COVID-19 Notice

Water & Sewer Department Operation Updates

All residents must be able to continue the CDC recommended frequent hand washing in an effort to stay healthy, therefore the West Deptford Township Water and Sewer Department will suspend service disconnections for reason of nonpayment until further notice. For more information on staying healthy, please consult the CDC’s COVID-19 prevention recommendations here: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prepare/prevention.html

Further, in-home water meter replacements have been suspended until further notice. Residents requiring a meter replacement for a Certificate of Occupancy (C.O.) will pay for the meter and provide a “final” read on the existing meter. The Water Department will notify the Construction Department that the Temporary Certificate of Occupancy can be issued. The meter will be installed at a later date, after the Township suspends COVID-19 special protocols, allowing the Construction Department’s final C.O. to proceed.

Lastly, as a reminder, flushing paper products other than toilet paper, such as “flushable” wipes or baby wipes, will damage your home sewer system and the Municipality’s sewer mains and pumps. Non-paper products in the sewer system cause sewer backups in your home, damage sewer pumps, and potentially create sewer releases to the environment.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we continue to work through this unprecedented time.