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MR GRAY:

Dept. of Building Inspections
City of Portland Maine

I AM ASKING FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE THIS CONCERNS THE PROPERTY AT 47 CLINTON ST. EVIDENTLY THEY ARE NOT CONNECTED TO THE SEWER. LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER ARE DISCHARGED AT THE REAR OF THE PROPERTY, THIS IS PROPORTIONAL TO THE NUMBER OF TENANTS. A DISCHARGE HOSE HAS BEEN DUG UP AND THE FLOW REDIRECTED TO A MAKE SHIFT LEACH BED. THIS CHANGE WAS MADE AFTER COMPLAINTS WERE FILED. WITH THE ADVENT OF THE LEACH BED, LARGE AMOUNTS OF SOIL WAS DEPOSITED, AT NIGHT, IN THE STREET DRAINS ON CLINTON ST. THE DRAIN IN FRONT OF 39 CLINTON IS FULL, IT TAKES HOURS FOR THE SMALLEST AMOUNT OF WATER TO DRAIN.

I WOULD LIKE SOIL SAMPLES AT THE REAR OF THE PROPERTY CHECKED FOR FECAL AND URINE TRACES.

IF YOU CANNOT ENTER THE PROPERTY TO CHECK THE SEWER, "GROUND PENETRATING RADAR" WILL CHECK THE STREET FOR A CONNECTION.

I AM SICK OF THE ODOR AND THE LIQUID NEAR MY PROPERTY! ALSO I AM CONCERNED ABOUT A PLUGGED MAINE LINE SEWER ON CLINTON STREET. THIS IS NOT SUMP-PUMP DISCHARGE AS STATED, LEGAL OR NOT MOST PEOPLE WOULD DISCHARGE IT IN THE SEWER. ALSO I WONDER WHERE THE SOLIDS ARE DEPOSITED, THE WEEKLY TRASH PICK-UP?
A DISGUSTED NEIGHBOR.