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PUBLIC NOTICE

Groundwater Discharge Permit Applications Submitted to the Department for Review September 2, 2022

Dear Interested Party,

The New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Ground Water Quality Bureau (GWQB) hereby provides notice pursuant to 20.6.2.3108 NMAC that the following Groundwater Discharge Permit applications have been submitted to NMED for review. Provided the applicant has met applicable requirements, NMED will propose for approval a Discharge Permit containing limitations, monitoring requirements, and other conditions intended to protect groundwater quality for present and potential future use.

NMED will accept comments and statements of interest regarding the application and will create a facility specific mailing list for persons who wish to receive future notices. NMED is developing a Public Involvement Plan (PIP) to provide public participation opportunities and information that may be needed for the community to participate in the permitting process. The PIP will be posted online at <https://www.env.nm.gov/public-notices/> and placed at the NMED field office nearest to the proposed permitted activity. To learn more about a Discharge Permit and the permitting process or to be placed on a facility-specific mailing list, please contact the NMED Permit Contact at the telephone number or email address provided or address correspondence to the GWQB, PO Box 5469, Santa Fe, NM 87502-5469.

In the future, NMED will publish a second public notice providing a draft permit and will seek public comment on the draft. You will be able to add the comment period to your calendar simply through our Events Calendar located at <https://www.env.nm.gov/events-calendar/>.

If you are a non-English speaker, do not speak English well, or if you have a disability, you may contact the NMED Permit Contact to request assistance, an interpreter, or an auxiliary aid in order to learn more about a Discharge Permit or the permitting process, or to participate in activities associated with the permitting process. To the extent possible, NMED will arrange for requested interpretation services and accommodations or services for persons with disabilities. Telephone conversation assistance is available through Relay New Mexico at no charge for people who are deaf, hard of hearing, or have difficulty speaking on the phone, by calling 1-800-659-1779; TTY users: 1-800-659-8331; Spanish: 1-800-327-1857. Telephone interpretation assistance for persons that are a non-English speaker or do not speak English well is available at no charge when calling NMED.

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Enclosure: Groundwater Discharge Permit Applications Submitted for Review



Discharge Permit: DP-1851, USA Beef Packing

- County: Chaves | Closest City: Roswell
- Applicant: Joe Madrid, Owner, USA Beef Packing, 3845 Cedarvale Road, Roswell, NM 88201
- NMED Permit Contact: Sarah F. Schnell, Geoscientist, Sarah.Schnell@state.nm.us or acs.general@state.nm.us, 505-660-8368 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1851, USA Beef Packing: USA Beef Packing proposes to renew and modify the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 8,000 gallons per day of wastewater from the production area of a slaughter facility. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility and discharge locations are located at 3845 Cedarvale Road, approximately 6 miles southeast of Roswell, in Section 17, Township 11 South, Range 25 East, Chaves County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately eight feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 3,600 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-948, Rocket Industries, Inc.

- County: Curry | Closest City: Clovis
- Applicant: David Flowers, President, P.O. Box 229237, Glenwood, FL 32720.
- NMED Permit Contact: Avery Young, Geoscientist, Avery.Young@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-699-8564 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-948, Rocket Industries, Inc. proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 10,000 gallons per day (gpd) of grease waste, 10,000 gpd of whey, 2,000 gpd of grit waste and 2,000 gpd of septage to a treatment system and disposal offsite. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds, metals and organic compounds. The facility is located at 304 South Alphon Street and 1151 Curry Road, Clovis, in Sections 13 and 24, Township 2 North, Range 35 East, Curry County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 280 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 450 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-1778, City of Texico Wastewater Treatment Sludge Disposal Facility

- County: Curry | Closest City: Texico
- Applicant: City of Texico, P.O. Box 208, 219 Griffin Street, Texico, NM 88135.
- NMED Permit Contact: Andrew Romero, Geoscientist, AndrewC.Romero@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-660-8624 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1778, City of Texico Wastewater Treatment Sludge Disposal Facility: City of Texico proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 70,000 gallons per day (347 cubic yards) of domestic wastewater treatment facility sludge to a disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at State Line Road and Curry Road A, Texico in Section 16, Township 02 North, Range 37 East, Curry County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 350 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 200 milligrams per liter.



