick W. Sanders, Sr., CEO

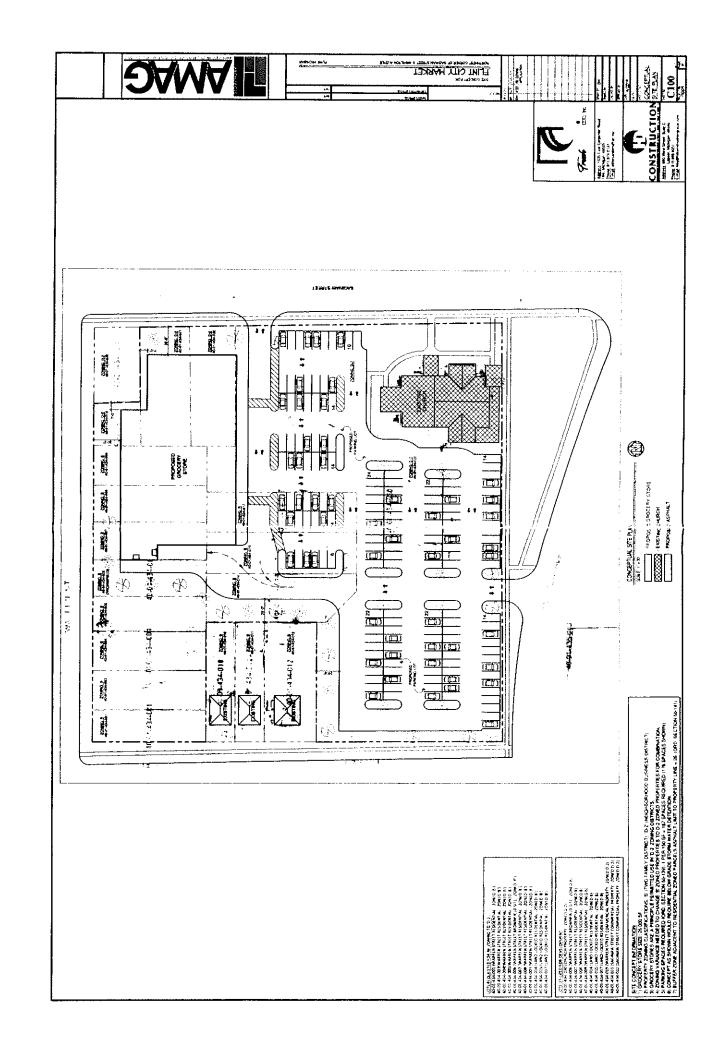
Fresh Start CDC, Inc

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#### Exhibit A

- VI. (605) Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-430-011)
- VL (609) Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-430-012)
- VI. Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-430-013)
- VI. Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-001)
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- VI. Warren St. (Parcel Number 40-01-434-019)



ORDINANCE	NO.	

An ordinance to amend the Code of the City of Flint by amending Chapter 46, Utilities, Article V, Wastewater Disposal Regulations, Division 1, Use of Storm Sewers, by adding new Sections 46-125 through 46-150.

# IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF FLINT:

Sec. 1. That the Code of the City of Flint shall be amended by amending Chapter 6, Utilities, Article V, Wastewater Disposal Regulations, Division 1, Use of Storm Sewers, by adding new Sections 46-125 through 46-150, to read in their entirety as follows:

# ARTICLE V. WASTEWATER DISPOSAL REGULATIONS

DIVISION 1. USE OF STORM SEWERS §46-125 TITLE

THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE KNOWN AS THE "CITY OF FLINT STORMWATER MANAGEMENT ORDINANCE" AND MAY BE SO CITED.

§46-126 Findings

#### THE CITY OF FLINT FINDS THAT:

WATER BODIES, ROADWAYS, STRUCTURES, AND OTHER PROPERTY WITHIN, AND DOWNSTREAM OF THE CITY OF FLINT ARE AT TIMES SUBJECTED TO FLOODING;

FLOODING IS A DANGER TO THE LIVES AND PROPERTY OF THE PUBLIC AND IS ALSO A DANGER TO THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF THE CITY OF FLINT AND THE REGION;

LAND DEVELOPMENT ALTERS THE HYDROLOGIC RESPONSE **OF** RESULTING IN WATERSHEDS, INCREASED STORM WATER RUNOFF **INCREASED** RATES AND **VOLUMES.** FLOODING. INCREASED **STREAM** CHANNEL EROSION, AND INCREASED **SEDIMENT TRANSPORT** AND **DEPOSITION:** 

STORM WATER RUNOFF
PRODUCED BY LAND DEVELOPMENT
CONTRIBUTES TO INCREASED
QUANTITIES OF WATER-BORNE
POLLUTANTS;

INCREASES OF STORM WATER RUNOFF, SOIL EROSION, AND NON-POINT SOURCE POLLUTION HAVE OCCURRED —AS A RESULT OF LAND DEVELOPMENT;

**INCREASED STORM** WATER RUNOFF RATES AND VOLUMES, AND THE AND **POLLUTANTS SEDIMENTS** WITH STORM ASSOCIATED WATER RUNOFF FROM FUTURE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS WITHIN THE CITY OF FLINT WILL, ABSENT REGULATION CONTROL, ADVERSELY AFFECT THE CITY OF FLINT'S WATER BODIES AND WATER RESOURCES;

STORM WATER RUNOFF, SOIL EROSION, AND NON-POINT SOURCE POLLUTION CAN BE CONTROLLED AND MINIMIZED BY THE REGULATION OF STORM WATER RUNOFF FROM DEVELOPMENT;

THE STANDARDS, CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES CONTAINED IN THIS ORDINANCE ADDRESS THE DELETERIOUS EFFECTS OF STORM WATER RUNOFF;

THESE STANDARDS ARE NECESSARY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE AND THE PROTECTION OF WATER BODIES IN THE CITY OF FLINT.

THE CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN AUTHORIZE LOCAL UNITS OF GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE STORMWATER MANAGEMENT SERVICES AND SYSTEMS THAT WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THE PROTECTION AND PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE, AND TO THE PROTECTION OF THE STATE'S NATURAL RESOURCES.

PROPERTY OWNERS INFLUENCE THE QUANTITY, CHARACTER AND QUALITY OF STORM WATER FROM THEIR PROPERTY IN RELATION TO THE NATURE OF THE ALTERATIONS MADE TO PROPERTY.

### **§46-127 PURPOSE**

IT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH STORM WATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS AND CONTROLS TO ACCOMPLISH, AMONG OTHERS, THE FOLLOWING OBJECTIVES:

- (A) TO REDUCE ARTIFICIALLY INDUCED FLOOD DAMAGE;
- (B) TO MINIMIZE STORM WATER RUNOFF RATES AND VOLUMES FROM IDENTIFIED NEW LAND DEVELOPMENT;
- (C) TO MINIMIZE THE DETERIORATION OF EXISTING NATURAL

WATERCOURSES, CULVERTS AND BRIDGES, AND OTHER STRUCTURES;

- (D) TO ENCOURAGE WATER RECHARGE INTO THE GROUND WHERE GEOLOGICALLY FAVORABLE CONDITIONS EXIST;
- (E) TO MINIMIZE AND CONTROL STORM AND SURFACE WATER POLLUTANT LEVELS;
- (F) TO PROTECT THE INTEGRITY OF STREAM CHANNELS FOR THEIR BIOLOGICAL FUNCTIONS, AS WELL AS FOR DRAINAGE AND OTHER PURPOSES;
- (G) TO MINIMIZE THE IMPACT OF DEVELOPMENT UPON STREAM BANK AND STREAMBED STABILITY;
- (H) TO REDUCE EROSION FROM DEVELOPMENT OR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS; AND
- **(I)** TO REDUCE STORM WATER RUNOFF RATES AND VOLUMES, SOIL EROSION, AND WATER POLLUTION, WHEREVER PRACTICABLE, FROM **LANDS** THAT WERE DEVELOPED WITHOUT **STORM** WATER MANAGEMENT CONTROLS MEETING THE PURPOSES AND STANDARDS OF THIS ORDINANCE.
- (J) TO REDUCE THE ADVERSE IMPACT OF CHANGING LAND USE ON WATER BODIES AND, TO THAT END, THIS ORDINANCE ESTABLISHES STANDARDS TO PROTECT WATER BODIES FROM DEGRADATION RESULTING FROM CHANGING LAND USE WHERE THERE

ARE INSUFFICIENT STORM WATER MANAGEMENT CONTROLS.

# §46-128 APPLICABILITY, EXEMPTIONS AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

- (A) THIS ORDINANCE SHALL APPLY TO USE OF THE CITY OF FLINT MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM, ALSO KNOWN AS THE FLINT MS4.
- (B) THIS ORDINANCE SHALL ALSO ANY EARTH TO **CHANGE** (I) GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 1 ACRE (≥1 AC.) IN CONNECTION WITH NEW DEVELOPMENT OR REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS, AND (II) LESS THAN 1 ACRE (≤1 ACRE) IN CONNECTION WITH NEW DEVELOPMENT OR REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS THAT ARE PART OF **PLAN** LARGER **COMMON FOR** DEVELOPMENT OR SALE.
- (C) THIS ORDINANCE SHALL NOT APPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:
- **(1)** INSTALLATION THE OR REMOVAL OF AN INDIVIDUAL MOBILE HOME WITHIN A MOBILE HOME PARK. THIS EXEMPTION SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED TO APPLY TO CONSTRUCTION. EXPANSION, MODIFICATION OF A MOBILE HOME PARK OR TO THE FEES PAYABLE BY AN **INDIVIDUAL MOBILE HOME UNDER §46-**149.
- (2) LANDSCAPING AND FARM PLANTING, TILLING, PLOWING AND HARVESTING. EARTH DISTURBANCES THAT ARE NOT ACTUAL FARMING AND LANDSCAPING ARE NOT EXEMPT FROM THIS ORDINANCE.

#### §46-129 DEFINITIONS

FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS ORDINANCE, THE FOLLOWING WORDS AND PHRASES SHALL MEAN:

- (A) BEST **MANAGEMENT** PRACTICES (BMPS) - NON-STRUCTURAL **STRUCTURAL PREVENTIVE** AND **OTHER** ACTIONS. ACTIONS, MANAGEMENT. **CONTROLS** AND DESIGNS THAT FURTHER THE PURPOSES OF THIS ORDINANCE. BMPS INCLUDE **SCHEDULES** OF ACTIVITIES. OF **PROHIBITIONS** PRACTICES. **MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES** AND OTHER MANAGEMENT PRACTICES TO PREVENT OR REDUCE POLLUTION OF THE WATERS OF THE STATE. EXAMPLES OF NON-STRUCTURAL BMPS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, BUFFERS ALONG WATER BODIES, MINIMIZATION OF THE DISTURBANCE OF SOILS AND VEGETATION, AND RESTRICTIONS ON DIRECTLY CONNECTED IMPERVIOUS SURFACE AREAS. EXAMPLES STRUCTURAL BMPS INCLUDE, BUT ARE LIMITED TO. WET PONDS, **EXTENDED DETENTION** OUTLET STRUCTURES, **FILTRATION VIA** GRASSED SWALES, **SAND** FILTERS, UNCOVERED GROUND FILTER STRIPS, INFILTRATION **BASINS** AND INFILTRATION TRENCHES.
- (B) BUILDING OPENING ANY OPENING OF A SOLID WALL SUCH AS A WINDOW OR DOOR, THROUGH WHICH FLOODWATERS COULD PENETRATE.
- (C) CITY THE CITY OF FLINT, MICHIGAN, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

- (D) CITY DIRECTOR THE DIRECTOR OF UTILITIES OF THE CITY OR OTHER PERSON OR PERSONS DESIGNATED BY THE DIRECTOR OF UTILITIES TO EXERCISE CONTROL OVER THE CITY'S STORM SEWERS AND MATTERS RELATING TO THE CITY MS4.
- CITY **ENFORCEMENT (E)** OFFICER - ANY EMPLOYEE OF THE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF UTILITIES OF THE CITY OF FLINT HOLDING THE TITLE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL SUPERVISOR, ASSISTANT WATER POLLUTION CONTROL SUPERVISOR, **ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE** SUPERVISOR, **ENVIRONMENTAL** COMPLIANCE INSPECTOR. **SENIOR ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE** ANALYST. **ENVIRONMENTAL** COMPLIANCE ANALYST, OR WATER QUALITY SUPERVISOR.
- (F) CITY WATER POLLUTION CONTROL SUPERVISOR (CWPCS) THE SUPERVISOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF UTILITIES OF THE CITY OR OTHER PERSON OR PERSONS DESIGNATED BY THE CWPCS OR BY THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXERCISE CONTROL OVER THE CITY MS4.
- (G) CONSTRUCTION SITE STORM WATER RUNOFF STORM WATER RUNOFF FROM A DEVELOPMENT SITE DURING OR FOLLOWING AN EARTH CHANGE.
- (H) DETENTION A SYSTEM WHICH IS DESIGNED TO CAPTURE STORM WATER AND RELEASE IT OVER TIME THROUGH AN OUTLET STRUCTURE AT A CONTROLLED RATE.

- DEVELOP OR DEVELOPED **(I)** OR DEVELOPMENT - THE INSTALLATION OR CONSTRUCTION OF IMPERVIOUS SURFACES ON A DEVELOPMENT SITE THAT REQUIRE, PURSUANT TO STATE LAW OR LOCAL ORDINANCE, CITY APPROVAL OF A SITE PLAN, PLAT, SITE CONDOMINIUM, SPECIAL LAND USE, DEVELOPMENT, PLANNED UNIT REZONING OF LAND, LAND DIVISION APPROVAL, PRIVATE ROAD APPROVAL OR OTHER APPROVALS REQUIRED FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF LAND OR THE **BUILDINGS** ERECTION OF STRUCTURES; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT FOR PURPOSES OF ARTICLE V. ONLY, DEVELOPED **DIVISION 1** DEVELOPMENT SHALL NOT INCLUDE THE ACTUAL CONSTRUCTION OF, OR AN ADDITION, **EXTENSION** OR MODIFICATION TO, AN INDIVIDUAL SINGLE-FAMILY OR A TWO-FAMILY **DETACHED** RESIDENTIAL **USE** DWELLING OR APPURTENANCES TO THE SAME, IF THE EARTH CHANGE IS LESS THAN ONE ACRE, AND IF THE CITY DIRECTOR FINDS **THAT SUCH** CONSTRUCTION, ADDITION, EXTENSION OR MODIFICATION WILL NOT RESULT IN ADVERSE STORM WATER RUNOFF.
- (J) DEVELOPER ANY PERSON PROPOSING OR IMPLEMENTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF LAND.
- (K) DEVELOPMENT SITE ANY LAND THAT IS BEING OR HAS BEEN DEVELOPED, OR THAT A DEVELOPER PROPOSES FOR DEVELOPMENT.
- (L) DISCHARGE THE DIRECT OR INDIRECT INTRODUCTION (INCLUDING INFILTRATION) OF POLLUTANTS, GROUNDWATER,

WASTEWATER OR STORM WATER (WHETHER OR NOT IT IS CONTAMINATED AND WHETHER OR NOT IT CONTAINS POLLUTANTS) INTO THE CITY MS4 WHICH IS EITHER INTENTIONAL OR UNINTENTIONAL.

- (M) DISCHARGER ANY PERSON OR ENTITY WHO DISCHARGES.
- (N) DRAIN ANY DRAIN AS DEFINED IN THE DRAIN CODE OF 1956, AS AMENDED, BEING MCL 280.1, ET. SEQ., OTHER THAN AN ESTABLISHED COUNTY OR INTERCOUNTY DRAIN.
- (O) DRAINAGE THE PASSIVE OR ACTIVE COLLECTION AND CONVEYANCE OF WASTEWATER, GROUNDWATER, STORM WATER AND/OR SURFACE WATER.
- (P) DRAINAGEWAY THE AREA WITHIN WHICH SURFACE WATER OR GROUND WATER IS CARRIED FROM ONE PART OF A LOT OR PARCEL TO ANOTHER PART OF THE LOT OR PARCEL OR TO ADJACENT LAND.
- (Q) EARTH CHANGE ANY HUMAN ACTIVITY WHICH REMOVES GROUND COVER, CHANGES THE SLOPE OR CONTOURS OF THE LAND, DISTURBS THE GROUND SURFACE, OR EXPOSES THE SOIL SURFACE TO THE ACTIONS OF WIND AND RAIN. EARTH CHANGE INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, ANY EXCAVATING, SURFACE GRADING, FILLING, LANDSCAPING, OR REMOVAL OF VEGETATIVE ROOTS.
- (R) EPA THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.

