



COUNTY OF ERIE

MARK C. POLONCARZ

COUNTY EXECUTIVE

March 7, 2025

Erie County Legislature
92 Franklin Street, 4th Floor
Buffalo, New York 14202

**RE: Erie County Sewer District No. 1 Increase and Improvement of Facilities Project
Environmental Review**

Dear Honorable Members:

Enclosed please find a memorandum from the Department of Environment and Planning, Division of Sewerage Management, pertaining to the State Environmental Quality Review Act ("SEQRA") actions in relation to the proposed bond issue for improvement projects within Erie County Sewer District No. 1.

Should your Honorable Body require further information, I encourage you to contact Joseph Fiegl, P.E. in the Division of Sewage Management. Thank you for your consideration on this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Mark C. Poloncarz, Esq.
Erie County Executive

MCP:dw
Enclosure

CC: Joseph Fiegl P.E. Deputy Commissioner, Division of Sewage Management

MEMORANDUM

To: Honorable Members of the Erie County Legislature
From: Department of Environment and Planning
Re: Erie County Sewer District No. 1 Increase and Improvement of Facilities Project
Environmental Review
Date: March 7, 2025

SUMMARY

Pursuant to the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act (“SEQRA”), consideration of the environmental factors is necessary as part of governmental approval of actions. The County of Erie has determined that the projects associated with the “Erie County Sewer District No. 1 Increase and Improvement of Facilities” are essential for the protection of public health, protection of the environment, and will support the local community and economy of the County. As the approving entity pursuant to SEQRA, it is requested that the Erie County Legislature review the Project and make a determination of environmental impact. Based upon a thorough review and examination of the known facts and careful review of all potentially adverse environmental impacts, it is the Department of Environment and Planning’s conclusion that the action will not have a significant adverse impact on the environment.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There is no fiscal impact to the County associated with the Environmental Review.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

The existing sewerage facilities in Erie County Sewer District No. 1 are in need of various upgrades and improvements which will require the issuance of bonds. Pursuant to the SEQRA, consideration of the environmental factors is necessary as part of governmental approval of actions. The Department of Environment and Planning determined that most of the projects to be funded in this bond issue will be Type II actions under SEQRA and will not require a review. One project, the Woodlands Pump Station Elimination Project, was determined to be an Unlisted Action. The Department, acting on behalf of the Legislature, conducted an uncoordinated review, completed a Short Environmental Assessment Form, and drafted a Negative Declaration. Therefore, pursuant to the proposed resolution, the Legislature declares themselves Lead Agency and may issue a determination of environmental impact.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Erie County Sewer District No. 1 provides sewage collection and transmission services portions of the Towns of Cheektowaga and West Seneca. Many of the District’s facilities are nearing the end of their useful lives and will require rehabilitation and upgrades to continue to meet the District’s needs. A SEQRA Declaration must be made to advance the issuance of bonds to finance these projects.

CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION

Erie County Sewer District No. 1 will be unable to advance the necessary capital improvements to the facilities.

STEPS FOLLOWING APPROVAL

The Department of Environment and Planning, Division of Sewerage Management will advance the next steps in the process necessary to garner approval of the “Increase and Improvement of Facilities” and ultimately issuance of the bonds.

A RESOLUTION SUBMITTED BY:
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND PLANNING

RE: Erie County Sewer District No. 1 Increase and Improvement of Facilities Project
Environmental Review

WHEREAS, the County of Erie must conduct a review pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (“SEQRA”) in conjunction with the Erie County Sewer District No. 1 Increase and Improvements of Facilities (2024) Project; and

WHEREAS, in this instance, the County is the Lead Agency pursuant to SEQRA, as it is the only agency that has discretionary approval authority over this Action; and

WHEREAS, the County has determined that both Type II Actions and Unlisted Actions are associated with projects to be funded in this bond; and

WHEREAS, the County has duly considered the Actions, the short Environmental Assessment Form, the criteria for determining significance set forth in 6 N.Y.C.R.R. § 617.7(c), the draft Negative Declaration, and such other information deemed appropriate; and

