



Colorado Department
of Public Health
and Environment

WATER QUALITY INFORMATION BULLETIN

Highlights For March 2014

- **Agenda: Rulemaking Hearings, Administrative Action Hearing and Business Meeting, March 11, 2014**
<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251650806637>
- **Notice of Public Rulemaking Hearing**
For consideration of proposed revisions to...
 - Water and Wastewater Facility Operators Certification Requirements, Regulation #100 (5 CCR 1003-2)
<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-Main/CBON/1251588383952>
For consideration of the adoption of ...
 - Classifications and Numeric Standards for
 - Upper Colorado River Basin and North Platte River (Planning Region 12), Regulation #33 (5 CCR 1002-33) and
 - Lower Colorado River Basin, Regulation #37 (5 CCR 1002-37)
<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251590851421>
- **Notice of Public Triennial Review Informational Hearing**
 - Regulations Controlling Discharges to Storm Sewers, Regulation #65 (5 CCR 1002-65)
<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQCC/CBON/1251590840957>
- **The Water Quality Forum is seeking feedback on** the division's efforts related to the water quality portion of Colorado's Water Plan. Your input is valuable and encouraged. Time will be set aside at the January, March, and May 2014 Water Quality Forum meetings to discuss the water plan and receive feedback. To learn more, please visit the Water Quality Forum website: <http://colowqforum.org/colorado-water-plan.html>. Additionally, the Colorado Water Conservation Board will be announcing various ways to provide feedback on the water plan through the Colorado Water Plan website (<http://coloradowaterplan.com/>).

PUBLICATION DATE: February 28, 2014

A. PERMIT ACTIONS

1. PERMITS SENT TO PUBLIC NOTICE ON FEBRUARY 14, 2014 – COMMENTS DUE BY MARCH 17, 2014

The website to view public notices and drafts:

www.colorado.gov/cdphe/wqpublicnotice

2. DISCHARGE PERMITS ISSUED – JANUARY 2014

<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQ/CBON/1251596793644> for Permits info

PERMITTEE	PERMIT	COUNTY	ISSUED
La Jara, Town of	CO-020150	Lake	01/28/2014
Leadville Sanitation Dist	CO-021164	Las Animas	01/28/2014

3. GENERAL PERMIT CERTIFICATIONS – JANUARY 2014

<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQ/CBON/1251596793644> for Permits info

PERMITTEE	PERMIT	COUNTY	ISSUED
Edge Contracting Inc	COG-074650	Boulder	01/04/2014
American Civil Constructors Inc	COG-074615	Larimer	01/09/2014
Wildcat Construction Co Inc	COG-074621	Boulder	01/09/2014
53 Corporation LLC	COG-074624	Jefferson	01/09/2014
Tezak Heavy Equipment Co Inc	COG-074625	Adams	01/09/2014
Connell Resources Inc	COG-074630	Adams	01/09/2014
Concrete Works of Colorado Inc	COG-315299	Boulder	01/09/2014
Edward Kraemer and Sons Inc	COG-315300	Adams	01/09/2014
Layne Christensen Co	COG-603235	Weld	01/09/2014
Left Hand Excavating	COG-074617	El Paso	01/10/2014
Frazer Construction Co	COG-074619	Arapahoe	01/10/2014
Nezhoni Construction	COG-074628	Arapahoe	01/10/2014
Hydro Construction Co Inc	COG-074631	Boulder	01/10/2014
Iron Woman Construction and Env Services Inc	COG-074635	Adams	01/13/2014
Zak Dirt Inc	COG-074636	Weld	01/16/2014
Layne Heavy Civil Inc	COG-074620	Arapahoe	01/21/2014
Coast to Coast Residential Development Inc	COG-074626	Larimer	01/21/2014
Edge Contracting Inc	COG-074638	Larimer	01/21/2014
Hamon Contractors Inc	COG-074640	Denver	01/21/2014
American West Construction LLC	COG-074642	Douglas	01/21/2014
Louisville, City of	COG-603236	Boulder	01/21/2014
L and M Enterprises Inc	COG-074627	El Paso	01/22/2014
Inland Colorado LLC	COG-074637	Arapahoe	01/22/2014
Garney Construction Inc	COG-074644	Arapahoe	01/22/2014
Edge Contracting Inc	COG-074639	Douglas	01/24/2014
Wildcat Construction Co Inc	COG-074647	Arapahoe	01/24/2014
Kemp and Hoffman Inc	COG-074648	Arapahoe	01/24/2014
Fischer Construction Inc	COG-074651	Arapahoe	01/24/2014
Aisa Civil Inc	COG-074653	Adams	01/24/2014
Edward Kraemer and Sons Inc	COG-315301	El Paso	01/24/2014
Tallgrass Energy Partners LP	COG-604209	Arapahoe	01/27/2014
BT Construction Inc	COG-074632	Larimer	01/28/2014