- (S) EXEMPTED DISCHARGES DISCHARGES AS SPECIFIED IN §46-143(C)-(D), OF THIS ORDINANCE.
- (T) FLOOD OR FLOODING A CONDITION OF PARTIAL OR COMPLETE INUNDATION OF NORMALLY DRY LAND AREAS.
- (U) FLOOD PROTECTION ELEVATION (FPE) THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION PLUS ONE (1) FOOT AT ANY GIVEN LOCATION. THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION IS THE COMPUTED ELEVATION TO WHICH FLOOD WATERS ARE ANTICIPATED TO RISE DURING THE BASE (1% ANNUAL CHANCE) EVENT.
- (V) GRADING ANY STRIPPING, EXCAVATING, CONTOURING, FILLING, AND STOCKPILING OF SOIL OR ANY COMBINATION THEREOF.
- (W) HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE -ANY SUBSTANCE AS DEFINED IN PART 201 OF THE MICHIGAN NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, ACT 451 OF 1994, AS AMENDED.
- (X) ILLICIT CONNECTION ANY METHOD OR MEANS FOR CONVEYING AN ILLICIT DISCHARGE INTO THE CITY MS4, OTHER THAN INFILTRATION.
- (Y) ILLICIT DISCHARGE ANY DISCHARGE TO THE MS4 THAT DOES NOT CONSIST ENTIRELY OF (I) DISCHARGES IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE TERMS OF AN NPDES PERMIT HELD BY THE DISCHARGER, (II) EXEMPTED DISCHARGES, OR

- (III) UNCONTAMINATED **STORM** WATER, OR A COMBINATION OF THESE. UNCONTAMINATED STORM WATER IS STORM WATER WHICH DOES NOT CONTAIN POLLUTANTS WHICH ARE PRESENT ABOVE BACKGROUND CONCENTRATIONS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AREA HAD A DISCHARGE OR RELEASE OF **POLLUTANTS** NOT OCCURRED.
- (Z) IMPERVIOUS SURFACE —
  IMPERVIOUS MEANS A SURFACE AREA
  WHICH IS COMPACTED OR COVERED
  WITH MATERIAL THAT IS RESISTANT TO
  OR IMPEDES PERMEATION BY WATER,
  INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, MOST
  CONVENTIONALLY SURFACED STREETS,
  ROOFS, SIDEWALKS, PATIOS,
  DRIVEWAYS, PARKING LOTS, AND ANY
  OTHER OILED, GRAVELED, GRADED, OR
  COMPACTED SURFACES.
- (AA) MS4 MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM.
- (BB) MS4 PERMIT A PERMIT ISSUED UNDER §46-134 AND OTHER APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE.
- (CC) MDEQ MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
- (DD) MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM. THE SYSTEM OF CONVEYANCES USED FOR COLLECTING AND TRANSPORTING STORM WATER OWNED BY THE CITY AND WHICH DISCHARGES TO SURFACE WATER OF THE STATE OR TO ANOTHER ENTITY'S MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEM, BUT NOT INCLUDING (1) ANY

- FACILITIES INTENDED TO BE USED FOR COLLECTING AND TRANSPORTING SANITARY OR OTHER WASTE WATER OR (II) ANY PRIVATELY OWNED SEWERS.
- (EE) NATURAL WATERCOURSE A WATERCOURSE THAT HAS NOT BEEN ALTERED ARTIFICIALLY IN A SIGNIFICANT MANNER.
- (FF) NON-STORM WATER --WATER OTHER THAN STORM WATER.
- (GG) NON-STORM WATER USE CHARGE NON-STORM WATER USE CHARGE IS THE CHARGE APPLICABLE TO ANY NON-STORM WATER USE OF THE STORM WATER SYSTEM, AS DEFINED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR.
- (HH) NPDES NATIONAL POLLUTION DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM.
- (II) PERSON AN INDIVIDUAL, FIRM, PARTNERSHIP, ASSOCIATION, PUBLIC OR PRIVATE CORPORATION, PUBLIC AGENCY, INSTRUMENTALITY, OR ANY OTHER LEGAL ENTITY.
- (JJ) PLANNING
  BOARD/COMMISSION MEANS A CITY
  PLANNING COMMISSION CREATED
  UNDER THE MICHIGAN ZONING
  ENABLING ACT, 2006 PA 110, MCL 125.3101
  ET. SEQ.
- (KK) POLLUTANT ANY DREDGED SPOIL, SOLID WASTE, VEHICLE FLUIDS, YARD WASTES, ANIMAL WASTES, AGRICULTURAL WASTE PRODUCTS, SEDIMENT, INCINERATOR RESIDUE, SEWAGE, GARBAGE, SEWAGE SLUDGE, MUNITIONS, CHEMICAL WASTES,

BIOLOGICAL WASTES, RADIOACTIVE WRECKED MATERIALS, HEAT, DISCARDED EQUIPMENT, ROCK, SAND, DIRT, AND INDUSTRIAL. CELLAR MUNICIPAL, **COMMERCIAL** AGRICULTURAL WASTE, ANY OTHER CONTAMINANT OR OTHER SUBSTANCE DEFINED AS A POLLUTANT UNDER THE CLEAN WATER ACT. AND ANY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.

(LL) PROPERTY OWNER - ANY PERSON HAVING LEGAL OR EQUITABLE TITLE TO PROPERTY.

(MM) RETENTION - A SYSTEM WHICH IS DESIGNED TO CAPTURE STORM WATER AND CONTAIN IT BEFORE AND UNTIL IT INFILTRATES THE SOIL OR EVAPORATES OR IS DISCHARGED IN COMPLIANCE WITH AN MS4 PERMIT.

- (NN) RUNOFF MEANS THE WATER FLOW THAT OCCURS (I) WHEN SOIL IS INFILTRATED TO FULL CAPACITY AND EXCESS WATER FROM RAIN, SNOW/ICE MELT, OR OTHER SOURCES FLOWS OVER THE LAND SURFACE OR (II) OVER AND FROM AN IMPERVIOUS SURFACE.
- (OO) SITE PLAN MEANS A PLAT, A SITE DEVELOPMENT PLAN, CONSTRUCTION DRAWINGS, A BUILDING PERMIT, AND ANY OTHER PERMITS THAT NEED TO BE PREPARED BY A DEVELOPER AND APPROVED BY THE CITY BEFORE DEVELOPMENT CAN OCCUR.
- (PP) STATE OF MICHIGAN WATER QUALITY STANDARDS THE WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

PROMULGATED PURSUANT TO PART 31 OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED.

- (QQ) STORM DRAIN A SYSTEM OF OPEN OR ENCLOSED CONDUITS AND APPURTENANT STRUCTURES INTENDED TO CONVEY OR MANAGE STORM WATER, STORM WATER RUNOFF, GROUND WATER AND DRAINAGE.
- (RR) STORM WATER RAIN WATER AND SNOW/ICE MELT.
- (SS) STORM WATER PLAN WRITTEN NARRATIVES, SPECIFICATIONS, DRAWINGS, STANDARDS, OPERATING PROCEDURES, OR ANY COMBINATION OF THESE WHICH CONTAIN INFORMATION REGARDING THE MANAGEMENT OF STORM WATER.
- (TT) STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITY THE METHOD, STRUCTURE, AREA, SYSTEM, OR OTHER EQUIPMENT OR MEASURES WHICH ARE DESIGNED TO RECEIVE, CONTROL, STORE, CAPTURE, CONTAIN, CONVEY OR TREAT STORM WATER.
- (UU) STORM WATER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM MEANS ONE OR MORE ASPECTS OF STORM WATER MANAGEMENT UNDERTAKEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPLYING WITH APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LAW AND REGULATION OR THE PROTECTION OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE RELATED TO STORM WATER RUNOFF.

(VV) STORM WATER SYSTEM -MEANS ROADS, STREETS, CATCH BASINS, CURBS, GUTTERS, DITCHES, STORM SEWERS AND APPURTENANT FEATURES, LAKES, PONDS, CHANNELS, SWALES, STORM DRAINS, CANALS, CREEKS. CATCH BASINS, STREAMS, GULCHES, GULLIES, FLUMES, CULVERTS, SIPHONS, RETENTION OR DETENTION BASINS, DAMS, FLOODWALLS, LEVEES, PUMPING STATIONS, AND OTHER LIKE FACILITIES, AND NATURAL WATERCOURSES AND FEATURES LOCATED WITHIN GEOGRAPHIC LIMITS OF THE CITY OF FLINT WHICH ARE DESIGNED OR USED FOR COLLECTING, STORING, TREATING OR CONVEYING STORM WATER OR THROUGH WHICH STORM WATER IS COLLECTED, STORED, TREATED OR CONVEYED, OR ANY OTHER PHYSICAL MEANS BY WHICH STORM WATER MANAGEMENT IS ACHIEVED.

(WW) STREAM - A RIVER, STREAM OR CREEK WHICH MAY OR MAY NOT BE SERVING AS A DRAIN, OR ANY OTHER WATER BODY THAT HAS DEFINITE BANKS, A BED, AND VISIBLE EVIDENCE OF A CONTINUED FLOW OR CONTINUED OCCURRENCE OF WATER.

(XX) SURFACE WATERS OF THE STATE - ALL OF THE FOLLOWING, BUT NOT INCLUDING DRAINAGE WAYS AND PONDS (DETENTION AND RETENTION PONDS OR LAGOONS) USED SOLELY FOR STORM WATER AND/OR WASTEWATER CONVEYANCE, TREATMENT, OR CONTROL:

- THE GREAT LAKES AND THEIR CONNECTING WATERS
  - ALL INLAND LAKES

- RIVERS
- STREAMS
- IMPOUNDMENTS
- OPEN DRAINS
- OTHER SURFACE BODIES OF WATER WITHIN THE CONFINES OF THE STATE
  - WETLANDS

§46-130 STORM WATER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY ADOPT, AMEND, OR EXTEND A STORM WATER MANAGEMENT PROGRAM FROM TIME TO TIME. ANY SUCH ADOPTION, AMENDMENT, OR EXTENSION SHALL BE APPROVED BY RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

§46-131 CHARGES FOR NON-STORM WATER DISCHARGES

THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY IMPOSE FEES FOR THE USE OF THE STORM WATER SYSTEM FOR **NON-STORM** WATER DISCHARGES PERMITTED BY THE CITY OF FLINT UNDER §46-134 OF THIS ORDINANCE. CHARGES SHALL BE PROPORTIONATE TO THE CAPACITY OF THE STORM WATER SYSTEM THAT IS USED BY THE NON-STORM WATER FLOW **THAT** WOULD **OTHERWISE**  $\mathbf{BE}$ AVAILABLE FOR STORM WATER, AND ANY ADDITIONAL CHARGES RELATED TO PREPARING, MONITORING, AND ENFORCING ANY PERMITS RELATED TO NON-STORM WATER DISCHARGES.

#### §46-132 OTHER CHARGES

CHARGES FOR OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE CITY OF FLINT SHALL BE ON A TIME AND MATERIALS BASIS, INCLUDING DIRECT AND INDIRECT COSTS, AS ESTABLISHED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR. THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY ALSO SET CHARGES FOR THE FAIR SHARE RECOVERY OF THE COST, INCLUDING DIRECT AND INDIRECT COSTS, FROM DISCHARGERS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION AND OPERATION OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

- (A) MONITORING, INSPECTION AND SURVEILLANCE PROCEDURES;
- (B) REVIEWING ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE PROCEDURES AND CONSTRUCTION:
- (C) DISCHARGE PERMIT APPLICATIONS FOR STORM WATER AND NON-STORM WATER;
- (D) ANNUAL CHARGES FOR MULTI-YEAR PERMITS, AND
- (E) OTHER CHARGES AS THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY DEEM NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS ORDINANCE.

#### §46-133 REGULATIONS

- (A) THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS IMPLEMENTING THIS ORDINANCE. THESE REGULATIONS MAY INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:
- (1) THE DESIGN, OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, AND MAINTENANCE OF THE STORM WATER SYSTEM AND FOR CONNECTIONS TO THAT SYSTEM.

- (2) CONTROL OF THE QUALITY AND QUANTITY OF STORM WATER FROM INDUSTRIAL SITES BY ESTABLISHING MANAGEMENT PRACTICES, DESIGN AND OPERATING CRITERIA.
- (3) PROCEDURES FOR UPDATING BILLING DATA BASED UPON CHANGES IN PROPERTY BOUNDARIES, OWNERSHIP, AND STORM WATER RUNOFF CHARACTERISTICS.
- (4) POLICIES ESTABLISHING THE TYPE AND MANNER OF SERVICE DELIVERY THAT WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE UTILITY.
- (5) REGULATIONS
  GOVERNING THE RESOLUTION OF
  STORM WATER MANAGEMENT ISSUES
  AMONG SEVERAL PROPERTY OWNERS
  WITHIN THE DISTRICT.
- (6) ENFORCEMENT POLICIES AND PROCEDURES.
- (B) THESE REGULATIONS SHALL TAKE EFFECT THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER BEING FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK UNLESS MODIFIED OR DISAPPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL. REGULATIONS WHICH ARE MODIFIED BY CITY COUNCIL TAKE EFFECT THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE MODIFICATION.

#### **§46-134 MS4 PERMITS**

- (A) NON-STORM WATER DISCHARGES:
- (1) AN MS4 PERMIT IS REQUIRED FROM THE CITY DIRECTOR FOR A PERSON TO DISCHARGE NON-STORM WATER INTO THE MS4 EXCEPT AS EXEMPTED OR OTHERWISE ALLOWED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE.

THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY REQUIRE EACH PERSON THAT IS REQUIRED TO OBTAIN AN MS4 PERMIT FOR NON-STORM WATER TO APPLY FOR AN MS4 PERMIT ON THE FORM PRESCRIBED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR. AN MS4 PERMIT MAY BE ISSUED FOR A PERIOD NOT TO EXCEED FIVE (5) YEARS. THE PERMIT SHALL BE SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION OR REVOCATION FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY OR PROVIDE SAFE ACCESS OR PROVIDE ACCURATE REPORTS OF THE DISCHARGE CONSTITUENTS AND CHARACTERISTICS. **PERMITS** ARE ISSUED TO SPECIFIC PERSONS FOR SPECIFIC OPERATIONS AND ARE NOT ASSIGNABLE TO ANOTHER PERSON WITHOUT THE PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL OF THE CITY DIRECTOR, MS4 PERMITS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE TO ANOTHER LOCATION. ANYONE SEEKING AN MS4 PERMIT TO DISCHARGE NON-STORM WATER INTO THE STORM WATER **SYSTEM** MUST DO THE **FOLLOWING:** 

(A) FILE A WRITTEN STATEMENT WITH THE CITY DIRECTOR SETTING FORTH THE NATURE OF THE ENTERPRISE, THE AMOUNT OF WATER TO BE DISCHARGED WITH ITS PRESENT OR EXPECTED BACTERIAL, PHYSICAL, CHEMICAL, RADIOACTIVE OR OTHER PERTINENT CHARACTERISTICS;

(B) PROVIDE A
PLAN MAP OF THE BUILDING, WORKS OR
COMPLEX WITH EACH OUTFALL TO THE
SURFACE WATERS, SANITARY SYSTEM,
STORM SEWER, NATURAL
WATERCOURSE OR GROUND WATERS
NOTED, DESCRIBED AND THE
DISCHARGE STREAM IDENTIFIED; AND

(C) SAMPLE, TEST AND FILE REPORTS WITH THE CITY DIRECTOR AND THE APPROPRIATE

FEDERAL, STATE AND COUNTY AGENCIES ON APPROPRIATE CHARACTERISTICS OF DISCHARGES ON A SCHEDULE, AT LOCATIONS, AND ACCORDING TO METHODS APPROVED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR.

**(1)** THE CITY DIRECTOR IS AUTHORIZED TO OBTAIN INFORMATION **CONCERNING** INDUSTRIAL PROCESSES OR OTHER PROCESSES AND ACTIVITIES WHICH HAVE A DIRECT BEARING ON THE KIND AND SOURCE OF THE DISCHARGE TO THE STORM WATER SYSTEM. DISCHARGER MAY REQUEST CERTAIN INFORMATION, IF IT CAN ESTABLISH TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE CITY DIRECTOR THAT RELEASE OF THE INFORMATION WOULD REVEAL TRADE **SECRETS** OR OTHERWISE PROVIDE AN ADVANTAGE COMPETITORS. BE CONFIDENTIAL BY THE CITY, EXCEPT THAT DISCHARGE CONSTITUENTS WILL NOT BE CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION.

**(2)** AT THE PERMITTEE'S EXPENSE. THE **CITY SHALL** DIRECTOR CARRY OUT **SURVEILLANCE AND** INDEPENDENT FIELD MONITORING, IN ADDITION TO THE SELF-MONITORING REQUIRED IN THE MS4 PERMIT TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER THE PERMIT TERMS ARE BEING MET.

