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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY
UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
PUBLIC NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF A UPDES PERMIT

PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS TO DECLARE THE STATE OF UTAH'S INTENTION TO ISSUE A UTAH POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (UPDES) PERMIT UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE UTAH WATER QUALITY ACT, SECTION 19-5-104 AND 107, UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1953, AS AMENDED. SAID "PERMIT" REFERS TO UPDES PERMIT AND THE STATEMENT OF BASIS (INCLUDING THE TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOADS (TMDL'S)) IF APPLICABLE, AS PER SECTION 303 (d) OF THE FEDERAL CLEAN WATER ACT (CWA).

PERMIT INFORMATION

PERMITTEE NAME:	Ephraim City Lagoons
MAILING ADDRESS	5 South Main, Ephraim City, UT 84627
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	(435)-283-4631
FACILITY LOCATION:	Approximately 800 West 600 North Ephraim Utah
UPDES PERMIT NO.:	UT0025984
OUTFALLS:	001
RECEIVING WATERS:	San Pitch River

BACKGROUND

Ephraim consists of a seven cell lagoon system located west of Ephraim and east of the San Pitch River which is the receiving stream during discharge periods. During non-discharge periods the facility will land apply effluent to fields adjacent to the lagoons. The land application activity will be addressed under different authority than the UPDES program. Ephraim plans to install a chlorine disinfection system at the outfall to properly disinfect the effluent before discharge.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on April 11, 2013. Written public comments can be submitted to: Dan Griffin, UPDES Engineering Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: dgriffin@utah.gov. After considering public comment the Utah Water Quality Board may execute the permit issuance, revise it, or abandon it.

FURTHER INFORMATION

The permit is available for public review under "Public Participation" at www.waterquality.utah.gov/. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Dan Griffin at 801-536-4387.