

# WATER QUALITY INFORMATION BULLETIN

# Highlights For February 2013

## Agenda: No Regular Business Meeting, February 2013

http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251590399491

#### **Notice of Public Rulemaking Hearings**

For consideration of the adoption of revisions to the...

- Reclaimed Water Control Regulation #84 (5 CCR 1002-84) http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251638401461
- Procedural Rules, Regulation #21 (5 CCR 1002-21) http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251638397756

#### **Notice of Written Comment Only Rulemaking**

Classifications and Numeric standards for...

- San Juan River and Dolores River Basins, Regulation #34 (5 CCR 1002-34) and
- Gunnison and Lower Dolores River Basins, Regulation #35 (5 CCR 1002-35) http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251590851460

#### **Notice of Administrative Action Hearings**

- Proposed projects for FY 2013 Section 319 Nonpoint Source Funds http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251638417184
- Update to Pueblo Area Council of Governments Section 208 Water Quality Management Plan http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251638417310

#### **Notice of Final Adoption**

- The Basic Standards and Methodologies for Surface Water, Regulation #31 (5 CCR 1002-31),
- Classifications and Numeric Standards for Arkansas River Basin, Regulation #32 (5 CCR 1002-32),
- Classifications and Numeric Standards for Upper Colorado River Basin and North Platte River (planning Region 12), Regulation #33 (5 CCR 1002-33),
- Classifications and Numeric Standards for San Juan River and Dolores River Basins. Regulation #34 (5 CCR 1002-34),
- Classifications and Numeric Standards for Gunnison and Lower Dolores River Basins, Regulation #35 (5 CCR 1002-35),
- Classifications and Numeric Standards for Rio Grande River Basin, Regulation #36 (5 CCR 1002-36),
- Classifications and Numeric Standards for Lower Colorado River Basin, Regulation #37 (5 CCR 1002-37),
- Classifications and Numeric Standards for South Platte River Basin, Laramie River Basin, Republican River Basin, Smoky Hill River Basin, Regulation #38 (5 CCR 1002-38) http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-Main/CBON/1251595703337

#### **Summary of Proceedings/Motions (DRAFT)**

Water Quality Control Commission Regular Meeting, January 14, 2013 http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251590399298

- Water Quality Control Commission Long-Range Schedule
  - http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251590399590
- **Explanatory Notes regarding Water Quality Commission Long-Range Schedule** http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251590399590

PUBLICATION DATE: February 1, 2013

## **A. PERMIT ACTIONS**

# 1. PERMITS SENT TO PUBLIC NOTICE ON JANUARY 18, 2013 – COMMENTS DUE BY FEBRUARY 19, 2013

The website to view public notices and drafts: http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQ/CBON/1251596872707

## 2. DISCHARGE PERMITS ISSUED - DECEMBER 2012

<u>PERMITTEE</u>	PERMIT NO.	<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>DATE ISSUED</b>
Eagle River Water & San Dist	CO-024431	Eagle	12/20/2012
Eagle River Water & San Dist	CO-037311	Eagle	12/20/2012
Vista Verde Village, LLC	CO-037702	Montezuma	12/20/2012
La Plata County	CO-047457	La Plata	12/20/2012
South Fort Collins San Dist	CO-020737	Larimer	12/31/2012
City of Brush	CO-021245	Morgan	12/31/2012
Upper Blue San Dist	CO-021539	Summit	12/31/2012
Arapahoe County Water & Wastewater Authority	CO-040681	Arapahoe	12/31/2012