WHEREAS, the County has identified the relevant areas of environmental concern, has taken a hard look at these areas, and has made a reasoned elaboration of the basis for its determination.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Erie County Legislature declares itself Lead Agency; and be it further

RESOLVED, that based upon a thorough review and examination of the known facts relating to the Actions and its careful review of all potentially adverse environmental impacts, and the entire record and proceedings relating to the Actions, the County finds that the Actions will not have a significant adverse impact on the environment and that a draft environmental impact statement will not be prepared; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the attached negative declaration, incorporated herein by reference, is issued and adopted for the reasons stated in the determination of non-significance; and be it further

RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be sent to the County Executive’s Office, Comptroller’s Office, Department of Law, Division of Budget and Management, and Division of Sewerage Management.

COUNTY OF ERIE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT & PLANNING
DIVISION OF SEWERAGE MANAGEMENT
****MEMORANDUM****

TO: 1.5.0.Increase & Improve (2024)
FROM: Daniel Wierzba, P.E., Sanitary Engineer
DATE: February 14, 2025
SUBJECT: SEQR Determination – Erie County Sewer District No. 1 Increase and Improvement of Facilities 2024

Erie County Sewer District No. 1 has applied for \$15.9 million of bond authorization to finance various construction projects in the District. Projects include improvements to existing pumping stations, rehabilitation of existing sewerage, and elimination of an existing pumping station.

The District intends to replace the discharge header, roof, and HVAC systems at the Industrial Park Pumping Station, replace the roof and HVAC systems at the Cayuga Pumping Station, and upgrade the electrical systems at the Industrial Park, Cayuga, Borden Clinton, Union Road, and Clinton Transit Pumping Stations. The scope of these projects will be covered under a Type II Action and will fall under 617.5 (c)(1) "maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility;" and 617.5 (c)(2) "replacement, rehabilitation or reconstruction of a structure or facility, in kind, on the same site, including upgrading buildings to meet building, energy, or fire codes, unless such action meets or exceeds any of the thresholds in section 617.4 of this Part;".

Additionally, various collections system improvements are anticipated with the issuance of this bond authorization and it is anticipated that these activities will fall under 617.5 (c)(1). If the scope of these improvements expands beyond maintenance or repair involving no substantial changes to the existing facilities, the projects will need to be reviewed again.

As the above mentioned actions are listed in the Type II Actions List in 617.5(c) no SEAF will be filed by Erie County for these projects.

The Woodlands Pumping Station Elimination Project has been determined to be an unlisted action. This Action has been reviewed by the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning and their uncoordinated review determined that the proposed project would have no moderate to significant environmental impacts. The Department issued a Negative Declaration for the project. The Short Environmental Assessment Form and a Negative Declaration are attached to this memo. If the final design differs significantly from the previously reviewed design, a new SEQR will need to be conducted.

Attachment: Woodlands PS Elimination SEAF Parts 1, 2, & 3
Woodlands PS Elimination Negative Declaration

cc: J. Fiegl/D. Millar/M. Salah (w/ attachments)

M. Salah, Secretary, Erie County Sewer District No. 1 Board of Managers (w/ attachments)

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 1 - Project Information

Instructions for Completing

Part 1 – Project Information. The applicant or project sponsor is responsible for the completion of Part 1. Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification. Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information.

Complete all items in Part 1. You may also provide any additional information which you believe will be needed by or useful to the lead agency; attach additional pages as necessary to supplement any item.