(3) THE METHOD OF DETERMINING FLOW OF DISCHARGE TO THE STORM WATER SYSTEM SHALL BE APPROVED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR.

(B) DEVELOPING LAND AND EARTH CHANGES

- **(1)** NO PERSON SHALL DEVELOP LAND OR CONDUCT AN EARTH CHANGE **SUBJECT** TO §46-128(B) (I) UNLESS THAT PERSON OBTAINS AND **COMPLIES WITH AN MS4 PERMIT FROM** THE CITY AND THAT PERSON OBTAINS APPROVAL FROM THE CITY OF A STORM WATER PLAN FOR THE DEVELOPMENT SITE, OR (II) UNLESS SUCH EARTH CHANGE OR DEVELOPMENT SITE IS EXEMPTED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE FROM THE REQUIREMENT TO OBTAIN AN MS4 PERMIT.
- (2) THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY ISSUE AN MS4 PERMIT TO A DEVELOPER, WHICH MAY IMPOSE TERMS AND CONDITIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS ORDINANCE, PROVIDED THAT THE DEVELOPER:

#### **SUBMITS** A. DETAILED INFORMATION ABOUT THE DEVELOPER, **DEVELOPMENT** PROPOSED DISCHARGES AND/OR EARTH CHANGES, AND ANY **OTHER** INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR IN ANMS4 **PERMIT** APPLICATION, NOT LESS THAN ONE **HUNDRED EIGHTY (180) DAYS PRIOR TO** COMMENCEMENT OF DEVELOPMENT.

#### SUBMITS. B. **ALONG** WITH THE MS4 **PERMIT** APPLICATION, A STORM WATER PLAN **POST-CONSTRUCTION** FOR **STORM MANAGEMENT** WATER AND **BMP** IMPLEMENTATION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DESIGN AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS SET FORTH IN §46-135 AND **§46-136, FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL BY** THE CITY DIRECTOR. THE STORM WATER PLAN SHALL ALSO COMPLY WITH §46-131. THE STORM WATER PLAN SHALL INCLUDE ONE THE OF **FOLLOWING BMPS:**

A PERMANENT ON-SITE STORM WATER RUNOFF **FACILITY** THAT **INCLUDES ON-SITE** DETENTION STORM WATER RUNOFF AND A DIRECT CONNECTION FOR ALL STORM WATER RUNOFF THAT WILL BE DISCHARGED **THROUGH** FROM AND THE DEVELOPMENT SITE: OR

A PERMANENT ON-SITE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITY WITH A RESTRICTED OUTLET DESIGNED TO RESULT IN NO NET INCREASE IN STORM WATER RUNOFF VOLUME OR RATE ONTO ANY ADJACENT PROPERTY.

C. PAYS THE STORM WATER PERMIT APPLICATION REVIEW FEE.

D. PAYS OR POSTS
THE APPLICABLE FINANCIAL
GUARANTEE.

E. PROVIDES, WITH THE MS4 **PERMIT** ALONG **COPIES** APPLICATION, OF ALL PROPOSED OR EXISTING EASEMENTS TO **IMPLEMENT** NECESSARY APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN AND TO COMPLY WITH THIS **OTHERWISE** INCLUDING, BUT **ORDINANCE** LIMITED TO, §46-135. ALL EASEMENTS SHALL BE ACCEPTABLE TO THE CITY IN FORM AND SUBSTANCE AND SHALL BE RECORDED WITH **GENESEE** THE COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS NO LATER THAN FIVE (5) DAYS AFTER THE MS4 PERMIT IS ISSUED.

PROVIDES, F. **ALONG** WITH THE MS4 **PERMIT** APPLICATION, A **MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT** FOR ROUTINE, **LONG-TERM** EMERGENCY. AND MAINTENANCE OF ALL STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES WHICH MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OUTLINED IN §46-147(C).

(1) A PERSON WHO IS REQUIRED TO HAVE AN MS4 PERMIT FOR A DISCHARGE UNDER (1) OF THIS SECTION SHALL APPLY FOR THE MS4 PERMIT ON A FORM PROVIDED BY THE CITY. THE APPLICATION FORM SHALL REQUIRE INFORMATION CONCERNING THE DISCHARGE WHICH INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO:

(A) THE PROPERTY FROM WHICH THE DISCHARGE WILL ORIGINATE OR AT WHICH IT WILL OCCUR.

(B) THE STRUCTURES AND CONNECTIONS TO THE MS4.

(C) A
DESCRIPTION OF THE EXPECTED
COMPOSITION OF THE DISCHARGE,
INCLUDING INFORMATION REGARDING
POLLUTANTS IN THE DISCHARGE.

(D) A
DESCRIPTION OF THE AREAS AND
IMPROVEMENTS AT THE PROPERTY
WHICH WILL BE IN CONTACT WITH THE
WATER THAT COMPRISES THE
DISCHARGE.

(E) THE BMPS, IF ANY, THAT THE DISCHARGER HAS IMPLEMENTED OR WILL IMPLEMENT.

(F) THE EXPECTED VOLUMES AND FLOW RATES OF THE DISCHARGE.

§46-135 DISCHARGER STORM WATER PLAN

THE DISCHARGER STORM WATER **PLAN DESCRIBE** SHALL **MINIMUM** DESIGN STANDARDS FOR STORM WATER DISCHARGE RELEASE RATES AND ON-SITE RETENTION, DETENTION OR OTHER METHODS TO CONTROL THE QUALITY, RATE AND **VOLUME OF RUNOFF** INTO THE MS4. DISCHARGED DISCHARGER STORM WATER PLAN SHALL IDENTIFY AND CONTAIN ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- THE LOCATION (A) OF THE **DEVELOPMENT** SITE AND WATER BODIES THAT WILL RECEIVE RUNOFF. **DRAINAGE** DISTRICT IDENTIFICATION, ZONING. IMAGERY, SOILS AND FLOODPLAIN TRAFFIC AND MAPS. UTILITY INFORMATION FOR THE DEVELOPMENT SITE.
- **(B)** THE **EXISTING** AND PROPOSED NATURAL FEATURES OF THE DEVELOPMENT SITE, INCLUDING THE VEGETATION, TOPOGRAPHY, ALIGNMENT AND BOUNDARY OF THE NATURAL DRAINAGE COURSES, WITH CONTOURS **HAVING MAXIMUM** A INTERVAL OF TWO (2) FEET (USING USGS DATUM). THE INFORMATION SHALL BE SUPERIMPOSED ON THE PERTINENT GENESEE COUNTY SOIL MAP.
- (C) THE DEVELOPMENT DRAINAGE AREA TO EACH POINT OF DISCHARGE FROM THE DEVELOPMENT.
- (D) CALCULATIONS FOR THE EXISTING AND FINAL PEAK DISCHARGE RATES (BASED ON DESIGN CRITERIA).

- (E) CALCULATIONS FOR ANY FACILITY OR STRUCTURE SIZE AND CONFIGURATION.
- (F) A DRAWING SHOWING ALL PROPOSED STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES WITH EXISTING AND FINAL GRADES, AS WELL AS STORM WATER EASEMENTS.
- THE SIZES AND LOCATIONS UPSTREAM AND **DOWNSTREAM** OF CULVERTS **SERVING** THE **MAJOR** DRAINAGE ROUTES FLOWING INTO AND OUT OF THE DEVELOPMENT SITE. ANY SIGNIFICANT OFF-SITE AND ON-SITE OUTLET RESTRICTIONS DRAINAGE OTHER THAN CULVERTS MUST BE NOTED ON THE DRAINAGE MAP.
- AN IMPLEMENTATION PLAN **(H)** FOR CONSTRUCTION AND INSPECTION ALL STORM WATER RUNOFF **FACILITIES NECESSARY** TO **OVERALL STORM** WATER PLAN, INCLUDING A SCHEDULE OF THE ESTIMATED DATES OF COMPLETING CONSTRUCTION OF THE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES SHOWN ON THE PLAN AND AN IDENTIFICATION OF THE PROPOSED INSPECTION PROCEDURES TO ENSURE THAT THE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES ARE CONSTRUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN.
- DRAWINGS, PROFILES, AND **(I) SPECIFICATIONS FOR** CONSTRUCTION OF THE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES (BMP) REASONABLY NECESSARY TO ENSURE THAT RUNOFF DRAINED, STORED, WILL  $\mathbf{BE}$ OR **OTHERWISE CONTROLLED** IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS ORDINANCE.
- (J) A MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT, IN FORM AND SUBSTANCE

- ACCEPTABLE TO THE CITY DIRECTOR, FOR ENSURING MAINTENANCE OF ANY PRIVATELY-OWNED **STORM** WATER FACILITIES. RUNOFF THE MAINTENANCE **AGREEMENT** SHALL INCLUDE THE DEVELOPER'S WRITTEN COMMITMENT TO PROVIDE ROUTINE. EMERGENCY. AND **LONG-TERM** MAINTENANCE OF THE FACILITIES AND, IN THE EVENT THAT THE FACILITIES ARE NOT MAINTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN. THE **AGREEMENT SHALL** AUTHORIZE THE CITY TO MAINTAIN ANY ON-SITE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITY AS REASONABLY NECESSARY, AT THE DEVELOPER'S EXPENSE (SEE ARTICLE VII).
- (K) THE NAME OF THE ENGINEERING FIRM AND THE REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER THAT DESIGNED THE STORM WATER PLAN AND THAT WILL INSPECT FINAL CONSTRUCTION OF THE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES.
- (L) ALL DESIGN INFORMATION MUST BE COMPATIBLE FOR CONVERSION TO STANDARD GIS SHAPE FILES.
- (M) ANY OTHER INFORMATION NECESSARY FOR THE CITY DIRECTOR TO VERIFY THAT THE STORM WATER PLAN COMPLIES WITH THE CITY DESIGN AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS FOR DRAINS AND STORM WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS.

# §46-136 PERFORMANCE AND DESIGN STANDARDS

A DISCHARGER STORM WATER PLAN DEVELOPED, AS SET FORTH IN §46-135, SHALL ALSO CONFORM WITH THE FOLLOWING STANDARDS.

- (A) **MINIMUM** TREATMENT VOLUME STANDARD: THE MINIMUM TREATMENT **VOLUME** STANDARD SHALL BE ONE (1) INCH OF RUNOFF FROM THE ENTIRE SITE. TREATMENT METHODS SHALL BE DESIGNED ON A SITE-SPECIFIC BASIS TO **ACHIEVE** EITHER A MINIMUM OF EIGHTY (80) **PERCENT** REMOVAL **OF** TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS (TSS) AS COMPARED WITH UNCONTROLLED RUNOFF OR THE LIMITATION OF DISCHARGE CONCENTRATIONS OF TSS TO NO MORE THAN EIGHTY (80) MILLIGRAMS PER A MINIMUM TREATMENT **VOLUME STANDARD IS NOT REQUIRED** WHERE SITE CONDITIONS ARE SUCH THAT TSS CONCENTRATIONS IN STORM WATER DISCHARGES WILL NOT EXCEED EIGHTY (80) MILLIGRAMS PER LITER.
- **CHANNEL PROTECTION (B)** CRITERIA: THE CHANNEL PROTECTION CRITERIA SHALL BE ESTABLISHED TO MAINTAIN POST-DEVELOPMENT SITE RUNOFF VOLUME AND PEAK FLOW RATE AT OR BELOW EXISTING LEVELS FOR ALL STORMS UP TO THE 2-YEAR, 24-EVENT. "EXISTING HOUR LEVELS" SHALL MEAN THE RUNOFF VOLUME AND PEAK FLOW RATE OF THE LAST LAND USE PRIOR TO THE PLANNED NEW DEVELOPMENT OR REDEVELOPMENT. **EVALUATION OF THIS STANDARD SHALL** BE MADE BY THE APPLICANT AND REVIEWED BY THE CWPCS.
- (C) OTHER ALTERNATIVE PUBLISHED AND GENERALLY ACCEPTED TREATMENT STANDARDS APPROVED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR, WHICH ARE APPROVED BY THE MDEQ AND INCLUDED IN THE CITY NPDES PERMIT FOR THE MS4.

#### **§46-137 MS4 APPLICATION REVIEW FEES**

- ALL EXPENSES AND COSTS INCURRED BY THE CITY DIRECTLY ASSOCIATED WITH PROCESSING. **REVIEWING AND APPROVING** OR **DENYING AN MS4 PERMIT APPLICATION** SHALL BE PAID (OR REIMBURSED) TO THE CITY FROM THE FUNDS IN A **SEPARATE ESCROW ACCOUNT** ESTABLISHED BY THE DEVELOPER, AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B). THE CITY DRAW **FUNDS** FROM DEVELOPER'S ESCROW ACCOUNT TO REIMBURSE THE CITY FOR EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE CITY RELATING TO APPLICATION. THE SUCH REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES INCLUDE. BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, EXPENSES RELATED TO THE FOLLOWING:
- (1) SERVICES OF THE CITY ATTORNEY DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE APPLICATION.
- (2) SERVICES OF THE CWPCS DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE APPLICATION INCLUDING INSPECTIONS FEES.
- (3) SERVICES OF OTHER INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS WORKING FOR THE CITY WHICH ARE DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE APPLICATION.
- (4) ANY ADDITIONAL PUBLIC HEARINGS, REQUIRED MAILINGS AND LEGAL NOTICE REQUIREMENTS NECESSITATED BY THE APPLICATION.
- (B) AT THE TIME A DEVELOPER APPLIES FOR AN MS4 PERMIT, THE DEVELOPER SHALL DEPOSIT WITH THE CITY TREASURER, AS AN ESCROW DEPOSIT, AN INITIAL AMOUNT AS

DETERMINED BY RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL FOR SUCH MATTERS AND SHALL PROVIDE ADDITIONAL AMOUNTS AS REQUESTED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR IN SUCH INCREMENTS AS ARE SPECIFIED IN SAID RESOLUTION. ANY EXCESS FUNDS REMAINING IN THE ESCROW ACCOUNT AFTER THE APPLICATION HAS BEEN FULLY PROCESSED, REVIEWED, AND THE FINAL CITY DIRECTOR'S DENIAL OR APPROVAL ACCEPTANCE OF THE DEVELOPMENT HAS OCCURRED WILL BE REFUNDED TO THE DEVELOPER WITH NO INTEREST TO BE PAID ON THOSE FUNDS. AT NO TIME PRIOR TO THE CITY DIRECTOR'S FINAL **DECISION ON AN APPLICATION SHALL** THE BALANCE IN THE **ESCROW** ACCOUNT FALL BELOW THE REQUIRED INITIAL AMOUNT. IF THE FUNDS IN THE ACCOUNT ARE REDUCED TO LESS THAN THE REQUIRED INITIAL AMOUNT, THE DEVELOPER SHALL DEPOSIT INTO THE ACCOUNT THE ADDITIONAL AMOUNT NEEDED TO RESTORE THE ACCOUNT TO THE REQUIRED AMOUNT BEFORE THE APPLICATION REVIEW PROCESS WILL BE CONTINUED. ADDITIONAL AMOUNTS MAY BE REQUIRED TO BE PLACED IN ESCROW ACCOUNT THE BY DEVELOPER FOR THE **PURPOSES** DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION 46-137, AT DISCRETION **OF** THE DIRECTOR TO MAINTAIN THE INITIAL AMOUNT AND THE AMOUNT OF ANY EXPECTED REIMBURSABLE COSTS.

### §46-138 FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

(A) THE CITY DIRECTOR SHALL NOT APPROVE AN MS4 PERMIT FOR A DEVELOPER UNTIL THE DEVELOPER SUBMITS TO THE CITY DIRECTOR, IN A FORM AND AMOUNT SATISFACTORY TO THE CITY DIRECTOR, A LETTER OF CREDIT OR OTHER FINANCIAL

ASSURANCE FOR THE TIMELY AND SATISFACTORY CONSTRUCTION OF ALL STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES AND SITE GRADING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN. **CERTIFICATION UPON** BY REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER THAT THE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES HAVE BEEN COMPLETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN §46-141, THE DIRECTOR MAY RELEASE THE LETTER OF CREDIT. OR OTHER FINANCIAL **GUARANTEE UPON FINAL** DIRECTOR **ACCEPTANCE** APPROVAL OF SUCH STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES CERTIFICATION.