## 3. GENERAL PERMIT CERTIFICATIONS - DECEMBER 2012

PERMITTEE	PERMIT NO.	COUNTY	<b>DATE ISSUED</b>
Consolidated Divisions Inc	COG-074307	Jefferson	12/03/2012
Southwest Colorado Community College	COX-622042	Montezuma	12/03/2012
Hamon Contractors Inc	COG-074042	Jefferson	12/04/2012
Pinkard Construction	COG-074308	Larimer	12/04/2012
Eagle Valley Clean Energy, LLC	COG-074311	Eagle	12/04/2012
Easter Seals Colorado	COX-621068	Clear Creek	12/04/2012
JBS Pipeline Contractors	COG-074312	Douglas	12/05/2012
Town of Grover	COX-631050	Weld	12/07/2012
Glacier Construction Co, Inc	COG-074313	Boulder	12/10/2012
Urban Drainage & Flood Control Dist	COG-315269	Adams	12/10/2012
Basalt San Dist	COG-074232	Pitkin	12/18/2012
Lillard & Clark Construction Co	COG-074268	Jefferson	12/18/2012
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Lillard & Clark Construction Co	COG-074270	Jefferson	12/18/2012
Rocky Mountain Materials & Asphalt Inc	COG-074287	Lower El Paso	12/18/2012
Garney Construction	COG-074314	Douglas	12/18/2012
L&M Enterprises Inc	COG-074316	Douglas	12/18/2012
BT Construction Inc	COG-315272	Denver	12/18/2012
Holland Construction Inc	COG-315267	Denver	12/20/2012
Jordon Perlmutter & Co	COG-315271	Denver	12/20/2012
Saunders Construction Inc	COG-074317	Denver	12/26/2012
Gerrard Excavating Inc	COG-074318	Larimer	12/26/2012
Saunders Construction Inc	COG-074319	Larimer	12/26/2012
Amgen, Inc	COG-604163	Boulder	12/26/2012

#### B. STORMWATER DISCHARGE GENERAL PERMIT CERTIFICATIONS – DECEMBER 2012

COR-030000	Construction Activities	89
COR-040000	Metal Mining	0
COR-070000	Non-Standard MS4	0
COR-080000	Cherry Creek MS4	0
COR-090000	Statewide MS4	0
COR-340000	Sand and Gravel Mining	2
COR-900000	Non-Extractive Industrial	9
	No Exposure Certifications	2

Stormwater permit applications, guidance documents, general permits, etc, are available at: http://www.coloradowaterpermits.com

#### C. ENFORCEMENT/CIVIL PENALTIES/CONSENT OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS

Documents related to the below enforcement actions are available for public inspection at the Division. Copies of the below actions are available upon written request to the Division or, in most instances, may be obtained from the Divisions' Enforcement Action website: <a href="http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQ/CBON/1251596872628">http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQ/CBON/1251596872628</a>



Regular enforcement updates are also available on Twitter (http://twitter.com/WQCD\_Enforce)

#### 1. ENFORCEMENT - NEW ACTION

RESPONSIBLE PARTY	<u>ACTION</u>	COUNTY	<u>DATE</u>
Riverside Cottages, LLC	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Garfield	01/02/2013
Roadside Trailer Park, LLC	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Grand	01/03/2013
Lu's Buffalo Stop, Inc	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Logan	01/04/2013
Cimarron Colorado Properties, LLC and Eleanor McAuliffe (d/b/a Holts Guest Ranch)	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Gunnison	01/04/2013
Cimarron Colorado Properties, LLC and Eleanor McAuliffe (d/b/a Frenchy's Cafe)	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Gunnison	01/04/2013
Smith Fork, LLC and Marley E. Hodgson (d/b/a Smith Fork Ranch)	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Delta	01/04/2013
Shrine Mountain Inn, Inc. and Chuck Oglivy (d/b/a Shrine Mountain Inn)	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Eagle	01/04/2013
K&E Concepts, LLC and Paula Marie Lynn (d/b/a The Drive In)	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Mesa	01/16/2013
Wayward Wind MHP, LLC, Otis Moore III, and Michael Honc as Receiver	Drinking Water – Enforcement Order	Morgan	01/17/2013

