

UIC PERMIT

issued to

JMH Associates, LLC
141 Durham Road
Oak Park Suite 17
P.O. Box 941
Madison, CT 06443

Location Address:
215 East Main Street
Clinton, CT 06413

Permit ID: UI0000040

Permit Expires:

Watershed: South Central Shoreline

Basin Code: 5000

SECTION 1: GENERAL PROVISIONS

- (A) This permit is issued in accordance with section 1421 of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act 42 USC 300h et. seq. and section 22a-430 (e) for issuance of permits under an order of Chapter 446k, Connecticut General Statutes ("CGS"), and Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies ("RCSA") adopted thereunder, as amended.
- (B) JMH Associates, LLC ("Permittee"), shall comply with all conditions of this permit including the following sections of the RCSA which have been adopted pursuant to section 22a-430 of the CGS and are hereby incorporated into this permit. Your attention is especially drawn to the notification requirements of subsection (i)(2), (i)(3), (j)(1), (j)(6), (j)(8), (j)(9)(C), (j)(11)(C), (D), (E), and (F), (k)(3) and (4) and (l)(2) of section 22a-430-3.

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- (C) Violations of any of the terms, conditions, or limitations contained in this permit may subject the Permittee to enforcement action, including but not limited to, seeking penalties, injunctions and/or forfeitures pursuant to applicable sections of the CGS and RCSA.
- (D) Any false statement in any information submitted pursuant to this permit may be punishable as a criminal offense under section 22a-438 or 22a-131a of the CGS or in accordance with section 22a-6, under section 53a-157 of the CGS.
- (E) The Permittee shall comply with Section 22a-416-1 through Section 22a-416-10 of the RCSA concerning operator certification.
- (F) No provision of this permit and no action or inaction by the Commissioner of Energy & Environmental Protection (“Commissioner”) shall be construed to constitute an assurance by the Commissioner that the actions taken by the Permittee pursuant to this permit will result in compliance or prevent or abate pollution.
- (G) The authorization to discharge under this permit may not be transferred without prior written approval of the Commissioner. To request such approval, the Permittee and proposed transferee shall register such proposed transfer with the Commissioner, at least 30 days prior to the transferee becoming legally responsible for creating or maintaining any discharge which is the subject of the permit transfer. Failure, by the transferee, to obtain the Commissioner's approval prior to commencing such discharge(s) may subject the transferee to enforcement action for discharging without a permit pursuant to applicable sections of the CGS and RCSA.
- (H) Nothing in this permit shall relieve the Permittee of other obligations under applicable federal, state and local law.
- (I) An annual fee shall be paid for each year this permit is in effect as set forth in section 22a-430-7 of the RCSA.

- (J) This permitted discharge is consistent with the applicable goals and policies of the Connecticut Coastal Management Act (section 22a-92 of the CGS).

SECTION 2: DEFINITIONS

- (A) The definitions of the terms used in this permit shall be the same as the definitions contained in section 22a-423 of the CGS and section 22a-430-3(a) and 22a-430-6 of the RCSA.

- (B) In addition to the above the following definitions shall apply to this permit:

"Annual" in the context of a sampling frequency, shall mean the sample must be taken in the month of February.

"Maximum Concentration" in the context of this permit is defined as the maximum concentration at any time as determined by a grab sample.

"Quarterly", in the context of a sampling frequency, shall mean sampling is required in the months of February, May, August, and November.

"3 times per year", in the context of a maintenance frequency, shall mean the maintenance must be performed at least 3 times during the period of May to November.

"Twice per month" when used as a sample frequency shall mean two samples per calendar month collected no less than 12 days apart.

"Twelve Month Rolling Average" in the context of this permit is defined as the average of the current month's samples (the current month average) averaged with the average from the previous eleven months.

SECTION 3: COMMISSIONER'S DECISION

- (A) The Commissioner has made a final determination and found that modification of the existing system or installation of a new treatment unit will protect the waters of the state from pollution. The Commissioner's decision is based on **Application No. 201205084** for permit reissuance and modification received on June 8, 2012 and the administrative record established in the processing of that application.
- (B) The Commissioner hereby authorizes the Permittee to discharge a maximum flow of 12,478 gallons per day of domestic sewage in accordance with the provisions of this permit, the above referenced application, and all approvals issued by the Commissioner or the Commissioner's authorized agent for the discharges and/or activities authorized by, or associated with, this permit.
- (C) The Commissioner reserves the right to make appropriate revisions to the permit in order to establish any appropriate effluent limitations, schedules of compliance, or other provisions which may be authorized under the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act or the Connecticut General Statutes or regulations adopted thereunder, as amended. The permit as modified or renewed under this paragraph may also contain any other requirements of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act or Connecticut General Statutes or regulations adopted thereunder which are then applicable.

