



January 29, 2025

Diana L. Quast Master Municipal Clerk
Town of Yorktown
363 Underhill Avenue
Yorktown Heights, New York 10598

Re: **Local Law Amendment to Chapter 280 "Water"**
Town of Yorktown; Westchester County
DEP Log #: 2025-MUL-0004-SQ.1

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Dear Ms. Quast and Members of the Town Board:

The New York City Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) has reviewed the Town of Yorktown Town Board's (Board) Notice of Intent to act as Lead Agency. DEP does not object to the Board acting as Lead Agency for the Coordinated Review of the proposed action pursuant to the New York State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA).

The proposed action involves a change to Chapter 280 of the Code of the Town of Yorktown entitled "Water" to introduce requirements for annual water meter testing for residential and commercial property owners where failure to comply will result in surcharges added to their water bill. Additionally, the new law would establish new water rates based on consumption.

DEP does not maintain any discretionary regulatory authority over the proposed activity. As such, DEP is considered an interested agency pursuant to SEQRA and offers no comments on the action.

Thank you for the opportunity to review. You may reach the undersigned at cgarcia@dep.nyc.gov or (914) 749-5302 with any questions or if you care to discuss the matter further.

Sincerely,

Cynthia Garcia, Supervisor
SEQRA Coordination Section

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