#### 2. CONSENT OR SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS TO PUBLIC NOTICE

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

# C. ENFORCEMENT/CIVIL PENALTIES/CONSENT OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS (cont.)

## 3. FINAL AGENCY ACTIONS

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

## 4. NOTICE OF ENFORCEMENT HEARINGS

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

## **D. CONSTRUCTION ACTIONS**

# 1. Site Applications Reviews

<u>APPLICANT</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	FACILITY DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	<u>ACTION</u>
Eagle River Water and San Dist	Site Application #4214 [ES.12.44485] Amendment	Treatment Facility Improvements – Capacity Change: Avon WWTF Chemically Enhanced Primary Clarification Addition	Eagle	Approved 01/08/2013
Town of Olathe	Site Application # 4235 [ES.12.45036] Amendment	Treatment Facility Improvements – Influent Comminutor w/Mechanical Bar Screen Replacement	Clear Creek	Approved 12/20/2012
Town of Berthoud	Site Application # 4694 [ES.12.45087] Amendment	Treatment Facility Improvements – Solids Processing and Handling Upgrades	Weld	Approved 01/08/2013
Westminster Water & Sewer Repairs	Site Application # ES.12.44476	New Interceptor – Little Dry Creek Interceptor Sewer Relocation Project	Adams	Approved 01/08/2013
Pagosa Springs San General Improvements Dist	Site Application # ES.12.44565	New Lift Station – Pagosa Wastewater Conveyance System ~ Pump Station 1	Archuleta	Approved 12/31/2012
Pagosa Area Water and San Dist	Site Application # ES.12.44566	New Lift Station – Pagosa Wastewater Conveyance System ~ Pump Station 2	Archuleta	Approved 12/31/2012
Town of Eads	Site Application # ES.12.45022	New Lift Station – Neal Subdivision Lift Station	Montrose	Approved 12/31/2012

# 2. Plans and Specifications Reviews

<u>APPLICANT</u>	SITE APPLICATION	FACILITY DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	<u>ACTION</u>
Town of Cheraw	Site Application # ES.11.43262	Treatment Facility Improvements	Otero	Approved 01/24/2013
City and County of Broomfield	Site Application # ES.12.44795	New Lift Station – Northlands Lift Station	Broomfield	Approved 12/31/2012

## E. WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATIONS (Section 401)

Water Quality Certifications, under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act, provide for Division determinations that federally issued permits and licenses will comply with the Basic Standards and Methodologies for Surface Water, the Basic Standards for Ground Water, surface and ground water classifications and water quality standards, and all other applicable water quality requirements for the affected waters.

1. For the purposes of the antidegradation requirements found in Section 31.8 of the Basic Standards and Methodologies, the following projects have been reviewed to make a preliminary determination of the significance of such projects and a draft certification determination. Public comment on these preliminary determinations will be received for thirty days following the date of publication of this newsletter. More information on the specific projects can be obtained from John Hranac (john.hranac@state.co.us), (303) 692-3586) or Christy Pickens (christy.pickens@state.co.us), (303) 692-3584. The U.S. Army Corp of Engineers (COE) may also review these projects, under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, and a list of their current public notice can be found on their web site.

<u>APPLICANT</u>	PERMIT #	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	COUNTY	WATERBODY	<u>DETERMINATION</u>
#4327 Tri-State Generation & Transmission Assoc. Inc. / Colowyo Mine	SPK-2012- 00515	Expand existing coal mining activities	Moffat	Little Collum Gulch, Lower Colorado River Basin, Seg. COLCLY03g of Lower Yampa River Sub-basin	Draft 82.5(A)(3) Conditional Certification
#4328 Town of Frisco / Frisco Bay Marina Facility Improvements	TBA	Dredge sediment from the North and South side of the existing boat ramp and dock area. Dredged material will be placed along the South side of the existing slipway to create an upland area for recreational purposes	Summit	Dillon Reservoir, Upper Colorado River Basin, Seg. COUCBL03 of Blue River Sub-basin	Draft 82.5(A)(3) Conditional Certification
#4329 Leyden Rock Development, LLC / Leydon Rock Filing 3	NWO-2011- 2687-DEN	To construct a residential housing community. The overall project purpose is to provide roads, as well as provide stream stabilization	Jefferson	Barbara Gulch, South Platte River Basin, Seg. COSPCL18b of Clear Creek Sub-basin	Draft 82.5(A)(3) Conditional Certification

