

Bristol Town Administrator

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Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2020 9:12 AM
To: Bristol Town Administrator
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Subject: Water Meter at 9 Main Street

Good morning,

On February 15th I received a call from Cyrus saying he had to replace the water meter at 9 Main Street because it had frozen and cracked. He was looking for contact information for Art Curcillo (who owns the building). We got in touch with Art to update him about the situation. About 4-5 years ago we had replaced all the meters on Main Street with the new updated meters. I am inquiring who absorbs the cost of this meter that just had to be changed out. Due to the fact the meter has frozen Cyrus' recommendation because it was a new meter was Art would pay for the meter. I spoke with Art and told him this would be something determined by the Water Commissioners (Selectboard).

In the Water Ordinance (page 3), Section 4.02b states if the meter is damaged by negligence in a manner for which the User is responsible, then the owner shall be charged the cost of removing, repairing and replacing and such damaged meter.

I am looking for you all to have a brief discussion about this on March 2nd, so I can get in touch with Art again to let him know what the Board decided. I will be at the meeting on the 2nd, so if there are any further questions I should be able to answer them.

Thank You,

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