SECTION 4: EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

- (A) The use of any sewage system additive as defined in section 22a-460(g) of the CGS is prohibited unless such additive complies with section 22a-461 of the CGS. The Commissioner in no way certifies the safety or effectiveness of any sewage system additive.

- (B) Oils, greases, industrial or commercial wastes, toxic chemicals, wastes from water treatment systems, or other substances, that will adversely affect the operation of the subsurface sewage treatment and disposal system, or, which may pollute ground or surface water, shall not be discharged to the subsurface sewage treatment and disposal system.
- (C) The Permittee shall assure that groundwater affected by the subject discharge shall conform to the Connecticut Water Quality Standards.
- (D) This permit becomes effective on the date of signature.
- (E) The Permittee shall operate and maintain all processes as installed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications. This includes but is not limited to all recycle pumping systems, aeration equipment, aeration tank, mixing equipment, anoxic tanks, chemical feed systems, effluent filters, disinfection systems or any other process equipment necessary for the optimal removal of pollutants. The Permittee shall not bypass or fail to operate any of the approved equipment or processes without the written approval of the Commissioner.
- (F) The discharges shall not exceed and shall otherwise conform to specific terms and conditions listed in this permit. The discharges are restricted by, and shall be monitored in accordance with the Tables A through C, which are incorporated into this permit as Attachment 1.
- (G) The pH of the discharge shall not be less than 6.0 nor greater than 9.0 Standard Units at any time and shall be monitored on a weekly basis. The Permittee shall report pH values, specifically maximum and minimum, for each day of sample collection and the pH range for each month. The pH range for each month is defined as the highest and lowest single pH reading during all operating days of the month including periods when sampling is not performed.
- (H) The Permittee shall maintain at the facility a record of the total flow for each day of discharge and shall report on the discharge monitoring report the total flow and number of hours of discharge for the day of sample collection and the average daily flow for each sampling month.
- (I) All samples shall be comprised of only those wastewaters described in this schedule; therefore, samples shall be taken prior to combination with wastewaters of any other type and after all approved treatment units, if applicable. All samples taken shall be representative of the discharge during standard operating conditions.
- (J) In cases where limits and sample type are specified but sampling is not required, the limits specified shall apply to all samples which may be collected and analyzed by the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection personnel, the Permittee, or other parties.
- (K) The Permittee shall ensure that the wastewater treatment facility is operated by a person with a valid and effective certification in the State of Connecticut, at a minimum, as a facility Class III operator pursuant to C.G.S. 22a-416(d) and the regulations adopted thereunder. The Permittee shall ensure that the wastewater treatment facility is operated by such an operator with such qualifications throughout the entire life of the wastewater treatment facility.
- (L) The Permittee shall monitor, inspect and maintain the treatment facilities in accordance with Table D through H, which is incorporated into this permit as Attachment 2.
- (M) The Permittee shall perform ground water monitoring in accordance with Table I, which is incorporated into this permit as Attachment 3.

- (N) The monitoring and sampling required within this permit is a minimum for reporting purposes only. More frequent monitoring and sampling of the treatment system may be required to operate the facility to obtain acceptable results for the parameters being monitored as required by the Operation and Maintenance Manual approved by the Commissioner.

SECTION 5: SAMPLE COLLECTION, HANDLING AND ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUES AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- (A) Chemical analyses to determine compliance with effluent limits and conditions established in this permit shall be performed using the methods approved by the Environmental Protection Agency pursuant to 40 CFR 136 unless an alternative method has been approved in writing in accordance with 40 CFR 136.4 or as provided in section 22a-430-3(j)(7) of the RCSA. Chemicals which do not have methods of analysis defined in 40 CFR 136 shall be analyzed in accordance with methods specified in this permit.
- (B) If any sample analysis indicates that an effluent limitation specified in Section 4 of this permit has been exceeded, a second sample of the effluent shall be collected and analyzed for the parameter(s) in question and the results reported to the Commissioner within 30 days of the exceedance. Resampling for permit violations is in addition to routine required sampling.
- (C) The Permittee shall enter the results of chemical analysis and treatment facilities monitoring and maintenance required by Section 4 on a Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR), provided by this office and shall submit such DMR to the Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance at the address below. Except for continuous monitoring, any monitoring required more frequently than monthly shall be reported on an attachment to the DMR, and any additional monitoring conducted in accordance with 40 CFR 136 or other methods approved by the Commissioner shall also be included on the DMR, or as an attachment, if necessary. The report shall also include a detailed explanation of any violations of the limitations specified. The DMR shall be received at this address by the last day of the month following the month in which the samples are taken.

