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CENTRAL FIRE STATION
70 Ash Street

Lewiston Fire Department

Lewiston, Maine

Sept. 15, 1948.

Honorable Louis P. Gagne
Mayor of City of Lewiston
City Building,
Lewiston, Maine.

Dear Sir:

Knowing that you are greatly interested in the public welfare of the citizens of Lewiston, I am taking this opportunity to request your cooperation in this great emergency; due to this extreme dry spell and the lack of water. Which is a serious situation, should fire break out in our City of Lewiston.

The request I have in mind, is that to be on the alert by calling on your Disaster & Conflagration Committee which you organized last year during the forest fire conflagration.

I sincerely hope that we do not have to call them. But on the other hand were they publicly notified to be on the alert in the case of emergency, half of our battle is won.

Respectfully yours,

Z. F. Drouin

Z. F. DROUIN
CHIEF ENGINEER