Part 1 – Project and Sponsor Information				
Woodlands Pumping Station Elimination - ECSD No. 1 - ECDEP Division of Sewerage Management				
Name of Action or Project: Woodlands Pumping Station Elimination				
Project Location (describe, and attach a location map): Intersection of Como Park Blvd and Marywood Dr in Cheektowaga				
Brief Description of Proposed Action: Eliminate the Woodlands Pumping Station by means of installing 1675 feet of 8 inch diameter pvc pipe				
Name of Applicant or Sponsor: DEP - DSM on behalf of ECSD No. 1		Telephone: 716-858-8990 E-Mail: matt.salah@erie.gov		
Address: 85 Franklin St., RM 1034				
City/PO: Buffalo		State: NY	Zip Code: 14202	
1. Does the proposed action only involve the legislative adoption of a plan, local law, ordinance, administrative rule, or regulation? If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the proposed action and the environmental resources that may be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2. If no, continue to question 2.			NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Does the proposed action require a permit, approval or funding from any other government Agency? If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approval: NYSDEC			NO <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? _____ .45 acres b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? _____ .45 acres c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? _____ .45 acres				
4. Check all land uses that occur on, are adjoining or near the proposed action:				
5. <input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input type="checkbox"/> Rural (non-agriculture) <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Residential (suburban) <input type="checkbox"/> Forest <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic <input type="checkbox"/> Other(Specify): <input type="checkbox"/> Parkland				


5. Is the proposed action: a. A permitted use under the zoning regulations? b. Consistent with the adopted comprehensive plan?	NO	YES	N/A
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Is the proposed action consistent with the predominant character of the existing built or natural landscape?	NO	YES	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7. Is the site of the proposed action located in, or does it adjoin, a state listed Critical Environmental Area? Name: John Stiglmeier Park, Reason: Preserve wildlife and green areas, Agency: Cheektowaga, Town of, Date: 8-27-91 If Yes, identify: <u>The project will not affect the CEA; all construction is outside the boundaries of the park</u>	NO	YES	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
8. a. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels? b. Are public transportation services available at or near the site of the proposed action? c. Are any pedestrian accommodations or bicycle routes available on or near the site of the proposed action?	NO	YES	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Does the proposed action meet or exceed the state energy code requirements? If the proposed action will exceed requirements, describe design features and technologies: _____ _____	NO	YES	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
10. Will the proposed action connect to an existing public/private water supply? If No, describe method for providing potable water: _____ _____	NO	YES	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
11. Will the proposed action connect to existing wastewater utilities? If No, describe method for providing wastewater treatment: _____ _____	NO	YES	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
12. a. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or district which is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the Commissioner of the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to be eligible for listing on the State Register of Historic Places? b. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for archaeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory? <small>SHPO no impact finding attached</small>	NO	YES	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
13. a. Does any portion of the site of the proposed action, or lands adjoining the proposed action, contain wetlands or other waterbodies regulated by a federal, state or local agency? b. Would the proposed action physically alter, or encroach into, any existing wetland or waterbody? If Yes, identify the wetland or waterbody and extent of alterations in square feet or acres: _____ _____ _____	NO	YES	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

14. Identify the typical habitat types that occur on, or are likely to be found on the project site. Check all that apply:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Shoreline <input type="checkbox"/> Forest <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural/grasslands <input type="checkbox"/> Early mid-successional <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Urban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suburban		
15. Does the site of the proposed action contain any species of animal, or associated habitats, listed by the State or Federal government as threatened or endangered?	NO	YES
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16. Is the project site located in the 100-year flood plain?	NO	YES
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Will the proposed action create storm water discharge, either from point or non-point sources?	NO	YES
If Yes,	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
a. Will storm water discharges flow to adjacent properties?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Will storm water discharges be directed to established conveyance systems (runoff and storm drains)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, briefly describe:		