**Attn: DMR Processing
Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance
Water Permitting and Enforcement Division
79 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106-5127**

- (D) If this permit requires monitoring of a discharge on a calendar basis (e.g. Monthly, quarterly, etc.) but a discharge has not occurred within the frequency of sampling specified in the permit, the Permittee must submit the DMR as scheduled, indicating "NO DISCHARGE". For those permittees whose required monitoring is discharge dependent (e.g. per batch), the minimum reporting frequency is monthly. Therefore, if there is no discharge during a calendar month for a batch discharge, a DMR must be submitted indicating such by the end of the following month.
- (E) NetDMR Reporting Requirements
- (1) Prior to one-hundred and eighty (180) days after the issuance of this permit, the Permittee may report all chemical analysis, monitoring and maintenance data and other reports to the Department in hard copy form or electronically using NetDMR, a web-based tool that allows Permittees to electronically submit discharge monitoring reports (DMRs) and other required reports through a secure internet connection. Unless otherwise approved in writing by the Commissioner, no later than one-hundred and eighty (180) days after the issuance of this permit the Permittee shall begin reporting electronically using NetDMR. Specific requirements regarding subscription to NetDMR and submittal of data and reports in hard copy form and for submittal using NetDMR are described below:

(a) Submittal of *NetDMR Subscriber Agreement*

On or before thirty (30) days after the issuance of this permit, the Permittee and/or the person authorized to sign the Permittee's discharge monitoring reports ("Signatory Authority") as described in RCSA Section 22a-430-3(b)(2) shall contact the Department at deep.netdmr@ct.gov and initiate the NetDMR subscription process for electronic submission of Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) information. Information on NetDMR is available on the Department's website at www.ct.gov/deep/netdmr. On or before ninety (90) days after issuance of this permit the Permittee shall submit a signed and notarized copy of the *Connecticut DEEP NetDMR Subscriber Agreement* to the Department.

(b) Submittal of Reports Using NetDMR

Unless otherwise approved by the Commissioner, on or before one-hundred and eighty (180) days after issuance of this permit, the Permittee and/or the Signatory Authority shall electronically submit DMRs and reports required under this permit to the Department using NetDMR in satisfaction of the DMR submission requirement in paragraph (A) of this Section of this permit.

DMRs shall be submitted electronically to the Department no later than the last day of the month following the completed reporting period. All reports required under the permit, including any monitoring conducted more frequently than monthly or any additional monitoring conducted in accordance with 40 CFR 136, shall be submitted to the Department as an electronic attachment to the DMR in NetDMR. Once a Permittee begins submitting reports using NetDMR, it will no longer be required to submit hard copies of DMRs or other reports to the Department. The Permittee shall also electronically file any written report of non-compliance described in paragraph (A) of this Section and in the following Section of this Permit as an attachment in NetDMR. NetDMR is accessed from: <https://netdmr.epa.gov/netdmr/public/home.htm>.

(c) Submittal of NetDMR Opt-Out Requests

If the Permittee is able to demonstrate a reasonable basis, such as technical or administrative infeasibility, that precludes the use of NetDMR for electronically submitting DMRs and reports, the Commissioner may approve the submission of DMRs and other required reports in hard copy form ("opt-out request"). Opt-out requests must be submitted in writing to the Department for written approval on or before fifteen (15) days prior to the date a Permittee would be required under this permit to begin filing DMRs and other reports using NetDMR. This demonstration shall be valid for twelve (12) months from the date of the Department's approval and shall thereupon expire. At such time, DMRs and reports shall be submitted electronically to the Department using NetDMR unless the Permittee submits a renewed opt-out request and such request is approved by the Department. All opt-out requests and requests for the NetDMR subscriber form should be sent to the following address or by email at deep.netdmr@ct.gov:

**Attn: NetDMR Coordinator
Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance
Water Permitting and Enforcement Division
79 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106-5127**

(d) Non-Electronic or Hard-Copy Submission

The results of chemical analysis and treatment facilities monitoring that are not required to be submitted electronically under Section 5 shall be submitted in hard-copy form on a DMR provided by

this office. Such DMRs and other reports not required to be submitted electronically shall be reported to the Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance, at the following address. The DMR shall also include a detailed explanation of any violations of the limitations specified and corrective actions performed, and a schedule for the completion of any corrective actions remaining.

