NPDES authorization to discharge to waters of the United States, Permit No. NM0030279

The applicant's mailing address is:

Village of Bosque Farms Post Office Box 660 Bosque Farms, NM 87042

The permittee is authorized to discharge to receiving waters named Rio Grande, Segment 20.6.4.105 of the Rio Grande Basin, from a facility located at 1355 Desmet Road, Bosque Farms, Valencia County, New Mexico.

Under the SIC Code 4952, the discharge is from a POTW. This permit supersedes and replaces NPDES Permit No. NM0030279 issued March 22, 2018, with an effective date of May 1, 2018, and an expiration date of April 30, 2023.

Changes from the previous permit are:

- Annual PFAS monitoring has been established.
- The critical dilution has been updated.
- The WET testing effluent dilutions have been updated to reflect the new critical dilution.
- The E.coli WLA limit has been corrected to be a 30-day average limit instead of a 7-day average limit.
- The total residual chlorine limit has been corrected in the draft permit to 11 ug/L from the previous 19 ug/L.
- An ammonia limit has been established with a schedule of compliance.
- Nitrogen and phosphorous monitoring have been established.
- BOD₅ and TSS percent removal calculation frequencies have been changed to 1/month.

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.

Ms. Evelyn Rosborough U.S. Environmental Protection Agency NPDES Review Section (6WD-PN) 1201 Elm Street, Suite 500 Dallas, Texas 75270-2102 (214) 665-7515 or rosborough.evelyn@epa.gov

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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