

Commissioners

To: J Hutter
Cc: lieutenant@cityofhamilton.net
Subject: RE: DEATH AT SUPER ONE

Thank you for your email. It will be placed in general and commissioners correspondence.

The investigation is being led/handled by the City of Hamilton Police Department. This email will be forwarded to Chief Ryan Oster for his information and response if the issue of eviction is within his jurisdiction to address. Glenda Wiles, Commissioners Adm. Assistant

From: J Hutter [mailto:hutter@montana.com]
Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 2014 10:51 AM
To: Commissioners
Subject: DEATH AT SUPER ONE

What law allows a landlord or mortgage holder to evict an apparently indigent person from their domicile in the middle of winter without having to ascertain, **with certainty**, that the tenant has shelter to go to and has transportation to that shelter?

I believe there are laws which require utilities to maintain services during the winter, without payment, in order to protect life. How is it the power must be on and still the tenant can be evicted to the street?

What remedies are YOU going to propose to avoid a recurrence of a tragedy like this?