ST. TAMMANY PARISH COUNCIL

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION COUNCIL SERIES NO: C-4989

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RESOLUTION TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE RECEIPT AND REVIEW OF THE 2017 MUNICIPAL WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT REPORT FOR THE PREFERRED EQUITIES SEWAGE TREATMENT FACILITY (WARD 4, DISTRICT 5)

WHEREAS, St. Tammany Parish Government owns and operates the Preferred Equities Sewage Treatment Facility; and

WHEREAS, the Louisiana Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (LPDES) permit which authorizes effluent discharge from the Preferred Equities Sewage Treatment Facility mandates the Parish to institute a program directed towards pollution prevention in order to improve operating efficiency and extend the useful life of the treatment facility; and

WHEREAS, as part of Part II, Section B of LPDES permit LA0117439, the Parish Government must complete an annual Environmental Audit Report for the life of the permit.

THE PARISH OF ST. TAMMANY HEREBY RESOLVES that the St. Tammany Parish Council acknowledges the receipt of the 2017 Municipal Water Pollution Prevention Environmental Audit Report for the Preferred Equities Sewage Treatment Facility and its finding that planning for the expansion of the treatment plant to accommodate growth in the area will be necessary for continued compliance achievement, by adding an additional treatment plant to accommodate new development flows.

THIS RESOLUTION HAVING BEEN SUBMITTED TO A VOTE, THE VOTE THEREON WAS AS FOLLOWS:

MOVED FOR ADOPTION BY:	SECONDED BY:	

YEAS:	

NAYS: _____

ABSTAIN:	

ABSENT: _____

THIS RESOLUTION WAS DECLARED ADOPTED ON THE <u>3</u> DAY OF <u>MAY</u>, 2018, AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL, A QUORUM OF THE MEMBERS BEING PRESENT AND VOTING.

THERESA L. FORD, COUNCIL CLERK

Resolution Administrative Comment

RESOLUTION TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE RECEIPT AND REVIEW OF THE 2017 MUNICIPAL WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT REPORT FOR THE PREFERRED EQUITIES WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY (DISTRICT 5, WARD 4).

Pursuant to the permit authorizing effluent discharge, this Resolution is required to acknowledge the Environmental Audit and identify any compliance actions to be taken. Planning for expansion of the facility will be necessary to accommodate new development flows.

Facility Name: Preferred Equities Sewage Treatment Facility
LPDES Permit Number: LA0117439
Agency Interest (AI) Number: 19919
Address: P. O. Box 628 Covington, LA 70434
Preferred Equities Sewer Treatment Location: Commerce Blvd, Abita Springs, LA
Parish: St. Tammany
(Person Completing Form) Name: Greg Gorden
<i>Title:</i> Department of Environmental Services Director
Date Completed: January 2017 - December 2017

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Complete only the sections of the Environmental Audit which apply to your wastewater treatment system. Leave sections that do not apply blank and enter a "0" for the point value.
- 2. Parts 1 through 7 contain questions for which points may be generated. These points are intended to communicate to the department and the governing body or owner what actions will be necessary to prevent effluent violations. Place the point totals from parts 1 through 7 on the Point Calculation page.
- 3. Add up the point totals.
- 4. Submit the Environmental Audit to the governing body or owner for review and approval.
- 5. The governing body must pass a resolution which contains the following items:
 - a. The resolution or letter must acknowledge the governing body or owner has reviewed the Environmental Audit.
 - b. This resolution must indicate <u>specific</u> actions, if any, will be taken to maintain compliance and prevent effluent violations. Proposed actions should address the parts where maximum or close to maximum points were generated in the Environmental Audit.
 - c. The resolution should provide any other information the governing body deems appropriate.

PART 1: INFLUENT FLOW/LOADINGS (all plants)

A. List the average monthly volumetric flows and CBOD loadings received at your facility during the last reporting year.

Column 1 Average Monthly Flow (million gallons per day, MGD)		Column 2 Average Monthly CBOD5 Concentration (mg/l)		Column 3 Average Monthly CBOD5 Loading (pounds per day, lb/day)
0.022	X	70	x 8.34 =	13
0.012	X	70	x 8.34 =	7
0.012	Х	70	x 8.34 =	7
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0.012	Х	70	x 8.34 =	7
0.012	X	70	x 8.34 =	7
0.012	X	139	x 8.34 =	13.9

* Please note Jan - Nov influent value is one time sample taken for LPDES permit renewal data 2014. CBOD loading = Average Monthly Flow (in MGD) x Average Monthly CBOD concentration (in mg/l) x 8.34

B. List the design flow and design CBOD loading for your facility in the blanks below. If you are not aware of these design quantities, refer to your Operation and Maintenance (O&M) Manual or contact your consulting engineer.

