



STATE OF TENNESSEE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION
DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

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April 18, 2024

Mr. Tom Hensley
Assistant Utilities Director
City of Kingsport
620 W. Industry Drive
Kingsport, TN 37660

Re: Protection Criteria and Local Limits Final Approval
Kingsport Pretreatment Program
NPDES Permit No. TN0020095
Sullivan County

SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL TO: TomHensley@kingsporttn.gov

Dear Mr. Hensley,

The Division of Water Resources would like to thank Mr. Byron Ross for his submittal, received on March 28, 2024, of the required documentation by Kingsport for modifications to the Local Limits and Protection Criteria. The proposed changes are considered a non-substantial modification in accordance with Tennessee Rule 0400-40-14-.18 and public notification is not required. The Division grants final approval for the limits. Should Kingsport, at any time in the future, begin experiencing problems at the wastewater treatment plant, these limits should be re-evaluated.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at Samantha O'Neil at 615-961-4440 or Samantha.Oneil@tn.gov.

Sincerely,

Samantha O'Neil
State Pretreatment Coordinator

e-copy: Ms. Bri Begley —DWR, Johnson City EFO
Mr. Byron Ross – MMS
Mr. Eric Vermillion – City of Kingsport