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November 16, 2009

Dear NJPDES Permittee:

We are hereby providing you with notice that the FY2010 Annual Fee Report and Assessment of Fees (Annual Fee Report) for the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) permit program is now available on the Department's web site at www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/njpdessfees.html. The Department will also provide, free of charge, a paper copy of the Annual Fee Report to any person upon written or verbal request to the Office of Permit Management. The total NJPDES fee assessments are projected to be \$ 20.8 million. The FY2010 Annual Fee Report has been prepared based upon the NJPDES Fee Regulations at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-3.1.

A **public hearing** on the FY2010 Annual Fee Report for the period of July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010, will be held on Thursday, December 17, 2009 beginning at 2 P.M. at:

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection
4th Floor Large Conference Room
401 East State Street
Trenton, New Jersey

The **public comment** period on the FY2010 Annual Fee Report will remain open until December 17, 2009. Please submit written comments to:

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If you have any questions regarding the Annual Fee Report, please contact Mike Dillon in the Fee Management Unit of the Office of Permit Management at (609) 984-4428.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jeffrey Reading".

Jeffrey Reading, Assistant Director
Division of Water Quality