

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

In Re: City of Somersworth

**PETITION PURSUANT TO RSA 362:4, III-a AND RSA 374:22 TO EXTEND WATER
SERVICE AREA**

NOW COMES the City of Somersworth, by and through its attorneys, Mitchell Municipal Group, P.A., and in petitioning to extend its water service area to four additional properties in the Town of Rollinsford and to expand water service to one property in Rollinsford for which this Commission has previously given approval, states as follows:

1. The City of Somersworth currently provides water services to its residents.
2. This Commission has previously approved the extension of the City of Somersworth's water system to 39 residential customers in Rollinsford, see, Tariff NHPUC No. 1, and to the manufacturing plant of Janco, Inc., on Goodwin Street in Rollinsford for the sole purpose of providing water for private fire protection, see Re Somersworth Water Commission, 70 NH PUC 744, DE 85-268, Order No. 17,832 (8-30-85).
3. The City of Somersworth now seeks a further extension of its water services to four owners of residential property in Rollinsford who have requested the City of Somersworth to extend water service to their property because the wells on their properties are contaminated, the Department of Environmental Services has prohibited them from drinking the water from those wells, and Rollinsford does not provide water service to this area of town. These properties are: Lledan D. Baker and Charisse E. Baker, 61 Goodwin Road; Jay Whitehouse and Denise Whitehouse, 272 Rollins Road; and Paul E. Janetos, 80 and 83 Goodwin Road. In addition, Janco, Inc. in Rollinsford

has asked to increase the water service presently supplied to its property by the City of Somersworth from mere fire protection to full water service. Deeds to the properties are attached as Exhibit 1 and a plan showing the proposed water extension is attached as Exhibit 2. The Somersworth City Council has voted to approve this extension.

4. The City of Somersworth Division of Water has determined that the City of Somersworth water system contains sufficient capacity to accommodate this request and the addition will create no adverse effect on the existing water system or its current customers. See Letter from City Manager Robert M. Belmore, attached as Exhibit 3.

5. The City of Somersworth will provide service uniformly, and in accordance with its existing tariff, to all subscribers within the City of Somersworth and to the additional service area created in the Town of Rollinsford. See Letter from City Manager Robert M. Belmore, attached as Exhibit 3.

6. Adding to the existing service area will be in the best interest of the potential customers in the area proposed for addition.

7. Expansion of the water line will be funded by the proposed customers in the expanded service area so that approval of this request would also be in the best interest of the existing customers in that they will not endure any expansion cost. Additionally, the City of Somersworth water system has sufficient excess capacity built into its water system to accommodate this request for additional service.

8. Since service to the proposed new areas will be on the same terms as provided within the current service area, and since no water utilities currently serve the area proposed for addition, the City of Somersworth respectfully suggests that expedited review of this request and Petition would be appropriate and would preserve the PUC staff and commission time for more substantive matters.

WHEREFORE, the City of Somersworth respectfully requests that this
Commission:

A. Exempt the City of Somersworth's request for extension from the formal review which may usually be required for expansion of a water utility service area, or grant such waivers of formal review as the PUC deems appropriate;

B. Approve the request for expansion, authorizing the City of Somersworth to engage in the supply of water services within the area designated in Exhibit 1 without being considered a public utility as provided by RSA 362:4; and

C. Grant such other and further relief as the Commission deems just and necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

CITY OF SOMERSWORTH

By Its Attorneys
MITCHELL MUNICIPAL GROUP, P.A.

Date: Sept. 13, 2012

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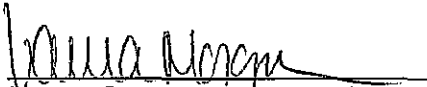

Laura Spector-Morgan, Bar No. 13790
25 Beacon Street East
Laconia, New Hampshire 03246
(603) 524-3885
laura@mittchellmunigroup.com

EXHIBIT 1

Lledan D. Baker and Charisse E. Baker, 61 Goodwin Road

Quitclaim Deed

Know All Men By These Presents, that LLELDAN D. BAKER of 61 Goodwin Road in the Town of Rollinsford, County of Strafford, State of New Hampshire, for consideration paid,

Hereby grants to LLELDAN D. BAKER and CHARISSE BAKER, husband and wife, of 61 Goodwin Road in the Town of Rollinsford, County of Strafford, State of New Hampshire, as joint tenants with rights of survivorship,

