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Erie County Water Authority Board of Commissioners Jerome Schad, Peggy LaGree, Michele Iannello 295 Main St. Room 350 Buffalo, NY 14203-2494

January 2, 2024

Dear Commissioners:

I would like to point out a possible oversight by the Authority. I started my career at the Authority in March of 1992 therefore in March of 2022 I had become a 30-year employee. I have enclosed copies of certificates of appreciation that I received on the 20 & 25 dates of service but to this day I have not received a 30-year certificate.

When I started my employment at the Authority I was hired shortly after Steven Paluch we have been friends and co-works for years. One day I reached out to him and asked him if he had received a 30-year certificate, he stated he did not. I guess my question is did the practice of honoring 30-year employees stop or is it that this matter was never called to your attention?

Sincerely,

Daniel A. Rusin Dispatcher Employee # 39

Via US Certified Mail # 7022 2410 0003 0747 2300

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Presented to

Daniel A. Rusin

In Recognition of your

Swenty-Five Years

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The Erie County Water Authority

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