- (B) THE LETTER OF CREDIT OR OTHER FINANCIAL GUARANTEE MAY BE ACCESSED BY THE CITY WHEN:
- (1) VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE HAS OCCURRED,
- (2) CORRECTIVE ACTION HAS NOT BEEN COMPLETED BY THE DEVELOPER WITHIN 30 DAYS OF NOTIFICATION OF THE VIOLATION PROVIDED BY THE CITY.
- (C) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (E), THE AMOUNT OF THE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE SHALL BE AS DETERMINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL IN A RESOLUTION OF FEES FOR CITY SERVICES TO SATISFY §46-149, UNLESS THE CITY DETERMINES THAT A GREATER AMOUNT IS APPROPRIATE, IN WHICH CASE THE BASIS FOR SUCH DETERMINATION SHALL BE PROVIDED TO THE DEVELOPER IN WRITING. IN

DETERMINING WHETHER AN AMOUNT GREATER THAN THE AMOUNT ESTABLISHED BY RESOLUTION OF CITY COUNCIL IS APPROPRIATE, THE CITY DIRECTOR SHALL CONSIDER THE SIZE AND TYPE OF THE DEVELOPMENT, THE SIZE AND TYPE OF THE ON-SITE STORM WATER SYSTEM, AND THE NATURE OF THE OFF-SITE STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES THE DEVELOPMENT WILL UTILIZE.

- (D) THE LETTER OF CREDIT OR OTHER FINANCIAL ASSURANCE WILL NOT BE ALLOWED BY THE DEVELOPER TO EXPIRE UNTIL THE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT FOR STORM WATER FACILITIES ESTABLISHED BY THE DEVELOPER HAS BEEN SIGNED BY THE DEVELOPER AND THE CITY.
- (E) A MAINTENANCE BOND SHALL BE PROVIDED TO THE CITY BY THE DEVELOPER. THE MAINTENANCE BOND SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR A PERIOD OF TWO YEARS COMMENCING FROM THE DATE OF THE FINAL APPROVAL OF THE STORM WATER PLAN.
- THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY **(F)** REDUCE OR WAIVE THE AMOUNT OF THE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FOR A **THAT** DEVELOPMENT WILL NOT **INCREASE** THE PERCENTAGE OF **IMPERVIOUS SURFACE** OF THE DEVELOPMENT SITE BY MORE THAN TEN PERCENT (10%).
- (G) THIS ORDINANCE SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED OR INTERPRETED AS RELIEVING A DEVELOPER OF ITS OBLIGATION TO PAY ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH ON-SITE PRIVATE

STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES AS WELL AS THOSE COSTS ARISING FROM THE NEED TO MAKE OTHER STORM WATER IMPROVEMENTS IN ORDER TO REDUCE A DEVELOPMENT'S IMPACT ON A DRAIN.

#### **§46-139 CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY**

NO CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY FOR A DEVELOPMENT SHALL BE ISSUED BY THE CITY UNTIL STORM WATER RUNOFF **FACILITIES HAVE** COMPLETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THE CITY MAY ISSUE A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY IF AN ACCEPTABLE LETTER OF CREDIT OR OTHER FINANCIAL ASSURANCE HAS SUBMITTED BEEN TO THE **CITY** DIRECTOR, FOR THE TIMELY AND SATISFACTORY CONSTRUCTION OF ALL STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES AND SITE GRADING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN.

# §46-140 NO CHANGE IN APPROVED FACILITIES

- (A) STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES, AFTER CONSTRUCTION AND APPROVAL, SHALL BE MAINTAINED BY THE DEVELOPER IN GOOD CONDITION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN, AND SHALL NOT BE SUBSEQUENTLY ALTERED, REVISED OR REPLACED EXCEPT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN, OR IN ACCORDANCE WITH AMENDMENTS OR REVISIONS IN THE PLAN APPROVED BY THE CITY.
- (B) THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY TAKE CORRECTIVE ACTION IF ALTERATIONS TO APPROVED STORM

WATER FACILITIES OCCUR AND THE CITY MAY RECOVER FROM THE RESPONSIBLE PARTY ALL OF THE CITY'S COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE CORRECTIVE ACTION.

§46-141 TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF MS4 PERMITS

IN GRANTING AN MS4 PERMIT, THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY IMPOSE SUCH TERMS AND CONDITIONS, SUCH AS REQUIREMENTS FOR POLLUTION MONITORING, PREVENTION, CONTROL AND REPORTING, AS ARE REASONABLY NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THE PURPOSES OF THIS ORDINANCE. A PERSON HAVING SAID PERMIT SHALL COMPLY WITH SUCH TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

§46-142 STORM WATER SYSTEM, FLOODPLAIN AND OTHER STANDARDS, SOIL EROSION CONTROL

- THE CITY IS NOT (A) RESPONSIBLE FOR **PROVIDING** DRAINAGE FACILITIES ON PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF STORM WATER ON SAID PROPERTY. IT SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PROPERTY OWNER TO PROVIDE FOR, AND MAINTAIN, PRIVATE STORM WATER RUNOFF **FACILITIES SERVING** THE PROPERTY TO PREVENT AND OR CORRECT THE ACCUMULATION OF **DEBRIS THAT INTERFERES** WITH DRAINAGE.
- (B) ALL STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED AND MAINTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE

AND LOCAL ORDINANCES, AND RULES AND REGULATIONS.

§46-143 ILLICIT DISCHARGES/ CONNECTIONS, AND EXEMPTIONS

- (A) NO PERSON SHALL MAKE OR ALLOW AN ILLICIT DISCHARGE OR HAVE AN ILLICIT CONNECTION.
- (B) THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY REQUIRE DISCHARGERS TO IMPLEMENT BMPS TO PREVENT OR REDUCE THE DISCHARGE OF POLLUTANTS INTO THE CITY MS4.
- (C) THE FOLLOWING DISCHARGES AND FLOWS ARE EXEMPTED DISCHARGES AND SHALL NOT REQUIRE AN MS4 PERMIT UNDER §46-135(A) PROVIDED THEY ARE NOT IDENTIFIED AS SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTORS TO VIOLATIONS OF STATE WATER QUALITY STANDARDS:
- (1) POTABLE WATER SUPPLY LINE FLUSHING
- (2) LANDSCAPE IRRIGATION
- (3) DIVERTED STREAM FLOWS
- (4) UNCONTAMINATED GROUNDWATER INFILTRATION TO STORM DRAINS
- (5) PUMPED UNCONTAMINATED GROUND WATER, EXCEPT FOR GROUNDWATER CLEANUPS SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZED BY NPDES PERMITS
- (6) DISCHARGES OF POTABLE WATER

- (7) FOUNDATION DRAIN WATER
- (8) AIR CONDITIONING CONDENSATE WATER
- (9) INDIVIDUAL RESIDENTIAL CAR WASHING WATER
- (10) DECHLORINATED SWIMMING POOL WATERS FROM SINGLE, TWO, OR THREE FAMILY RESIDENCES
- (11) SWIMMING POOL WATER FROM A SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENCE
- (12) RESIDUAL CITY STREET WASH WATER
- (13) DISCHARGES FROM EMERGENCY FIREFIGHTING ACTIVITIES.
- (D) DISCHARGES AUTHORIZED BY AN NPDES PERMIT ARE NOT ILLICIT DISCHARGES.

A SPECIAL PROVISION APPLIES TO **GROUNDWATER** WHICH MAY INFILTRATE THE MS4 AT A PROPERTY COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS "CHEVY IN THE HOLE" WHICH IS OWNED BY THE THE CITY ENTERED INTO AN AGREEMENT, ORDER ON CONSENT, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE THE CITY OF FLINT, MI WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AND THE UNITED **STATES ENVIRONMENTAL** PROTECTION AGENCY ON OCTOBER 16, 2012, AND A COVENANT NOT TO SUE THE CITY OF FLINT, MI WITH THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF **ENVIRONMENTAL** THE **OUALITY** AND **MICHIGAN** DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

ON AUGUST 8, 2012, BOTH OF WHICH ADDRESS CONTAMINATION AT THAT PROPERTY THAT EXISTED AT THE TIME THE CITY ACQUIRED THAT PROPERTY ("EXISTING CONTAMINATION") BOTH OF WHICH ARE REFERRED TO HERE AS THE **GOVERNMENT** NOTHING AGREEMENTS. IN THIS **ORDINANCE** SHALL **AFFECT** THE VALIDITY, SCOPE AND EFFECT OF THE GOVERNMENT AGREEMENTS.

§46-144 INTERFERENCE WITH NATURAL OR ARTIFICIAL DRAINAGEWAY

NO PERSON MAY STOP, FILL, DAM, CONFINE, PAVE, ALTER THE COURSE OF, OR OTHERWISE INTERFERE WITH ANY PART OF THE MS4 OR ANY NATURAL OR CONSTRUCTED DRAIN IN THE CITY IN A MANNER THAT WILL ADVERSELY AFFECT THE MS4, OR DRAINAGE WAY IN THE CITY WITHOUT FIRST SUBMITTING A STORM WATER PLAN TO THE CITY DIRECTOR AND RECEIVING APPROVAL OF THAT PLAN WHICH PROVIDES FOR SUCH ACTION BY THAT PERSON. ANY DEVIATION FROM THE APPROVED PLAN IS A VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE. THIS SECTION SHALL NOT PROHIBIT, HOWEVER, NECESSARY EMERGENCY ACTION SO AS TO PREVENT MITIGATE DRAINAGE THAT WOULD BE INJURIOUS TO THE ENVIRONMENT, THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, OR WELFARE. APPROVAL BY THE CITY OF SUCH PLAN DOES NOT OBVIATE THE NEED TO **OBTAIN PERMITS OR APPROVALS FROM** OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

§46-145 INSPECTION, MONITORING, REPORTING, AND RECORDKEEPING

## (A) INSPECTIONS:

- **(1) AUTHORIZED** REPRESENTATIVES OF THE **CITY** EXHIBITING PROPER CREDENTIALS AND **IDENTIFICATION SHALL BE PERMITTED** AT ALL REASONABLE TIMES, AND AT ANY TIME IN AN EMERGENCY, TO ENTER DISCHARGER'S **PROPERTY** WITHOUT DELAY FOR THE PURPOSES OF INSPECTION, OBSERVATION. MEASUREMENT, SAMPLING. TESTING IN CONNECTION WITH THE ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDINANCE.
- WHILE ON THE **(2)** PROPERTY OF THE DISCHARGER, THE AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CITY SHALL OBSERVE ALL REASONABLE SAFETY RULES APPLICABLE TO THE **PREMISES ESTABLISHED** BY THE DISCHARGER THAT ARE COMMUNICATED BY THE DISCHARGER TO THE CITY REPRESENTATIVE AT THE TIME OF ENTRY AND DURING THE VISIT. IF PRACTICABLE. THE AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CITY IS NOT REQUIRED TO OBSERVE SUCH SAFETY RULES IN AN EMERGENCY. DISCHARGER SHALL ADVISE THE CITY REPRESENTATIVE OF HEALTH AND **HAZARDS AND** SAFETY **PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES** NECESSARY TO PROTECT THE HEALTH **CITY** AND **SAFETY** OF THE REPRESENTATIVE WHILE THE ON DISCHARGER'S PREMISES. THE CITY **DIRECTOR** MAY ORDER ANY DISCHARGER TO PROVIDE WRITTEN INFORMATION REGARDING **SUCH** HEALTH AND SAFETY HAZARDS AND PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES. IF REQUIRED BY THE DISCHARGER, THE CITY REPRESENTATIVE INTENDING TO ENTER A DISCHARGER'S PROPERTY SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH AN ESCORT BY THE DISCHARGER TO ACCOMPANY THE CITY REPRESENTATIVE WHILE ON
- THE DISCHARGER'S PROPERTY. THE DISCHARGER SHALL PROVIDE THE ESCORT WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME AFTER ARRIVAL AT THE DISCHARGER'S PROPERTY. IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY, OR IF THE DISCHARGER DOES NOT PROVIDE AN ESCORT WITHIN REASONABLE TIME THE REPRESENTATIVE IS NOT REQUIRED TO WAIT FOR SUCH AN ESCORT BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH THE ENTRY AND OTHER **ACTIVITIES** ON DISCHARGER'S PROPERTY. IF THE CITY REPRESENTATIVE PROCEEDS WITHOUT SUCH AN ESCORT ON THE BASIS OF AN EMERGENCY OR ON THE BASIS THAT THE DISCHARGER DID NOT PROVIDE AN ESCORT WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES. THE CITY SHALL PROVIDE SUCH DISCHARGER WITH WRITTEN A EXPLANATION OF THE SITUATION.
- INSPECTION BY STATE **(3)** FEDERAL OR REPRESENTATIVES PURSUANT TO LAW SHALL NOT RELIEVE A DISCHARGER FROM INSPECTION BY CITY REPRESENTATIVES. AND **INSPECTION**  $\mathbf{BY}$ CITY REPRESENTATIVES SHALL NOT RELIEVE ANY DISCHARGER FROM COMPLIANCE WITH LAWFUL INSPECTION BY STATE AND FEDERAL REPRESENTATIVES.
- **(B) STORM** WATER MONITORING FACILITIES: THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY REQUIRE, BY ORDER OR MS4 PERMIT, **THAT** AN DISCHARGER **STORM** OF WATER PROVIDE AND OPERATE EQUIPMENT OR DEVICES FOR THE MONITORING OF STORM WATER, SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR INSPECTION, SAMPLING, AND FLOW MEASUREMENT OF THE DISCHARGE. THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY REQUIRE A DISCHARGER TO **PROVIDE** AND **OPERATE** SUCH **EQUIPMENT** AND

- DEVICES IF IT IS NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE FOR THE INSPECTION, SAMPLING AND FLOW MEASUREMENT DISCHARGES IN ORDER DETERMINE WHETHER **ADVERSE** EFFECTS FROM OR AS A RESULT OF SUCH DISCHARGES MAY OCCUR OR TO DETERMINE **VOLUME** OF **STORM** ALL SUCH EQUIPMENT AND WATER. FOR INSPECTION. DEVICES THE SAMPLING AND FLOW MEASUREMENT OF DISCHARGES SHALL BE INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS, ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS. ALL MONITORING RESULTS SHALL BE REPORTED TO THE CITY DIRECTOR PROMPTLY AFTER THEY ARE RECEIVED BY THE DISCHARGER.
- **ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGES: (C)** ANY DISCHARGER WHO ACCIDENTALLY DISCHARGES INTO THE MS4. ANY WATER OR POLLUTANTS OTHER THAN A DISCHARGE PERMITTED OR ALLOWED THIS UNDER **ORDINANCE** OR EXEMPTED DISCHARGE SHALL INFORM THE CITY DIRECTOR IMMEDIATELY. IF SUCH INFORMATION IS GIVEN ORALLY, A WRITTEN REPORT CONCERNING THE DISCHARGE SHALL BE FILED WITH THE CITY DIRECTOR WITHIN FIVE (5) DAYS. THE WRITTEN REPORT SHALL SPECIFY:
- (1) THE COMPOSITION OF THE DISCHARGE AND THE CAUSE THEREOF.
- (2) THE EXACT DATE, TIME, AND ESTIMATED VOLUME OF THE DISCHARGE.
- (3) ALL MEASURES TAKEN TO CLEAN UP THE ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE, AND ALL MEASURES PROPOSED TO BE TAKEN TO REDUCE AND PREVENT ANY RECURRENCE.

- (4) THE NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF THE PERSON MAKING THE REPORT, AND THE NAME OF A PERSON WHO MAY BE CONTACTED FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE MATTER.
- **(D)** RECORD KEEPING REQUIREMENT: ANY PERSON SUBJECT TO THIS ORDINANCE SHALL RETAIN AND PRESERVE FOR NO LESS THAN THREE (3) YEARS ANY AND ALL BOOKS, DRAWINGS, PRINTS, DOCUMENTS. MEMORANDA, REPORTS. CORRESPONDENCE AND RECORDS. INCLUDING RECORDS ON MAGNETIC OR ELECTRONIC MEDIA AND ANY AND ALL OF SUCH **SUMMARIES** RECORDS. RELATING TO MONITORING, SAMPLING AND CHEMICAL ANALYSIS OF ANY DISCHARGE OR RUNOFF FROM ANY PROPERTY.

