

### **Energy Assessment to Be Conducted**

The Town has been notified that its request for an energy assessment of the West Windsor Wastewater Treatment System has been approved by the New York State Rural Water Association. This assessment will be provided free of charge thanks to funding provided by the United States Department of Agriculture. The main goal of the assessment is to determine if there are operational and/or equipment changes that will result in less energy consumption, and therefore cost savings for the system.

### **Cost of Electricity Supply Monitored**

The supply charge for electricity for the system is monitored bi-monthly. In 2015, another supplier wanted to provide electricity. When that supplier's offer was analyzed, it would have cost over \$2,000 more to have changed from the utility company, NYSEG, to that supplier. A change in supplier will only be made if there is a cost savings for the system.

### **Payment of Sewer Rents**

The December 1<sup>st</sup> bill must be paid no later than January 6, 2017 (post marks accepted) in order to avoid a penalty.

The 2017 budget was approved by the Town Board. Quarterly sewer rates for 2017 will remain the same as 2016.

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| 2017 Quarterly Fee (Occupied)          | \$218.00 Per EDU |
| 2017 Quarterly Fee (Vacant)            | 138.30 Per EDU   |
| 2017 Quarterly Fee (Government/School) | 212.64 Per EDU   |

November 30, 2016