

**NPDES authorization to discharge to waters of the United States, Permit No. NM0030112**

The applicant's mailing address is:

State of New Mexico Department of Game & Fish  
Seven Springs State Fish Hatchery  
1 Wildlife Way  
Santa Fe, NM 87507

The facility is located at 346 Forest Road 314, city of Jemez Springs, Sandoval County, NM. The locations of the two outfalls based on the flow diagram in the application package are:

Outfall 001 - Latitude 35° 55' 35.62" North, Longitude 106° 42' 13.78" West  
Outfall 002 - Latitude 35° 55' 35.42" North, Longitude 106° 42' 13.07" West

As described in the application, the facility is located at 346 Forest Road 314, city of Jemez Springs, Sandoval County, NM. Under the SIC code 0921, the facility hatches and raises Rio Grande cutthroat trout for stocking in lakes and streams with estimated production maximum of 10,200 lbs annually. Water sources are Calaveras, Cebolla, Coldwater and Seven Springs; some of the spring's waters are oxygenated before being utilized.

This is a renewal of a permit previously issued on February 22, 2019, with an effective date of April 1, 201, 2019, and an expiration date of March 21, 2024. The following are changes from the previous permit:

1. The long-term 30-day average flow of 0.77 MGD reported in the application at Outfall 001 has been used per NMIP to calculate the permit limitations.
2. Added monitoring for newly approved NMWQS to the draft permit. They must be collected and analyzed within the first year of the permit effective date. Submit the results to both EPA and NMED.

A fact sheet is available for review.

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

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State Certification:

This Notice also serves as a Public Notice of the intent of the New Mexico Environment Department and Surface Water Quality Bureau to consider issuing Clean Water Act (CWA) Section 401 Certification. Such certification reasonably ensures that the permitted activities 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 wish to comment on State Certification, please submit written comments within 30 days to:

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