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**COUNTY OF ORANGE LEGISLATURE
NOTICE OF SEQRA PUBLIC SCOPING SESSION
ORANGE COUNTY SEWER DISTRICT NO. 1
HARRIMAN WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT CAPACITY EXPANSION
(located at 72 River Road S., Harriman New York)**

September 3, 2020 at 2:00 PM

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the County of Orange, as Lead Agency, will be holding a public scoping session to provide an opportunity for public input on the draft Scoping Document for the Orange County Sewer District No. 1 Harriman Wastewater Treatment Plant Capacity Expansion on **Thursday, September 3, 2020, at 2:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard at the Orange County Government Center, Legislative Chambers, 3rd Floor, 255 Main Street, Goshen, New York 10924 and/or via videoconferencing.** This document and a complete copy of the scoping documents is available on the Orange County website at: <https://www.orangecountygov.com/437/Orange-County-Sewer-District-Number-1>

The Legislature is proposing the following action at the Harriman Wastewater Treatment Plant: improvements to extend the longevity of the existing systems and expand capacity to 9.0 MGD. Improvements include new mechanical screening, vortex grit unit and flow splitter with odor control housed in a new building constructed adjacent to the existing headworks building. A new chemical feed and backwash filter pump buildings will be constructed. Trains 1 and 2 will be converted to sequencing batch reactors (SBR) capable of treating a 7.0 MGD while Train 3 will be subject to aeration basin upgrades to remain at 2.0 MGD for a total of 9.0 MGD. Existing Train ½ tertiary treatment will be upgraded as needed to meet regulatory requirements. Existing structures will be demolished or re-purposed as necessary to provide facilities necessary to meet regulatory requirements. Modifications to the sludge holding tanks will be conducted to add blowers, aeration piping, coarse bubble diffusers, tank covers, sludge pumps and odor control. Chlorine contact, post aeration, SCADA and appurtenant upgrades will be conducted. In addition, the project may include upgrades to the main building supply air, odor control and HVAC improvements; remote pump station replacement; decommissioning of several collection system pump stations, magnesium hydroxide chemical feed/mixing system; Train 1 air supply line rehabilitation; misc. concrete work; MCC1 switch gear and Train 1 secondary weir replacement and Train 1 and 3 secondary covers.

The County Legislature, will hold a public scoping session at the Legislative Chambers, unless the Governor's Executive Order 202.1 allowing public meetings to be held remotely by conference call or similar service is extended, in which case the Legislature may hold the public scoping session via videoconferencing in order to ensure compliance with all applicable social distancing and public assemble limitations. To the extent the public scoping session is held at the Legislative Chambers, all persons attending will be required to wear a mask and to have their temperature taken for admission.

To the extent the public scoping session will be held via videoconference, instructions to access the virtual meeting will be made available on the Orange County Legislature's website www.orangecountygov.com prior to September 3, 2020. The public shall have an opportunity to see and hear the meeting live and provide comments and a recording of the meeting will subsequently be made available on the Town's website. Written comments on the draft Scoping Document may also be submitted on or before September 14, 2020 to the Erik Denega, P.E., Commissioner, Environmental Facilities and Services, 2455-2459 Route 17M, Goshen, New York 10924 or email EDenega@orangecountygov.com

Dated: August 19, 2020

BY ORDER OF THE ORANGE COUNTY LEGISLATU

BY: Jean M. Ramppen

Clerk of the Orange County Legislature