NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION OF COASTAL AND LAND USE PLANNING

Revision to the Tri-County Water Quality Management Plan

Public Notice

Take Notice that on APP 2 2 700 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 Tri-County Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP) was adopted by the Department. This revision updates the Tri-County Water Quality Management Plan to include Block 7, Lot 1 in Elk Township as a ground water discharge site to allow for the construction of a church and a 3,000 gallon per day individual subsurface disposal system.

The applicant, the Diocese of Camden, proposes to construct an approximately 17,200 square foot church. The site, about 28.5 acres, is located on Swedesboro Franklinville Road near the intersection of State Highway 77. The proposed church will contain approximately 1,000 seats. The anticipated sewer flow will be serviced by an individual subsurface disposal system and will be approximately 3,000 gallons per day.

This project qualifies as a revision in accordance with P.L. 203, c. 203, where the WMP agency has submitted only that portion of a WMP designating sewer service area and the proposed development or activity is for installation of individual subsurface sewage disposal facilities having a wastewater planning flow greater than 2,000 gallons per day and less than 8,000 gallons per day and meets the technical requirements for eligibility for a NJPDES Discharge to Ground Water permit.

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