## E. WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATIONS (Section 401) (cont.)

2. The following projects have received a final certification determination from the Division. For further information regarding these projects, please call the Division at (303) 692-3500.

<u>APPLICANT</u>	PERMIT #	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	COUNTY	<u>WATERBODY</u>	CERTIFICATION
#4320 Town of Castle Rock	NWO-2012- 1689-DEN	Implement a measure to reduce erosive conditions and increase channel stability	Douglas	East Plum Creek, South Platte River Basin, Seg. COSPUS01a of Upper South Platte River Sub-basin	82.5(A)(2) Regular Certification

3. The following NPDES permit has been reviewed to make a proposed determination for certification in accordance with section 401 of the Federal Clean Water act. Public comment on this proposed determination will be received for thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this newsletter. More information can be obtained from Nathan Moore (Nathan.moore@state.co.us, (303) 692-3555.

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

#### F. GRANTS AND LOANS UNIT

1. LOAN APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

<u>ENTITY</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	<u>DATE</u>
Pueblo West Metro Dist	\$6,709,000	The project includes the replacement of transmission/distribution lines from the WTP, and other distribution system upgrades	Pueblo	12/14/2012

#### 2. LOANS APPROVED BY CWRPDA

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

3. LOANS EXECUTED

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

4. STATE GRANT CONTRACTS EXECUTED

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

#### 5. WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT FUND

<u>ENTITY</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	<u>DATE</u>
City and County of Denver	\$53,000	Phase 1 of the construction of the 52 <sup>nd</sup> and Emerson Regional Water Quality Pond	Denver	01/03/2013

#### 6. SMALL SYSTEMS TRAINING & TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANT

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

## F. GRANTS AND LOANS UNIT (cont.)

## 7. CONSTRUCTION LOAN COMPLETIONS

<u>LOANEE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	PROJECT DESRICTION	COUNTY	<u>DATE</u>
South Durango San Dist	\$800,000	The project expanded the South Durango Sanitation District wastewater treatment plant, increasing the capacity of the plant from 300,000 gpd to 450,000 gpd, and from 643 pounds per day BOD to 1,314 pounds per day BOD	La Plata	12/30/2012
City of Manitou Springs	\$3,852,801	The project consists of raw water interconnect and a transmission/distribution line. With contingency work of a Ballast Tank	El Paso	12/13/2012
City of Lamar	\$5,020,000	The project consists of the relocation of the existing chlorine building, storage tank improvements, modifications to the valve house, and installtion of new 24" transmission main	Prowers	12/14/2012

## 8. \$10,000 PLANNING AND/OR DESIGN GRANTS

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

#### 9. DRINKING WATER ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT

<u>LOANEE</u>	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	<u>DATE</u>
Cascade Metro Dist No.1	The proposed project is the construction of a new water treatment facility	El Paso	01/04/2013

#### 10. PUBLIC HEARING/PUBLIC MEETING

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

## 11. FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION DETERMINATIONS

<b>LOANEE</b>	PROJECT DESRICTION	COUNTY	<u>DATE</u>
Town of Peetz	The proposed project is the rehabilitation of the two water treatment facilities located at the town wells, rehabilitate the water storage tank, and install flow meters	Logan	01/03/2013
Cascade Metro Dist No.1	The proposed project is the construction of a new water treatment facility	El Paso	01/08/2013

# G. TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOADS SENT TO PUBLIC NOTICE

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## **SPECIAL NOTES**

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION