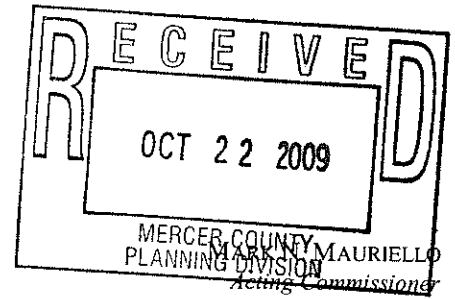




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Re: Mercer County WMP Time Extension
Mercer County Wastewater Management Plan (WMP)
Revision to the Mercer County Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP)
Program Interest No.: 435452
Activity No.: REV090002
Adopted Revision

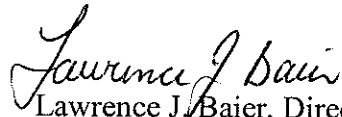
Dear Ms. Wieczorek:

The Department of Environmental Protection received information you submitted in support of a revision to the Mercer County WQMP to extend the Mercer County Wastewater Management Plan submittal date from September 31, 2009 to January 31, 2010.

We have reviewed the information and are pleased to inform you that, pursuant to the provisions of the 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. 7:15-3.5), the WQMP revision has been adopted by the Department. Enclosed is a copy of the Department's adopted notice indicating that this extension is needed to complete the delineation of the service area by November 30, 2009, complete the Build-Out Analysis by December 31, 2009, and finalize and compile data for WMP submission on January 31, 2010. As the Designated Planning Agency or the Wastewater Management Planning agency for this area, please update your copy of the Mercer County WQMP to reflect this change.

Please place the program interest number and the activity number found above at the top of all written correspondence submitted to the Department. If you have any questions or require further assistance, please call Joseph Donald, at (609) 984-6888.

Sincerely,



Lawrence J. Baier, Director

Division of Watershed Management

Enclosure: Adopted Revision Notice

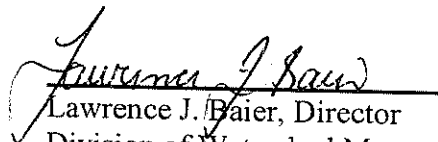
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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
DIVISION OF WATERSHED MANAGEMENT

REVISION TO THE MERCER COUNTY WATER QUALITY
MANAGEMENT PLAN

TAKE NOTICE that on _____, pursuant to the provisions of the Water Quality Planning Act, N.J.S.A.58:11A-1 et seq, and the Statewide Water Quality Management Planning rules, at N.J.A.C. 7:15-3.5(b)3, a revision to the Mercer County Water Quality Management Plan was adopted by the Department. This revision grants Mercer County a revised schedule for submission of its Wastewater Management Plan (WMP) under N.J.A.C. 7:15-5.23(f). A WMP submittal from the County is presently required by September 30, 2009. In response to a letter dated September 24, 2009 from Mercer County Division of Planning, the Department has agreed to the alternative WMP submittal date.

Mercer County will complete the WMP by January 31, 2010 according to the following scheduled Work Plan Tasks: Complete delineation of sewer service area by November 30, 2009, completion of Build-Out Analysis by December 31, 2009, and finalize and compile data for WMP submission on January 31, 2010. The submittal date for the Mercer County wide WMP by January 31, 2010 is hereby granted.


Lawrence J. Baier, Director
Division of Watershed Management
Department of Environmental Protection


Date