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Hi Maida,

I know Tom touched base with you about our meeting with the Village Trustees and the current Water Commissioners in Waterbury. I wanted to offer a brief summary of the bottom line.

As we were leaving the meeting yesterday, there was discussion between the commissioners and the trustees about the general provisions of being able to tax and levy fees that are broader than for water and sewer. The current commissioners seemed to have a different viewpoint about the need for this vs the trustees.

However, in short, if the Gov Ops Committee believes that the utility district powers should be confined to utility issues, the Trustees would prefer the Committee not act and leave the village in tact (at least for this year). They confirmed that they do want broader powers than just relating to utilities. This seemed to be the crux of the Gov Ops Committee discussion and questions on Friday.

Any further follow-up or questions, please feel free to let Tom or me know. We both appreciate the time and attention you and your committee have paid to this charter change.

Theresa

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