**NOTICE OF SEWER RATE INCREASE**

After a duly posted Public Hearing on March 4th and continued on March 11th, 2022 the Sewer Commission voted the following sewer rate/fee increases to the Center Sewer District and the Four Corner Sewer District. For the Groton Center Sewer District, the Commission voted to incorporate a quarterly Capital Charge of $22.00 per Residential Customers, a quarterly Capital Charge of $30.00 for Small Commercial Users and a quarterly Capital Charge $47.00 for Large Commercial Users to be used for the Pepperell Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade. In addition, the Commission voted the following increases to sewer rates for: Tier #1 to $8.86 per unit for units 0-15; Tier #2 - $18.55 per unit for sewer units 16-30; Tier #3 – $20.41 per unit for sewer units 31-45; and for Tier #4 - $22.46 per unit for all units greater than 46 units. The Minimum sewerage Usage Fee shall be $8.86. The Connection Fee is now $7,500.00 per Equivalent Residential Unit. The new sewer rate/fees shall become effective as of April 1st, 2022.

For the Four Corners Sewer District, the Commission voted the following increases to sewer rates for: Tier #1 to $12.69 per unit for units 0-15; Tier #2 - $17.71 per unit for sewer units 16-30; Tier #3 – $19.49 per unit for sewer units 31-45; and for Tier #4 - $21.44 per unit for all units greater than 46 units. The Minimum sewerage Usage Fee shall be $12.69. The new sewer rate/fees shall become effective as of April 1st, 2022.

*Groton Sewer Commission*