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| Committee: Board of Public Works | Date: 2/18/2021 |
| Common Council Item Number: ID #21-1769 | |
| Submitted By: Fred Abadi, Director of Public Works | City Administrator Approval: Kevin Lahner, City Administrator |
| Finance Department Review: Bridget M. Souffrant, Finance Director | City Attorney's Office Review: Brian Running, City Attorney |
| Subject: Review and act on the request from Donald Kuhl for a one-time sewer credit for 1326 Mohican Trail. | |

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.

Donald Kuhl, on November 23, 2020, has requested to receive a credit for sewer service charges for the quarter ending November 2020. A new lawn was installed and required extensive 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: 77,100 gallons
Estimated Additional Usage: 61,850 gallons
Calculated Refund (2020 - \$7.90 /1000 gal): \$488.62

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 \$488.62

