

August 1, 2023

Mr. Malike Cummings, CMgr, FCMI Deputy Director Energy and Water New Jersey Board of Public Utilities 44 South Clinton Avenue P.O. Box 350 Trenton, New Jersey 08625

Subject: ORDER ADOPTING STANDARDIZED P.L. 2022, C. 107 REPORTING

TEMPLATE - DOCKET NO. AO20060471

Dear Mr. Cummings:

The Somerset Raritan Valley Sewerage Authority was established in 1953 as a regional wastewater treatment agency located in Somerset County and as such does not have any retail customers. The Authority's revenue is collected in accordance with a service area agreement (known as the "1958 Service Agreement"), directly from its seven participant municipalities, which are the: Borough of Manville, Borough of Somerville, Borough of Raritan, Bridgewater Township, Branchburg Township, Hillsborough Township and Warren Township, plus three (3) direct bulk commercial customers. Billing is done on a quarterly basis, where the rate of charge per million gallons of sewage treated is \$2,713.21. Member municipalities are required to pay annual charges to the Authority in equal quarterly installments. These annual payments are based on the estimated flow for the current year, which is based on the previous eight (8) quarters. The Authority's revenue has not been affected by the Covid-19 Crisis and the required revenue is guaranteed by the participant municipalities in the 1958 Service Agreement.

In reviewing this order, apparently this is only applicable to utilities with individual retail customers, who would have individual accounts. As mentioned above, the SRVSA does not have any individual accounts since we are a regional authority and provide bulk service to participant municipalities. As such, I have entered data on the reporting template only in the cells for the billing rate and connection fee amounts. I have also included a statement in the "Notes" section indicating that SRVSA has no retail customers.

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I have submitted a request to the BPU It help desk for an authorization code, however I am emailing this letter directly with the reporting template attached to comply with this order. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Ronald S. Anastasio, P.E.

Executive Director