

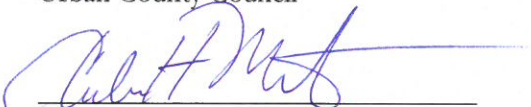
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TO: Mayor Jim Gray  
Urban County Council

FROM :   
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Division of Water Quality

DATE: August 9, 2016

SUBJECT: Amending Code of Ordinance Section 16-43(7) to Reflect New Sanitary Sewer Local Limit Standards as Approved by the Kentucky Division of Water

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### **Request**

The Division of Water Quality is requesting approval to amend Code of Ordinance Section 16-43(7) regarding the untreated discharge of specific pollutants to LFUCG's sanitary sewer system. These amendments are a result of a formal action taken by the Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet on July 11, 2016.

### **Purpose of Request**

The Clean Water Act requires National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit holders such as LFUCG to promulgate and enforce an approved sanitary sewer pre-treatment program. This includes a requirement to establish and periodically re-evaluate local limits for the discharge of pollutants to the permittee's sewer collection system. This request is to amend the current ordinance containing the previously established local limits with new limits contained in the July 11, 2016 Final Approval letter issued by the Cabinet. Public comment and participation in the development of the new limits was facilitated by the Cabinet.

### **What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?**

These revised local limits impose no increase in cost for LFUCG.

### **Are the funds budgeted?**

NA

**Director/Commissioner:** Martin/Hoskins-Squier