Design Flow, MGD:	0.175 MGD	x 0.90 =	0.158
Design CBOD, lb/day:	1000	x 0.90 =	900

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C. How many months did the monthly flow (Column 1) to the wastewater treatment facility (WWTF) exceed 90% of design flow? Circle the number of months and the corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

D. How many months did the monthly flow (Column 1) to the WWTF exceed the design flow? Circle the number of months and corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

months	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
months points	0	5	5	10	10	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15

Write 0, 5, 10 or 15 in the D point total box

0 D Point Total

E. How many months did the monthly CBOD loading (Column 3) to the WWTF exceed 90% of the design loading? Circle the number of months and corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

months points	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
points	0	0	5	5	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

Write 0, 5, or 10 in the E point total box 0 E Point Total

F. How many months did the monthly CBOD loading (Column 3) to the WWTF exceed the design loading? Circle the number of months and corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

months	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
months points	0	10	20	30	40	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
			Write (0, 10, 2	0, 30, 4	40 or 5	0 in the	e F poi	nt total	box	0	F Poin	nt Total

G. Add together each point total for C through F and place this sum in the box below at the right.

TOTAL POINT VALUE FOR PART 1: $_{0}$ (max = 80)

Also enter this value or 80, whichever is less, on the point calculation table on page 16.

PART 2: EFFLUENT QUALITY / PLANT PERFORMANCE

A. List the monthly average effluent CBOD and TSS concentrations produced by your facility during the last reporting year.

Month	Column 1 Average Monthly CBOD (mg/l)	Column 2 Average Monthly TSS (mg/l)
January 2017	2	3
February 2017	3	1
March 2017	4	3
April 2017	3	4
May 2017	2	3
June 2017	3	5
July 2017	2	4
August 2017	3	3
September 2017	2	1
October 2017	2	2
November 2017	3	5
December 2017	2	1

B. List the monthly average permit limits for your facility in the blanks below.

	90% of Permit Limit		
CBOD, mg/l	10	x 0.90 =	9
TSS, mg/l	15	x 0.90 =	13.5

- C. Continuous Discharge to Surface Water.
- i. How many months did the effluent BOD (Column 1) exceed 90% of the permit limits? Circle the number of months and the corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

Write 0, 10, 20, 30 or 40 in the i point total box

ii. How many months did the effluent BOD (Column 1) exceed permit limits? Circle the number of months and corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

months	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
months points	0	5	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
										.			1

0 ii Point Total Write 0, 5, or 10 in the ii point total box

0 iii Point Total

iii. How many months did the effluent TSS (Column 2) exceed 90% of the permit limits? Circle the number of months and the corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

months points	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
points	0	0	10	20	30	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	40

Write 0, 10, 20, 30 or 40 in the iii point total box

How many months did the effluent TSS (Column 2) exceed permit limits? Circle the iv. number of months and corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

	months	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	points	0	5	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
v.	Add tog	gether	each p	oint to	tal for i	i throug	gh iv ai	nd plac	e this s	um in	the box	t below	at the	nt Total right. = 100)

Also enter this value or 100, whichever is less, on the point calculation table on page 16.

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D.	Other Monitoring and Limitations					
i.	At any time in the past year was there and exceedance of a permit limit for other pollutants such as: ammonia-nitrogen, phosphorus, pH, total residual chlorine, or fecal coliform?					
	\checkmark Check one box. \square Yes \blacksquare No If Yes, Please describe:					
ii.	At any time in the past year was there a "failure" of a Biomonitoring (Whole Effluent Toxicity) test of the effluent?					
	\checkmark Check one box. Yes X No If Yes, Please describe:					
	N/A - biomonitoring not required for this facility.					
iii.	At any time in the past year was there an exceedance of a permit limit for a toxic substance?					
	\checkmark Check one box. \square Yes \searrow No If Yes, Please describe:					

PART 3: AGE OF THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY

A. What year was the wastewater treatment facility constructed or last major expansion/ improvements completed? 2001 Original Construction 2008 Expansion / Upgrade

Current Year	-	Answer to A	=	Age in years
2017	_	2001 & 2008		16 & 9

Enter Age in Part C below.

