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Division of Water Resources
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**SUBJECT: Summary of Stormwater Improvements
Allen Family Foods - Harbeson, DE**

Dear Mr. McCloskey:

This letter is to follow up on our conversations during your last site visit concerning the need for stormwater improvements around the cooling shed at the Harbeson plant.

Allen's will refurbish the two (2) present pump stations with new pumps and controls that will collect the first flush of rainwater and deliver it to our wastewater system. Any additional flow over the increased capacity of these new pumps will overflow the wet wells and continue as it presently does. Best management practices (BMP's) for maintenance of the system and control of solid debris and other material on the floor of the cooling shed will be added to the facility's Stormwater Pollution Prevention Manual.

These improvements, coupled with the BMP additions to the Stormwater plan, will greatly improve the capabilities of this facility in the management of stormwater flows. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (302) 684-1640.

Respectfully submitted,
ALLEN FAMILY FOODS, INC.

Steve Hudson
Wastewater Manager

cc: Harbeson Correspondence
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