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## Dear NJPDES Permittee:

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is hereby providing notice that the FY2019 Annual Fee Report and Assessment of Fees (Annual Fee Report) for the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) permit program is now available on the Department's web site at <a href="https://www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/njpdesfees.html">www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/njpdesfees.html</a>. The FY2019 Annual Fee Report has been prepared based upon the NJPDES Fee Regulations at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-3.1.

A **public hearing** on the FY2019 Annual Fee Report for the period of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019, will be held on Wednesday, May 1, 2019 at 1:00 PM. The hearing location is:

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection 401 E. State Street – 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room (5E002) Trenton, New Jersey

A fee basis sheet showing the proposed rate and the factors contributing to the environmental impact value and the proposed fee has been included for all permits where this applies. The Department strongly encourages that all NJPDES permit holders review and understand the fee assessments contained in the Annual Fee Report and provide any comments for consideration. No payment is due at this time. Invoices will be sent upon final adoption of the FY2019 Annual Fee Report.

The **public comment** period on the FY2019 Annual Fee Report will remain open until May 1, 2019. Please submit written comments to:

Mail Code 401 – 02B NJDEP – Division of Water Quality Bureau of Pretreatment and Residuals Permit Administration Section PO Box 420 Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0420

If you have any questions regarding the Annual Fee Report or the information included on the fee basis sheet, please contact Ben Manhas in the Permit Administration Section at (609) 984-4428.

Sincerely,

Terry Beym, Project Manager Bureau of Pretreatment and Residuals

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