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Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government  
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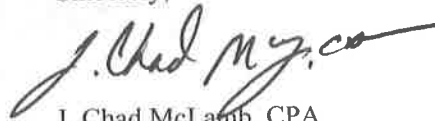
RE: Planned Wastewater System Improvements  
County of Johnston, North Carolina

Dear Chair of the North Carolina Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government:

The purpose of this letter is to notify you, pursuant to N.C. General Statute §120-157.2(a), that the County of Johnston, North Carolina (the "County") intends to finance a portion of wastewater improvements with estimated costs totaling approximately \$1,708,500 through a Clean Water State Revolving Fund loan. The Johnston County Swift Creek Interceptor Project (the "project") includes approximately 9,100 linear feet of 12-inch and 16-inch gravity sewer along Swift Creek from NC 42 to Cornwallis Road and a new 1,200 gallons per minute pump station at Cornwallis Road. The project will allow the County to decommission the aging and undersized Swift Creek Wastewater Pump Station and eliminate the need to upsize the Austin Pond Wastewater Pump Station and downstream force mains in the near future. The project is designed to accommodate the expected growth in the area without adding pump stations to the system. The new pump station will connect to the existing 16-inch force main on Cornwallis Road. The State Water Infrastructure Authority has approved the project as eligible to receive a low-interest Clean Water State Revolving Fund loan of \$1,675,000.

The County plans to seek Local Government Commission ("LGC") approval of the \$1,675,000 Clean Water State Revolving Fund loan at an LGC meeting occurring on or after April 4, 2017. Please contact us if you have questions or need additional information regarding this project or the related financing.

Sincerely,



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cc: Fiscal Research Division  
North Carolina General Assembly

Mr. Greg Gaskins, Secretary  
Local Government Commission  
North Carolina Department of State Treasurer