Performance Annual Report Town of Taylorsville (2024-2025)

I. General Information

Facility System Name: Taylorsville Wastewater Treatment Plant & Collection System

Responsible Entity: Town of Taylorsville

67 Main Ave Dr, Taylorsville NC, 28681

Person in Charge/Contact: Aaron Wike (828)-632-2218

Applicable Permit(s): NC0026271-WWTP & WQCS00135 Collection System

Description of Collection System & Treatment Process:

The Town of Taylorsville's Collection System consists of approximately 48 miles of sewer pipe (130,315 ft gravity, 125,105 ft force main) and 28 regularly maintained pump stations. Domestic sewage flows into an 830,000 gallon per day Treatment Facility where it is properly treated for discharge into the Lower Little River. The WWTP consists of one micro-screening device for solids removal, INF pumping station for grit removal and washing units, Lime feed system for pH control, two (2) 415,000-gallon aeration basins for BOD5 and NH removal, two (2) 45-foot diameter Clarifiers for settling solids, two (2) CL2 chambers for water disinfection, and one (1) SO2 chamber to reduce CL2 levels in treated water. Also, there are four (4) aerobic digesters which treat an average of 1.2 million gallons of sludge per year for land application. Each process operated efficiently throughout this fiscal year. The Effluent has been compliant with state regulations each month.

II. Performance:

Text summary of System Performance for the fiscal year 2024-2025.

The sewer system is effectively maintained and operated at all times to prevent improper discharge to land or surface waters. A map of the sewer system has been developed and actively updated. An operation and maintenance plan has been developed and implemented. A general observation of the entire sewer system is conducted at a least once per year. Inspection and maintenance records are kept for a period of five (5) years. Also, any overflows or bypasses (SSO's) are reported to our division regional office in accordance to 15A NCAC 2B.0506(a) as well as public notification (as needed).

The Town's Sewage Collection System operated efficiently with only minor clogs that were quickly unstopped to prevent SSO's. The WWTP successfully removed over 99% of organic biological contaminants, and over 90% of the settable solids from the wastewater throughout the year, and produced a clear-clean water to introduce into the receiving stream.

Three (3) SSO was reported for the 2024-2025 fiscal year.

- (1)- Incident # 202401524 08/08/2024 1428 Paul Payne Store Rd, estimated 16,000 gallons were spilled into Glade Creek. Specific Cause: Inflow and Infiltration due to 3 inches of rain (Tropical Storm Debbie)
- (2)- Incident # 202402103 09/11/2024 393 Northwood Park Manhole #1, estimated 1,250 gallons were spilled into Muddy Fork Creek. Specific Cause: Other- Erosion in base channel of manhole allowing wastewater to escape.
- (3)- Incident # 202500019 12/28/2024 121 Wedgewood Circle, estimated 12,000 gallons were spilled into Lower Little River. Specific Cause: Other- Car Accident resulting in a broken fire hydrant and broken 8" sewer main in which all the water from the broken hydrant went into the sewer main.

All incidents of SSO's (if any) are reported to the State Division of Water Quality (DWQ) in Mooresville as regulations require, and repairs and cleanup performed also per stringent state regulations.

III. Notifications:

This report will be published in the local newspaper and the public will be advised that copies will be available at the Town Hall.

IV. Certification:

I certify under penalty of law that this report is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that this report has been made available to the users or customers of the named system, and that those users have been notified of its availability.

July 1, 2025

Aaron Wike

Public Works Director -Town of Taylorsville