

# Department of Environmental Quality

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

## PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

THE PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLIC NOTICE IS TO DECLARE THE STATE OF UTAH'S INTENTION TO RENEW A UTAH POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (UPDES) PERMIT UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE UTAH WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT, SECTION 19-5-104(9) AND 107(2), UTAH CODE ANNOTATED 1953, AS AMENDED. SAID "PERMIT" REFERS TO THE UPDES PERMIT AND THE FACT SHEET STATEMENT OF BASIS (INCLUDING TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOADS (TMDL'S)) IF APPLICABLE, AS PER SECTION 303(D) OF THE FEDERAL CLEAN WATER ACT (CWA)].

## PERMIT INFORMATION

PERMITTEE NAME: Swift & Company

MAILING ADDRESS: 410 North 200 West, Hyrum, UT 84319-1024

TELEPHONE NUMBER: 435-245-6456

FACILITY LOCATION: 410 North 200 West, Hyrum, UT 84319-1024

UPDES PERMIT NO.: UT0000281

PERMITTED OUTFALLS 001

RECEIVING WATER: an irrigation ditch which flows to the South Fork of Spring Creek

#### **BACKGROUND**

Swift Beef Company, formerly known as EA Miller, is a beef slaughterhouse and meat packing plant. It is defined as a complex slaughterhouse in 40 CFR 432.21 and Standard Industrial Classification Code 2011 applies. The facility is located in Hyrum, Cache County, Utah. The treatment plant is approximately 0.75 miles north of the slaughter/packing plant. Swift discharges to an irrigation ditch which is a tributary to Spring Creek.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on November 13, 2012. Written public comments can be submitted to: Kim Shelley, UPDES Engineering Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: <a href="mailto:kshelley@utah.gov">kshelley@utah.gov</a>. After considering public comment the Utah Water Quality Board may execute the permit reissuance, revise it, or abandon it.

The permit is available for public review under "Public Participation" at <a href="www.waterquality.utah.gov/">www.waterquality.utah.gov/</a>. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Kim Shelley at 801-536-4385.