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ERIE COUNTY LEGISLATURE

HON. EDWARD A. RATH, III
LEGISLATOR

August 18, 2016

John Loffredo, Commissioner
Erie County Department of Public Works
Edward A Rath County Office Building
95 Franklin Street, 14th Floor
Buffalo, New York 14202

Dear Commissioner Loffredo:

Pursuant to Local Law 3 of 2004, the Department of Public Works is required to turn over copies of all written notices of defective, out of repair, unsafe, dangerous or obstructed conditions of any street, highway, bridge, culvert, sidewalk, or highway markings to the Clerk of the Legislature.

As of today's date, your office has not filed a single complaint with Clerk McCarthy since 2014. Your inaction has limited the access to this vital information for the people of Erie County.

As Chairman of the Economic Development Committee, I am respectfully requesting your office resume the practice of filing the notices with our Clerk. Please have the notices submitted to our body by the next Legislative session on September 1, 2016.

I appreciate your attention in the matter and look forward to your anticipated cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ed Rath III".

Edward A. Rath III
Legislator, 6th District