

NPDES authorization to discharge to waters of the United States, Permit No. NM0030813

The applicant's mailing address is:

Oshara Village Water Reclamation Facility
No. 2 Willow Back Rd
Santa Fe, NM 87508

The permittee is authorized to discharge from a facility located at No. 2 Willow Back Rd Santa Fe, NM 87508, in Santa Fe County, New Mexico from Outfall 001 located at Latitude 35° 36' 35.856" North, Longitude 105° 59' 30.480" West. Discharges from the facility for the described activities are to Arroyo Hondo. The designated beneficial uses of the receiving waters are livestock watering, wildlife habitat, marginal warmwater aquatic life and primary contact.

Under the NAICS Code 2213, the applicant operates a privately owned wastewater treatment plant with a design flow capacity of 0.03 million gallons per day serving 300 people. This is a renewal of a permit previously issued August 10, 2006, with an effective date of September 1, 2006, and an expiration date of August 31, 2010.

A fact sheet is available.

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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