

Water Quality Information Bulletin Highlights for June 2025

Water Quality Control Commission Activities

Agenda: June 9, 2025.

https://cdphe.colorado.gov/wqcc-meetings

Notice of effective regulations.

https://cdphe.colorado.gov/water-quality-control-commission-regulations

Regulation No. 55: State Funded Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Programs

Summary of proceedings/motions.

https://cdphe.colorado.gov/wqcc-meeting-summaries

Clean Water Permit Actions

Permits sent to public notice on May 8, 2025.

You usually have 30 days to make comments on the draft action, but please check the exact deadline on the website.

https://cdphe.colorado.gov/water-quality-draft-permit-actions

General permit certifications - April 2025.

To check that your permit contact information is correct, look up your permit number in this <u>list</u> of all active clean water permits. If your contact information is incorrect, please change your contacts in CEOS for certifications under general permits COR400000, COG080000, COG317000, COG318000, COG603000, and COG608000. Otherwise, fill out the <u>change of contact form</u>, and send the signed form to the <u>cdphe.wqrecordscenter@state.co.us</u>.

General permit certifications - April 2025

Permittee	Permit Number	County	Issued
Thompson Thrift Construction, Inc.	COG081198	Jefferson	04/03/2025
Crow Creek Construction, LLC	COG081201	Weld	04/03/2025
Bear Excavating	COG081202	Douglas	04/03/2025
Deneuve Construction Services	COG081203	Routt	04/03/2025
Global Underground Corporation	COG604472	Las Animas	04/03/2025
Maverik	COG081204	Arapahoe	04/07/2025
BT Construction, Inc	COG081205	Weld	04/07/2025
Native Sun Construction	COG081206	Grand	04/07/2025

Publication date: May 30, 2025

General permit certifications - April 2025

Permittee	Permit Number	County	Issued
Velocity Constructors, Inc.	COG081207	Delta	04/07/2025
Best Sand and Gravel, LLC	COG081208	Adams	04/07/2025
Global Underground Corporation	COG081209	Jefferson	04/07/2025
FRE Civil Contractors	COG081210	Weld	04/07/2025
Reynolds Construction, LLC	COG081212	El Paso	04/07/2025
Pate Construction Co., Inc.	COG081213	Weld	04/07/2025
BT Construction, Inc	COG317199	Arapahoe	04/07/2025
MVFHG Telluride Properties, LLC	COG317200	Adams	04/07/2025
FNF Construction Inc	COG317201	Archuleta	04/07/2025
Crossland Construction Company, Inc.	COG608034	Arapahoe	04/07/2025
Naranjo Civil Constructors, Inc	COG608035	Routt	04/07/2025
Schofield Excavation, Inc.	COG317202	Denver	04/09/2025
QuikTrip Corporation	COG604473	Adams	04/09/2025
Total Terrain Inc.	COG317203	Boulder	04/11/2025
Connell Resources Inc	COG081214	Hinsdale	04/14/2025
ET Environmental Corporation	COG081215	Archuleta	04/14/2025
City of Westminster	COG081216	Douglas	04/14/2025
W.W. Clyde & Co.	COG081217	El Paso	04/14/2025
Hydro Resources, Rocky Mountain Inc.	COG081218	Routt	04/14/2025
Deneuve Construction Services	COG081219	Jefferson	04/14/2025
SEMA Construction	COG081220	Douglas	04/15/2025
Midstream Operations	COG081221	Arapahoe	04/15/2025
Russ Grading and Excavating LLC	COG317204	Boulder	04/15/2025
Ridgway Valley Enterprises, Inc.	COG081223	Arapahoe	04/21/2025
Moltz Construction, Inc.	COG081224	San Miguel	04/21/2025
Concrete Express, Inc.	COG081225	Douglas	04/21/2025
Concrete Express, Inc.	COG081222	Summit	04/24/2025
Conexus LLC	COG081226	El Paso	04/24/2025
Diverge Homes LLC	COG081227	Pueblo	04/30/2025
Alpine Civil Construction, Inc.	COG081228	Arapahoe	04/30/2025
53 Corporation, LLC	COG081229	Arapahoe	04/30/2025
BT Construction, Inc	COG081230	Denver	04/30/2025
AP Mountain States, LLC	COG081231	Douglas	04/30/2025
KP Ventures Well Drilling and Pump Co LLC	COG608036	Douglas	04/30/2025

Enforcement/Civil Penalties/Consent or 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 division's enforcement action website shown below. https://cdphe.colorado.gov/water-quality-enforcement-actions

Enforcement - new actions.

Responsible Party	Action	County	Date
Granby Sanitation District	Domestic - Notice of Violation/Cease and Desist Order	Grand	05/06/2025
Kiewit Infrastructure Co	Industrial - Order for Civil Penalty	Jefferson	05/13/2025

Construction Actions

Site applications review.

Applicant	Туре	Facility Description	County	Action
Town of Telluride	WWTP Site Application No. 3779 [ES.25.SA.09293]	Town of Telluride WWTP Headworks In-Kind Replacement	San Miguel	Approved 05/01/2025
Town of Paonia	WWTP Site Application No. 4781 [ES.25.SA.09369]	Town of Paonia WWTP Aeration Equipment In-Kind Replacement	Delta	Approved 05/05/2025
Colorado Mountain Resorts Investors LLC	WWTP Site Application No. 4633 [ES.24.SA.09158]	Devil's Thumb Ranch WWTP Expansion and Improvements	Grand	Approved 05/13/2025
Sans Souci Cooperative	WWTP Site Application No. ES.19.SA.05133	Sans Souci MHP New WWTP	Boulder	Approved 05/13/2025
Rangeview Metropolitan District	WWTP Site Application No. ES.17.SA.03351 [ES.23.SA.07900]	Sky Ranch WRF Outfall Pipeline and Nutrient Treatment	Arapahoe	Approved 05/15/2025
Evergreen Metropolitan District	WWTP Site Application No. 1742 [ES.24.SA.09020]	Evergreen MD WWTP Biosolids Screw Press	Jefferson	Approved 05/21/2025
Resource Colorado Water & Sanitation Metropolitan District	WWTP Site Application No. ES.22.SA.06924	Resource Colorado WSMD New WWTP	Weld	Approved 05/22/2025
Galloway Inc	WWTP Site Application No. 4316 [ES.24.SA.08799]	Blue Valley Ranch WWTP Upgrade	Grand	Approved 05/22/2025

Plans and specifications review.

Applicant	Site Application	Facility Description	County	Action
Metro Water Recovery	Site Application No. ES.19.SA.04757	Northern Treatment Plant Alkalinity Addition for Post Digestion Solids Treatment Self Certification Acceptance ES.25.CWFDR.09458	Weld	Approved 05/07/2025
Kremmling Sanitation District	Site Application No. 4777 [ES.24.SA.09115]	Kremmling SD WWTP Secondary Outfall PDR Approval ES.24.CWPDR.09117	Grand	Approved 05/07/2025
Alexander Dawson School	Site Application No. ES.24.SA.09056	Alexander Dawson School WWTP Chlorine Contact Improvements PDR Approval ES.24.CWPDR.09057	Boulder	Approved 05/07/2025
GRCO LLC	Site Application No. ES.23.SA.07710	Granby Ranch Filing 8 Lift Station Final P/S Approval ES.23.CWPDR.07711	Grand	Approved 05/13/2025
Snake River Wastewater Utility	Site Application No. 4494 [ES.20.SA.05407]	Snake River WWTP Nitrification and Denitrification Capacity Expansion PDR Approval ES.20.CWPDR.05408	Summit	Approved 05/19/2025
Snake River Wastewater Utitlity	Site Application No. 4494 [ES.20.SA.05407]	Snake River WWTP Nitrification and Denitrification Capacity Expansion Final P/S Approval ES.25.CWFDR.09425	Summit	Approved 05/20/2025
Town of Gypsum	Site Application No. ES.22.SA.06759	Town of Gypsum WWTP Expansion and Improvements PDR Approval ES.22.CWPDR.06760	Eagle	Approved 05/21/2025

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 Alex Powell (alex.powell@state.co.us, 303-692-3618). 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 website.

Draft certification determination.

