

APPENDIX M:

WVSA and Plains Twp. capacity letters

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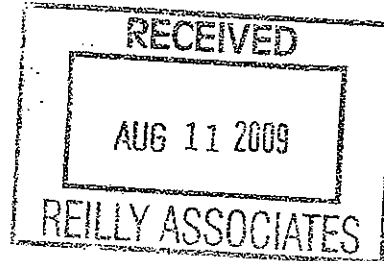


WVSA

WYOMING VALLEY SANITARY AUTHORITY

August 10, 2009

Jeremy Nelson, P.E.
Reilly Associates
49 S. Main Street
Pittston, PA 18640



Re: Bear Creek Township Act 537 Plan
Sewer Capacity

Dear Mr. Nelson:

Be advised that the Wyoming Valley Sanitary Authority (WVSA) has sufficient treatment capacity to service the estimated 150,000 gallons per day of sanitary sewage generated by the proposed connection of 600 EDU's in Bear Creek Township to the existing sewer system in Plains Township. No overload exists or is projected within five years at WVSA.

Under the DEP Chesapeake Bay Tributary Strategy Implementation Plan, WVSA may require you to purchase Nutrient Credits sufficient to offset nutrient loads from this project. In addition, the local municipality must be contacted for collection and conveyance system capacity.

If it is determined that the requested flow results in the need to upgrade either the interceptor or pump station(s) the developer agrees to contribute to the cost of the upgrade in proportion to its flow contribution to the overall capacity of the station.

Approval is contingent upon receipt of estimated project flows within a one-year period. Additional flows or flows not connected within a one year period will require reapproval.

Very truly yours,

Fred DeSanto
Executive Director

cc:
Sandy Bartosiewicz

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Component 3 –Section I PADEP Planning Module Clarification

The effluent nutrient limits as proposed in this section for the wastewater treatment facility are currently identified in WWSA's permit. Under the permit, nutrient limits will not take effect until October 2010. WWSA has submitted a plan to meet the CAP load limits as identified in the Department's Chesapeake Bay strategy.