## DERRY TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY (HERSHEY, PA) WASTE & ENERGY RECOVERY ENHANCEMENTS AT THE CLEARWATER WWTF

## **OPERATIONS & ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE AWARD**

The Future is... Efficient - Committing to "Net Zero Energy"

- Project Goals & Objectives
  - Self-sustainable WWTF operations by utilizing on-site beneficial renewable energy
  - Decrease dependency on the energy marketplace
  - Generate operational cost savings to the benefit its ratepayers
- Project Outcome
  - New Combined Heat and Power (CHP) Building with two (2)
     1,000-kW CHP systems
  - CHPs fueled by biogas generated from Co-Digestion of High Strength Organic Waste (HSOW) with municipal sludges
  - Improved biogas storage, conveyance, and conditioning capacity
  - Electric Utility Interconnection and Net Metering
  - Expand plant-wide building heat recovery system and controls
- Performance Measures
  - Annual electricity, NG, fuel oil savings \$400k ("Net Zero")
  - Estimated annual REC sales \$200k
  - Additional annual HSOW Acceptance Revenue \$180k

