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

PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

The purpose of this public notice is to declare the State of Utah's intention to re-issue a Utah Pollution 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: Neola City Water & Sewer District
MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 207, Neola, UT 84053
TELEPHONE NUMBER: 435-722-1884
FACILITY LOCATION: 8750 North SR 121, Neola, UT 84053
UPDES PERMIT NO.: UT0023001
PERMITTED OUTFALLS: 001
RECEIVING WATERS: Irrigation Ditch, thence Dry Gulch Creek tributaries

BACKGROUND

The Neola Wastewater Treatment Facility (NWTF) is located in Duchesne County near the south slope of the Uintah Mountains. The lagoons were originally constructed in 1963 as a total containment lagoon system with three cells utilizing 5.9 acres. As a result of high ground water infiltrating the lagoon and sewer system, the lagoons were expanded in 1971. The expanded facility has five lagoons totaling 15.5 acres. The system was intended to be a non-discharging facility but sees the need to discharge during times of high precipitation years when ground water infiltration into the system is high. When the need arises, NWTF has historically discharged during the spring months. The facility serves the Neola Improvement District with a current population of approximately 450. The average design flow is 0.88 MGD. The discharge outfall is located at latitude 40°24'30" and longitude 110°01'30".

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on January 12, 2018. Written public comments can be submitted to: Jeff Studenka, UPDES Surface Water Section, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: jstudenka@utah.gov. After considering public comment the Utah Division of Water Quality may execute the permit issuance, revise it or abandon it. The permit is available for public review under <http://www.deq.utah.gov/NewsNotices/notices/water/index.htm>. If internet access is not available, a copy may be obtained by calling Jeff Studenka at 801-536-4395.

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