

## Public Hearing Comments

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Comments on Docket #2020-P-W-0026 (Artesian Wastewater Management)

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### Comments:

The Delaware Coastal Business Park, as well as the entities located at the Coastal Airport along Rudder Lane in Georgetown, receive wastewater treatment services from the Town of Georgetown under a 2008 Agreement last amended on August 14, 2018. Given the limited availability of municipal sewer capacity, the Agreement allows for the surrender of capacity under Article VIII by redirecting it to alternate wastewater service providers such as Artesian Wastewater Resources, Inc. Under the Agreement the Town has the option to additional surrender capacity. On June 24, 2020 Town Council voted to accept the County's surrender notice as per Article VIII of the 2008 Agreement as amended and in return exercised the Town's option to request inclusion of 200% of the surrendered capacity in the design and construction of the interconnection with Artesian Wastewater Resources, Inc. The County has a Bulk Wastewater Services Agreement with Artesian Wastewater Resources, Inc. providing alternate transmission and treatment under the project covered by Docket #2020-P-W-0026. Therefore, Sussex County supports the application of Artesian Wastewater Resources, Inc.