**Attn: DMR Processing
Connecticut Department of Energy & Environmental Protection
Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance
Water Permitting and Enforcement Division
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(e) Copies of all hard-copy DMRs shall be submitted concurrently to the local Health Department.

SECTION 6: COMPLIANCE SCHEDULE

- (A) On or before three (3) months after issuance of this permit the Permittee shall verify in writing to the Commissioner that the alternative treatment technology is operating in accordance with the approved plans and specifications and is achieving compliance with all permit limits and conditions. The Permittee shall obtain written concurrence from the design engineer, the technology provider and the wastewater treatment facility operator who will be responsible for the operation of the wastewater treatment facility.
- (B) On or before seven (7) days after issuance of this permit, the Permittee shall record on the land records of the Town of Clinton a document indicating the location of the zone of influence created by the subject discharge, as reflected in the application and approved plans and specifications for this permit. On or before one (1) month after issuance of this permit, the Permittee shall submit written verification to the Commissioner that the approved document indicating the location of the zone of influence created by the subject discharge as reflected in the application for this permit has been recorded on the land records in the Town of Clinton.
- (C) On or before seven (7) days after issuance of this permit, the Permittee shall record a copy thereof on the land records in the Town of Clinton. On or before one (1) month after issuance of this permit, the Permittee shall submit written verification to the Commissioner that this permit has been recorded in the land records in the Town of Clinton.
- (D) Every two years, on or before the anniversary date of the issuance of this permit, the Permittee shall submit the results of a detailed permit compliance audit to the Commissioner. Such audits shall be performed within sixty (60) days prior to the anniversary date. The compliance audits shall be performed by a qualified professional engineer licensed to practice in Connecticut with the appropriate education, experience and training which is relevant to the work required.

Each audit shall evaluate compliance with all permit terms and conditions for the preceding two-year period. The evaluation shall review all pertinent records and documents as necessary, including Discharge Monitoring Reports (DMRs); laboratory reports; operations and maintenance plans and performance logs/records; equipment specifications and maintenance schedules; engineering drawings; and spare parts inventory.

Each audit report shall include a description of all records and documents used in the evaluation, a summary of compliance with permit terms and conditions, and detailed descriptions of all remedial actions taken or proposed to address each violation or deficiency discovery.

- (E) A copy of each audit shall be submitted to the local Health Department.

This permit is hereby issued on

Michael Sullivan
Deputy Commissioner
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection

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cc: Connecticut River Area Health District
DMR

ATTACHMENT 1

TABLE A			
Discharge Serial No. 301-2		Monitoring Location: G	
Wastewater Description: Domestic Sewage			
Monitoring Location Description: Influent to treatment system from the Stop and Shop			
Average Daily Flow: 3,000 gallons per day		Maximum Daily Flow: 4,500 gallons per day	
PARAMETER	INSTANTANEOUS MONITORING		
	Units	Sample Type	Sample Frequency
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	mg/l	Grab	Twice per month
Total Suspended Solids	mg/l	Grab	Twice per month
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/l	Grab	Twice per month
Total Phosphorus	mg/l	Grab	Twice per month
pH	SU	Grab	Twice per month
Oils & Grease	mg/l	Grab	Twice per month

TABLE B			
Discharge Serial No. 301-2		Monitoring Location: J	
Wastewater Description: Effluent Intermediate Process			
Monitoring Location Description: SBR Tank			
Average Daily Flow: 3,000 gallons per day		Maximum Daily Flow: 4,500 gallons per day	
PARAMETER	INSTANTANEOUS MONITORING		
	Units	Sample Type	Sample Frequency
Alkalinity	mg/l	Grab	Weekly
pH	SU	Grab	Weekly
Temperature	° F	Grab	Weekly

