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June 6, 2025

Marlene Baust  
Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control  
Groundwater Discharges Section  
89 Kings Highway  
Dover, DE 19901

Re: Sussex Regional Recharge Facility (SRRF) Permit Renewal Amendment Request

Dear Ms. Baust,

Artesian Wastewater Management Inc. (AWMI) is writing to formally request a modification to the renewal of Operations Permit No. 359288-02 to incorporate the operation of the Phase 3 treatment expansion upon its completion. The renewal request for this Operations Permit was previously submitted to DNREC electronically via Dropbox on January 17, 2025. As part of this renewal, we respectfully request that the increased treatment capacity associated with the Phase 3 expansion be incorporated into the renewed permit.

In addition, we are providing the proposed schedule for bringing Fields D and E online as per page 21 of the current SRRF Operations Permit. These fields will be online well ahead of 2026 growing season. Please consider this letter the notification of our intent to construct. The schedule is as follows:

- September 1, 2025 – Complete procurement of equipment and piping
- November 1, 2025 – Begin installation of piping and equipment following the fall harvest
- February 1, 2026 – Complete installation and submit required documentation to DNREC
- March 1, 2026 – Complete testing and startup activities
- March 1, 2026 – Fields D and E available for disposal during the 2026 growing season

We appreciate your consideration of this request and look forward to your acknowledgment and any further guidance necessary to incorporate these elements into the permit renewal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "DK", followed by a horizontal line.

Daniel Konstanski, P.E., BCEE  
Vice President of Engineering