



Construction of upgrades and improvements to a Grease Receiving Station located at the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission, City of Newark, Essex County, New Jersey were financed by the New Jersey Water Bank (NJWB). The project has an estimated cost of \$16,268,816. The NJWB is a State Revolving Fund program jointly administered by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) and the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (Infrastructure Bank) and uses a combination of funds provided by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the DEP, and the Infrastructure Bank to provide very low interest loans to borrowers for environmental infrastructure projects.

This project will provide water quality benefits by redirecting grease trap waste to a new processing facility that will generate a brown grease material that will then be directed to an offsite facility to be converted into an advanced biofuel. Removing the grease trap waste from the wastewater treatment process will provide improved water quality for residents and businesses in the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission Sewer District.

State Revolving Fund programs around the nation provide states and communities the resources necessary to maintain and improve the infrastructure protecting our valuable water resources nationwide.