TABLE C					
Discharge Serial No. 301-2			Monitoring Location: 1		
Wastewater Description: Domestic Sewage Effluent					
Monitoring Location Description: Dosing Pump Station					
PARAMETER	FLOW/TIME BASED MONITORING				
	Units	Average Daily Flow Limit	Maximum Daily Flow Limit	Sample Type	Sample Frequency
Flow Rate (Average daily) ¹	gpd	3,000 gallons per day	4,500 gallons per day	Daily flow	Continuous
PARAMETER	INSTANTANEOUS MONITORING				
	Units	Average Monthly Limit	Maximum Concentration	Sample Type	Sample Frequency
Biochemical Oxygen Demand	mg/l	20	30	Grab	Twice per month
Total Suspended Solids	mg/l	20	30	Grab	Twice per month
Total Nitrogen	mg/l	10 ²	---	Grab	Twice per month
Ammonia	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Nitrate Nitrogen	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Nitrite Nitrogen	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Orthophosphate	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Total Phosphorus	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
pH	SU	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Methanol	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Alkalinity	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
Oils & Grease	mg/l	---	---	Grab	Twice per month
FOOTNOTES:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> For this parameter, the Permittee shall maintain at the facility a record of the total flow for each day of discharge and shall report on the DMR the Average Daily Flow and the Maximum Daily Flow for each month. Limit is based on a twelve month rolling average 					
ADDITIONAL NOTES:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> “---” in the limits column on this monitoring table means a limit is not specified, but monitoring is required and a value must be reported on the DMR. 					

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TABLE D	
Discharge Serial No. 301-2	Monitoring Location: 8
Wastewater Description: Domestic Sewage	
Monitoring Location Description: Subsurface Sewage Disposal System	
Average Daily Flow: 3,000 gallons per day	Maximum Daily Flow: 4,500 gallons per day
<u>INSPECTION, MONITORING, or MAINTENANCE</u>	<u>MINIMUM FREQUENCY</u>
Depth of sludge in septic tank	During pump-out
Pump out septic tanks	Annually
Pump out grease traps	Quarterly
Mechanical inspection of septic tanks baffles	During pump-out
Mechanical inspection of grease traps baffles	During pump-out
Mechanical inspection of septic tank effluent filters	During pump-out
Clean septic tank effluent filters	During pump-out
Mechanical inspection of pump chamber	Quarterly
Pump out equalization tank	Annually
Test run of emergency generator	Quarterly
Water meter readings of water usage	Monthly
Visual inspection of SBR unit	Monthly
Visual inspection of BioClere units	Monthly
Visual inspection of anoxic tank	Monthly
Visual inspection of final settling tank	Monthly
Mechanical inspection of alarms	Monthly
Mechanical inspection of methanol feed system	Monthly
Mechanical inspection of alkalinity feed system	Monthly
Visual inspection of distribution chambers	Quarterly
Visual inspection of surface condition of leaching fields	Quarterly
Depth of ponding in leaching fields	Quarterly
ADDITIONAL NOTES:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All inspection, monitoring and maintenance required in this table shall be reported at least annually by the end of each January as an attachment to the December DMR. 2. The Connecticut River Area Health District Sanitarian shall be notified at least one week prior to pumping of septic tanks and grease traps. Verification of all pump outs shall be attached to the monitoring report and a copy of the report shall be sent to the Connecticut River Area Health District Director of Health. 	

TABLE E	
Discharge Serial No. 302-2	Monitoring Location: 8
Wastewater Description: Domestic Sewage	
Monitoring Location Description: Subsurface Sewage Disposal System	
Average Daily Flow: 3,900 gallons per day	Maximum Daily Flow: 5,878 gallons per day
<u>INSPECTION, MONITORING, or MAINTENANCE</u>	<u>MINIMUM FREQUENCY</u>
Depth of sludge in septic tank	During pump-out
Pump out septic tank	Annually
Mechanical inspection of septic tank baffles	During pump-out
Mechanical inspection of pump station	Quarterly
Pump out pump chamber	Annually
Water meter readings of water usage	Weekly
Visual inspection of surface condition of leaching field	Quarterly
Visual inspection of the distribution box	Annually
ADDITIONAL NOTES:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All inspection, monitoring and maintenance required in this table shall be reported at least annually by the end of each January as an attachment to the December DMR. 2. The Connecticut River Area Health District Sanitarian shall be notified at least one week prior to pumping of septic tanks and grease traps. Verification of all pump outs shall be attached to the monitoring report and a copy of the report shall be sent to the Connecticut River Area Health District Director of Health. 	