# §46-146 ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT

- (A) POWERS OF THE CITY DIRECTOR: THE CITY DIRECTOR IS HEREBY EMPOWERED TO:
- (1) SUPERVISE AND PERFORM THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS ORDINANCE;
- (2) INSTITUTE ACTIONS AGAINST ALL PERSONS VIOLATING THIS ORDINANCE, INCLUDING JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS TO ENJOIN, ABATE, AND PROSECUTE VIOLATIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE;
- (3) REVIEW AND APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE STORM WATER PLANS;
- (4) MAKE INSPECTIONS AND TESTS OF EXISTING AND NEWLY

INSTALLED, CONSTRUCTED, RECONSTRUCTED, OR ALTERED BMPS TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE;

- (5) INVESTIGATE
  COMPLAINTS OF VIOLATIONS OF THIS
  ORDINANCE; MAKE INSPECTIONS AND
  OBSERVATIONS OF DISCHARGES; AND
  RECORD SUCH INVESTIGATIONS,
  COMPLAINTS, INSPECTIONS, AND
  OBSERVATIONS;
- (6) ISSUE ORDERS REQUIRING COMPLIANCE WITH THIS ORDINANCE, INCLUDING ORDERS TO IMMEDIATELY CEASE AN ILLICIT DISCHARGE OR REMOVE AN ILLICIT CONNECTION OR TO DO SO WITHIN A TIME CERTAIN;
- (7) DETERMINE AND ASSESS CIVIL ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE;
- (8) DETERMINE CHARGES FOR COMPENSATORY DAMAGES;
- (9) RECOMMEND TO THE CITY ATTORNEY OF THE CITY THE INSTITUTION OF JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS TO COMPEL COMPLIANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE OR ANY DETERMINATION OR ORDER WHICH MAY BE PROMULGATED OR ISSUED PURSUANT TO THIS ORDINANCE;
- (10) DENY MS4 PERMITS FOR DISCHARGERS THAT DO NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS ORDINANCE OR THAT WOULD CAUSE THE CITY TO VIOLATE ITS MS4 NPDES PERMIT; AND SET CONDITIONS ON NEW, INCREASED, OR CHANGED DISCHARGES TO THE CITY MS4;

- **UNDERTAKE** OR (11)**CAUSE** TO BE UNDERTAKEN **ANY NECESSARY** OR ADVISABLE PROTECTIVE MEASURES SO AS TO **VIOLATIONS** OF PREVENT THIS ORDINANCE OR TO AVOID OR REDUCE THE EFFECTS OF NONCOMPLIANCE HEREWITH:
- (12) PERFORM OTHER ACTIONS NECESSARY OR ADVISABLE FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND OPERATION OF THE CITY MS4 AND THE ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDINANCE AND OTHER LAWS AND REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO THE MS4.

## (B) ORDERS:

- (1) WHENEVER THE CITY DIRECTOR DETERMINES THAT A PERSON HAS VIOLATED OR MAY VIOLATE THIS ORDINANCE, THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY ORDER THE PERSON TO TAKE ACTION OR REFRAIN FROM CERTAIN ACTIONS AS APPROPRIATE UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES.
- (2) THE FOLLOWING ORDERS MAY BE ISSUED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR:
- **IMMEDIATE** (A) CEASE AND DESIST. AN ORDER TO IMMEDIATELY CEASE AND DESIST DISCHARGING WHICH PRESENTS OR MAY **PRESENT IMMINENT** OR SUBSTANTIAL ENDANGERMENT TO THE HEALTH OR WELFARE OF PERSONS OR THE **ENVIRONMENT** OR WHICH CONSTITUTES AN ILLICIT DISCHARGE. SUCH ORDER SHALL BE FINAL AND IN **EFFECT UPON ISSUANCE**;
- (B) CEASE
  DISCHARGE WITHIN A TIME CERTAIN.
  AN ORDER TO CEASE A DISCHARGE BY A

CERTAIN TIME AND DATE. THE ORDER MAY ALSO CONTAIN SUCH CONDITIONS AS DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE CITY DIRECTOR. NON-PAYMENT OF MS4 PERMIT FEES, NON-COMPLIANCE WITH ANY TERM OF AN MS4 PERMIT, AND ILLICIT DISCHARGES ARE EXAMPLES OF SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR AN ORDER TO CEASE DISCHARGE WITHIN A TIME CERTAIN.

**ORDER** TO **(C)** PERFORM. AN ORDER REQUIRING A DISCHARGER **SUBJECT** TO THIS PERFORM **ORDINANCE** TO ANY REQUIRED ACTION OR TO COMPLY ANY **PROVISION OF** WITH THIS ORDINANCE, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING:

SAMPLING OR MONITORING EQUIPMENT;

(2) SUBMIT

**SAMPLES**;

(3) SUBMIT

REPORTS;

(4) ALLOW ACCESS FOR INSPECTION, SAMPLING, TESTS, MONITORING, AND INVESTIGATIONS;

(5) INSTALL, OPERATE, AND MAINTAIN BMPS;

(6) DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT PROCEDURES, CONSTRUCT STRUCTURES, OR INSTALL EQUIPMENT FOR PREVENTING AND APPROPRIATELY RESPONDING TO ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGES;

(7) REDUCE OR ELIMINATE A DISCHARGE OR POLLUTANTS IN A DISCHARGE OR A CHARACTERISTIC OF A DISCHARGE;

(8) CONTROL, RECOVER, OR MITIGATE THE EFFECTS OF POLLUTANTS ACCIDENTALLY OR INTENTIONALLY DISCHARGED TO THE CITY MS4 OR WHICH COULD POTENTIALLY BE DISCHARGED TO THE CITY MS4.

(9) CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS AND STUDIES (I.E., **ENVIRONMENTAL** MONITORING. ENVIRONMENTAL RISK ASSESSMENTS, HYDRO-GEOLOGICAL STUDIES, AND THE LIKE) TO DETERMINE THE EFFECTS OR RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH ACTUAL, POTENTIAL, OR PAST DISCHARGES; THE ACTUAL OR POSSIBLE ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY OF ACTUAL OR SUSPECTED **DISCHARGES** (I.E., THROUGH **PIPES UNDERGROUND** OR BY **INFILTRATION):** THE EXTENT OF **ENVIRONMENTAL** CONTAMINATION WHICH IS OR WHICH MAY BE CAUSING A DISCHARGE: OR SUCH OTHER SIMILAR PURPOSE AS THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY **DETERMINE; AND TO SUBMIT REPORTS** DOCUMENTING THE FINDINGS OF SUCH INVESTIGATIONS OR STUDIES.

(10) PAY A COMPENSATORY DAMAGE CHARGE.

(11) PAY MS4

FEES.

- (3) STOP WORK ORDER. AN ORDER TO PREVENT FURTHER OR CONTINUING VIOLATIONS OR ADVERSE EFFECTS.
- (4) CONTENT OF ORDERS. ANY ORDER ISSUED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR SHALL GENERALLY STATE THE FACTUAL BASIS AND REASONS FOR

ITS ISSUANCE, THE REQUIRED ACTION, AND THE TIME WITHIN WHICH SUCH ACTION SHALL BE TAKEN. NO SUCH SHALL ORDER  $\mathbf{BE}$ **DEEMED** INSUFFICIENT FOR INCONSEQUENTIAL ERRORS AND OMISSIONS IN THE FACTS OR REASONS FOR THE ORDER. IF ANY DISCHARGER **DEEMS** INFORMATION IN THE **ORDER** INSUFFICIENT. IT MAY REQUEST ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. MULTIPLE MAY **ORDERS** BE SIMULTANEOUSLY, SEPARATELY, OR IN COMBINATION AS A SINGLE ORDER BY THE CITY DIRECTOR WITH RESPECT TO A SINGLE DISCHARGER OR PERSON.

- (5) CONSENT ORDERS. A DISCHARGER OR A PERSON AND THE CITY MAY ENTER INTO AN ORDER BY CONSENT AND SUCH ORDER IS ENFORCEABLE BY THE CITY IN THE SAME MANNER AS ANY OTHER ORDER ISSUED BY THE CITY OF FLINT UNDER THIS ORDINANCE.
- (6) DISCONNECTION. THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY PHYSICALLY DISCONNECT A DISCHARGER FROM THE CITY MS4 IF THE DISCHARGER VIOLATES ANY PROVISION OF AN ORDER, INCLUDING AN IMMEDIATE CEASE AND DESIST ORDER.

## (C) NOTICES OF VIOLATION

- (1) THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY ISSUE A NOTICE OF VIOLATION WITH OR WITHOUT AN ORDER AGAINST ANY DISCHARGER WHO IS OR HAS BEEN IN VIOLATION OF WHO IS OR HAS BEEN IN VIOLATION OF AN MS4 PERMIT.
- (2) THE NOTICE OF VIOLATION OR THE ORDER SHALL BE SERVED UPON THE DISCHARGER OR

BY PERSON EITHER PERSONAL DELIVERY, **FIRST CLASS** MAIL ADDRESSED TO SUCH DISCHARGER OR PERSON, ELECTRONIC MAIL, TELECOPY. TELEPHONE, OTHER OR MEANS. INCLUDING ORALLY. IF SERVICE IS MADE ORALLY, BY TELEPHONE, OR BY ELECTRONIC MAIL, A FOLLOW-UP HARDCOPY NOTICE SHALL BE SENT BY THE CITY DIRECTOR.

- (3) THE NOTICE OF VIOLATION SHALL CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
- (A) DATE OF ISSUANCE;
- **(B)** DATE(S), PLACE(S) TIME(S), AND **OF** THE VIOLATION; THE NATURE OF THE VIOLATION: THE POLLUTANTS OR WATER DISCHARGED: **AND** THE VOLUME OF SUCH DISCHARGE, TO THE EXTENT THAT SUCH INFORMATION IS KNOWN AND APPLICABLE:
- (C) REFERENCE TO THE PERTINENT SECTION OF THIS ORDINANCE OR MS4 PERMIT UNDER WHICH THE VIOLATION IS CHARGED;
- (D) REFERENCE TO SECTION OF THIS ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION;
- (E) POTENTIAL
  PENALTIES, FINES, AND
  COMPENSATORY DAMAGE CHARGES;
- (F) THE RIGHT OF THE ALLEGED VIOLATOR TO PRESENT TO THE CITY DIRECTOR WRITTEN EXPLANATIONS, DEFENSES, INFORMATION, OR OTHER MATERIALS

IN ANSWER TO THE NOTICE OF VIOLATION;

## (D) INFORMAL CONFERENCE:

AN **INFORMAL (1) CONFERENCE** WITH THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY BE REQUESTED IN WRITING WITHIN TWENTY (20) DAYS BY DISCHARGER OR **AGGRIEVED** BY A NOTICE OF VIOLATION, ORDER, COMPENSATORY CHARGE, ACTION ON OR REGARDING AN MS4 PERMIT BY THE CITY. THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY **CIVIL INFRACTION** MUNICIPAL CITATIONS AND MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION NOTICES AS DEFINED IN CHAPTER 1, § 1-12, OF THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FLINT. THE REQUEST FOR AN INFORMAL CONFERENCE SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY DIRECTOR. PURPOSE OF THE INFORMAL CONFERENCE IS TO REACH **AGREEABLE** SETTLEMENT TO THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON AND THE CITY. THE INFORMAL CONFERENCE SHALL BE **HELD WITHIN TWENTY (20) DAYS AFTER** DISCHARGER **SUBMITS** THE THE WRITTEN REQUEST FOR THE INFORMAL CONFERENCE TO THE CITY DIRECTOR. THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE CONFERENCE OR APPOINT A DESIGNEE TO PARTICIPATE. NEITHER THE CITY DIRECTOR NOR HIS OR HER DESIGNEE SHALL BE REQUIRED TO REACH A CONCLUSION OR PROVIDE A DECISION AS A RESULT OF THE CONFERENCE. A DISCHARGER OR PERSON IS REQUIRED TO REQUEST OR PARTICIPATE INAN INFORMAL CONFERENCE **BEFORE** SEEKING JUDICIAL REVIEW. OTHER PERSONS FROM THE CITY AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON MAY ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN THE INFORMAL CONFERENCE.

(2) IF AN IMMEDIATE CEASE AND DESIST ORDER IS THE SUBJECT OF A REQUEST FOR AN INFORMAL CONFERENCE, THE INFORMAL CONFERENCE SHALL BE HELD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LATER THAN TWENTY (20) DAYS AFTER THE REQUEST IS SUBMITTED.

## (E) APPEAL BOARD:

THE **CITY (1)** WASTEWATER APPEALS BOARD (CWAB) **SHALL CONSIST OF** THE **CITY** ATTORNEY, **ENVIRONMENTAL** THE COMPLIANCE INSPECTOR, AND THE CITY DIRECTOR. IF THERE IS A VACANCY IN ANY OF THESE THREE OFFICES, THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR SHALL APPOINT AN EMPLOYEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OR FUNCTIONAL GROUP WHERE THE VACANCY OCCURRED TO SERVE AS THE CWAB MEMBER ON A TEMPORARY **BASIS** UNTIL VACANCY IS FILLED. IF POSSIBLE, THE TEMPORARY **APPOINTEE** SHALL COMPLETE ANY PENDING **APPEALS** THAT ARISE DURING THE DURATION OF THE TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT. THE CITY ATTORNEY MAY DESIGNATE AN ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY TO SIT ON THE CWAB. IF THE CITY CHANGES THE OR **FUNCTION** OF FOREGOING POSITIONS. **THEN** THE CWAB WILL HAVE AS MEMBERS THE THREE (3) CITY EMPLOYEES WITH FUNCTIONS MOST CLOSELY RELATED TO THOSE POSITIONS. EACH OF THOSE THREE MEMBERS SHALL HAVE ONE VOTE IN ANY MATTER DECIDED BY THE CWAB.

(2) AT THE REQUEST OF A DISCHARGER OR PERSON OR ON THEIR OWN INITIATIVE, THE CWAB MAY RETAIN A PERSON WITH EXPERTISE IN THE GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER OF THE

APPEAL ("SPECIAL EXPERT MEMBER") TO PROVIDE ADVICE TO THE CWAB. THE SPECIAL EXPERT MEMBER SHALL HAVE NO VOTE IN THE PROCEEDINGS. IF THE SPECIAL **EXPERT MEMBER** IS REQUESTED BY THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON, THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON MAY SUGGEST ONE OR MORE PERSONS TO SERVE AS A SPECIAL EXPERT MEMBER AND SHALL DESCRIBE THEIR BUT QUALIFICATIONS, THE SHALL HAVE SOLE DISCRETION IN **CHOOSING** THE **SPECIAL EXPERT** ALL COSTS, FEES, AND MEMBER. **EXPENSES** ASSOCIATED WITH CHOOSING, SELECTING, AND RETAINING **MEMBER** A SPECIAL **EXPERT** REQUESTED BY THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON SHALL BE PAID BY DISCHARGER OR PERSON. THE CWAB MAY REQUIRE THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON TO PAY THESE COSTS IN ADVANCE. THE CITY SHALL BEAR THE COST OF ANY SPECIAL EXPERT MEMBER RETAINED ON THE INITIATIVE OF THE CWAB. THE CWAB, AT ITS DISCRETION, MAY **AGREE** TO **SHARE ANY** PERCENTAGE OF THE COST OF **SPECIAL EXPERT** RETAINING A MEMBER. NO PERSON SHALL SERVE AS A SPECIAL EXPERT MEMBER WHO HAS, WITHIN THE PRECEDING FIVE (5) YEARS, BEEN AN **EMPLOYEE** OF DISCHARGER OR PERSON OR THE CITY, UNLESS AGREED TO BY BOTH THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON AND THE CITY.

## (F) APPEALS:

(1) A DISCHARGER OR PERSON MAY APPEAL TO THE CWAB ANY NOTICE OF VIOLATION, ORDER, COMPENSATORY CHARGE, ACTION ON OR REGARDING AN MS4 PERMIT BY THE CITY, (BUT NOT A MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION NOTICE AS DEFINED IN CHAPTER 1, § 1-12, OF THE ORDINANCES

OF THE CITY OF FLINT) BY FILING A WRITTEN REQUEST WITH THE CITY DIRECTOR WITHIN TWENTY (20) DAYS AFTER THE LATER OF:

- (A) TEN (10) DAYS AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THE INFORMAL CONFERENCE;
- (B) THE DATE THE NOTICE OF VIOLATION, ORDER, NOTICE OF COMPENSATORY CHARGE, ACTION ON OR REGARDING AN MS4 PERMIT BY THE CITY IS SERVED UPON SUCH DISCHARGER OR PERSON.
- WRITTEN **(2)** THE REQUEST SHALL **DESCRIBE** THE MATTER APPEALED, A SUMMARY OF DISCHARGER'S OR **PERSON'S** POSITION, A COPY OF THE NOTICE OR OTHER DOCUMENT FROM THE CITY UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS BASED, AND ANY REQUEST BY THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON FOR A SPECIAL EXPERT MEMBER.
- (3)THE CITY DIRECTOR PROMPTLY **FORWARD** SHALL WRITTEN REQUEST FOR APPEAL TO THE CITY ATTORNEY WHO SHALL NOTIFY THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CWAB. THE CWAB MAY REJECT ANY WRITTEN REQUEST FOR APPEAL WHICH IS NOT TIMELY AND DOES NOT CONFORM TO REQUIREMENTS OF SUBSECTION. UPON RECEIPT TIMELY AND CONFORMING WRITTEN REQUEST FOR APPEAL, THE CWAB SHALL SET A TIME FOR THE CITY AND THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON APPEAR BEFORE THE CWAB TO PRESENT **EVIDENCE** AND **ARGUMENTS** IN SUPPORT OF THEIR POSITIONS. THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON AND THE CITY **PRESENT** WITNESSES AND MAY **DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE** TO THE

CWAB. WITNESSES SHALL BE SWORN AND SHALL BE SUBJECT TO CROSS-EXAMINATION. THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CWAB SHALL BE RECORDED. THE RULES OF EVIDENCE OF THE COURTS OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN SHALL NOT BE STRICTLY APPLIED BY THE CWAB BUT SHALL BE A GUIDE FOR THE CWAB IN DETERMINING WHICH EVIDENCE TO ADMIT OR EXCLUDE AND WHAT WEIGHT TO GIVE THE EVIDENCE ADMITTED. ON RECEIPT OF A REQUEST FOR AN APPEAL. **CWAB** SHALL **ESTABLISH** TIMETABLE FOR THE PROCEEDINGS AND SHALL PROMPTLY RENDER A DECISION WRITTEN STATING FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS SUPPORTING ITS DECISION.

