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**Subject** Fully revised Field Sampling Procedures Manual (2024 Edition) now available

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is pleased to announce that the Field Sampling Procedures Technical Guidance Committee has completed updating the Field Sampling Procedures Manual (FSPM). The last chapter to be completed, Chapter 3 – Contaminants of Emerging Concern, has been finalized and is being posted. The chapter is available on the FSPM website (<a href="https://dep.nj.gov/srp/guidance/fspm/">https://dep.nj.gov/srp/guidance/fspm/</a>), and the FSPM Response to Comments may be found at (<a href="https://dep.nj.gov/srp/guidance/fspm/comments-and-logs/">https://dep.nj.gov/srp/guidance/fspm/comments-and-logs/</a>).

Since all updated chapters are now posted, the 2024 Edition will replace the 2005 Edition as the most current technical guidance associated with procedures and equipment utilized for the collection of environmental samples. At this time, the 2005 version will be archived. The Department thanks the Committee for all of its efforts.

The information in the FSPM provides environmental professionals, including Licensed Site Remediation Professionals (LSRPs), the tools to promote consistency when environmental samples are collected.

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