



Association of Environmental Authorities of New Jersey

Wednesday, April 1, 2020

DC Issues Domestic Travel Advisory for New York, New Jersey and Connecticut

Due to extensive community transmission of COVID -19 in the area, [CDC urges residents](#) of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut to refrain from non-essential domestic travel for 14 days effective immediately.

This Domestic Travel Advisory does not apply to employees of critical infrastructure industries, including but not limited to trucking, public health professionals, financial services, and food supply. These employees of critical infrastructure, as [defined by the Department of Homeland Security](#), have a special responsibility to maintain normal work schedules.

The Governors of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut will have full discretion to implement this Domestic Travel Advisory.

AEA to Hold Check-in Zoom Meeting, Thursday, April 2 at 9 a.m.



AEA has scheduled a brief Zoom meeting for Thursday, April 2 at 9 a.m. (Note: new start time.) The purpose will be to provide a forum to share information and strategies relating to the COVID-19 emergency.

AEA membership is not required. Anyone working in a New Jersey water, wastewater, solid waste authority, municipal utility, or water/sewer department is welcome to participate.

For more information, please email Karen Burris at karen@aeanj.org. AEA members will be sent the meeting information (ID and PW) directly. More about AEA: www.aeanj.org

NJ Governor, Senate President and

Assembly Speaker Agree on Postponed Deadlines



Governor Phil Murphy, Senate President Steve Sweeney and Assembly Speaker Craig Coughlin today issued a joint statement pushing back various deadlines. The state income and corporation business tax filing deadlines are postponed until July 15, 2020. The State fiscal year will be extended until Sept. 30, 2020

Key Guidance on Employment-Related Matters

Attorney John Napolitano has provided AEA members with a memo offering guidelines on employment related matters.

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide answers and guidance to frequently asked questions raised by public sector municipal employers when dealing with issues related to the COVID-19 outbreak.

[View the entire memo and its important information here](#)

More Vital Information re: Coronavirus

The DEP Emergency Operations Center has forwarded these links. Please share them with all appropriate personnel:

CDC - Water Transmission & COVID-19

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/water.html>

OSHA - COVID-19 Control & Prevention - Wastewater

<https://www.osha.gov/SLTC/covid-19/controlprevention.html#solidwaste>

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- The 'water literacy' lessons cities can learn from Cape Town

- o EPA inches Toward PFAS Drinking Water Regulation
- o US considers more water recycling _ including from oilfields
- o Lawsuit filed in DC seeks money for testing, treatment for controversial chemicals contaminating water
- o Gov Murphy budget includes \$80M for drinking water

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