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SUBJECT: Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Program

"Proposed Amendments to the Final FFY2009 Priority System, Intended Use Plan, Project Priority List and Proposed Intended Use Plan for the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009"

"Proposed FFY2010 Priority System, Intended Use Plan, Project Priority List"

Dear Interested Parties,

Please see the attached Notice of a Public Hearing regarding the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Program, scheduled for May 18, 2009 at 10:00 AM at the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Trenton, NJ.

The Priority System, Intended Use Plan, Project Priority List (IUP) addresses the federal stimulus program under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and the traditional program under the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund.

The Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) Amendments of 1996 authorized a Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) to assist publicly and privately owned community water systems and nonprofit noncommunity water systems to achieve or maintain compliance with SDWA requirements and to further the public health objectives of the SDWA. The DWSRF is administered as a component of the Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program that also administers the State's Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund (CWSRF).

The IUP also contains the FFY2009 and the FFY2010 schedules. Project sponsors must meet these schedules with all applicable deadlines in order to be considered for financing in November 2009 or 2010.

Should you have any questions regarding the IUP or the DWSRF program, please contact Philip Royer or Josephine Craver at the Bureau of Safe Drinking Water Technical Assistance at (609) 292-5550 or fax (609) 292-1654.

If you would like a copy of the IUP, you may contact the DWSRF program or obtain a copy from our website, http://www.state.nj.us/dep/watersupply/loanprog.htm.

Very truly yours,

SendyKrietym Sandra Krietzman, Chief Bureau of Safe Drinking Water

Technical Assistance

ATTACHMENT

C: Community Water Supply Systems

Nonprofit Noncommunity Water Supply Systems

County and Municipal Health Authorities

Environmental Groups

Engineering Consultants

USEPA Region II, Bruce Kiselica, Chief, Drinking Water Section

USEPA Region II, Stephen R. Vida, SRF Team Leader

USEPA Region II, Alicia Suarez, DWSRF Coordinator

Drinking Water Quality Institute, Mark Robson, Chairman

USDA, NJ Rural Development, Kenneth C. Drewes, Director, Business & Community Programs

NJAWWA, Lindsey Olson, Section Chair

NJ Water Association, Rick Howlett, Executive Director

Water Supply Advisory Council, Eugene Golub, Chairman

NJ Office of Smart Growth, Ben Spinelli, Executive Director

NJ Dept. of Community Affairs, Joseph Valenti, Bureau Chief, Local Government Services

NJ Board of Public Utilities, Maria Moran, Director, Division of Water and Wastewater

NJ Economic Development Authority, John Rosenfield, Director, Program Services

NJ Housing and Mortgage Finance Agency, Jerome Keelen, Director, Single Family Programs

New Jersey Redevelopment Authority, Leslie Anderson, Executive Director

Dennis Hart, Executive Director, NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust

Gary Sondermeyer, Director of Operations, NJDEP

Nancy Wittenberg, Assistant Commissioner, Environmental Regulation, NJDEP

Scott Brubaker, Assistant Commissioner, Land Use Management, NJDEP

E. David Barth, Director, Management and Budget, NJDEP

Michele Putnam, Director, Division of Water Supply, NJDEP

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