With Quitclaim Covenants, the following described premises:

A certain tract or parcel of land situated on the easterly side of Goodwin Road in the Town of Rollinsford, County of Strafford, State of New Hampshire, being Lot #B on a certain "Plan of Lots - Adelard & Lucille Gagnon - Rollinsford, New Hampshire", by G.L. Davis & Associates, recorded as Plan #17-142 in the Strafford County Registry of Deeds, said parcel being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

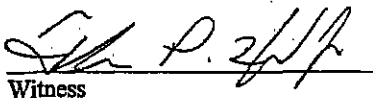
Beginning at a steel stake set in the ground on the easterly sideline of the said Goodwin Road, said stake representing the northwesterly boundary of the tract herein described; thence running South 72° 15' East, 348 feet, more or less, to a steel stake; thence turning and running North 85° 26' East, 135.81 feet, more or less, to a steel stake; thence turning and running North 09° 46' East along the easterly boundary of Lot #A, 529.8 feet, more or less, to a steel stake, thence turning and running North 88° 51' East 100 feet, more or less, to an iron pipe; thence turning and running South 17° 51' 30" East along a wire fence, 468.60 feet, more or less, to a point; thence turning and running South 14° 58' 30" East, 191.47 feet, more or less, to an iron pipe; thence turning and running North 85° 26' West along a wire fence 907.56 feet, more or less, to a metal fence post on the easterly sideline of said Goodwin Road; thence turning and running North 12° 20' East along the easterly sideline of Goodwin Road, 271.60 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

This parcel contains 5.76 acres, more or less.

Meaning and intending to convey the same premises conveyed to the grantor herein by fiduciary deed of Carla A. Robidas, Administratrix of the Estate of Eddie J. Baker, such deed being dated October 24, 1995, and recorded in the Strafford County Registry of Deeds in Book 1828, Page 770.

There is no consideration for this transfer. This is a noncontractual transfer between husband and wife.

Signed this 25 day of June, 2002

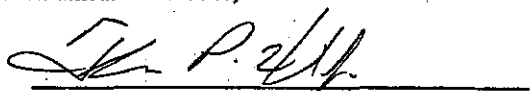

Witness


Lledan D. Baker, Grantor

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
COUNTY OF STRAFFORD, SS

Date 6/25/02

Personally appeared Lledan D. Baker, known to me, and he acknowledged that he executed the same for the purposes therein contained. Before me,


Thomas P. Hand, Jr, Esquire - Justice of the Peace
My Commission Expires 1/19/05

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FIDUCIARY DEED

CARLA A. ROBIDAS, of 17 Weeks Lane, Town of Barrington, County of Strafford, and State of New Hampshire, as Administratrix of the Estate of Eddie J. Baker by the power conferred by a Letter of Administration Intestate from the Strafford County Probate Court, Docket Number 1995-0362, and every other power,

for consideration paid, grants to

LLELDAN D. BAKER, a married person, of 61 Goodwin Road, Town of Rollinsford, County of Strafford, and State of New Hampshire,

A certain tract or parcel of land situated on the easterly side of Goodwin Road in the Town of Rollinsford, Strafford County, State of New Hampshire, being lot #B on a certain "Plan of Lots - Adelard & Lucille Gagnon - Rollinsford, New Hampshire", by G.L. Davis & Associates, recorded as Plan #17-142 of the Strafford County Registry of Deeds, said parcel being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a steel stake set in the ground on the easterly sideline of the said Goodwin Road, said stake representing the northwesterly boundary of the tract herein described; thence

1. Running South 72° 15' East, 348 feet, more or less, to a steel stake; thence
2. Turning and running North 85° 26' East, 135.81 feet, more or less, to a steel stake; thence
3. Turning and running North 09° 46' East along the easterly boundary of lot #A, 529.8 feet, more or less, to a steel stake; thence
4. Turning and running North 88° 51' East, 100 feet more or less to an iron pipe; thence
5. Turning and running South 17° 51' 30" East along a wire fence, 468.60 feet, more or less, to a point; thence
6. Turning and running South 14° 58' 30" East, 191.47 feet, more or less, to an iron pipe; thence
7. Turning and running North 85° 26' West along a wire fence, 907.56 feet, more or less, to a metal fence post on the easterly sideline of said Goodwin Road; thence
8. Turning and running North 12° 20' East along the easterly sideline of Goodwin Road, 271.60 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

This parcel contains 5.76 acres, more or less.

