

## State of Utah

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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY (DWQ) UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PUBLIC NOTICE OF NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT PLAN (NMP) WITH INTENT TO ISSUE A UPDES GENERAL CAFO PERMIT TO MILLER BROTHERS EXPRESS

## 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 (UDPES) General Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) Permit to Miller Brothers Express under authority of the Utah Water Quality Act. As required by the Clean Water Act, a site-specific NMP for a CAFO must be public noticed prior to permit issuance. Certain NMP conditions are permit requirements, therefore the NMP must be public noticed as part of the permit. If no changes are made to the NMP following the comment period, then DWQ intends to issue the CAFO Permit to Miller Brothers Express, LLC feedlot.

### PERMIT INFORMATION

UPDES CAFO GENERAL PERMIT, PERMIT NO. UTG080100 PERMIT:

PERMITTEE NAME: Miller Brothers Express, LLC

560 West 400 North, Hyrum, UT 84319 FACILITY ADDRESS:

RECEIVING WATER: Spring Creek

#### **BACKGROUND**

Miller Brothers Express feedlot is a large CAFO that has discharged to waters of the State and therefore is required to obtain the UPDES CAFO Permit. A Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) certified planner has approved the nutrient management plan for compliance with NRCS standard practices. In addition, DWQ has approved the NMP for compliance with the CAFO permit requirements. During the public comment period, the public has opportunity to provide comment on the NMP and the potential permitting of Miller Brothers feedlot in Hyrum, Utah.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline, close of business on March 2, 2018. Written public comments can be submitted to: Don Hall, Storm Water Section, Utah Division of Water Quality. P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: dghall@utah.gov. After considering public comment DWO may execute the permit issuance, revise it, or abandon it. The permit and associated documents available are for public review http://deq.utah.gov/NewsNotices/notices/water/index.htm. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Don Hall at 801-536-4492.