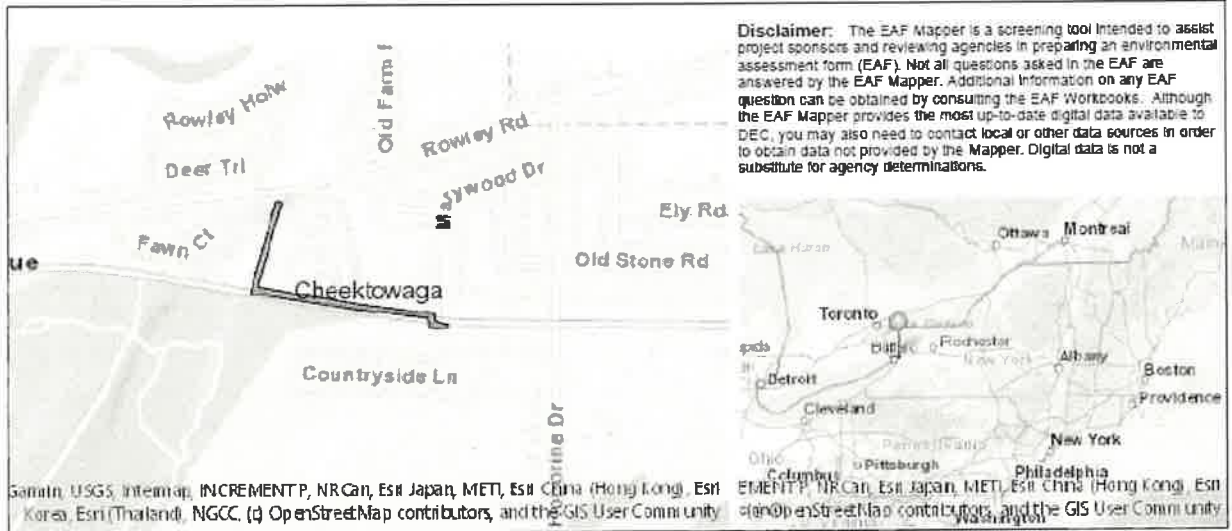
18. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that would result in the impoundment of water or other liquids (e.g., retention pond, waste lagoon, dam)?	NO	YES
If Yes, explain the purpose and size of the impoundment:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the location of an active or closed solid waste management facility?	NO	YES
If Yes, describe:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

20. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the subject of remediation (ongoing or completed) for hazardous waste?	NO	YES
If Yes, describe:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

<small>The DEC has records of twenty-two (22) hazardous spills near the site (most at 505 Como Lake Blvd), but all incidents are closed. The project will not disturb or create any remediation sites or hazardous waste locations.</small>		
I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS TRUE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE		
Applicant/sponsor/name: Matt A. Salah, P.E.	Date:	11/16/2022
Signature: 	Title: Sr. Coord. Sanitary Sewer Const. Projects	

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- Part 1 / Question 7 [Critical Environmental Area] Yes
- Part 1 / Question 7 [Critical Environmental Area - Identify] Name:John Stiglmeier Park, Reason:Preserve wildlife and green areas, Agency:Cheektowaga, Town of, Date:8-27-91
- Part 1 / Question 12a [National or State Register of Historic Places or State Eligible Sites] No
- Part 1 / Question 12b [Archeological Sites] Yes
- Part 1 / Question 13a [Wetlands or Other Regulated Waterbodies] Yes - Digital mapping information on local and federal wetlands and waterbodies is known to be incomplete. Refer to EAF Workbook.
- Part 1 / Question 15 [Threatened or Endangered Animal] No
- Part 1 / Question 16 [100 Year Flood Plain] No
- Part 1 / Question 20 [Remediation Site] Yes

Project:	ECSD1 Woodlands Station Elimination
Date:	11/16/22

*Short Environmental Assessment Form
Part 2 - Impact Assessment*

Part 2 is to be completed by the Lead Agency.

Answer all of the following questions in Part 2 using the information contained in Part 1 and other materials submitted by the project sponsor or otherwise available to the reviewer. When answering the questions the reviewer should be guided by the concept "Have my responses been reasonable considering the scale and context of the proposed action?"

