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Ms. Amy O'Toole Finance Officer/Treasurer Town of Canton Town Hall 4 Market Street PO Box 168 Collinsville, CT 06022

Re

Bond Counsel Fees

Dear Ms. O'Toole;

Day Pitney's Bond Counsel fees normally are based on a percentage of the dollar amount of bonds or notes authorized and the amount of the financing. Our fee schedule has been in effect, with certain adjustments, for many years, and has not changed from the December 2007 schedule previously forwarded to the Town. If you have any questions concerning the manner in which we calculate our fees, please be sure to contact us. I have also enclosed a list of our disbursement charges, effective as of January 1, 2014.

In some certain instances we may be required to do additional work beyond the normal scope of our services in connection with a borrowing authorization or a bond or note sale. In such circumstances generally we would charge on an hourly basis. In compliance with the Connecticut Rules of Professional Conduct, I write to inform you of the hourly billing rates that will be in effect as of January 1, 2014, for the attorneys and paralegals in our Municipal Finance Practice, as shown on the separate attached sheet. These hourly rates range from \$200 to \$570.

We recognize it is imperative to control expenses in this time of economic uncertainty and we have taken significant steps to reduce our own expenses in an effort to minimize rate increases for 2014. As you know, we make every effort to assure the most efficient and effective match between the lawyers assigned to a matter and the knowledge and experience required for a particular task. Accordingly, it is possible that lawyers who are not on this list may also perform services for you in 2014. Our goal has been and will continue to be to provide excellent value at as low an overall cost of service as possible. In 2014, the hourly rates of partners of the Firm and of-counsel attorneys will range between \$405 and \$780, the hourly rate range for associates and

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counsel will be between \$255 and \$575, and the hourly rate range for paralegals will be between \$185 and \$300.

We have greatly appreciated the opportunity to serve the Town and look forward to serving you further in 2014.

Very truly yours,

Judith A. Blank

JAB/ebw Enclosure

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Day Pitney LLP's charges for disbursements and other expenses incurred on a client's behalf are based on the following schedule. Charges apply to all offices except where office specific charge is indicated. This schedule is subject to periodic adjustment.

Audio Visual Services

At Firm cost

Automated Document Preparation/Word Processing

\$46.00 per hour

Automobile Travel

IRS business mileage reimbursement allowance \$.565 per mile

Computerized Legal Research

At Firm cost

Courier and Overnight Delivery Services

Actual invoice cost

Food Service (Night)

Actual invoice cost plus \$1.00 charge for pick-up

Reprographics

Impressions B/W (copy/print/scan)

\$.15 per copy

Impressions Color (copy/print/scan)

\$.60 per copy

Digital Media

\$5.00 per item

Reprographic Supplies

At Firm cost

Messenger Service

Automobile Deliveries:

Within Boston, NYC, NJ & Washington DC- actual invoice cost

of messenger service

Within all CT office locations - \$13.00

Outside Boston, NYC, NJ & Washington DC - actual invoice

cost of messenger service

Outside all CT office locations - \$1.35 per mile

Hand Deliveries:

Actual invoice cost of messenger service

Postage

Actual cost when postage is \$1.00 or more. No charge when postage is less than \$1.00

Presentation Tools

Oversized Color Prints

\$20.00 per sq. ft.

Oversized Black & White Prints

\$1.25 per sq. ft. \$35.15 per hour

Desktop Publishing Exhibit Preparation

\$2.75 per sq. ft. per exhibit (including materials)

Projector Equipment

\$150.00 per day for use of equipment

Secretarial and other Support Staff Overtime

Telecopier (Fax)

No charge except in extraordinary situations

To Send:

Domestic - \$.75 per page

International -\$4.00 per page for first 3 pages and \$2.50 for each subsequent page

To Receive: No charge

Videoconferencing Equipment

\$125.00 per hour per site

Day Pitney LLP Municipal Finance Practice Group Standard Hourly Rates Effective January 1, 2014

<u>Name</u>	Class	Fee
Richard J. Wasserman	Partner	\$570.00
Douglas W. Gillette	Partner	\$520.00
Namita T. Shah	Partner	\$465.00
Judith A. Blank	Senior Counsel	\$445.00
Glenn G. Rybacki	Counsel	\$445.00
Adam M. Kasowitz	Associate	\$365.00
Emily J. Kagan	Associate	\$270.00
John P. Shriver	Associate	\$255.00
Susan D. Albert	Paralegal	\$200.00
Teri C. McGehan	Paralegal	\$200.00