BARTON VILLAGE, INC. NOTICE REGARDING ADVERTISEMENTS ON UTILITY POLES

Dear Barton Electric Customers,

According to 13 V.S.A. § 301 the posting of advertisements on utility poles is prohibited:

Title 13: Crimes and Criminal Procedure

<u>Chapter 7: Advertisement</u>

§ 301. Posting utility poles

A person who paints or posts a sign, advertisement, or notice on a telegraph, telephone, or electric light pole shall be fined \$5.00 for each offense.

§ 302. Advertising littering streets and highways

A person who by himself, herself, servant, or agent, advertises an entertainment or occupation, by throwing posters, bills, or advertising sheets of any kind, loose in a public street or highway, shall be fined not more than \$50.00 nor less than \$5.00, with costs.

§ 303. Posting on private property

A person who advertises his or her wares or occupations, by painting or posting notice of the same on fences or other private property, or on rocks or other natural objects, without leave of the owner, shall be fined \$10.00.

§§ 304-307. Repealed. 1979, No. 152 (Adj. Sess.).

Please refrain from posting advertisements on our utility poles. If you have posted advertisements on our utility poles, we kindly ask that you remove them. If you do not, we may be forced to remove them ourselves.

You may contact the Barton Village Office with any questions at 802-525-4747.

Thank you for your cooperation.