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Dear City of New Prague Councilmen & Councilwomen:

For the past 32 + years, I have been employed by the City of New Prague as an operator and a Superintendent of the Wastewater Treatment Facility.

My career in wastewater started in April 1979 part-time when Edwin Hrabe died and I was contacted by then City Administrator Jerry Bohnsack to fill in and help Emil Flicek until a permanent job position was posted. During my initial phase of employment, I recognized the significance of the wastewater process and the potential to advance in its field. I applied for the full-time position and was hired May 1<sup>st</sup>, 1979. In 1988, I was promoted to Wastewater Superintendent due to the vacancy incurred by the untimely death of Emil Flicek.

During my tenure with the City of New Prague, the Wastewater Facility has gone thru several renovations & expansions. The most recent is the construction of a Biological Aerated Filter ( BAF ) Facility.

Taking influent (dirty water) and processing it to produce an effluent (discharged water) which was discharged directly into receiving waters ( Raven Stream ) helped me appreciate what we as a city are doing to improve the environment.

My wife, 3 children, and myself have set roots in the New Prague area and appreciate how the City of New Prague has helped us achieve our goals.

At this time, my family & I, for a variety of reasons have decided that retirement / moving on is in my near future.

Effective January 31, 2012, I would appreciate the City of New Prague Councilmen & Councilwomen to accept my resignation.

I would like to thank the City of New Prague for many years of employment and allowing me to have a long and fulfilling career.

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