PUBLIC NOTICE

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

DIVISION OF COASTAL AND LAND USE PLANNING

Proposed Correction to a Proposed Amendment to the Tri-County Water Quality Management Plan

Public Notice

Take notice that the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is seeking public comment on a proposed correction to a previously proposed amendment to the Tri-County Water Quality Management (WQM) Plan. The proposed correction would modify the previously proposed amendment submitted on behalf of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Burlington County as the responsible wastewater management planning agency to adopt a future wastewater service area (FWSA) map for Burlington County. The modified FWSA map would exclude from sewer service area (SSA) a Coastal Environmentally Sensitive Planning Area in Bass River Township, New Jersey, which was inadvertently included in SSA on the proposed map. Notice of the previously proposed amendment was published in the New Jersey Register on September 4, 2012, at 44 N.J.R. 2207(a). A public hearing was held on October 9, 2012, at the Burlington County Administration Building in Mount Holly, New Jersey. The comment period on the proposed amendment closed on October 24, 2012.

amendment, the proposed correction to the proposed amendment, and the adopted amendment is located at the Department, Division of Land Use Planning, Office of Coastal and Land Use Planning, P.O. Box 420, Mail Code 401-07C, 401 East State Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625. The Department's file is available for inspection between 8:30 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., Monday through Friday. An appointment to inspect the documents may be arranged by calling the Office of Land Use Planning at (609) 984-6888.

Interested persons may submit written comments on the proposed correction to the previously proposed amendment to exclude from SSA the Coastal Environmentally Sensitive Planning Area in Bass River Township described above to WQM Program Docket, Division of Land Use Planning, at the Department address cited above with a copy sent to Ms. Gina Berg, Water Resource Coordinator, Department of Resource Conservation, P.O. Box 6000, Mount Holly, NJ 08060-6000. All comments must be submitted within 30 days following publication of this notice. All comments submitted prior to the close of the comment period shall be considered by the Department in reviewing the proposed amendment.

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Date