NEW JERSEY CLEAN WATER COUNCIL 2023 PUBLIC HEARING

PFAS Compounds in Water and Wastewater Residuals

January 19, 2023

1:00 pm- 3:00 pm

Virtual Teams Meeting

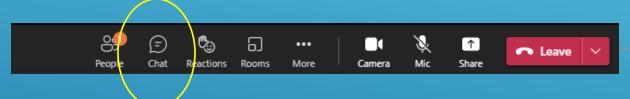


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Agenda

- I. Introduction
- II. Keynote Speaker
- III. Presentation by EPA
- IV. Presentation by State of Michigan
- V. Public Testimony

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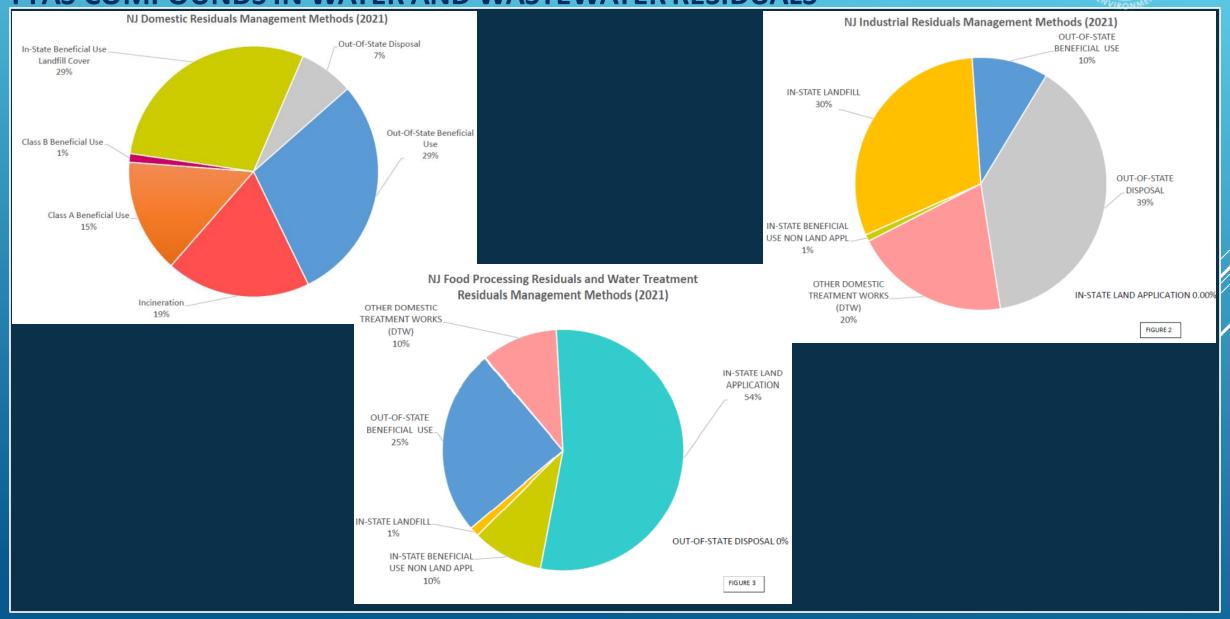
PUBLIC TESTIMONY

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- 1. In New Jersey, municipal and industrial residuals are managed by a number of alternatives as depicted (on next slide) in Figures 1 3.
 - Which residuals type (domestic or industrial) and/or management alternatives should the Department prioritize to further investigate and understand potential impacts to ground water or surface water?
- 2. The USEPA risk assessment for the PFAS land application criteria is under development with an anticipated completion date of winter 2024.
 - Should the Department require land appliers and preparers of residuals for land application to begin collecting data now to better understand the impacts of land application? Why or why not?
 - If so, what data should these entities collect?
- 3. Most residuals generators range in size based on NJPDES permitted design flows for POTWs and based on sludge production for industrial facilities. There are hundreds of residuals generators, and each will likely receive monitoring requirements in future NJPDES permits.
 - How should the Department prioritize its efforts to establish monitoring requirements for residuals generators?
 - What factors should be considered in this prioritization (e.g., volume of residuals generated, strength of wastewater)?
- 4. Technologies are evolving for PFAS reduction in residuals.
 - What specific technologies are available today to treat or manage residuals for PFAS reduction?
 - For these technologies, what is the effectiveness and cost?
 - What secondary impacts, such as air emissions, could potentially result from the use of treatment technologies?
 - Are you aware of any evolving technologies that may become available?

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THANK YOU!

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