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June 20, 2012

The Honorable Mayor Robert Ortt and Common Council Members
City Hall
216 Payne Ave.
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Dear Honorable Body:

In 2002, the City of North Tonawanda, in particular the Department of Youth, Recreation and Parks, purchased a used 1974 performance trailer at an auction. After countless hours of repairing, rebuilding and upkeep this stage served its purpose and the City got its monies worth out of it. The decision to permanently move the stage to Klimek Veterans Park was made in 2009 since the stage was no longer road worthy and really showing its age. The intention of the Department of Youth, Recreation and Parks was to extend the life of the stage by keeping it in one location.

Situations have arisen where businesses are asking for assistance with securing a stage and have asked to rent our stage. Since the rental fee has not been raised to cover current overtime, set up, tear down and needed repairs I am asking the council to please consider raising the fee of $300 to $500 when, on the rare occasion, rental of the stage is deemed necessary. Please have this fee go into effect September 1, 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

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