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Meaning and intending to describe and convey the same premises as conveyed to Eddie J. Baker by Warranty Deed of Charles L. Gagne and Charlotte H. Gagne, dated 15 May 1987 and recorded on 18 May 1987 at the Strafford County Registry of Deeds at Book 1312, Page 0172.

WITNESS my hand this 24 day of OCT, 1995.

Tammy A Melnick
Witness

Carla A. Robidas
Carla A. Robidas, as
Administratrix of the Estate
of Eddie J. Baker


STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
COUNTY OF STRAFFORD

Dated: 10/24/95

Personally appeared Carla A. Robidas, Administratrix of the Estate of Eddie J. Baker, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that she executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

Before me, Tammy A Melnick
Justice of the Peace/Notary Public
My commission expires:

TAMMY A. MELNICK, Notary Public
My Commission Expires August 25, 1998

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE			
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION		REAL ESTATE TRANSFER TAX	
XXXX THOUSAND XX6 HUNDRED AND X50 DOLLARS			
10 24 95	196706	\$ 650.00	
VOID IF ALTERED			

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Jay Whitehouse and Denise Whitehouse, 272 Rollins Road

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DEED OF WARRANTY

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Robert A. Whitehouse and Madaleine C. Whitehouse, husband and wife

of Rollinsford, Strafford County, State of

New Hampshire, for consideration paid, grant to Jay P. Whitehouse and Denise R. Whitehouse,

husband and wife, as joint tenants with rights of survivorship

16 Portland Street
(Street Address)

of Somersworth, Strafford County, State of

(Town or City)

New Hampshire

with WARRANTY covenants, ~~tax~~

(Description of land or interest being conveyed: incumbrances, exceptions, reservations, if any)

A certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, situated in Rollinsford, County of Strafford and State of New Hampshire and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a one half inch iron post set in the ground, said post being located at the junction of the Southeasterly corner of the within described premises, the Southwesterly corner of land retained by the grantors herein, and the northerly side of land of the State of New Hampshire (the road leading from Salmon Falls to Dover runs across said state land): thence running by said State land on a curve to the right having a radius of One Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Seven and no tenths (1,587.0) feet a distance of Two Hundred Thirty-Two and Nine Tenths (232.9) feet to a stake; thence running by said State land North 68° 37' 20" West a distance of Two Hundred Five and Nine tenths (205.9) feet to a stake set in the ground near Goodwin Road; thence running North 10° 0' 0" East by a wire fence a distance of One Hundred Ten and Three tenths (110.3) feet to an iron post and fence corner and land of Gagnon; thence turning and running North 84° 5' 30" East by a wire fence and land of Gagnon a distance of Four Hundred Thirty Eight and Seven tenths (438.7) feet to a one half inch iron pin; thence turning and running South 7° 53' 40" West by and along land retained by the grantors herein a distance of Three Hundred and Three tenths (300.3) feet to the point of beginning.

Meaning and intending to convey the same premises conveyed to the grantors by deed of Alphonse Cardin and Henrietta Cardin dated May 25, 1951 and recorded in the Strafford County Registry of Deeds at Book 584, Page 445.

Meaning and intending to convey Lot #1 on a plan entitle "Plan of Robert Whitehouse property and proposed subdivision Lot #1 Rollinsford, N. H. " by Jon Moore, dated November 1975, to be recorded in the Strafford County Registry of Deeds.

Consideration less than \$100. No transfer stamps required.

Madaleine C. Whitehouse, wife of said Grantor, release to said Grantee all rights of Robert A. Whitehouse, husband curtesy, homestead and other interests therein.

WITNESS OUR hands and seals this 18th day of December, 19 75.

Witness:

Bette L. Caudette (to both)

Robert A. Whitehouse

Madaleine C. Whitehouse
Madaleine C. Whitehouse

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Strafford ss.

Robert A. Whitehouse and Madaleine C. Whitehouse

December 18, 19 75.

Personally appeared and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be their voluntary act and deed.

