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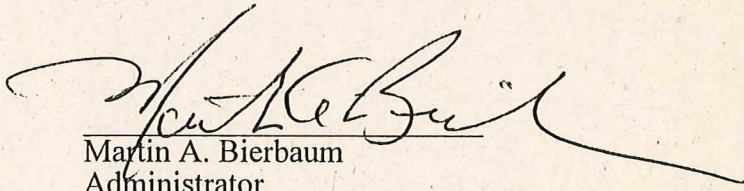
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING

AMENDMENT TO THE ATLANTIC COUNTY WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT
PLAN

Public Notice

Take notice that on **SEP 12 1995**, pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey 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. 7:15-3.4), an amendment to the Atlantic County Water Quality Management Plan was adopted by the Department of Environmental Protection. This amendment submitted on behalf of Greentree Ministries modifies the Egg Harbor Township Wastewater Management Plan. The amendment will allow the **Greentree Ministries** facility (located on Schoolhouse Lane, Block 50E, Lot 9) to increase the existing discharge to ground water from 1,560 gallons per day (gpd) to a maximum 9,000 gpd to serve a proposed multi-phased expansion. The total wastewater flow projection is based on a sanctuary capacity of 3,000 seats. There are three existing individual subsurface sewage disposal systems on the site which will be abandoned once the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permitted wastewater facility is functional. The property is in a Limited Growth Region of the Coastal Area Facility Review Act zone. Also, undevelopable wetlands are on the site.

This amendment represents only one part of the permit process and other issues will be addressed prior to final permit issuance. Additional issues which were not reviewed in conjunction with this amendment but which may need to be addressed may include, but are not limited to, the following: antidegradation; effluent limitations; water quality analysis; exact locations and designs of future treatment works (pump stations, interceptors, sewers, outfalls, wastewater treatment plants); and development in wetlands, flood prone areas, designated Wild and Scenic River areas, or other environmentally sensitive areas which are subject to regulation under Federal or State statutes or rules.



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