B. $\sqrt{}$ Check the type of treatment facility that is employed.

FACTOR:

<u>X</u>	Mechanical Treatn (trickling filter, act sludge, etc) Specify Type:	 2.5
	Aerated Lagoon	2.0
	Stabilization Pond	1.5
	Other Specify Type:	 1.0

C. Multiply the factor listed next to the type of facility your community employs by the age of your facility to determine the total point value for Part 3.

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TOTAL POINT VALUE FOR PART 3 =

$$\frac{2.5}{Factor} \times \frac{17 \& 9}{Age} = 32 \pmod{\max = 50}$$

Also enter this value or 50, whichever is less, on the point calculation table on page 16.

D. Please attach a schematic of the treatment plant.

SEE ATTACHED DIAGRAM.

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PAF	RT 4: OVERFLOWS AND BYPASSES
А. i.	List the number of times in the last year there was an overflow, bypass or unpermitted discharge of untreated or incompletely treated wastewater due to heavy rain:
	\checkmark Check one box. \boxed{X} $0 = 0$ points $\boxed{3} = 15$ points $\boxed{1} = 5$ points $\boxed{4} = 30$ points $\boxed{2} = 10$ points $\boxed{5}$ or more = 50 points
ii.	List the number of bypasses, overflows or unpermitted discharges shown in A (i) that were within the collection system and the number at the treatment plant
	Collection System: 0 Treatment Plant: 0
В. i.	List the number of times in the last year there was an overflow, bypass or unpermitted discharge of untreated or incompletely treated wastewater due to equipment failure, either at the treatment plant or due to pumping problems in the collection system:
ii.	List the number of bypasses, overflows or unpermitted discharges shown in B (i) that were within the collection system and the number at the treatment plant
	Collection System: 3 Treatment Plant: 2
C.	Specify whether the bypasses came from the city/village/town sewer system or from contract or tributary communities/sanitary districts, etc
	0
D.	Add the point values checked for A and B and place the total in the box below.
	TOTAL POINT VALUE FOR PART 4: 50 (max = 100) Also enter this value or 100, whichever is less, on the point calculation table on page 16.
Е.	List the person responsible (name and title) for reporting overflows, bypasses or unpermitted discharges to State and Federal authorities:
	Tim Brown, Utility Manager or Greg Gorden, Director - Dept of Enviro Services
	Describe the procedure for gathering, compiling and reporting:
	Field staff reports incidents, management notifies DEQ verbally and/or written

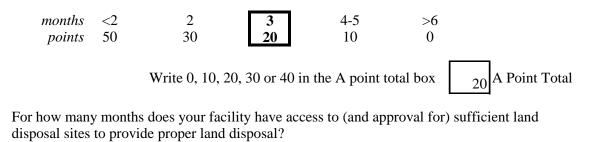
PART 5: SLUDGE STORAGE AND DISPOSAL SITES

A. Sludge Storage

B.

How many months of sludge storage capacity does your facility have available, either on-site or off-site?

Circle the number of months and the corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.



Circle the number of months and the corresponding point total. Write the point total in the box below at the right.

months	<2	6-11	12-23	24-35	>36
points	50	30	20	10	0

Write 0, 10, 20, 30 or 40 in the B point total box

20 B Point Total

C. Add together the A and B point values and place the sum in the box below at the right:

TOTAL POINT VALUE FOR PART 5: 40 (max = 100)

Also enter this value or 100, whichever is less, on the point calculation table on page 16.

PART 6: NEW DEVELOPMENT

Α.	Please provide the following information for the total of all sewer line extensions which were installed during the last year.
	Design Population: Light Commercial
	Design Flow: 0.09 MGD
	Design BOD: 250 mg/l
3.	Has an industry (or other development) moved into the community or expanded production in the past year, such that either flow or pollutant loadings to the sewerage system were significantly increased (5% or greater)?
	$\sqrt{\text{Check one box.}}$ Yes = 15 points X No = 0 points
	If Yes, Please describe:
	List any new pollutants:
	N/A
	Is there any development (industrial, commercial or residential) anticipated in the next 2-3 years, such that either flow or pollutant loadings to the sewerage system could significantly increase?
	$\sqrt{\text{Check one box.}}$ Yes = 15 points No = 0 points
	If Yes, Please describe:
	Light commerical development on Koop Dr East.
	List any new pollutants you anticipate:
	No new pollutants - typical sanitary sewer characterisitics anticipated.

