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Mr. Colin R. Wade
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Pennsylvania Department of Revenue
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RE: Ridge Run PFAS HSCA Site
Remediation Response

Dear Mr. Wade,

East Rockhill Township is in receipt of the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) letter dated April 18, 2019 as received on April 22, 2019 providing the Statement of Decision for the Ridge Run PFAS HSCA Site which indicated DEP has selected Alternative 3, installation and maintenance of whole-house filtration systems with restrictions on the use of groundwater as the Interim Response at the Site. This interim response is not acceptable. Perkasie Regional Authority has provided DEP with plans to provide public water connection to all residences that are above 70 ppt with a price tag of \$1.9 million. Public water connection would serve to decrease movement of the PFAS plume, keep PFAS contaminated carbon filters out of landfills, provide drinkable water that does not require regular maintenance by the residents, no deed restrictions, but most important, a permanent, long-term solution.

On behalf of the East Rockhill Township Board of Supervisors and the blameless East and West Rockhill residents affected by the PFAS contamination, we request DEP reconsider the Statement of Decision and provide a permanent, long-term solution and give residents uncorrupted water with public water connection.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

EAST ROCKHILL TOWNSHIP

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Township Manager

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