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Dear Resident,

In December 2013, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection issued a recommendation that Doylestown Township proceed with the Pebble Ridge/Woodridge and Vicinity Sewer System Extension Project.

On Tuesday, July 15, 2014, the Board of Supervisors directed the Bucks County Water and Sewer Authority (BCWSA) to begin the design, engineering, and the bidding process for the project. BCWSA has engaged the services of Gilmore and Associates to assist them with the survey, design, engineering, and bidding of the project. Within the next few weeks, Gilmore and Associates will begin the field survey and layout a design plan. They will be seeking information from property owners on basement elevations. This information is needed for design discharge points. In addition, Gilmore and Associates will conduct test borings to determine the level of rock in the area and will then prepare bid specifications and obtain public bids.

When the bids are received we will conduct a public meeting to review the project costs with all affected property owners. The Board of Supervisors will then consider an ordinance authorizing the installation of sewers in the Pebble Ridge/Woodridge area and vicinity.

We anticipate the survey, design, engineering and bidding process to commence shortly. In the meantime, the Township's Public Water and Sewer Advisory Committee will continue to investigate financing options for residents.

Additional information about this project may be obtained on our website at www.doylestownpa.org or by calling our office during normal business hours.

Sincerely,

Stephanie J. Mason
Township Manager

CC: Board of Supervisors
Public Water & Sewer Advisory Committee
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