Discharge Permit: DP-342, GH Dairy Las Uvas

- County: Doña Ana and Luna | Closest City: Hatch
- Applicant: Gerben Hettinga, Owner, 14651 S. Grove Ave., Ontario, CA 91762-7704.
- NMED Permit Contact: Jaben Richards, Agriculture Team Leader, Jaben.Richards@state.nm.us or acs.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-660-8376 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-342, GH Dairy Las Uvas proposes to renew and modify the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 373,000 gallons per day of wastewater from the production area of a dairy facility. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility and discharge locations are located at State Rd. 26 and Doña Ana County Rd. E001, approximately 9 miles southeast of Hatch, in Sections 5, 6, and 7, Township 20 South, Range 04 West, Sections 1 and 12 Township 20 South, Range 05 West, and Section 31 Township 19 South, Range 04 West, Doña Ana and Luna Counties. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 33 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 400 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-915, Organ Wastewater Treatment Facility

- County: Doña Ana | Closest City: Organ
- Applicant: Lower Rio Grande Public Water Works Authority, PO Box 2646, Anthony, NM 88021.
- NMED Permit Contact: Gerald Knutson, Environmental Scientist, Gerald.Knutson@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-660-7189 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-915, Organ Wastewater Treatment Facility: The Lower Rio Grande Public Water Works Authority proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 31,500 gallons per day of domestic wastewater to a treatment and disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at the terminus of Padre La Rue Rd, approximately in Organ, in Section 2, Township 22 South, Range 03 East, Doña Ana County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 100 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 900 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-1936, Organ Mountain View RV Resort Wastewater Treatment Facility

- County: Doña Ana | Closest City: Las Cruces
- Applicant: Samuel Kane, President, Adobe Palms RV and Mobile Home Park, 1018 E. Amador, Las Cruces, NM 88001.
- NMED Permit Contact: Aracely Tellez, Environmental Scientist, Aracely.Tellez@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-629-8864 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1936, Organ Mountain View RV Resort Wastewater Treatment Facility: Adobe Palms RV and Mobile Home Park proposes a new discharge of up to 9,000 gallons per day of domestic wastewater to a treatment and disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located near the intersection of Baylor Canyon Road and Bataan Memorial Highway East, in Section 3, Township 22S, Range 3E, Doña Ana County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 110 feet and has a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 602 milligrams per liter.



Discharge Permit: DP-1952, Border Region Arsenic Treatment Facility

- County: Doña Ana | Closest City: Santa Teresa
- Applicant: Camino Real Regional Utility Authority, 4950 McNutt Road, Sunland Park, NM 88063.
- NMED Permit Contact: Aracely Tellez, Environmental Scientist, Aracely.Tellez@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-629-8864 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1952, Border Region Arsenic Treatment Facility: Camino Real Regional Utility Authority proposes a new Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 17,250 gallons per day of backwash water from an arsenic treatment filter media to a treatment and disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include iron. The facility is located at 1000 Binational Way, Santa Teresa, in Section 18, Township 29 South, Range 3 East, Doña Ana County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 330 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 900 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-600, Alto Lakes Water and Sanitation District

- County: Lincoln | Closest City: Alto
- Applicant: Alto Lakes Water and Sanitation District Wastewater Facility, 214 Lake Shore Drive (PO Box 750), Alto, NM 88312.
- NMED Permit Contact: Sara Arthur, Geoscientist, Sara.Arthur@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-660-7887 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-600, Alto Lakes Water and Sanitation District Wastewater Facility: Alto Lakes Water and Sanitation District proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 30,000 gallons per day of domestic wastewater to a treatment and disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at 1 Country Club Road, Alto, NM, in Sections 27, 34 and 35, Township 10 South, Range 13 East, Lincoln County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 42 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 1,130 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-270, Travel Centers of America - Gallup

