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August 15, 2016

Mr. P. Michael Thomas, General Manager Clayton County Water Authority (CCWA) 1600 Battle Creek Road Morrow, Georgia 30260

RE:

Comments Received for

CCWA Northeast

Water Reclamation Facility (WRF) NPDES Permit No. GA0020575

(Henry County)

Dear Mr. Thomas:

We are in receipt of your comments regarding the permit issuance for the CCWA Northeast WRF. Attached is a summary of the comments received and our responses to the issues raised. In addition, we have attached a fact sheet addendum which documents changes (if any) in the attached permit. We appreciate your interest in this matter.

After consideration of your comments, EPD has determined that the permit is protective of water quality standards and we have issued the permit.

If you have any questions, please contact Emily Wingo of my staff at 404-463-4932 or emily.wingo@dnr.ga.gov.

Sincerely.

Jeffrey Karson, Assistant Branch Chief

Watershed Protection Branch

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Attachment: Response to Comments

Mr. Chris Hamilton, Water Reclamation Department Manager, CCWA

ATTACHMENT – Response to Comments

Clayton County Water Authority –Northeast Water Reclamation Facility (WRF)
NPDES Permit No. GA0020575
(Henry County)

Comment #1: Page 6; Part I.B.1, The monitoring frequency for Ortho-phosphate, TKN and Nitrate-Nitrite and Organic Nitrogen be one day/month instead of five days/week.

EPD Response:

This comment has been noted and the effluent sample frequency in the permit has been changed from five days/week to one day/month. This frequency is recommended in the wasteload and matches the frequency under Part I. B.2

Comment #2: Please change facility name to CCWA-Northeast Water Reclamation Facility.

EPD Response:

This comment has been noted and the change made according to the permittee's preference.

Comment #3: The facility is located in Henry County instead of Clayton County.

EPD Response:

This comment has been noted and the change made.