	No. or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur
1. Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Will the proposed action impact existing: a. public / private water supplies? b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

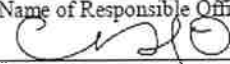
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Project:	ECSD1 Woodlands Sta#
Date:	11/16/22

Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 3 Determination of Significance

For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

1. Conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations: No impact
2. Use or intensity of use of land: No impact
3. Character or quality of the existing community: No impact
4. Impact on a Critical Environmental Area (CEA): No impact on neighboring CEA (John Stigmeier Park)
5. Changes to transportation infrastructure: Temporary construction zone impacts
6. Use of energy: No impact
7. a. Impact on water supplies: No impact
b. Impact on wastewater treatment utilities: Action is an efficiency improvement to wastewater system
8. Historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources: No Impact; SHPO finding letter attached
9. Change to natural resources: Temporary construction impacts; project includes sediment control and reseeded upon construction completion
10. Potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems: No impact; project includes sediment control and reseeded upon construction completion
11. Hazard to environmental resources or human health: No impact. The DEC had records of twenty-two (22) hazardous spills near the site (most at 505 Como Lake Blvd), but all incidents are closed. The project will not disturb or create any remediation sites or hazardous waste locations.

<input type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an environmental impact statement is required.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.	
County of Erie Department of Environment & Planning <hr/> Name of Lead Agency	11/16/22 <hr/> Date
Mariely Ortiz <hr/> Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Senior Planner <hr/> Title of Responsible Officer
 <hr/> Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	<hr/> Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer)

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November 14, 2022

Mariely Ortiz
Senior Planner
Erie County Department of Environment & Planning
95 Franklin St
Office 1009
Buffalo, NY 14202

Re: SEQRA
Woodlands Pumping Station Elimination - ECSD No. 8 - ECDEP Division of Sewerage
Management
Town of Cheektowaga, Erie County, NY
22PR07166

Dear Mariely Ortiz:

Thank you for requesting the comments of the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation (OPRHP). We have reviewed the project in accordance with the New York State Historic Preservation Act of 1980 (Section 14.09 of the New York Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation Law). These comments are those of the OPRHP and relate only to Historic/Cultural resources. They do not include potential environmental impacts to New York State Parkland that may be involved in or near your project. Such impacts must be considered as part of the environmental review of the project pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (New York Environmental Conservation Law Article 8) and its implementing regulations (6 NYCRR Part 617).

Based upon this review, it is the opinion of OPRHP that no properties, including archaeological and/or historic resources, listed in or eligible for the New York State and National Registers of Historic Places will be impacted by this project.

If further correspondence is required regarding this project, please be sure to refer to the OPRHP Project Review (PR) number noted above.

Sincerely,

R. Daniel Mackay

Deputy Commissioner for Historic Preservation
Division for Historic Preservation

rev: A. Farry



MEMO

COUNTY OF ERIE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND PLANNING
DIVISION OF PLANNING

To: JOSEPH L. FIEGL, P.E., DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, DIV. OF SEWERAGE MANAGEMENT
From: MARIELY ORTIZ, SENIOR PLANNER
Subject: Completion of Environmental Review: Commerce Pkwy ECSD 8 and Woodlands ECSD 1 pump station removals; C617-22-614
Date: November 17, 2022

The subject project has been reviewed in accordance with the State Environmental Review Act (SEQRA). The following is a **negative declaration** for purposes of the Environmental Conservation Law Article 8.

Lead Agency: Erie County Department of Environment & Planning
95 Franklin Street, 10th floor, Buffalo, NY 14202

Project: A: Commerce Pkwy ECSD 8 pump station removal; and
B: Woodlands ECSD 1 pump station removal

Locations: A: Commerce Parkway, Town of Aurora
B: Como Lake Boulevard, Town of Cheektowaga

SEQR Status: A: **COMPLETE; Uncordinated Review for SEQR Unlisted Action as per NYCRR, Part 617**

Determination of Significance: No Impact

1. Conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations: No impact
2. Use or intensity of use of land: No impact
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Please contact me at (716) 858-1916 or Mariely.Ortiz@erie.gov for further information on this SEQR determination. Please contact Mutasem Salah at (716) 858-6990 or Mutasem.Salah@erie.gov for further information on the subject project.



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