Before me,

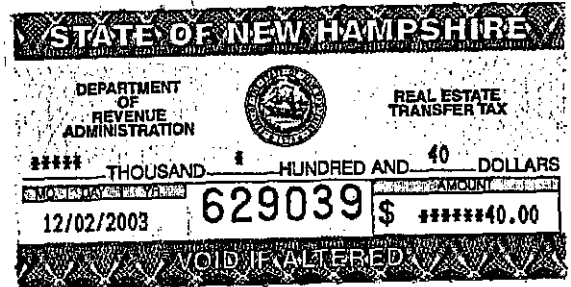
David T. Carey

David T. Carey
Justice of the Peace.
Notary Public.

REGISTER OF DEEDS
STRAFFORD COUNTY

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Paul E. Janetos, 80 Goodwin Road



WARRANTY DEED

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS THAT I, PAUL E. JANETOS, SR., a married person, of 80 Goodwin Road, Rollinsford, County of Strafford, State of New Hampshire 03869, for consideration paid, grant to PAUL E. JANETOS, SR. and ROBERTA JANE JANETOS, TRUSTEES OF THE JANETOS 2003 REALTY TRUST established by agreement dated September 11, 2003, of 80 Goodwin Road, Rollinsford, County of Strafford, State of New Hampshire 03829, with WARRANTY covenants, the following:

A certain tract or parcel of land with the buildings thereon shown as Lot #1 on a Limited Subdivision of Marie A. Lampesis, Rollinsford, N.H. dated March, 1977 by Frederick E. Drew, Registered Land Surveyor and approved by the Rollinsford Planning Board on April 27, 1977, located on the westerly side of Broadway, also known as Goodwin Road, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a steel stake at land now or formerly of Marie A. Lampesis on the westerly side of Broadway, thence running N 78° 10' W, 540.0 feet, more or less, along said Marie A. Lampesis land to a steel stake; thence turning and running S 13° 15' W, 403.5 feet, more or less, along said Marie Lampesis land to a steel stake at land now or formerly of Janetos; thence turning and running S 78° 10' E, 540.0 feet, more or less, along said Janetos land to a steel stake on the westerly side of Broadway; thence turning and running N 13° 15' E, 403.5 feet, more or less, along said road to the steel stake at the point of beginning.

Meaning and intending to convey a portion of the same premises conveyed to Paul E. Janetos, Sr. by Warranty Deed of Theodore B. Lampesis and Margaret Lampesis f/k/a Margaret Klementowicz dated May 10, 2002 recorded at the Strafford County Registry of Deeds, Book 2507, Page 645.

I, Roberta Jane Janetos, wife of Paul A. Janetos, Sr., release all rights of homestead and other interests therein.

LAW OFFICE
OF
JAMES H. SCHULTE
660 CENTRAL AVENUE
DOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE
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TEL 603-743-6300
FAX 603-743-6400

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Signed this 1 day of December, 2003.

Sandra L. England
Witness
Robert
Witness

Paul E. Janetos Sr.
Paul E. Janetos, Sr.
Roberta Jane Janetos
Roberta Jane Janetos

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Strafford, ss.

December 1, 2003

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by Paul E. Janetos, Sr. and Roberta Jane Janetos.

Sandra L. England
Notary Public
My Commission Expires _____

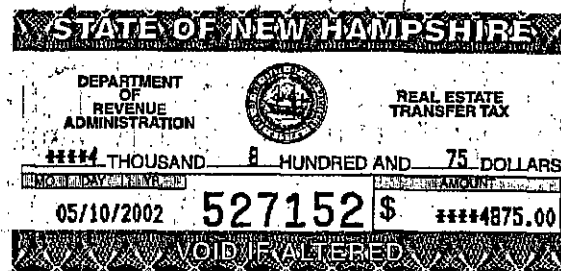
SANDRA L. ENGLAND, Notary Public
My Commission Expires November 10, 2004



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LAW OFFICE
OF
JAMES H. SCHULTE
660 CENTRAL AVENUE
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03820

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WARRANTY DEED
Statutory Short Form

THEODORE B. LAMPESIS and MARGARET LAMPESIS, f/k/a MARGARET KLEMENTOWICZ, married, of 80 Goodwin Road, Rollinsford, Strafford County, New Hampshire 03869 grant to Paul E. Janetos, Sr., a single person, of 250 Rollins Road, Rollinsford, Strafford County, New Hampshire 03869, with *WARRANTY COVENANTS*:

