

NPDES authorization to discharge to waters of the United States, Permit No. NM0029238

The applicant's mailing address is:

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As described in the application, the wastewater treatment plant is located eight miles north-northeast of the City of Ruidoso in Lincoln County, New Mexico. The effluent from the treatment plant is discharged into the Little Creek; thence to Eagle Creek; thence to Rio Ruidoso in Segment 20.6.4.208 of the Pecos River Basin. The discharge is located at latitude 33° 25' 22" N, longitude 105° 34' 27.5" W.

This is a renewal of a permit issued January 18, 2018, with an effective date of March 1, 2018, and an expiration date of February 28, 2023,

Changes from the previous permit are:

- A. Added influent data reporting requirements for BOD₅ and TSS on DMRs.
- B. Sanitary Sewer Overflows (SSOs), bypass and anticipated bypass events shall be electronically reported to EPA per 40 CFR 127.26(f).
- C. Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) monitoring requirements have been added.

A fact sheet is available.

Note: All data submitted by the applicant is available as part of the administrative record. Further information regarding the administrative record may be requested from the EPA contact below or viewed at the address below between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is recommended that you write or call for an appointment, so the record (s) will be available at your convenience.

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State Certification

This Notice also serves as Public Notice of the intent of the New Mexico Environment Department, Surface Water Quality Bureau to consider issuing Clean Water Act (CWA) Section 401 Certification. The purpose of such certification is to reasonably ensure that the permitted

activities will be conducted in a manner that will comply with applicable New Mexico water quality standards, including the antidegradation policy, and the statewide water quality management plan. The NPDES permit will not be issued until the certification requirements of Section 401 have been met.

If you want to comment on State Certification submit written comments within the 30-day period to:

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