TABLE F	
Discharge Serial No. 303-2	Monitoring Location: 8
Wastewater Description: Domestic Sewage	
Monitoring Location Description: Subsurface Sewage Disposal System	
Average Daily Flow: 870 gallons per day	Maximum Daily Flow: 1,300 gallons per day
<u>INSPECTION, MONITORING, or MAINTENANCE</u>	<u>MINIMUM FREQUENCY</u>
Depth of sludge in septic tank	During pump-out
Pump out septic tank	Annually
Mechanical inspection of septic tank baffles	During pump-out
Pump out grease traps	Quarterly
Mechanical inspection of pump chamber	Quarterly
Pump out pump chamber	Annually
Water meter readings of water usage	Weekly
Visual inspection of surface condition of leaching field	Quarterly
Visual inspection of the manhole	Annually
ADDITIONAL NOTES:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All inspection, monitoring and maintenance required in this table shall be reported at least annually by the end of each January as an attachment to the December DMR. 2. The Connecticut River Area Health District Sanitarian shall be notified at least one week prior to pumping of septic tanks and grease traps. Verification of all pump outs shall be attached to the monitoring report and a copy of the report shall be sent to the Connecticut River Area Health District Director of Health. 	

TABLE G	
Discharge Serial No. 304-2	Monitoring Location: 8
Wastewater Description: Domestic Sewage	
Monitoring Location Description: Subsurface Sewage Disposal System	
Average Daily Flow: 130 gallons per day	Maximum Daily Flow: 200 gallons per day
<u>INSPECTION, MONITORING, or MAINTENANCE</u>	<u>MINIMUM FREQUENCY</u>
Depth of sludge in septic tank	During pump-out
Pump out septic tank	Annually
Mechanical inspection of septic tank baffles	During pump-out
Water meter readings of water usage	Weekly
Visual inspection of surface condition of leaching field	Quarterly
Visual inspection of the manhole	Annually
ADDITIONAL NOTES:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All inspection, monitoring and maintenance required in this table shall be reported at least annually by the end of each January as an attachment to the December DMR. 2. The Connecticut River Area Health District Sanitarian shall be notified at least one week prior to pumping of septic tanks and grease traps. Verification of all pump outs shall be attached to the monitoring report and a copy of the report shall be sent to the Connecticut River Area Health District Director of Health. 	

TABLE H	
Discharge Serial No. 305-2	Monitoring Location: 8
Wastewater Description: Domestic Sewage	
Monitoring Location Description: Subsurface Sewage Disposal System	
Average Daily Flow: 400 gallons per day	Maximum Daily Flow: 600 gallons per day
<u>INSPECTION, MONITORING, or MAINTENANCE</u>	<u>MINIMUM FREQUENCY</u>
Depth of sludge in septic tank	During pump-out
Pump out septic tank	Annually
Mechanical inspection of septic tank baffles	During pump-out
Pump out grease traps	Quarterly
Mechanical inspection of pump chamber	Quarterly
Pump out pump chamber	Annually
Water meter readings of water usage	Weekly
Visual inspection of surface condition of leaching field	Quarterly
Visual inspection of the distribution box	Annually`
ADDITIONAL NOTES:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All inspection, monitoring and maintenance required in this table shall be reported at least annually by the end of each January as an attachment to the December DMR. 2. The Connecticut River Area Health District Sanitarian shall be notified at least one week prior to pumping of septic tanks and grease traps. Verification of all pump outs shall be attached to the monitoring report and a copy of the report shall be sent to the Connecticut River Area Health District Director of Health. 	

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TABLE I GROUNDWATER MONITORING			
DISCHARGE SERIAL NO. 301 A; 301 B		MONITORING LOCATION: W-downgradient;	
GROUND WATER MONITORING WELL NO: MW1 and MW2		DESCRIPTION: downgradient monitoring wells	
PARAMETER	UNITS	MINIMUM FREQUENCY OF SAMPLING	SAMPLE TYPE
Fecal Coliform	col/100ml	Quarterly	Grab
Groundwater Depth (Standard depth below grade)	Ft	Quarterly	Instantaneous
Ammonia Nitrogen	mg/l	Quarterly	Grab
Nitrate Nitrogen	mg/l	Quarterly	Grab
Nitrite Nitrogen	mg/l	Quarterly	Grab
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	mg/l	Quarterly	Grab
Total Nitrogen	mg/l	Quarterly	Grab
pH	S.U.	Quarterly	Grab
Total Dissolved Phosphorous	mg/l	Quarterly	Grab

DATA TRACKING AND TECHNICAL FACT SHEET

PERMIT #: UI0000040 APPLICATION #: 201205084

DISCHARGER NAME AND ADDRESS DATA

Permittee: JMH Associates, LLC

Mailing Address:

