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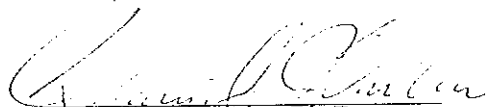
AMENDMENT TO THE UPPER DELAWARE WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT  
PLAN

Public Notice

Take notice that on **SEP 01 1998**, 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 Upper Delaware Water Quality Management Plan was adopted by the Department of Environmental Protection.

This amendment was submitted by Buck, Seifert, & Jost, Inc., on behalf of the State of New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety. The amendment identifies the Warren Residential Group Center (WRGC) site, located at Brass Castle Road (Lot 36, Block 14, comprising approximately 70 acres) White Township, Warren County, as "Service Area for Wastewater Facilities with Planning Flows of Less Than 20,000 GPD Which Discharge to Ground Water". This State owned juvenile correction facility has experienced hydraulic failures of their existing NJPDES permitted (NJ0064289) subsurface disposal field, that currently serve the facility, for several years due to undersizing and/or unsuitable field location. The applicant will replace and abandon the existing system with a new 7,500 gallons per day maximum subsurface disposal system located at a more suitable location within the property site. The new system will serve the existing and future needs (projected population of 60 clients and staffers) for the WRGC and consist of three 3,000 gallon septic tanks in series, a dosing tank (8 foot diameter, 2,600 gallon working capacity) and four recharge beds (totaling 16,240 square feet).

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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