

**CITY OF WAUKESHA****Administration**

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<b>Committee:</b> Board of Public Works	<b>Date:</b> 12/3/2020
<b>Common Council Item Number:</b> ID #20-1462	
<b>Submitted By:</b> Fred Abadi, Director of Public Works	<b>City Administrator Approval:</b> Kevin Lahner, City Administrator
<b>Finance Department Review:</b> Bridget M. Souffrant, Finance Director	<b>City Attorney's Office Review:</b> Brian Running, City Attorney
<b>Subject:</b> Review and act on the request from Richard Hunn for a one-time sewer credit for 420 Windsor Dr.	

**Details:**

The City of Waukesha Municipal Code Chapter 29 requires sewer billing to be based upon the measured volume of water consumed and allows for a one-time unmetered credit. According to Chapter 29.6(d) titled One-Time Unmetered Credit, residential users may request an adjustment of sewer service charges for special circumstances such as installation of a new swimming pool or establishing a new lawn.

Richard Hunn, on November 5, 2020, has requested to receive a credit for sewer service charges for the quarter ending September 2020. A new sod lawn was installed August and required extra watering to establish it.

For comparison and calculation of a refund, the average water usage was compared with the quarter of heavy usage.

High Usage: 28,000 gallons  
Estimated Additional Usage: 17,070 gallons  
Calculated Refund (2020 - \$7.90 /1000 gal): \$134.85

**Options & Alternatives:**

To not approve the one-time sewer credit or approve another dollar amount.

**Financial Remarks:****Executive Recommendation:**

Recommend approval of a one-time sewer credit totaling \$134.85