D. Add together the point value checked in B and C and place the sum in the box below.

TOTAL POINT VALUE FOR PART 6:

15 (max = 30)

Also enter this value or 30, whichever is less, on the point calculation table on page 16.

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PAI	RT 7: OPERATOR	R CERTIFICATIC	ON AND EDUCA	ATION
А.	What was the name of the	ne operator-in-charge for	the reporting year?	
			Gilbert McKenz	ie
B.	What is his or her certif		5833	
C.	What level of certificati		rge required to have to	o operate the
	wastewater treatment fa	cility? Level Required:	Π	
D.	What is the level of cert			
		Level Certified:	C	
E.	Was the operator-in-cha required in order to oper	rge of the report year cer		rade level
	$\sqrt{\text{Check one box.}}$	X Yes = 0 points		p = 50 points
	Wi	tite 0 or 50 in the E poin	t total box 0 E I	Point Total
F.	Has the operator-in-chan year?	ge maintained recertific	ation requirements dur	ring the reporting
	\vee Check one box.	X Yes)
G.	How many hours of con last two calendar years?	tinuing education has the	e operator-in-charge co	ompleted over the
	\vee Check one box.	X > 12 hours = 0	points $ < 1 $	12 hours $= 50$ points
	Wr	ite 0 or 50 in the G poin	t total box 0 G	Point Total
H.	Is there a written policy treatment plant employe		ucation an training for	wastewater
	$\sqrt{\text{Check one box}}$.	X Yes)
	Explain:	Budget allocated and	training schedule set a	at beginning of each year
I.	What percentage of the paid for:	continuing education exp	penses of the operator-	in-charge were
		100	By the operator?	0%
J.	Add together the E and	G point values and place	the sum in the box be	low at the right.
		TOTAL POINT V	ALUE FOR PART 7	7: $0 (max = 100)$

Also enter this value or 100, whichever is less, on the point calculation table on page 16.

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PART 8: FINANCIAL STATUS

A. Are User-Charge Revenues sufficient to cover operation and maintenance expenses?

 \vee Check one box. X Yes No If No, How are O&M costs financed?

B. What financial resources do you have available to pay for your wastewater improvements and reconstruction needs?

Revenue generated from the sale of water and sewer services.

PART 9: SUBJECTIVE EVALUATION

A. Collection System Maintenance

i. Describe what sewer system maintenance work has been done in the last year.

General maintenance (smoking & camera). Less than 1% of collection system has needed repair.

ii. Describe what lift station work has been done in the last year.

General maintenance...pumps replaced as needed. Typically burnt up due to clogging.

iii. What collection system improvements does the community have under construction for the next 5 years?

No collection system projects currently scheduled or proposed. Treatment plant to be increased to 0.500MGD unit to serve future needs & growth in the area.

B. If you have ponds please answer the following questions: **N/A**

- i. Do you have duckweed buildup in the ponds?
- **ii.** Do you mow the dikes regularly (at least monthly), to the waters edge?
- iii. Do you have bushes or trees growing on the dikes or in the ponds?
- **iv.** Do you have excess sludge buildup (> 1foot) on the bottom of any of your ponds?
- **v.** Do you exercise all of your valves?
- vi. Are your control manholes in good structural shape?
- vii. Do you maintain at least 3 feet of freeboard in all of your ponds?
- viii. Do you visit your pond system at least weekly?

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	Yes		No
	Yes		No
	Yes		No
	Yes Yes Yes		No No No
	Yes Yes		No No

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C. Treatment Plants

i. Have the influent and effluent flow meters been calibrated in the last year?

X Yes	No No	($\sqrt{1}$ Check one box.)	
N/A			N/A - Staff Gauge
Influent flow meter calibration date(s)			<i>Effluent flow meter calibration date(s)</i>

ii. What problems, if any, have been experienced over the last year that have threatened treatment?

NONE

iii. Is your community presently involved in formal planning for treatment facility upgrade?

