

Subject: Request for Your Support: Village Sewer Service Improvement Project

Dear Business Owner/Resident,

I hope this message finds you well. We are reaching out to our local business community and residents for your support in an important initiative that will benefit both our commercial and residential sectors in Malta.

The Village is currently preparing an application for funding from the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) for the Sewer Service Lateral Replacement Project. This project is aimed at replacing the deteriorating sewer laterals throughout our village to address the severe inflow and infiltration issues that currently plague our system. This upgrade will not only prevent sanitary sewer overflows and basement backups but also ensure a more efficient and reliable sewer service for all.

Impact on Residents:

The project will also substantially improve living conditions for our residents by mitigating health hazards associated with overflows and backups, directly enhancing property values and the attractiveness of our village as a place to live.

How This Affects Your Business:

Improved infrastructure will enhance the overall quality of life in our community and create a more attractive environment for customers and new businesses. By ensuring the continuity of our sewer services, this project will help local businesses like yours retain jobs—both full-time and part-time positions that depend on a stable and functional environment to operate.

We Need Your Support:

We kindly request a letter of support from your business to strengthen our application. Please include the number of full-time and part-time employees at your business and discuss how this project will assist in retaining these jobs. Additionally, we encourage you to mention how improved infrastructure will enhance your operations and service delivery.

Submission Details:

Please send your letters by **May 22 to speden@dlz.com or drop them off at the village office.** Your support is crucial for securing the necessary funding and making this project a reality.

Your support is incredibly valuable to us, and together, we can achieve remarkable improvements for our community. Thank you in advance for your time and contribution to this essential cause. Please feel free to contact us should you have any questions or require further information.

Warm regards