Wastewater Collections and Treatment Systems Ordinance Revisions

February 25, 2025

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Chapter 3-8 - Water and Sewer Article V

- The County Ordinance was last updated 2001.
- This is being done to comply with any updated or new applicable State laws or Federal regulations in accordance with:
    - The Clean Water Act (33 United States Code 1251 seq)
    - Florida Administrative Code (Chapter 62)
    - Code of Federal Regulations (40 CFR)

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Revisions to Article V

by Division

- ## Division 1
  - Updated Definitions.
  - Added new section concerning Infiltration / Inflow. (I & I)
- ## Division 2
  - Added Title (no previous division 2).
  - Updated Sec. 3-8-123 to include Dental Office Point Source Category.
  - Raised Maximum Concentration limits, since monitoring reports will be more frequent.
    - CBOD 200 to 250 mg/L
    - COD 400 to 450 mg/L
    - TSS 250 to 300 mg/L
    - Chlorides 300 to 400 mg/L
- ## Division 4
  - Changed permit renewal from one year to not to exceed five years.

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Revisions to Article V

by Division

- Division 5
  - Changed Rates, Fees, and Fines to be addressed by a resolution.
- Division 6
  - Updated Section 3-8-150 to comply with FAC 62-625.
  - Added monitoring requirements and monitoring reports to industrial users.
  - Industrial users' requirement to notify Charlotte County Utilities and Florida Department of Environmental Protection of hazardous waste discharge to CCU facilities.
- Division 7 & 8 Combined

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Revisions to Article V

Entire Article

- Entire Article V
  - Deleted obsolete information.
    - Removed maximum concentration limit specific to each facility.
    - Removed section concerning search warrants.
    - Removed enforcement section.
  - Clarified and consolidated sections.
    - Moved all definitions into Division 1.

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Questions?