

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AND PUBLIC WORKS

Jim Gray Mayor Richard Moloney Acting Commissioner

To:

Mayor Jim Gray

Urban County Council

From:

Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director

Division of Water Quality

Date:

September 10, 2012

Re:

Ordinance revisions to incorporate the Federal Pretreatment Streamlining Rule

Budget Impact: \$0

The purpose of this memorandum is to request approval of ordinance revisions to incorporate the Federal Pretreatment Streamlining Rule, which was signed by the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on September 27, 2005, and published on October 14, 2005, in the Federal Register. The Kentucky Division of Water adopted the changes in November of 2008 and is now requiring the changes in local sewer use ordinances.

The Pretreatment Streamlining Rule was designed by the US EPA to reduce the burden on local control authorities and industries. The proposed changes have been conditionally approved by the Kentucky Division of Water for adoption into Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government's local ordinance.