4. CAFO GENERAL PERMIT CERTIFICATIONS – FEBRUARY 2014

PERMITTEE	PERMIT	COUNTY	ISSUED
4M Feeders North Yard (J&D Cattle)	COA-932081	Kit Carson	02/21/2014
4M Feeders McCormick Yart (Happy Creek)	COA-932082	Kit Carson	02/21/2014

B. 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: <http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDPHE-WQ/CBON/1251596872628>

1. ENFORCEMENT – NEW ACTION

RESPONSIBLE PARTY	ACTION	COUNTY	DATE
Clearview 4 Investments, LLC	Stormwater – Notice of Violation / Cease and Desist Order	Weld	01/02/2014
Ames Granite A Joint Venture	Stormwater – Notice of Violation / Cease and Desist Order	Broomfield	01/03/2014
Okland Construction Company, Inc	Stormwater – Expedited Settlement Agreement	La Plata	01/08/2014
Highland Lakes Water Dist	Enforcement Order	Teller	01/30/2014
Stone Mountain Lodge and Cabins	Enforcement Order	Boulder	01/30/2014
Yampa, Town of	Enforcement Order	Routt	01/31/2014
Environmental Energy Partners, LLC	Stormwater – Order for Civil Penalty	Clear Creek	02/06/2014
Galeton Water and Sanitation Dist	Domestic – Notice of Violation / Cease and Desist Order	Weld	02/12/2014
Holt's Guest Ranch	Domestic – Notice of Violation / Cease and Desist Order/Order for Civil Penalty	Gunnison	02/19/2014

2. CONSENT OR SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS TO PUBLIC NOTICE

RESPONSIBLE PARTY	ACTION	COUNTY	DATE
Baca Grande Water & Sanitation Dist	Domestic - Compliance Order on Consent	Saguache	02/13/2014

3. FINAL AGENCY ACTIONS

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

4. NOTICE OF ENFORCEMENT HEARINGS

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

C. CONSTRUCTION ACTIONS

1. Site Applications Reviews

APPLICANT	TYPE	FACILITY DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	ACTION
Jefferson County Public Schools	Site Application # 4190 [ES.13.SA.00431]	Treatment Facility Improvements – WWTF Carbon Source and UV Disinfection Modifications	Jefferson	Approved 01/31/2014
Sacred Heart of Mary Church	Site Application # 4329 [ES.13.SA.00409]	Treatment Facility Improvements – Capacity Reduction of WWTF	Boulder	Approved 02/19/2014
Riverside Farms Homeowners Assoc	Site Application # 4533 [ES.13.SA.00491]	In-Kind Replacement – Force Main Line Replacement	Larimer	Approved 01/31/2014
Durango, City of	Site Application # ES.12.44823	New Lift Station [Bodo 7 Sanitary Sewer LS]	La Plata	Approved 02/06/2014
Superior, Town of	Site Application # ES.13.SA.00293	New Lift Station[Town Center LS]	Boulder	Approved 01/31/2014
Durango, City of	Site Application # ES.13.SA.00302	New Lift Station [Private Mercury Sanitary Sewer LS]	La Plata	Approved 01/31/2014
Metro Wastewater Reclamation Dist	Site Application # ES.14.SA.00610	In-Kind Replacement – Sand Creek Parallel Interceptor Repairs	Denver	Approved 02/19/2014

C. CONSTRUCTION ACTIONS (cont.)

2. Plans and Specifications Reviews

APPLICANT	SITE APPLICATION	FACILITY DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	ACTION
Eagle River Water and Sanitation Dist – Avon WWTP	Site Application # 4212 [ES.12.44454]	Streamlined Design Review – Avon WWTP Secondary Treatment & Misc Improvements	Eagle	01/31/2014
Eagle River Water and Sanitation Dist – Vail WWTP	Site Application # 4482 [ES.12.44343]	Streamlined Design Review – Vail WWTP Phase I Aeration Improvements	Eagle	Approved 01/31/2014
Greeley, City of	Site Application # ES.12.44319	New Lift Station [Greeley/Weld County Airport LS]	Weld	Approved 01/31/2014
Durango, City of	Site Application # ES.12.44823	New Lift Station [Bodo 7 Sanitary Sewer LS]	La Plata	Approved 02/11/2014