Applicant	Permit	Activity	County	Waterbody	Certification
#4509 - Classic SRJ LLC	SPA- 2015- 00428	To account for severe stream degradation from ongoing and future developing, design a low maintenance, high performance channel with a meandering bankfull channel and flood terrace. Along each of the three reaches, the design cuts in a new bankfull section offset to the east from the existing thalweg, daylight the flood terrace to west taking care to leave as many existing wetlands intact as possible, and then extend a 1% floodplain to the east between 80 and 120 ft.	El Paso	Arkansas River Basin, Fountain Creek Segment COARF0043 of Fountain Creek Sub-basin.	Draft 82.5(A)(3) Conditional Certification
#4512 - Town of Erie	NWO- 2024 01753	Erie is proposing a channel restoration and flood control project along portions of Coal Creek near County Line and Kenosha Roads in Boulder and Weld counties. The project area was severely flooded September 2013. Due to undersized culverts at County Line Road and Kenosha Road, the floodwater caused Coal Creek to overtop its banks and flood adjacent roads and area neighborhoods. The overall project area is approximately 1.25 miles of Coal Creek at two loca- tions. Reach 2 starts upstream near County Road 1.5 at The Boneyard at Reliance Park and extends along Coal Creek to approximately 650 feet downstream of County Line Road, and Reach 4 occurs further downstream of Reach 2 along Coal Creek just upstream and downstream of Kenosha Road. The basic purpose of the project is channel restoration and flood control improvements to construct a high functioning, lower maintenance channel. The overall purpose of the project is to increase channel capacity, reduce flood risk at adjacent properties, address channel erosion, provide long-term channel stability, enhance the open space corridor for public use, and improve the habitat and overall health of the stream.	and Weld	South Platte River, Laramie River, Republican River, and Smoky Hill River Basins. Coal Creek Segment COSPBO07b_b.	Draft 82.5(A)(3) Conditional Certification

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.

Final certification determination.

Applicant	Permit	Activity	County	Waterbody	Certification
#4511 - Lone Creek Land	SPA-2023-445	Dam construction to rehabilitate and enlarge an existing dam. Replacement of outlet works and spillway for and spillway for an existing dam. Raising the dam crest to provide additional storage to provide irrigation for up 156	Routt	River Basin and	82.5(A)(2) Final Regular Certification
		acres of hay.		Sub-basin.	

Community Development and Partnership Section (CDAP)

Pre-qualification submittals.

Entity	Project Cost	Project Description	County	Date
Grand Junction, City of	\$1,000,000	The project includes recoating the entire interior of the south water storage tank.	Mesa	05/02/2025
McClave Water Association	\$4,000,000	The project includes upgrades and improvements to the distribution system, drilling a new well, and upgrading a pump house required to receive water from the Arkansas Valley Conduit.	Bent	05/07/2025

Project needs assessment (PNA) submittals.

Entity	Project Cost	Project Description	County	Date
Mountain View Village Water & Sanitation District	\$2,900,000	Conversion of the aeration tanks to aerobic digesters to improve the removal of grease, ammonia-N, TIN, and metals, and sludge stabilization and handling.	Lake	05/08/2025
Silo Homeowners Association	\$1,800,000	The project consists of distribution line replacement.	Jefferson	05/07/2025
Saguache, Town of	\$9,655,410	The project includes replacing and rehabilitating distribution lines and valves, rehabilitating existing water storage facilities, adding a new water storage tank, rehabilitating existing wells, and installing water meters.	Saguache	05/01/2025

Finding of no significant impact (FONSI) & categorical exclusion (Cat Ex) determinations.

Entity	Project Cost	Project Description	County	Date
Breckenridge, Town of		The project includes water meter replacements utilizing funds from a previously approved loan. This project is supplemental and did not require additional funds.	Summit	05/07/2025
Fort Lupton, City of	\$22,148,000	This project is for the construction of a new elevated water tank and the addition of distribution lines.	Weld	05/21/2025

Loan applications received.

Entity	Loan Amount	Project Description	County	Date
Paonia, Town of	\$9,744,000	The project includes the installation of a temporary tank and the relining and repairing of the 2-MG finished water storage tank. The project also includes the replacement of distribution piping and raw water monitoring improvements to their spring structures.	Delta	04/21/2025

Loans executed.

Entity	Loan Amount	Project Description	County	Date
Kit Carson, Town of	\$3,548,000	This project includes converting the town's wastewater treatment plant to a non-discharging facility by constructing three evaporative lagoons.	Cheyenne	04/23/2025