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CITY OF NEWARK STORMWATER UTILITY PROGRAM

POLICY: EXEMPTION OF CERTAIN PROPERTIES OR LAND USE TYPES FROM STORMWATER SERVICE CHARGES

DISCUSSION:

The general rule with regard to property type or land use type exemptions is that once the rationale for any exemption is endorsed and approved, it will lead to appeals by other property type(s) or land use type(s) for other exemptions. The argument centers on "if that exemption" is fair and equitable, then "my exemption" is fair and equitable.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Project Team recommends no exemptions from the stormwater utility service charge.

ACTION:

The Technical Advisory Committee reviewed, discussed, revised and approved this Billing Policy Paper on April 26, 2005.

Approved: Time Want

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