



Tidewater Utilities, Inc. Celebrates 10th Year Partnering with Local Non-Profit Organizations Through its Charity Outing

Dover, DE July 21, 2017 -Tidewater Utilities, Inc. (Tidewater) is proud to announce its 10th anniversary as sponsor of its annual charity golf outing. Tidewater started its annual outing in 2008 as a way of partnering with local non-profit organizations and families and to help give back to the community. With the support and generosity of participants and other sponsors, Tidewater's charity outings have raised over \$123,000 for several Delaware charities.

"We value the relationships we have made with organizations that have served as beneficiaries of our outings for the past decade," said Jerry Esposito, President, Tidewater Utilities. "Tidewater hosted an anniversary reception to celebrate that continuing partnership on July 13th at the Delaware Center for the Inland Bays in Rehoboth Beach, DE. The Delaware Center for the Inland Bays has been selected as the beneficiary for Tidewater's 2017 Charity Outing. "The Center will use the funds raised by the tournament to enhance and expand their Oyster Gardening and Oyster Shell Recycling (Don't Chuck Your Shucks') programs, which seek to restore wild oyster populations to Delaware's Inland Bays. Anyone interested in participating in this year's tournament scheduled for August 14th at Heritage Shores Golf Course in Bridgeville, DE can contact Joe Cuccinello at (302) 747-1308 or email jcuccinello@tuiwater.com

Proceeds from Tidewater outings have benefitted the following organizations: Children & Families First, Delaware Technical Community College, Kylee McKenzie Gill Scholarship, Can-Do Playground at Milford, Delaware Wild Lands, MERR, YWCA Delaware, Friends of Delaware Veterans Trust, Delaware Commission of Veterans Affairs, The Delaware Veterans Home, Sussex County Habitat for Humanity, Ronald McDonald House of Delaware, and Autism Delaware.

Tidewater, a subsidiary of Middlesex Water Company (NASDAQ:MSEX), was established in 1964 and provides a wide range of water and wastewater services including consulting, contract operations and maintenance, and bulk water supply. For more information about Tidewater, visit www.tuiwater.com or call 302-734-7500.

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