

## **COUNTY OF CURRITUCK**

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April 21, 2023

Mr. Nathaniel Thornburg NC Division of Water Resources – Non-Discharge Branch Archdale Building, Rm. #942X 512 N. Salisbury Street Raleigh, NC 27604

Re: SOC S17-005 Request for Recission of SOC

Currituck County - WQ0035706

Dear Mr. Thornburg:

On behalf of Currituck County, I am writing to request that SOC S17-005 be rescinded. It is the county's understanding that recission of the SOC will thereafter require the county's compliance with parameters set forth in the county's existing permit for operation of its Moyock Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant.

To comply with its existing permit, the county has taken several steps toward remediation of your agency's concerns regarding the county's facility. Specifically, the county is ending its relationship with Envirolink, Inc., current operator of the county's facility, has entered a contract for the construction and location of a temporary mobile plant that is expected to treat effluent in compliance with permit parameters, and is entering into the procurement phase for a public-private partnership for the construction of a new Moyock Regional wastewater treatment facility.

Thank you in advance for your agency's response to the county's request.

Sincerely,

Donald I. McRee, Jr. County Manager

cc: David May, NC Division of Water Resources

Eric Weatherly, Currituck County Utilities Director

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