Parcel "A":

A certain tract or parcel of land with the buildings thereon shown as Lot #1 on a Limited Subdivision of Marie A. Lampesis, Rollinsford, N.H. dated March, 1977 by Frederick E. Drew, Registered Land Surveyor and approved by the Rollinsford Planning Board on April 27, 1977, said Lot #1 located on the westerly side of Broadway, also known as Goodwin Road, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a steel stake at land now or formerly of Marie A. Lampesis on the westerly side of Broadway, thence running North seventy-eight degrees ten minutes West (N 78° 10' W) five hundred forty and zero tenths feet (540.0'), more or less, along said Marie A. Lampesis land to a steel stake;

thence turning and running South thirteen degrees fifteen minutes West (S 13° 15' W) four hundred three and five tenths feet (403.5'), more or less, along said Marie Lampesis land to a steel stake at land now or formerly of Janetos;

thence turning and running South seventy-eight degrees ten minutes East (S 78° 10' E) five hundred forty and zero tenths feet (540.0'), more or less, along said Janetos land to a steel stake on the westerly side of Broadway;

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thence turning and running North thirteen degrees fifteen minutes East (N 13° 15' E) four hundred three and five tenths feet (403.5'), more or less, along said road to the steel stake at the point of beginning.

Parcel "B":

A certain tract or parcel of land as shown on a plan entitled "Limited Subdivision Marie Lampesis, Rollinsford, N.H." dated March, 1977 by Frederick E. Drew, R.L.S. and approved by the Rollinsford Planning Board on April 27, 1977, recorded in drawer 17, number 94 with any buildings or improvements thereon, situated in Rollinsford, County of Strafford and State of New Hampshire and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone bound on the westerly sideline of Broadway, so-called, said bound being the northeast corner of the premises herein conveyed, and thence running North seventy-eight degrees ten minutes West (N 78° 10' W) a distance of twenty-five hundred feet (2500'), more or less, to a point;

thence turning and running in a generally southeasterly direction along land now or formerly of T. Lampesis Estate, a distance of four hundred fifty-three feet (453'), more or less to a point;

thence turning and running South seventy-eight degrees ten minutes East (S 78° 10' E) along land now or formerly of Janetos a distance of seventeen hundred seventy feet (1770'), more or less, to a point;

thence turning and running North thirteen degrees fifteen minutes East (N 13° 15' E) along land of Theodore B. Lampesis and Margaret Klementowicz (now Lampesis) a distance of four hundred three and five tenths feet (403.5'), more or less, to a steel stake;

thence turning and running South seventy-eight degrees ten minutes East (S 78° 10' E) along said land of Lampesis and Klementowicz to a stake on the westerly sideline of said Broadway a distance of five hundred forty feet (540'), more or less;

thence turning and running North thirteen degrees fifteen minutes East (N 13° 15' E) along the westerly sideline of said Broadway a distance of fifty feet (50'), more or less, to the point of beginning.

Containing 20 acres, more or less.

TOGETHER WITH AND SUBJECT TO all rights, restrictions, conditions, easements, agreements, encumbrances, and rights-of-way of record.

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BEING the same premises described in Quitclaim Deed of Theodore B. Lampesis and Margaret Lampesis f/k/a Margaret Klementowicz to Theodore B. Lampesis and Margaret Lampesis dated 28 February 2002 and recorded in the Strafford County Registry of Deeds at Book 2475, Page 019.

EXECUTED this 10th day of May, 2002

Theodore B. Lampesis
Theodore B. Lampesis

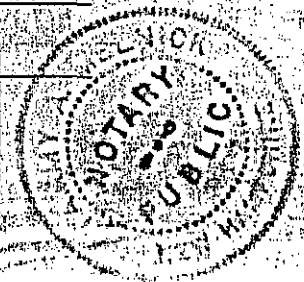
Margaret Lampesis
Margaret Lampesis

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
COUNTY OF STRAFFORD

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 10th day of May, 2002, by Theodore B. Lampesis and Margaret Lampesis.