D. 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.

- 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 Scott Garncarz (scott.garncarz@state.co.us), (303) 692-2374. 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.**

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

- 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.**

APPLICANT	PERMIT #	ACTIVITY	COUNTY	WATERBODY	CERTIFICATION
#4136-2 Colorado Dept of Transportation, Region 5 / CDOT Highway 160	SPK-2002-75568	To place dredged or fill material wetlands of others water to improve highway	La Plata	Wetlands tributary to Los Pinos, Animas and Florida Rivers, San Juan River Basin, Segment COSJLP06a, COSJAF12a of Los Pinos, Animas and Florida Rivers Sub-basins	82.5(A)(3) Conditional Certification

- 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 Kenan Diker (kenan.diker@state.co.us), (303) 692-3597.**

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E. GRANTS AND LOANS UNIT

1. LOAN APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

2. LOANS APPROVED BY CWRPDA

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

3. LOANS EXECUTED

ENITY	AMOUNT	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	DATE
Larkspur, Town of	\$2,847,920	Drinking water project including new well, new water storage tank, pump station expansion, pump replacement, new pressure reducing valve, and iron and manganese removal system	Douglas	01/17/2014
Pagosa Springs Sanitation GID	\$2,000,000	The project consists of decommissioning the District's existing lagoon wastewater treatment facility and constructing force mains and two lift stations for conveyance of sewage to the Pagosa Area Water and Sanitation District's Vista wastewater treatment facility	Archuleta	02/04/2014

4. STATE GRANT CONTRACTS EXECUTED

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

5. WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT FUND

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

6. SMALL SYSTEMS TRAINING & TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANT

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

7. CONSTRUCTION LOAN COMPLETIONS

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

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

NONE SINCE LAST PUBLICATION

9. DRINKING WATER ELIGIBILITY ASSESSMENT

LOANEE	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	DATE
Castle Pines Metro Dist	This is a two phase project consisting of design and construction of a new one million gallon water storage tank and a new transmission line between existing water storage tanks to provide more system flexibility and to meet maximum day demands	Douglas	01/27/2014

E. GRANTS AND LOANS UNIT (cont.)

10. PUBLIC HEARING/PUBLIC MEETING

LOANEE	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	DATE
Clifton Water Dist	Projects consists of renovation of existing water treatment facility from Automatic Backwash (ABW) granular filtration to Micro/ultra filtration (MF/UF) membrane technology, and addition of 500,000 gallon clearwell	Mesa	02/06/2014
La Plata County Palo Verde PID No 3	The project consists of the design and construction of 3,650 linear feet of 8-inch water main to serve up to 18 lots within the Palo Verde subdivision; includes the installation of individual water meters, fire hydrants and payment of plant investment fees	La Plata	01/29/2014
South Adams County Water & San Dist	BNR upgrades to WWTP including grit removal improvements and replacing chlorine gas disinfection system with UV light disinfection and connection fees to Metro Wastewater	Adams	01/15/2014
Pueblo, City of	The project consists of separation of a sanitary main located at the invert of a storm main, constructing new storm main and incidental surface improvements	Pueblo	01/30/2014
Kremmling, Town of Drinking Water	Upgrade existing water treatment plant with minor rehabilitation of existing facilities and replacement of equipment. Town does not anticipate use of grants or loans	Routt	12/02/2014
Three Lakes Water & San Dist	The project consists of the renovation of two regional lift stations at Still water and Shadow Mountain	Grand	01/13/2014
Stratton, Town of	This project consists of replacement of failing distribution piping, looping key areas of the system, and replacement of associated appurtenances	Kit Carson	02/27/2014

11. FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND CATEGORICAL EXCLUSION DETERMINATIONS

LOANEE	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	COUNTY	DATE
Mountain View Village Water & San Dist	Biosolids handling improvements at the new waste water treatment facility, including replacing two pumps in the anaerobic chambers with pumps equipped with variable frequency drives, and installing a biosolids dewatering box adjacent to the facility	Lake	01/28/2014
Navajo Western Water Dist	Re-drilling three existing wells and installing four flushing valves on dead end lines within the Navajo Ranch Resorts, and installing eleven flushing valves on dead end lines within the Navajo Ranch Estates	Huerfano	01/30/2014

F. TOTAL MAXIMUM DAILY LOADS SENT TO PUBLIC NOTICE

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SPECIAL NOTES

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