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Quick Wash® phosphorus extraction and recovery system accepted into the Water Environment & Reuse Foundation's (WE&RF) LIFT technology scan program

Pinehurst, NC, USA – March 1, 2017 – Renewable Nutrients, a firm focused on nutrient extraction, recovery, and reuse, today announced that its Quick Wash® technology has been evaluated and accepted into the water and wastewater industries' premier research platform for bringing new, innovative water technologies to the field. The Water Environment & Reuse Foundation (WE&RF) formally notified Renewable Nutrients that it has accepted Quick Wash into its Leaders Innovation Forum for Technology (LIFT) program, where researchers, and facility and industry end-users will together evaluate and help to advance the technology for adoption throughout the wastewater sector.

"This is a significant achievement and milestone not only for our company, but for the development and deployment of Quick Wash as a known and recognized industry practice for the extraction and recovery of phosphorus from the solid and side streams of wastewater treatment facilities," said Jeff Dawson, Renewable Nutrients' Chief Executive Officer. "We very much look forward to working with WE&RF and advancing our technology through the LIFT program," he added.

About Renewable Nutrients (www.RenewableNutrients.com)

Renewable Nutrients is a private, North Carolina-based company that turns waste into sustainable and profitable resources. Through its patented Quick Wash® system, Renewable Nutrients enables waste treatment facilities and animal feeding operations to extract and recover phosphorus from biosolids and manure. The remaining biosolids or manure, which contain crop-friendly ratios of nitrogen-to-phosphorus, can be land-applied, thus minimizing the amount of waste trucked to disposal sites, and reducing or even eliminating the incidence of nutrient pollution from soil runoff. In addition, municipalities and farms can sell the recovered phosphorus on the open market, and engage in the trading or marketing of nutrient credits.

About WE&RF (www.WERF.org)

The Water Environment & Reuse Foundation (WE&RF) is a 501c3 charitable corporation seeking to identify, support, and disseminate research that enhances the quality and reliability of water for natural

systems and communities with an integrated approach to resource recovery and reuse; while facilitating interaction among practitioners, educators, researchers, decision makers, and the public.

About LIFT

The Leaders Innovation Forum for Technology (LIFT) is a multi-pronged initiative undertaken by the Water Environment & Reuse Foundation (WE&RF) and the Water Environment Federation (WEF to help bring new water technology to the field quickly and efficiently.

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