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If I recall correctly, we were applying to discharge 6.33 mgd, but the flow was reduced to 5.3 mgd due to the wastewater reuse related to the FGD operation.

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The Anti-Degradation associated with the FGD system being installed at Merrimack Station has a proposed an Outfall 003A flow limit of 5.3 MGD, Average Monthly, and 13.0 MGD, Maximum Daily.

PSNH Supplemental NPDES application states Outfall 003A flows will be 6.33 MGD, Average Monthly, and 14.3 MGD, Maximum Daily.

There is about a 1 MGD difference between the Anti-Degradation flow rate and what PSNH states is Outfall 003A's projected operating flow rates.

Flow rates are numbers the regulators and the permittee should be in agreement over. However, unless changed by NHDES, the Anti-Degradation flow limits are being used for the Draft Permit.

John

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