## Portland, Maine



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Michael J. Bobinsky Director of Public Services

26 May 2015

Mr. Joseph Laverriere, P.E. Senior Principal Engineer, Fay, Spofford & Thorndike, 778 Main Street, Suite 8, South Portland, Maine 04106

RE: The Capacity to Handle Wastewater Flows, from a Four-Story, Retail-Residential Mix Development, at 185 Fore Street.

Dear Mr. Laverriere:

The existing, eighteen-inch diameter vitrified clay sewer pipe, located in India Street, has adequate capacity to **transport**, while The Portland Water District sewage treatment facility, located off Marginal Way, has adequate capacity to **treat**, the anticipated wastewater flows of **1,838 GPD**, from this proposed project.

In order to offset any increase in sanitary flows, the City combined sewer overflow (C.S.O.) abatement consent agreement (with the U.S.E.P.A., and with the Maine D.E.P.) requires C.S.O. abatement, as well as storm water mitigation, from all projects.

If the City can be of further assistance, please call 874-8832.

Sincerely,

**CITY OF PORTLAND** 

Frank J Brancely, B.A., M.A. Senior Engineering Technician

 $C:\ \ Capacity\ Letters\ \ Fore\ Street\ 185$ 

Mr. Joseph Laverriere, P.E., Fay, Spofford &Thorndike, Page 2 of 2, May 26, 2015.

## **Anticipated Wastewater Flows from the Proposed Project:**

20 Proposed Retail Employees @ 15 gpd per Unit = 300 GPD
7 Proposed Two-Bedroom Units @ 180 gpd per Unit = 1,260 GPD
1 Proposed Three-Bedroom Units @ 270 gpd per Unit = 270 GPD
8 Proposed Parking Spaces @ 1 gpd per Parking Space = 8 GPD

Total Net Increase in Proposed Wastewater Flows for this Project = 1,838 GPD

## FJB

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