TAMMY A. MELNICK, Notary Public
My Commission Expires August 12, 2003

Tammy A. Melnick
Justice of the Peace/Notary Public
My Commission Expires: _____



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Paul E. Janetos, 83 Goodwin Road

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE	
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION	REAL ESTATE TRANSFER TAX
****4 Thousand 3 Hundred 35 Dollars	
DATE 11/10/2009	AMOUNT ST816780 \$ ****4335.00
VOID IF ALTERED	

Warranty Deed

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that **Arlene M. Boucher, single**, of **83 Goodwin Road, Rollinsford, New Hampshire 03869** for consideration paid, grant to **Paul E. Janetos, Sr., married of 80 Goodwin Road, Rollinsford, New Hampshire 03869** with WARRANTY COVENANTS, the following described premises:

SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT FOR COMPLETE LEGAL DESCRIPTION MADE A PART HEREOF.

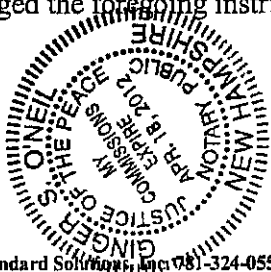
Meaning and intending to convey the same premises conveyed to **Arlene M. Boucher** from **Louis A. Boucher and Claire T. Boucher, Trustees of the Boucher Revocable Living Trust Agreement by Corrective Warranty Deed dated September 24, 2009** and recorded with the Strafford Registry of Deeds at Book 3799 Page 20.

I, **Arlene M. Boucher**, of **83 Goodwin Road, Rollinsford, New Hampshire 03869** do hereby release to said grantee(s) all right of homestead and other interest therein, signed by the grantor(s) this **Ninth day of November, 2009**.

Arlene M. Boucher
Arlene M. Boucher

State of New Hampshire Date: 11/09/09
County of Strafford,

Personally appeared, **Arlene M. Boucher** satisfactorily proven to be the person who acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his/her/their free act and deed, before me.



Notary Public:

My commission expires:

Jennifer O'Neil
April 18, 2012

Exhibit A - Property Description

Closing date: November 9, 2009

Property Address: 83 Goodwin Road, Rollinsford, New Hampshire 03869

Two certain parcels of land, situated in Rollinsford, Strafford county and State of New Hampshire, and bounded and described as follows:

PARCEL: I A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of the highway leading from Dover to Somersworth (sometimes called Green Street) in Rollinsford, Strafford County and State of New Hampshire, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin in the easterly sideline of said highway, said pin also being at the junction of the northwesterly corner of the herein described premises with the southwesterly corner of land now or formerly of Norton; thence easterly by land of said Norton a distance of 150 feet, more or less, to an iron pin at land now or formerly of Adelard and Lucille Gagnon; thence southerly by land of said Gagnon a distance of 100 feet, more or less, to an iron pin; thence westerly by land of said Gagnon a distance of 150 feet, more or less, to an iron pin in the easterly sideline of said highway; thence northerly by the easterly sideline of said highway a distance of 100 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

PARCEL: II A certain lot or parcel of land, being Lot A of "Plan of Lots, Adelard & Lucille Gagnon, Rollinsford, New Hampshire, G. L. Davis & Associates, Civil Engineers, 15 Fisher Street, Dover, New Hampshire, Scale: 1 in. = 100 ft., dated November, 1977" said plan recorded as Plan Book 17 Page 142 at Strafford County Registry of Deeds, and said Lot A being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point located at the southwesterly corner of the premises being herein conveyed at a steel stake set in the ground on the easterly side of said Goodwin Road; thence running N 11° 57' E a distance of 329.29 feet along said Goodwin Road to a steel stake; thence turning and running N 89° 57' E a distance of 150 feet along land of Louis A. Boucher, et al to a steel stake; thence turning and running N 12° 06' E a distance of 100 feet along land of Louis A. Boucher et al, to an iron pin; thence turning and running N 88° 51' E a distance of 317.50 feet along land of John Norton, et al, to a steel stake; thence turning and running S 09° 46' W a distance of 529.38 feet along Lot B to a steel stake; thence turning and running S 85° 26' W a distance of 135.81 feet along Lot B to a steel stake; thence turning and running N 72° 15' W a distance of 348 feet along Lot B to the point of beginning.

