Appendix A. Excerpts from Monroe County Pure Waters Sewer Use Law

Article I

Short Title and Statement of Purpose

Section 2 Purposes: The purposes of this law are as follows:

1.21   To control and provide for the regulation of discharges into the sanitary, storm, and/or combined sewers of the County Sewer System and collection sewer systems tributary thereto.

1.22   To prohibit discharges of:
   a) excessive volumes and/or inordinate rates of flow into the County Sewer System;
   b) sewage or other wastes (including industrial) which in any way may create a poisonous, hazardous, explosive, flammable or toxic condition injurious to sewer maintenance or operational personnel, or create operating or maintenance difficulties in the County Sewer System as it now exists or may be constructed, modified or improved in the future.

Section 4.1 Exclusion of Unpolluted Waters: No person shall discharge or provide a connection for discharging or draining into any County Sewer System or public sanitary sewer tributary thereto any storm water, surface water, ground water, roof runoff, subsurface drainage, uncontaminated cooling water or unpolluted industrial process water, nor drain any catch basin, lake, swamp, pond or swimming pool, except with the permission of the Director pursuant to a properly issued permit or if such connection or drainage is into a designated “combined sewer” or storm sewer.