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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY
UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
PUBLIC NOTICE TO MODIFY AN UPDES PERMIT

PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

The purpose of this public notice is to declare the state of Utah's intention to Modify a Utah Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (UPDES) permit under authority of the Utah Water Quality Act, Sections 19-5-104(9) and 107(2), Utah Code, 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:	Central Valley Water Reclamation Facility
MAILING ADDRESS:	800 West Central Valley Road, Salt Lake City, Utah 84119-3379
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	(801) 973-9100
FACILITY LOCATION:	800 West Central Valley Road, Salt Lake City, Utah
UPDES PERMIT NO.:	UT0024392, UTL024392
PERMITTED OUTFALLS:	001, 001R, 002R
RECEIVING WATER:	Mill Creek to the Jordan River

BACKGROUND

The Central Valley Water Reclamation Facility (CVWRF) serves the communities of South Salt Lake, West Valley, Taylorsville, Murray, Millcreek, Midvale, Kearns, Hunter, Holiday, Granger, Cottonwood Heights, Big and Little Cottonwood Canyons, and other unincorporated areas of Salt Lake County. The facility has an average design flow of 75 MGD. The permit has Discharge, Reuse, Biosolids, and Pretreatment components. During the spring/summer months, CVWRF operates a filter to produce Type I reuse water. The Type I reuse water is used to water an onsite golf course and Type II reuse water fills the ponds located on and around the course.

CVWRF has been constructing facility upgrades and improvements for several years, and was working to meet a deadline of December 31, 2024 to come into compliance with all permit limits and requirements. Since the issuance of the renewal permit, several major global events have interrupted and delayed the construction efforts and work. As a result of these unanticipated interruptions, the whole of the upgrades will not be completed until 18 months after the initial expected deadline. Central Valley has requested that the compliance deadline for meeting all the new effluent limit and monitoring requirements be extended until June 30, 2026.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on September 29, 2023. During the public comment period provided under R317-8-6.5, any interested person may submit written comments on the draft permit and may request a public hearing, if no hearing has already been scheduled.

A request for a public hearing shall be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. Written public comments can be submitted to: Dan Griffin, UPDES Surface Water Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, PO Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at wqcomments@utah.gov. All comments will be considered in making the final decision and shall be answered as provided in R317-8-6.12. After considering public comment, the Division of Water Quality may reissue, revise, or abandon the permit.

The Draft Permit, FSSOB, and WLA are 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 Daniel Griffin at 801-536-4387.