EXHIBIT 2

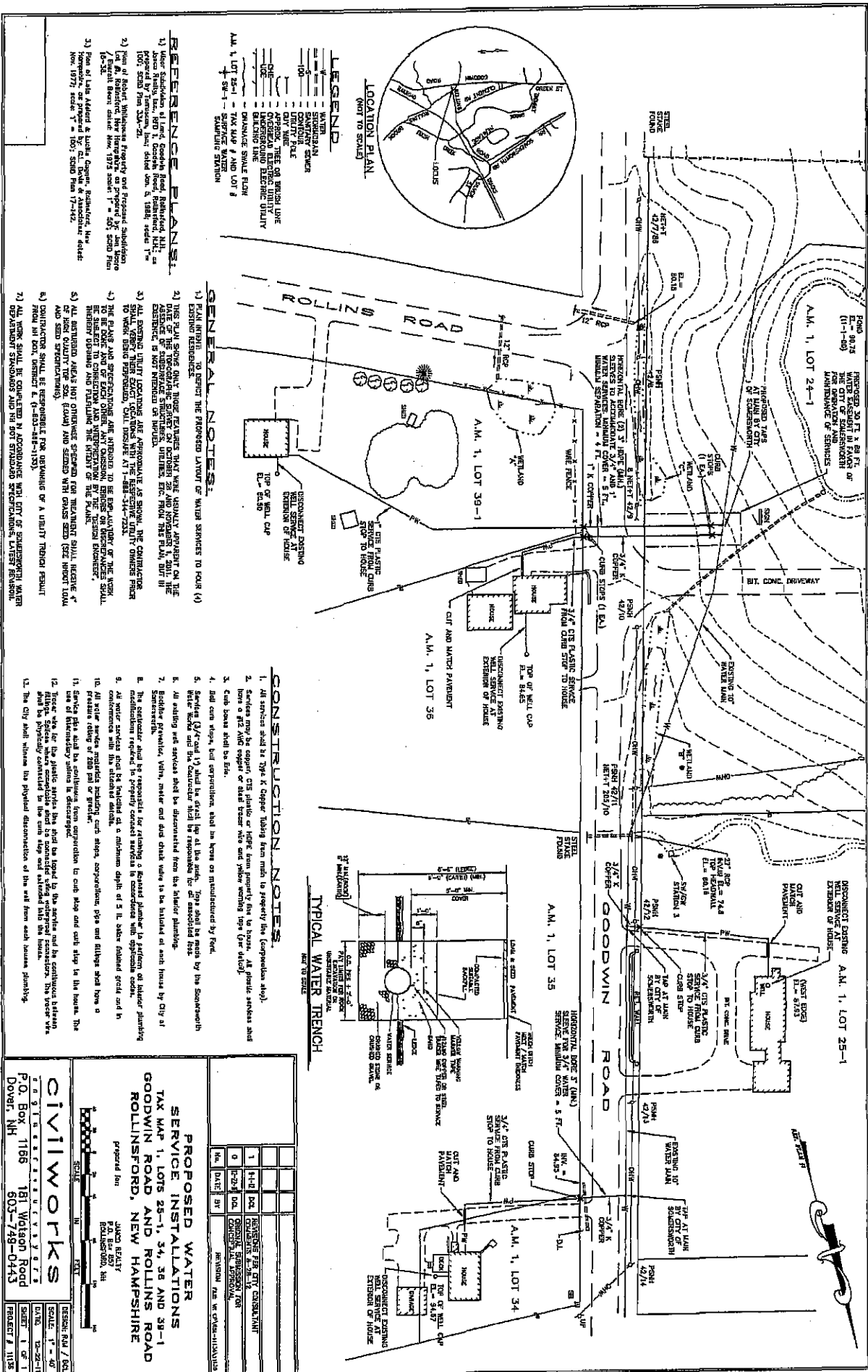


EXHIBIT 3

SOMERSWORTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE

City of Somersworth
One Government Way
Somersworth, NH 03878



City Hall
603.692.4262
www.somersworth.org

September 12, 2012



Debra A. Howland, Executive Director
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10,
Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

Dear Ms. Howland:

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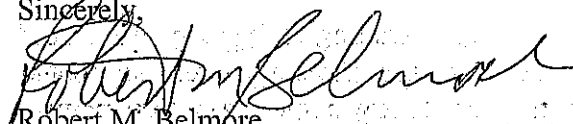
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Thank you for your assistance and please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,


Robert M. Belmore
City Manager

Proud past, bright future