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Mr. Andrew C. Watcher, Utilities Bureau Chief Carroll County Bureau of Utilities 225 North Center Street, Room 218 Westminster, Maryland 21157 awatcher@carrollcountymd.gov

Re: Administrative Order on Consent – Carroll County Bureau of Utilities Docket No. CWA-03-2025-0006DN

Dear Mr. Watcher:

Attached is the executed Administrative Order for Compliance on Consent ("AOC") concerning violations of Section 301 of the Clean Water Act ("CWA"), 33 U.S.C. § 1311. The United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") Region 3 is issuing this AOC to the Carroll County Bureau of Utilities under the authority of Section 309(a) of the Clean Water Act ("CWA" or "Act"), 33 U.S.C. § 1319(a), for alleged violations at the South Carroll High School Wastewater Treatment Plant located at 1290 West Old Liberty Road, Eldersburg, Maryland 21784 (NPDES Permit No. MD0024589).

The AOC requires the Carroll County Bureau of Utilities to perform several tasks to return to compliance. These are listed in Section V. Compliance Order of the AOC.

Please note that the effective date of this AOC is today, the date of your receipt of this document. If you have any questions regarding the AOC, please contact Aaron Thomson of the NPDES Enforcement Section at (215) 814-2116 or by email at thomson.aaron@epa.gov or have your attorney contact Catherine Chong, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (215) 814-2483 or by email at chong.catherine@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Karen Melvin
Director
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Enclosure

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