

RESOLUTION NO. 596

WHEREAS, the regulation of sewage discharges presently is the joint responsibility of the State Department of Health and the State Water Control Board; and

WHEREAS, one of the most important reasons for insuring the adequacy of sewerage systems and sewage treatment works is the protection of the public health; and

WHEREAS, this present division of responsibility between these two agencies has provided a desirable relationship of checks and balances which has served the State and the City of Alexandria well; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill #79 proposes to place the sole responsibility for the regulation of sewage discharges under the State Water Control Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Alexandria hereby expresses its opposition to Senate Bill #79 and requests the City's delegation to the General Assembly to oppose this legislation.

Adopted January 24, 1978

Mrs. Helen Holleman, Clerk of the
City of Alexandria, Virginia