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PUBLIC NOTICE

Groundwater Discharge Permit Applications Submitted to the Department for Review

June 13, 2025

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-notice/> 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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responsible for coordination of compliance efforts and receipt of inquiries concerning non-discrimination requirements implemented by 40 C.F.R. Parts 5 and 7, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, and Section 13 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972. If you have any questions about this notice or any of NMED's non-discrimination programs, policies or procedures, you may contact: Kate Cardenas, Non-Discrimination Coordinator, New Mexico Environment Department, 1190 St. Francis Dr., Suite N4050, P.O. Box 5469, Santa Fe, NM 87502, (505) 827-2855, nd.coordinator@env.nm.gov. If you believe that you have been discriminated against with respect to a NMED program or activity, you may contact the Non-Discrimination Coordinator identified above or visit our website at <https://www.env.nm.gov/general/environmental-justice-in-new-mexico/> to learn how and where to file a complaint of discrimination.

Enclosure: Groundwater Discharge Permit Applications Submitted for Review

Discharge Permit: DP-1895, Former McCatharn Dairy

- County: Bernalillo |Closest City: Albuquerque
- Applicant: John McCatharn, Suertudo Development, LLC, P.O. Box 19306, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87105.
- NMED Permit Contact: Sarah F. Schnell, Geoscientist, Sarah.Schnell@env.nm.gov or acs.general@env.nm.gov, Telephone: 505-660-8368 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1895, Former McCatharn Dairy proposes to renew for closure, the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 16,560 gallons per day of extracted groundwater for irrigation. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at 6363 New Mexico State Hwy 47/Broadway Blvd, approximately eight miles south of Albuquerque, in Section 19, Township 09 North, Range 03East, Bernalillo County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 64 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 462 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-1928, Former Gulton Industries Site

- County: Bernalillo |Closest City: Albuquerque
- Applicant: Dayco Incorporated, 401 South Old Woodward Avenue, Suite 308, Birmingham, MI 48009.
- NMED Permit Contact: Melanie Sandoval, UIC and Industrial Team Leader, Melanie.Sandoval2@env.nm.gov or pps.general@env.nm.gov, Telephone: 505-660-7892 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1928, Former Gulton Industries Site: Dayco Incorporated proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the emplacement of up to 160 pounds of remediation solution to assist groundwater cleanup of chlorinated solvents. Groundwater cleanup has been ongoing since 2007, has a localized zone of impact of less than 1,000 ft. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include total dissolved solids, sulfate, iron, and manganese. The facility is located at 14800 Central Avenue SE in Albuquerque, in Section 26, Township 10 North, Range 04 East, Bernalillo County. Groundwater most likely to be affected occurs at depths ranging from 15 to 40 feet and has a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 1,120 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-1820, Roberts Farm

- County: Curry |Closest City: Clovis
- Applicant: Jackie Roberts, P.O. Box 489, Clovis, NM 88102.
- NMED Permit Contact: Brad Jones, Water Resource Professional, Brad.Jones@env.nm.gov or pps.general@env.nm.gov, Telephone: 505-490-5283 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1820, Roberts Farm: Jackie Roberts proposes to modify the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to nine million gallons per day of reclaimed domestic wastewater to a reuse area. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at 736 County Road I, approximately 3 miles southeast of Clovis, in Section(s) 28, 29, 31, 32, 33 and 34, Township 02 North, Range 36 East, Curry 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 350 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-376, Lampbright Leach System

- County: Grant | Closest City: Silver City
- Applicant: Randy B. Ellison, General Manager, Freeport-McMoRan Chino Mines Company PO Box 10, Bayard, NM 88023.
- NMED Permit Contact: Jordan Anderson, Water Resources Professional, Jordan.Anderson@env.nm.gov or mecs.general@env.nm.gov, Telephone: 505-660-8908 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-376, Freeport-McMoRan Chino Mines Company, Randy B. Ellison, General Manager, proposes to modify the existing Discharge Permit for the construction of an 805-acre waste rock stockpile abutting to the southwest toe of the existing Main Lampbright Leach Stockpile and over the existing Southwest Lampbright Waste Rock Stockpile in Section 36 Township 17 South, Range 12 West, Section 01 Township 18 South, Range 12 West, and Section 06 Township 18 South Range 11 West. The existing Discharge Permit authorizes the discharge of up to 29,232,000 gallons per day per day of acidic solution (raffinate) applied for leaching copper from existing leach stockpiles. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include total dissolved solids, sulfate, and metals. The facility is located 3 miles northeast of Bayard, in Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36, Township 17 South, Range 12 West, and Section 30 and 31 Town 17 South, Range 11 West, Grant County. Groundwater beneath the site is at a depth of approximately 7-140 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration range from approximately 100-600 milligrams per liter.

Discharge Permit: DP-1651, Banner Mill

- County: Hidalgo | Closest City: Lordsburg
- Applicant: Ravi Sood, Chief Executive Officer, Summit Gold Corporation, 1219 Banner Mine Rd., Lordsburg, NM 88045.
- NMED Permit Contact: Sean Madden, Water Resources Professional, sean.madden@env.nm.gov or mecs.general@env.nm.gov, Telephone: 505-487-6637 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1651, Banner Mill: Ravi Sood, Chief Executive Officer, Summit Gold Corporation, proposes to renew the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 246,000 gallons per day of mill tailing slurry to a high-density polyethylene lined tailing impoundment. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include total dissolved solids, sulfate, and metals. The facility is located at 1219 Banner Mine Rd, approximately 4.5 miles southwest of Lordsburg, in Sections 14 and 23, Township 23 South, Range 19 West, Hidalgo County. Groundwater beneath the site is at a depth of approximately 709 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of approximately 1,800 milligrams per liter.



Discharge Permit: DP-1869, The Club at Las Campanas

- County: Santa Fe | Closest City: Santa Fe
- Applicant: The Club at Las Campanas, Inc., 132 Clubhouse Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87506.
- NMED Permit Contact: Brad Jones, Water Resource Professional, Brad.Jones@env.nm.gov or pps.general@env.nm.gov, Telephone: 505-490-5283 or 505-827-2900.

Notice: DP-1869, The Club at Las Campanas, Inc. proposes to renew and modify the Discharge Permit for the discharge of up to 900,000 gallons per day of reclaimed domestic wastewater to a reuse area. Potential contaminants from this type of discharge include nitrogen compounds. The facility is located at 437 Las Campanas Drive, approximately 7 miles northwest of Santa Fe, in Section(s) 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 Township 17 North, Range 08 East, Santa Fe County. Groundwater most likely to be affected is at a depth of approximately 279 feet and had a pre-discharge total dissolved solids concentration of 200 milligrams per liter.

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