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Dear Property Owner,

This past year has been the most difficult many of us have ever encountered but as a community we have persevered. Our residents take great pride in the community they call home. Many operate small businesses here, volunteer for our local youth programs and invest quality time making it a town we can all be proud of.

As property owners within Yorktown's borders we include you as important partners that play a pivotal role in our success. Throughout the pandemic, Town officials worked diligently to educate the public about littering, specifically of discarding used masks and gloves in public spaces. At the beginning of the pandemic the penalty of littering was even doubled to \$1,000 by executive order.

Looking ahead to the post-pandemic era, we recognize the need for an even stronger effort to combat blight within our Town. We respectfully bring to your attention to Chapter 225 of our Town Code, entitled Property Maintenance. The code puts forth specific regulations in an effort to prevent blight which include, but are not limited to the proper collection of shopping carriages, proper maintenance of lawns and landscaping, removal of litter from public land and the proper care of paved areas. We are requesting your assistance to ensure your property is in compliance with the Town Code.

Please note, the Town Code empowers our Building Department to enforce these important laws. There are substantial fines associated with non-compliance, which have and which will imposed.

We request your partnership in combatting public blight within our community. Should you have any suggestions of how we can work together to achieve this goal please know you can always call upon us. Thank you for your prompt attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

Matt Slater, Town Supervisor

Tom Diana, Town Councilman

Ed Lachterman, Town Councilman

Vishnu Patel, Town Councilman

Alice Roker, Town Councilwoman