July 8, 2014

Chief, Environmental Impact Branch USEPA Region II 290 Broadway, 15th Floor New York, New York 10007-1866

Re: Sole Source Aquifer Review for 145 – 147 Philadelphia Avenue, Egg Harbor City, New Jersey (NEP0234)

Dear Sir/Madam:

On behalf of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, The Louis Berger Group, Inc. (Louis Berger) is conducting Environmental reviews for Housing and Urban Development (HUD) funded Community Development Block Grants- Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR).

The purpose of this project is to provide affordable senior housing by constructing a three-story structure that accommodates seven residential units on Philadelphia Avenue in Egg Harbor City, NJ. The building will be constructed on a vacant lot in an already developed, urban area. The proposed building will be served by public drinking water, sewer, electric and gas.

The project site is located in the Coastal Plains Sole Source Aquifer. Louis Berger is contacting your office for assistance in determining any impacts to the aquifer. Please advise on any mitigation measures or conditions that would be required for compliance.

Enclosed is the completed Attachment 2.B and Attachment 3 as well as a Project Location as a Well Head Protection and Public Supply Well location map. If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact me at (973) 407-1469. Thank you for your time and assistance.

Sincerely, THE LOUIS BERGER GROUP, INC.

Heather Shaw Senior Environmental Scientist