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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING

AMENDMENT TO THE UPPER RARITAN WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN

Public Notice

Take notice that on JAN 1 4 1998 , pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey 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. 7:15-3.4), an amendment to the Upper Raritan Water Quality Management Plan was adopted by the Department of Environmental Protection (Department). This amendment, submitted by the Township of Mount Olive, expands the sewer service area of the Mount Olive Villages Sewer Company Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) to include Block 7900, Lot 18, an approximately 16.5 acre parcel, which is the site of the new municipal building. The 36,000 square foot building, located at Wolfe Road and Flanders-Drakestown Road, is projected to convey 3,600 gallons per day of wastewater to the STP. No additional expansion of the STP is proposed beyond that which was previously approved. This adoption amends the Mount Olive Township Wastewater Management Plan.

This amendment represents only one part of the permit process and other issues will be addressed prior to final permit issuance. Additional issues which were not reviewed in conjunction with this amendment but which may need to be addressed may include, but are not limited to, the following: antidegradation; effluent limitations; water quality analysis; exact locations and designs of future treatment works (pump stations, interceptors, sewers, outfalls, wastewater treatment plants); and development in wetlands, flood prone areas, designated Wild and Scenic River areas, or other environmentally sensitive areas which are subject to regulation under Federal or State statutes or rules,

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