IF THE DISCHARGER (4) OR PERSON REQUESTS A TRANSCRIPT OF THE PROCEEDINGS, THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON SHALL PAY COST **OF PREPARING** TRANSCRIPT AND SHALL PROVIDE A COPY TO THE CITY. THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON AND THE CITY SHALL PAY THEIR OWN COSTS OF THE CWAB PROCEEDING, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ATTORNEY FEES, EXPERT WITNESSES (EXCEPT THAT THE COSTS FOR SPECIAL EXPERT MEMBERS SHALL PAID AS SET **FORTH** SUBSECTION (E)(2) OF THIS SECTION), OTHER WITNESSES, DOCUMENTS, AND TESTS. THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON REQUESTING THE APPEAL TO THE CWAB SHALL PAY A FEE AS ESTABLISHED FROM TIME TO TIME BY RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AND KEPT ON FILE BY THE CITY CLERK. IF THE CWAB FINDS THAT THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON FILED A FRIVOLOUS APPEAL, OR IN BAD FAITH, WHICH HAS NO REASONABLE BASIS IN FACT OR LAW, THE **CWAB** MAY ASSESS THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON FOR ALL OF

THE COSTS OF THE CWAB AND THE CITY IN CONNECTION WITH THE APPEAL AND THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON SHALL PAY THE SAME WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS.

- (5) THE PARTIES MAY BE REPRESENTED BY ATTORNEYS IN ALL PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE CWAB.
- JUDICIAL REVIEW: APPEAL **(G)** FROM A FINAL DECISION OF THE CWAB SHALL BE TO THE GENESEE COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT. JUDICIAL REVIEW SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE RECORD FROM THE **CWAB** PROCEEDINGS, **UNLESS** THE COURT **ALLOWS** ADDITIONAL MATERIAL. THE DECISION OF THE CWAB SHALL BE UPHELD IF IT IS SUPPORTED BY SUBSTANTIAL EVIDENCE AND IS NOT CONTRARY TO LAW. THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON SHALL BE REQUIRED TO **EXHAUST ALL ADMINISTRATIVE** REMEDIES AVAILABLE UNDER SUBSECTION (E) OF **SECTION** BEFORE SEEKING JUDICIAL REVIEW.
- STAYS: IF A DISCHARGER **(H)** OR PERSON MAKES A TIMELY REQUEST FOR AN **INFORMAL CONFERENCE** SUBSECTION (D) UNDER **OF** SECTION OR FOR AN APPEAL TO THE CWAB UNDER SUBSECTION (E) OF THIS SECTION, THE ORDER, COMPENSATORY DAMAGE CHARGE, OR ACTION ON OR REGARDING AN MS4 PERMIT, WHICH IS THE SUBJECT OF A REQUEST FOR AN INFORMAL CONFERENCE OR APPEAL TO THE CWAB. SHALL BE STAYED UNTIL A FINAL DETERMINATION IS REACHED. **FOLLOWING** SHALL NOT BE STAYED, EXCEPT BY ORDER OF A COURT OF LAW:

- (1) AN IMMEDIATE CEASE AND DESIST ORDER:
- (2) AN ORDER OR ACTION ON OR REGARDING AN MS4 PERMIT THAT INVOLVES AN EMERGENCY SITUATION, A THREAT TO PUBLIC HEALTH OR SAFETY, A THREAT TO PROPER OPERATION OF THE MS4, OR A THREAT TO THE ENVIRONMENT.
- (I) CONTINUING VIOLATIONS: EACH DAY ON WHICH A VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE, AN MS4 PERMIT, OR AN ORDER OCCURS SHALL BE A SEPARATE VIOLATION. EVERY VIOLATION OF EACH SECTION OF THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE A SEPARATE VIOLATION.
- (J) PENALTIES, FINES, AND REMEDIES:
- **CIVIL (1)** JUDICIAL RELIEF. THE CITY DIRECTOR, THROUGH THE CITY ATTORNEY, MAY PURSUE AN ACTION AT LAW OR IN EQUITY TO ENJOIN, ABATE, OR PROSECUTE ANY VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE, AN MS4 PERMIT, OR AN ORDER. THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY SEEK TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT **INJUNCTIVE** DAMAGES, COMPENSATORY DAMAGE CHARGES, CIVIL PENALTIES UNDER SUBSECTION (J)(2) OF THIS SECTION, AND SUCH OTHER RELIEF AS A COURT MAY ORDER.
- (2) CIVIL PENALTIES. IN AN ACTION BROUGHT BY THE CITY AGAINST A DISCHARGER OR PERSON FOR VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE, AN MS4 PERMIT, OR AN ORDER, A COURT MAY IMPOSE A CIVIL PENALTY OF UP TO \$5,000 PER DAY PER VIOLATION. IN CALCULATING THE AMOUNT OF THE PENALTY, THE COURT SHALL CONSIDER

THE FREQUENCY OF THE VIOLATION; THE IMPACT ON THE MS4, HUMAN HEALTH, AND THE ENVIRONMENT; THE MAGNITUDE AND DURATION OF THE VIOLATION; THE ECONOMIC BENEFIT TO THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON FROM THE VIOLATION; THE COMPLIANCE HISTORY OF THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON; AND OTHER FACTORS DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE COURT.

- **CUMULATIVE (3)** REMEDIES. THE IMPOSITION OF A SINGLE CIVIL PENALTY, CIVIL FINE, CRIMINAL FINE, ORDER, DAMAGE, OR COMPENSATORY DAMAGE **CHARGE** UPON A DISCHARGER OR PERSON FOR A VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE, AN MS4 PERMIT, OR AN ORDER SHALL NOT PRECLUDE THE IMPOSITION BY THE CITY OR BY A COURT OF ADDITIONAL SANCTIONS AND REMEDIES WITH RESPECT TO THE SAME VIOLATION EXCEPT THAT A DISCHARGER OR PERSON SHALL NOT HAVE BOTH A CIVIL PENALTY UNDER SUBSECTION (J)(2) OF THIS SECTION AND A CIVIL FINE UNDER SUBSECTION (J)(4) OF THIS SECTION IMPOSED ON IT FOR THE VIOLATION.
- **(4) MUNICIPAL CIVIL** INFRACTION; CIVIL FINE. THE CITY DIRECTOR AND CITY ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ARE AUTHORIZED PERSONS AND AUTHORIZED LOCAL OFFICIALS TO ISSUE A MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION CITATION OR A MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION NOTICE ANY **FOR** VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE, AN MS4 PERMIT, OR AN ORDER ISSUED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE, EXCEPT FOR VIOLATIONS **PUNISHABLE** UNDER SUBSECTION (L) OF THIS SECTION. THE MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION CIVIL FINE FOR ANY VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE, AN MS4 PERMIT, OR AN

ORDER ISSUED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE UP TO \$5,000 PER VIOLATION PER DAY. IN CALCULATING THE AMOUNT OF THE MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION CIVIL FINE, THE CITY DIRECTOR, THE CITY ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, OR THE COURT. APPLICABLE, SHALL CONSIDER FREQUENCY OF VIOLATION BY THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON, THE IMPACT ON THE MS4 AND ON HUMAN HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT VIOLATION, THE MAGNITUDE AND DURATION OF THE VIOLATION, THE **ECONOMIC** BENEFIT TO THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON GAINED BY THE VIOLATION, THE COMPLIANCE HISTORY OF THE DISCHARGER OR PERSON, AND OTHER FACTORS DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY THE COURT, THE CITY DIRECTOR, OR THE CITY ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, AS APPLICABLE. PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 1, §§ 1-12 AND 1-19 SHALL APPLY TO MUNICIPAL CIVIL **INFRACTION CITATIONS** MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION NOTICES ISSUED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE.

- (5) COMPENSATORY
  DAMAGES. IN ADDITION TO
  PROSECUTION AND THE IMPOSITION OF
  PENALTIES AND FINES FOR VIOLATIONS,
  A DISCHARGER OR PERSON VIOLATING
  THIS ORDINANCE, AN MS4 PERMIT, OR
  AN ORDER SHALL BE SUBJECT TO ONE
  OR MORE COMPENSATORY DAMAGE
  CHARGES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS
  ORDINANCE.
- (K) VIOLATION CONSTITUTES A PUBLIC NUISANCE: VIOLATIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE, A PERMIT, OR AN ORDER ARE A PUBLIC NUISANCE.
  - (L) CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS:

- **VIOLATIONS (1)** GENERALLY. ANY DISCHARGER OR PERSON WHO WILLFULLY OR INTENTIONALLY VIOLATES ANY PROVISION OF THIS ORDINANCE OR ANY ORDER ISSUED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE OR AN MS4 PERMIT ISSUED HEREUNDER SHALL, UPON CONVICTION, BE GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR, PUNISHABLE AS PROVIDED IN § 1-7 OF THE CODE. EACH DAY OF VIOLATION IS A SEPARATE OFFENSE.
- **FALSIFYING (2)** INFORMATION. ANY DISCHARGER OR PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY MAKES ANY **FALSE** STATEMENTS. REPRESENTATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS IN ANY APPLICATION, RECORD, REPORT, PLAN, OR OTHER DOCUMENT FILED OR REQUIRED TO BE MAINTAINED **PURSUANT** TO THIS ORDINANCE, OR AN MS4 PERMIT OR AN ORDER ISSUED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE, OR WHO FALSIFIES, TAMPERS WITH, OR KNOWINGLY RENDERS INACCURATE ANY MONITORING DEVICE OR METHOD REQUIRED UNDER THIS ORDINANCE SHALL, UPON CONVICTION, BE GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR PUNISHABLE AS PROVIDED IN § 1-7 OF THE CODE. EACH DAY OF VIOLATION IS A SEPARATE OFFENSE.
- **VANDALISM AND TRESPASS:**  $(\mathbf{M})$ WHO ANY **PERSON VIOLATES SUBSECTIONS (1)** AND **(2)** IN THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE GUILTY OF A **MISDEMEANOR** AND. **UPON** CONVICTION, SHALL BE PUNISHED AS PROVIDED IN § 1-7 OF THE CITY CODE. THE NOTICE PROVISIONS OF §46-146(C) SHALL NOT APPLY TO THIS SUBSECTION.
- (1) NO PERSON SHALL MALICIOUSLY, WILLFULLY, OR

NEGLIGENTLY BREAK, DAMAGE, DESTROY, UNCOVER, DEFACE, OR TAMPER WITH ANY STRUCTURE, APPURTENANCE, OR EQUIPMENT WHICH IS A PART OF THE CITY MS4.

- (2) NO PERSON SHALL PARTIALLY OR FULLY ENTER OR OTHERWISE ACCESS ANY STRUCTURE, APPURTENANCE, OR EQUIPMENT WHICH IS A PART OF THE CITY MS4, EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR.
- (N) LIEN FOR CHARGES AND FEES: ANY CHARGE, FEE, COST, OR OTHER AMOUNT REQUIRED TO BE PAID UNDER THIS ORDINANCE WHICH IS NOT PAID WHEN DUE, SHALL BE A LIEN UPON THE PREMISES. THE AMOUNT MAY BE CERTIFIED TO THE TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTED IN THE SAME MANNER THAT OTHER SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS ARE COLLECTED UNDER THE CHARTER OR BY ANY OTHER LAWFUL MEANS.
- RECOVERY OF COSTS AS (0)COMPENSATORY **DAMAGES:** DISCHARGER OR PERSON VIOLATING ANY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE, OR WHO DISCHARGES OR CAUSES A DISCHARGE PRODUCING A DEPOSIT OR OBSTRUCTION, OR CAUSES DAMAGE TO OR IMPAIRS THE CITY MS4 OR ITS OPERATION OR OTHERWISE **CITY CAUSES** THE TO ADDITIONAL OR NON-ROUTINE COSTS. SHALL BE LIABLE TO THE CITY FOR ANY EXPENSE, LOSS, OR COSTS OF THE DAMAGE CAUSED BY SUCH VIOLATION OR DISCHARGE, ALL OF WHICH ARE COMPENSATORY DAMAGES.

§46-147 STORM WATER EASEMENTS AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS

- (A) APPLICABILITY OF REQUIREMENTS: THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION CONCERNING STORM WATER EASEMENTS AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS SHALL APPLY TO ALL PERSONS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT A STORM WATER PLAN TO THE CITY DIRECTOR FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL.
- STORM WATER **(B)** MANAGEMENT **EASEMENTS:** A DEVELOPER SHALL **PROVIDE** ALL WATER **STORM MANAGEMENT EASEMENTS NECESSARY** TO IMPLEMENT THE APPROVED STORM WATER PLAN AND TO OTHERWISE COMPLY WITH THIS ORDINANCE IN FORM AND SUBSTANCE REQUIRED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR AND RECORD SUCH **EASEMENTS** UPON APPROVAL OF THE STORM WATER PLAN CITY DIRECTOR. THE EASEMENTS SHALL ASSURE ACCESS TO THE DEVELOPMENT SITE FOR PROPER INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF STORM WATER RUNOFF FACILITIES AND SHALL PROVIDE **ADEOUATE** EMERGENCY OVERLAND FLOW-WAYS.

# (C) MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS:

- (1) THE PURPOSE OF THE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT IS TO PROVIDE THE MEANS AND ASSURANCE THAT MAINTENANCE OF BMPS SHALL BE IMPLEMENTED.
- (2) A MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY DIRECTOR BY A DEVELOPER AS PART OF THE DEVELOPER'S STORM WATER PLAN, AND SHALL BE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL AS PART OF THE STORM

WATER PLAN. A MAINTENANCE PLAN SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT.

THE **MAINTENANCE** (3) AGREEMENT SHALL INCLUDE A PLAN FOR ROUTINE, EMERGENCY AND LONG-**TERM MAINTENANCE OF ALL** STORMWATER BMPS IN THE STORM WATER PLAN, WITH A DETAILED ANNUAL ESTIMATED BUDGET FOR THE INITIAL THREE YEARS, AND SHALL REQUIRE WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE CITY OF MAINTENANCE BY THE PARTY RESPONSIBLE FOR MAINTENANCE. THE AGREEMENT SHALL PROVIDE THAT SUCH NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN TO THE CITY AT LEAST FOURTEEN (14) DAYS IN **COMMENCING** ADVANCE OF **MAINTENANCE** WORK. THE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT SHALL BE IN RECORDABLE FORM AND SHALL BE BINDING ON ALL SUBSEQUENT OWNERS OF LAND SERVED BY THE BMPS AND SHALL BE RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE GENESEE COUNTY REGISTER OF **IMMEDIATELY AFTER** DEEDS APPROVAL BY THE CITY OF MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT. IF THERE HAS BEEN A MATERIAL FAILURE, AS DETERMINED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR. UNDERTAKE MAINTENANCE REQUIRED UNDER THE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT, THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY HIRE A PERSON WITH QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE IN THE SUBJECT MATTER TO UNDERTAKE THE REQUIRED MAINTENANCE, IN WHICH EVENT THE PROPERTY OWNER SHALL BE OBLIGATED TO ADVANCE REIMBURSE PAYMENT (AS DETERMINED BY THE CITY DIRECTOR FOR ALL COSTS AND EXPENSES ASSOCIATED WITH SUCH MAINTENANCE, TOGETHER WITH A REASONABLE ADMINISTRATIVE THE MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT SHALL CONTAIN A PROVISION WHICH SETS FORTH THIS REQUIREMENT.

§46-148 ESTABLISHMENT OF COUNTY DRAINS

PRIOR TO FINAL APPROVAL, ALL STORM WATER MANAGEMENT FACILITIES FOR PLATTED SUBDIVISIONS SHALL BE ESTABLISHED AS COUNTY DRAINS, AS AUTHORIZED IN SECTION 433, CHAPTER 18 OF THE MICHIGAN DRAIN CODE (P.A. 40 OF 1956, AS AMENDED) FOR LONG-TERM MAINTENANCE.

