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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TO START LAKE LOWERING ACTIVITIES ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2019

PEMBERTON TOWNSHIP, OCTOBER 29, 2019: At the direction of Mayor David Patriarca, the Township's Department of Public Works applied for, and has received Lake Lowering Permits for the following lakes from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection:

1.	Big Pine Lake	(Permit #19-116)
2.	Colony Lake	(Permit #19-117)
3.	Little Pine Lake	(Permit #19-118)
4.	Long lake	(Permit #19-119)
5.	Mirror Lake	(Permit #19-120)
6.	Spring Lake	(Permit #19-121)
7.	Washington Lake	(Permit #19-122)

The Department of Public Works will begin lake lowering activities on Monday, November 4, 2019. Weir Gates or Sluice Gates located on the respective dams will be incrementally opened over the course of the next two weeks. Lake surface waters will be released to a depth of not more than 4 feet in each lake, and will remain lowered from November 15, 2019 to December 31, 2019, at which time refilling of the lakes will begin. The purpose of lowering the lakes is for vegetation and weed control within our lake systems.