Location Address: Clinton Plaza

Street: 141 Durham Road, Oak Park Suite 17
PO Box 941

Street: 215 East Main Street

City: Madison ST: CT Zip: 06443

City: Clinton St. CT Zip: 06413

Contact Name: Jack M. Heflin

Contact Name:

PERMIT DURATION

5 YEAR () 10 YEAR (X) 30 YEAR ()

DISCHARGE CATEGORIZATION

POINT() NON-POINT(X) GIS # _____

NPDES() PRETREAT() GROUND WATER(UIC)(X) GROUND WATER (OTHER)()

MAJOR() SIGNIFICANT MINOR() MINOR(X)

COMPLIANCE SCHEDULE YES X NO

POLLUTION PREVENTION() TREATMENT REQUIREMENT() WATER CONSERVATION()

PERMIT STEPS () WATER QUALITY REQUIREMENT() REMEDIATION() AUDIT LANGUAGE(X)

OTHER(X)

OWNERSHIP CODE

Private(X) Federal() State() Municipal(town only)() Other public()



**NOTICE OF TENTATIVE DECISION
INTENT TO ISSUE A STATE PERMIT
AND AN UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL PERMIT
FOR THE FOLLOWING DISCHARGES INTO THE WATERS OF THE
STATE OF CONNECTICUT**

TENTATIVE DECISION

The Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection hereby gives notice of a tentative decision to issue a permit based on an application submitted by **JMH Associates, LLC** ("the applicant") under section 22a-430 of the Connecticut General Statutes for a permit to discharge into the waters of the state.

In accordance with applicable federal and state law, the Commissioner has made a tentative decision that continuance of the existing systems to treat the discharges would protect the waters of the state from pollution and the Commissioner proposes to issue a permit for the discharge to the groundwaters in the South Central Shoreline Watershed.

The proposed permit, if issued by the Commissioner, will require periodic monitoring to demonstrate that the discharge will not cause pollution.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSAL

JMH Associates, LLC presently discharges 12,478 gallons per day of wastewaters to the groundwaters in the South Central Shoreline Watershed from the operations of the Clinton Retail Shopping Plaza.

The name and mailing address of the permit applicant are: JMH Associates, LLC, 141 Durham Road, Oak Park Suite 17, P.O. Box 941, Madison, CT 06443

The activity takes place at: Clinton Plaza, 215 East Main Street, Clinton, CT 06413

REGULATORY CONDITIONS

Type of Treatment

There are four conventional subsurface sewage disposal systems consisting of septic tanks, grease traps and pump chambers followed by leaching fields, and one alternative subsurface sewage treatment and disposal system consisting of septic tanks, grease traps, BioClere units, a Sequential Batch Reactor unit, an anoxic tank, a settling tank and a pump chamber followed by two leaching beds.

COMMISSIONER'S AUTHORITY

The Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection is authorized to approve or deny such permits pursuant to section 22a-430 of the Connecticut General Statutes and the Water Discharge Permit Regulations (section 22a-430-3 and 4 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies) and section 1421 of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act 42 USC *et. seq.*

INFORMATION REQUESTS

The application has been assigned the following numbers by the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection. Please use these numbers when corresponding with this office regarding this application.

APPLICATION NO.: 201205084 PERMIT ID NO.: UI0000040

Interested persons may obtain copies of the application from: Nathan L. Jacobson & Associates, Inc., 86 Main Street, P.O. Box 337, Chester, CT 06412, Phone No.: 860-526-5416

The application is available for inspection by contacting Antoanela Daha at 860-424-3025, at the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT 06106-5127 from 8:30 - 4:30, Monday through Friday.

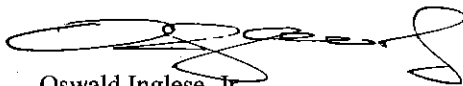
Any interested person may request in writing that his or her name be put on a mailing list to receive notice of intent to issue any permit to discharge to the surface waters of the state. Such request may be for the entire state or any geographic area of the state and shall clearly state in writing the name and mailing address of the interested person and the area for which notices are requested.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Prior to making a final decision to approve or deny any application, the Commissioner shall consider written comments on the application from interested persons that are received within 30 days of this public notice. Written comments should be directed to Antoanela Daha, Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance, Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT 06106-5127. The Commissioner may hold a public hearing prior to approving or denying an application if in the Commissioner's discretion the public interest will be best served thereby, and shall hold a hearing upon receipt of a petition signed by at least twenty-five (25) persons. Notice of any public hearing shall be published at least thirty (30) days prior to the hearing.

