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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
PUBLIC NOTICE TO ISSUE A  
§401 WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION

**PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE**

The purpose of this public notice is to declare the State of Utah's intention to issue a §401 Water Quality Certification with Conditions under the authority of the Federal Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341), and consistent is with the Utah Water Quality Act, Title 19, Chapter 5, Utah Code Ann. 1953, as amended and Utah Administrative Code R317-15

**PERMIT INFORMATION**

PERMITTEE NAME: Salt Lake City Department of Airports  
MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 145550, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114  
PROJECT LOCATION: North end of Salt Lake City International Airport  
located at approximately 40.8102, -111.9912  
DWQ CERTIFICATION NO.: DWQ-2004-50019  
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**BACKGROUND**

The applicant proposes to construct an employee parking lot, screening facility, Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) bus fueling station, and associated improvements between Runway 16R/34L to the west, North 4000 West to the east, and the North Point Consolidated Canal (NPCC) to the north. The Salt Lake City International Airport is undersized for the current and projected operational demands, and experiences traffic congestion, long wait times for employee and passenger security screening, and a shortage of parking spaces. To address these issues, the Airport is currently undergoing a major terminal redevelopment program, which includes the need for additional screening and parking facilities based on anticipated new Federal Aviation Administration regulations. The purpose of the project is to provide adequate and safe infrastructure for security screening of all employees that alleviates traffic and congestion at existing parking and security screening areas, does not interfere with existing and planned Airport operations, does not require rescreening of employees inside the Airport, and does not require recurrent security inspections of buses following refueling and temporary parking.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on **July 6, 2019**. Written public comments can be submitted to: Leanna Littler, UPDES Surface Water Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, PO Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: [lnlittler@utah.gov](mailto:lnlittler@utah.gov). After considering public comment the Utah Division of Water Quality may execute the Certification issuance, revise it or abandon it. The permit is available for public review under <https://deq.utah.gov/water-quality/water-quality-public-notice>. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Leanna Littler at 801-536-4397.

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