WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN REVISION

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION OF WATERSHED MANAGEMENT

REVISION TO THE LOWER DELAWARE WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN

JUL 2 3 2001 TAKE NOTICE that on , pursuant to the provisions of the Water Quality Planning Act, N.J.S.A. 58:11A-1 et seq., and the Statewide Water Quality Management Planning rules, N.J.A.C. 7:15-3.5, a revision to the Lower Delaware Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP) was adopted by the Department. This revision was requested on behalf of New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) to renovate and reconstruct the Deepwater Crew Facility located on a parcel of land bordered by the New Jersey Turnpike, Interstate 295 and New Jersey Route 40. The parcel of land is known as Block 225, Lot 7 in Carney's Point Township, Salem County. The revision modifies the Pennsville Sewerage Authority (PSA) sewer service area (SSA). The facility is presently served by an on-site septic disposal system. The proposed facility will be expanded to house Calcium Chloride storage tanks, a salt dome, diesel and gasoline refueling areas and truck storage buildings. Wastewater from the facility will be conveyed via a grinder pump and low pressure two (2) inch force main to the existing sanitary sewer collection system for the PSA Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) for proper treatment and disposal. This revision is an expansion of the SSA to a contiguous lot, the expansion involves less than 100 acres, contributes less than 8,000 gallons per day of additional wastewater flow, and does not create a significantly new pattern of sewered development such that a significant potential or incentive is created for additionalrevisions or amendments to open new areas to sewered development. The revision adds an average of 720 gallons per day of wastewater to the PSA STP. Additionally, this revision includes a minor mapping change to include this parcel in the future sewer service area of the PSA STP. Due to the scope of this revision, it is not subject to the alternatives analyses required by Executive Order 109 (2000).

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