

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE BOROUGH OF OAKLAND AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF VEOLIA WATER NEW JERSEY, INC. FOR APPROVAL TO EXPAND ITS FRANCHISE AREA IN THE BOROUGH OF OAKLAND, IN THE COUNTY OF BERGEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BPU DOCKET NO. WE22100622

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on October 5, 2022, Veolia Water New Jersey, Inc. (the “Company”), submitted a petition with the Board of Public Utilities (the “Board”). As discussed in detail in the Petition, the Company seeks to expand its franchise area into the Borough of Oakland. The Petition requests approval by the Board of a municipal consent granted by the Borough of Oakland (the “Borough”) to the Company to provide water service to a portion of the Borough. Veolia Water New Jersey, Inc. is seeking approval of the Ordinance No. 22-Code-881 adopted by the Borough on April 13, 2022. The Company also seeks authority to incorporate this franchise area into the Company’s tariff setting forth the Company’s expanded service area.

There will be no effect at this time of said filing on customers of the Borough of Allendale since the rates will remain the same.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a telephonic hearing on the petition has been scheduled for February 15, 2022 at 10:00 am, which will be presided over by a hearing officer designated by the Board. Members of the public are invited to listen to the hearing and express their views on the petition by dialing 1-516-399-7008 Pin: 206 006 803# or joining via video conference by going to <https://meet.google.com/nwp-tqkj-hxo?hs=122&authuser=0> via the internet at the designated time. You may also go to the Company’s website <https://mywater.veolia.us/> and click on the link. Such comments will be made a part of the final record in the proceeding

Copies of the Petition are available for inspection at the offices of Veolia Water New Jersey, Inc. located at 461 From Rd, Suite 400, Paramus, NJ 07652. Members of the public are invited to attend the hearing. Written comments may also be filed with the Secretary of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, 44 South Clinton Avenue, 3rd Floor, Suite 314, Trenton, NJ 08625-0350, ATTN Honorable Carmen Diaz, Acting Secretary. Persons submitting written comments are asked to include Docket No. WE22100622 in their submissions.

A copy of this Notice is being served upon the Clerk of the Borough of Oakland. Further information and copies of the Petition may be obtained at the Board Offices located at 44 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton, NJ 08625 or by calling Veolia Water New Jersey, Inc. at 201-225-6800.

Please submit any requests for special accommodation at least 48 hours prior to the hearing to Debra Vial at Veolia Water New Jersey, Inc., at 200 Lake Shore Drive, Haworth, NJ 07641 or by phone 201-225-6800.

VEOLIA WATER NEW JERSEY, INC.