

PROPOSED ARIZONA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (AZPDES) RENEWAL PERMIT

Pursuant to the Clean Water Act and in accordance with Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.) R18-9-A907, the Director of the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) proposes to issue an Arizona Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (AZPDES) Permit to discharge pollutants to Waters of the United States to the following applicant, subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions:

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AZPDES Permit No. AZ0023655
Virgin River Domestic Wastewater Improvement District (VRDWID)
P. O. Box 725
Littlefield, Arizona 86432

VRDWID applied for a renewal AZPDES permit for the proposed discharge of up to 0.04 million gallons per day (mgd) of treated domestic wastewater from the Virgin River Domestic Wastewater Improvement District (VRDWID) Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) to the Beaver Dam wash, just upstream from its confluence with the Virgin River in the Colorado – Grand Canyon River Basin in Township 40 N, Range 15 W, Section 5, in Mohave County, Arizona. The Virgin River Domestic Wastewater Improvement District (VRDWID) Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) is a publicly owned treatment works that receives domestic wastewater from residential and / or commercial sources in Beaver Dam. The WWTP consists of an Ecolo Chief Wastewater treatment package plant with a multiple tank system that comprises a primary separation tank, anoxic tank, aeration tank, recycle pump and ultra violet (UV) disinfection system. A backup chlorination and dechlorination disinfection system is also available at the site. The sludge is periodically taken by tank truck to the Mesquite Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) for additional processing and final disposal. Sludge hauling takes place two or three times per year.

The permit and fact sheet may be viewed online at <http://www.azdeq.gov/cgi-bin/vertical.pl> by typing the permit number in the box left of "Search Event". The public notice and related documentation also are available for public review, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at the [ADEQ Records Center](#), 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, Arizona, 85007. In Phoenix, please call (602) 771-4380 or e-mail recordscenter@azdeq.gov 24 hours in advance to schedule an appointment to review the file.

Persons may submit comments or request a public hearing on the proposed action in writing, to Swathi Kasanneni, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, Water Quality Division, 1110 W. Washington St., 5415B-3, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. All written comments received by ADEQ by the close of business on the date 30 days after publication of this notice will be considered in the final permit decision. A public hearing request must be in writing and must include the reasons for such request. If there is a significant degree of public interest, the Director will hold a hearing in accordance with A.A.C. R18-9-A908(B).