Notice of Public Meeting

Proposed Water Treatment Residuals Management Process for the Washington Aqueduct, Washington D.C.

Presentation of Alternatives
to be Evaluated in the
Draft Environmental Impact Statement

May 26, 2004

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Sibley Memorial Hospital Ernst Auditorium 5255 Loughboro Road, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20016

The Washington Aqueduct produces drinking water for over one million citizens living, working or visiting in the District of Columbia, Arlington County, Virginia and the City of Falls Church, Virginia. Washington Aqueduct must significantly reduce or eliminate its practice of returning water treatment residuals to the Potomac River to comply with a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit recently issued by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 3. These residuals are river sediment and particulate matter that are removed from the water by using a coagulant.

Alternatives to be evaluated in detail include processing the residuals on the property of the Dalecarlia Treatment Plant and trucking them to an offsite disposal location, disposing of the residuals in a monofill on the Dalecarlia Reservoir property, or constructing a pipeline through which the residuals would go to the Blue Plains Wastewater Treatment Plant in the District of Columbia.

Directions: http://washingtonaqueduct.nab.usace.army.mil/aqueduct.htm

Questions:

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