

TOWN OF SWANSBORO

PUBLIC UTILITIES POLICY--NO. 7
SEWER EXTENSION

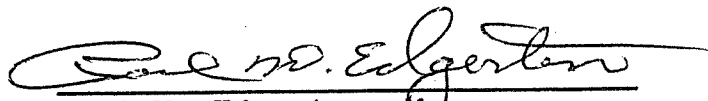
To keep consistent as much as possible with the Division of Environmental Management's (DEM) philosophy for reviewing proposed sewer system extensions, it is the Board of Commissioners desire to provide administrative guidance in meeting DEM requirements.

Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Swansboro adopt the following policy to compliment Town Ordinances.

- 1) When a sewer connection is considered a building sewer, the permit/approval may be issued by the Town of Swansboro. This will be the case regardless of whether the building is existing or proposed.
- 2) In a situation where the collection system is to be constructed to either a proposed or existing development; the permitting authority will be DEM. The system components to be included in the permit will include the pump, pump tank and electrical panel. In such a situation the permit may be applied for by either the Town of Swansboro or other responsible parties.

Based upon existing Board policy contained within the annexation ordinance where property owners are given five years from the date of availability of such pressure mains, the property owners will be responsible for installing, operating and maintaining the pump, pump tank and electrical panel. The Town of Swansboro will continue its effort to assist property owners in the management and in operation of the systems.

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS THIS 18TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1994.


Paul W. Edgerton, Mayor