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Officials to Sign Partnering Agreement for Sutersville-Sewickley Sewage Pump Stations Project

PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA – The Sutersville-Sewickley Municipal Sewage Authority of Westmoreland County and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will hold a Project Cooperation Agreement Signing Ceremony for the Sutersville-Sewickley Sewage Pump Stations Project on Monday, September 10 at 7:30 p.m. The ceremony will take place at the Authority's regularly scheduled monthly meeting at the Sutersville Borough Building located at 320 Municipal Avenue, Sutersville, Pennsylvania 15083.

This environmental improvement project will construct a sewer system that will serve Sutersville Borough and the adjoining built-up areas of Sewickley Township including the villages of Gratztown and Lowber in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania. This project will create healthier and safer living conditions for all residents of the service areas through the elimination of raw sewage discharge into the groundwater and waters of the Commonwealth. The project consists of the construction of three pump stations – the Sutersville Pump Station, located at the intersection of First Street and Third Avenue, in Sutersville, a second pump station in Gratztown and a third pump station in Lowber.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is providing \$500,000 of Section 313 funding to support the design and construction of this project. The South Central Pennsylvania Environmental Improvement Program, often referred to as Section 313 Program, covers an 18 county area in South Central Pennsylvania providing for design and construction oversight to communities for projects involving wastewater treatment and related facilities, water supply, storage treatment and distribution facilities and surface resource protection and development.