Petitions for a hearing should include the application number noted above and also identify a contact person to receive notifications. Petitions may also identify a person who is authorized to engage in discussions regarding the application and, if resolution is reached, withdraw the petition. Original petitions must be *mailed or delivered* to: DEEP Office of Adjudications, 79 Elm Street, 3rd floor, Hartford, CT, 06106-5127. Petitions cannot be sent by fax or email. Additional information can be found at www.ct.gov/deep/adjudications.

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Oswald Inglese, Jr.
Director
Water Permitting and Enforcement Division
Bureau of Materials Management and Compliance Assurance

Dated:

JUL 10 2015

UIC PERMIT INFORMATION

Total Wells 5

Well Type 5W11 and 5W12

PERMIT FEES

DISCHARGE CODE <u>312000a</u> REPRESENTING DSN <u>301-2</u> ANNUAL FEE	} \$1,110
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DEEP STAFF ENGINEER/ANALYST

Antoanela Daha

PERMIT TYPE

New() Reissuance() Modification() Subsection-e()

NATURE OF BUSINESS GENERATING DISCHARGE

Clinton Plaza is a retail shopping plaza.

PROCESS AND TREATMENT DESCRIPTION (by DSN)

DSN 301-2 represents the domestic sewage discharge from the Stop & Shop supermarket. The design flow for this system is 4,500 gallons per day. This is an alternative sewage treatment and subsurface disposal system consisting of septic tanks, grease traps, BioClere units, an SBR unit, an anoxic tank and a settling tank and a pump chamber followed by two leaching beds.

DSN 302-2 represents the domestic sewage discharge from several retail businesses. The design flow for this system is 5,878 gallons per day. This is a conventional on-site subsurface sewage treatment and disposal system consisting of a septic tank and a pump chamber followed by a leaching field.

DSN 303-2 represents the domestic sewage discharge from a restaurant. The design flow for this system is 1,300 gallons per day. This is a conventional on-site subsurface sewage treatment and disposal system consisting of a septic tank, a grease trap and a pump chamber followed by a leaching field.

DSN 304-2 represents the domestic sewage discharge from a dry cleaner. The design flow for this system is 200 gallons per day. This is a conventional on-site subsurface sewage treatment and disposal system consisting of a septic tank followed by a leaching field.

DSN 305-2 represents the domestic sewage discharge from a Dunkin Donuts. The design flow for this system is 600 gallons per day. This is a conventional on-site subsurface sewage treatment and disposal system consisting of septic tank, grease trap and a pump chamber followed by a leaching field.

RESOURCES USED TO DRAFT PERMIT

- Federal Effluent Limitation Guideline 40CFR
name of category
- Performance Standards
- Federal Development Document
name of category
- Treatability Manual
- Department File Information
- Connecticut Water Quality Standards
- Anti-degradation Policy
- Coastal Management Consistency Review Form
- Other - Explain

BASIS FOR LIMITATIONS, STANDARDS OR CONDITIONS

- Case by Case Determination (See Other Comments)

OTHER COMMENTS

The original UI0000040 permit was issued on July 3, 1986 for a design flow of 12,098 gallons per day. The permit was renewed in 1991 and expired in 1996. An application for renewal and modification was filed in 1997 and was subsequently withdrawn. Further investigation of the site and Stop and Shop system performance led to the filing of a new application in August of 2000. This application was amended in December of 2000 to include a BioClere treatment system with a discharge to a leaching bed. No permit or written approval was issued, but the system was installed in 2002 and subsequently experienced periods of inadequate performance. An SBR unit was later added to the system to improve its operation.

On September 3, 2010, the Department received written notification that the leaching beds serving the Stop & Shop were unable to accept and disperse the daily average flow. On April 27, 2011, the Department issued Order No. AOWRSS11 requiring that the Stop and Shop system be investigated and that remedial action be implemented to correct operational problems of the system. The Stop & Shop's pretreatment system was modified in response to the order and the June 8, 2012 permit application was also submitted. The new permit application described Stop & Shop's modified alternative sewage treatment and disposal system and all other subsurface sewage disposal systems serving the shopping plaza. On September 26, 2013 the Department issued an approval for additional remedial action to reconstruct the leaching beds serving the Stop & Shop. As built information demonstrating that the leaching beds were installed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications were received in December 2013.

The Department is in receipt of discharge monitoring reports that verify that the advanced treatment and disposal system serving the supermarket functions within the proposed permit limits.

PROJECT HISTORY

Application received on June 8, 2012
Notice of Sufficiency issued on June 20, 2012