## **§ 46-149 MS4 PERMIT FEES**

- (A) ANNUAL FEES: THE CITY DIRECTOR MAY ASSESS AN ANNUAL MS4 PERMIT FEE OF \$200 FOR EACH CONNECTION TO THE CITY MS4 TO DISCHARGERS PERMITTED TO DISCHARGE TO THE CITY MS4 UNDER § 46-134.
- **MS4 PERMIT FEES: PERSONS (B)** REGULATED UNDER MS4 PERMITS. SHALL PAY A PERMIT APPLICATION OR **RE-APPLICATION FEE OF \$100, A PERMIT** RENEWAL FEE OF \$100, AND A PERMIT TRANSFER FEE (IN THE EVENT OF A TRANSFER OF THE MS4 PERMIT) OF \$100 TO THE CITY. IN ADDITION TO THESE FEES, SUCH PERSONS SHALL REIMBURSE THE CITY FOR ANY AND ALL OTHER EXPENSES THE CITY INCURS ARISING FROM: (A) PROCESSING INCOMPLETE. INCORRECT, OR **OTHERWISE** MS4 **UNACCEPTABLE** PERMIT **APPLICATIONS:** (B) ESTABLISHING **CASE-SPECIFIC** RESTRICTIONS ON **DISCHARGES** TO THE CITY MS4: (C) SAMPLING AND **ANALYZING** DISCHARGES TO THE CITY MS4 AND INSPECTING PERMITTEE'S FACILITIES:

(D) ENFORCING MS4 PERMITS; (E) PRODUCING AND MAILING COPIES OF MS4 PERMITS; AND (F) OTHER ACTIVITIES IN CONNECTION WITH ISSUING, ADMINISTERING, MS4 PERMITS.

## §46-150 OTHER MATTERS

**INTERPRETATION:** WORDS AND PHRASES IN THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CONSTRUED ACCORDING TO THEIR COMMON AND ACCEPTED MEANINGS. EXCEPT THAT WORDS AND PHRASES DEFINED IN **§46-129** SHALL CONSTRUED **ACCORDING** TO RESPECTIVE DEFINITIONS GIVEN IN THAT SECTION. TECHNICAL WORDS AND TECHNICAL PHRASES THAT ARE NOT DEFINED IN THIS ORDINANCE BUT WHICH HAVE ACQUIRED PARTICULAR MEANINGS IN LAW OR IN TECHNICAL USAGE SHALL BE CONSTRUED ACCORDING TO SUCH MEANINGS.

**CATCH-LINE HEADINGS:** THE **CATCH-LINE** HEADINGS THE OF SECTIONS. **SUBSECTIONS AND** PARAGRAPHS OF THIS ORDINANCE ARE INTENDED FOR CONVENIENCE ONLY, AND SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED AS THE **AFFECTING MEANING** OR INTERPRETATION OF THE TEXT OF THE **SUBSECTIONS** SECTIONS. AND PARAGRAPHS TO WHICH THEY MAY REFER.

SEVERABILITY: THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE ARE HEREBY DECLARED TO BE SEVERABLE, AND IF ANY PART OR PROVISION OF THIS ORDINANCE SHOULD BE DECLARED INVALID OR UNENFORCEABLE BY ANY COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION, SUCH INVALIDITY OR UNENFORCEABILITY SHALL NOT AFFECT ANY OTHER OR PART PROVISION OF THE ORDINANCE.

OTHER **ORDINANCES:** THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE IN ADDITION TO OTHER ORDINANCES OF THE CITY AND SHALL NOT BE DEEMED TO REPEAL OR REPLACE OTHER ORDINANCES **EXCEPT** TO PARTS THEREOF THE THAT SUCH EXTENT REPEAL IS SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED FOR IN THIS ARTICLE.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall become ffective on the day of 2019, A.D.	
Adopted this day of 2019, A.D.	•
Dr. Karen W. Weaver, Mayor	
Inez M. Brown, City Clerk	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Angela Wheeler, Chief Legal Officer  S:\REE\ENVIRONMENTAL\46-125 thru 46-15_LMG Edits (1).docx	

# 180590

RESO	LUTION NO.:
PRES	ENTED: 11-20-18
ADO	PTED:
RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE	ANTI-BULLYING POLICY
BY THE MAYOR:	
WHEREAS, The City of Flint intends to preemployees by adopting policies and procedures reg	
WHEREAS, The City has prepared an Ant	i-Bullying Policy. The policy is attached.
WHEREAS, Mayor, Karen W. Weaver rec	ommends adopting the Anti-Bullying Policy.
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that to Bullying Policy.	he Flint City Council agrees to adopt the Anti-
APPROVED AS TO FORM:  Angela Wheeler, Chief Legal Officer	APPROVED AS TO FINANCE: Hughey Newsome, Chief Financial Officer
FOR THE CITY OF FLINT:	APPROVED BY CITY COUNCIL:
Dr. Karen W. Weaver, Mayor	Herbert Winfrey, City Council President

# **Resolution Routing**

TO: Resolution Signatories

FROM: Law Department

**SUBJECT: RESOLUTION FOR APPROVAL** 

This RESOLUTION has been forwarded to you for your respective review and approval.

Date recorded: 11/15/2018

All documents should be reviewed within three working days after receipt by your office.

## **Anti-Bullying Policy**

The attached resolution is submitted to the Legal Dept. for approval as to form only:

Review and Approval: !N OUT Approval

1. City Attorney (Form Only):

11/15/2018

2. Finance

3. City Administrator

Please call Jennifer at ex. 2082



## City of Flint

Policy: Anti-Bullying Policy	Original Date:
Issued by the City of Flint Legal Department	Revision Date:
and the Human Resources & Labor Relations	
Department	

Disclaimer: No statements in this policy are intended or set forth as contractual commitments or obligations of the City to any individual employee or group of employees or to establish an exception to the employment-at-will doctrine beyond that specified in contracts or pertinent collective bargaining agreements. If there are differences between the various collective bargaining agreements and this policy, the pertinent collective bargaining agreement takes precedence.

## INTRODUCTION

The following is the City of Flint's policy prohibiting bullying of City public servants<sup>1</sup>, employees or job applicants. The Complaint/Report Procedure described in this policy should be utilized to report bullying. The City will take appropriate action to prevent bullying and will protect the rights of public servants and employees who file complaints.

## **PURPOSE**

The City of Flint ("City") considers workplace bullying unacceptable and will not tolerate it under any circumstances. This policy shall apply to all public servants, employees, contractors, interns, externs, and volunteers. Any employee found in volation of this policy will be disciplined, up to and including discharge.

## A. Work Place Bullying Defined

The City defines bullying as persistent, malicious, unwelcome, severe and pervasive mistreatment that harms, intimidates, offends, degrades of humiliates an employee, whether verbal, physical or otherwise, at the place of work and/or in the course of employment.

The City promotes a healthy workplace culture where all employees are able to work in an environment free of bullying behavior.

The City encourages all public servants and employees to report any instance of bullying behavior. Any reports of this type will be treated seriously, investigated promptly and impartially. The complaint and procedure policy will be followed as found in this policy.

## B. Work Place Bullying Behavior

The City considers the following types of behavior as workplace bullying. Please note, this list is not preant to be exhaustive and is only offered by way of example:

- 1. Execusion or social isolation;
- 2. Excessive monitoring or micro-managing;
- 3. Personal attacks (angry outbursts, excessive profanity, or name-calling);
- 4. Encouragement of others to turn against the targeted employee;
- 5. Sabotage of a co-worker's work product or undermining of an employee's work performance;
- 6. Stalking;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Public Servants: All persons employed or otherwise engaged by the Corporation of the City of Flint to conduct business on its behalf including but not limited to elected officials, appointed employees, members of boards and commissions, classified employees, contractual employees, and volunteers. Flint City Charter §1-405

- 7. Unwelcome touching or uncontested-to touching;
- 8. Invasion of another's person's personal space;
- Unreasonable interference with an employee's ability to do his or her work (i.e., overloading of emails);
- 10. Repeated infliction of verbal abuse, such as the use of derogatory remarks, insults and epithets; and
- 11. Conduct a reasonable person would find hostile, offensive, and unrelated to the employer's legitlmate business interests

## C. Complaint/Report Procedure

The following procedure shall be utilized by the City public retvants and employees for the processing of complaints relating to bullying in the work place. This procedure shall apply only to those complaints directed against a person who at the time of the filing of the complaint is a City of Flint employee or public servant. The procedure may be utilized with regard to complaints covering administrators, supervisory personnel and co-employees. While the procedure itself is not directly applicable to complaints involving non-employees of the City of Flint, any bullying from such individuals in the City of Flint work place should be brought to the attention of the employee's supervisor and/or the Human Resources Director.

## 1. City of Flint Fact Finding Procedure

- i. An employee, regardless of position, who feels he or she is being or has been subjected to fullying is expected to notify the Human Resources Director or his/her supervisor (or a higher level supervisor if the immediate supervisor is the offending party) immediately by issuing their complaint in writing or verbally. All complaints will be forwarded to the Human Resources Director is the offending party. If the Human Resources Director is believed to have violated the City's Anti-Bullying Policy, the employee should immediately file a written or verbal complaint with the City Attorney.
- ii. The written complaint must provide the following:
  - The dates and times the instances of bullying have occurred;
  - b. The identity of the perpetrators;
  - c. Any known witnesses;
  - d. The nature of the conduct amounting to bullying; and
  - e. A request for an investigation.
- Ili. If a verbal complaint is made then the person who took the complaint must reduce the complaint to writing and provide the requirements listed under Section E(1)(ii)

The Human Resources/Labor Relations Director then assigns an Investigator to the complaint. Information received during the complaint process will be treated as confidentially as may be permitted under the circumstances, giving due regard to an employee's right to be apprised of and respond to allegations made against him or her.

#### 2. Investigation Process

- i. During the investigation a statement of public servants and/or employees or others with any possible knowledge of the situation are obtained through interviews. The statement may be reduced to writing for signature by the maker of the statement recorded or transcribed at the discretion of the investigator.
- ii. The complainant and the accused employee may be accompanied at the time of the statement by his or her union steward. Other persons may not be allowed at the time the statement is made.
- iii. Any physical and/or documentary evidence is collected or secured.
- iv. Upon completion of the investigation, a summary report of the findings and the investigator's recommendation is prepared and submitted to the Human Resources Director.
- v. The Human Resource's Director in consultation with the City Administrator will issue the final determination as to whether the City's Anti-Bullying Policy has been violated.
- vi. If it is found the Policy has been violated, the Human Resources and Labor Relations Director in consultation with the City Administrator will determine what amount of disciplinary action is appropriate, and initiate implementation of discipline.

Although confidentiality will be maintained to the extent practicable throughout the investigation process, notification to the accused may occur at any step of this investigation process.

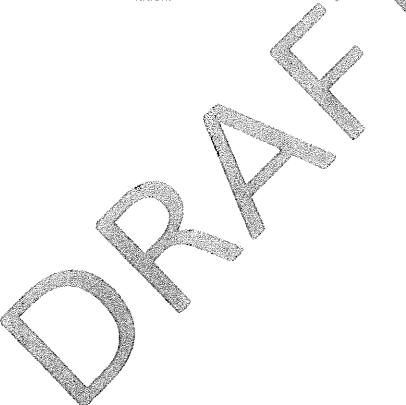
At any stage in the process an investigation may be discontinued or held in abeyance due to conflicting or insufficient evidence, improper motivation or lack of jurisdiction as determined by the investigator. The Human Resources Director, in consultation with the City Administrator, shall have final authority to determine whether an investigation proceeds or is discontinued. If the Human Resources Director is the subject of such investigation, final authority shall rest with the City Attorney.

## 3. Unsubstantiated Complaints

i. If, as a result of the investigation, it is determined no violation of the policy has occurred, or there is insufficient information from which to make a determination whether a violation has occurred: The complaint and alleged bully shall be notified of the finding and the reason(s) therefore.

## D. False Allegations

i. If after an investigation the City of Flint finds clear and convincing evidence a complainant knowingly made false complaints, the complainant may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination.



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RESOLUTION NO.:		
PRES	SENTED: 11-20-18	
ADO	PTED:	
RESOLUTION TO ADOPT HARASSMENT AND DISCRIMINATION IN THE WORK PLACE POLICY AND COMPLAINT PROCEDURE		
BY THE MAYOR:		
WHEREAS, The City of Flint intends to pemployees by adopting policies and procedures reg		
WHEREAS, The City has prepared a Hara Policy and Complaint Procedure. The policy is atta	assment and Discrimination in the Work Place ached.	
WHEREAS, Mayor, Karen W. Weaver red Discrimination in the Work Place Policy and Comp		
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Harassment and Discrimination in the Work Place	at the Flint City Council agrees to adopt the Policy and Complaint Procedure.	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:  Angela Wheeler, Chief Legal Officer	APPROVED AS TO FINANCE:  Hughey Newsome, Chief Financial Officer	
FOR THE CITY OF FLINT:	APPROVED BY CITY COUNCIL:	
Keren V. Weaver, Mayor	Herbert Winfrey, City Council President	

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This RESOLUTION has been forwarded to you for your respective review and approval.

Date recorded: 11/15/2018 18 - 6469

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## Harassment and Discrimination Policy

The attached resolution is submitted to the Legal Dept. for approval as to form only:

Review and Approval: IN OUT Approval

1. City Attorney (Form Only):

11/15/2018

2. Finance

3. City Administrator

Please call Jennifer at ex. 2082



Policy: Harassment and Discrimination in the Work Place Policy and Complaint Procedure	Original Date:
Issued by the City of Flint Legal Department and the Human Resources & Labor Relations Department	Revision Date:

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## INTRODUCTION

The following is the City of Flint's policy prohibiting discrimination and harassment of City public servants, employees or job applicants on any basis protected by federal, state or local law. The Complaint/Report Procedure described in this policy should be utilized to report discrimination and harassment. The City will take appropriate action to prevent discrimination and harassment and will protect the rights of public servants and employees who file complaints.

## **PURPOSE**

Because the City of Flint ("the City") is an equal opportunity employer, it is the policy of the City that public servants, officials, employees and applicants shall receive consideration and treatment consistent with all equal employment opportunity laws in all terms and all conditions of work. This includes a workplace free of discriminatory and harassing conduct as those terms are defined. The City does not discriminate against anyone on the jasts of race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, place of birth, sex, sexual orientation, gender Identity, gender expression, familial status, age, or non-disqualifying physical or mental disability, or any basis protected by federal, state, or local law.

The City strives to provide a work environment which promotes respect and in which each employee has the opportunity to develop to his or her full potential. Discrimination and harassment are strictly prohibited, not only because they violate the law, but also because they are contrary to the City's interest in attracting, retaining and promoting the most talented, effective and dedicated employees.

The City has an internal Complaint Report Procedure to address and resolve complaints of discrimination and harassment. The City will take appropriate action to prevent discrimination and harassment, and to protect the rights of public servants who file complaints.

## A. Discrimination is Prohibited

Public Servants: All persons employed or otherwise engaged by the Corporation of the City of Flint to conduct business on its behalf including but not limited to elected officials, appointed employees, members of boards and commissions, classified employees, contractual employees, and volunteers. Flint City Charter §1-405

The City requires all applicants, public servants, and employees be treated as individuals, on the basis of their own qualifications, skills, abilities, conduct and performance. Discrimination on account of any status protected by law, including but not limited to those identified in the first paragraph above, is prohibited. This Policy applies to all employment practices, including recruitment, hiring, evaluation, promotion, transfer, discipline and termination, as well as to all forms of compensation and benefits.

All personnel working for the City, including public servants, contractors, students, interns, externs and volunteers are required to comply with this Policy, including the Complaint/Report procedure. All personnel must behave in a non-discriminatory and business-like manner in all dealings with co-workers and all non-employees of the City contracted in the course of employment. The Policy also prohibits discrimination and harassment by persons doing business with the City, including vendors.

## B. Harassment is Prohibited

Additionally, this Policy prohibits harassment, both in the workplace and in other work-related activities, such as business trips and business-related meetings and social events. No employee should have to tolerate harassment of the type described in this Policy and the City takes allegations of harassment seriously. The City will promptly investigate all reports and complaints of prohibited harassment. If it is determined inappropriate conduct has occurred, the City will take corrective and remodal action appropriate to the situation. If any public servant or employee engages in harassment prohibited by this Policy, they will be subject to disciplinary action, up to and including discharge.

## C. Sexual Harassment is Prohibited

Sexual harassment in the workplace or in other work-related settings is illegal and is prohibited by this Policy. Sexual harassment is typically defined as unwelcome sexual advances, unwelcome requests for sexual favors, or other unwelcome verbal or physical conduction a sexual nature, when:

- Submission to that conduct is made explicitly or implicitly a term or condition or employment; or
- Submission to or rejection of that conduct is used as a basis for employment decisions; or
- The conduct has the effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual's work performance or creating an intimidating, hostile or offensive work environment.

