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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary Pa. Public Utility Commission P.O. Box 3265 Harrisburg PA 17105-3265

Re: Application of Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. pursuant to Sections 507, 1102, and 1329 of the Public Utility Code for, inter alia, approval of the acquisition of the wastewater system assets of the Delaware County Regional Water Quality Control Authority, Docket No. A-2019-3015173

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed for filing please find the Notice of Withdrawal of Protest of Edgmont Township in the above-referenced proceeding.

This document is being served on the Administrative Law Judge, the Office of Special Assistants, and all parties of record. The document was filed electronically with the Commission on this date

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

cc: F. Joseph Brady, Administrative Law Judge

Office of Special Assistants

All parties of record

BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Application of Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. pursuant to Sections 507, 1102 and 1329 of the Public Utility Code for, inter alia, approval of the acquisition of the wastewater system assets of

the Delaware County Regional Water Quality

Control Authority

Docket No. A-2019-3015173

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF PROTEST OF EDGMONT TOWNSHIP

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 5.94(b), Edgmont Township ("Edgmont") hereby withdraws its Protest in this proceeding. Edgmont is withdrawing its Protest because it has entered into a Joint Stipulation with Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. ("Aqua") and Delaware County Regional Water Quality Control Authority ("DELCORA") ("Joint Stipulation"), a copy of which is attached hereto as Appendix A. The Joint Stipulation and the amendment to the Edgmont-DELCORA service agreement referred to therein satisfy Edgmont's concerns with Aqua's proposed acquisition of DELCORA's assets. As explained in the Joint Stipulation, Edgmont has consented to the assignment of its amended service agreement from DELCORA to Aqua.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX A

BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Application of Aqua Pennsylvania

Wastewater, Inc. pursuant to Sections 1102,

1329 and 507 of the Public Utility Code for

Wastewater system assets of the Delaware

County Regional Water Quality Control

Authority

Docket No. A-2019-3015173

JOINT STIPULATION OF AQUA PENNSYLVANIA WASTEWATER, INC.,

JOINT STIPULATION OF AQUA PENNSYLVANIA WASTEWATER, INC., EDGMONT TOWNSHIP, AND DELAWARE COUNTY REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL AUTHORITY

Aqua Pennsylvania Wastewater, Inc. ("Aqua"), Edgmont Township ("Edgmont"), and Delaware County Regional Water Quality Control Authority ("DELCORA"), (collectively "the Stipulating Parties"), pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 5.234, enter into a Joint Stipulation to resolve their differences with regard to the above-captioned Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("Commission") proceeding ("Application Proceeding"). The Parties Stipulate and Agree as follows.

STIPULATION TERMS

- 1. Edgmont has protested the above-captioned Application Proceeding, presented testimony, and litigated certain contractual issues relating to the proposed acquisition of DELCORA's system assets by Aqua ("Proposed Transaction"). This Joint Stipulation between and among the Stipulating Parties resolves all issues associated with Edgmont's Protest of the Application Proceeding.
- 2. Pursuant to an existing agreement, Application Exhibit F81, DELCORA provides retail wastewater service to customers in the Crum Creek Sewer District of Edgmont ("Service Agreement"). The Service Agreement provides that DELCORA cannot assign the Service

Agreement without Edgmont's consent, and it also provides Edgmont with a right of first refusal to acquire DELCORA's collection system in the Crum Creek Sewer District of Edgmont.

- 3. The Stipulating Parties agree as follows:
- A. Edgmont and DELCORA have amended the Service Agreement and, as part of that amendment, Edgmont has consented to the assignment of the amended Service Agreement by DELCORA to Aqua at the time of closing the Proposed Transaction; and Edgmont has agreed not to exercise its right to acquire DELCORA's collection system in Edgmont.
 - B. Edgmont will withdraw its Protest to the Application.
- C. No later than 30 days prior to closing of the Proposed Transaction, Aqua will file the Service Agreement as amended with the Commission pursuant to 66 Pa. C.S. § 507.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of foregoing document upon the following parties by electronic mail. Service by first-class mail will be provided to any party that requests such service.

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