

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PUBLIC NOTICE
PROPOSING THE TERMINATION OF THE
INDUSTRIAL SEWER CONNECTION PERMIT OF
LAKELAND BUS LINES**

WHEREAS, the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority (hereinafter "the Authority") is authorized by the Sewerage Authorities Law [N.J.S.A. 40:14A-7(11)] to make and enforce rules and regulations for the management and regulation of its business and affairs and/or the use, maintenance, and operation of the sewerage system and any other of its properties and to amend the same; and

WHEREAS, the Authority is a Delegated Local Agency of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and administers an industrial pretreatment program to allow for and regulate the discharge of industrial effluent via a permit program pursuant to RVRSA's "Service Rules, Regulations Concerning Industrial Users: Industrial Sewer Permits, Regulations concerning Sewer Use: Pretreatment Regulation" ("RVRSA's Rules and Regulations"); and

WHEREAS, RVRSA issued to Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., located at 425 E. Blackwell Street, Rockaway Township, an Industrial Sewer Connection Permit in accordance with RVRSA's Rules and Regulations; and

WHEREAS, after conducting an evaluation, RVRSA's consulting engineer, James C. Cosgrove, Jr, P.E., Kleinfelder, by letter dated June 25, 2021 attached hereto and made a part hereof, has determined that Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., is not subject to Categorical Pretreatment Standards under 40 CFR 403.6 and 40 CFR Chapter I, Subchapter N and recommends no longer requiring Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., to maintain an Industrial Sewer Connection Permit; and

WHEREAS, RVRSA has determined that Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., has ceased to meet

the criteria under which an individual Significant Industrial User (SIU) permit is required pursuant to the definition of Significant Indirect User under N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1.2 and criteria established at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with 40 CFR 403.8(f)(6), and N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1 et seq., RVRSA has determined that, in accordance with federal, state and local laws, an Industrial Sewer Connection Permit is not required for Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., to continue operations and discharge wastewater to the RVRSA, and as such, it is appropriate to terminate the Industrial Sewer Connection Permit of Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., and allow the continued discharge of wastewater from Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., provided the user continues to comply with RVRSA's Rules and Regulations; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with requirements promulgated at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-19.10(e), public notice is required to be published in the Daily Record and written notice to the permittee is required, and an opportunity for public comment must be provided regarding the proposed termination of the Industrial Sewer Connection Permit.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority as follows:

1. The Executive Director is hereby authorized and directed to publish notice of the proposed termination of the Industrial Sewer Connection Permit of Lakeland Bus Lines, Inc., in the Daily Record and to provide to the permittee written notice of the same.
2. This Resolution shall take effect as provided by law.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted at a meeting of the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority held on July 8, 2021.

On motion of Commissioner Farrell

Second by Commissioner Corbett


And a Roll Call Vote as Follows:

Yeas: (9) Andes, Cegelka, Corbett, Farrell, Guadagno, Howarth, Isselin, Schorno, Zuppa

Nays: (0)

Abstain: (0)

Absent: (1) Recchia


Michael Guadagno
Board Secretary