For the purpose of this Policy "unwelcome" means "unwanted." An employee should never assume any such conduct is welcomed by others.

Under the definition given above, sexual harassment includes a direct or implied request by a supervisor for sexual favors in exchange for favorable job action (such as a favorable review, a salary increase or promotion) or in exchange for avoiding unfavorable job action (such as demotion, discipline or discharge). Any such requests are strictly prohibited and will result in disciplinary action or discharge. If any supervisor or manager makes any such direct or implied request, it must be reported as described in the policy. The City will take actions appropriate to fully investigate allegations of harassment.

The legal definition of sexual harassment also includes other types of conduct. While it is not possible to describe all circumstances which may constitute sexual harassment, the following are examples of conduct which, if unwelcome, may constitute sexual harassment depending upon the totality of the circumstances, including the severity and perpendiceness of the conduct:

- Sexual advances and propositions, with or without physical contact;
- Making or threatening reprisal for a negative response to sexual advances;
- Sexual epithets and jokes and written or oral remarks about a person's sex life, body or sexual activities, sexual deficiencies or prowess;
- Displaying or circulating obscene or sexually suggestive objects, pictures, cartoons, internet materials or screen-savers;
- Gossip or questions about someone's sexual experiences, gender identification, or orientation or talking about sexual experiences;
- Assaults, pinching, hugging, kissing of touching of an offensive or sexual nature or rubbing up against the body or impeding or blocking movement;
- Leering, wolf whistles, catcalls, sexual slurs or gestures, or sexually suggestive, insuling or degrading comments;
- Sexually suggestive or obscene letters, notes, e-mails or invitations; and
- Repeated flictation, requests for dates and the like by anyone to someone who has indicated such attentions are not welcome.

Whether such conduct is deemed to be illegal or not, unwelcome and offensive conduct of these types by any individual toward anyone is prohibited by this Policy. Anyone found to be in violation of this policy is subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination and any other penalties recognized by Federal, State and Local law.

## D. Other Types of Harassment are Prohibited

Not all harassment is sexual. This Policy also prohibits verbal or physical harassment of any person because of his or her race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, place of birth, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, familial status, age, disability, height, weight, marital status, or protected status or exercise of legal rights, including the right to report violations of this Policy, where such conduct is unwelcome and has the effect

of unreasonably interfering with an individual's work performance or creating an intimidating, hostile or offensive work environment. Whether any such conduct is deemed to be illegal or not, conduct such as that described below is prohibited:

- Epithets, slurs, ridicule, insults, or threatening, intlmidating or hostile
  acts, including those that purport to be "jokes" or "pranks," made to or
  about someone because of his or her membership in a protected class or
  exercise of legal rights;
- Stereotyping or offensive comments, cartoons, pictures or objects that denigrate or insult members of a protected class or those who exercise legal rights; and
- Demeaning, hostile or derogatory remarks directed at someone because of his or her protected class status or exercise of legal rights.

These are just some examples of conduct which may constitute harassment, depending upon the totality of circumstances, including the severity and perpendicular of the conduct.

## E. Complaint/Report Procedure

The following procedure shall be utilized by the City public servapts and employees for the processing of complaints relating to discrimination and transsment. This procedure shall apply only to those complaints directed against a person who at the time of the filing of the complaint is a City of Flint employee or public servant. The procedure may be utilized with regard to complaints covering administrators, supervisory personnel and co-employees. While the procedure itself is not directly applicable to complaints involving non-employees of the City of Flint, any discrimination or harasyment from such individuals in the City of Flint work place should be brought to the attention of the employee's supervisor and/or the Human Resources Director.

## 1. City of Film Fact Finding Procedure

i. An employee, regardless of position, who feels he or she is being or has been subjected to illegal discrimination or harassment by another parson on the basis of their race, color, sex, religion, ancestry, national origin, place of birth, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, familial status, age, disability height, weight, marital status, is expected to notify the Human Resources Director or his/her supervisor (or a higher level supervisor if the immediate supervisor is the offending party) immediately by issuing their complaint in writing or verbally. All complaints will be forwarded to the Human Resources Director unless the Human Resources Director is the offending party. If the Human Resources Director is believed to have violated the City's No Harassment and Discrimination in the Work Place Policy, the employee should immediately file a written or verbal complaint with the City Attorney.

il. The written complaint must provide the following:

- The dates and times the instances of discrimination or harassment have occurred;
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- c. Any known witnesses:
- d. The nature of the conduct amounting to the discrimination or harassment; and
- e. A request for an investigation
- iii. If a verbal complaint is made then the person and took the complaint must reduce the complaint to writing and provide the requirements listed under Section E(1)(ii).

The Human Resources/Labor Relations Director them assigns an Investigator to the complaint. Information received during the complaint process will be treated as confidentially as may be permitted under the complaints, giving due regard to an employee's right to be apprised of and respond to allegations made against him or her.

## 2. Investigation Process

- i. During the investigation a statement of public servants and/or employees or others with any possible knowledge of the situation are obtained through interviews. The statement may be reduced to writing for signature by the maker of the statement recorded or transcribed to the discretton of the investigator.
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- Upon completion of the investigation, a summary report of the findings and the investigator's recommendation is prepared and submitted to the Human Resources Director.
- v.The Human Resources Director in consultation with the City
  Administrator will issue the final determination as to whether the
  City's No Harassment and Discrimination in the Work Place Policy has
  been violated.

vi. If it is found the Policy has been violated, the Human Resources and Labor Relations Director in consultation with the City Administrator will determine what amount of disciplinary action is appropriate, and initiate implementation of discipline.

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At any stage in the process an investigation may be discontinued or held in abeyance due to conflicting or insufficient evidence, improper motivation or leck of jurisdiction as determined by the investigator. The Human Resources Director in consultation with the City Administrator, shall have final authority to determine whether an investigation proceeds or is discontinued. If the Human Resources Director is the subject of such investigation, final authority shall rest with the City Adverney.

## 3. Unsubstantiated Complaints

i. If, as a result of the investigation, it is determined no violation of the policy has occurred, or there is insufficient information from which to make a determination whether a violation has occurred: The complainant and alleged harasser shall be notified of the finding and the reason(s) therefore

## F. Federal, State and Local Laws

Federal, state and local laws prohibit illegal discrimination, harassment and retaliation. It's the policy of the Zity to comply with all state and federal laws which prohibit illegal harassment and discrimination in the workplace, including the cities aron Civil Rights Act and Title VII of the 1964 Civil Rights Act.

## G.False allegations

If attendinvestigation the City of Flint finds clear and convincing evidence a complethant knowingly made false complaints, the complainant may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including termination.

# RESOLUTION NO. 190011 (Resolution to Adopt the Alcohol & Drug Free Workplace and Testing Policy) is being prepared by the Administration for the 2/20/2019 Legislative Committee agenda. Policy

attached.

# CITY OF FLINT ALCOHOL & DRUG FREE WORKPLACE AND TESTING POLICY

#### 1. PURPOSE

The City of Flint recognizes the importance of a drug and alcohol free workplace. The abuse of drugs, alcohol or other chemical substances by an employee endangers the safety of the public, the employee, and other City employees. The City recognizes it is in its best interest, as well as the best interest of its employees and the public, to prevent and eliminate drug, alcohol and/or substance abuse in the work place. Any employee found using, possessing, selling, distributing or being under the influence of an illegal chemical substance and/or alcohol during working hours, while on City property, or while using City equipment will be subject to discipline up to and including termination of employment.

#### 2. APPLICATION

This policy applies to all employees as well as all applicants for employment once they have received a conditional offer of employment.

Nothing in this policy shall conflict with the Collective Bargaining Agreements of any employees. If a provision of this policy conflicts, the Collective Bargaining Agreement prevails.

Because of Federal law requirements, any employee who is convicted of manufacturing, distributing, dispensing, possessing, or use of controlled substances in the workplace must report that fact within five days of the conviction to the Director of Human Resources and Labor Relations. If your job relates to, or is funded by a Federal grant or contract, the City is required to notify the Federal Government of your conviction within ten (10) days.

## 3. APPLICANT PRE-EMPLOYMENT TESTING

All applicants will undergo drug and/or alcohol testing following a conditional offer of employment, but prior to final hiring and assignment. Refusal to undergo a test, or a positive test, will result in the City withdrawing its conditional offer of employment. In addition, adulteration of a specimen or a drug or alcohol test will be considered as a refusal to undergo a test.

## 4. FOR CAUSE TESTING

Drug and/or alcohol testing may be conducted on any employee at any time the City has reasonable suspicion there is cause to believe an employee may be under the influence of drugs or alcohol, including, but not limited to, the following circumstances:

- a. Observation of drugs or alcohol on or about the employee's person or in the employee's vicinity;
- b. Observation of conduct on the part of the employee that suggests that the employee is impaired or is under the influence of drugs or alcohol;

- c. Receipt of a report of drug or alcohol use by an employee while at work;
- d. Information that an employee has tampered with drug or alcohol testing at any time:
- e. Negative job performance patterns by the employee; or
- f. Excessive or unexplained absenteeism or tardiness.

The supervisor will verbally inform the employee of the reason for the test. Additionally, a written record of the situation leading to the drug or alcohol test will be created and signed by the supervisor(s) within 24 hours of the event. A copy of the report will be forwarded to the Human Resources and Labor Relations Department.

## 5. POST-ACCIDENT TESTING

Post-Accident drug and/or alcohol testing may be conducted on an employee where there has been damage to City property or equipment while the employee was at work or the employee or another person has sustained an injury while at work. The post-accident test will be administered while the employee is still on duty or as close as possible. No employee required to take a post-accident alcohol or drug test may use any alcohol or drugs of any kind following the accident until the employee undergoes the post-accident testing.

## 6. RANDOM TESTING

The City of Flint will randomly test employees for compliance with its drug-free workplace policy. As used in this policy, "random testing," means a method of selection of employees for testing, performed by an outside third party. The selection will result in an equal probability that any employee from a group of employees will be tested. Furthermore, the City of Flint has no discretion to waive the selection of an employee selected by this random selection method.

The City may, at various times, randomly select members of the following employment groups, at its discretion, for unannounced random testing for drugs or alcohol:

- a. Police officers
- b. Firefighters
- c. Safety-Sensitive Employees: Persons engaged in activities that directly affect the safety of the public.
- d. Employees whose work requires possession of a CDL.

## 7. SCHEDULED PERIODIC TESTING

The City of Flint reserves the right to conduct periodic testing on a regularly scheduled basis for employees in designated departments, classifications or workgroups.

## 8. RETURN TO DUTY TESTING

When an employee has a confirmed positive test result, or has been sent to a drug dependency program at the request of the City of Flint as a condition of continued

employment, the employee will be required to be tested at least six (6) times in the first twelve (12) months following the employee's return to active duty. Return to Duty tests must be conducted under direct supervision.

## 9. SUBSTANCES COVERED BY DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING

Employees will be tested for their use of commonly abused controlled substances, which include amphetamines, barbiturates, benzodiazepines, opiates, cannabinoids\*, cocaine, methadone, methaqualone, phencyclidine (PCP), propoxyphene and chemical derivatives of these substances.

Employees must advise testing lab employees of all prescription drugs taken in the past month before the test and be prepared to show proof of such prescriptions to testing lab personnel.

\* Despite Michigan law, marijuana for medical or recreational use is a Drug Enforcement Administration listed Schedule I controlled substance and therefore is prohibited.

## 10. MARIJUANA USE PROHIBITED

The State of Michigan has enacted legislation allowing for the recreational and medical use of marijuana. Despite Michigan law, marijuana for medical or recreational use is a Drug Enforcement Administration listed Schedule I controlled substance. Therefore, the marijuana use remains prohibited when engaged in activities governed by Federal law specifically, the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Drug and alcohol testing regulations.

The City of Flint, as an employer, is required to ensure the safety and protection of the citizens served by its employees. Therefore, the enactment of the Medical Marijuana Act (MMA) and recreational marijuana usage legislation does not override existing policies concerning the following:

- The City of Flint Alcohol & Controlled Substance Testing Policies and Procedures for Employers with Commercial Driver's License (CDL) or City policies affiliated with DOT Federal Transit Administration Regulations:
- Negligent entrustment of City vehicles:
- Driving while impaired or yielding positive test results post-accident, including the operation of City vehicles or a private vehicle while conducting City business;
- Any employee engaged in conduct or action prohibited by the MMA;
- Smoking marijuana in public;
- Possession of marijuana at schools or correctional facilities;
- Operating a vehicle under the influence of marijuana:
- Selling marijuana during hours of employment, at any City work site and or on City property;
- · Being in possession of marijuana while on City premises or on duty; and
- Working while under the influence of marijuana.

## 11. TESTING METHODS AND PROCEDURES

All testing will be conducted by a licensed independent medical laboratory, which will follow testing standards established by the state or federal government. Testing will be conducted on a urine sample provided by the employee to the testing laboratory under procedures established by the laboratory to ensure privacy of the employee, while protecting against tampering/alteration of the test results.

Employees will be considered to be engaged at work for the time spent in taking any tests and will be compensated for such time at their regular rate.

The City of Flint will pay for the cost of the testing, including the confirmation of any positive test result by gas chromatography. The testing lab will retain samples in accordance with state law, so an employee may request a retest of the sample at his or her own expense if the employee disagrees with the test result.

#### 12. REFUSAL TO UNDERGO TESTING

Employees who refuse to submit to a test are subject to disciplinary action, up to and including immediate discharge.

#### 13. POSITIVE TEST

If an employee tests positive on an initial screening test, the employee will be temporarily suspended while the confirmation test is being conducted. On receipt of the confirmation test, the employee will be subject to disciplinary action, up to and including discharge. Discipline selected by the City of Flint will depend on a variety of factors, including, but not limited to, the prior work record of the employee, the length of prior employment, the prior accident and attendance record of the employee, the circumstances that led to the testing, and the proposals by the employee to address the problem.

#### 14. RIGHT TO EXPLAIN TEST RESULTS

All employees and applicants have the right to meet with the testing laboratory personnel, and with the City of Flint, to explain their test results. These discussions should be considered confidential, except information disclosed in such tests will be communicated to personnel within the City of Flint Human Resources and Labor Relations department or within the lab who need to know such information to make proper decisions regarding the test results or regarding the employment of the individual.

## 15. RIGHT TO REVIEW RECORDS

Employees have a right to obtain copies of all test results from the testing laboratory, or from the City of Flint. When an employee disagrees with the test results, the individual may request the testing laboratory repeat the test. Such repeat testing will be at the expense of the individual, unless the repeat test overturns the original report of the lab, in which case the City of Flint will reimburse the employee for the costs incurred for the retest.

## 16. CONFIDENTIALITY REQUIREMENTS

All records concerning test results will be kept in medical files that are maintained separately from the personnel file of the employee.

Testing laboratories may conduct testing only for substances included on the disclosure list provided to the individual, and may not conduct general testing related to the medical conditions of the individual that are unrelated to drug use.

## 17. RETESTING

Employees may request a retest of their positive test results within five (5) working days after notification by the City of Flint of such positive test result. This retest is at the expense of the individual, unless the original test result is called into question by the retest.

Where the employee or applicant believes the positive test result was affected by taking lawful or prescribed substances, the individual may be suspended without pay pending receipt of confirming information to substantiate the claims of the individual. Normally, the individual will be provided no more than five (5) business days in which to provide this additional information.

Once City of Flint has determined whether there is evidence to indicate the test results are incorrect, the City of Flint will advise the individual of its decision.

## 18. TREATMENT, TERMINATION AND REHIRE

Employees who test positive for any drug(s) listed on the disclosure list have two (2) choices. One, the employee may agree to enter an authorized treatment program approved by the City of Flint, and agree to subsequent retesting for a period of two (2) years after returning from treatment. Or two, the employee will be terminated immediately and will not be considered for rehire until he or she can show he or she has remained drug-free for a period of two years or more.

## 19. RESPONSIBILITIES OF INDIVIDUALS

In order to comply with the provisions of this policy, each employee assumes the following responsibilities:

- a. Working under the Influence of Performance Impairing Medication: Employees who have been prescribed legal medications that might affect the safe performance of their duties are required to notify their supervisors prior to performing any hazardous or dangerous tasks.
- b. Reporting to Work or Working While Impaired: Employees may not report to work and may not continue to work while impaired by any restricted substance identified in this policy.
- c. Reporting Violations: The services provided by certain employees are performed, at times, under hazardous and dangerous conditions. Thus,

employees are encouraged to come forward and report any violation of this policy to management. This information may be instrumental in the prevention of serious accidents and injuries on the job.

Any questions concerning this policy, its interpretation or application should be directed to the Human Resources and Labor Relations Department.

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