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Dear Property Owner:

The Stormwater Authority of the City of Chester (SAC) has been mandated by the State of Pennsylvania to remediate storm water runoff in the city. As such, by authority of the Pennsylvania Municipal Authorities Act. The SAC is entitled to charge reasonable fees to the property owners of the city. Failure to pay said fees will result in late payment status and additional fees as well as referral to a collection agency. Non-payment of fees could also have adverse repercussions regarding your credit rating. Additionally, failure to pay stormwater fees may also cause the Authority to place a lien on your property which could result in foreclosure.

We believe that the Stormwater Authority's fee schedule is more than reasonable and hope that you will reconsider your refusal to pay your fee. However, if you still wish to appeal your bill, you must first pay your current bill, then request in writing, an appeal hearing with the Authority.

Sincerely,

*Joseph Oxman*

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