- County: McKinley | Closest City: Gallup
- Applicant: TA Operating, LLC, 24601 Center Ridge Road, Westlake, OH 44145.
- NMED Permit Contact: Aracely Tellez, Environmental Scientist, Aracely.Tellez@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-629-8864 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-270: Travel Centers of America - Gallup: TA Operating, LLC proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 4,317 gallons per day of wash water/stormwater to a treatment and disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include organic compounds and metals. The facility is located at 3404 US Highway 66, Gallup, in Section 27, Township 15 North, Range 19 West, McKinley County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 40 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 500 milligrams per liter.



Discharge Permit: DP-398, Eileen Acres Service Corporation

- County: Otero | Closest City: Alamogordo
- Applicant: Eileen Acres Service Corporation, P.O. Box 100, Alto, NM 88310.
- NMED Permit Contact: Avery Young, Geoscientist, Avery.Young@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-699-8564 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-398, Eileen Acres Service Corporation proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 41,310 gallons per day of domestic wastewater to a treatment and disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at 212 Alamo Street, Alamogordo, in Section 33 Township 15 South, Range 10 East, Otero County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 230 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 2,000 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-1949, Bloomfield Water Reclamation Facility Bulk Fill Loading Station

- County: San Juan | Closest City: Bloomfield
- Applicant: City of Bloomfield, P.O. Box 1839, Bloomfield, NM 87413.
- NMED Permit Contact: Lynette Guevara, Reuse Team Lead, Lynette.Guevara@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-629-8811 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1949, Bloomfield Water Reclamation Facility Bulk Fill Loading Station: City of Bloomfield proposes a new Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 100,000 gallons per day of Class 1B reclaimed domestic wastewater to a bulk fill loading station for reuse. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at 1176 South Church Street, Bloomfield, in Section 28, Township 29 North, Range 11 West, San Juan County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 6 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 3,500 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-1378, Ojo Caliente Mineral Springs

- County: Taos | Closest City: Ojo Caliente
- Applicant: Ojo Caliente Holdings, Inc., P.O. Box 68, Ojo Caliente, NM 87549.
- NMED Permit Contact: Sara Arthur, Geoscientist, Sara.Arthur@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-660-7887 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1378, Ojo Caliente Mineral Springs: Ojo Caliente Holdings, Inc. proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 30,000 gallons per day of domestic/industrial wastewater to a treatment and disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at 50 Los Banos Drive, Ojo Caliente, NM, in Section 24 (projected), T24N, R08E, Taos County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 5 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 1,700 milligrams per liter.



Discharge Permit: DP-1144, Tagawa Greenhouses, Inc.

- County: Torrance | Closest City: Estancia
- Applicant: William A. Kluth, General Manager, 17999 Weld County Road 4, Brighton, CO 80603.
- NMED Permit Contact: Sarah F. Schnell, Geoscientist, Sarah.Schnell@state.nm.us or acs.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-660-8368 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1144: Tagawa Greenhouses, Inc. proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 49,999 gallons per day of agricultural wastewater from a greenhouse facility. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility and discharge locations are located at 1459 Highway 542, approximately 6 miles Southwest of Estancia, in Section 10, T05N, R08E, Torrance County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 101 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 372 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP- 549, Ray's Septic Pumping

- County: Valencia | Closest City: Los Lunas
- Applicant: Ray and Darlene Sanchez, Owners, 5004 Cerritos Ave SW, Los Lunas, NM 87031.
- NMED Permit Contact: Aracely Tellez, Environmental Scientist, Aracely.Tellez@state.nm.us or pps.general@state.nm.us, Telephone: 505-629-8864 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-549, Ray's Septic Pumping: Ray and Darlene Sanchez propose to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 8,000 gallons per day of domestic septage to a disposal system. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located approximately 10 miles west of Los Lunas in the San Clemente Land Grant, Section 36 (projected), Township 07 North, Range 01 West in Valencia County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 470 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 500 milligrams per liter.

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