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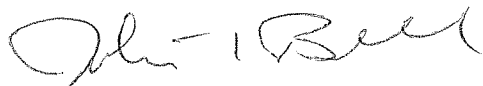
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A functioning and effective sewer infrastructure is vital to all residents and business owners of our community in the Village of Chester. Local government bears the primary responsibility of maintaining an efficient and functioning water and sewer system.

During the next year or so, the Village must replace a pump station located in the Village of Chester. We know what needs to be done and the anticipated cost, which is in the range of \$270,000-\$325,000, but we are faced with the decision, to be made now, of how we will finance this capital improvement. That is, we are deciding whether to add the entire amount of the capital improvement to next year's sewer bills or whether to spread the cost over five years and incur an interest expense by doing so.

The Village Board invites all our residents and sewer ratepayers to attend the next Village Board Meeting scheduled for 3/13/2017 at 7:00PM for an open discussion so that we can hear what our constituents have to say about this.

We hope you can attend the next Village Board Meeting.



John T. Bell
Mayor