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**NOTICE OF CLAIM FORM**

2023-0231

**ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY**  
 295 MAIN STREET – ROOM 350  
 BUFFALO, NEW YORK 14203-2494  
 (716) 849-8465

Claimant(s) Name	TEDDY & SUSAN JACZEWSKI		
Address	5438 STILWELL RD.	Cell Phone #	[REDACTED]
Email Address	[REDACTED]	Home Phone #	N/A

Accident / Damage / Injury Location	5438 STILWELL RD.		
Date of Incident	12/15/22 & 6/13/23	Time of Incident	6/13/23 9:40 AM 12/15/22 11:15 a.m./p.m.
Police Contacted?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input checked="" type="radio"/>	Police Report Taken?	Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input checked="" type="radio"/>
Name of Police Agency			

**PROPERTY DAMAGE CLAIMS ONLY**

N/A if not applicable

If this is not your property, give the name and address of the owner:

Name	<del>AT&amp;T</del>		
Address		Zip Code	
Home Phone #		Work Phone #	

**PLEASE ATTACH ESTIMATES**

Repair Estimates	\$ 3,637.70 (4 QUOTES ATTACHED)	\$
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**PROPERTY DAMAGE AND PERSONAL INJURY WITNESSES**

Name		Name	
Address		Address	
Phone		Phone	

Attach copies of Medical bills once submitted to health insurance or automobile insurance.

**ONLY PROVIDE COPIES OF THE MEDICAL BILLS. DO NOT PROVIDE MEDICAL RECORDS WITH THIS CLAIM FORM.**

Claimant's Statement (please print legibly and be specific):

We (Susan & Ted Jacewski) WHO RESIDE AT 5438 STILWELL RD. Hamburg, NY WOULD LIKE TO SUBMIT A CLAIM FOR RESTORATION OF our property due to the ECWA water main break near our property.

THE FIRST WATER MAIN BREAK OCCURED ON 12/15/22 AT 11:15AM. Water was noted to be shooting up higher than my house, shooting rocks at my home and windows, and water flooding both front and back lawn areas. After calling ECWA to notify them of this, it took over 35 minutes to shut off the water. We were told the first valve did not hold to shut off the water so a second shut off had to be used. Once they repaired the pipe the hole was filled in with rocks and 2 cones were left on each side. The rocks broke my front window screen and cracked my siding. Also they are numerous rocks on top of my roof and in gutters. Also the flowing water from this caused the driveway to crack. Due to the constant heavy flow of water my lawn in back yard and along the front side of my home lost a lot of soil and I now have uneven areas which hold water now when it rains. I just had my yard done & leveled by Nick's Mowing on 5/11/23. (Invoice attached).

I called ECWA to follow up on 1/11/23 @ 10:25am. Talked to Susan about all my above issues and she assured me the restoration crew will address all my concerns in the spring and that she will make a note that I called. Then I never heard from anyone until 5/5/23. I spoke with an inspector about all the issues and this is also the date they arrived to fix my

All statements herein are made under penalty of perjury.

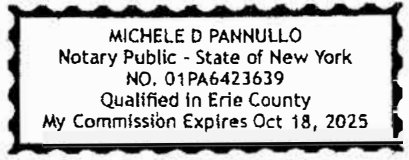
Add Additional Pages if necessary

Date: 7/11/23

Susan Jacewski  
Claimant's Signature

STATE OF NEW YORK )  
COUNTY OF ERIE ) ss:

On this 11 day of July 20<sup>23</sup>, before me personally appeared to me known, and known to me to be the same person described in and who executed the within instrument and he/she acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same.



Michele Pannullo  
Notary Public

front lawn. Upon speaking with THE INSPECTOR he said he would submit the claim for the driveway and then said I need to call restoration again for the rest of the damage. So I then called restoration and spoke to Karen. She provided a number for Laura in Legal to assist me further. Laura told me I need to submit a formal claim for any further damages and it could take up to 80 days to be approved. I was never told on 1/11/23 that I needed to submit a claim to get this process started.

In recap we still need fixed our unlevel lawn, front screen, front siding, rocks removed from roof and gutters and waterproofing on the driveway. Our front lawn and driveway (minus the waterproofing) have been repaired by ECWA. Only issue with the Driveway is they dumped excess cement on both sides on my lawn and dug out my grass on both sides for the forms and left all this on my lawn. So I guess I am still waiting again for restoration.

THE SECOND INCIDENT occurred on 6/13/23 @ 9:40am. It just so happened ECWA was here to repair the driveway and was working on tearing it up when the water main broke again about 3' further up the road, still in front of my lawn. I did not call because the worker noticed it first and called ECWA. This time the water main broke underneath instead of on top like the first time. But again it took approx. another 30 minutes to shut

the water off. The water completely flooded my front and backyard again, which caused more soil to be washed away and the lawn to get even more unlevel. I called on 6/13/23 the restoration dept. and spoke with Laura to tell her what happened again. She said they have not reported it yet but an inspector will be out. I told her I want to speak with him when he comes out and gave my phone # to contact. As of 6/20/23 I have not heard from anyone.