

**RESOLUTION**  
**VILLAGE OF HIGHLAND FALLS BOARD OF TRUSTEES**  
Improvements to Existing Waste Water Treatment Plant

**New York State Environmental Quality Review Act Negative Declaration**

Date: May 7, 2018

This notice is issued pursuant to Part 617 of the implementing regulations pertaining to Article 8 (State Environmental Quality Review) of the Environmental Conservation Law.

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Highland Falls, as the only Agency authorized to effectuate improvements to the Village Waste Water Treatment Plant (“WWTP”) and is, therefore, the only agency authorized to act as lead agency pursuant to the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act (“SEQRA”), has determined that the proposed action described below will not have a significant adverse effect on the environment.

**Title of Action:** Improvements to the Village WWTP

**SEQR Status:** Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR 617.7 (c)(1)

**Description of Action:** Replacement of existing components of the Village WWTP including the following system components: 1) replacement of existing sludge belt press and conveyor, 2) replacement of one of the existing rotating biological contactors, (3) replacement of the existing sludge heater and exchangers, and 4) replacement of an existing stand-by generator.

**Location:** 95 Rose Drive, Village of Highland Falls

**Reasons Supporting This Determination:**

The improvements will replace existing aging components of the Village WWTP in-kind involving no substantial changes in an existing structure or facility and no site disturbance whatsoever.

**Resolution:**

**BE IT RESOLVED THAT** based on the Village Board’s review and consideration of the Project, Long Form Environmental Assessment Form, and consideration of the criteria for determining significance set forth in 6 NYCRR 617.7 (c)(1), the Village Board determined that in-kind improvements to the Village WWTP will not result in any significant impact to the environment and hereby issues a Negative Declaration, thus closing SEQRA.

On a motion by Trustee Ramus, seconded by Trustee Livsey, the foregoing resolution was adopted on a roll call vote of 5 Ayes, 0 Nays.

**For Further Information**

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Environmental Facilities Corporation  
Dated: May 7, 2018