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NOTICE OF CLAIM FORM

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

Claimant(s) Name	JAMES BYSTRAK		
Address	8 KENT DR ORCHARD PARK NY 14127	Cell Phone #	716 [REDACTED]
Email Address	[REDACTED]	Home Phone #	716 [REDACTED]

Accident / Damage / Injury Location	N.A.		
Date of Incident		Time of Incident	a.m. / p.m.
Police Contacted?	Yes / No	Police Report Taken?	Yes / No
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			
Address		Zip Code	
Home Phone #		Work Phone #	

PLEASE ATTACH ESTIMATES

Repair Estimates	\$ 5985.60	\$
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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):

ON JULY 16, 2025 THE WATER MAIN BROKE IN FRONT OF MY HOME AT 8 KENT DRIVE IN ORCHARD PARK NY 14127. THE ERIE COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY REPAIRED THE BREAK ON THAT DAY.

ON JULY 31, 2025 MY SANITARY SEWER BACKED UP INTO MY BASEMENT. PLUMBING COMPANIES ATTEMPTED TO CLEAR MY SEWER ON JULY 31 AND AUGUST 1 BUT WERE UNABLE TO CLEAR IT AND RECOMMENDED THE LINE BE DUG UP.

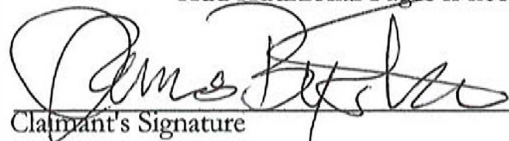
ON AUGUST 5 PCS PLUMBING DUG UP THE SEWER LINE AND NOTED A BREAK ADJACENT TO THE WATERLINE BREAK. I CALLED THE WATER AUTHORITY. A WATER AUTHORITY INSPECTOR VIEWED AND PHOTOGRAPHED THE DAMAGE AND ADVISED ME TO FILE A CLAIM WITH ERIE COUNTY.

PCS PLUMBING WATER JETTED STONE OUT OF THE TRAP AND SUCCESSFULLY REPAIRED THE LINE. I FILED A CLAIM WITH MY INSURANCE COMPANY (NYCENTRAL) FOR TOTAL COSTS OF \$5985.60 AND WAS REIMBURSED FOR COSTS LESS MY \$500.00 DEDUCTIBLE (\$5486.60)

All statements herein are made under penalty of perjury.

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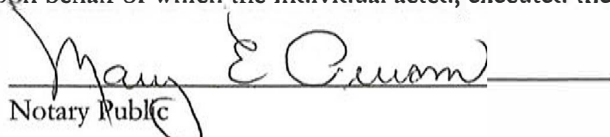

Claimant's Signature

STATE OF NEW YORK)
COUNTY OF ERIE)

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On this 18 day of AUGUST, 2025 before me, personally appeared, JAMES BYSTRAK personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same in his/her capacity, and that by his/her signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

MARY E. PERRAM
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01PE4797176
Qualified in Erie County
My Commission Expires July 31, 2029


Notary Public