\checkmark Check one box.	Yes	X No	If Yes, Please describe:

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D.	Preventive Maintenance						
i.	Does your plant have a written plan for preventive maintenance on major equipment items?						
	\checkmark Check one box. X Yes No If Yes, Please describe:						
	As per manufacturer directives in O&M manual.						
ii.	Does this preventive maintenance program depict frequency of intervals, types of lubrication and other preventive maintenance tasks necessary for each piece of equipment?						
	X Yes No						
iii.	Are these preventive maintenance tasks, as well as equipment problems, being recorded and filed so future maintenance problems can be assured properly?						
	X Yes No						
E.	Sewer Use Ordinance						
i.	Does your community have a sewer use ordinance that limits or prohibits the discharge of excessive conventional pollutants (BOD, TSS or pH) or toxic substances to the sewer system from industries, commercial users and residences?						
	\vee Check one box. \square Yes χ No If Yes, Please describe:						
	There is no pretreatment program in effect. There are no categorical industrial users and no adverse effects from current users.						
ii.	Has it been necessary to enforce?						
	\vee Check one box. \square Yes \square No If Yes, Please describe:						
	N/A						
iii.	Any additional comments about your treatment plant or collection system? (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)						

POINT CALCULATION TABLE

	Actual Values	Maximum
Part 1: Influent Flow/Loadings	0	80 points
Part 2: Effluent Quality / Plant Performance	0	100 points
Part 3: Age of WWTF	32	50 points
Part 4: Overflows and Bypasses	50	100 points
Part 5: Ultimate Disposition of Sludge	40	100 points
Part 6: New Development	15	30 points
Part 7: Operator Certification Training	0	100 points

TOTAL POINTS:

<u>137 = Acceptable</u>

ATTACHMENT - RESOLUTION

ST. TAMMANY PARISH MWPP RESOLUTION

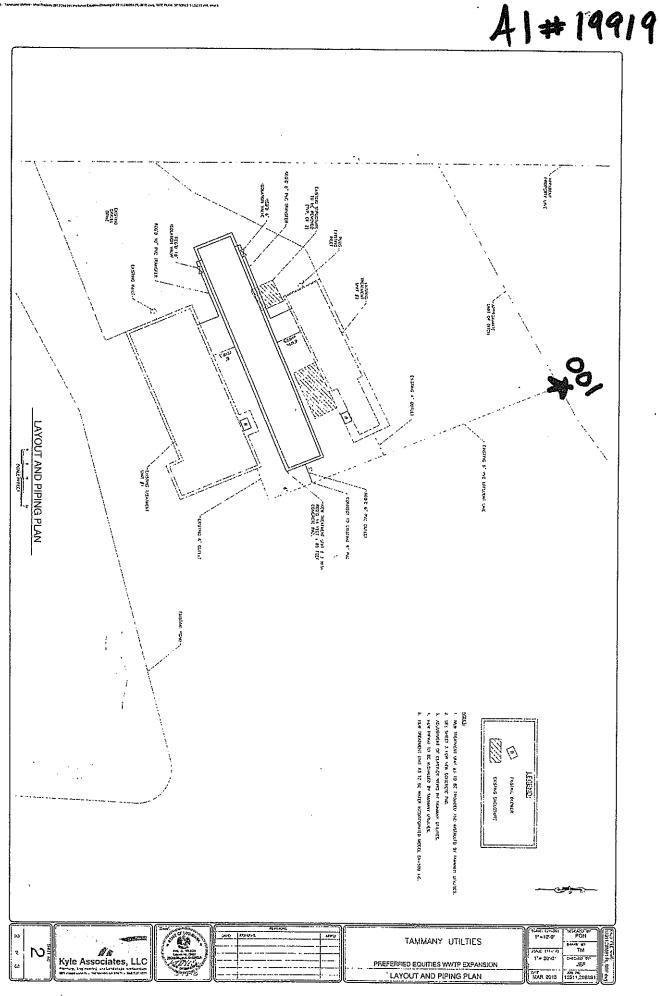
Resolved that the village/town/city of __ Preferred Equities sewered area informs the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality that the following actions were taken by <u>St. Tammany Parish Council.</u>

- 1. Resolved the Municipal Water Pollution Prevention Environmental Audit Report which is attached to this resolution. (See official Parish document).
- No necessary actions are required to achieve or maintain compliance at this time. Will have installed an additional 50,000gpd treatment plant to accommodate new flows. Plant operations will begin as the new flows come on line & additional treatment capacity is required.

(Please be specific in listing the actions that will be taken to address the problems identified in the audit report.)

on _____ (date).

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