

**Burgess, David**

11A-51

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**From:** Alex Krogh-Grabbe [alex@amherstdowntown.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 23, 2012 10:41 AM  
**To:** Burgess, David  
**Cc:** McGinnis, Claire  
**Subject:** Re: Authorization to Abate BID fees, 2013 11A-51

Hi David,

I understand what you're saying, and that was initially my confusion as well. But my board has decided that they shouldn't have to pay, exempt or no. Thanks.

- Alex

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On Mon, Jul 23, 2012 at 10:13 AM, Burgess, David <[burgessd@amherstma.gov](mailto:burgessd@amherstma.gov)> wrote:

Don't want to put a fly in the ointment but they are not exempt. They may be a federal 501 corporation but that does not make them exempt from taxes. If your board chooses to allow them out then that is fine with me but again not because they are exempt.

David

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Both, I should think. Thanks!

-Alex

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On Jul 23, 2012 10:03 AM, "McGinnis, Claire" <[mcginnisc@amherstma.gov](mailto:mcginnisc@amherstma.gov)> wrote:

Clear enough!

Should we abate 2012 and 2013 is the only remaining question?

Claire

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**To:** McGinnis, Claire  
**Subject:** BID fees

Hi Claire,

When I met with you and David two weeks ago, one of the properties I mentioned was 11A-51, 409 North Pleasant St, the sorority owned by Psi Tau Corp. The BID has decided that, even though this property did not opt out, since they are a nonprofit they are exempt from paying the BID fee. Please adjust them as such in MUNIS. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks!

- Alex

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