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November 6, 2024

Keith Chin
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RE: Sewer Use Ordinance (SUO) Completeness Review
Fort Lauderdale - G T Lohmeyer Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP)
Permit No: FLA041378
Broward County

Dear Keith Chin:

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection has completed a review of the Control Authority's Draft Sewer Use Ordinance submitted on November 4, 2024. Based on the Department's review, it was determined that the Draft Sewer Use Ordinance satisfies the requirements of Chapter 62-625, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

The Control Authority should schedule the Draft Sewer Use Ordinance for formal ratification by the appropriate local government as soon as possible. Following final local government ratification of the ordinance, the ratified Sewer Use Ordinance must be submitted to the Department as a substantial program modification in accordance with Rule 62-625.510, F.A.C. The Sewer Use Ordinance shall become effective upon final Department approval of the program modification and pending the public noticing procedure outlined in paragraph 62-625.540(2)(a), F.A.C.

Please provide the Department with the anticipated schedule of ratification within 30 days of receipt of this letter. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Brianna Cesaroni, via email at Brianna.Cesaroni@FloridaDEP.gov, or by phone at 850-245-8695.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lauren Gottfreid".

Lauren Gottfreid
Program Administrator

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